

ATTEND THE TIGER TOWN OPEN HOUSE FRIDAY NIGHT



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Robert Huser Named President Of Slaton's Touchdown Club

Robert Huser was elected to serve as Touchdown Club president at a meeting of the organization Monday, August 20 at the clubhouse. Other newly elected officers include J. J. Maxey, vice-president; and Phil Brewer, secretary-treasurer.

Football Highlights

A film showing football highlights from the 1949 Cotton Bowl game between Southern Methodist University and Oregon was shown. Following the Cotton Bowl film the Touchdown members watched Southern Methodist University play Notre Dame in an earlier game the same year.

Officers to Serve
The officers will serve during the 1956-1957 football season. Next meeting will be Monday, September 3 at 8 p. m. at the clubhouse.

Highlight of the meeting Monday was a talk by Eck Curtis, former Texas University backfield coach and present athletic director for the Lubbock school system.

"You men are the core of an organization which not only can bring credit to the community, but also encourages boys to come out for football—because they know they will be backed and supported all during the season by you men.

Close to Boys
"When you are close to the boys as you will be as members of the Touchdown Club you will realize why coaches get so ruffled when their team is criticized, because the coach knows that 99.99% of the boys are doing their dead level best in every game they play."

Legionnaires and Scouts Meet at City Park
Members of the Luther Powers No. 438 of the Slaton American Legion and scouts from troop No. 29 met at the city park Monday night for a watermelon and cantelope feed, according to Wright M. Price, commander.

About 16 Legionnaires and scouts attended. Troop No. 29 is sponsored by the local Legion post.

Crosbyton Game To Open Tiger Football Season

Slaton Tiger football will get underway on September 7 when the local varsity squad meets Crosbyton there at 8 p. m. Slaton's first conference game will be played on October 12 when the Lockney team will come here to play the Tigers on their home field.

The games in the 1956 schedule are as follows:
September 7 Crosbyton, there

September 14 Seagraves, here

September 21 Sudan, there

September 28 Roscoe, there

October 5 Post, there
* October 12 Lockney, here

* October 19 Spur, there
* October 26 Floydada, here

* November 2 Tahoka, there
* November 9 Abernathy, here
* Conference games.

Rev. C. N. Wylie To Be Installed

The Rev. Clarence N. Wylie will be installed as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Slaton Sunday, September 2, at 7:30 p. m. Installation ceremonies will take place in the church under the direction of a commission appointed by the Presbytery of Amarillo.

The Moderator of the Presbytery, the Rev. A. B. Morris of Canadian, Texas, will preside. The Rev. Lewis Koerselman Sr., of Tullia will deliver the sermon.

The Rev. Frank Travis of Plainview will give the charge to the pastor. The Rev. David Richmond of Lubbock will give the charge to the congregation.

The congregation of the church extends a cordial invitation to attend the installation service.

Interest Running High on City Limit Extension

Interest has been running high in the community on the problem of extending the city limits to take in part of the outlying sections of the community. Both the Junior and Senior Chambers of Commerce have gone on record as asking the city to study the necessary procedure for extending the city boundaries.

Under the present set-up the city commissioners and the mayor can extend the city limits only if the residents of the section to be annexed make their wishes to be brought in known by petition.

Following submission of the petition the city would then hold a hearing for those people who might wish to remain outside the limits. If enough people disputed the annexation, the move to extend the city limits would have to go before the people in a general election.

"The City Charter is deficient only in that it makes no provision for annexation of outlying districts into the city," according to city attorney Claude Cravens. "If the city is to have the power to bring more areas into the community it will be necessary to amend the charter to give the mayor and city commission power to take such action." In order to give the city government such power it will take a general election to amend the charter.

It has been said by many in the city that several people living outside the present city limits are receiving city services without paying city taxes for the privilege of doing so. These residents, many people feel, should be brought into the city.

On the other hand if the city limits are extended, many feel that those people brought in should only be charged taxes according to the amount of services that those people are enjoying.

Local Residents Invited To Attend Open House Friday At Tiger Town

Friday night is Open House at Tiger Town.

Slaton's teenage members of Tiger Town have designated Friday night as Open House for residents of the community and are extending an earnest appeal to "come and see what we have accomplished with your help."

Always Open House
The young people of Slaton emphasized the fact that every night the youth center is open is open house to the parents and citizens of the community—but that this special night has been set aside for all residents to come and have a good time with the teenagers.

Tiger Town has proven itself to be quite a unique organization in that it was organized and operates under the direction of the teenagers themselves. The young people elected their own officers and an adult advisory board to work with them on rules and policy matters related to Tiger Town.

Advisory Board
The advisory board works with the teenagers and carries out the rules and regulations which the teenagers themselves have drawn up. At least two parents are always on hand, at the invitation of the teenagers, at each of the nights that Tiger Town is open.

To take part in Tiger Town activities young people must obey the rules drawn up by the members. The rules include: 1. All Slaton and Southland high school students must have a membership card. 2. Persons using or having intoxicants will not be admitted. 3. All damaged property and broken records must be paid for by persons breaking them.

Ex-Students Admitted
4. All ex-students of Slaton High will be admitted for a small fee if not accompanied by a member. 5. Sponsors reserve the right to refuse admittance to anyone they see fit. 6. All out-of-town guests must be accompanied by a member and a small fee paid.

The youth center has proven so popular that an estimated 100 teenagers take part in its activities the nights that it is open. During the summer months the center has been open twice weekly on Tuesday and Friday. During the coming school sessions the teenagers plan to open once a week or possibly once every two weeks.

Old Barracks
At its inception Tiger Town was

nothing more than an old barracks building located in the City Park. The young people asked for and got donations from various civic organizations and individuals in the city for improvements to the center—with the result that Slaton teenagers have their own attractive self-governed youth center. Much of the work to improve the old building was done by the high school students themselves—now it is complete.

Surprises Wait
Visitors to the building will be

Funeral Services Held Wednesday For Mrs. Smart

Early Tuesday morning, Aug. 28, a pioneer resident, Mrs. W. E. Smart, died in Mercy Hospital following an illness of several months. Funeral services were held Wednesday, at 3 p. m. in the local Church of Christ.

Mrs. Smart moved to Slaton with her husband in 1915 and was a first grade teacher in Slaton Public Schools from that time until 1932 when she retired. She had taught at Santo, Texas, prior to moving to Slaton and it was there that she met and married her husband.

Not only was she active in school work here but was interested in civic projects and her church. She was the only active charter member of the Civic and Culture Club at the time of her death and was an active worker in securing the Slaton Branch of the Lubbock County Library. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

M. E. Blake of Sudan, a former pastor, officiated at the services assisted by the Rev. Elmer Crabtree. Burial was in Englewood Cemetery under the direction of William's Funeral Home.

Survivors include her husband, four sisters, Mrs. J. H. Hester, Mrs. Elsie Hemphill and Miss Laura Wallace, all of Mineral Wells; and Mrs. Max Stehling, New Braunfels; two brothers, Ernest Wallace, Los Alamos, N. Mex., and Allen Wallace, Mineral Wells.

Palbearers were Fred Schmidt, T. A. Worley, Howard Swanner, J. S. Edwards Jr., John Berkle, Edwin Haddock and Charles Walton.

surprised at the changes which have been made from its attractive appearance on the outside to
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Mail Routes Extended Here

Community mail service was extended recently with the addition of pick-up and delivery to several sections of the city which formerly did not have the service.

New routes are now being served on 16th, 17th, and 18th Streets, according to T. E. McClanahan, Slaton post master. In addition three blocks on west Division Street and 20th street from the high school south on Division Street are also receiving mail delivery and pick-up service.

All new routes are being taken care of by a mounted mail man—delivery and pick-up of mail by car.

COMMISSION VOTES TO LEASE PACKER TYPE GARBAGE UNIT

The city commissioners voted unanimously to lease, with the option to buy, a new garbage unit for use in Slaton to increase the service offered by the unit now in operation.

Leach Packmaster
The garbage unit is a Leach Packmaster manufactured by the Leach Company of Oshkosh, Wisconsin. Delivery is expected to be completed in about three weeks.

When delivery is made to the Slaton sanitation department the city's facilities will be brought up to two in trucks—the old truck which is now in use will be used to pick up rubbish which accumulates each day around business houses in and near the business district.

Unit Assigned
The new unit will be assigned a regular route over the city to insure residents more efficient garbage collection. The Packmaster will be leased on a 12 months lease with the option to buy at the end of the period.

Installation of the 16 yard unit will be on a truck of about two or two and a half tons capacity. Bids for the sale of the truck to the

were expected to be received sometime this week so that work on the Packmaster can be begun by the manufacturer.

Election Called
An election was called by the commission to fill the unexpired term of Commissioner Bob Brasfield who recently resigned to move from the city. The election will be held on October 2 in the office of the Chamber of Commerce and will be limited to Ward 4 voters. O. N. Alcorn will serve as election judge.

In other business the commission voted to purchase a new radio for use in the recently purchased patrol car. On the recommendation of Bill Daniels, Slaton's chief of police, the commission voted to hire another patrolman.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Butler and two sons of Seminole visited here over the week end with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Butler Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Boyce.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gentry of Lamesa visited here Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Smith.

Classes Begin Sept. 4 In Local Schools

Deadline for Commission Race

With the deadline for filing designated as September 2, only one candidate had made known his intention to run for city commissioner from Ward 4 up to Wednesday of this week.

Oran McWilliams has filed with City Secretary J. J. Maxey for the coming commissioner election which will be held October 2. Voting will be limited to residents living in Ward 4.

The new commissioner will fill out the unexpired term of city commissioner Bob Brasfield.

Retired Missionary To Discuss Head Hunters Sunday

The Rev. H. W. DeVries, retired missionary to the Philippines will be guest speaker at the 11 a. m. service Sunday at the Bible Baptist Church. Rev. DeVries served in the Philippines for some 30 years before his retirement. He will talk about the head hunters of the South Pacific Islands.

On September 5, the Rev. R. J. Evans, a Bible Baptist minister, will show film of the Holy Land at 8 p. m. All residents of the community are invited to attend, according to the Rev. R. C. Wetzel, pastor of the church.

First Graders To Attend Half Day Classes

First graders in West Ward will attend half-day school days for the first two weeks of school, according to T. C. Martin principal. Classes for the first graders will meet from 9 to 11:30 a. m. each day for the two week period.

Parents of first graders may go to school after their children at 11:30 a. m. if they wish. Those children who ride the bus and whose parents cannot pick them up at 11:30 a. m. will be taken care of until the bus runs in the afternoon. Prices for lunches are grades 1 to 3, 25 cents; for all other grades, including high school, 30 cents.

These first grade children will be fed at 11:30 a. m. at the usual time, or parents who plan to come after their children can wait until after the children have eaten.

The reason for the half-day schedule, Martin said, is to enable teachers to visit in the homes of the first graders in the afternoons during the two weeks.

Grades one through three will eat lunch this year at 11:30 a. m.; all other grades, including high school, will eat at noon.

A bus will run from the high school to the junior high cafeteria each day at noon, to enable those desiring to eat at the cafeteria to do so.

Swimming Coach Honored Monday

Swimming coach Truett Fulcher was honored with a swimming party at the city pool Monday morning. Fulcher's swimming team presented him with gifts including hip boots, a gun cleaning kit, and a sports shirt for his work with the team during the summer.

The mothers and fathers of the team prepared and served ice cream and cookies in the City Park

Local Voters Pick Yarborough Over Price Daniel In Primary

Slaton voters turned out in less numbers in the second Democratic primary Saturday but retained their selection of Yarborough over Price Daniel as in the previous primary.

A total of 879 votes were cast at the polls in City Hall Saturday as compared with a record-breaking 1029 ballots in the preceding election.

Precinct Voting
Precinct No. 26 cast 265 votes, 89 for Daniel and 176 for Yarborough; Precinct No. 27 voters cast 258 votes, 70 for Daniel and 188 for Yarborough; Precinct No. 28 ballot boxes showed a total vote of 356 with 129 for Daniel and 227 for Yarborough.

In complete, but unofficial election returns Tuesday from the 254 Texas counties which voted in the race the results showed Daniel leading Yarborough by a slim margin of 3,547 votes. Returns to the Texas Election Bureau from the 254 counties listed Daniel as having 698,125 votes to Yarborough's 694,578.

Smith Wins
Preston Smith was on his way to the Texas Senate from the 28th Senatorial District. Smith led the race in only three counties while his opponent Carroll Cobb led in the other eleven. Smith won by a margin of 2,244 for a total vote of 20,723 to Cobb's 18,479 votes.

In Slaton Smith lagged behind Cobb in each of the precincts. In Precinct No. 26 Cobb had 147 votes to Smith's 118; in Precinct No. 27 Cobb led 141 to 115; and in Precinct No. 28 Cobb won 214 to 140.

Will Wilson
Will Wilson led the way in the Attorney General race with final returns reading 803,740 votes to his opponent Tom Moore's 515,119 votes. In Slaton Wilson carried all three precincts. In Precinct No. 26 the vote stood at 143 votes for Wilson, 122 for Moore; in Precinct No. 27 Wilson got a total of 130 votes to Moore's 121 votes; in Precinct No. 28 Wilson took the lead with a total vote of 182, Moore got 165 votes.



TROPHIES WERE PRESENTED TO WINNERS in the Jaycee sponsored Tennis tournament held here Friday of last week. The champions are, left to right, Robert Heaton, Division I singles; Charles White, Division II doubles; Phil Brewer, second vice-president of the Jaycees who presented the trophies; Russell Cummings, Division II singles; Steve Smith, Division II doubles. Not pictured is Dal Stanley, Division I doubles winner. (SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)

Trophies Awarded Tennis Champions

Trophies were awarded Saturday morning to the winners of the Slaton Junior Chamber of Commerce sponsored annual National Junior and Boy's Tennis Tournament.

In Division I, for boys 18 and under, Robert Heaton defeated Dal Stanley 6-2, 6-1, and 6-2 to take the singles trophy. A doubles team entered in the same division composed of Heaton and Stanley

dropped the team of Bobby Sokoll and James Vardy 6-0, 6-2.

In Division II, for boys 15 years and under, Russell Cummings defeated Charles White 6-2, 6-4 to take the singles championship and a team composed of White, and Steve Smith took the doubles honors from Kenneth Melcher and Cummings 6-2, 6-4.

First round matches were played Thursday and finals were played off on Friday. Trophies were awarded on behalf of the Slaton Junior Chamber of Commerce by Phil Brewer, second vice-president of the organization.

FIRST GRADERS NEED BIRTH CERTIFICATES

All first grade students are required to have their birth certificates and a vaccination certificate for small pox and diphtheria, according to P. L. Vardy Jr., superintendent of schools.

Local students will begin the process once more of working toward the completion of their education on September 4 when schools in the community will open their doors for the resumption of classes. Teachers will start the task of presenting their happy, and some not so happy, students with books and assignments during the first day of school.

Bus to Operate
The school bus will operate the first day of school on the route it followed last year, according to P. L. Vardy Jr., superintendent of schools.

No definite date has been set for the opening of the new Evans School, but it is anticipated that the opening date will be in September, Vardy stated. In the event completion of the new building is delayed beyond September, arrangements will be made to start classes for students of the Evans School in temporary quarters.

Evans School
The new Evans School will be equipped with seven classrooms and an auditorium, offices, and rest rooms. Two of these rooms are equipped for natural science and homemaking.

It is of semi-fire-proof construction with terrazo hall floors, and asphalt tile floors in classrooms. Rest rooms have glazed tile walls and ceramic tile floors.

Students in the first four grades will attend the school in their zone, Vardy said. The East Ward school zone begins at Murray and 7th St. and goes north to Knox, thence east to 4th and thence north to Division. From this point it goes south to Murray and thence west to 7th and Murray, the point of origin.

West Ward Zone
All other parts of the school district are in the West Ward school zone. All students in the fifth grade will attend West Ward. Students in the sixth, seventh, and eighth grades will attend the revamped high school building at 10th and Jean Streets.

Buses, Vardy related, will operate on the same routes as last year. Any changes in bus routes will be made as the necessity arises, following the opening of school.

School Cafeterias
The school cafeterias at West Ward and Junior High will begin serving meals on Wednesday, September 5. Students will be dismissed on September 4 in time for them to eat lunch at home, according to the school superintendent.

All teachers will be required to meet at 9:30 a. m. Saturday, September 1. This meeting will continue throughout the day and Monday. All new teachers will be oriented to Slaton schools and will receive instruction to start their work Tuesday.

Calendar Of Coming Events

Thursday, August 30
Rotary Club, noon, Clubhouse.

Friday, August 31
Open House, 8 p. m., Tiger Town, City Park.

Saturday, September 1
Back to school dance, 8 p. m., Tiger Town.

Last day to file for City Commissioner from Ward 4.

Sunday, September 2
Catholic Daughters, 2:30 p. m., St. Joseph's Hall.
Attend the church of your choice.

Monday, September 3
Wilson Public Schools open.
Junior Chamber of Commerce, 7:30 p. m., Bruce's Cafe.
Boy Scout troop No. 29, 7:30 p. m., Scout Hall.
Touchdown Club, 8 p. m., Clubhouse.

Tuesday, September 4
Lions Club, noon, Clubhouse.
Slaton public schools open.
Tiger Town, 8 p. m., City Park.
Slaton Rangers, 8 p. m., City Hall Auditorium.

Thursday, September 6
Lydia Class meets in home of Mrs. A. R. Pierce, 8 p. m., 935 S. 12th Street.

Pep Squad pep rally, home of Beverly Bland, 455 S. 4th Street, 7 to 9 p. m.

L. A. of B. of R. T., 2 p. m., Clubhouse.

ON THE WAY OUT

Is public transportation on the way out? The continuing reduction in railroad passenger service keeps pace with a corresponding diminution in the service offered by local bus companies and the few remaining electric lines. One large city finds that only an infinitesimal number of riders uses the buses in the evening, and is accordingly omitting all runs after the late afternoon rush hours. Saturday, Sunday and holiday service has already been abolished in many cases.

"We are not throwing in the towel to the private auto," says the head of the bus service in that city. Whatever he may say, that is just what the management is doing, more and more every month.

Once the introduction of public transportation was hailed as a great forward step. But it may not be many years before, in most cities, anyone who wants to get anywhere else will have to use his own car or rely on a kindly neighbor.

STUDYING GERMAN

A revival of interest in the German language is taking place throughout the world. While English is still the international language, increased numbers of pupils are studying German in virtually every country except the United States.

What makes German important is the amount of scholarly research in every subject produced in that language. Aside from English, it is the most important language for natural science students. The New York Public Library's technical section contains more publications in German than in all other foreign languages put together. For music students, only Italian is more important than German. Many graduate schools list German as a prerequisite for admission.

Because of its importance, the decline of German-language study in this country is cause for concern. This is true especially because the United States has the largest number of people of German origin outside Europe.

Efforts are being made by various organizations to stimulate interest in German. Such efforts should be increasingly successful as Western Germany takes its place in the ranks of peace-loving, democratic nations. German is too important a language to be ignored.

NO FIFTH COLUMN

Like all wars, World War II produced some fantastic rumors which at the time were taken for gospel. One such, which had some basis in fact but was much exaggerated, had to do with the activities of the so-called German fifth column. This was supposed to be a secret army of spies, saboteurs and military forces which, operating under cover, had much to do with the extraordinary German successes in the early part of the war.

The Netherlands, which fell a surprisingly easy prey to the German attack, was a natural location for yarns of this sort. These have now been examined by Louis De Jong, executive director of the Netherlands State Institute for War Documentation. He investigated such extraordinary stories as that which depicted German agents dropping from the air dressed as nuns. He finds that there was no truth to this particular story or to any others. His conclusion is that belief in the fifth column is a product of popular panic rather than of fact.

Yet, so many more extraordinary occurrences proved true that it is hard for many people to draw the line. What could be more fantastic than the tale of the destruction wrought by the atom bomb?

MYSTERIOUS CLOCK

Scientists have discovered that the human body has built-in "clocks that keep time on the basis of chemical and biological changes. Some of them work on an exact 24-hour cycle; others match no rhythm known to man.

This advancement in knowledge offers hope that some day science may be able to explain why Grandpa can say, "I'm going to get up at 6:30 tomorrow," and then do it, without an alarm clock. Once the mechanism of that feat has been discovered, scientists can turn to the master problem of all—how a small boy manages to rise and shine at precisely 6 a. m. on a Sunday morning when his parents want to sleep until 8.

That singer who wails about stepping on his blue suede shoes sounds as if someone were already standing on his corns.

ONE FIGHT GOD ENDORSES



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CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express to our kind neighbors and thoughtful friends our heartfelt thanks for their many acts of kindness during the illness and death of our mother, Mrs. Ola Gilliland. The beautiful floral offerings were especially appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Gilliland

Week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Turner were their daughter, Mrs. Harvey Allen, Mr. Allen and son, Bobby, of Hobbs, N. Mex. Also Mr. Turner's niece, Mrs. Bobby McDonald, of McAlister, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Maxey and daughters spent from Friday through Sunday here visiting Mr. Maxey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Maxey Sr. H. C. Maxey is a patient in Mercy Hospital and is reported to be in a satisfactory condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Stinson Behlen and children returned Saturday from a weeks trip. They visited Mrs. Behlen's cousin, Ernest Stroud, Mrs. Stroud and children in San Angelo. In San Antonio they visited the Alamo and Brackenridge Park and other places of interest. They visited with relatives and friends in Shiner, and in Luling they stopped for a visit with the Rev. and Mrs. Ed Gorom and daughter who have just recently moved from here to Luling. They also stopped in Snyder to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Davis and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Brewer of Lubbock visited here in the home of Mrs. Brewer's brother, Harvey Tunnell, and Mrs. Tunnell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Todd Sr. visited four days in Capitan, N. Mexico and seeing the Capitan mountains.

Mrs. George A. Taylor spent two days last week in Tulia visiting in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. O. B. Herring.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Thompson last week end were Mr. Thompson's father, R. L. Thompson, and his sister, Mrs. M. G. Whitaker, of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Angle had as their guests over the week end Mrs. Angle's mother, Mrs. Q. C. Davis, and her sister, Mrs. Louise Westmoreland, and daughter, Pat, of Knox City.

Joan Lawson and Peggy Brothy have returned to their homes in Houston after spending several days here in the home of Joan's grandmother, Mrs. Fannie Patterson.

Mrs. Fannie Patterson and Mrs. J. A. Elliott attended the graduation exercises at Hardin-Simmons Friday night where Mrs. Patterson's grandson, Leroy Patterson, received his B. C. degree.

Mrs. L. T. Arthur had the misfortune of falling and breaking her hip Wednesday afternoon. She underwent surgery Thursday in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. About two months ago Mrs. Arthur fell and broke her left knee from which she hasn't fully recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil R. Lovett and daughters, Barbara, Dorthea, Frances, and Margaret of Carthage spent the week end with Mr. Lovett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lovett.

Mrs. R. H. Todd Sr. and her sister, Mrs. C. M. Francis, left Saturday night for McKinney where they will visit with Mrs. Todd's son, Frank Todd, and family. They were accompanied by Mrs. Todd's grandson, David.

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Stone and Mrs. C. E. Reynolds and children of Lubbock visited here Sunday with Mrs. Stone's and Mrs. Reynolds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jobe.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holland returned from a weeks trip to Colorado Springs, Denver, and Estes Park, Colo.

Beth Taylor of Amarillo spent the week end here with her grandmother Mrs. George A. Taylor.

Mrs. Eunice Sooter of Lubbock visited here Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Lamb.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Slaughter of Houston spent two days last week with Mr. Slaughter's mother, Mrs. W. T. Slaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Henry and children of Amarillo spent the week end here in the home of Mr. Henry's mother, Mrs. W. T. Barry, and Mr. Barry.

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Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Odom last week was Mrs. Odom's niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Thompson and sons Tommy Dean and Donnie. The Thompsons stopped by on their way to New Mexico and points in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. George Evans attended the 39th annual family reunion of the Henderson family held in the home of Mrs. Evans' mother, Mrs. W. M. Henderson, in Plainview last Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. M. Jay McSweeney and family attended the swimming meet in Midland last Saturday where two of their daughters, Betty and Marilyn, were entered.

FREE AIR

Self's Service Station

One wonderful thing about a spring is that you can call your laziness, "Spring fever" and get by with it.

By the time our children are old enough not to say or do anything in public to disgrace us, they have reached an age when the things we say and do embarrass them.

In olden times the building of a new building involved a ceremony known as raising the ridgepole. Today it involves a private ceremony known as raising the money.

"How was the applause after your speech?" asked the fond wife. "Terrible," the husband moaned. "It sounded like a carpenter in sneakers walking across a Persian rug."

How many children have the incentive to study when they see adults miss a question and win a Cadillac.

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Coach Ehrler Entertains Lions With Football Film

Head coach Leonard Ehrler entertained the Lions Club at their Tuesday noon meeting with movies of some of the outstanding football games in the nation in 1948 and 1950 seasons.

The film featured such games as the Army-Illinois game, North Carolina-Georgia, Minnesota-Washington, Notre Dame-Army, Southern Methodist University-University of Texas, Princeton-Cornell, Purdue-Notre Dame, and Navy-Army.

Ehrler urged all members of the Lions Club to join the Touchdown Club and help boost the Slaton Tigers during the coming football season.

A. M. Cade of Tahoka attended the meeting as a guest of J. S. Edwards Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Maxey and Pam, who accompanied Mrs. Maxey's father, Dr. Paul Owens and Mrs. Owens on a trip to California, Oregon and Washington, returned home Aug. 15. They visited Sequoia, Yosemite, and Yellowstone National Parks and other points of interest.

Out of town guests attending the Bednarz-Dierschke wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Rud. Ripper and Dorothy and Roman of Schulenburg, Mrs. Ted Thumann, Carolyn and Donald of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hlavaty and Karon of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dierschke and Alvin of San Angelo, Walter J. Dierschke and Shirley of Sealy, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Multer of Balingier, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dierschke, Mr. and Mrs. Finley Lisso, Darrel, Sharon, and Carla, Ruby L. Moeller, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Block, Dorothy Ann Schniers, Andrew Hoelscher, Marcell Kalina, Vincent Halfman, Alvin Gengross, and Mr. and Mrs. Vickie Hoelscher all of Rowena.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lester attended the Lester reunion in Mackenzie Park in Lubbock last Sunday.

Visiting in the Dock McGuire home recently were all the McGuire children, Artie Roberson from Abilene, Hubert McGuire from Virginia, Bonnie Lou Taylor of San Antonio, John McGuire from Odessa, and Virginia McGuire of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Evans of Abilene have been visiting here for the past few days in the home of Mrs. Evans' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Swafford, and Mr. Evans' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Evans.

Rotary Visitor Guest in Home Of Rev. Treptow

Iradj Master of Iran spent another interesting week in the community learning more about the American way of life. He was a guest for the week of August 29 in the home of the Rev. Henry F. Treptow.

During that week he visited several neighborhood farms to study irrigation as it is used in this section of the country. Two evenings were given over to barbecues, one at the Wallace Becker home and one at Buffalo Lakes.

In an effort to become more familiar with the teenage way of life in the community Master visited with many of the young people and attended a meeting of Tiger Town, the local youth center.

He attended a dance at St. Joseph's Hall where he discovered, according to Rev. Treptow, just how the American way of dancing looks difficult it is easy to learn the basic steps.

Two events of interest which Slaton's summer guest attended were two Christian weddings—his first since coming to this country. Master was also a guest of the Post Rotary Club.

One evening he went to a farm near Post to see the cotton there and later went to supper at the Herman Kiesel home at Southland. Master will spend the coming week in the John Berkley home.

Panhandle South Plains Fair Programs Available

Programs for the Panhandle South Plains Fair which will be held in Lubbock September 24 through September 29 are available in the Chamber of Commerce office in City Hall.

The programs list the different divisions in which exhibitors can vie for prizes. Mrs. R. D. Bisbee, secretary of the C of C states that a limited number of the programs were received and will be distributed to those asking for them.

Two Former Slaton Athletes At McMurry

ABILENE, (Sp1)—The McMurry College Indians will be counting on the services of two ex-Slaton High School athletes when they open fall football practice here Sept. 1.

They are Ezra Corley, 197-pound senior end, and Stan White, 185-pound junior end.

Corley, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Corley of Slaton, is a three-year letterman, having earned a spot on McMurry's starting eleven midway in his freshman season in 1953.

He is regarded by the McMurry coaches as "a dependable performer on both offense and defense, well grounded in the fundamentals of blocking and tackling, and a constant hustler."

A 1952 graduate of Slaton High School, Corley was a three-year letterman and captain of the Tigers. Also a basketball, baseball and track participant, he plans to coach athletics after graduation from McMurry next spring. Corley was named to the second team of the all-Texas Conference selections last fall.

White, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. H. H. White of Slaton, lettered two years at guard for the SHS Tigers before his graduation in 1954. He was switched to end at McMurry, and has also played two seasons on the basketball team.

White was married Aug. 18 to the former Margaret Riethmayer of Lamesa, a junior at McMurry.

Both White and Corley are majoring in physical education and plan to coach in the public schools.

Mrs. J. A. Elliott has recently returned home from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. John F. Schide, of Powell, Wyo. While there Mrs. Elliott visited Yellowstone National Park.

Mrs. J. R. Thompson has recently returned from Methodist Hospital in Lubbock where she had major surgery and is doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Lester and Ron of Levelland spent last Sunday with the George Gamble family. Monday Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gamble of Wolforth visited in the Gamble home.

C. E. Gravel is a patient in the Sante Fe hospital in Topeka, Kan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Holt are visiting in the mountains in Colorado and have taken their two grandsons, Mike and Stephen, with them.

Mrs. George Harlan carried her two sons Jerry and Bobby to the swimming meet held in Midland recently. Both boys were entered in the meet.

Visiting with Mrs. A. J. Baker last week were her two daughters and their families Mrs. C. V. Ruth and Mr. Ruth of Dumas and Mrs. Elser Hartman and daughter of Kress. They also attended the Baker reunion at Mackenzie Park in Lubbock Sunday.

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Dee R. Green Office Mgr. Lynn Co. ASC states that funds are still available to share the cost of carrying out any of the 1956 ACP approved practices.

The approved ACP practices are: terracing, installing irrigation pipe, bench leveling for irrigation, winter Legumes seeded in the fall of 1956, deep plowing Sandy cropland and chiseling a depth of not less than 8 inches to control wind erosion.

Please make application at this office before the practice is started, otherwise approval cannot be issued.

Robert Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Evans who was a member of the Wesley choir of the First Methodist church in Lubbock before moving to Abilene recently has returned to Lubbock to join the choir for a tour of parts of the United States and Canada. They will be gone for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Douglas visited in Portales, N. M. recently.

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Southland Schools Registration Set Monday, Sept. 3

Registration in the Southland school system will get underway on Monday, September 3, according to F. W. Callaway, superintendent of schools.

Classroom work will commence on Tuesday, September 4. Teachers in the Southland system include Lemmie Swindle, 1st grade; Mrs. Peggy Wheeler, 2nd and 3rd grades; Mrs. Dixie Roberts, 4th and 5th grades;

Mrs. Buddy Hall, 6th and 7th grades; Jesse Swindle, commercial work; Mrs. Irene Kuykendall, English; Henry Louis, social science and coach; and F. W. Callaway, mathematics.

Bus drivers include Alva Albright, Mrs. Elsin Crawford, Henry Lewis, Mrs. Donald Tennell, and Leroy Mueller.

Jean Hargrove and Jerry Callaway will be employed as lunch room workers.

Mrs. Bessie Crowley returned home from Mercy Hospital last Monday and is recovering from a broken arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Bownds and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lamb visited relatives in Dallas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Prabasco of Floydada visited in the Don Crow last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Winn and family are visiting in parts of Colorado this week.

Lajuana Riemmer of Floydada is visiting this week with Sue Reasner.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bennett visited relatives last week in Dallas, Hillsboro, and Ringgold.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Davis and family have been on a week long fishing trip to Daisy, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Felty and Barbara and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pierce spent four days recently in Red River, N. Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Schuette of Fredricksburg were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kahlich last Monday.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Marsh is their daughter, Mrs. Glen Fry of Portales, N. M.

Visiting in the H. L. Moore home last week was Glen Provence of Amarillo who is the nephew of Mrs. Moore.

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"HOLIDAY ON ICE OF 1956" FEATURE OF PANHANDLE FAIR

"Holiday on Ice of 1956," which will be the featured attraction at the 39th Annual Panhandle South Plains Fair in Lubbock, has scheduled nine performances, September 23-28, announced R. E. (Bob) Gee, Fair Association President.

The great show which thrilled more than 30,000 spectators at last year's Fair has an entirely different line-up of stars and production spectacles, including a presentation of Ravel's "Bolero," and the initial version of "Noah's Ark."

The "Bolero" rhythm affords a powerful background to Aztec costumes, a thundering volcano and exciting authentic skating routines by the entire ensemble. "Noah's Ark" appeals to young and old, presenting a story and moral in a whimsical atmosphere unique in the show world. Children especially will delight in the originality of the costumes.

The two and one-half hour show is filled with every type of entertainment. Saluting our Nation's great popular composers, "Holiday on Ice of 1956" is featuring a cavalcade of songs in "Music for Americans." With all of the principals and chorus of the big revue, each performer skates to melodies

everyone knows and loves by such famous writers as Irving Berlin, Vincent Youmans, George Gershwin, Cole Porter, and Sigmund Romberg.

"The Guardsmen," another new production gives the world-renowned Glamour-Icers and "Ice" Squires a chance to exhibit their inimitable precision skill in a stirring march routine. The chorus line will also be seen in the lilted opening number, "Totin' Ice Around the World" and the lavish "Winter Mardi Gras" finale.

"Holiday on Ice of 1956" is scheduled for nine performances at the Panhandle South Plains Fair. Evening shows will start at 8 p. m. each night beginning Sunday, September 23, and extending through Friday evening, September 28. Matinees, to which children will be admitted at half price, will be held at 2:30 p. m. on Monday, Tuesday, and Friday of Fair Week.

Tickets for "Holiday on Ice of 1956" may be obtained by sending in the mail order blank in another part of this paper.

Through indecision, opportunity is often lost.



THIS PHOTO OF THE 100 BLOCK OF S. 9TH STREET was loaned to The Slatonite by Bill Sledge and offers the reader a look at a part of the community as it appeared in 1915. The wagon in the picture was the property of the G. L. Sledge Transfer Company.

Take A Look At Slaton In 1915

At the time this picture was taken in 1915, the City of Slaton was a thriving little metropolis of 1000 people. The city block which appears in the picture was constructed about 1912 and is the 100 block on S. 9th Street.

Horses were the chief mode of transportation and the horse-drawn bus in the center of the picture was at that time the only means of transportation between the railway depot and the downtown area.

On the far end of the block was the Singleton Hotel which later became the Forrest Hotel. Today the

space occupied by the hotel is taken up by the Knott and Muse Dry Goods Store and The Slatonite.

The bus which carried passengers to the depot also carried the mail and delivered it to the post office which was in the Forrest Hotel building. On the end of the block was the First State Bank.

Slaton's water system in 1915 consisted of a windmill on the city hall square and a big water storage tank on the corner across from the First State Bank. Farmers coming to town in those days, according to J. H. Brewer, used to water their horses at the tank.

Next to the bank in the block was the Red Cross Pharmacy which is now the Slaton Pharmacy. A grocery store occupied the building which now houses the Slaton Variety Store. Quality Cleaners is in the same location that once belonged to The Slaton Times. The paper in those days, Brewer said, was published and edited by L. P. Loomis and J. T. Pinkston and was the typesetter.

With its paved streets and with all the hustle and bustle of the present day automobile it is interesting to take a minute to take a look back at Slaton and think how quickly things are changed by time.

If the 63,672 Texas farmers who signed agreements placing cropland in the acreage reserve part of the soil bank program comply with all rules and regulations, they can earn more than \$23.8 million. Bob Cherry, extension economist, says the total acreage involved is 1,970,235-3/10. Total acreage signed up in the U. S. exceeds 10.7 million.

Urban Renewal Representative Surveys Housing

On the request of the City of Slaton, H. Vaughn Black, who is connected with the Housing and Home Finance Agency arrived in Slaton Friday to make a survey of the southeast part of the city to study housing conditions there. Black is field representative of the Urban Renewal HHFA of the Ft. Worth regional office.

Accompanying him on the tour of the Flats and Latin-American section of the city were Howard Swanner, Bruce Pember, B. N. Ball, Mrs. R. D. Bisbee, and Clyde Walter.

The government agency has as its purpose assisting cities in planning for and financing of slum clearance and up-grading of inadequate housing, where state law makes such assistance possible.

"In Texas communities do not have the fullest authority to carry on Urban Renewal activities and in particular lack the power of eminent domain for acquired property, slum clearance and re-development by private enterprise," Black stated.

Steps Listed
In order for Slaton to receive assistance under Urban Renewal it must submit a workable program to the agency containing essential objectives with respect to the following:

1. Codes and Ordinances, which includes adequate minimum standards of health, sanitation, and safety through a comprehensive system of codes and ordinances which state the minimum conditions under which dwellings may be lawfully occupied;
2. Submit a comprehensive community plan, which includes the formulation and official recognition of a comprehensive general plan for the community as a whole;
3. Neighborhood analyses, the identification of the extent and intensity of blight and logical patterns of neighborhoods for the purpose of developing a basis for planning of healthy neighborhoods of decent homes and suitable living environment;
4. Administrative organization, a firmly established administrative responsibility and capacity for enforcement of codes and ordinances, and for carrying out renewal programs and projects;

Financing
5. Financing, the development of means for meeting the financial obligation involved in carrying out Urban Renewal activities;

6. Housing for displaced families, to facilitate the rehousing, in decent, safe, and sanitary accommodations, of families displaced by governmental action;

7. Citizen participation, community-wide participation on the part of individuals and representative citizens' organizations which will help to provide, both in the community generally and in selected areas, the understanding and support which is necessary to insure success.

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This is the time of the year when many small boys learn that an apple a day can keep the doctor away only if the apples are ripe.



JURY DUTY

One of these days—perhaps soon—you may get a notice telling you to report for jury duty—and to "fail not." In serving, you share one of the most solemn duties known to our democracy.

Some people try to get out of jury service. It may be inconvenient or unpleasant. Yet, when you are put on a jury you should think of this as a chance to help make good one of the promises of our Constitution—trial by jury. Say the following to yourself:

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"Under our law no one's life, liberty, or property can be taken without due process of law.

"Trial by jury is our basic right. All who seek their day in court should have a fair hearing. They will get it from me.

"I will not ask to be excused from jury service except in an emergency.

"On my oath I will well and truly try each case before me, and a true verdict render under the law given me by the judge and the evidence at the trial without fear, favor, or hope of reward.

"I will listen closely, with open mind to all of the testimony, instructions, and arguments. I will not make up my mind until all the facts are in and the judge has instructed the jury on the law.

"I will search for the truth regardless of wealth or poverty, friendship or enmity, of any party or witnesses.

"To someone my decision may mean the difference between freedom or imprisonment, poverty or wealth.

"Justice, once but a dream, is a reality when I, as a juror, do my full duty. No act of mine shall bring shame to our system of liberty under law."

GENERAL ROBERT AND YOU

Whether it's the nomination of a presidential candidate at one of the national political conventions, or the monthly meeting of your neighborhood PTA, a set of procedural rules compiled 80 years ago by an almost-forgotten Army General usually has much to do with the way the business is conducted.

You have probably heard of "Robert's Rules of Order" which was published in 1876. General Henry M. Robert ordered only 4,000 of his original edition, but since that time almost 1,500,000 copies have been printed. The rules have been modernized from time to time, but the revisions have been slight.

Actually the rules for conducting a meeting go back to the early days of the English Parliament, although General Robert based his upon the rules and practice of the U. S. Congress.

Robert's Rules come close to being, "law of the land." They are given added legal status by the fact that the charter, constitution, or by-laws of almost every organization you can name—your wife's literary society, your labor union, or the corporation you work for (large or small)—ordinarily state somewhere that all meetings will be "conducted in accordance with Robert's Rules of Order." Special rules may be made by any organization contrary to Robert, but if such provisions are not in the by-laws his little book—where incorporated in such by-laws—remains the "bible" to be followed strictly.

All this means, in effect, that if a serious question arises over the legality of action taken by an organization, a court might have to consider General Robert's rules with the same care as it does the law to determine whether the action in question was proper.

If you take an active part in church, school, civic or fraternal organizations, some knowledge of Robert's Rules is important. At your lodge meeting for example, things go much smoother if both the chairman and the members on the floor follow Robert and stick to the business at hand. That way you'll get home before the wee, small hours, and still have time for some relaxation after the business session.

There are many simple guides to Robert that will help, and unless you are chairman of a large or important meeting it probably isn't necessary to know all the details in the whole book.

Now we move to adjourn until next week—a motion which General Robert says takes precedence over everything else.

(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who is fully advised concerning the facts involved, because a slight variance in facts may change the application of the law.)

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lamb spent the week end fishing at Possum Kingdom. They had real good luck, catching twenty five catfish weighing up to three pounds.

Two Local Boys Active in County 4-H Organization

(Editor's Note: The following story appeared in the August 12 issue of the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal and concerns the 4-H activities of two Slaton youths Joe Bob Jones, and Stiles Belcher. The story follows:)

Lubbock County 4-H Club members are making progress toward showing their animals by resorting to some seemingly unorthodox methods.

One shaves his lamb's backbone to preserve fat. Another walks his pigs to work off fat in places and to firm them.

Joe Bob Jones, who raises his club's projects on his father's farm two miles northeast of Slaton, may be seen after 6:30 p. m. any day following three hogs down country roads near Slaton.

Leader Successful

"I'm feeding these three hogs, two Chester Whites and a Berkshire, to show at the State Fair in Dallas this year, the 10-year-old Slaton High School student said. "Lowell (Lowell Richardson, assistant county agriculture agent) told me their jaws were too flabby, so I'm working it off by walking them every evening."

Joe Bob, who has been in 4-H Club work six years, also raises five acres of dry-land grain sorghum and five acres of dry-land cotton. He is showing hogs for third year. Last year his Chester White Barrow was reserve champion in the annual Junior Fat Stock Show in Lubbock.

He's A Crack Shot

An active leader in the club, Joe Bob is a member of the Lubbock County 4-H Club Council and a junior leader at Slaton. He has attended district and state 4-H camps for years and consistently wins honors in rifle-shooting.

One of the busiest club members in the county Stiles Belcher, a 1956 graduate of Slaton High School, who helps on his family's farm five miles northeast of Slaton. Belcher raises cotton, calves, sheep and grain sorghum.

Stiles, in his ninth year of club work, is grooming an October calf from the "TO" ranch in New Mexico for the Dallas show this fall. The calf, Stiles' second, weighs in at 950 pounds now, and "eats his weight in a week."

Stiles Made Clean Sweep

The Belcher farm also boasts one of the largest sheep flocks in the area, a group of 100 head. Stiles makes use of surplus grain sorghum to feed the animals and hopes to sell them this fall.

Stiles was feeding two South-down lambs for the Dallas show but has decided to hold them for the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show later in the year.

"Lowell Richardson and I were worried when they didn't gain any

more, so we shaved their backbone, Belcher explained. "Their wool made them so hot that their fat was actually melting off in the sun. Now we are worrying about the possibility of no burn."

In the crop business, Stiles was the Lubbock County yield contest last year in both dry-land cotton and dry-land grain sorghum. This year he is irrigating, hoping to reap his clean sweep—but in the irrigation division. Previous winners are not eligible to compete in the same contest division.

Walters Home Scene Willing Workers Backyard Picnic

The Willing Workers Sunday School Class of Westview Baptist Church met on the lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walters Monday evening, Aug. 27, for a barbecue and picnic supper. The members invited their husbands as guests.

After the meal was served games were played by the 13 class members and 8 guests who were present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Turnbow, Mary Linda and Janet of Austin will arrive Saturday for a week's visit with their parents, Mrs. M. L. Turnbow of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. B. C. McCasland of Lubbock.

Nikita Krushchev said recently that he is tired of the monotony of Soviet food. He might try small onions instead of olives in his martini.



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Some Motorists Insist on Getting Seriously Injured

Some motorists seem to insist on getting hurt!

Take those who are involved in railroad grade crossing accidents, for example.

Two out of five of these accidents occur at crossings protected by gates, lights, bells, watchmen or a combination of these, according to the 1956 edition of the National Safety Council's statistical yearbook, "Accident Facts."

What's more, autos often run into trains, and after dark it's a toss-up as to which will be hit by which.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION
STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF LUBBOCK, CITY OF SLATON.
Pursuant to an order by the City Commission of the City of Slaton, Texas, notice is hereby given that an election will be held in and for the city of Slaton, Texas, on the first Tuesday in October, A.D. 1956, same being the 2nd. day of October, A.D. 1956, for the purpose of electing a Commissioner for Ward Number Four to fill the unexpired term of Commissioner Brasfield who has removed from the City. Said Commissioner to serve until the first Tuesday in April, A.D. 1958 or until his successor has been duly elected and qualified.
Said election shall be held in the City Hall of the City of Slaton, Texas, for one day only by having one election box in Ward Number Four same being the office of the Board of City Development. Said box shall be open from 8:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M.
All persons who are qualified electors under the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas and who have resided within the corporate limits of the City of Slaton, Texas, for six months next preceding said election and who now reside within Ward Number Four are qualified to vote at said election.
The following Judge was appointed to hold said election in Ward Number Four at the City Hall on said date.
O. N. Alcorn
Said Judge shall appoint clerks to assist him in holding said election.
The election will be held as nearly in accordance with the general election laws of the State of Texas governing elections as may be practical.
In testimony whereof, witness my official hand and seal of the City of Slaton, Texas, this 27th. day of August, A.D. 1956.
L. B. Wootton, Mayor
City of Slaton, Texas
Attest:
J. J. Maxey, Secretary
City of Slaton, Texas
(Published in The Slaton Slatonite August 31, 1956.)

Southwestern Public Service Company Establishes New Safety Record

Employees of the Southwestern Public Service Company have established a new all-company safety record of working 3,020,404 man-hours without a lost-time accident, it has been reported by A. R. Watson, executive vice president and general manager of the electric light and power company.

The new record, exceeding the old company standard of 3,019,075 man-hours, set in 1954, was reached at the end of the working day last August 17. However, a check of working time of all employees was necessary to verify the new accomplishment, and that check has just been completed.

"We are proud of the fact that we have set this new record, and that we are still adding to it. But records, in themselves, are merely the statistics that measure the accomplishments of individuals. The important fact about safety is that our employees are enthusiastic about it, interested in it, and have made it an integral part of their work. Everyone gains from safe working habits, our customers, our employees, and their families," Mr. Watson said, in announcing the safety accomplishment.

No Disabling Injuries
Southwestern Public Service Company employees have not had a disabling injury this year, the current accident-free period getting underway on November 3 of last year. Presently the company boasts the top safety record in the Southwest Personnel Exchange Group, made up of 14 electric light and power companies in the southwestern states.

The new safety record, and it continues unbroken and grows with the passing of every hour, is, in addition to being the company's best performance, the third longest accident-free period ever recorded by any electric light and power company.

Eight Groups
There are eight safety groups within the company, made up of the five divisions, headquartered at Amarillo, Guymon, Plainview, Roswell, and Lubbock; the operating department, which includes all of the company's generating stations; the system construction department, which is responsible for transmission line and substation construction; and the employees of the general office in Amarillo.

Each of these safety groups is recognized for its individual safety accomplishments by the National Safety Council and the Edison Electric Institute, as well as the entire company group. However, an accident in any one of these units immediately brings a halt to the entire company record, while the other individual groups continue on with their accomplishments.

Two Divisions
For example, two divisions, the Panhandle, headquartered in Amarillo, and the Pecos Valley, with Roswell for its headquarters, each completed a million man-hours without a disabling injury last week. It was the second time that the Panhandle group had reached the million mark.

Presently enjoying the longest individual unit standing within the company record is the Plains Division, headquartered at Plainview, which has gone accident-free since January 16, 1953, and has recorded 1,568,926 hours without a lost-time accident.

Other individual records are: Southern Division, which has accumulated 512,656 hours since August 9, 1955; Oklahoma Division, which has been without an accident since March 11, 1955, and has chalked up 162,628 accident-free hours; Operating Department, accident-free since November 2, 1955, and now up to 600,102 man-hours; System Construction, which hasn't had a lost-time accident since April 7, 1955, giving them a total of 155,756 man-hours; and the General Office employees, who had their last disabling injury on April 27, 1955, and have accumulated 634,327 accident-free hours since that time.

Safety Unit
As can be seen from the various lengths of time involved, the size of the safety unit is an important consideration in the amount of time necessary to accumulate large numbers of accident-free hours. A 300 employee group, for example, will work 1,000,000 man-hours in approximately one-tenth of the time that it will take a 30 man unit.

The fact that the smaller the group, the more difficult the accomplishment is an important consideration in Southwestern Public Service Company's effort to become the leader of the entire electric industry. Both of the companies which presently top Southwestern's record are considerably larger in employee numbers.

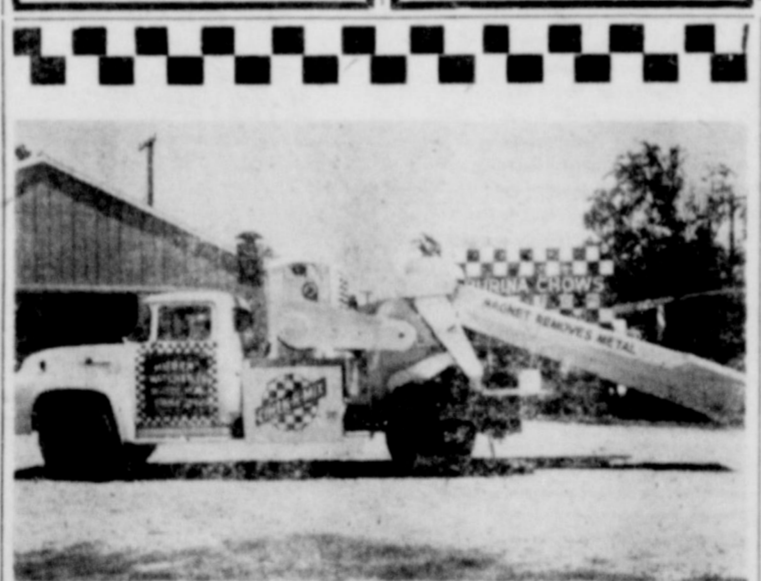
Great Team
"This is a great safety team, ever-conscious of the fact that when you are free of accidents you are free of heartbreak and suffering, and morale and work-interest are high. Each of us is determined to set new standards, not for the mere purpose of accomplishing records, but for the self-satisfaction of knowing that the job done safely is the job done well," Mr. Watson concluded.

FAMILY REUNION AT THE WYLIE'S
Most of the members of the Wylie family visited the Rev. and Mrs. Clarence N. Wylie, Monday and Tuesday of this week. The guests included Mrs. Aaron Q. Sartain and children, Richard, Margaret and Barbara, of Dallas; Dr. and Mrs. Robert C. Spivey and their son Gary, of Pasadena, Calif.; and Mrs. W. W. Adeock and her children, Grace Ann, Woodrow and Elizabeth, of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Fincannon and daughter, Nita, and granddaughter, Gail, of Sweetwater spent Sunday with Mrs. Fincannon's sister, Mrs. John East, Mr. East and Clarence Weldon.

Mrs. J. R. Lamb and daughter, Jonell, returned from a three weeks vacation spent with Mrs. Lamb's son, James Lamb, Mrs. Lamb and daughters, Patricia and Dana in Westminster, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Buxkemper, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Buxkemper, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Buxkemper, Monroe Buxkemper, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Buxkemper, and Mrs. L. J. Kahlich attended funeral services for Ed Buxkemper's sister, Mrs. Fred Richter, in San Angelo Wednesday.



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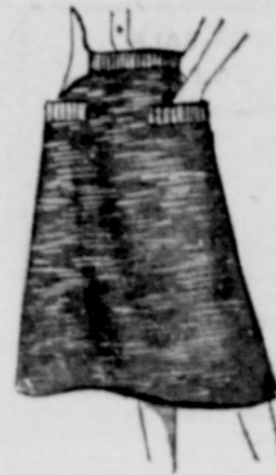
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Solid color corduroy 4 gore skirt. One pocket with braid and button trim, side zip, elastic back. In Red, Turquoise, Black and Rust. Sizes 7-14.

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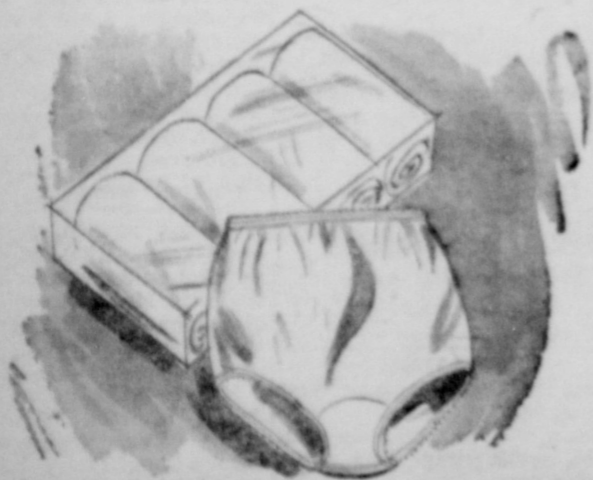


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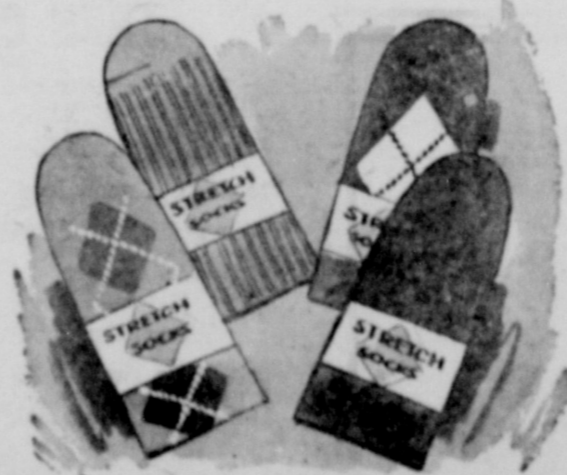


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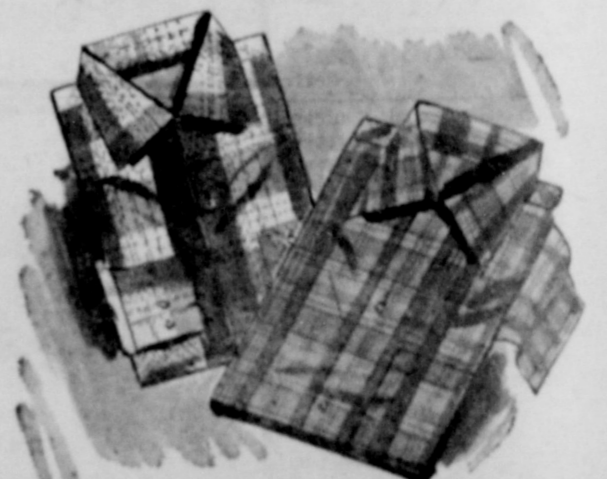


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WILSON NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Womack returned home Tuesday evening from an eight day trip. They went down to the Big Bend park, Del Rio, San Antonio and to Corpus Christi where they did some fishing. They returned via San Angelo where they visited with friends. Mr. Womack states they had good luck fishing and enjoyed the rains which fell in south Texas last week end. Mr. and Mrs. Womack were accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. L. E. Wyatt, Rev. Mr. Wyatt and their children of Snyder.

By Ann Davidson

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Blankenship and family of Muleshoe visited Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Blankenship and family over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Clary and Carolyn visited Mr. and Mrs. Archie Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Clary all of Lubbock on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Riddle and children of Garland visited Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Riddle a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Billings and Mrs. E. P. Parrish all of Dallas are

visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nelson.

The Annual District Nine Brotherhood Encampment was held at the camp grounds near Floydada Monday and Tuesday of last week. Those attending from Wilson were D. J. Hutchinson, Fred Davidson, Loyd Christopher, and Loyd McCormick.

Mrs. Ella Baker of Cleburne and Mrs. Lynn Mires and daughter, Margie, of New Deal visited Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Webb and family on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Crosson and family returned Sunday after a few days visit with relatives in Sulphur Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton visited relatives in Dublin a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pittman and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pittman and family all of Atlanta, Georgia, and Mrs. J. M. Pittman of Marietta, Georgia, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crowder and Mrs. H. C. Fountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Nieman of Andrews visited Mrs. Katie Nieman on Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holder and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and family of Dumas over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Thad Smith returned Tuesday after a several day tour of New Mexico.

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Alice Davis to make their year book for the coming year. Refreshments of cookies and cakes were served to eleven members.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morton and family returned Saturday after a few days vacation at Eagle Nest, New Mexico and Royal Gorge, Colorado.

Mrs. Pearl Davidson, Mason and Ann returned Thursday after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Davidson, and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hensley and family all of

Walnut Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jo Campbell and son visited relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Phillips and Juana Earl of New Deal visited relatives and friends here on Sunday.

The congregation of St. John's Lutheran Church held an out-door worship service at the Slaton Park on Sunday morning. A picnic lunch was served afterwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leek and Jr., Peggy Doly, and Mrs. Grace Wilburn all of Cleburne visited Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Webb and family last week. Burline Webb returned home with them for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Riddle visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morton of Levelland on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Coleman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nelson were lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bohall and Kay of New Deal on Sunday.

Thirteen members of the MYF of the Methodist Church attended the sub-district meeting in O'Donnell Monday night. The Wilson group won the banner for having the most in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Deaver of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tunnell of Tahoka visited Mrs. H. C. Fountain on Sunday.

Alfred Clary visited Mr. and Mrs. Billy Clary of San Angelo over the week end.

Dwayne and Karen Codon of Colorado Springs, Colorado are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Savell, on Sunday afternoon they visited Mrs. C. A. Coleman.

The Brotherhood of St. John's Lutheran Church went to a privately owned lake and spent Tuesday night. There they held their business and devotional meeting. Afterwards the group were lucky enough to catch a few fish. Fifteen members attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Maeker and family of Albuquerque, New Mexico, arrived Friday for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Maeker. On Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Maeker had all of her children present.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Thad Smith were Mrs. Bill Teague, Mrs. Herring and Steve Herring all of Lubbock.

Charlie Coleman left Sunday after a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Coleman. He is stationed with the Army at Colorado Springs.

The Walther League of St. Paul's Lutheran Church met Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Nolte for a going-away social for Miss Janet Dube who will enter Concordia College in Austin. She was honored with a small gift shower. Fifteen members were present.



(SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO) MRS. T. T. FINLEY discusses the many advantages of her home food freezer with Bland Tomlinson, owner of Home Furniture, one of Slaton's Reddy Kilowatt dealers. Mrs. Finley's freezer will hold about 840 pounds of frozen food.

Food Freezer Proves Handy For Hunting, Fishing Season

Mrs. T. T. Finley, who lives about two miles southwest of Slaton, finds that her electric home freezer goes hand in hand with the family hobby—hunting and fishing. Game can be kept long after the hunt is over in her 26 foot food freezer and can be enjoyed long after the hunting and fishing seasons have passed.

Mrs. Finley purchased her home freezer from Home Furniture Store in September of 1955 and in answer to the question, "Have you been pleased with its operation?", she smiled, "I love it and I'd certainly be lost without it."

Use for Everything
"I use it for everything including left overs. Many times I cook enough food at one time for two meals with the idea in mind of freezing what we don't eat for later use."

"Also I buy a lot of foods on special and freeze them—I never get caught without plenty of food to serve in case of unexpected company. My freezer holds about 840 pounds of frozen foods."

She has discovered that many things other than meat and vegetables can be packed away in the freezer, and pies can be baked and if packaged correctly will last for that special time when they are needed.

Peach Pies
Mrs. Finley recently made peach pies to be placed in her freezer. She first made the pies and then froze them right in the pie pan. After they were frozen she removed them from the pans and wrapped them and placed them back in the freezer. Now when she is ready for a peach pie she need only take them from the freezer and bake them.

Her freezer, according to Bland Tomlinson over at Home Furniture, can be controlled to 20 below zero. As a safety feature the freezer cannot be raised above zero degrees and thus cause the accidental thawing of frozen foods.

Frozen Food
Frozen food, Mrs. Finley stated, loses none of its flavor or vitamins if it is packaged properly prior to freezing. In addition to her 26 foot food freezer Mrs. Finley has a nine foot freezer in her utility room for food items which she uses regularly.

Should as many as eight or ten guests come in unexpectedly she is able between her two freezers to find plenty of food to serve.

Mrs. S. T. Wadley, who recently underwent eye surgery in West Texas Hospital in Lubbock, returned Monday. Her condition is reported to be good.

A study made in the Navarro-Hill Soil Conservation Districts, among other things, showed that participation in the district program was greater on farms where the tenant assumed the major responsibilities for management. Details of the study are given in Progress Report 1879, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and it is available from the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Gentry and son, Tommy, and Gwen Gowens of Lubbock returned Friday from a ten day trip on which they visited their son, Travis, who is stationed at Ft. Benning, Columbus, Ga. Travis joined his parents to continue their trip to visit another son, Richard, who is stationed at Aiken, S. C. with the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission. Together they toured the Smokey Mountains and Lookout Mountains in Tennessee.

Recent guests visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gentry were Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Hastings of Sugarland and W. L. Wood of Abilene.

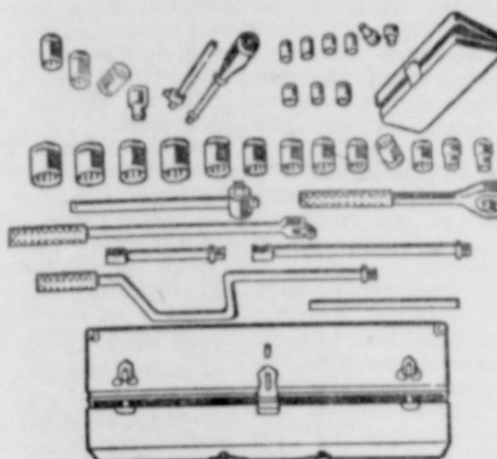
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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, IS "DIAL DAY" in SLATON



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Dials are being placed on all telephones in the city, but until noon, September 28, continue to give your calls to the operator—do not turn the dial, as this may interfere with your service.

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J. C. Oakley, Manager



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THE SLATON SWIMMING TEAM paused for a moment Monday morning to have their picture taken before getting down to the more serious business of eating ice cream and cookies at a party honoring swimming coach Truett Fulcher. Left to right, in the back row are Sammy Wilson, Douglas Corley, Rodney Fulcher, Tommy McClanahan, Randy Sanders, Bill Barry, Giles Smith, Jerry Harlan, and Fulcher. In the third row, left to right, are Sue Cooper, Sara Sue Bickers, Jan Cooper, Janette George, Laura Isabell, Gail Huser, Betty McSween, Ritchie Polk, and David Cross. In the second row, left to right, are Floyd Elterman, Alan Reasoner, Robin Davis, Marilyn McSween, Glenna Payne, Bobby Harlan, and Randy Polk. In the front row, left to right, are Noel Dickson, Phil Goad, Karen Caldwell, Larry Smith, Ray Ayers, Holly McSween, Nancy McSween, Lauran Elterman, Jordan Elterman, and Don Smith.

Slaton Swimming Team Wins 4th Place In Abilene Meet

Slaton's swimming team, coached by Truett Fulcher, came home from the Fourth Annual Abilene Invitational Swimming meet Saturday with a fourth place. Held at the VFW Pool in Abilene, the meet was won by San Antonio with 224 points. Odessa was second with 168 points, Midland was third, and Slaton was fourth with 90 1/2 points.

Abilene 5th
In fifth place was Abilene with 76 points, sixth place was taken by El Paso with 27 points, the Panther Boy's Club of Ft. Worth was seventh with 18 points, and Sweetwater was eighth with 7 points.

Individual honors taken by the local team included the following: Junior boys (10 years and under): Floyd Elterman, 5th in the 25 meter freestyle; Junior girls,

Marilyn McSween, 3rd in the 25 meter freestyle.

Boys 11 and 12
Boys (11 and 12), Ritchie Polk, 1st in 50 meter freestyle, David Cross, 3rd in 50 meter backstroke; Polk, 5th in 50 meter breaststroke; and Polk, Cross, Mike Cornell, and Joe Cook took 1st in the 200 meter freestyle relay and 2nd in the 200 meter medley relay.

Senior boys (13 to 15 years) Rodney Fulcher, 4th in 50 meter freestyle; Sammy Wilson, 3rd in 50 meter backstroke; Sandy Sanford, 1st in 50 meter breaststroke; and Fulcher, 2nd in 50 meter butterfly breaststroke; and Randy Sanders, 3th in 50 meter butterfly breaststroke.

Medley Relay
A team composed of Fulcher,

Douglas Corley, Sanford, and Wilson took 1st place in the 200 meter medley relay; Giles, Smith, Sanders, Bill Barry, and Dick Dieke, took fourth place in the 200 meter medley relay; Fulcher, Corley, Sanford, and Dieke took 1st in the 200 meter freestyle relay; and Smith, Sanders, Barry, and Wilson took 4th in the 200 meter freestyle relay.

Senior Girls (13 to 15 years) a team composed of Jan Cooper, Janette George, Betty McSween, and Gail Huser took 5th place in the 200 meter freestyle relay and 4th in the 200 meter medley relay.

Bruce Hewlett, Judd Hewlett, Mutt Bruedigam, and Jovan Schieder all of Wilson spent the week end at Possum Kingdom. They caught thirty five channel cat weighing up to three pounds and one yellow cat weighing three and a half pounds. This does not include the fish they ate while camping at Rock Creek camp.

Waste of time is the most extravagant of all expenses.

Blum Family Reunion Held at Mackenzie Park August 18

Sixty-seven descendants of the J. R. Blum family met for their 20th annual reunion in Mackenzie State Park Aug. 18. This park is site of every reunion except the first one, which was held at Mineral Wells and one held at Canadian, Texas.

When the reunions were started there were 51 members of the family and there are now 118. According to Mrs. J. B. Butler, a daughter of the Blums, these reunions have not only been a get-together for the family but also a method of meeting additions to the family over the period of years.

Those attending this year were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Vannoy and Boyd and Mrs. D. T. Reed and Linda all of Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Butler and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lyle and children all of Cactus; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Butler and son of Seminole.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morris and son of Gray, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morris and daughters of Stratford; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hampton and children of Stinnett; Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Van Norman of Ira; Mrs. J. F. Hoover and daughter, Mrs. B. Pate, Charlie and Carolyn Tennyson all of Pampa; Mrs. Callie Cash and sons, Wilburn and Milburn, Mr. and Mrs. Callen Cash and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hardin Reed and children all of Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rains and children of Post; Mr. and Mrs. Bandy Cash and son of Justiceburg; Mrs. Patsy Lawson of Mineral Wells, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Jackson of Iowa Park, Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Ball, and Mrs. Willie Crawford, all of Anson; Mrs. J. M. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cantrell and Mrs. Gene Caffey all of Lubbock.

WCS to Meet in Circles Tuesday

The WCS of the First Methodist Church will meet in circles Tuesday, Sept. 4, according to the president, Mrs. A. C. Burk. She requests that the time change be noticed.

Africa Circle will meet in the home of Mrs. Douglas Wilson east of town at 9:30 a. m. Mrs. J. D. Barry will be hostess when the India Circle meets with her at 7:55 W. Garza at the same time.

Mrs. Elmer Crabtree, 1030 W. Garza, will be hostess to the Mexico Circle Tuesday at 9:30 a. m. also. The Cuba Circle will meet in the home of Mrs. Calvin Lamb, 955 W. Crosby Tuesday at 4 p. m.

Society

The Slaton, Tex., Slatonite Friday, August 31, 1956



Mrs. Fred Allen England

Nuptial Vows Exchanged In Dallas By Miss Gail Gilbert And 1st. Lt. Fred England

Banks of emerald leaves and white cathedral tapers completed the setting in Craig Chapel of the Gaston Avenue Baptist Church of Dallas for the marriage of Miss Gail Gilbert and 1st Lt. Fred Allen England on Monday evening, Aug. 27. The double-ring service was read by the Rev. Kitchings.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. W. H. Gilbert and the late Dr. W. H. Gilbert of Austin and parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. England of Slaton.

Traditional nuptial music was presented by Wayland Stephens of Slaton, soloist, who sang "Because," "At Dawning," and "The Lord's Prayer."

Given by Uncle
The bride approached the altar on the arm of her uncle, Jeffery V. Miller, who gave her in marriage. She appeared in a formal white embroidered tulle gown. The fitted bodice was fashioned with a sweetheart neckline and long sleeves ending in points over the hands. The bouffant tulle skirt and embroidered tulle overskirt fell into a graceful court train.

Her fingertip length veil of lace complemented her attire. She carried an imported handkerchief, borrowed from the groom's mother, and a white orchid atop a white ivory Bible.

Serving their sister as matron of honor and maid of honor were Mrs. Don Surratt of Clint and Miss Valerie Gilbert of Austin. They wore identical dresses of forest green taffeta designed with fitted bodices, three-quarter sleeves and waltz-length skirts. Pale pink asters in cascade arrangements were carried by the attendants.

Little Miss Lynda Gayle Surratt of Clint, niece of the bride, was flower girl and wore a pale blue organdy with a tiara of tiny blue flowers. Rick Howard Surratt of Clint, nephew of the bride, was ringbearer.

Father Serves Groom
Fred A. England, father of the groom, served his son as best man. Groomsman was Zoel Allen of Dallas. Jim Spradley and John Winkle both of Dallas seated the wedding guests.

Mrs. Gilbert wore a natural colored imported silk suit designed with short fitted coat, three-quarter length sleeves and a sheath skirt for her daughter's wedding. Her accessories were of a darker shade of light brown and she wore a green orchid.

The groom's mother chose an original model suit of Peasant silk in navy blue, designed on classic lines with a choir boy collar and three quarter length sleeves. It had a sheath skirt and was worn with ostrich trimmed hat of light blue, white gloves, navy shoes and bag. Her flower was a white orchid.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the home of the bride's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Miller. The table was laid with a white Venetian lace cloth and featured a three-tiered snow white wedding cake trimmed in pale pink and topped with miniature bride and groom. Pink and white asters were placed on the table which was completed with silver appointments. Mrs. Ann Ford and Miss V. Marian presided

at the reception.

To Go to England
The bride chose a mauve and white tweed box suit of pure linen for the short wedding trip. 1st Lt. England will be flown to England Sept. 2 where he will serve as a dentist with the U. S. Air Force. The bride will join him there later.

She is a graduate of Austin High School and attended the University of Texas. The groom received his B. S. from Baylor University, and his D. D. S. from Baylor Dental College in Dallas.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding included Mrs. Dane Surratt, Don Surratt of Clint, Miss Barbara Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gilbert of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shackelford of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baum of Grand Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baum of Lewisville, Mrs. E. S. Johnston of Sweetwater, Miss Nelle Johnston of Dallas, Mrs. D. L. Pieratt of Beeville, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Kirk and Renee of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Stephens of Slaton.

Rehearsal Luncheon
A rehearsal luncheon was given with the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. England, as hosts. The Dolly Madison Party House was the scene with the table centered in pink asters to carry out the bride's chosen colors.

Stevie and Allen Roseberry of Plains spent last week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kenney. This week Allen arrived on Thursday to be with his grandparents over the week end.



By Vern Sanford
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN—National party candidates have been decided. State Democratic primaries are over. Texas' political focus now shifts to the upcoming state Democratic convention.

Nervous tension is apparent in Liberal-Loyalist ranks. They are fearful of losing control of the Sept. 11 meeting through the Conservatives' executive committee left in power last spring. That committee decides which of numerous contesting delegations will gain seats.

Navarro County Judge Jim Sewell, Liberal-Loyalist spokesman, asked recall of the "recessed" spring convention on the eve of the new convention.

It was apparently without hope. Permanent Chairman Raymond Buck of Fort Worth said he could see no reason for it. Executive Committee Chairman George Sandlin termed the Liberal demands "the cry of the vanquished." He has promised all contestants a fair shake in credentials hearings.

U. S. Sen. Lyndon Johnson may play a key role again. He has said he will be present. He assured Liberals in Chicago that he will use his influence to install leaders who will work for party victory in November.

Sheffield Gets 10 Years
B. R. Sheffield of Brady is the second person to be convicted in the veterans land scandals. Sentence was assessed at 10 years.

Former Land Commissioner Bascom Giles is now serving a six-year sentence.

A Lubbock district court jury found Sheffield guilty of passing a forged instrument. No conviction was sought on a second count of aiding a notary public in making a false acknowledgment.

Prediction was made, meanwhile, that the state may end up making a profit instead of losing money from its veterans land troubles.

D. S. Meredith, assistant attorney general in charge of civil recovery suits, voiced the opinion.

Losers in the suits filed by the state are being required to return the money paid to them by the state plus three per cent interest. Texas, however, pays only 2 1/2 per cent interest on the bond issues which financed the \$100,000,000 lending program.

Recoveries now total roughly \$1,800,000.

New Drought Plan Ready
A new drought aid plan now is ready to help Texas farmers and ranchers buy roughage for livestock.

Applications for roughage should be filed with County Farmers Home Administration offices. If determined eligible by the local FHA committee, the farmer is issued certificates valued at \$7.50 a ton. Certificates may be applied on the purchase of roughage from any dealer.

Another phase of the expanded federal relief program also is moving forward. Texas Drought Emergency Committee has recommended that 106 counties be made eligible for increased aid in grain buying.

At present farmers in 185 counties may get \$1 for each 100 pounds of grain bought for livestock feed.

If approved by the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, the 106 counties would receive 50 cents extra per 100 pounds.

Water Test Case Slated
Texas water laws will be tested in a suit filed by the state in behalf of 15 domestic and livestock users in South Texas.

Suit was filed by the State Board of Water Engineers in district court at Karnes City. It seeks to protect riparian owners along Cibolo Creek from withdrawals by irrigators. Hearing is to begin Wednesday.

Board Chairman R. M. Dixon said irrigators have rights only to the storm and flood waters from the creek. These have been non-existent for a long time, he said. Since the suit is the first of its kind ever filed, the decision is expected to set state-wide precedent.

Suits Block US Trust Payments
Pending lawsuits are blocking distribution of some \$2,000,000 among US Trust and Guaranty Co. creditors.

State liquidator J. D. Wheeler said he had hoped to start making payments shortly after July 1. But now, he said, payment must await a decision on two suits making special claims.

One group, known as the Preferred Depositors Assn., seeks priority in payment. PDA is made up of some 300 or 400 people who bought "investment certificates" from the defunct firm. They claim about \$6,000,000 is due them. Waco creditors also have filed suit. Their claims total \$1,000,000.

Both suits are in Judge Charles O. Betts' district court in Austin. They are expected to come up in late September.

Deaf School Delays Opening
Large-scale construction projects will delay fall opening of Texas School for the Deaf until Oct. 15.

Work under way includes building of 19 new cottages and one large classroom building and remodeling of two existing buildings. It is the first real construction work at the school in 100 years, said Superintendent John Grace.

Holidays have been shortened, and the school's closing date extended to June 14 to make up the lost time.

Short Short
Texas October draft call will be for 847 men, biggest quota since December, 1955. State Selective Service Headquarters also asked local draft boards for 1,416 men to take pre-induction exams.

Two new district judges have been appointed by Gov. Allan Shivers. They are Ernest Coker of Liggins and J. Robert Liles of Conroe. Both are in the ninth district of Montgomery, Polk, San Jacinto and Trinity Counties.

Visitors to Texas state parks reached an all-time high, 4,403,794 persons, last year. Applications for State Health Department posts are now being received. Jobs, requiring of preferring a college degree, are open for doctors, nurses, clerks, engineers, consultants and administrative assistants. Forms and information are available from Merit System Council, 814 Littlefield Building, Austin.

A continued upswing in employment for the year is predicted by the Texas Employment Commission. Forecast was based on known expansion plans plus reopening of public schools.

U. S. Sen. Lyndon Johnson plans a national speaking tour to help Democrats improve their one-man majority in the Senate. As is usual between Congressional sessions, a part of Johnson's staff has set up Texas headquarters in Austin.

New Senator Preston Smith Takes Vacation

Preston Smith, newly-elected state senator from this district, left this weekend for a vacation with his family.

The senate race, one of the most hotly contested campaigns in area history, ended last Saturday when Smith outdistanced Carroll Cobb, Lubbock attorney.

Incumbent Senator Kilmer Corbin was defeated in the Democratic Primary July 28.

Smith, an independent theater operator of Lubbock, said he plans to make a "family project" out of his senate position. "We like to be together, and I think that as a family we can do a good job for the people we represent," Smith added.

"To the people of West Texas I offer my sincere thanks for their confidence in me," Smith said, "and I pledge to do my best to represent ALL the people of this area as fairly and justly as is humanly possible."

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BROWNFIELD RODEO DAYS START AUG. 30

Brownfield will be the scene, through September 1, of the annual championship rodeo. Stock is being supplied by Duke Gibbs of Belton, Texas. Prize money in the amount of \$3,000 will be awarded to winning contestants.

A parade to kickoff the rodeo celebration was held on August 30 and featured some 15 sheriff posses and riding clubs competing for first, second, and third place riding organization of the 1956 rodeo. Brownfield High School band headed the parade.

Admission to the rodeo will be \$1 for adults and 50 cents for children. Children under 12 will be admitted free of charge.

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One Year Ago in Slaton

Taken from Sept. 2, 1955

Roy Jay Hansen, a Texas Tech R. O. T. C. Cadet, was commissioned a second lieutenant in ceremonies on Aug. 26.

N. E. Denton brought in the first bale of cotton to be ginned. It was gathered on five acres of irrigated land.

First graders in West Ward will attend school only half day for the first two weeks. This is to give the teachers a chance to visit in the first graders' homes in the afternoon.

Miss Annie Jo Reynolds and Henry Holden were married in the Cooper Methodist Church Aug. 20.

Dorrita Wells of Crane and Clifford Elston were married Aug. 20. The ceremony was read in the Church of Christ in Clovis, N. Mex. Mr. and Mrs. George Green, Venita and Mary Beth, attended three reunions in Sayre, Okla. recently. They were the Green, the Blackburn and the Old Settlers Reunions.

Pierre Deviller was presented western clothes by the Rotary Club before his departure to Paris, France, his home. He has been a guest of the club here for the past several weeks.

Phil Brewer has been selected to be the distributive education teacher in the local high school for the 1955-56 school term. He is also associated with his father in the Brewer Insurance Agency.

Mrs. Will Hood of Galveston arrived Tuesday for a few days visit with her brother, Forrest Davis,

and his family.

Sylvia South, who has worked as youth director at the First Methodist Church this summer and who is leaving for Abilene where she will attend McMurry College again this fall, was honored with a farewell party given in the home of Mrs. F. A. Drewry Monday evening.

Five Years Ago in Slaton

Taken from Aug. 31, 1951

W. T. Brown, who has been in Medical Arts Hospital in Dallas for five weeks, returned home Monday afternoon, Aug. 27. He is still confined to his bed most of the time but is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McCoy, Barbara and Jan left Tuesday for a five day all-expense paid trip at the Sagebrush Inn in Haos, N. Mex. Mrs. McCoy won this trip by being the leading sales lady for Arthur Stewart Sterling Co.

S/Sgt. and Mrs. Shirley G. Butler and Glenda Sue have returned to McDill Airfield in Tampa, Fla. They have been spending their furlough home here with their parents, the E. R. Burns and the J. B. Butlers.

Miss Maybelle Pember, who is attending McMurry College, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Pember last week end.

F/A Eugene German left last Tuesday after spending ten days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. German. He is to report to a Naval Deisel School upon his return to California.

Carter Caldwell has brought in the first bale of cotton for Lub-

bock County this year. As a result he will receive between \$3,500 and \$4,000.

John Berkley, Dick Ragsdale and Don Crow were chosen as officers of the Slaton Touchdown Club at a meeting here Monday evening.

A group of young people who were friends while attending Slaton High School met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Edmondson Sunday evening to talk over old times and to enjoy a wiener roast.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kitten and daughters, Jean and Audrey, and Mrs. Kitten's mother, Mrs. Frances Reuss went to Boulder, Colo. recently where they accompanied Rusty Kitten home. Rusty has been attending school there.

10 Years Ago in Slaton

Taken from August 30, 1946

Thirty two members were registered for membership in the newly organized Junior Chamber of Commerce organization at a called meeting. Vern Johnson J. C. Champion, Bill Lord, and Bob Dunham went to Plainview to present an application for a charter to the two district meetings held last Sunday.

Phil Brewer S/IC, received his discharge from the navy Aug. 22 at Shoemaker, Calif.

Bobby Ray Conner and Billie Campbell are visiting in Chicago Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Fields of Dallas are visiting Mrs. Fields' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schmidt.

A Donkey Ball Game will be played Saturday afternoon between a team from the Lions club and another team from Slaton.

Miss Janice Morris and Delmar Trimble were married Sunday noon in the First Methodist church by the Rev. E. C. Armstrong.

Jerry Short, a former pupil of Miss Elizabeth Bostick, gave a recital of hymns in her home Thursday Aug. 22, from 4 until 5 p. m.

Miss Pauline Jacks of Lincoln Neb. and Lt. Gene M. McCain were married in a candlelight ceremony performed Friday evening at 10 o'clock in the First Methodist church. The Rev. R. L. Kirk officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mansker left Wednesday for Tucuman, N. Mex. to visit Mrs. Mansker's brothers and families, W. W. House and R. R. House.



Happy Birthday

AUG. 31: Phillip Brasfield, Jan Bowns, Mike Brake and Mrs. Clyde C. Walter.

SEPT. 1: Howard Swanner, R. H. Todd Sr., Leo Henzler Jr., Lawrence Schwertner, Bill Clark, Leonard Morris, Mrs. Bill Burton and R. L. Simpson.

SEPT. 2: Judy Ehlen, William Kahlich, Robert Hall Davis, Mrs. F. M. McAnear and William Jones.

SEPT. 3: Mrs. R. P. Henson, Anita Burton, Roger Kitten, Henrick Perkins, Mrs. Raymond Buxemper, Velma Willis, Glenna Sue Jones, and Charles Wayland Hampton.

SEPT. 4: R. D. Parise, Seattle, Wash., Bill Layne Jr., Freddy Townsend, Dale Wimmer, Mrs. Dayle Nelson, Linda Brown and Jane Harrell.

SEPT. 5: Howard Limmer, Ted Melugin, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Pruitt and Mrs. M. E. Cagle.

SEPT. 6: Robert Kitten, Mrs. Agnes Black, Charlotte Wells, Jay McSween, Truman Ford, Delma Hodge, M. E. Cagle and Helen Robison.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gregory and children, Sheryl, Don and Scott of San Bernardino, Calif., were recent visitors in the home of Mr. Gregory's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Gregory. Also visiting in the Gregory home are their daughter, Mrs. C. B. Lanier and their granddaughter, little Miss Renee Lanier, of Washington, D. C. They will return to their home the first part of September.

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Misses Rusty and Audrey Kitten, Mary Lee Schuette and Geraldine Maxey returned to San Antonio Saturday after spending a week in Mexico City and Acapulco. Geraldine returned to Slaton that night because of the illness of her father, H. C. Maxey. The other girls are still vacationing in South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Melton Hancock have recently moved from their farm home to a newly completed home at 945 South 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Henderckson of Sundown were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Davis Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Daw and son returned from a vacation trip to Florida and Alabama. They visited relatives of Mr. Daw in both states.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Kitten had as their guests over the week end Mrs. Kitten's sister, Mrs. Edward Kellermeyer, Mr. Kellermeyer and Clarence Kellermeyer of Paint Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Thomas of Ulica, N. Y. visited here from Thursday through Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lott. Mrs. Thomas will be remembered as Marian Patterson, who made her home here with her uncle, Mr. Lott, and Mrs. Lott for a number of years before her marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lott and children Jan and Jorge of Ft. Worth visited here over the week end in the home of Mr. Lott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lott.

Little Miss Judy Crabtree of Levelland is spending the week here with her grandparents, the Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Crabtree.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cartwright and family spent last week attending the camp meeting in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson have as their guests Mrs. Patterson's sister, Mrs. Alec Chaney, Mr. Chaney and family and Lavon Reeves of Oxnard, Calif. Over the week end both families went to Ruidoso.

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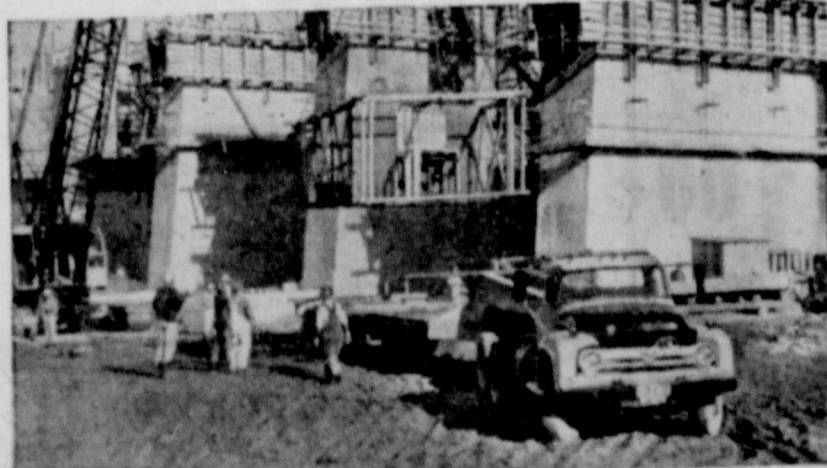
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Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	1 Kings	19	1-14
Monday	Isaiah	31	1-10
Tuesday	Ecclesiastes	9	1-18
Wednesday	Mark	7	1-23
Thursday	Mark	10	35-45
Friday	John	3	1-17
Saturday	1 John	5	13-21

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Methodists Hold Study-Prayer Meetings

Plans are being completed for a revival to be held at the First Methodist Church Sept. 23 through 28. Dr. Clovis Chappell, one of America's outstanding preachers, according to Rev. James B. Sharp, pastor of the local Methodist Church, is to bring the messages.

Study Groups to Meet
Prayer and study groups are to meet in various places once each week for four weeks. On Tuesdays at 4 p. m. Mrs. F. E. Perry and Mrs. R. H. Todd Jr. will be hostesses to a group who will study "Primer for Churchmen" taught by Mrs. H. T. Scurlock.

Mrs. C. L. Heaton will teach a group who will meet with Mrs. C. H. Walton at 7:30 p. m. on Tuesday to study "A Primer of Prayer."

Each Thursday at 7:30 p. m. the Jim Campbells and the Phil Brewers will be in charge of a group who will meet at the Campbell home with Mr. Campbell leading the study "Primer for Churchmen." Also on Thursdays, Mrs. S. H. Jaynes will be hostess when a group will meet in her home at 9:30 a. m. Mrs. Scurlock will teach "A Primer for Churchmen" and Mrs. Alex Webb will lead the study "How To Find the Will of God."

More Teachers
Mrs. J. B. Sharp will be hostess when Joe Walker Jr. leads a group in study at 7:30 p. m. each Thursday. Saturdays a group led by Jack Nowlin will meet in the Grady Wilson home at 7:30 p. m.

Joe Van Ness will be teacher of a group that will meet in the Win One Classroom each Sunday at 6:15 p. m.

The Rev. Sharp urges everyone to select the class or classes they would like to attend and be regular in attendance. The meetings are open to the public.

-Residents Invited

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the remarkable changes which have taken place inside.

The center has a new hardwood floor, new curtains, new paint, a refreshment bar, and air-conditioning. One of the features of the remodeled Tiger Town, the teenagers will tell you, is the recreation room which was added on one end of the building. Inside are ping pong tables and a shuffle board—and most important a wall mural, painted for the center by Mrs. Bob Conner.

\$1,500 Improvements
In all there are more than \$1,500 worth of improvements which have been done to the building—and its all paid for, too.

Slaton's young people can be confident in the knowledge that the parents and citizens of the community are behind them—not just with words, but by actions. The adults of the city have shown themselves to be interested in the the younger citizens of the community by their willingness to work with them—probably the reason few young people go wrong in Slaton.

Tiger Town
Tiger Town is by no means the limit of young peoples' activities which the community has to offer. In addition are the recreational facilities offered by the City Park and local churches. During the past summer an estimated 400 youngsters of all ages took part in one of several programs which were conducted for the most part by parents.

Little League, designed for participation of young men between the ages of 8 and 12, had more than 220 boys playing on one of six teams.

Pony League, baseball designed for boys 13 and 14, had participation by 55 boys on one of four teams.

New Program
A new program initiated during the past summer was limited to girls between the ages of 9 and 15 proving itself very successful with more than 100 girls signing up and taking part in daily activities.

A swimming team composed of about 35 young people of all ages ended the summer with a very successful season in competition with towns twice to three times the size of Slaton.

To sum up, the citizens of Slaton can be proud of their young people and the young people in turn can take pride in the fact that they live in a community where the younger members of the community are first and foremost in the thoughts of the adults.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Joplin had as their week end guests Mrs. Joplin's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Voris Allison of Brentwood, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Nance visited in Sudan over the week end with Mrs. Nance's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Edmondson and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Blackwell of Lubbock visited last week with Mr. Edmondson's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fleming in Norman, Okla.

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Mrs. Jerry D. Reynolds

Miss Wilma Jean Anderson-Jerry Reynolds Marry Saturday In Colorado City

Baskets of bronze and gold chrysanthemums and autumn leaves decorated the First Methodist Church at Colorado City Saturday evening, Aug. 25, for the wedding of Miss Wilma Jean Anderson and Jerry D. Reynolds. Green and gold foliage banked the altar, where the ceremony was read by the Rev. Jack Elzey, pastor of the church, before a background setting of tall candelabra of yellow tapers.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Anderson of Route 1, Colorado City. Mr. Reynolds is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Travis C. Reynolds of Slaton.

Traditional wedding music was played by the organist, Mrs. W. C. Hooks, who played "Clair de Lune" during the ceremony. Miss Dorothy Kine sang "How Do I Love Thee," "Walk Hand in Hand," and "Wedding Prayer."

Lace and Illusion Gown
The bride approached the altar on the arm of her father, who gave her in marriage. She wore a full-length gown fashioned of imported Venetian lace and imported silk illusion. The wide cuffed bateau neckline was appliqued with self designs of the lace and re-embroidered with iridescences. The lace bodice, boasting long slim sleeves tapered to points, was designed with an elongated waistline, side panels of shirred silk illusion inverted to center V's. From the long slim line of the lace bodice, a full swirling skirt of silk illusion cascaded, appliqued with lace designs re-embroidered with iridescences. Front and center panels of lace fell into the skirt of the floor.

Her fingertip veil of imported silk illusion depended from a cap of lace which matched her dress. She carried a white Bible topped with an orchid and lily of the valley arrangement.

Honor Attendants
Betty June Killian, niece of the bride, served as maid of honor. Miss Betty Johnson of Lockney and Miss Brooksie Dorn of Colorado City were the bridesmaids. The attendants wore dresses of beige lace over cafe brown polished cotton, designed with large polished cotton bows at the back. They wore tiaras of brown velvet sprinkled with tiny seed pearls. Long stemmed rose buds tied with ribbon streamers in autumn colors completed their attire.

Kathy Anderson and Sue Killian of Colorado City were flower girls and wore cafe brown polished cotton long-waisted dresses which featured large bows at the back.

Thurman Reynolds of Midland served his brother as best man. Serving as groomsmen were Weldon Brevard of Ballinger and Darrell Wiley of Slaton. Ushers were Kirby Lackey of Abilene, David Collins, Stanley White and Ezra Corley all of Slaton.

Arrangements of gold and bronze mums and gold plumosus were used at the reception which was held in the home of the bride's parents. Those presiding at the serving table were Miss June Johnson of Anson and Mrs. Thurman Reynolds of Midland. Mrs. Dick Richey of Ballinger registered guests.

At Home in Abilene
For the wedding trip, the bride chose a black sheath dress with black and white accessories. The

HOUSOUR FAMILY REUNION HELD

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Housour Sr. and their children recently held a reunion at the Housour home. Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ussery, Bobby, Sheila and Debbie of Fresno, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Ted Massey of Tucson, Ariz., Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Smith, Sonja and Trent of Southland, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Housour of Lubbock and Kenneth Hufaker of Grassland.

Luncheon Party Compliments Burdine Becker

On Wednesday, Aug. 22, Mrs. Lenro Keeton of Lubbock complimented her niece, Burdine Becker, with an "off-to-college" luncheon in the Keeton home.

A character doll dressed as "Miss Coed" carrying her bags lettered with "T. L. C. or Bust" and walking down a path to a red brick school centered the luncheon table.

A salad plate was served to the honoree, Miss Becker, Misses Viola Walton, Billie Nell Parmer, Carrall Ann Mann, Jeanette Burrell, Mrs. Wallace Becker, Belva and Belinda Becker.

Burdine will leave Sunday, Sept. 2, to enroll in Texas Lutheran College at Seguin.

Slaton Group Attends Lilly Ann Schilling's Reception Ceremony

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schilling and Joe, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Schwertner, Laverne, Mark and Juanita, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kus, Diane, Lynette and Lonnie all of Slaton, Miss Dorothy Einig of St. Louis, Mo., and Pfc. Ronald Schilling of Ft. Benning, Ga. recently visited Lilly Ann Schilling in Webster Groves, Mo.

While there they attended the ceremony of religious reception and profession of Lilly Ann, who is now Sister Joleen, R. S. M., at St. Joseph's Convent of Mercy in Webster Groves. This ceremony was held Aug. 16. They also visited with her on Aug. 17 and 18.

In St. Louis the group visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Einig and family. Mrs. Einig is a cousin of Mrs. Herman Schilling. One of the high points of the trip for the children and grown-ups alike was a visit to the famed St. Louis Zoo where lions, elephants and monkeys perform daily.

They also made a three hour cruise down the Mississippi River and many other interesting places.



(SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)

"SCHOOL DAYS, SCHOOL DAYS, DEAR OLD GOLDEN RULE DAYS" are beginning this fall for a number of Slaton youngsters among whom are little Miss Diane Claire Jaynes, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Jaynes. She is shown above with her mother at the door of West Ward where she will enroll Tuesday. To show that she expects to get right down to work, she is handing her doll, Susan, to mother for safekeeping. Diane is the second reason Mrs. Jaynes has for taking an active part in P-TA as her son, David, will be in the third grade. Billy and Stan Jr. are other members of the Jaynes family.

P-TA Plans 'Get-Aquainted' Affair Complimenting New Elementary Teachers

A "get-acquainted-with-your-teacher" assembly will be held at West Ward Elementary School Auditorium Friday evening, Sept. 10, at 7:45 p. m., with all parents of both East Ward and West Ward pupils invited and urged to attend according to the P-TA president, Mrs. R. E. Ayers.

This informal social meeting to honor all new teachers was planned at the first fall meeting of the executive board of the Slaton Elementary Parent-Teacher Association Friday morning, Aug. 24, when they met at West Ward.

Special Invitation
Mrs. Ayers says she wishes to extend a special invitation to parents of children who are enrolling in school for the first time. This assembly will give them an opportunity to become acquainted with the school administrators, teachers, school facilities and P-TA.

At this meeting of the executive board a membership drive was also planned to open Tuesday, Sept. 4, and representatives of the organization will be at the schools that day to receive P-TA membership dues. They are 50c per member.

The president urges parents to bring their dues that day if at all possible. The school room having the most parents enrolled in P-TA will receive a \$7.50 cash prize with the second place winner receiving \$5.00. Fathers as well as mothers are urged to join.

Eblens Re-Appointed
Mr. and Mrs. Earl D. Eblen were re-appointed as co-chairmen of the safety committee by the board and were instructed to carry on with traffic control measures which were successfully conducted at West Ward last year. In this program certain rules, approved by the school administration and local police department, are enforced to maintain an orderly flow of traffic in front of the school and to prevent accidents.

These rules include the following: (1) Vehicles must approach the school on Lubbock Street from the west when children are to be

let out or picked up. The children are not allowed to cross the street from cars stopping on the north side; (2) Cars may be parked in the parking space west of the building or on the north side of the street when parents wish to enter. NO CARS are to park on the southside of Lubbock Street in the school block at anytime. Parents should never park in front of driveways of homes and other property.

Mrs. Ayers said these rules will be in effect on occasions of holidays and other school parties the same as regular school days.

"We, the People, Spotlight Our Schools" will be the theme for this year's P-TA program, according to Mrs. Ayers and details are now being worked out. They will be made public after the first P-TA meeting.

JOY OLIVE AND JOE BEARD EXCHANGE DOUBLE RING VOWS

The Rev. Bryan Ross, pastor of Westview Baptist Church, officiated at a double ring ceremony Thursday evening, Aug. 23, when Miss Joy Ann Olive became the bride of Joe Kenneth Beard. Large baskets of pink gladioluses were placed at the church altar.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Martin of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Beard of Lubbock.

Miss Venita Green served as pianist and played traditional wedding music including "Because" and "I Love You Truly."

The bride, given in marriage by her stepfather, wore a white dress of dotted Swiss nylon designed with a fitted bodice and a fully-gathered skirt. She wore a pink hat and pink shoes to compliment her dress. Pink carnations topped a white Bible.

John Beard, brother of the groom, served as best man. Ushers were Ray Wilkins, brother-in-law of the bride, and Billy Olive, brother of the bride.

The couple are at home at 504 South 5th Street in Lubbock following a wedding trip to Colorado Springs, Colo. The bride chose a white princess style dress topped with a green jacket for her wedding trip.

Mrs. Beard attended Slaton High School and was a member of FHA and 4-H Clubs. The groom attended Tom S. Lubbock High School and is associated with Irrigation Pump Service in Lubbock.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sim R. Riley and Mrs. T. W. Morrison, all of Odessa.



Mrs. William C. Grater

Voigt-Grater Ceremony Read In Dallas Chapel

Dickerson Chapel of the First Methodist Church of Dallas was the setting for the wedding of Miss Ann Voigt and Dr. William C. Grater of Dallas. The single ring ceremony was read Saturday, Aug. 25, at 4 p. m. with the Rev. Gerald McCullum pastor of the church officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Ben Catching of Slaton. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grater of Equality, Ill.

Miss Bonnie Hall of Dallas sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly" accompanied by Mrs. Soder-

strom, organist, who also offered traditional wedding music.

Bride's Attire
The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Clarence Albert Voigt of Slaton, wore a ballerina-length gown of white re-embroidered lace over taffeta. It was fashioned along princess lines, with a deep V-neckline and brief sleeves. Her veil of silk illusion was held by a plateau type head-piece created of lace and pleated tulle sprinkled with seed pearls. She carried a cascade arrangement of white roses and stephanotis centered with a white orchid.

Miss Joyce Lanell Voigt of Galveston, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a dress identical to that of the bride fashioned in blue lace and carried yellow rose buds.

Dr. William Pickett of Dallas was best man.

Reception Held

At the reception held in the Dallas Athletic Club Country Club, Miss Jean Dishman of Houston presided over the wedding ring cake. Miss Lucille Valdez of Houston and Mrs. Clarence Voigt of Slaton served punch.

For a wedding trip to Mexico City and Acapulco, Mexico the bride chose for traveling a navy cotton and silk sheath with jacket trimmed in white linen and navy accessories. Following the trip, the couple will be at home at 6403 Sonora Street in Dallas.

The bride is a graduate of King's Daughters School of Nursing at Temple and attended Temple Junior College. The bridegroom received his A. B. degree from the University of Illinois, his M. D. from University of Illinois Medical School, from Northwestern University he was awarded a M. S. degree. He also attended the University of Texas Medical School and is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, Alpha Sigma Phi, Nu Sigma Nu. He is an allergist.

Out-of-town guests attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grater of Equality, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lowe, El Dorado, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Smith of Ill., Dr. and Mrs. Wilson Harrison and Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Garber all of Galveston, Miss Lucille Valdez of Houston Mrs. Ben Catching and Helen of Slaton.

Miss Eva Williams, Donald Sikes Wed



Mrs. Donald Ray Sikes

Miss Eva Lou Williams became the bride of Donald Ray Sikes Wednesday, Aug. 22, in a double-ring ceremony read in the Sudan Church of Christ by M. E. Blake, minister of the church. Caladium gladioli and fern were placed at the altar.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Williams of Southland and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sikes are the groom's parents.

The bride wore a beige broadcloth faille dress fashioned with a fitted long-torso bodice and a full pleated skirt. Her accessories were white and she wore a white chrysanthemum corsage.

The couple is at home in Slaton following a short wedding trip to Ruidoso, N. Mex. The bride is a senior in Southland High School and the groom, who is a 1953 graduate of Slaton High School, is employed by Deal's Machine Shop here.

Those attending the ceremony were Mrs. W. A. Sikes, mother of the groom, Mrs. R. D. Williams, mother of the bride, Mrs. M. E. Blake and Terry Blake of Sudan.

Elise Edwards of Midland spent last week here with her grandmother, Mrs. B. G. Guinn.

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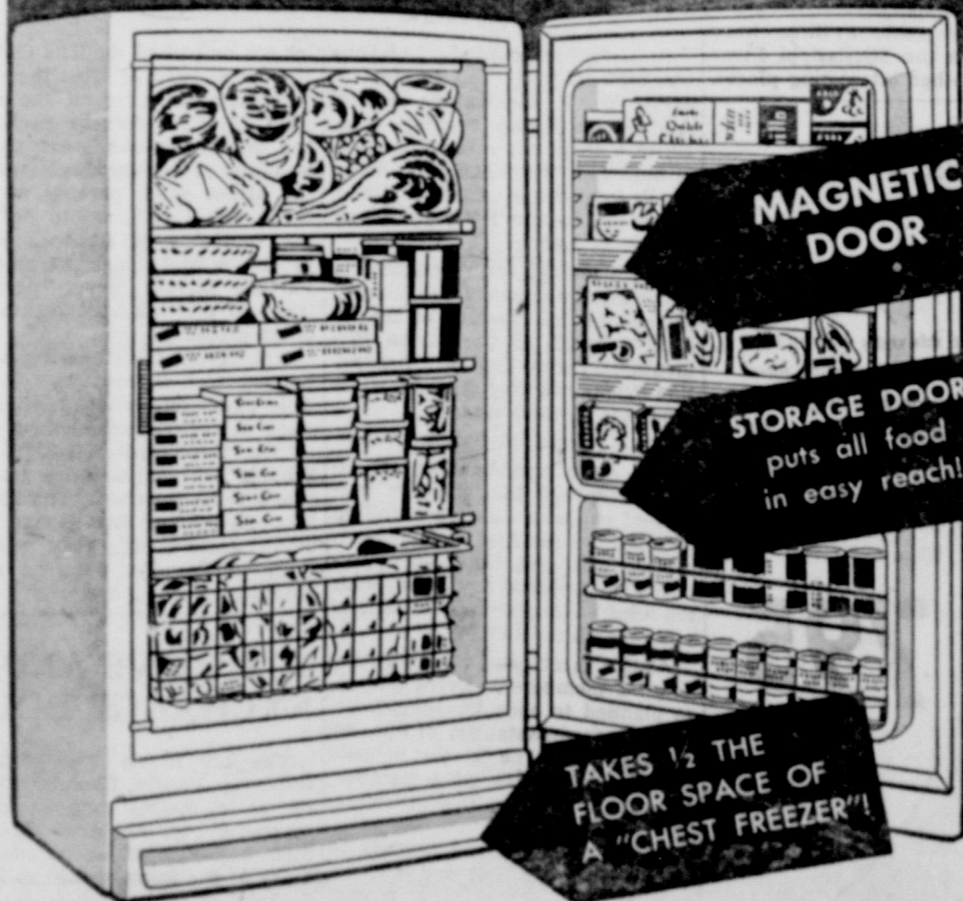
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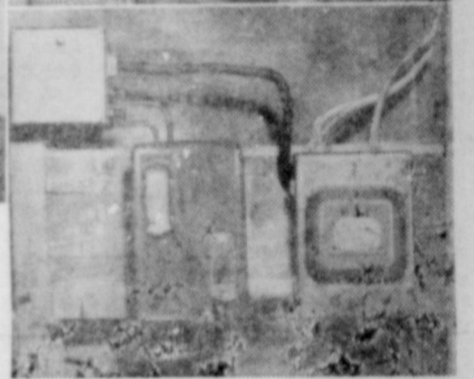
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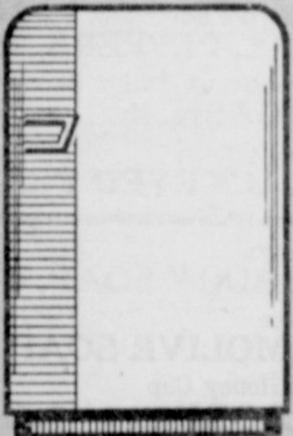


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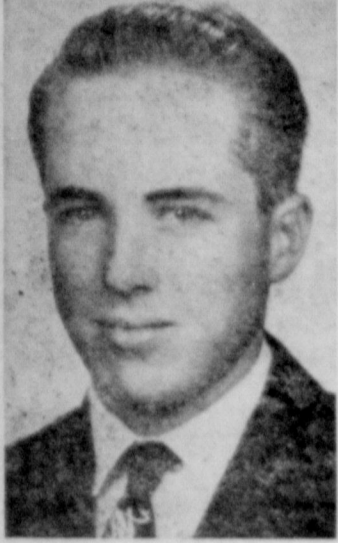
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News of Slaton Men in Service



Alton Brookshire

Alton Brookshire, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brookshire, is taking his basic training at Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio where he has been since Aug. 5.

Alton is a 1956 graduate of Slaton High School. At the present his parents are planning to visit him over the Labor Day week end.

25TH DIV., HAWAII—Army Pvt. Stanley P. Nesbitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Nesbitt, Route 2, Slaton, Tex., recently arrived in Hawaii and is now a member of the 25th Infantry Division.

Nesbitt, assigned to Company A of the division's 27th Regiment, entered the Army in February 1956 and was last stationed at Fort Hood, Tex., where he received basic training.

The 19-year-old soldier was formerly employed by B. O. Becker, building contractor, Slaton. He attended Slaton High School.



William Lee

Lee Attending School
LOWRY AFB, COLO.—Airman Third Class William Lee, grandson of Mrs. Pearl Darby, Slaton, has been assigned to the 3415th USAF Technical School at Lowry Air Force Base as a student in the DEPT OF GUIDED MISSILE TRAINING.

Lowry's USAF Technical School graduates thousands of airmen each year who are trained for vital technical jobs in today's Air Force. Most graduates are assigned to major commands throughout the Air Force upon completion of their training at Lowry.

Keys in Louisiana
CAMP LEROY JOHNSON, LA.—Army Pvt. Ira R. Keys, 23, whose wife, Glenna, lives in Mal-

ie Slaton, Tex., Slatonite Friday, August 31, 1956

Jamar, N. M., recently arrived at Camp Leroy Johnson, La., and is now a member of the 156th Transportation Company.

A clerk with the unit, Keys is the son of Mrs. Ruth Keys, 230 S. Fifth, Slaton. He entered the Army in December 1955 and was stationed at Fort Lee, Va., before arriving at Camp Leroy Johnson.

Keys was employed by the Southern Union Gas Company in Lamesa before entering the Army.

Enroute to Europe

FORT CARSON, COLO.—Pvt. James H. Schneider, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman F. Schneider, Route 1, Slaton, was scheduled to leave the U. S. Aug. 30 for Europe as part of Operation Gyroscope, the Army's unit rotation plan.

Schneider is a member of the 8th Infantry Division, which has been stationed at Fort Carson, Colo., and is replacing the 9th Infantry Division in Germany.

Artifexman in Company L of the division's 13th Regiment, Schneider entered the Army in February 1956 and received basic training at Fort Carson, Colo.

The 19-year-old soldier attended Clisco (Tex.) Junior College.

Local Boy In Alaska

First Lt. Joe B. Hanson, a Texas Tech graduate who learned about the infantry in the Tech ROTC, will return to the United States this month from Alaska.

He has been stationed there as a platoon leader in Company K of the 71st Infantry Division's 53rd Regiment since April, 1955. He is to be stationed with the Second Infantry Division at Fort Lewis, Wash.

Hansen was graduated from Tech in 1954 with the bachelor of business administration degree. He was a member of the Infantry Club while a cadet at Tech.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Hanson of Route 1, Slaton.

Slatonites in Sea Fair

SEATTLE, WASH. (FHTNC)—A task force of 12 San Diego and Long Beach-based warships, on maneuvers in Pacific Northwest waters, arrived in Puget Sound August 8 to take part in Seattle's annual Sea Fair.

Among the participants aboard the submarine tender USS Sperry was Bobby L. Townsend, seaman, USN, of Slaton, Tex., and aboard the destroyer USS Charr was Hollis L. Barkley, electrician's mate third class, USN, of 730 S. Seventh st., Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Jenkins visited last week in Chillicothe in the C. N. Culler home and with Mr. Jenkins' daughter, Mrs. Laverne Dye in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Joe Johnson had as her guest last week end her sister, Mrs. Ottis Browning. This past week end her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Hutchens, and baby of Rankin visited her.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. King had as their guests Sunday Mrs. King's uncles and aunts, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sneed and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilbreath of Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Scott, Sue and Mark of Amarillo visited here recently in the home of Mrs. Scott's sister, Mrs. C. S. Wilkinson, and Mr. Wilkinson.

Greek Visitor Is Rotary Speaker

The Slaton Rotary Club was fortunate Thursday noon to be able to hear an outstanding speaker from Greece. Epaminondas Panagopoulos was introduced by Sheriff Boyd, in whose home he and his family are visiting.

The speaker told of the work that Rotary is accomplishing in his country. The Club in Athens adopted a village that had been destroyed in the war and helped them rebuild. They established an eye bank in Greece that has performed miracles. Another project was the backing of a leper colony on one of the islands of Greece, bringing them relief and life.

Mr. Panagopoulos, a professor in college. His work in this summer has been the writing of the history of a Greek colony that settled in Florida during the pilgrim times. This book will be completed this winter. He told the club the history of these people.

Visitors were Arlie Hudson, Odie Hood, Earl Collins, Dr. Malone, Mrs. Malone, and Miss Maide Esmanian of Lubbock; Coach Ehrler and Coach Smith, and James Barton of Slaton.

President Self asked each Rotarian to invite a farmer to be his guest with the object in view of having one at each meeting.

Melvin Kunkel invited the Rotarians to make the trip to Plant X on Monday of this week with Iradj Master, the Rotary visitor from Iran.



Born Aug. 15 to Mr. and Mrs. James D. Blair, 235 W. Dickens, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 6 lbs. 13 ozs.

Born Aug. 15 to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kern, 905 W. Garza, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 8 lbs. 1 oz.

Born Aug. 15 to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Torres, 835 So. 4th, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 5 lbs. 15 ozs.

Born Aug. 15 to Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Flores, Rt. 4, Tahoka, in Mercy Hospital, twin boys weighing 5 lbs. 6 ozs. and 6 lbs.

Born Aug. 16 to Mr. and Mrs. John H. Lumpkins, 300 W. Dickens, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 7 lbs. 2 ozs.

Born Aug. 17 Mr. and Mrs. Joaquin Maldonado, Box 512, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 7 lbs. 4 ozs.

Born Aug. 17 to Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Nanez, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 8 lbs. 4 ozs.

Born Aug. 18 to Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Mathis, Box 733, Post, in Mercy hospital, a boy weighing 7 lbs. 9 ozs.

Born Aug. 18 to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gardner, Wilson, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 2 lbs. 10 ozs.

Born Aug. 18 to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wendell, 1025 So. 14th, Slaton, in West Texas Hospital, Lubbock, a girl weighing 9 lbs. 4 ozs.

Born Aug. 19 to Mr. and Mrs. C. McLister, Box 152, Justiceburg, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 8 lbs. 9 ozs.

Born Aug. 19 to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barnes, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 6 lbs. 9 ozs.

Born Aug. 20 to Mr. and Mrs. Rudolf Ramos, Rt. 1, Lorenzo, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 6 lbs. 2 ozs.

Born Aug. 21 to A/2c and Mrs. Floyd R. Hughie, Lubbock, in Reese Air Force Hospital, a girl weighing 8 lbs. 2 ozs.

Born Aug. 22 to Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Dubbs, 1105 W. Lubbock, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 8 lbs. 1 oz.

Born Aug. 23 to Mr. and Mrs. Coy Cochran, 950 So. 5th, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 6 lbs. 10 ozs.

Born Aug. 23 to Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Martinez, Rt. 1, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 7 lbs. 5 ozs.

Born Aug. 23 to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hopper, 5636 Ave. B, Lubbock, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 9 lbs. 6 ozs.

Born Aug. 24 to Mrs. NeW Brown, 315 E. Lynn, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 7 lbs. 2 ozs.

Born Aug. 24 to Mr. and Mrs. H. R. McClellan, 1104 42nd, Lubbock, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 7 lbs. 11 ozs.

Born Aug. 25 to Mr. and Mrs. Nicolas Velasquez, Rt. 2, Lubbock, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 6 lbs. 3 ozs.

Born Aug. 26 to Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Johnson, Rt. 6, Lubbock, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 9 lbs. 5 ozs.

Born Aug. 27 to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tingle, 1712 E. 13th St., Lubbock, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 8 lbs. 13 1/4 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Donald and children, Marjorie, Glenn and Reese, from Hartford, Conn., are visiting here with Mr. Donald's mother, Mrs. Bessie Donald. They are en route to Colorado Springs, Colo. to attend a convention.

Former Safety Supervisor On Slaton Division Transferred to Kansas

C. J. Prock, Santa Fe safety supervisor on the Slaton division from March 1, 1948 to December 1, 1951, has been named safety supervisor at Newton, Kansas, according to E. L. Duggan, superintendent of safety system, Chicago.

While on the Slaton division, Prock's headquarters were in Clovis, and he also had jurisdiction over the Pecos division. On December 1, 1951, he was made safety supervisor of the Albuquerque division at Winslow, Arizona, the position he held at the time of the present transfer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Perry and son of Goldthwaite will arrive the latter part of this week to spend the week end here with Mrs. Perry's sister, Mrs. Ida Montgomery.

Mrs. Frank Drewry left Wednesday for Mount Pleasant to attend the funeral services of Taylor Kay which will be held Thursday. Mr. Kay is a brother of Mrs. Ellis P. Schmid, Mrs. Drewry's daughter-in-law.

Social Security Representative To Be in Slaton

A representative of the Social Security Administration will be in Slaton on September 7 at 9 a. m. in the Red Cross room of City Hall to assist residents in matters pertaining to Social Security.

Monthly benefits for women at age 62 beginning with the month of November, 1956, were made available under the Old-Age and Survivors Insurance Program when the 1956 Amendments were signed into law, according to John H. Hutton, manager of the Lubbock district office of the Social Security Administration.

Under the amended law, according to Hutton, women who qualify for benefits as widows of insured deceased wage earners will receive the full benefit of 3/4 of the amount of their deceased husband's benefit. The change in the law merely lowers the age for eligibility to age 62.

Wives of insured workers and

women who are entitled in their own right to benefits may receive benefits as early as age 62 (but not before November 1956) but wives who elect the benefits at age 62 will be reduced to 75% of the normal benefit and women workers who elect benefits at age 62 will be reduced to 80% of the normal benefit.

Election at some time after 62 will involve a deduction proportionate to the time involved before age 65. For instance, election of a wife at age 64 would involve a reduction of 8 1/3%. Once an election has been made it continues permanently.

It is not possible for a wife who is insured on her own to elect to receive benefits on one record (say her own) and preserve the amount she would receive on her husband until age 65. An election on one becomes an election for both.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Roberts will leave Saturday for a visit with Mrs. Roberts' mother, Mrs. E. C. Poe, and her sisters, Mrs. C. C. Webb and family and Mrs. Ollie Moran and family in Cisco.

Sunday School Attendance Totals 1,528 for Aug. 26.

Attendance at church schools in Slaton Sunday, Aug. 26, totaled 1,528 in the 12 churches which reported.

Churches reporting and their attendance was as follows:

First Christian	48
Church of God	64
First Methodist	268
First Baptist	410
Church of the Nazarene	123
Westview Baptist	293
First Presbyterian	32
Grace Lutheran	100
Church of Christ	22
First Baptist Mission	80
Assembly of God	76
Pentecostal Holiness	60
Bible Baptist	64

James and Bobby Bolton of Lubbock spent last week here visiting here in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Mabry.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Mabry and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Large of Albuquerque will arrive Saturday for a visit with Mr. Mabry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Mabry.

B. N. Ball Speaks To Slaton Lions

B. N. Ball gave the program at the regular Tuesday luncheon meeting of the Lions Club at the Clubhouse. Ball discussed the formation of his new business The Slaton Decorated Box Company.

As a part of the program he displayed several examples of the type of Christmas boxes which his firm is producing at the present time. Guests at the meeting included Bill Gillespie, Mike Ball and Wright Price. Price became a member of the Lions Club following the program Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Kirk and children attended graduation exercises at T. C. U. in Ft. Worth last week end. G. A. Kirk, their son, was one of the graduates. He will be head line coach at Diamond Hill this year.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Scott of Cross Plains visited here in the home of Mrs. Scott's brother, J. C. Foster, and Mrs. Foster last week.

LABOR DAY SPECIALS

m-m-m GOOD EATING!

COCA-COLA	12-bottle carton	39c
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- Large Crisp Stalks CELERY, each 15c
- Golden Fruit BANANAS, lb. 12 1/2c
- California Bull Nose BELL PEPPERS, lb. 15c
- Home Grown Yellow Summer SQUASH, lb. 7 1/2c
- Home Grown BLACKEYED PEAS, lb. 7 1/2c

Mission CUT GREEN BEANS, 303 can	15c
Kimbell's PLUM PRESERVES, 20-oz. jar	29c
Robin Hood FLOUR 10-lb. bag	89c
Kimbell's PEACH PRESERVES, 20-oz. jar	39c
Duncan Hines BAR-B-FUEL, 10 lbs.	98c

FROZEN FOODS

- Keith's LEMONADE, 6-oz. can 12 1/2c
- Morton Family Size Cherry, Apple, Peach PIES, each 49c
- Banquet 8-Oz. Beef, Turkey, Chicken POT PIES, each 23c
- Swanson TV CHICKEN DINNER, each 79c
- Underwood's BAR-B-Q BEEF, 1-lb. pkg. 79c
- Donald Duck ORANGE JUICE, 6-oz. can 19c
- Essex STRAWBERRIES, 10-oz. pkg. 23c

PICNIC HAMS	3- to 5-Lb. Avg. lb.	35c
Wilson Corn King BACON	lb.	45c
Golden Brand OLEO	lb.	23c
Pinkney WIENERS	1-Lb. Cello lb.	39c
CHEESE	2-lb. box	69c

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