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Slaton Rated Underdogs

Tigers To Play Lockney In Second Conference Game On Local Field

Proposed Amendment of City Charter Told by Slaton City Commission

Notice of intention to pass an ordinance to call an election to amend sections of Slaton's City Charter has been made in this week's Slatonite, by the City Commission. This notice, as required by law, is a pre-requisite for passing the ordinance which calls the amendment election.

upon at the same time since all four amendments can be voted on as economically as the first two.

Education Building Under Construction By Presbyterians

Construction is underway on the rebuilding of the old Presbyterian Church Manse, located at the corner of 11th and Lubbock streets. The building is being remodeled into an educational building for First Presbyterian Church, according to the Rev. C. N. Wylie, pastor.

When completed in about two weeks, the building will contain three Sunday School classrooms, along with a large Fellowship Hall, and kitchen facilities. The interior of the building will be textured, and the outside of the building will be repainted. Concrete walks will be poured before construction work will be completed.

Ginning Totals Up 3,894 Bales Over Last Week's Totals

Slaton area gins had ginned a total of 8,106 bales of cotton at noon Tuesday. This is an increase of 3,894 bales over the amount reported at the same time last week. Among the first reports for last year, that on October 22, area gins had only ginned 2,655 bales, some 5,451 bales less than the number ginned on October 9 this year.

P-TA Project Selected at Meet; Record Membership of 454 Revealed

About 300 persons attended the second Parent-Teacher Association meeting held Monday night in the West Ward Auditorium. Some 31 children were in the nursery which Girl Scouts of Troop 2 operated. The Scouts were under the supervision of Mrs. Byron Johnson and Mrs. W. A. Shelton. Attendance prizes for the meeting for the monthly award went to Mrs. Virgie Hunter's third grade class, winning \$2.50. Prizes in the recent membership drive went to the first grade class taught by Mrs.

The Slaton Tigers will meet the Lockney Longhorns Friday night at 8 o'clock on the local field. The Lockney eleven are rated as the third best team on the Plains, but considering the weekly improvement of the Tigers, many predict the game to be very evenly matched.

This is the second conference game for the Slaton eleven. Coach Ehrler and the boys have spent considerable study of the film of the Post game in order to improve their game.

A pep rally will be held Friday afternoon at 3:10 o'clock at the high school building. Everyone in town is given an invitation to be present.

Veterans, Look Out, Your Phone May Ring Thursday Night

That phone is almost surely to ring Thursday night, is the notice being given all veterans that are subject to being members of the American Legion, announces Surman Clark.

This is the beginning of the annual telephone drive for members of the Slaton Luther Powers Post No. 438. Mr. Clark is vice commander and chairman of the membership drive. There will be a staff of seven working Thursday night, October 11th. The four phones at The Slatonite office will be used beginning at 7 p. m. Cars will be ready to go out and get the membership all signed up as each new member is contacted over the telephone.

Rules for membership of the Legion are: Honorable separation; one day active service during April 6, 1917 to Nov. 11, 1918; Dec. 7, 1941 to Sept. 2, 1945. Members also have to be approved by the local Post members.

This drive is staged once a year. "We are very anxious to get everyone that is eligible to be a member of our Post," said Mr. Clark. The local Legion meets each second Monday night at 7:30 at their hall.

C. OF C. DIRECTORS MEET TUESDAY NIGHT

The directors of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce will meet Tuesday night, October 16, announces Francis Perry, president.

The meeting will be held at the Red Arrow Cafe beginning at 7 o'clock sharp, reports Mrs. Bisbee, secretary. The usual "Dutch" supper will be held, followed by the business session.

"We have several important decisions to make at this meeting, so I am asking that every director be present," said the president.



MRS. CECIL SCOTT, leader of Brownie Troop number 8, is watching for late arrivals for an "alphabet" hike. Brownies Robin Davis, Kathlene Clark, Joyce Clark, and Jan Scott wait for others to arrive. Brownie Anita Chambers, with back to camera, is joining the group. This is Slaton's Girl Scout program in action.

2,401 Quarts Beer Confiscated During Last Six Months

Liquor in amounts that could have caused a gigantic hang-over have been confiscated by the Slaton Police Department during the past six months.

Police Chief Bill Daniel reported this week that in the past six months 2,401 quarts of beer, 116 pints of wine, and about 9 pints of whiskey have been turned over to the Texas Liquor Control Board in Lubbock.

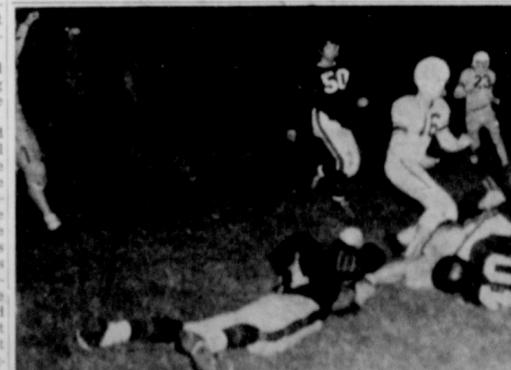
Of this amount, 568 quarts of beer and 87 pints of wine were confiscated by local police during the past week end.

After being turned over to the Liquor Control Board, Daniel said, the liquor is sold at auction to the highest bidder from licensed liquor dealers. Revenue obtained in this manner goes to the State of Texas.

41 Jailed

Slaton police jailed 41 persons during the week end, for drunkenness, vagrancy, and disturbing the peace, according to Bill Daniel, Chief of Police.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Steffens and daughter, Jane, of Nazareth visited in the home of Mr. Steffens parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Steffens.



ALL TANGLED UP—Scene taken at the Post game Friday night shows a tough and tumble game. Ball carrier Dickie Thomas, 40, has been downed, Rodney Kitten, 81, adds to the pile-up. To the left is Jerry Jones, 21, and seen running in center is Blisard, 50. This was one of the best games the Tigers have played this year, although they were on the low side of the score.

Discrimination Incident Here Could Place Slaton on 'Black List' To Migratory Labor Supply

The possibility of Slaton's being placed on the "Black List" for Mexican Nationals has arisen through an incident which occurred here Sunday, September 24.

The matter has been called to the attention of the Slaton City Commission and Melvin Kunkel, Slaton's director of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. In a telephone conversation with Kunkel Monday, Frank Kelley, chairman of the Texas Good Neighbor Commission, requested a statement as to the policy of Slaton and Slaton business establishments toward

their relations with Latin Americans. The incident occurred when J. Magnon del Valle, insurance agent, and former attorney in Mexico, was refused service in a Slaton cafe.

Referred to Chamber The Slaton City Commission Monday night referred the matter to the Slaton Chamber of Commerce for action. F. E. Perry, chamber president, stated that action on the matter of policy toward Latin Americans would be taken at the forthcoming meeting of chamber directors scheduled

for Tuesday, October 16. The Good Neighbor Commission works in cooperation with the Mexican government in the placing of migratory workers throughout Texas.

Reports in Slaton indicate this to be the second such incident of occur here in recent years.

Newspaper Report A report of the incident appeared in a Corpus Christi Newspaper, La Verdad, a bi-language paper published in Nueces County. Under a banner headline, "Former La Verdad Correspondent Refused Service in Slaton, Tex. Cafe" the following article in part, appeared: "J. Magnon del Valle, distinguished looking insurance agent and former attorney in Mexico, who several years ago while living here and in San Antonio served on the editorial staff of this weekly, was discriminated upon in a cafe in Slaton, Texas, Sunday, September 24. He explains the incident in a letter to editor Santos de la Paz.

"The one-time famous jurisprudence said that he walked into the cafe in Slaton dressed in his Sunday clothes and took a seat. After waiting for over five minutes without being served he walked over to the cashier's desk and asked why the waitress even after seeing him would not take his order, and the man behind the register, who said he was the owner of the establishment also, informed him that, "we don't serve Mexican people here."

Educated Man

"Crestfallen, del Valle walked out and as he roamed the streets of Slaton tears streamed down his face and he felt the palpitations of fear, fear of not being able to control himself. Here was a man better educated than all of the employees and owner of the Cafe, a better dresser, a better informed individual in every respect, a gent who masters four languages, yet he had been made the victim of humiliation. He could not believe it.

"Del Valle thought discrimination was done away with but since working in the territory of Lubbock he has found out differently. He says that when Adolf Hitler called his people back to the homeland, he apparently forgot to send invitations to the swines making like semi-gods and practicing white supremacy in that sector of the state. They may be Texans, but their hearts are in Germany, says del Valle, "they are full of hatred and would as soon spit on you as talk to you."

"We have fought discrimination for many years but the progress towards its end has been relatively slow . . .

"People of Mexican extractions should know who their friends are, should take a more active participation in politics, local, state and nation wise and should voice their opinions without fear."

Reports in Slaton said that Mexican Nationals are guided away from towns on the "Black List" of the Good Neighbor Commission, and that quite likely Latin Americans from the Rio Grande who are US citizens could be effected by the action.



GROUND BREAKING CEREMONY—The oldest Elder on the Church of Christ board, James Wolfe, is shown with the long handled spade with which he shoveled the first dirt beginning the construction of their new auditorium. Shown in the picture from left to right are Loyd Tucker, Edgar Williams, Melvin Bruster, Truman Bishop, Ted Melugin, C. L. Newcomb, Minister of the Church, Claude Anderson, James Wolfe, Bill Sikes, Horace Crumbley, Cecil Self, Clark Self Sr., and Charlie Whalen.

Church of Christ Break Ground for New Edifice

James Wolfe, the oldest elder in the church, turned the first shovel of dirt at the ground breaking for the new Church of Christ building last Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m.

The \$61,750 edifice will be located on Division Street just west of the present building. The auditorium will have a seating capacity of 575, with a baptistry, cry room, nursery, central heating and cooling. It will be a modern type structure of light brick with a ten-foot step. J. D. Bell of Lubbock is the contractor.

The church was started in the early days of Slaton, with a few members among whom were the late Mrs. W. E. Smart, the Trammel families, and the Blondells. In

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Foster returned Monday from a week end of football. They attended the Post-Slaton game Friday night in Post, the TCU-Arkansas game in Fort Worth Saturday afternoon, and the Texas Tech-A&M game in Dallas Saturday night. Sunday they watched a professional football game over TV in the home of Foster's brother, T. W. Foster, in Dallas. They also attended the Texas State Fair.

or about 1917 the group was meeting in the home of Mrs. Pat Trammel, a sister of Bob Conner.

The first revival was held by Bro. Chas. Watkins who preached for two weeks. His revival services were so successful that after two weeks, when he was compelled to leave because of a previous engagement, Bro. Liff Sanders was called to continue the meeting for another week. In this one meeting the congregation grew to more than 50 and they were forced to move into larger quarters. They met in the old picture show building, which was located where Bain Auto Store is now located, for a short time when Bro. Watkins appointed the first elders of the church. They were Bro. Roberts and Bro. Phillips.

First church building

The time had come to erect a church building and a small frame structure was erected just west of the present church building on the site of the proposed new building. The church was growing rapidly. In the fall of 1922 a part of the present building was erected and a regular minister, the first for the church to have, was secured. He was Bro. McKinney who was active in the building program. Bro. Liff Sanders who still lived in Lubbock had been supplying the pulpit coming down on Saturday, preaching Saturday night and Sunday. He usually came by horse and buggy.

The building was remodeled in a few years and then a few years later, about 1930, the present pews were put into the building. Nothing more was done toward the building program during the depression years except to try to pay for the building which was accomplished by 1940.

Present Building Remodeled

The present auditorium was remodeled some ten years later when the new front was put on at a cost of \$9000. This was paid for within a year. The minister's home was purchased and paid for within two years time. These are a few of the milestones in the growth and development of the Church of Christ, leading up to the erection of the new building.

C. L. Newcomb is the present minister of the church.

Calendar Of Coming Events

- Thursday, October 11
 - Rotary Club, 12 noon, Clubhouse
 - Masonic Lodge, 7:30 p. m., Masonic Hall
- Friday, October 12
 - Art Club, 2 p. m., Clubhouse
- Saturday, October 13
 - Tiger Town, 8 p. m., City Park
- Sunday, October 14
 - Knights of Columbus, 2:30 p. m., St. Joseph's Hall
 - Pointdexter Open House, 3 p. m., Clubhouse
- Monday, October 15
 - Evans School Opens
 - Jaycees, 7 p. m., V. F. W. Hall
 - Boy Scout Troop 29, 7:30 p. m., Scout Hall
 - Touchdown Club, 8 p. m., Clubhouse
- Tuesday, October 16
 - Lions Club, 12 noon, Clubhouse
 - Home Demonstration Club, 2 p. m., Clubhouse
 - Chamber of Commerce, 7 p. m., Red Arrow Cafe

OPEN LETTER TO THE CITIZENS OF SLATON

This year, for the first time, through the efforts of our far sighted adult volunteers of Slaton, Girl Scouts will have the opportunity to take part in the new Council for the South Plains. It is with pleasure that we join with this newly organized group of active participating volunteers. I am confident that through combining our efforts with those of the adults in Girl Scouting in our neighboring towns we can bring greater advantages to our youth. Character building groups stressing the democratic way of work can only strengthen the advantages we are already giving our young people through the influence of our fine homes, churches, and schools.

Since we as a nation have become gravely concerned about communism, we can combat its subversive influence through constantly teaching our young people the advantages of democracy. The Girl Scouts are a truly democratic organization. From the National Board, composed of volunteers from across the nation, to the youngest Brownie Troop, the democratic way of the selection of personnel, making of decisions, and ways of work are stressed. Slaton will stand behind this worthwhile movement. The fund appeal, to be conducted between October 15th and 20th for the Girl Scouts of the new Council is one to which we can all respond with full confidence that our contributions will be used in one of the most worthwhile and valuable programs available to girls.

L. B. Wootton, Mayor of Slaton, Texas

NATIONAL NEWSPAPER WEEK, OCTOBER 1 TO 8TH

Your newspaper is freedom's key to better living. It unlocks the door to a richer life for everyone.

In this country the concepts of a free press and a free society developed together. Because it is free the American newspaper has been able to broaden its activities and to meet new demands as the nation has grown. Today the newspaper fulfills a myriad of functions. Homemakers' pages contain helpful facts. Women read these pages to learn how to prepare a delicious meal or remove an ink spot from a carpet.

The advertiser promotes his products in a field of open competition. The more he advertises the more he sells and the more he sells, the lower he can reduce prices. Factories, production and payrolls grow. Bigger payrolls result in more prosperous communities and a stronger nation.

Businessmen study success and failure. Medical columns offer the advice of competent physicians who answer questions, give advice and offer suggestions, all in the interest of better health.

Local health authorities make their important announcements in the news pages.

Homeowners build backyard patios and outdoor fireplaces. Apartment dwellers redecorate and refurbish.

Gardeners, both the homegrown variety and the professional, depend on the garden news to tell them what to do and how to use new chemicals that promote plant life and control insects and weeds.

News columns report with comparative objectivity on the activities of the great, near great and the common people, the meetings, conventions, speeches and interviews.

Readers learn who is sick, who died, who was born, who married, who was divorced, who took his own life, who was hurt in an accident, the toils of disaster and of the eternal efforts of the wrongdoer and his nemesis, the lawman.

Newspapers scrutinize courts, the law, politics, elections and government. They inform and sometimes arouse the electorate.

Through problems are posed and thinking is guided. Special occasions are chronicled.

Americans have more leisure time than ever before and in turn rely on newspapers for more and more suggestions of what to do with it. The person with time on his hands automatically consults the newspaper to learn more about his hobby, the road to the beach or the ski area, for reports on spectator sports and outdoor activities—golf, fishing, hunting or hiking.

The classified advertising section provides a daily market place for buyer and seller, a market place so vast as to be immeasurable and one that sometimes extends halfway around the world.

In civic promotions better living results in such projects as the construction of a playground or the control of pollution of the water and air. Corrupt departments are reorganized. Political rascals are turned out. Safety campaigns are launched.

Mighty fund raising drives set out annually to whip poverty, polio, cancer, heart disease, muscular dystrophy and similar afflictions. Their workers call repeatedly on newspapers for support. They receive it, too.

These same newspapers sponsor wholesome youth activities, such as summer camps, and in other ways keep wary vigil over juvenile problems.

Many a boy has begun a business career on a newspaper route.

Farmers attend the progress of prices and market trends in distant cities.

A newspaper does all these things, and more. Perhaps, the most important function of a newspaper is that it, with its comics, cartoons and funny stories, brings a little laughter into the world every day.

LUCK AND POLIO

The once-healthy children of Richard Greeno, Camp Douglas, Wis., received no shots of the Salk poliomyelitis vaccine—simply because their parents "never thought they'd need it."

Yet in a brief period recently all six children have been stricken with polio of varying degrees of seriousness, from the "light" case of one girl to the iron lung stage of the oldest boy.

It is possible, of course, that polio might have hit the Greeno family even if the youngsters had had the vaccine. But the odds would have been greatly in their favor, against the likelihood of the disease for even one of the six.

Records kept so far have indicated great gains over polio due directly to the vaccine. Proof of its value is already strong enough so that the United States Public Health Service and private doctors the country over have been urging parents to take advantage of this great new protection.

The vaccine is not infallible. A few children have had polio in spite of the shots. But it is clear from statistics that for most children it is serving as a staunch shield against a disease that is never superficial and is often extremely serious.

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SUBSCRIPTIONS IN ADVANCE



STRENGTH FOR THE WEEK

THE BENEFITS OF PRAYER

by Clarence N. Wylie, Pastor, First Presbyterian Church

Do you ever pray, that is really pray? Some people pray every day. Some people pray only when in trouble. Some people pray only on Sunday. Some people never pray. Since there is such a great difference in the attitudes of so many people, it is well for us to stop and ask whether or not there is any benefit in prayer.

The writer of this article sincerely believes that there is great benefit in prayer. His belief is based, first of all upon the promises given to us in God's word; and in the second place upon his own personal experience with prayer.

Let us consider a few of the benefits of prayer.

To begin, prayer makes us conscious of the presence of Almighty God, for true prayer is just talking to Him. As we think of Him, with all of His power and glory, we want to express our adoration of Him. Every prayer ought to include adoration. As we think of His goodness to us, we want to express our thanks for all material blessings, and also for His forgiving spirit. Coming into His presence through prayer makes us want to exclaim, as the apostle Paul did in Romans 11:34: "O the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are His judgments and how inscrutable His ways! For who has known the mind of the Lord, or who has seen His counsel? For from Him and through Him and to Him are all things. To Him be glory forever."

In the second place, prayer ought to become a habit with each one of us. It is a good habit. When a person has formed the habit of regular prayer he is prepared for any emergency, for he is in the habit of turning to God, trusting in Him, and of accepting His will, whatever the circumstances may be.

In the next place prayer helps to make us conscious of the needs of our fellow men. Take, for instance, the prayer in which Jesus Christ taught His disciples. It is by no means a selfish prayer. It begins with the plural pronoun "our." When we say, "Our Father," we include all others who accept God as a heavenly Father. When we say, "Give us our daily bread, forgive us, lead us not into temptation," if we are thoughtful and sincere, we are conscious of the needs of others for these blessings, as well as our own needs.

Then, too, prayer is that which lifts our minds up above the commonplace things about us. Prayer does not change the beauty of a sunset, but when one is in the habit of prayer, a beautiful sunset turns our thoughts up and out beyond the skies and the gorgeous colors reflected there, to the Omnipotent One who made such beauty possible. When one is in the habit of prayer, he looks up into the starry heavens on a clear night and the immensity of the scene reminds him of the fact that God who made

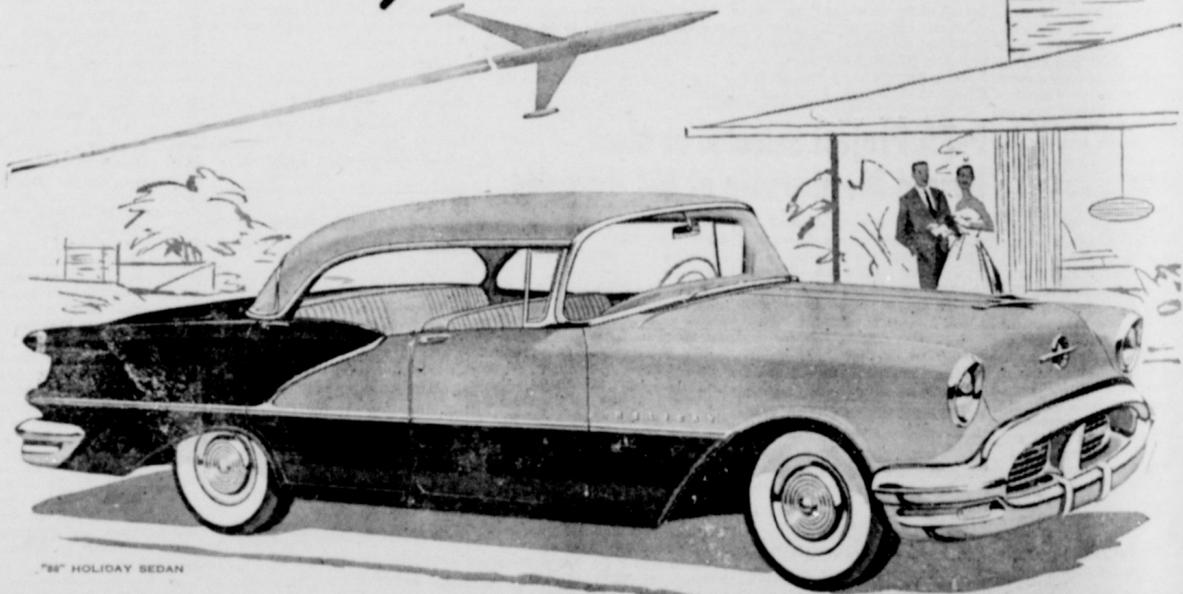
that starry host is greater than His creation, and that the power and love that reaches to the most distant star is able to reach down and touch his own life. Then, like David wrote in the eighth psalm, he wants to cry out, "O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is Thy name in all the earth! When I look at the heavens, the work of Thy fingers, what is man that Thou art mindful of him? Yet Thou hast made him

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Football Film Is Shown to Rotary

A film of the Slaton-Roscoe football game was shown to the members of the Rotary Club Thursday noon. Curtis Dowell was in charge of the program.

Coach Leonard Ehrler supervised the projector machine and explained the plays as they were shown. The good plays and the errors of players was brought out. "Our boys are improving each week," said the coach.

Floyd Elterman introduced the guests. They were Jim Gammell, Lubbock; Edwin Forrest, Lubbock and Mark Haley, Lubbock.

President Clark Self Sr. announced the inter-city meet will be held in Lubbock next Thursday at 7 p. m. at the coliseum. All members were asked to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Audine Martin, Lois and Travis of Lubbock visited in the home of Mr. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin, Sunday.

Mrs. E. J. Galligan and children of Abilene visited here this past week in the home of Mrs. Galligan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mann.

Mrs. Sarah Balducci of Albuquerque has spent the past two weeks here with her daughter, Mrs. Travis Mann, and Mr. Mann.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Guerrero of Reno, Nev. visited here last week with Mrs. Guerrero's brother, Thomas Morris, and Mrs. Morris and her mother, Mrs. Leona Morris.

The misery of miseries is to seek a place in the social whirl out of relation to one's income.

little less than God, and crowned him with glory and honor."

Finally, let me say that one of the benefits of prayer is that God does hear and answer prayer. Like a wise parent, he may have to say, "No" at times. But experience teaches us that God does hear and answer our prayers. Prayer is too potent to be neglected. So pray.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Toy Melton over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Bartlett, of Friona, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McGeorge and Jeanie of Lubbock, Mrs. Travis Melton, Freddy and Billie of Midland, Mrs. Mary Lee Feece and Imogene Powell of Washington, D. C.

Mrs. W. L. Holloman left Friday for Oklahoma City, Okla. for a business trip and to visit with her brother, John H. Edwards, and family. She returned Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Martin visited in Littlefield Sunday in the home of Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Brown of Odessa visited Sunday in the home of Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Odom had as their guests Sunday Mrs. Odom's brother-in-law, J. T. Posey, and his wife, Mrs. Addie Lou Williams of Lubbock.

Mrs. J. B. Sharp and two little sons, Jimmy and Bob, spent the week end in Dallas and Corsicana visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Lee of Pampa visited here Sunday in the home of Mrs. Lee's sister, Mrs. Robert Meeks, and Mr. Meeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Booth and daughter of Lubbock visited here Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Maycumber.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Martin of Henderson are visiting here in the home of Mr. Martin's mother, Mrs. S. F. Martin.

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do you remember?

One Year Ago in Slaton
 Taken from October 14, 1955
 Slaton teachers were guests at the annual Rotary Club banquet for teachers and their families.
 J. S. Edwards of Slaton has been named as one of the directors on the newly-formed Lubbock County Water Control and Improvement District number 1.
 Brownie Troop 7 begins year with 22 girls.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Foster announce the marriage of their daughter, Marion, to Yvonne Brooks, son of Mrs. and Mrs. Esbell Brooks of Wolforth, Texas, on Sunday, September 18.
 Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Sanders and family of Morton visited Sun-

day in the home of Mrs. Sanders' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Teague Jr., and with Mr. Sanders' mother, Mrs. H. G. Sanders.
 A surprise birthday dinner was given honoring L. P. Taylor on his 73rd birthday, Tuesday evening, October 11, in the home of his son, Herman R. Taylor, and his family in Carlisle.
 Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Cannon and Mr. and Mrs. Melton Hancock went to Comchas Dam in New Mexico recently on a fishing trip.
Ten Years Ago in Slaton
 Taken from October 12, 1951
 Construction on the new Catholic Church and the Mercy Hospital is progressing rapidly.
 A Tea Shower honoring Miss Dorothy Burks, bride-elect of W. H. (Bill) Dawson, was given in the home of Mrs. L. O. Kenney, Tuesday, October 9, at 7:30.
 What happened to Slaton's first bale of cotton? According to a story in the Lubbock Avalanche it will stay in Lubbock as souvenir drapes for Bob Womble's place of business. The cotton, raised by Carter Caldwell, was also the first bale sold in Lubbock county.
 New class officers were named Wednesday in student election at Texas Tech. Run-offs, when necessary, will be held October 10. There will be a run-off between Marion

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Holton of Lamesa and Lena Schmidt of Slaton for secretary of the sophomore class.
 Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Legg and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Church are expected to return this week end from a two weeks automobile trip which carried them into the Ozarks through Arkansas, Missouri, and Illinois.

Ten Years Ago in Slaton
 Taken from October 11, 1946
 A check with Citizen's State Bank shows that the financial condition is not as bright as it was at the same time one year ago. But prospects are good for a big crop. We may yet have one of the best money years in the history of this section.
 Mayor Lee Wooten reported this week that a stop light has again been installed on the corner of 9th and Lubbock. One will be put on the corner of Crosby and 9th as soon as parts can be secured. These lights were used before the war, but it has been impossible to secure parts to repair them until now.
 Going through the Carlisle Caverns, Tuesday, were Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Kitten, Jo, Joerita, and Clarence Kitten of Slaton, and John Kitten of Lawrence, Nebraska.
 Eddie Schneider, son of Mrs. Francis Schneider, is at home on a 49 day furlough, after which he will go to San Antonio for his discharge. He spent the last 14 months in China.
 Mrs. Webber Williams returned from Midland, Texas, this week where she went to attend the West Texas Funeral Directors Association which met there October 8.

Happy Birthday
 Oct. 13. Mrs. W. T. Joines, Mrs. Charlie Walton, Mrs. Grady Harris, Grady Don Harris, Sharon Kay Walters and Jimmy Heard.
 Oct. 13. Richard Perry, Mrs. Stinson Behlen, Stinson Behlen, Ray Wilson, H. B. Northcutt and Darrs Hallman.
 Oct. 14. Mrs. Joe Belote Jr., Mrs. Ed Haddock, Mrs. Elbert Wilson, F. H. Lowry, Mrs. R. C. Sanner, Mrs. E. B. Gumm, Mrs. Elmer Trimble and Mrs. Jeff Hardin.
 Oct. 15. Buddy Hall, Bruno Schwertner and C. T. Reed.
 Oct. 16. Rodney Kitten, Dr. Stan H. Jaynes, Danny Kitten, Mrs. Bobby Taylor and John T. Gumm.
 Oct. 17. Charles Elmore, Sylvia Cole, Ernest Meyer, Dale Clary, Eugene Heinrich, W. T. Brown, Mrs. J. B. Winchester and Stephen J. Haliburton.
 Oct. 18. Mrs. Nola Waldrop, Homer Furguson, Christopher Lokey, Ft. Worth, and Mrs. Coy Cochran.
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carpenter of Robertson spent Friday in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ernest Meyer, and Mr. Meyer.



Highlights and Sidelights FROM YOUR State CAPITOL

By Vern Sanford
Texas Press Association
 AUSTIN, Tex.—W. Lee O'Daniel is back in the saddle again, riding the range for votes. This time it's a big bus and the Hillbilly Boys.
 Twice refused a place on the general election ballot, "Pappy" is campaigning as a write-in candidate for Governor. He reports receipt of thousands of letters asking instructions as to how to vote "the write-in way."
 First big bomb to be tossed by the former Democratic Governor was his endorsement of Republican Dwight D. Eisenhower for re-election as President of the United States.
 Proof that O'Daniel means business is evidenced by the fact that he is advertising consistently by press and radio, statewide.
OTHER CAMPAIGNERS—Texas strategists for Ike and Adlai will send fresh recruits into the field this week as campaigns enter the final month.
 For Adlai, a "Democratic Victory Van," loaded with buttons, literature and speakers, was launched from Austin over the weekend. It will make a 30-day, 10,000 mile trek "to the forks of the creek."
 Democrats for Eisenhower added a one-time Stevenson supporter to their crew. He is Johnston Murray, former Democratic governor of Oklahoma, now a Ft. Worth business man. Murray, a long-time friend of Gov. Allan Shivers, speaks Spanish fluently, and will make speeches mostly in South Texas.
RESIGNATIONS—James H. Blundell of Dallas, chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee for less than a month, has resigned. His reasons were both personal and business.
 Succeeding Blundell is Jim Lindsey, former speaker of the House of Representatives and State Representative from Texarkana, now head of the Texas Good Roads Association.
 L. C. Page of Tyler, also a member of the committee, has resigned. He gave as his reason Stevenson's statement that he favored an end to the draft.
HOUSE INVESTIGATORS TO MEET—A loaded agenda awaits the House Investigating Committee meeting, beginning here Oct. 19.
 Scheduled are: (1) Extensive inquiry into tidelands leasing procedures, as instructed by the last Legislature; (2) Preliminary consideration of a report to be made to the next session on insurance companies; (3) A report on the committee's inquiry into absentee voting in Webb County; (4) Discussion of possible recommendations that powers of any future investigating committee be limited lest it be "used as a political tool."
PRISON EXPANSION URGED—Texas Prison System is in for "serious trouble" unless it gets more money for buildings and salaries.
 Gen. Mgr. O. B. Ellis warned that the prisons cannot continue to "stack men up the way they are now." Also, said Ellis, the system is understaffed by 58 guards, and lacks even one psychiatrist to deal with the increasing numbers of "mentally irresponsible trouble makers."
 In an Austin speech Ellis gave an advance outline of the expansion program he will seek from the next Legislature. His proposed "bare

minimum" budget": \$4,825,000 for new buildings and an \$870,000 increase for operating costs, including salaries.
THREE MILLION JOBS SEEN—Three million jobholders in the state by 1957 is foreseen by the Texas Employment Commission.
 TEC also predicted steadily rising employment through the fall with a peak in December well above last year's figure of 2,862,000.
 Even before school openings brought a bustling upsurge, non-farm employment had swelled to 2,901,500. Agricultural laborers totaled 273,600, which, despite drought, was 12,000 more than in 1955.
BUSINESS RECORD IN DOUBT—Economic experts are backing off from earlier predictions that Texas business in 1956 will top the 1955 record.
 Retail merchants entered the fall months with the sales index off 8 per cent from a year ago. Automobile sales lagged 20 per cent.
 Overall business activity for 1956 still is slightly higher than '55, says the UT Bureau of Business Research. But if the downward trends continue, hopes for a new record may be too optimistic.
 Credit tightening has slowed, but not "seriously affected" Texas' rapid industrial expansion, says Dr. John Stockton, head of the research bureau.
 Many Texas merchants look to a big holiday boom to bring up the year's average.
WASHBURN VERDICT REVERSED—The murder trial of Harry L. Washburn will have to be tried again. Texas' court of criminal appeals has reversed and remanded the Waco conviction.
 Washburn had been given a life sentence in the auto-bomb killing of Mrs. Helen Harris Weaver of San Angelo.
 Defense attorneys contended the state prejudiced the jury with "fact-laden questions" to a witness who claimed 5th Amendment immunity.
 Washburn said he hoped for a new trial in his home town, Houston.
 President Eisenhower considers offshore mineral lands belong to the states.

Mrs. A. B. Pruitt visited Tuesday through Friday with her daughter, Mrs. Homer E. Jones, and Mr. Jones in Wellman. She also spent the week end with another daughter, Mrs. Dick Denton, and Mr. Denton of near Post.
 Mrs. Effie Privett returned Saturday from a three weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. R. Venelle, in Ennis.
 Mrs. Keith Price, Doris and Jeanette will leave Friday to attend the State Fair in Dallas.
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Preston visited in Lubbock Sunday with Mrs. Preston's father, M. N. Barber.
 Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shue of Belton, N. Mex. are visiting here with Mr. Shue's sister, Mrs. E. W. Pike, and Mr. Pike. They are also attending the florist convention which is being held in Lubbock this week.



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Rev. and Mrs. O. B. Herring of Tulla spent Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Porter.
 Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Poindexter of Lubbock visited here Sunday in the home of Mr. Poindexter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Poindexter.

The Slaton, Tex., Slatonite
 Friday, October 12, 1956
 C. W. Wilks Sr., C. W. Wilks Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith attended funeral services for Mrs. J. D. Grayham in Lovington, N. Mex. Saturday. Mrs. Grayham is a sister of the senior Mr. Wilks.

Ike Can't Make It Rain, But He's Still Best Man

The other day I asked a farmer if it was dry out his way. He said it sure was. "Looks like we just can't get any rain," he said. "Why, when Noah had his 40-day flood, we didn't get over half an inch."
 There's no mistake about it, Texas is having itself a real drought. Some of the farmers and ranchers in our county are in such bad shape that they may vote for Stevenson.
 Old Man Jones, from across the river, said he wasn't going to go to any such extreme. He said he needed rain as bad as anybody else. He claimed water was so scarce in his community that the preacher was baptizing new members with a wet handkerchief. But he was holding out awhile longer, anyway.
 "I may be stubborn," said Old Man Jones, "but I just ain't been convinced that President Eisenhower is keeping it from raining."
 He said he knew that Stevenson and Kefauver acted like they thought so, and they had a right to their opinion. Lyndon Johnson, he figured, knew better, but he was sticking with Adlai and Estes for the sake of unity. He said he didn't figure Mr. Sam Rayburn had known whether it was raining or not for the last 25 years.
 "I hate not to go along with such a widely known crowd of weather observers," Old Man Jones said. "If there's anybody

who keeps up with which way the wind is blowing, generally speaking, it's Stevenson, Kefauver and Johnson."
 Then he went on to say that he realized the national farm program hadn't pleased everybody—including him. If he was in the White House, he would do things different, at least in our county. He allowed that the \$61,000,000 spent by the Eisenhower administration for drought relief in Texas could have been doubled and still not made all the farmers happy and prosperous.
 "But," said Old Man Jones, "I keep remembering that the main reason for our troubles, besides the drought, is the fact that we are not at war now. If Adlai and Estes really want to jump on President Eisenhower, there is a real issue. They've sure got the goods on Ike in that respect. If he hadn't stopped that Korean War, farm prices would be higher, no doubt. I wonder why they never mention that."

Old Man Jones was kidding a little, of course, in his usual way, but I think he had something there. We have got to adjust to peace-time, which is taking awhile but President Eisenhower is working at it. And meanwhile our boys aren't fighting and dying on foreign soil. It's worth thinking about.

Years truly,
 Jex



THEY WON'T BE LATE!
 Maybe they were slow in dressing... probably they dawdled a bit over breakfast... but if you know the gait of those little legs you can be sure they won't be late.
 This is one of the fascinating paradoxes of youth. A child may have to be prodded to get to school on time—yet he doesn't want to be late!
 And the paradox has implication for parents as they plan the religious education of their children. Jimmy may seem reluctant about his first trip to Church School... and Susan may shed a tear when Mother "leaves" her in the Beginners' Department. But wise parents never delay their youngsters' religious training. It is unfair to handicap a child with a late start in the vital process of moral and spiritual growth.
 Inquire at the church of your choice, and bring your child to Church School as soon as he is of age.
 And, remember, parents need religious training too! If you do not now attend Church regularly, start with Jimmy and Susan.

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Day	Book	Chapter Verses
Sunday	Matthew	2 1-20
Monday	II Timothy	3 1-17
Tuesday	Matthew	6 5-24
Wednesday	Matthew	2 1-14
Thursday	Philippians	2 1-18
Friday	II Timothy	1 1-18
Saturday	I John	2 1-17

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NEWS OF SLATON MEN IN SERVICE

HOHENFELS, GERMANY—Army Specialist Third Class Paul W. Cartwright, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cartwright, Route 1, Slaton, Tex., recently took part in a six-week field training exercise in Germany with the 8th Infantry Regiment.

The annual exercise included squad, platoon and company level tactical problems under simulated combat conditions.

Specialist Cartwright, a squad leader in the regiment's Company E, entered the Army in February 1955 and received basic training at Fort Carson, Colo. He arrived in Europe in July 1955.

The 20-year-old soldier attended Roosevelt High School, Lubbock, Tex.

Open House Set by Wilson Baptists Sunday Afternoon

Open House will be held at the Educational Building of the First Baptist Church of Wilson from 2 until 4 p. m. Sunday, Oct. 14.

The Rev. H. F. Scott, pastor of the church, stated that the public was welcome to come and inspect the new structure, recently completed at a cost of \$25,000.

The new building will house the Junior and Intermediate departments, as well as provide kitchen and dining room facilities.

Resident membership of the Wilson church now stands at 270, with total membership in the 400-450 area.

Youth Revival Set For Wilson Baptists

Youth Revival services are set for this week end at the First Baptist Church of Wilson. Joe Bruce Long, Baylor University student from Spur, will be evangelist, with Olin Robison, also a Baylor student, from Port Arthur, conducting the singing.

Services will begin at 10 a. m. in the morning and evening services start at 8 p. m. The entire program, from ushering to preaching, will be directed by the youth, according to the Rev. H. F. Scott, pastor of the church.

A special invitation is extended the youth of the area to attend, Rev. Scott stated.

Mrs. R. J. Clark Presents Lesson At WSCS Meeting

The WSCS of the First Methodist Church met in the sanctuary Tuesday morning, October 9. Mrs. R. J. Clark presented the fifth lesson from "Paul's Letters to the Local Churches," with emphasis on first and second Corinthians. She was assisted by Mesdames A. C. Burk, W. R. Wilson, and Fred Tudor. Twenty members of the society were present.

The next meeting will be at 9:30 a. m. Tuesday, October 16, in the church sanctuary. Mrs. R. J. Clark will conclude the lesson study. Mr. Jim Campbell, minister of music of the First Methodist Church, will be soloist. The nursery will be open.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Phillips visited with relatives in Waco, Lampasas, and Bonham last week.

Mrs. K. J. Mathews of Phillips is a house guest of Mrs. Fred Stottlemire while she is attending her sister, Mrs. Henry Hollis, who is a patient in Mercy Hospital.



IT'S THE LAW
in Texas

WHO ENDORSED THAT CHECK?

Many people scarcely look at the endorsements on a check, even though they accept it from a stranger, and that can lead to trouble.

Take Jack Storm down at the neighborhood hardware store, for example. He's one who will warn you—emphatically, with gestures—that it's smart to follow the simple rule: "Know your endorser."

Our laws set up many rules to protect us, and one of these rules protects the holder of a check by declaring that if he can't collect from the person who wrote out the check (the drawer), he can collect from the person who signed the check over to him (endorsed it). This, of course, applies only where a check changes hands at least once.

We mentioned Jack Storm. He accepted a \$100 check from a nice looking fellow who said he needed to buy a kit of tools for his new job. We won't use real names, but let's say the check was made out to Will Works and signed by Art Jayson.

"Sure, Art Jayson's lived in the neighborhood for twenty years," Jack said. "I know him well. Just sign your name on the back."

Jack forgot to identify the endorser, and it turned out that Will Works was a phony name, and that Art Jayson's signature was a forgery. Jack had no idea where to find the stranger, and he ended up losing about \$40 in tools and \$60 cash.

Right after that a good friend, we'll call him Bob Samson, bought a \$2 paintbrush from Jack, and gave him a \$60 check. It was made out to a Paul Smart and signed with "Regno Canning Co., Inc., Rex Rogue, President." Bob Samson placed his signature beneath Smart's endorsement, and Jack gave friend Bob the paintbrush and \$38 change.

Well, there wasn't any "Regno Canning Co., Inc.," and this check also was worthless. But it was a different story this time for Jack. He contacted Bob Samson, and, of course, Bob had to make good on his endorsement.

Bob Samson managed to find Paul Smart, and it was Paul who ended up minus \$60. But what if Smart had been a stranger to Samson?

In a nutshell, anyone who endorses a check guarantees that any previous signatures are genuine and that the check will be paid. If the check is worthless, or the original maker's signature has been forged, then you may collect the amount of the check from the last endorser. Be sure you know the endorser personally, so you can fall back upon him in event it becomes necessary.

"NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS"
The average person does not often use the term "negotiable instruments" in his everyday conversation, and the words may not mean much to him. Actually, it is just a mouth-filling term used in law to describe certain important pieces of paper that we normally call by simpler names.

Even though we seldom use the words, we deal with negotiable instruments all the time. Every check we write to pay the gas bill is a negotiable instrument, and so is your paycheck or pension check. The note you sign to buy a new car, the money order you purchase at the bank or post office, or the traveler's checks you take with you on a trip instead of cash, all are negotiable instruments.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh
Happy Swap

More and more farmers—who badly need hired help sometimes, but can't afford a full-time hand—are making deals with young town workers and the employers they work for.

For instance, young Hap Hooper now lives rent-free on Easy Roberts' farm. In return he works about 100 days a year for Easy—for a farmhand's pay.

The rest of the year Hap works for his "regular" boss... Buzz Ellis, the electrician. Buzz just speeds up his business when Hap's on hand—slows it down

or currency between cities or nations. They worked out a way to exchange money, or the value of money, by written messages, much of the time through a third party like a broker or bank. But when you deal in pieces of negotiable paper instead of hard money, there have to be certain standards and safeguards or the paper could lose its value.

Consequently, there developed a whole system of laws within nations and between nations, upon which all our business rests. Through the courts, if necessary, the owners of negotiable instruments may enforce the terms written on the paper.

In the United States things used to be confusing some times because of different state laws, but by 1924 all 48 states had adopted a Uniform Negotiable Instrument Law which sets up the same rules nationwide.

Since so-called negotiable instruments are so important, since they are ordinarily just like money in many ways; since they often are used like money, or are sold to other persons or companies, and since there are special laws defining the ins-and-outs of negotiable instruments which we wouldn't ordinarily have any reason to know about, there are one or two simple rules we should follow:

We should make certain we read what's on the paper, that we know what the words mean, and what the penalties and dangers may be, before signing our name.

Remember: You are the only person in the world with that signature, and the courts, as a rule, must take your signed promises at their face value.

(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 knows the facts because the facts may change the application of the law.)

Former Slaton Girl Is One of Top New York Musicians

Many Slaton residents can remember a little girl by the name of Ella Loyce Gentry that was born and reared here, who is a graduate of the Slaton schools. They can remember her with pride as this little girl is now very much grown-up. In fact she has grown up to be one of the top entertainers in the musical field in New York City.

A first-hand report was brought back to Slaton this week by Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hagerman, 755 S. 10th St., who visited with her in New York on their recent tour of the eastern states and Canada. They were thrilled to know that their friend has performed in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, Biltmore Hotel, Roosevelt Hotel, Commodore Hotel, in the theatres and over radio. She is now engaged in the Dominican Republic for 90 days.

The name that this Slaton girl is known by in her musical world is Joyce "Tex" Gentry. She has her own studio, Gentry's Music Publishing Corp., at 48 W. 48th St. in New York. After leaving Slaton in her late teens, she received her BA degree at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music and her Masters from Juilliard Institute in N. Y.

Ella Loyce is the daughter of Mig Gentry (deceased), who was a railroad man here. Her mother is Mrs. Ella Gentry, who lives at 1614 Ave. J, Lubbock, J. A. Gentry, a brother, lives in New Deal.

This successful musician states that she has always wanted to be a musician since she was a little girl. She is especially adept on the organ. She toured more than 60,000 miles doing USO tours and she performs for charity: "The boys in the veterans hospitals know me well," she said.

Mrs. Birdie McKinney of Oklahoma City, Okla. was a guest of her sister, Mrs. T. L. Peterson, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Taylor and Mrs. J. M. Lister of Sweetwater were guests Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Perdue.

Farm Bureau Supports Establishment Non-Gov. Cotton Classing Review Board

Efforts of Farm Bureau leaders in Texas to insure accurate classing of cotton by the government now has the wholehearted support of the American Farm Bureau Federation, reports Otis Rogers, Slaton Farm Bureau agent.

Charles B. Shuman, President of the American Farm Bureau Federation, to-day announced the reactivation of the AFBF Cotton Committee to give specific study to the establishment of a non-governmental cotton classing review board for the purpose of reviewing controversies over cotton classing.

The action is a direct result of efforts by Texas Farm Bureau leaders to obtain accurate classing of cotton by the government's Smith-Doxey classing service. A Congressional hearing—requested by Farm Bureau leaders—was held Sept. 18 in Greenville. One result of the hearing was a promise by members of the cotton sub-committee of the House Agriculture Committee that the Congress will act immediately after it convenes in January to get a "light spots" classification for cotton put in the government loan.

Shuman also revealed that the AFBF Cotton Committee would study the questions of whether present cotton grades adequately reflect the value of machine picked cotton—also whether producers interested are adequately represented on the International Cotton Grades Committee.

The Farm Bureau Group will also give specific study to the Commodity Credit Corporation export program, with a view of developing market policies that would permit private stocks to move directly into the export market. The present export program permits buyers to purchase surplus cotton for export at a price several cents below the pound the loan price for sale to domestic mills, providing that the buyer exports a like quantity and quality of surplus cotton within 12 months. The net results of this has been the most of this year's cotton crop has been forced into the government loan.

"Darkness reduces visibility, so the distance you can see at night is greatly limited," he said. "A good rule of thumb is to travel at a speed that is slow enough to enable you to stop within the distance covered by your headlight beam."

"Even when traveling at a lowered speed, the driver is still in greater danger of an accident at night than in the daytime, so he must increase his vigilance," McFadden said. He especially cautioned drivers to watch out for pedestrians dressed in dark clothing and for vehicles with dim lights or no lights at all.

"Be sure your own lights are in good condition," he warned. "Make it a habit to turn on your driving lights at the first hint of dusk, and always use them properly. Use the upper beam only on rural highways when no approaching car is within 1,000 feet. Dim your lights even though an oncoming driver fails to dim his."

It's also important that all parts of your car be in top condition. Because danger is much closer before you can see it in the darkness, night driving makes sure mechanical response a must, McFadden said.

Here are a few more do's and don'ts the President mentioned. Be sure your lights are turned on before you pull onto a thoroughfare at night. Don't wear tinted glasses at night. Never stop on the traveled portion of the highway at night; pull completely off the road, leaving parking and dome lights on. If you must have full headlights on, dim them. It's also a good idea to have your directional light flashing. Carry flares for use in emergencies. All of these precautions help to let other drivers know you're stopped.

"And remember," McFadden said, "The most important rule of all is: 'Be your brother's keeper.' At all times it's twice as important to give the other fellow the benefit of the doubt in traffic."

FARM PROPS
Speaking at a dinner in New York recently, Clifford R. Hope, Congressman from Kansas, chairman of the House Committee on Agriculture, stated, "In 1952, the 15.9 per cent of our people who live on farms received only 8.7 per cent of the national income... or \$924 per capita, while per capita net income of the non-farm population was \$1,837, or virtually twice as much... This is the lowest ratio since 1942." Therefore, he declared, "Farm price supports must be continued—and continued vigorously."

HOW'S THIS FOR SERVICE?
CLEVELAND, O.—When you pull your car into Glen's Drive-In Restaurant, you pick up a microphone and "phone" your order inside. While you wait, you release a button and music comes out of the mike. When you finish eating, you put the tray on a stand outside your car and drive away. It's just that simple.

Lydia Class Has Masquerade Party Thursday

Members of the Lydia Sunday School class of First Methodist Church attended the class party Thursday night in masquerade. Mrs. J. S. Edwards Jr. was hostess assisted by Mrs. Douglas Wilson.

Much merriment was created when baby pictures of the members were identified, and fortunes told. Those present were Mesdames S. L. Alderson, Charlie Smith, Charlie Walton, Milton Schleuter, Jim Vickers, Onas Ray, Alton Edwards, Roy Saage, Wallace Tumlinson, B. H. Underwood, Dick Taylor, Alex Webb, Cecil Scott, Calvin Lamb, the teacher, Mrs. Floyd Jordan, one guest, Mrs. Joe Walker Jr., Miss Gertrude King and the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Beauchamp of Carlsbad, N. Mex. visited Tuesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stribling.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Strange and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McPhearson of Lubbock attended the Texas Tech-Texas A & M football game in Dallas and also the Texas State Fair.

Carolyn Steffens and her fiancé, Don Alspaugh, visited in Lampasas in the home of Don's parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alspaugh, for several days this week.

C. E. Spence and sons, Dale Spence of Seminole and Ray Spence of Morton, and Clyde Doherty have to Utah on a deer hunt.

Mrs. Elmer Pettigrew of Post visited here with her son, J. W. Pettigrew, and Mrs. Pettigrew Friday, Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Pettigrew took his mother home and spent the day with her.

Mary Martha Class Installs Officers

The Mary Martha Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of the teacher, Mrs. J. J. Maxey, on Tuesday night for their annual installation service and monthly business meeting.

Mrs. Fred Stephens was installation officer. The following officers were installed: President, Mrs. Glenavon Hill; vice president, Mrs. Hern Pettigrew; secretary and treasurer, Miss Charlotte Ryno; group leader, Mrs. Hunter Tucker; and teacher, Mrs. J. J. Maxey. Another group leader, Mrs. Travis Mann, was absent.

Mrs. Hill presided over a short business session. She presented a gift to Mrs. Stephens from the class. Refreshments were served to Miss Ryno and Mesdames Hill, Wayne Liles, Tucker, Pettigrew, Floyd Guelker, Harold Tucker and Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sparkman visited in Plainview over the week end with their son, James Sparkman, Mrs. Sparkman and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Maddux and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robbins and children visited here last week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Holt left Wednesday by plane for a two weeks vacation in New York City, N. Y. and Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Perkins of Pampa and Mrs. Fred McMurry of Lubbock were recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Perkins.



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Missionary Baptist Church Organized

The Slaton Missionary Baptist Church was organized Friday night, October 5th, at a meeting held in the building formerly occupied by the bus station on Lynn street. A mission sponsored by the Zion Park Baptist Church of Lubbock has been operating there since March 1st.

Officers elected are Fred Douglas, moderator; John W. Dugger to present the articles of faith; Roy B. Flippe to present the church covenant; J. B. Vickery to pray organizational prayer; E. L. Jones to preach the organizational sermon; and R. D. Heflin, clerk of the council. A pastor has not been called at this time. This new church began with fifteen members.

Bro. Bennie Goss of Tahoka will be doing the preaching until a regular pastor is called. Services will be held each Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Mid-week services will be held each Tuesday night at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Rapp visited in Floydada Sunday with Mrs. Rapp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sparks and with Mr. Rapp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Rapp.

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Dist. Water Meet Held at Tahoka

The district meeting of the Permian Basin Water and Sewage Operators Association was held in Tahoka Tuesday night of this week. About 80 people were present from the fifteen towns in the district. Those from Slaton were Forrest Davis, Henry Bollinger and Geo. Willis.

Ralph Campbell, water superintendent of Lubbock was the speaker at the meeting. The topic was the importance of cooperation between the water and fire departments.

Jack Brown and his son, Gregory, of Wink are visiting here with his mother, Mrs. Joe Neilon, and Mr. Neilon.

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HD Club Discusses 'Family Security'

The Slaton Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, October 3, in the Clubhouse. Mrs. Clea Young presented the ten safety rules that she follows in driving. Mrs. Charlie Walton led the club in a discussion on "Family Security."

The hostesses, Mrs. Robert Meeks and Mrs. Alton Meeks, served refreshments to: Mesdames Young, C. W. Jennings, R. C. Hall, J. W. Pettigrew, Walton, and C. B. Long. Mrs. S. R. Behlen was a visitor at the meeting.

The next meeting will be on Wednesday, October 17, at 2:30 p. m. in the Clubhouse. Mrs. G. R. Evans will demonstrate the "one-bowl" method to make a cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rampy of Wichita Falls are visiting here this week in the home of Mrs. Rampy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Richardson.

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WANTED—Woman to do housework, age 25 to 45, a good home, private room and good salary, must have good references. See or call Mr. Doren, phone VA 8-3782.

Worley Installed as City Commissioner

The city commission met Monday night at the city hall in their regularly scheduled meeting. The first business attended to was the canvassing of the votes of the special election in which T. A. Worley was elected commissioner from ward four. He was officially installed.

Business attended to included the securing of the firm of Parkhill, Smith & Cooper of Lubbock to run a preliminary survey of city improvements in the proposed Shelby-Adams addition. The first step in the changing of the city charter to allow extending the city limits was taken by the council when they passed notice of intention to call such an election. The official notice of intention to call such an election is printed on another page in this newspaper.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. McClanahan, Tommy, and James Thomas Brooks took Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Williams to Lovington, N. Mex. Sunday where they will visit with their daughter, Mrs. R. L. Jackson, and Mr. Jackson for a few days. The M. R. Williamses, accompanied by the Jacksons will then continue on their trip to San Bernardino, California to visit their son, A. D. Williams, and Mrs. Williams.

8 Constitutional Amendments Set For Nov. 6 Election

EDITOR'S NOTE: Eight constitutional amendments will be considered by the voters of Texas in the November 6 election. In the weeks preceding the election, The Slatonite will present a separate analysis on each of the proposed amendments. It is not the purpose of these analyses to indicate how anyone should vote, but to present facts which will be helpful in determining whether these amendments are desirable.

The Texas Constitution, which both prescribes and limits the authority of the Legislature and other officials of Texas, was purposely made difficult to amend. The fact that these proposals had to have a two-thirds vote in both houses of the legislature to submit them to the electorate, indicates they deserve serious study and consideration.

Authorizing the legislature to grant aid or compensation to persons who have paid fines or served prison sentences for offenses of which they were not guilty.

H. J. R. No. 31
House Joint Resolution No. 31, if adopted, would add a new section to be designated as Section 51-c, to Article III of the Constitution of Texas.

The text of the proposed amendment is very simple and self-explanatory: "The Legislature may grant aid and compensation to any person who has heretofore paid a fine or served a sentence in prison, or who may hereafter pay a fine or serve a sentence in prison, under the laws of this State for an offense for which he or she is not guilty, under such regulations and limitations as the Legislature may deem expedient."

Many states have statutes providing for compensation of persons who have been wrongfully convicted of crime. The arguments for such provisions are appealing to the average citizen's sense of justice.

House Joint Resolution No. 31 would simply authorize such a statute in Texas; the Legislature would decide when such aid or compensation might be granted, how the amount would be determined, and who would be responsible for administration. The amendment is written broadly enough that a special law or appropriation could be adopted for an individual case.

Allowing the commissioners court to levy whatever property tax rates it deems necessary for a county's four constitutional funds, so long as the total does not exceed 80c on the \$100 valuation.

H. J. R. No. 23
House Joint Resolution No. 23 proposes to rewrite Section 9 of Article VIII of the Constitution of Texas so as to give the Commissioners Court of a county authority to vary the tax rates each year for the four constitutional purposes without having to get taxpayers' approval at a special election.

Our Constitution now limits the county property tax as follows: not more than 25c ad valorem tax for county purposes; not more than 15c for roads and bridges; not more than 25c for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, waterworks and other permanent improvements. The Commissioners Court may re-allocate these taxes by changing the rates so long as the total tax for these purposes does not exceed 80c on the \$100 valuation in any one year. Before the Court can make such changes, the proposition must be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters of the county voting in an election on that question. After voter approval such re-allocation and changes remain in force for a period of six years unless there is a new vote on the question.

House Joint Resolution No. 23 would eliminate the requirement of a vote by the property tax paying voters before adjustment of these county rates and allow the Commissioners Court to levy whatever tax rate may be needed for the general fund, permanent improvement fund, road and bridge fund and jury fund so long as the total of these tax levies did not exceed 80c on the \$100 valuation. The rates set in any year must not impair any outstanding bonds or other obligations of the county. Changes could be made from year to year but once the court had levied the annual tax rate, it would remain in force and effect during that taxable year.

The proposed amendment continues the provision allowing the Legislature to authorize an additional tax up to 15c for further maintenance of public roads, subject to a vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of a county. It continues the Legislature's authority to pass local laws for maintenance of public roads and highways without the local notice required for local or special laws.

Those who favor this amendment argue that it is businesslike; that its flexibility in allowing the County Commissioners to adjust the tax rates for these constitutional purposes from year to year is needed for better and more economical administration of the county's affairs.

South Plains Maid of Cotton To Be Selected

South Plains cotton industry leaders have begun their search for an attractive young woman who will represent this area as one of the 20 finalists in the National Maid of Cotton contest in Memphis in December.

Chairman Charles Signor announced this week that plans are now being completed for the biggest and best contest ever held on the South Plains. The contest has been expanded to a two-day event, and a wonderful treat is in store for each contestant for the South Plains title.

The South Plains Maid of Cotton Contest will be held November 19-20, with judging in the Caprock Hotel and the finals on the evening of November 20 before 3,000 persons in Lubbock's new Municipal Auditorium. Each contestant will receive awards, and the lucky girl chosen as South Plains Maid of Cotton will receive a \$1,000 wardrobe and an all-expense paid trip to Memphis for her and her mother (or chaperon).

Officials of the contest, the world's most dignified beauty contest, have received confirmation that again this year the South Plains Maid will be an automatic entry in the finals to be held in Memphis December 27-28.

Qualifications
All contestants for the South Plains Maid title must be between the ages of 19 and 25 inclusive, at least five feet five inches tall, never married, and must have been born in a cotton-producing state. Contestants will be judged on the basis of personality, poise, intelligence, and appearance. Entry deadline is November 9.

Entry blanks and details of the contest are available by writing to D. C. Prince, Contestants Committee Chairman, South Plains Maid of Cotton Committee, P. O. Box 561, Lubbock, Texas, or by calling at the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce.

Last year's program attracted 26 contestants. Miss Revis Jordan of Lubbock, selected as last year's South Plains Maid, went on to Memphis where she was selected first alternate to Maid of Cotton Pat Cowden.

Baptist Women Attend Workers Conference

A workers conference of the Lubbock Baptist Association was held last Tuesday in Post in the Calvary Baptist Church. Women of the church served visiting workers lunch at noon.

Attending the conference from Slaton were: Mesdames Fannie Patterson, E. M. Lott, G. W. Jennings, L. O. Lemon, L. R. Gregory, and Walter Smith.

Disneyland Theme At Birthday Party For Ann Ayers

Disneyland was the theme of Ann Ayers' birthday party on Monday, October 8, at 4 p. m. Ann was five years old.

Mrs. Robert Ayers, Ann's mother, entertained the guests with colored slides taken during the Ayers' trip to Disneyland last summer. Books entitled "Donald Duck goes to Disneyland" were favors.

The centerpiece on the table was a sucker tree with small figures of characters from "Alice in Wonderland." Cake and ice cream were served to Gaines Teague, Rita Kay Payne, Mary Frances Browning, Dana Trimpas, Tom Hoffman, Dick Davis, Robert Glen England and Jimmie Sharp.

Bell-Birch Rites Read in Lovington

Miss Glendora Bell, daughter of Mrs. Andrew Jackson, and S. D. Birch of Lubbock were married in Lovington, New Mexico, September 28. They were accompanied by the bride's mother and two sisters, Miss Frances Bell and Mrs. Douglas Milken.

They will reside in Lubbock where the groom is employed by Surfine Foods.

Opponents say that separate tax limits for each of these purposes were written into the Constitution as an important and needed protection of the taxpayers from loose fiscal policies, and that rates should not be changed or adjusted without the express approval of the qualified property tax paying voters.

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Safety Inspection For Cars Lagging

Texas motorists are exercising the old American custom of putting off until tomorrow what ought to be done today and Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety has expressed some concern that the practice is responsible for considerable lagging in the State's motor vehicle inspection program.

The first month of the new inspection period ended on October 15 and Garrison noted that only 4% of the registered vehicles have been inspected. The period runs through April 15, 1957.

"The inspection period embraces a full seven-months," Garrison said, "and that means that a minimum of 14% of the cars must be checked each month in order to avoid unnecessary rushes on the inspection stations in the final weeks of the period."

Meanwhile, George W. Busby, DPS Motor Vehicle Inspection Division Chief, reported that a total of 3,663,000 cars were inspected during the year which ended last September 14. Of these, slightly more than 1 1/2 million, or 43% needed some adjustment or repair before meeting the approved standards. Average cost for such services was eighty-eight cents.

The most common defect found by the State's more than 4,200 licensed inspection stations during the year was in 29% of the cars which needed headlights adjusted or repaired, Busby announced.

He said that the second most frequent mechanical deficiency was the 10% of cars which required adjustment or repairs of foot brakes.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Reynolds last week were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McGehee of Midland, Mrs. Elisha Trimble of Greenville, and the Rev. and Mrs. Aaron Mitchell and daughter of Snyder. This week they have as their guests their daughter, Mrs. William Holden, and son, Richard Marvin, of Lubbock.

Mrs. Annie Foster of Petersburg visited her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Robertson and Mr. Robertson for the past two weeks.

A lot of worry can be wasted on other people.

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American Legion Auxiliary Meets At Clubhouse

The American Legion Auxiliary met Monday at 7:30 p. m. in the Clubhouse for their monthly business meeting.

During the business session, the auxiliary voted to order 1000 poppies made by veterans to be sold on November 11. Plans were made to go to Big Spring on Monday, October 15, and work in the Veteran's Hospital. The Christmas gift box to be sent to the Christmas gift shop at the Big Spring hospital was discussed. All women were urged to bring gifts for the box.

A letter was read acknowledging the donation to the Chaplain fund and comfort items which the auxiliary gave the Veteran's Hospital. Final business for the evening was selecting delegates for the district convention to be held in Colorado City, October 20 and 21. Mrs. F. W. Clark and Mrs. Leona Lamb were elected as delegates to this convention.

Rev. Chester Crow To Preach at First Christian Church

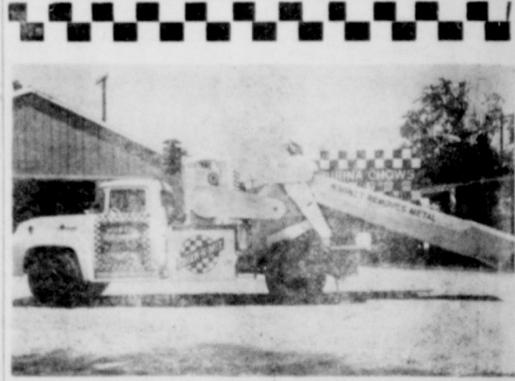
Rev. Chester Crow, state secretary of the First Christian Church, of Fort Worth, will bring the morning sermon at the First Christian Church of Slaton this Sunday.

After church services Rev. Crow and the pulpit committee will meet at Bruce's Cafe for a luncheon committee meeting.

On the week end of October 20, the Rev. and Mrs. Claude Wingo of Santa Fe will be in Slaton. Rev. Wingo will bring the morning sermon on October 21.

Claud E. Stewart accompanied by his son, the Rev. Marshall Stewart, have gone to Arvada, Colo. to visit Mr. Stewart's son and the Rev. Stewart's brother, Claud E. Stewart Jr. They will be gone about two weeks.

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**PEMBER PRESIDES AT
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Bruce Pember, chairman of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce highway committee, presided at a meeting of the Lubbock County right-of-way procurement committee in Lubbock Wednesday of last week. Problems of acquiring right-of-way on the Idalou and Slaton four-lane roads were discussed. There are still some two or three tracts needed on the Slaton road. This meeting was held in the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce building.

Mrs. H. G. Sanders left Friday for Houston where she will visit with her son and his family for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Brewer spent the week end in Dallas and Grand Prairie. In Dallas they attended the Tech-A & M football game at the Cottonbowl. In Grand Prairie they visited with Phil's brother, Joe, and his family and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brewer who are there while Mrs. Brewer is undergoing treatment in a Dallas clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Oats visited in Lubbock Sunday with Mrs. Oats' brother, J. V. Simpson, and Mrs. Simpson and family.

Mrs. A. L. Robertson left Friday for Dallas where she will attend the State Fair which opened Saturday.



1957 FORDS WENT ON DISPLAY at Slaton Motor Company here last week. From the road up, the '57 models are a complete departure from previous models of the Ford. They appear in 19 body styles, with the four door Victoria, a member of the new "Fairlane 500" series, pictured above. Even though the new models are lower, interior headroom is as great as last year, since the car's chassis and floor are re-designed for a lower center of gravity.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ownby spent several days last week visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. C. Whittington, and Mr. Whittington in Lubbock. Friday they visited in Anton with Mrs. Ownby's nephew, Lee Stone, and Mrs. Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Pickens spent the week end in Dallas and attended the Tech-A&M football game. Mrs. Rosa Owens is visiting her brothers, John F. and Robert Graves in Tulsa, Okla.



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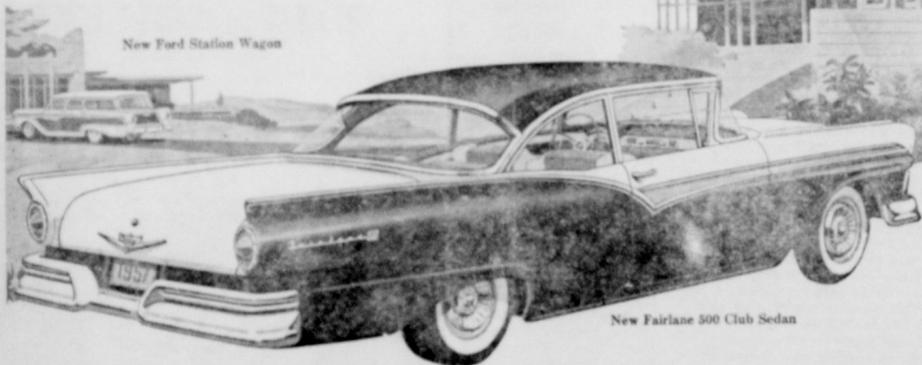
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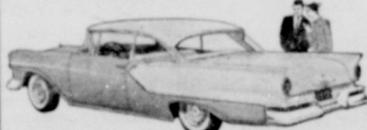
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**Slaton Stopped by Post 27 to 14
In First Conference Game**

The fighting Slaton Tigers went down in defeat last Friday night at the hands of the powerful Post Antelopes in the first conference game of the season for both teams. The score, Post 27, Slaton 14.

Post attack pay dirt first, in the closing minutes of the first quarter they started a 68 yard march which was capped by Noel Norman plunging for 3 yards and the game's first touchdown. The extra point was good and Post led 7 to 0.

The passing Tigers took to the air and started a 71 yard drive which was highlighted by a 19 yard pass play from Corley to Franco. Then the same combination completed a 10 yard pass for Slaton's first Touchdown and the game was all tied up at the half time, Slaton 7, Post 7.

Early in the second half Post, with its powerful ground gaining force, drove 74 yards for their next TD, with Noel Norman again scoring on a QB sneak for 8 yards, Post added the extra point and led 14 to 7. Then with their backs against the wall and the breaks going against them, Slaton fumbled the ball on their own 23 yard line and Post took over at this point. Ronnie Kennedy had the pleasure of scoring for Post from 3 yards out, the extra point was added and Post led 21 to 7.

Early in the fourth quarter the Antelopes intercepted a Tiger pass

on the Tiger 18 yard line. Williams carried the ball for the last Post touchdown from 7 yards out. The extra point try was not good and Post led at this point 27 to 7.

The never-to-be-outdone Slaton Tigers, who just wouldn't give up, started a 70 yard drive late in the fourth quarter. Using the passes of Corley and the running plays of Thomas, the Tigers marched this 70 yards in a hurry, capped by the 12 yard run of Thomas for the touchdown. The extra point was good and the scoring ended with Post 27 Slaton 14.

Slaton meets the Lockney Longhorns at Tiger Stadium tonight and this promises to be another thriller, because the TIGERS still have their claws out for somebody's HIDE. Game at a Glance

	Slaton	Post
First Downs	12	17
Yards Gained R	191	197
Passes Attempted	8	4
Passes Completed	5	0
Yards Gained P	62	0
Total Yds. Gained	253	197
Passes Intercepted	1	1
Fumbles	2	1
	4 for 1 for	
Penalties	30	5
Slaton	0	7
Post	7	0
	14	6-27

Mac Kendrick underwent a minor eye operation in the West Texas Hospital in Lubbock Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Robertson and Cindy of Clovis, N. Mex. visited here over the week end in the home of Mrs. Robertson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Metts.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hayes of Brownfield were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Merck.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bradshaw and children of Muleshoe visited here over the week end in the home of Mr. Bradshaw's mother, Mrs. A. C. Melugin.

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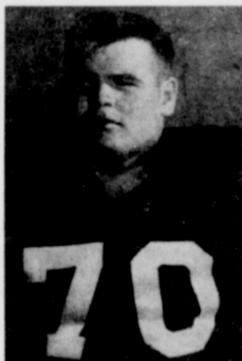
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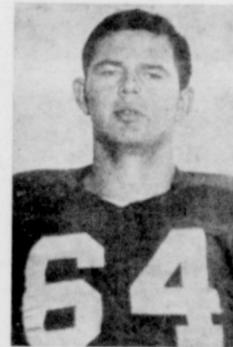
CONFERENCE GAME
8 P. M.

**A Salute to
The Tiger Tackles**

We salute the big rough and ready TACKLES of the SLATON TIGER team. These are the boys who man that rugged tackle post each week.



Don Wright—Tackle



Dale Gordon—Tackle



Jerry Gentry—Tackle



Mackie Klattenhoff—Tackle



Don Howell—Tackle

1956 Tigers Schedule

Slaton 19 Crosbyton 13
Slaton 6 Seagraves 12
Slaton 13 Sudan 14
Slaton 39 Roscoe 14
* Slaton 14 Post 27
* Oct. 12, Lockney, Here
* Oct. 19, Spur, There
* Oct. 26, Floydada, Here
* Nov. 2, Tahoka, There
* Nov. 9, Abernathy, Here
* Conference Games

**Mum Field Day
At Tech Sunday**

Over 150 varieties of chrysanthemums with some 3,000 plants and hundreds of thousands of blossoms will be included in the South Plains Chrysanthemum Field Day at Texas Tech Sunday, Oct. 14.

Officials of the horticulture and park management department at Tech say the mum trails should be near their peak of glory in time for the show. The Men's Garden Club of Lubbock will provide a guide service through the plots. The public is cordially invited to attend the fall showing from 9 a. m. until dark.

This year's show should be much improved over last year. An additional 50 to 60 varieties of blooms have been added and plots are designed so that each variety will be easier to observe. Walkways are also being provided for better access to the gardens.

This year chrysanthemums are being grown both as cut flowers, between the greenhouse and wings, and as landscape garden types in open fields. The field plants are located approximately two blocks west of the Science Building on the Tech campus.

Garden Club Tours

In addition to the many individuals expected for the show, various garden clubs are urged to tour the mum plots. Groups who are unable to attend on October 14, may make arrangements for advance showings by contacting E. W. Zukaukas, Jr. at the Tech Greenhouse at POrter 5-8541, extension 370. Mr. Zukaukas said the trails would be open all week, but that guided tours would be available only on October 14, and when advance arrangements have been made.

The aims of the project this year have been to study varietal adaptivity of South Plains conditions and to establish popular preference for given varieties. Visitors are asked to state a preference for ten of the varieties which will be on exhibition.

**Lottie Moon Circle
Elects Officers**

Mrs. Fannie Patterson was hostess to the Lottie Moon Circle of the WMU of First Baptist Church on Wednesday morning of this week. Twelve members attended.

Officers for the new year were elected as follows: Chairman, Mrs. Patterson; vice chairman, Mrs. Fannie Teague; community missions chairman, Mrs. J. C. Smith; Stewardship chairman, Mrs. C. D. Willis; program leader, Mrs. H. G. Stokes; Bible teacher, Mrs. R. L. Smith, Jr.; missions teacher, Mrs. Doyle Morrison; and secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J. A. Douglas.

The next meeting of the circle will be with Mrs. D. W. Walston on the fourth Wednesday morning in October.

**Slaton Women
Attend Workshop**

A workshop for local presidents and district officers and chairmen of Seventh District Federation of Women's clubs of Texas was held in Tahoka Friday with the Phoebe K. Warner Study Club of Tahoka as the host club. The meeting was held in First Baptist Church.

Mrs. A. T. Coanougher of Lubbock, first vice president, was in charge of the meeting and explained how and when to make reports. Mrs. R. B. Jones of Plains, second vice president of the district had a part on the program dealing with program planning and yearbooks. The president, Mrs. Robert Lindsey of Borger, was the speaker for the meeting telling of the duties of the officers of the clubs and giving the projects of the State federation and the district federation. Seventh District will have as its projects the expansion of the federation and the Christmas stocking projects for Boys Ranch at Amarillo.

Those attending from Slaton were Mesdames W. R. Lovett, A. C. Burk, Bessie Donald, George Caldwell and Francis Perry.

Everyone took a sack lunch with the host club, serving the drinks.

**Slaton Garden Club
Meets in Home of
Mrs. O. Z. Ball**

The Slaton Garden Club met on October 3 in the home of Mrs. O. Z. Ball. Mrs. F. A. Drewry was co-hostess. A program on planting and culture of bulbs was presented by Mrs. V. G. Browning. Mrs. J. D. Holt conducted a quiz on horticulture. The coffee table arrangement for the month was of pink roses arranged by Mrs. H. T. Swanner and Mrs. Bruce Pember.

Other flower arrangements were of orchid chrysanthemums with lemon leaves that were sprayed silver. There were also arrangements of asters and gladioluses, and dahlias.

Present at the meeting were: Mesdames B. A. Hanna, Webber Williams, R. E. Ayers, J. S. Edwards Jr., Clifford Young, Grady Wilson, Edwin Haddock, Dudley Berry, V. G. Browning, J. D. Holt, A. M. Jackson, E. R. Legg, Jack Nowlin, A. E. Whitehead, and a guest, Mrs. August Kitten.

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- Hershey's 5c Bar CANDY 6 for 25c
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- Large Box TIDE 32c



The Slaton Slatonite Society Clubs

Rachel Ehler, Editor

The Slaton, Tex., Slatonite

Friday, October 12, 1956

J. H. Poindexters to Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Poindexter will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday with Open House from 3 to 6 p. m. at the Clubhouse.

The Poindexters were married on October 14, 1906, at her home in Montague County near Nacoma.

In September 1931, Mr. and Mrs. Poindexter moved to the South Plains. They lived in Southland for 9 years previous to moving to Slaton in January of this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Poindexter have nine children, 39 grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren.

Cake and coffee are to be served to relatives and friends at the open house on Sunday. The Poindexters' children and their families expected to be present are: sons, A. R., Plainview; Dave and R. V., Lubbock; Guy and J. B., Fresno, Cal.; Roy, Vernon; daughters, Mrs. Cleo Grider, Euless; Mrs. Bob Long, O'Donnell; Mrs. Carl Owens, Lubbock.

Tom Melton Celebrates Birthday

Mrs. Paul Melton gave her son, Tom, a birthday party at 4:00 p. m. October 2, at their home. It was Tom's fourth birthday.

Each guest got a blower and bubble gum. The four-tier birthday cake was white, decorated with cowboys. Cake, ice cream, and kool-aid were served to: Tom and Jenny Wright, Jill Moeller, Johnnie Taylor, Rhonda Sue Hargraves, Johnny Sue and Terry Mosser, Meddie Cooper, Carol and Steven Mosser, and Tom's brother and sister, Jim and Pat Melton. Mothers who were at the party were: Mesdames Walter Mosser, Hugo Mosser, Billie Moeller, and T. M. Wright.

Joan Pember Initiated Into Sorority at Tech

Miss Joan Pember, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce M. Pember 905 W. Garza, was recently initiated into Phi Eta Chapter of Delta Delta Delta at Texas Technological College.

MEET YOUR TEACHERS



O. E. Lumsden

Mrs. Dick Cheatham

O. E. Lumsden might well be consulting the pretty homemaking teacher about a cup of coffee before classes.

Mrs. Dick Cheatham is a new teacher in the homemaking department at Slaton High School. In addition to teaching homemaking, she teaches courses in English and physical education.

Mrs. Cheatham is the former Joyce Pember. A Slatonite for 12 years, Joyce graduated from Slaton High School. She received her B. S. Degree from Texas Tech in 1952.

Three little girls, Chrys, Cyd, and Caryn, keep Joyce hopping at home. She isn't sure whether sewing is a hobby or a very essential part of her routine. She enjoys it anyway. Another interest is her membership in the Athenian Study Club.

Joyce and Dick, a native of Lubbock, are members of the Presbyterian Church.

Supervisor of the Instructional Program

Mr. Lumsden is employed by the Slaton Public School as Supervisor of the Instructional Program. This is his first year in Slaton. He came from Springlake where he had been superintendent of schools for three years.

Although this his beginning year in the field of supervision, Lumsden has 25 years experience in administration. He received his B. S. degree from North Texas State Teachers College in 1947. In 1950, he received his Masters degree, also from North Texas. Lumsden attended summer school last summer to take special supervisory courses in order to be prepared for his work in the Slaton schools.

A supervisory job requires a lot of "going" from school to school. However, it never keeps Lum (as his friends call him) too tired to play a game of dominoes. He says that he plays every chance he gets.

Lum was born in Chico and his wife, Pauline, is from Sunset, Texas. They have four children and 8 grand children. A son, Carl Thomas, is living at home and attending Texas Tech. Another son, Billie, and two daughters, Mrs. Doris Neff and Mrs. Sandra Hardin, are not residents of Slaton.

The Slatonite is happy to introduce these new teachers at Slaton High School to you. Know your teachers and you know your school.

Mrs. Bill McCray Hostess to Class

A newly organized 13-year-old girls class of the First Baptist Church held its first regular meeting at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Bill McCray. The purpose of the meeting was to elect officers for the coming year.

Ann Basinger was elected president of the class. Other officers were Vice president, Jan Bownds; secretary, Beverly Chaffin; treasurer, Joyce Sedgewick; group captains, Jan Smith and Sharon Perdue; social leaders, Nancy Johnson and DeAnna Cole.

After discussing other business of importance, the meeting was adjourned.

Mrs. D. C. Glover of Houston is visiting her nieces, Mrs. Florence Buck of Slaton and Mrs. J. A. Russell, and Mr. Russell of the Union community. Mr. and Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Buck, and Mrs. Glover returned Saturday night from Truth or Consequences, N. Mex. where they had visited Mrs. Glover's invalid sister, Mrs. Robert J. Clark.

Alathean Class Elects Officers

The Alathean Class of the First Baptist Church met Thursday in the home of Mrs. J. B. Lamb. Mrs. M. H. Lasater opened the meeting with a prayer. The devotional was given by Mrs. L. O. Lemon.

Election of officers for the class was the main business of the meeting. After the election, Mrs. T. E. McClanahan installed the following officers: President, Mrs. L. D. Poer; teacher, Mrs. Fred Stephens; fellowship vice president, Mrs. Nell Sartain; membership vice president, Mrs. H. Perkins; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. L. M. Conner; class mistress, Mrs. Lemon; reporter, Mrs. Ira McCarver; group captains, Mesdames Bert Lamb, Ford Stansell, and Oland Dickerson.

Sunshine Sisters for the class were revealed. Refreshments were served to Mesdames E. C. Carroll, J. T. Kendrick, Stansell, Sam Wilson, Conner, McClanahan, Jess Burton, Ray Wilson, C. C. Kenney, Fred Stephens, Poer, Perkins, McCarver, Lasater, Lemon, and Sartain.

Carolyn Steffens To Marry Nov. 28

Mr. and Mrs. John Steffens announce the engagement of their daughter, Carolyn, to Don Alsbaugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Alsbaugh of Lampasas.

The wedding will be on November 28, at 8:00 A. M. in St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

The bride-elect, a graduate of Slaton High School, was formerly employed by the Citizens State Bank in Slaton. Her fiancé graduated from Roosevelt High School and is now engaged in farming in the Midway community.

Billie Nell Palmer of Lubbock spent the week end here with her mother, Mrs. Ruby Summers.



Carolyn Steffens

Dorecas Class Installs Officers

On October 4 at 3 p. m., the Dorecas Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Clyde Shaw, class teacher. Mrs. C. W. Jennings was co-hostess. The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Shaw. The class sang "Make Me a Channel of Blessings." Mrs. R. L. Smith, retiring president, presided over a short business meeting during which each retiring officer gave a report on the past year.

Mrs. Dudley Berry installed new officers for the coming year. Mrs. Shaw was officially installed as teacher; Mrs. E. E. Culver is the new president. Other officers were: Mrs. H. Jarman, first vice president; Mrs. R. C. Hall, fellowship vice president; Mrs. R. L. Smith, class mistress; Mrs. Joe Neilon, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. E. C. Carroll, reporter; Mesdames Carl Williams, C. W. Jennings, Sam Wilson, Bill Deever, group captains.

Gifts were presented to Mrs. Berry and Mrs. Smith. Refreshments were served to: Mesdames R. L. Smith, Sam Wilson, H. Jarman, L. R. Gregory, Carl Williams, R. C. Hall, E. C. Carroll, E. E. Culver, Shaw, Berry, C. W. Jennings; and two guests, Mrs. Cieta Young and Mrs. Roy Parks.

Methodist Women Attend WSCS District Meeting at Spur

Five women from the First Methodist Church attended a district meeting of the W. S. C. S. in Spur on Wednesday, October 3. Present at the meeting were: Mesdames George Culwell, Fred Tudor, J. B. Sharp, H. T. Scurlock and A. C. Burk.

Reports were given at the meeting by all district officers, each officer reporting on different lines of the work of the W. S. C. S. Mrs. Cecil Matthews of Lubbock gave a special report on the World Federation of Methodist Women.

Lunch was served by the women of the First Methodist Church of Spur.

Slaton Couple Have Interesting Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith returned last week from a three-week vacation in Wisconsin and Northern Michigan.

While on the trip they saw the new bridge construction across the Mackinac Straits. At its completion in 1957, this will be the longest suspension bridge in the world. A description of the 5 mile bridge can be found in the October issue of Readers Digest. The Mackinac Straits is one of the busiest waterways with the many ore boats that pass through. Another site of interest that the Smiths visited were the locks at Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, and Ontario, Canada. An average of one boat goes through these locks every 18 minutes.

Mrs. Smith says that this was an ideal time for a vacation in the north central states. Fall has arrived there and all the trees are in "fall colors." Her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Coatsman of Kenosha, Wis., spent 8 days fishing with the Smiths at Iron Mountain, Michigan, on the Menominee River flowage.

After visiting other relatives in Kenosha, the Smiths returned to Slaton by way of Kansas City, Mo., where they visited friends.

Steven Lavender Has Party

A party honoring Steven Don Lavender's third birthday was given Tuesday, September 18, at 3:00 p. m. Ice cream, cake and pink lemonade were served. Attending were: Vickie Lynn Milliken, Teresa and Mike Graham, Rita and Gail McCann, Sharon, Tommy and Allan Walters, Connie and Wayne Woods, and Tommy Bronson.



MRS. ROY PARKS proudly displays pictures of her cooking fans. Nothing is nicer than a meal at grandmother's house, especially when grandmother's favorite recipe is a luscious pineapple salad.

Slaton Women Give Their Favorite Tested Recipes

Mrs. Roy Parks, 330 West Lynn, shares her favorite salad recipe:

Pineapple Salad

24 marshmallows cut in quarters
2 oranges
1 No. 2 can crushed pineapple
1 cup, chopped nuts
1 small bottle of marachino cherries
1/2 cup sugar
2 eggs
2 lbs flour
1/2 pt. whipping cream

Method

Drain pineapple. Cook sugar, eggs, flour, and pineapple juice until blended. Cool. Mix marshmallows, oranges, pineapple, nuts, and cherries. Pour cooked blend over mixture. Mix in whipping cream. Chill for 2 hours. Serve.

Mrs. Parks moved to Slaton in August 16, 1951, as a bride. She was the former Mrs. Joyce Evans of Brownfield.

During the first three years she lived in Slaton, Mrs. Parks was employed in the fall months at Union Compress as filing clerk.

She loves to cook, and her time is pretty well taken up with housework and cooking. However, she's a big football fan. Since she goes to the games with her husband, Mrs. Parks says, she has gotten to be as big a fan as he is.

The Parkses are members of the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Parks is treasurer of the Blue Bonnet Club. Mr. Parks is employed at Berkley-Haddock Grocery Store.

Naomi Class Elects Officers

The Naomi Class of the Westview Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. T. V. Ellis on Tuesday, October 2. The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Bryan Ross. Mrs. Don Graham presided over the election of officers. The new class president is Mrs. Grady Keith.

Other business discussed at the meeting were plans for the coming Christmas party to be given by the class. The class voted to have "Sunshine Sisters" for the coming year.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Don Graham, Grady Keith, Doug Milliken, Bryan Ross, Dee Perdue, Ray Walters, and Don Merck.

Mrs. Eva Smith is visiting her son, W. L. Smith, and Mrs. Smith in Houston.

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Mrs. M. Turnbow Combines Business And Pleasure Trip

(Editors Note: In order to get material for the following article, Mrs. M. L. Turnbow let a Slatonite reporter read the diary of her trip. The article below is a poor comparison to the light, airy amusement and pleasure that was found in the diary. More people should see this beautiful land we live in through eyes with appreciation as Mrs. Turnbow's.)

On September 9, Mrs. M. L. Turnbow left on a vacation and antique-buying trip with her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Freeman, and a friend, Mrs. Lillian Wright, both of Austin. The trip, as related in Mrs. Turnbow's diary, was interesting, amusing, and colorful.

Just a few of the places that the three women visited on the first leg of the journey were: Pueblo, Colorado Springs, and Cripple Creek, Colorado, which is little more than a ghost town.

They crossed the Continental Divide, but were more impressed with the scenic grandeur of Battle Mountain on Shrine Pass. After crossing the Divide, they saw Camp Hale, the highest Army Post in the United States.

Salt Lake City impressed Mrs. Turnbow, but Utah as a whole did not impress her as much as Idaho. In Idaho they took pictures of the cowboys. "It seems funny for a Texan to be making that kind of picture in Idaho," writes Mrs. Turnbow.

Plans to spend a night in Pendleton, Oregon were cancelled because of the round-up and no rooms were available. Pendleton is located on the old Oregon Trail which is the historic route traveled by the Lewis and Clark Expedition.

Sees Washington First Time—Walla-Walla and Seattle were the sights of Mrs. Turnbow's first visit to Washington state. In the Yakima Valley they found apples, peaches, grapes, mint, and hops growing in profusion.

Crossing Chinook Pass into Mt. Rainier National Park was a spectacular sight. Mrs. Turnbow says that as they came out of the pass the sight of Mt. Rainier and Mt. Adams with their snow capped peaks was the most beautiful scene on the trip. As they crossed the spot where the Snake River empties into the Columbia River, they could see clearly Mt. Rainier 125 miles away.

At Valenteer Park, they visited the Found Art Museum and saw an original Reubens. Leaving Valenteer Park, they drove to Lake Washington and the Floating Bridge, the world's largest pontoon bridge.

The fog during their trip down the Pacific Coast kept sight-seeing in a haze. "I'm sure it's beautiful, if we could just see it," was a recurrent phrase in Mrs. Turnbow's diary.

At Telamook, Oregon, they went through a big cheese factory. The largest cheese weighed 500 pounds.

Mrs. Turnbow had seen the red wood forest before, but delighted in the excitement of the others. A first for Mrs. Turnbow was seeing date palms, grape vineyards, and olive trees.

San Francisco was a disappointment to the travelers, but Berkeley was better. Alcatraz didn't seem to be as far out to sea as Mrs. Turnbow had expected.

Viewed Famous Sights—Famous California sights as Garotte, known during Gold Rush days, the Bret Hart Cabin; Hangman's Tree, with an old rope still dangling; and Yosemite National Park were on the trip toward home. Tioga Pass was a rough spot on the trip.

They entered Death Valley through Townes Pass in the Panamint Mountain. Mrs. Turnbow suggests, if you must see the desert, go during winter months.

While traveling through Nevada, they passed the atomic test site and Indian Springs Air Force Base. They took pictures in Las Vegas, then traveled on to Hoover Dam, the highest dam in the world.

Mrs. Turnbow found the Grand Canyon hard to describe, but easy to remember. They passed close to the sight of the recent crash of two trans-world airliners.

As Mrs. Turnbow neared home, she was eager for news of her family and friends. However, the sight of Indian boys and girls at Holbrook, Arizona, was bright and cheerful.

A haze of towns through New Mexico with short jots about each completed the diary of Mrs. Turnbow's trip. A big "hurrah" was written at the point of the narration where they re-entered Texas. A trip that covered 5,619 miles.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO SUBMIT CHARTER AMENDMENTS

The following resolution provides that notice be given of the intention of the City of Slaton, Texas to submit to the qualified voters of the City of Slaton, Texas amendments to the existing charter of the City of Slaton, Texas adopted and approved by the City Commission of the City of Slaton, Texas October 8, 1956:

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF LUBBOCK, CITY OF SLATON.

RESOLUTION

On this the 8th day of October, A. D. 1956, the City Commission of the City of Slaton, Texas, convened in regular session at its regular meeting place in City Hall, all members thereof, to-wit: L. B. Wooten, Mayor and Chairman of the Commission; H. T. Swanner, Commissioner; Wayne Liles, Commissioner; D. H. Bollinger, Commissioner; T. A. Worley, Jr., Commissioner; being present, and among other proceedings had was the following:

It was moved by Commissioner Liles and seconded by Commissioner Swanner that the Commission pass a resolution giving the notice of its intention to pass an ordinance submitting amendments to the present charter of the City of Slaton, Texas; the motion carried for the following vote: Commissioners H. T. Swanner, Wayne Liles, B. H. Bollinger, and Commissioner T. A. Worley, Jr. voting "Aye", and none voting "No". Thereupon the following resolution was adopted: A Resolution providing that notice be given of the intention of the City Commission of the City of Slaton, Texas, to submit to the qualified voters of the City, for approval or rejection, amendments to the existing charter of the City of Slaton.

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Slaton deems it advisable at this time to submit to the qualified voters of the City of Slaton amendments to the existing charter, and whereas, the city charter of the said City has not been altered or amended within two years next preceding this date:

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City Commission of the City of Slaton, Texas:

Section 1: That it is the intention of said City Commission to pass an ordinance on the 12th day of November, 1956, for the purposes submitting to the qualified voters of said City, at an election to be held for that purpose, the following amendments to the existing charter:

Amendment No. 1: To Amend Article No. 1 of the city charter of the City of Slaton by the addition of the following:

The Slaton, Tex., Slatonite
Friday, October 12, 1956

Pay Phone Calls Go to 10c Oct. '11

Ten-cent coin telephone service will be inaugurated in Slaton on October 11, according to Manager J. C. Oakley of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company. Beginning on that date, telephone users here will make coin telephone calls by depositing two nickels or one dime, he said.

This is the first increase in the rate for calls from public telephones in the history of Slaton, Oakley said. Higher postwar operating costs have made it necessary to increase the public telephone rate, he explained.

"The 10-cent rate now is in effect in 47 of the 48 states," Oakley pointed out. "In addition, the new 10-cent rate has been approved in more than 200 other Texas cities and will be placed in effect in the very near future."

WANT ADS GET RESULTS

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The Slaton, Tex., Slatonite Friday, October 12, 1956

W. M. U. of First Baptist Church Installs Officers

Mrs. Ray Belt of the Westview Baptist Church was installation officer for the W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church, Wednesday, October 3. The installation was held in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. L. O. Lemon succeeded Mrs. George Privett as president. Other officers installed by Mrs. Belt were: Mrs. W. V. Smith, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Ford Stansell, program vice-president; Mrs. J. C. Smith, community mission chairman; Mrs. E. M. Lott, stewardship chairman; Mrs. G. W. Jennings, prayer chairman; Mrs. George Privett, director of youth; Mrs. C. W. Scroggins, mission study chairman; Mesdames Fannie Patterson, L. R. Gregory, Bill McCray, circle chairmen; Mrs. Fred Stephens, Y. W. A. counselor; Mrs. Dudley Berry, intermediate G. A. counselor; Mrs. M. T. Gilbert, junior G. A. counselor; Mesdames E. L. Norris, R. L. Smith, Wayne Kenney, Bible teachers; Mrs. Elton Smith, assistant to Mrs. Norris; Mesdames Ruth Morrison, Clyde Shaw, C. W. Scroggins, mission teachers; Mrs. Walter Smith, reporter; Mrs. Alvin White, song leader; Mrs. Dudley Berry, camp chairman.

Coffee and cinnamon rolls were served by Mrs. Lemon and Mrs. Privett to 32 members of the W. M. U.

Mrs. Boyd Leads Council Program

"World Revolution, Christian or Not" was the subject for the program of the Presbyterian Women's Council last week when Mrs. Sherill Boyd brought the program dealing specifically with Thailand. Mrs. Virgie Hunter, president of the Council, opened the meeting with prayer followed by the devotion given by Mrs. R. D. Hickman. Eight members were present for the meeting held at the church on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wayne Dalley of San Diego, Calif. are visiting here with Mrs. Dalley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Tunnell, and with Mr. Dalley's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thornton.

Hagermans Enjoy Extensive Trip

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hagerman returned this week from a twenty day trip to New York, Canada and other points in the eastern part of the country. Nine of twenty nights that they were away were spent on the train traveling.

They left Slaton September 17th and visited Chicago, Detroit, Montreal and Quebec, Canada, then back across the border into the state of Maine and then to New York City.

While in New York they visited Joyce Gentry, a Slaton resident in her youth. They also visited with Lorene McClintock, who is a graduate of Slaton schools, and now a music teacher there with her own studio.

The Hagermans were thrilled when they met Mrs. "Babe" Ruth in New York. They attended services at the world-renowned Interdenominational Church at 122 Street on Riverside Drive on September 23rd. This church is composed of thirty-one different denominations.

In New York Mr. Hagerman said that at six o'clock in the morning there was about one person per block on 5th avenue, but that by 9 a. m. there were over 4,000 people per block on the streets.

They returned home by way of Philadelphia. Mr. Hagerman has been in every state in the union with the exception of Florida.

W. M. U. District 9 Meeting Held

Sixteen members of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church attended a District 9 W. M. U. Conference in Lubbock on Thursday, October 4. Theme of the meeting was "Aims for Advancement." The meeting was held in the First Baptist Church of Lubbock. Each woman attending from Slaton took her own sandwich and the women of the Lubbock church served dessert and a drink.

Nineteen Families Arrive in Slaton During September

Nineteen new families have moved to Slaton during the past month. According to records at Pioneer Natural Gas Company, they include the following:

B. J. Buster, 850 S. 11th St.; Howard Kean, 350 W. Lynn; Wilma Daffern, 905 W. Lubbock (rear); R. D. Merck, 1020 W. Lynn; Z. H. Anderson, 525 W. Knox; Charles Collins, 625 W. Garza (rear); W. B. Brown Jr., 178 Texas Avenue.

Stanley Ratliff, 110 S. 3rd St.; W. R. White, 140 W. Dayton; Mrs. Don Murray, 335 W. Division; J. R. Linford, 230-A, E. Panhandle; Harold Allgood, 210 E. Lubbock; Woodrow Crox, 1050 W. Lynn; Mrs. W. M. Logsdon, 205 S. 1st St.; F. A. Lisso, 235 E. Scurry; Charles Shugart, 615 S. 9th St.; C. D. Hardin, 200 S. 10th St.; W. O. Cooley, 120 S. 3rd St.; Homer Scott, 230 E. Panhandle.

Service clubs sometimes do not live up to their designation.

SOUTHLAND DOWNS UNION 47-7 FOR THIRD CONFERENCE WIN

The Southland Eagles roared over Union 47 to 7 last Friday night on the Eagles' home field. Southland, using every man that was suited out for this conference game, just wouldn't call it quits in going after their third conference win.

Ronnie Dunn, Dale Edmonds, and Harold Wayne Donahoo each scored two times for the Eagles. As the Coach says, "there just isn't one real stand-out, they are all doing a great job this year."

Southland plays at Three Way tonight and this is another big conference game for the Eagles. The Southland Eagles go into this game leading the conference.

Girl Scout Troop 6 Met at Junior High

Girl Scout Troop 6 met Friday, October 5, to discuss their plans for the coming year. The troop will meet each Thursday afternoon after school in the study hall at Junior High School.

Present at the meeting on Friday were: Lundie Roche, Margaret Meeks, Areta Privett, Susan Lovelady, Carol Jean Richmond, Melva Wall, Betty McSweeney, Janet Martin, Rena McCann; and the leaders of the troop, Mrs. W. L. Roche and Mrs. Alton Meeks.

Tailoring Class To Meet Thursday

Mrs. G. K. Haile reported that 11 women enrolled for the tailoring class offered by the homemaking department at the high school. There is still a chance for women to enroll if they have been in previous clothing classes taught by Mrs. Haile or Mrs. Lovelady.

The first meeting date has been changed to Friday, October 12. Hours will be from 9:00 to 11:00 a. m.

American Legion Breakfast Scheduled Sunday, November 11

The Annual American Legion Breakfast for Veterans Day, November 11, has been set for 7 a. m. that day, according to W. M. Price, Commander of the Luther Powers Post No. 438.

Casey Walling, post Finance Officer, has tickets available. Tickets are \$1 each.

Mrs. J. B. Clark Hostess to Class

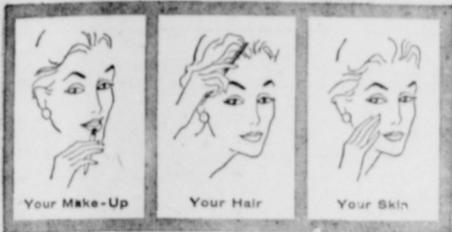
Mrs. J. B. Clark entertained the Ruth Class of the First Baptist Church in her home on Tuesday night. The meeting was opened by a devotional presented by Mrs. Joe Fondy.

Refreshments were served to nine members of the class. The next meeting of the Ruth Class will be in the home of Mrs. Margaret Andrews on Thursday, November 1.

Mrs. Geo. Evans returned home Saturday from Albuquerque, N. Mex. where she has been for several days with her husband who is a patient in the Santa Fe Hospital. On arriving home she was immediately called to Plainview due to the illness of her mother, Mrs. W. M. Henderson.

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PITTSBURGH PAINTS KEEP THAT LOOK LONGER

Mrs. Arthur L. Romines spent the week end in Odessa with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Tucker, and Mr. Tucker. The Tuckers' baby was very ill but has improved enough to be taken home from the hospital.

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WILSON NEWS

By Ann Davidson

Mr. and Mrs. Will Huffaker of Tahoka visited Mrs. Alice Davis Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Watkins and Sandra visited Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Costin and Mr. Cooper Watkins all of Lamesa on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Benwright of Mt. Park, Oklahoma, visited Mrs. E. P. Holder last week.

Sam and Alfred Crowson left Sunday on a business trip to East Texas.

Mrs. W. C. Church of Slaton was lunch guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Church and family on Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Powers of Post visited Mr. and Mrs. Buford Powers on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lichey and Mary Lou spent last week end in Fort Worth where they attended the 53rd wedding anniversary of Mrs. Lichey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McCrary.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Nieman, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Schaffner of Slaton and Mrs. Katie Nieman had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Klaus and family of Southland on Sunday.

Mr. Bill Penion of Sulphur Springs passed away on Sunday night. He is a brother of Mrs. C. A. Coleman.

Mrs. D. C. Roberts of Post visited Mrs. Pearl Davidson and family on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burns of Littlefield visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harvick and son on Sunday. They brought Mrs. Della Burns home.

Mrs. A. A. Patton and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Whisenant of Leveland visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bullock Sunday.

Mrs. A. L. Holder and Tresea visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown and family of Dumas last week.

Willie Nieman of Lakeview visited his mother, Mrs. Katie Nieman, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Coleman visited Pikes Peak, Colorado, and attended the wedding of her niece at Raton, New Mexico, last week.

Mrs. Alice Davis fell at the Methodist Church Sunday night and fractured her right arm.

Mr. Durward Hancock came after his mother, Mrs. W. J. Hancock, on Saturday afternoon. On Sunday they visited her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Hancock of Hearne, Texas, who are visiting relatives in Lamesa.

Mrs. J. A. Lunsford, missionary to Brazil, spoke to both circles of the W. M. U. of the Baptist church on Monday afternoon, October 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ellison and son visited Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Coleman on Sunday.

The Intermediate Department of the Methodist Church met and elected officers for the coming year. They are: Doris Lamb, president; Glenn Crowson, vice-president; Linda Wilkinson, secretary and treasurer; Sue Coleman, program chairman; Carol Lamb, reporter; and Bobby Crowson, song leader.

Mrs. Bryan and daughter, Iris, and Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Riddle all of Tahoka visited Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Riddle Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Edwards, Judy and Jacque and Mrs. Max Jackson and Don Wayne spent the week end in Brownwood with Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Jackson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hampton, and other relatives.

Ten Churches Report 1,681 in Church School

Attendance at church schools in Slaton Sunday, Oct. 7, totaled 1,681 in the 10 churches which reported.

Churches reporting and their attendance was as follows:
 Church of God 47
 First Methodist 290
 First Baptist 483
 Church of the Nazarene 78
 Westview Baptist 248
 First Presbyterian 87
 Grace Lutheran 113
 Church of Christ 212
 First Baptist Mission 65
 Pentecostal Holiness 55

Program on Civil Defense Given at Lions Meeting

A program and film on civil defense was presented to the members of the Lions Club Tuesday noon at the clubhouse. Bill Daniel was in charge. He introduced Sgt. Baldrige of the Army Air Force of Lubbock.

"Texas is to be completely organized for civil defense by January 1st," said Sgt. Baldrige. He explained that Police Chief Daniel was in charge of the set-up in Slaton as he was appointed by the county judge. Every state in the union is now organized with look-out stations except Texas and Louisiana, the speaker said.

The Slaton look-out station is located at the police building. Announcement was made of a meeting that was to be held Tuesday night at the city hall to complete the local organization. All workers are volunteers. Practice work-outs are expected to be held about once a month regularly.

Sgt. Baldrige explained that radar does not operate efficiently in spotting planes that are flying close to the ground and that detection would have to depend on look-out stations. Slaton would have a four-mile radius to keep under observation.

"Russian planes are only four and one-half hours away," said the speaker. Following the talk a film was shown on "Let's Face It."

Visitors were Wes Reed, Blynt Slip and Troy Ray Garron.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ford Sr. have had as their guests their sons, Truman Ford, Mrs. Ford and son, of San Angelo, John Ford Jr., Mrs. Ford and daughter of Monahans, and Robert Lee Ford of Rock Springs. The Ford brothers and their families also visited with their sister, Mrs. W. D. Rogers, Mr. Rogers, Martha and Bradley.

D. S. Richardson, who has been a patient in Baylor Hospital in Dallas for some time, returned home Saturday. He will have to return to the hospital Nov. 19 for more treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ward of San Angelo visited here over the week end in the home of Mrs. Ward's mother, Mrs. W. T. Slaughter, Saturday evening. Mrs. Slaughter's grandson, W. T. Ward, and Mrs. Ward and her granddaughter, Mrs. M. C. Sexton, and MSgt. Sexton of Lubbock visited with her.

Mrs. J. E. Rucker visited last week with her sister, Mrs. J. F. Tyson in Ft. Worth and her brothers, J. W. and George Griffin in Oglesby.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Martin and little daughters, Linda and Judy, of Seminole visited for a while with friends in Slaton Sunday evening. Mr. Martin was formerly employed as linotype operator at the Slaton.

Richard Perry of Sandia Base, Albuquerque, spent the first of the week at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Murphy and sons of Snyder visited for a while Monday evening with friends in Slaton. The Murphys are former residents of Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Reed left Tuesday for Lockhart, La. where they will visit with their son, Roy Reed, and family.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my friends and neighbors for the lovely cards, gifts and flowers sent to me while in the hospital and since my return home. Your kindness and thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated and will always be remembered.

—Mrs. Letha T. Arthur

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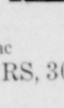
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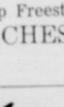
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