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## CHALLENGE-SEEKING BENGALS TO TEST POST HERE TONIGHT IN FINAL HOME CAGE TILT

A capacity crowd is expected to be on hand at 8 o'clock this Friday night in the Slaton High School gymnasium when the Tigers will tangle with their bitter rivals from Garza County, the Post Antelopes.

Two factors add interest to the engagement. For one, it's the last home game for the Bengals this year. More important, however, is the fact that the Bengals were humbled, 63-44, in the first meeting of the two teams at Post on February 2.

Tiger defensive barricades tonight will be aimed chiefly at preventing a scoring outburst on the part of L. W. Evans and Darrell Stone, both of whom Tiger followers will remember as stalwarts in the Antelopes football backfield. Evans and Stone looped in 28 and 23 points, respectively, in the Feb. 3 Slaton-Post clash. Their combined 51 points were more than the Tigers could score as an aggregation.

The Tigers also will be seeking to avoid a duplication of their dismal last half performance in the last test against Post. In that game, the Bengals trailed only 26-16 at halftime, but could manage only 20 points during the last 16 minutes while the Antelopes ran wild with a 36-point final half that gave them an 18-point victory margin.

Foulties, the most severe trouble with which Homer Tompkins' Bengals have been afflicted this year, cost them another game last Friday night.

The Tigers fell victim to Tahoka, 50-51, and the record book points up the fact that Jake Jackson's Bulldogs carved out the District 6-AAA conference win at the two throw line.

The Bengals banged in 22 field goals to the Bulldogs' 16, but Tahoka slipped in 27 of 48 charity tosses while the Tigers cashed in only 7 of 21.

In a nutshell, the invaders got the victory chiefly because they had more opportunities at the two throw line, a situation which has plagued the Tigers season-long. Slaton committed 31 personal fouls and lost three starters in the foul row, while Tahoka committed only 14 fouls, and lost to players.

The victory left Tahoka with a 1-1 record in district play. It was the third consecutive conference loss against no wins for the Bengals.

The Tigers had a commanding 17-13 lead at halftime, but saw it slide away in the final half under a 41-point Bulldog scoring outburst.

Lanky pivotman R. A. Thompson turned in what perhaps was his best game of the year for the Bengals. The big senior, whose iron-will to anger in previous outbursts has clearly altered his effectiveness, kept his temper in check against the Bulldogs, and banged in 9 field goals and a pair of charity tosses for 20 points to share high point honors with Tahoka's Richard Havens. Thompson rebounded superbly under both baskets.

The Box Score				
	FG	FT	PF	TP
Slaton	4	0	4	8
Wiley	3	2	4	8
Shearer	2	1	5	5
F. Wylie	9	2	4	20
Thompson	3	1	5	7
V. Wylie	0	0	4	0
Reynolds	1	1	3	3
Troutt	1	0	1	0
Smith	0	0	1	0
TOTALS	22	7	31	51

Tahoka				
	FG	FT	PF	TP
Tahoka	2	5	2	9
Brooks	6	8	2	20
Havens	0	1	0	1
Ables	5	4	3	14
Evans	1	5	2	7
Stanton	1	0	1	2
Edwards	0	2	2	2
Foster	1	2	4	4
TOTALS	16	27	14	59

Free throws missed: Slaton: Wiley 3, Shearer 3, F. Wylie 3, V. Wylie 5, Reynolds 2, Troutt 1, Brooks 2, Havens 6, Ables 1, Smith 5, Hylies, 3, Huddleson 3, Foster 2. Officials: Hedges and...

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## Local Man Accepted By Jesuit Order; Begins 15 Years Study For Priesthood

Marvin Kitten announced last week end his intention of entering a Jesuit seminary to study for the priesthood. He has completed the first step, acceptance by the Jesuit Order, and he left Tuesday for Spring Hill College at Mobile, Alabama, where he will make up prerequisites in Latin, an absolute requirement for admittance to the seminary. He will attempt to master three years of Latin in about three months under a private tutor. Then after a brief visit home he will enter the seminary at Grand Coteau, La., to begin fifteen years of study and work toward his ultimate goal of being a Jesuit priest.

Marvin, 21-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. August Kitten, says the decision was not an easy one to make; it took him three years. His final decision was followed by four months of formal application, climaxed by four interviews with Jesuit Fathers, in which he says they found out more about him than he knows about himself.

He attended grade school at St. Joseph's, graduated from Cooper High in 1948, and completed work on his B.S. in Math at Tech in Feb. of 1952. Since that time he has worked as a computer with G.S.I. and his travels during the year have taken him across the United States from east to west and north to south. It was an interesting year, he says. The city that impressed him most was San Francisco with its old open trolley cars where the passengers get out and turn the car on the turntable at the end of the run.

Asked for some idea of what his life as a Jesuit will be, Marvin gave the following brief sketch. He will spend two years in the novitiate in spiritual training. The next two years will be spent in the Juniorate in the study of liberal arts courses. This will be followed by three years in the philosophy and a course in philosophy. The next three years will be spent as a regent, teaching in a Catholic high school or college. Then he enters the theologate and studies theology for three years. The next year is spent in contemplation of dogma and preparation for an examination in the whole of philosophy and theology. He is assigned to the teriantership for his fifteenth and final year of preparation. This is a secluded spot where he spends a year of quiet and reflection.

After his novitiate he takes his preliminary vows of perpetual poverty, chastity, and obedience. After his thirteenth year of study he is ordained a priest. After the fifteenth year he will begin his life's work as a teacher, writer, foreign missionary, or in some special field. It was necessary for Marvin to keep his intention secret until he knew he would be accepted, therefore it came as a surprise to his friends. He says he could write a book on the reactions he got when he began telling friends of his plans. He is the only man from St. Joseph's parish and from this area ever to be accepted by the Jesuit Order, which requires a longer and more rigorous training period than any other order.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams flew to Denver Thursday of last week and met her nephew, John Fry, there on Friday and drove back with him. He spent last week end in Dallas, returning to Slaton Tuesday. He will visit here until about Feb. 20. As a steward with Pan American, he has made several trips to Honolulu and makes trips to Fairbanks and Juneau, Alaska.

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## Ponder Advisability Of 1953 Celebration

The advisability of staging a Frontier Day celebration here this year was discussed at considerable length Monday night at the regular monthly meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce and Board of City Development, it was reported Tuesday by Mrs. R. D. Bisbee, Chamber of Commerce secretary-manager.

The 1952 edition of Frontier Day cost in excess of \$1,000, Mrs. Bisbee explained, and BCD opinion is divided concerning the wisdom of staging a similar celebration this year because of the high costs involved, and because BCD money has been earmarked to finance a municipal swimming pool here.

Mrs. Bisbee explained that she will attempt to reach an adequate cross-section of merchants and townspeople here by telephone within the next few days to determine the town's opinion on the advisability of staging the traditional celebration this year.

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## W. G. PLINKE JOINS SLATON CLINIC STAFF

A new member of the staff at Slaton Clinic is Dr. Wesley G. Plinke, who came here this week from Lubbock's West Texas Clinic, where for the past 16 months he has been associated in the practice of medicine with Dr. Sam G. Dunn.

Dr. Plinke's association with Slaton Clinic was announced Tuesday by Dr. Glen Payne.

The newly-arrived physician is a native of Minnesota. He took his pre-medical schooling at Union College in Lincoln, Neb., Madison College in Nashville, Tenn., the University of Minnesota and University of California at Los Angeles. He completed his medical schooling and internship in 1946 at the College of Medical Evangelists, Loma Linda, California.

Prior to practicing at Lubbock, Dr. Plinke practiced for two years at Hickory, Mississippi, and for two years at Wink, Texas.

Dr. and Mrs. Plinke have two sons, W. G., Jr., 4 years old, and Robert Wayne, 7 years old.

## The Junior Class Contestants Win S.H.S. Titles

Miss Kay Ella Buxkemper was elected Miss Slaton High School and Bryan Morgan, Mr. Slaton High School in a contest sponsored by the annual staff. The winners are representatives of the Junior Class, which collected a total of \$205.10 in their behalf, in the penny-a-vote contest. Miss Buxkemper and Mr. Morgan will have full page pictures in the annual.

The purpose of the contest was to raise money to pay for the annuals. A total of \$280.22 was collected by the four classes with the Juniors winning by a large margin.

Representing the other classes were: Freshmen, Barbara McCoy and Billy Earl Caldwell; Sophomores, Pat Wells and Tommy Shearer; Seniors, Carolyn Fondy and Donald Bownds.

## Tigers Suffer Fourth Consecutive Loss

The Spur Bulldogs rolled to an impressive 65-48 win over the Slaton Tigers Tuesday night at Spur to clinch at least a tie for first place in the District 6-AAA cage race and hand the Bengals their fourth consecutive district loss.

It was an even more resounding victory than the 51-43 win the Bulldogs tacked up when they met the Tigers here on Jan. 27.

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## Liles, Eckert To Seek Re-Election; Arrants Announces

J. E. Eckert, Jr. and Wayne Liles, Slaton city commissioners for Wards Three and One, respectively, this week announced for re-election.

Max Arrants also announced his plans to run for election as Ward Two commissioner to fill the unexpired term of the late E. G. Guinn. Ward Two is northwest Slaton.

Eckert has served as city commissioner for Ward Three (northeast Slaton) for four years. Liles has been Ward One (southwest Slaton) commissioner for two years.

The city election is scheduled Tuesday, April 7. Slated for election are three commissioners and a mayor. No other candidates have filed.

## Study Land Use At Meeting Here

A discussion of proper land use and an explanation of how the Lubbock County Soil Conservation District is working with farmers toward that goal highlighted a Tuesday night soil conservation meeting at the Club House.

The gathering, which attracted an estimated 125 people, was sponsored by the vocational agriculture class of Slaton High School, the Rotary Club, and the Lions Club.

The chief speakers were Dave Sherrill, county agent for Lubbock County, and Allen King, work unit conservator for the Lubbock County SCD.

Sherrill gave a brief talk, illustrated by colored slides, emphasizing that strip cropping, cover cropping, bench leveling, use of legumes in rotation, and other good land use practices are especially important in an area subjected to the ravages of wind and water erosion, and stressed the importance of diversified agriculture in this area.

King explained in detail the soil conservation district program and pointed out that technical conservation assistance is available to the landowner either for a coordinated land use program for his entire farm or ranch, or for one or more permanent conservation practices for which he is seeking payment through PMA.

Among the guests introduced by master of ceremonies Robert Hall Davis were A. C. Strickland, Sr., vocational agriculture teacher at S.H.S.; Joe Walker, Sr., Slaton, representative on the Lubbock County SCD board of supervisors, and Mrs. Alton Strickland, LCSCD secretary.

Pre-meeting music was provided by John Gilbert's high school swing band. Band members are Bill Butler, Carl Magouirk, Jimmy Stewart and Harold Moore. Dorothy Turner rendered several vocal selections. Refreshments were served by members of the S.H.S. home economics classes.

Present Rotary officers are Howard Swanner, president; Berkley, vice-president; Maxey, secretary-treasurer, and Self, song leader.

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The American Legion sponsored Box Supper scheduled for Friday night, Feb. 13, has been indefinitely postponed.

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Close Play Features  
City Cage Contests

Scores in independent cage league play this week included:

Monday: Geer & Baxley over Williams Funeral Home, 41-33; Roosevelt over Santa Fe, 41-40.

Tuesday: Geer & Baxley over Southland, 32-22; Williams Funeral Home over Wilson, 32-31.

League standings: Roosevelt 13-1; Geer & Baxley 8-6; Williams Funeral Home 7-7; Southland 6-8; Santa Fe 4-10, Wilson 4-10.

Upcoming games:

Monday, Feb. 16: Santa Fe vs. Southland, 7:30 p.m. Williams Funeral Home vs. Roosevelt, 8:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 17: Geer & Baxley vs. Wilson, 7:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Owens of Lubbock visited Mrs. Owens' mother, Mrs. Nora Harper, and a sister, Mrs. C. A. Wells and family Thursday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Haddock and family went to Abilene to visit Mrs. Haddock's father, R. D. Favor, and her brothers.

C. C. Cox and Cliff Cox were in Wichita Falls over the week end buying spring merchandise.

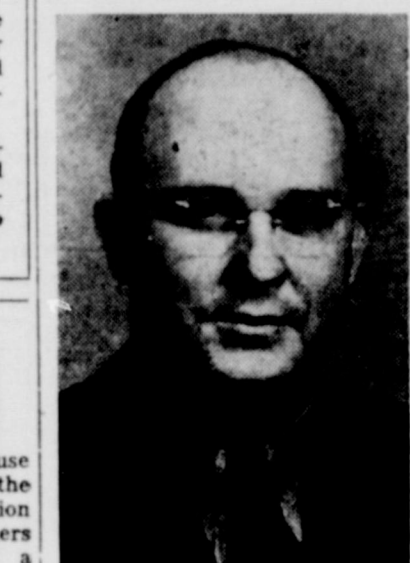
Mr. H. H. Tompkins of Cisco, visited in the home of his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Tompkins, last Monday night.

Reed and Barton Sterling. Slaton Gift Shop.

## LAUNCH CONSTRUCTION OF SWIMMING POOL; PROMISE COMPLETION NO LATER THAN MAY 1

## Plans Move At Full Clip For Annual Stock Show Scheduled Here March 7

## NAME BERKLEY ROTARY PREXY



JOHN BERKLEY

A cigar-puffing groceryman, John Berkley, Thursday noon was slated to be named new president of the Slaton Rotary Club.

Only about an hour after the Slatonite went to press Thursday, Rotarians were scheduled to ballot on a complete slate of new officers, but club officials explained that the election of Berkley is merely a formality, in that the club's policy is to elevate its vice-president to president at election time.

Berkley has served the Rotarians as vice-president since mid-1952.

The new officers are scheduled to take office on July 1.

Nominations for other Rotary offices include Lewis Hollingsworth and J. J. Maxey, vice-president; Dub Williams and M. G. Davis, secretary-treasurer; Clark Self, song leader; Flora Mae Williams, pianist, and Dr. E. S. Timmins, Roy Sutton, Claude Cravens and Don Britt, directors. Two new directors were to be named from the four nominees.

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Plans are moving ahead at a good clip for the forthcoming Lubbock County Stock Show. The annual event, scheduled here Saturday, March 7, probably will draw more than 1,500 spectators and participants, if last year's highly successful show can be used as a basis for judgment.

The show is expected to attract more than 200 show animals. They'll be shown by FFA and 4-H boys from all parts of Lubbock County and from Wilson School.

Show premiums total more than \$700 in cash and bonds. And of course there's the mirth-provoking calf scramble, which has highlighted previous stock shows here.

The 1953 edition will be the twelfth annual stock show performance here.

Classes of competition this year will include light and heavy Duroc Jersey gilts; light and heavy Poland and China gilts; light and heavy other breed gilts; light and heavy Hampshire fat hogs; light and heavy Duroc Jersey fat hogs; light and heavy Poland China fat hogs.

Other breeds light and heavy fat hogs; fine and medium wool lambs; crossed bred lambs; mutton lambs; lightweight and heavy-weight calves.

Light and heavy Spotted Poland China hogs this year will show with other breed fat hogs instead of in separate classes as last year.

In addition to the cash prizes, \$25 U. S. savings bonds will be awarded the youth who shows the grand champion beef animal, grand champion fat hog, grand champion female swine, best group of three fat hogs, best group of three fat lambs, and best scramble calf (from 1952). A \$25 bond also will be awarded for best showmanship in 4-H Club and for best showmanship in F.F.A. Club.

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Chamber of all Dallas sponsors about half the nation's 54,250 Boy Scout Troops, Cub Packs and Explorer Units.

50,000 Scouts and leaders will attend the Third National Jamboree in July 1952 on Irvine Ranch in Southern California.

Coffee beans do not grow in pods but look like cherries when picked.

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## Highlights and Sidelights FROM THE State CAPITOL

BY VEEN SANFORD  
Texas Press Association

AGENTS, Tex.—Maybe you don't realize it, but as a taxpayer you have 40,000 employees.

These people are state workers, and it looks like you are going to increase their salaries. All depends on the legislature.

A bill to take the pay of state workers has been introduced by the Austin delegation: Representative (Olin Jones, Pearce Johnson and T. L. Searight, Jr., and Senator Johnnie B. Rogers.

If it passes, the measure will give "temporary emergency" wage boosts of 15 per cent on all state salaries up to \$3,000 per year and 10 per cent on the first \$1,500 of higher salaries.

Robert E. Baldwin, Shreveport budget director, proposed a job by job, cost-of-living increase, at an equalized basis.

In his opening message to the legislature, Governor Shivers said that an increase in workers' pay be included in the budget bill, but that can not become effective until September 1 when the fiscal year begins. Hence the emergency legislation.

A number of bills going into the hopper for legislative consideration are familiar—they had been introduced at previous sessions.

One of these is the so-called fair-trade bill. This time its author is Representative Lamar Zwoy of Temple. The measure would prohibit advertising or selling of goods below cost.

Proponents of this bill argue that it would prevent a big merchant's running a little one out of business by ruthless sales. Opponents contend that the public benefits when such sales permit purchases at bargain prices. This is one bill that will affect the women, who do about 80 per cent of the buying nowadays.

Also familiar was a bill to legalize race track betting in Texas. The author of this one, Representative Ed Sheridan of San Antonio, declared it would raise many millions of dollars in tax revenue.

More money will be needed for a variety of items, some of which were listed above. Also, funds will be required to give increased pay to members of the legislature themselves, if a bill introduced by Representative Charles Murphy of Houston is successful.

Murphy's bill would give the lawmakers \$25 per day during the first 120 days of the legislative session and \$5 per day thereafter. The session now receives \$10 per day for the first 120 days and \$5 per day thereafter.

No sooner is one set of state officials inaugurated than the political forecasters in Austin begin speculating about who is going to run in the next election.

Last week some of the experts thought they saw in Lieutenant Governor Ben Ramsey's speech indications that he will be a candidate for governor next time.

There has also been speculation that Attorney General John Ben Shepperd might seek the chief executive's place. Another mentioned as a likely candidate is Land Commissioner Bascom Giles.

Those three, or any two of them, would make it a break race.

Ramsey, by the way, set a record when he received 2,061,709 votes for the office he now holds. That's more votes than any Texas candidate received before—for any office.

There is a surplus in the Confederate pension fund of \$4 million, and the amount is growing every year. There are now only two Confederate veterans left in Texas: Thomas Riddle, 106, who lives at the Confederate home here; and Walter W. Williams, 110, who lives on a farm near Franklin. The state also contributes to the support of 525 widows of Confederate veterans.

The legislature can, if it so desires, free the surplus in the Confederate pension fund for other use.

Another way to get more money for the state would be to put a tax on natural gas compressors, says Representative Dolph Briscoe of Uvalde.

So, he introduced a bill to levy that kind of a tax, which he feels will bring in \$60 million per year. Briscoe's proposition is to assess \$50 per year for each horsepower of capacity of each compressor used to move natural gas in pipelines. The great bulk of the tax would be paid by people outside of Texas who use Texas gas, the bill's author said.

Revenue would be doled out this way: \$24 million a year for highway construction; \$15 million

per year for public schools; \$10 million per year for city streets; and \$6 million per year for building dams in the water conservation program.

Representative Shelby Banks of San Antonio has introduced a bill to regulate optometry. It would prevent those who sell glasses from advertising their services, capabilities or prices and keep any dealer or firm from violating the eye law.

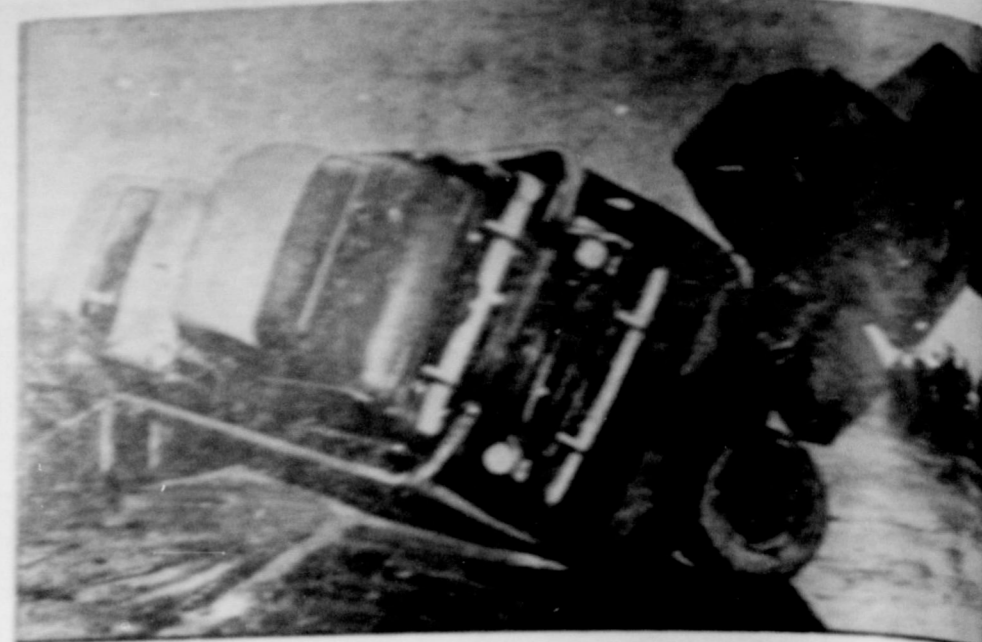
Optometrists who believe it is forming the public are opposing this bill.

SHORT SHORTS—A bill calling for the holding of a presidential primary such as is done in Texas and other states is now in consideration among the "big bills" pending in order to raise the pay of each elected leader \$200 a year.



NON-REGULATION RATION—While not required as Standard Operating Procedure, Airman First Class Charles T. Pinman helps a guy with his bottle while "Mom" clears customs at Orly Field, Paris.

"Mom" is Mrs. Felix Harmuth, member of a group air-lifted to France recently from the U. S.



UNBROKEN BUCKING TRUCK—Bucking like a bronco, front wheels turning in the air, the steel trailer-truck is tilting dangerously after standing on its wheels near Detroit. The uprighing the jack-lifted vehicle and the unscathed driver rode off with every car wheel.

### Raider Cagers Face Busy Slate

LEWISVILLE—Texas Tech's Red Raiders play their first intercollegiate Border Conference basketball game Friday night, meeting New Mexico A&M at Las Cruces after making the defending champions. Tech engages Texas Western at El Paso Saturday night. The game two opponents return the steel almost immediately, the Raiders playing here Feb. 16 and the Aggies coming to Lubbock on Feb. 17.

If the Raiders can overcome the "away-from-home jinx" that usually is too much for traveling teams in the Border Conference, they can take over first place in the race.

As the week started the Raiders—down from a 79-68 victory over West Texas State, co-champ last year with New Mexico A&M—were in third place with a 3-1 mark. Ahead of the Raiders were University of Arizona (5-1) and Marlin-Simmons (4-1).

Tech's victory—the first win for a collegiate visitor to West Texas State's field house, opened in 1951—sent the Buffaloes down to fourth, with a 3-2 record. It was a hard-fought affair, Tech leading at the half only 40-39.

But guest Paul Nolan, held out for most of the first half because of a broken nose, re-adjusted his plastic mask and ended up the night with 20 points in less than 21 minutes to pace the Raiders.

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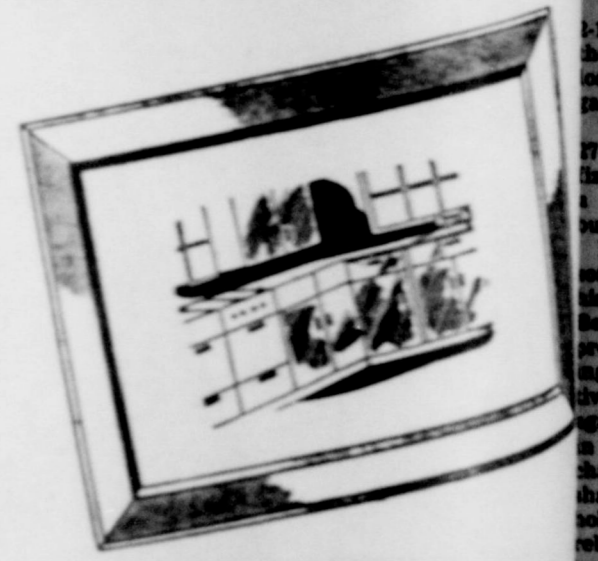
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## Wilson Student Is Winner In Cotton Production In '52

Don White, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. White, Tahoka, Route 1, is one of the six 4-H cotton producers in the state to be awarded an Anderson, Clayton Cotton Scholarship for outstanding production in 1952. The list of winners was released by Floyd Lynch, state 4-H club leader.

Each winner will receive a \$200 scholarship provided he studies agriculture in college. The awards are furnished, as has been the case for many years, by the Anderson, Clayton Company of Houston. The 4-H cotton program is supervised in the counties by the county agricultural agent or assistant under the sponsorship of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Don is a member of the Lynn County-Wide 4-H Club and attends Wilson High School. He has completed five years of 4-H work and besides cotton has conducted demonstrations involving beef cattle, swine, tractor maintenance and leadership. He is a Gold Star boy and has won county awards in each of the demonstrations conducted. He has been a member of the county entomology team for the past two years; reporter, secretary and president of his local club and an active participant in all 4-H affairs. The entomology team placed second in the state contest in 1952.

In commenting on his cotton demonstration Don says, "I chose five acres of land near our irrigation well and immediately chiseled the land and then listed it. A pre-planting irrigation was the next job done and the five acres were thoroughly soaked. I planted on May 20. Knives and rotary hoes were used to get the early weeds and after the first cultivation, more water was applied. "I cultivated the cotton twice more and after each plowing, hoeed and irrigated it. I gathered 4,750 pounds of lint from the five acres for an average of 950 pounds an acre."

Don plans another cotton crop for 1953 and for the future, he'd like to be a stock farmer. Mr. B. L. Hatchel is local adult leader for the County-Wide 4-H Club and Lynn County Agricultural Agent W. B. Griffin has supervised all of Don's 4-H work.

"Other than my profits, I have

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learned much and have enjoyed my 4-H work. I plan to continue my crop and livestock demonstrations as the basis of my future stock farming operations."



## JUST TALK

by A.M.J.

There are a lot of fine folks out at the Mercy Hospital and after they had occasion to put me there for several days last week, I felt like I was leaving a mighty nice place. At the present time I do not know what laid me low, but whatever it was took all my pep, most of my spare money and all my ambition.

It seems to me that the doctors have about quit giving pills and are giving everything by hypodermic needles. One nurse came into my room with a hypodermic outfit in each hand and jabbed me in one arm and in my hip before I had time to put up any argument.

They give you such good attention out at Mercy Hospital, and I've been told that they have as good equipment as they do in any of the bigger hospitals over the country. While I got to use only a few of the new things they have to look into your liver, lights and esophagus, they did work on me with some of them. It is suspicious that I am, or was, suffering from acute infection of the pancreas; to me it seems like belly ache.

Having been one of those who dug up a small amount of money to have a play ground established out near the Slaton Club House several years ago, I was at the time very much pleased to see that it was one undertaking that the Rotary members pushed through. And I noticed that a lot of children enjoyed the slides and merry-go-round and I think it is a shame that this recreation center has been allowed to go to wreck and ruin.

The idea of establishing the play ground was a good one, and if I am any judge of costs on repairing such things it does not seem to me that it would be very expensive to put the play ground back into usable condition. In its present state, I am sure it is a risky place for children to play.

The play ground turned out just about like a number of things have in Slaton since we have lived here. Groups of people have worked together to supply the town with three softball fields, a ball

## Announce Dates For Jr. Fat Stock Show

LUBBOCK — The 1953 South Plains Junior Fat Stock Show will be held here March 16, 17 and 18. Bill Tinney, general chairman of this year's show, has announced.

The general superintendent for the show will be Dave Sherrill, Lubbock County Agent. L. M. Hargrave, of the Agricultural Education Department at Texas Tech, will be the assistant general superintendent.

Again this year the show will include the Fat Steer, Fat Barrow and Fat Lamb Division. Only boys, between the ages of 9 and 20 inclusive, who are members of 4-H Clubs or FFA chapters, are eligible to enter animals.

W. B. Griffin, Tahoka, Lynn County Agent, will be superintendent of the Steer Division, and Ollie Limer, Plainview, Hale County Agent, will have charge of the Barrow Division. Other superintendents, assistants and judges will be announced later.

Officials for this 20th annual show have announced that the catalogues will be sent to all vocational agricultural teachers, county agents and other agriculture leaders within a few days.

The show will be held at the Panhandle South Plains Fair Grounds under the sponsorship of the Panhandle South Plains Fair Association, Lubbock Chamber of Commerce and Lubbock Board of City Development.

park and a building for a recreation center. Thousands of dollars have been sunk into getting equipment for such things and none of them are in operation now. Every object was a worthy one and most of the folks in Slaton gave to these causes but in the end the town is worse off with a lot of delapidated things on its hands than it would if such enterprises were never started. Look at the ball park, the building that was brought here for the recreation center and at the play ground. They are sorry sights.

While I was in the hospital Howard Hoffman came along and we swapped symptoms and it seems that he has just about as many pills and capsules as anyone else. He offered me some in exchange for the ones I was taking. He carried bottles of pills and capsules as ballast. Had some to take if the appetite got too good and some others to take if he got to feeling too good, some to build him up, others to slow him down. Seemed to be willing to swap for most anything.

## Invite Local Buyers To Hub City Show

Buyers from Slaton have been invited to attend the annual Spring Show of the Western Wholesale Market Association which will be held in Lubbock Feb. 21-23.

More than 75 exhibitors will have displays of summer and early fall apparel at the various

rooms in the Hotel Lubbock and Caprock Hotel. These manufacturers, wholesalers and jobbers from several states show their products in Lubbock regularly, enabling the buyers of West Texas and Eastern New Mexico to replenish their stocks without having to travel hundreds of miles.

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## What About The Intangibles? . . .

Why is it that when we count our blessings we al-  
most always count only our dollars?

Is it because we are a materialistic people? We hardly  
think so. Or is it because counting the number of gallons of milk  
a cow produces is more readily understood than the spiritual  
gains made by our citizens? This probably is the answer.

But whatever the reason, we are surprised with statis-  
tics this time of year. We learn that Stanislaus County has 137,-  
000 souls; that snowfall of so many inches in the Sierras means  
so many more acre feet of water next year; that 1,500 people a  
day are coming to California to live; that four million people of  
this state are on payrolls, and that California's population is now  
nearly 12 millions.

Those are important and sometimes interesting fig-  
ures. But they are only relative, either to our own past, or to what we  
may expect in material gains next year . . .

What we would like to see . . . is some measure of the spiri-  
tual and moral and mental progress of our people.

For inevitably, as our material wealth increases, we  
have or should have more time to devote to the intangibles of  
life. Do we have more freedom as individuals than before? Do  
we have a better taste for music and the arts? Have our people  
learned that hard work, either mental or physical, is one of the  
greatest character-building forces of mankind? Do they appreciate  
and encourage a feeling of earning one's way through life, and  
the self-reliance and inner strength which comes from such ac-  
complishments? Have we enlarged our rich traditions of neigh-  
borliness and friendship? Have we as a people responded as we  
should to the bloodbank in order to save lives of our men in  
Korea? Are we resting on our laurels since the revealing gains  
made in our community spirit when the War Memorial was dedi-  
cated a little over a year ago?

These are the things that make life rich and full. They  
are hard to measure. They don't depend upon material gains, but  
material things help though they depend and probably are  
secondary.

Perhaps there's both a reason and a distinction as to  
why we are inclined to list dollars instead of intangibles each  
New Year. It's easier, in the first place. And secondly, our moral  
and spiritual attainments are individual matters. Each person has  
to make his own accounting.

This making of our own accountings, and some esti-  
mate of our inner urge to greater spiritual salvation, are the real  
values we should assess each New Year. — Turlock (Calif.) Jour-  
nal.

## IGHAT! . . .

A new organization has sprung up in the grassroots  
of the Midwest and we hope it will sweep the country. It is called  
IGHAT. The name is derived from the initials of the battle  
cry: I'm Gonna Holler About Taxes.

According to the Wall Street Journal, to which we are  
indebted for this lively news, IGHAT will get into high gear a-  
long about March in a campaign to show how high taxes really  
are, and to get Congress to stir itself into action.

The IGHAT campaign is headed by John Stuart, chair-  
man of the Quaker Oats Company, and already has enlisted Sears,  
Roebuck & Co. and International Harvester. Here are some facts  
on hidden taxes the Quaker Oats people have come up with:

We pay 150 hidden taxes on a loaf of bread, 206 on a  
new car, 150 on a woman's hat, 116 on a man's suit, and about  
100 on an egg. We don't advise you to think of this the next time  
you have an egg. Bad for the digestion.

On a new \$10,000 house, 600 hidden taxes eat up a-  
bout \$2000, and on a gallon of gas taxes cost more than the gas  
itself.

Want to be an IGHAT? There are no hidden initia-  
tion fees, no hidden dues. The only requirement is willingness  
to holler.—Los Angeles Examiner.

## Children And Books . . .

An elderly scholar and professor at the University of  
Texas once counseled his students to read good books when  
young, or otherwise they would not find time to explore the rich  
storehouse of literature, history and biography.

It should be added that reading habits and taste for  
good books are acquired in early life, if at all. Today books of  
merit face unusual competition from television, automobiles,  
comic books and other distractions. There is probably a place for  
all these innovations in the lives of the young, but the person  
lacking the capacity to enjoy great literature misses much in life.

Development of a taste for good books is a responsi-  
bility of parents, schools, libraries and other agencies committed  
to education. Through discriminating reading, the individual has  
access to the wisdom of the past as guidance for the future. He  
has the means for self-education as a lifelong process. He acquires  
the capacity for thinking for himself rather than accepting pre-  
digested data which often may be propaganda. The child not trained  
to read good books is cheated by those responsible for his  
rearing. — Christian Science Monitor.

## Farm Machinery Replacements . . .

A large percentage of those who buy automobiles and  
farm machinery make down payments with their old machines and  
sign notes for the balance. A small percentage of buyers, however,  
plan ahead and are able to pay cash.

A businessman we know, from long experience is able  
to estimate how long his car will last before repairs become too  
burdensome. On this basis, he figures the annual and monthly  
deterioration and the probable trade-in value of his car. He then  
deposits in a separate fund an adequate amount to cover this.  
In due course of time, he has saved enough to pay for a new car.

The Treasury Department suggests to farmers that  
they buy defense bonds each year to cover the deterioration of  
their tractors and other equipment. Instead of paying interest,  
the buyer of defense bonds will receive interest. Figuring the  
life of a tractor to be nine or ten years, the purchase of \$225 in  
defense bonds annually will amount to enough to buy a new tractor,  
with some left over. This is a reasonable and sensible sug-  
gestion. — Farm and Ranch.

## We're Siding With Sadler . . .

Most publicity releases which reach the mailbox of a  
newspaper usually make no longer trip there than the dis-  
tance from the mailbox to the wastebasket. Most of them are  
thinly disguised attempts at free advertising veiled as news, and  
they account for a tremendous waste of paper, which doesn't  
come cheaply anymore.

But a publicity release which reached this newspaper's  
mailbox the other day caught our eye. It was from Texas Christ-  
ian University, and quoted excerpts from a recent speech by that  
school's widely-known president, Dr. M. E. Sadler.

Sadler, speaking at Los Angeles before the 39th con-  
vention of the Association of American Colleges, spoke in plain  
facts about a subject this newspaper believes more of us would  
do well to consider.

"If the fires of religion burn out, the heart of democ-  
racy will cease to beat, and the fires of religion will burn out  
unless we keep them alive in and through our education," Dr.  
Sadler warned. "The very heart of education," he emphasized,  
"must be the education of the heart."

The TCU president mentioned governmental domina-  
tion as another crucial issue in higher education. He showed how  
church-related schools were once in the majority, but now are  
hard-pressed, along with other privately-supported colleges and  
universities, because of federal and state aid and control.

"Only the most favored non-government colleges and  
universities have much chance of survival," President Sadler de-  
clared, and urged that a constructive balance between voluntarily-  
supported and tax-supported institutions be maintained. "This  
balance should be maintained, not only for the sake of the na-  
tion, but also in the interest of the most creative and construc-  
tive system of education."

"The surest road toward absolute dictatorship and re-  
gimentation is by way of complete control in education," he re-  
minded.

Amen, Doctor.

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and Pickles, Crackling Corn-  
bread, Bonbury, Tart, Butter-  
milk.

### SUPPER

Salmon Loaf, Cabbage Slaw,  
Baked Potato, Hot Biscuit, But-  
ter or Margarine, Boiled Custard,  
Hot Tea.

## Slaton Girl Achieves Three-Point Average

Barbara Jochetz, McMurry Col-  
lege student from Slaton is in-  
cluded on the list of 49 named  
to the scholastic honor roll for  
the fall term.

Miss Jochetz was one of the  
top 13 who had a 3.00 or "A"  
grade average.

Only those students with an  
average from 2.5 to 3.00 are list-  
ed on the honor roll. Twelve fresh-  
men were included on the roll,  
nine sophomores, ten juniors and  
18 seniors.

Miss Jochetz, a sophomore, is  
the daughter of Mr. and Mrs.  
Walter A. Jochetz of Slaton.

Think act and practice safe  
living each day. "I didn't see; I didn't  
know or I didn't think" are cited  
as principal causes of farm acci-  
dents.

The fourth annual Longhorn Re-  
creation Laboratory will be held  
at the Christian Youth Foundation  
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# SLATON PHARMACY

## DO YOU REMEMBER?

### ONE YEAR AGO IN SLATON

Taken From February 15, 1952

More street lights are in the  
offing for the west and south  
sections of Slaton, Mayor Lee  
Wootton announced this week.  
Detailed plans as to how many lights  
will be installed, will be worked  
out soon, according to Wootton.

P. G. Meading, acting postmas-  
ter, assumed his new duties here  
Tuesday.

Superintendent of the Slaton  
Schools, Lee Vardy, reported this  
week that the Athletic Coach of  
the Slaton Schools, Tony Poulos,  
has turned in his resignation to  
take effect at the end of the  
present school term in May.

Miss Opal Hamilton and Mr.  
Monroe Hinson exchanged mar-  
riage vows Thursday, February 7,  
at the First Baptist Church, Clovis,  
New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Spradley,  
3602 Paris Avenue, Lubbock, Tex-  
as announce the marriage of their  
daughter, Dorothy Eudene, to  
Thomas W. Smith, son of Mr. and  
Mrs. R. L. Smith.

### FIVE YEARS AGO IN SLATON

Taken from February 13, 1948

There were 13 permits for new  
homes issued by the City Secre-  
tary during the month of Janu-  
ary to be built in Slaton for a  
total amount of 33,725.00 and one

permit to move a house was given  
according to J. J. Maxey.  
Slaton's sewer system, which  
is about 22 years old and was de-  
signed for a much smaller town,  
has never been cleaned out until  
recently has been giving a great  
deal of trouble, according to the  
City Secretary. On January 13th  
the City received about \$900 worth  
of Power Sewer Cleaning equip-  
ment, which was immediately put  
into use.

On Sunday afternoon about 1:30  
the David Biggs Machine Shop  
on South 9th St., was badly dam-  
aged by fire following the explo-  
sion of a gasoline tank which had  
been removed from a truck and  
placed in a corner of the build-  
ing. The Slaton fire department  
responded quickly and extingui-  
shed the blaze, but property damage  
was reported as considerable and  
no insurance was carried.

A Martha Washington Tea ho-  
noring Gold Star Mothers is to  
be given at the Slaton Club House  
on Wednesday afternoon, Febru-  
ary 18, at 3 o'clock. The ladies  
of the American Legion Auxiliary  
Luther Powers Post No. 438, will  
be hostesses for the event.

In a double ring, candlelight  
ceremony on Saturday, February  
7, Miss Rachel Gebert of near  
Posey, became the bride of Jimmy  
Martin of Lubbock. The marriage  
was solemnized in the Emmanuel  
Lutheran Church, with Rev. C. F.  
Schulte officiating.

### TEN YEARS AGO IN SLATON

Taken From February 12, 1943

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Luman have  
received a Purple Heart Decora-

tion from the War Department,  
in honor of their son, Aaron W.  
Luman, who showed Bravery in  
Action and was killed in defense  
of his county on November 8th.  
The Slaton Police, the Santa  
Fe Watchman and most of the  
women of Slaton are looking for  
the meaneast thief on the South  
Plains, the one who broke in the  
back window at the U.S.O. rooms  
in the former Harvey House build-  
ing and took about \$12.00 in silver,  
5 cartons of cigarettes, some  
stamps and 5 cartons of candy.

In the collision between a  
switch engine and a freight train  
last Monday morning about one  
mile north of Slaton the caboose  
of the freight train and one box  
car were burned, two box cars  
almost demolished and turned over  
and the switch engine turned over  
and torn loose from the tender.

The marriage of Miss Juanita  
Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.  
R. T. Williams of 2014 Ninth St.,  
Lubbock, and LL. William M. O'-  
Brien, son of Mrs. Alice M. O'-  
Brien, Gilmer, took place Sunday  
at 3:00 o'clock in the First Metho-  
dist Church with Rev. H. C. Gordon  
officiating.

A historic marker will be un-  
veiled at the site of the first de-  
monstration farm—Walter C. Por-  
ter farm near Terrell—on Feb. 26.  
This is the "kick-off" meeting in  
the year-long observance of the  
50th anniversary of the establish-  
ment of farm demonstration work  
(County Agent system).

Early New England houses were  
built of thick sawn planks, not  
logs.

## Tech Student Un- Bdg. To Open Soon

Opening date for Tech's  
half-million dollar Student  
Building has been tentatively  
set for March 10, Dean James  
Len has announced.

The ultra modern build-  
ing, located south of Tech's Ad-  
mission Building, was financed  
campus' with profits from  
Bookstore, candy and other  
concessions, the International  
Association.

From the outside, the  
Union Building matches the  
ish Renaissance architecture  
the other campus buildings.  
The interior has a very  
design. Facilities in the  
ture include a student  
snack bar, game room, lounge,  
information and meeting  
rooms, seven student organ-  
izing rooms, large ball-  
rooms, and offices.

George Washington's  
of arms suggested the  
the U. S. flag.

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## What's after "Once-upon-a-time"?

• There'll come a time when fairy  
tales aren't real. Her doll won't be  
her playmate any more . . .  
Her first day of school, first date,  
first prom—they'll live only in her  
memory book.  
Before you know it, she'll grow  
up—daughter still in your home, but  
mistress in her own.  
Will she have found the faith to  
meet the grown-up problems of her  
life? The courage and the inner  
strength to match the trials matu-  
rity will bring? Will she have  
sincerity of spirit to convey to chil-  
dren of her own?  
Faith is the heritage it is your  
privilege to bestow.

Show them the way... this week

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The early Puritans celebrated only one holiday, Thanksgiving. The rolling section of a roll-top desk is called the tambour. The model T Ford was superseded by the Model A in 1927. A "key," geographically speaking, is a low island or a reef.

# THIS and THAT FROM HERE and THERE

**Talk In Print—**  
We overheard this much of a conversation Saturday while walking by the post office: "He gave 12 setting hens for that burro," R. R. Richardson was telling J. B. Upchurch. It's none of our business, but we'd like to know who gave who a dozen hens for a donkey.  
—Abernathy Weekly Review

**Trends—**  
A barbed wire fence raised by a homesteader on the prairie in the early days could not have raised more hue and cry than a short strip of barbed wire erected recently by Dr. O. W. English on his ranch in Blanco canyon. You see, the fence closed off to the public a short strip of White River and a big grove of cottonwood trees that has been a public park since 1925.  
Dr. English apparently has every legal right to put up that fence, even though he must have made some kind of oral promise 17 years ago to leave it open. But he would have had to figure a long time to think up a better "slap in the face" for his Crosby county friends.  
—The Crosbyton Review

**Getting Out-On The Limb—**  
Someone down here at the office the other day asked Wendell Huddleston, our cub reporter, how to punctuate this sentence:  
"Mary went swimming and lost her bathing suit."  
"I'd make a dash after Mary," was the unerring reply.  
—The Post Dispatch

**Edlines—**  
an era has passed . . . IN MORTON. An era that probably won't be bemoaned, though it was interesting while it lasted. After upping their average attendance to well over 80 per cent per meeting, the Morton Jaycees have discontinued their plan of issuing a donkey to absent members as a stimulus to attendance.  
—The Morton Tribune

**Ramlin' Round Town—**  
In this day of organized drives, meetings and circulating petitions the following was passed this way after making the rounds. It might speak for itself.  
Honorable Draft Board Lamesa, Texas  
We, the undersigned humbly beg that you give an ear to this plea.

We furthermore submit, as personal delegates from this community, the following men who are rendering no service to our town at all, and in fact it would be better if they were drafted: Allison Gainey, Harry Smith and Ray Anedson — also, as long as you need manpower badly — perhaps you could find a place for Rattlesnake Riley Reddell.  
The above epistle is signed by 14 public-spirited citizens.  
—The Seminole Sentinel

**Views And Comment—**  
Drug addiction is a disease, and a deadly one. Those who go thru the hell of it can tell you better than anybody that the first shot to keep going or the first because it is smart and funny should not be taken.  
—The Floyd County Hesperian

**Thoughts For Thursday—**  
Every wise person must have some plan of saving. Every person should lay up part of his income for a rainy day. Perhaps he selects an appropriate insurance policy. Perhaps he buys bonds or makes some other wise investment. But there is a danger of placing too great an emphasis on saving. It's possible to come to the end of life with nothing left except a bank account. Such a person has lived in vain.  
—The Tullia Herald

**Wit And Wisdom—**  
A new expression now has been added to our family's private lingo. The other day the Missus overheard our seven-year-old daughter tell our five-year-old son: "Pat, do you know, I am a lass and do you know what you are?" No answer. "You're a lack."  
—The Ruidoso News

**Ramlin' With Royce—**  
Heard a painter arguing the point that paint preserves. Said he:  
"Paint must be a good preservative . . . just look how much longer women live than men."  
—The Olton Enterprise

**Popvalve—**  
Our dad brought this one back from the ranch the other day:  
A poor Kimble County rancher died leaving three sons and 17 sheep. His will divided the sheep one-half to the eldest son, one-third to the second son and one-



"I've been skating all day, and believe me it's good to sit down for a change—on a chair."

Truck drivers have a sense of humor. Did you ever notice the little signs on the back of some of the trucks. One I saw the other day in New Jersey read: "This truck stops for brunettes and blondes and will back up fifty feet for a redhead."

Archie Bleyer and the boys in the band gave me a present of one of those Tattersal vests. It's purple and yellow with pink stripes. I can't wear that—it's the wrong size.

I remember when I did my first TV show, way back in 1948. B.C. . . before chlorophyll.

I've been pretty lucky with this skating business. Two years on skates without falling down. Tonight there will be 16,000 people at the Madison Square Garden skating festival waiting to see me fall down—and break my—record.

**HEARD ON "TALENT SCOUTS" CBS AND CBS-TV MONDAY NIGHTS**

ninth to the younger. When his neighbor, who was named administrator of the will, drove by to settle the estate, he was on his way to the auction ring with some of his own sheep in his pick-up. Since 17 was not divisible in live animals by a two, three or nine, he thought he would do his friend's boys a favor and put one of his with the 17.

Then he gave the oldest son half or nine; the second son one-third or six; and the youngest son one-ninth or two—but he found that only added up to 17 sheep, so he put his own sheep back in the pick-up and went his way rejoicing.  
—The Hamlin Herald

**Trail Dust—**  
Silence is the essence of might. Except for the tempering of the wind, a tree grows great and strong without sound.  
—Matador Tribune

The four precious stones are the diamond, emerald, sapphire and ruby. Fifty nations have Boy Scout-ing with a total of 5,160,157 mem-bers. The Constitution requires that the census be taken every ten years.

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**Union News**

MRS. M. D. GAMBLE

Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Clinton of Lubbock visited in the home of Mrs. Annie Peterson one day last week. Also visiting in the Peterson home were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hazel of Idalou and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson and children of Ralls. Mrs. Peterson went home with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson to spend the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cade moved last week to the Hale Center community.

Mr. L. L. Greene is having another irrigation well dug.

Marvin Kitten, who has been working at Woodland, Calif., as a computer with G.S.I., spent the week end with his parents and other relatives on his way to Alabama to attend college. Mr. and Mrs. August Kitten left with him Tuesday for Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Erik Eklund and children and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gill and children attended the birthday dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cummins at Lubbock for Mrs. Joe Sooter of Amarillo.

Misses Donna and Dinah Cade of Abilene spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M.

Cade and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Lemon took them back to Abilene Sunday.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Greene over the week end was her brother, Earnest Ward of Clovis and a nephew, Roy Dale Barber of Portales, N. M.

Monday night was ladies night at the Civic Club at the School house. Those who attended report a nice time.

Mrs. Dick Cade and infant baby returned home last week from the West Texas Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Edsel Hull and children of Ropesville visited one day last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Patterson.

Deborah and Cindy Cade stayed with their grandparents while their mother was in the hospital.

In a double ring ceremony read in Clovis, N. M., recently, Miss Siddle Peterson and Joseph Edward Eastridge exchanged marriage vows. Miss Peterson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Peterson of Union. Mrs. Ida Eastridge of Parker, N. C., is the bridegroom's mother.

The bride wore a white acrilon dress trimmed in rhinestones and navy accessories. Miss Dorothy Hindman was maid of honor and Walter Johnson served as the best man. The bride is a graduate of

**Local Musicians To Appear Sunday At Hair Styling Show**

Mrs. R. A. Thompson will provide piano music and the Slaton Quartet will offer several vocal selections at the "Hair and Hat Preview" to be held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the ballroom of Lubbock's Caprock Hotel.

Members of the Slaton Quartet are Dorsey Conroy, Bill Baker, Bill Mosley and Luther Radd. The "Hair and Hat Preview" is sponsored by the Texas Association of Accredited Beauty Culturists. The preview is a preliminary hair styling contest at which a winner will be chosen to participate in the Lone Star final contest to be held at Dallas March 8-10.

Cooper High School and is employed with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. The bridegroom is stationed at Foster Air Force Base in Victoria, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cade are in Fort Worth attending the Fat Stock Show.

Dwayne and Dennis Eklund attended a birthday party Saturday afternoon for Arlon Eklund at Lubbock.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cade Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Robertson, Loveland, Mr. and Mrs. Max Robertson, Lorenza, Mr. and Mrs. Howard White, Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jones, Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith of Slaton.

Donald Jones and Don Patterson visited Shirlee Greene Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Meyers and Mrs. W. D. Meyers visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson in the Ralls community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erik Eklund, Dennis and Dwayne, visited at Lubbock Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Eklund.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cade visited Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Cade at Taboka Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Annie Peterson spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson in the Ralls community.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Meyers visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Peterson in the Muleshoe community last week.

The W.S.C.S. met in the home of Mrs. Ottis Rogers at Lubbock Monday for an all day meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Rubart Martin of Brownfield visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Otho Doyle.

Heleen Keller lost her sight, hearing and speech at the age of 19 months.

**SHORT GRASS**

by gpt

About two months ago all of us men were complaining, business-wise, about having too much to do. Now we're waiting about not having enough to do. We're in a scarcely more stable boat than the womenfolk, bless their hearts, who whittle themselves down to or build themselves up to, are never satisfied with their size.

Like any other sports fan, I cannot be wholly satisfied with the oft-advanced philosophy that "We'll get 'em next year." There's more satisfaction in winning now, today. Slaton High School's basketball team has won its share of games this year, and with a few decent breaks, would have peeked several more. Even so, it is comforting to look ahead to the 1954 Bengal cage season. Two key players—R. A. Thompson and Val Wylie—won't be around, and their services will be sorely missed. But the other five "reglars"—Tommy Shearer, Darrell Wiley, Felix Wylie, Jerry Reynolds and Harold Trout—will be back, and the Bengals will more than be able to hold their own on the hardwoods next year.

Too, there are some good young players coming along to bolster the ranks. In this writer's opinion, one of our best potential Tiger cagers is Jerry Don Ross, a freshman who has developed remarkably well in recent weeks.

Tiger basketball, which has been good this year, promises to be better next year.

Slaton merchants who advertise in The Tiger's Cage, Slaton High School newspaper, are due a vote of thanks, methinks. Some merchants here, I know, decline to advertise in that publication on the expressed grounds that "It doesn't do me any good." That's a moot question—I would be among the first to admit that the dollars-and-cents value of an advertisement is impossible to ascertain.

But from the viewpoint that it makes a newspaper possible for the high school, it assuredly is worthwhile, from my point of view. To those whose idea of a newspaper is "the more pages and pornography per nickel the better the newspaper," the four-page Tiger's Cage undoubtedly doesn't seem like much.

But to the students who work on it and read it, it's way up on the list of "things that count." It makes possible valuable newspapering experience for a good many young people, some of whom may choose to enter into some phase of the journalistic field later in life.

It makes possible "a paper of our own" for the student body, and from my own experience as editor of the Amarillo High School newspaper, I know that is important to the students.

I think, quite certainly, that those merchants who have seen fit to advertise in The Tiger's Cage have not invested foolishly. And I would have to be convinced that it has no value at the cash register, either.

I paid my poll tax this year, thus giving me official title to continue my intermittent yattlings about double parking in post office lane. I say it ain't considerate, it ain't right, and there ain't much being done about it. It ain't good English or good ethics to say so publicly, but once in a long while I have something that needs doin' before the day's over, and I get doggone tired of waiting to back out of my parking place to get at it.

Our current spell of Indian summer has affected Robert Huser's chickens. They have called a cease-fire on their heretofore dependable stream of double-yoked henberries and have gone back to the conventional variety.

Something I dislike to see: many of our more capable Slaton High School graduates working full-time at menial jobs around town when instead they could be whittling away at a college degree. Having to work part time to make ends meet while attending college may not seem a pleasant prospect to some. But among the people I know at the University of Colorado, the "work part timers" had more stuff down inside than the ones who could coast through on a silver platter, and I'll wager to say ended up as far better citizens and fathers.

This week's nomination for one of Slaton's most pleasant people: Dorothy Jones, the young woman at the telephone office.

The Amarillo Daily News' Wes Izard, one of my favorite editors, was among the Texas newspapermen who attended Ike's inauguration. When Wes got back home, he

**RAIDER CAGE SLATE**  
Lubbock—Three more home basketball games are slated for Texas Tech's Red Raiders before they invade ARIZONA. Polk Robinson's cagers meet New Mexico A&M Friday night, University of Arizona Feb. 17, and West Texas State Feb. 20. The following week they'll meet on the road University of Arizona, Arizona State Tempe, and Arizona State Flagstaff.

**Card Of Thanks**

We wish to express our sincere gratitude to our friends and neighbors for their visits, flowers and other services, and to Dr. Glen Payne and the nurses at Mercy Hospital for their care during the recent illness of James F. Telfer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Telfer


**TO MEET AGGIES**

Lubbock—A sixth home game with New Mexico A & M Oct. 24, has been added to the Texas Tech 1953 football schedule. Other games in Jones Stadium will be with West Texas State September 19, Texas A & M Oct. 10, College of the Pacific Oct. 17, Arizona Nov. 7, and Hardin-Simmons Nov. 28.

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**We Salute Our Town!**

Latest bit of trivia to find its way into the Slatonite mailbox: an invitation from a New Jersey mail order house to place an order for a few hundred "perfumed pellets which blossom into full-sized face cloths." From the small print, you learn that you "simply dip these compressed pellets into water for half a minute, and they unfold into genuine colorfast wash cloths, delicately scented for personal daintiness."

They're ideal for travel, of course, so if you're planning a trek to Posey or Pleasant Valley, better stop in and place your order.

A book I'll heartily recommend: Thomas Costain's current best-seller, "The Silver Chalice."

See yuh at the Post game to-night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Chriesman of Fort Stockton visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Chriesman this week.

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If you do business with your Ford Dealer right away—you may discover that your old truck is worth much MORE than you think! Don't delay. "Later" may be too late! Get a new Ford Truck now. Full range, from F-1 Pickups to 22,000 lb. G.V.W. Big Jobs! And the day you buy is just the START of your savings with a thrifty Ford Truck!

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TUNE IN to Slaton's Ed and his Buster Brown gang on TV or radio—Saturday evenings. Check your newspaper for time and station.



**DRY GOODS SHOES READY-TO-WEAR**

**Only GAS Heats Water 3 Times Faster**



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**West Texas Gas Company**  
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**WOMEN AND T.V. PARTY**  
 Mrs. Anna Schramm gave an eight o'clock dinner and T.V. entertainment at her home, complimentary to Mrs. Daisey Wilson, Mrs. Hilda Reissig, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilson and their two daughters last Thursday night from 8:00 until 11:30 p.m.

## American Legion Auxiliary Meets

The American Legion Auxiliary met in regular business meeting Thursday, Feb. 5.

The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Bill Mullins. The secretary and treasurer's report was read and approved.

Mrs. Henry Jarman and Mrs. Fred Tudor were elected to purchase some essential needs for the Legion Hall.

The president resigned, as she is moving to Amarillo soon. Mrs. Ethel Wood, former first vice, will fill the unexpired term of Mrs. Mullins. Mrs. Luther Gregory was elected second vice and Mrs. Ernest Robertson, third vice.

Plans were made for the joint birthday party with the American Legion, which will be held Monday evening, March 16, at 7:30 p.m. at the Club House. Committees were appointed.

## Posey H.D. Club Meets At Center

The Posey Club met Wednesday, February 4, with Miss Clara Pratt, County Home Demonstration Agent, preparing and serving a "Broiler Meal."

Miss Pratt explained, "Broiler meals are time savers, as placing canned or pre-cooked vegetables in the broiler pan below the rack where the meat is cooking will prevent sticking and unnecessary scouring of the broiler pan."

The menu: ground steak patties, baby lima beans, canned peach halves, were broiled and served to: Mesdames T. A. Johnson, Gerald Meador, Howard Johnson, M. T. Johnson, C. V. Brake, M. M. Brieger, Larkin Taylor, J. C. Harper, Jr., and Mesdames H. C. Hobbs, a guest, and A. L. Havis, a new member.

Mrs. Taylor gave news items on food.

The Club voted to help make draperies for the Community Center on Wednesday, February 11.

"Dinner in a Skillet," will be the demonstration given by Mrs. C. V. Brake when the Club meets Wednesday, February 18 at 2:00 p.m. at the Center.

New members and visitors are welcome.

## Church Group Will Hold Bake Sale Sat.

The Christian Womens Fellowship Circle No. 1 of the First Christian Church met Monday at 3 o'clock at the Church. The lesson theme was on "Africa and the Belgium Congo."

Circle No. 2 will meet Monday evening, Feb. 23, in the home of Mrs. J. A. Smith.

On Saturday, Feb. 21, the Christian Womens Fellowship will sponsor a bake food sale to be held at the Piggly Wiggly grocery.

# Society Clubs

THE SLATON SLATONITE FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1953



MRS. ALLARD J. WENDEL

## Crews-Wendel Vows Read February 3 In Double Ring Church Ceremony

Miss Audrey Louise Crews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Crews, Jr., 178 Texas Ave., Slaton, and Allard Joseph Wendel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wendel, 235 E. Panhandle, Slaton, were married at St. Joseph's Church, Tuesday, February 3, at eight o'clock in the morning. The Rev. T. D. O'Brien officiated at a double ring ceremony.

The altar was decorated with pink gladioli and candelabra.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white slipper satin fashioned with nylon lace yoke and sleeves, the long sleeves coming to a point over the hands. The dress was buttoned down the back with tiny covered buttons. The full flared skirt fell into a cathedral length train with an scalloped edge. Her lace veil was joined to a tiara of tiny white seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of red roses.

Miss Coleen Kitten was maid of honor and Miss Bonnie Holt was bridesmaid. They wore identical dresses of nylon net over taffeta, with strapless bodices and full gathered skirts. They wore matching Nylon net stoles, and bonnet-effect headdresses of the same material. Miss Kitten wore yellow and Miss Holt pale orchid.

Donald Wendel, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man. Glenn Crews, brother of the bride, was groomsmen.

Miss Joerita Kitten, organist, played traditional wedding marches and accompanied Mrs. Delphine Hlavaty as she sang, "On This Day," "Panis Angelicus," and

"I Need Thee." A reception was held at two o'clock in the afternoon at St. Joseph's Hall. The central table was laid with an echeu crocheted cloth over pink, and centered with a three-tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom.

The bride's table was centered with white and pink carnations, and the guest tables were decorated with pink gladioli.

Mrs. Everest Dworaczak served cake; Miss Cecilia Kubacki poured fruit punch.

A wedding breakfast was served to the bridal party at the home of the bride's parents following the Nuptial Mass.

For traveling the bride wore a baby blue silk denim dress trimmed in white, and a corsage of red roses. After a wedding trip to Lake Texhoma, the couple will be at home on South 7th St., Slaton.

The bride is a graduate of Slaton High School. The bridegroom graduated from Slaton High School, where he was a member of the annual staff. He is employed as a Roundhouse Clerk at Santa Fe.

Out of town guests included the bride's maternal grandmother, Mrs. Emmie Scale of Eastland; her paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Crews of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Evans of Amarillo, and the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. Kenneth Jobs and children of Dallas.

Duncan Phyfe, the furniture designer, was born in Scotland.

## Program Is Given By Design Leader

The Slaton Home Demonstration Club met at the Club House in regular meeting Wednesday February 4.

The president, Mrs. Alton Meeks, conducted the business meeting. The Design Leader, Mrs. B. H. Bollinger, gave a demonstration of Tie Dying. The members finished several articles with a tie tying design.

Mrs. R. C. Hall was hostess and served a delicious salad plate to the following members: Mesdames W. A. Cooke, Delma Hodge, Dane Shearer, Lee Linmer, Clea Young, T. G. McGuire, A. R. McGuire, Jr., Alton Meeks, Cecil Long, E. H. Bollinger, Carter Shaw, R. C. Hall and Charlie Walton.

The club still has several cook books for sale. Anyone wanting one contact a member of the club.

The next meeting will be held February 18 with Mrs. J. C. Eakin as hostess. The program will be "Dinner in a Skillet."

## Miss Betty Enos To Wed Bruce Monroe In Summer Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Enos of Bridgeport, Washington, formerly of Slaton, Texas, announce the engagement of their daughter, Betty, to Bruce M. Monroe.

The bride-to-be was born in Slaton, Texas, and is the granddaughter of Mrs. J. R. McAtee. She graduated from high school with the class of 1950 at Shoshoni, Wyoming, attended the University of Wyoming at Laramie, and Business College in Billings, Montana. She is now employed at the office of Columbia River Contractors at Bridgeport, Washington.

Her fiancé graduated from Wentatchee High School in 1945 and is the son of Mrs. John Burton and L. E. Monroe of Bridgeport. He attended Washington State College and finished with the class of 1951. He is a member of Sigma Nu Fraternity and is now in the orchard business in Bridgeport.

A summer wedding is planned.

## Order Of Rainbow Elects Dad Sat.

At a regular meeting of the Order of Rainbow for Girls, No. 164, held Saturday night, Feb. 7, Mr. B. A. Hanna was elected as the Chapter Dad. Mr. Hanna has long been active on the board of the Order and belongs to the Masonic Lodge at Slaton.

Plans were discussed for the fiesta which is to be held in conjunction with the Eastern Star and committees were appointed to work on the project.

The fiesta will be held Feb. 27. Tickets are now on sale and may be obtained from any Rainbow girl or member of the Eastern Star.

It was voted to change the meeting nights from the first and third Saturday nights to the second and fourth Monday nights. This becomes effective Monday, Feb. 23.

## Birthday Surprise Party Honors Son

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kitten honored their son, Alvin, with a homecoming and surprise birthday party Sunday, Feb. 8.

About 25 guests, including all of his brothers and sisters and their families, and a number of friends enjoyed a chicken supper with homemade ice cream and angel cake.

## Wilson Home Scene Of S.S. Class Meet

The Lydia Class of the First Methodist Church met with Mrs. Douglas Wilson Monday night, with Mrs. C. E. Smith as co-hostess. Twelve members were present.

Mrs. Bill Wright, president, conducted a business meeting. The class adopted a family to look after.

After the meeting Mrs. Wilson showed movies taken on a trip to Florida.

Mrs. H. T. Scurlock is the class teacher.

## NEWLYWEDS VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Reynolds from Powersite, Mo., visited briefly in Slaton with Mrs. Reynolds' aunt. The group left for a trip to Carlsbad. The Reynolds were married Sunday at two o'clock at the Apostolic Church in Taneyville, Mo. They will live at Dickens, Mo., where Mr. Reynolds is a rural mail carrier. Mrs. Reynolds is the former Zetta Fay Magness.

## 'SCOOPIN' AROUND

with the  
S.H.S. Snooper

Well, I said I'd be back and here I am with more news about S.H.S.

Last week I said something about the F.H.A. girls making money for the March of Dimes and the approximate amount was \$250, well we found out Wednesday that we made \$329. That was the most money that was taken in on any drive in Slaton.

The band talked about getting band sweaters and jackets. The color of them will be green with white trim. Lots of the band members are angry about the color, but, after all we're the band and not the football squad, and besides that notice the "B" team boys basketball suits.

Slaton High has received three more new students this week. They are: Gene Strange a Sophomore from Post, Lafonda Akin a Freshman from Lubbock, and Fat Loftin a junior from Post. As far as I know they are not in any school activities. We certainly hope they will be next year.

Last Wednesday afternoon the contest for Mr. and Miss S.H.S. closed. The winners were the Juniors with \$250, second were the Sophomores with \$45, third were the Freshmen with \$26, and of course, last but not least the Seniors with a measly little oh! \$5. Guess you Seniors aren't so hot after all are you? Thank goodness the Freshmen haven't ever come in last!

I wonder why lots of the World History students are mad at Mr. Marshall. Could it be that they didn't get the color of folder they wanted and the low grades they got on their mays which they-slaved over for almost twenty-four hours? I really can't blame them.

The homemaking girls cooked the food for the football banquet Friday night. The menu was:

Barbequed Turkey, Glazed Sweet Potatoes, Green Beans, Congee Salad, Hot Rolls, Butter, Assorted Pies, Coffee and Milk.

The girls also decorated the club house and fixed centerpiece for the tables.

The football boys elected as their football queen, Jerry Short. She was the head cheer leader of 52 and 53. Jerry was presented a gift at the banquet. The program was a movie of the Lubbock-Baytown game and a talk by Pat Patterson, the coach of Lubbock's football squad.

Donna and Janet Pearson were in Slaton for the football banquet and also the weekend. They visited with friends and told them about their school and their home in Amarillo. The girls were also at the Rainbow meeting Saturday night. Janet holds the office of Worthy Associate Advisor and is hoping that she will be able to finish the chairs before changing her membership to the Amarillo Assembly. Donna holds the color station of Nature.

The FHA girls had a meeting Monday night and their guests were Mrs. Dodson and Miss Connie Ray Hopping. The girls were given tips on personal care and modeling. This will help the girls with their fashion show which they are to give in about a month.

The basketball girls had practice again this Monday after school. They practiced on fast and quick plays to use at their games with Spur. Better be careful Jorita, We certainly hope that they win.

Tommy what were you running laps for in the gym Monday afternoon? It could have been one of many things couldn't it. (You don't really have to answer that.)

## Lottie Moon Circle Meets February 9

The Lottie Moon Circle of the First Baptist Church met with Mrs. Virgil Coffee, Monday, Feb. 9, with twelve members present for Bible study. Mrs. J. S. Vaughn is the teacher.

The group is studying notable women of the New Testament.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. E. E. Culver on Feb. 23 for Mission Study.

The Rainbow meeting night has been changed to the second and fourth Monday nights in case you didn't know and weren't at the meeting Saturday night. We also discussed the fiesta. Another thing was that we don't have hardly anyone to serve for the second hour, and there is a catch to the serving or helping with fiesta. If you don't help in any way you won't get to go to Grand Assembly. Lots of the older girls expect to go without helping with it and don't think they ought to get to go if their pride is too big to serve or at least sell tickets.

It seems as though I've run out of this, that, and the other, and of course things to say for this week, so, I'll be waiting for you Saturday night.

## Founders Day Is Observed At P-TA

The Elementary P-TA met for a Founder's Day program in the February meeting to honor Alice McLellan Birney and Phoebe Apperson Hearst. The National Congress of Parents and Teachers came into being 56 years ago; there are now 37,014 associations.

In observance of Founders Day at the Slaton P-TA the Girl Scouts presented the program, "Youth Takes a Hand." Those taking part were Elaine Pickens, Jennie Lee Chriesman, Stephanie Johnson, Suzannah Robertson, and Mrs. Pete Haliburton. All of the Girl Scouts sang in a chorus accompanied by Mrs. Otto Eckles.

The meeting was held during National Boy Scout Week, and four boys from Troop 28 presented the Colors and led the group in singing "America."

Rev. Elmer Crabtree gave the Devotional.

A tea hour followed the program.

Mr. and Mrs. George Willis and son, Dannie, of Slaton visited Mr. Willis' brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Willis, of Posey Saturday night.



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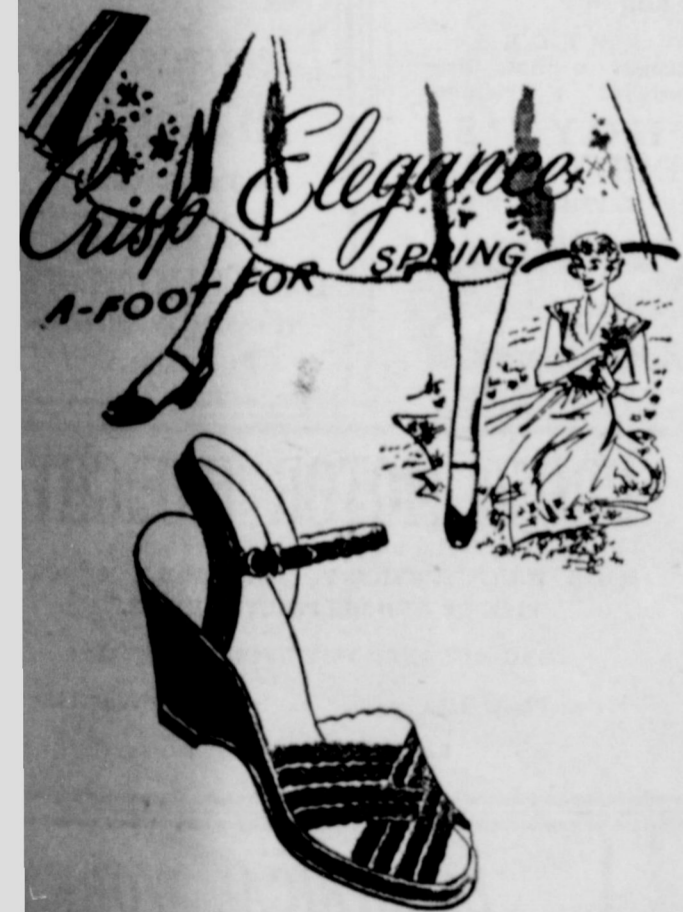
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Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Gentry visited Mrs. Gentry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Carroll, of Lubbock on Monday.

J. S. Edwards, Jr., was in San Angelo on business last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce M. Pember left Tuesday to spend the rest of the week in Ruidoso.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ihinger, of Topeka, Kansas, are visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard DeMoss.

Mrs. Mildred Lizakowski and son, Lloyd, of Brockenridge, visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Layne.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Malone spent part of this week in Dallas on a business trip.

The Ladies Society of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen are holding a Valentine "42", Canasta and Bingo Party at the VFW Hall Friday, Feb. 13, at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend. Admission will be 50c.

Proceeds from the party will go towards defraying the expenses of the Lodge Official Drill Team at the Texas - New Mexico Union Meeting in El Paso in May. This team won first place in Amarillo in 1951 and is hoping to bring home another trophy.

Refreshments were served to Messdames F. A. Nelson, O. L. Doyle, Wagner Goodie, Joe Gamble, E. C. Craddock, Bryan Blevins, H. M. Cade, and Mrs. J. A. Russell was a guest.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Bickers spent a week visiting with Mrs. Bickers' sister, Mrs. Bernice Schmidt, at Santa Monica, Calif. They saw a lot of fog and at Los Angeles the smog was so bad they could hardly breathe. Their eyes were watering and throats burning. Planes were grounded.

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Bigger and better are the present indications for the 1953 Texas Chicken-of-Tomorrow Program. All entries must be in before March 1 and the State finals will be held at Center during the week of May 11.

### Posey Items

R. L. BOYD

Week end visitors of LaVerne Gentry from Texas Tech were: Shirley Mae Neal, Houston; Joyce Voight, Slaton; Lois Foster, Bowie; and Mary Janq Baker, Anson.

The mother of Bennie and Everett Bloxom, who lives at Southland, has been sick.

Mr. O. C. Terrell escaped injuries in a truck accident Thursday night near Cameron, Milam County.

Mrs. Hortense Parker of Wilson was visiting Mr. A. J. Boyd Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Gentry visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Carroll of Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll are recovering from the flu.

More wells are being drilled for irrigation with only two reported to be too small for irrigation.

Guy Gentry has been working in Slaton.

J. G. Harper has leased some land near Buffalo Lakes and will farm it this year.

J. W. Boyce, who has been in Lubbock Memorial Hospital since the last of the year, has had several Posey visitors one of whom was S. N. Gentry.

Rev. D. A. Ross of Lubbock, Methodist pastor, now holds services on First and Third Sundays.

The Posey Gin was winning a few bales last week with new large gin stands which have been installed.

Jesus was about 33 years of age at the time of His death.



By John C. White, Commissioner

### Future Of Texas Cotton

The new red scourge of Texas' cotton lands is the pink bollworm. But there seems to be a dangerous tendency on the part of farmers to treat it casually. Farmers have been confronted with so many crises—drouths, other insects, low markets, floods, that they fail to see the forest for the trees. They quite understandably don't get excited every time some new "threat" is announced.

But, in my opinion this pink bollworm threat is something to get excited about. It is a real danger to the South's basic industry, and poses perhaps a bigger threat right here in Texas than anywhere else. It could quite conceivably put an end to our rich cotton industry. It is that bad. Entomologists readily agree the worms have multiplied many times over in the past two or three years.

What is the history of this dangerous cotton insect? Well, in 1916, a Mexican cotton grower found an odd kind of worm in his fields. He thought at first it might be the small "grub" of the boll weevil. But he wasn't sure. This particular worm had a pinkish tinge; the well-known weevil grub was distinctly white in color. So the Mexican grower gathered a handful of infested bolls and sent them to insect experts in the U. S. Department of Agriculture. There the worm made startling news.

Far from being a weevil grub, it was, without doubt, the dreaded pink bollworm—the same worm that had long been ravaging cotton in other parts of the world. This was its first recorded appearance on the North American continent. How did the pink bollworm get into Mexico? No one is sure. But the best guess is that it came from Egypt where the pest had abounded for years. Egyptian planting seed had been imported into Mexico in 1911, and there's little doubt the pink bollworm moved with it.

The pest kept moving—right up through Mexico and across the Rio Grande River. In 1917, one year after it was spotted in the Laguna district of Mexico, it was found in fields near Hearne, Texas. Here, again, the worm apparently was brought into a non-infested area in seed shipments. That was about 35 years ago.

Since then — despite intensive quarantine and control measures — the pest has fanned out west-

ward into New Mexico, and Arizona, northward into Oklahoma, and eastward into Louisiana. In all, it now occupies at least 261 counties in which farmers plant a total of about 12 million acres of cotton.

J. W. Callaway, of Corpus Christi, in 1950 had a field of late-planted cotton. Before the crop could reach maturity, the pink bollworm infestation reached 90 per cent. He had to destroy the entire crop. This story clearly points up the potential destructiveness of the insect. In 1952 the pink bollworm cost us \$34.6 million. In 1942 only about 75 counties were infested. By 1952, the number had jumped to 261. Is that a threat to the cotton industry, or isn't it?

Last year, entomologists found the pink bollworm had doubled and tripled in the Vernon, Wichita Falls, Knox and Haskell County areas. The same occurred in many other areas of the state. If I were a cotton farmer, a ginner or a cotton oil mill man, I would be concerned.

The cotton business has lost enough of its value the past 10 to 15 years. If the bollworm joins the boll weevil as a force of cotton destructiveness, then we might as well forget the rich crop that made the South the great empire that it is.

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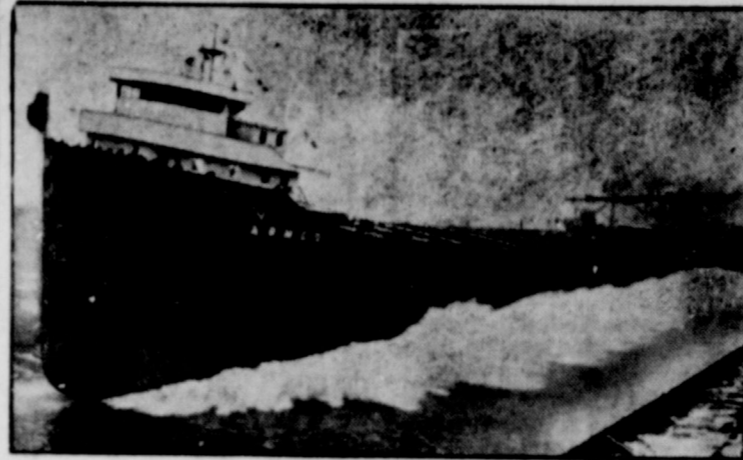
Slaton residents desiring a copy of the newly-issued 1953 Texas Official Highway Map may obtain the free map by writing to the Texas Highway Department, Austin 14, Texas.

Locations of roadside parks, national and state parks, national forests, mountainous areas, lakes and streams, along with other information that will add to the safety, comfort and pleasure of the traveling public are shown.

There are 1,304 cities and towns listed with a cross section of altitudes given. Thirteen enlarged city insets are provided for the convenience of motorists traveling through these major metropolitan areas. Distances are indicated between all points and a special mileage index chart reflects the accumulated official mileage between principal cities.

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The book of Revelations in the Bible is called the Apocalypse.



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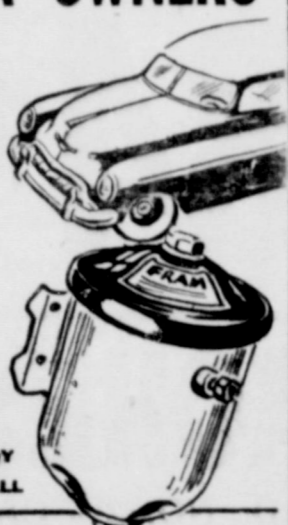
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## West Texas Roundup

Business places in Matador did not close Saturday in observance of a very important day. It was J. B. "Kid" Kennedy's 90th birthday and he was slightly less than disappointed because county offices, the bank and business places did not declare January 24 a legal holiday.  
"Kid" Kennedy is among the oldest residents of the county and despite the recent impairment of his health, he is able to continue his familiar pilgrimages on Matador's Main Street.  
—Matador Tribune

Two burglars were captured here early Sunday morning red-handed after they had broken into Hughes Tool Company of office here and stolen four drilling bits.  
The two men, John Hampton, 34, and Bill Wingham, 37, both of Hobbs, broke the lock off the door of the office, and took two bits valued at \$1050, each and two bits valued at \$160 each.  
—The Andrews County News

No clues had been located as to the perpetrators of the burglary last Friday night of the Hamlin Memorial Hospital by Wednesday of this week, according to J. H. Foster, Hamlin police chief.  
But more than \$1,800 in checks taken in the haul had been returned by a remorseful and penitent burglar. The checks were found in a mail deposit box in front of the Hamlin, post office Sunday morning by a mail clerk. The checks were neatly rolled up and a rubber band held them together.  
Hospital Manager Wesley Nail said that moves had been made to stop payment on the checks.  
Cash amounting to nearly \$900 was taken in the burglary, which was staged sometime between 7:00 p.m. Friday and 6:30 a.m. Saturday.  
—The Hamlin Herald

**FLYING SAUCER?**  
No, it might be a safer bet to say it is Venus.  
The object in question is a small, star-like glitter that has been seen daily this week at 3:40 p.m.  
City Hall staffers have been checking it regularly, since it was first noticed Tuesday.  
Location: one o'clock with your watch facing west... back of your watch facing east.  
Do you see it?  
—The Brady Standard

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the Wilson Theatre building and equipment at about 5:30 a.m. Tuesday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Franks, formerly of Tahoka who now live at 2808 28th street in Lubbock, had been operating the show the past four years.  
Tahoka Fire Department was called to assist the Wilson Fire Department in extinguishing the blaze, but the fire had gained too much headway before being discovered.  
—The Lynn County News

Bill Tom Goza of Welman and Earl Brown, Jr., who lives almost five miles northeast of Brownfield, Monday were named winners in the annual Terry County Cotton contest sponsored by Herman Chessir and each received \$100 checks.  
Goza was winner in the irrigated division with a total of 3,742 pounds of lint from his five-acre plot. Brown won the dryland division with 1,380 pounds of lint.  
—The Brownfield News

Irrigation water level in the Olton area is falling a little but not at an alarming rate, according to John D. Harmon, engineering aide with the Soil Conservation Service at Amherst.  
Mr. Harmon has been keeping tab on a well north of Olton since 1949.  
—The Olton Enterprise

The Sheriff's office reported total fines and fees for 1952 of \$19,177.26 in its annual report to the Commissioners Court last week. Total expenses of the office amounted to \$10,955.35, leaving a net balance of \$8,221.91 to be turned into the county's general fund.  
Justice of the Peace receipts from Ralls were \$2,505.90; from Crosbyton, \$1,889.70; and Leno, \$497.70. County court collections totalled \$13,713.47 and \$490.49 was received in fines and fees from district court.  
A total of 575 arrests were made by local officers. A breakdown shows: gaming, 106; drunks, 114;

disturbance, 36; murder, 2; vagrancy, 3; forgery, 4; affray, 8; theft under \$50, 8; prostitutes, 2; drunk driving, 46; liquor, 61; swindling by check, 8; aggravated assault, 19; simple assault, 3; and carrying pistol, 7.  
Fines involving \$2,300 are pending before the Supreme Court. The office reported a net to the general fund in 1951 of \$10,700.  
—The Ralls Banner

"Old Timer" R. W. Pittman, pioneer Seminole resident went to the barn last Tuesday and found—Saddle, bridle, blanket, bridle, blow torch and nearly a case of oil missing.  
The Horse? Eating hay.  
Pittman lives three miles east of Seminole on the Lamesa highway.  
—The Seminole Sentinel

George H. Shafer, geologist with the United States Department of Interior, will be in Commerce this week to make a survey of the water wells in the vicinity to determine the water supply and how long it can be expected to last.  
—The Commerce Journal

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Remember that chicks are babies — so treat them that way. Their home, the brooder house, must be clean, warm, and light. Clean the house and equipment thoroughly a few days before the chicks arrive. Use a reliable disinfectant to kill germs.  
Then, make the brooding set-up, making certain the brooder works right. Star brooder at 95 degrees, drop five degrees weekly until 70 degrees is reached. Adjust this schedule to the weather outside. Chicks should spread out evenly in the brooding area.  
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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Just a Little "Outdated"

Back in December we sent out our yearly calendar. It listed the last date for renewing drivers' licenses, and things like the dates for registering to vote, when the hunting and fishing seasons open — even suggested you note down the wife's birthday, too.

I figured dates like these were important to keep in mind—and this was a good way to do it. Unfortunately, it now turns out I never really paid close attention to my own calendar!

Not 'til today that is—so here I am not able to drive the car this

weekend until I get my driver's license renewed on Monday!

From where I sit, I guess good advice, like clarity, should begin at home. I'm always advising all of you to worry less about your neighbors (what they do, or say, and whether or not they should enjoy a temperate glass of beer) and pay more attention to whether you yourself are doing the right thing. Guess I'll "make a note" to follow my own formula!

Joe Marsh

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Highlights and Sidelights FROM Your State CAPITOL

BY VERN SANFORD  
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN, Tex.—No husband is legally permitted to be present when his wife is signing a legal document. The theory is that he might unduly influence her.

Some theory! Anyhow it's the law. But women who take an interest in legislative matters are trying to bring about its repeal.

This is one of the dozen projects that attract the interest of women, who have come a long way in establishing themselves around the capital in the last 30 years.

Take it from Mrs. Jane Y. McCallum, who was secretary of state from 1927 to 1933—things were a lot different 30 years ago.

Then the women were trying to get the right to vote, but the "suffragettes" were subject to more ridicule than serious consideration from the male lawmakers.

The women were determined, however, and in 1918 Texas became the first Southern state to grant primary suffrage to women.

Senator Neveille H. Colson of Navasota is the first Texas woman to have served in both House and Senate. She was first elected to the House in 1939, served five terms, and was promoted in 1949 to the Senate, where she still serves.

Two women are serving their second terms in the House. They are Mrs. Dorothy Gillis Gurley of Del Rio and Miss Virginia Duff of Ferris.

Miss Duff is thought to be the smallest person ever to serve in the legislature. She is just under five feet tall and weighs 91 lbs. During last summer's campaign her weight went down to 86. Miss Duff says she is "Little but loud."

A freshman member of the House is Miss Anifa Blair of El Paso, who lost her sight in an automobile accident in 1936.

Miss Blair has been informed by the American Foundation for the Blind that she is the first blind woman ever to be elected to public office.

Fawn, a 14-year-old seeing-eye dog, accompanies Miss Blair around the capital.

Some of the measures in which women are interested at this session are those that would:

1. Permit women to serve on juries. A resolution for this purpose has the support of Representa-

tatives Horce B. Houston, Jr., of Dallas and Lama Zively of Temple. The resolution, if passed, would result in a vote of the people on a constitutional amendment.

2. Permit women to sell separate property without the consent of their husbands, if the property belonged to the woman before her marriage or was acquired by her through inheritance. Women have long sought this privilege.

3. Abolish the separate acknowledgment requirement for wives. This is the one that chases the husband out of the room while the wife is signing a legal document. Representative D. H. Buchanan of Longview is a supporter of this one.

4. Extend homestead tax exemptions to single persons. Many single women, as well as men, support relatives and should have the exemption the same as married couples, say adherents of this proposal.

5. Keep the motor vehicle inspection law. Officials of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers are behind this proposition. Some changes might be required, but the board of managers agreed, to make the law workable. But the P-TA group thought the law ought to be retained.

6. Increase the basic teaching salary to \$3,000 per year and give raises to principals and supervisors. This is another goal of the P-TA.

Approved by a house committee was a proposed constitutional amendment that would increase the salaries of legislators from \$10 to \$25 per day during the first 120 days of the session.

Members would get \$5 per day after the first 120 days, the same as at present.

Proposed constitutional changes were introduced in both houses that would lift the present \$35 million ceiling on welfare spending.

If passed by both houses and approved by the voters, this measure would permit greater payments to the aged, needy blind, and dependent children.

The state pays out a lot of money every month to rent office space in private buildings around the capital.

Representative Bill Daniel of Liberty wants the state to put up its own office buildings on land.



Letty Hallman is the first female mail-truck driver in America. She lipsticks in the rear view mirror, lives in St. Paul, Minn.

near the capitol, now owned by the State.

If authorized by the legislature, the state would issue \$6 million in bonds to construct the buildings.

Daniel says the state's rent bill in Austin now amounts to \$250,000 per year.

Plans to rent the land have been temporarily sidetracked.

The Texas Prison Board assures the legislature that disaster may result unless \$3.5 million are spent for a new prison building at Eastham Farm.

The present farm facilities are "intolerable and indecent," the board's report said, and 1,200 prisoners could easily break out of the Brazoria County enclosure and cover the state in 24 hours.



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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1953

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Boyd and daughter Sharon are new residents in Slaton. Sharon is in the fifth grade and is attending school at West Ward.

George Washington Goethals was the first governor of the Canal Zone.

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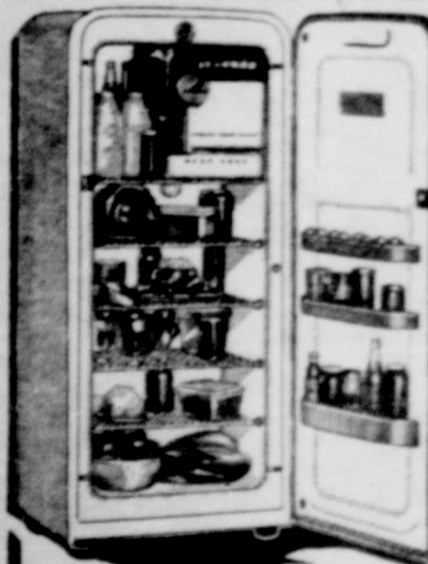
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WASHINGTON—Congress is reasserting itself. It is insisting anew that the three branches of the federal government shall in fact comprise a tripartite body. And it is demanding that in this governmental tripod its own leg, which sometimes in the past has tended to shrink, shall measure up to the others to the last inch.

Clear evidence of that is found in the close scrutiny by the Senate of Mr. Eisenhower's Cabinet and sub-Cabinet nominees, the officials who will direct the administration of laws made by Congress. This careful examination of Republican Administration nominees, it should be noted, was bipartisan.

Regarding the nominees for top civilian posts in the military establishment, there was bipartisan Congressional insistence that the Executive Branch comply with a law covering executive appointments. It forbids federal officials to do business with firms in which they have any direct or indirect interest.

There was no serious move in Congress to change or set aside that law to accommodate certain nominees—some of whose personal integrity was questioned. Congress firmly insisted that the Executive Branch abide by the rule that Congress had made for it.

The new self-reassertion of Congress is even more evident in extension of the President's authority, due to expire April 1, to reorganize the Executive departments, subject to House or Senate veto.

There was no question among most members of Congress but what it should be renewed and identical two-year extension bills were duly introduced in the House and Senate. The Government Operations Committee, however, quite unexpectedly approved identical amendments giving Congress more control over Mr. Eisenhower's reorganization efforts than it had over Mr. Truman's.

The change would be effected by requiring only a simple majority vote rather than a Constitutional majority vote in the House or Senate to veto an Eisenhower plan.

A Constitutional majority, which was required to veto a Truman plan, is a majority of all members—thus, 49 Senators, 218 House members. A simple majority is a majority of a quorum (the required number of members that must be present when any official action is to be taken). A Senate quorum is 49, of which 25 would be a majority; a House quorum is 218, of which 110 would be a majority.

All Republican members present and three Democrats on the Senate committee voted for the change in the veto requirement. It was approved by all Republican members of the House committee, except Rep. Church (Ill.), who abstained, and opposed by all Democratic members.

Before Mr. Eisenhower approved the change, the action by the two committees was interpreted by some observers as constituting the first "break" between the new Republican President and the Republican majority leadership on Capitol Hill.

What that appraisal overlooked, however, was that in the Democrat-controlled Congress of 1949, when Mr. Truman's reorganization power was being considered, it was only after a 30-day deadlock with the House that the Senate finally backed down reluctantly and agreed to requiring veto by a Constitutional rather than simple majority.

Moreover, Mr. Truman had asked that his plans be vetoable only by a two-third vote of both the House and Senate.

Congress denied Mr. Truman that latitude, which Franklin D. Roosevelt had enjoyed. Mr. Roosevelt, after his sweeping 1936 victory which carried many members of Congress into office, asked for blanket authority to revise the executive departments to his liking and was denied it by a bipartisan Congressional coalition in 1937.

Prior to 1937, only a simple House or Senate majority vote was needed to veto a Presidential reorganization plan.

Thus, Congress now is heading back toward the position of relative authority in this matter which it held nearly 20 years ago before it took a back seat to the Executive Branch.

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### What They Write

Colorado City, Texas  
February 8, 1953

Dear Gordon,  
Just a line or two to say hello and that, although I have been very busy, I have found time to miss some of you folks very much. Gordon, my purpose for writing is to ask a favor of you which if you can do, I will appreciate very much. Of course, you know about what those boys and our friends did for us there at the football banquet the other night. So you know there is no way for me to know who contributed and if I knew I could never write all of them. If you find a space in your column sometime, just let them know I'm the most humbly thankful guy anywhere. I was just plain "buffaloed" for words and still am. My prayer is that I may prove worthy of this type of thing. I just felt like I would cry, I was so overwhelmed.  
I want to say to you personally again—many thanks for your help this past year and if I can ever help repay you—just call on me. If you and Lou ever pass our way, please stop in and see us.

Sincerely,  
Dillard Adair

Slatonite,  
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The cut is here. I am enclosing a check to pay for it and for a year's subscription to the Slatonite. I am under the impression that the paper is \$3.00 per year. Let me know if this is not correct. We are doing fine. No trouble yet. Goods crowds yesterday. Give my regards to all. Send paper to Box 812, Kerrville, Texas.

Yours truly,  
Pearce J. Burns

### News Of Slaton Men In Service

New London, Conn.—Serving at the U. S. Submarine Base here with the Engineering and Repair Department is Jimmy D. Henry, machinery repairman first class, USN, of 225 South 11th St., Slaton, Texas, and husband of the former Miss Vera J. Tompkins of Denver Colo.

Before entering the Navy in Nov. 1943, he attended Slaton High School.

The Submarine Base is the home port of operating submarines and site of the only training school for submariners.

Jackie W. Coleman, A. M. 2, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coleman, received his discharge from the Navy Monday, February 2, at Key West, Florida, after four years in service. He has been stationed at Lakehurst, New Jersey, and was at Key West for almost two years. He worked in Z X-11, which included office work and work in a metal shop. He has made no definite plans for future work, but does plan to stay here.

Pvt. J. L. Piwonka, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Piwonka, will be home on furlough some time in the latter part of March after he finishes his Artillery training, which is part of his regular basic training. He has completed eight weeks of infantry training and is in his third week of artillery training. He was one of 50 who qualified for leadership, but asked that his name be crossed off the list, because he hopes to go to Gun Mechanic School.

Mrs. Milton Piwonka's brother, Pvt. Arnold Ererich, is also stationed at Fort Bliss in the Anti-Aircraft Bn. He is now in his infantry training.

Lt. John J. Hansen, 22, a graduate of Slaton High in 1948 and also a graduate of Texas Tech in the spring of 1952, son of J. L. Hansen, Slaton Route 1, has been home on a 15 day travel delay in route to Camp Polk, La.

John has been stationed at Fort Benning, Ga. since the first of September, 1952. He was in the Infantry Officers class in which he had extensive study and practical work in weapons, tactics, and administration. He is now with Co. D, 147th Inf., 37 Div.

John has a brother, Lt. Jimmie L. Hansen, who is now serving with the Infantry in Korea.

Cpl. Paul Mosser and Cpl. Jimmy Mosser, sons of Mrs. Louis Mosser, went from Korea to Japan last month for a 5 day rest and recuperation leave. They really enjoyed their stay in Japan. Jimmy is probably on his way home now and Paul is to leave Korea the first of next month to come home. Both men are due a discharge after their return from Korea.

The proper time for Easter was set for upon in the year 225.



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- TOMATO, LIBBY'S, NO. 2
- PEAS 22c
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- Potted Meat 9c
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- CRANBERRY SAUCE 23c
- OCEAN SPRAY, POUND CAN



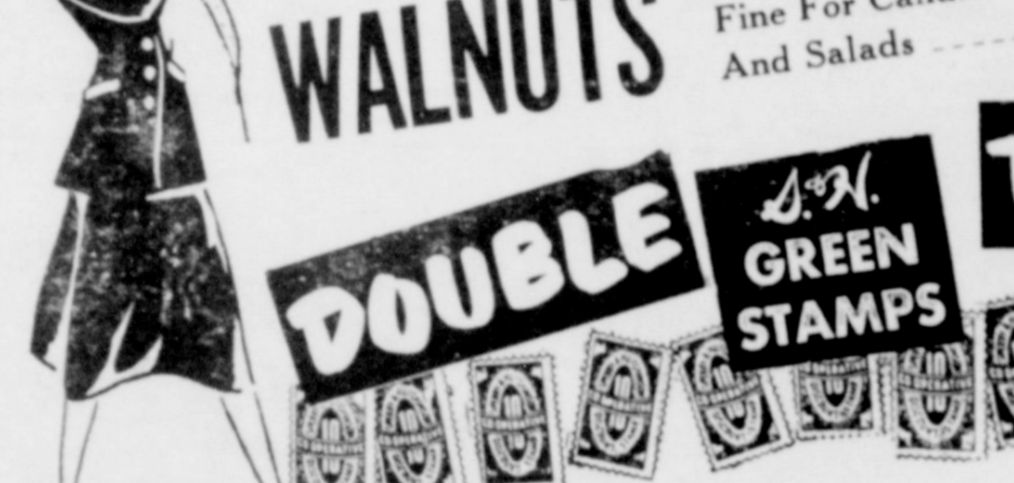
PEACH SALAD with Miracle Whip  
Dissolve 1/2 package strawberry flavored gelatin in 1/2 cup boiling water. Add 1/2 cup syrup from canned cling peaches and 2 chopped peach halves. Turn into small shallow pan. Chill. Cut into diamonds. Place 2 drained cling peach halves and 2 gelatin diamonds on each garnished salad plate. Top with Miracle Whip. Serves 7.

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- SOAP FLAKES, LG.
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- TURKEY 54c
- SWANSON'S BONED
- STARLAC 29c
- MILK, MAKES 3 QTS.
- DEEP BROWN BEANS
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- HALVES FOR FINE SALADS
- SYRUP
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- LIBBY'S, CAN
- SPAGHETTI & CHEESE
- LIBBY'S, 300 CAN
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- LIBBY'S, 303 CAN
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- COFFEE MARYLAND CLUB, POUND
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