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AIM NEXT WEEK'S CLEAN-UP AT AREA NORTH OF LUBBOCK

Yards were being spruced up and work crews were busy tidying trash-filled alleyways in the area south of Lubbock Street this week as Slaton's annual clean-up campaign, scheduled this year as a two-week affair, neared the close of its first phase.

Slaton for clean-up next week, it has explained by Chairman Lee Vardy, is the entire area north of Lubbock Street.

Vardy on Wednesday expressed general satisfaction with the way the drive is progressing, despite a disappointing response to an appeal for trucks and volunteer workmen.

Poor Response

Of 35 local clubs and organizations which were asked to send representatives to a Monday night meeting where final details of this week's phase of the drive were to have been worked out, only seven organizations responded.

Of the meeting, Vardy commented mildly, "We had hoped there would be more present."

South of Lubbock Street, the drive worked this way: Monday and Tuesday were "clean-up" days, with all residents of the area asked to spruce up their own premises and to put trash in containers in the alleys. On Wednesday, city and volunteer trucks and work crews began removal of trash from the alleys, and city crews were scheduled to wind up the "pick-up" operation on Thursday and Friday.

Got Your Sticker?

Too, Slaton Boy Scouts on Wednesday were passing out gummed stickers throughout the area south of Lubbock St. to those residents which met the minimum standards of the clean-up drive.

In addition to three city trucks which were being used as the pick-up project got underway Wednesday, trucks donated by the following firms also were in use: Higginbotham-Bartlett Co., Forrest Lumber Co., Volunteer Fire Department, Glasscock Sand and Gravel, Williams Buick, Slaton Lumber Co., and Jeff Custer, Gulf distributor.

Too, the following firms and organizations each agreed to pay for the labor of one worker in Wednesday's pick-up campaign: Chamber of Commerce, Slaton Steam Laundry, Piggly Wiggly, Ray C. Ayers & Son, Inc., Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club, Methodist Guild, Rotary, and Athenian Study Club. The city had three extra workmen assigned to the job.

More Help Wanted

Just as volunteer trucks and labor, and that labor which will be financed by local clubs and organizations were used on only one day this week—Wednesday—so will a similar plan be used next week, Vardy said.

Additional firms are being asked to volunteer trucks for next Wednesday, and it is hoped that other civic-minded organizations here will volunteer to help foot the bill for the number of workers who will be needed so that a minimum of the clean-up's financial burden will have to be borne out of city tax monies.

Boy Scout Troops 28, 29 and 95 are handling that portion of the drive in which "okay" stickers are being given to all residences meeting minimum requirements of the clean-up effort.

Masonic Lodge Sets Officer Installation For Wednesday Nite

Newly-elected officers of Slaton Masonic Lodge 1094 will be installed into office at a special meeting set for 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night, June 24, it was announced this week.

The new officers, elected June 11, include J. B. Butler, Worshipful Master; H. D. Haley, Senior Warden; and B. A. Hanna, Junior Warden. Re-elected were John Gordon, treasurer, and W. T. Brown, secretary.

Outgoing officers include Dudley Berry, Worshipful Master; J. B. Butler, Senior Warden, and H. D. Haley, Junior Warden. Mr. Hanna steps up from Senior Deacon, an appointive office, to Junior Warden.

J. B. Butler, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Butler of Slaton, won the prize for getting the first load of wheat in Moore County. He and his family live near Cactus, Tex.

Stories And Pix Honor Local Dads

Sunday, June 21, is Father's Day.

We believe Dad is a fellow who deserves honoring, and accordingly, you'll find pictures and stories about a good many Slaton fathers on the front page of the second section in this issue.

We believe you'll enjoy the features, prepared jointly by Richard Perry and Miss Rusty Kitten.

The Slatonite is making a genuine effort to tell Slaton's story in picture and in type.

When you have a suggestion for a good illustrated story, won't you let us know about it?

Figures Indicate Interest In Pool Rising Steadily

From the two-fold standpoint of number of swimmers and gross receipts, interest in Slaton's municipal swimming pool is picking up, according to figures released this week by Truett Fulcher, pool manager.

During its first six days of operation, the pool averaged 272 swimmers per day, and gross receipts averaged \$76.43 daily.

During the second six days, the number of swimmers averaged a whopping 311 per day, and gross receipts averaged \$89.47 daily.

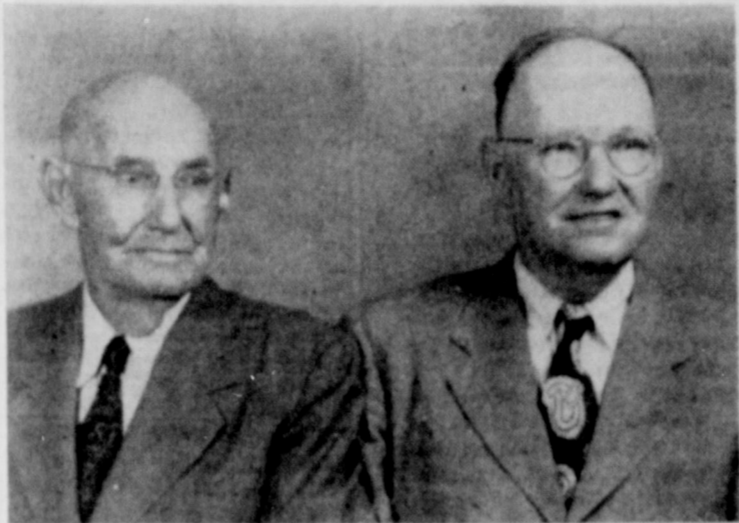
On five of the first dozen days the pool was in operation, paid attendance topped the 300 mark. Biggest day recorded during the period was Sunday, June 14, when 368 area residents sought refuge from the heat in the fan-shaded pool that is proving one of Slaton's most popular gathering spots.

Lightest day to date has been Thursday, June 4, when only 216 paid admissions were recorded. Early this week, Fulcher said, indications were that average pool attendance may go even higher because of the morning swimming classes which began Monday.

Miss Sehon Making A Rapid Recovery Following Accident

Miss Mary Frances Sehon, who suffered first, second and possible third degree burns on her legs and a fractured ankle as a result of a tractor explosion on the Sehon farm June 5, is recovering rapidly. She is now on crutches and hopes to be walking soon.

Mary Frances was severely burned while saving her two-year-old sister, Barbara Jean, from the flames when the explosion occurred as their father, Frank Sehon, filled the gas tank with the tractor motor running. Both girls were on the tractor at the time of the accident. Mary Frances spent five days in Mercy Hospital.



OLDEST FATHER AND FIVE GENERATIONS—J. M. Olive is the first of the five generations pictured above. He is beside his son, right, Andrew J. Olive, Little Rock, Arkansas. Below are Mrs. C. A. Smith, Jr., Texas City, Texas, A. J. Olive's daughter, who is the mother of Mrs. Eva Jean Boner, also of Texas City, the mother of Curba Andra Boner. Mr. Olive also has two daughters, Mrs. Tamsie C. Johnson, Lubbock, and Mrs. Waulsie R. Tucker, Brownsville. He has 14 grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren, and eight great-great-grandchildren.

Five Generations To Be Present As Oldest Dad Observes Father's Day

Slaton's oldest father, J. M. Olive, will be 96 on his next birthday, January 13. His father's day celebration will include a visit from the five generations pictured with him, according to present plans.

Mr. Olive at 95 is a cheerful active man who maintains that the way to feel young is to work hard all one's life. He still works in his yard and garden. His life has been so interesting and so happy that it he could go back and live it over again, he wouldn't change anything. He is planning a big celebration for his hundredth birthday.

J. M. Olive was born in Lawrence County, Tennessee. He first came to Texas in 1878, left in 1880 and returned in 1882. He moved to Slaton in January of 1913, when there were only about 1,000 people living in Slaton and the surrounding territory was open ranch land. He has said that people died in those days of diseases that are now completely controlled by advances in medical science, but it was a lot easier to keep out of the way of the horse and buggy traffic than it is to dodge high powered cars driven by today's reckless drivers. It takes a lot of agility to survive traffic today.

Mr. Olive remembers four wars, five counting the Korean conflict. He remembers the Civil War, Spanish-American War, and two World Wars. The Civil War seemed worst to him because it was closer to him. He thinks there was more

Police Recover Stolen Car With New York License

A stolen car bearing a New York license plate was recovered last week by the Slaton Police Department. The car, a black 1950 Ford tudor was reported stolen June 1 in Jamaica, New York, and found in Slaton Wednesday of last week.

Two unidentified women called in a report that the black Ford had been parked in front of the Lutheran Church on 15th street for two days. It is being stored at Towns Body Shop.

According to police officer W. C. Brush, a letter was received from FBI headquarters in Dallas, stating that the thief, Robert Eugene De Nisco, has been picked up in Albuquerque, New Mexico, with another stolen car. The car recovered in Slaton had no oil, no spare tire, and the heater had been removed, according to Brush.

bloodshed considering the numbers involved and the type of weapons used. If there is any man in Slaton who has lived as long as he has, J. M. Olive will wager he can outrun him in a foot race.

Stresses Continuing Need For Voluntary Curbs On Water Use

Interest Exceeds Expectations As Swimming Classes Enter First Week

Southwestern Bell Sets Open House During Next Week

Open House will be held at the Slaton telephone building, June 24, 25 and 26, J. C. Oakley, manager for the telephone company, announced.

Visitors will get a chance to see the telephone system in action and view several special exhibits, including the company's famous Tick-Tack-Toe machine.

Hours for the open house will be from 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Slaton telephone people will serve as guides for visitors and will explain the operation of the telephone equipment.

"We want to take this opportunity to invite everyone to see our telephone building as well as many interesting exhibits," Oakley said.

Visitors will be able to watch Slaton operators as they make calls to distant cities and see the equipment that makes Slaton's telephone system work.

Among the special exhibits will be a miniature micro-wave radio relay system which will actually beam music over invisible air waves, through the air from a transmitter to a receiver. This exhibit is a working model of the large radio relay systems used to carry long distance telephone calls and television programs between cities.

Visitors will also see a giant overseas radio telephone tube, tiny transmission tube, models of early telephones and many other pieces of telephone equipment.

"We are looking forward to this opportunity of showing Slaton people through our building. We believe it will be of interest to everyone," Oakley said.

Herbert Gaither Buried Thursday

Funeral services were held at the Church of Christ, June 18, at 4 p.m. for Herbert Gaither, 350 Scurry, who died at his home on Wednesday after a final illness of about six weeks. He had been in poor health for a long time.

Andy Burks was officiating minister. Burial was in Englewood cemetery.

Herbert Gaither was born Aug. 24, 1888, at Paris, Tex. He had been a Slaton resident since 1924.

Survivors include his widow; five daughters, Mrs. Coy Hester, San Diego, Calif.; Mrs. Paul Foutz, Sweetwater, Tex.; Mrs. Sam McMenemy, Amarillo, Tex.; Mrs. Mad Radelif, Marshall Town, Iowa, and Mrs. Louis Thompson, Lubbock, Tex.; two brothers, Emmett of Wheatland, Okla.; and Ernest of Washington, D. C.; two sisters, Mrs. C. W. Boyce of Dallas and Mrs. Bill Denton of Dallas; eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Pallbearers were: Roy Mack, Cecil Self, Clark Self, A. J. Hoover, Bentley Page and Horace Crumby.

CAR BADLY BURNED

Slaton volunteer firemen were called northwest of Slaton on Farm Road 400 just prior to 10 o'clock Wednesday night to extinguish a fire in a late model Oldsmobile. According to Fire Chief Elbert Wilson, the car belonged to Marvin Arnold of Ralls, a son of A. W. Arnold, Slaton. Young Arnold and a companion were reportedly en route from Ralls to Slaton when the fire occurred. The finish of the car was badly damaged, and the interior was completely gutted by the blaze.

J. S. Graves of Texhoma, Okla., visited his niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Haddock, Mike and Ann, last week end.

It looks like a good many Slaton residents — particularly the pint-sized ones — want to learn to swim.

So many, in fact, that Pool Manager Truett Fulcher scarcely knows what to do with the approximately 170 people who turned out Monday morning for supervised swimming instruction.

Early in the week, Fulcher announced this decision: to hold the class for ages 13 and up from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. Monday thru Friday for two weeks concluding Friday, June 26, and to hold the class for ages 6 thru 12 from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. during the same period, but to limit the size of the class to 30 pupils to insure adequate personal attention for each pupil.

At initial sessions held Monday morning, 36 people registered for the "13 and up" class, and Fulcher said the number is not too large for adequate supervision and instruction. But more than 130 turned out for the younger class, and Fulcher said many of these would be asked to enroll for later swimming classes "for their own good to insure proper attention to each child."

New classes are planned each two weeks. The next series of classes is slated to get underway on Monday morning, June 29.

Among those who turned out for the 6 thru 12 class Monday (spellings according to their own signatures) were John Clay Foster, Ronald Heinrich, Tommy Foster, Gerald Heinrich, Roy Strube, Gene Talbert, Butch Hollingsworth, Duayne Eklund, Dennis Eklund, Don Caldwell, Larry Talbert, Gary Bailey, Glenna Bailey, Martin Bailey, Mike Genoble, Mike Lovelady, Charles White, Dennis Sharp, Jimmy Heard, Jimbo B., Larry Terry, Mike Kitten, Jim Cox, Doug Pounds, Bobby Elbert, John Ollen, Long, Duane Walter, Rueben Walter, Mike Bain, Bobby Hollingsworth, Jerry Lee Hodge, Donald Crawford, Harvey Pennell, Bill Davis, Johnny Haire, Rodney Callaway, Roger Cummings, Leslie Brown, Mack M., Roy Malone, Billy Tolison, Steve Smith, Roger Camp, Lee Wootton Williams, Tommy Grabber, Larry Meurer.

Mike Todd, Charles Eanes, Don, James Harlan, Butch Hendrix, W. H. Taylor, Mike King, Billy Belote, Earl Kenney, John Frank Davis, (Continued on Back Page)

Announce Eleven Swims For Price Of Ten At Pool

Eleven swims for the price of ten.

That's the substance of a new deal announced this week by Truett Fulcher, manager of Slaton's swimming pool.

Thus adults now can buy a ticket for \$5 which will entitle them to 11 swims, normally costing \$5.50. The tickets will be punched on each trip to the pool, much like meal tickets are used. A teen-ager ticket for 11 swims will cost \$3.50, and a ticket for 11 swims for those 12 years of age and under will cost \$1.50. The duccats are available at the swimming pool.

Fulcher also announced that private swimming parties may be scheduled any night except Wednesdays and Sundays. Minimum fee for such a get-together would be \$12.50 (\$10 for 20 swimmers and \$2.50 lifeguard fee). Private parties may be scheduled for 9 p.m. to 10:30 p.m., Fulcher said.

Each swimmer in a private party will be charged 50c admission, the pool manager explained. Twenty is the minimum number of people required for a private party.

Physical improvements continue at the swimming pool. County crews began work this week to pave the south and west sides of the pool area for parking and to reduce the amount of dust which blows into the pool. Work is expected to be completed shortly.

Unless Slaton residents want to start taking their baths in a teacup, they better voluntarily restrict their use of water for yards and gardens.

That was the word this week from Forrest Davis, city water superintendent.

Davis pointed out that water usage locally is at an all-time peak level because of the current severe drought, and emphasized that the city is pumping the entire capacity of its 15 wells each day and has been doing so since the water shortage became so acute here on Monday, June 8.

It was on that day that local residents used 2,175,000 gallons of water, the most ever consumed in Slaton. Since then, Davis said, usage has averaged slightly in excess of 2,000,000 gallons per day.

Storage Is Low

In city reservoirs for fire-fighting purposes are only 250,000 gallons of water.

"It wouldn't be nearly enough to fight a large-scale fire effectively," Davis stressed, "and that's the chief reason we're asking everyone to cooperate in limiting use of water for yards and gardens."

Prior to June 8, water usage was running in the neighborhood of 1,700,000 gallons per day, but pressure was building up sufficiently at night to meet demands of the day following. Now, however, so many folks have adopted the practice of letting hoses and sprinklers run full blast throughout the night that water pressure is not building up during the night hours, and there's no apparent solution to getting city water pressure back to a satisfactory level for fighting possible fires unless voluntary restriction of water usage is forthcoming, Davis said.

Some Are Cooperating

Commented the water superintendent, "I want to extend my sincere thanks to the many people who have cooperated with us in limiting their use of water. I know many have made a genuine effort to help us ease this situation. But a considerably larger number of folks are going to have to cooperate until rain comes along unless some sort of mandatory water restriction plan will have to be adopted, and that's something we want to stay away from if possible."

The continued heavy usage has resulted not only in a dangerous lowering of water pressure here, but it has also resulted in a gradually decreasing output from the city's 15 water wells, which have been going full blast for about 10 days now, Davis emphasized.

Drilling Continues On No. 1 Clara Hayes; Wildcat Abandoned

Operators have plugged and abandoned the Anderson-Prichard Oil Corp. No. 1 Nancy Fortner, five miles west of Slaton. There were no tests at the total depth.

Total depth is 10,460 feet in the Hickory sand, below the Ellenberger. The venture logged the following tops on an elevation of 3,189 feet: Pennsylvanian lime, 9,345 feet; Atoka, 9534 feet; Mississippian lime, 9,665 feet, and Ellenberger 10,245 feet.

Concho Petroleum Company, Dallas, is drilling a 4,500-foot Clear Fork operation, 1 1/2 miles northwest of Slaton, as No. 1 Clara Hayes, 330 feet from south and west lines of section 50, block 5, GC&SF survey, B.S. & J. Drilling Co. of Wichita Falls had reached a depth of 2,734 feet Tuesday night. Drillers expected to reach scheduled depth within two weeks barring trouble. They were in Anhydrite and shale late Tuesday.

NEED FARM HANDS?

Crews of transient laborers have been asked at the Chamber of Commerce office about farm work. If farmers who need hands will call the Chamber office, 344, secretary-manager Mrs. R. D. Bisbee will act for the Chamber of Commerce in the capacity of a free employment agency. Call Mrs. Bisbee and she will contact the workers who are available.

THIS PROPERTY MEETS
CLEANLINESS STANDARDS
Slaton 1953 Clean-up Campaign

GOT YOURS?—Gummed stickers like the above, printed in blue on a white background, were being given by Boy Scouts on Wednesday to all residences whose premises met minimum standards in the current clean-up campaign which is being conducted here. Stickers were given this

week only in the area south of Lubbock Street. Next week's clean-up will be concentrated on the area north of Lubbock Street. Stickers will be given by the Scouts in that area on Wednesday, June 24, to homes which meet minimum cleanliness standards of the campaign.

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Lubbock, Lynn, Garza Counties, \$2.50. Outside these counties, \$3.00.

Let's Water Sparingly . . .

As this editorial is being written, Slaton is in the middle of one of the worst droughts in recent history.

We normally think of drought as affecting the farmer worst, which is true enough.

But this one has been of such long duration that it's hurting in town, too. Water usage has jumped to new peaks here as local residents try to keep gardens and lawns from dying out.

That's an admirable enough goal, but Water Superintendent Forrest Davis reports that it's having serious consequences. City water reservoirs are at a new low, and the worst of the situation is that should another fire of any stature break out, Slaton's water pressure would not be sufficient to battle it effectively, and the blaze could presumably raze block upon block of residences and businesses.

That's the chief reason why local folks are being asked to voluntarily limit water usage insofar as possible. We're not being asked to refrain from watering our yards . . . but merely to use water in reasonable quantities, and during those hours when it'll do the most good.

Perhaps by the time this editorial appears, the Slaton area will have been blessed with a good rain. That would alleviate the situation for the present.

But if rain doesn't come, it's going to take cooperation on the part of all citizens to keep city water pressure at a safe level for fire-fighting.

Perhaps the best way to understand the importance of voluntary cooperation is to realize that fire might strike YOUR home or YOUR place of business.

Better some droopy tomato plants than a ravaged home. Let's water sparingly until the situation eases.

Do What Comes Naturally

Health authorities are taking a new look at exercise, for two thousand years considered essential to the physical well-being of men, women and children.

Over-exertion, in the form of some of the more violent forms of exercise, has now come to be regarded as one of the dangerous killers loose in the land. With heart diseases causing more deaths every year, some medical men are advising everyone to "take it easy."

They recall that Mark Twain, famous American humorist, was one of the first to puncture the "exercise" theory. Twain wrote that he got all the exercise he needed acting as pailbearer for friends who exercised.

What to do then about exercise? An article in the current issue of Cosmopolitan suggests three rules:

Do what comes naturally. Human beings have a tendency to take automatically the exercise they need.

It's wise to develop enough physical skills to see you through emergencies and broaden your capacity for enjoying life. Swimming is a prime example.

Exercise if you like but don't overdo it. And remember the best exercise in the world is a hearty laugh—it causes the diaphragm to bounce up and down, pats the liver on the back and gives the stomach a pleasant vibration.—Amarillo Daily News.

Why Not A Happy Medium?

The National Association of Home Builders is asking the Federal Housing Administration and the Housing and Home Finance Agency for a 50 per cent reduction in down payments on homes. They argue that the present down payment of about 20 per cent is twice as high as was customary as a minimum in general practice before the war. The government agencies are considering the request primarily on basis of its possible inflationary effect.

Probably 20 per cent is too high. Also, probably 10 per cent is too low. We should be cautious in all potentially inflationary matters. There has been a lull in the inflation boom of recent years, but it could turn out to be the calm before the storm. Why not reduce down payments, say, 15, 20 or even 25 per cent, and wait to see what happens. Reduction to a full 50 per cent of present amounts might be justifiable in the future. But an abrupt reduction of 50 per cent would be hard to reverse, if experience should prove it to be inflationary.

The government agencies are right in giving the possible inflationary effect first consideration. It should be the policy of the government in all matters where inflation is in any way involved as a possibility. By following such a policy a powerful stabilizing effect can be maintained. We might be able to level off at the present stage of prices and costs and stay there indefinitely. Increased standards of living would come from increased efficiency in production of goods.

What this country needs as much as anything else is a government policy of good faith with all the people on all issues. This means consideration of the good of the country, rather than the good of some minority group with votes to sell. — Dallas Morning News.

It's the Law . . .

It is to be hoped that the Department of Public Safety will not again delay enforcement of the state law requiring annual safety inspections for motor vehicles.

News stories from Austin indicate the department plans to take its time beginning enforcement of the modified version passed by the recent Legislature. The head of the inspection division was quoted as saying it was unlikely that inspections could begin by the August 27 effective date of the law. He could not estimate how long it would take to study the details of the legislation and to prepare regulations.

It was that "studying" that held up enforcement of the original bill two years ago. And later it was the detailed "regulations" drafted by the department which caused storms of protest about their severity—and led ultimately to suspension of the law's enforcement.

There were reports that the enforcement agency considered the law too comprehensive and unenforceable, and that its officials set out to make it so. At any rate, it can not be denied that the department was in large measure responsible for failure of the first law.

Now the Legislature has amended the inspection require-

ments. And the Department of Public Safety should get out of the legislative field of government and begin its enforcement function. — Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Touching the Pocketbook

The time for federal tax cutting has not yet arrived; witness a gradually growing support for President Eisenhower's position that the excess profits tax should be continued till the end of the year, when it is hoped that budget balancing will permit this and the personal income tax to be lowered together.

But that doesn't prevent a little wishful scanning of other tax schedules for prospects of reductions on a "when, as, and if" basis. For example, two feminine members of Congress have introduced bills to remove the 20 per cent excise tax on women's handbags.

Apparently this tax came about through the fact that Congress during the war was putting a tax on luggage, and—we hope the ladies will understand—it seemed a little difficult to determine just where a lady's handbag ceased being a handbag and became a piece of luggage.

By similar token, once the lady's handbag had been taxed, it became only fair to lay the same levy on a man's billfold. So here is a tax that hits either man or woman right in the pocketbook even before a dollar has been put into it.

Of course, not all the excise taxes are strictly luxury taxes. Certainly a pocketbook is not a luxury so long as the taxpayer has something to carry in it. The taxes on rail and airline tickets hit a great deal of essential as well as pleasure travel. And gasoline, electric light bulbs, telephone service, and telegrams today fall largely under the heading of necessities.

These areas would seem most eligible for relief when (we hope) reduction of excises becomes possible. Yet to try to do without such taxes now would invite the question of their replacement with a general manufacturers' excise tax or a federal sales tax—either of which is too large a subject even for an article which started out about ladies' handbags. — Christian Science Monitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Buxkemper, Kathleen, Jerry, and Sandra, visited Mr. Buxkemper's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Meurer, Lee, Vernell, and Edward last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Warren, Narda Sue, Rosie, and Don of Chandler Heights, Calif., visited Mr. Warren's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Warren, Dennis and Glen, last Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Bryan Ross and Richard visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morrison last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wilke went to Colorado City last Tuesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rely and son.

Miss Vertha Ratzlaff of Harper, Kansas is visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ray, Dixie Lee and Vickie Lee.

In Hollywood they say films are going to go folksy in hope that the folks will go folksy.

We're a reading people. There were published last year 231,000,000 paper-bound books, both originals and reprints.



Free Air

AT SELF'S SERVICE STATION

Howdy Folk; We wonder if maybe science shouldn't stop worrying so much about where man came from and give more thought about where he's going.

Poor man — he's the only animal that can be skinned more than once.

We heard one wife say her man was a second story man. If she didn't believe his first story, he always had a second one ready.

He's a sure proof that women can take a joke.

Some men work for a living—others become gigolos.

You know what a gigilo is. He's one who believes the world owes him a loving.

Or would you call him a female?

But you can bet your bottom dollar that you'll get your money's worth of courteous auto service at—

SELF'S Service Station

BENSON TO APPEAR AT TECH



Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson will appear for a speaking engagement on the Texas Tech Campus June 27 as part of the American Cotton Congress in Lubbock, June 25-27. Secretary Benson will take part in the Congress Field Day on the campus where individual exhibits will be on display.

USE OF OIL AND GAS RISES

Americans turned from coal to oil and gas heat for their homes in increasing numbers from 1935 to 1951, a recent survey discloses. In 1935, solid fuels furnished more than 80 per cent of the heat used, but only 43 per cent in 1951. The combined contribution of oil and gas rose from 19 per cent to almost 54 per cent in the same length of time.

Mary Lou Ray is in Harper, Kansas visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Henry Ratzlaff. She plans to return about the middle of July. Mary Lou is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ray of Slaton.

Frost on the evaporator of the refrigerator should never be allowed to become more than one-fourth-inch thick.

Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Morrison of Lubbock visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morrison, last Saturday.

Miss Jo Hestand went to Midland last week to visit Mr. and Mrs. Dee Lo Douglas and to see the Midland Rodeo.

Mrs. W. T. Joines and Hubert Creswell went to Brownfield last Thursday to the Brownfield Rodeo.

A FATHER'S HAND



"I HAVE COVERED THEE IN THE SHADOW OF MY HAND." ISA 51:16



HOW LONG Should a Man's Legs Be?

When Abraham Lincoln was asked how long a man's legs ought to be, he replied, appropriately enough, "At least long enough to reach the ground."

A merchant's advertisement in the Slatonite should be long enough - - - and large enough - - - to give his prospective customers a true picture of the goods and services he has to offer them.

Advertising should be geared to the individual merchant's needs - - - too much advertising is just as bad as too little advertising.

The small merchants should have small ads - - - and the large merchants should have large ads - - - Each merchant should be an advertiser.

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Orange Juice
Scrambled Eggs Sausage
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Milk Coffee

DINNER

Broiled Chicken
Potatoes Green Beans
Peach Salad
Parkerhouse Rolls
Lemon Milk Sherbet
Spritz Cookies Iced Tea

SUPPER

Pigs in a Blanket
Boston Baked Beans
Steamed Brown Bread
Fresh Vegetable Relish
White Nut Bread
Cupcakes Fruit Coffee

Production and marketing of cultural products are closely tied and both must be given consideration by producers. A close study of market trends over a period of years and using the market services which are available will prove helpful to producers in their selling operations.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Heard About the Electric Weather Predictor?

Squint Smith built up quite a reputation last month by predicting the weather. What he said usually came true.

It got so that folks would sit around his little Antique Shop just to get his opinion.

Last Monday, though, he said he didn't know what the weather was going to be like next day. That surprised us and when we asked what happened, Squint said, "Slipped up on my electric bill and was turned off. I'll get to my radio again tomorrow though." Squint had been getting



TOOTHLESS TYKE—Admiring his perfect teeth from a distance, three-year-old Billy Siglasky of Chicago, Ill., is one baby without baby teeth. They were replaced at Northwestern University Dental School because of decay. He'll wear the false teeth until his permanent set grows in.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Joines went to Pecos last Sunday to visit Mrs. Joines' father, Claude Reynolds and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Quett of Rock Island, Ill., visited last week with Mrs. Quett's uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Harris and Billy, of Elida, N. M., visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Foerster and Johnny last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jinks Meyers and Larry of Muleshoe visited Mr. and Mrs. Finas Griffin, Carolyn, Frank, Theresa and Wade, last week.

WEST TEXAS ROUNDUP

Brady will be host to a group of Latin American cattlemen Sunday and Monday. Tommy Brook and G. R. White, along with the Chamber of Commerce, will act as hosts to the group.

The Madisonville Sidewalk Cattlemen's Association invited the stockmen to Texas as guests of honor for the annual celebration and reunion which was held Thursday in Madisonville, and after the activities there, the group will make an air tour of Texas ranches, beginning at Longview Saturday.

—The Brady Standard

A bootleg ring which had developed into rather large proportions in Crosbyton in the past few months was at least partially broken Monday morning with the arrest of six Crosbyton persons, including four white men, a woman and a negro man. A total of 30 cases have been filed in county court against the six persons.

—The Crosbyton Review

A. J. Stanphill, 86-year-old long time resident of Andrews county, was placed under a \$500 peace bond in Justice of the Peace O. G. Weatherly's court yesterday.

Charges were filed against the old man after he had unexpectedly whammed Guy McGill, owner of the Andrews Gas Co. on the side of the head with a pop bottle.

Stanphill told Sheriff Floyd Peacock that he and McGill had been at "outs" for three years over a dispute on payment of a gas bill.

The long, smoldering anger of the old timer broke into action yesterday when he saw McGill standing with a group of other men on the sidewalk, watching construction of the new Williams building.

Stanphill, without warning, picked up a pop bottle and laid it above the ear of McGill's head. The utility owner was not seriously injured.

Commented McGill good-naturedly, "You expect those things in the middle of the winter but not here in the middle of a hot summer."

—The Andrews County News

Seminole Volunteer Firemen brought a costly butane fire under control Tuesday after a two-hour battle. Answering an alarm at 100 SW 11 street (Fullerton cut-off) the 9 members found a 1951 GMAC butane truck, carrying approxi-

mately a half load in two 10,000 tanks in full blaze.

Under the direction of Chief Charlie Benson and Captain E. L. Hester, the residential area for a radius of two blocks was immediately cleared in case of an explosion.

The firemen then brought water in contact with the blazing tanks to keep them from exploding.

—Seminole Sentinel

Hail, high winds and torrential rain hit the Olton area a body blow late Sunday afternoon, following up with high winds, sand and more heavy rain late Wednesday.

Here in Olton there was .85 of an inch Sunday, and 2 Wednesday; however it was much heavier at points over the area.

E. W. Johnson, who lives 7 miles northeast of Olton, reported about 1.75 inches of rain with some small hail. Also in that area are J. A. Johnson and Bert Stewart.

Damage was reported at about 50 per cent to young cotton on the C. D. Turner place 6 miles northeast of town.

Mr. Johnson said the rain came from the west northwest in blowing flat gusts. Some washing was reported.

—The Olton Enterprise

A SNEAKING SNAKE SNUCK UP ON HIM

Alan Blum, our correspondent from Pleasant Grove tells of an unusual happening in that neighborhood last Saturday. Clifford Stubbs, a Pleasant Valley resident, was bitten by a copperhead snake while he was working on his combine. The snake crawled up his pants leg and bit him twice before he could get it out.

He was carried to the Clifton Hospital, and was reported to be very sick for a while but returned home Sunday.

—The Hamilton Herald-News

Customers of the city Matador municipal water system on May 22 used the greatest number of gallons ever recorded in a single 24-hour period, according to Water Superintendent Lee Burns. On that date the consumption was 436,000

ATTEND CELEBRATION

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clark and family and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Clark visited relatives at Fort Worth over the week end, June 6-7, and attended a birthday celebration on Sunday for Mr. Clark's father at Grapevine. There were eighty-six present, all relatives of Granddad Clark. He was 97 years old Sunday, June 7.

Summer weather means more and more families will be going to lakes and streams for outings and picnics. Favorite forms of recreation are boating and swimming and both can be very dangerous if the rules of water safety are not observed at all times. Don't, says the state Farm and Ranch Safety Committee, become a statistic by being careless while around, in or on water.

Miss Freida Osgood of Carlsbad, N. M., is visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hogue, Patsy, Linda, Jerry, Johnny, and Jimmy.

gallons as compared with 171,200 on the same date in 1952. Back on May 22, 1951, the consumption was only 92,600 gallons.

—Matador Tribune

Lester Baccaus who farms near Idalou, brought in the first load of wheat to the Ward Mill and Elevator at 2:30 Wednesday, June 3. The wheat was grown in a lake on his farm. The wheat brought \$1.95 per bushel and the moisture content was 10.35.

—The Idalou Beacon

The tedious and arduous job of removing the wreckage left from Sunday's devastating \$250,000 fire in Ruidoso went forward this week as plans were talked for rebuilding two of the seven structures razed or damaged.

—The Ruidoso News

What was described as a miniature tornado destroyed several out-buildings on three farms seven miles west of Littlefield Sunday evening about 8:00 p.m.

—County Wide News

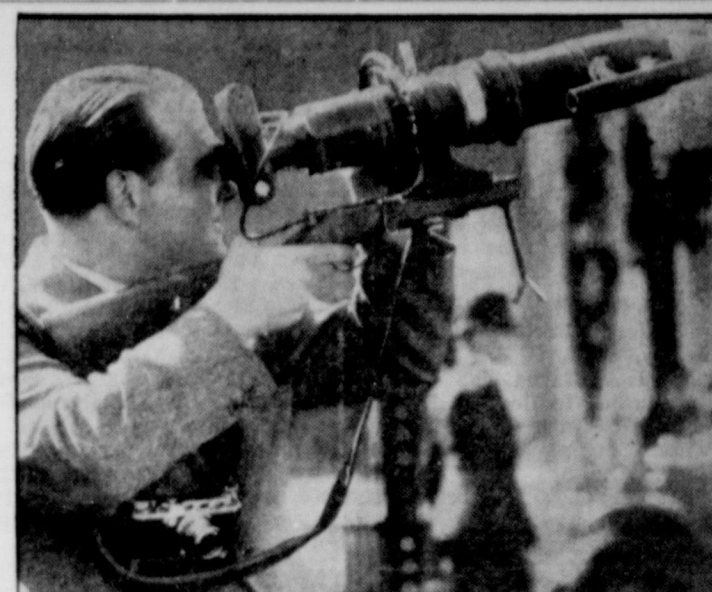


SITTIN' SIPPER

"When in Rome do as you do at home," seems to be the motto of this Arabian gentleman refreshing himself at a bar in the Italian capital. While sitting on a hard floor, he coolly sips a "soft" drink, much to the surprise of the "hard" drink dispenser looking at the back of his turbaned head.

No phase of turkey production offers greater opportunities for cutting costs, increasing profits and growing better birds than does the proper use of range and succulent feeds.

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SCENE SHOOTER—Sighting sights with his specially built gun-camera, Werner Wuensch, West Berlin magazine photographer, is able to make rapid-fire takes on 35-millimeter film. The camera is adapted to long shots with a strong lens attached to the end of the "gun barrel."

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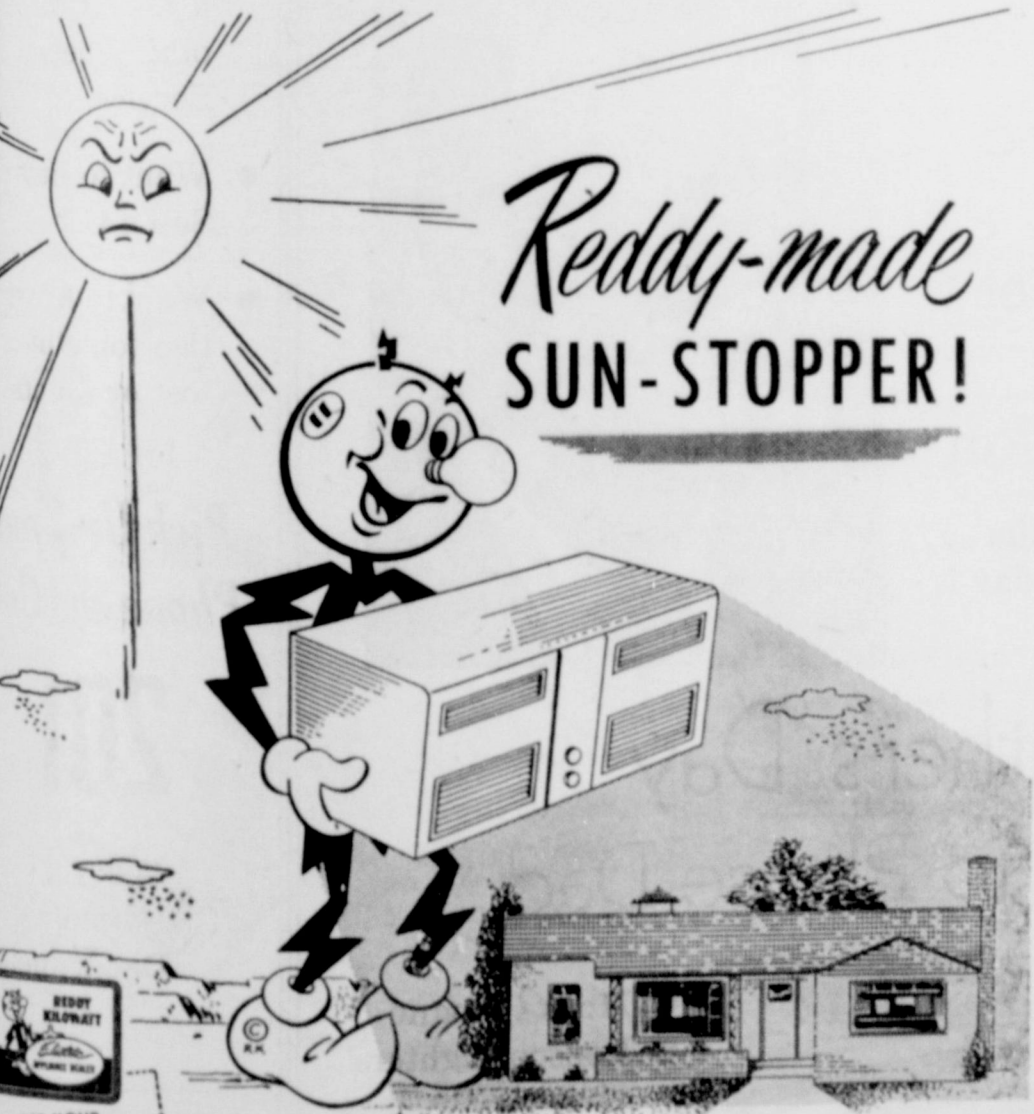
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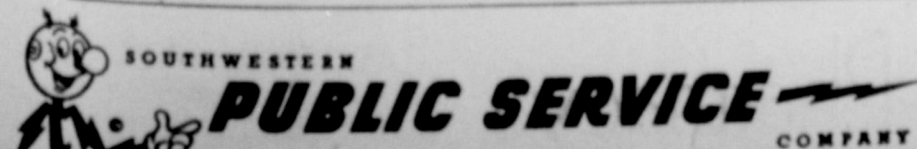
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Southland News
MRS. EDGAR MOSELEY

Mrs. Laree Bradshaw of New Mexico is visiting her father, C. T. Anderson, who is ill.

Jack Hargrove has returned from Dallas where he has been visiting relatives.

Rev. Bruce Oliver made a business trip to Fort Worth last Thursday.

Maj. Jack Martin and family have returned to Roswell, N. M., after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Martin.

Bonnie Lou and Marie Matthis visited Mary Lou Haliburton on Sunday.

James and Buddy Copeland of Mesquite, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cooper, visited in the Jack Hargrove home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jarnie Smithson of Sherman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bloxom.

Sondra Jaq of Roswell, N. M., spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dabbs.

Darla, Charlotte, and Suzanne Hallman of Lubbock spent the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hansell Hallman.

Jerry Dabbs and Helen Richards are visiting in California.

Jettie Juance Crawford and Mrs. J. F. Moore are visiting Mrs. Moore's brother at Cleste, and her sister in Powell.

Mrs. Blanton Martin visited her mother, Mrs. A. F. Davies, recently.

Mrs. Earl Lancaster visited her sister, Mrs. Carl Foster and Snappy last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Smallwood have returned from Midland where they have been visiting little Glen Ramsey, who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Moore of Merkel, Mr. and Mrs. Barron Bryant and son, John, of Abilene, and Ray Herod of Brownfield, visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Martin.

Herman Dabbs and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hallman are in Hico attending the funeral services of Mrs. Charlie Dabbs' mother. Her father is critically ill in a hospital in Stephenville where he and his wife were in a car wreck.

The Boy Scout Troop No. 71 is in Post this week. They were accompanied by Scout Master Leroy Voigt and Assistant Scout Master Dillard Dunn.

The Cub Scouts will spend Saturday night and Sunday in Post.

L. A. Dunn has returned from

Tigers Top Wolves, Lions Bop Bobcats, In Jungle Softball

The Tigers continued their domination of play in the Junior Jungle League Saturday with a rousing 30-8 win over the third-place Wolves, and the fourth-place Lions notched a 12-6 win over the cellar-dwelling Bobcats.

Pio Garcia tallied six times to lead the Spanish-American soft-batters to their lopsided win. Steve Smith had a pair of home runs for the losing cause.

Garcia was on the mound for the Tigers, with Julio Diaz behind the plate. Sammy Wilson and Smith composed the battery for the Wolves.

The Bobcats turned in a stout game against the Lions, but lost their ninth outing in as many starts. Russell Cummings scored twice for the winners, and Gene Talbert tallied a pair for the Bobcats. Randy Sanders did the hurling for the Lions. Roy Malone was his battery mate. Talbert and Butch Hollingsworth composed the losing battery.

Up-to-date league standings include Tigers 8-1, Bears 7-2, Wolves 6-5, Lions 3-7, and Bobcats 0-9.

Contention for permanent possession of the league lead will center around a game scheduled for 9 a.m. this Saturday at West Ward School. The leading Tigers and the runner-up Bears meet in that contest, with the Bears seeking revenge for an early season defeat handed them by the loop leaders.

Should the Bears emerge victorious, they'll be tied with the Tigers for top honors. Should the Tigers win again, however, they'll have a full two-game lead over the Bears and a considerably wider margin over the other three contenders.

In Saturday's second contest, set for 10:30 a.m., the Wolves will tangle with the Lions. Both games will be played at West Ward School.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrell Taylor, Melvin and Leslie, spent the week end at Odessa with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and family. Robert will teach math and woodcraft at Midland High School next year.

Alabama where he has been visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Pauline Stewart, Mrs. Bob Camdon, and Mrs. Arthur Stolle, all attended the funeral of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Lane.



IOWA CRUSOE—Doing his own laundry, as he has for 25 years, Frank Drobot, 69, is comfortable and happy. He lives alone on a rented island in a stone quarry near Davenport, Ia. Keeping him company are 1500 chickens, several pigeons and a dog. "Crusoe" washes his clothes carefully, making every drop count as all water must be carried from the mainland.



PUTTING THE FINGER ON HIM—A group of sightless New York children make a nose and toe inspection of circus clown Gene Lewis at Madison Square Garden. From the Lavelle School for the Blind, the children attended a special circus performance. Seen above, Lewis submits happily to the children as they give him his outside proboscis and feet the once-over.

LAVENDER REUNION HELD

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Eaves attended a reunion of Mrs. Eaves' brothers and sisters in Batiest, Okla., June 7. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Womack of Petersburg; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lavender, Valliant, Okla.; A. C. Lavender, Batiest, Okla.; T. L. Lavender, Hollywood, Calif.; and Mr. and Mrs. Eaves. Mr. and Mrs. Eaves went to Oklahoma June 3, and came back June 8. They went fishing in Clear Creek and caught some nice fish.

IN HOSPITAL

Ben Kattenhoff, who has been in Mercy Hospital since Wednesday of last week, has undergone surgery and is doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCormick of Dallas are visiting friends and relatives in Slaton and Lubbock this week. McCormick is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mack McCormick of Slaton.

Mrs. Stella Smith, Mrs. Harry Deal and Nancy, of Baird, Tex., arrived Wednesday to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hickman. Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Deal and Nancy have been vacationing in Boulder, Colo.

W. O. Townsend, who has been ill, is feeling much better as reported by Mrs. C. D. Kitchens.

Mr. and Mrs. Lottie Poer, 920 S. 18th, returned recently from a week's vacation trip to McNary and White River, Ariz. They were accompanied by their children, Charles and Leroy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Tunnell and daughter, Leonita, J. L. Tunnell, Mr. and Mrs. George Culwell, H. H. White, and Mrs. H. D. White attended the Tunnell family reunion at Stamford Cowboy Reunion Grounds, June 13 and 14. This is an annual affair and approximately 100 people attended.

Week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Thompson, 620 S. 12th, were Mrs. Thompson's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kelton, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Edwards and Rick Edwards of Santa Rita, N. M., were week-end visitors in the W. L. Holloman home on Golf Course Road.

Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Crabtree spent last week end in Temple with Mrs. Crabtree's brother, J. W. Smith of Frost, Tex., who had had a major operation.

BALL TO BUILD

According to building permit records in the office of City Secretary J. J. Maxey, a permit in the amount of \$13,000 was issued on Tuesday to Bill N. Ball for construction of a 65x30 frame residence with asbestos siding at 705 South Seventeenth.

J. D. Lawson attended an Exchange Club Convention in Lubbock last Thursday through Saturday. He returned to Houston Sunday with his wife and daughters, Patsy and Joan, who had been in Slaton visiting Mrs. Lawson's mother, Mrs. Fannie Patterson.

Mrs. Otis Neill, Suzanne, and Mrs. Neill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hord of Lubbock, returned Saturday from a vacation in St. Louis, where they attended baseball games between the St. Louis Browns and the Boston Red Sox. They also spent three days in Eureka Springs, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenard White of Bakersfield, Calif., are visiting Mrs. Whites' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schilling and son of Hale Center visited with relatives and friends in Slaton last week end. They acted as godparents at the christening of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Schilling's baby son.

Mrs. L. L. Duckett was in Mercy Hospital last Friday. She returned home Saturday and is improving.

BROTHER DIES

Mr. Johnny Houston of Tatum, N. M., brother of Mrs. C. L. Ellis of Slaton, died June 16. Funeral services were conducted June 18 at 2 p.m. in Tatum.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eaves, Mary Beth Eaves and Patsy Campbell left Tuesday for a week's fishing trip near Durango, Colorado.

Mrs. John Landreth of Topeka, Kansas, was a recent visitor in Slaton.

The thick, ungainly tail of the Gila monster acts as a food reservoir storing up nourishment for the reptile to be used during times when forage is scarce. When food is plentiful, the tail becomes thick and swollen. When food is scarce, the tail is thin and attenuated.

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Research with the mold remedy, aureomycin, has resulted in a medicine believed to cure the African cattle plague known as Rhodesian fever. The drug is administered by injections into the animals' veins.

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City Commission To Study Directorship For Dam Authority

The Slaton City Commission in the near future will be asked to name a local resident to the board of directors of the Canadian River Municipal Water Authority according to terms set forth in Canadian River Dam legislation passed by the recent Texas Legislature, it was explained Tuesday by City Secretary J. J. Maxey.

There are 12 cities in the Canadian compact, each of which will be entitled to at least one director on the board. The original plan was to have a five-member board appointed by the State Water Board, but recent legislation altered that plan so that each city would be represented on the governing body.

Compact cities with 10,000 or more population according to the last federal census will be entitled to two directors. Compact cities with less than 10,000 residents will be entitled to one director.

The cities include Slaton, O'Donnell, Tahoka, Brownfield, Littlefield, Levelland, Borger, Pampa, Amarillo, Plainview, Lubbock and Lamesa.

According to terms of the legislation which calls for the establishment of the board of directors, none of these may be city employes, nor may they be members of the city's governing body. The law stipulates that each director be a property-owning taxpayer residing within the city limits.

The law calls for the members of the board to be named by the city's governing body—in Slaton's case, the city commission.

Next city commission meeting is scheduled for Monday, June 22.

Mr. A. A. DeVore, and his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Thornton, and their granddaughter, Carolyn Sue Shew, of LaMarque, Tex., are visiting Mr. Thornton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thornton.

Card of Thanks
I wish to thank my friends for the flowers and gifts and their visits to the hospital and my home following the farm accident in which I was burned. Those expressions of friendship have meant so much to me.
Mary Frances Sebon

KNIGHTS VISIT IN THE W. E. PAYNE HOME HERE

Dr. William R. Knight, III, and his wife, Dr. Beatrice Payne Knight, and their children, Betty Camille, Susan, and Catheran, of Houston are visiting Mrs. Knight's parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Payne, this week.

Dr. Knight is an obstetrician and his wife specializes in allergies. The children are learning to swim in the new swimming pool.

GROCERY IS REMODELED

Remodeling was begun at the Drive-In Food Market Tuesday. They are enlarging, modernizing, putting in new fixtures, a new poultry and fresh fish case, a self-service meat box, and new flooring. The remodeling is expected to be finished in about six weeks. They plan to stay open during the remodeling.

Mr. and Mrs. Lois Merrell, Patty, Peggy, and Robby, have just returned from a two week's vacation. They toured parts of Old Mexico, took the coastal route to Birmingham, Ala., where they visited the Bernie Blevins family and finished their trip with Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Merrell in Oklahoma City, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Swartz and children of Phoenix, Ariz., have been visiting Mrs. Swartz's parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson, and Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hogue and family. The Swartzs were vacationing in Flint, Mich., when the tornado hit that town only eight blocks from where they were. Mrs. Swartz said she had the scare of her life.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ward of San Angelo arrived in Slaton Saturday afternoon and had supper with the W. T. Slaughters. Sunday morning they accompanied Mrs. Claude L. Ward to Fort Eustis, Va., where she will join her husband who is in service. They pulled a trailer house. The J. W. Wards will return by train.

Gregory Tomlinson is spending this week in Post visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Tomlinson.

Rev. P. J. Burns, former Slaton pastor, is now pastor of the First Christian Church, Selman City, Tex. New address for the Burns family is Box 128, Selman City.

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POSTERS GET INVITATION TO MEET IN SLATON

Members of the Pecos Rodeo boosters met at the city limits last afternoon and brought to the City Hall lawn by a Slaton City escort. They presented a program of western music and costumes and members of the band used coubells and post-ers to advertise the 24th annual rodeo of the Pecos Rodeo to be held July 23-45 at Pecos, the site of the world's first rodeo. The Pecosites were promoting the coming rodeo, two Slatonites, swimmers Sue Corley and Mary McCoy, did a little program for their own city. They invited the Slaton's new sky blue delegation to return Friday for a swim. The invitation was accepted with alacrity.

ES Holds Regular Meeting On June 9

The first regular meeting of the year for the O.E.S. was held last evening, June 9, at the City Hall. Worthy Matron, Mrs. C. S. Johnson, presided. T. Smith as Sentinel and Daisy Wilson as Warder were aided with the Deputy Grand Master, Mrs. Fannie Patterson, as installing officer, and Mrs. J. M. J. Nelson gave a talk on the O.E.S. Officers were: Mesdames O. B. Johnson, Lee Vardy, C. E. Smith, J. Cox, Dean L. Gilliland and Cora Sealy.

Lutheran W. M. S. Meets On Wednesday

Mrs. C. M. McPherson and Mrs. Russell were hostesses for the Lutheran Women's Missionary Society at the Lutheran Parish on June 10.

Mrs. Bob Camden gave the opening scripture and prayer. Seven department chairmen gave inspirational talks on their departments.

Mrs. Arthur Stolle gave the reading of the Bible Study on Samuel I. Refreshments were served to 13 members and one guest, Mrs. C. McPherson, Sr., of Gainesville.

Boyer-Butler Vows To Be Read In July

Mrs. N. R. Boyce of Route 2, announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Bonnie, to Billy Butler, son of Mr. Mrs. J. B. Butler.

The wedding will take place July at the First Baptist Church in Slaton.

Mrs. S. S. Brasfield of Slaton arrived Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hamblin.

Mrs. G. E. Taylor went to Haynesville, La., Monday because of the critical illness of Mr. Taylor's aunt, Mrs. Addie Kirk.

Robby Celebrates On His Sixth Birthday

Robby Edmondson was honored with a party on his sixth birthday, Wednesday, June 10, at his home, 750 So. Tenth St.

Robby's cake was yellow with green trim reading, "Happy Birthday, Robby." Small individual cakes of green and yellow were served with ice cream cones. Plate favors were toy speed boats.

Guests were Larry Coffee, Larry Smith, Sue Walston, Larry Moeller, Hyden Edmondson III, Deanie Hatchett, Bobby Harlan, Tom Davis, Patty Oates, Doug DuBose, Rosie Walston, Phyllis Jo Brewer, Cindy Spikes, Alan Miles, Byron Johnson, Deborah DeMoss, Cherie Woolever, Bill Samples, Carl and Michael Hunter, Gail Coleman, Dubbin Englund, Kyle Page, Bob Brake, Jackie Sue and Cindy Clark, Charlie Henzler, and Freddie Melton.

Guest mothers were Mesdames Bennie Moeller, D. W. Walston, and Travis Melton.

Kahlachs Vacation Two Weeks In Texas

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kahlach and their granddaughter, Carolyn Hildebrand of Lubbock, returned on June 9 from a two week vacation. They attended the graduation of their grandson, Dennis Goehring, of San Marcus. They also attended the wedding of Mr. Kahlach's nephew, Norman Kahlach to Miss Joyce Hildebrand, at Westhoff.

They visited Mrs. Kahlach's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Mueller, Delores and Jo Ann in Cuero, and her sister, Mrs. E. W. Heider in Orange Grove, where they also visited Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Boehm.

They went to Corpus Christi to visit other relatives and to Floresville to visit Mrs. Kahlach's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Duerer. On the way back they stopped in Fredrickburg to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bill Schuette, formerly of Slaton.

Dusty Millers Prove More Than Nuisance

Dusty Millers have proven a nuisance to everyone recently, but to Mrs. Albert Zettle they are more than a nuisance.

One of the dusty little bugs got in her ear about 1:30 a.m. Monday while she was asleep and she had to call a doctor to have it removed. Mrs. Zettle says it's a terrible sensation to have something like that buzzing around in your head. She is warning her friends to put cotton in their ears before going to sleep in a room that has dusty millers in it and what room doesn't these days?

GRIFFINS ATTEND WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Finas Griffin, Wade, Theresa, and Carolyn attended the wedding Sunday of Miss Wanda Lee Todd and Rev. David W. Hamblin at the First Methodist Church in Plainview, at 4:00 p.m. Miss Todd is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Todd. Rev. Todd was formerly pastor of the Wilson and Union Methodist Churches. Rev. Hamblin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hamblin of Shallowater.

"Summa Cum Laude"



Miss Betty Joyce Young

Betty Joyce Young Receives Degree; Will Teach School

Miss Betty Joyce Young, formerly of Slaton, graduated with great distinction from San Jose State College, San Jose, California, on June 12. Miss Young is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alton L. Young, 2771 G. St., San Bernardino, California, and the granddaughter of Mr. M. B. Tate of 200 East Lubbock St., Slaton.

Betty Joyce took a B. A. degree with an Education major and English minor. She served Kappa Phi as art chairman, and at the recent farewell breakfast of this organization, she was chosen the most outstanding senior, on the basis of grade point average, and was awarded a beautiful white Bible.

She was a member of the California Student Teacher's Association, and was a delegate to the April Executive Council Convention in San Francisco. She is a member of Kappa Delta Pi, national honorary educational fraternity.

Miss Young is a graduate of San Bernardino High School and of San Bernardino Valley College. She has signed a contract and accepted a position as elementary school teacher in the Whittier School District, Whittier, California.

Lottie Moon Circle Gives Royal Service Program Mon. Nite

The Lottie Moon Circle of the First Baptist Church held a Royal Service Program in the home of Mrs. Clyde Shaw, on the Gordon road, Monday evening at 7:30.

Following a short business meeting a program on Baptist Schools and Colleges was given with Nella Lemon and Rebecca Bolding taking part.

Ice cream and cake were served to sixteen members and three visitors.

H.D. Club Meets In F. H. Griffin Home

The Union Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday afternoon in the F. H. Griffin home. Miss Clara Pratt gave a demonstration on food for the home freezer.

Miss Pratt prepared and served a meat loaf combined with sliced pineapple.

Others attending were Mesdames F. A. Nelson, H. M. Morrison, E. C. Craddock, H. M. Cade, Wagner Goode, and Dick Cade.

Workers Return From Ceta Junior Camp

Mrs. W. P. Layne, Betty Sue, Mrs. Nan Tudor and Betty Jane Clark returned Friday afternoon from the Methodist Camp, Ceta Canyon, where Mrs. Layne directed a junior camp for the Lubbock and Brownfield districts. A total of 107 juniors and 21 counselors attended, including two Slaton juniors, Donna Wilke and Richard Edwards.

Betty Sue, assisted by Betty Jane, directed the singing and musical games. Mrs. Tudor was pianist and camp librarian.

Zettles To Move To California In July

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Zettle plan to move to California July 1. They hope to take over management of a motel at Englewood. They recently completed a course of training in Motel management at Clovis, New Mexico.

The Zettles have been Slaton residents for 2 1/2 years. Mr. Zettle is a mechanic by trade and has been employed at Conner's garage.

Forrest Davis, city water superintendent, was in Kermit Tuesday afternoon for a meeting of the Permian Basin Water & Sewer Operators' Association.

Society Clubs

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THE SLATON SLATONITE FRIDAY, JUNE 19, 1953

Rainbow Girls And Sponsors Make Trip To Grand Assembly

Twenty-two Rainbow Girls and three adults from Slaton will join a group of eighteen girls and two adults from Levelland in a trip to Grand Assembly at Galveston in a chartered bus. They will attend meetings, banquets, breakfasts, socials, including a beach party, and will stay at a tourist court overlooking the bay. They will leave June 20 and return June 26.

Mesdames Bruce Pember, W. J. Thomas and Dudley Berry will accompany Joan Haliburton, Barbara Wilke, Janice Gordon, Helen Ann Norris, Linda Smith, Judy Thomas, Viola Mae Walton, Jeannette Burrell, Shirley Saage, Mae Lela Wyatt, Karen Deavers.

Joan Pember; Barbara McCoy, Marian Foster, Annette Wilson, Ova Sue Wilson, Billy Parmer, Beverly Kercheval, Nancy Moseley, Mary Ann Klattenhoff, Nancy Clifton, and Sue Hodge.

Linda Grabber Has Party On Birthday

Linda Grabber was honored on her sixth birthday with a party given by her mother, Mrs. Francis Grabber, on Tuesday afternoon, June 16.

Guests who attended were: Judy, Mike, Gordon, and Kathryn Kitten; Debra Kayser; Sharon and Gary Wimmer; James Grabber; Kathleen and Jerry Buxkemper; Tommy Grabber; Theresa Ann and Alvis Joe Loke. Linda's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Neud and Mr. Joe Grabber, also attended.

Ice cream, cake and punch with plate favors were served to the guests.

Bride-elect Honored At Ice Cream Party

An ice cream party honoring Weldon Becker and Miss Mazie Wolkshire, who are to be married on June 19, was held Monday night at the home of Miss Pat Holloman, Golf Course Road.

Other than the honorees and the hostess, guests included Charles Becker, Walter Lee Bednarz, Curtis Wilson, and Misses Kay Porter, Linda German and Geraldine Maxey.

Gifts presented Miss Brookshire included table cloth and napkins, sheets and pillow cases, double boiler, set of knives, and a rolling pin.

Wilson Home Scene Of Class Meeting

The Willing Workers Sunday School Class of the Westview Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. A. L. Wilson for a business and social meeting.

Opening prayer was by Mrs. George Green. Roll call was answered with memory verses. Mrs. Vaughn brought the devotional.

After reports were given, home made ice cream, cookies and drinks were served to nine members and one visitor.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. J. W. Scott.

W.S.C.S. Meets In W. R. Wilson Home

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. W. R. Wilson in a year book and pledge program Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. D. Barry gave the meditation. Mesdames J. T. Scourlock, A. L. Robertson, Nan Tudor, W. R. Wilson, and Joe Walker, Jr., conducted the Pledge Program. The theme was "God's Plan-All One Family."

There were twenty-five present. India Circle was hostess.

Informal Coke Party Honors Mrs. Kunkel

Mrs. Lewis Hollingsworth gave an informal coke party Wednesday afternoon, June 10, in honor of Mrs. Melvin Kunkel, wife of the new Southwestern Public Service manager in Slaton.

Coke, nuts and mints were served to about forty guests.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Gregory returned Monday from a visit in Washington, D. C., with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lanier.



HOOVER-BROWN VOWS EXCHANGED IN A DOUBLE RING CEREMONY

Bobby L. Hoover, Minister of the Church of Christ in Plainview, Texas, and brother of the bride officiated at a double ring ceremony Monday at 8:30 P. M. which united Miss Myrna Ruth Hoover and Mr. George Thomas Brown.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hoover, 850 S. 12th Street, Slaton, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Brown of 2512 20th Street, Lubbock, Texas, are the parents of the groom.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a dusty rose pink wool, gaberdine two-piece suit, navy blue purse and shoes. Her hat and gloves were white. For something old she wore a rhinestone pin belonging to her grandmother; something new was a rhinestone bracelet, a gift from the groom. For something borrowed she carried a lace handkerchief belonging to her mother. Her shoulder corsage was a blue carnations and lily of the valley. The penny in her shoe was given to her by Holly Dodson Simms, the best man.

Mrs. Charles Stotts of El Paso, Texas attended the bride as Matron of honor. She wore a pale blue two-piece suit with accessories of pink and a shoulder corsage of pink carnations. Arlie Hoover, brother of the bride, lighted the candles while the Horace Coffman Chorus sang: "I Love You Truly," "Because," and "O Promise Me."

The couple exchanged vows before an arch covered with fern and pink gladioluses flanked on both sides with tall candle holders. They knelt on a white satin and lace covered kneeling bench while the officiating Minister said the prayer.

A reception followed immediately after the ceremony. The bride's table was laid with a hand crocheted cloth centered with a large mirror on which sat a three tiered cake topped with three large wedding bells. After the cake was cut by the bride and bridegroom, it was served to relatives and friends by Mrs. Delma Hodge. Punch was poured by Mrs. J. C. Powers.

The couple left immediately after the reception in a shower of rice and old shoes for a wedding trip to Denver, Colorado. They will be at home in Lubbock.

The bride is a '53 graduate of Slaton High School. The bridegroom is a graduate of Smyre High School. He is a veteran of the Korean War, having spent two years in Japan and one in Korea. He is employed at Swift Packing Company.

A gift was presented to both Dr. and Mrs. Timmins.

Blackerby Home Is Scene Of Club Meet

The Bluebonnet Club met last Wednesday with Mrs. Don Blackerby, with 14 members present. Each member answered roll call by relating a kindness shown her by someone. After the business session the group played canasta. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. R. C. Sanner.

Week's Question . . .

Separate Vacations Not Popular With Majority Of Slaton Couples

Recent Marriage Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walters of Slaton announce the marriage of their daughter, Billie Saage, to George Gamble, son of Mrs. M. D. Gamble, of Route 1, Slaton.

The double ring ceremony was read in the First Baptist Church at Jayton with the bride's uncle, Rev. V. D. Walters, officiating.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a white linen dress with navy accessories and a corsage of pink carnations. Mrs. Troy Lester, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Joe Gamble served his brother as best man.

A reception was held at the church following the wedding. After a wedding trip, the couple is at home on Route 1, Slaton.

Ray Kittens Return From Nebraska Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kitten returned from a trip to Nebraska Saturday. They had been there to visit Mrs. Kitten's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Steffens, who is in St. Mary's Hospital in Nebraska City, Nebraska.

Mrs. Steffens suffered a heart attack on Sunday, June 7. Mr. and Mrs. Kitten report Mrs. Steffens as being much better.

Women's Fellowship Meets In Smith Home

The Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian Church met Monday, June 8, in the home of Mrs. J. A. Smith, with eleven members present.

The lesson theme was given by Mrs. W. T. Davis, Jr., a Revue on Africa.

The next meeting will be July 13 in the home of Mrs. A. H. Shelton.

MES AMIES TO MEET

The Mes Amies Club will meet Friday, June 26, at 7 p.m. in the home of Mrs. J. P. Haliburton, 630 South 11th St.

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NEW ARRIVALS IN SLATON

Born on June 13 to Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Anderle, Route 2, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 7 lbs. 14 ozs.

Born on June 14 to Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Fowler, Route 2, Post, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 6 lbs. 10 ozs.

Born on June 14 to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse DeLeon, Route 4, Lubbock, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 8 lbs. 7 ozs.

Born on June 15 to Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Gifford, Jr., 510 N. Quirt, Lubbock, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 8 lbs. 13 3/4 ozs.

Born on June 16 to Mr. and Mrs. Roland McCormick, 2020 63rd St., Lubbock, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 9 lbs. 5 ozs.

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BY VERN SANFORD
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN, Tex.—Return of the Tidelands' title to the states by the federal government does not write fins to the long, dramatic story of submerged lands.

Texas, for example, owns the lands under the Gulf of Mexico to a distance of 10.3 miles (or three leagues). Beyond that line, the "continental shelf" is the property of the federal government.

It is expected that now the tidelands controversy is settled, both the state and the federal government will start leasing land for oil development.

What will that do? Will great production from the continental shelf cut down the demand for Texas (including tidelands) oil?

These are questions that remain to be answered, and they have considerable significance for Texans, because the oil industry is the state's greatest taxpayer.

If, for example, the tidelands produce heavily and provide a tremendous revenue to the state, other tax sources will not have to be tapped heavily.

If, on the other hand, the continental shelf becomes a major oil producer, the tax revenue will go to the federal government, and Texas taxpayers will suffer accordingly.

Answers to the questions posed here may be long in coming, but in the meantime there are bound to be many columns of newspaper space devoted to them.

Top issues are involved. For instance, if the tidelands yield sufficient tax revenue, the teachers' pay can be increased—and therein lies one of the hottest governmental issues in Texas today.

It is an issue, by the way, that will certainly figure outstandingly in the political campaigns of next summer.

You may be certain that prospective candidates, who are writing their platforms now, are putting the question of teacher pay at the top of their lists.

There remains, of course, the possibility that a special session of the legislature may solve the problem by providing more money for teachers.

Even so, teacher pay will remain a political issue, both in state and local races.

Legislators seeking re-election may in some instances have a hard time if it is shown that they opposed the \$600 per month pay increase for teachers.

Current demand for Texas oil was boosted when the Exchange Crude Oil Purchasing Company of Dallas offered to buy from the state 15,000 barrels of oil per day for a price two per cent or five cents a barrel above the top market price.

New Mexico already has accepted a similar proposal, which is part of an overall project to operate a pipeline from Midland to Los Angeles.

The West Coast Pipeline Company would operate the 960-mile facility, which would cost a billion dollars and carry a total of 300,000 barrels of crude per day.

Land Commissioner Bascom Giles said he would probably ask for more money for the Texas crude, and that a decision on the offer would be made in about two weeks.

The state supreme court upheld its former decision by ruling against rehearing two test cases attacking the natural gas "gathering" tax.

This tax was passed by the 1951

Hodges Transfers; Family Moves To San Angelo Friday

Mr. and Mrs. Marion C. Hodges and their children, Jordan, Carol Sue, Jolane and John, left Slaton last week for San Angelo, where they will make their home. They were moved Friday by Brush Motor Freight.

The Hodges family lived in Slaton for the past sixteen years, and they say they are going to miss their friends, but Mr. and Mrs. Hodges have always had a desire to go back to San Angelo, where they lived a few weeks the first summer they were married. Mr. Hodges is a Santa Fe employee.

GADDY'S VISIT RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gaddy, Claudia, Charles Marshall, and Colleen, of Pecos, visited last week with Mrs. Gaddy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Griffin, and with Mrs. Gaddy's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Finas Griffin, Frank, Wade, Theresa, and Carolyn. Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gaddy made a trip to Houston to visit Mr. Gaddy's father, W. B. Gaddy of Lubbock, who is a patient in a cancer research center.

Another provision is that counties may vote to permit sale of alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption only. That would put the beer tavern out of the picture.

Four illicit stills were seized by Texas Liquor Control Board agents during April, and Coke R. Stevenson, Jr., the board's administrator commented that high federal taxes on whiskey encourages moonshining.

The administrator recalled that the national conference of liquor administrators, recently held in Minneapolis, passed a resolution asking the federal government to reduce taxes on whiskey so that it

can be sold at a price that is more competitive with the moonshine.

State employees will henceforth get seven cents per mile travel allowance on their cars, instead of the former six cents. The raise was provided for in a bill which the governor has signed. . . . Jefferson Davis' birthday was mighty quiet here; not only the banks but most state offices were closed.

THIS and THAT FROM HERE and THERE

Once Over Lightly—

Speaking of rain, and I do so on both knees with a supplicating eye to heaven, I remember all the times I groused because of being stuck on muddy roads, drowned out on a picnic, or having my newest straw turned into a scalloped haystack. No more griping for me on that subject. I hereby decree that if the good Lord will give us an inch of rain in the next seven days, I will joyfully push a peanut, with my long, inquisitive nose, from the O'Rear Grocery into the City Cafe, where I will bust the kiddies' piggy bank and buy coffee for everybody—upon my oath as a Lion! Now get to it, Mother Nature, and I'll do my part!

—The Lorenzo Tribune

Trail Dust—

Perhaps I do not possess the ability to time my insight with the racing motor of current trends. I have the sensation that my wheels are spinning and that I am caught on a high center. I have just become aware of a new custom which makes it convenient for housewives to place dampened clothes in the refrigerator until they wish to iron. I have no quarrel with the girls but this is the season of the year when a man is apt to need a little refrigerator space for his own purposes. Looking into an ice box full of wet-down garments fails to arouse my ethereal impulses.

—Matador Tribune

It Sez Here—

We don't know how to approach this subject with the proper degree of delicacy, but June 20 has been officially designated as Expectant Fathers' Day. Amazingly, the following day, June 21, is Father's Day, and unless we're mistaken this sets up one of the shortest incubation periods in human history! Any one planning to observe June 20 may call at The Banner office for full particulars.

—The Ralls Banner

Town Topics—

Seems like even in tragedy the selfishness and greed of human beings rears its ugly head. Recently two Texas cities sustained heavy damage from devastating tornadoes. From the looks of Waco, where we visited last week end, we would say that the insurance companies were among the heaviest losers. But we were told that many efforts of individuals to defraud the companies were scandalous. In some instances property which wasn't even scratched was either removed or destroyed by the owners so that 100 per cent loss could be claimed. Poor, short-sighted humanity

hasn't yet learned that when it seeks to cheat insurance companies, cities, schools or the federal government, it is only cheating itself by encouraging higher insurance premiums and higher taxes.

—The Tulla Herald

Edlines—

In the remark of the week department was this one, heard Sunday evening, three hours after the swimming pool opened. "Wouldn't you know it, we wait several years for a ready way to beat the heat of a summer afternoon in Morton, and the day the pool opens, we get a flood from the sky!"

We're proud the "flood" hit the area of the county that hadn't received any appreciable benefit from the past two rainstorms that hit this area.

—Morton Tribune

Pen Feathers—

Robert Williams and Geo. Chambliss were discussing the coronation of England's queen and Robert had ventured the remark that he was glad it is over. To switch the conversation he said, "Where can I get someone to get a swarm of bees out of the ceiling?"

"Why, they're not swarming," said George, "their just holding a coronation for the queen bee. It's that season of the year."

Hamilton Hank says: Watch out whenever you start to strut. The peacock of today often becomes tomorrow's feather duster.

—The Hamilton Herald-News

Cracker Barrel—

Heard a salesman at Thompson Bros. talking the other day. What he had to say just shows how American industry has been able to convert disaster into triumph and grow.

Company he was talking about used to make tents for Indians. Then the government stepped in and made it next to impossible for Indians to live in tents. Tent business went ker ploioie over night.

They started making covers for covered wagons. Then came Model T jitney. No more covered wagons. They started making something else until now the same company is manufacturing irrigation canvas and furniture.

—The Olton Enterprise

Just Between You, Me, And The Gatepost—

Did you notice last Wednesday the weatherman said there was no moisture in sight but at least we would get to look at some clouds. It was really a novel experience too because most people

in these parts had not seen a cloud for such a long time it was hard to recognize one. But we must have faith and remember the old saying, "When it rains it pours," someone once said.

—The Canyon News

Getting Out On The Limb—

One reason they planned the Coronation so far in advance was so the Queen could get baby sitters.

—The Post Dispatch

SUFFERS INJURY IN FALL

Mrs. J. L. Jones suffered a broken shoulder and a broken wrist as the result of a fall from the porch of her home at 245 S. 6th St., last Monday morning. She spent three days in the hospital last week. She is doing nicely according to her daughters-in-law, Mrs. J. C. Jones. Her daughters, Mrs. Tom Nall of Hamlin and Mrs. L. B. Miers of Rotan are staying with her this week until she is able to go to stay with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones, of Posey.

Randal Creswell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Creswell, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Joines and Donna.

Bobby Jones and Johnny Hogue visited last week with Johnny's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Rogers of Valley Mills, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith of Glazier, Tex., visited Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. W. H. Smith, and his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Scott.



DON'T SLIP—It would wash Jim P. Jones back on step backward, he'd land at the bottom of the Grand Canyon. Jones is cleaning windows of the Lodge overlooking the canyon's rim in Grand Canyon National Park, Arizona.

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WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS"

By C. WILSON HARDER

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Yet, the report does state that in Paris, for example, MSA employees are paid considerably higher than comparable salaries in Washington, D. C., that employees' standards of living are creating envy and criticism in foreign lands; and that many employees are maintaining large homes staffed with servants.

In Italy, the investigators found an abundant labor supply, which the report states is an attraction to private capital. Military spending in Italy should be continued, it is recommended, with the provision, however, that U. S. dollars should be spent in Italy for Italian made goods.

It is also recommended that the U. S. purchase in Italy autos, textiles, and food.

This last item causes great amusement in Washington.

Facts are—Italy does not produce enough food to feed her own; the U. S. has given millions in food to Italy to prevent starvation. Yet, the "experts" say U. S. should buy food in Italy.

Also significant was unanimous agreement where to cut MSA spending.

The cut, it is recommended, should be made in MSA information services, which report where and when American tax dollars are spent abroad.

Stripped of surplus words, the report recommends:

1. That U. S. permanently continue to spend billions abroad.
2. That no protection be given U. S. small business or agriculture.
3. That no prohibitions be retained barring use of U. S. taxes to build European monopolies.
4. That the public be told less about what is going on.

Studying Markets Is Aid To Farmer

Production and marketing are closely related and must be given consideration by farmers and ranchmen in the day to day operation of their businesses. In the recently announced 9-Point Livestock and Poultry Improvement Program for Texas, two of the 9-points emphasize the importance and inter-dependence of production and marketing.

C. H. Bates, farm management specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, says effective production practices involve the output of commodities desired by the trade and in volume large enough to justify their handling by buyers. Thus, growers should join with neighbors in producing livestock, livestock products or crops of high quality in order to command the attention of buyers. He cites the broiler industry which has grown in recent years to large proportions in areas of east and north central Texas as an example of efficient production which was designed for volume marketing.

Producers, explains the specialist, probably should devote more time to the study of market trends over a period of years. It could prove profitable. For example, if market hogs are at peak prices in September and October and again in April, it would certainly be profitable to plan breeding and feeding schedules to catch these markets. Market news information helps producers establish the true value of their products and also reflects consumer demand.

It is worth noting, says Bates, that as livestock prices have declined during the past several months, the demand has lessened for the common or low-grade animals. Efficient production, he says, also means preparing for the channels of trade, the type and quality of product demanded by the consumers. The penalty for offering products of undesirable qualities is lower prices.

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Regardless of his name, the main diet of the sparrow hawk is made up of grasshoppers.

Termites can live thirty years or more.

Our New Texas Laws

By John Ben Shepperd
Attorney General of Texas

Second of a series of three articles by the Attorney General of Texas relative to laws recently enacted by the 53rd Legislature.

Of particular interest to sportsmen are several general provisions added to our game and fish conservation laws. Formerly, a person's hunting or fishing license was automatically revoked if he was convicted of violating any game laws. Now, the court must determine if the license will be revoked, suspended or left in force.

A total of 53 laws governing the taking of fish, minnows, quail, turkeys, pheasants, deer, squirrel, oysters, and fox were enacted. All of these acts have only county-wide application.

A resolution was passed which instructed the Legislative Council to study our present game laws and report back to the next session of the Legislature. This might be a step to eliminate some of more than 1200 different laws governing the taking of wildlife in Texas.

Another law of general interest relates to persons who drive while intoxicated. It is now provided that upon conviction, a jail sentence from 3 days to 2 years may be imposed (a judge may allow a suspended sentence of 6 months) AND a fine of from \$50 to \$500.

For a number of years, a non-resident could operate his car over our highways and when involved in an accident almost always escape paying any damages. If he did pay damages, the cost of suing him in another state took most of what was recovered.

Now, these nonresidents may be sued by serving the State Highway Commissioner. Texas is among the last of the states to adopt this procedure.

Another law extends educational benefits to Korean War veterans and their orphan children by permitting them to enter state colleges without paying tuition charges.

If a person entitled to an old age assistance check, or aid to the blind or dependent children's check, is alive on the first day of the month or when his check is issued and then dies, the Department of Public Welfare may endorse the check and make it payable to the person who took care of the person before he died.

For a number of years the Federal Communications Commission has prohibited a radio station from editing any political speeches. Texas law has provided that the station would be liable for any libelous or slanderous statement going

over the airways of the station.

Our new law now provides that where a radio or television station is not allowed to censor the material, it cannot be held liable for damages. Although the person making the statements can still be sued, it appears that our political campaigns will warm up.

A number of tax bills were discussed but not acted upon by the Legislature, but one passed which reduced the admission tax for picture shows, plays, etc., where the admission charge exceeds \$80. That same bill also repealed the state tax on free passes. Another tax bill passed which repealed one of the duplicate taxes set up in two different places. Independent school districts were also given wider taxing powers.

Looking at the 53rd Legislature and the session of two years ago, some interesting comparisons may be made. A total of 927 bills were introduced in the House this year as compared with 831 in 1951. In the Senate, 354 were introduced this session as compared with 475 last session. This year, 462 bills were passed by both Houses and sent to the Governor for signature, while 540 were sent to the Governor in 1951.

(The final article will deal with interesting laws signed since adjournment of the Legislature and the bills on the Governor's desk.)

The muskrat is the most important fur animal in the United States and where it occurs it puts a high economic value on otherwise waste swamp land.

The speed limit within the city limits is 30 miles per hour, day or night. Slaton Citizens Traffic Commission.

The good driver takes pride in the operation of a motor vehicle and tries constantly to improve. Slaton Citizens Traffic Commission.

The famous Douglas fir tree is not a fir tree. It is a false hemlock. Neither is the red cedar a cedar. It is a true cypress.

If you are involved in a traffic accident, you are required to file a written report to the Texas Department of Public Safety within 24 hours. Slaton Citizens Traffic Commission.

THE SLATON SLATONITE FRIDAY, JUNE 19, 1953

Probably the deepest diving duck is the Old Squaw. They have been accidentally caught in fish nets 180 feet below the surface.

The muskrat is not a rat. He is an amphibious rodent and should be called a "musquash."

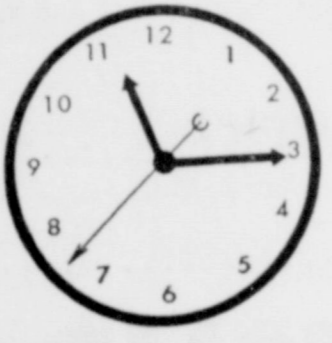
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Joines, Rev. Marshall Stewart, and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Johns went to a singing at Grassland June 7.

Not "right of way" when driving, but simple way of right. Slaton Citizens Traffic Commission.

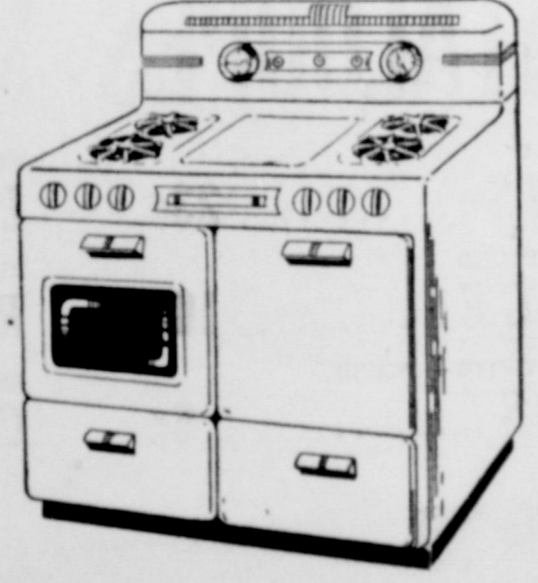
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Trio Of Slatonites Get Top Assignments For Jamboree Trek

Three Slaton Scouts and one local Scout leader who will be members of National Jamboree Troop 32 participated in a two-day "boot camp" preparation program held Friday and Saturday at the Boy Scout office campground in Lubbock.

Those who participated were J. L. Mayhew, Jr., Billy Earl Caldwell, and Mackie Klattenhoff, all members of Troop 29 here, and L. B. Hagerman, local Boy Scout executive.

The get-together was held chiefly to discuss the group's plans for the trip to the Third National Boy Scout Jamboree to be held at the Irvine Ranch near Santa Ana, California, July 17-23.

Jamboree Troop 32—which includes Scouts and Scout leaders from Slaton, Tulla, Lamesa, Lubbock and Sundown—will travel as a unit via chartered bus to the big July meeting.

At the week-end preparation session, Billy Earl Caldwell was named one of four patrol leaders for the trip; J. L. Mayhew, Jr. was named official scribe for the trip, and Hagerman was named one of two assistant Scoutmasters.

Jamboree Troop 32 will include four eight-member patrols, a quartermaster, a scribe, a senior patrol leader, and three leaders. Other officials in the group include W. A. Hood of Lubbock, Scoutmaster; Don Elliott of Lubbock, senior patrol leader; Frank Ford of Lubbock, assistant Scoutmaster, and Tommy Kooger of Lamesa, quartermaster.

The troop will leave Lubbock at 7 a.m. Thursday, July 9, and will return to Lubbock on Sunday night, July 26.

INTEREST EXCEEDS—

(Continued from Page 1)

Robert Hoffman, Howard Hoffman, Ronald Welch, Steven E. Ball, Larry Delaney, Billy H. Ayflor, Rodney W. Aylor, Allen Lee Rinner, Danny Kitten, Mike Ball, Sharon Heinrich, Dolores Heinrich, Sue Delaney, Rhonda Eanes, Kay Vivian.

Elaine Pickens, Dana Lou Heaton, Susannah Robertson, Ruth Robertson, Carol Ann Self, Cherie Arrants, Paulette Dowell, Suzanne Neill, Catha Walker, Linda Walker, Effie Hollingsworth, Karen Buxkemper, Debra Kayser, Jane Ann Thompson, Sue Ann Reed, Pat King, Linda Davies, Nelda Tolison, Carolyn Elter, Irene Tomlinson, Linda Cox.

Nelda Ray, Barbara Ann Arrants, Judy Carole Davis, Karen Henry, Mina Suzanne Cooper, Jannet Hollingsworth, Linda Hillhoit, Glenda Bownds, Laura Isbell, Helen Catchings, Donna Wilke, Joanne Thomas, Linda Sue, Kelly Davies, Carol Jeanette Price, Sylvia Jean Cole, Willie Mae Walter, Stephanie Johnson, Peggy Draper, Linda Brown, Trena Kay Spradley, Linda Mae Shelton, Sharon Boyd.

LaNelle Heinrich, DeEtta Buxkemper, Linda Mae Buxkemper, Martha Ann Strube, Betty Joyce Green, Camille Knight, Susan Knight, Judy Ann Kitten, Dixie Marlene Mudgett, Terry Lee Mudgett, Reba Sharp, Joy Olive, Kaye Kincer, Dwaina Little, Charlotte Sue Liles, Sharon Kay Perdue, and Deanna Cole.

There's no charge for the classes other than the standard admittance charge to the pool.

Fulcher re-emphasized this week that in event sufficient interest should develop, a night class for adult beginners may be scheduled. Starting time for such a class—designed to meet the needs of those who work days—would be about 9 p.m.

Judy and John Hyatt of Portland, Oregon will arrive this week end for a month's visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilson. They are the children of Mrs. Wilson's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hyatt.

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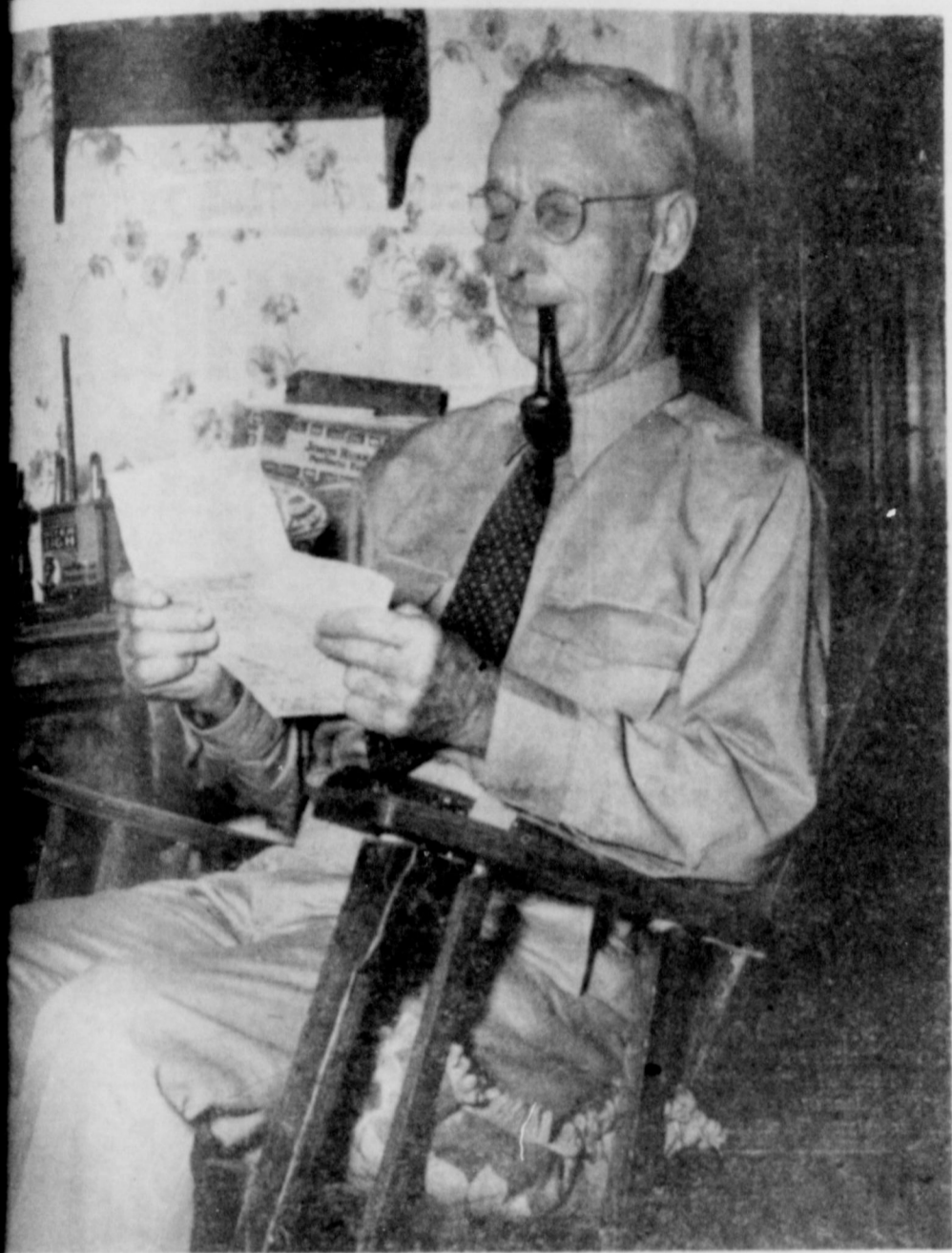
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IT'S DADS DAY

ONE OF TWELVE WILL BE HONORED SUNDAY



Herman Schilling sits in the rocker that has been "his chair" for many years, surrounded by his pipe collection and tobacco and his collection of books by his favorite author, Zane Grey. He reads a letter from Pvt. Joe Schilling, only one of his twelve children who will not be present at a Father's Day Dinner in the living room Sunday.

Seven of the twelve Schilling children are married and there are eighteen grandchildren. The Schilling clan gathers Sunday to pay tribute to "Papa," there will be 38 people present. "That's too many to seat at the table," says Schilling, "so we feed them army style, show line."

The children are: Mrs. Hubert Schwertner, Lawrence Schilling, Mrs. Albert Kuss, Walter Schilling, Mrs. Rudy Schwertner, Mrs. Oscar Schwertner, the seven married children; and Joe, Leon, Ronnie, Donnie, and Lilly Ann. Lawrence, Walter and Edward were in service during World War II. Joe is now with the army in Germany. Leon has had his physical and Ronnie has registered.

Herman Schilling was a cowboy when he came to this country in 1914. Now, with the help of his sons, he is farming 480 acres with four irrigation wells, but he still likes to wear boots and western style hats, and he enjoys Zane Grey's western novels. (Staff Photo by Richard Perry)

By Rusty Kitten

A tribute to Slaton fathers and to father-son, father-daughter relationships is the large number of family business associations involving fathers and children now existing in Slaton. Does any other city this size have as many?

In many cases there is a father-son partnership, in others sons or daughters work with their fathers in the same business. Among the many associations of this type are Ray Ayers and Bob at Ray C. Ayers and Son, Inc.; David and Coy Biggs at Biggs and Son Machine Shop; J. D. Holt and Leroy at Slaton Pharmacy; C. C. Cox and Cliff at White Auto; Francis Perry and Richard at the Slatonite; Loyd Tucker and Harold at Loyd and Harold Tucker Oil Co.; J. H. Brewer and Phil at J. H. Brewer Insurance Agency; M. A. Pember, Bruce Pember and Bruce's son-in-law, Dick Cheatham, at Pember Insurance Agency; W. T. Davis Sr. and W. T., Jr. at Slaton Lumber Co.; Wallace King and Gertrude at Kings Variety; Doc Crow and Don at Crow Chevrolet; O. Z. Ball and Bill at O. Z. Ball and Co.; O. D. Kenney and Wayne at O. D. Kenney Auto Parts; Fred Schmidt and Fred, Jr. at Model Grocery and Slaton Hardware; Clark Self and Clark, Jr. at Slaton Furniture Co.; Tip Kendrick and Don at Kendrick Pontiac; L. E. Brasfield and Bob at Brasfield Plumbing until February of '53 when L. E. retired; C. T. Reed and Wesley at Reed Service Station; Howard Swanner and Tommy both are employed by Citizens State Bank; and you will think of others.

Working together for the summer are H. C. and Geraldine Maxey, Charlie and Viola Mae Walton, Bland and Gregory Tomlinson, Barney, Deljuan, Jimella and Mary Ann Wilson, Adolph and Donald Spradley, O. M. and Bobby Baxley, Leo Henzler and Leo, Jr., Truett and Rodney Fulcher, Ben, Roger and Bobby Sokoll, Herbert and Gerald Heinrich, Robert and Victor Joe Huser, and many others.

Working for the Santa Fe runs in families too. Among the father-children combinations employed by Santa Fe are: Jack Pearson and Jack, Jr.; R. C. Tanner and Donna Todd, and Donna's father-in-law, R. H. Todd; K. C. Scott and June Spikes; Mike Grochowsky and Leon; S. T. Phillips and Sam, Jr.; C. T. Scroggins and G. H. and C. W.; R. L. Smith, Jr. and Bobby; Dudley Berry and Lyle; J. B. Spears and Norman; Fred Sultor and Dwayne; Claude Young and Lori Ann Lamb; C. B. Terfertilizer and Duane, now in service; J. R. Lamb and Calvin and Wayne; D. T. Keese and Ted; G. A. Payne and Blanton; W. M. Gaston and J. A.; R. C. Sanner and W. R.; J. F. Miles and Joe E.; T. L. Yeager and Perry; I. G. Smith and Don; C. L. Hatch and C. W.; Bert McDonald and W. L.; Leo Wendel and Allard and Jake, now in service; J. C. Pevsers and H. G. and Leon; H. T. Arnold and W. C.; B. H. Cooper and C. B. and W. D.; J. B. Huckabay and Jerry; J. L. Scott, retired, has a son J. L. working at the roundhouse. You may have thought of a dozen more.

Most farm boys work with their fathers from the time they are old enough to handle equipment. Many of them work out father-son partnerships. Among the father-son farmers in the area are Walter and Louis Porsch; J. J. and Joe Kitten; August and A. J. Kitten; Victor and Roy Lee Heinrich; Otto, Walter and Franklin Heinrich; Joe and Joe D. Heinrich; Herman, Leon, Ronnie and Donnie Schilling and many others.

Another Slaton boy who is following in his father's footsteps is J. T. Bolding, Jr., son of Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Bolding. J. T., Jr. is a licensed minister now doing missionary work in Oklahoma in the section where his father first started preaching.

It's a real compliment to Slaton fathers that so many sons have chosen to follow their fathers' professions, and that so many have chosen to work with them as partners or employees.

Mrs. L. G. Bain left Wednesday afternoon to go to Amarillo to visit her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Jones and children. Mr. and Mrs. Jones recently purchased the Wagon Wheel Motel in Amarillo.

Mrs. C. M. Warren and sons of Meadow were visitors Sunday in the E. D. Bloxom home. Mrs. Warren and Mrs. Bloxom are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Smithson and family of Sherman, are visiting the Bloxom families of Slaton and Southland.

RAILROADING RUNS IN FAMILIES - FATHER AND SON WORK TOGETHER



Jack Pearson and his son, Jack, Jr., are civil engineers who work together at Santa Fe. Jack Pearson, Sr. has been with Santa Fe for about 15 years. Jack, Jr. has been working with him in the engineering department for a year and a half. There are many

railroading families in Slaton, but not all the family groups are in the same line of work or working out of the same office. (Photo by B. Fredric de Vries)

For Father's Day - A Man's Recipe For Succulent Salad For Summer Suppers

"For a real fresher-upper and the ultimate in gastronomic enjoyment at the end of a scorching summer day," says B. Fredric de Vries, photographer gourmet "nothing beats a salad—a Frigid-fresh Tossed Salad." Here is what you need: Crisp iceberg lettuce. Solid red tomatoes. Firm avocados. Green peppers. Raw carrots. French dressing. Salad oil. All must be well chilled before using.

Cut out the core of the head of lettuce and hold the head upside down under a faucet of strong running water. Wash thoroughly. Cut up the amount of lettuce desired in a large wooden bowl. Add about 1 tablespoon of salad oil (for an average size head) and toss the lettuce until every piece is completely covered with oil. Skin the tomatoes. An easy way

to do this is to stick a fork into the center of the fruit and hold over a gas flame until the skin pops. It can then be easily peeled off the tomato. Cut the tomatoes vertically rather than horizontally, and keep them in a separate dish.

Cut the raw carrots into wafer-thin slices. Core the peppers and remove the seeds. Cut the peppers into circle slices or rings. Carefully peel the avocados and cut in half the long way to remove the seed. Slice the avocado vertically.

Put everything in a large wooden bowl. Pour in as much French dressing as desired and thoroughly toss the ingredients with a wooden fork and spoon. Serve immediately.

This salad is a favorite with all members of the de Vries household, Fredric, Marinell, and seven-year-old David. They say it is especially good with barbecued chicken.

B. Fredric de Vries has been a resident of Slaton for the past three years. He and Marinell share their profession and many hobbies. They have received the highest honors that the profession can bestow upon photographers. And bus man's holiday style, they enjoy taking pictures as a hobby. They like their work as much in the hobby field as in the professional field.

They both decided about two years ago that they'd like to play the organ, and have advanced admirably without instruction. They enjoy traveling. Fredric has traveled in 40 of the 48 States and he and Marinell have covered the country coast to coast from New York to California and from Wisconsin to Mexico in the last three years. They have a map of the United States on which they have spotted all the places they have visited together in the past

three years. They are in great demand as platform personalities at photographic conventions and have presented 41 programs.

Fredric de Vries interests are varied. He sang bass in a barber shop quartet and was interlocutor in a minstrel show for which he wrote the script. He once won three automobiles in 6 months, two of them in one week, by entering contests in which he wrote on what he liked best about the different models.

A graduate of the University of Wisconsin, he has worked in advertising, selling and merchandising.

Guests in the W. T. Slaughter home Saturday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ward and son, Jimmy, of San Angelo.

Mrs. L. C. McCullough, Larry, Ray, and Jimmie, of Post, and Joe Pat McCullough of Brownfield, visited Mrs. McCullough's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Brasfield, Sunday.

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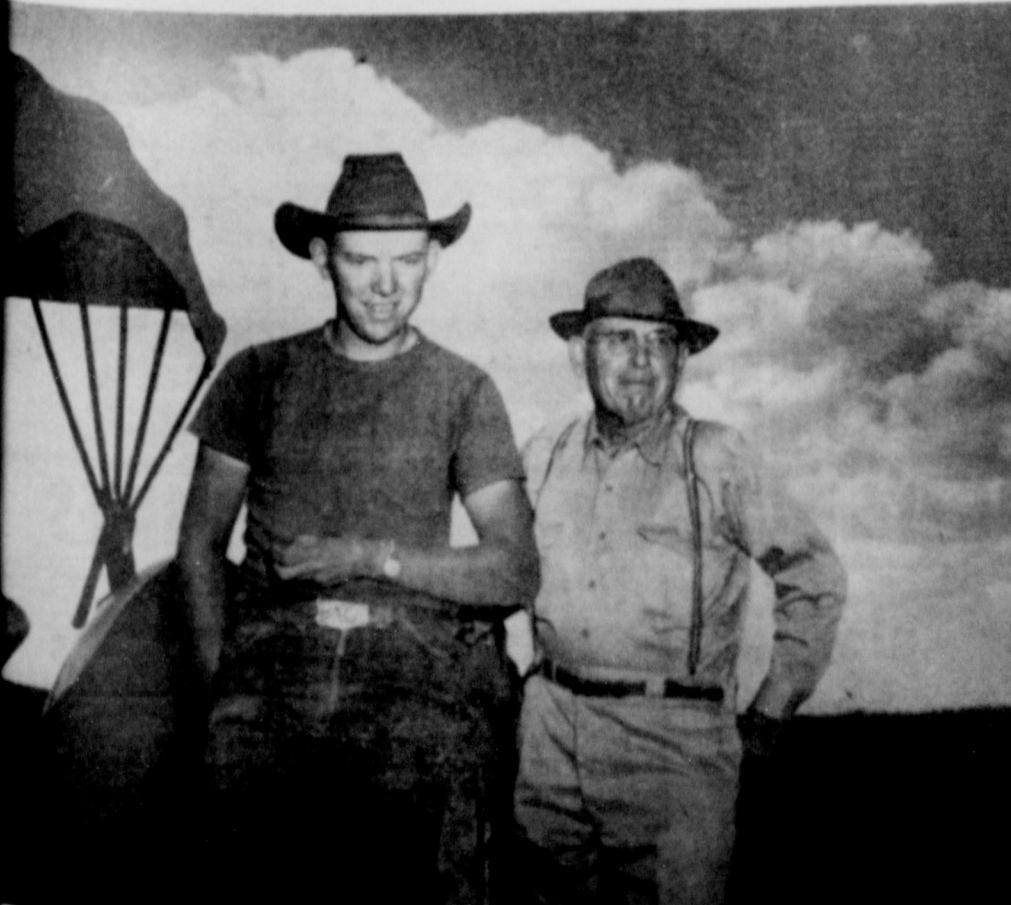
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Mrs. Cora Sealy and her twin daughters, Mrs. C. E. Hicks of Meadow, will spend two weeks at the Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Martin and daughters, Linda and Judy, attended a Martin family dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Thornton at Estacado Thursday night, June 11.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bolding, Xan and Phillip, of Fort Worth plan to spend this week end with Mr. Bolding's brother and family, Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Bolding and Rebecca.

FATHER AND SON FARMING COMBINATION



Walter Porsch and his father, Walter Porsch, have 2 acres with 2 irrigation wells, 137 acres of alfalfa and 42 rented. They have cotton and maize on all but about 10 acres, which is in sudan grass. The two have worked together since the son was small, but the son has been doing all the farm work since his father's operation. The Porsch family has a big yard with flowers and trees and the animals one used to expect to find on a farm before farmers started going to town for their produce. They have chickens, white turkeys, guineas, cows, goats, and pigs. These animals supply meat and eggs for the family's use. (Staff Photo by Richard Perry)

ONE OF SLATON'S MANY FATHER AND SON BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS



Robert E. Ayers volunteered for the Naval Air Corps in 1941, when he would normally have gone into business with his father had we not been at war. He received his service discharge and became a partner in Ray C. Ayers and Son, Inc. in 1946. In that same year Ray Ayers' son-in-law, Robert Hall Davis, went into

the business. Mr. Ray Ayers says, "My wife and I are very lucky. We have a son-in-law and a daughter-in-law who are like another son and daughter to us." They have four grandchildren. (Staff Photo by Richard Perry)



With a worried look, King Feisal of Iraq stands and salutes as the band plays his nation's national anthem. Watching him, at left, is Iraqi Premier Jamil El-Mafdal. At right is seen a soldier, who also is saluting while the anthem is played.

Mr. and Mrs. Will B. Anthony of Fort Worth, visited with Mr. Anthony's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Anthony, and with Mr. Atthony's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cox, last week end.

Marilyn Gilmore of Turkey, visited her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Vardy, Richard and James, last week end.

Cliff Cox went to Hereford Sunday to visit his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cocanougher, and Mr. and Mrs. Jap Dickerson.

Among the Saturday afternoon golfers at Brownfield were Lee Vardy, A. C. Strickland, Doc Reasner, and Francis Perry.

Jet Pilot Flies To Slaton For Leave

Lt. Bill E. Maycumber, of Detroit, Mich., flew to Slaton last Saturday morning to spend the day with his wife and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cudd.

Maycumber flew from Detroit to Shreveport, La. in 3 1/2 hours, left Lt. Al Crews there and flew on to Lubbock in one hour, in a jet plane.

Maycumber left Lubbock Sunday morning at 10:00 a.m. to go to Amarillo to refuel, then back by Shreveport to pick up Lt. Crews, and return to Detroit.

Maycumber will leave Saturday, June 20, to go to Italy where he will be stationed. He has served two years and has two more to serve.

Mrs. Maycumber plans to join him in Italy in November. Maycumber is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Maycumber of Fresno, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rodgers and Mrs. Rodgers' mother, Mrs. Andy Gillispie, of Lubbock, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wootton.

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PLANNING NOW

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Planning the laying flock really begins before chicks are purchased. However, as the seasons change and fall housing time comes closer, the poultryman naturally gives more attention to flock selection and requirements.

It is necessary to develop the young pullets carefully through the growing period. This calls for well-balanced feeding and sound sanitation. Although the range—a good range, that is—provides economical nourishment as well as clean surroundings, care is required to keep the birds doing well during this time.

Watch General Development

Nor is it too early to be looking at the young pullets from the standpoint of future production. Even at an early age, general development can be ascertained; if a young chicken is obviously a runt (perhaps as the result of an earlier infection), that bird should be culled early. The principle of profitable poultry production is always to keep the birds that (will) pay for their keep—and only those birds.

Another item to be considering during this period is the accommodation for the future laying flock. Houses are not built overnight, and it pays to consider carefully what needs the flock will have. Proper construction, insulation, ventilation, and labor-saving devices are all to be examined when the laying house is being built—or when a house is being remodeled.

Size Of Flock

The size of your future flock is important. With conditions as they are today in poultry-raising, the laying flock of 400 or more is the coming thing. For any raiser who wants to make a good profit from his enterprise, the larger flock seems to be a necessity.

Labor costs go down and production efficiency increases with the size of the flock. With the aid of certain labor-saving devices, a man can care for nearly twice as many layers in large flocks as in small flocks.

These are some of the things to be thinking of several weeks in advance of the laying season. Forethought and planning in the poultry program often make the difference between outstanding success and success that's "just fair."

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SPORT SHIRTS

Outstanding Assortment

You'll be amazed at such high quality at this low price. Smartly styled for Dress, For Casual, For Sport. Wonderful summer fabrics to beat the heat. Favorite colors, Two-way collars, Handy pockets.

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MEN'S BROADCLOTH DRESS SHIRTS

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Fine quality, perfect fitting broadcloths in Whites or colors. Sanforized shrunk for lasting fit. An amazing value at this low sale price. You'll want several when you see them. Neck sizes 14 to 17, Sleeve Lengths 32 to 35.

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DO YOU REMEMBER?

ONE YEAR AGO IN SLATON

Taken from June 20, 1952

City wide recreation for boys between the 7 and 16 got underway this week with approximately 150 participants enrolled on Wednesday and more expected to turn out for the latter part of the week.

FIVE YEARS AGO IN SLATON

Taken from June 18, 1948

A group of representatives of the Texas Memorial Museum, under the direction of the University of Texas, who have been working on the W. E. Smart Ranch, in the Canyon near Slaton, uncovered several prehistoric remains during their investigations this week.

The City Sanitation Department has finished pouring oil on the shallow water pools in and around Slaton to control the mosquitoes, and it is hoped that those attending the soft ball games in the Slaton park will not be pestered so full of holes this summer.

Weather conditions allowing the second Round Robin of the Tri-County Softball League will be completed at the Slaton Softball Park tonight.

For the first time in many years the water situation in Slaton is under control for the summer, said Mayor Lee Wootton this week. Two new wells have been drilled on the city proper in the southwest part of town and it is expected that the water will be available through the water pipes of Slaton within the next 30 days.

On Sunday afternoon, June 13, at 5:30 Miss Ruth Austin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Austin of Slaton, became the bride of William Conner Crawford, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Creed Crawford of Roswell, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Taylor entertained friends and relatives honoring the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Billingsley, whose forty-sixth wedding anniversary was June 10.

On Saturday afternoon, between the hours of four and six, Mrs. J. H. Brewer entertained friends with an informal tea, at which honor guests were her daughter, Mrs. Bill McDavid of Waco, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. H. Brewer, Jr., who recently moved to Slaton from Winter Haven, Fla.

TEN YEARS AGO IN SLATON

Taken from June 18, 1943

Several people reported a small tornado over Slaton last Monday night at about 8:30. A distinct funnel dipped down from a slow mov-

ing black cloud that went over the town, but the funnel never did reach the ground.

A canning center where preparation of all kinds of fruits and vegetables may be done by approved methods will be opened next Monday at the West Ward School under the sponsorship of the Vocational Agriculture Department of the Slaton Independent School System, in connection with the War Food Preservation program.

The surgical dressing room reports that 1500 combination dressings were folded last week. The quota for June is high and more help is needed.

Don and Danny are the names of twin boys born to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Edwards, Jr., Thursday, June 10, at Mercy Hospital.

The U.S.O. is not getting enough magazines and playing cards to meet the requests of the service men who pass through Slaton and would like to have the people of this section to bring in any magazines that are of current issue and playing cards.

Mrs. J. D. Holt, who for the past two years has been developing a crop of sage, has gathered her second year's yield and is drying it for the market. She can make no estimate of how much dried sage she will have, but says she feels sure that her venture will prove profitable, as the price per pound is most attractive. Due to the fact that most all sage used in this country was imported before the war, the scarcity has put a premium on native grown products.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Grochowsky of this city are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Gertrude, to Staff Sergeant David Hawk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hawk of Bicknell, Ind. The ceremony was performed by Chaplain Francis B. Flanagan at 9 o'clock, May 22, at the Post Chapel at Fort Knox, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jobe of Slaton are announcing the marriage of their son, Charles, to Miss Carmille Bartlett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett of Corsicana, Texas. The wedding took place Sunday, June 13, at the Rectory of the Church of the Immaculate Conception in Corsicana, Rev. Msgr. V. Graffeo officiating with the single ring ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Davis, Gary and Terry, went to Littlefield to visit Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hutson, and Mr. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Davis, last week end. Gary will spend a week in the homes of his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Pember, Bruce and Maybelle, spent last week end in Ruidoso, N. M.



During approximately three years of fighting in Korea, casualties have been almost four times greater for the Reds than for UN forces as seen in the above chart. Official figures recently released reveal American losses to be 24,119 dead, 199,665 wounded, 11,345 missing. South Korean casualties are 256,991. The 15 other nations fighting on the UN side reported a total of 2559 dead, 9056 wounded, 1596 missing. Officially estimated total casualties for Red Chinese forces are 1,895,000. North Korean casualties are estimated at 802,000.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Patterson, Carolyn and Otis Neal, of Olton visited Mr. Patterson's mother, Mrs. Fannie Patterson, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bates, Mrs. and Mrs. Larry Dorn, of Lubbock, and D. C. Stubblefield of Colorado City, visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Crow and baby, last week end.

Posey Items

R. L. BOYD

Edward Maeker, who has been in service for about four weeks is now stationed at Camp Roberts, Calif.

Rochelle Boyd has gone to Houston for a month's visit. She will go from there to Canada for a trip with an aunt and uncle.

An oil well is being drilled on the Raymond Hayes farm. C. B. MacGowan has returned home after working in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Chapa and children have gone to California for the cherry picking season. Mrs. Oma Hester Blythe Burns who died Wednesday was buried

Friday at Slaton. Besides the husband, Mr. W. E. Burns, two children, Henry Blythe and Mrs. James Brumelow, survived.

A child of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Townsend is recovering from illness.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Raymond Boyd have been Mrs. Bell Nogalles of Williams, Ariz., and Mrs. Bertha Downer of Hot Springs, N. M.

An old oil well which was drilled to a depth of about 4,000 feet several years ago is soon to be re-opened and drilled deeper on the V-8 Ranch.

Ed Maeker and Joe Loke were fishing at Lake Umbarger the last of the week. They reported catch-

ing about fifty fish. Some dry farmers say they may not plant a cotton crop even if conditions become favorable.

Dan Cook of Lubbock was visiting Claude Adams and other relatives Thursday.

Mrs. Ella L. Neisert, of Glen Elder, Kansas arrived Wednesday for a short visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. German, Eugene, Linda, and Roland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Barron of San Angelo are visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Barron.



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FOR SALE: Two bedroom house, 935 W. Crosby, with garage, fenced in back yard. \$9000. \$1600 cash for equity. Now has \$7422 FHA loan with \$61 monthly payments, including taxes and insurance. Call Don Raines. 33-tfc

FOR SALE: 4 new 15x6-70 Firestone tires, air compressor, neon generators and tubing. Oran McWilliams, Ph. 755. 34-1tc

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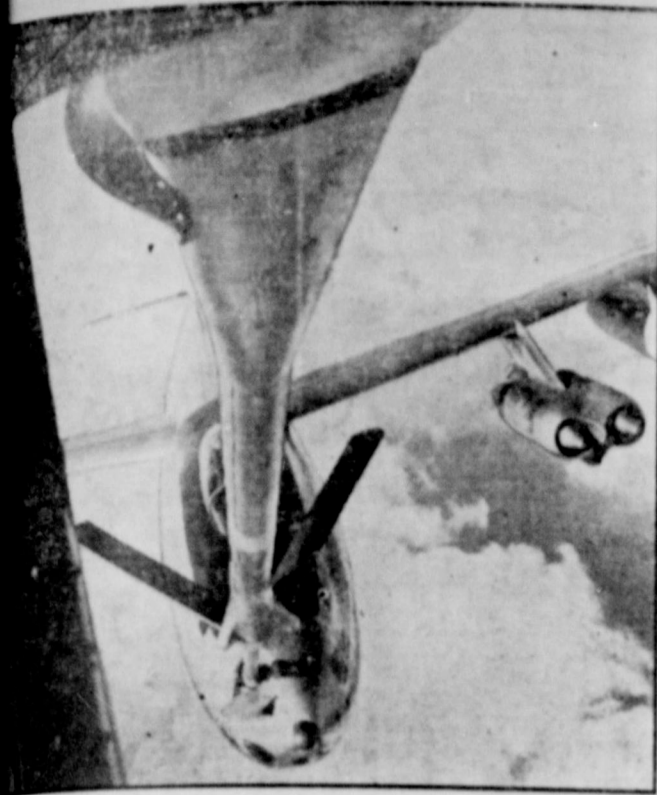
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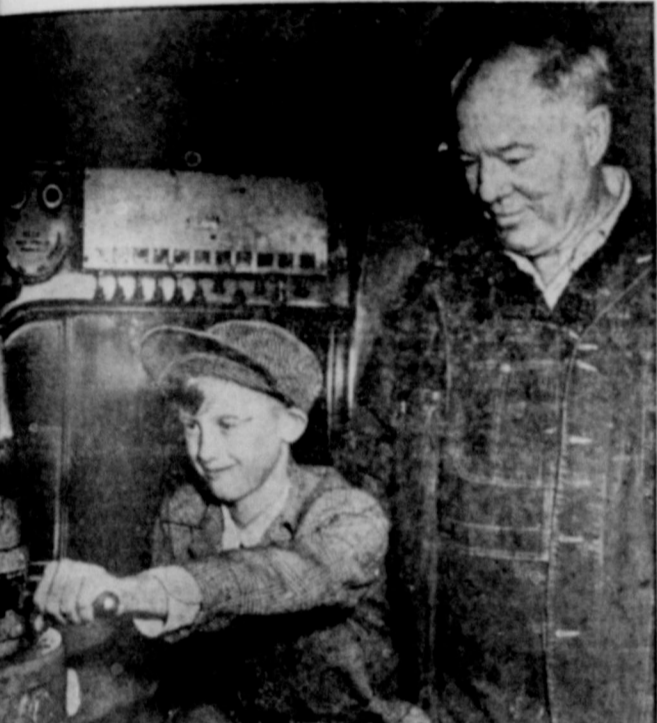


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NON-STOP REFUEL—Seen here, high above the clouds, is a refueling operation which is common practice in the United States Air Force. Extending down from the top of the picture is the fuel transfer line through which the stuff that keeps jet engines going is falling to a B-47 strato-jet from a KC-97 strato-freighter tanker.



HIS HAND ON THE THROTTLE—He's emulating Casey Jones, legendary railroad engineer, and the thrill of engine-driving shines in the eyes of small boy, Jimmy Kelso, of Vincennes, Ind. Seen above, he "works" a locomotive under watchful eyes of Engineer Robert Lewis.

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STRENGTH FOR THESE DAYS

Watch therefore, for ye know neither the day nor the hour wherein the Son of man cometh. —(St. Matthew 25, 13.)

If each of us were to know the exact moment which would be his last upon this earth, then we might say, "Well, in that hour of that last day, I shall prepare myself to meet God." But, as Christ Jesus has said, we know not... the next moment might be our last—too late for redemption. Why, then, does anyone neglect the present moment of salvation?

Card Of Thanks

We desire to express to our kind neighbors and thoughtful friends, our heartfelt thanks for their many expressions of sympathy. The beautiful floral offerings were especially appreciated. The W. E. Burns Family

CARLOADINGS DOWN

Santa Fe carloadings for week ending June 13, 1953 were 27,122 compared with 27,542 for the same week in 1952. Cars received from connections totaled 11,877 compared with 10,800 for same week in 1952. Total cars moved were 38,999 compared with 38,342 for same week in 1952. Santa Fe handled a total of 35,843 cars in preceding week of this year.

SETS SERMON TOPICS

"The Secret of a Worthwhile Life" will be the sermon topic at the First Christian Church on Sunday morning, June 21, it was announced Wednesday by Rev. Edwin Gorom, pastor. This sermon will be of special interest to fathers, he pointed out. Sermon topic for the evening service, set to begin at 8 o'clock, will be "If the Lord Will," based on James 4:15, Rev. Gorom announced.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Crow returned recently from a trip to Fayetteville, Ark., where they visited with Mr. Crow's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Harral.

Miss Frances Adams flew to New York this week. She will join her mother, Mrs. S. H. Adams, at Princeton, New York, where Mrs. Adams is visiting with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Westfeld and son.



What They Write

To the People of Slaton: Now that we can take time out to express our appreciation and gratitude for the fine neighborly cooperation you and your community gave during the tragedy here in Waco, we want you to know that it was friends and neighbors like you who helped provide the needs of our stricken people.

That humanity will never again be subjected to such a disaster is our fervent prayer. May God bless you and your community.

Lester L. Levy,
President,
Salvation Army, Waco

June 13, 1953

Editor
Slaton Slatonite
Slaton, Texas

Dear Sir: The following is the substance of a letter sent to the editor of the Dallas Morning News in answer to an editorial which appeared in the columns of your June 5, 1953 issue under the title "Who's Smearing Whom?" Since you are to be held responsible for things appearing in your paper, I write to you also.

The editorial in question asks for a letter "telling specifically whom McCarthy has smeared." You folks in the business of news should be able to write such a letter much more readily than I, but here are four cases which come to mind immediately:

1. When McCarthy charged Acheson with being the leading communist conspirator in the USA.
2. When McCarthy charged Geo. Marshall with being a communist.
3. More recently, when McCarthy charged Senator Lehman of N. Y. with violating his franking privileges.
4. When McCarthy charged Millard Tydings with violating, as an ex-Senator, his franking privileges; not to mention McCarthy's smear of this man in the Maryland Senatorial election of 1950.

Then the editorial asks "how many cases of this sort can be dug up as compared with the cases in which his charges have been sustained, AT LEAST BY PUBLIC OPINION." The last five words are startling in the light of the editorial's opening paragraph about our court system being "the only way to get sure justice." McCarthy's charges of guilty must stand or fall on the findings of our courts and not on public opinion which is all too easily molded by biased editors. On that basis the question should be reversed as follows: how many cases in which his charges have been sustained by a court procedure can be dug up as compared with his completely unsubstantiated charges?

May I close by quoting something that appeared in your paper just a few inches above the editorial in question: "Truth and accuracy in reporting are essential if newspapers hope to keep faith with their readers. If it ever reached the point where people questioned, 'Is this story true or false?' the profession of newspaper publishing would become a sorry one." It seems to me that the principle herein upheld must hold for the editorial page as well as the news column.

Austin Engel

SPEND WEEK END ON GULF

Stanley White, Joe Neal Sparkman, Travis Gentry, David Collins, Loran Gilliland, Ronald Smith, and Homer Tompkins, are in Kenedy working in the broom corn harvest. They expect to be in Kenedy about three more weeks. They spent last week end in Corpus Christi swimming in the Gulf, and killed five jelly fish on the beach.

Mrs. Billy Aylor, Shirley, Steve, Billy Howard and Rodney Wayne of San Angelo spent a week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Purkey. Billy Howard and Rodney Wayne are remaining in Slaton for a longer visit with their grandparents.

Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Bolding and Rebecca, and Iva and Forrestine Crowley entertained 28 young people, four adults, and 2 youngsters with a youth fellowship meeting in the Bolding's back yard Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Layne and Betty Sue went to Fort Worth Saturday, for Mrs. Layne's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Grady King. They came back through Breckendridge and brought Mrs. Layne's nephew, Lloyd Lizakowski, home with them, also. They are visiting in Slaton this week with Mr. and Mrs. Layne and Betty Sue.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lively spent last week end in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bickerstaff.



DOORMAN—New York policeman Leonard Micharlisen is quite happy to demonstrate the "open door policy" when the person involved is someone as attractive as Betty Weisinger. The lady caught her head in a subway turnstile, as seen above, and Patrolman Micharlisen of the police emergency squad freed her.



By John C. White, Commissioner

Texas' New Grain Warehouse Law

Texas now has its first grain warehouse law. And for the first time, the farmer has adequate protection for his grain and field seed held in storage by a state licensed grain warehouse.

Long needed as a protective measure for stored bulk seed, the Public Grain Warehouse bill was passed during the recent 53rd legislative session. As a result, a depositor has his commodities insured against fire, theft, misappropriation, damage due to careless handling, or acts of God.

Also for the first time, the farmer may use his stored grain receipts from state licensed warehouses as negotiable security.

The bill is Texas' answer to the grain scandals which rocked the nation in late 1951 and early 1952. Briefly, it requires that each public warehouseman obtain adequate bond, secure a license of operation from the Texas Department of Agriculture, and carry sufficient insurance to cover the full value of bulk grain stored in his bins.

Bonds are set at \$5,000 minimum and \$50,000 maximum, subject to the decision of the Commissioner of Agriculture who can raise or lower it as he deems fit for the best interests of depositors. The licenses are issued over his signature.

The law has an exception. Warehouses having a license from the Federal Government are not required to meet the state provisions. The regulations are so similar that it would make for unnecessary duplication.

The first eight licenses of operation were issued early this month to J. R. Cooper, representative from the J. C. Crouch Grain Co., headquartered at Dallas. By law, other public warehousemen will follow suit until every holder of public grain can offer the proper protection necessary to depositors.

Frequent inspections of the warehouses will be made by Texas Department of Agriculture personnel. Copies of the bill and regulations are available without charge by writing: John C. White, Commissioner of Agriculture, Capitol Station, Austin.

FRIDAY, JUNE 19, 1953

THE SLATON SLATONITE

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hubbard, Guy and Sharon, of San Angelo visited Mrs. Hubbard's mother, Mrs. Joe Nelson, and Mr. and Mrs. Mel Tudor, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Everline of Amarillo visited Mrs. Everline's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Scott.

Ben F. Wright of Lubbock spent last week end visiting his niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schmidt.

Roy German is arriving Friday, June 15, to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. German, Linda, Eugene and Roland. Roy has finished two years in Medical school in Galveston.

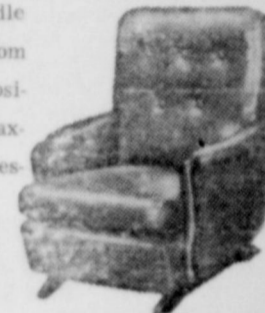
Mrs. W. T. Hendry, Linda and Bill, of Fort Worth visited Mrs. Joe Tate last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Phyllis Jo Brewer has had measles.

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Everybody Welcome!

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Union News

MRS. M. D. GAMBLE

Royce Bruce, Kay Sandlin and Essie Moore returned Saturday afternoon from Abilene where they were delegates from M.Y.F. to the meeting last week at McMurry College.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Griffin had a reunion of their family at their home Sunday. All their children and their families were present except one daughter and her family. Present for the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Marshal Gaddy and children, Pecos; Mr. and Mrs. Clester Griffin and children, Lorenzo; Mr. and Mrs. John Griffin and children, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Griffin and children and Miss Iris Griffin, all of Union.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gamble, Joyce and Mc of Cotton Center visited Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Gamble.

Mrs. Harold Morrison attended the Young Married People's Sunday School social in the home of Mrs. Wesley Gentry last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Martin and Charlotte of Brownfield visited last Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Doyle.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Houchin's little grandson, Don Brown, was able to go home from the hospital Saturday.

The Vacation Bible School is in progress this week at the Meth-

odist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. John Griffin entertained the adult couples class with a Sunday School social last Wednesday night. Those attending were: Messrs and Mesdames Dick Bruce, Bobby Jones, Charles Carter, Dick Cade, Charlie Meyers and John Griffin.

Mrs. Joe Stracener of Slaton is staying with her mother, Mrs. W. D. Meyers. She will join her husband in South Texas about July 1.

Mrs. H. W. Burnett returned home Tuesday from her daughter's home at Hereford, where she had been for two weeks after leaving the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gamble, Milton Dale and Randal were among the ones who enjoyed a fish dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gamble at Cotton Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morrison had Sunday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wilson at Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Orbin Houchin and children of Hale Center had Sunday supper with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Houchin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Skinner and Jan spent the week end at Lamesa in the home of Mr. Skinner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Skinner.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Kahlich and Kenneth spent Sunday with Mrs. Kahlich's mother and sisters, Mrs. Fredia Edwards, Frances and Dorothy of Lubbock.

Defrosting Data Given On Freezer And Refrigerator

When, how and why to defrost differs considerably with the refrigerator and the home freezer. Home management specialists for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service say according to Dr. Earl McCracken, physicist for the U. S. Department of Agriculture, frost is one of the homemaker's concerns in summer.

Frost on the evaporator of the refrigerator should never become more than one-fourth inch thick. The thicker the frost, the more it insulates or "blankets" the evaporator and reduces its cooling effect on the interior of the refrigerator, no matter how much the motor runs. Thus, thick frost lets the inside of the refrigerator warm up so that foods don't keep well. Most home refrigerators need defrosting at least once a week—or oftener in summer when hot weather plus more use of the refrigerator for chilled foods and beverages causes frost to form faster.

Dr. McCracken advises following the directions in the booklet that comes with the refrigerator for defrosting. Some manufacturers advise quick defrosting with hot water in the ice trays while others warn against it. Some refrig-

erators have automatic defrosting.

In contrast to the refrigerator, home freezers or freezer compartments of refrigerators should need defrosting only once or twice a year. Best management calls for removing frost when it is about one-half inch thick on large areas of walls or shelves. However, Dr. McCracken's tests show that frost can accumulate up to one and one-half inches thick (in chest-type freezers operating at Zero F.) without warming the interior of the freezer enough to endanger frozen food. Even this excessive frost did not cause much more than normal running of the freezer-motor, Dr. McCracken reports. Thick frost in a freezer is wasteful because it cuts down storage space, and because as much electricity is spent holding frost at zero as on frozen food that should be occupying the space.

Frost can be removed while the freezer is in operation by scraping. Scoop-type tools are made especially for this job. These catch the frost as they scrape it off. Some of the new types are made of plastic. Never scrape with anything sharp enough to damage freezer walls or the gasket around the opening.

Ice that forms in the freezer is too hard to scrape off so must be melted. To remove ice, disconnect the freezer and take out the food. Then melt ice by running cold water over it, if the freezer has a drain. Otherwise, hasten the melting by placing an electric fan so that it blows cold air out and

warm air in. Remove ice as it loosens, and keep sponging up the water that forms. Have the inside dry when you connect the electricity and put back the frozen food.

Mr. and Mrs. Stinson Behlen, Charlie Bill and Melissa Ann, spent Sunday with Mr. Behlen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Behlen, and with Mrs. Behlen's mother, Mrs. Mamie Brake of Posey.

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SHORT GRASS

by gpt

(Note: This week's column written not by GPT, but by his favorite brunette.)

There's a first time for everyone for anything so here goes: my first time to write a column, or better stated, enough copy to fill up a certain space. From the very start of husband's column writing, he wangled a promise out of me to write one of these under the pretense that I would understand the newspaper problems better. I said o.k. if he'd consent to guide the learning process of my 33 energy-packed fourth graders. Well here goes my part of the bargain.

After the last ding-dong of the school bell, time has been completely filled with crossing off a few of the projects which I've lined up for the 90-day respite. Now I might be able to put a line through each of these if that good ole custom of coffee drinking and talking over a few things weren't so well correlated with our every day pattern.

So far I've been diligently on the trail of anything that crawls. And a most efficient helper is the new wax called Insecticidal Free-wax, "scientific 2-in-1 discovery—shines floors—kills bugs." This is guaranteed to do away with four to many-legged household insects or your investment price will be refunded. It also will give a long wearing gloss without you expending all your elbow power. It will do the work

Just like anything else, a little garden takes time and work to make it look like something besides a weed patch. So on such a tiny space a lot of doing this and that is necessary. In order to beat last year's planting time, I dug, hoed, raked, and planted too many seeds. I really didn't expect all the little seeds to come popping up but they fooled me. So many of them have had to go to make room for the survival of any of them.

In the process of raking, I looked carefully, but my eyes deceived me and one side was lower so the low side grew high and the high side barely grew. And all this simply proves the importance of water.

Well, considering all, the garden looked pretty good so today I went out to harvest the tender greens before they became old and tough.

Well, an extensive reproduction program must have been urged by the ant lobbyists or maybe this is an experimental farm to determine if they like their "cows" to eat tendergreens. As far as I am able to prognosticate, the ants must believe it is the best ever. My, they must be disappointed tonight with their supply depleted and DDT sprinkled over the food for the rest of the aphid population.

Even after all this I was determined to not be deprived of the first "gains" of the garden. So I dumped the whole mess into the kitchen sink, poured salt and warm water over it and waited for the little monsters to succumb to the brine. But instead they valiantly swam ashore and began forming exploration parties and before I knew what was happening they were everywhere looking for choice bits. They spied the green leaves of my pet ivy and made a scramble for it. After fighting back madly with my wet sponge soaked in ammonia, I got things under control. I stuffed the first fruits of the garden in a sack and gave them to a friend who has more patience than I.

Hope the next crop is more encouraging

Howard Swanner, whom I consider to be one of Slaton's most distinguished men, is reported to have had a call at 2:30 a.m. the other night. The night watchman was reporting that all the lights were out at the bank and suggesting that someone might be in there. So Mr. Swanner wrapped his bathrobe about himself and went out to the car only to find that one of the tires was flat. While finding this out he had stumbled over a bicycle, so clad in pajamas, robe, and slippers, he peddled off for the bank to see what was the trouble. And upon reaching the bank on his bike, he found that the trouble consisted of only a burned-out light bulb. So off he peddled homeward bound for the bed with his robe tail fluttering in the night breeze.

Something of the more serious nature concerning Howard Swanner is his very apparent loving devotion for his first grandchild, Edith Lynn Swanner.

The other day Virginia Plinke and I got in 18 holes of golf at Meadowbrook and I was greatly impressed when we added up her back 9 score and came out with a neat 48. She had broken 50 and could hardly wait to get home to tell Dr. Plinke. Well, that evening she told the exciting happening, but as husbands are, he too was a little dubious and wanted to see the score sheet. She, ex-



His lips pressed together in youthful concentration, 18-year-old King Hussein I of Jordan pins a decoration on one of his officers.

pecting this, had the score sheet in her pocket and triumphantly handed it to him. He looked at it and asked quietly, "Only play 8 holes?"

She looked at him quizzically and took the score card and counted and then recounted. Sure enough, she had forgotten to record one of the scores for the total nine holes. And now the chortling is coming from the other side of the family

My mind is full of admiration for the little lady who lives at 950 W. Dickens, who spends many tedious hours in her vegetable nursery, and who fills the hearts of many with the hope that they might be as active and spirited after they have reached the same number of years she has. This energetic oldster with a young outlook on life is Mrs. J. M. Davis. Just recently her only companion, a young dog with brown and yellow spots and dark brown ears and tail and who answered to the name of Skippy disappeared. We sincerely hope your companion has returned home or a new one has taken its place.

The biggest species of animal that ever lived is still living—the blue whale.

Meyers Family Has Reunion In Lubbock

The children of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Meyers and of the late Will Meyers met for a reunion in Mackenzie State Park, Lubbock, with 68 of the 106 living descendants present. They had an old-fashioned barbecue and picnic, Sunday, June 7.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Meyers who were present are: Mr. and Mrs. Walton Davis of Jayton, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Meyers of Slaton, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Meyers of Lubbock. One child, Mrs. Josie McCollum of Eloy, Ariz., couldn't attend.

The late Will Meyers' children who were present are: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cornegay, Jack Meyers, Sharon and Mike, Riley Meyers of Hobbs, N. M., Mrs. Nadine Watson, Lesueta, Betty, and Uvon of Roswell, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Nonnie Meyers and Jack of Amarillo.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Walton Davis who were present are: Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Davis and Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. John Davis and John Charles of Jayton, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Patton, Clara and Jimmie Sue of Seminole, Miss Faye Davis of Austin, and Mrs. Edna Aldred and Joan of La Junta, Colo.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Meyers who attended are: Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Meyers, Jr., Linda and Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Meyers, Charley and Joe Dell, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Reed and Janice of Corpus Christi, and Johnny Meyers of Fort Worth.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Meyers attending are: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dale Meyers and Dalene, Mr. and Mrs. James H. George, James, Janet, and John of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Thompson, Jack and Bill, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bell, Rickey, Judy, and Mike of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ballard of Spur.

Among the old friends who attended are Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Meadow of Jayton, and Miss Charlotte Ruse of La Junta, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Meyers came to West Texas in 1890 from Lampasas County. They settled about where Dermott is now. This was one of the first families in this part of the country.

This will be an annual affair with the next reunion date set for



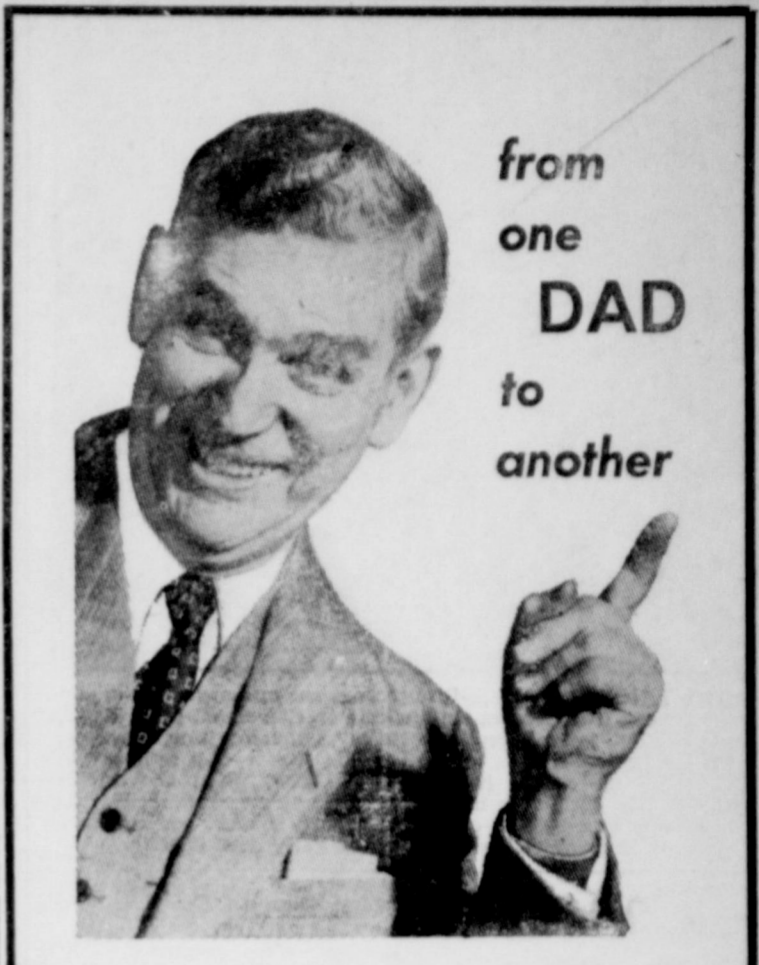
JOGGIN' DOG—Plodding doggedly ahead of runners in the Illinois State High School track meet in Campaign, Ill., was this determined pup with a yen to run. Seen above, he slogs through a shallow puddle in front of an unidentified athlete.

Among those who week-ended at Ruidoso were Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Thompson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson and family, and Mrs. Patterson's mother, Mrs. T. C. Craddock.

Dr. and Mrs. P. L. Vardy of Estelline, Tex., visited last week end with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Vardy, Richard and James.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Arrants, Cheri, Barbara Ann, Beverly Kay, and Daisy Bell Miller, maid, returned from Calhoun, Tenn., last week where they visited Mr. Arrants' father, Sam Arrants, his brother, Tom Arrants, and his sister, Mrs. Sammie Jean Phillips, and family.

The first Sunday in August, 1954, at the Parky House at Mackenzie State Park.



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CUTE TRICK SHAVER—Disc jockeys get up very early in the morning and Bill Gordon, platter king on Cleveland, Ohio, Radio Station WHK, is no exception. He saves shaving time, however, with the help of a cute trick of a little shaver who scrapes the stubble off his cheeks just before air time. Seen above, Bill watches in a portable mirror while pretty Patty Rowe clips his whiskers with a battery-operated portable shaver. Of course I could do it myself," says Bill, "but Patty does it better."

News Of Slaton Men In Service

Eugene German, E.N.F.N., is home on a twenty day leave from the Navy. Eugene is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. German of Slaton. He has been serving on the USS Telfair. Eugene has been in the Navy two years, made two trips overseas, each four months long, and has two more years to serve.

Cmdr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams, Jerry and Janice, of Maryland, are visiting Cmdr. Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Williams, this week. Cmdr. Williams is stationed at Patuxent River, Maryland, where he will be for about a year. Cmdr. Williams has been in the Navy about twenty years. He plans to retire in twenty years.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schilling have received a letter from their son, Pvt. Joe Schilling, saying that he expected to arrive in Germany June 20. He sailed June 6 on the General C. H. Muir. His letter was mailed at Newfoundland, and up to that time he had not had any seasickness. He wrote that the ship was really crowded with 2900 on board.

Bennie Joe Rudd, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rudd, left Friday after spending eight days at home on furlough. He reported to Fort Stoneman, Calif., for overseas orders. Bennie Joe had completed a course in wiring at Camp Roberts prior to his furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brasfield, Nell and Phillip, left Monday to go to Las Vegas, Nevada for a week.

Phil Brewer, Joe Walker, Jr., and Earl Reasoner were at Corky Lodge, near Santa Fe, N. M., trout fishing last week. No tall fish tales to tell.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cowlan of Brownfield, visited Mrs. Cowlan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Brasfield, Sunday. Mrs. Cowlan stayed for a week's visit.

Mrs. Don Gaither and Janice have returned to their home at Midland after spending a week with Mrs. Gaither's mother, Mrs. Louis Mosser. Mrs. Mosser's son, Jimmy, of Amarillo, also spent the week end in the Mosser home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bickers of Dallas visited last week in the home of Mr. Bickers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Bickers.

Mrs. Freida Edwards, Frances and Dorothy, of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Nesbitt, Carla and Clay of Slaton, visited Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Kahlich and Kenneth last week.

S/Sgt. Raymond Longtin, who is stationed in England, is spending a 30 day leave in Slaton. He is visiting with his mother, Mrs. Lila Longtin, and his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Longtin and Linda in the Tom Longtin home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Beachboard visited relatives in Oklahoma City last week.



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