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# SOCIAL EVENTS OF SLATON AND COMMUNITY DURING PAST WEEK

Civic and Culture Club. The annual open meeting of the Saturday afternoon at the pretty home of Mrs. L. B. Parker, with Mes-dames Parker, H. C. Jones, R. A. Baldwin and Miss Jeanette Ramsey,

hostesses.

The Parker home was made more beautiful with decorations of roses, the club flower.

The lesson for the afternoon was "Romantic Ireland," led by Mrs. J. H. Brewer, who made a very interesting talk on the "History of Ireland.

Other numbers on the program. Other numbers on the program were given as follows:

"Word Picture of Ireland's Natural Beauty," Mrs. W. E. Smart. Song, "Come Back to Erin," by the

"Irish Village Life," Mrs. H. G.

club.

"Irish Village Life," Mrs. H. G. Rowley.

Song, "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling," Mrs. Hurdle Smith.

"Blarney Castle," Mrs. J. F. Frye. Song, "There's Something in the Name of Ireland," Mesdames Brewer, Rowley, Anderson, Jones, Johnston, Russell, and Parker, with the club joining in the chorus.

"Tara, the Home of Kings," Miss Clara Klattenhoff.

Song, "Tara's Heart," Mesdames Anderson, Johnston, Jones.

Mrs. Goodman of Abernathy, president of the eighth district of Federated Clubs, was present and made a very interesting address, as did also Mrs. Dr. Baugh of Lubbock, county president.

Following is the guest list; Mrs. Goodman, Abernathy; Mrs. Baugh, Lubbock; Mrs. S. G. Wilson, Sherman; Mrs. Hollis Rutter, Canadian; Mesdames W. Y. Price, Koons, W. R. Wilson, R. H. McCurdy, J. P. Markham, J. W. Walter, Laton, Fred Whitehead, W. H. McKirahan, W. W. Walker, H. W. Ragsdale, Classner, Hodges, H. Smith, C. L. Sone, R. M. Ellis, Jr., C. F. Anderson, L. B. Wootton, Ray Stephenson.

During the social hour delightful refreshments which carried out the club colors of green and white, were served to all.

Presbyterian Auxiliary.

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The Auxiliary of the First Presby-terian church met on Monday after-noon with Mrs. S. A. Peavy. The af-ternoon was devoted to Mission study, led by Mrs. J. G. Levey, with Mesdames Peavy, Donald and Bran-noon having assigned parts, which non having assigned parts, which made a splendid program.

Dr. Browne was with us and added

much to the program with a talk on Emigration.

t It was decided to hold a food sale at Mr. Brannon's store on Saturday,
June 2, beginning at 10 o'clock. Mrs.
Donald will be in charge, assisted by
Mesdames Brannon and Levey.
On Monday, June 4, our business
meeting will be with Mrs. J. G. Levey.
Let all members come out and do
their part. —Publicity Secretary.

#### Missionary Society.

This was our regular Bible study absent. day. Lesson from the 21st chapter of John, ably led by Mrs. Ragsdale. In addition to the regular lesson we had a very interesting program as

follows:
Lives of Bible characters given.
Saul, Mrs. Dickey.
Absolom, Mrs. Sanders.
David, Mrs. Worley.
Jonathan, Mrs. Guinn.
Abner, Mrs. Frye.
Tribes of Israel, Miss Sone.
Song, "More About Jesus."
Prayer, Mrs. Dickey.
Next Monday will be our business and social meeting. Hostesses, Mesdames Brewer, Nix, Murray and Whitehead.
—Publicity Supt.

#### Martin-Brooks.

On Wednesday, May 23, Monroe Martin of Union community, and Miss Lora Brooks of Lamesa, were married at the bride's home, the Christian pastor of that city officiating. They arrived here Thursday to make their future home.

The bride in this happy event is a a daughter of W. A. Brooks of Lamesa, a former resident of Slaton. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Martin of Union.

The Slatonite joins in extending congratulations.

congratulations.

# Miss Muff Robertson Presented in Recital at Fort Worth.

Friends in Slaton received invita-Friends in Slaton received invita-tions to be present at a recital in Fort Worth Tuesday afternoon, May 29th, when Mr. Russell C. Curtis presented Miss Muff Robertson, piano. Miss Robertson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Robretson of V Ranch, and has been studying in Fort Worth dur-

Mrs. O. D. McClintock, on Thursday afternoon of last week. All of the little guests present were also honor students. Flowers in profusion were showered upon the honoree as the guests entered the home. A number of interesting games were enjoyed during the afternoon, and before their departure the guests were served dainty refreshments.

Sunbeam Program. World Comrades.7 The House of the Farther

(From World Comrades.)
Topic: The House of the Farther Lights.
Prayer.
Scripture quotations.
Song, "Send the Light."
Poster verse, Mat. 5:16.
Story, The Farther Lights, John Hardesty.
Shining Candles (page 44), Robert Lee Stone, Thos. L. Petty, Joe Montgomery, Guy Wilson.
Piano solo, Pauline Owens.
Shadow pictures: Chinese Boy, Obel Staggs; First Sunbeam, Cleo Hollingsworth; Girl from Brazil, nez Hamlett; Second Sunbeam, Maxine, Maxwell; African, Robert Harris; Third Sunbeam, Pauline Owens; Indian Boy, Cecil Greer; Fourth Sunbeam, Pauline Rice; Immigrant Boy, Wilson Lott; Fifth Sunbeam, Imogene Haney; Japanese Girl, Oma Graves; Sixth Sunbeam, Estelle Bean. Gathering of Love Gifts.
Closing prayer.

Junior B. Y. P. U. Group 2 in charge.
Introduction by group captain.
The Plot of the Gibeonites, Claudia
Anderson. Preparing for the Trip, Beryl Har-

desty.

Joshua Hears Their Story, Zona Florence. Joshua is Deceived, Bernice Holngsworth. Joshua Discovers His Mistake, Mil-

dred Boyd.

The Gibeonites Are Punished, Audry Wordman.

Piano solo, Claudia Anderson.

Reading, C. S. Greer.

Reading, Kathline Haney.

Senior B. Y. P. U. Program. Violin solo, Mae Driver. ntroduction, Irma King leader. Will God Hear Me? Marion An-

When God Answers Prayers, Theresa Morgan. God Answers Prayer Because He

is What He is, Evelyn Stallings.
The Scriptures Teach That God
Hears Our Prayers, Earle Florence. Our Helper in Prayer, Erma Mae

Senior Epworth League-B. Y. P. U.

The League and B. Y. P. U. had a joint meeting at the Baptist church last Sunday evening. The inclement weather prevented their going to the canyon to have meeting as was their plan. The meeting was a splendid one despite the fact that members who were placed on program were

More than forty young people were present and an informal program was rendered.

This was last Sunday in Slaton for a number of young people, for the public school teachers, some of whom have been valuable assets to the young people's Christian work, are leaving for their respective homes, the graduates will be leaving for school and other vocations, while still others who have come here to attend school will be gone for the summer

W. A. Program. Topic: Educational Program of Southern Baptists.

Leader, Mrs. J. W. Short. Hymn. Bible Study, see page 8.

Prayer.
Personal service period.
Pars. 1 and 2, Mrs. Fred Stottle-

Pars. 3 and 4, Mrs. Ray Stephen-

Pars. 5, 6 and 7, Mrs. Wilks.
Violin solo, Mae Driver.
Pars. 8 and 9, Mrs. J. P. Hardesty.
Pars. 10, 11 and 12, Mrs. E. C. Fos-

Pars. 13, 14 and 15, Mrs. F. E. Bourland. Missions in Colleges, Mrs. W. B.

Montague. Poem, Mrs. H. C. Burrus. Prayer for campaign victory.

Wednesday Club.

The Wednesday Club will meet in open session with Mrs. George Everline on next Wednesday. Hostesses will be Mesdames Everline, K. C. Scott, and Ray Stephenson.

Honor Party.

Because she had won highest honors in fifth grade, East Ward school, Lorene McClintock was given a pretty little honor party by her mother,

# CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ACTIVITIES AS REPORTED

The remaining ungrubbed lots in the shop district have been grubbed and cleaned up nicely, making quite an improvement there. The townsite people are leaving nothing undone to make their holdings attractive and their lead should be followed by all having unimproved lots.

Slatopites to the number of forty held up Shaton's, end at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce meetings at Sar-Augelo last week. This was by far the birgest crowd that has ever attached a meeting of this kind, and the spirit of West Texas portrayed there would show any skeptic what is building this wonderful country. The staff meetings attended by the officers from this Chamber were of much good and both the president and secretary return with ideas in keeping with the future growth of the city. Shaton has only started; it remains with the citizenship as to whether we are satisfied with the progress so far attained. Things worth while are not accomplished in a day and if we want still greater results we must be up and doing. The greatest need of Slaton is a hotel commensurate with other improvements that we now have, and if the

S. H. Bain has disposed of his residence in West Slaton to N. C. Gentry.

G. W. Clark of Clovis, N. M., has purchased the grocery business of D. W. Carroll on Texas Avenue.

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R. H. Tudor has purchased the M. M. Taylor residence in West Slaton.

The Santa Fe is now entirely sold out on the square, the two remaining lots on the south side having been sold to W. R. Graves and C. C. Hoffman. This side of the square will now construct a ten and one-half foot sidewalk and curbing and within a short time there will be two or more buildings constructed there.

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The Secretary is called back to his old home in Indiana for a few days, and will leave first of next week. Upon our return we hope to harness the different elements and get going on many matters that have not as yet been brought to a satisfactory conclusion. Lets put the city's needs as a whole ahead of our own private ambitions for a little while and get what we are sadly in need of. Satisfaction derived from doing things for others and incidentally ourselves, is really that which counts for good in the end.

# ALMOST IMPOSSIBLE

Way we rediew a foreman in a printing office that frequently used the above phrase. He is still there receiving his small weekly pay check, getting older day by day, and soon the time will come when he will be unfit for work, then laid off.

—Whenever the owner of that printing office suggested some new method he would growl and shake his head. He would go out among his workers, and some of them would raise objections to the new idea, based on the dislike felt by most people for any change in their operations. The foreman lacked the energy and resolution to investigate these objections by personal experiment.

-"It is almost impossible to do it" he would report and would repeat the objections he had heard, without suggestions as to how they could be overcome. There are too many of the "almost impossible" people in the world today.

—The successful man never makes such an admission as that. If a thing is demonstrated to be impossible, he gives it up as impracticable. But if anyone says "almost impossible," it means the thing can be done, only there are difficulties to be surmounted. That simply incites the ambition of a resourceful man.

There should not be any "almost impossible" in the efforts to promote the development of Slaton and the great South Plains around us. Many projects that seem impossible to people of small faith, yet are accomplished by determined community workers in places no bigger or wealthier than Slaton. Let us take hold of some of the projects needed for the development of the rural communities, and push them through, instead of merely talking about them. The town will always grow in proportion to the growth of the communities surrounding it. Let's boost the agricultural, poultry and livestock possibilities of this section more than ever.





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A trowel has been invented which, It is claimed, will enable a bricklayer to double the number of bricks laid in a day.

Don't Hide Them With a Veil; Remove Them With Othine-Double Strength

This preparation for the treatment of freckles is usually so successful in removing freckles and giving a clear, beautiful complexion that it is sold under guarantee to refund the money if it falls.

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# The Kitchen Cabinet

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That man is blest Who does his best And leaves the rest— Then do not worry.

HELPFUL HINTS

Try cooking onlons the next time in A double boiler in skim milk. Add butter and salt when the on-

ions are tender and serve at once. When opening a large

bottle of olives, which are liable to spoil before all are used, take out the desired amount and pour over the top two or three tablespoonfuls of oil. The

oil seals and keeps them from molding. A screw that is rusty or a nail which s obstinate about being removed may be encouraged with a few drops of oil and a heated screwdriver. When putting a pail into hardwood dip it in oil and it will drive much easier.

In peeling onlons do them under water and save the annoyance of shedding tears.

Windows washed in clean soft water with a little bluing, using a chamois skin for washing and a dry one for wiping, will be shining and bright.

A cork too tight to fit a bottle may be soaked in hot water, then used. Add a few drops of lemon juice to

bolled rice; it adds to the flavor as well as to its appearance. When using cleaning powder on wa-

ter faucets be careful to keep the gritty substance away from the joints. The powder is liable to cut away the threads as the faucet is turned fre-

Broiled Parenips .- Wash and scrape parsnips until clean and cook in boiling water until tender. When cold cut in halves lengthwise, spread with melted butter and broll.

There is a general agreement, except perhaps on the part of a few wayward ascetics, not only that health is a blessing, but that to the want of it may safely be ascribed no inconsiderable part of our present ethical and social problems.-James Harvey Robin-

#### EVERYDAY GOOD THINGS

The following recipe is one recommended and used by many physicians in their recom-



mended dietaries: Bran Bread .-Take four cupfuls of wheat bran, two cupfuls of whole wheat flour, three-quarters of a cup. I of molas-

ses (New Orleans), one tenspoonful each of salt and soda, two cupfuls of sweet milk, a little cream or shortening and a few raisins. Bake one hour.

Corn Meal Gems .- Beat one egg, add one cupful of sour milk, one-half cupful of molasses, one tenspoonful of soda, one cupful of corn meal, one cupful of flour, one tablespoonful of butter or melted shortening; salt to taste, Bake in gem pans. This makes twelve.

Graham Gems .- Take one cupful of graham flour, one cupful of sour milk, one beaten egg, one teaspoonful of soda, one-half tenspoonful of salt, two tablespoonfuls of sugar and three tablespoonfuls of shortening. Bake in gem pans. This recipe makes six.

Steamed Brown Bread.-Take one cupful each of sour milk, graham flour, raisins and molasses, salt to taste, two teaspoonfuls of soda and one and one third cupfuls of corn meal. Steam two hours, or steam in fireless cooker for four hours; dry off in the oven, with the covers off the molds.

Cream Slaw .- To one quart of chopped cabbage take one-half cupful of vinegar, two tablespoonfuls of sugar a teaspoonful of flour, one beaten egg tablespoonful of butter and one-hall teaspoonful each of mustard, salt and paprika. Put sugar, vinegar and but ter into a saucepan, and when boiling add the beaten egg with one-half cup ful of cream, flour and seasonings; les boll and pour boiling hot over the cab

Dominoes.-Cream one-half cupfu of butter with one and one-half cup fuls of sugar, add two well-benter eggs and one cupful of warm -milk Sift three cupfuls of flour with four teaspoonfuls of baking pow der; add this to the first mixture beat well and bake in a shallow pan The batter should be a quarter of ar inch thick. When done and cool, cut the cake into domino-shaped pieces tce the top and decorate with melted chocolate, put on in drops with s wooden skewer.

Necie Maxwell

# IMPORTANT: Save this announcement, read it carefully, and keep for reference. It may mean money and knowledge to you.

Below are ten Recipes showing a few of the many appetizing dishes that cen be made with Grape-Nuts. Read them over, try some of them, and then you will find it easy to work out a new Recipeor think of a new use for Grape-Nuts, that we may purchase. And remember,

your Recipe or suggestion for new use of Grape-Nuts may also merit one of

GRAPE-NUTS Ice Cream

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cup Grape-Nuts 2 cubed bananas aliced orange 2 teaspoons lemon-luice cup cubed pine-luice cup cubed pine-luice cup cubed pine-luice cut up the fruit, add lemon-luice, mix with Grape-Nuts, and serve on bed of lettuce with Cream Salad Dressing, Makes four to six portions.

GRAPE-NUTS Six Minute Pudding

I cup Grape-Nuts I tablespoon sugar
1½ cups scalded milk ½ cup raisins
Cover Grape-Nuts with scalded milk. Add sugar,
raisins, and a little nutmed. Cook six minutes
directly over the heat, stirring constantly, and
serve with any good pudding sauce. Makes four

GRAPE-NUTS Cookies

GRAPE-NUTS Cheese Casserole cup Grape-Nuts (5 teaspoon pepper 15 cups milk

GRAPE-NUTS Fruit Pudding ...
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chage lemon Jell-O
lemon flavored or chopped dates

GRAPE-NUTS Meat Loaf

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1 pound veal, mutton
or heef

4 pound salt pork

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GRAPE-NUTS Lost Cake

the large awards.

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ings for fowls, etc. No doubt there are thousands of women who are finding varied uses for Grape-Nuts in their home cooking, and even more thousands who will be glad to learn of those varied uses; for while we all cling to old favorite dishes, we also welcome and enjoy a change.

So that is the thought back of our offer of more than \$7500.00 in cash for new ways of using Grape-Nuts. To those women who are already using Grape-Nuts in various ways, other than as a breakfast cereal or in the recipes given here, and to those women who would like to try their hand at developing some new way to use Grape-Nuts, we offer to buy at \$50.00 each not less than 101 new Grape-Nuts Recipes. We plan to include these new Recipes in a beautifully illustrated cook book.

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Grape-Nuts is a highly nutritious food in the form of crisp, golden gran-ules. It contains the full nutriment of wheat and barley, including vitamin-B and mineral elements required for building sturdy health. These elebuilding sturdy health. These elediet, chiefly through 'over-refinement' in the preparation of food.

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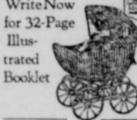
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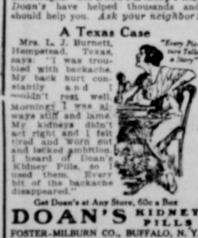
She-So your new novel deals with the lower classes. Something after Dickens' style, I presume.

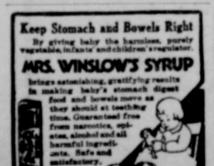
He-Well, yes, I believe he did treat subjects in much the same vein as Revised Regulations Disallow Compenmine.-Boston Transcript.

If a girl can make a man jealous

#### Why That Bad Back?

Does spring find you miserable with an aching back? Do you feel lame, stiff, tired, nervous and depressed? Likely your kidneys have weakened. Winter is hard on the kidneys. Colds and chills and a heavier diet with less exercise fax them heavily. It's little and calls and a heavier diet with less exercise tax them heavily. It's little wonder spring finds you with backache, rheumatic pains, headaches, dizziness and bladder irregularities. But don't be discouraged. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Doan's have helped thousands and should help you. Ask your neighbor!





DAIRY COWS NEED MINERALS

Lime and Phosphorus Particularly Required, According to Ohio Station Tests.

That milk cows need more minerals, particularly lime and prosphorus, than is commonly found in their feed, is the finding of recent feeding tests at the Ohio experiment station.

The best feeds to supply these elements are clover hay, alfalfa hay, soy bean hay and wheat bran. If plenty of one or more of these is not given in the daily feed, it will be wise to add about one pound of fine ground limestone and two pounds of specially prepared bone meal to each 100 pounds of grain mixture.

An increased flow of milk may not be noted at once, but the good effects are in the prevention of future decrease in milk production. The menerals may make their best showing in the following year.

The two elements most likely to be lacking are calcium and phosphorus. Limestone carries calcium, and bone meal carries both calcium and phosphorus. When these are combined in the feed while the cow is dry, it is found that she will store enough to increase production still further during her next milking season.

#### SUPPLY COWS MORE PROTEIN

Bran, Linseed Oilmeal and Cottonseed Meal Will Furnish Necessary Ingredients.

Home-grown feeds for datry cows, anless there is an abundance of clover, alfalfa or soy-bean hay, do not carry enough protein to produce milk most economically, according to dairy authorities at Ohio experiment station.

The addition of such feeds as bran, linseed oilmeal and cottonseed meal to the ration will supply the necessary protein and assist in the digestion of the home-grown feeds.

When no legume hay is available and such feeds as sliage, mixed hay, clover, ground corn and ground oats are fed, no cow should have less, and heavy-producing cows should have more, than 31/2 pounds of linseed off-

Instead of linseed meal one of the following equivalents may be fed: Cottonseed meal 2 pounds and bran 2 pounds, wheat bran 4 pounds and gluten feed 2 pounds, wheat bran 3 pounds and ollment 2 pounds, oilment 1 pound, cottonseed meal 1 pound and bran 3 pounds, or distillers' grain 3 pounds and oilmeal 1 pound. Where a good legume hay is fed at least half the above amount of protein concentrate should be fed.

#### NO INDEMNITY PAID SCRUBS

sation for Tuberculous Steers and Grade Bulls.

Under revised regulations, effective March 1, governing the appraisement of tuberculous animals and federal expenditures by the United States De partment of Agriculture in the eradication of tuberculosis, no federal indemnity will be paid for scrub bulls. Section 9, which provides that "no compensation will be paid for tuberculous steers or unregistered bulls," places scrub and grade bulls in the same class with meat animals for which the salvage obtainable by the owner depends largely on their condition and market value.

This new provision reflects the attitude of the United States Department of Agriculture that scrub and grade bulls are undesirable for breeding purposes, and that they are not entitled to be classed as breeding stock. In the case of purebred buils, for which federal indemnity is paid under the provisions of the regulations, description of animal together with registry number must be supplied to the appraising officer.

#### SATISFACTORY HAY FOR CALF

Montana Station Finds Mixture of Grasses and Legumes Best for Young Animal.

The most satisfactory hay for young calves is a mixture of grasses and legumes, the Montana experiment station finds. Alfalfa hay is too laxative for calves under three months old that are fed skim milk or whey. Cereal and millet hays are not satisfactory, Feed more hay at all times than the caives will consume so they can pick out the leaves and finer portions. Dry stock and buils can clean up the course hay which is left. After three months, silage may be used in small

amounts.

#### QUITE A "PROMINENT FELLER"

Fact That "A. Louer" Was Very Much in Evidence in Paris Impressed Jay Gould.

Mrs. Barton French, who had taken villa on the sea near Monte Carlo for the winter, said at a dinner party:
"We Americans are poor linguists

as a rule. I remember a story that Lord Dunraven once told me about Jay Gould.

"Jay Gould was visiting Paris, and Lord Dunraven devoted a day to driving him over the cley. There happened to be a good many apartments to let at the time, and to-let signs-A Louer-were stuck up everywhere. Jay Gould didn't seem to notice the Arc de Triomphe, or Notre Dame, or anything. A queer, silent little chap, Lord Dunraven said.\*

"But at the end of the day's sightseeing Mr. Gould displayed a little interest at last.

"'Who's this here A. Louer, Mr. Dunraven?' he said. 'Seems a pretty prominent feller."

The housewife smiles with satisfaction as she looks at the basket of clear, white clothes and thanks Red Cross Ball Blue. At all grocers .- Ad-

Another Early One.

The wild ginger has large, broad heart-shaped leaves which are most conspicuous objects on the rocky hillsides in early April, says Nature Magazine. Their thick stems rise some six or ten inches above the ground, but the dull, purplish, cup-shaped blossoms must be searched for at the roots, well hidden among the dead leaves.

#### Old Colored Mammy Knew What to Do

"I was distracted with fear when my little 9-month-old baby had dysentery, but an old colored mammy teld me to give her Teethina and she has given me no more trouble since," sald Mrs. Nettie Barnes, South Bay, Palm Beach Co., Fla. "With my last baby I got Teethina before he began teething and he was never sick a

It is not always safe to follow the advice of old colored mammies, but when they are as well informed as recommended Teethina ers can inform themselves as to the proper care of their bables by consulting Moffett's Baby Book, which can be had free by sending 30c to the Moffett Laboratories, Columbus, Ga., for a full size package of Teethina .- (Advertisement.)

Our Language. Blinks-He is hard-boiled. Jinks-Yes, I've noticed he is awful-

fy raw at times.

# 98 OUT OF EVERY 100 WOMEN BENEFITED

An Absolutely Reliable Statement Important to Every Woman

Remarkable Results Shown by a Nation Wide Canvass of Women Purchasers of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-pound. 50,000 Women Answer

For some time a circular has been enclosed with each bottle of our medicine bearing this question: "Have you received benefit from taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?"

Replies, to date, have been re-ceived from over 50,000 women an-swering that question.

98 per cent of which say YES. That means that 98 out of every 100 women who take the medicine for the ailments for which it is recommended are benefited by it.

This is a most remarkable record of efficiency. We doubt if any other medicine in the world equals it.

Think of it—only two women out of 100 received no benefit—98 successes out of a possible 100.

Did you ever hear anything like it? We must admit that we, ourselves, are astonished.

Of course we know that our medi-cine does benefit the large majority of women who take it. But that only two out of 100 received no benefit is most astonishing.

It only goes to prove, however, that a medicine specialized for certain definite ailments—not a cure all—one that is made by the most scientific process; not from drugs, but from a combination of nature's roots and herbs, can and does do more good than hastily prepared prescriptions.

You see, we have been making, improving and refining this medicine for over 50 years until it is so perfect and so well adapted to women's needs that it actually has the virtue to benefit 98 out of every 100 women who

Its reliability and recognized effi-ciency has gained for it a sale in almost every country in the world—leading all others.

Such evidence should induce every woman suffering from any ailment peculiar to her sex to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vege-table Compound and see if she can't be one of the 98. The Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

# CONSTIPATION



Take a good dose of Carter's Little Liver Pills —then take 2 or 3 for a few nights after. They cleanse your system of all waste matter and Regulate Your Bowels. Mild—as easy to take as sugar. Genuine bear signature - Brenttood Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

Protecting Alaskan Game.

New regulations for the protection of game in certain localities in Alaska have been approved by the secretary of agriculture, effective April 1, 1923. The only important change made was that eliminating certain islands in southeastern Alaska on which the kill-ing of deer was prohibited in the past. Kruzof Island, however, is still retained as a deer preserve. The killing of mountain sheep and mountain goats in the eastern part of the Kenai peninsula is prohibited until April 1, 1925. There still remains a closed season on deer west of longitude 141

A Woman's Reason.

Alice-Why did you postpone your marriage to Dick? Virginia-He married Gladys!

Her—"Were you ever pinched for going too fast?" Him—"No, but I've window without waiting for poverty to come in at the door.

IF YOUR Uses "Cutter"s".
Serums and Vaccines her
doing his best to conserve your

The Cutter Laboratory
"The Laboratory that Knews How"
eley (U.S. License) California



EYES SORE? Dr. Isaac EYEWATER A reliable and speedy remedy since 1756. Buy as your druggist's or John L. Thompson Sons & Co., 16 River Street, Troy, N. Y. BOOKLET FREE.

"They used to smile at red-headed "And now half the world is girls." using henna."

# OIGN LODA TAKE NO CALOMEL

"Dodson's Liver Tone" Straightens You Up Better Than Salivating, Dangerous Calomel and Doesn't Upset You-Don't Lose a Day's Work-Read Guarantee

I discovered a vegetable compound that does the work of dangerous, sickening calomel and I want every reader of this paper to buy a bottle for a few cents and if it doesn't straighten you up better and quicker than salivating calomel just go back to the store and get your money back.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your thirty feet of bowels of the sour bile and constipation poison which is making you feel miserable.

I guarantee that one spoonful of this harmless liquid liver medicine will relieve the headache, biliousness,

coated tongue, ague, malaria, sour stomach or any other distress caused by a torpid liver as quickly as a dose of vile, nauseating calomel, besides it will not make you sick or keep you from a day's work.

Calomel is poison-it's mercuryit attacks the bones often causing rheumatism. Calomel is dangerous. It sickens—while my Dodson's Liver Tone is safe, pleasant and harmless. Eat anything afterwards, because it can not salivate. Give it to the children because it doesn't upset the stomach or shock the liver. Take a spoonful tonight and wake up feeling fine and ready for a full day's work.

BRIGHTENS, REFRESHES, ADDS NEW DELIGHT TO OLD DRAPERIES PUTNAM FADELESS DYES—dyes or tints as you wish



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Before we sell out of an article we have more of it on the way to our store. When anything new in our line comes out we get it at once.

—You can be sure to find it in our store if it is hardware you want, and you will find that our price is always reasonable.

-We want your hardware business and we will give you good value to get and hold your trade.

# A. L. BRANNON HARDWARE

Our Hardwear Wears

Telephone 55



## Visit Our Store-

-We still have a complete line of Dry Goods, Shoes, Hats, Groceries and Hardware at prices lower than elsewhere.

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### FORREST HARDWARE CO.

Homer Hall, Mgr.

Phone 6, Slaton

#### Grand Jury List for District Court Term

District court convenes at Lubbock Monday, June 11th. Following is a list of grand jurors that have been selectde for the June term:

Chris Harwell, A. C. Benton, W. B. Atkins, B. Sherrod, A. M. Becton, W. C. Grimes, W. A. Bacon, J. S. Edwards, J. T. Inmon, J. A. Wilson, W. O. Sheeley, J. H. Goodpasture, W. B. Copeland, W. H. Meador, Geo. Robinson, D. W. Gill.

RECITAL PLEASED LARGE AUDIENCE TUESDAY NIGHT

On Tuesday night the pupils of Miss Jeanette Ramsey, plano, and Miss Margaret Whitaker, expression, delighted a large audience at the high school auditorium. The following program was rendered:

Marche Militaire (Schubert), Beryl Hardesty, Margaret Smith.

Hungary (Koelling), Lois Stallings.

Scherzo in E min. (Mendelssohn), Mrs. L. B. Hagerman. Minuet (Paderewski), Frances Ad-

Just Her Way (Sylvester), That Old Sweetheart of Mine (Riley), Edith Edwards.

Valse Caprice (Newland), Audrey Pomponette (Durand), Evelyn Stal-

ings. Rustle of Spring (Sinding), Mrs. B. Hagerman.
Dancing Doll (Poldini), Margaret

The New South (Grady), Alton

Young. Danse Rustique (Masno), Lois and

Danse Rustique (Masno), Lois and Evelyn Stallings.
One-act play, "Thirty Minutes for Refreshments." Characters: John Downley, a bachelor, John Bagby; Clarence Fitts, his colored servant, John Abel; John Foxton, a young married man, Charlie Splawn; Major Pepper, Bob Smith; Miss Arabella Pepper, Thelma Smith; Mrs. Foxton, Audry Philips; Polly, Edith Edwards.

Seat covers will protect the upholstering of a new car, and will make an old car look 100 per cent better. We fit any make or model. Inspect our seat covers and let us quote you prices.—WHITAKER & WHITE.

### **CLASSIFIED ADS**

15; \$8 per 100. 5 miles southeast of Slaton on James farm.—J. R. RAY-MOND, Rt. No. 2, box 83.

MRS. E. M. LOTT, Spirella Corset-ierre. Phone 95.

FURNITURE Repairing, upholstering, enameling, packing and crating. Second hand furniture for sale.—J. H. BROCK, 3rd door east of laundry.

FOR RENT: Front edroom, modern conveniences. Apply MRS. E. M. LOTT or phone 95.

WANTED: Agents to write Hail Insurance. See us at Lubbock.—Texas Land Exchange, Chas. and Ed Alex-

BOARD and Room by day, week or month, reasonable rates.—Mrs. E. F. Eastridge, 1st door west phone office.

SLATON ENCAMPMENT NO. 37, I. O. O. F. meets at Shopbell Hall every first and third Friday nights. Visiting Patriarchs cordially invited to meet with us.—F. V. Williams, Chief Patriarch; J. A. Staggs, Scribe.

FOR SALE: 5-room bungalow, with bath and toilet, all modern conveniences, close in. Two lots. Priced right. Will take small payment down, balance monthly. For particulars write Box 694, Lubbock, Texas.

HAY FOR SALE: Good cane hay, 75c per bale, or \$21 per ton.—FARM-ERS' EXCHANGE, Successors to Sla-

PLENTY of late plants at the Slaton Green House, 2 blocks east of East Ward school. Phone 219.—MRS. C. JACOBSON.

FOR RENT: Furnished two-room house, close in, desirable. Electric lights and water. Apply W. DON-ALD, Slatonite Office.

FOR RENT: Bed room with adjoining kitchenette; couple only. Apply Slatonite Office.

WOODROW Wilson Ward wants quilting to do. Phone 24.

MONUMENTS: I represent the So. Plains Monument Co. and will appre-ciate your orders for monuments. My prices are right and deliveries are prompt. All I ask is that you give me a chance at your work.—A. I. KUYKENDALL, Phone 51.

PURE Nancy Hall potato plants, to-mato plants, Acmé, New Stone, Ear-lina, Dwarf Champion, Yellow Pear (small); cabbage plants, Early Flat Dutch, Late Flat Dutch, Early Jersey Wakefield. Prices: per 100, \$1.25; per 500 \$1.25; per 1000 \$2.00; 5000 lots \$1.75. Pepper and egg plant 15c per doz., \$1.00 per 100. Cash with or-der. If plants are wanted by parcel post add 10c for first hundred nad 3c per hundred for each additional hun-dred.—Clarendon Plant & Floral Co., Claerndon, Texas. Claerndon, Texas.

COMPLETE housekeeping outfit for sale. Apply Mrs. Wilson, at Payne's

# Are You a Lucky Housewife?

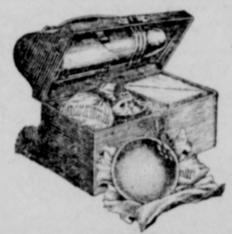
-Is the worry of planning your meals eliminated to a great extent by the grocer? If they're not they should be. Phone your next order to 43 and take advantage of the suggestions of "old heads" in this line. You will be surprised at the help we can give you. We enjoy helping our customers in any way possible. They all appreciate it, so will you. And remember next time to telephone 43 for your Groceries and Meat. When our customers are PLEASED WE ARE PLEASED.

City Market & Grocery

C. O. Hefner, Propr.

# IN OUR NEW LOCATION

-We have been busy during this week moving our stock of groceries into our new location in the Kolodzi Building, on Texas Avenue, northeast of square. We are ready to serve you now in a more satisfactory way than ever before. You have a special invitation to call and inspect our new store and note the improvements.



# THE TEXAS GROCERY

Telephone No. 7

Slaton, Texas

# BUSINESS GOOD, THANK YOU!

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—Since buying the Star Garage our business has exceeded our fondest expectations, for which we are truly thankful and want to assure you that this liberal patronage is highly appreciated. Once a customer of this garage and you will always be a customer. Our service pleases.

—A leading feature of our shop is the allnight service, any hour of the day or night you will find our place open and a man ready to wait on you. Take advantage of this unusual service offered for your convenience.

# THE STAR GARAGE

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I have made arrangements with Fincher Bros., Coal and Grain Dealers to take care of telephone and warehouse orders while I am out on deliveries.

Phone 224 for orders in my line.

Producers Refining Co. A. E. MAY, Agent

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D. & M. Baseball goods, balls, gloves, bats, mits, etc. at Teague's Confectionery.

# Slaton Firemen "Mopped Up" on Odd Fellows in Baseball Game Wednesday

The greatest game of the sea-son in baseball was played Wednesday afternoon, Slaton Fremen vs. the Odd Fellows.

The game was full of smoke, noise and pep. Every man star-red. Thirteen men were used by the fire fighters and ten by the Odds. Every vocation was repre-sented from the bootlegger to the preacher and it was demonstrated that nobody forgets how to play baseball.

Odd Fellows 9 11 2 21 Firemen ... 11 9 9 12 Garland led in hits and strike-

Green and Lemens for the Firemen and Hanna for the Odds led in goose eggs. They did not play the whole game.

DeLong, Owens and Whipple covered themselves with dirt and

Two fights added to the general excitement. Stewart vs.

Brewer and Edwards vs. McGee. Nobody was badly hurt. Friend-ly relations still exist.

Excitement ran so high and the rooters begame so unmanageable that our long-headed Chief of Police Able hurried to town and turned on the fire alarm. Some thought it a frame-up, but Tom didn't want a lot of lisabled citizens and scores of up, but Tom didn't want a lot of disabled citizens and scores of widows and orphans to look after. Who knows what might have happened if it had run to nine innings instead of six and a half? Call on the Chief for 8 I-3 cents cash, for you saw only two-thirds of the game.

Walter Lee and Frank Sumner, umpired the game without a single objection from any player on

gle objection from any player on any decision.

After returning to town the firemen laid a line of hose on the square and treated the Odd's to shower baths, which resulted in a score of 99 to 0 in favor of

## REV. HARDESTY WILL FILL PULPIT IN LAMESA SUNDAY

Rev. Jno. P. Hardest yand family will visit in Lamesa Sunday, when he will also fill the pulpit at the Baptist Church in that city both morning and evening. The occasion for this visit is the celebration of the seventy-eighth birthday of his mother, Mrs. E. A. Hardesty, who is visiting at the home of another son, G. C. Hardesty and family, at Lamesa. R. M. Hardesty and family of Abernathy will also be present upon this occasion.

#### CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Sunday, June 2, 1923. Bible study 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Subject, "The Prince of Peace." Communion service 11:45 a. m.

Preaching 8:30 p. m.
Subject: "Sold Out to the Devil,
Lock, Stock and Barrel."
Ladies' Bible class Monday 3 p. m. Prayer service Wednesday at 8:30

You are cordially invited to be with us Sunday in both services. Note the serm u subjects for the day and come and hear them discussed.

J. W. McKINNEY, Minister.

#### CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Maxwell.

#### Personal Mention.

Horace Tyson of Stamford, is a guest at the home of his uncle, J. S.

Lanham and family.

Mrs. W. T. Spratling and children have gone to Gorman for a visit to

Burnett Castleberry and Raymond Hollingsworth are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Richard Adkins at Floydada. Roy Dodson, who has been teaching at Ovala, has arrived here for a visit to his parents, Rev. and Mrs. B. W.

Cash ice, 80c per 100 lbs.

300 or 500 lb. book, 70c per 100 lbs.
1000 lb book, 65c per 100 lbs.;
minimum delivery 50 lbs.
2000 lb. book, 60c per 100 lbs.;
minmum delivery 100 lbs.

Where customers use a constant of the his parents, Rev. and Mrs. B. W. Dodson.

Mrs. F. C. James, who suffered sunstroke last week and was in a serious condition for some time, is reported as much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Talley and son Mrs. F. C. James, who suffered

Gidney, and Mrs. Leo Hubbard and son Dan Henry, are on an enjoyable automobile trip to South Texas cities. Dr. R. Thomsen, pastor of First Presbyterian Church of Amarillo, was a visitor in Slaton Wednesday

Mrs. Hollis Rutter and daughter, Carrie Lee, of Canadian, have arriv-ed in Slaton for a visit to former old home friends.

home friends.

Giron Bradley, student in Clarendon College, has arrived home to spend the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Bradley.

Flake Young, student of Wayland College, Plainview, has arrived here to spend the yacation period with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Young.

J. H. Teague, Jr. returned Monday from Sayre, Okla., accompanied by Mrs. Teague and children, and Mrs. George Green, who had been visiting

Mrs. Teague and children, and Mrs. George Green, who had been visiting relatives there for several weeks.

Mrs. R. H. Todd and sons, Junior and David, left several days ago for a visit to her sister, Mrs. Greaves, at Portales, N. M. Mr. Todd left Wednesday to join them.

Edmonia, Willena and Cecil Lovett have gone to Dallas for a visit to relatives, and from that city will go to Illinois for a visit to their grandpar-

Illinois for a visit to their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cline.

Mrs. Norman Bain has returned to her home at Clovis, N. M., after a visit to relatives here. She was accompanied home by her niece, Incta

companied home by her niece, Incta Lowery, for a visit.

Mrs. R. A. DeLong and son William, left Saturday for a visit to her sister, Miss Pearl Dunscomb at Oklahoma City, and will go from there to Clarkston, Mo., for an extended visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. M. A. Evans, who underwent an operation in a Lubbock sanitarium some weeks ago, was removed to her

some weeks ago, was removed to her home here on last Sunday. Friends will be glad to know that she is on the road to recovery.

Mrs. M. A. Pember is reported as

getting along nicely after an opera-tion in a sanitarium at St. Paul, Min-nesota. Her son Royce, who is a stu-dent in that city, will accompany her on her return to Slaton.

If you have reason to think your child is suffering from worms, take the safe course, use White's Cream Vermifuge. Worms cannot resist its expelling influence. Price 35c. Sold by Slaton Drug Co.

Miss Fayna Ketner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Ketner of Tahoka, is spending the week with Mrs. Billy Sanders of Slaten. She is to be one of the flower girls at the graduating exercises of the Slaten high school.

Itching diseases can be controlled and cause removed by applying Bal-lard's Snow Liniment. The relief is prompt and permanent. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by Slaton Drug Co.

Mrs. J. W. Thaxton entertained a Mrs. J. W. Thaxton entertained a number of out-of-town guests Sunday and Monday. They were: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gaines of Rockwall, her parents; a sister, Mrs. M. F. Smith, husband and children, of Bellvue; and a nephew, Leon Gaines, of Bellvue.

Lake one new subject and make credit take one new subject and



#### MARTINDALE'S Meat Market

Goodrich

Silvertown CORD TIRE

H. MARTINDALE, Propr.

-Now located in hte new Kolodzi building, with The Texas Grocery. —I always carry a complete line of the best fresh and cured meats, nad make prompt deliveries.

-Just phone 138 and see how quick your meat will be there.

—I have installed the latest and most modern fixtures ,and they are sani-tary, too. Visit my place often.

#### D. W. LILES SHEET METAL WORKS

Phone 155

For everything in sheet metal work see me. My prices are always reasonable. I als omake a specialty of repair work.

-Shop located in former Highway Garage building, one block northwest of Wilselma Theatre.

#### Summer School.

For those only who need to make up credits or failures. A pupil may take one new subject and make credit by giving five-sixths of time ordinar-

# outh Plains Country Suffered Severe Storm Damage on Last Saturday Night We sincerely thank the Slaton people and especially the Philathea class of the Baptist Sunday School, for their kindness in assisting us since the storm swept away our home and contents. South Plains Country Suffered Severe

On last Saturday night a severe dens and flowers. storm visited Slaton and a large section of country surrounding it. A ported. heavy wind, almost cyclonic in many places, accompanied by heavy hail, destroyed practically all young cot-ton in this section, and damaged feed crops, but the latter will recover.

Cotton is being replanted as fast as seed can be obtained. Many farmers are of the opinion that replanted cotton will be better than the crop that was destroyed, as it was already

A heavy rain also accompanied this storm, which supplied plenty of moisture for present needs.

No property loss in the rural districts has been reported with the exception of growing crops. In Slaton the brick residence of G. W. Dial was unroofed and a portion of the west wall demolished, together with his outbuildings. A small house occur outbuildings. A small house occu-pied by R. W. Maxwell was complete-ly wrecked, and his household goods badly damaged. A 4-room residence belonging to R. H. Tudor, had the front porch blown away and a portion fo the roof torn off. Numerous out-building in the west part of town were also wrecked or badly damaged. Hail also did much damage to gar-

No personal injuries have been re-

It is reported that the town of Lubbock and immediate territory suffered the heaviest loss of property.

#### ATTENTION, READERS.

In publishing a statement of the Texas Utilities Co. last week regarding rates, a typographical error appeared in the cash ice rate. The rates for ice follow:

Where customers use an average of 30 lbs. per day in any calendar month, a refund of \$1.00 per 2,000 lb. book, which makes a net price of 55c in this case.

Cases of oak or ivy poisoning should be treated with Ballard's Snow Liniment. It is antiseptic and healing and a splendid remedy for such troubles. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by Slaton Drug Co.

was a Visitor in Slaton Wednesday morning.

The misery and depression caused by a bilious and constipated condition of the system can be quickly removed by using Herbine. It purifies, strengthens and invigorates. Price 60c. Sold by Slaton Drug Co.

# A GIGANTIC SALE IS NOW ON AT Kessel's New Location

Greatest Price Smashing event ever attended in this section of Texas. Our new store opened Thursday, May 31st, at 9 a.m. Crowds of eager shoppers continue to throng the building and are astonished at the wonderful bargains and unheard of prices. The sale is meeting our every expectation. Kessel's Great Price Smashing Sale is appreciated by our customers, friends and general public of Slaton and surrounding territory, by the manner in which they took advantage of the unusual bargains. Fresh shipments have been received and included with our entire stock of season able, up-to-the-minute merchandise and will be placed on the sale block at Tremendous Price Reductions. Come every day and get your share of these bargains.

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Get a pair of these

Hose Saturday

500 yds. high grade Percale, assorted patterns, extra fine quality, regular 15c value. Per yard only \_\_\_\_\_ 10c 36-in. Percale, assorted patterns, 20c value, at \_\_\_ 14c High grade Percale, assorted patterns, regular 25c value. Sacrifice sale price \_\_\_ 17½c Percales of the better grade, 30c value, now \_\_\_\_\_ 19c Imported French Ginghams. 75c value, now \_\_\_\_ 49c 500 yards high grade Ginghams. A wonderful assortment of patterns, 15c values. Sacrifice sale price \_\_\_\_ 10c Imported Silk Tissues, 75c values. Sale price \_\_\_\_ 49c Imported Dotted Swisses. A wonderful assortment, \$1.00 values, now \_\_\_\_\_ 65c Men's genuine Palm Beach

suits, the kind you pay \$20 for. Sale price \_\_\_\_ \$11.95 One lot men's suits, \$25 to \$35 values, now \_\_\_ \$17.50 One lot of men's caps, \$1.50 values, now \_\_\_\_\_ 85c Men's union suits, former price \$1.00, now \_\_\_\_ 59c Men's silk hose, extra fine quality, 75c values at \_\_ 49c Men's blue work shirts, best grade, 95c value at \_\_\_\_ 55c Men's overalls, \$1.50 values, a rea lbargain at \_\_\_\_ 98c Ladies' Satin pumps, brocaded backs, new styles, \$5.50 values. Sale price \_\_\_ \$3.75 All Florsheim Shose, calf skins only, per pr. \_\_\_ \$8.95 Girls' patent leather slippers of genuine patent colt, sizes 21 to 7, \$4.50 values. Sacrifice sale price \_\_\_\_ \$2.95



-\$40,000 Stock of Dry Goods, Shoes, Ready to Wear, etc. to be put on the sale block by KESSEL, the man who lowered prices in Slaton. Get your share before the bargains are all gone.

# The Light Western Stars A Romance By

Zane Grey

#### NEVER TOO LATE

SYNOPSIS.—Arriving at the lone-ly little railroad station of El Cajon. New Mexico, Madeline Hammond, New York society girl, finds no one to meet her. While in the waiting New York society girl, finds no one to meet her. While in the waiting room, a drunken cowboy enters. asks if she is married, and departs, leaving her terrified. He returns with a priest, who goes through some sort of ceremony, and the cowboy forces her to say "Sl." Asking her name and learning her identity the cowboy seems dazed. In a shooting scrape outside the room a Mexican is killed. The cowboy lets a girl, Bonita, take his room a Mexican is killed. The cow-boy lets a girl, Bonita, take his horse and escape, then conducts Madeline to Florence Kingsley, friend of her brother. Florence welcomes her, learns her story, and dismisses the cowboy, Gene Stew-art. Next day Aifred Hammond, Madeline's, brother, takes, Stewart art. Next day Alfred Hammond, Madeline's brother, takes Stewart to task. Madeline exonerates him of any wrong intent. Alfred, scion of a wealthy family, had been dismissed from his home because of his dissipation. Madeline sees that the West has redeemed him. She meets Stillwell, Al's employer, typical western ranchman. Stillwell ical western ranchman. Stillwell tells her how Stewart beat up the tells her how Stewart beat up the sheriff to save her from arres, and then lit out for the border. Danny Mains, one of Stillwell's cowboys, has disappeared, with some of Stillwell's money. His friends link his name with the girl Bonita. Madeline gets a glimpse of life on a western ranch. Stewart sends Madeline his horse Majesty. She buys out Stillwell and "Her Majesty's Rancho" becomes famous, She finds her life work under "The Light of Western Stars."

#### CHAPTER VII .- Continued. -5-

Sometimes she thought of her par ents, sister, friends, of how they had persistently refused to believe she could or would stay in the West. They were always asking her to come home. She wrote that she would return to her old home some time, of course, for visit; and letters such as this brought returns that amused Madeline, sometimes saddened her. Her father's business had been such that he could not leave it for the time required for a western trip, or else, according to his letter, he would have come for her. Mrs. Hammond could not have been driven to cross the Hudson river; her un-American idea of the wilderness westward was that Indians still chased buffalo on the outskirts of Chicago. Madeline's sister Helen had long been eager to come, as much from curiosity, Madeline thought, as from sisterly regard. And at length Madeline concluded that the proof of her breaking permanent ties might better be seen by visiting relatives and friends before she went back East. With that in mind she invited Helen to visit her during the summer, and bring as many friends as she

No slight task indeed was it to oversee the many business details of Her Majesty's Rancho and to keep a record of them. Madeline found the course of business training upon which her father had insisted to be invaluable to her now. It helped her to asaimilate and arrange the practical details of cattle-raising as put forth by the blunt Stillwell. She established an extensive vegetable farm, and she planted orchards. The climate was superior to that of California, and, with abundant water, trees and plants and gardens flourished and bloomed in a way wonderful to behold. Here in the farming section of the ranch Madeline found employment for the little colony of Mexicans. Their lives had been as hard and barren as the dry valley where they had lived. But the valley had been transformed by the soft, rich touch of water, so their lives had been transformed by help and sympathy and work. The children were wretched no more, and many that had been blind could now see, and Madeline had become to them a new and blessed Virgin.

Madeline looked abroad over these lands and likened the change in them and those who lived by them to the change in her heart. It may have been fancy, but the sun seemed to be brighter, the sky bluer, the wind aweeter. Certain it was that the deep green of grass and garden was not fancy, nor the white and pink of blossom, nor the blaze and perfume of flower, nor the sheen of lake and the not clearly defined in her mind, and futtering of new-born leaves. Where the gift of his beautiful horse, his money that would have meant so much

there had been monotonous gray there was now vivid and changing color. Formerly there had been silence both day and night; now during the sunny hours there was music. The whistle of prancing stallions pealed in from the grassy ridges. Innumerable birds had come and, like the northwardjourneying ducks, they had tarried to stay. The song of meadow-lark and blackbird and robin, familiar to Madeline from childhood, mingled with the new and strange heart-throbbing song of the mocking-bird and the piercing blast of the desert eagle and the melancholy moan of the turtle-dove.

#### CHAPTER VIII

El Capitan.

Stillwell's interest in the revolution across the Mexican line had manifestly increased with the news that Gene Stewart had achieved distinction with the rebel forces. Thereafter the old cattleman sent for El Paso and Douglas newspapers, wrote to ranchmen he knew on the big bend of the Rio Grande, and he would talk indefinitely to anyone who would listen to him.

There appeared to be no doubt that the cowboy had performed some daring feats for the rebels. Madeline found his name mentioned in several of the border papers. When the rebels under Madero stormed and captured the city of Juarez, Stewart did fighting that won him the name of El Capitan. This battle apparently ended the revolution. The capitulation of President Diaz followed shortly, and there was a feeling of relief among ranchers on the border from Texas to California. Nothing more was heard of Gene Stewart until April, when a report reached Stillwell that the cowboy had arrived in El Cajon, evidently hunting trouble. The old cattleman saddled a horse and started post-haste for town. In two days he returned, depressed in spirit. Madeline happened to be present when Stillwell talked to Alfred.

"Wal, it's sure amazin' strange about Gene. It's got me locoed. He arrived in El Cajon week or so ago. He was trained down like as if he'd been ridin' the range all winter. He had plenty of money-Mex., they said. An' all the Greasers was crazy about him. Called him El Capitan. He got drunk an' went roarin' round fer Pat Hawe. You remember that Greaser who was plugged last October—the night Miss Majesty arrived? Wal, he's daid, an' people say thet Pat is a-goin' to lay thet killin' onto Gene. I reckon thet's jest talk, though Pat is mean enough to do it, if he hed the nerve. Anyway, if he was in El Cajon he kept mighty much to hisself. Gene walked up an' down, up an' down, all day an' night, lookin' fer Pat. Then Gene met Danny an' tried to get Danny drunk. An' he couldn't! What do you think of that? Danny hedn't been drinkin'-wouldn't touch a drop. I'm sure glad of thet, but it's so amazin' strange. Why, Danny was a fish fer red liquor. I guess he an' Gene had some pretty hard words, though I'm not sure about thet. Anyway, Gene went down to the railroad an' he got on an engine, an' he was in the engine when it pulled out. I jest hed an idee. Miss Majesty. If I can get him, Gene Stewart is the cowboy I want for my foreman. He can manage this bunch of cow-punchers that are drivin' me dotty. What's more, since he's fought fer the rebels an' got that name El Capitan, all the Greasers in the country will kneel to him Now. Majesty, we hevn't got rid of Don Carlos an' his vaqueros yet. I don't like the looks of things a little bit. I'll tell you now thet Don Carlos knows somethin' about the cattle I lost, an' thet you've been losin' right along. Thet Greaser is hand an' glove with the rebels. I'm willin' to gamble thet when he does get out he an' his vaqueros will make another one of the bands of guerrillas thet are harassin' the border. This revolution ain't over yet. It's jest commenced. An' these gangs of outlaws are goin' to take advantage of it. We'll see some old tires, mebbe. Wat, I need Gene Stewart. I need him bad. Will you let me hire him. Miss Majesty, if I can get him straightened up?

The old cattleman ended huskily.

"Stillwell, by all means find Stewart, and de not wait to straighten him Bring him to the ranch," replied Madeline.

Thanking her, Stillwell led his horse

Madeline had discovered that a good deal of her sympathy for Stillwell in his hunt for the reckless Stewart had insensibly grown to be sympathy for the cowboy. It was rather a paradox. she thought, that opposed to the continual reports of Stewart's wildness as he caroused from town to town were the continual expressions of good will and faith and hope universally given out by those near her at the ranch. Stillwell loved the cowboy; Florence was fond of him; Alfred liked and admired him, pitied him; the cowboys swore their regard for him the more he disgraced himself. The Mexicans called him El Gran Capitan. Madeline's personal opinion of Stewart had not changed in the least since the night it had been formed. But certain attributes of his,

this strange regard for him, especially that of her brother, made her exceedingly regret the cowboy's present behavior.

Meanwhile Stillwell was so earnest and zealous that one not familiar with the situation would have believed he was trying to find and reclaim his own son. He made several trips to little stations in the valley, and from these he returned with a gloomy face. Madeline got the details from Alfred. Stewart was going from bad to worsedrunk, disorderly, savage, sure to land in the penitentlary. Then came a report that hurried Stillwell off to Rodeo. He returned on the third day, a crushed man. He had been so bitterly hurt that no one, not even Madeline, could get out of him what had happened. He admitted finding Stewart, failing to influence him; and when the old cattleman got so far he turned purple in the face and talked to himself, as if dazed: "But Gene was drunk. He was drunk, or he couldn't hev treated old Bill like thet!"

Madeline was stirred with an anger toward the brutal cowboy that was as strong as her sorrow for the loyal old cattleman. And it was when Stillwell gave up that she resolved to take a hand. She yearned to have the faith in human nature that Stillwell had in

She sent Nels, mounted upon his own horse, and leading Majesty, to Rodeo in search of Stewart. Nels had instructions to bring Stewart back to the ranch. In due time Nels returned, leading the roan without a rider.

"Yep, I shore found him," replied Nels, when questioned. "Found him half sobered up. He'd been in a scrap. an' somebody hed put him to sleep, I guess. Wal, when he seen thet roan hoss he let out a yell an' grabbed him round the neck. The hoss knowed him, all right. Then Gene hugged the hoss an' cried-cried like-I never seen no one who cried like he did. I walted awhile, an' was jest goin' say somethin' to him when he turned on me red-eyed, mad as tire. 'Nels,' he said, 'I care a h-l of a lot fer thet hoss, an' I liked you pretty well, but if you don't take him away quick I'll shoot you both.' Wal, I lit out. I didn't even git to say howdy to him."

"Nels, you think it useless-any attempt to see him-persuade him?" asked Madeline.

"I shore do, Miss Hammond," replied Nels, gravely. "I've seen a few sun-blinded an' locoed an' snakepolsoned and skunk-bitten cow-punchers in my day, but Gene Stewart beats 'em all. He's shore runnin' wild fer the divide."

Madeline dismissed "la, but before he got out of earshot she heard him speak to Stillwell, who awaited him on the porch.

"Bill, put this in your pipe an' smoke it-none of them scraps Gene has hed was over a woman! It used to be thet when he was drunk he'd scrap over every pretty Greaser girt he'd run across. Wal, Gene's scrappin' now is jest to git shot up hisself, for some reason thet only God Almighty knows."

Nels' story of how Stewart wept over his horse influenced Madeline powerfully. Her next move was to persuade Alfred to see if he could not do better with this doggedly bent cowboy. Alfred needed only a word of persuasion, for he said he had considered going to Rodeo of his own He went, and return

"Majesty, I can't explain Stewart's singular actions," said Alfred. "He has changed terribly. I fancy his once magnificent strength is breaking. Itit actually hurt me to look at him. 1 couldn't have fetched him back herenot as he is now. Bill did all any man could do for another. We've all done our best for Stewart. If you'd been given a chance perhaps you could have saved him. But it's too late. Put it out of mind now, dear.'

Madeline, however, did not forget nor give it up. Days passed, and each one brought additional gossip of Stewart's headlong career toward the Yuma penitentiary. For he had crossed the line into Cochise county, Arizona, where sheriffs kept a stricter observance of law. Finally a letter came from a friend of Nels' in Chiricahua saying that Stewart had been burt in have to say?" a brawl there. This epistle inclosed a letter to Stewart from his sister. Evidently, it had been found upon him. It told a story of illness and made an appeal for aid. Nels' friend forwarded this letter without Stewart's knowledge, thinking Stillwell might care to help Stewart's family. Stewart had

no money, he sald. The sister's letter found its way to Madeline. She read it, tears in her eyes. It told Madeline much more than its brief story of illness and poverty and wonder why Gene had written home for so long. It told of motherly love, sisterly love, brotherly love-dear family ties that had not been broken. It spoke of pride in this El Capitan brother who had become famous. It was signed "your loving sister Letty."

Not improbably, Madeline revolved in her mind, this letter was one reason for Stewart's headstrong, long-continued abatement. It had been received too late after he had squandered the

valor with the fighting rebels, and all to mother and sister. Be that as it here longer if you insist upon my g might, Madeline immediately sent a bank-draft to Stewart's sister with a letter explaining that the money was drav in advance on Stewart's salary. This - ne, she impulsively determined to go 10 Chiricahua herself.

Nels, when Madeline asked him to accompany her to Chiricahua, repiled, reluctantly, that he would rather follow on his horse. However, she prevalled over his hesitancy, and with Florence also in the car they set out. For miles and miles the valley road was smooth, hard-packed, and slightly downhill, And when speeding was perfectly safe, Madeline was not averse to it. And when the car stopped in the wide, dusty street of Chiricahua Nels gladly tumbled out.

"Nels, we shall wait here in the car while you find Stewart," said Madeline.

Nels crossed the railroad track and disappeared behind the low, flat houses. After a little time he reappeared and hurrled up to the car.

"Miss Hammond, I found him," said Nels. "He was sleepin'. I woke him. He's sober an' not bad hurt; but I don't believe you ought to see him. Mebbe Florence-"

"Nels, I want to see him myself. Why not? What did he say when you told him I was here?"

"Shore I didn't tell him that. I jest says, 'Hullo, Gene!' an' he says, 'My Gawd! Nels! mebbe I ain't glad to see a human bein'.' He asked me who was with me, an' I told him Link an' some friends. I said I'd fetch them in. He hollered at thet. But I went, anyway, Now, if you really will see him, Miss Hammond, it's a good chance. But shore it's a touchy matter, an' you'll be some sick at sight of him. He's layin' in a Greaser hole over here. Likely the Greasers hev been kind to But they're shore a poor lot."

Madeline did not hesitate a moment. "Thank you, Nels. Take me at once. Come, Florence."

They left the car, now surrounded by gaping-eyed Mexican children, and crossed the dusty space to a narrow lane between red adobe walls. Passing by several houses. Nels stopped at the door of what appeared to be au alleyway leading back. It was flithy.

"He's in there, round that first corner. It's a patio, open an' sunny. An'. Miss Hammond, if you don't mind, I'll wait here for you. I reckon Gene wouldn't like any fellers around when he sees you girls."

"Florence, you wait also," said Madeline, at the doorway, and turned in alone.

And she had stepped into a brokendown patio littered with alfalfa straw and debris, all clear in the sunlight. Upon a bench, back toward her, sat a man looking out through the rents in the broken wall. He had not heard her. Madeline did not recognize Stewart. The side of his face exposed to her was black, bruised, bearded. His clothes were ragged and solled. There were bits of alfalfa in his hair. His shoulders sagged. He made a wretched and hopeless figure sitting there. Madeline divined something of why Nels shrank from being present.

"Mr. Stewart. It is I, Miss Hammond, come to see you," she said,

He grew suddenly perfectly motionless, as if he had been changed to stone. She repeated her greeting.

His body jerked. He moved violently as if instinctively to turn and face this intruder; but a more violent movement checked him.

Madeline waited. How singular that this ruined cowboy had pride me now and say you will come." which kept him from showing his face! And was it not shame more than pride?

"Go away," he muttered.

"Mr. Stewart !" she began. "I have come to help you. Will you let me?" "For God's sake! You-you-" he choked over the words. "Go away!"

"Stewart, perhaps it was for God's sake that I came," said Madeline, gently. "Surely it was for yours-and your sister's-" Madeline bit her tongue, for she had not meant to betray her knowledge of Letty.

He groaned, and, staggering up to the broken wall, he leaned there with his face hidden. Madeline reflected that perhaps the slip of speech had been well.

"Stewart, please let me say what I

He was silent. And she gathered

courage and inspiration. "Stillwell is deeply burt, deeply grieved that he could not turn you back from this-this fatal course. brother is, also. They wanted to help you. And so do I. I have come, thinking somehow I might succeed where they have falled. Nels brought your sister's letter. I-I read it. I was only the more determined to try to help you, and indirectly help your mother and Letty. Stewart, we want you to come to the ranch. My cowbys are without a capable leader. Will you come?"

"No," he answered. "But Stillwell wants you so badly."

"No." "Stewart, I want you to come

No.

His replies had been hoarse, loud, furious. All his motions, like his speech, bad been violent.
"Will you please go away?"

ing. But why not listen to me when want so much to help you? Why?"

"I'm a d-d blackguard," he burst "But I was a gentleman once, out. and I'm not so low that I can stand for you seeing me here."

"When I made up my mind to help you I made it up to see you wherever you were. Stewart, come away, come back with us to the ranch. When you are among friends again you will get well. You will be your old self. The very fact that you were once a gentleman, that you come of good family, makes you owe so much more to yourself. Why, Stewart, think how young you are! It is a shame to waste your Come back with me."

"Miss Hammond, this was my last plunge," he replied, despondently. "It's too late."

"At least make an effort, Stewart.

"No. There's no use. I'm done for. Please leave me-thank you for-

He had been savage, then sullen, and now he was grim. Madeline all but lost power to resist his strange, deadly, cold finality. No doubt he knew he was doomed. Yet something halted her-held her even as she took a backward step. And she became conscious of a subtle change in her own feeling. She had come into that squalld hole. Madeline Hammond, earnest enough, kind enough in her own intentions; but she had been almost imperious-a woman habitually, proudly used to being obeyed. She divined that all the pride, blue blood, wealth, culture, distinction, all the impersonal condescending persuasion, all the fatuous philanthropy on earth would not avail to turn this man a single hair's-breadth from his downward career to destruction. She was going to fail to help him. She experienced a sensation of impotence that amounted almost to distress. The situation assumed a tragic keenness.

"Stewart, look at me," she asked. He shuddered. He was abject, crushed. He dared not show his swollen, blackened face. His flerce, cramped posture revealed more than his features might have shown; it betrayed the torturing shame of a man of pride and passion, a man who had been confronted in his degradation by the woman he had dared to enshrine in his heart. It betrayed his love.

"Listen, then," went on Madeline, and her voice was unsteady. "Listen to me, Stewart. You can shake off this desperate mood and be a man.' "No!" he cried.

"Listen to me again. know you're worthy of Stiliwell's love. Will you come back with us-for his

"No. It's too late, I tell you." "Steward, the best thing in life is faith in human nature. I have faith In you. I believe you are worth it."

"You're only kind and good-saying that. You can't mean it." "I mean it with all my heart," she

replied, a sudden rich warmth suffusing her body as she saw the first sign of his softening. "Will you come back -if not for your own sake or Stillwell's-then for mine?"

"What am I to such a woman as

"A man in trouble, Stewart. But I have come to help you, to show my faith in you."

"If I believed that, I might try," he said.

"Listen," she began, softly, hurried-"My word is not lightly given. Let it prove my faith in you. Look .

He heaved up his big frame as if trying to cast off a glant's burden, and then slowly he turned toward her. His face was a blotched and terrible thing. The physical brutalizing marks were there, and at that instant all that appeared human to Madeline was the dawning in dead, furnace-like eyes of a beautiful light.

"I'll come," he whispered, huskily, "Give me a few days to straighten up, then I'll come.'

"But, Majesty, remember he's a composite of tiger breed and forked lightning!"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Me Is L.

Billy is supposed to come directly home from Sunday school, but one Sunday he did not appear until dinner was over. He had evidently stopped to play, for his face and bands were dirty. Hs mother looked at him and said, "Well, whos little boy are you?" "Why, I'm Billy," he replied, 'No, you are not Billy. He never came home with such a dirty face. I can't see who you are," she said. "I tell you I is me. You ought to know my shape, if you don't know my face.

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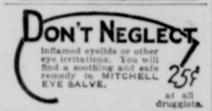
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# **Sunday School**

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#### LESSON FOR JUNE 3

JEREMIAH, THE PROPHET OF COURAGE

LESSON TEXT—Jeremiah 35:1-18.
GOLDEN TEXT—Watch ye, stand fast
in the faith, quit you like men, be strong.
-1 Corinthians 16:13.

REFERENCE MATERIAL—Jeremiah 1:1-9; 13:1-9; 16:1-4; Matthew 2:17, 18. PRIMARY TOPIC—Sons Who Honor Their Father, JUNIOR TOPIC-The Story of the

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC Jeremiah, the Courageous Prophet, YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC

Jeremiah was one of the last prophets of Judah. He saw the nation go nto the Babylonian Captivity and Jerusalem destroyed, after which he went into Egypt. He was a lonely, nisunderstood and unpopular prophet. He was most bitterly hated and persecuted. His own countrymen turned against him. He was placed in stocks and then thrown into a horrible dungeon from which fe narrowly escaped with his life. The teacher should give a little sketch of his life. The folowing is suggested:

- 1. His Call (1:2-10).
- 2. His Commission (1:11-19).
- 3. His Sympathetic Heart (4:19).
- 4. His Great Sorrows (10:15-21). 5. The Divine Power Which Urged

Him Forward and Sustained Him

Because he was called upon to prophesy against his own nation and at the command of God urged them to surrender to the Babylonians, he was regarded as a traitor guilty of treason against his own nation.

1. The Rechabites' Test (vv. 1-5). In the days of Jeholakim, the Lord charged Jeremiah to bring the Rechabites into the house of the Lord and test them regarding the drinking of wine. This he did in a place where the people might behold them, the aim being to teach Judah by example. The father of the Rechabites had given command that they should not drink wine. Their filial obedience put to shame the children of Judah for theis by the children. Jonadah, the father of the Rechabites, was only a man but the one whose commands Judah disregarded was the Almighty God, their Creator and Savier. It is God's plan that every man be tested. Being a free agent, he can have character only through testing.

II. The Filial Loyalty of the Rechabites (vv. 6-11).

Though they were out of their own country in the midst of a foreign people they refused to drink wine, declaring that they had been true to the instructions of Jonadah all their lives. It is a fine thing when children remember their fathers and render obedience to their commands.

III. The Loyalty of the Rechabites in Contrast With the Disloyalty of Judah (vv. 12-16).

1. The Appeal (vv. 13, 14). He made the appeal on the basis of the filial loyalty of the Rechabites. He also reminded them that he had spoken to them in person, rising up early to do so

2. The Ministry of the Prophets (vv. 15, 16). When the people falled to render obedience to God, he sent to them the prophets, who pleaded with them to amend their ways by turning away from their idols. Matthew Henry indicates the points of contrast somewhat as follows: (1) The Rechabites were obedient to one who was but a man; the Jews disobeyed the infinite and eternal God. (2) Jonadab was dead and could not know of their disloyalty or correct them for it. God is all-knowing and lives forever and will punish for disobedience. (3) The Rechabites were never reminded of their obligations. but God sent His prophets to speak to His people. (4) Jonadab left the charge by; no estate to support the charge, but God gave the people a goodly land and prospered them in it. (5) God never assigned His people a task as hard as Jonadab's, but God's people disobeyed Him while the Rechabites obeyed their father.

IV. Judgment Upon the Jews for Disobedience (v. 17).

God declared that He would bring judgment upon them according to what He had said. Judgment is laid upon those who disobey and rebel against God.

V. Reward of the Rechabites for

Their Loyalty (vv. 18, 19). Because they had been true to the commands of Jonadab, they should always have a representative before God. God has such a regard for fillal obedience that He lets no act go unrewarded



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tation even when shaved twice daily.

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ing and shampooing.-Advertisement, Married Pair on Same Jury. A husband and wife served on the same jury in Minnesota. The jury dis-

#### HOW'S THIS?

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HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which Quickly Relieves the catarrhal inflammation, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces, thus assisting to restore normal conditions.

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In the handy box that opens with a turn of the key. No broken nails or soiled hands. Softens and preserves leather. Sheds moisture. shining with SHINOLA is a nifty thrifty habit.

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Some men find it difficult to borrow \$50. even with security; others find it easy to borrow \$5,000, even without security.

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This bank likes to do business with the man who is careful of his credit because if he is careful of it his demands are always reasonable and his propositions logical.

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# Seniors Presented "Better Than Gold"

One of the most delightful events f commencement week wa sthe play, Better Than Gold," rendered by the

"Better Than Gold," rendered by the graduates of Slaton high school at the school auditorium on last Friday night. The house was packed until standing room was not available.

The large audience was charmed during the entire program and many expressions of praise were heard. In fact this play was rendered better than many given by professionals. Miss Morgan, English teacher, directed it, and deserves much credit for its success.

Following are the characters and

The Carpenters: Howard, Sr., wealthy gold miner,

ames Burton.
Elizabeth, his wife, Exie Smith.
Howard, his philanthropic son, Joe

Robert Woosley, his stepson, Her-

Klink, the butler, Gilder Levey. Grins, Howard 5 valet, Earle Flor-

The Kingsleys: Andrew, wealthy gold miner, Nor-

man Hefner.
Marguerite, his designing wife, Elsie McManus. Alice, their daughter, Jewell Har-

McClusky, the butler, C. C. Hoff-

Prince Bavori, "of the Hapsburgs," Miniard Abel.

Miss Robinson, Howard's secretary, Evelyn Stallings. Nell Toone, the mountain girl, Bir-

Aunt Laura, mammy, Minnie Har-Bill Singleton, mountaineer, Olen

Also:
Dr. Bassett, Olen Weaver.
Dr. Speight, Iris Donald.
Dr. Mayben, Chesly Manley.
Dr. King, Edith Marrs.
Head nurses, Maude Abbott, Lois

Stallings. Act 1. Scene, parlor; home of An-

drew Kingsley, evening.
Act 2. Scene, study, home of How-

Act 2. Scene, study, home of Howard Carpenter, Sr., midnight the same day.
Act 3. Scene, mountains of North Georgia, three days later.
Act 4. Scene 1, operating room Chattanooga Hospital, 36 hours later. Scene 2, Howard's ward.
Music by Edith Edwards, piano, and Howard Hoffman, violin.
Ushers: Agnes Allen, Melva Bourland, Jeanette Forrest, Audrey Philips, Grace McAtee, Lillie Cowart.

#### ATTENTION, JUSINESS MEN.

The business men of Slaton need and should immediately organize a Retail. Merchants Association that will function at all times. Credit is necessary, yet it should not be abused. Most persons who are from circumstances credit customers, pay their debts, but there are some their debts, but there are some who work the credit line for their existence. These should be weeded out and no honest man will take exceptions to a plan that will protect his grocer, his butcher or dry goods man. The cold check artist can only be curbed by being brought to time. All members of the Chamber of Commerce are requested to meet at the City Hall Tuesday eve-ning, 8:30 o'clock, to go into this matter, also handle any other matters pertaining to the organization. It is to be hoped that we will have a full representation.

S. E. STAGGS, Secy.

#### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

There will be services by the Pres byterian church at the City Hall Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. Dr. Browne will speak on "Presbyterianism and What it Stands for." These messages will be short and to the point and anyone present may propound any question that may not be clear to them on this subject.

The Sunday School will have its first session next Sunday morning at 9:45 a. m. at the City Hall, and any who are not connected with some other school are cordially invited to byterian church at the City Hall Sun-

other school are cordially invited to be present. The public generally is invited to attend any or all of these

The Auxiliary meets next Monday, 3 p. m. at the home of Mrs. J. G. Levey and the women of the church and all other friends are invited.

#### AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH.

Sunday School 10:00 a. m. Paul Owens, Supt.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. by Rev. M. O. Grant of Lamesa.

Sunbeams and Juniors 3 p. m. Senior B. Y. P. U. meets at 7:30. Bro. Grant is an exceptionally able preacher and it will be a treat to

Public cordially invited to all our services. JNO. P. HARDESTY,

### Please Take Notice.

The office of Dr. J. W. Philips, Dentist, has been moved to the Benton building, upstairs, as has also the office of C. A. Smith, Chiropractor. The office of J. W. Huckabay, M. D. has been moved to the Williams building, upstairs.



# At These June Events

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-Nobody pays much attention to the bride-groom, but they would if there was anything the matter with his get-up.

-It's the same with everyday. A man has to dress right in self-defense. Check up on yourself, then drop in.

-A Hart Schaffner & Marx or a Schloss suit, a No-Fade shirt, a pair of Nettleton, Crossett, or Reynolds shoes, and the late madel straw hat will fix you up.

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Shoes for all the family.

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