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54 To Receive Diplomas; Speakers for Baccalaureate, Commencement Named

Closing activities for Slaton High School have been set for Sunday evening and Monday evening when baccalaureate services and commencement exercises will be held at the High School auditorium at 8:15 each evening.

The Rev. J. B. Sharp, pastor of First Methodist Church, will deliver the baccalaureate address. Invocation will be given by the Rev. Ted Gaze, pastor of First Baptist Church and the scripture will be read by the Rev. Clarence Wiley, pastor of First Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Claude Wingo, pastor of First Christian Church, will pronounce the benediction.

Music will be furnished by a group of High School girls and the senior class. Mrs. M. G. Davis will play the processional and recessional.



(PHOTO BY KERTAN)

HONOR GRADUATES—Donald Marsh and Barbara Wilke will deliver the valedictory and salutatory addresses at commencement exercises for Slaton High School Monday night. Donald, the valedictorian, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Marsh. Barbara, the salutatorian, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wilke.

Lions, Rotarians, with Farmer Guests To Hear SCS Executive on Soil Care

At a joint meeting of the Lions Club and Rotary Club of Slaton next Thursday, Carl Spencer, executive director of Soil Conservation work in Texas will address the group concerning stewardship of the soil.

Each member of the service clubs has been requested to bring a farmer as his guest to the luncheon.

Spencer's talk here will be in connection with Soil Stewardship Week, which begins Sunday, May 19, and continues through May 31.

His address will be concerned with better soil conditions throughout the state, and advantages farmers can have by making use of information and research available through affiliation with the Soil Conservation Service.

Sunday, May 26, has been designated Soil Stewardship Sunday throughout the nation. Joe S. Walker Sr., chairman of the Board of Supervisors for the Lubbock County Soil Conservation District, said

that over 100 ministers have ordered folders for use in their church bulletins which emphasize stewardship of the soil as part of a Christian heritage.

Many ministers, Walker said, will be speaking on the value and care of the soil in connection with the church itself.

A variety of static displays arranged for Open House from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m., Col. D. Ross Ellis, base commander, has announced.

Units of all branches of the Armed Forces will cooperate in providing displays for the public to inspect and see at close range. Five types of aircraft will be on the flight line, while Army equipment, Navy equipment, and other displays will be on hand in the "POWER FOR PEACE" demonstration.

An F86D jet fighter from Perrin Air Force Base, Sherman, is scheduled to be on the flight line. Nearby will be a C-123 big troop carrier from Ardmore AFB, Oklahoma, and an H-21 helicopter from Randolph AFB, San Antonio, will be ready for inspection. Reese AFB will have its B-25 twin-engine trainer exhibited, and the T-33 jet trainer, which will go into use on the base soon.

A new attraction this year will be a display and demonstration of model airplanes throughout the open house. The 416th Army Reserve band is scheduled to present three concerts and the base theater will present special showings of cartoons for the youngsters.

Donald A. Quarles, Deputy Secretary of Defense, is flying in from Washington for talks in connection with Armed Forces Day. He will address the annual banquet of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce the night of May 16th and will speak at a luncheon at the base the next day. He will return to Washington that afternoon.

Bill Horton, Party Chief with Continental Oil Company's geophysical crew in Slaton, told members of the Slaton Lions Club something of the operation of the crew, and the activities involved in their work.

Horton was introduced by Bill H. Smith, program chairman.

Nineteen men compose the crew, which came to Slaton about a year ago, Horton said. Operations of this crew are included in a budget set aside by Continental, entailing about \$8 million for 1957.

Large Payroll

Geophysical Crew Operations Told Lions Club by Slaton Party Chief

The time which elapses between the instant a detonation is set off, and reverberations are received in the instruments will enable the seismologists to determine the structure of formations beneath the surface of the earth.

Oil Predicted

By knowing which types of structure are most likely to yield oil, comparisons can be made which will predict where oil is likely to be found.

Horton explained that technical personnel employed on the geophysical crews are college graduates who have received 18 months training by Continental Oil Co. prior to their beginning their work. Non-technical personnel, he said, must be high school graduates, and have received extensive training in their work.

Lions Club sweetheart Mary Ann Klattenhoff was presented with gifts from the club in token of their appreciation for her work as pianist for the club for the past year. Presentation was made by Bill Baker.

Lion Claude Wingo was named Tail Twist for the coming year.

The seismograph, Horton said, is based on a measurement of time.

\$150,000 Water, Sewer Improvement Bond Election Called for Tuesday, June 4th

Commission To Receive Petitions Concerning Water, Sewer for Flats

Petitions bearing 32 signatures are to be presented to the Slaton City Commission, from voting residents of the southeast section of town, according to Charles Jones.

The petition reads as follows: "In reference to the water and sewer chlorination system improvement, we hereby give you the following paid poll tax voters and home owners in Slaton's Negro town. We hope and wish to be part of this improvement on water and sewer extensions. We also need street improvement and grading of our streets, and proper drainage."

Proposal for the petitions had been made at an earlier meeting of citizens from that area. Discussions pointed out that water lines serving the area are not large enough to accommodate additional users.

Sewer System and Approved Water At Stake (An Editorial)

Monday of this week the City Commission ordered a bond election to be held Tuesday, June 4. This was done at the request of 301 Slaton citizens who signed petitions requesting this be done.

Our city has had competent engineers survey our situation thoroughly. They find that by the addition of only a few more homes on the present system built, in 1922, our sewer system would overflow. A complete new disposal line to the filtering plant is a must.

Included in the proposals to be presented are adequate facilities so that Slaton may put up the state approved water signs that most other towns now enjoy.

A fact that some may overlook is that people in all sections of town are susceptible to diseases created in any part of the town. Therefore, it is very important that the southeast part of town be adequately served with sewer and water for the protection of the people in the opposite part of the city.

We call attention to an indisputable fact: If Slaton gets larger, the people who now own property of any kind will benefit because this property will be worth more—and the increase will be in proportion to the growth. This certainly will more than offset the small amount of added taxation this election will require. If our sewer and water system is to be left as is and its deterioration gets worse, as it will, then property values will deteriorate in the same proportion.

It seems to be a must, regardless of the small cost. Certainly our city will not advance without sewer and water facilities. It seems that this is also a must even if we do not expect to grow any at all—it is a must for the people that now live here.

We ask that every citizen study the facts in the case, think for yourself and vote for the best interests of yourself and the city in which you live.

City Commissioners Monday night called a water-sewer bond election for Tuesday, June 4. The election was called in response to petitions presented the group.

Some 301 persons had signed the petitions, requesting the election be called in the amount of \$150,000.

Two proposals will be included in the election. The first will be the petitions outnumbered the required minimum. In accordance with law, only 97 signatures would be required to call the election. That is 10 per cent of the voters in

the last city election.

The number of persons signing for the issuance of \$35,000 water improvement bonds; the second for issuance of \$115,000 sewer improvement bonds. About \$10,000 of the water bonds have been earmarked for installation of an automatic chlorination system for Slaton, should the election carry.

Voters in the forthcoming election must be residents within the city limits, and have property rendered for taxation on the city tax rolls, in addition to being otherwise eligible to vote.

Survey of Slaton's present sewer system showed it to be carrying about 2 1/4 times its capacity. The system was installed in 1922.

Construction of sewer lines with money obtained through the issuance of bonds would enable portions of Slaton to be served with sewage disposal which are not being served at the present.

Construction of additional sewer lines would include an additional outfall line from town to the disposal plant in the canyon. The present outfall line would continue to be used, but would take care of the portion of the sewer system which it was originally designed to carry.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Maupin of Culver City, California, spent last week end visiting with Mr. Maupin's sister, Mrs. Doyle Morrison, and Mr. Morrison.

Mrs. J. W. Sparks and children of Lubbock spent last Saturday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Norwood.

School Superintendent To Speak at Junior High Commencement Tonight

Slaton Junior High School will have commencement exercises this

evening, Friday, May 17, in Junior High auditorium. The time will be 8:15 p. m. P. L. Vardy Jr., superintendent of schools, will be the speaker using as his subject "On to High School." C. L. Newcomb, minister of the Church of Christ, will give the invocation and Rev. Henry Treptow, pastor of Grace Lutheran Church, will give the benediction.

Sue Liles is valedictorian of the class and Patsy Pettigrew is salutatorian. Patsy will give the address of welcome and Sue will give a reading.

Music for the evening will include piano, clarinet and cornet solos, a piano duet and a songs by groups of boys and groups of girls.

J. D. Perkins, principal of Junior High, will present the awards and diplomas.



Sue Liles . . . Valedictorian . . .



Patsy Pettigrew . . . Salutatorian . . .

Two Programs Set By Evans Pupils

Two programs will be given by Evans School students prior to dismissal of school on Wednesday, May 22.

At 8:30 p. m. Friday members of the 8th grade will present a 3-act play, "The Man in the Green Shirt." Mrs. G. L. Darden will direct the play.

Tuesday evening at 8:30 p. m., members of the first, second and third grades will be presented in a program under the direction of Mrs. O. B. Allen, Mrs. O. M. Cox, and Mrs. R. M. Hinton.

Admission to both programs will be 15c for children and 25c for adults. Both program will be held in the Evans Auditorium.

Mrs. Birdie H. Meyer recently visited in Black with her daughter, Mrs. Travis Stone, and Mr. Stone.

Coming Events

Thursday, May 16
Rotary Club, Clubhouse, noon.

L. A. to B. of R. T., American Legion Hall, 9:30 a. m.

Little League Baseball, Yankees vs. Indians, Little League Park, 6 p. m.

Piano Recital, Clubhouse, 7 p. m.

Friday, May 17
Junior High School Commencement, Junior High Auditorium, 8:15 p. m.

Little League Baseball, Tigers vs. Cardinals, Little League Park, 6 p. m.

Sunday, May 19
High School Baccalaureate, High School Auditorium, 8:15 p. m.

Monday, May 20
Scout Troop 29, Scout Hall, 7:30 p. m.

High School Commencement, High School Auditorium, 8:15 p. m.

City Employees Awards Banquet, Clubhouse, 7:30 p. m.

Little League Baseball, Dodgers vs. Indians, Little League Park, 6 p. m.

Daughters of Pioneer Study Club, Mrs. Joe Teague III, 8 p. m.

Tuesday, May 21
Lions Club, Clubhouse, noon.

Chamber of Commerce, Bruce's Cafe, 7 p. m.

B of LF and E, American Legion Hall, 2:30 p. m.

Athenian Study Club, Mrs. Weldon Meador, 7:30 p. m.

Jr. Civic and Culture Club dinner, Spur Restaurant, Lubbock, leave at 7 p. m.

Little league baseball, Tigers vs. Giants, Little League park, 6 p. m.

Wednesday, May 22
V. F. W., V. F. W. Hall, 7:30 p. m.

Little League Baseball, Yankees vs. Cardinals, Little League Park, 6 p. m.

Civic and Culture Club, Mrs. S. H. Adams, 3 p. m.

Evans School Commencement, Evans school, 8 p. m.

Thursday, May 23
Joint Rotary Club, Lions Club Soil Conservation luncheon, Clubhouse, noon.

Masonic Lodge, Masonic Hall, 7:30 p. m.

Little League Baseball, Tigers vs. Indians, Little League Park, 6 p. m.

All-church birthday party, First Methodist church, 7:30 p. m.



SCHOOL'S NEARLY OUT—Students at Slaton's West Ward School were all smiles last Friday, for it was Picnic Day. Room mothers, Mrs. Fern Tucker, extreme left, and Mrs. Gordon Burrell, extreme right, threw the rope for members of Mrs. Otis Gunter's second grade. Pictured immediately

behind Mrs. Tucker is Nancy Armstrong. Others, left to right, include Mary Barrientos, Zoilax Vasquez, Ruth Ellis, Judy Pugh, Sandra Kay Gilliland, Sharon McCuller, Glenda Anderson. Diana Tucker is jumping.

(SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)

THE BEST AMBASSADORS

Sen. Theodore Francis Green, Democrat of Rhode Island, has urged that future appointments to the post of ambassador be made on the basis of ability rather than political service. He thus gave voice to a growing sentiment for such a change.

The custom of an administration paying off for political favors with an ambassadorship is well established by precedent. Such posts have even been used to get rid of politicians whose presence at home might cause party strife or embarrassment.

Quite often, politically appointed ambassadors have served their countries well and displayed great talent for the jobs. There is no reason why an able man should be denied the chance at an ambassadorship simply because he has been active politically on the winning side. Yet our government must never forget how important the role of an ambassador can be.

It is no place for a hack. The more training and experience a man can bring to the job, the greater the chance that he will perform his tasks successfully. Those who hold the title of ambassador represent the United States. The world situation is such that we dare not be represented by less than our most able diplomats.

HELPLESS AS A BABY

A baby, as everyone knows, is a helpless creature. So small, so soft, so defenseless, so dependent. If we want to picture a man as being utterly defenseless, we say that he is as helpless as a baby.

This is one of the more ridiculous popular misconceptions. Actually, a baby has better defenses and more strengths than almost any other creature on the face of the earth.

A creature's strength and capacity to fend for itself is not absolute, but relative to its environment. On a vast desert without food or water, the strongest and hardest man in the world would be completely at loss. Not so the baby. In his environment—that is to say, in midst of his family—he is marvelously well equipped to satisfy all his needs with a minimum of effort.

When he is hungry, the baby cries. What adult—or indeed, what creature of any kind—can thus feed himself simply by yelling for food? If the baby is uncomfortable for any of the various reasons best known to babies, he whimpers or, if necessary, emits a lusty yell. Promptly, once again, his needs are met.

The baby does not have to provide shelter for himself; he does not need to forage for sustenance. He sleeps when he pleases, dreams all he likes, worries not at all about past or future, and in general lives the life that even Riley never found possible. And all the while, by simply being himself, the baby tightens his iron grip on life so that it provides for him all that he needs or can possibly want.

A baby helpless? In terms of his environment a baby is the most self-sufficient—and the most delightful—morsel of life that we know about.

CROSSWORD'S FOES

Newspaper crossword puzzles, it is reported, will be banned in India. The provision is part of a bill regulating the press in many details of price, size and advertising space.

Why the crossword is to be forbidden is not clear from dispatches. Perhaps the government has a severe attitude toward amusement. Or does it fear that the enemies of the nation will use the puzzle as a vehicle for code messages? That was done occasionally during the war.

In the United States an administration that proposed this restriction would tempt fate. Crossword puzzles have become for great numbers the intellectual exercise that a few get from the solution of chess problems.

It's amazing how those big faults, so apparent in others, diminish in size when we notice them in ourselves.

UNKNOWN BENEFACTOR

The memoirs of an unknown benefactor of many thousands have just been published. It reveals that, terrible as the Nazi cruelties were, they came near to being worse.

Felix Kersten was physician to the bloody Heinrich Himmler, head of the Gestapo. Himmler suffered from severe intestinal convulsions, a malady on which Kersten, a Finn, was a specialist. His massages gave Himmler much relief, and Kersten used the fact to get countless victims out of the Gestapo's clutches. "Kersten rubs a life out from me at every movement," Himmler once said.

Kersten's achievements were remarkable. The World Jewish Congress credited him with saving 60,000 Jews. In 1941 he effected the release of thousands of Dutch, Danish and Norwegian prisoners, and killed a scheme to send three million Dutchmen to the Ukraine. This Finnish doctor was as much a hero as many a man decorated for valor.

A nesting bird is a sermon on faith.

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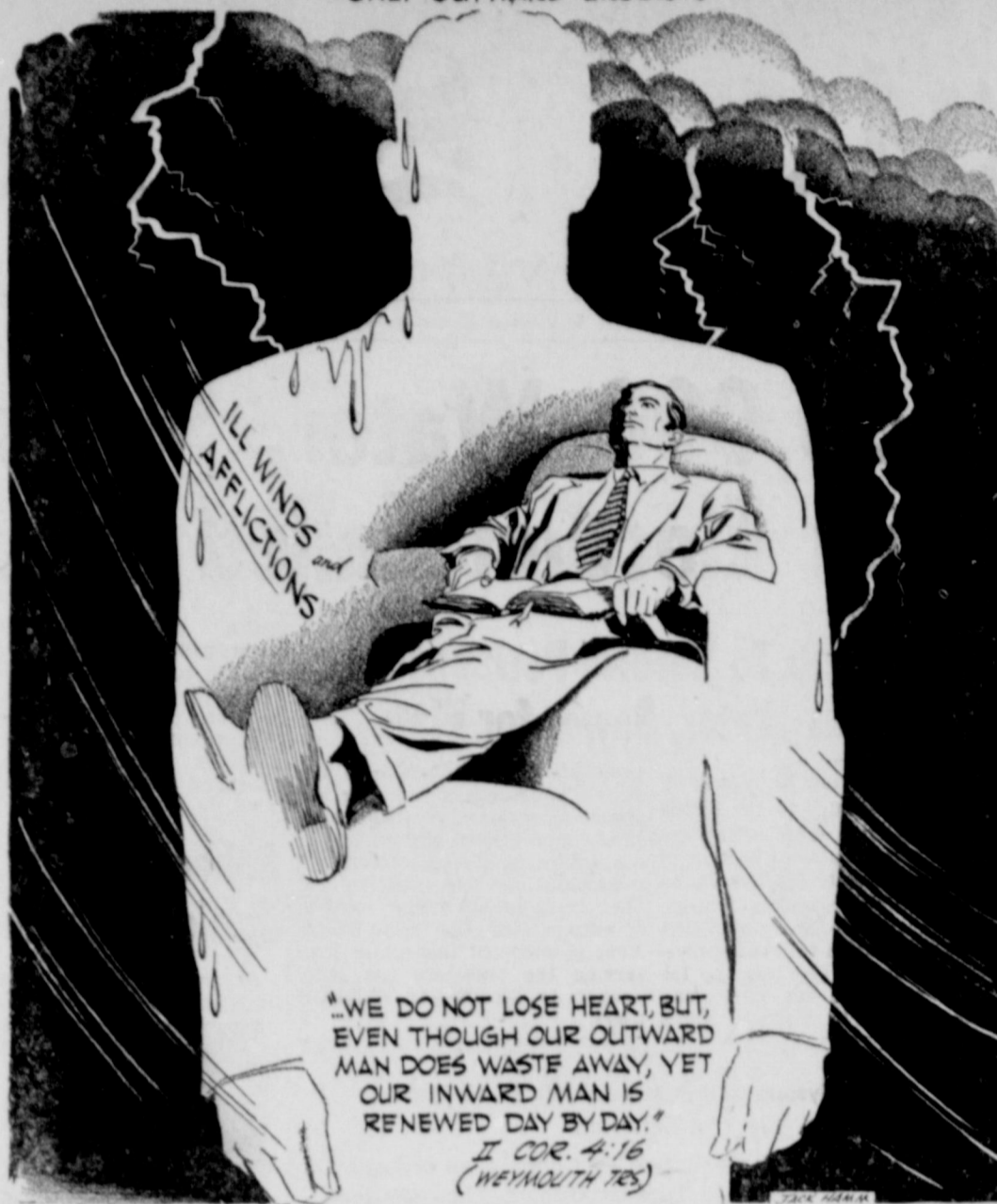
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STRENGTH FOR THE WEEK

BRYAN ROSS-Westview Baptist

There is a passage in the Bible which goes like this, "And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." John 8:32

There are many folk today asking the question, what is truth? Many wonder what is true and what is not true. Some wonder who we can believe, and who we can not believe. The truth spoken of here is divine in nature. It is a term that is variously employed in the scriptures. It means often truth in opposition to falsehood; material in opposition to shadows.

Sometimes there are references that indicate that truth has reference to the whole word of God. "I am the way, the truth, and the life." As used here, it refers to the divine gospel of our Lord. When we refer to the gospel of Christ, we refer to His complete self. It is full of Christ's person and glory. Its histories are truth. Its revelations are truth. Its doctrines are truth. Its promises are truth. So we see that truth is all

important as far as the teachings of the Bible are concerned.

The second important consideration here concerns the knowledge of the truth. This may be merely mental without producing any effect upon the heart or the life. This is the believing about Christ. This mental comprehension is hollow and meaningless.

There is an experimental knowledge of truth, and this the thing that really counts. When I have tried and tested and felt what is represented as truth; when I visit the places described by the gospel writer, when I have tried the experiments stated by the disciple, when I prove the medicine prescribed by the Great Physician, then I have an experimental knowledge of truth. Now this is experimental knowledge that the soul can bear witness to.

We are not saved by believing about Christ; but believing in Him. The woman of Samaria knew the value of experimental knowledge. What about the man born blind? What about the lepers? What about Lazarus, whom the Lord raised from the dead? What about Paul, the great disciple? He said, "I know in whom I have believed, and am persuaded that he is able to keep that which I have committed unto him against that day." The Bible says, "Be still and

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Mrs. L. W. Smith and Mrs. A. R. Keys spent last Tuesday in Plainview with Mrs. Keys' brother, Earl Simpson, who had surgery, and with Mrs. Smith's brother-in-law, Joe Smith.

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ported.

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tendance was as follows:

St. Christian	95
Church of God	49
St. Methodist	275
St. Baptist	384
Church of the Nazarene	74
St. Baptist	220
St. Presbyterian	79
St. Lutheran	84
Church of Christ	232
St. Baptist Mission	73
Assembly of God	70
St. Holiness	34
St. Baptist	56
Missionary Baptist	37

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Van Ness
spent the week end in Hale Cen-
ter visiting with their daughter,
J. W. Barnes, and Mr. Barnes.
Van Ness went up Sunday and
parents came back with him.



AT WORK . . . AT SCHOOL—Dean Stanton, son of Mrs. Daisy Prather, is shown at his work in C. R. Anthony Co., as part of the Distributive Education Program offered through cooperation of Slaton merchants and the local public schools. Dean is a first year D. E. student, and also serves as vice president of the local Distributive Education Club. Through classroom training, and on-the-job training as well, students are able to work part-time, and gain better practical knowledge of the business world and what is to be expected of them.

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**Rev. Treptow Will
Serve on Mission
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The Rev. Henry Treptow, pastor of Grace Lutheran Church, Slaton, will serve as Liturgist for the Vesper Services of the Home Mission Institute of the Texas District, American Lutheran Church.

The Institute will be held at Camp Chrysalis, Kerrville, May 20-24. The Institute is an annual school of instruction for home missionaries and parish workers throughout Arkansas, Louisiana, and Texas.

In addition to serving as Liturgist, Rev. Treptow will also serve on panel groups concerned with the discussion of physical, financial and spiritual experiences in Home Mission work.

Faculty at the Institute will include the Rev. Vernon A. Mohr, Texas District church president, Seguin; the Rev. Dr. G. S. Kuhlmann, pastor of Zion Lutheran Church, Kerrville; the Rev. Harold M. Adix, deputy executive secretary, Board of American Missions, Denver, Colo.; the Rev. Wilfred Sager, pastor of Abiding Savior Lutheran Church, Corpus Christi; Mrs. Gus Sager, Women's Missionary Federation official; Fredericksburg; the Rev. Richard P. Fenske, deputy executive secretary, Board of American Missions, New Orleans, La.; Milton Lorenz, church architect, Corpus Christi; and the Rev. Treptow, pastor of Grace Lutheran Church, Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Williams, Edgar and Chasten Williams recently visited with their son and brother, Clyde Williams, in Kingsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Thompson attended the Shrine Ceremonial Friday and Saturday at Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Jim Query of Midland spent the week end in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Charles Marriott, and Mr. Marriott.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brown and children of Midland spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. George Marriott.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wilkinson and three sons of Lubbock spent Sunday with Mr. Wilkinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Wilkinson.

Mrs. Fannie Patterson left Saturday night for Houston where she will visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Lawson, and family. Mr. Law-
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son is very ill in Memorial Hospital in Houston.

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Water Well Permit Certificates Issued By District Office Effective May 1

Water well permits are being issued by the district office of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District effective May 1, according to the Lubbock office.

District spokesmen were quoted as saying that a "situation has de-

veloped lately which we think requires some protection for purchasers of land or mortgages advancing money on land on the strength of existing wells.

"For example, suppose a land owner drilled a well in violation of the district rules and before appropriate action could be taken to close the well, the violator either sold or mortgaged the land. This would give the District the unpleasant task of proceeding against the party who was misled."

In order to prevent the occurrence of such a situation and prevent a cloud on the land title, the district will issue certificates to abstractors and attorneys to show what permits have been granted on a particular tract of land. Interested parties may then determine whether or not the wells are at the correct location as specified on the well permits.

Records of the district are being perfected so it may furnish certificates on permits of wells drilled after February 1953.

A fee of \$1 per permit certificate will be charged.

Highlights and Sidelights From Your State Capitol

By—Vern Sanford Texas Press Association
AUSTIN, Tex.—In a final burst of energy, homestead legislators broke the bottleneck and started passing bills with machine-gun rapidity.

After days of delay, the Senate swept through most of the major bills still pending, in two days. It set a record for action this session and cleared the way for winding up money matters this week.

Report by the joint conference committee on the general appropriations bill was laid out for study. Approval of this bill plus two others designed to raise funds for teacher pay raises will be the signal for a fast finish.

Most observers feel certain that enough money will be found to give teachers a \$400 across-the-board increase.

TEXAS-SIZE MESS—Relief workers face multiplying problems as they wade into the multi-million-dollar mess spread over water-gilted Texas.

Preliminary estimates placed damage at \$85,000,000. This was before the Lower Brazos spread to a width of 13 miles in some places.

Federal Civil Defense Administration has an initial grant of \$1,000,000 to help restore community-owned facilities. More is being sought. One of FCDA's more pressing problems is helping rural residents decontaminate flooded wells and spray against insects that breed in standing water.

In all, some half-dozen state and federal agencies are working to salvage public buildings, roads, businesses and farms.

Farmers got a setback, however, when federal officials refused to let them switch flooded acreage for higher land on the soil bank program. It means some will have usable land they can't cultivate because it was previously allotted to the soil bank and other land, not in the soil bank, they can't plant either, because of flooding.

Even so, encouraging reports continue to come in from rural areas. First post-drought sales show grass-fattened cattle bringing higher prices. Small town bankers and businessmen report people are daring to spend again in anticipation of good crops.

NAACP PROGRAM LIMITED—NAACP can continue to operate in Texas, but with clipped wings. Unless a higher court reverses a Tyler district judge's ruling, NAACP will henceforth be permanently barred from all but "educational and charitable activities."

Suit to outlaw the organization in Texas was begun last year by former Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepard. It has been carried on by the present staff under Atty. Gen. Will Wilson.

A temporary injunction issued by the Tyler court last fall halted all NAACP activity in the state. Present permanent injunction bans solicitation of lawsuits, and lobbying, in violation of state law. Court also ordered payment of back franchise taxes plus interest.

WATER BILL FILIBUSTERED—A water storage buying proposal was, down, and maybe out, after a 13-hour "discussion" by Sen. Otis Lock of Lubbock.

Lock's determined opposition meant several days delay on the measure at a time when delay often means death. Sen. George Parkhouse of Dallas, sponsor, was so disgruntled he threatened to junk the whole water conservation program.

Proposal, if approved by the voters, would allow the state to issue bonds to purchase water storage space in federal reservoirs. Lock contended the plan would be so unpopular with voters it would sink the whole water program at the polls. He objected on grounds it would be non-self-liquidating and would bring in federal controls.

ENOUGH SAID—Senate apparently wants no more long talks on the segregation bills.

First such bill to come up

brought on a record-breaking 36-hour filibuster. But the second one was shooed through in minutes after a vote to shut off debate.

Passed was a bill to require local elections before schools can be integrated.

Last apparent hope of the segregation opponents now is that the bills will be referred to the attorney general and ruled unconstitutional. Atty. Gen. Will Wilson said he has made preparations to handle the bills promptly, if asked.

Governor Daniel said he plans a thorough staff study of each bill before deciding whether to seek a ruling.

BETTER PAY APPROVED—If voters consent, future legislators may avoid some of the financial pinch many complain of now.

Senate approved a House constitutional amendment providing for annual sessions and more pay. But it upped the House-suggested salary of \$4,800 to \$7,500 a year.

Present arrangement is \$25 a day for 120 days. It totals \$3,000 for two years unless a special session crops up. Since May 7, when the 120 days ran out, lawmakers have been on their own moneywise.

Legislators' wives have been heard to speak bitterly of "going more in the hole every session."

They cite cost of campaigns. Two moves, high expenses in Austin, plus payments on house back home and "constant" telephone calls and trips to Austin between sessions to handle constituents' requests.

Concluded one wife from an extreme north Texas district: "I've put my foot down. This is our last term."

SCHOOL LAW STUDY—A searching examination of Texas school problems, such as preceded the Gilmer-Aikin laws, has been proposed.

Resolutions introduced in both House and Senate said many districts are unable to provide teachers and buildings to keep up with the rapid increase in pupils. A 24-member committee to study needs and report to the 1959 session was recommended.

Committee would be made up of six appointees of the governor, six by the Board of Education and six each by the lieutenant governor and speaker of the House.

SHORT SNORTS—Texas will have 205 new lawyers after the Supreme Court holds swearing-in ceremonies May 18 for those who passed the spring bar examination.

Fishing may cost more as a result of a House-passed bill raising the fishing license from \$1.65 to \$2.15.

Senate finally passed a controversial House bill which will enable cities to obtain federal aid for slum clearance and urban redevelopment.

As finally passed by both houses, the REA bill will allow co-ops to serve: (1) persons in rural areas where private power is not available, (2) city residents where there is no private power company and (3) all former patrons in a rural area annexed by a city plus other patrons to whom private power is unavailable.

Included in the general appropriations bill, now in process of legislative approval, is an allocation of over \$28,500,000 for salary increases for state employees for the next two years.

Shaving was originally a protective measure since long beards were easy for opponents in combat to seize.

Enough power is required to stop a train running at 60 miles per hour to lift it vertically 120 feet.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Norris of Acuff spent Sunday with Mrs. Emma Norris and D. E.

Our present calendar was brought into use by Pope Gregory XIII in 1582.

Belva Lockwood was the only woman ever to run for president.

Label is written abuse



CURBED GIANT
The world's mightiest law makers—the United States Congressmen and Senators—sit down each year to make laws.

But mighty though Congress is, the constitution won't give it certain powers:

1. Neither Congress nor anybody else can suspend the writ of habeas corpus (unless the public safety demands it during rebellion or invasion). All officers or others must obey a court and bring in anyone in their custody to see whether he is held lawfully.

2. Congress cannot pass "bills of attainder," special acts to punish someone. Congress cannot by-pass the courts.

3. Congress cannot pass an ex post facto law—a law which makes an act a crime which was not one when done, or which punishes the offender more than called for when done.

4. Congress cannot tax exports from any state nor by regulation favor one state's ports over another's, nor make one state's vessels clear or pay duties to another state in order to enter.

Besides these denials from within, the constitution curbs Congress and the executive and judiciary in the amendments, especially the first ten.

Among other things, Congress cannot make a law respecting an establishment of religion or prohibiting its free exercise, or the right of the people peaceably to assemble and to petition the government for a redress of grievances.

The constitution also curbs the courts (for example, they cannot deny a person a fair hearing duly represented by counsel). It curbs the executive (he cannot, for example, take private property for public use without just compensation).

The constitution, which divides the work of the three branches of government, winds up by telling where the rest of the power rests—just in case anybody gets any fancy ideas of dictatorship. There are things no state can do, for instance, "make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States."

If there are any powers not given to the United States government or reserved to the states, they belong to the people. The constitution does not seem to limit the people.

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

Can One Inherit Human Cancer?

Is human cancer inherited? A Texas scientist has made a study of this, and his answer is: "No. One can't inherit cancer." Humans may inherit a susceptibility or a predisposition to cancer however. That means that under certain conditions—possibly in the presence of a cancer virus (if such a thing exists), overexposure to cancer-causing rays and chemicals and a hormonal imbalance—certain humans are likely to develop a cancer.

Even in experimental animals it is not easy to develop a strain which inherits cancer. Mice and rats must be inbred for many generations for them to show cancer with predictable frequency.

Help Texas scientists fight cancer. Address your contribution today to:

CANCER % Postmaster Your City or Town

According to law, a minimum of three persons can create a riot.

NOTICE
Due to the illness of my husband we closed our office May 15.

We appreciate very much our business dealings with each of you and if we can be of any help in leasing your land, we will be glad to do so.

Thank you very much.
Mrs. Clifford Young

Lubbock Marine Reservists Plan Field Exercise May 19 at Buffalo Lakes

Members of the Lubbock Marine Corps Reserve Unit will conduct a field exercise Sunday, May 19, at Buffalo Lakes, according to Maj. J. L. Riddle, acting Commanding Officer of the organization.

The exercise will include an attack on a simulated enemy-held area and will begin at 3 p. m. for an hour period.

The problem will consist of the seizure of a beach, which will be the south side of the second lake, and an advance to the final objective on the high ground to the south.

Marines will utilize machine guns, rockets, flame-throwers, and other weapons normally used by an infantry organization. Smoke

screens and artillery simulators will add to the performance.

Maj. Riddle said that the exercise has been conducted annually for several years, and that it provides an excellent opportunity for members of the unit to practice training received throughout the year at the weekly meetings.

National Guardsmen will participate as infantry troops, while the Naval Reserve will provide the public address system, with transportation and medical facilities being furnished from Reese Air Force Base.

The exercise may be observed by the public, Riddle said. Parking areas will be located on the north side of the second lake.

FROM WARM SPRINGS
FACT AND FANCY
by Lester H. Richter

(Wherein the director of public relations at the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation tells of Texas' own physical rehab center and also throws in a little tongue-in-cheek palaver for which, incidentally, the management is not responsible.)

The triumph of matter over mind is a rather commonplace thing. A gal on a diet succumbs to a coconut fudge sundae. A guy on a budget rationalizes the purchase of a new car—(after all, the old buggy was going to need a valve job pretty soon and a new set of tires). And so on.

Well, I believe that the advent of television marks the most striking example of man's capitulation to a "thing."

Remember how many people you'd hear declaim in the early days of T. V. about its obvious evils. It would destroy the fine art of conversation and the pleasant American pastime of "visiting." People would stop reading books and magazines, and we would become a race of Pluto-type characters sporting 21-inch eyeballs—with impaired vision, at that.

Today only small pockets of resistance remain and these represent the hard core of diehards who either (1) honestly believe that television has nothing worthwhile to offer or, more likely, (2) would rather die than admit they might get some enjoyment out of possessing a set. Orientals are not alone in their need for face-saving.

The argument heard most frequently from T. V. detractors is "I'll admit there are some good things on television, but the vast majority of the programs are so much junk. Therefore, I wouldn't have one." The obvious answer is, of course, that any objectionable program can be eliminated with a twist of the wrist.

Now they even have gadgets which cut out the commercials on T. V. which in my book is going overboard a little—like the gal who dances with everybody at the ball except the guy what "brung" her. Better they should have a gismo for tuning out nagging wives and mothers-in-law.

I really don't know why I'm going to bat for television because



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New Garage Opens In Slaton Recently

D. G. Kersey and Vernon Stewart have recently opened a new garage, Kersey and Stewart Motor Service, at 435 N. 9th St. Stewart has 30 years of mechanical experience. Kersey specializes in brake work.

They have installed Amoco brake equipment and will give free inspection of brakes.

Mrs. R. L. Ramey of Abilene spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Norris, and Mr. Norris.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lloyd Mains and family of Acuff visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Nelson.

Mrs. John R. Bennings of Hillsboro spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Anderson.

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at Slaton. I have for stock of L. H. planter. hours, 7:30 a. m.-6:30 p. service after hours phone VA8-3993, VA8-3350. 29-2tc

Best Bronze Turkey for sale. Huser Hatchery VA8-3656. tlc

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OW in Slaton for a few some houses that will very small down payments, like rent. This is opportunity own your home. ABE Phone VA8-3200. 28-1tc

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OR TRADE—3 bed- room on S. 7th, trade for place. Also house on West sale, or rent. Phone VA8- 29-1tp

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WANTED—Local Hauling. Joe Fondy Phone VA8-3633. 26-4tc

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FOR RENT—3 room unfurnished house, 2 clothes closets. At 210 E. Lubbock Street. See owner at 209 E. Lubbock. Phone VA8-3694. 30-4tc

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FOR RENT—2 room furnished apartment with private bath and garage. 905 W. Lubbock. Phone Mrs. J. D. Norris at VA8-4440. 30-1tc

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NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS

THE STATE OF TEXAS
CITY OF SLATON
COUNTY OF LUBBOCK
TO ALL QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE CITY OF SLATON, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID CITY, AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in the City of Slaton, Texas, on the 4th day of June, 1957, in obedience to a resolution and order duly entered by the Commission of said City on the 13th day of May, 1957, which is as follows:

"RESOLUTION AND ORDER by the Commission of the City of Slaton, Texas, ordering an election to be held in said City for the purpose of submitting questions of the issuance of \$35,000 Waterworks improvement and extension bonds and \$115,000 Sewer System Improvement and Extension Bonds; providing for notice of election and enacting other provisions incident and relating to the purpose of this resolution and order."

WHEREAS, the Commission of the City of Slaton has determined that it is advisable and necessary to provide improvements and extensions to the City's Waterworks and Sanitary Sewer System and to issue general obligation bonds to provide the funds required therefor, such improvements being urgently needed for the preservation and protection of the public business, property, health, welfare and safety of the citizens of the City, and particularly in consideration of the fire and sanitation hazard which exists and which will continue to exist unless the improvements are provided; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED BY THE CITY OF SLATON:

SECTION 1: That an election be held on the 4th day of June, 1957, which date is not less than fifteen (15) nor more than thirty (30) days from the date of the adoption of this resolution and order, at which election the following propositions shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said City who own taxable property therein and who have duly rendered the same for taxation:

PROPOSITION NUMBER 1
"SHALL the Commission of the City of Slaton be authorized to issue general obligation bonds of the City to the amount of THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$35,000), maturing serially over a period of not to exceed twenty (20) years from their date, bearing interest at a rate of not to exceed FIVE PER CENTUM (5%) per annum, payable annually or semi-annually, for the purpose of constructing improvements and extensions to the City's Water System; and shall there be annually assessed, levied and collected upon all taxable property of the city taxes in amount sufficient to pay the annual interest on said bonds as it accrues and the principal thereof as it matures?"

PROPOSITION NUMBER 2
"SHALL the Commission of the City of Slaton be authorized to issue general obligation bonds of the City to the amount of ONE HUNDRED FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$15,000), maturing serially over a period of not to exceed twenty (20) years from their date, bearing interest at a rate of not to exceed FIVE PER CENTUM (5%) per annum, payable annually or semi-annually, for the purpose of constructing improvements and extensions to the City's Sanitary Sewer System; and shall there be annually assessed, levied and collected upon all taxable property of the city taxes in amount sufficient to pay the annual interest on said bonds as it accrues and the principal thereof as it matures?"

WARD NUMBER 1 POLLING PLACE
Office of the City Secretary, City Hall, Slaton Texas
ELECTION OFFICERS
Joe S. Walker, Jr. Presiding Judge
R. D. Hickman Judge
Mrs. Bessie Donald Clerk
Mrs. Don Britt Clerk

WARD NUMBER 2 POLLING PLACE
Retail Merchant's Association Office, City Hall, Slaton, Texas
ELECTION OFFICERS
Mrs. Alice Neill Presiding Judge
Mrs. P. A. Minor Judge
Mrs. Dan Liles Clerk
Mrs. E. E. Culver Clerk

WARD NUMBER 3 POLLING PLACE
Mayor's Office, in the City Hall, Slaton, Texas
ELECTION OFFICERS
C. H. Whalen Presiding Judge
Mrs. B. A. Hanna Judge
Mrs. C. H. Whalen Clerk
Mrs. E. G. Reese Clerk

WARD NUMBER 4 POLLING PLACE
Chamber of Commerce Office, City Hall, Slaton, Texas
ELECTION OFFICERS
Oren McWilliams Presiding Judge
Mrs. Frank Lawrence Judge
Mrs. Audene Nowell Clerk
Mrs. O. D. Kenney Clerk

SECTION 3: That said election shall be held under the provisions of and in accordance with the laws governing the issuance of municipal bonds in cities, as provided in the General Laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified electors, who own taxable property in the City, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be qualified to vote.

SECTION 4: That the ballots for said election shall be prepared in sufficient number and in conformity with Chapter 6, V. A. T. S. Election Code, adopted by the Fifty-second Legislature in 1951, and that printed on such ballots shall appear the following:

PROPOSITION NUMBER 1
"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF \$35,000 WATER SYSTEM BONDS AND THE LEVY OF A TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"
"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF \$35,000 WATER SYSTEM BONDS AND THE LEVY OF A TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"
PROPOSITION NUMBER 2
"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF \$15,000 SEWER SYSTEM BONDS AND THE LEVY OF A TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"
"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF \$15,000 SEWER SYSTEM BONDS AND THE LEVY OF A TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"
AS TO EACH of the foregoing two propositions, each voter may mark out with black ink or pencil one of such expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote on the respective propositions, or, in the alternative, each voter may vote on the respective propositions by placing an "X" in the square appearing on the ballot beside the expression of his choice.
SECTION 5: That a copy of this resolution and order, at the top of Mayor of the City and attested by

the City Secretary shall serve as proper notice of said election.

SECTION 6: That notice of said election shall be given by posting and publication of a copy of this resolution and order, at the top of which shall appear the words "NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS." Said notice shall be posted at the City Hall and at a public place in each of the four voting precincts within said City, not less than fourteen (14) full days prior to the date on which said election is to be held, and be published on the same day in each of two successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation, published in the City of Slaton, the first of said publications to be made not less than fourteen (14) full days prior to the date set for said election.

SECTION 7: That such bonds of the two series hereinabove set forth as are approved by the qualified voters voting at the election herein and hereby ordered shall be issued in one or more installments but as a single combined authorization.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this 13th day of May, 1957.
O. N. ALCORN
Mayor, City of Slaton, Texas

ATTEST:
J. J. MAXEY
City Secretary, City of Slaton, Texas
(City Seal)

THIS NOTICE of election is issued and given by the undersigned, pursuant to authority conferred by virtue of the above and foregoing resolution and order of the Commission of the City of Slaton, Texas, and under authority of law.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF THE CITY OF SLATON, TEXAS, this 13th day of May, 1957.
O. N. ALCORN
Mayor, City of Slaton, Texas

ATTEST:
J. J. MAXEY
City Secretary, City of Slaton, Texas
(City Seal)
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Southwestern Homicide Investigators Seminar Hold First Meet in Texas



COTTON RESEARCHER—Dr. J. D. Bilbro, research agronomist, joined the staff of Lubbock Experiment Station May 1, and will be actively engaged in cotton improvement research.

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The fourth annual Southwestern Homicide Investigators' Seminar was held at the Texas Department of Public Safety's Training Academy in Austin April 22-26.

Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., DPS director, said the seminar, the first held in Texas, was under the sponsorship of the department, the University of Texas, the Oklahoma Department of Public Safety, the University of Oklahoma and the Texas Law Enforcement Foundation.

The techniques of homicide investigation were discussed by Dr. LeMoyn Snyder, Medical Consultant, Paradise, Calif., and the subject were further demonstrated by a premier showing of a new film produced by the Texas DPS entitled, "Homicide Investigation." Assistant Director Joe S. Fletcher discussed "Identification of Deceased Persons." Many other subjects, including medical, legal and investigative, were included in the program featuring authorities from Oklahoma, Texas and other states.

Col. Garrison described the seminar as a highly technical and well rounded program of interest to all men of the profession.

Happy Birthday

May 18: Mrs. A. A. Wimmer, Barbara Grigsby, John Lumpkins Jr.

May 19: Gene Talbert, Mrs. Joe Fondy, Mrs. Doug Chambers, Burdine Becker, Mrs. Alton Edwards, May 20: Mrs. Bill Kelley, Mrs. James L. Alired, Sally Cooper, Alma Roberts, Charlotte Hollman.

May 21: Veronica Kitten, Jack Clark, James Bailey, Eugene Brown, Gaylon Lee Barkley.

May 22: Walter Lee Bednarz, Mrs. E. R. Burns, E. C. Smallwood, W. V. Childers, Mrs. Jerry Mudgett.

May 23: L. V. Johnson, Melissa Ann Behlen, Mrs. F. D. Bostick, Tate Fondy, Mrs. S. M. Rogers, Don Haskell Edwards, Bo Rogers, Shirley Ball.

May 24: Wayne Coffee, Bobby Plinke.

Slaton Men In Service

PFC Donald Schilling, who is stationed in Bombhoder, Germany, with the U. S. Army, wrote that it rains most of the time there. He is working in the Motor Pool. Donald sent his mother, Mrs. Herman Schilling, of Slaton a large designed velvet-plush throw rug for a Mother's Day gift. Mrs. Schilling says it will be one of her most prized possessions.

Girl Born to Harley Pattersons

Pvt. and Mrs. Harley Patterson are the parents of a baby girl, born May 8. The baby, named Cynthia Lea, weighed 7 lbs. and 3 ozs. when she arrived in the United States Army Hospital, Fort Rucker, Alabama.

Pvt. Patterson has recently graduated from an aviation school at Fort Rucker and will be stationed there for the present time.

Both parents are former residents of Slaton.

The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fox of Earth, formerly of Slaton, and Mrs. Verna Patterson of Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mosser spent Sunday in Littlefield visiting with Mrs. Mosser's sister, Mrs. Earnest Mills, Mr. Mills and family. Mrs. Mosser's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Singleton and Sharon; and her brother, John, and Mrs. Singleton of Lubbock, were also in Littlefield visiting.

Mrs. W. F. Norwood and her daughter, Myrtle Eckles and son, Harold, spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting with their daughter and sister, Mrs. J. W. Sparks, Mr. Sparks and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Smith and grandbaby of Acuff spent Monday night with Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Dewey Nelson, and Mr. Nelson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Evans and Robert of Abilene spent the week end with Mrs. Evans' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Swafford, and with Mr. Evans' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Evans.

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Annual Meeting of Northwest Texas Methodist Conference Set May 28-31

Plans for a \$600,000 expansion campaign for Methodist Hospital in Lubbock and a \$40,000 campaign for the Wesley Foundation at Canyon for expansion and a parsonage are expected to be revealed at the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference session to be held in San Jacinto Methodist Church, Amarillo Tuesday, May 28, through Friday, May 31.

Leaders report that the Methodist hospital project will include a nurses home to be located two blocks west of the hospital, a classroom building and new equipment for the hospital. Estimated cost of each project, including furnishings, is \$400,000 for the

nurses home; \$100,000 for the classroom building and another \$100,000 for new equipment.

Lay delegates from First Methodist Church, Slaton, include Francis E. Perry and P. L. Vardy Jr. The Rev. James B. Sharp is pastor of the church.

Conference Preacher

Conference preacher will be Melvin E. Wheatley, Jr., pastor of the Westwood Community Methodist Church in Los Angeles, Calif., since 1954. Wheatley is the author of a newly published book entitled "Going His Way."

Chosen as "Young Man of the Year" by the Stockton, Calif., Junior Chamber of Commerce in 1950, Wheatley has been on a study tour of the Middle East, on a Methodist mission to Hawaii, and on a chaplain's retreat in Alaska. He has taught philosophy, Hebrew and Christian heritage and homiletics. Dr. Wheatley has served pastorates in Delaware and California since 1939.

Special Speakers

Other special speakers will include: Caradine R. Hooton of Washington, D. C., General Secretary of the Board of Temperance; Daniel Taylor of Chicago, Ill., General Secretary of Administration and Promotion, the Board of World Peace; and Charles L. Calkins, General Secretary of the Board of Pensions, Chicago.

First session of the conference is set for 7:30 p. m. Tuesday and will feature the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, organization and a memorial service with Marvin L. Boyd, pastor of First Methodist Church, Midland, as the seaker.

Reports Wednesday

Sessions will begin at 8:30 a. m. each day. Included on the Wednesday agenda will be the composite report of the district superintendents, the board of education, the board of hospitals and homes, the board of world peace and the board of pensions.

An all-college banquet will be held at Polk Street Methodist Church at 5:30 p. m. Wednesday. Wednesday night's service will feature the board of evangelism.

Lay Reports

Thursday will include reports from the board of lay activities and board of missions in the morning, the ministers wives' luncheon, and separate ministerial and lay sessions in the afternoon.

Friday's closing business session is expected to conclude around 12 noon with the reading of the pastoral appointments.

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at County Park last Friday to eat their lunch. Pictured left to right are John Davidson, Jackie Cooper, Joe Jiminez, Byron Henderson, Glenn Wilhoit, and Mike Alexander.

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First Methodist Church will conduct its Vacation Bible School Tuesday, May 21, through Friday, May 31, at the church. Classes will be held from 9:30 a. m. until 11:00 a. m. on week days.

"Friends Near and Far" will be the study for the kindergarten department. The primary department will study "Friends at Home and in the Community." The junior department's topic will be "Meet Your Neighbors."

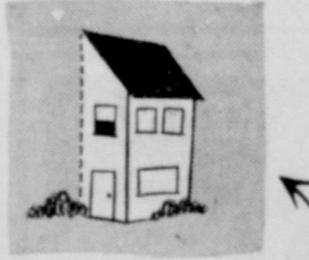
Teachers will be Mesdames Don Crow, V. G. Browning, R. B. Lain, S. H. Jaynes, H. M. Englund, Calvin Lamb, Phil Brewer, Joe Miles, W. F. Porsch Jr., Joe Teague III, Charlie Smith, J. D. Stell, and Howard Hoffman. Misses Melinda Clifton, Dana Heaton, Dorothy Heaton, and Cherie Arrants will assist the teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Upham returned last Wednesday after a 10 day visit in San Bernardino, California, with their son, C. E. Upham Jr., and Mrs. Upham; and with Mrs. Upham's mother, Mrs. Anna Medlock, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. George A. Taylor spent Wednesday night and Thursday in Tulla with Rev. and Mrs. O. B. Herring.



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Guests Sunday in the home of Mrs. George A. Taylor were her sister, Mrs. Coy Sullivan, Mr. Sullivan and Jerry Don of Post; her nephew, J. R. Thompson, Linda and Mike of Lubbock. Mrs. Taylor also had all of her brothers and sisters As Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Tom Taylor spent the week end in Odessa visiting with Mrs. Taylor's mother, Mrs. J. M. McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Townsend spent Sunday afternoon in Amherst visiting with Mr. Townsend's sister, Mrs. Johnny Cartwright, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Long, Sandra Long and Dean Jackson went to Possum Kingdom Sunday afternoon to see the high water.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Tom Taylor spent the week end in Odessa visiting with Mrs. Taylor's mother, Mrs. J. M. McKinney.

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A. E. Whitehead recently returned from Hot Springs, Arkansas, where he took health baths for a month.

Mrs. Mary Ann Wilson of Pasadena, Texas, is visiting with her son, Barney, Mrs. Wilson and children. She arrived Sunday and will visit until the first of June.

Guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Wilson were their daughters, Mrs. Dayle Nelson, Mr. Nelson and daughter, Pat, and Mrs. R. L. Simpson, Mr. Simpson and son, Troy, all of Post; and Mr. Wilson's mother, Mrs. Mary Ann Wilson, of Pasadena, Texas.

Mrs. Charles Mote and his wife, Mrs. Robin, of Abilene spent several days the last of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Layne. They returned home Monday morning.

Mrs. S. S. Russell of Stamford spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Bob Van Meter, and Dr. Van Meter.

Guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Alcorn and Mrs. Audean Nowell and Neutie Nan were Mrs. Alcorn's son, Raymond, and Mrs. Dunn, and J. D. Henderson and family all of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Alcorn of Muleshoe.

Guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Willis were their daughters, Mrs. Ruby Carey and children, and Mrs. Richard Lamb, Mr. Lamb and daughter all of Lubbock; their sons, Calvin, Mrs. Willis and children of Posey; George, Mrs. Willis and children of Slaton.

Only 13 muscles are required to smile—fifty to frown.



NEW ARRIVALS IN SLATON

Born April 28 to Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hoffman, Lubbock, in the Peter Clinic of Lubbock, a boy weighing 6 lbs. and 12 ozs. The mother is the former Clydal McGinty Slaton.

Born May 1 to Mr. and Mrs. W. Stephens, 215 S. 12th, Slaton, a girl weighing 7 lbs. and 9 1/2 ozs.

Born May 1 to Mr. and Mrs. R. Mull, Lubbock, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 7 lbs. and 12 1/2 ozs.

Born May 4 to Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 5 lbs. and 14 ozs.

Born May 5 to Mr. and Mrs. Tapia, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 7 lbs. and 1 1/2 ozs.

Born May 6 to Mr. and Mrs. Gartman, Lubbock, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 6 lbs. and 12 ozs.

Born May 7 to Mr. and Mrs. Jones, Route 7, Lubbock, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 5 lbs. and 5 1/2 ozs.

Born May 7 to Mr. and Mrs. John L. Jones III, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 9 lbs. and 1 oz.

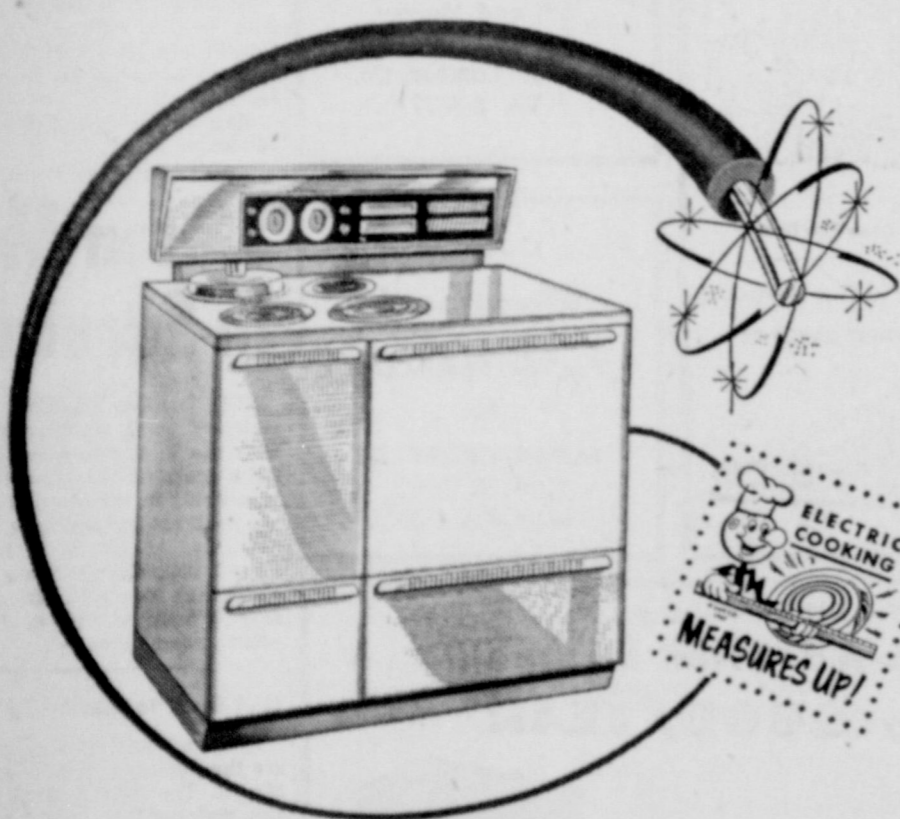
Guests Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Gentry were Mr. and Mrs. Everett L. Gentry and boys of Slaton; Mr. C. S. Gentry, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Gentry and daughters, Mrs. Mrs. Ray Johnson, and Mr. Mrs. Bill Karon and son all of Lubbock; and Mr. and Mrs. G. Swan and children of Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Crawford and son, Mark, of Midland spent Sunday visiting with Mr. Crawford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Crawford.

Mrs. Yates Key and Mrs. A. Keys spent last Thursday night Lockney visiting with friends relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Wittig, Edwin Meyer and Mrs. Freda Ter of Posey attended the Northwest Area meeting of the Missionary Federation of the American Lutheran Church at Slaton last Friday.

Mrs. Tip Anderson of Big Bend spent last Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Cecil Long, Mr. and Sandra.



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A group of junior High School boys were taken on a camping trip Friday, May 10, to Lake Stamford. The 76 boys were accompanied by 18 men while fishing, boating, and swimming in the lake.

It was planned for the group to stay through Sunday, May 12, but they returned home Saturday because of rain.

The boys in the group were D. Martin, D. Marriott, R. Cummings, R. Bridges, P. Harris, W. Teffertiller, Jerry Mell, J. Gravel, G. Merck, K. Bownds, D. Jenkins, T. Hendrix, J. Coffield, D. Enloe, D. Caldwell, T. Hatchett, S. Ball, B. Belote, L. Burk, T. Fudge, R. Jones, C. Holley, B. Ganus, Lolo Diaz, M. Brown, P. Gutierrez, J. F. Davis, K. Davis, R. Polk, L. Blizard, N. Comer, J. Forson, T. L. Blizard, N. Comer, B. Bivens, R. Keys, R. Diaz, R. Hoffman, H. Hoffman, J. Morris, D. Edwards, R. McCormick, D. Burleson, G. Talbert, B. Patterson, M. Harper, T. Claiborne, T. Fudge, J. King, R. Wilcox, P. Guteriz, K. Davis, B. Pike, and J. Croy.

Sponsors with the boys were Edwin Cummings, C. E. Gravel, Don Hatchett, A. C. Burk, W. T. Davis Sr., Ronald Polk, James George, M. W. Kerr, Charles Marriott, M. H. Edwards, Bill Ball, Howard Hoffman, G. P. Patterson, E. W. Pike, T. C. Martin, Joe Belote, George Patterson, and F. H. Lowry.



JUNIOR HIGH CAMPERS—Pictured above are part of the 100-plus men and boys who made a week-end camping trip to Lake Stamford last Friday. Good weather prevailed long

enough for the boys to get in a little swimming, boating and fishing, but heavy rains forced the group to return to Slaton Saturday.

Rev. V. F. Love conducted the funeral Saturday in Colorado City for Mrs. Hubert Hixon of Sweetwater.

Mrs. H. G. Sanders spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting with her daughter, Mrs. George Lemon, Mr. Lemon and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Trougette and children of Amherst spent Sunday visiting with Mrs. Trougette's grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Stephens.

Mrs. Miller Choate and children of Levelland spent Sunday visiting her sister, Mrs. M. B. Tate, and Mr. Tate.

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Committee Reports Heard by Slaton F. F. A. Officers

Officers of Slaton's Future Farmer of America chapter planned the program of work for the FFA chapter at a dinner meeting held recently in Lubbock.

Eight committees, with their chairmen, who will carry on the work of the chapter during the coming year include Supervised Farming, Giles Smith; Cooperative Activities, Gregory Gerngross; Community Service, Randy Sanders; Leadership Activities, James Cole; Earnings and Savings, Maxie Slone; Conduct of Meetings, James Buxkemper; Scholarship, Frank Chapple; Recreation, Carlton Tumlison; Program, Jerry Allen; Refreshment, Jerry Harlan; and Cotton Project, James Brooks.

Reports of program of work for each of the committees were submitted to the officers for their consideration.

Guests Sunday in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Crabtree were their son, W. E. Mrs. Crabtree and two daughters of Levelland; and their daughter, Mrs. G. L. Fox, Mr. Fox and daughter of Plainview.

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Mrs. V. R. Mullis of Amarillo spent from Tuesday night to Friday with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Robertson of Amarillo came Saturday and they and Mr. Robertson's brother, J. E., and Mrs. Robertson, spent this week fishing at Lake Brownwood.

Daniel Schuette of Fort Bliss in El Paso recently visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Schuette.

Guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Ray were Mrs. Ray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lamb; her brother, R. A. Lamb, Mrs. Lamb and family, all of Wilson; her sister, Mrs. Weldon Lemon, Mr. Lemon and children; her niece Mrs. J. D. Fortner, Mr. Fortner and sons; and her aunt, Miss Emma Lamb, all of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ritchey and family of Ralls spent Saturday with Mr. Ritchey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Ritchey.

Guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Ritchey were Mr. Ritchey's brother, Lloyd, Mrs. Ritchey and son of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Mathis of Amarillo spent Sunday visiting with L. E. Rudd, Mrs. Ruby Summers and Billie Nell Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Roberts spent the week end in Post visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. Q. W. Withers and sons, Richie and Danny, of Hermleigh spent Sunday with Mrs. Withers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Robison.



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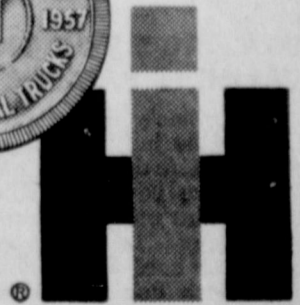
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Mrs. C. S. Oats and Mrs. Donald Basinger were recognized as the oldest and youngest mother present Sunday morning at the Baptist Church. Mrs. Kenneth Davies and Mrs. Don Pennell, who each had four children present, were the mothers present with most children.

Supt. F. W. Callaway took the boys of the junior class to Lake Thomas last week end for an outing of skiing, fishing and boating. The boys are as follows: Chris Gindorf, Kenneth Callaway, Cecil Stolle, Delmer Wilke and Dwaine Barker.

Fred Myers was in Abilene this week end to make arrangements to enter Hardin-Simmons University this summer.

Mrs. Pat Taylor and Mrs. Donald Basinger and baby were driving north on the Gordon road when their car collided with a car driven by Mr. and Mrs. Jobe Miller and their grandson. All were taken to Mercy Hospital in Slaton by Robert Jones, uncle of the two women. In the hospital they were examined and released. The two cars were badly damaged.

Mrs. Noble Wynn went to Amarillo Sunday afternoon to visit her daughter, Mrs. Steve Dearth, and Mr. Dearth.

A3/C Billy Williams of Ardmore, Oklahoma, was here to spend Mothers' Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Myers and children spent the week in Spur with Mrs. Myers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Shaw left Sunday after church for Buffalo Lake to meet her son, J. G. Stacey, Mrs. Stacey and family of Leveland. They all enjoyed a picnic together.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Pennell and Karen Gale visited Saturday night in Wilson with a niece and family. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bishop. Also visiting the Bishops were her brother, E. L. Howard, Mrs. Howard and children of Washington D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Bruster returned Saturday after a weeks visit with their son, Rev. Melton Bruster, and family of Alamogordo, New Mexico.

Mrs. Alva Allbright and her daughter, Elsie, took Mr. Allbright's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Allbright, to Crockett Sunday to visit with their daughter and family.

A3/c Ned Myers has been moved from San Antonio to Amarillo.

Manuel and Elton Truelock and families and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Terry and son, all of Lubbock; and Marvin Truelock spent Mothers' Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Truelock.

Mrs. Donald Sikes of Slaton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams Monday. Other visitors Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Will Williams and son of Close City.

Marilyn and Pamela Maecker of Lubbock spent the week end with their grandparents, the Earl Morris, while their daddy, C. A. Maecker, was in the hospital.

Four children of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Reed Sr. spent Mothers' Day at home. They were Mrs. Ed Thompson, Linda and Barry of Olton; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cummings and children of Needmore; Mrs. J. A. Harrison of Hawthorne, California, and J. O. Reed Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Baker, George Baker and his son, Royce, spent Mothers' Day at a Baker reunion in Kress.

Miss Nelda Roper of Lubbock spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Roper.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Oats of Wolf-orth visited with Mr. Oats' brother, Jay, Mrs. Oats and son.

Jimmy Hafer, who is in the Navy, was here this week end visiting his uncle, Buford Jones, and Mrs. Jones and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davidson and Louise were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee of Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smallwood and Duggie visited Sunday with Mrs. Smallwood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fagin Ross, of Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Morris visited Sunday afternoon with relatives in Lubbock. They visited his sisters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Josh Cogdell, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Lewis, who had come up from Rule, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lewis and Susan, and Mr. and Mrs. Max Morris and Don.

Vernon Turner of Oklahoma is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Frank Golliger, and Mr. Golliger this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pearce and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Taylor and Tommy, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Basinger and son were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Basinger of Slaton. Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Basinger are the parents of Mrs. Pearce, Mrs. Taylor and Donald Basinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Patterson spent Monday in Snyder visiting with Mr. Patterson's father, Ola Patterson.

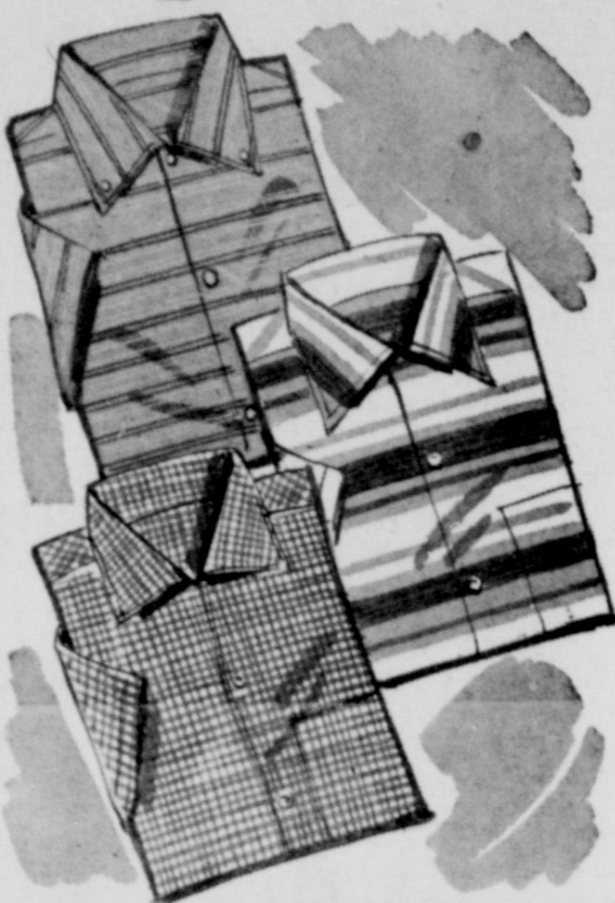
Bentley Page was in College Station last week at Texas A&M where he took a short course.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davis had as guests last week Mr. Davis' niece, Mrs. Robbie Miller, Mr. Miller and family of Seattle, Washington.



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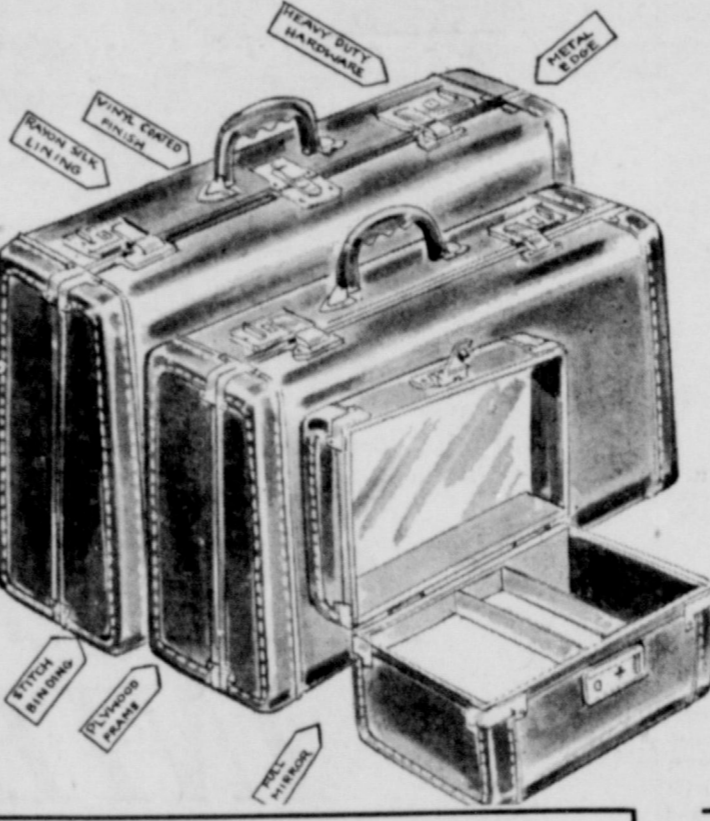
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Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Nelson left today for Oklahoma City where Nelson's brother, Guy Nelson, former Slaton resident, was to undergo a serious operation Tuesday.

Little Thomas spent the week visiting in Bryan with his aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hill.



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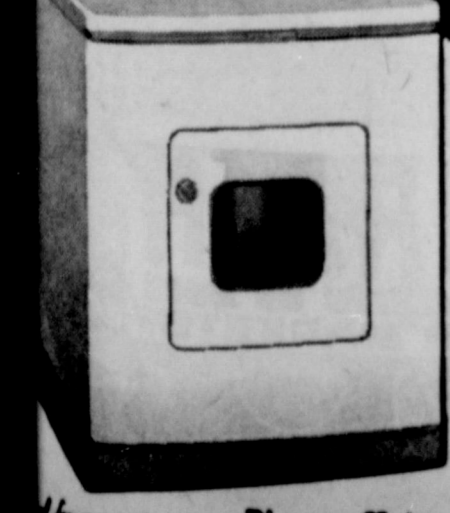
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Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Campbell have recently moved to Wilson from Abernathy. Mr. Campbell is employed by the Walker Service Station and Butane Co.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Teinert were in Uvalde over the week end visiting their son, Vernon, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harvick and Mrs. Harvick's father, Mr. Burns, and Lewis went to Gallup, New Mex., Saturday. They were met there by Mrs. Harvick's brother-in-law, J. C. Vick, who took Mr. Burns and Lewis with him to his home in Kayenta, Arizona where the Burns will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Orbin Houchin and children of Hale Center were guests of Mr. Houchin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Houchin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dial Baxley of Lubbock spent Sunday with Mr. Baxley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baxley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Fountain and children of Amarillo visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Campbell and Mrs. H. C. Fountain, over the week end.

Mrs. Tom Landers and Beverly of Lubbock were guests in the H. G. Cook home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Swann and Billie Pat of Idalou visited Mr. Swann's sister, Mrs. Jack Blevins, and Mr. Blevins Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Swann and children of Plains spent the week end visiting Mr. Swann's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Swann.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Brown and Travis visited Mr. Brown's mother, Mrs. N. H. Brown, in Brownfield, Sunday.

Miss Shirley Hewlett, a student at Hardin-Simmons, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hewlett.

Miss Judy Blankenship, a student at Hardin-Simmons, spent the week end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Blankenship. Judy had as her guests Misses

Joyce Guines, Phyllis Jefferies and Onidson Mathews, all students at Hardin-Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Riddle celebrated their fortieth wedding anniversary Sunday. Those present for this occasion as well as Mothers' Day were Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Riddle and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Riddle and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Roe, all of Tahoka and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Christopher and family of Wilson. There were three children, 18 grandchildren and one great granddaughter present.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Walker were in Crosbyton Friday evening to attend the wedding of Mr. Walker's niece.

Guests of Mrs. S. H. Gryder Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Gryder and Harry, Mrs. L. O. Gryder's mother, Mrs. Annie Shuefferis, all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gryder and children and Mr. and Mrs. John Gayle.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Smith and children of Lakeview and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Anders were dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thad Smith, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hendrix left Friday for Dallas where they will visit for a few days with Mr. Hendrix's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lamb and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lamb were guests Sunday of their daughter and sister, Mrs. O. W. Ray, and family in Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Pressley White of Plains were guests of Mr. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe White, Saturday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Mosley were in Amarillo over the week end visiting Mr. Mosley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Mosley. Mr. Mosley, Leonard's father suffered a mild stroke a short time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Covey and Mrs. Covey's mother, Mrs. T. J. Sides, spent the week end in Ruidoso. Mrs. Sides remained for a longer stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Meador and son of Lubbock spent several days last week vacationing at Ruidoso.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Corley and children of Petersburg and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Skinner of Wilson were guests Sunday of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Houchin.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Teinert spent the week end as guests of Mrs. Teinert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Brandt, in Littlefield.

Valetta Patterson, five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Patterson, was rushed to the West Texas Hospital in Lubbock Thursday of last week for an emergency appendectomy. She was returned home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. A. Tadlock who had been a patient in Mercy Hospital in Slaton for several weeks was brought home Sunday afternoon.

The oldest mother and the youngest mother were recognized in the services of the First Baptist Church in Wilson Sunday, and each was presented with a corsage.

Mrs. H. C. Fountain, 76, was the oldest mother present. Mrs. Bobby Swann, 29, a guest from Plains, was the youngest mother present. Mrs. Cecil Fields and Mrs. L. R. Christopher each had six children present. Mrs. Fields was given the corsage as Mrs. Christopher received it last year. Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Riddle were recognized as the oldest married couple. They celebrated their forty-eighth wedding anniversary Sunday.

The Baptist W. M. S. met Monday in an all day Mission Study on Cuba. A good attendance was reported.

The Baptist Brotherhood met Monday evening. A pancake supper was served, after which a program was heard.

Due to rainy weather the Business Woman's Circle did not meet last week as was reported but met Wednesday evening for Bible Study under the direction of Mrs. Carl Gryder.

Mrs. Loraine Freeman of Lubbock spent Sunday visiting the parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Heck.

The Talent and Style Show which was presented by the Band Mothers Club last week was a "howling"

success. Maybe we should say a 'screaming' success. There was plenty of screaming done, anyway. The audience became aware that we have some unusual talent in our community. The Style Show featured ladies clothing modeled by men. Bill Lumsden modeled as Miss America of 1900. Roy Lynn Kahlich modeled the Baby Doll shorty pajamas. Howard Moerbe modeled the latest street dress for the stout madam; Dale Price wore the latest in modern bathing suits; Mr. Wathins was arrayed in the top style of Toreador pants and sweater; Leonard Mosley modeled today's latest fashions in sweater and skirt; and many more.

Members of the Band Mothers met after the Show and elected officers. New officers of the organization include Mrs. Frank Schneider, president; Mrs. Harry Hewlett as vice president and Mrs. Werner Maeker as secretary-treasurer.

A Band Concert is to be given by the Wilson School Band Friday evening at 8:00. The public is cordially invited to attend. There will be no admission fee.

The Baccalaureate services for the Wilson senior class will be held this Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock, in the High School Auditorium. Commencement exercises for both the grade school and the senior class will be held on Wednesday and Friday evenings, respectively, of next week.

Rev. Billy Wilkinson, pastor of the Wilson Methodist Church, will deliver the class sermon. Rev. H. F. Scott, pastor of the Baptist Church, will give the invocation and W. P. Jones, High School principal will pronounce the benediction. Mrs. E. W. Patterson will play the precessional and the recessional.

Commencement exercises will be held Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock in the High School Auditorium when Mary Lou Lichey, the valedictorian with an average of 95 and Ida Pearl Mason, salutatorian with an average of 94 will address the class. A quintet composed of Joes Luttrell, Dixie Hewlett, Mary Lou Lichey, Ida Pearl Mason and Julia Benevedez, will furnish the special music.

Professional and recessional will be played by the School Band. Eugene Gryder will say the invocation and the benediction will be pronounced by Dixie Hewlett.

Presentation of awards will be made by Mr. W. P. Jones. A piano solo will be given by Miss Dalores Rhoads.

Mr. W. P. Hewlett, school superintendent, will present the class and Mr. Clarence Church, chairman of the board of Trustees, will present the diplomas.

There are twenty-two graduating seniors. Grade School commencement exercises will be held Friday, May 24, at 8:00 p. m. in the High School Auditorium.

Professional and Recessional will be played by Nancy Wuenche. Invocation will be said by Rodney Maeker and the benediction will be pronounced by Jackie Bishop.

Salutatory address will be given by Nancy Wuenche. Class colors will be given by Doris Lamb. Class flower will be discussed by Judy Bishop. Aledictory Address will be given by Glenda Young. A piano solo will be given by Linda Wilkinson. Presentation of Class will be by Mr. Clifton Gardner, Junior High School Principal. Presentation of diplomas will be made by Mr. J. P. Hewlett.

Awarding of grade school Certificates will be made by Mr. Bill Vardeman and the Junior High School Awards will be made by Mr. Gardner.

Mrs. W. H. Sewell of Slaton and her son, William, Mrs. Sewell, Nancy and Jimmy of Midland spent Sunday in Lubbock. They attended the Forrest Heights Church in Lubbock, where Robert Sewell gave a Mother's Day address. Robert is Mrs. W. H. Sewell's grandson.

Sister Zoe Brown of Plainview conducted the service Sunday night at the Church of God. Her mother, Mrs. Throgmorton, accompanied her.

Mrs. Jess Brooks of Clovis, New Mexico, left Monday after a weeks visit with Mrs. Martha Stallings. Mrs. Stallings' daughter, Miss Thelma Stallings, of Lubbock spent the week end with her.



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FUTURE CITIZEN—Jerry Lee Hopper, 1 1/2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hopper, 5636 Ave. B, Lubbock.

Mrs. Donnie Osburn of San Bernardino, California, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sparkman and daughters of Lubbock spent Sunday visiting with Mr. Sparkman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sparkman.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Klesel and children of Houston spent the week with Mr. Klesel's cousin, Mrs. H. G. Schuette, Mr. Schuette and children.

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3. Upon application approval, the fish are delivered.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Schuette spent from Thursday to Sunday in Fredericksburg visiting with Mr. Schuette's father, William Schuette; and his brother, Milton, and Mrs. Schuette. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Schuette have a new baby.

Finis Phillips of New Deal spent Thursday with Mrs. G. P. Parkhill and Zelda.

Guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Spence were their sons, Dale, Mrs. Spence and family of Seminole; Ray, Mrs. Spence and family of Morton; and their daughter, Mrs. Clyde Doherty, Mr. Doherty and family of Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Shafer spent Sunday in Lorenzo visiting with Mrs. Shafer's sister, Mrs. T. P. Fondren, Mr. Fondren and son.

K. C. Scott left Sunday night for several days to go through the hospital at Temple.

Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Rhodes attended the District Assembly of the Nazarene church last week in Amarillo.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Knox and children of Graff, Missouri, spent Saturday with Mr. Knox's sister, Mrs. W. A. Sikes, Mr. Sikes and Jimmy.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schwertner returned Sunday after a weeks visit in Trinidad, Colorado, where they visited with Mrs. Schwertner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miller; and with her sister, Mrs. Roy Morris, and Mr. Morris.

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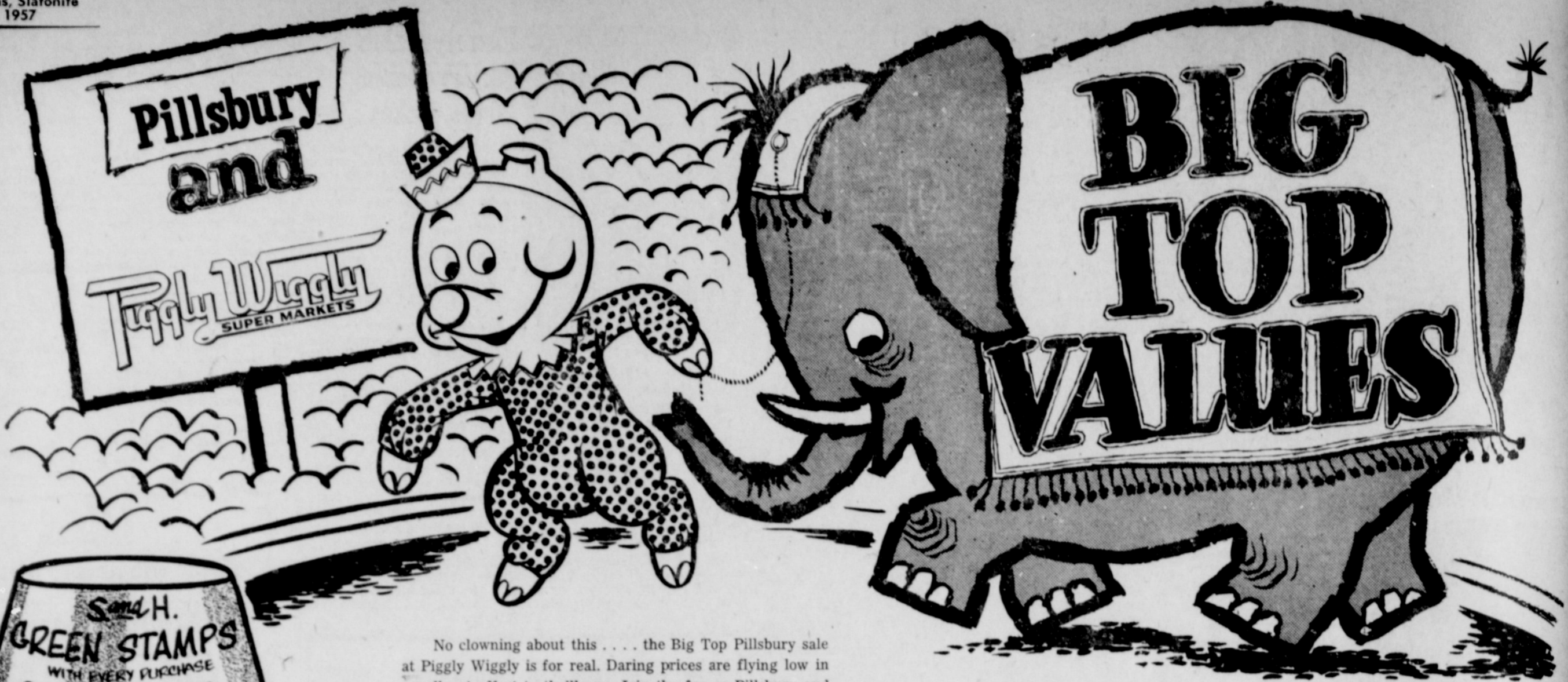
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BEEF RIBS, lb. 19c

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Jonell Lamb, Billy Meeks United In Ceremony May 10

Wedding vows were exchanged by Miss Jonell Lamb and Billy Meeks Friday, May 10, at 7:30 p. m. in the First Methodist Church. Parents of the couple are Mrs. J. R. Lamb of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meeks of Post.

The Rev. J. B. Sharp performed the double ring ceremony before an archway of greenery flanked by candelabra and baskets of majestic daisies.

Brother is Escort
The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Calvin Lamb, wore an original model wedding gown of white imported French lace and nylon tulle over net and taffeta. The fitted lace bodice was designed with a Sabrina neckline framed with scalloped lace and long sleeves ending in points over the hands. Stemming from a pointed waistline, the waltz-length skirt with scattered appliques of lace and a wide ruffle of tulle held by a band of scalloped lace appliques at the lower edge. The fullness of tulle, net and taffeta was emphasized by crinoline worn underneath.

Her veil of imported silk illusion was joined to a lacy tiara type cap of seed pearls. She carried a white Bible topped with white phalaenopsis orchids.

Bride's Attendants
Mrs. Dortha Fay Harris, the bride's sister, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Nancy Mosley and Mrs. Nell Brown. The attendants' dresses were of ice blue cotton satin. They were identically fashioned with bateau necklines accented by bows at the center backs with full street length skirts. Their headresses were matching bandeaus of blue daisies. They carried nosegays of majestic daisies tied with blue ribbons.

James Dye of Post was best man. The ushers were Darrell Ray Norman and Larry Waldrip both of Post.

Traditional wedding music was played by Mrs. Webber Williams who accompanied Jim Campbell as he sang "Always," "Because," and "The Lord's Prayer."

Reception
The reception was held in Fellowship Hall following the ceremony. Mrs. Charles Norwood, Mrs. Bennie C. Johns, and Miss Helen Anne Norris served refreshments from a table covered with a handmade lace table cloth over blue. The table was centered with a silver candelabra holding blue candles, surrounded by the attendants' bouquets. A two-tiered cake, decorated with blue flowers and topped with a miniature bride and groom, and punch were served.

The bride chose a pale green linen sheath dress with white accessories for a wedding trip to Old Mexico. She wore a corsage of white phalaenopsis orchids. The couple will make their home at 350 W. Lynn in Slaton.

Mrs. Meeks graduated from Slaton High School in 1955 and attended McMurry College, where she was a member of the T. I. P. Social Club and a 1956 campus beauty. Mr. Meeks is a 1955 graduate of Post High School. He is engaged in farming near Post.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding were from Lubbock, Post, Abilene, Brownfield, Canyon, and Plainview.

Bluebonnet Club Meets in Wicker Home Wednesday

Thirteen members of the Bluebonnet Club attended the meeting held in the home of Mrs. C. C. Wicker last Wednesday afternoon, May 8. Mrs. Fannie Patterson presided over the meeting at which she gave a report of the County Federation of Club Women that met in Lubbock on April 30. This meeting was attended by Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. D. W. Liles.

Those present to enjoy an afternoon of table games were Mesdames Patterson, L. T. Garland, H. V. Jarman, W. F. Blackerby, F. B. Tudor, H. H. Edmondson, Joe Teague Jr., Roy Parks, Ford Stansell, Harold Wilson, W. E. Payne, A. L. Clifton and the hostess.

The next meeting will be on May 22 in the home of Mrs. L. T. Garland.

The Slaton Slatonite Society Clubs

The Slaton Slatonite

Friday, May 17, 1957

Mrs. Otis Rogers Hostess Monday to Centurettes Club

Mrs. Donald Sikes was in charge of the program at the Centurettes Club meeting Monday, May 13. The members met in the home of Mr. Otis Rogers.

During the business session plans were discussed for making year-books.

Mrs. Sikes showed miscellaneous slide pictures to the group.

Mrs. Rogers served refreshments of cake and coffee to Mesdames Sikes, Bill Love, Webber Williams, Tip Culver, Hobert Limmer, and Clark Self Jr.

The next meeting will be held Monday, May 27, 7:30 p. m. at 1140 W. Lynn in Mrs. Culver's home.

Mrs. H. Schilling Honored Sunday at Barbecue Supper

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kuss entertained with a barbecued chicken supper on Mother's Day, May 12, at their home. The supper was given in honor of Mrs. Herman Schilling, mother of Mrs. Kuss.

Nine of the honoree's 12 children were present, along with 55 friends and relatives. The children unable to attend were Sister Mary Joleen of Our Mother of Mercy Novitiate, Webster Grove, Missouri; Joe Schilling, who was attending the Assumption Seminary at San Antonio; and PFC Donald Schilling, who is in the United States Army and is stationed in Bonholder, Germany.



SODALITY MAY QUEEN—Members of the Court of Sodality May Queen Mary Lee Buxkemper are shown here with the Queen. The crowning, held May 5 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, is an annual affair. Pictured left to right in the back row are Loretta Steffens, Marilyn Kitten, Eugene Bednarz, Queen Mary Lee Buxkemper, Eugene Heinrich, Carol Sue Meurer, and Glenda Lou Kitten. In the front row are Karen Melcher, Nadine Meurer, Sharon Wimmer, Donnie Buxkemper, and Dennis Verkamp.

Mary Lee Buxkemper Crowned Queen At Sodality May Crowning May 5

The annual Sodality May crowning was held Sunday, May 15th, in St. Joseph's Catholic Church. Miss Mary Lee Buxkemper, Sodalist, was given the honor of May Queen.

She wore a gown of white cotton satin fashioned with a torso ending with a rolled hip band which was emphasized with tiny scattered embroidered flowers. The cuffs and standup collar were also trimmed to match the band.

The Rev. Henry Treptow gave the Bible study, taken from Acts 9:37-42, at the meeting of Grace Mission Workers of Grace Lutheran Church Thursday, May 9, at Parish Hall.

The meeting was opened with the singing of the anniversary hymn, "Our Mighty Church Rejoices." Mrs. A. A. Russell gave the devotion, based on the anniversary hymn and Psalm 100.

A skit, "Stewardship of Self and in My Church Relationship," was presented by Mesdames Herman Klesel, Walter Stolle, Arthur Stolle and Edmund Wilke.

In the business session an offering was taken to be sent to India missions.

Refreshments were served to 22 members by the hostesses, Mrs. E. P. Boyle and Mrs. M. Rushing.

Rev. Henry Treptow Speaks to Grace Mission Workers

The Rev. Henry Treptow entertained the state president, Mrs. Charlie Cowley, and her husband, of Ralls, with a picnic Thursday, May 9, at Buffalo Lakes. Mrs. Glen Akin was hostess for the occasion.

Other guests for the outing were Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Parks of Ralls and the Jaycee-Ettes' husbands.

Following the wiener roast the couples danced.

Jaycee-Ettes and their husbands that attended the picnic were Messrs. and Mesdames Akin, Don Kendrick, Bob Conner, Webber Williams, D. W. Walston, Bennie Moore, Otis Rogers, Ted Swanner, Pete Williams, Tommy Swanner, and Warren West.

Girl Scout Troop 107 members who were present were Debra Kayser, Delores Heinrich, Janet Adamek, Judy Kitten, Natalie Gerngross, Sharon Heinrich, Diane Kuss, Theresa Loke, Marie Blair, and the four fly-ups. Their leaders are Mesdames Leon Grochowsky, Francis Grabber, and C. J. Buxkemper.

Following the ceremony refreshments were served to all.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Melcher of Midway spent Sunday with Mrs. Melcher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Steffens.



Mrs. Billy Meeks

Brownie Troop 263 Visits Texas Tech Museum Tuesday

Brownie Troop 263 with leaders, Mesdames J. W. Pettigrew, Eugene Eddings, and N. L. Cress toured Texas Tech Museum Wednesday, May 8.

A guide showed the girls the progress of the South Plains since the time of the Indians. The tour climaxed when the troop viewed the Peter Hurd Murals, presenting the pioneers of Lubbock.

Due to the rain storm the troop needed the picnic which had been planned to be held in Mackenzie Park. A visit to the Girl Scout Little Hut on Ave. P was substituted for the picnic. At the Hut the girls put on a program of singing, dancing, and reciting, followed by playing games.

A supper of hamburgers, potato chips, and cold drinks was served before the troop went to the Santa Fe depot to ride the train home. Before boarding the train each Brownie was presented a souvenir by the Santa Fe.

The entire troop of 23 members made the trip. Mothers who took the girls and assisted the leaders were Mesdames D. C. Robison, H. A. Bryant, R. B. Lain, H. D. Tucker, W. Bowman, and J. T. Kendrick.

Last Meeting Held
The last meeting of the troop for this season was held Tuesday, May 14, at the Scout Hall.

Each girl told of the things she had learned in the past year and they discussed what they would like to do the next year.

Home project for the troop the

Taylor Home Scene Of Willing Workers Class Meeting

Nine members were present for the Willing Workers Sunday School Class of Westview Baptist Church meeting Wednesday, May 8. They met for their monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. G. E. Taylor.

Mrs. J. S. Vaughn opened the meeting with a prayer. The devotion was given by Mrs. C. A. Bloxom.

Mrs. Bert Hastings, reporter for the class, was leader of a Bible quiz following the devotion.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Taylor.


Piano Pupils of Miss Sally Cooper Presented in Recital

Eleven piano pupils were to be presented in a spring recital Thursday, May 16, at 7:30 p. m. in the Clubhouse, by their teacher, Miss Sally Cooper.

The program included Diana Underwood, Wayne Coffee, Dewey Hardin, Peggy Kirksey, Rodney Banks, Linda Camden, Judy Cook, Ray Madison Ayers, David Childers, Suzie Cooper, Vickie Kirksey, and Miss Cooper.

past year was planting something and caring for it. Each girl gave a report on what she had planted and the outcome of it.

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BROWNIE FLY-UP—Four members of Brownie Troop 97 became Girl Scouts in a Fly-up ceremony Friday, May 10. Pictured left to right, front row, are Kathryn Kitten, Joyce Kitten, who became a Brownie; Sharon Wimmer, Lavern Schwertner, Rebecca Ford, Cindy Steffens, Mary Lou Gerngross, and Charmaine Heinrich, Janet Adamek, Judy Kitten, Nat Blair, Lynett Kuss, Linda Grabber, and Diana Shafer. Third row, Debra Kayser, Deloris Heinrich, Janet Adamek, Judy Kitten, Natalie Gerngross, Sharon Heinrich, Diane Kuss, Theresa Loke, and Marie Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dally of San Diego, California, are visiting for several weeks with Mrs. Dally's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thornton. The Dallys' son, Weldon, and family of Lubbock also visited several days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thornton.

Ralph Steffens of Dimmitt spent last Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Steffens.

Four Brownies Become Girl Scouts In Fly-up Ceremony

Investiture ceremonies were held Friday, May 10, at the Girl Scout Hall, for Joyce Kitten to become a member of Brownie Troop 97 and for Chantal Blair, Lynett Kuss, Linda Grabber, and Diana Shafer to become Girl Scouts in Troop 107.

Following the investiture for Joyce Kitten, the fly-ups found their Girl Scout wings in a bird nest. Each fly-up lighted a candle in a horseshoe as she recited the Girl Scout promise. Mrs. Leon Grochowsky then presented the four girls with their Girl Scout pins.

Members of the Brownie Troop who were present were Kathryn Kitten, Joyce Kitten, Sharon Wimmer, Lavern Schwertner, Rebecca Ford, Cindy Steffens, Mary Lou Gerngross, and Charmaine Heinrich. Leaders of the troop are Mesdames Tony Steffens, Louie Melcher, Jerry Melcher, and Norbert Kitten.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rackler spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting with Mr. Rackler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Rackler, and with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Carl Rackler, who was in Methodist Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hill of Eunice, New Mexico, spent Saturday visiting with their nephew, Kenneth Rackler, Mrs. Rackler, and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Polk spent Sunday in Tahoka visiting with Mrs. Polk's sister, Mrs. Wayne Hudson; and her mother, Mrs. R. L. Bain.

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T. E. L. Class Holds Business, Social In Stephens Home

Mrs. J. M. Stephens was hostess at the monthly social and business meeting of the T. E. L. Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church Thursday, May 9, in her home. She was assisted by Mrs. Tate Sancher.

Mrs. A. J. Baker gave the devotional, which was taken from the second chapter of Philippians. Mrs. J. R. Robertson gave the prayer.

Mrs. Fannie Patterson presided over the business session in the absence of the president, Mrs. E. M. Lott. Minutes of the last meeting and the new business were given by the secretary, Mrs. Joe Teague Jr.

Refreshments were served to Miss Eula Ferrell, Mesdames W. R. Mabry, Ed Meyers, J. W. Crawford, W. A. Cook, J. A. Douglas, Baker, Robertson, Patterson, Lott, Teague and two visitors, Mrs. D. W. Wals-ton and Mrs. Roy Parks.

Mrs. J. A. Wright Presents 46 Pupils In Piano Recital

Mrs. J. A. Wright presented 46 of her piano pupils in a recital Monday evening, May 13, at the Slaton High School Auditorium.

Those who participated on the program include Rita Kay Payne, Donna Hatchett, Vicki Nowlin, Mark Todd, Ruth Ellis, David Thompson, Gary Glasscock, Mike Williams, Carol Todd, Nancie Walton, David Edwards, Glynn Payne, Doug Williams, Floyd Elterman, Sharon Self, Kathy Brown, Paul Troutt, Jan Scott, Nan Saage, Deanie Hatchett.

Thelma Lee Kidd, Nancy Smith, Sherrea Belt, Martha Ellis, Rosa Walston, Robin Davis, Marilyn McSweeney, Nelda Ray, Nancy Anderson, Gregg Nowlin, Patricia McSweeney, Judy Davis, Gerry Clark, Ronda Pettigrew, Nita Ward, Dana Lou Heaton, Johnny Morris, Marilyn Gilmore, Pam Henry, Howard Hoffman, Ann Basinger, Patsy Pettigrew, Harriet Perkins, Don Edwards, Jennie Lee Chriesman, and Cherie Arrants.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bunker of Durant, Oklahoma, spent the week end with Mrs. Bunker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Evans. Other guests in the Evanses' home were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Evans and Robert of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Swafford of Slaton.

Mrs. J. W. Rettig of Lafayette, Louisiana, is visiting this week with her sister, Mrs. C. L. Pack, and Mr. Pack.



(SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)

BATTER UP—Batter Juan Torres couldn't keep his eyes off the camera, even though the game was in progress. Torres, along with Catcher Dubbin Englund, and Richard Cooper, were three of literally hundreds of school children who swarmed over County Park last Friday in school-day picnics.

Rev. Gaze Speaks To Evans Students

Chapel services at Evans School were held last Friday morning, under the direction of Mrs. I. W. Greer.

The Rev. Ted E. Gaze, pastor of First Baptist Church, delivered the address. Closing remarks were given by Principal O. B. Allen.

Two visitors, Mrs. Thomas, and Miss Wilford Jean Shields, a former student, were present. Miss Thomas has been attending Bishop College this year.

Southland Cemetery Work Day Set

Monday, May 20, will be an all day work day in the Southland cemetery for all who are interested in the welfare of the cemetery. Mrs. Hub Haire urges that everyone be there or send someone in their place. She states that there is much work to be done to improve the area.

Mrs. Joe Johnson and her brother, C. L. Basinger, have returned from a nine day visit with relatives and friends in Alief and Houston. They attended the Old Settlers reunion at Alief and Mrs. Johnson says they saw friends they haven't seen in 40 years.

Guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Butler Sr. were their sons, J. B. Butler Jr., Mrs. Butler, Eva Lou and Sharon of Cactus; Bill Butler, Mrs. Butler, Billy and Randy of Lamesa; and their daughters, Mrs. James Vannoy, and Mr. Vannoy; and Mrs. D. T. Reed, Mr. Reed, and Linda Kay all of Slaton; their grandson, Darwin Duckett, Mrs. Duckett and Valinda of Lubbock; Mrs. Butler's sister, Mrs. Willie Crawford of Anson; Mr. Butler's niece, Mrs. Cliff Culpepper, and Joy Faye; and his nephew, Clyde Lyle, all of Cactus. Shirley Butler of Cactus could not be there but called early Sunday morning to wish his mother a Mother's Day greeting.

Mrs. Tula Pierce and her son, Claude F. Pierce, Mrs. Pierce and family of Port Arthur visited with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. W. T. Slaughter, this week. Other guests of Mrs. Slaughter were her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Ward, and Mr. Ward, of San Angelo and their grandson, CWO Claude L. Ward, of Port Eustis, Virginia, who is enroute to France.

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New cooperators in the district include D. B. Williamson, Mrs. James Knight, Harvey L. Moore, L. W. Chance Jr., Armour Kinkler, Miller C. Sharp Jr., G. C. Campbell, O. A. Corley, and O. W. Corley.

Outline of activities scheduled for the observance of Soil Stewardship Week May 26-June 2 was presented.

Attending the meeting were Joe S. Walker Sr., Frank Gray, Cecil Brashear, Mrs. Alton Strickland, Lloyd Morton, and Bill Reece, newly appointed work unit conservator with the SCS.

Improvements in Park Area Done By FFA Students

First year vocational agriculture students worked on Wednesday and Thursday, May 1 and 2, improving the park area in and around the tennis courts. Work was supervised by John Schmidt and Truett Babb, advisor of the local chapter.

Work done included cleaning up around the tennis courts, cleaning parts of the park area, improving the play area, improving the tennis courts and screens around the courts, and resetting posts around the court.

Mrs. W. V. Leet of St. Paul, Minnesota, is visiting for several weeks with her sister, Mrs. M. A. Pember.

Mr. and Mrs. George Evans left Thursday morning for Albuquerque, New Mexico, where Mr. Evans will go through the Santa Fe hospital for a check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hanna, Mrs. Horace Wheeler, Mrs. Jack Meyers and Mrs. Hub Haire of Southland attended a tea in Littlefield Tuesday afternoon, May 14, honoring Mrs. Pauline Smith, Worthy Grand Matron of the Order of Eastern Star of Texas.

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Program for Next Year Approved by Future Farmers

Slaton Future Farmers of America held a regular meeting May 6 at Slaton High School. Chapter officers opened and closed the meeting.

Passing the program of work for the coming year was the main item of business conducted.

Refreshments of Cokes and donuts were served to 26 members, one guest, and Truett Babb, chapter advisor. Entertainment was given by Rodney Kitten playing an accordion.

C. N. Henderson of Post spent last week end with his sister, Mrs. F. P. O'Conner.

Mrs. E. L. Hunter and Mrs. Bob Hunter of Eunice, New Mexico, visited Monday with their daughter and sister-in-law, Mrs. C. L. Newcomb, Bro. Newcomb and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Perdue spent last week end in Crane with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Glasscock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Glasscock of Crane were supper guests last Thursday night of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Perdue.

James Powell of Pueblo, Colorado, visited last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Powell. Mrs. Powell returned to Boulder, Colorado, with him where they visited with their son and brother, Robert Powell, who is a junior at Boulder. James then brought her home.

Mrs. Opal Crow of Lubbock spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. W. E. Payne.

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Mrs. J. M. Stephens spent Sunday night in Lubbock with Mrs. Dolly Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Wild spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting with their daughter, Mrs. J. E. Thompson, Jimmy and Tommy.

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WHAT THEY CAME FOR—Picnics are fun, with games and running and all, but you can't really enjoy the fun unless, like these boys, you have some food along. Students in Mrs. Edwin Cummings' fourth grade, pictured above are, left to right, Bobby Joe Harlan, Len Dodson, Steve Tucker, Larry Luman, and Ray Madison Ayers. They, along with many others, had an outing last Friday in County Park.

South Plains Sports Show Begins Friday, May 28, at Buffalo Lakes

Buffalo Lakes will be the scene of the South Plains Sports Show May 28-June 2. Highlighting the event will be a bathing beauty contest in which "Miss Sports Show" will be named. Two contests will be held, one for girls 2-18 years, the other for girls 18-28. Winners in the senior group will compete in the Miss Texas contest to be held at Lake Whitney. Contestants must be unmarried.

Traffic Tickets Issued 11 Persons

Tickets for traffic violations were issued 11 persons Friday, Saturday and Sunday, according to Police Department records. Violations included excessive noise from muffler, speeding, driving without an operator's license, permitting an unlicensed driver to drive, and illegal parking.

Girl Scouts Have Picnic Thursday

A picnic was given for the regular meeting of Girl Scout Troop 260 Thursday, May 9, in the county park. Patricia McSweeney and Nancy Anderson were hostesses for the meeting.

ATTEND EX-STUDENT HOMECOMING

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Gentry, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Gentry, and Robert Boyce of Posey attended the ex-student homecoming at Alief Sunday, May 5.

Reports Given to Woman's Society of Christian Service

Mrs. A. C. Burk presented the devotion at the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church meeting, May 13. The church sanctuary was the scene of the meeting.

Record Set by Local Police Department Presented Rotarians by Bill Daniels

Chief of Police Bill Daniels gave a resume of the past year's work of the local Police Department to members of the Slaton Rotary Club last Thursday.

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Evans School Commencement Exercises Scheduled 8 p. m. Wednesday, May 22

Commencement exercises for Evans school students will be held at 8 p. m. Wednesday, May 22, in the Evans Auditorium.

Seniors graduating include Lucy A. B. Payne, class president; Lucy Anderson, vice president; Patsy L. Johnson, secretary; Margaret C. Parker, assistant secretary; and Hester M. Parker, treasurer.

Eighth grade students who will take part in the exercises include Curtis J. Hall, class president; Winston C. Rainey, vice president; Dorothy L. Liggins, secretary; Lucy M. Harris, assistant secretary; Thelma Lang, treasurer; Margaret M. Harris, parliamentarian; Lela M. Hall; Dorothy A. Jordan, Robert Featherston Jr., Joe L. Scott, Maurice Scott Jr., and James L. White.

The Rev. L. L. Dixon will give the invocation. Scripture will be read by the Rev. J. S. Gilbert. Lucy A. B. Payne will deliver the salutatory address, followed by Patsy L. Johnson who will give the valedictory address.

The Rev. Josephus E. Blackmore will be commencement speaker.

Graduates will be presented by O. B. Allen, principal of Evans school, and diplomas will be presented by P. L. Vardy Jr., superintendent of schools.

The Rev. H. O. Payne will give the benediction.

Methodist Youth Plan All-Church Birthday Party

Members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship of First Methodist Church will sponsor an all-church Birthday Party on the church lawn Thursday, May 23, at 7:30 p. m.

Admission is two cents per year of age, or \$1 for those who prefer not to disclose their age. Proceeds will go into the Methodist Youth Fund.

Sharon Smith is general chairman of the party, with Peggy Ray serving as program chairman.

Homemade ice cream and cake will be served.

Mrs. L. C. Livingston and her mother-in-law, Mrs. Avie Livingston, of Levelland spent Sunday with Mrs. L. C. Livingston's mother, Mrs. E. L. Phillips.

New Officers for Tiger Town Named

New officers have been chosen for Tiger Town. Sammy Wilson was named president; Russell Cummings, vice president; Dorothy Heaton, secretary; Vicki Kirksey, treasurer; and Bobby Sokoll, reporter.

In charge of decorations will be Billy Balmanno, Sharon Boyd, Mary Jane Lovelady, and James Vardy.

Directors include Gary Ward, freshman; Suzanne Neill, sophomore; Jackie Shepard, junior; and Alma Jean Winn, senior.

Advisors will be J. S. Edwards Jr., and Jack Shepard. They replace Howard Hoffman and J. W. Bagby.

A dance honoring graduating seniors will be held following commencement exercises Monday. No blue jeans will be allowed for this activity, officers stated.

Father of Local Woman Buried In New Mexico

Funeral services for S. O. Earwood, 76, were held in Truth or Consequences, N. M., Sunday afternoon. Earwood, the father of Mrs. Ruby Barron of Slaton, died Friday.

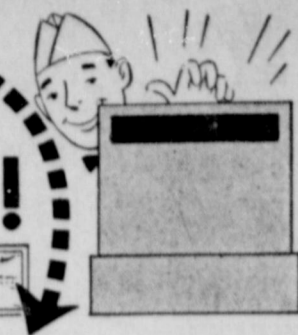
A resident of Truth or Consequences for 15 years, Earwood is survived by nine children. They include Raymond Earwood, Alamogordo, N. M.; Curtis Earwood, Clovis, N. M.; Floyd Earwood, Ft. Worth; Gailon Earwood, Odell Earwood, Truth or Consequences, N. M.; Mrs. Barron, Slaton; Maggie Tabor, Causey, N. M.; and Christeen Lollis, Perryton.

Services were conducted from the Truth or Consequences Church of Christ by the minister, Mr. Clark.

Mrs. R. S. Swafford returned Wednesday from Santa Ana, California, where she visited with her sister, Mrs. Byron Caldwell, and Mr. Caldwell. She also visited in Taft, California, with her niece, Mrs. Weldon Jones, and family.



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All Gold **SPINACH, No. 2 can** **12 1/2c**

Orange Juice Donald Duck 6-Oz. Cans 2 for **29c**

Birdseye Frozen Cream Style **CORN, 10-oz. pkg.** **17c**

Green Birdseye **PEAS, 10 ozs.** **17c**

Birdseye **SPINACH, 10 ozs.** **17c**

Fish Birdseye **BITES** **29c**

Tomato Juice All Gold No. 2 Cans 6 cans **79c**

Uncle William's **PORK AND BEANS, 3 cans** **29c**

Red Label **KARO, pt. bottle** **25c**

7-Oz. Pkgs. Skinner **MACARONI OR SPAGHETTI, 2 for** **29c**

Salmon Honey Boy tall can **47c**

MILKY CANDY, Large 10c Bars, 3 for **25c**

SNICKERS, Large 10c Bars, 3 for **25c**

LIQUID JOY, king size can **99c**

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Golden Fruit **BANANAS, lb.** **12 1/2c**

Strawberries Fresh California Fancy **25c**

Celo Carton **FRESH TOMATOES, each** **23c**

Red McClure **POTATOES, 10-lb. plyo bag** **39c**

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Commencement, B Talks Will Be Given, B

by Claude Myers
Major Odie V. Simms Jr., a former graduate of SHS, will deliver the commencement speech on Monday evening, May 20, at 8 p. m. in the high school auditorium.

Valedictorian Donnie Marsh and Salutatorian Barbara Wilke will deliver their addresses. Robert Hall Davis, president of the Slaton School Board, will award diplomas and scholarships.

Musical selections will be furnished by the Choraleers, directed by Mrs. M. G. Davis. Three selections will be presented, "My Prayer," "Nocturne" and "Robin in the Rain."

Rev. J. B. Sharp, minister of the Slaton First Methodist Church, will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon to seniors Sunday, May 19, at 8 p. m. in the high school auditorium.

Choral Group to Sing
Musical selections will again be furnished by the choral group. Vernell Bodnarz will sing a solo entitled "I Am the

Community Jobs, Community Jobs

member of the state advisory council.
Mr. Babb has been a senior sponsor for 10 years, three years at Ropesville, six years at Meadow, and one year at Slaton. The duties of a senior sponsor are to assist members of the senior class in raising money for senior activities, act as custodian of the funds, sponsor all class activities, direct the senior plays, and wherever possible act as a guidance counselor.

Mr. Babb's favorite pastime is working on civic and community improvements and also his FFA activities. He enjoys eating, bowling, swimming, and playing 42. His dislikes or pet peeves are people who say one thing and think another. His favorite foods are Mexican foods and steaks, and his favorite color is yellow.

The Marine Corps Institute was established in 1920 as the first "service" correspondence school.

Graduates Review Accomplishments Of Senior Year

by Dal Stanley
One of the most pleasant things for a graduate to do is look back and see what he and members of his class have accomplished in the past year. This year's class is extremely proud, not that they are better than any other class but they each take pride in the class's achievements.

From the issues of this year's Tiger's Cage, these achievements of the Class of 57 were taken. Sept. 8, Mary Ann Klattenthoff was selected 1956 Queen of the Lubbock County Farm Bureau. Larry White was elected president of FFA, Rodney Klitten, vice president of the D. E. Club and Dal Stanley was chosen to head the Tiger's Cage staff with Gregory Tomlinson as assistant editor. Two senior girls, Patsy Hogue and Barbara Wilke, were elected to head the pep squad and FHA, respectively. Helen Anne No-

ris held the position of Area I FHA president until recently.

Council Heads

Don Wright and Roland Ger-man were chosen as president and vice president, respectively, of the Student Council. Donnie Marsh headed the Tiger's Lair and Shirley Forson was elected president of the Dunamis Science Club. Miss Klattenthoff and Marilyn Boyce took ribbons at the Panhandle-South Plains Fair. Rose Custer was named D. E. Club Sweetheart and Charlotte Muse was picked as the 1956 Football Sweetheart. Dickie Thomas was elected Pep Squad Sweetheart.

The FFA conducting team of which Larry White was president won first place in district and area contests. Helen Anne Norris and Dwayne Preston were elected FFA and FHA Sweethearts, respectively. Don Wright headed the Tiger Club and Dickie Thomas was second in command. At the football banquet, Phil Pearson was awarded the honor of Most Valuable Player. Nine senior grid-ers, eight of them lettermen, finished the season with a 28-10 record. Miss Klattenthoff was named local winner in

School Honors

James Vivial and Glenda Kitten were chosen as Mr. and Miss SHS in personality contests. This year's most voted most athletic was Helen and Miss Norris, most attractive: James Vivial and Nancy Mosley, best personality; and Donnie Marsh and Winnie McGraw, most courteous. The varsity boys basketball squad, of which seven seniors were members, compiled a 17-11 won-lost record and won first and second place trophies at Dimmitt and Coleman tournaments, respectively. The girls varsity squad compiled a 19-12 won-lost record.

Four of its members were seniors. Seniors took three first places in the district Interscholastic League competition and two firsts in in regional competition.

The class of 57 hopes that it has set an example for others to follow.

Enlisted men in the Continental Marines of 1776 wore green coats, green shirts, and breeches of light colored cloth.

The Slaton Slatonite

Friday, May 17, 1957

Sixteen Pages

Magazine Section Honoring Slaton Graduating Class

CONGRATULATIONS

RELINQUISHES GAVEL—Helen Ann Norris, right, presents Robin Sumner of Area I Future at the area meeting in Am-

Texas history. To Arlie Bownd I leave my ability not to play books in a year.

The 1957 Slaton High School Senior Class



Roland German



Pat Smith



Gerald Tucker



Fay Nell Willy

Seniors Will Attribute To Under Classmen

By Gregory Tomlinson

As the final year for many SHS students is drawing to a close, all the seniors have certain last wishes consisting of gifts to the underclassmen. These are the wills and last testaments of the 1957 graduating class.

I. Truck Rash, being of questionable mind and dissipated body do hereby bequeath to those who follow after me the duties, pleasures, trials, and tribulations of senior sponsorship. I will my ability to get 100 per cent cooperation from all members of the class through my mild mannered, soft spoken method. My rule of life: Never under any condition fail to let each and every member have his way about everything. This is the secret of my success as a sponsor. I also will the senior class concession stand including all of the equipment (which incidentally bebody do hereby will and bequeath to Billy Dickson 12 inches of my stupendous height, as both real and unreal, to the

sponsor who is next in line to look after, guard, and try to find when needed. I will the best class parents ever, the senior parents of 1957, to the ages. I want their memories to remain as monuments to the great help and encouragement that they have been to me as class sponsor and to the class as a whole this year.

I. William Adams, being of no mind and little body declare my last will and testament. To Dan by Will, I leave the nickname of "Elyas" (shake it cool, man). I leave my seat in D. E. to anyone who wants it. As for my seat in study hall, I leave it to any poor soul who gets stuck with it; boy, you had better be quiet. There is my ability to be a good driver, which I leave to Jerry Don Everage Buddy, you had better slow down and quit getting traffic tickets.

I. Judy Allen, being of an unsettled mind and an enormous wealth to Billy Dickson 12 inches of my stupendous height, as both real and unreal, to the

exotic walk to Cherie Arrants. To Dorothy Heaton, I will my long, golden, red hair. To anyone who can use it, I leave my ability to pass English IV. Just be sure to study (and cheat if necessary).

I. Abel Arruonolo, being of exceedingly stable mind, and wonderful body, do hereby reveal my will and last testimony. To Sammy Wilson, I leave my truck shoes. My you use them better than I did. My baseball suit I leave to anyone who needs it. Erdrada, my chair in sixth period study hall, sit on it more than I did.

I. Rodney J. Bednarz, being of little brain and run-down car, do hereby will my Texas history grades to Amnon Spark man, who can surely use them. I also will my seat in the study hall to anybody who is lazy, and unwilling to work and cooperate. I also will the other ear screw that Patti Cooper lost to Bugsy, who was innocent. I would also like to will my ability to lay off drinking and smoking work.

ing to some of the stupid freshmen. To Royce Heinrich, I would like to will my locker which he used all year long and my position as grease-monkey at Schuette's Service Station.

I. Vernell Bednarz, of small build and still smaller mind do hereby will my chair in Coach Taylor's second period study hall to Wanda Wells. Please don't be as mean to him as I leave the ability to drown out all the second soprano and alto by yourself. You will sing louder now. To Pam Maxey, I leave my place in the everloving choral robe closet.

I. Beverly Blaud, being of sound mind and skiny body do hereby leave my last will and testimony. First, I would like to leave my old, red, basketball suit No. 10 to Pat Schilling. I take good care of it. Pat, A lot of sweat and love has been left in it during the past four years. Next, I leave my column, "Campus Corner" to any journalism student willing to do a little extra work.

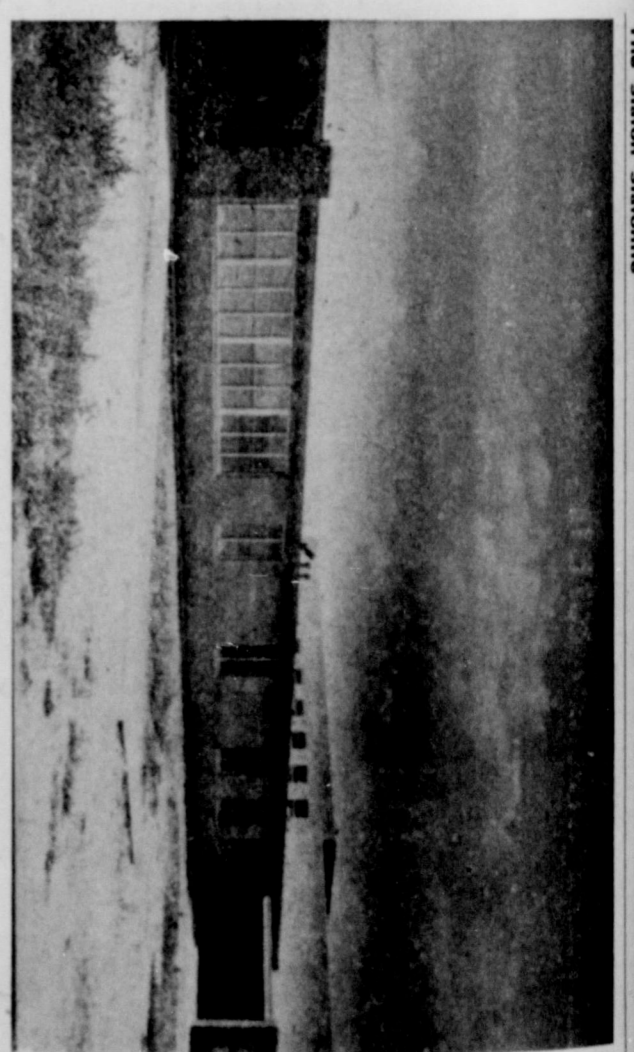
I. Martin Boyce, being of sound body and little mind, will to Donna Wilke my class and always be late to class and somehow to manage to slip in without a pass.

We, Tina Crumblley and Karen Cooper, being of no minds and sharp bones, make our last wills and testaments. We leave to any Junior girls that are mean, our 365-page volume, "How to Get Out of School." We also will our paths down the halls of old SHS from room to room to Linda and Louise. To anyone stupid enough to take bookkeeping we leave our worst outcries.

I. Patti Cooper, with little mind and not much body do hereby will my position as secretary of the senior class to Shirley Love. If the money comes out short, just count to ten before saying too much. Just think, you just have to pick in the extra. To some lucky student I'd like to leave my annual staff position. That little black box will go many places with you.

I. Rose Marie Cusker, being financially poor, mentally retarded, and physically until, do hereby bequeath unto the poor

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Slaton High School

THE PROPHECY

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none other than Neutle Nan Watson. Neutle counts for a prince as her sixth try for a happy marriage. Fay Nell Willy and Norberto Diaz, both prominent wrestlers, have joined forces, and now hold the world championship tag team title.

Kenneth Parterson has been living a thrilling life as a beekeeper for Buzzy Honey Company. Reggie Foster recently set up in business as a private

detective. Although just a beginner, Reggie has already solved 14 murder cases.

Prominent Athletes

Two 37 seniors have made a place for themselves in the world of athletics. Abel Arruonolo gained fame as the only pitcher ever to pitch two perfect World Series games but never win a regular season game. Phil Pearson has surpassed Bronco Nazurski's fame as a fullback by personally taking four Los Angeles Ram plays

ers out of a game.

Domnie Marsh became known as the first human to reach the moon. However, the present condition of Domnie is doubtful. He hasn't been heard from in over a year and a half. It is presumed he is still up there.

Lanny Swanner, who was so outstanding as a mathematician while in high school, has recently received his doctorate degree in chemistry from UCLA.

Due to the actions of a pin-welding drunk, Karen Cooper has gone into retirement after



reaching the brink of starvation with her wild, bubble-bursting girl friend, Tina Crumblley, affiliated with the Mogen David wine firm. She is working in the capacity as a taster in the champagne department.

Dickie Thomas has chosen the field of railroading for his living. Dickie has been promoted to section gang foreman after having spent the better 10 years of his life as a spike driver. Kay Sain has secured a job with the Freckle Fader Company. She made her TV debut last week, and demonstrated the use of the product, which actually works.

Two 37 seniors have made their name by doing stunts. Shirley Forson is now known as the first woman to barrel over Niagara Falls in a barrel and live. She is in Mercy Hospital, however, and doctors term her condition as critical. Rodney Bednarz is in the process of setting a new flagpole sitting record. He's been at it for six months and four days now. Two other seniors have been caught in the vice of gambling. Patti Smith plays the horses, and Rose Custer is a lady roulette wheel operator in Las Vegas.

County Liquor Officer Vic Hauer is a captain on the Liquor Control Board, and has announced that he intends to clean up Labcock county. Also launching a drug-against world by evil is Don Wright. Don is a self-ordained preacher, and is holding revivals every month.

Barbara Wilke has just completed a world tour with the New York Metropolitan Opera Company, during which she was given a special audience with the Queen of England, Carol Sue Meurer is also in the entertainment field. She and Fred Astaire have just completed shooting scenes for a tap dancing film.

Past Walker

Judy Allen helped the U. S. team win the Olympic Games by taking first place in the 14-mile walking race. Loreta Seddens is helping support her family by working as a cigarette girl in a night club in New York. Alma Jean Winn is working in the same night club as a bartender.

Marilyn Boyce was selected as the most diligent Salvation

Army worker in Texas for her fund-raising campaign. Karen Green is a professional with a high school diploma working off the coasts of Japan, looking for pearls. Rodney Kitten is living in Kentucky and owns a huge plantation. "Coldwell" Kitten is raising tobacco for his cigarette firm, "Lucky Strake."

Old Maid's Home

Sharon Smith has been hired as social director at an old maid's home. Beverly Blaud is running a hot dog stand on Highway 84, just on the other side of Posey. Glenda Lou Kitten finishes the review of the 37 seniors in this year of 1957. She is master of ceremonies on a TV quiz show called "People Are Odd."

The 1957 Slaton High School Senior Class



Kay Sain



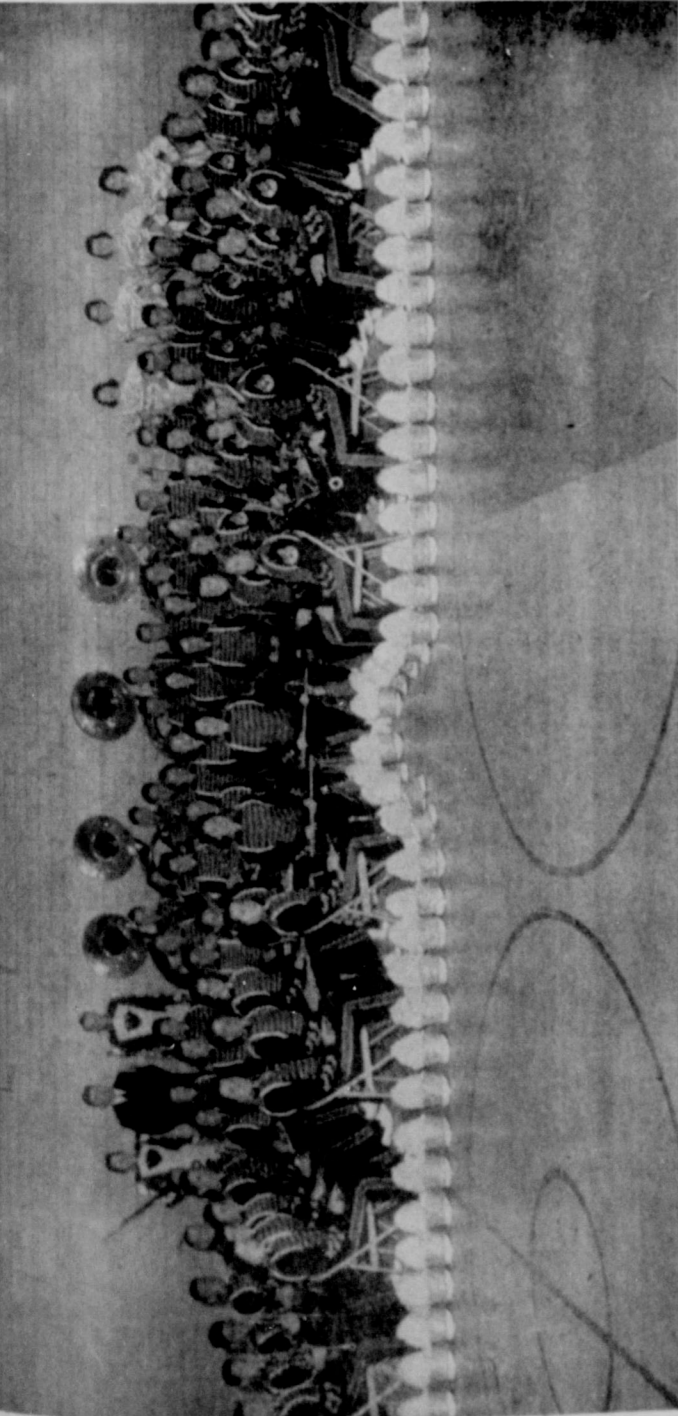
Dickie Thomas



Barbara Wilke



Dal Stanley



Slaton High School Tiger Band
Bill Townsend, Director

OUR THANKS—
 We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to the staff of The Tiger's Case, their sponsor, Mrs. Helen Kerr, and the 1957 Senior Class, for their cooperation in furnishing copy and pictures for this special edition.
 —The Slatonites

The Prophecy - Will It Come True for Class of '57 at Slaton High School?

By Vic Huser
 Many years have passed since the 1957 seniors trotted out of SHS, diploma in hand, ready to take their places in society. Except for a few, the old '57 seniors seem to be doing rather well in their respective positions.
 Rudy Dominguez, who was so musically-minded in high school, followed this path, and is now occupying first chair in the saxophone section in Lawrence Weik's band. Two other seniors are also shining in the musical world. They are Nancy Mosley and William Adams. Adams and Mosley teamed up to put out a western singing record which is, at present, rating 96th on the best-selling list, and rising steadily. They have also made sensational appearances on the Grand Ole Opry and the Country Show.
 Vernell Bedmarz and Leo Henzler recently realized their life's ambition when they merged their two canning factories to become the nation's leading sauerkraut canners.
Twenty-Two Children
 Karen Deaver Norwood, still living in Slaton, is leading a normal everyday life. Although her husband left her, she is quite happy, as her 22 children keep her occupied.
 Larry White, after playing 10 years of pro basketball, is now coaching the Harlem Globetrotters. Danny Gallegos underwent a change of heart and is now in charge of the Texas history department at Texas Tech.
Question Tactics
 Roland German is actively engaged in the profession of being a successful lawyer. German has accumulated over 3 million dollars in the past five years, although there is some doubt as to the legitimacy of his tactics. Patsy Hoque, since being left at the altar by her ex-fiance in the summer of 1957, has settled down to the life of a clerk in a local dry goods store.
 Following a scientific life is Eugene Hopkins, who is now the proud possessor of the largest collection in the world. Dal Stanley has been touring the countryside with a carnival, showing everybody his amazing talents as an Indian rubber man.
Madam Senator
 Helen Anne Norris has made good use of her speaking abilities. She was recently elected to represent Texas in the U. S. Senate. Gregory Tomlinson has also attained some degree of fame. His weekly appearances on TV as a comedian have left the nation rolling in laughter.
 One member of the '57 class has met with some trouble. It seems that Gerald Tucker tried to take home a souvenir during a tour of Fort Knox. The federal government is taking care of Gerald for the next 15 years. Dale Kincer has seen his goal as a golf enthusiast come true. Kincer is holding down a job at the La Swank Country Club as head groundskeeper and golf ball polisher.
English Teacher?
 James Vivial has settled down

to the quiet, secluded life of an English teacher at Southland High School. Winnie McGraw has devoted her life to the teaching of the hula dance to people who wish to become the life of the party. Charlotte Muse is also a prominent figure in the dancing field. At present she is a dime-a-dance girl at some night spot in New Orleans.
 Occupying an executive office at the General Mills Company is Mary Ann Klaitenhoff. She is second in her field of creating new recipes only to Betty Crockler, who is her close friend. Claude Myers is married and has become a most successful financier on Wall Street.
Journalists
 Following the field of journalism, Alma Reese Roberts worked her way from cub reporter to her present position as editor of the Avalon-Journal. Also leading a moderately successful life in the newspaper business is Pauline Miller. Pauline is widely known as the writer of her column, "Tips to the Lovelorn."
 Prince Ranter has just married his fourteenth wife, who is

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RELINQUISHES GAVEL—Helen Ann Norris, right, presents Robin Sumner of Area I Future at the area meeting in Amarillo.

Texas history. To Arlie Bownd
 I leave my ability not to play
 books in a source.

BEST TO YOU

but once to the poor boys who take it next year.
 I, Leo Henzler, being of both blubber and not all my screws, hereby leave my intellectual ability to Billy Miller. You need it. I leave my ability to peeve Mrs. Boyd every day and never get thrown out to Bill Cox. You need it, too. I leave my position as shop foreman, manager, and head mechanic at Goldmann's Garage to Derrell (Continued on Page 6)



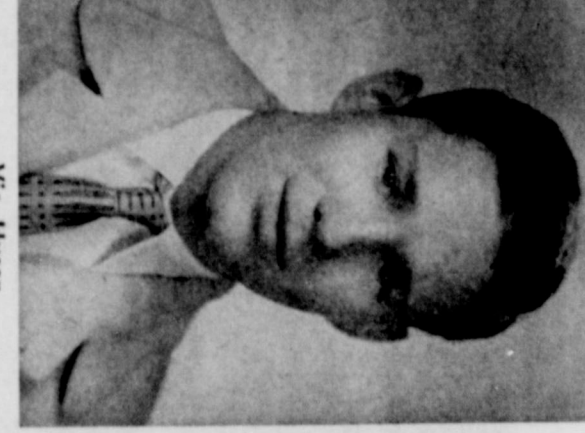
Marilyn Boyce



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Phil Pearson



Vernell Bednarz



The 1957 Slaton High School Senior Class

EDITORIAL

THE LONG-AWAITED DAY

by Vic Huser

Graduation day! For a long time the seniors have been looking forward to this date. For four long years they have gone to high school. They have seen many of their classmates become discouraged and drop out. Some joined the armed forces, some moved away, and some went to work in a service station or grocery store.

Many of the seniors were tempted to join these classmates that gave up, but they didn't. They stuck with it. They studied when they could have gone to the movies. They went to school when they could have gone fishing. They participated in sports when they could have been smoking and staying up late at night. Sure, it was hard. But just ask any senior if he or she thinks it was worth it. The answer will be a strong "Yes!"

Today, in this world of specialization, a high school diploma is the basic key to a successful life. There is no use in kidding about it. Without a diploma, a fellow would have to be lucky to find a job paying \$60 per week and keep it. The query "Did you graduate from high school?" is a universal question on an application form.

With all this in mind, some 50 or more Slaton High School seniors will cross the stage to receive that all-important diploma, and they'll be glad they did stick with it.

Student Body Enjoys School Year Full of Exciting Events, Honors

by Alma Roberts

This school year of 1956-57 has been full of exciting events and many students have gained praiseworthy honors.

To start the year off right all organizations of SHS had to have new officers; the most important one, of course, was president. The band elected Joe Bob Jones as their president, while the FHA and FFA elected Barbara Wilke and Larry White respectively. President of the pep squad was Patsy Hogue, and cheerleaders were Charlotte Muse, Suzanne Neill, Louise Moore, June Johnson, and Beverly Bland. The Choraleers chose Dorothy Heaton; the student council voted for Don Wright; the Tiger's Lair staff elected Donnie Marsh; DE chose James Vival; The Tigers' Cage staff elected Dal Stanley; and the Dumas Science Club, a new organization in SHS this year, chose Shirley Forson.

Honors Bestowed
The month of November showed the DE club honoring Rose Marie Custer with the title of DE Sweetheart and the crowning of Dickie Thomas and Charlotte Muse as Pep Squad and Football Sweethearts respectively. The juniors presented their annual play that month

entitled "Almost Summer." It was a big success. The big highlight of the month for FHAers was the FHA Banquet in the East Ballroom at the Ladbroke Hotel. The theme was "Gateways to the Stars" and the decorations were beautiful. Miss Billie Wolfe from the Home Economics department at Tech was the speaker.

Also, during that busy month of November, the FFA senior chapter conducting team won first place at the Area I Leadership training contests conducted in Plainview.

The Touchdown Club held their annual banquet at the Clubhouse Dec. 3. Ray Morrison was the speaker for that occasion. Also, during December the FHA and FFA Sweethearts were crowned in a "Winter Wonderland" assembly. They were Helen Anne Norris and Dwayne Preston.

The Chicken Shack was the scene of the Band Banquet Dec. 20, with Joe Bob Jones as master of ceremonies and Robert

Hill Davis as speaker. Starting the new year off right, jackets and sweaters were issued to very deserving lettermen. The variety lettermen were Don Wright, co-captain, Phil Pearson, co-captain, Norberto Diaz, and Dickie Thomas, all seniors; Alfred Blizard, and Alex Franco, juniors; and Dale Gordon, sophomore.

Mary Ann Kluttenhoff was the local winner of the Betty Crocker Contest. The FFA Banquet was held at the Community Building in February with Dr. I. Harry Scott as the speaker, returning for his second straight year.

SHS Favorites
Favorites were chosen in this month and decisions were hard to make, but top honors went to Phil Pearson, Victor Huser, and Helen Anne Norris as most attractive. James Vival and Nancy Mosley as best personality. Donnie Marsh and Willie McCreaw as most courteous. Vival and Glenda Lou Kitten, senior, were honored with the title of Mr. and Miss SHS and Dal Stanley and Miss McCreaw were voted most successful boy and girl.

The 1957 Slaton High School Senior Class

Varied Scholastic Experiences Cited By Local Seniors

By NOBERTO DIAZ

From the 56 senior students of Slaton High School, 28 of them started in school in other towns or in other states, eight began at East Ward, 11 at West Ward, and eight at St. Joseph's Catholic School, Slaton.

The following students are the ones who entered the first grade in other schools or states. Judy Allen went to school at Mason, Texas, and came to Slaton this year. William Adams attended school in Meridian and Bonita, Miss., before coming to Slaton in the fifth grade. Abel Arguello started school in Cooper and in the sixth grade he came to Slaton.

Rodney Bednarz attended school at Cooper and St. Joseph's and came to Slaton High School in his junior year. Vernell Bednarz attended school in Wilson, St. Joseph's, and Cooper before coming to Slaton in her junior year.

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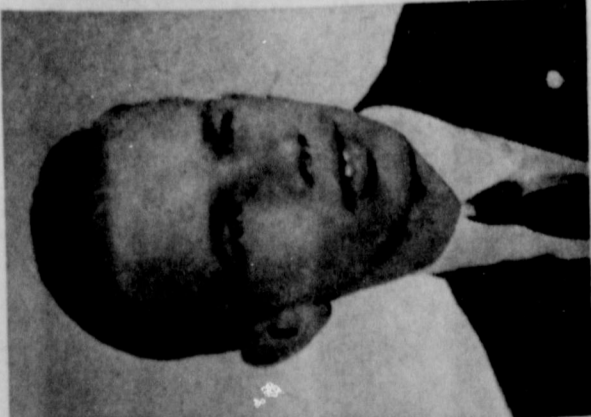
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Rodney Bednarz



Danny Gallegos



William Adams



James Vivial



Nancy Mosley



Claude Myers



Rose Custer

Commencement, Baccalaureate Talks Will Be Given by Simms, Sharp

by Claude Myers
Major Odis V. Simms Jr., at
former graduate of SHS, will de-

Varied Futures in Sight for This Year's Graduates from Slaton High

Future plans for the graduat-
ing seniors of SHS are varied.

Thomas plans to study engineer-
ing at Texas A & M. Norberto
Diaz wants to enter an Aero-

The resolution of the Con-
tinental Congress in 1775,
which authorized the original

Close Calls In '56 Football Season Leave Tigers With 2 Wins, 8 Losses

The Slaton Tigers ended the
1956 football season on the los-
ing end of a two won and eight

combination clicked for the Ti-
gers' only six pointer.

In recognition of the gallant
action of the Marines at Belleau
Wood in World War II, the

Graduates Named

Victor Husser, Dale Kinser,
Glenda Lou Kitten, Rodney Kit-

Marine Battalion Accompanied Washington on his Crossing of the Delaware near Trenton, New Jersey and fought in the Battle of Ansanpink, January 2, 1777.

A Marine battalion accom-
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Tigers Lose Nine

The Tigers will lose only nine
seniors from the ball club this
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Pauline Miller

SENIOR WILL

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least, I leave to some poor, un-
connected soul my chair in
bookkeeping. Listen attentive-
ly and you'll pass.

I. James Lanny Swanner, be-
ing of sound mind and much
power do hereby release
my will and last testimony to be
read in public. To Sammy Wil-
son I will my magnificent
brain and my ability to get
through high school in four
years. To Billy Balimanno, I will
my sideburns. Come around
sometime and I will cut them
off and give them to you. Last,
but not least, I will to Ronald
Joe Richard Bagby, who has a
feminine touch in playing foot-
ball, my masculine ability to
play football.

I. Gregory Tomlinson, being
of magnanimous physical struc-
ture and diminutive mental ca-
pacity do hereby make public
my last will and testament. Be-
ing the last of the unpremedi-
tated sneezers, and wishing to
conserve this undefinable equal-
ity for posterity, I will my
sneezing ability to James Mur-
phy, whose happy-go-lucky, un-
playful attitude has been a
guiding light to me the past
years. To George M. Privett, I

leave my charter membership
in the C. C. C. You really don't
need it. To all the under-class-
men of Slaton Senior High, I
leave the greatest thing of all—
the memory of a great, honest,
kind, courteous, intelligent, and
modest person—me!

I. William Gerald Tucker,
Esq., being of sane mind and
body, do hereby submit my last
will and testament to be read
only in the event of my gradu-
ation from Slaton Senior High
School. I will the dignity and re-
spected name of my father, Wil-
liam Tucker, to all juniors. To
Wendel Bringer, I will my hon-
orary membership in the NFAA
(National Pickpockets of Amer-
ica Association). I will the keys
of my 50 model Chevrolet, with
high speed radio antenna, high
speed paint job, high speed sun
visor, high speed fender skirts,
dual headlights, dual high speed
mirrors, milled speedometer cas-
tles, with special racing valve
cores, and low speed motor to
my brother, Gwyndal—see what
it is like to buy gas for it. I
take all other possessions in-
cluding my autographed picture
of Trigger (ever see an auto-
graphed picture of Trigger?)
to Jerry Hogue, a person who
I wish me.

I. Dickie Thomas, being of
frail mind and ill-proportioned
body, do hereby make my last
will and testament. To my fine
friends, colleagues, and fellow
students, especially Bandy Sanders
and Doug Corley, I wish much
regret to leave the very poorly
constructed building of the SIS
Athletic Department. I would
also leave you the splinters, but
as yet, I haven't pulled them
from my body. I also leave to
Alton and Bill Barry the
privilege of fighting over my
white track shoes.

I. Neudie Watson, being of
sound body but little mind, do
hereby will to Cherie Atrants
my position as accompanist of
the Choral Club. Do what Mrs.
Davis tells you and you will do
fine. To Della Stegans, I leave
my place in the choral robes
closet. May your neck ache
from having stotes draped
around it and your arms from
holding robes. To someone who
likes to aggravate Mrs. Halse,
I leave my place in Homemak-
ing III class.

I. Larry White, being of all
body and no brain, do hereby
leave my knowledge of basket-
ball to John Foster. May you use
it well. I do hereby leave height
luck too hard, LaRue! To Del-
ma, I will my ability to finish

needs it. I do also will my abil-
ity to pass Journalism (with
straight A's) to Bobby Sokoll. I
also will my sideburns to Jerry
(Slick) Harlan. Take good care
of them. Slick, I leave my good
looks to Avlie Bownds. Boy does
he need them! And to Joe Bob
Foster, I leave my chair in assem-
bly. Just find one and that's it.
To Jan Cooper, I will my senior
ring, my jacket, and my basket-
ball. She has them anyway.
I also will my ability to get
through school in four years to
Arlio Bownds. (If I do get out.)
Start studying Arlie. To John
Foster, I leave my ability not
to play hookie one time in four
years. I also will my record,
to James Cole. May you do bet-
ter than I did. I will my ability
to shoot pool to James Bux
Kemp. And to the student
body, I will all my good luck. I
would like to wish each and ev-
ery one of you a Merry Christ-
mas and a Happy New Year!

I. Fay Nell Wiley, being of
large body and very little mind,
will my ability to play hooky and
not get caught to Laitue
Bownds. (Don't press your
luck too hard, LaRue!) To Del-
ma, I will my ability to finish

I. Barbara Wilke, will to my
little sister, Donna, my degree
to receive my State F.H.S. Degree
my junior year. Good luck!
I. Alma Jean Winn, of sound
body and exquisite mind here-
by will my ability, or



Kenneth Green

my senior year before getting
married. Good luck.
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little sister, Donna, my degree
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my junior year. Good luck!
I. Alma Jean Winn, of sound
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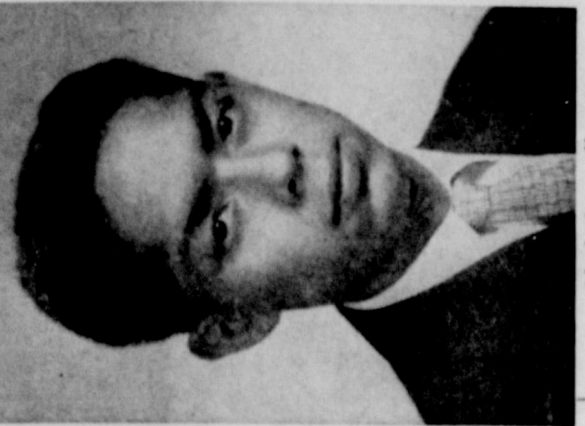
Neutie Nan Watson

SENIOR WILL

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Last, but not least, I will to
Beverly Myers my chair in the
soprano section in choral.

I. Nancy Mosley, being of no
mind and a lotta body do here-
by make my last will and testa-
ment. I will my position as ma-
jorette for four years and senior
years to Martha McCormick.
(She already has it.) Make good
use of these last two years. To
Martha: they surely go fast. To
Suzanne Neill, I will all my
happiness that I've received
from my years in SHS. I leave to
anyone who is willing to make
play out of work and still make
their grades. It may be hard,
but ain't it fun? Pardon my Eng-
lish Mrs. Martin.

I. Claude Myers, being of fair-
ly strong body and very little
mind, will my seat in the suit-
orium to Bobby Sokoll. I will
my sideburns and long girl-like
hair to Connie Jones. I will my
ability to get out of high school
in 5 years to High Van Pierce
and watch old Mike and Rus-
sell. Last, but not least, I would
like to will all my happiness and
some lucky freshman.
I. Charlotte Muse, being of
insufficient mind and even
worse body, do hereby will to
June Johnson my ability, or

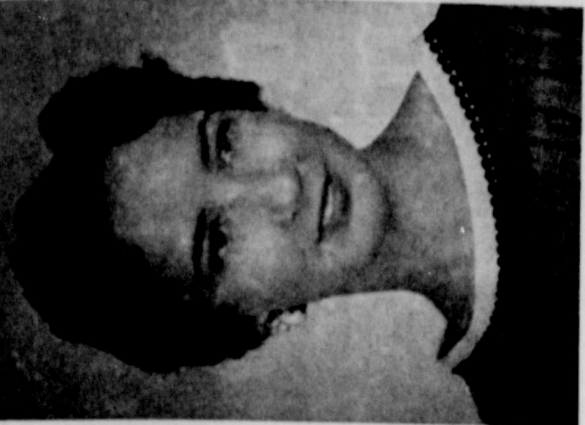


Abel Arguello

of little mind, and deteriorated
body, do hereby submit my last
will. To any boy who takes phys-
ics, I leave my scientific atti-
tude. To the prettiest girl in
Slaton High, I leave myself.
(You lucky girl.)

I. Phillip Eugene Pearson,
Esq., being composed of the vi-
tal, necessary organic and in-
organic molecules, these being
unsaturated and subject to
Avogadro's laws and number,
and these molecules also occur
ring in adequate quantities as
to insure better domestic rela-
tions between Xenon and yter-
rium, and with deepest apology
to those responsible for the er-
ror in chronology which has
placed me in the senior class do
hereby make my last will and
testimony. First of all, I have
nothing to testify on the
grounds that it might tend to in-
criminate me. Also being of
very sound mind, I leave to the
students of Slaton Senior High
School nothing because
I'm taking everything I can
with me.

I. Alma Reese Roberts, an
unsparingly idiot, do hereby leave
my last will and testimony to
the unfortunate who are left.
First, I will my reputation as
the noisiest person in SHS to



Pat Hogue

Karen Henry. She has already
got a good start. Last, I will my
neat, uncluttered, Fibber-Magee
and Molly locker with the Elvis
Presley picture inside to any
"Hound Dog" who is "All
Shook Up" enough to take it.

I. Kay Sain, being of red hair
and freckles, do hereby will the
pedestal in physics to anyone
above to Suzie Cooper. Keep
going kid; you've already got a
good start. I also will to Irene
Tomlinson the ability to skip
classes and leave school early.
Keep those eyes innocent-look-
ing Irene; they could keep you
out of trouble.

I. Pat Smith, being of little
mind, but large body, will my
ability to any able-bodied under-
classman to play hooky without
being caught. I also will my
ability to stay out of trouble in
study hall to Suzie Cooper. You
be my last will and testament
used. First, I will my millions of
short-hand tablets to the
first soon that goes after a de-
Next, I leave my defamed fi-
gers and sore eyes to anyone
who goes to Interscholastic
League in shorthand. To Shir-
ley Love, I leave my place in
the choral robe closet. May your
arms ache from holding robes,
and your feet hurt from being
stomped on. Last, but not
least, I will my reputation as
the noisiest person in SHS to



Helen Anne Norris

mind and lengthy body, do here-
by leave the following posses-
sions to the underclassmen
named hence: My ability to let-
ter in basketball two years and
play less than anyone hence-
forth to Wayne Banks. My com-
partmentalized, pigeonholed
pedestal in physics to anyone
who knows his purpose, objec-
tives, and the passward Duna-
mis, Dunamis, Dunamis, Ouch
!!! My position as business
manager of the annual to San-
dra Long. Also, I leave a fund
of \$480 so she can buy all 15
pages of ads. One slightly used
slide rule to anyone who has
it.

I. Loretta Steffens, being of
warped mind and worn out
body, do hereby declare this to
be my last will and testament
used. First, I will my millions of
short-hand tablets to the
first soon that goes after a de-
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Shirley Forson



Eugene Hopkins



Reggie Foster



Kenneth Patterson



Charlotte Muse



Leo Henzler



Patti Cooper



Dale Kinser

Happy, Glowing Faces Mark SHS Senior Class

By Bobby Skelliff

If folks didn't know the reason why all the seniors were so cheerful last week, they don't have to worry about it: the

reason was because of the senior trip. The senior class picked Mission Valley Guest Ranch in New Braunfels, Texas, for their trip this year. The seniors left from the high school by chartered bus precisely at 12:01 A. M. Wednesday, May 15, and will return today. There were no stops made for sight-seeing on the way to New Braunfels. Accompanying the seniors as chaperones are Trnett Babb, John M. Gilbert, Mrs. Grace Dodson, Mrs. Leonard Foster, Mrs. C. V. Kitten, Mrs. E. L. Norris, Mrs. N. B. Boyce, Mrs. Dan Winn, and Mrs. Bill Smith. At Mission Valley the seniors are enjoying horseback riding and many other types of recreation. All in all this is one of the highlights of every senior's high school career.

Three Students Attend State League Meet

By Gregory Tomlinson

Three SHS students attended the annual State Inter-scholastic League Meet held in Austin, May 3, 4, 5. Helen Anne Norris and Choraleers won sweepstakes at Brownfield, FFA Week during the extemporaneous speaking event, having placed first at the Regional Meet. Vic Huser entered the journal contest, Huser won first place at the Regional contest, and he placed fourth in the Feature Writing contest at State. Gregory Tomlinson was a delegate to the state journalism convention.

At the convention, all high school papers were rated, and the Tiger's Cage received the Award of Merit, which is the equivalent of a fourth place. Also at the convention, the officers of the 1958 Inter-scholastic League Press Conference were elected.

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girl in the senior class. The Area I FFA meeting was in Amarillo this year. Approximately 60 girls attended from Slaton and a devotional was given by seven Slaton FFA girls, on "Love."

During March six Slaton boys placed high in the Lubbock County Stock Show held here at Brownfield. FFA Week during March was climaxed by a style show. The theme was "A Wish for Happiness" and the motto of the week was "be-kind-to-teachers."

The latest contest, King and Queen of Western Day, was won by the freshman class and their candidates were Lynn Hurst and Jerry Harlan.

Vic Huser and Helen Anne Norris qualified for the State Inter-scholastic League meet at Austin by winning first at the regional meet.

Commerce, in A, and Gaston (Johnville), in B.

While in Austin, members of the group toured the State Capitol and museum. They were accompanied on the trip by Coach and Mrs. M. W. Kerr.

Tigerettes Place Second in District 2-AA Competition with 10-2 Record

by VIC HUSER

Coach Marvin Smith's Tigerettes closed out a surprisingly successful season with their final district win over Floydada Feb. 28. In doing so, the Slaton Tigers compiled a 10-2 district record, which was good enough to give them second-place berth in a tough 2-AA district.

Slaton, in collecting a 19-12 season record, racked up a total of 1,653 points in 31 games, while their opponents totaled 1,832 points. This is an average of 53.3 points per game, as compared with a 52.7 average for their opponents. Junior center Linda Smith easily took individual scoring honors by sinking 685 points for a 22.8 average per game. Next high was Beverly Bland, senior forward, with 475 points, or a 17.6 average. Alma Jean Winn dropped in 362 points for a 12.2 average.

In the defense department, Beth Lowry, a junior guard, topped the rather dubious honor for the most fouls by committing 97 personal and one technical.

Winnie McGraw raised her hand 88 times for fouling. Miss Winn had 84, and Sunny Mudgett was caught on 72 occasions.

The Tigerettes were entered in three tournaments. In the New Deal tourney, they failed to advance past the semifinals. The SHS cageers fared much better in the Crispian classic. They advanced to the finals, but were defeated there by McAuliffe and returned with a second-place trophy. In the Dismal tourney, they lost two straight games to emerge with less.

Prospects for next year look good. The Tigerettes will lose four starters, Misses Bland, Winn, McGraw, and Shirley Folsom. Three of these are starters. However, Miss Smith, scoring sensation, Miss Smith, will be back, along with Misses Lowry and Mudgett.

The Marine Corps Band was organized in 1938 and has played for every president except George Washington.

Seniors, Seniors—Tell Us Do, What's The Best Time We Had in School?

BY CLAUDE MYERS

The school year for the senior class of 1957 will be drawing to a close. Seniors can look back over the past year and think of all the good times they have had with the activities and highlights that most of them will remember always.

A survey has been made to find out some of the most outstanding happenings of the seniors' high school days.

Vic Huser-going to state in journalism.

Dickie Thomas-winning district in the 100-yard low hurdles.

Alma Roberts-being the feature editor on the Tiger's Cage and graduation.

Beverly Bland-graduation.

Dal Stanley-basketball.

Norberto Diaz-graduation.

Lanny Swanner-graduation.

Donnie Marsh, Barbara Wilke Take Honors for '57 Graduating Class

By Bobby Skelliff

The top students for the 1957 graduating class of Slaton High School have been announced. They are Donnie Marsh, valedictorian, who has a final average of 93.71, and Barbara Wilke, salutatorian, whose final grade was 93.55. Gregory Tomlinson was third with an average of 92.57; Dal Stanley was next with an average of 92.37, and Victor Huser was fifth with a final grade of 91.75.

Donnie Marsh has been a very active student around SHS. He was editor of the yearbook, a member of the Letterman's Club, in the senior play, was voted most courteous boy in Slaton High School, and he also entered in the slide rule contest at the Inter-scholastic League meet and placed second.

Barbara Wilke also has had an active school year. She was president of the FFA, secretary of the pep squad, secretary of the science club, and was runner-up for the most courteous girl in Slaton High School.

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