

Slaton Team Takes Victory in Track Meet; Beat Amarillo by Single Point

In the First Annual Amarillo News-Globe Track and Field meet, held in that city last Saturday, Slaton high school athletes won a victory, returning to this city with a silver trophy symbolizing their superiority.

An interesting account of the meet was carried in Sunday's Amarillo News-Globe, as follows:

A group of husky young high school athletes from the South Plains came to Amarillo yesterday, and when they returned last night, they took with them a silver trophy.

The trophy symbolized victory in the First Annual Globe-News Track and Field meet, held all day yesterday at the Tri-State Fair grounds, and on the trophy will be engraved the name of Slaton High school.

Slaton won out only after the most closely fought meet of its kind ever seen here. Not until after the dust had settled following the last event—the mile relay—was Slaton assured of victory with 30 points. A single point behind Slaton came Amarillo, close to victory by virtue of a thrilling last-minute victory in the relay.

Pampa's athletes piled up 25 points for third place and Plainview was fourth with 20.

Charles Doebler of Amarillo was high point man with 13 points. Close behind him were Russell of Hereford, Curtis of Pleasant Hill, and Austin of Slaton, with 10 points each. Doebler won first in the high hurdles, first in the broad jump and second in the low hurdles. He was awarded the Globe-News silver-cup high point man trophy.

Good Marks Made.

The weather was made to order for the meet, and some unusually good marks were hung up by the athletes. Among them was the pole vault victory of Willis from Pampa, who cleared the bar at 12 feet, barely defeating Curtis of Pleasant Hill, who went over at 11 feet, 10 inches. The javelin toss of 174 feet, by Austin of Slaton, brought a big cheer from the stands. He beat his nearest opponent, Pennington of Amherst, by more than 17 feet.

William "Babe" Russell of Hereford proved the class of the dashes, coping both the 100-yard and the 220.

Simmons of Slaton stepped off the mile run in the snappy time of 4 minutes and 50 seconds, seemingly without effort. Harman of Amherst outdistanced the field in the 880-yard run, and H. Laird of Plainview copped the 440.

Plainview Takes Lead.

But it was the relay that proved the climaxing thrill of the meet. With first honors hinging on the outcome, the seven teams were on their toes. Plainview was off in front, Bufkin of Amarillo trailing by 10 feet. Then Blair of Amarillo took the baton, but the second Plainview man held his advantage. Then Kenneth Travis of Amarillo took up the race. Step by step he drew up on his opponent, with the remainder of the field trailing. The stands were in an uproar. As he drew up behind the Plainview runner, the latter looked around and dropped his baton. He stooped to retrieve it just as Hudgins seized the stick from Travis' outstretched hand. Hudgins was out in front now, with the Plainview man running desperately to catch him and the rest of the field stretching out behind. But Hudgins crossed the finish line to win for Amarillo. Plainview was second, and a few feet from the finish Slaton's entry sprinted ahead of Pampa to come home third.

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VALUED SOUVENIRS.

The publisher of The Slatonite, and the advertising manager of this publication, acknowledge, with sincere appreciation, autographed copies of "Santi", a novel—the story of a modern young criminal—by R. A. Baldwin. On a fly-leaf, just inside the front cover of Santi, is a beautiful little message, penned by the author, and ever his original signature. This true friendship of Mr. Baldwin is valued highly by the publisher and advertising manager of this paper, and the books in which this friendship is expressed will be cherished—always.

Paintings of Local Artist Sell in Other Towns Recently

Efficiency of the art department of Slaton high school is shown in the fact that one of its pupils, Mrs. J. E. Miller, has been selling some of her paintings in other cities at good prices.

Mrs. Miller was formerly Miss Addie Mae Dixon, and is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Dixon, who live just south of Slaton. She was a student in Slaton schools and received most, if not all, of her art training here, it was said.

Judging from her recent sales, and from reports coming to The Slatonite office, Mrs. Miller has no difficulty in disposing of her paintings. She resides at 125 North Fourth St.

New Talkies are Heard at Palace Monday Night

When the New Palace Theatre opened here Monday night, many people of Slaton and community saw and heard the show, the house being crowded to capacity from the very beginning.

This theatre, which was formerly the Custer, has recently been completely overhauled, and was rebuilt especially for talkie movies. The building is owned by F. V. and R. T. Williams, and the owners have spared no expense in arranging it for an up-to-date talkie movie house.

Oskar Korn, owner of the O. K. Circuit, of which the New Palace is a member, states he is now going to give Slaton one of the best theatres in West Texas.

Reading Room Makes Ready for Beautiful Lawn Contest Event

This year, as last year, the Santa Fe Reading Room will take first prize in the beautiful lawn contest, which is conducted by the Slaton Chamber of Commerce, is the determination of Uncle George Marriott, the manager, who has already begun work of beautifying this recreational place of Santa Fe employees.

Uncle George states he is going to beat his own record, and present even a more beautiful lawn to the judges this year than he did last.

CHILDREN VISIT WITH MR. AND MRS. LAMAR

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lamar had as their guests Sunday their children, H. C. Lamar, wife and baby, Mrs. W. H. Orr, and Miss Jackie Lamar. The latter, who is an employe of the Berger Daily Herald, was named queen of that city in a recent beauty contest held there.

CAR SHATTERS GLASS FRONT OF TAILOR SHOP

A light touring car, said to belong to C. T. Hearn, went across the sidewalk and into the plate glass front of Evans' Cleaning Plant here Saturday afternoon. It was said that the car, which has been parked in front of this place of business, had been left in gear, and when an attempt to start it was made, it plunged into the window.

FORMER SLATON WOMAN DIES AT HOUSTON HOME

Advices of the death of Mrs. Ophelia Vaughn, wife of S. L. Vaughn, has been received by Slaton friends. Mrs. Vaughn died at her home in Houston, April 4, it was said, and was buried at Glen Grove, Texas, April 6. Previous to her death, Mrs. Vaughn was ill for about a year, it was said. She was 61 years of age.

H. OPERATION.

Mrs. T. Kirby underwent a tonsil operation at the Standefer & Cannon clinic here Monday morning. Her condition is reported favorable.

Entries in Lawn Contest are now Coming in Fast

Slaton people are responding rapidly to the invitation to enter their homes in the third annual "Pretty Lawn Contest," sponsored again this year by the Slaton Chamber of Commerce. This announcement was made Tuesday at the local Chamber of Commerce offices.

"We are receiving numerous entries every day, and it looks like the whole city is interested in having better lawns and more attractive homes," was the comment made by Chamber of Commerce officials.

Seventy-eight homes were entered last year, and a much larger number are hoped for this year, it is stated. Date for entering closes on May 20, and the lawns will be judged on Aug. 15. All homes in Slaton, whether owned or rented by their occupants, are eligible to compete in the contest. One class is provided for business firms and clubs, having lawn frontage in the down-town section.

Prizes totaling \$100 are offered in this year's contest.

Many From Out of Town Attend Funeral of Col. Smith Sun.

Out of town relatives and friends who attended the funeral of Col. L. A. H. Smith, which was held at the Methodist church here last Sunday afternoon, included Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wilson, Sweetwater; Joe H. Smith and family, Lubbock; Walker Smith and family, Cleburne; S. P. Smith and family, Stamford; G. E. Smith, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Buntin, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. McDonald, Plainview; Mrs. T. B. Irwin, Plainview; Mr. Arthur, Plainview; Jim Griffith and family, Ralls; Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Griffith, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. John Teague, Lubbock; Mrs. Eva Waddell and son, Townsend, Lubbock; H. V. Robertson, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Pierpoint, Amarillo; Walter Blackburn, Amarillo; Howard Blackburn, Amarillo; W. M. Robertson, Earl Robertson and sister, Mable, Lorenzo.

Snake Bite Takes Life of Lubbock Girl Early Monday

Springing from behind a clump of bushes on the side of a canyon on the O. L. Slaton ranch six miles from Slaton, a large rattlesnake, Sunday, dug its deadly fangs into the right ankle of little Mary Frances Slaton, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Slaton of 2012 Sixteenth street.

Despite heroic efforts to save the child's life, on the part of her father and of hospital attendants, the bite resulted fatally. The little girl died at 8 o'clock Monday morning in a Lubbock sanitarium.

The little girl, together with her smaller sister, Betty Ross, 6, her father and several other, were climbing a canyon on the O. L. Slaton ranch, six miles from Slaton, when the snake sprung from a clump of bushes.

Mary Frances was given a serum treatment at Slaton, then rushed to the West Texas hospital where a desperate yet losing fight was made for her life.

Immediately after she had been bitten her father sucked the poison from her ankle in an effort to prevent the poison from spreading. It was necessary for him to take the serum treatment.

Other than her parents, only her younger sister survives in the immediate family. Mary Frances was in the sixth grade of the Lubbock public schools. Her father is in the employ of the Hicks Rubber company.—Lubbock Daily Journal.

LANHAM BOY IMPROVES.

Mrs. J. S. Lanham returned Sunday from Austin, where she had been at the bedside of her son, J. S., for several days, who recently underwent an operation for acute appendicitis. Mrs. Lanham stated that her son, who is a student in Texas University, is recovering rapidly, and expects to re-enter school sometime during this week.

Refrigeration Plant now Being Put in Creamery

After unloading last Saturday a carload of refrigerating equipment, with which to install the large refrigerating plant in Slaton's new creamery, work is in progress this week on installing the plant. J. A. Seaman, refrigerating plant engineer, of Springfield, Mo., is here in charge of the work, assisted by W. M. Randle, local creamery manager, and other employes of the creamery.

It is possible that the equipment will be installed in time to hold the creamery's big opening on Saturday of this week, Mr. Randle said Tuesday but this is not definitely known yet. Announcement will be made later in the week if this is found to be possible. At any rate, the creamery will be ready to buy cream and eggs by Saturday of this week, Mr. Randle said.

Work on installing the refrigeration equipment began Monday morning, and is being rushed to completion as rapidly as possible. If the big, formal opening is not held this Saturday, it will be held at a very early date, and the company is anxious to buy cream and eggs in the meantime, starting Saturday of this week, according to Mr. Randle.

On the day of the big opening, complete demonstrations in churning and butter-making will be given, and the entire public will be invited to attend the opening day event, Mr. Randle said.

Death Claims Joe Bailey, a Former Texas Statesman

SHERMAN, April 13.—Joseph Weldon Bailey, former United States Senator for Texas and one of the last of the old-time silver-tongued orators, died suddenly in the district court room here today in the midst of a law suit.

The echo of the former great statesman's last words hardly died when his head was seen to fall to his chest.

A hurried examination revealed he was unconscious. Physicians and a pulmotor were summoned but their efforts were unavailing and within a few minutes he was pronounced dead.

Dr. A. H. McElhannon, one of the four who examined the former senator, said death had been caused by a clot of blood in the heart.

Funeral arrangements were held in abeyance tonight pending the arrival of relatives.

Marked by his picturesque dress as well as nationally noted for his oratory, Mr. Bailey was at one time the United States Senate's outstanding opponent of prohibition and woman suffrage. He held out against them, he frequently said, not because he regarded them as evil in themselves but because he saw in them an encroachment on state's rights, his fundamental political principle.

Mrs. W. E. Rawlings Buried Sat. Afternoon

Funeral services were held for Mrs. W. E. Rawlings at the Methodist church, Saturday afternoon, April 13, at 2 o'clock, following her death in Hot Springs, New Mexico, on April 9, 1929.

Susan Anna Moore was born in Lee county, Mississippi, February 14, 1864. She was married to W. E. Rawlings in 1883 and to this union eleven children were born, five boys and six girls, all of whom are living today. They are: Mrs. Lee Faulkner, of Bellevue; W. A. Rawlings, of Big Spring; Mrs. J. O. Young, of Slaton; S. C. Rawlings, of Spur; O. B. Rawlings, of Electra; Mrs. Haden Harris, of Tuscon, Ariz.; Mrs. Henry Smith, of Hot Springs, New Mexico; Mrs. G. C. Collins, of Floydada; Frank Rawlings, of Santa Paula, California; Knox Rawlings, of Exeter, Calif.

Mrs. Rawlings has been a member of the Methodist church since the year of 1885.

She is survived by her husband, eleven children, twenty-five grandchildren, three great grandchildren and one brother.

Interment was made in Englewood cemetery.

BOARD OF CITY DEVELOPMENT IS APPOINTED BY CITY COMMISSION

Funds for Work not Available Until Next February; Chamber of Commerce Plans Continuation of Work.

Col. Smith, Well Known Here, Passes; Funeral Sunday, 14

The death of Col. L. A. Smith, aged 86 years, occurred Friday, April 12, at the Confederate Veterans' home at Austin. His body was sent to Slaton where funeral services and burial were held Sunday afternoon.

Rev. T. C. Willett, of Merkel, an old time friend of the family, conducted the funeral at the local Methodist church at 2:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Interment followed in Englewood cemetery, under direction of Foster Funeral Home. Hosts of friends of the deceased and his family gathered at the church to pay their last respects. Floral offerings were many and beautiful.

Col. Smith was born near Selma, Ala., at the old state capital, known as Cahaba, August 10, 1842. He enlisted in the Confederate Army, in the Palmetto guards, at Charleston, S. C., in January, 1860, and was later transferred to Co. F., 5th Alabama Infantry, Battles Brigade, Rhodes Division, Army of Northern Division. After the surrender at Appomattox, he spent the reconstruction days in Alabama.

He entered the service of the Louisville-Nashville railway, and came to Texas in 1874. He served in train service for the Texas & Pacific and Southern Pacific railroads.

Col. Smith was married Nov. 14, 1878, to Miss Saral Elvira Izard, at Schulenburg, Texas. To this union there were nine children born, seven boys and two girls. They are: Joe H. Smith, of Lubbock; Walter Smith, of Cleburne; S. B. Smith, of Pleasant Hill, Mo.; L. W. Smith, of Slaton; Mrs. W. C. Buntin, of Plainview; S. P. Smith, of Stamford; G. E. Smith, of Amarillo; Mrs. J. H. McDonald, of Plainview, and L. A. Smith, of California.

All children, except S. B. and L. A., were present at their father's funeral.

Big Crowd Enjoy Santa Fe Program Slaton Thursday

A varied program, rendered at the high school auditorium last Thursday evening by Santa Fe Reading Room entertainers, was enjoyed by many local Santa Fe employes and their families, and others who enjoy such programs.

Uncle George Marriott, manager of the local reading room, was high in his praise of the splendid order kept during the program. He said, "My children here are the best in the world. They gave us the very best of attention, and all enjoyed the program with the grown-ups."

The personnel of the program was: Delpha Edwards — Mezzo-Soprano
Beulah Truitt — Reader
Charlotte Chamberlain, Crayon Artist and Whistler
Alice Le Tarte — Concert Pianist and Accompanist.

Ex-Tigers Show up Good at Sul Ross

ALPINE, Texas.—Two Slaton boys, Marion Cooper and Earl Wicker, were awarded football sweaters for the season of 1928 at the regular chapel period of the Sul Ross State Teachers College here this week. Both men are linemen, as husky as any in the state of Texas.

Both men played their first year at Sul Ross, and great things are expected of them in the future.

Cooper and Wicker are said to be representative young men of Slaton, which has the reputation of furnishing some of the best college football players in Texas.

At the regular meeting of the city commission, held last Friday night at the city hall, the Board of City Development for Slaton was appointed, consisting of fifteen members, as provided for under the city's new charter, adopted on March 19, and which went into effect immediately after that date.

The board, as appointed by the city officials, consists of Horace Hawkins, T. A. Worley, Jr., J. W. Hood, J. H. Brewer, A. J. Payne, R. P. Burks, O. Z. Ball, Carl W. George, Dr. W. E. Payne, H. S. Riggs, George G. Green, T. E. Roderick, W. H. Smith, J. A. Elliott and M. W. Uzzell. These are the fifteen men who now compose the board of directors of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce, and will also compose the Board of City Development for the coming year.

The first meeting of the Board of City Development was to have been held tonight, at which time the board was to be organized, by electing its officers for the year, and by drawing lots to determine the length of terms of the various members.

As provided for in the city charter, lots must be drawn, five men serving one year, five two years and five three years. As each group of five go out of office, the remaining ten will select five to take their places, this procedure being followed from year to year.

Funds for support of the work of the board will not be available until next February 1, after the next tax collecting period, it was announced Friday night at the meeting of the city commission. However, it was considered necessary to appoint the board at this time, thus complying with the instructions of the new city charter, and allowing the members time to organize and get ready for work as soon as funds are made available.

A two-mill tax, which is included in the city's tax rate of \$1.50 per hundred, will produce an annual fund for support of the work of the Board of City Development, the new charter provides.

Prior to appointment of the board by the city commission last Friday night, a request from the city commission to the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce had been given, asking for recommendations as to appointment of the Board of City Development. The Chamber of Commerce directors, after considering the matter, recommended that the present board of directors of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce be appointed as the Board of City Development. This was deemed necessary, due to the fact that the Chamber of Commerce will continue to function as an organization even after the Board of City Development begins its work, and it was considered to be a practical necessity for the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce to be composed of the same personnel as the Board of City Development. Several reasons for this were given to the city commission, and the commission's action on the matter was unanimous, it being agreed that the two boards should be composed of the same members.

Due to the fact that funds for support of the work of the Board of City Development will not be available until next February, the Slaton Chamber of Commerce will be maintained as an organization until that time, on the same basis as it has always existed, according to Horace Hawkins, president of the body. Mr. Hawkins said the membership dues from now until next February would be continued on the same scale as in the past, in order to support the work of the city's commercial organization through the period when no funds will be available for the Board of City Development.

It is also planned to continue the Chamber of Commerce organization after the Board of City Development receives funds to support but the membership dues will be based on a basis, it is announced.

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all past perhaps we can offer the com-
ment that most political platforms are
evidently made of slippery elm.

"People like to be humbugged".
When Barnum first said that we won-
der if he was thinking of the house-to-
house peddler.

WHY CRIME SUCCEEDS.

In an article in the North American
Review, Howard McLellan states that
the cost of policing American cities
has doubled within the past ten years,
while during the same period of time
crime has increased faster than ever
before in our history.

The cost of providing protection for
persons and property now totals ap-
proximately \$6,000,000,000 a year.

In Mr. McLellan's opinion, the reason
for failure to cope with crime is
police inefficiency caused by the lack
of a unified system such as prevails
in England. We have a great number
of forces, all working separately,
while in that country the celebrated
Scotland Yard is at the disposal of all
communities.

It is interesting to note that Gov-
ernor Roosevelt has recommended
such an organization to serve the
state of New York and almost every
penologist and criminologist has tes-
tified to the need of a centralized po-
lice force.

Unfortunately this is but one of
many changes that are necessary if
we are to successfully cope with the
criminal class. Probably the principal
detriments to law enforcement are
the conflicts and absurdities and tech-
nicities that perplex our entire legal
structure. Instead of a few workable
and necessary laws, we pass such leg-
islative inanities as the anti-pistol or-
dinances, which do more harm to the
good citizen than to anyone else.

Many authorities have repeatedly
pointed out the palpable flaws in our
legal system. What we need is sci-
ence, not sentiment, and law enforce-
ment, not a legal burden.

WE GAINED THE LEGION.

It has frequently been stressed
that this country did not enter the
World War with any expectation of
gain, and when hostilities ceased and
treaties were being signed, the United
States took no new territories, de-
manded no trade concessions, sought
no reparations. The war cost us mil-
lions and millions of dollars and
thousands of lives, and out of it we
took no material rewards.

More than ten years after the end
of that struggle, however, it might
be noted that this country gained one
thing—an organization that is of in-
estimable value. It is the American
Legion. And every community where
World War Veterans have organized
Legion posts has gained thereby.

The service which the Legion has
rendered in helping disabled veterans,
in securing financial aid for widows
and orphans of slain soldiers, in pro-
moting patriotic enterprises, cannot
be measured. As a national organiza-
tion the Legion has many times over
justified its existence, and is contin-
uing to do so.

In community activities Legion
posts are no less active, and we are
coming to a fuller appreciation of
their worth with the passing of time.

The Legion in Texas has striven for
community advancement. It did its
share, perhaps more than its share, in
making several municipal airports
possible. It has been responsible, to a
greater or lesser degree, for many oth-
er forward steps taken.

In speculating on the things that
America "got" out of the World War,
don't overlook the fact that we at least
have the Legion, and that it is an
asset not lightly to be passed over.

TOLERATION.

In barbarous societies there was
the honest difference of opinion.
Arguments were bloody and the truth
was on the side of the man
with the strongest arm.

It is from these times that human
beings inherit their intolerant spirits.
The desire to choke or abuse verbally
the man whose views do not coincide
with our own is an expression of our
paleolithic natures.

A man may be called civilized only
when he can stand a free play of
ideas, when he can discuss without
anger matters that are subject to
controversy. The spirit of tolera-
tion was once well expressed by Vol-
taire, the great French scholar and
philosopher, when he said: "I dis-
agree with every word you say but
I will defend with my life your right
to say it."

To be truly civilized we must be
willing to tolerate expressions of hon-
est opinion that differ from our own
cherished views. We must feel that
the other fellow has a right to his
own ideas, and respect him for the
honest expression of them. We must
cease to let arguments destroy friend-
ship.

And we must, above all, suppress
feelings of animosity toward editors
whose published opinions are not en-
tirely in accord with our own views.

**Chevrolet Breaks
All Records in Car
Manufacture, Report**

Detroit.—All monthly production
records in the history of the Chev-
rolet Motor Company were broken in
March, when the company produced
147,274 cars and trucks. A factory
statement explained that this figure
was considerably in excess of prelim-
inary production schedules and was
made necessary to more fully accom-
modate an increasing demand for the
new Chevrolet six.

This March record compares with
133,657 units for March of last year
and with 121,249 for February of this
year. It exceeded by nearly 7,000
units the best previous month in the
history of the company, which was
May, 1925, when output totalled 140,-
775 units.

The March performance enabled
the company to exceed all records for
the first quarter of the year, with a
total of 354,701 units as compared
with 342,184 for the first three months
of 1928.

In preparation for what promises to
be the biggest Spring business on
record, the manufacturing division is
operating on the heaviest schedule ever
undertaken by the company. The
company's sixteen giant factories are
speeding toward capacity operation
with all haste consistent with pre-
cision manufacturing, it was announced.
Officials predict that the record activ-
ity planned for April will result in an-
other monthly record and for the sec-
ond consecutive month establish a new
mark.

The sixteen plants engaged in this
tremendous manufacturing program
which contemplates the production of
1,350,000 cars this year are located
in the following cities: Flint, Mich.,
Bay City, Mich., Saginaw, Mich., De-
troit, Mich., Toledo, Ohio, Bloomfield,
N. J., St. Louis, Mo., Tarrytown, N. Y.,
Buffalo, N. Y., Cincinnati, O., Janes-
ville, Wis., Atlanta, Ga., Kansas City,
Mo., and Oakland, Cal.

Truman Campbell, of Sulphur
Springs, arrived here early this week
for a conference with W. B. Hestand.
Mr. Campbell will manage the Slaton
Wholesale Grocer Company's new store
at Lamesa.

**Topics of the Town
—and—
News of its People**

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Myers and
Mrs. Walter Emery, all of Abernathy,
spent Sunday in Slaton visiting at
the home of T. A. Worley and family.
Mrs. Myers was formerly Miss Lu-
cile Wylie, and a student in Slaton
High in '27.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Taylor
returned Saturday from Houston.

Misses Audrey Marrott and Daisy
Cross were Lubbock visitors Monday.

L. R. Cybert was a business visitor
in Lubbock Monday.

Mrs. J. B. Stallings returned Sat-
urday from Denton, where she visited
her mother and other relatives.

W. R. Moore, manager of the Acorn
Store, transacted business in Lubbock
Monday.

L. A. Wilson, secretary of the Sla-
ton Chamber of Commerce, returned
Monday from near San Angelo, where
he spent the week-end with his broth-
er, Carroll Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Garland, accom-
panied by their niece and nephew,
Mr. and Mrs. Scoggins, of Southland,
visited Sunday in Brownfield.

K. C. Scott and daughter, June,
spent last week-end in Temple with
Mrs. Scott, who is a patient in the
Scott and White Hospital in that city.

Mrs. C. L. Pack and daughter,
Betty, left Thursday afternoon for
Oklahoma City, after receiving a mes-
sage that Mrs. Pack's father had died
suddenly.

Mrs. Dick Shelton has returned to
her home here after a month's visit
in Shreveport, La., with relatives and
friends.

Oscar Killian underwent an opera-
tion at a Lubbock sanitarium Sunday.
He has returned here and reports his
condition improved.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Young and two
of their children, of Abilene, were in
Slaton Monday enroute to their Cas-
tro County ranch on business. They
were accompanied from here by their
son, L. C. Young, of the Slaton State
Bank.

Mrs. A. R. Keyes left Monday for
Lockney in response to a message
that her nephew was seriously ill.

**BOARD OF CITY DEVELOP-
MENT IS APPOINTED**

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the Slaton Chamber. Maintenance of
the organization is necessary to take
care of some expenses which could not
properly be met from the treasury of
the Board of City Development, but
which are vitally necessary to the
progress of the city and community.
Such funds secured from such mem-
berships after the Board of City De-
velopment begins its work will be used
only for purposes for which funds of
the Board of City Development could
not be expended, it is explained.

**Luther Leaguers Hold
Quarterly Meeting**

The Luther League held its quar-
terly business meeting and social at
the Slaton club house Thursday night,
April 11.

The meeting was opened with a
hymn and prayer. After that a short
business meeting was held. The roll
was called, which showed 38 members
present. The Wilson unit reported
six new members.

Then we went over to the social.
All joined in playing games, such as
"Blowing the Whistle," "Mocking
Bird," and a great many more. As
it was getting too late for any more
games, cut paper flowers were given
to the boys and girls, in which part-
ners were gotten by matching the
flowers, for the refreshments.

The refreshments served consisted
of ice cream, cake and sandwiches.

We closed with a hymn and the
Lord's prayer. All reported a good
time. We are sure all attending not
only had a good time, but also were
benefitted in some way.

Leaguers, it seems as though we are
not taking as much interest as we
should. Come on, let's try to get
still more new members for next time.
Remember, if we want to be a hun-
dred per cent, we have to work and
work hard. We urge all members to
be present at our monthly meetings,
also.

Our next meeting will be held at
Southland, April 21.—Reporter.

DANCE WEDNESDAY.

An old time dance will be held
Wednesday evening, April 17, be-
ginning at 8:00 o'clock, in the Bushey
building on Texas Avenue here, it was
announced early today. An invitation
is extended to all to attend, and a
good time is assured. Old time fidd-
ling will feature the musical program.

**SLATON TEAM TAKES VIC-
TORY IN TRACK MEET**

(Continued From Page 1.)

But Plainveiw was disqualified be-
cause one of the green and white
runners had dropped the baton. This
gave Slaton second place, Pampa third,
and Groom fourth. The three points
for second place were enough to put
Slaton ahead of Amarillo and win the
meet.

The Amarillo high school pep squad
relay cup cup goes to the Sandstorm
team.

Every man who placed in any of
the events was given a ribbon award.
All together the meet was highly
successful. The Globe-News will
sponsor the event annually, with the
hope that these Panhandle pre-
school Olympic games will become one
of the greatest meets of its kind held
annually in this section.

Amarillo	29	Groom	3
Pampa	25	Littlefield	2
Plainview	20	Floydada	1
Pleasant Hill	13	Canyon	1
Hereford	12	Claude	1
Amherst	8		
Panhandle	5		
Dalhart	3		

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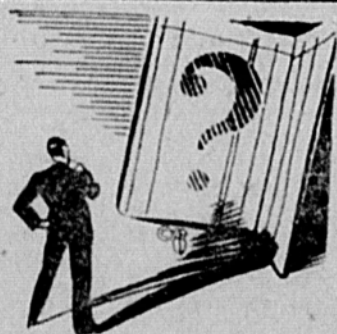
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Neighboring Cities Show Interest in W. T. C. C. Meet

TAHOKA. — Messrs. Whitehead and Campbell of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce were here last Friday checking up on arrangements for the South Plains District Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held here April 24th. After looking forward to the largest Chamber of Commerce Convention ever held on the South Plains.

Five towns have thrown their hats in the ring for the next Convention. Ralls and Slaton stated last year that they would ask for the Convention in 1930. Abernathy, Littlefield and Matador have sent word that they were coming after the Convention for 1930. Bands and other organizations have been promised from Lamesa, Slaton, Brownfield, Crosbyton, Abernathy, Lubbock, Plainview, and Matador.

More interest is being manifest by the various cities of the South Plains as the time draws nearer the Convention. Most every town has stated that they expect to have a large delegation at the Convention. Entries keep coming in for the "My Home-Town" Speaking Contest.

SOCIETY

HIGBEE-BELLAH NUPTIALS.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Adline Bellah to Fred E. Higbee, both of Lubbock, on Sunday morning, March 17, at 10:30 o'clock, at the home of the groom's mother, Mrs. Annie Gisham, at the Tourist Hotel, with Rev. L. A. Webb, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating.

Both the bride and the groom have been living in Lubbock and have been members of the post office staff in that city for several years. The bride was formerly a member of the High School faculty and is a girl of high qualities.

The groom's father was for many years postmaster here when Slaton was first organized. And his mother is the proprietor of the Tourist Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Higbee have many friends in this section of the country who wish for them a long and happy married life. They are at home at 1913 15th Street, Lubbock.

MRS. DAVID TUDOR HOSTESS TO THURSDAY CLUB

The Thursday Bridge club was entertained last week by Mrs. David Tudor at the home of Mrs. Richard Ragsdale, 350 West Lubbock St.

The club presented Mrs. Tudor, who is leaving Slaton soon, with a mesh bag, in token of their esteem.

A one o'clock luncheon was served. Besides the members present, the guests were Mesdames Peavy, Minor, K. L. Scudder, Harry Green and Gus Miller.

JOAN DREWRY IS HONOREE AT PARTY.

Mrs. F. A. Drewry entertained on Friday night at her home, 635 S. 10th St., honoring the birthday of her daughter, Joan.

After various games were played, refreshments were served to Misses Katrina Houston, Mildred Swafford, Muriel Wicker, Tillie Pohl, Mildred Rucker, Enid Sears, Mildred Boyd, Elizabeth Lanham; Messrs. R. L. Tate, Aldon Crawford, Clyde King, R. H. Gear, John Rayburn, Robert Rayburn, Loren Cullar and Arnold Alcorn.

"TACKY" SOCIAL MEETING.

Misses Thelma Potcet and Wilena Lovett were joint hostesses at the monthly social meeting of the Epworth League, which was held in the basement of the Methodist church last Thursday night. Much enjoyment was had from the "tacky" costumes worn by the young people. After various games and contests, refreshments of punch and cake were served.

Club Meets With Mrs. W. A. Johnson

The Get-Together club met last Thursday with Mrs. W. A. Johnson, and following an afternoon of sewing, refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Earl Thornton, L. H. Guyton, Ben Mansker, L. Alexander, Moody Puckett, Joe Walker, O. T. Lovelady, Ray Ballard, W. A. Johnson, and Miss Inez Stalcup as a guest.

Next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. Earl Thornton.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CLASS ENTERTAIN

The Young Peoples Class of the Presbyterian Sunday school entertained in the home of their teacher, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Miller, at 125 N. 4th St. A number of very interesting and entertaining games, conducted by Misses Ruby Dan Smith and Hazel Bruner, furnished the amusement for the evening.

After spending two or three hours in lively recreation and entertainment, refreshments consisting of sandwiches, salad, cakes, and iced tea, were served by the hostess, Mrs. Miller, assisted by Mrs. Gentry, to the following: Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Gentry, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Miller, Misses Hazel Bruner and Ruby Dan Smith, members of the class; and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Suit, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Berkley, Jay Hilley, and Master Charlie-Suit, Jr., visitors.

As the visitors were leaving, an invitation was extended to attend our Sunday school class, and we wish also to extend to all young people of the town who are not attending Sunday school, and especially to the young people of the Presbyterian Church, a cordial and welcome invitation to be with us each Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock. We assure you that it will be well worth your time.

Special Business And Good Program For P. T. A. Meet

The West Ward Parent-Teachers Association will meet at the West Ward school building Thursday afternoon, April 18, it was announced early this week by Mrs. L. C. Odom, president of the body.

A splendid program for the occasion is being arranged. Mrs. Odom stated, and added that special business would come up for transaction at this time. It is urged that all members of the West Ward P. T. A., attend if possible. The meeting will convene at 3:30 p. m.

In 1928 there were about 3,419, 157 citrus trees of all kinds in the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

MANY STUDENTS WILL ATTEND A. & M. CONTEST

COLLEGE STATION, Texas.—An attendance of 1,000 Texas high school students of vocational agriculture is expected for the twelfth annual Texas Smith-Hughes contests to be held at the A. & M. College of Texas April 22, E. R. Alexander, professor of agricultural education at the college, who is arranging for the contests, has announced. This indicates an increase of 200 over last year when 800 boys attended.

A feature expected to be of much interest on the occasion of the contests will be the completion of state organization of the Future Farmers of Texas, membership of which comprises vocational agricultural students.

There are now 108 local chapters of this organization in Texas, with total membership of more than 2,500. Each of the 108 chapters has been asked to send two delegates to this meeting and these will elect state officers and set up a state program of work.

Six events are included in the Smith-Hughes contest program in which students from virtually all sections of the state will compete. These include livestock judging, dairy cattle judging, farm shop contest, entomology contest, plant production contest and poultry and egg production event. These contests are conducted by the faculties of the school of vocational agriculture and the school of agriculture of the college have shown steadily increasing interest on the part of students since inaugurated.

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ONE ADAM Schaff Piano for sale.—Home Furniture Co. 1c

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FOR SALE—My well improved, 24-acre poultry farm, near Slaton. Or will trade for city property. See me at 235 N. 9th St.—W. P. Splawn. 55c

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FOR SALE or Trade—Cash or terms, 1 Kimball piano, and 1 Buick coupe.—Rockwell Bros. & Co. 62-11c

FOR SALE—300 bushels of re-cleaned half and half cotton seed, at my place 1 1/2 miles north of Posey.—S. A. Johnson. 61-2p

FOR SALE—All or any part lots 1-2-3-10-11 and 12, in block 20, South Side Addition.—J. B. Mull, Crosbyton, Texas. 63-9p

FOR SALE—Practically new Console Victrola, Maytag Electric Washer, and other furniture.—460 West Pamhandle. 64-41p

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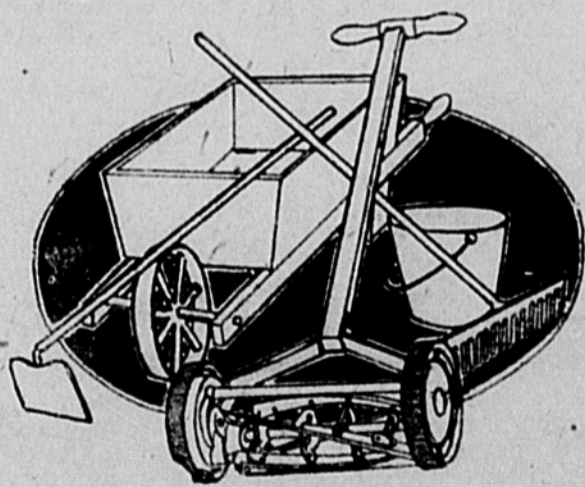
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CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express sincere appreciation to our many friends and neighbors, for their many deeds of kindness and beautiful floral offerings, in our hour of sorrow following the death of our beloved wife and mother, Mrs. W. E. Rawlings.

May God's richest blessings be upon you, is our prayer.

W. E. Rawlings,
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Faulkner and family, Bellevue, Texas,
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rawlings and family, Big Spring, Texas,
Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Young and family, Slaton, Texas,
Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Rawlings and family, Spur, Texas,
Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Rawlings and family, Electra, Texas,
Mr. and Mrs. Haden Harris and family, Tucson, Arizona,
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith and family, Hot Springs, New Mexico,
Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Collins, Floydada, Texas,
Mr. Frank Rawlings, Santa Paula, Calif.
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Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Moore and family, Slaton, Texas,
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Wilson, Texas, April 15, 1929.
Dear Mr. and Mrs. Kessel:
I like to do my shopping with you. You are very courteous to me. I like your merchandise, for I believe it is the very best. You have many varieties of goods to select from, and I have found that the merchandise you keep is just what it is recommended to be.
You could not be of any better service to me. You are of much service to the community because you give us the best qualities, and always give every one of your customers a fair deal.
Yours respectfully,
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Wednesday, April 17th

Thursday, April 18th

Wednesday, April 17th, Garza 9-4 SHEETING, bleached or brown, 55c quality, limit 5 yds. to customer, 2 1/2 yds. for

98c

Thursday, April 18th, \$1.50 and \$1.75 values Allen A and Humming Bird Silk Hose, chiffon and service weight, one day special, limit 2 pair to customer

\$1.00

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ELECTRICITY TO BE BROADCAST BY RADIO ENGINEER PREDICTS

The possibility of broadcasting electric power by means of radio waves in sufficient quantity to be of commercial value was forecast by Dr. Phillips Thomas, research engineer, in an address before the St. Louis Electrical Board of Trade.

Dr. Thomas, who invented the first microphone to broadcast very faint sounds such as heart beats, has devoted considerable time to research in the field of power broadcasting by radio.

By means of a small oscillator, similar to the large ones which give out the electrical waves used in radio broadcasting, which was set up on a table at one end of the long dining room, Dr. Thomas demonstrated that the waves of electrical energy given out by such a machine would light small incandescent lamps brought within the wave field.

A bulb was mounted on a small copper rod, and when the latter was placed in the right position in the wave field, the bulb burned brightly.

The waves used in power broadcasting, however, are very short, differing in this respect from the wave used in radio broadcasting. The length of the wave generated by the small machine used by Dr. Thomas was two meters, and to be of practical value, the waves would have to be about four inches in length, he said.

"The length of a wave depends on the frequency of the oscillations," explained Dr. Thomas, "and the obstacle which now confronts us is the mechanical difficulty of constructing a vacuum tube which will oscillate with the high frequency necessary to produce four-inch waves."

"The entire work is still in the experimental stage. The shortest wave which I have been able to produce yet is about 32 inches, which will generate about 100 kilowatts of power. That would be a mere handful, and of no commercial value."

Should the broadcasting of power become a reality it would not be broadcast indiscriminately, Dr. Thomas said, but would be directed toward the home of a consumer in the form of a beam, and the apparatus which would be necessary to receive it would be in the nature of a mirror the length of the electrical wave.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Green are moving to Lubbock this Tuesday.

Mrs. J. E. Leigh, State Corresponding Secretary, of the W. M. U. of Texas, headquarters in Dallas, visited Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Holloway over Sunday, when on her way to the annual meeting of the Plainview District, that convenes Monday and Tuesday.

He—"They say she has decided to marry a struggling author."
She—"Well, if she has decided, he may as well stop struggling."

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Wilson and children visited Mrs. Wilson's parents in Plainview last Sunday.

J. B. Johnston, of Tulia, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. Westerfelt, of Cisco, visited Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Payne and family, last Thursday.

Slaton women who attended the District conference of the Methodist Missionary Society, which met at Ralls Friday, were Meses. W. E. Olive, Fred Tudor, H. W. Ragsdale, E. B. Caraway, Richard Ragsdale, S. H. Adams, Wilson and Harland.

S. A. Abbott attended the W. O. W. convention at Mineral Wells last week.

O. R. McMennamy, of Memphis, visited his sister, Mrs. A. A. Hillyer, and other relatives here last week.

Try This on Your Wife.

There is no use to try to joke with a woman. The other day Jones heard a pretty good conundrum and decided to try it on his wife.

"Do you know why I am like a mule?" he asked her when he went home.

"No," she replied promptly. "I know you are, but I don't know why."

Mrs. Royal Saunders spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. F. A. Sims, at Ropes.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bohannon of Midland and Miss Beulah Estes of O'Donnel spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. T. Bohannon.

J. W. Jackson and sons, Tom and Mack, of Crosbyton, visited the family of F. C. Jackson, Friday.

Mrs. Mildred Jones and Mrs. O. E. Eoden visited the latter's daughter, Mrs. Fred Petty, in Idalou, last week.

Mrs. W. H. Proctor went to Lubbock Saturday, accompanying her daughter, Mrs. R. J. Murray, who was returning from Mineral Wells, and who became seriously ill while there.

Mrs. H. G. Ratliff visited relatives in Meadow, Sunday.

Protective Barrage.

Harry Wilcox, of this city, left for a short business trip to Chicago. The Baptist church of which he is a member will hold prayer services tonight. —Minneapolis Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Teague and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Phillips, left Friday for Carlsbad Cavern.

Rev. Berry, of Spur, visited his family here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Young returned Thursday from a trip to Mineral Wells and Weatherford. Mrs. Young went as a delegate from the Woodmen Circle here, to the recent convention.

Mrs. R. W. Scott return Saturday from Mineral Wells, accompanying her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Phillips, who were there for treatment.

S. A. Johnson, of Posey, is in a sanitarium at Savannah, Mo., for treatment.

Mrs. A. Kessel left for Dallas Thursday.

J. D. and Sam Sanders of Pecos visited relatives in Slaton Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Stallings is visiting her mother in Nevada.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Saunders are visiting their sons in Pecos.

A. L. Brannon and J. K. Rogers returned from a business trip to Dallas, last Saturday.

T. O. Porter went to Tulia Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Drewry, with their daughters, Misses Joan and Lea Beth, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Austin, spent Sunday in Post, with Mrs. J. R. Bullock.

Enid Sears of Snyder, spent the week end with Tillie Pohl.

Mrs. Claud Anderson returned Sunday from Denton, accompanied by her daughter, Claudia, who had been visiting relatives at that place.

Miss Minnie Caldwell, of Nevada, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Ricks, and family.

Paul Cisco, of Ralls, was in Slaton as a business caller last Saturday.

Frank Lawrence is driving a new Pontiac.

Mrs. Ray Hickman visited with friends in Post over the week end.

L. P. Ausburn went to Lubbock last Saturday.

S. A. Silvest is improving, after being on the sick list for a few days.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Tafford, 420 S. 8th Street, a boy.

Miss Idean Rust spent the week end in Lubbock, with Mrs. D. I. Skelton.

J. B. Kness has returned from Lubbock, and is now switching in the yards here.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Thompson visited over Sunday with Mrs. Lillian Butler.

Mrs. C. W. Culp, of Big Springs, visited her sisters, Mrs. J. A. Klesner and Mrs. Hattie Hodges, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Cook, of Clovis, visited their daughter, Mrs. James A. McGinnis, and Mr. McGinnis, Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Tonn left for Amarillo, Monday.

Rev. T. C. Willett, of Merkel, filled

the pulpit at the Methodist Church Sunday night. Rev. Willett was a former pastor here, and was called to conduct the funeral services of Col. Smith.

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Mrs. C. L. Pack and her daughter, Billy, were called to Oklahoma City last week, owing to the death of the former's father, Mr. Dodson.

Mrs. W. A. Bowen returned from Melrose, New Mexico, Saturday, where she has been visiting relatives.

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