





ear.  
Clarence spent 17 months in Germany, where he was stationed at Mannheim with the 57th Med. Tnk. Bn. of the 2nd Armored Div. He did a lot of skiing in Germany, and during his stay there he visited Italy, Switzerland, the Netherlands and Austria. He saw St. Peters and the Pope at Rome when he was in Italy, and he went completely across the country of Switzerland twice. He thinks the history books are correct in saying that Switzerland is the most beautiful country in the world. He was there in the summer and enjoyed the swimming.  
He agrees with Charles Kahlich that German farming methods are very old fashioned. The chief crop in the Mannheim area is potatoes, with some wheat, sugar beets, and tobacco being grown. He says he wishes we could get some of that good German beer here.  
Joe Schilling, Jake Wendel, E. J. "Jack" Dennis, and Bill Layne, Jr. left Slaton Monday for Lub-

bock for induction into the Army. They went from Lubbock to Amarillo, and didn't know where they would be sent from there.  
Mrs. O. D. Kenney sent her son, Sgt. Alton Kenney, who is with the First Marine Division in Korea, pictures of the 9" snowfall in Amarillo. He replied that Amarillo has nothing on Korea. They have deep snow and the temperature drops to 4 degrees below zero at night. When the sun is out in the daytime the temperature rises to 16 degrees, but drops again at night, and winds cut like a knife. He says they are provided with adequate warm clothing and sleeping bags that keep them warm at night.  
The Veterans Administration's 15,432 insurance employees were found by the Citizens Committee for the Hoover Report to be carrying an average work load of 450 policies each, compared with a work load of 1,762 policies per employee in private business.

**SHERIFF'S SALE**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS )  
COUNTY OF LUBBOCK )  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 99th District Court of Lubbock County, on the 8th day of December 1952, by Enzy Pieratt, Clerk of said Court for sum of Eight Hundred Sixty-eight and 25/100 (\$868.25) Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of Rhyne Simpson in a certain cause in said Court, No. 21015 and styled Rhyne Simpson vs. Johnnie V. Harris, placed in my hands for service, I Grady HARRIST, as Sheriff of Lubbock County, Texas, did, on the 9th day of December 1952, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Lubbock County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:  
All of Lots Nos. Eight (8) and Nine (9) in Block No. Two (2), of the Edwards Addition to the City of Slaton, Lubbock County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of Johnnie V. Harris and that on the 9th Tuesday in January 1953, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door of Lubbock County, in the City of Lubbock, Texas, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Johnnie V. Harris.  
And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Slaton Slatonite, a newspaper published in Lubbock County.  
Witness my hand, this 9th day of December 1952.  
GRADY HARRIST, Sheriff  
Lubbock County, Texas.  
By Verlie Shearer, Deputy. 12-26-c  
The government has more employees than the nation's 50 largest corporations keep on their payrolls, according to an article by T. Coleman Andrews.  
**More Rice**  
Prospects this year are for an all-time record rice crop of 43.4 million bags—four per cent greater than 1951's crop.  
**Fertilizer Use**  
The South Atlantic states, traditionally the largest users of fertilizer, consumed more than six million tons in 1950-51.  
—WANT ADS GET RESULTS—

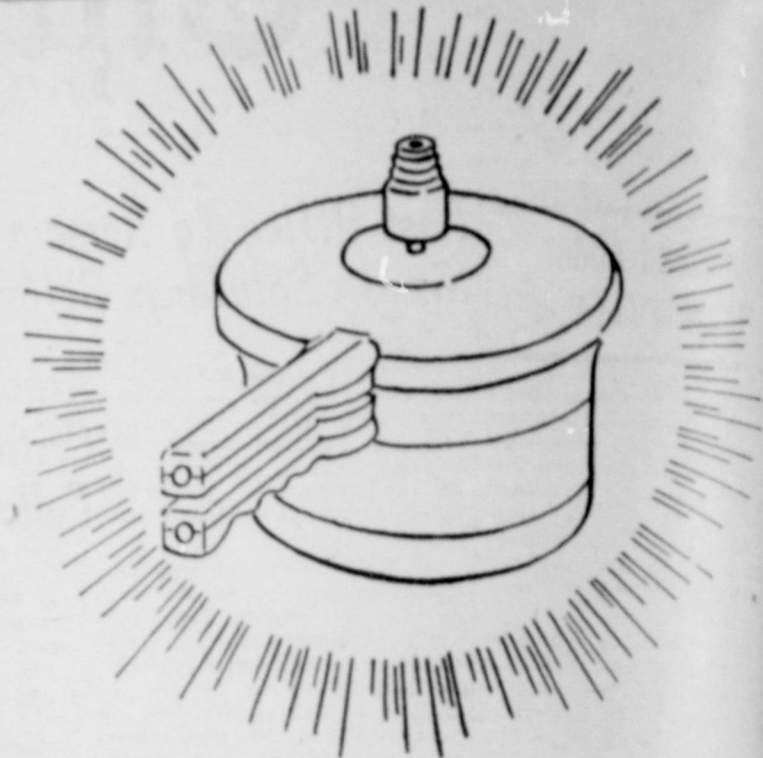
**Almost Prim**  
Some of the season's new dresses are almost prim appearing with their slender, high-necked appearance. Little round collars and turn back cuffs are featured, too.

**Market For Corncoals**  
Corncoals are increasing in commercial demand as a result of successful research by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. They are used in the production of several synthetics.

**Less Carpet Wool**  
United States mills consumed a fourth less apparel and carpet wool in the first four months of 1952 than they did during the comparable period of 1951.

**More Farm Produce**  
The U. S. Department of Agriculture reports that in the next four or five years, farmers of the nation can produce 18 per cent more than they did in 1951 if there is full need.

—Private son of Mr. Slaton, Sr., of how a student in the Art and Guided Missiles Branch of The Artillery School at this Post.  
He will spend approximately nine months studying radar and radar equipment.  
Pvt. Scott was graduated from Mosquero High School, Mosquero, N. M., in 1946 and entered the Army in April of this year.  
Clarence Kitten sailed from Germany November 8 and arrived at New York on the 17th. He spent several days there and then went to Fort Hood, where he received his discharge from active duty on November 26. Since that time he has been busy helping his father and brother harvest cotton. He plans to farm next



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<b>BOYS' JEANS</b>	SIZES 2 - 12	<b>\$1.88</b>
<b>LADIES' BELTS</b>	ELASTIC ALL COLORS	<b>88¢</b>
<b>COWBOY BOOTS</b>	BOYS' As low as	<b>\$5.88</b>
<b>MEN'S TOPCOATS</b>		<b>\$14.99</b>
Water repellent, crease resistant. A regular \$24.50 value, for only		
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Broadcloths, whites or stripes. A real Xmas gift bargain at		
<b>MEN'S DRESS HATS</b>		<b>\$2.44</b>
Dress styles, broken lots and sizes. A \$5.00 value at		
<b>MEN'S DRESS SHOES</b>		<b>\$3.99</b>
A large selection of expensive shoes. Regular values to \$9.95. Reduced to		

<p><b>MEN'S SPORT COATS</b></p> <p>Solid colors, fancy checks or plaids... in corduroy... also suede cloth sport coats... priced to sell out fast... sizes 34 to 46... regular values to \$19.98 at—</p> <p><b>\$8.88</b></p>	<p><b>Sensational REDUCTION On Entire Stock LUGGAGE</b></p>
<p><b>MEN'S DRESS SUITS</b></p> <p>Hundreds of fine 100% Wool suits and other blended fabrics all in wanted patterns and styles each greatly reduced... about 80 of these suits values to \$50. Priced at—</p> <p><b>\$16.88</b></p>	<p><b>HUNDREDS OF OTHER ITEMS Too Numerous TO QUOTE AT EQUALLY SENSATIONAL LOW PRICES</b></p>

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**KOREA**

It was just across the Pacific  
in Korea is the spot  
where we are doomed to spend  
our time  
the land God forgot.  
Down with snakes and lizards  
man where a man gets blue  
light in the middle of nowhere  
million miles from you.  
We sweat, we freeze, we shiver  
more than a man can stand  
we're not supposed to be convicts  
at defenders of our land.  
We're soldiers of the Army  
earning our measly pay.  
Feeding people with millions  
for only \$2.50 a day.  
Now nobody knows we're living  
and nobody gives a damn  
at home we are forgotten  
for we belong to Uncle Sam.  
Now here we are so lonely  
and waiting for our gals.  
Sleeping, while we are away  
they do not marry our pals.



**LOOKS LIKE IKE**—Catching the famous Eisenhower grin, amateur sculptor C. W. Bressler-Pettis of Augusta, Ga., turned out this remarkable bust of the president-elect. Bressler-Pettis presented the sculptured piece to Eisenhower before Ike left for Washington.

**Raiders To Meet  
Tulsa, Okla. Aggies**

LUBBOCK—Two top-rated basketball teams entertain—in a rough sense of the word—the Texas Tech Red Raiders this week.  
Polk Robinson's Red Raiders meet the University of Tulsa Golden Hurricane in Tulsa Friday night and collide with the Oklahoma Aggies in Stillwater Saturday night.  
Oklahoma A&M was rated No. 5 nationally by Look Magazine, and the Golden Hurricane, third in the Missouri Valley Conference last year, is considered to be at its best since 1938-39.

**Wilson High School  
Honor Roll Is Given**

According to W. F. Jones, High School Principal, the Wilson High School Honor Roll for period ending Nov. 21 is as follows:  
Seniors: Mason Davidson, Patsy Verkamp, and Nelda Roper.  
Juniors: Barbara Montgomery.  
Sophomores: Judson Hewlett, Javan Schneider, Janet Dube, Verlene Ehlers, Evelyn Gindorf, Martha Grinberg.  
Freshmen: Jerry Church.

**Now TRY THIS  
For CHILD'S COUGH**

For coughs and acute bronchitis due to colds you can now get Creomulsion specially prepared for children in a new pink and blue package and be sure:  
(1) Your child will like it.  
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**CREOMULSION  
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**Card Of Thanks**

May I take this method of thanking my friends and neighbors for their expressions of sympathy and many helpful kindnesses during my recent sickness. These expressions are deeply appreciated.  
G. B. ALFORD

**Card Of Thanks**

We wish to take this means of expressing our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to our many neighbors, friends, and relatives for their kind assistance and sympathy extended during the recent death of our dear beloved husband and father. We wish also to extend our many thanks for the comforting prayers and beautiful songs rendered in our time of need.  
Your thoughtfulness will always be remembered in our prayers.  
Mrs. Manuel Bruedigam and children

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YOUR CHRISTMAS GIFT STORE**

**FAMILY GIFTS**  
Women's — Men's  
Children's  
**LOAFER  
SOCKS**  
Wool  
Tops  
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Delightfully warm and comfortable  
All wool uppers . . . soft, pliable leather  
bottoms . . . foot boarded for walking  
comfort. Assorted colors. Tots' to  
men's sizes.

**MOM WILL LOVE  
a Crisp Bright Print  
WASH DRESS**  
**\$2.98**  
Only One of  
5 New Styles  
Bald novel floral print on fine closely woven  
cotton. Four yard sweep skirt. Full button  
front coat style. Piping trim around collar,  
down front, on pockets. Gathered cord tie  
sleeve . . . tie cord belt . . . Fast colors . . .  
pre-shrunk. Sizes 12 to 20.

**Girls' Tricot Knit  
RAYON PANTY**  
**49¢**  
Two bar tricot knit rayon pantie  
Lace paneled front. Ribbon bow  
trim. Snug fitting leg openings.  
0 to 14.  
**Women's Tricot Knit  
RAYON PANTY**  
**39¢**  
Two bar tricot knit "Hollywood"  
brief pantie. Wide elastic waist-  
band. White and pastel colors.  
5, 6, 7.

**Tubable Cotton  
Chenille  
HOUSE ROBES**  
**\$4.98**  
Three-quarter push up sleeve  
model . . . waffle check chenille  
shawl collar. One large front  
pocket. Heavy chenille applique  
on skirt. Sizes 12 to 20.

**Nylon Trimmed  
Multifilament  
CREPE GOWN**  
**\$5.90**  
Soft pleat trim around neckline,  
shoulder straps . . . waist and flounce  
bottom of nylon. Multifilament rayon  
crepe bodice and skirt. In pink, blue,  
white. 32 to 38.

 <b>BROADCLOTH DRESS SHIRT</b> <b>\$1.98</b> Sanforized cotton broadcloth in solid colors, whites and fancy patterns. Regular pointed collar. 14 to 17.	 <b>Woven Gingham SPORT SHIRT</b> <b>\$2.98</b> Dan River wrinkle-shed woven plaid gingham. Two large breast pockets, flapped. Two-way col- lar. Sanforized . . . color fast.	 <b>Rayon Gabardine SPORT SHIRT</b> <b>\$2.98</b> Anthony's own "Gavaler" sport shirt. Super quality all rayon gabardine . . . guaranteed wash- able. Deep tone colors and tan. S, M, ML, L.	 <b>FRENCH CUFF DRESS SHIRT</b> <b>\$2.98</b> In white cotton broadcloth . . . fully Sanforized. Semi-spread collar . . . French cuffs. Beau- tifully fitting. 14 to 17.
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**Pure Dyed Silk  
HEAD SCARF**  
**98¢**  
Large 36-inch square scarves of  
pure silk. Large floral and  
modern print patterns. Wash-  
able fast colors.  
**LADIES  
HANKIES**  
**59¢**  
All over bold  
floral pattern. Rolled hem.

**Imported Capeskin  
FUR LINED GLOVE**  
Small  
Med.  
Large  
Ex Lge.  
**\$4.98**  
Genuine imported capeskin slip-on  
gloves. Sidewall and fingers saddle  
stitched in tan and brown.  
S, M, L, ExL.

**Cotton Corduroy Trimmed  
WOOL FELT SLIPPER**  
MEN'S  
6 to 12  
**\$1.98**  
The old stand-by wool felt slipper for  
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form sole covering. Sizes 6 to 11.

**DAN RIVER COLORED  
SHEETS**  
81x108-in.  
**\$2.98**  
Matching Pillow Cases **79¢**  
Nationally advertised Dan River colored sheets and match-  
ing pillow cases. Type 128 muslin. Assorted colors.

**LOOP BORDER CHENILLE  
Bathroom  
SETS**  
**\$2.98**  
All over chenille rug and matching lid cover . . . loop  
border trim. Heavy floral chenille overlay trim. Large  
size rug.

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OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT  
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For Sale 12

FOR SALE: Sewing machines. Cleaning and Repairing. Parts and Attachments...

STALK Cutters, Scud Fighters, Rotary Hoes and Go-Devis. All sizes at Henzler Implement Co...

FOR SALE: Nine room house, two baths. 725 South 10th. Call 25 or see W. E. Pohl...

FOR SALE: 22 acres bundle feed. At \$20.00 per ton or 8c per bundle...

FOR SALE: Turkeys for Christmas. Ray Wilson. Call 36 or 1055...

FOR SALE: A whole lot of used barbed wire. Most of it in good shape...

PRACTICALLY new latest model R. C. Allen combination cash register and adding machine...

FOR SALE: Good ewes. Lots of 5 or 10 if you wish. See me at Scudder Service Station...

TRADE 1951 H Farmall for Ford Tractor or late model car or pickup...

FOR SALE: 661 acres irrigated land. Two eight-inch wells. Modern 7-room home...

FOR SALE: 52 Chevrolet pickup up. One owner. Low mileage. Clean. Ed Meyers...

FOR SALE: Several hundred bundles of hegari. See or call C. F. Anderson...

FOR SALE: Crocheted dinner cloth in filet grape design. Nice handmade Lunch Cloth...

FOR SALE: 1950 Studebaker 1/2 ton pickup. Spare tire. Heater. Hitch and overdrive...

FOR SALE: Crosley Home Freezer. 1951 model, 12.6 cubic ft. size. Like new and priced right...

FOR SALE: Craftsman Wood Lathe, 30 inch centers. Complete with motor, 1 set chisels...

FOR SALE: Used car heaters. 1946 Ford, 1940 Ford, 1939 Ford, 1938 Chev. pickup...

AUCTION SALE: Wed., Dec. 17, 1:30 p.m. Farm machinery and household furnishings...

FOR SALE: Fryer pheasants and bantams. Phone 396-J or see D. L. Williamson...

FOR SALE: 2 business lots on South 9th St., Slaton. A. B. Dozier, Box 842, Hereford, Texas...

FOR SALE: 4-burner Perfection oil burner kitchen range, \$69.50 at Layne Plumbing & Electric...

FOR SALE: Perfection oil heater, in good condition, \$29.50. Layne Plumbing & Electric...

Real Estate 6

For Sale

READY BUILT 3 AND 4 ROOM HOUSES.

4 room modern home, in the west part of city. 2 lots, bargain at \$3500.00.

Real nice granite rock house, 2 bedroom, carpeted, bendix washing machine. Bargain, \$1800 down, balance \$36 per month.

4 room modern house on 11th St. Close to High School. \$1000.00 down. Balance like rent.

One outstanding 5 room home on W. Lubbock. Close to new school, will trade for smaller house.

Two outstanding 5 room modern homes on pavement, close in.

Two nice 3 bedroom homes, 2 blocks of City Square. Worth the money.

2 good 3 room modern homes. \$1,000. Down, balance \$40.00 per month.

40 good lots from \$300.00 to \$2,000.00.

Would appreciate your listings, large or small.

FARMS

13 A close in. Nice five room house. Bargain. \$10,500.00. Terms if desired.

Several small tracts of land joining city. Some with small wells on them.

18 acres and nice 3 room house. Worth the money. Close in.

7 acres of land and nice 4 room modern home. Plus a double garage. Bargain.

Have several 2 to 5 acre building sites.

87 acres and 5 room home in water belt. Worth the money.

GUS J. VIVIAL

Res. 1015 S. 14th St. Ph. 1008-J Off. Lubbock Highway Ph. 867

New 4 room house. Good location. East front. Never been occupied.

Five room modern on East Panhandle for only \$4500.

Suburban property. South of Lubbock. 3 lots and nice house. Will trade for 4 or 5 room house in Slaton.

Large 5 room modern home. West side. 3 lots offered for only \$8,000.00.

Nice place in Sweetwater for sale.

Farm for sale. Have full section in Slaton trade area. Can be bought all together or in quarters.

Out of area owner. The price is the lowest we have seen.

We have 4 three bedroom homes all listed in good locations and good condition. Priced from \$10,000 to \$14,500.

3 acreage tracts that can be bought for \$7,500 to \$10,000.

3 irrigated acreages are listed at prices in line with value.

55 acres irrigated. Modern improvements. Priced at \$25,000.00.

14th Street corner 75' lot for only \$1100.00.

Don't neglect to have the family covered by one of our good Polio Policies.

West side 4 room modern home for only \$5,000 financed so \$1,000 will handle.

We have facilities for your loan needs in F.I.A. and conventional loans.

4 bedroom modern home or apartment house. Brick veneer. On paved street. East front.

We have the best facilities available for your insurance needs.

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FOR SALE

162 1/2 A. 160 A. cotton. Cotton goes with sale of place. All royalty goes. Located in water belt. In Pleasant Valley community. \$2000.00 per acre.

4 rooms and bath, 2 lots, East front. So. 14th St. \$5,000.00.

2 bedroom residence on S. 10th. Price \$5500.

3 bedroom residence on pavement within 2 blocks of square. Good condition. Hardwood floors in 3 rooms.

New three rooms and bath furnished for \$4600.00.

Well located lots from \$200 to \$2,000.

We make farm loans at 4 1/2 percent interest.

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Real Estate

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For Rent 9

6 room and bath with 2 lots \$2,000.00.

5 rooms and bath with garage East front on W. Panhandle. \$2500 cash, balance \$50 per month.

3 bedroom modern home. Double garage. Close in. Carpeted throughout. See this before you buy. It is a bargain.

Large 6 room home with garage, 1 1/2 lots, east front on 12th St. \$3500 cash, balance \$61 month.

Practically new 4 room and bath, 75 foot north front lot on W. Lynn St. \$2000 cash, balance \$42.50 per month.

7 room home with 3 bedrooms, only 3 blocks from square on W. Lynn St. 75 foot corner lot, north front.

New 4 room and bath in new addition. Immediate possession.

4 bedroom modern home. Brick veneer with 2 lots. Ideal location. Priced to sell immediately.

7 room home with 2 baths, carpeted, double garage, 1 1/2 lots on W. Lubbock.

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160 A. all in cultivation. 10" irrigation well. Possession Jan. 1, 1953.

15 A. West part of Slaton. Small irrigation well. \$3,000.

20 A. in East part of Slaton. Plenty of outbuildings \$5,000.00.

5 Acres of land. Well improved. Paved road. Adjoins city limits.

We will be glad to handle your F. I. A. Loans on old or new construction.

We would appreciate additional listings on city and farm property.

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INSURANCE REAL ESTATE Fire-Life City-Farm Phone 31

FOR SALE

240 A Southeast of Slaton. Large 6 room modern home with large barn and other outbuildings. Priced \$150.00 per A.

195 A. All in cultivation. Has 3 good irrigation wells, modern home and lots of outbuildings. Close to Idalou.

80 A. with fair improvements. Within 12 miles of Slaton. All in cultivation. Priced \$210.00 per A.

177 A. at Morton, all in cultivation. Possibilities for irrigation. 1 room modern home and other outbuildings. Priced at \$142.50 per A. 1/2 cash will handle.

320 A. on Lubbock/Tahoka highway. Good improvements. Land all in cultivation, no lakes. 2 small irrigation wells. Priced \$250.00 per A.

80 A. west of Slaton, all in cultivation. Fair improvements. 4" irrigation well, new pump and motor.

160 A. at Dimmitt. All in cultivation and in the heart of the best irrigation districts. Has fair improvements and all water. Priced \$132.50 A. \$10,000.00 cash will handle.

320 A. at Dimmitt. Good improvements. All in cultivation. No lakes. Full 8" irrigation well. \$28,000.00 loan. Priced \$230.00 per A.

2 labores in Lamb County. Modern 5 room home, hardwood floors. All land is in cultivation. Priced \$157.50 per A.

200 A. west of Lubbock, all in cultivation, no lakes. 2 small irrigation wells. Beautiful home. Priced \$225.00 per A.

80 A. west of Slaton, unimproved. 2 small irrigation wells.

200 A. The choicest in the country. All in cultivation. Extra nice 5 room home and outbuildings. 2 full 8" irrigation wells. Terms, if desired, on purchase.

90 A. south of Slaton. All in cultivation and land lays good. Fair 5 room home, well and windmill. Priced at \$200.00 per A.

40 A. adjoining Slaton city limits. Land lays perfect. Natural gas and electricity. 5 room modern home and other outbuildings. Priced at \$11,600.00.

We have a number of acreages, both improved and unimproved, ranging from 5 to 50 A. Several of these are irrigated.

If you are interested in buying a home in Slaton, we have a long list from which to choose. These homes range from 3 to 7 rooms, some of them are new, and all are modern and in good locations.

Your farm and home listings are solicited and appreciated.

W. L. MEURER AND A. R. WILD 135 West Lynn Phone 394

8 lots in N W Slaton, 1/4 block from pavement. \$200. each. Write Joe E. Webb, Box 1352, Plainview, Texas. 12-12-c

Have your prescriptions filled at TEAGUES DRUG STORE by a registered pharmacist.

Buy your Christmas Corsages, wreaths, centerpieces at Cottage Flower Shop.

For Rent 9

FOR RENT: Newly decorated and refinished apartments. Furnished. Bills paid. Electric refrigerators. 405 N. 5th. Ph. 48-W or 289. tfc

FOR RENT: 2 large rooms and bath. Furnished. Bills paid. Ph. 865 or 1003. 505 E. Floyd. 12-12-p

FOR RENT: A nice bedroom adjoining bath. Phone 194-J. 220 S. 5th St. 12-19-p

FOR RENT: Two bedroom furnished apartment. Living and dining room combination. Complete bath. Private entrance. Clean. Adults. Phone 759-J. 12-12-c

FOR RENT: Two room and bath furnished house. Phone 995-J. 12-12-p

FOR RENT: Redecorated, furnished modern 3 room apartment. 1415 So. 13th St. 12-19-p

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom duplex apartment. 615 S. 9th St. Call Tom Herod. Ph. 5-5651, Lubbock. tfc

FOR RENT: Bedroom close to bath. Also garage apartment. 325 So. 5th. Ph. 609-J. 12-19-p

FOR RENT: Two-room unfurnished apartment. See C. R. Harris, 400 East Crosby, after five, or see Mrs. Harris at Quality Cleaners. 12-12-p

FOR RENT: House and pasture for one year, 1/2 mile west of cemetery. O. D. McClintock, 3112 - 32nd St., Lubbock, Texas. Ph. 5-9928. tfc

FOR RENT

- FLOOR SANDERS
EDGERS
FLOOR POLISHERS
SURFACE SANDER

Johnson - Hoffman Hardware 157 W. Lubbock Phone 699

Miscellaneous 8

BABY SITTING: By hour, day or week. Phone 591 for appointments. La Rue's Day and Night Nursery. 12-2-c

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BYE-BYE BEEF - Mike and Sally Hopper say a last goodbye to 'Big' Mike, Grand Champion Fat Steer, in his stall at the Grand National Livestock Exposition in Chicago...

Disabled Veterans Gift Box Is Mailed

The American Legion Auxiliary sponsored box for disabled veterans has been mailed to the Veteran's Hospital at Big Spring. Mrs. Arthur Dennis, who was chairman of the Christmas box committee, says it was a very nice box and she and the Auxiliary wish to thank those who contributed gifts for the Veteran's Gift Shop.

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Advertisement for Medicrude utility can. Text: 'You'll Find Plenty of Uses for This BIG Utility Can'. Image of Medicrude can. Text: 'Now Medicrude - a proved aid in the treatment of hog lice and sarcoptic mange - is sold in a useful 5-gallon utility can...'.

Advertisement for Carroll's Service Station. Image of a living room with a sofa and chairs. Text: 'CARROLL'S Service Station'. Text: 'There's No Finer Gift Than Fine Furniture For... Christmas'.

Advertisement for Home Furniture Company. Text: 'HOME FURNITURE COMPANY "Furnisher Of Your Home's Furniture" 215 W. Lubbock Phone 9'.

Advertisement for Chamber of Commerce. Text: 'A Tribute to our... Chamber of Commerce'. Text: 'The sincere men who aggressively promote the industrial advantages and potential profit possibilities of our city, comprise our most important, single group of citizens...'.



### NEW ARRIVALS IN SLATON

### 25 Quartets Invited To Slaton Singing

Twenty-five out of town quartets are invited to participate in the 2nd Sunday Singing to be held at the Church of God, Slaton, on December 14 from 2:00 until 4:00 p.m., according to the secretary, Mrs. R. A. Thompson, Sr.

The quartets will come from surrounding towns and from New Mexico. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Buy your Christmas Corsages wreaths, centerpieces at Cottage Flower Shop.

5 lbs. 10 ozs.  
Born on December 6 to Mr. and Mrs. A. Garcia, General Delivery, Slaton, a girl weighing 7 lbs. 10 ozs.  
Born on December 8 to Mr. and Mrs. Don Crow, 710 South 18th, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 9 lbs. 4 ozs.  
Born on December 8 to Mr. and Mrs. J. Valdez, Post, Box 844, a girl weighing 9 lbs. 6 ozs.

### Library At West Ward Catalogued

The Elementary P-TA is purchasing 75 to 100 volumes for the school library, and the members hope to have all the books at West Ward catalogued and arranged by February 1. This work is now in progress.

The Athenian Club is helping with the arrangement of the physical plant of the Library as its Civic project for the year.

The State issues reading certificates under the Gilmer-Aikin plan to students who read 10 books during the year, covering all fields. School officials and the P-TA are endeavoring to get enough books in the library to meet those requirements. Only books on the approved reading list have been purchased. The library previously had not had enough books for children to comply with the requirements of this plan to stimulate good reading.

### Family Has Early Christmas Party

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schilling and family held their Christmas party Sunday, Dec. 7, so that their son, Joe, who left Monday for induction into the Army, could celebrate with them.

All of the Schilling's twelve children and their families were present. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Schwertner and children, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Schilling and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kuss and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schilling and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Schwertner and children, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schilling and baby of Hale Center, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schwertner of St. Lawrence, Joe, Leon, Ronnie, Donnie, and Lilly Ann Schilling.

Gifts were exchanged, pictures made, and a big dinner enjoyed by the group.

### 100 Attend O.E.S. Friendship Night

One hundred persons were present at Friendship Night at the Order of Eastern Star Tuesday evening at the Masonic Hall.

Guests were present from several chapters.

Mrs. J. B. Caldwell was in charge of the program. Mrs. M. G. Davis sang, "A Christmas Lullabye."

Students from the High School Speech and Choral Clubs presented a Christmas program of stories, carols, choral reading, and pantomimes.

Gifts were placed around the tree to be given to a shut-in.

The Christmas theme was carried out in the decorations.

### Girl Scouts Make Christmas Plans

The Girl Scouts are working on Christmas presents for their parents and others, and planning Christmas parties and programs. Girl Scout Troop 3 has made a Christmas wreath and hung it in the Club House for a Civic project.

Brownie Troop 2 is making Christmas nut and candy baskets to take to the hospital for use on patient's trays Christmas day.

### "Christmas In The Heart" Is Theme At The Posey HD Club

"Christmas in the Heart," was the program for the Posey Home Demonstration Club Wednesday, December 3, at the Posey Community Center.

Mrs. Larkin Taylor showed interesting ideas for Christmas decorations.

Mrs. C. V. Brake and Mrs. J. G. Harper, Jr. served cake and coffee to ten members.

The next meeting will be Wednesday, January 7, at 2:00 p.m., when the club will meet at the Center for a program on "Know Your Organizations."

### Mrs. Kenney Hostess To Ruth S. S. Class

Mrs. Wayne Kenney was hostess to the Ruth Class of the First Baptist Church December 2.

Mrs. Charles Meeks, president, called the meeting to order. Mrs. Robert Tillery led the group in prayer. Mrs. Charles Meeks brought the devotional and Mrs. Fred Stephens dismissed the group with prayer.

Gifts were exchanged by Sunshine Sisters and refreshments were served to six members.

### Pontiac Announces Price Reductions

Pontiac, first General Motors Division to unveil its 1953 cars, today announced price reductions up to \$100.00 on certain models with no price increases on any models in the line, in spite of an entirely new and larger body, longer wheelbase, completely new interiors and a long list of new mechanical and engineering features.

This announcement was made by R. M. Critchfield, General Manager of Pontiac Motor Division. The new 1953 models went on display here Saturday at Kendrick Pontiac.

Pontiac list prices for 1953 starts at \$1788.36 for the Chieftain Special Six, two-door sedan. Pontiac's DeLuxe Chieftain Eight, four-door sedan, which is expected to account for about 50 per cent of next year's volume, carries a list price of \$2009.51. Price reductions on Station Wagons run from \$28.00 to slightly in excess of \$100.00.

### S S Classes Have Christmas Dinner Party Thursday

The J.O.Y. Class and the Mary Martha Class of the First Baptist Church had a dinner party at Fellowship Hall Thursday evening.

The hall was attractively decorated in the Christmas theme. The tables were laid with white, linen clothes and centered with unique arrangements of red and green autumn leaves and red tapers. Class members found their places by searching for their names on place favors of Christmas balls on evergreen leaves tied with red ribbon.

After the turkey dinner, the group was favored with three selections in song by a quartet composed of Mesdames Edd Caldwell, J. J. Maxey, Dave Draper, Oma Faye Brown. They sang, "On Christmas Island," "Santa Claus Is Coming To Town," "Silent Night." Mrs. John Sims accompanied them at the piano.

"A Christmas Story" was given by Mrs. Leon Walston.

Forty-three members were present.

### Gifts Exchanged At CWF Meeting

Gifts were exchanged and a Christmas party held in the home of Mrs. J. D. Norris, by the C.W.F. of the First Christian Church. Mrs. Homer Tompkins, president, presided over the business session.

Eleven members answered roll call with a Bible verse.

The meeting was turned over to the program leader, Mrs. J. D. Norris. Her subject was, "Keep the Vision Clear." Mrs. Tommy Davis gave the devotional. Mrs. Lola Bryan gave an interesting talk on "Preaching Trip into the Bush."

Round table discussion was held on articles given in the "World Call, on missionary work. The program was closed with prayer.

The social consisted of contests and games. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

### Pikes Entertain S F Supervisors

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Pike of 905 So. 18th St. entertained the Santa Fe Supervisor's Association and their wives with a turkey dinner Monday, December 1.

Table decorations carried out the Christmas theme.

After dinner the group played canasta.

Those present were: Messrs and Mesdames J. L. Fertig, M. B. Adams, George W. Chilwell, L. R. Gregory, C. E. Upham, and the host and hostess.

### Palsy Clinic To Be Held In Jan.

A clinic for the examination of cerebral palsied children will be held Monday, January 12, at the Cerebral Palsy Treatment Center, 3502 Avenue N, Lubbock.

Specialists present to examine children will be: Dr. E. T. Driscoll, Midland, Dr. R. Q. Lewis, Lubbock, and Dr. R. E. Donnell, Plainview, orthopedists; Dr. J. C. Breaud, Lubbock, dentist; Dr. E. E. Moss, Lubbock, eye specialist; and Dr. Pauline Miller, Lubbock, pediatrician.

Parents who plan to bring children to the clinic are requested to register the children at the Center before the date of the clinic.

Information regarding the clinic may be obtained by writing Dr. Esther Snell, Director, or calling Lubbock 5-6541.

### Greens In Wreck On Way To Convention

Mr. and Mrs. George Green have returned this week from San Antonio, where they attended the County Judges and Commissioners Convention.

The Greens and Judge Davies and wife of Lubbock, with whom the Greens rode, were involved in a car accident at Eden on the way down. They suffered only minor bruises, and abrasions, but the car was pretty badly damaged and they were delayed for three hours.

The accident occurred just 30 minutes after the wreck in which Judge and Mrs. Snowden of Post lost their lives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kahlich of Schulenburg, Texas, are in Slaton this week on business and visiting with relatives and friends. Mr. Kahlich is a seed buyer.

### E. H. Wards Have Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ward had the happy privilege of having all of their children and ten grandchildren with them Saturday for a family reunion at the Club House.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ward, Jr., and three children, Sandra, Mike, and Steve, of Greenville, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Ward of Odessa, Texas; Rev. and Mrs. Lowell Merrell and three children, Johnny, Judy and Kathy, of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Lindol Beard and Miles from Hamlin; and Mickey, Gray and Nita Ward.

Others present besides the family were: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Merrell and grandson, Robbie; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Stephenson and son, David, of Paris and their daughter, Christine, of Amarillo; Mrs. Walter Pierson and Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers Gregston and son of Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Max Rowland of Paris visited the Wards during the Thanksgiving holidays, but were not with them Saturday.

### Nativity Scene To Be Completed Mon.

Voluntary contributions are still needed for the Nativity Scene being erected on the west side of the square to meet costs of supplies and labor. Contributions are being received from clubs, business firms, and individuals.

Contributions may be taken or sent to J. J. Maxey, treasurer for the project, at the City Secretary's office, or to Mrs. R. D. Bisbee at the Chamber of Commerce office.

It is expected that the Nativity Scene will be completed by Dec. 15. Mrs. Earl Clark, who is chairman of the music committee, is arranging for recordings of Christmas music by the different Church choirs, individuals, chorale groups, and quartets. The recordings will be played over a public address system from the scene. All music used will be home town talent.

Rev. and Mrs. Lowell Merrell and children returned to their home in Oklahoma City Tuesday after spending approximately a week visiting their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Merrell of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ward of Lubbock, and other relatives and friends in Slaton and Lubbock.

### Posey Items

Services were held Sunday night at the Community Church by Rev. Kirby. Monday night Rev. Hankins spoke and Tuesday evening Rev. Bennet had charge of services.

Dennis Ross of Beaumont was a Sunday School and Church visitor.

Miss Treva Treat and Theodore Smith of Burlington have obtained a marriage license. Miss Treat moved to Slaton several weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Fullingim of Petersburg were Sunday visitors of Katherine Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Jones and children made a recent trip to Chillicothe. Mrs. Jones's mother returned home with them for a few week's visit.

The Home Demonstration Club and the Women's Society of Christian Service are selling articles to provide new equipment for the community center.

Billy Boyd has returned home after being in the army for about two years.

Paul Stolle, who has been in the Navy for about four years, is now on the ship, Roultte, based in Virginia.

The ginning season is expected to be practically over by Christmas.

The Women's Society of Christian Service was to meet Tuesday to finish a discussion of the Book of Acts.

R. E. Jones says he will try again for an irrigation well on his farm. Two tests have been too small for irrigation.

Lewis Droemer and George Hayes have been regular members of the district grand jury which has ended service for the year.

### Improvements Made At The Legion Hall

Proposed from the American Legion sponsored show, "Shooting Stars" presented here last March have been used to install a new heating system, a Payne forced air heater with ceiling grill, in the American Legion Hall, according to Commander Bill Mullins. The new heating system is proving effective in keeping the hall a comfortable temperature in any kind of weather.

Further projects for improvement of the Hall are planned by the American Legion.

Four-year-old Cindy Spikes is confined to her home with chicken pox. Her great-grandmother, Mrs. W. H. Smith, returned this week from Amarillo where she spent a month with her daughters, Mrs. G. F. Everline and Mrs. S. W. Ball.

Buy your Christmas Corsages, wreaths, centerpieces at Cottage Flower Shop.

Charlene used the voice of her mother, who was a receiver eleven, was helping her mother accidentally tipped the pan and spilled the hot candy on herself. Both knees and one hand were burned. She is doing fine and hopes to be back in school next Monday.

### TOY DEPARTMENT OPENS

All the toys that Santa will need for Christmas are on display at the Kessel Five and Ten Cent store annex that has been opened in the flat iron building at the North west corner of the square says W. E. Edwards, manager of the store. The number of toys is so great that with even the additional space the new building allows every available foot of space is occupied. "Santa is around at Kessels," says Mr. Edwards.

### WOW ELECTS OFFICERS

The annual election of officers was held Tuesday night at the W.O.W. Hall. Officers elected are: C. D. Willis, Council Commander; W. A. Johnson, Advisor; Lieutenant; J. H. Eaves, Banker; J. M. Huskey, Escort; W. A. Lumpkin, Past Council; J. T. Ritchie, Watchman.

Pvt. J. C. Handley of Fort Bliss, Texas and four of his friends from the base were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Kitten last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Mann spent last week end in Amarillo.

Miss Lorene McClintock of New York City will arrive this week to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. McClintock in Lubbock.

Harold Fox, sophomore student at A. & M. College visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fox during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. Alvin Feist and son, Raymond, of Houston, visited relatives and friends in Slaton this week.

Chester Banks of Plainview visited with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Banks, last week end.

Get your Christmas corsages, centerpieces, wreaths, poinsettias, and holly at Slaton Floral.

Picnic Tip  
Picnic salads will arrive at the picnic grounds properly cooled if you keep them in the top of a double boiler. Fill the lower part of the double boiler with ice cubes to prevent wilting.

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AY, DECEMBER 5, 1952



Smart, sleek lines accentuated by jet-tube taillights and a new chrome molding through the center of the rear fender line are featured in the 1953 Ford Customline Fordor sedan. The new Fords are on formal display today at Slaton Motor Co., Ninth and Lynn. Outstanding mechanical feature, Slaton Motor officials say, is a new "miracle ride" which brings to the high volume field for the first time the smooth riding characteristics of heavier, costlier cars. Area residents have been issued a cordial invitation to see and test drive the new Ford.

THE SLATON SLATONITE



**ELECTRONIC TEMPERATURE TAKER**—A newly developed electronic thermometer takes temperatures twice as accurately as the old fashioned thermometer and 60 times as fast. Waiting the few seconds necessary to take a reading is pretty blond Philadelphia blood donor, Arlene Delaney. Ready to write the figure down is Red Cross Nurse Mary Douglas. Developed by Minneapolis-Honeywell engineers, the device will speed up blood donation time in case of disaster when many donations must be taken quickly.

In the last 12 years, a study reveals, many Americans have given up sleeping in double beds. More than 78 per cent of the beds, in one of the nation's new large hotels, are singles.

In one week, a city newspaper has been getting enough government publicity to fill 800 columns, Junius B. Wood says in an article in Nation's Business.

—WANT ADS GET RESULTS—

**LONE STAR**  
*Agriculture*  
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The Texas Department of Agriculture  
By John C. White, Commissioner

**Pink Bollworm Progress Report**  
Mention the insect "Pink Bollworm" to farmers in central and northern portions of Texas and you'll get reactions varying from mild alarm to complete disinterest.

But mention it in South Texas! The effect is immediate and explosive.

Some farmers fully realize the dangerousness of the situation and its potential threat to the entire cotton industry. Others concede the seriousness of the insect but are violently opposed to some control measures necessary to fight it.

Yet all agree on one point. The Pink Bollworm has hit them hard in the pocketbook.

This year the insect took about one out of every four bales of Rio Grande Valley cotton and destroyed upwards of 40 million dollars worth throughout the infested cotton areas. Left unchecked it could spread throughout the entire state and ruin our cotton production.

This past season was "Get Tough With Pink Bollworm Year" and it was time we did. There are 228 Texas counties now infested. Forty-five of these are "heavily infested" and 183 "lightly infested". Sixty-one counties are under planting and plow-up regulations which are enforced by law.

No extensions were granted in areas where stalk destruction deadlines were set. Since we have no poisons which are effective against Pink Bollworm, then our best method of control is to get planting and plow-up deadlines and stick to them unless weather conditions prevent it. These deadlines cut down breeding and build-up periods and help assure few insect carry-overs through the winter.

Cooperation by farmers in the program was excellent. Only about 100 of them in the entire 61-county area affected failed to clean their fields on time. As a result, if we have a cold and comparatively damp winter, we can expect only a minimum infestation next season.

To give you an idea how the insect can spread, Pink Bollworms were found in 39 new counties this year where it had never been seen before. To combat further spread, we will set up about 300 new seed sterilization points in East and North Texas next year to establish a "front" beyond which few "pinkies" can pass.

Continued cooperation and vigilance on the part of cotton farmers will be required to minimize the threat. Seed from infested areas should always be sterilized before planting or storing. Fields should be cleaned of stalks soon after harvest. And a constant watch should be kept for the insect's appearance in new areas.

**Announce Wolverine Basketball Schedule**

Coach Albert Brown this week announced the following basketball schedule for 1952-53 Evans High School basketball team: Dec. 13, Sweetwater; Dec. 13, Slaton; Dec. 15, Lubbock; Jan. 8, Plainview; Jan. 15, Lubbock; Jan. 22, Lamesa; Jan. 29, Tahoka; Feb. 5, Littlefield; Feb. 12, Spur.

The Wolverines, who in 1951-52 fielded their first football team, wound up the grid season with a 1-4 record.

Miss Patsy Johnson was named Wolverine football queen.

Perhaps a new systemic insecticide will be developed which will affect the pest. But until that time we must rely on present control and the willingness of the growers to protect Texas' largest industry—cotton.

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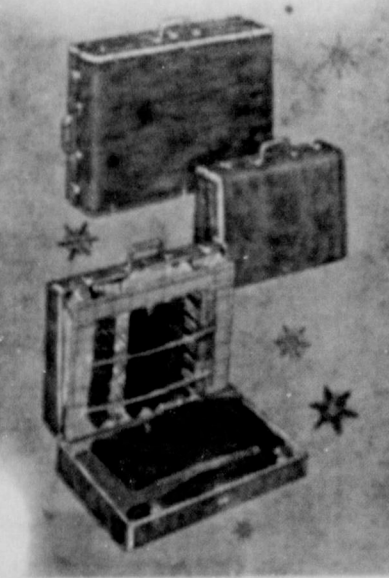


That's mighty good advice from Santa and we've got streamlined Samsonite to solve every gift problem!



Glamorous pieces for her... with all the touches a woman loves. Smart costume colors, and a better-than-leather finish that wipes clean with a damp cloth. Luxurious linings, pockets aplenty, and convenient sizes for all her travel needs.

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- C. Ladies' Tuffy 2-Way \$17.50\*
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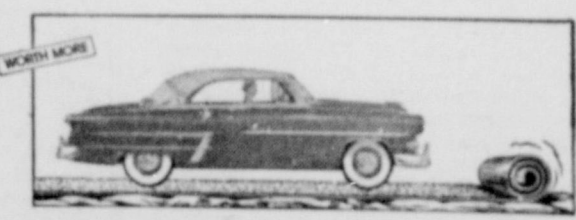
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See this Ford... Value Check its 41 "Worth More" features... and Test Drive it. You'll see why this new standard-setting car is worth more when you buy it... worth more when you sell it.



**New Miracle Ride** brings you riding comfort at its level best! Not just softer springs and new shock absorber action, but a smoothly coordinated system of ride control elements that adjusts instantly and automatically to changing road conditions. It's a completely balanced ride... a ride that will give you an entirely new concept of driving comfort on level parkways or rough, rutted byways.



**Full-Circle Visibility** gives you an unobstructed view of the road... and all the scenery. LEAST slatted safety glass makes driving easier on your eyes.



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Shift to Fordomatic... and you'll never shift again. It's the finest, most versatile automatic drive ever. Ford also offers the smooth, thrifty Overdrive.



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PHONE 1



# SHORT GRASS

by gpt

On the back of a heavily-loaded van which I saw passing through town the other day was a sign: "Don't Pass—PUSH!"

The police department has come for considerable maligning as a result of the recent outburst of burglars of Slaton business.

The highly indignant merchant entered his request that the Slaton print a bold Page One story setting the fact that local law enforcement officers did not even have on record the names of two thieving Spanish-Americans who were in as many weeks had broken into a Slaton department store twice had been caught (once by the department store owners, once by a Wilson deputy sheriff).

Another merchant asked that a newspaper campaign for "a police department that would get its duff and do something to protect the merchants from burglary in broad daylight."

Personally feel that the police should do a more efficient job. But it seems easier than anything else in the world.

It's especially easy to level a harsh blast at someone else's business, one of which we know or nothing (Witness the oft-asked question: Why doesn't the Slaton do so-and-so like the Slaton-Journal does?)

I know practically nothing about the operations of Slaton's police department. Two things, however, I do know: (1) the department has only four members, and their job is to provide Slaton's four-a-day police protection. Not only that, but folks expect of them to be in the police office at all times should someone need to place a call for hurry-police protection.

These four men, on a round-the-clock schedule, are supposed to provide school children protection busy intersections, keep an eagle eye out for rum-runners, protect Slaton businesses, track down lost automobiles, keep a record of traffic accidents of any sequence, do countless other things—and, of course, be close to the telephone for emergency calls.

You figure out a schedule for the "laws" might appreciate.

The original point—that adequate police protection should be available for Slaton business firms after closing hours—is one that cannot be taken lightly, however. We don't have it now, we would figure out some way to get it.

This week's nomination for one of Slaton's most pleasant people: Mrs. No. 3 at the Citizens State Bank. I don't know what her name is.

I have the Christmas card stamps.

The Garlic Bowl and other post-season gridiron attractions are set around the corner now. Don't let anyone tempt any frogskins from you on the wager that "I can't remember who won last year's Rose Bowl game."

"Why, yeah," you would probably say, as you fished in your pocket. "It was Illinois—their Stanford, 40-7."

You would lose, just as I did three years ago. Illinois won THIS YEAR'S Rose Bowl game. I can't remember who won last year—what's in Carl Lewis' department.

A merchant who hasn't had an advertisement this year asked me the other day why Slaton doesn't have a daily newspaper.

Has Dagmar's crest fallen? Her

## KILT AND KIMONO MEET



The Tartan plaid and Nippon silk spar for prominence at a Spanish embassy party in London as Sir Shane Leslie, Bart, first cousin to Prime Minister Winston Churchill chats with Madame Yoshio Suzuki, wife of the Japanese embassy's commercial councillor.

publicity has dwindled away to a size 30.

Too, what has happened to the promise of paving East Lubbock, a project that was to have been completed several weeks ago?

They speak of the Korean "police action." Figures in the Dec. 5 issue of U. S. News & World Report show that U. S. casualties in the Pacific phase of World War II numbered 105,000. U. S. casualties during the first 2 1/2 years of the Korean War have numbered 128,000.

Spelled out, that is one hundred and twenty-eight thousand American boys. Are you hoping that Ike's highly-publicized "secret" visit to Korea will mean bigger war, extended in scope and intensity?

And in casualties? The figures never mean much until one of them is Johnny Jones, 19 years old, Hometown, U. S. A. your boy.

The battlefield stories commonly include such dispatches as "American Sabers Jets today shot down four Communist MIG's and damaged two others."

"Hot dog," we at home say. "we're giving 'em hell." There's seldom if ever any reference to Allied losses. If you'll indulge me in a second

quote from U. S. News & World Report, that magazine this week published the official figures on air war costs in Korea:

The Communists have lost 754 planes.

The Allies have lost 1,254 planes. And we know by now what "Allies" means. It means U. S. planes. We can build more planes. But we cannot replace the boys who were flying them.

My favorite brunette wagged home the other day with some of the new tooth paste that contains chlorophyll. She shines up her chompers with it after each meal and before sacktime, and says it is really sumpin'. I used it last night though, and didn't notice any difference except that it turned my brush a dingy green. Pretty soon now they'll probably be turning out flour with chlorophyll, or bourbon with chlorophyll, or chlorophyll with chlorophyll.

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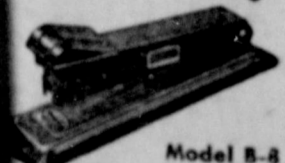
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## Ax Grinding Prospects Not Good . . .

Those folks who live on the South Plains and who cast their vote for Eisenhower can now get a dim picture of what might be expected of the new Administration in the way of big business interests and members of labor unions, but what is most important to South Plains resident is what can we expect to happen to farming interests.

If the present trend is any indication there are reasons for us to be discouraged. However the incoming Administration cannot be blamed for the conditions that have been caused by the Democrats. It is hoped that Mr. Eisenhower will be as interested in keeping the farmer pleased and in a position to make profits as he seems to be in courting labor and big business.

Selecting as he did, a union leader, and a Democrat, to boot, to be the head of the labor department, he evidently hopes to at least keep the labor element from creating too much of a crisis, and with one of the most powerful and influential big industrialists at the head of Commerce, he hopes to keep big business satisfied. But the farmer may not be so fortunate.

That the laboring man will be taken care of is well and the folks here on the South Plains should be glad that a man who knows the laboring man's side should be in a position to advise about and act upon problems concerning labor and that big business will have a spokesman is well, but the prosperity of the South Plains depends more upon the prosperity of the farmer than on all other interests combined.

From actions already taken it is evident that President-elect Eisenhower is not going to be dictated to by men who may feel that he is under obligation to them and it seems from some view points that the nation is not going to be ruled by a set of politicians who have been doing a lot of ax grinding.

If union labor, big business and the agricultural interests, of the nation, can be kept in line without favoring one of the groups the nation can probably keep up a fair state of prosperity, but if we get what's left after the first two get their big bites, things may not be so good on the South Plains.

## Shoot, I Reckon . . .

We read that during this blessed rain, a Slidell school teacher approached another woman and introduced herself: "I'm Gladys Rainey."

"Well, so am I, and I guess everyone else is glad, too," the woman replied.

To which we would add, "Gladysn't the word for it." —Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

## Painful Lesson . . .

India's attempted role as mediator and peacemaker between the Communist East and the democratic West has suffered painful reverses in the effort to draft a formula acceptable to Russia for settling the knotty prisoner of war problem in Korea.

Russian and Chinese rejection of the Indians' best effort, and one which reason suggests must have been encouraged earlier at Peiping, may go a long way toward convincing Premier Nehru's government that getting agreements out of the Communist powers is a tricky and disillusioning business.

Mr. Nehru practically admitted as much the other day before a Buddhist gathering a Sanchi, India, whence he went, as he expressed it, "looking for something," presumably in the realm of the spirit.

"In this confused and distorted world of today," the Indian leader confessed, "I am a very confused person. I try to see the light and I try to search for it."

Mr. Nehru is not alone in his mental predicament. He may be learning that his earlier promptings to deal with the Communists on a basis of reason and fairness were misconceived. One must hope, nevertheless, that he continues what he offers to as his search. The world can not have too many searches after peace and a common humanity. And it is barely possible that he is serving a useful role even if it results in nothing more tangible than a convincing of the free world that true peace is far from Soviet intentions.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

## The Holiday Season Approaches . . .

From the ministers of our churches comes much of our poetry and philosophy and good common sense—bonuses, perhaps, which merely enhance the spiritual values. Here is a sample:

In a republic "self-government has always depended upon six elements of personal character. First, self-reliance; second, personal responsibility; third, thrift; fourth, courage; fifth, individual initiative; and sixth, and most important, spiritual faith."

The speaker is Dr. John H. Buchanan of Birmingham. He detects "abundant evidence" that too many individuals are "throwing into the wastebasket" these six elements of personal character—upon which, alone, constitutional free government can exist.

Dr. Buchanan's six-point credo of character was widely quoted in advance of American Independence week last summer. The six pillars of character seem no less appropriate, however, for the traditional Thanksgiving season, and for the beauty of Christmas time. If renewal of character is at midyear, perhaps it is equally good at year's end, or as the year approaches.

Consider again those six essentials of personal character—self-reliance, personal responsibility, thrift, courage, individual initiative, and spiritual faith. Out of them stems the strength of the nobility as well—of our great North American continent.—The Furrow.

## Friendship Is More Than Voting . . .

As the dust clears from a hotly contested presidential election, the newly elected President faces responsibilities which cannot carry without unremitting support from private citizens. We did not discharge our political obligations by arguing and sitting far into the night listening to election results. Those who supported Dwight Eisenhower must not dust their hands and leave the fulfillment of their hopes to him.

## WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS" By C. WILSON HARDER

Washington governmental activity is at a snail's pace in this 'tween administrations interim. But there has been no slacking off on spending money.

There's a "hush before the storm" atmosphere. New Administration is pledged to immediate cuts in spending; in taxes.

The question is: "Can Eisenhower deliver?"

Viewing terrific pressures C. W. Harder now building, many say no. Obviously, biggest immediate cuts can be made in European aid programs which have already cost taxpayers over \$35 billion.

For example, on a typical day MSA gives another \$13 million.

The breakdown is interesting. Almost \$1 million went to France to pay her for ocean transportation of free goods. Another \$1 million went to Communist Tito's Yugoslavia for U. S. coal and coke. There are vast coal resources in much closer England and France, but as long as the U. S. will give commodities to European nations, they are not compelled to work out trade among themselves.

Britain also received \$6 million in American petroleum.

Britain had big supply of Iranian oil until British oil monopoly and Iran disagreed on royalty terms.

Independents are anxious to trade in Iranian oil but fear British government-backed threats of British oil monopoly.

Little wonder U. S. labor feels right to use boycott when word is National Federation of Independent Business.

He has made promises which he cannot keep without help from all of us.

Much of the cynicism about campaign promises grows out of the fact that there are limits imposed by our form of government on what a president can do. For the most part he can lead only as far as he can persuade Congress to go along with him.

There are powerful members of his own party in Congress who are opposed to policies to which the new President's platform and public utterances have committed him. If he is to accomplish these purposes, he must have bipartisan support. It is important for those who may have voted against him to appreciate this. It may seem to be asking a great deal to expect people to lay aside the animosities of months of heated, and at times bitter, campaigning and unite behind the winner from the other party. But it is not asking too much. It is asking for the continuance of an honored American tradition, never more important to the nation than now.

Our citizenship duties extend far beyond the campaign and the election. Campaign promises need not prove illusory if we keep actively in touch with our representatives in both houses of Congress. We must insure that, if they are tempted to forget the commitments of their party, their constituents will not. A harder assignment for the citizen is his duty to keep himself and help keep others informed about issues vital to the nation and the world. In a democratic society the citizens themselves are the rulers. Democracy will never disappear so long as the rulers refuse to abdicate.—Presbyterian Life.

## Page From A Primer . . .

Current lesson from our own primer of political economy:

Q. Why did Mr. Tighe E. Woods, price stabilizer, resign?  
A. Because, he says, he is tired of trying to administer a price control law too weak to mean anything.

Q. Why would anybody pass such a law?  
A. Because, partly, everybody, as usual, was willing to have the other fellow controlled, but not himself; partly because some politicians thought they could satisfy those who did want controls by backing a controls law, and those who didn't by making it too weak to "bite."

Q. How could they "get by" with this?  
A. Because nothing short of all-out mobilization and all-out war seems to arouse the solid support that real controls must have.

Q. Does business want controls now?  
A. Business never liked price controls and it now seems willing to drop wage control.

Q. Does labor want controls?  
A. Labor never liked wage controls and it now says it would drop price restrictions, too.

Q. Well, then who wants them?  
A. The Administration Democrats. They don't want to risk being blamed by the Republicans for dropping them if inflation should take a sudden spurt. They want the new Administration to drop them.

Q. Then the Republicans would gladly oblige?  
A. Not so fast! They don't want to be blamed either. They hope the Democrats will scuttle the ship first.

Q. Does all this make sense?  
A. In politics—of a kind—Yes. In economics. No.

Q. Well, what would make sense?  
A. Price and wage controls are the sandbags for topping the levee. They don't reduce the flood. But sandbags are needed in a hurry when a freshet rolls down and then they shouldn't have to be ordered from the factory. In the current state of public opinion and relative price equilibrium, consumer controls might well be suspended now by executive order—but only suspended. Then the new Congress should improve and renew them on a stand-by basis.

At least this makes sense to us.—Christian Science Monitor.

Witnesses British boycott of Iran existing because U. S. taxpayers dig deep to supply Britain with needed oil.

Recently survey showed U. S. family of four today needs \$60 per week just to exist. But on a typical day, U. S. gives away enough to support 213,766 families, or almost 1 million Americans for a week.

Can Eisenhower change this? In view of his European years, Washington wonders.

Britain's Anthony Eden is "vacationing" for two months in Florida. Other Europeans nabobs arrive daily. Magazines feature articles such as English historian Arnold Toynbee's that urge U. S. to merge with Europe. Observers say "merge" used in this connection means "give us more."

Congress can be the most potent force in years. With both Houses almost evenly divided, it is evident voters gave no "land-slide mandate" to White House. Rather, voters retained solid elements, cast out extremist fringe of both parties.

To meet promises, immediate tax cut may be sought to benefit only a few huge operations, but total sum of reduction will make impressive headlines ignoring fact more than 4,000,000 independent businesses will continue under staggering tax burden.

Congress will be in a quandary. Most Congressmen have good judgment, but are human beings. Judgment can be swayed by unrelaxed pressure. Minorities at home, allied with polished pleaders from abroad, will exert pressure to sell Congress that heavy grants to Europe are a "sacred obligation" of America. To offset this propaganda, Congressmen will need a much greater indication of the grass roots' sentiment from home.

## THIS and THAT FROM HERE and THERE

**It's In The Bag—** Behind the scenes, party leaders on both sides of the fence are objecting to Ike's trip to Korea. Reason for the objection is the obvious risk he is taking. Neither side cares to see Richard Nixon in the White House. —The Hulia Herald

**Popalace—** Charlie Gregory, one of the Nienda community's leading spirits, is one who has his discouragements, but he is a long way from giving up.

In talking the other day with Charlie, he revealed that he had planted nearly 300 acres to cotton this year at his place south of Hamlin, "and I guess I may get 10 bales of cotton from that spread—not bad, eh, for a good cotton farmer like me?"

Of course, when he made that rash assertion about his heavy yield, he already had taken nine bales to the gin for processing, and was hoping to get another bale by running a high speed cotton picker over the 300-acre layout.

One thing about the folks in this drought-ridden territory is that it is difficult to find a pessimist in the crowd, which, after all, proves the stamina and stick-to-it-iveness of the folks hereabouts.

—The Hamlin Herald

**Trail Dust—** If politicians could be sued for breach of promise it is possible that this nation would retire a substantial part of its obligations with the restitution.

—Matador Tribune

**It Sez Here—** We get a wham out of the local big shots as they attempt to convince the local constable they are immune to regulations that govern peasants like us. Caught with his traffic ethics down, the long-suffering big shot first raises two eyebrows, thus indicating surprise that the constable hasn't been briefed on the fact that said big shot is above the law. Failing to impress the officer, Mr. Big Shot designs to speak: "You evidently don't know who I am." With the officer still unimpressed, Big Shot takes this tack: "You know your job isn't going to last very long don't you?" As Big Shot drives off in a roar of cylinders and burning rubber, with a traffic ticket clutched in his hot little hand, he releases

information as to the new officer's background, better not recorded for posterity!

—The Ralls Banner

**Talk In Print—** The most repulsive bit of news appearing in the daily papers recently is the story under a Vienna, Austria, dateline with the asinine suggestion that Margaret Truman and Joe Stalin's son, Vassily, marry in the interest of world peace. Even the political foes of President Harry Truman would support him this time if he takes his pen in hand and writes another of his famous letters, objecting to the government-sponsored Australian film containing the wedding suggestion.

—Abernathy Weekly Review

**Hodge Podge—** One of these days someone is going to come up with an idea that will have as great effect on our modern life as the advent of the slip-proof buggy whip handle had in its day.

—County Wide News

**Drifting Sands—** We have a few rude, reckless and discourteous drivers in Andrews. We hope they cultivate a few good manners before neighbors are patting them in the face with a few shovelfull of cemetery dirt.

—The Andrews County News

**Judgement of Solomon—** The story of a French judge is currently being told around Paris. It seems a new fanatical religious sect was going to crucify one of its members whom they believed to be the new messiah, but local officials took preventive action and hauled the participants before the judge.

After hearing all the arguments, the judge said: "All right, my friends. If your religion demands it, you may crucify him. But I must warn you of one thing. If your messiah is not resurrected in three days, I'll have you all hanged."

—The Canyon News

**Drifting Sands—** We've often wondered why some smart dry cleaner couldn't invent some sort of a contraption or tag to identify your clothes instead of using the present method.

We're not complaining, but recently we were in a gosh-fired

hurry to get dressed. We laid our spectacles down and donned our clothes but there was a wire hook in the collar and another in the trousers seat.

We had to hunt up the glasses, find a pair of pliers to get the sticking, confounded things out. We almost missed the kickoff. Somethin' ought'er be done.

—The Andrews County News

**TRENDS—** Roy Karr was telling us about the revival of an old telephone gag. Someone called him the other night after he had settled down in his easy chair with a new magazine. "Is Boo there," the caller asked. "Boo who?" asked Roy. "What are you crying a-

bout?" asked the voice on phone before the receiver clicked.

—The Crushyton Review

**Listening Post—** Little news to be remembered well in the history books so he has all the pertinent agencies compiling detailed accounts of what was accomplished under his administration, and at the expense of we taxpayers. That should not take long.

—The Petersburg Journal

**The Cracker Barrel—** we like the little proverb which goes like this:

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—The Otton Enterprise



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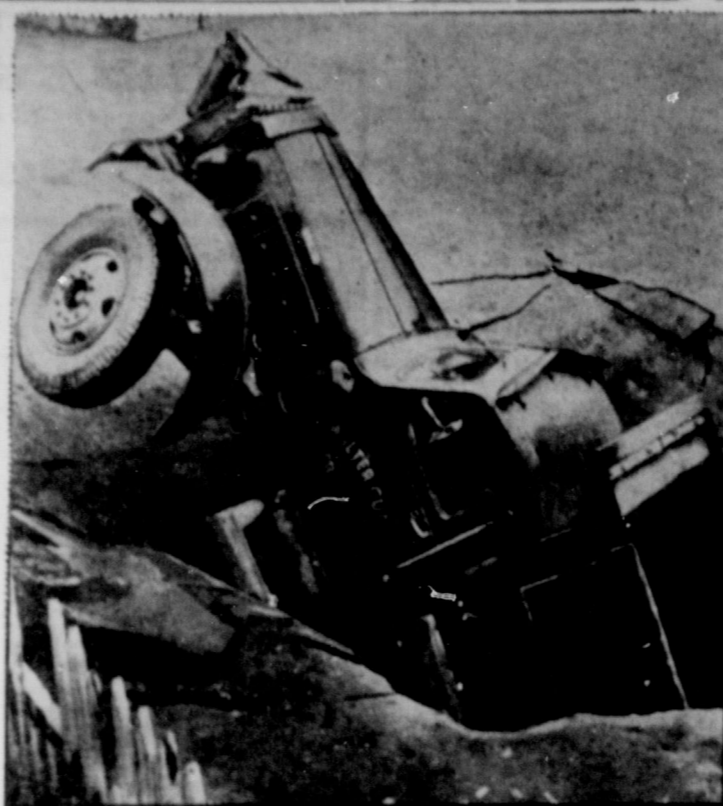
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### JUST TALK

by  
A.M.J.

Between Phil Brewer and "Just Talk," the town of Slaton is becoming very popular in the northernmost parts of the United States.

Phil, who returned a couple of weeks ago from Philly, Pa., brought me back a calendar from a young lady who sat back of him in the classes while he was attending a school of special instructions on Insurance in that city.

Phil reports that Miss Vita Carico, the young lady who sat back of him, was attending the insurance classes and that after she saw her first copy of the Slatonite with "Just Talk" in it she showed severe signs of strain when it did not arrive on time, and that she consumed the stuff that was in the Slatonite with eager appetite.

Phil did not explain why he took the Slatonite along with him to classes but I see a dim reason why Miss Vita Carico had time to work over the Slatonite. It is just possible that the insurance classes might have been very dull and that the Slatonite was the only other diversion available.

A number of people have told me of a good many purposes for which they use the Slatonite, and if we can serve to relieve the monotony of some class room we feel that our efforts have been worth while.

Incidentally I have never seen a woman fire insurance solicitor and it is with fear and trembling that I look forward to some highly organized young females like Miss Carico coming at me with a fire insurance policy. My resistance is low and some bright gal with an aura of Night Magic perfume, an inviting eye and a drooping neck line might get me hooked for some more insurance or get me so upset that I won't be able to do my work.

As long as Miss Carico stays in Philly and the local insurance agents stick to Phil, Bruce Pember, Ray Hekman and Charlie Marriott as salesmen I feel fairly safe with just the ordinary kind of insurance that I now carry on everything but my soul. What I am afraid of is some burning beauty might come in and persuade me to take out some insurance on it.

Not long ago a letter came through the mail from a man named Floyd W. Dankerly of Ennis, Texas, who wanted a sample copy of the Slatonite along with our advertising rates so that he might decide whether he would like to advertise some new kind of cotton seed that he had developed.

We sent the rates and a copy of the paper and this week he sent us three bucks, an order for an ad and said in a letter that he had received the sample copy of the Slatonite and wanted to compliment us on putting out a very excellent weekly newspaper.

This "rose" is appreciated and we are glad it blossomed before I had gone through life wondering whether all my efforts to save the world and a little money had been wasted. I have received at least two roses, counting the one from Miss Carico and now I am seriously going to work on saving a little money.

A lot of folks around here will remember both Mr. and Mrs. Harry McKee. Mr. McKee was superintendent of the Slaton division of the Santa Fe until he died about five years ago while on his job here. Mrs. McKee now lives in California, and corresponds with a number of her friends here. My wife got a letter from her recently and in it she included a copy of "The Desert Rat."

The Rat is published by a highly paid Hollywood writer who got weary of the big town grind and went out to a desert town and started publishing his own newspaper on a broken down press and other equipment that saw its best days during the California gold rush.

He prints the paper with no regular publication day and works only when he runs out of potatoes and other items necessary to keep his soul and body in good condition.

Here are some of his observations: People are funny; they spend money they don't have, to buy things they don't need to impress folks they don't know.

The professors tell us that a medium size earthquake has the power of 20,000 atomic bombs and the loudest noise in the world is made by thunder—so what are you afraid of?

His subscriptions rates are: 1 year, four copies 50c, 10 years, \$5.00, 100 years \$50.00, and he says that the last offer is something to think about.

He is also a male Emily Post and says no gentleman should hit a woman with his hat on.

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A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

That this is a suit for divorce and restoration of plaintiff's former married name, Kathryn L. Reese, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

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### ton To Enter Murry Tourney

ton is one of 16 high school basketball teams which will be on the McMurry campus Dec. 18-20 to participate in the second annual national high school basketball tournament.

Teams entered in the Abilene tournament are Avoca, Merkel, Minn. Colorado City, Hawley, Slaton, Garland, Killen, Eastland, Geo. Ballinger, Gallatin, Andrews, Haskell and Slaton.

Trophies will be awarded to the championship team, the runner-up team and the consolation team. Coaches of each of these winners also will be awarded a small gift. An all-tournament team of ten

men will be chosen from the 16 teams and each of them will receive a small gold individual basketball.

Mel Jowell, who coaches the McMurry Indian Basketball team, is director of the tournament. He will be assisted by a crew of twelve physical education majors.

Coach G. E. Hastings' quintet from Avoca won the tournament last year, while the Hawley team, coached by C. E. Womack took runner-up position, and Jayton, coached by Rondall Cooper won consolation.

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**NET RESULT IS SAFETY**—Ducking for cover behind a camouflage net set up in the Trieste area. Cpl. Lyle Nebb of Calay Center, Nebraska; Pfc. William Decker of St. Mary's, Pa.; and Pfc. Lonny Fulton of Chickasha, Okla., make ready with their recoilless rifle during "Exercise Frosty" maneuvers. Members of the Second Battalion, 351st Infantry, the Americans are practicing invisibility behind the well draped net.



Marine Chaplain Rickel gives a smiling assist to Pfc. William Hall of Chatsworth, Calif., by writing a letter home for the Marine. Wounded in the right arm, Hall is waiting in an aid station for evacuation to the rear. He wanted to let his family know he was all right. The chaplain considers this a routine part of his job.

### Automatic Dryer Is Replacing The Outdoor Drying Of Home Laundry

The days for outdoor drying of the home laundry are disappearing for many households with the advent of the automatic dryer. A time and labor saving piece of equipment which first appeared on the market in 1946, the automatic clothes dryer is manufactured under 17 or more brand names and is part of more than a million and a half households.

Home management specialists for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service say a recent study of the Ohio Experiment Station found the reasons for the popularity of the new equipment to be the labor-saving and convenience features. The automatic clothes dryer saves time and effort of carrying heavy baskets of wet clothes and of reaching, stretching, bending and stooping at the clothes line. Furthermore, it allows clothes to be dried in any weather without being exposed to wind, freezing, soot, smoke, dust or other outdoor hazards. Napped items like chenille bedspreads, corduroys, or terry cloth robes—come out of the dryer ready to use or wear without ironing.

Manufacturers of late models of dryers have added vents to carry out lint, heat and moisture which has been found objectionable in some homes.

The specialists say the Ohio tests, aimed at answering questions about dryers, were made with load of six representative household and clothing items. After washing and rinsing, the clothes were dried outdoors in semi-shade, and in both gas and electric dryers.

Contrary to the belief that dryers were hard on clothes, the research reports washing causes more wear on clothes than the dryer. The lint is collected in traps of the dryers instead of being blown away in the air when dried outdoors. Sheets, broad-cloth shirts, pillow slips, rayon and nylon slips, linen towels and cotton dress goods lost less strength when dried in a dryer, but items with considerable nap such as terry cloth towels and diapers, lost more than those dried outdoors.

The tests showed that white items dried in the dryer 50 times were as white as those dried outdoors. However, the specialists say, unless clothes are well washed, neither line nor dryer-drying can perform miracles in getting them white.

As for holding color and preventing fading, the dryer excels, the study showed. All colors—even those washed 50 times in hot detergent water—remained deep and clear except one unstable blue



**BOOTS 'N' PLAIDS**—Colin, 15-month-old Cairn terrier with a flair for fashion, models the latest in wet-weather duds for dogs. Designed in Paris by a canine-costume specialist, the boots button on the side and the coat sports a collar. Colin, now in the air, was the star of the Parisian dog fashion show.

### Sarah Thompson Is Remembered

In remembrance of my classmate, Sarah Thompson, who was killed August 3, 1952.

God gave us this earth, the flowers and trees, The rocks, the grass, the birds and the bees, But He only lent the angels so gay And He has the right to take them away.

Thirteen years ago, upon this earth, A blackhaired angel was given birth, But God got lonesome to have her up there And took her to her home in the air.

Now this earth seems so lonesome and drear And we long so much to have her back here, But soon we shall see her at home in the sky This wonderful angel never did die.

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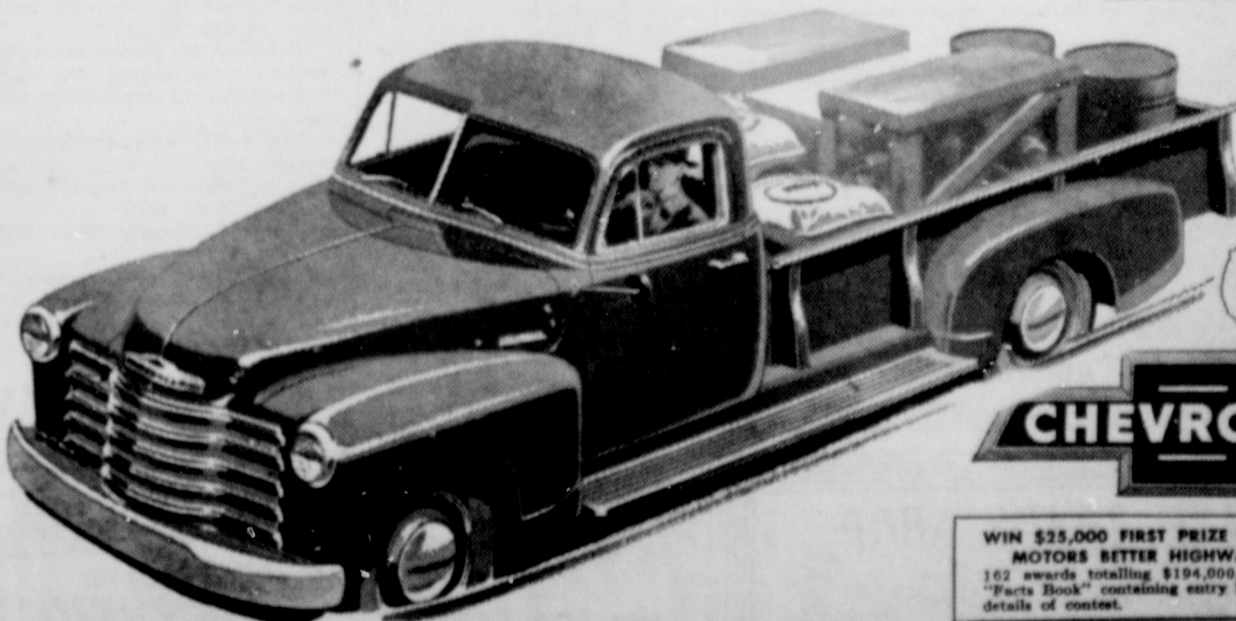
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By d'Alessio



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A Czech newspaper demanded more Communist education and less religion in the schools after getting a letter from a child which read: "Religious teachers know nothing. They say God is almighty and President Gottwald is not."

If you want to look your best when having your picture taken, say the word "cheese" just before the camera's shutter is snapped. Movie stars say that relaxes the face muscles.

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Of course a bald headed man has more face to wash. Always something to spoil a good thing.

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## West Texas Roundup

Architects plans of the improvement of Wigwam Stadium were approved at a board of trustees meeting Monday night, Supt. Joe Young announced. The board had approved of \$30,000 for the construction of stands on the east side of the stadium which will seat approximately 2,100 persons.  
—The Seminole Sentinel

A wild blizzard which buried Amarillo under nine inches of snow Monday night, snarled traffic and closed most major highways. It was less severe on Tullia and surrounding areas. Kenneth Ramsey, local weather observer measured approximately three inches of snow which left .64 in. of moisture. A drizzle Sunday night brought about .2 inch rainfall.  
—The Tullia Herald

Murphy Meat Plant burned Friday about 6:30 a.m. in a fire which required the calling out of both of Brownfield's fire trucks and caused a total estimated loss and damage of \$18,000.  
—The Terry Co. Herald

Old Man Winter Weather finally made his appearance in this area arriving Sunday night when a slow drizzle that amounted to about a quarter of an inch of moisture was received, and then again Monday night another like amount was received. About five a. m. Tuesday morning a blue whistler hit Petersburg that sent the mercury down to 24 degrees by daylight. Tuesday night it hit a low of 16 degrees. The coldest of the year, or this winter so far. Wednesday morning the sun came out bright and warm with no clouds in sight.  
—The Petersburg Journal

Numerous auto wrecks resulted from icy road conditions following the eight-inch snowfall here early this week.  
—The Ruidoso News

For the third time the proposed consolidation of the Morton and Neely Ward School Districts has been defeated by a vote of the people.  
—The Morton Tribune

A male inmate tried to burn his way out of the Olton city jail Sunday night. Arrested Sunday afternoon on a charge of drunkenness, the man was found in the smoke filled room lying on a burning mattress about 10:30 Sunday night by Deputy Sheriff V. L. "Smitty" Smith. The plastic covered mattress which had a large amount of deodorizer in the cotton was "raising a big stink," according to Smitty.  
—The Olton Enterprise

Final financial report for the high school football teams revealed that the Mustangs wound up the season with a \$4,351 deficit. In an athletic financial report issued last week by the school, receipts and disbursements for the "A" and "B" teams were shown. Disbursements from the high school athletic fund totaled \$7,314.43 while disbursements from the athletic maintenance fund totaled \$6,828.18. Grand total was \$14,142.61.  
—The Andrews Co. News

Ten colored men were disturbed Saturday night while engaged in a friendly game of chance, when members of the city police force crashed the party.

All ten of the participants were hustled to the county jail where they had time to ruminate on their sins. City police also arrested six drunks over the week end, and fines in city court Monday totaled more than \$370.  
—County Wide News

Pranksters turned on two fire hydrants last Monday night with the result that the city lost several thousand gallons of water. City officials were notified and the plugs turned off before the

city storage tank were emptied, but not before water had filled gutters for several blocks. Officials stated that it was lucky that no fire alarm sounded as the loss of water from the tank would have caused a grave emergency.  
—The Andrews Co. News

The Brotherhoods of two Crosby county Baptist churches sent letters of commendation to Sheriff Roy Hillin this week, thanking him for his earnest effort to clean up the bootlegging situation in the county and for his testimony at the recent Amarillo hearing. The Brotherhoods were from First Baptist Church, Crosbyton, and Mt. Blanco Baptist Church.  
—The Crosbyton Review

The Turtle Derby, scheduled for 4 p.m. Monday on the courthouse square and sponsored by the Live-stock committee of the Brady Chamber of Commerce, was cancelled because of uncooperative reaction by the racers to a probable "wet track".

In short, the turtles balked. They wouldn't race under such "untypical" Texas weather conditions. Even turtles have feelings!  
—The Brady Standard

A flaming object which leighted the sky over north central Texas last night was seen by at least one Commerce resident, W. M. Harner, 1408 Washington.

Mr. Harner was driving from Sulphur Springs to Commerce when he saw the object and believed it to be a burning airplane. Today it is believed to have been a meteor which possibly re-integrated over Kansas.  
—Commerce Journal

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## WTCC Meet Set Tuesday, Dec. 16

Slaton and other District Two members of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce are scheduled to meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 16, at the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce office.

Members of the group, President R. Wright Armstrong has explained, will hear a discussion of the objectives of the organization which have been adopted by the board of directors for work and accomplishment in the ensuing year.

Also scheduled is the election of a district vice-president. Members planning to attend have been urged to bring a delegation from their respective cities.

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"Make 'em eat and you'll make 'em lay!" That advice is often given to poultrymen for raising poultry more efficiently and producing eggs more plentifully. Although the poultryman should watch his feed costs—and wastes, carefully, he should aim at high feed consumption among his birds. By stimulating layers to eat more, he also stimulates production. A good laying hen will certainly eat more than a slow-layering one, but the percentage of profit definitely lies in the good layer. Although the good layer may eat more, she also requires less feed to lay each egg. That is, her egg production greatly offsets the extra feed she may consume. On the other hand, the loafing layers eat a lot but fail to lay many eggs.

**Increase Consumption**

There are a number of factors influencing feed consumption, but some of the more important things you can do to increase consumption are: feed mash and grain oftener during the day; stir the mash more frequently; provide increased feeding space; and feed wet mash at noon and night. It is also a good idea to put an edge on birds' appetites with a good poultry tonic. Layers given this kind of care and treatment should perk up quickly. But if loafers appear, do not hesitate to cull them immediately. They not only have a bad influence on the flock, they cut deeply into your egg profits.

**A Balanced Ration**

Good egg production depends not only on the quantity of feed consumed, but also on its quality as well. See that your birds get a balanced ration of properly blended, high-quality ingredients that include the essential proteins, fats, carbohydrates, minerals and vitamins. A balanced ration provides for the body requirements of birds and also the actual make-up of the eggs.

Since an egg is about 65 percent water, keep plenty of water before the hens at all times. During the cold weather keep the chill off the water and make sure there is enough space at the fountain so that all birds have equal opportunity to drink.

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**DINNER**

Beef Stew with Vegetables, (Po-  
tatoes, Carrots, Onions, Peas),  
Pear Salad, Pickles - Olives, Corn  
bread, Tapioca Pudding, Coffee.

**SUPPER**

Sliced Turkey Sandwiches, Toss  
ed Green Salad with Oil Dressing  
Fruit Cake, Milk.

Highway traffic during the  
Christmas Holidays is always  
heavy and is made more danger-  
ous by unfavorable weather condi-  
tions. The State Farm and Ranch  
Safety Committee urges all motor-  
ists to take an extra day for  
traveling this Christmas rather  
than taking chances that may  
lead to disaster.

### Share Christmas Activities With All The Family

Christmas, more than any other  
holiday, is enriched by families  
planning and preparing together  
as well as celebrating together.  
Each family has its own pattern  
of celebrating, special family rit-  
uals which strengthen the family  
feeling which are perhaps more  
important today than ever before.

Mrs. Eloise Johnson, family life  
specialist for the Texas Agricul-  
tural Extension Service says  
checking now may enable every  
member of the family to have a  
chance to enjoy all of the Christ-  
mas activities.

A first step might be to plan  
together for balancing family  
giving. Decide together how much  
money can be used for Christmas  
this year on activities. Some will  
be needed for preparing the home  
for the celebration, some for mat-  
erials or gifts within the family,  
to relatives and friends, and then  
some for giving to the less fortu-  
nate in the community and other  
lands.

Unpacking and bringing out the  
special Christmas library is an  
important part of the preparation  
in some homes. Books which the  
family read together, Christmas  
carols to sing together, and a  
Christmas prayer to be enjoyed as  
the family works.

Select a Christmas tree that  
even the smaller children can en-  
joy decorating. This is a source  
of real Christmas spirit for the  
family, and can become a family  
event if everyone has a part in  
the decision of what size, where  
it should be placed, and the de-  
corations. Making some of these  
can be included in the Christmas  
planning. Mrs. Johnson says beau-  
tiful, durable decorations can be  
made from nuts, pine cones, sweet  
tarts, and other products of na-  
ture in your neighborhood. They  
can be gilded or painted and safe-  
ly handled by even the tiniest or  
the oldest without fear of break-  
ing.

Many parents are concerned  
with the over-emphasis on toys  
and gifts which tend to develop  
selfishness in children. You may  
find it helpful to spend more time  
talking about and working on gifts  
for others together. The spirit of  
giving can be strengthened as  
we give to those who can not  
have the kind of Christmas joys  
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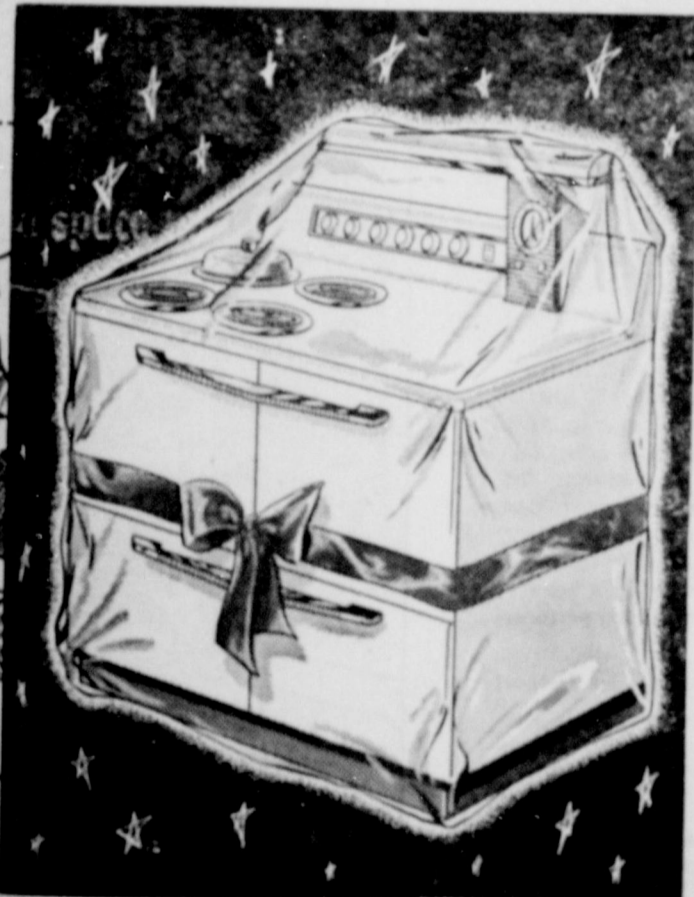
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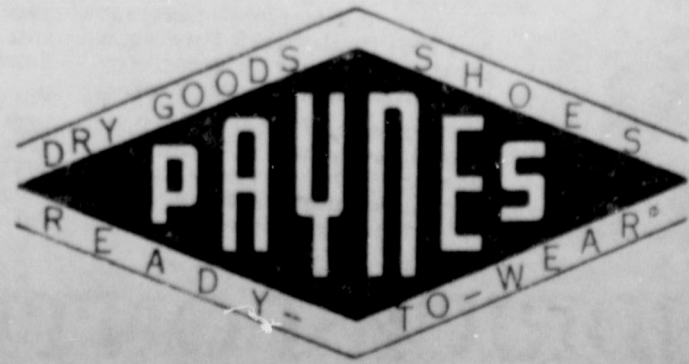
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**WATER TREATMENT**—Hydrotherapy for three-year-old Van Rohn is given in the Chicago family's basement swimming pool, bought from a factory that makes them for Army water-storage purposes. Supervising, Mrs. Eileen Rohn watches as her daughter Priscilla steadies the small boy. He was paralyzed from injuries received in a near-fatal auto accident. Reading of the pool, she contacted Army engineers who referred her to the manufacturers.

**Letters To Santa:**

**Dear Santa Claus**  
I am a little boy 7 years old. Please bring me a ball-gun, some lincoln logs, some more track for my train, leather set, space patrol set, wrecker truck and please bring other boys and girls some toys too.  
Yours truly  
Stephen Haliburton

**Dear Santa Claus**  
I would like a bicycle, a Walky-Talky, a baseball, a watch, a baseball glove, and a pellet gun, please.  
Your friend,  
Julian Perez

**Santa Claus,**  
I want a Walky-Talky, an electric Desil train, a radio, Hop Long Cassidy, a piano, majorette doll, a monkey, linking logs and a B.B. gun. Please remember all the little orphan children.  
Your friend,  
Mike Genoble

**Dear Santa Claus,**  
I would like a bicycle for Christmas very much. I would not want anything more, but a sock full of candy and things I would enjoy. And please don't forget the other children.  
Lots of love,  
Kaye Kincer

**Dear Santa Claus,**  
I would like a TV and a football, a watch and an electric car. I have been a good boy.  
Your friend,  
Bobby Joe Robert Hollingsworth

**Dear Santa**  
Please take the boys over in Korea presents that they want and need. Dear Santa, please do not forget the other boys and girls. I want a Texan, Jr. double holster set.  
Your friend,  
William Henry Taylor

**Dear Santa Claus,**  
Please bring me a Toni doll, skates, blackboard, a doll bed, and a watch, a house robe. Please don't forget the other boys and girls.  
With love,  
Your friend,  
Lynora Ferguson

**Dear Santa Claus,**  
Please Santa, I want a Walky Talky, two guns and a holster. Please bring me spurs and a pellets, please.  
Your friend,  
Bobby Joe Malone

**Dear Santa,**  
I would like a bicycle for Christmas and a robe, too. Also some house shoes, and a Cinderella watch.  
Your friend,  
Elva Jean Tillery

**Dear Santa,**  
I want a Majorette Doll and a clown if you will give me it.

Please give me a machine. I want a new dress for Christmas. If you give me a Doll and a clown like I want you to, I will love you.  
Your friend,  
Charolette Ann Morris

**Dear Santa,**  
Will you please give the orphans some toys. I would like a baseball glove, A hunting knife, A walky talky, and a football. Thank you.  
Your friend,  
Jimmy Ayers

**Dear Santa Claus,**  
I want a Walky-Talky, a knife, a gun, and scabbard, if I am a good boy. Remember the boys on the battlefield.  
Your friend,  
Mike Lovelady

**Dear Santa Claus,**  
I want a pair of house shoes, a robe, a piano, a black board and a Walky-Talky doll. Please Santa, do you think I have been good?  
Your friend,  
Zana Frances Hogg

**Dear Santa Claus,**  
Please bring me a walking doll, I want a watch, a story book, a new dress, A Clock, new shoes, a work book and a new coat.  
Your friend,  
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Lu. 2:11; Lu. 19:10; 1 Ti. 1:15

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Isa. 53:5; Matt. 28:18-20; Mark 16:17-18

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CALIFORNIA TRIP

Winona Pike Visits Here Following Tour

Miss Winona Pike spent the week end visiting her parents, the E. W. Pikes. She had just completed her tour with the school orchestra. The tour included concerts in Alexandria, West Monroe, and Ferriday, Louisiana, and in Laurel, Jackson, and Meridian, Mississippi. The last concert was at Houston, Texas.

Winona plays first violin in the orchestra and also sings in the chorus. She is a student at SBI in Waxahatchie, Texas.

Weather during this season—warm days and cold nights—is favorable for flu development in the swine herd. Protect the animals from the elements.

Ribbons Won By Juniors At The BTU Convention

The Junior Department of First Baptist Church, Slaton, was well represented at the three-day BTU State Convention held in Lubbock.

The following Juniors won ribbons in the Memory Work Contest: James Cole and Ronnie White, 11-year-olds, memorized 30 Bible verses; Reba Short, Carolyn Etter, and George Privet, 10-year-olds, memorized 20 verses.

The Training Union Class presented a model program on Friday morning. Those participating were the five mentioned above and Barbara White, Opal Willis, Virgil Coffee, Billy Murphy, and John Dodson.

Adult representatives of the group were Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Romines and the training director, Ray Samples.

Vows Exchanged In Tahoka For Slaton Couple Nov. 28th

Mrs. Ludine Gilliam and Cecil Collier were married in a single ring ceremony at Tahoka on November 28. They were accompanied by Ben Tillery, who acted as a witness.

Cecil Collier is employed at Jack Berkeley Trucking. Mrs. Collier formerly worked at the Slaton Steam Laundry.

Returned Soldier Is Honored At Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. August Kitten entertained with a dinner party in honor of their son, Clarence, who recently returned from Germany, and has received his army discharge.

Guests were: Messrs and Mesdames H. G. Schuette and family, Edwin Bednarz and family, Ben Sokoll and family, Ray Kitten and family, Wilfred Kitten, George Hilbers, Mr. Bill Kitten and the host and hostess and family.

After dinner the group played Forty-two and Pinochle.

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., Morning Worship, 10:55; Young People 6:15 p. m.; Evening Worship Service, 7:00. Wednesday: Bible Study, 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday: Bible study, 9:45 a. m., Morning Worship, 10:45; Training classes, 6:30 p. m. Sunday Evening Service: 7:30 p. m.

Monday: Mens Training Class, 8:30 p. m. Wednesday, Mid-Week services at 8:00 p. m. Ladies Bible Class 9:00 a. m.

CHURCH OF GOD

Sunday: Morning Worship, 10; Evening Worship, 8 p. m. Wednesday: Mid-Week Service, 8 p. m. Friday: Young People's Endeavor, 7:45 p. m.

Pentecostal Holiness Church

Sunday: Sunday school, 10 a. m., Morning Worship, 11, Evangelistic Service, 8:00 p. m. Tuesday: P.H.Y.S., 8:00 p. m. Wednesday: Women's Auxiliary, 2 p. m. Thursday: Mid-week services, at 8:00 p. m.

The Assembly Of God Church

Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., morning worship, 11:00. Evangelistic Service: 7:45 p. m. Wednesday: Prayer meeting, 8:00 p. m. Friday: Christ ambassador service for the young people, 8:00 p. m.

Christian Church

Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., Morning Worship, 11:00, Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m., Evening Worship, 7:30.

Church Of The Nazarene

Sunday School is at 10:00 a. m. Morning worship, 11:00. Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p. m.; Youth Service at 6:30. You are cordially invited to attend all services at the Church of the Nazarene. Come and worship with us at 635 W. Scurry. Rev. Knox is the pastor.

Presbyterian Church

Sunday school will start at 9:45 a. m., morning worship begins at 11:00 a. m.

Bible Baptist Church

Sunday School: 10:00 a. m. Preaching: 11:00 a. m. Young People Training: 6:30 p. m. Prayer Service: 6:30 p. m. Evening Services: 7:30 p. m. Mid-Week prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30.

Immanuel Lutheran Church (POSEY)

Rev. William Slaughter, Supply Pastor Sunday School: 7:00 p. m. Divine Worship: 8:00 p. m.

St. John's Lutheran Church (Wilson)

Sunday School: 9:15 a. m. Morning Worship: 10:30 a. m. Visitors are always welcome. Rev. C. C. Ehler, Pastor.

Evangelical Lutheran Church

15th St. at Jean Slaton Rev. C. C. Ehler, Supply Pastor Divine Worship: 8:30 a. m. Sunday School: 9:45 a. m.

Cleaning Furniture An easy way to clean carved furniture is to dip an old toothbrush in furniture polish and rub over it.

Plenty of Mammals Mammalogists recognize 253 different species and sub-species of land mammals east of the Mississippi in the United States. There are about 30,000 in the world.

Society Clubs

Slaton Women Give Their Favorite Tested Recipes

Mrs. Charlie Austin has a dark fruit cake recipe that is requested by everyone who tastes it. It makes a ten pound cake, but some of the fruits and nuts can be omitted to make an eight pound cake.

DARK FRUIT CAKE

- 1 cup broken walnuts
2 cups broken pecans (in small pieces)
1 lb. raisins
1 lb. currants
1 lb. dates, chopped
1/2 cup sliced orange peels
1 cup chopped citron
1/4 cup candied lemon peel
2 cups candied cherries chopped in small pieces
1 cup candied pineapple
6 cups sifted flour
2 tsp. soda
2 tsp. cinnamon
1 tsp. cloves
2 tsp. nutmeg
1/2 tsp. allspice
3 eggs
1 cup brown sugar
1 cup dark thick sorghum syrup
1 cup melted butter
1 cup grape jelly
1 cup sour milk

Dissolve soda in sour milk. Combine nuts and fruits with sifted flour, sugar, and spices. Blend eggs and milk with salt, sorghum syrup and jelly and pour sour milk over this mixture and stir. Stir in the dry ingredients and blend. Place in buttered loaf pan.

that is lined with heavy brown paper, with the paper also greased. Bake in oven 250 to 275 degrees for 3 to 4 hours. Mrs. Austin says if you cook it slow it won't crack. Wrap the cake in a cloth and baste the cloth with wine or fruit juice at intervals of about two weeks.

Mrs. Charlie Austin has lived here 25 years. She says she has eaten enough sand for 15 women. Her husband is a farmer and they are still living on their farm 6 miles from town.

They have three sons, Cecil, who is farming at home, Leon, who is practicing law in Austin and Charles, a graduate of Draughon's Business College, who is living at Orange, and one daughter, Ruth, Mrs. W. C. Crawford of Albuquerque, N. M., and 5 grandchildren.

The Austins are members of the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Austin is a housewife and a busy mother. Her hobbies include a collection of cups and saucers. She loves magazines and is often seen sitting by her window leafing through a magazine. She also likes to do for others who need help.

P.T.A. MEETING

There will be no regular Elementary P.T.A. meeting this month due to the Christmas Operetta which is to be presented at the High School Auditorium on Dec. 12, the regular meeting night. The next regularly scheduled meeting will be in January.



CROWNING GLORY—This lovely London girl's face does not launch a thousand ships; but goes Helen of Troy one better and carries a ship of its own around with it. One of the most outlandish of English coiffures designed for the Coronation trade, this creation is named the "Tarleton," and was first shown by Riche of London.

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**OUT OF GODFREY'S TEABAG**

This week the entire eastern half of the country has been blanketed by smoke and fog and I understand the Democrats and Republicans are going nuts trying to blame it on each other.

Interest in the Presidential campaign has been so high that it even got Archie Bleyer interested in politics again. He said his candidate should carry eight out of the thirteen states.

A bop musician saw some penguins and exclaimed: "Dig the crazy waiters!"

The custom of observing a holiday on Columbus Day must be rather new. I know that when Archie Bleyer went to school they did not give the kids a day off. Columbus hadn't landed yet.

Columbus sailed the ocean blue in Fourteen Hundred and Nine to Two. He was met on the beach by an Indian miss. Wearing a button—"I Like Chris."

Our announcer, George Bryan, bought his wife a lovely pearl outfit—a bucket of oysters and a horking knife.

If you go home and find a dead horse in the bathtub what do you do?—Pull the plug out.

HEARD ON "TALENT SCOUTS" MONDAYS, CBS AND CBS-TV

**News Summary Featured Weekly**

"I Talked With Luciano" — Is Lucky Luciano still king of America's underworld? What has his life been like since he was deported six years ago to Italy? In an exclusive interview with the world's most notorious criminal, Llewellyn Miller answers the questions all America is asking. Read it in the American Weekly, that great magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

**NOTICE**

Any and all persons having claims against the estate of A. L. Tudor, deceased, Greetings: You are hereby notified that you are required to present the same, within the time prescribed by law, to M. B. Tudor, Independent Executor, at 240 South Sixth Street, Slaton, Texas, who received letters testamentary as Independent Executor of the Estate of A. L. Tudor, deceased, December 1, 1952 in the Probate Cause 3645 in the County Court of Labbuck County, Texas. 12-12-c

Winner of the 1952 Texas Hybrid Corn Production Contest was Oscar Johnson of Freestone County. By using supplemental irrigation and liberal amounts of fertilizers, he produced 137.5 bushels an acre. The average for Texas in 1952 was 18 bushels an acre.

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**DO YOU REMEMBER?**

**ONE YEAR AGO IN SLATON**

Taken from Dec. 14, 1951

Mrs. Leo Luedtke and her children, Roger and Linda, are going to Germany to join Lt. Leo Luedtke, who left in July.

Fire did considerable damage to the C. W. Klaus home at 855 So. 14th Street last Saturday morning and would have completely destroyed the five room residence if the Slaton Fire Department had not given such quick service, said Mrs. Klaus.

Friday, December 7, Mrs. Leon Walston entertained her daughter, Rosalee, with a party on her 5th birthday.

At the regular meeting of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce last Tuesday night, the Directors elected new officers for the coming year. They are: Dub Williams,

president; Harold Tucker, vice-president; and J. S. Edwards, Jr., treasurer.

**FIVE YEARS AGO IN SLATON**

Taken from Dec. 12, 1947

A modern new 40-passenger bus will soon be turned over to the Slaton High School for use in transporting athletic teams as well as other school groups and will be provided by the Slaton Touchdown Club and a group of Slaton business and professional men. Funds for the purchase of the bus are now being solicited by the Touchdown Club and to date some \$2,200.00 has been subscribed. About \$3,200.00 will be needed to pay for the bus.

On Thursday, December 4, Mrs. Hoyt Meador entertained in her home with a Lullaby Tea, honoring Mrs. J. S. Underwood, a recent bride from Belgium.

**TEN YEARS AGO IN SLATON**

Taken from Dec. 11, 1942

Winter wonderland scenes thrilled enthusiasts last Sunday morn-

ing when the heaviest snow that has fallen on this area in one days time, was recorded by G. H. Orr, who makes the recording of weather conditions a hobby since 1918. Twelve inches of snow fell between midnight Saturday night, Dec. 5 and Sunday afternoon, Dec. 6. Monday, Dec. 7, was the coldest day of the year when the temperature fell to 9 above zero.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Coston are announcing the betrothal of their daughter, Juanita to Staff Sgt. Frank W. Giannobile of SPAF and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Giannobile of Des Moines, Iowa.

Miss Jenny Lou Garland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Garland and James E. Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hill of Pampa, formerly of Slaton, were united in marriage Sunday, Dec. 6, at the parsonage of the First Methodist Church.

The Oldtimer says some people pursue happiness. Others create it.

It is easier to fight for one's principles than to live up to them.

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh



**They'll Do It Every Time**

You know where Hammy Jackson lives—on that small dead-end street off Maple Avenue near the library? Well, about a month ago, the town finally put up a sign on the corner there saying: "No thoroughfare... Dead End."

Yesterday Hammy dropped by to see us. "Can't understand it," he says. "Hardly anybody drove down our street before—but, now, since they put that sign up, there's been more cars than ever turning around in my driveway."

From where I sit, these people who bother Hammy on his one-

way street are the same as those who automatically ignore a Wet Paint sign and touch their finger on a freshly painted surface. But you can't change human nature. People like to find out for themselves—and then make their own decisions.

That's why I say "live and let live." You can drink your bottle of milk, but let me have my glass of beer when I choose. And let's not feel we're obliged to "point the way" for the other fellow.

Joe Marsh

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