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Santa Fe to Build Another Trunk Line Through Slaton

RAILROAD REVIEW CARRIES STORY OF PROJECT; PRELIMINARY SURVEY MADE.

The following story was carried in a recent issue of the Fort Worth Record, copied from the Railroad Review, which gives it authenticity:

"It begins to look as if the Santa Fe will take over the West Texas line that has been built out of Midland to Seminole and extend it through the Plains to El Paso. A recent issue of the Railroad Review carries the following story, that is self-explanatory to a certain extent:

"The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway system is considering plans-looking to the construction of a through line from El Paso to Fort Worth, a distance of about 550 miles, as a consequence of the growth of the Growth of the Plains section of Texas and the increasing demand for more railroad facilities. The new road will probably run from El Paso via Carlsbad, N. M., and Seminole, Texas, to Lamesa, Texas, whence there is an Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe line of fifty miles to Slaton, where the Santa Fe line to Post, Texas, might be followed, and from there a straight line would be taken to Fort Worth, perhaps via Haskell, Throckmorton and Graham, Texas. Preliminary surveys are reported made.

"This line means the realization of the dream of the northwest section of the State for the direct line from Ft. Worth. The proposed line will open up virgin territory and bring the farmers and stockmen of the sections that now are crying for a railroad direct to market.

"It will open up a territory that is rich in agricultural resources and said to be honeycombed with mineral. For the last several years the government has been making tests for potash in the country that will be traversed by this line.

"Cost of construction will be light. Already the line to Seminole that was begun before the World war has been graded a good distance. Some one will have to take over that line, besides it will be a big feeder to the other lines of the system. The Santa Fe is the logical system to build the line."

WORK PROGRESSING NICELY ON NEW OFFICE BUILDING

Work on the 125-foot two story addition to the Santa Fe Division office building here is progressing nicely. A large force of workmen are rapidly pushing it to completion. It is also stated that in the near future the Santa Fe will erect a large office building in the business district, which will be used exclusively by the officials of the company here. Slaton is becoming one of the most important divisions on the Santa Fe lines in Texas, and when the trunk line is built from El Paso to Fort Worth Slaton will then be the best equipped division point on the Texas lines.

WILSON.

Scott's mother and brother returned from Friday until Monday.

They were laid Sunday for a Christmas tree at the church Christmas night. A short program will be given.

W. H. May and son Edwin, Tuesday from Roswell, New Mexico where Edwin has been in a suffering from his ears, for several weeks. We are glad to be doing fine.

Mrs. Vera Pilley went to Lubbock for treatment on her eye. She is doing nicely since tonsilectomy a week ago.

Mrs. Frank Crews, accompanied by D. Heath returned Sunday from Dallas, where he attended Baptist General Convention Texas. He reports a fine and largest attendance in its history.

Scott is recovering from a cold. Sara and Celia May visited from Miss Obera Forester.

Man and family and also the family left Tuesday for South Texas, where they will spend their home.

Mr. Horn, the leader in imperiousness, at the Baptist church.

Attention! Christmas Shoppers!



Here are Some of the Season's best values for every member of the family. Extra special Bargains in extraordinary Holiday goods at extra low Liquidation prices. We have gone through the stock and cut the prices lower where we could for the December Holiday Shoppers.

FOR FATHER	FOR BROTHER
Suits or Overcoats ---- \$16 to \$39.75	Suits and Overcoats \$2.50 to \$20.00
Nettleton Shoes, only ----- \$10.00	Shoes ----- \$2.50 to \$5.00
W. L. Douglas Shoes, per pair ----- \$7.50, \$8.00, \$9.00	Sweaters ----- \$1.25 to \$4.95
Stetson, Mallory and Leon Hats ----- \$4.95 to \$9.95	Mackinaws ----- \$4.95 to \$6.95
Negligee Shirts ----- One-Half Off	Knee Pants ----- 50c to \$3.95
Underwear, suit ---- \$1.00 to \$6.00	Silk Shirts ----- \$4.95 to \$7.75
Neck Ties ----- 25c to \$1.00	Silk Hose ----- 79c to \$1.19
Felt House Shoes	Handkerchiefs, Collars and Ties ----- 15c to \$1.00

FOR MOTHER	FOR SISTER
Blouses from ----- \$3.65 to \$10.00	Crepe de Chene Underwear, at only ----- \$3.50 to \$8.00
Oregon City all-wool Blankets for only ----- \$11.10	Silk Petticoats ----- \$4.75 to \$6.85
Coats from ----- \$3.95 to \$22.95	Pumps and Oxfords from ----- \$4.95 to \$7.95
Dresses from ----- \$4.95 to \$28.65	Silk Hose, black and brown, per pair ----- \$1.39 to \$2.98
Corduroy Bath Robes \$5.65 to \$9.15	One Brunswick Phonograph, priced \$150.00; for ----- \$119.75
One Brunswick Phonograph priced at \$200.00, for ----- \$149.75	Fancy Pocketbooks ---- \$1.50 to \$10.95
Felt House Shoes, Hand Bags and Suit Cases.	Ladies' Handkerchiefs and Collars

ROBERTSON DRY GOODS COMPANY

HOME OF HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX CLOTHES

SLATON, TEXAS

MR. AND MRS. MONROE HOPKINS PLAYERS COMING BACK TO SLATON

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Hopkins Players, who played the Wilselma Theatre here last February, are coming back for a week's engagement, opening Monday, Dec. 12th. From the reports we have of the show they have the best dramatic company on the road this season. All new people from what they had last year with the exception of Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins. They also have an entirely new line of plays.

The opening play is a new one they have lately succeeded in getting, and one that has made a tremendous success throughout the country where it has been played. It is "Believed Me Xantippe," formerly played by the famous comedian John Barrymore in the city of New York, also in the past year it has been pictured and played by Wallace Reid in filmdom. It is a play that was written especially for laughing purposes and the author has made good his intentions, for it provides one laugh after another for the audience.

The vaudeville acts are also new and Mr. Hopkins has succeeded in getting hold of some people that can do some classy acts too, as well as himself and wife, who you all remember for their unexcelled vaudeville presented last winter. Mr. Hopkins says the admission

will be within reach of all, as he does not believe in charging the people outrageous prices and giving them nothing in return, as he contemplates coming back to Slaton each year and making more and more friends with each visit.

Mr. Hopkins has decided to give the ladies of Slaton a treat on the opening night, by giving all ladies free if accompanied by one paid admission. This is the first time this company has opened with ladies free this season, and we feel sure that the ladies of Slaton will readily respond to the invitation and fill the house to capacity.

The prices will be 25c for children and 55c for adults, including the war tax. Doors are open at 7:15 and the show starts promptly at 8:00. Remember ladies, that you are free Monday night if you will bring some one with you.

This company recently finished a two weeks' engagement in Amarillo, where they turned away several hundred people nightly at the Deandi Theatre, for lack of standing room.

NOTICE!

Change of 18-hour light service. Instead of running evenings to mornings, we will begin next Monday to run the 18-hour service from evening to next day noon. SLATON POWER & LIGHT CO.

Baptist Church Announcements.

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Paul Owens, Supt.

Preaching at 11 and 7 by pastor. Morning theme: "My trip to the Baptist Convention."

Evening theme: "Close Communion," or what the Bible teaches relative to the Lord's Supper.

The church will observe the ordinance at the close of the evening sermon.

The regular schedule of services for the day will appear in "The Weekly Bulletin," a copy of which will be handed you at the door.

Come! You are cordially invited.

JNO. P. HARDESTY, Pastor.

BIRTH REPORT.

R. H. Tudor and wife, Dec. 5, girl. M. H. Steffens and wife, Dec. 8, girl.

A. L. Connor and wife, Dec. 8, girl.

T. E. L. Class.

You are welcome to the T. E. L. class which meets every Sunday morning at 10, at the pastor's home. With our splendid president, Mrs. J. W. Short, and devoted teacher, Mrs. Hardesty, in charge, you will be sure to enjoy the hour.

We pay the highest market price your eggs, chickens, etc. Bring them in.—City Market & Grocery.

Odd Fellows Elect Officers.

Tuesday night last the Odd Fellows elected officers for the ensuing term, as follows:

R. T. Rhodes, N. G.; B. O. Bailey, V. G.; L. B. Hagerman, reelected secretary; M. G. Leverett, reelected treasurer; J. L. Hoffman, reelected trustee; J. C. Stewart, delegate to Grand Lodge; M. G. Leverett, alternate.

FOOTBALL SLATON vs. FLOYDADA

THIS GAME WILL BE PLAYED FOR PANHANDLE CHAMPIONSHIP. COME AND BOOST FOR THE SLATON BOYS AND HELP WIN THE GAME. THEY NEED YOUR SUPPORT.

ADMISSION 25 AND 50 CENTS

FRIDAY, DEC. 9, AT 3:30 P. M. SLATON BALL PARK

FROM DECEMBER 3rd TO 17th

We will offer Ladies Ready To Wear and Millinery at Big Reductions
 Sizes and Assortments Complete
ATTEND THIS SALE

In connection with your Christmas shopping. Many items all over the house bought especially for gifts.

BARRIER BROS.

Lubbock, Texas

HEAVY FIRE LOSSES AT SOUTHLAND FRIDAY AND SATURDAY NIGHTS LAST

About 8 o'clock last Friday night fire of unknown origin destroyed the stock of the Southland Hardware and the building occupied by this establishment. The fire rapidly spread to adjoining buildings in the block, all of which were wood, and the entire block was burned to the ground.

The losses were:
 S. W. Gregory, groceries, \$8,000.00 stock, insurance \$4,000.

Southland Hardware, \$9,000 stock, insurance \$3,500.

Jno. Adams, hotel furnishings, grocery and restaurant, valued at \$2,000, no insurance.

Southland Telephone exchange was burned, but equipment was saved.

Ben R. Bailey, restaurant, loss \$400, no insurance.

Job Davies, a substantial farmer of the Southland community, owned the buildings occupied by S. W. Gregory, G. W. Basinger and the Telephone exchange. They were valued at about \$6,000.00, with a total of \$3600 insurance.

H. A. Scott of Omaha, Nebraska, owned the hotel building. It was valued at \$4,000 and insured for \$2,000.

J. M. Seitz of Post City owned the building occupied by Ben R. Bailey. We were unable to learn if it was insured.

Just before midnight Saturday the gin plant of the Planters Gin Co., was totally destroyed by fire, together with 380 tons of cotton seed. The plant was valued at \$25,000, and was partially insured.

These fire losses was a hard blow to the business men and property owners at Southland. Mr. Davies will rebuild with brick. Messrs. Gregory and Basinger will resume business as soon as they can accumulate new stocks.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I have secured the shipment for the Lubbock Laundry Co. Basket goes Monday and Wednesday afternoons. I will give this business my personal attention and will appreciate your patronage. I will call for and deliver Monday and Thursday. Pass me your Family Wash and have it handled the Rough Dry Way. You will appreciate this service. Phone No. 16 for quick service.

O. Z. BALL

Cleans Clothes Clean
 "Pay Less and Dress Better"

INTERSTATE RATES ON GRAIN SHIPMENTS ORDERED REDUCED

The Interstate Commerce Commission has ruled that present rates on grain and grain products are unreasonable, and has ordered sharp reductions, effective November 20th, as indicated in a letter received by R. A. Baldwin from the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. The letter, which is self-explanatory, follows:

"The Traffic Bureau is pleased to advise that in the Western Grain Case, I. C. C. Docket No. 12029, the Interstate Commerce Commission has decided that the present rates on grain and grain products are unreasonable. The Commission therefore has ordered reductions in inter-state rates of 50 per cent of the 35 per cent advance made in August, 1921, under what is known as Ex Parte 74, the general freight rate advances under the Transportation Act of 1920. These new reductions of rates were ordered to go into effect on November 20th.

"The Commission, in this decision, decided that rates on coarse grains should be reduced 10 per cent lower than the rate on wheat and hay, which reduction should be half of the advance of last August, or 17½ per cent, and then after that 10 per cent should be reduced from that rate on coarse grains.

"It seems to be the opinion of some traffic men that notwithstanding these reductions that the railroads apparently may delay putting the same into effect. Various railway traffic officials have recently been in Washington endeavoring to get the Commission rescind its action. Of course these reductions are applicable only upon inter-state freight rates. It is likely that the Texas Railroad Commission, having jurisdiction over intra-state rates, to some extent as yet not wholly ascertainable, may see fit to order similar reductions on grain rates within the State of Texas."

Don't overlook our club offers on the Star-Telegram and Fort Worth Star-Telegram and the Fort Worth Record. They expire December 15th.

A GREATER SLATON.

Towns are builded, and communities are made by men not afraid. Do not be proud of your work unless you can be proud of the aim of your work. A good conscience is a precious possession. A guilty conscience is better than none at all. It is great to be good. Aspire, then, not to be great, but to cultivate virtues and to uproot vice.

If you lack confidence in your own judgment and self, and city, you can't blame other people for sharing the same feeling. The man who wins is the man who holds on until he can't hold any longer—and then doesn't give up; that man is an asset to Slaton, or the town he may be located in. Modesty forbids a man to crown himself with laurels, but there is no objection to one's wreathing one's face with smiles.

He fails who wants the privileges of success but not the duties, the pleasures but not the pains, the fruits but not the labors.

The essence of true nobility is neglect. Let the thought of self come in, and the beauty of great action goes out, like the bloom of life to perfection, but with noble endeavor. Full success is a prize never won; therefore the industrious man is always busy. A man should not grieve because he has not attained neither wisdom nor riches. He has opportunity before him, which is equal to both. Here in Slaton is one of the greatest chances for every man and woman to prove their metal, ability, loyalty, spirit of co-operation, and to rise above that selfish spirit that has ruined or held back most towns that should forge to the front. Let us have that PEP, PUSH, and GO, that when we have a task to perform for the betterment and upbuilding of Slaton, that we can all together "STEP ON THE GAS" at the same time, and go with such speed that the laggard and mossback's eyes will be filled with the dust of enthusiasm, and his pride aroused to that pitch that he will fall in line, or locate in Russia or Siberia, where misery likes company, and like begets like. A good riddance of bad rubbish is welcome in any community.

I predict a population for Slaton by Jan. 1st, 1925 of over 5,000. This I believe is quite conservative with present conditions and future prospects; and I am quite honest when I say I would not be surprised to see this goal reached much sooner; this, however, depends on our citizenship. We can't build a city and trod the same path that our fathers trod, see and do as they did; and I am sure the builders of YESTERDAY, if they were here, would be builders of today, in their day and time they did their best, upset traditions, and paved the way for us to do better and set a pace today.

The first impression is the most lasting one, so do not forget to impress the stranger with the fact that there is nothing old-fashioned about Slaton but our hospitality. I will leave for Slaton not later than Dec. 10th, and as soon after I arrive, we will have a mass meeting, get acquainted, and go to work.

Yours to serve,
 S. P. BAILEY,
 Sec.-Mgr.

AT THE WILSELMA.

666 is Tom Moore's Luckiest Number. "I expect 'Officer 666' will be my greatest picture," Tom Moore declares. "The reason is that number 666 has always been an omen of good fortune to me. When I came to this country from Ireland the number of my cabin was 666. The engine that pulled the first train that brought us to California was 666. I won a gold watch once on the lucky number 666. The number of my automobile license ends with 666. We had 666 takes with the camera in making this picture, and I hope there will be 666 laughs in it for the public."

"Officer 666" is the Goldwyn production of the stage play which comes to the Wilselma Theatre Thursday, Dec. 8th.

CEDAR FENCE POSTS.

If you are in the market for fence or any other kind of posts, see me before you buy. I can supply your needs at a price you can afford.

W. J. KLATTENHOFF.

Doing business without advertising is like winking at a girl in the dark—you know what you're doing but nobody else does.

Those indebted to me will please call and settle their accounts as I have obligations to meet.—M. D. JONES.

FATHER OF DR. OWENS DIES IN NEW MEXICO

W. R. Owens, father of our fellow-townman Dr. Ben T. Owens, died near Corona, New Mexico, on Nov. 22nd. Interment was made at Cedarvale, N. M., Nov. 23rd.

The sad news did not reach Dr. and Mrs. Owens here until after the burial, and for that reason they did not attend.

Deceased was one of the early pioneers of North Texas, settling near the town of Denton in Denton county shortly after the close of the Civil War, living there about thirty years. He was born in North Carolina July 7, 1834, and had therefore passed his 87th birthday by a little more than four months. His childhood and early manhood was spent in North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia, marrying in the latter State at the town of Gainsville, and moved from there to Benton, Ark., where he remained until after the close of the Civil War. He served in the Confederate army during the war. After the close of the war he emigrated to Denton county, remaining there until about twenty years ago, when he moved further west, settling near San Angelo, and about four years ago he moved to New Mexico, having been a pioneer practically all of his life, following the tide of immigration from the Atlantic nearly to the Pacific. He was an important figure in the upbuilding of the different communities in which he lived. He reared two families of children, mostly in Texas, having been married twice.

He is survived by his widow and ten children, who are all married, five of whom are by each marriage. Dr. Owens is one of the children by his first marriage. He was a devout Christian and a member of the Missionary Baptist church.

Dr. and Mrs. Owens paid him an extended visit in New Mexico during the past summer.

The Slatonite joins a host of friends in extending sincere sympathy to all upon whom bereavement has fallen.

Cole's Hot Blast Heaters are fuel savers. We are offering them at cut prices. FOSTER & HOWERTON.

ALL COTTON PICKED IN LUBBOCK COUNTY

For First Time in History, All Cotton Out of Field By December 1.

The above is the caption of an article in the daily press, sent out from Lubbock by its Chamber of Commerce employes, and the article goes on to state that all cotton in Lubbock county had been picked before Dec. 1. The writer of this item should visit the Slaton section, the more populous part of Lubbock county, where farming operations are done in earnest. Our gins are still running, and will be for some time. The farmers are still busy picking the bumper crop. One farmer, in Slaton a few days ago, reported a 25-acre crop from which he had already gathered 27 bales. Can you match that? COME TO SLATON, "GEM OF THE SOUTH PLAINS."

A CORRECTION.

In last issue of the Avalanche it was stated that a number of Lubbock people would go to Slaton Tuesday night, for the purpose of organizing an Eastern Star Lodge at that place. This was a mistake on our part as Slaton has had a liv weide-awake Chapter of the Eastern Star for quite awhile, and the people who were going from here were merely paying Slaton a neighborly visit.—Lubbock Avalanche.

Ladies' Mass Meeting Monday.

Every lady in Slaton is urged to be present at mass meeting to be held at 3:30 Monday afternoon at the Wilselma Theatre for the purpose of discussing plans for a new school building and to urge the ladies to pay their poll tax in order that they may qualify to vote in all coming elections.

An interesting program has been arranged for the occasion.

Carload of new flour just received, both soft and hard wheat. Every sack guaranteed. DYKES' GRO. CO.

Those indebted to me will please call and settle their accounts as I have obligations to meet.—M. D. JONES.

HUSBAND AND TWO NEGROES SOLICITED FOR WHITE WOMAN IS TESTIMONY AT HEARING

Amarillo, Dec. 1.—J. J. Flue and wife are being held by county authorities pending the filing of charges of pandering, and Guffie Menogan and Roy Driscoll, negroes, are in the city jail pending their payment of fines on charges of disturbing the peace, following which they are to be turned over to county officers on charges of pandering.

A fracas which took place between the two negroes and L. F. Condas, a Greek, employed by the Rock Island railroad, led up to the arrest of the quintet by members of the police department Wednesday morning.

Flue and his wife paid fines of \$25 each on charges of vagrancy in Corporation Court Wednesday morning, the negroes were fined \$50 each for disturbing the peace, and the Greek was fined for affray, his fine being \$25. Upon payment of his fine he was released.

In the hearing of the case before Judge E. A. McKinnon, testimony introduced was to the effect that Flue and the two negroes had solicited among both white and black men for illicit relations with the Flue woman.

Flue and his wife were arrested in the negro district west of the business section of the city, police say. They pleaded guilty to vagrancy and paid their fines. They did not deny any of the testimony offered by the two negroes, part of which was to the effect that they, the negroes, had received \$1 for each solicitation successfully completed.

Flue and the woman said they came to Amarillo from Higgins, Texas.

STORK SPECIAL.

- John Steffens and wife, Nov. 21, girl.
- Jose Perez and wife, Nov. 27, boy.
- J. M. Robertson and wife, Nov. 30, girl.
- W. M. Joplin and wife, Nov. 27, boy.
- E. G. Nivens and wife, Nov. 28, boy.
- Guy L. Brown and wife, Nov. 30, boy.

Dollar Day Specials

—DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS WILL BE IN EFFECT AT THIS STORE AGAIN SATURDAY AND MONDAY. MANY PEOPLE TOOK ADVANTAGE OF THEM LAST SATURDAY AND MONDAY. IF YOU APPRECIATE THESE SAVINGS BETTER TAKE ADVANTAGE OF OUR SPECIALS.

New Goods Arriving

—WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED LARGE SHIPMENTS OF SHOES FOR EVERY MEMBER OF THE FAMILY, AND LOTS OF NEW DRY GOODS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.
 —IF IT'S DRY GOODS THAT YOU WANT WE ARE IN POSITION TO TAKE CARE OF YOUR NEEDS AT PRICES THAT WILL MEAN BIG SAVINGS TO YOU. A TRIAL IS ALL WE ASK.

Slaton Dry Goods Co.

NORTH SIDE SQUARE

SLATON, TEXAS

Notice to Light Consumers

BEGINNING SATURDAY, DEC. 3, WE WILL GIVE EIGHTEEN HOUR SERVICE, EXCEPTING SUNDAYS. THIS MEANS THAT WE WILL START SERVICE BETWEEN 1 AND 2 P. M. AND CONTINUE TO SOME TIME BETWEEN 7 OR 8 A. M. THE NEXT MORNING. HOWEVER, WE WILL GIVE 24-HOUR SERVICE AS SOON AS CONDITIONS JUSTIFY.

Slaton Power & Light Co.

We Will Serve You Politely

—YOU WILL BE SERVED WITH GOOD GROCERIES AND POLITENESS AT THIS STORE. HAVEN'T YOU HEARD THE WOMEN FOLKS TALK ABOUT THE SUPERIORITY OF OUR FOODS AND THE COURTEOUSNESS OF OUR SALESMEN? WE KNOW THAT YOU WILL DEPEND UPON US FOR ALL OF YOUR GROCERIES AFTER YOU HAVE SAMPLED SOME OF OUR DELICIOUS FOODS.

—WE ALSO HAVE A MEAT MARKET LOCATED IN OUR STORE AND WILL BE PLEASED TO FILL YOUR MEAT ORDERS. JUST CALL US OVER THE PHONE.

We Pay the Highest Market Price for
Fresh Butter and Eggs.

Dykes' Grocery Co.

W. A. Dykes Phone 7 Geo. Berkstroesser

JUST RECEIVED

A CAR OF FENCE, CORRAL, ANCHOR POSTS AND CEDAR BLOCKING. SUPPLY YOUR NEEDS NOW

FORRET LUMBER CO.

TELEPHONE 156 SLATON, TEXAS

H. G. WHITAKER MANAGES A MODEL LIVESTOCK FARM

The Dixie Hog Farm, three miles south of Slaton, managed by H. G. Whitaker, and assisted by his father and brother, is a model livestock and dairy farm. These men are practicing diversification in the production of livestock and farm products.

On this farm are to be found a large number of Holstein cows, red hogs, and white chickens, the three classes necessary on any farm. These are not just the ordinary kind, but the exception of the Holsteins, they are as good as can be found in the country. The Holsteins, with the exception of one each registered bull and cow, are only grades, but are of the class that can deliver the goods.

These cows play a major part in the financing of this farm as is evidenced from the monthly income from the sale of milk and cream, which is amounting now, in the season of lowest production, to \$350 per month. They are at present milking 17 cows, from which they are getting 55 gallons of milk per day, and several of these are strippers. The milk and cream goes to supply the local demand and is bringing only moderate prices. In addition to what is disposed of on the market there is left about 35 gallons of skim milk per day worth 5 cents per gallon, or \$22 per month. This is being fed to pigs and chickens. The total income from the cows amounts to about \$372 per month, and in addition a number of good calves are being raised on whole milk. Mr. Whitaker, who is a good business man, and one that is a close observer of the cost of the various operations with which he is connected, states that it is costing him approximately 15 cents per day to feed these cows.

Another very interesting and important operation on this farm is the feeding of 105 head of coming 2-year-old steers that have been bought up from the neighbors. These steers are being fed a ration consisting of one-third bundle feed, one-third ear corn, and one-third milo maize heads, all of which is run through a feed mill, which is operated by a small tractor. This mill first cuts the feed into silage lengths and then it is passed through a set of burrs that grinds the feed into meal. This mixture is kept before the steers at all times, being fed through self-feeders. These steers have been on feed for about three weeks and are making very satisfactory gains, estimated to be about two and a half pounds per day. There is a set of scales in the lot and a few representative steers are being weighed each week, the same ones being weighed each time in order to determine just what progress is being made.

Following these steers are ninety head of good hogs that are receiving nothing but waste around the feed lot. They, too, are making good gains on feed that would otherwise be wasted.

This is a combination that cannot be beaten for farming operations, and our county must fall in line and pursue the same course if our farming population as a whole is to prosper. A single crop system of farming never has been a paying proposition and never will be. Neither can our feed crops be disposed of for real worth unless they are marketed "on the hoof." Every community should have a good feed grinder and sufficient power to pull it, where as many farmers as wish can grind all the feed they use and thus utilize the most from every pound of feed consumed. That is the only method by which roughness can be fed with absolutely no waste.

With the present freight rates it costs about 20 per cent of the value of any bulky feed to get it to market, whereas it only costs about 6 per cent of the value of livestock to get them to market. The feed when fed to livestock is reduced in volume 87 1/2 per cent, and a large portion of the value of the feed remains on the farm to increase or restore the soil fertility.

—Just sixteen more days until Christmas. Come to Slaton to do your Holiday shopping.

Drug sundries, patent medicines and toilet articles at TEAGUE'S.



CLARENCE JOHNSON
AUCTIONEER
SLATON, TEXAS

If You Want to Sell Something See Me for Terms.

THE JEWELER CONTRIBUTES TO EVERY EVENT OF HAPPINESS



—A silver cup—round and low—lined with gold, traced with your name. It was your first gift. You have it still. And, too, the little birthday ring, the locket and chain—the watch that rewarded your graduation—the diamond that pledged your love to him—the silver and gold of your wedding gifts. Your life is entwined with these memories, jeweled with gifts that last.

—Love and friendship that prompts the giving of a gift is worthy of a gift that lasts. As the love endures, the gift endures and calls to mind this sentiment. The Jeweler's Gifts are always in good taste. My stock is wide and varied. You may buy a rare gem or a simple keepsake here.

PAUL OWENS

JEWELER AND OPTOMETRIST. SLATON, TEXAS

SLATON'S NEW TIN SHOP

—If you need a Tank, New Roof, Guttering, Flashing, or anything in the sheet metal line don't fail to get my prices before you place your order. I make a specialty of repair work on any kind of sheet metal or furniture. No job too small or too large. Give me a trial. Satisfaction guaranteed.

J. F. FINCHER'S TIN SHOP

First Door South Forrest Lumber Co. Office. Slaton, Texas

Bring Us Your Work

—Big accidents are often caused by little defects in your car. But if we go over your car occasionally the cause of those accidents will be removed. We correct all defects, effectively, and inexpensively. The sooner we do it the less it costs, for a little defect today may be a big one tomorrow.

Lee Green & Co.

THE SLATON GARAGE. TELEPHONE 73



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THE UNIVERSAL CAR

A
Regular
"Get-about"

Runabout
\$325 F. O. B. Detroit

THE Ford runabout is just what its name implies—it's a regular "get-about."

There is no other car that will take you there and back again, quicker, safer and more economically.

It's the car for the man of action—the farmer, the merchant, the doctor, the contractor, the collector—the car that is useful every day of the year.

Low in the cost of maintenance, with all of the sturdy strength, dependability and reliability for which Ford cars are noted.

On account of the unusual demand we urge that your orders be placed as early as possible.

SLATON MOTOR CO.

H. G. STOKES, Manager SLATON, TEXAS



Everything
in the
Hardware
Line.

—YOU CAN GET WHAT YOU WANT AT OUR STORE. IT IS A PLEASURE FOR US TO SHOW YOU THE NEWEST IDEAS IN LABOR-SAVING TOOLS. WE ARE WIDE AWAKE TO EVERY PRACTICAL INVENTION THAT IS PUT ON THE MARKET. THIS IS WHY WE ARE ABLE TO MAKE AND HOLD NEW CUSTOMERS AND TO PLEASE OUR OLD ONES. WHEN YOU NEED HARDWARE COME TO US FOR IT. WE SELL ALL THE FINEST UP-TO-DATE STYLES AND WE KNOW YOU WILL BE PLEASED WITH OUR PRICES.

Brannon Hardware

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Slaton, Texas

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When you want work done on your Auto, your Truck or your Tractor, you want it done right, you want it done promptly, and you want it done reasonably. All this you get when you bring it here. We make repairs in cases where the average auto owner believes the break is beyond repair.

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Mrs. E. B. Manire

SLATON, TEXAS
Kodaks and Films For Sale.



The Christmas Card

By MARY GRAMM BONNER

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I AM a Christmas Card. I was born shortly before Christmas of 1913. I was put away in a box after Christmas and the next year I came forth again, and the price put upon me had risen from two cents to five.

The next year I cost ten cents. Still I did not sell.

"We'll have to charge a quarter for that card," my owner said, "and get up the prices of some of these others, or they won't be bought."

So I was a quarter. And then I cost 50 cents and was purchased.

The price mark has been left on me. I've been traveling with it written on my back ever since. Sometimes, too, I get around to a number of places around Christmas time, especially if I'm started off early in the first place.

So far, too, I've been greeted with joy, and an exclamation I do not quite understand.

"Oh, good! Here's a card which is marked fifty cents. Who would believe it possible, but no matter, it did! And it's not written on, either!"

I do not understand their joy over me, but they never keep me with them!

Christmas Fish.

A fish which resembles a cod is considered by the people of Sweden as an indispensable adjunct of their Christmas feast. This fish is buried for days in wood ashes or else soaked in soda water, then boiled and served with a milk gravy.

Who Said Santa Claus?



NEW WIRELESS TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE INSTALLED

By the Tyler Commercial College, of Tyler, Texas.

It is the best and most modern outfit obtainable from the Westinghouse Co., and has a guaranteed radius of 1200 miles. In ordinary weather it will pick up messages from all over the United States, and in clear cold weather it is possible to communicate across the Atlantic Ocean with the high-powered stations in Europe.

The news from the present International Conference on Disarmament is being sent out by wireless and in our opinion communication by wireless telegraph will eventually be as widely commercialized as Morse Telegraphy has been.

At this time a large number of wireless stations are being operated all over the United States, not only by the Government and by commercial concerns, but by individuals as well, and the demand for operators is rapidly increasing. Excellent salaries are paid.

Many young people have already realized this need and have inquired of us at different times why we did not teach this work. It is particularly appealing to young people because it is a comparatively new and unlimited field.

Our initial class will be limited to fifty. Naturally, those who first apply will be allowed to enroll first in this work. Our teacher is one of the very best to be had and our radio plant will always be in charge of an operator licensed by the United States Government. Fill out the coupon below and mail immediately so that you can enter the first class that is now being arranged.

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Interested in wireless? _____
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—Do all of the looking around you like—the more the better—but don't decide what you are going to buy until you have seen what we have to offer. We have a large stock of holiday gifts and we know that they will prove satisfactory in every way—that they will meet every expectation, and that they cannot be surpassed anywhere. They are too numerous to attempt to list them here, but they may be readily seen at our store—every one of them. Come early. Selections are easier made now than in the last rush hours just before Christmas.

Red Cross Pharmacy

C. F. ANDERSON, Propr.

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—Who believes that Advertising enlarges his business and assists in the growth of his Home Town, I offer SIGNS THAT SELL THE GOODS.

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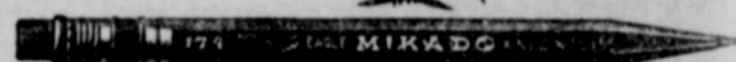
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PURE FOOD AND STYLE SHOW

Thursday, Friday and Saturday,
Dec. 22, 23 and 24

Under Auspices of
YOUNG WOMEN'S AUXILIARY
First Baptist Church

A GOOD PLACE TO BUY GIFTS

IF YOU HAVE SOMETHING YOU WANT TO SELL ADVERTISE

LADIES' MASS MEETING.

Through the courtesy of Messrs. Williams and Selmon the ladies of Slaton met at the Wilselma Theatre Monday afternoon for the purpose of discussing the needs of our schools, and the duty of women as voters.

Mrs. Peavy gave a very fine talk, stating facts about the need of a new school building, in which she emphasized the need of large, well ventilated and properly heated rooms in order to attain the best results and that Slaton has advertised far and near about our good schools, and unless we make provision to properly house our pupils, and make advantages for them that every other up-to-date school has, people will leave here on account of the inefficiency of our schools.

Mrs. Culberson, a lifelong teacher, and for eight years county superintendent of New Mexico schools, gave a very instructive talk on "Women's Duty as Voters," in which she emphasized the importance of our thoroughly informing ourselves on the subject at hand, and vote according to what we think is right and not according to the issues of some one else. This year all women must pay their poll tax, so get them paid in time to be of use for all elections that may come up during the year.

OLD SANTA CLAUS ALREADY ARRIVED IN SLATON

Old Santa Claus has already made his appearance at the Sanitary Grocery. Mesdames H. W. and Richard Ragsdale have attractively decorated a large window at this store, showing Santa Claus, a large Christmas tree and large home, snow covered, with a large collection of Christmas goodies appropriately arranged. This window is one of the most attractive seen around here and carries out the true Christmas spirit.

PERSONAL MENTION.

N. G. Whipple was a business visitor in Topeka, Kansas, this week.

Foster & Howerton's will be headquarters for Santa Claus.

Slaton Home Mutual means protection for your family.

Genuine Edison Mazda electric lamp globes at J. V. Hollingsworth's.

Have you membership in the Home Mutual? If not, why?

Foster & Howerton's will be headquarters for Santa Claus.

W. H. McKirahan spent several days recently on business connected with the Santa Fe.

If the Slaton country is your home, help your Home Mutual; join now.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Standafer of Lamesa visited relatives and friends here early in the week.

Mrs. H. G. Hearne, teacher in the Plainview high school, has returned home after a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. D. Haney and family.

George Schriever of New York City has been her for several days visiting at the home of his uncle, M. F. Klattenhoff and family.

J. J. McCollum has arrived here from Greenville to spend the holidays with his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Proctor, and other relatives.

Messrs. Leonard Craft and Uel Howerton have returned from a several weeks' visit to Magdalena, N. M., near which place they have government claims.

J. John Schriever, a prominent business man of Taylor, Central Texas, left yesterday for his home after spending several days here looking after business interests.

The next number of the Lyceum Course will be the marvelous impersonator, Mather Hilburn. Hear him at the Baptist church on the evening of Wednesday, Dec. 14th at 7:30.

Mrs. J. H. Landers suffered very painful injuries Tuesday night, when a wheel of the car she was riding in was broken, throwing her to the ground. Several ribs were fractured and she suffered severe bruises about the head and lower limbs.

CEDAR FENCE POSTS.

If you are in the market for fence or any other kind of posts, see me before you buy. I can supply your needs at a price you can afford.
W. J. KLATTENHOFF.

Why not a Bank Book for Christmas

DO YOU CONCEIVE OF ANYTHING YOUR SON OR DAUGHTER WOULD LIKE BETTER THAN TO RECEIVE A NEW BANK BOOK ON CHRISTMAS MORNING, AND SEE THAT HE OR SHE IS SUDDENLY AND UNEXPECTEDLY POSSESSED OF A BANK ACCOUNT—"JUST GROWN-UPS?" THINK OF THE INCENTIVE IT WOULD BE TO THE YOUNG ONE TO SAVE, AND ACCUMULATE, AND WATCH IT GROW. THINK ALSO, OF THE VALUABLE LESSON OF LIFE IT WOULD BE TO A CHILD, A YOUNG MAN, OR A GIRL. THINK OF ALL THESE THINGS—THEN MAKE THE DEPOSIT AT THIS BANK AND GET YOUR BANK BOOK.

First State Bank of Slaton

Federal Reserve System A Guaranty Fund Bank
Service is a Religion and Courtesy is Born Smiling.

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LOOK! LOOK!

Open a jewelry store in Slaton and will carry a large stock of silverware, cut glass, ivory, hand painted china, and all other goods across street from Slaton State Bank, next to Kessel's dry goods store, and you will find a large collection of gifts here, and we invite you to come in and inspect them. This is all strictly high quality and whether you buy or not we would be glad to assure you a share of your patronage will be appreciated.

A. R. HILL

Next to Kessel's SLATON, TEXAS

Very Life of a Community

ON THE SUPPORT WHICH IS GIVEN ITS COMMUNITIES. BY PUTTING YOUR MONEY IN A BANK YOU HAVE IT, YOU ARE ASSURING YOUR BANK'S ASSISTANCE WHEN NECESSARY FOR YOU.

FINANCE A BANK IS REALLY MORE SAFE PLACE TO DEPOSIT MONEY. IN CONNECTION WITH FINANCIAL AFFAIRS THROUGH THIS BANK EXERCISING CARE AND WISDOM, FOR YOUR FINANCES IN THE HANDS OF A BANK ALWAYS TAKES CARE OF YOU.

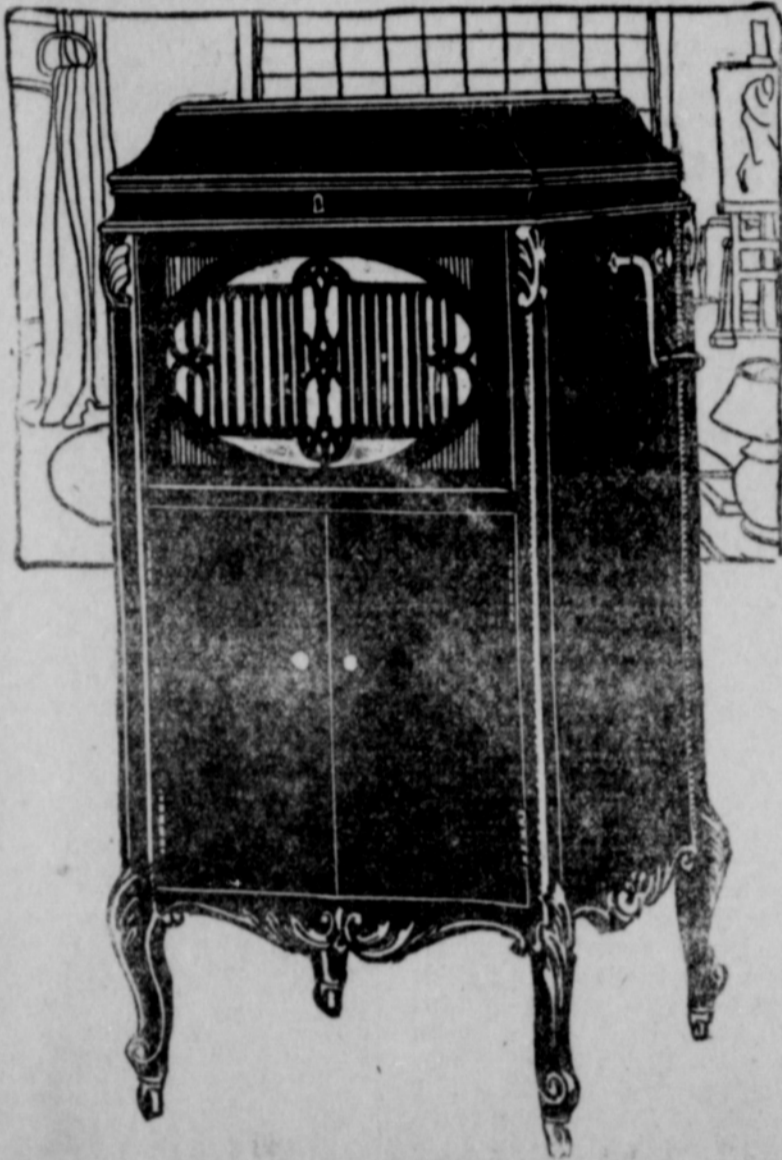
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—We have just added more room to our business. You will find we are carrying now a full line of Staple and Fancy Groceries —always sold at the least possible margin of profit.

—If you are not yet trading with us let us have your Grocery business this month and note your saving. For our city trade we have arranged for efficient delivery service.

We Appreciate Your Business

THE BLUE FRONT GROCERY

TELEPHONE 94 SLATON, TEXAS

See Our Christmas Show Window

THIS IS THE PLACE TO GET YOUR CHRISTMAS CANDIES, FRUITS, NUTS, ETC. SEE THE DISPLAY IN OUR WINDOW. OR IF IT'S GROCERIES FOR THE HOLIDAYS OR ANY OTHER TIME, YOU WILL FIND THEM HERE PRICED RIGHT AND HIGH IN QUALITY. WE TAKE PRIDE IN GIVING PROMPT SERVICE AND LOW PRICES. CALL US AND SEE.

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ON LUBBOCK.

Bu story was related to a few days ago by a man:

There were three members of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce luxuriously lounging in the lobby of Lubbock's most pretentious hotel for the appointed time to depart for a meeting to be held for the purpose of further advertising the many possibilities presented by the most promising community of all Texas.

"A stranger, evidently from the West, approached them rather reluctantly, saying in part:

"Gentlemen, I beg your pardon for interrupting your most interesting conversation, but I wish to ask a few questions, and in turn, make a few suggestions. I think this is the most wonderful country I have ever been privileged to see. Why, this country around Lubbock offers the greatest opportunities offered by any single community in the State, and let me add here that this State is one of the greatest of our entire country. May I ask one question of you gentlemen?

The parties addressed, entertaining a high appreciation of all praise when attributed to Lubbock and its possibilities, listening with wide eyes and open mouths, answered with expectations of having another interesting subject to bring before the meeting which was scheduled to be held within an hour.

"Sure, sir, any question asked about the welfare of Lubbock will always receive first consideration with us.

"Then why don't you gentlemen suggest an irrigation system for this country? All this country needs is water, plenty of it, and that is the easiest way of obtaining it."

"Why, sir, an irrigation project in this country is an impossibility. There is no supply of water from which we could draw.

"The gentleman from the West, not filled in the least, said, with an additional composure:

"You could use the Pacific Ocean for your supply, and if you can draw as strongly as you can blow, you can get plenty of water all right."

"Strangely enough there was nothing of importance, and nothing new to come before the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the City of Lubbock that night."



Intermediate B. Y. P. U.

At 3:30 p. m. Sunday afternoon the Intermediate B. Y. P. U. met at the Baptist church. Twenty-five active young people were present. A very delightful and interesting program was rendered by group one. Group two was ahead in attendance. The testing side tied as to Bible reading. Two new members were received.

Senior B. Y. P. U.

Senior B. Y. P. U. is progressing rapidly in both gaining in members and in living up to the motto "We study that we may serve." The Union was two weeks old last Sunday.

Sunday evening a program was rendered at the Baptist church by this young people's society. There were several instructive and interesting talks made on "The Sufferings of the Savior." Miss Barber, our president, gave an inspiring reading. After the program Rev. Hubbard and others made encouraging comments on the work of the Union.

We meet again next Sunday evening at the Baptist church at 5:45.

Missionary Society.

A very interesting business session of the Society was held at the church Sunday afternoon. After the business was dispensed with the president asked Mrs. Culbertson to preside over the election of officers for the ensuing year. The election was made by ballot and the following were elected:

President, Mrs. S. H. Adams; Vice president, Mrs. R. G. Shankle; Secretary, Mrs. T. A. Worley; Recording Secretary, Mrs. W. R. Wilson; Treasurer, Mrs. L. C. ... Supt. of Children, Mrs. J. E. ... Asst. Treasurer, Miss Media Lew-Asst. Treasurer, Mrs. O. D. Mc-ock; Supt. of Supplies, Mrs. R. J.

Murray; Social Service Supt., Mrs. W. E. Olive; Local Supt., Mrs. J. S. Edwards; Mission Study Supt., Mrs. S. A. Peavy.

On Monday, Dec. 12, at the church, at 2:30, "The Harvest Day" program will be given, with Mrs. Gates as leader. God has given to us in many respects the greatest year we have had thus far. Now, it is a good thing to give thanks unto God, for Christ has made us glad through thy work and as we come to the Harvest Day program we trust that all our pledges and every obligation will be made in full. But forgetting those things that are part and pressing toward the New Year, we trust the one for the greatest opportunity for service we have ever known.

"The man of Galilee is counting on you And let's not fail him in nineteen-twenty-two

It is not the individual Nor the army as a whole But the everlasting team work Of every single soul. It is not the guns nor armament Nor funds that we can pay But close co-operation That will make us win the day.

We were glad to add the name of Mrs. Merrill to our roll, making sixty six members working as a whole.

PUBLICITY SUPT.

T. E. L. Class.

Class meets promptly at 10 a. m. at the home of Mrs. J. P. Hardesty. We are anxious to have you unite with one of the twelve tribes of our class in the contest of enlisting visitors and new members and share in the entertainment at the close of this quarter.

Y. W. A.

The Young Women's Auxiliary met at the Baptist church Monday night instead of Tuesday night. An interesting program was rendered. We were glad to enroll three new members, Misses Iris Donald, Exie Smith and Opal Allen. The society is steadily growing and the members feel that much good is being gotten from the meetings. The Corresponding committee of the Pure Food and Style Show that is to be held three days before Christmas, reported nearly \$150 in out-of-town contributions, and others still arriving.

COMMENDS MR. BAILEY.

(From Seguin Enterprise.)

Seguin, Nov. 22.—Mr. S. P. Bailey, Sec.-Mgr. Chamber of Commerce, Seguin, Texas. Dear Sir: In accordance with the motion made at the last regular meeting Guadalupe County Bankers Association, held Nov. 9th, 1921, at which time you tendered your resignation as a member on account of leaving our city, we, the undersigned, wish to express to you the Association's regret in losing you as a member.

It is also the Association's desire to thank you for your many helpful suggestions and services rendered at the time of organization, with the assurance that they will always be remembered.

Wishing you success in your future undertakings, we are, respectfully, Guadalupe County Bankers Assn. C. A. Krueger, Pres. Oscar E. Wiegand, Sec.

A similar endorsement and recommendation was voted to Mr. Bailey by the Seguin Chamber of Commerce and the Boy Scouts, of which he was Scoutmaster.

Mr. Bailey has been offered a flattering connection with a bank, also two other lines of business, and it is hoped he will accept one of them and remain with us.

Mr. Bailey has been offered a flat and an earnest worker for every progressive move in our county and city since his arrival here, and it will be a distinct loss to the entire community should he decide to leave.—Seguin Enterprise.

RESHOD CASINGS.

I have two on my car that have run over 1300 miles, and look good for 1000 more. Come, see my little stock. I have a few dandy Ford sizes for \$4.00. Let me repair your old, worn and blown-out casings.

AMOS PHILLIPS.

One mile east of Slaton.

The Home Mutual needs you, and you and yours need protection. Join.

If you wish to enjoy an evening of delightful entertainment hear the next Lyceum number on Dec. 14th at Baptist church.

NOTICE!

This is to notify the public that they are forbidden to haul sand and gravel from my lease in O. L. Slaton's pasture. If you need sand and gravel see me for prices.

M. H. EDWARDS, Slaton.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE.

To those knowing themselves indebted to the Simmons Grocery: I have turned over to Attorney I. B. Lane all of my accounts and notes, as I am too busy to see all of you. So please call on Judge Lane and settle your account or note.

Respectfully,
SIMMONS' GROCERY.
By J. M. Simmons.

A master entertainer will appear here on the evening of Dec. 14th. Hear this artist in a varied and pleasing repertoire at Baptist church.

Join the Slaton Home Mutual.



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Opening Play

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Vaudeville Between Acts

Ladies Free Monday Night if Accompanied By One Paid Admission

Prices: Adults, 55 Cents; Children, 25 Cents. Tax Included

Doors Open 7:15. Show Starts 8:00



LOLA AXTELL HOPKINS

You remember "THE BRAT" and "DADDY LONGLEGS." She is as sweet as ever.

HALE COUNTY EXCITED OVER OIL STRIKE IN BLEDSOE WELL

Plainview Citizens Flocking to Scene of Action—Drilling Continues as Big Oil is Sought.

Plainview.—The people of this section of Hale county were thrown into considerable excitement by the report that oil had been struck in the Bledsoe well near Abernathy. Various reports spread on the streets of Plainview, ranging all the way from two barrels per day to seven barrels per hour.

This morning a number of Plainview citizens went down to the well and they report that a strata of oil-bearing sand was struck at 1351 feet, and it was estimated that the well would bail about seven barrels a day. This strata seems to be about five feet in thickness, and rather rich in oil. The driller, however, cased it off, and continued drilling, and a dark red dirt is being drilled into. All the way down similar dirt has been struck in stratas here and there.

The driller, so we are told, thinks that if the well was shot at the oil strata it might develop into a 100-barrel well. However, Mr. Bledsoe, who is having the well drilled, insists that paying oil will be struck not deeper than 1700 feet, and will continue the drilling, determined to find oil or gas. Those at the well say there are many visitors and renewed activity in the buying of leases. The development near Abernathy is being watched by the people of the Plains and also many oil prospectors from elsewhere have come in to see how matters are. If oil or gas is struck in paying quantities there will be an inrush like that into other oil fields of the past.

Kentucky Company Will Drill.

Announcement was made yesterday that the Kentucky Oil Co. had selected a site six miles south of Hale Center for a test. It is planned to begin drilling as quickly as the rig can be set up.

The Kentucky location is just a forerunner to a number of other locations that will be announced shortly, it was said here today.

HOGVILLE.

Mrs. Sim Flinders Thursdayed in Bounding Blows on a shopping expedition. Sim went along also, but all he had to do was to hold the team and the children and carry the bundles, and keep the dogs out of a fight.

Sidney Hocks went around for a while this morning feeling warped and all out of proportion, and finally discovered it was caused by his coat being buttoned wrong.

The peculiar cracking sound that was heard near the postoffice all day yesterday turned out to be none other than Slim Pickens eating hickory nuts on a nearby stump.

A nice total stranger passed thru our midst Friday and accidentally saw Miss Flutie Belcher before she combed her hair.

Salem Barlow attended preaching at the Dog Hill church last Sunday. He got there after the collection had been taken up, but it is believed by some that the delay was not intentional.

Columbus Allsop sure was a busy man yesterday. He rode over to Gander creek and watered his mule, and then went around by Bounding Blows and lit his pipe.

Luke Mathews placed a ladder in his home and now has an upstairs.

The congregation of the Hog Ford church is so divided over a question that came up last week, it is feared a partition will have to be built thru the church.

Fletcher Henstep went and renewed his subscription to the paper last week for another year. He says a pers onought never to read but one paper, then his mind won't get confused as to which is right.

When Columbus Allsop heard today that the preacher was going to stay all night at his house he hurried home and hunted up the Bible and ran a chicken down.

The Dog Hill preacher said some hard things about sinners in his sermon last Sunday, and the congregation wished that some of them could have been there to hear it.

Raz Barlow has returned with the baseball that was knocked so far by Dock Hocks during the recent ball game.

Sim Flinders, who has been saying all the time that his newspaper wasn't worth taking out of the mail box, raised a big kick this week because it was a day late.

Fletcher Henstep has two looking glasses in his house now, and Slim Pickens says if Fletch keeps on he will have enough mirrors to enable him to shave his neck.

Sim Flinders has been observed prowling around at night with his lantern turned down right soft and low and the Deputy Constable is going to turn his down the same way tonight and try to slip up behind him

to see what it is he is up to. There are so many gullies on Poke Eazley's farm he catches cold every time he walks out over it.

SANTA CLAUS LETTERS.

Letters to Santa Claus are already arriving at the Slatonite office and will be published next week. We invite all the kiddies to write Old Santa and send their letters to this office for publication.

CLASSIFIED ADS

ROOMS furnished for light house-keeping. CANNON HOUSE.

FOR SALE: Span mare mules, broke, 3 and 4 past. J. T. PINKSTON.

FOR SALE: Three dandy residence lots, in fine community, well located, near schools. Or would consider to trade for lots in East Slaton. See W. DONALD, at Slatonite office.

FORD CAR for sale worth the money. Terms if desired. See W. Donald, at Slatonite office.

FOR RENT: Large, weatherproof garage. Phone 135.

MOORE BROS., Lubbock, for auto tops and curtains, made or repaired.

49 ACRES of land for sale, 2 miles north of town. I also have town lots for sale.—J. M. OLIVE.

BUICK Light Six for sale or trade. See A. R. HICKS, Singleton Hotel.

We Print Everything But Dollar Bills.

LAUNDRY

I now have the agency for the Lubbock Laundry, and will call for laundry and deliver. Also clean and press, and have a nice line of samples from which to order suits. Prompt and good service is promised.

J. C. PATTON

PHONE 43

For speed and ease in scouring pots and pans, use **SAPOLIO**—the effective, economical scouring soap.

Gifts of Furniture Speak Louder Than Words



—CHRISTMAS IS ABOUT THE ONLY TIME IN THE YEAR WHEN WE PROVE TO OUR FRIENDS THAT WE LOVE THEM. WE SELDOM TELL OUR FRIENDS THAT WE LOVE THEM, BUT AT CHRISTMAS TIME FRIENDSHIP FINDS EXPRESSION IN DEEDS, NOT WORDS. SO WE SEND THEM GIFTS. FURNITURE GIFTS ARE ELOQUENT MESSENGERS OF SILENT FRIENDSHIP, FOR THEY DEMONSTRATE THE HIGH REGARD FOR A FRIEND. WE ARE SHOWING AN ENDLESS VARIETY OF JUST SUCH GIFTS, AND THEY ARE ALL WONDERFULLY ACCEPTABLE.

This Store Will Be Santa Claus Headquarters.

FOSTER & HOWERTON

HARDWARE, FURNITURE, UNDERTAKING.

SLATON, TEXAS

Big Sale!

Beginning Saturday, Dec. 10th

—IN ORDER TO REDUCE MY STOCK OF GROCERIES I WILL MAKE THE FOLLOWING PRICES:

15 lbs Sugar	..... \$1.00	No. 2½ Tomatoes	..... 15c
48-lb sack American Beauty Flour	..... \$2.00	Big round cans Sardines	..... 20c
24-lb sack American Beauty Flour, as long as it lasts	..... \$1.05	3 bars Swift's Quick Naptha Soap and 1 washing powder for only	..... 25c
Good Smoked Bacon	..... 20c	25 bars Swift's White Laundry Soap	..... \$1.00
Pure Hog Lard	..... 15c	32 bars Luna Soap	..... \$1.00
3 lbs Elegant Coffee	..... \$1.25	White aKro Syrup, gal	..... 65c
Maxwell House Coffee	..... \$1.15	Blue Karo Syrup, gal	..... 60c
Golden Gate Coffe 2½ lbs	..... \$1.20	Peaberry Coffee	..... 25c
No. 2½ Colton Peaches	..... 25c	4 cans Hebe Milk	..... 25c
No. 3 Kraut	..... 15c	Pie Peaches	..... 20c
No. 2½ Hominy	..... 15c		

—Gallon Fruits of all kinds, a good supply of Christmas Candies, and more coming. Nothing to give away but a Graphophone, which will be given away Dec. 24th. Every 25 cent purchase gets a chance. You will find my prices right on everything, and will try and give you good service, so come and get your share of these bargains while they last. Yours to please.

City Market & Grocery

G. C. RHODES, Propr.

TELEPHONE 43

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THE RETURN AT YULETIDE

CHRISTMAS comes and the old world turns Fondly back to its fairy days— Days that saw Him whose splendor burns Bright through eras of murk and mase; Back to the Star whose speaking rays Wise men spied as it beckoned them Over Judea's winding ways— Back to the Babe of Bethlehem!

Christmas comes, and the old heart goes Gayly back to the dear days past— Days whose breath of the budding rose Scents the years that have followed fast;

Back to the Star whose spell was cast Over young eyes and dazzled them, Pilling rapt youth with a wonder vast— Back to the Babe of Bethlehem!

Christmas comes, and the old faith lives. Summoned back from the days gone by—

Days begemmed with the joy that gives Mortals balm for their sob and sigh; Back is the Star in the smiling sky, Pilgrims haste as it urges them On to the haven ever nigh— Back to the Babe of Bethlehem!

Christmas! come, when the world shall go Bounding back to the best of days— Days when He in a manger low

Sages charmed into prayer and praise; Back to the Star whose speaking rays All men spy as it beckons them Over Judea's winding ways— Back to the Babe of Bethlehem!

—James C. McNally, in St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Cookies for Christmas Time.

Cream one-half cupful of shortening with one cupful of sugar; add two well-beaten eggs, one tablespoonful of milk or cream, two and one-half cupfuls of flour sifted with two teaspoonfuls of baking powder and one-half teaspoonful each of powdered nutmeg and ginger. Mix and stand aside to chill for one hour. Roll out, cut into fancy shapes and bake in a moderate oven. Fancy cutters furnish an assortment of cookies and are desirable when they are to be enjoyed by children. Lacking a variety of cutters, a pastry wheel can be used, or patterns cut out of stiff cardboard can be laid on the dough, and the outlines followed with a slender knife.

Hope He Fills Bofe of 'Em



EXPERT READER TO PRESENT DELIGHTFUL PROGRAM AT BAPTIST CHURCH DEC. 14

The next Lyceum number will be Mather Hilburn, the master entertainer, who is to appear here next Wednesday evening. He is considered by Lyceum critics all over the country as at the top of his profession.

Hilburn is a born actor and he breathes into his types much of his own fine spirit and kindly love of humanity. He mirrors life through these characters and becomes an artist with wig and grease paint, thus giving the audience a procession of ever-changing character. His work is unquestionably fine art.

One moment he is before his audience as Hilburn. In the next moment he has vanished and a typical Irishman appears; then out of the "Jack Oakes Country" walks a droll character in the delineation of which Hilburn rises to master heights. And as they come—a kaleidoscopic procession of ever-changing character.

In all cases his make-up is perfect and his acting splendid. By the aid of wigs and grease paint he transforms himself into types familiar to every audience.

Hear this master entertainer in a delightful program on Wednesday evening, Dec. 14th, at Baptist church.

THE TOWN GOSSIP.

We saw her on the street The other day And we could not help Turning to take another look at her. No, we were not rubbering In the usual way. We were not attracted By her make-up. We felt sorry for her. Her front and back were Protected by a string of pearls Of doubtful value Her shoe heels were like stilts Her cheeks colored Her lips painted, her nose powdered And her eyebrows pulled To a thin, black line. As she passed we got a whiff Of crushed rose mixed with Some smell from a sachet bag. Her hair was bobbed And she had a hobble-wabble walk. She wore a sight-seeing skirt AnAd a catch-me-if-you-can Loose hanging veil She carried a large hand bag To prove her financial independence. With all these modern Accessories and accelerators She was gliding about the street Attracting the attention Of the corner loafers like The hootchie-kootchie dancers At the street carnival. So we wonder if the Originators of Paris fashions— The men who make Dolls out of our girls Are not really impeding industry. An advertisement will only Pull the class of customers To whom you appeal And after all Manners and dress Are but a form of advertising.

When a girl wants to make an honest appeal to a man worth while she usually employs modesty. The real man loves refinement in women and when the real worth while man finds modesty and refinement, the minister gets his fee, the furniture dealer sells a new set, and by and by the milk man leaves an extra bottle. Everybody in business enjoys the benefits of increased population.

A FARM BARGAIN.

If you want a genuine farm home worth the money read this. 320 acres, 4 miles southeast of Slaton, good five-room house and all necessary outbuildings, well, mill, etc., 200 acres in cultivation, 100 acres sowed in wheat. All this goes at \$65 per acre if taken right away. One-third cash, balance long time. Address X, Slatonite.

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—15 1/2 acres improved, house and barn, joins original townsite, all in cultivation. Price \$3,000; terms. Biggest bargain on the market.

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—I have some of the best vacant lots in town listed with me and can fit you out in any part of town. Have lots at \$65 to \$250, cash and on terms.

—Call and see me, and if you need Insurance I can write any kind you need.

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TUDOR BROS.

FOSTER'S WEATHER BULLETIN.

(Copyrighted.)

Washington, Dec. 6.—The week centering on Dec. 12 will bring a great high temperature condition from Saskatchewan to the Texas gulf coast and while that temperature is rising, Dec. 7 to 12, the storms in western Canada will be a little more severe than the average of this December. Not much rain or snow. Those conditions, covering all the continent, will drift eastward across the continent in three or four days. Most precipitation in northern sections. Not good Winter wheat weather, in southern sections; too dry. Not enough snow in northern sections for Winter grain.

The week centering on Dec. 18 will be the coldest of the month, from northern Alberta and Saskatchewan to the Texas gulf coasts. A cold wave will come southward a little before, but no blizzard and not much snow; cold weather and no very bad storms. This condition will cover the whole continent as it moves eastward to the Atlantic coasts, which it will reach in three or four days. This freezing weather will find much of the Winter grain without a snow covering in northern sections and dry soil southward; bad Winter grain conditions.

One of the worst storms of the Winter may be expected Dec. 21 to 31, inclusive. Better prepare for that period of bad storms. They will surely be severe and much inconvenience may be avoided by preparedness. Not good cropweather for Winter grain. Last week in December will bring a great high temperature wave. These sudden changes are not good for human health. These bad weather effects could be largely avoided if our people would give more attention to the laws of good health. But our race knows no more about keeping well than about keeping out of human slaughter. More lives are lost by carelessness during peace than by killing during war. We are not half civilized. Give more attention to nature's laws.

Long ago I told my readers that one of the great farm products of North America would make a short crop for 1922. They are now beginning to see what I referred to. I can tell them another fact. Some considerable sections of North American Spring sown and planted crops will be cut short.

The total world's production of 1922 crops are sure to greatly vary from the 10-year averages. I make enough mistakes in other weather matters but I absolutely know, approximately, the causes that bring good and bad cropweather and crops to the continents. Next year North America will be close to the 10-year averages; the other continents will vary greatly from those averages. How do I know? I will tell you. My forecasts of continental crop products have been correct ever since I began to make them, more than five years ago. They are founded on 100 years of astronomical, cropweather and crop products records, and, after diligent search, I am not able to find where any theories have failed. The natural, electro-magnetic, planetary laws are very simple, easily understood, and, in relation to this one weather feature are almost as sure as sunrise. It is the greatest discovery ever made. But our race is too busy with war matters to assist me in giving to the whole of this half civilized world the greatest of all great benefits.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

The State of Texas. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Lubbock County, Greeting:

You are commanded to summon S. P. Martin by making publication of this Citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to said Lubbock County; to appear at the next regular term of the Justice's Court in Precinct No. 2, Lubbock County, to be holden at Slaton, in said Lubbock County, on the second day of January, A. D. 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 14th day of September, A. D. 1921, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 105, wherein the Guarantee State Bank of Greenville, Texas, a banking corporation under the laws of the State of Texas is Plaintiff, and S. P. Martin is Defendant, and said petition alleging that defendant owes plaintiff balance of \$150.00 principal on a note executed by defendant to plaintiff on January 17, 1921, due April 1st after date, with interest and attorney's fees as provided in said note, same having been placed in the hands of an attorney for collection after maturity, and plaintiff has caused attachment to issue and to be levied on Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in Block No. 98 in the Original Town of Slaton, Texas, and prays for judgment against defendant for its debt, costs, and after judgment for execution against said property and sale thereof in satisfaction of said debt and costs.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my official signature, at office in Slaton, Texas, this the 30th day of November, A. D. 1921.

PAUL P. MURRAY, Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 2, Lubbock County, Texas.

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GRAND JURY LIST.

Following is a list of the grand jurors for the next term of district court, which convenes Dec. 12:

S. W. Page, Edgar Abney, Geo. Robinson, Pate Hardy, J. H. Burroughs, W. B. Copeland, A. V. McCarty, J. H. Richardson, J. S. Edwards, T. J. Abel, W. P. Rush, B. F. Hutson, J. O. Jones, W. A. Bacon, J. A. Wilson, Smylie Wilson.

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