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Friday The 13th Inspires Special Topic For Rotary

Slaton Rotary Club was in to discuss a superstitious sub- Friday, that date being the 13th of the month. The pro- topic was "Popular Supersti- rles B. Jordan spoke on "The and Origin of Most Super- ne;" Jess Swint pointed out e Current Popular Supersti- "Horace G. Sanders described rstitutions Current When I Was " and R. P. "Pink" Burks was ed to tell about the first he ever "saw", but declared ot seen such a spectacle.

Discussions proved interesting ertaining, all members taking places on the program. Brennan, Amarillo, a visitor at meeting, was called upon and two special numbers which com- y caught the crowd's fancy. er visitors at the luncheon Max Westerfield and Dr. D. D. Lubbock; Ivan Stoker, Post; Rev. I. A. Smith, pastor of the Methodist church here. Rev. responded with an interesting in which he discussed the value benefits of a service club such e Rotary organization.

retary Allan J. Payne reported the club's attendance record for mber stood at an average of 93 ent. was decided at the luncheon to give a banquet next Fri- night for members of the Slaton football teams and for membe- e pep squads. The regular on meeting at noon will not id, and all Rotary members will pected to attend the night pro- to get credit for attendance. banquet will begin at 7:30, and e held at the Slaton Clubhouse. e regular program as scheduled next Friday will not be given e banquet for the Tigers and quads will be substituted for it, ding to W. H. Smith, president e club.

Slaton C. of C. to Work For New Road Designation

er returns from Lubbock Coun- road bond election Tuesday ed conclusively that the road issue had carried by a big ma- , officers of the Slaton Cham- of Commerce announced they begin working immediately securing a state designation on highway from Tahoka to Wilson Slaton, and thence north of here rsect Highway No. 53.

hen Slaton and Lubbock repre- tives compromised on the road sition which was voted on last ay, the Lubbock County Good s' association voted unanimously Slaton in getting a state desig- on the north-south road gh Slaton. It was agreed at time that, if such designation is ed, a smaller bond issue would e sented to the voters of the y later on which would provide for paving the road north and through Slaton and perhaps on through Becton, and also the leading west from Lubbock to- Levelland. This latter road was eluded in the bond issue voted last Tuesday.

e question of getting state desig- on the Tahoka, Wilson and n road, and thence north to No. as been up for consideration for al months. Wilson, Tahoka and oints along the route are also y interested and will co-operate e move. Thus, the line-up for ew designation will include Sla- Lubbock, Tahoka, Wilson and ps other towns, which, it is e- ed here, will give strong weight e request when presented to the ay Commission.

he proposed designation is con- eived here to be a very logical and it is believed that there is ed chance for securing the desig- on, leaders in the movement de- Jeanette Ramsey will leave and for Timpson, Texas, to the Christmas holidays with her and sister.

Yeggs Loot S. F. Tool House At Posey Mon. Nite

On Monday night of this week the tool house of the Santa Fe at Posey was entered and the prowlers escaped with an unestimated amount of articles.

The loot included a five-gallon oil can, marked A T & S F, a three-gallon can, a motor car cover and 10 gallons of lamp oil.

No definite clues leading to the identity of the thieves have been secured.

Ginning Season Nears End; Have 6,547 Bales Here

For the first time in the history of the South Plains, the cotton ginning season will be ended before the first of the year, ginners and farmers said last Saturday. Total ginnings at the six Slaton gins up to that time stood at 6,547 bales, a gain of 254 bales over the report a week earlier.

If weather conditions prove favorable during the next two weeks including this week, the gins will have finished their principal work for the season, and will designate certain days of the week to complete the remainder of the crop's ginning. It is believed the total for the six gins here will reach 7,000 bales by the time the crop is all gathered.

The three gins at Posey, McClung and Union have received about 4,500 bales so far this season.

City Decorates For Santa Claus

For the first time in Slaton's history, virtually every business firm has placed a Christmas tree in front of the store, and many of the merchants have made special exterior and interior decorations in keeping with the Yuletide spirit.

The Christmas trees were secured for the merchants by the American Legion Post here, working through a committee headed by Henry Jarman.

In addition to decorations for the business houses, several residences of the city have been decorated with special colored lights which lend a very beautiful effect.

A prize of \$25 will be awarded the business firm having the most attractive exterior decorations during this Christmas season, and a like prize will go to the residence which is most attractively decorated. The Slaton State Bank recently posted the prizes and judges will be furnished by the Slaton Chamber of Commerce.

Chief Dispatcher Of Amarillo Succumbs Wed. 5 A.M.

F. B. Sanford, chief dispatcher of the Santa Fe railroad lines in Amarillo, died at his home in Amarillo Wednesday morning, December 18th, at 5 o'clock. Mr. Sanford had been in ill health for four years, and had been confined to his bed for the past five months.

The deceased was well known in Slaton having made numerous business trips to this city.

He is survived by his widow and a daughter, Mrs. W. P. Schopper, of Shidler, Oklahoma. Other close relatives are a brother, W. E. Sanford of Greenville, Texas and a sister, Mrs. J. D. Jarvis, of Oklahoma City.

Mr. Sanford went to Amarillo in 1917 and joined the dispatchers' staff of the Santa Fe and had been promoted to the rank of chief dispatcher. He had formerly been employed with the Katy railroad with headquarters at Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Funeral arrangements had not been completed late Wednesday, but several Slaton people expect to attend.

According to an announcement received here the Santa Fe Clerical and General Office Association dance which was scheduled for Thursday evening has been postponed until a later date on account of the death of Mr. Sanford.

Pat Murphy, of Belen, New Mexico, transacted business and visited friends here this week.

Lubbock County Votes Herself A Xmas Present

The voice of the citizens, of Lubbock county, has been heard. The Bond election carried by a large majority, progress is the word for Lubbock county from now on, the united effort of the citizenship through their ballots proved the merit of the proposition.

The entire county is to be congratulated on this wonderful progressive movement, with the majorities rolled up at about 5 to 1. With a few voting precincts missing as we go to press, even with the total from them a mighty big majority is still for the Road Bond.

The mighty empire of the West is steadily forging ahead, this action registers another signal victory and will mark a new era in the wonderful progress the South Plains has made and will maintain. We are all friends and neighbors, simply have to live together, and with our united efforts our progress is assured. We congratulate everybody on the fine Christmas present for Lubbock county.

Recital Enjoyed Fri. Nite; Dec. 13

Misses Jeanette Ramsey, Frances Adams and Frankie McAtee presented their piano, expression and violin pupils in a preholiday recital last Friday evening at the High School auditorium.

The program, which consisted of some twenty-three numbers, was greatly enjoyed by those present.

Subscription To The Slatonite Is Ideal Xmas Gift

What nicer Christmas gift for your friends or relatives who are away than a "Letter From Home" every week? That's just what you can give if you send them a year's subscription to The Slatonite.

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Remember those friends and loved ones this year, so drop by our office and leave \$1.25.

GOODFELLOWS ARE LEAVING GIFTS AT PAYNE'S DRY GOODS CO.

The work of the Goodfellows is coming fine, gifts and money is being brought to Payne's Dry Goods Co. for distribution covering the Christmas season. There are communities other than Slaton that need our care, with drouth, hail and bank failures the Christmas cheer must be given to the unfortunate, this is not Charity but a display of the Goodfellowship spirit and carrying out the precepts of the Master.

The time is short, lay your gifts upon the Altar that a blessing may come to you and yours.

Miss Addie Lea Morrison will spend the Christmas holidays at Commerce, Texas.

Tigers Now Busy With Cage Work Prospects Good

After closing a remarkably successful season of football, in which nine of eleven games were won, the Slaton High School Tigers are beginning their basket ball training. Between 20 and 30 candidates for the team are out for practice, among which are Otis and Demp Cannon, Cecil Scott, Earl Braasfield, and Woodson Armes, all of them having been stellar lights on last year's quintet. The Tigers were runners-up last season, losing to Wilson in the district final game. Coach Paul Wright thinks he will have a better team this season than he had last year.

Road Committee Is Pleased With Voters' Response

The Slaton Citizens' Good Roads Committee, of which J. H. Brewer was chairman and J. W. Hood was vice chairman, organized about two weeks ago to work for the passage of Lubbock County's road bond issue on Tuesday of this week, was highly pleased with the vote polled in Slaton, members said here Wednesday.

"We want to thank all Slaton citizens for the interest shown in the bond election, and especially do we appreciate the work done by the women in helping get the people to the polls. We feel that the victory of the bonds will be a long step forward for this city and county, and we recognize the fact that you, the people of Slaton, had a big part in making the issue a success in the county," it was stated by J. H. Brewer, and others on the committee endorsed his statement.

Mrs. Robert Brinker has returned to her home at Sweetwater after spending several weeks in Slaton and Lubbock.

Musical Recital Enjoyed Tues. Nite

The piano and voice pupils of Mrs. Lillian Butler were presented in a recital Tuesday evening, December 17, at the High School Auditorium.

The program consisted of some twenty numbers with one of Miss Frankie McAtee's violin pupils assisting.

The performance was greatly enjoyed by those present.

Misses Ramsey & Adams Present Pupils

The senior piano and expression pupils of Misses Jeannette Ramsey and Frances Adams were presented in a recital Thursday evening at the High school auditorium at 7:30 o'clock.

The musical part of the program was rendered first followed by a one-act play entitled "The Wonder Hat," with the following taking parts: Mildred Rucker, Mildred Swafford, Myrtle Teague, Oleta Colson and Ruth Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Waldrep and children motored to Stamford Saturday night and visited relatives, returning Sunday afternoon.

J. W. Hood left the first of the week for Comanche to visit his father.

Homemakers Class Enjoy Social Meet

The Homemakers Sunday School class of the Baptist church met with Mrs. T. J. Ervin and Mrs. D. T. Cummings at the former's home, 200 East Dickens Street, last week in a regular meeting.

The Ervin home was beautifully decorated in the holiday colors of red and green.

A short business session was held followed by a social hour. During the business session Mrs. W. M. Rust was elected assistant secretary.

Mrs. Teague was in charge of the entertainment hour which consisted of a contest of cutting a Santa from red paper. Mrs. Lokey won first prize and Mrs. Rust second.

Miss Leola Ervin gave a piano number and Misses Melba Stollemlire and Vivian Teague gave readings.

Mrs. W. H. Armes was presented a nice and useful gift by her class. Mrs. T. K. Martin represented Santa Claus by handing from a beautiful tree gifts to Mesdames Shelton, Tucker, Reed, Rust, Lemons, Hern, Armes, Cummings, Lee, Kirksey, Stottlemlire, Gassoway, Martin, Ervin, Teague, Lokey, and Cleveland with N'ss Cleveland as visitor.

Dr. Sallie W. Miller and mother transacted business in Lubbock Tuesday afternoon.

MERCY HOSPITAL NEWS

Dec. 2-Dec. 19 Mrs. Tom Taylor admitted Tuesday, December 17th, appendicitis operation. Willie Mae Gattis admitted Saturday, December 14th, tonsil operation, dismissed Sunday, December 15th.

Old Time Friends Visited Uncle George

O. V. McCullam, passenger engineer on the Clovis-Carlsbad run, and who lives in Carlsbad, New Mexico, was the guest for several hours Monday of Mr. and Mrs. George Marriott.

Uncle George and Mr. McCullam were formerly engineer pals, but had not seen each other in twenty years until Monday.

Mr. McCullam is the oldest engineer on the Pecos division. He ran the first train into Carlsbad and the first into Roswell.

Tigers And Pep Squads To Have Banquet Friday

Members of the Slaton High Tiger line-up during the past football season, and members of the pep squad of the high school, will be guests of the Slaton Rotary Club at a banquet Friday night at the Slaton Clubhouse, it is announced by W. H. (Bill) Smith, president of the Rotary Club.

Members of the club are requested to be sure to attend the banquet, as the regular luncheon meeting will not be held at noon Friday, and all Rotarians will be expected to attend the Friday night meeting to get credit for attendance.

At least 100, maybe more, are expected to attend the banquet.

According to a telegram received Wednesday by Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Montague, their daughter, Miss Virginia, of Austin expects to spend Christmas day in Slaton with them.

Posey Girls Give Fruit to C. Of C.

A jar of peach preserves and a jar of cucumber pickles were presented last week by the Posey girls' 4-H club to L. A. Wilson, secretary of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce, in appreciation of the \$10 cash prize which the Slaton Chamber recently awarded the Posey club for winning second place this year in girls' club work in this county.

Miss Geraldine Wicker, president of the club, presented the canned fruit in person last Saturday. She succeeds Miss Ruth Leavelle as president of the Posey Club.

EXHIBIT OF FINE PICTURES TO BE PLACED ON DISPLAY HERE

Miss Marrs, art teacher of West Ward has announced that an exhibit of 50 of the finest reproductions of recognized masterpieces of art has been engaged to be placed on display to local students and the general public within the near future. The exact date and place of examination will be announced in the next few days.

A small admission charge will be made, and the fund thus raised will be used to purchase pictures for West Ward.

In making the announcement Miss Marrs said, "It has been the privilege of students and the general public to enjoy the masterpieces of music and literature for generations; but an enjoyment of the masterpieces of art has, until very recently, been restricted to those who were wealthy enough to travel throughout the world, visiting the museums in which the original paintings hang.

"Recent improvements in color photography and printing now make it possible to bring the art of the world to even our smaller towns and villages through the medium of faithful reproductions. These reproductions are true to the originals in all respects, with the possible exception of size. Even the most delicate variations in color are maintained. In most instances the brush strokes in the original picture are clearly discernible.

"I feel that we are fortunate indeed to be able to bring to Slaton a collection of these splendid pictures."

Kenneth Eugene, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Cotton, died Sunday morning at the family residence, 265 East Panhandle Street.

The infant was about forty-eight hours old at the time of its death. Mr. Cotton is employed at the E & A Dry Goods Company.

Resignation Of Baptist Pastor Effective Feb. 1

Rev. B. G. Holloway, pastor of the First Baptist church here for more than three years, presented to the church his resignation last Sunday morning, and it was accepted, effective Feb. 1. He has not yet announced his definite plans after that time, but is considering several different offers from other fields, it was said. A definite announcement is expected soon.

Rev. Holloway came to Slaton in the Fall of 1926, from Belton, Texas, where he had been engaged in field work for Baylor College, a leading Baptist educational institution of this state. He was formerly pastor at Jacksonville and other Texas churches, and has engaged extensively in evangelistic work over Texas.

During the three years of his pastorate here, the local church has enjoyed a large growth in membership, in finances and in the effectiveness of its work through the various related bodies, including the Sunday school, B. Y. P. U. S., W. M. U. and other organizations. The Sunday school has an average attendance of nearly 600. G. J. Catching is the superintendent. The school is recognized as one of the best in West Texas, considering the church membership and the facilities that are available. The school has approximately 150 officers and teachers, and has held standard rating with the Texas Baptist Sunday school department for more than a year.

A feature of the pastor's work here has been the regularity with which new members have been received, and the frequencies of baptisms has conducted. The three years of his pastorate have also shown a marked improvement in the church's financial status.

The membership of the church is over 700 at this time.

Besides his pastoral work, in which Mrs. Holloway has been an unusually effective helper and aid, Rev. Holloway has found time to engage in numerous civic activities of the city. He has been a member of the Slaton Rotary Club throughout his residence here, and has always taken an active part in community affairs.

Santa Fe Clerks Held Banquet At Clubhouse Here

The Association of Clerical Employees of the Santa Fe Railway company, Slaton Division, held its first annual meeting and banquet at the Slaton Clubhouse last Saturday night, about 90 clerks attending. Many of them were accompanied by their wives.

A. R. Tillman, of Albuquerque, safety superintendent for the Santa Fe, was present, acting as toastmaster. S. W. Reynolds, of Plainview, chairman of the clerks' association attended. There were clerks here from San Angelo, Lubbock, Post and other points on the Slaton Division.

The principal address was delivered by the Rev. James Rayburn, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city. Other people appearing on the program included: C. W. Taylor, chief clerk of the Santa Fe superintendent here; L. A. Wilson, secretary of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce; W. H. Smith, local Santa Fe agent; and Coke Oliver and B. E. Clark, two Santa Fe employes here who rednered music for the occasion.


J. A. Gillies, superintendent of the Slaton Division of the Santa Fe, attended the meeting.

Near the close of the session, a business meeting was held, conducted by J. L. Sweet, clerk in the local division offices. Practically all Santa Fe clerks located in Slaton were present for the banquet session.

The clerks' association includes all of the Slaton Division, which embraces 1,030 miles of railway lines throughout West Texas. The membership is now 137.

Women of the First Presbyterian church served the banquet dinner.

Texas individual incomes total \$3,100,000,000 annually.



How to Raise Poultry
By Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S.
St. Louis, Mo.

Dr. LeGear is a graduate of the Ontario Veterinary College, 1892. Thirty-six years of veterinary practice on diseases of live stock and poultry. Eminent authority on poultry and stock raising. Nationally known poultry breeder. Noted author and lecturer.

ARTICLE XXXIII

Let's Talk Turkey

Popular Opinion Vastly Overestimates the Difficulties of Turkey Raising. A Great Opportunity for Profits Being Overlooked by Farmers and Poultry Raisers.

Editor's Note—This is another story in a series of 52 stories on poultry raising written by the well known national poultry authority, Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S., of St. Louis. The entire series will appear in this paper. Our readers are urged to read them carefully and clip them out for future reference.

Nobody knows who started that figure of speech, "talking turkey," to indicate getting down to essentials, or "down to brass tacks" as many people say. Whoever started it, it is certainly an appropriate phrase to use in discussing the exceptionally profitable but relatively neglected industry of turkey raising. Here is a business in which the demand has always exceeded the supply and yet, ever since 1890 the supply has been steadily dwindling. Prices have not dwindled, however. On the contrary, they have consistently increased from year to year.

What a wonderful opening for wide-awake farmers to step in and make some real money! Yet, with but few exceptions, they turn deaf ears to the loud knocks of opportunity. Why?

Unquestionably the one great drawback has been the old belief that turkeys could not be raised unless given the run of unlimited range. They have always been considered wild things that would not live in confinement. So, as changing conditions in various localities made greater and greater restriction of range necessary, the raising of turkeys was automatically curtailed or abandoned. Not until very recently did it ever occur to anyone to question the old theory that turkeys needed all outdoors for their feeding and exercising grounds. Now we know that the old policy of unrestricted range has been one of the most serious factors in the high death rate among young turkeys.

This method caused chickens and

turkeys to be brought together on the same grounds. In this way the deadly blackhead disease was transmitted to the young poults through the cecum worm (pin worm) of chickens, now recognized as a host for blackhead germs. Blackhead is truly the turkey raiser's most dreaded enemy, for unless precautions are taken to keep the disease from getting started among the growing poults a heavy loss is sure to be had. It is easy to see, therefore, why the plan recently adopted by raising turkeys in confinement has proved so highly successful. It is quite definitely established now that turkeys can be raised in much the same manner as chickens and with far better results than were obtained by the old-fashioned methods once held all but sacred.

Another old-time theory that has lately been pretty thoroughly exploded is the belief that only natural hatching and brooding methods were practicable in turkey raising. It has been clearly established that poults hatched in incubators and reared in brooders are much less likely to succumb to the scourge of blackhead and other diseases which prey on their kind, than those hatched and brooded under hens. The reason for this is that naturally hatched poults acquire the germs of blackhead from older fowls just as they do from chickens where permitted to run with them. Confine them so they cannot get out to run with chickens or with old turkeys, or to run on ground where chickens have been for at least one year.

Three other essential planks in the turkey raiser's platform must be: sound feed, clean water and clean range. For those who still adhere to the old ideas about turkeys, this must sound like rank heresy. Yet the truth of such simple doctrines is vouched for by the foremost authorities on turkey raising in the country.

If you can raise chickens successfully, you can raise turkeys with equal success, only don't mix them. The methods of incubation, brooding and feeding will with but slight adaptation enable you to gain equally as good result with turkeys, and with a greater reward for your efforts. The profits so fondly imagined by those who would like to try turkey raising are there for you if you follow right methods. National custom calls for three great festivals every year when nothing but turkey will really suffice as the principal item on the menu and it would not be impossible to educate the public into a still wider use of this delicious meat if it were always possible to supply the present demand.

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All readers of this article are welcome to any further help I can give them. I shall be glad to hear from those who are truly interested and who really want to "TALK TURKEY" to a purpose. Address any inquiries or comments to me in care of the editor of this paper.
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DEVIL-MAY-CARE

by ARTHUR SOMERS ROCHE

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EIGHTEENTH PALMMENT

Synopsis
What Happened Before
 At a party in Palm Beach given by Mr. Cooper Clary, Leeson, an attorney, meets Lucy Harkness, who is as Devil-May-Care because her adventurous, eventful life. In a game in which partners for evening are chosen, Lucy is chosen by Tim Stevens, who has a reputation as a successful art-breaker. Leeson is a bit less. Tim Stevens tells Lucy she is going aboard his boat, the Minerva, and she accedes in order not to be "a quitter". Ask if she is sorry that he won her away, Lucy says she is not at all that evidently Fate has arranged it. Tim thereupon tells her to stop looking regretfully at Leeson.

Aboard Stevens' boat, the Minerva, Stevens tells Lucy of his plan. When she replies with contempt for him, he grows violently angry and she becomes afraid of him. He says he will never let her go from the Minerva until she jumps into the water from her cabin window, swimming a short distance under water.

Lucy reaches land and meets Dr. Fergus Faunce on an island. He takes care of her and takes her to his home. Everyone is worried about her, and when she meets Stevens she is frantic, regretful and still intent in protestations of love. Leeson informs Lucy that Stevens must raise a quarter of a million dollars or go to jail—"at five o'clock". Lucy goes to her bank and raises the sum.

Lucy goes to Stevens to help him, but he refuses to take money from a woman to whom he is not married. So Lucy marries this man that she hates, and promptly runs away from him, going to her staunch friend Dr. Fergus Faunce to tell what she has done. Stevens sets out in search of Lucy. Meanwhile, Dr. Faunce and Lucy launch a new boat. A hurricane wrecks them on their first trip. Lucy is saved, and finds herself aboard the Minerva, wondering what happened to Dr. Faunce.

Dr. Faunce is aboard the Minerva also. Stevens threatens to kill Faunce unless Lucy sticks to him. To save Faunce she accedes, but it expresses hate for Stevens. A few minutes later he startles her by saying he doesn't want her, and never will! Leeson sees Lucy and in a burst of confidence tells her of a plot against her husband. Certain interests are to break down the bridges on his property, and make it worthless. She goes to Faunce's place, where her husband and Faunce are together, and tells of the plot. Preparations are made for a fight.

Now Go On With The Story.
 Faunce dived into his cabin; he re-emerged carrying a double-barreled gun. And now Lucy noted a bulge in her husband's hip pocket; a dreadful anticipatory shudder ran up down her spine. This promised vengeance. Well, she'd always depended on it.

Over his shoulder, dog-trotting toward the waterway, Stevens called to his two followers: "They've probably blocked the bridge leading down to the development, and we'd never get through the rd. If we sneak up in your rowboat, Gus, old kid, we'll beat 'em to punch."

What, thought Lucy, had inspired, caused, or aroused this apparent macy between Tim and Fergus? It was money, the surest bond of friendship.

Did Fergus accept Tim because he hoped to be made wealthy? That didn't seem like Fergus. Tim ceased rowing. Ahead could be heard the confused murmur of many voices.

"They're on the first bridge," whispered Tim.

"Then we're too late," she groaned.

She heard an articulate ejaculation from her husband. Then: "Though you wanted to see a fair fight, Lucy. Well, be patient." He turned toward Faunce, yet in the night she heard his words.

"If I can keep one bridge standing, I'm all right," he said. "So I'll throw 'em off this first one. I set? Aw-right!"

He dug his oars into the water, and a skiff shot around a bend; it was beneath a bridge before the men on the bank realized what was in their midst.

Stevens stood up; his big hands gripped a bridge timber and he had climbed, like any huge cat, upon the bridge itself. She heard his great booming voice:

"Welcome friends! Didn't expect you or you'd have had a better reception. But, surprised as we are, we'll do the best we can. Do you prefer to be pushed off this bridge or thrown off? We aim to please."

The skiff had drifted under the bridge, and now Faunce was standing up, gripping at the timbers above. She would not be left alone; rising, she stepped the length of the boat, and placed her fingers upon the planking of the bridge. She was standing by her husband just as a voice cried:

"Knock him over; he's all alone." "Oh, I wouldn't say that," commented Faunce. His shot-gun was slung across one arm.

From the shore of the stream another voice called:

"Three of them. Well, there are twenty of us—"

Tiger-like, her husband moved. There was a stifled cry, a choking protest, something whirled through the air, and a splash from the stream.

"Only nineteen now," his great voice boomed. "Who's next for the bath?"

There were four men upon the bridge, but as he moved closer, they shrank back.

"Wait a minute," cried a third voice. "I'm the sheriff of this county, and I came here to see that law and order is observed. These people expected trouble and called on me for aid. These men are all my deputies and I order you to cease resisting their lawful occupation and consider

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"This midnight stuff is my justification," Stevens was saying. "But when they come back, in daylight, with a proper warrant for my arrest, I sha'n't have the excuse that I didn't believe Maddox was the sheriff. Fergus, we must have an injunction by morning. Now, Judge Learning is in Palm Beach. He has jurisdiction over this territory. He's at El Verano Hotel. Wake him out of bed, get him to issue an injunction against the town officials, against everybody, ordering them to restrain from destroying these bridges. We've saved the others, you'll notice. They're afraid we mean business and will start shooting. Come back here. Round up a few people to make it look better. They might buck an injunction, you know."

He whistled gustily. "Slip into the skiff; you'll have to wade or swim for it; see it down there, against the bank? Row back to Mango Key, hop into your car, and make your get-away. Of course they may be laying for you on the way, but show them the old shot-gun."

"We'll hope you make it."

"Why couldn't I go, leaving you two to handle them if they decide to try again, if they summon up courage enough," suggested Lucy.

Stevens frowned.

"They won't rush us, but they might try a surprise—block the way for a car, and when you stopped jumped you. I don't like the idea of my wife in the hands of that gang."

"Mr. Clary wouldn't let them actually harm me," said Lucy. "He's a wicked old devil, but, after all, I'm a friend of his wife—"

"She's right, Tim," said Fergus. "I ought to stay here with you."

"How in blazes is she going to find her way back to Mango Key?" objected Stevens.

"I can row a boat," said Lucy, "and when I reach the mouth of the creek I simply turn north, to the left, and when the waterways narrows I'm opposite Mango Key. The moon's gone, but the stars give enough light. Of course I can do it, if you'll get the boat for me. I hate to be all muddy."

"She's right, Tim," said Faunce, again.

Stevens shrugged, then yielded. He fetched the boat, placing the oars carefully in Lucy's hands, and shoved her off.

"I think I owe you a lot of thanks," he whispered. "You certainly saved

my bacon."

"You owe me nothing," she replied. "I owed whatever I did to you."

"How do you figure that?" he inquired.

"Because I believed you were engaged in a swindle. It seems that you were not. One should make payment for unjust thoughts. I've tried to pay."

"This time, then, I'm not a thief?" he said.

"This time you're not," she said. "Much obliged," he said dryly.

His body bent and the skiff went whirling out into the middle of the narrow stream; she bent to the oars.

Judge Learning descended to the lobby of El Verano and heard Lucy's impassioned statement of the case. The judge, no cracker, but a Southern gentleman, smiled sleepily at the pretty girl.

"Any man that's wise enough to pick you for a wife, Mrs. Stevens, is bound to get an even break in anything, because he's no fool. And he'll get a fair break with this court. You go home and get some sleep and I'll attend to the rest of the matter."

She could trust him, and so she went home, wild though she was to return to Seminole Creek and learn how Tim and Fergus; Fergus was an afterthought—were getting on.

Continued Next Week

AUTUMNAL IMMODESTY.

The wanton hills lie naked to the breeze,
 The woods and thickets now are all unfrocked.
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Clary, who stood his ground until the last, suddenly turned and ran. What had promised great excitement, even tragedy, degenerated into farce, into burlesque.

And yet it had not been Tim's fault. The way he had tossed a man into the water, knocked another off the bridge— And Fergus had shown gallantry. These were two magnifi-

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The Way of Life

by BRUCE BARTON

TOO MANY POSSESSIONS.

I know a man who has made a great deal of money. Having a high sense of obligation to his associates and his job, he continues to work hard.

But he feels that it is incumbent upon him to show that he is prosperous and, as he expresses it, to "get some enjoyment out of his wealth."

So he has built a big house in the city, another near the seashore and a third in the mountains. He has a yacht, with a crew of twenty-five men.

Surely, you would say, he must be very happy, having everything his heart could desire.

My personal observation is that he has too much, and for that reason actually gets less pleasure out of living than he did when he was poor.

I have never seen him seriously worried about his great business. But I have seen him waste an hour on the telephone fretting over something that had gone wrong on his boat.

He can make a decision involving millions without winking an eyelash. But when his prize bull got sick he was out of business for a couple of days, while he telegraphed all over the country for specialists, and received hourly bulletins.

Another man, having no children, keeps two prize dogs which are so valuable that he insists on taking them with him everywhere. I went with him once on a pleasure trip in an automobile. It may have been a pleasure trip for the dogs; it was agony for me. About every twenty miles we had to stop to attend to the little darlings. They fretted my friend much more than Coolidge was ever fretted by the operation of the entire United States.

I have never been one of those who write disparagingly of money. It is magic stuff. It can smooth rough roads, banish fears, and transform human lives.

But I hope that as I get older I may have sense enough to live in a smaller house, after my children leave, rather than build a big house. That I may be blessed with the wis-

dom that only he who simplifies his possessions can really reduce worries.

The rich young man who went to Jesus received a hard answer, "Go and sell all that thou hast and give to the poor," he was told.

From this it is often assumed that true religion demands poverty of its followers—a wrong idea, as is proved by the fact that Jesus had other wealthy friends from whom He demanded no such sacrifice.

The trouble with the rich young man was not that he had too much money, but that he had "great possessions". Worrying about his possessions so absorbed him that he was no good for anything else.

Slaton, Texas,
Dec. 13, 1929

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me a car I can ride in and a football. Some candy and nuts. Goodbye, Santa Claus.

Bobbie Edmondson.
Slaton, Texas,
Dec. 16, 1929.

Dear Santa Claus,

I am a little boy six years old. I want a little red wagon, some fruits, nuts and candy. And don't forget brother, he is in school today.

I have been pulling bolls this year and help Mother some in the house. Have been a good little boy, I think. From Jack Clack, Rt. 2, Slaton, Texas.

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Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little boy five years old. I live in the Union community. I want you to bring me a train and track, apples, oranges, bananas, candy and nuts.

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I am a good little boy.
Jiggs Lamb.
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Dear Santa Claus:

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Hidden Edmondson, Jr.
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THE STATE OF TEXAS,
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You are Hereby Commanded to summon W. E. Ragland and Lena Ragland, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the 99th District Court of Lubbock County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Lubbock, Texas, on the 2nd Monday in January, A. D. 1930, the same being the 13th day of January, A. D. 1930, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 17th day of June, A. D. 1929, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 3765, wherein W. A. Dykes is Plaintiff, and W. E. Ragland, Lena Ragland, Claude E. Stewart and The First State Bank of Slaton, Texas, a corporation, are Defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff on Dec. 6, 1923, conveyed to W. E. and Lena Ragland Lot 1, Block 68, Original Town of Slaton, Lubbock County, Texas, retaining vendor's lien to secure payment of their note for \$1490.00, of said date, due in monthly installments, payable to plaintiff, with 10% interest and containing usual 10% attorney's fee clause, and vendee assumed payment of note made by plaintiff to W. D. Eads for \$1060. Dec. 1, 1925, W. E. and Lena Ragland executed to Standard Savings & Loan Assn. deed of trust on said property to secure payment of their note for \$1300.00 which represented balance owing on said \$1060 note and a portion of said \$1490 note, and plaintiff assigned to Standard Savings & Loan Assn., all of said

\$1490.00 note except the sum of \$780.00, and on Dec. 26, 1925, W. E. and Lena Ragland executed their deed of trust on said property to W. E. Olive, Trustee, for the benefit of plaintiff, to secure payment of said \$780.00 balance owing to plaintiff on said note and executed renewal note in said sum, dated Dec. 29, 1925, due \$20.00 on first of each month beginning Feb. 1, 1926, bearing 10% interest and usual 10% attorney's fee clause, which note bears credit of \$20.00 paid on the principal thereof and interest paid to Nov. 26, 1926.

All remaining installments on said note are matured and unpaid, both principal and interest, and plaintiff has placed said note in hands of attorney for collection, for which reason attorney's fees have accrued, and there is now owing on said note \$760.00 principal, with 10% interest thereon from Nov. 26, 1926, and 10% additional on amount of principal and interest as attorney's fees, for which defendants W. E. and Lena Ragland are jointly and severally liable.

On Sept. 7, 1926, W. E. and Lena Ragland conveyed said property to Claude E. Stewart, subject to the aforesaid incumbrances, and said Stewart is now holder of record title to said property.

Standard Savings & Loan Assn. hold first lien on said property, with plaintiff a junior lienholder. Defendants did not make said payments to

Standard Savings & Loan Assn. and on June 10, 1929, plaintiff was obliged to pay \$133.35 on said first lien to protect his junior lien, and is entitled to be subrogated to the liens and rights of Standard Savings & Loan Assn. on said property for reimbursement of said sum, with legal interest, which sum is past due and unpaid.

Defendants W. E. and Lena Ragland, tho often requested, fail and refuse to pay said debts or any part thereof, to plaintiff's damage.

Plaintiff says he is informed said The First State Bank of Slaton, Texas, is seeking to claim and assert some sort of right, title and interest in said property, which interest, if any it has, is subordinate to the liens, right and title of plaintiff.

Defendants are in possession of all the instruments hereinbefore mentioned and they are hereby given notice to produce same on the trial of this cause, or secondary evidence will be offered to prove the contents thereof.

Plaintiff prays for judgment against W. E. Ragland and Lena Ragland, jointly and severally, for his debt evidenced by said note, principal, interest and attorney's fees, and for the amount paid to Standard Savings & Loan Assn., with interest, and that he be decreed to be subrogated to the rights, liens and remedies of said first lienholder to the extent of such payment made by him, and for all costs of suit, and for foreclosure of his liens

on said property against all the defendants; that said property be decreed to be sold as under execution in satisfaction of said demands and application of the proceeds as the law directs; for general and special relief in law and equity.

Herein Fail Not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return

thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

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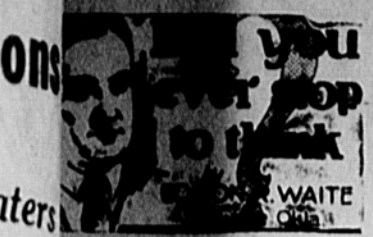
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News has been received in Slaton of the death of J. A. Cullar, father of G. M. Cullar of this city. Mr. Cullar left Slaton about ten days ago for Savoy, Texas, to be at the bedside of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody Puckett expect to spend the holiday season in San Angelo and Ozono with relatives.

R. H. Perry, grand division chairman of the Santa Fe, returned Tuesday from Topeka, Dodge City and Lajunta where he has been for several weeks transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Coltharp, and daughters Faye and Lucille are very grateful to their many friends for the kindly ministrations during their serious illness at Crowell. The Dorcas class come in for a share of their appreciation for beautiful flowers sent. They are asking that God bless all at this Christmas time.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Wright expect to spend the holidays in Amarillo.

Mrs. E. B. Carroll spent several days in Slaton this week visiting with her husband. She was enroute from Dallas to Los Angeles for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. George Marriott and Mrs. William Rust spent Tuesday in Amarillo.

Knox Regeon, who is employed as section foreman for the Santa Fe, has been transferred from the Post City yards to the Slaton yards. Mr. Regeon has moved his family here.

Mrs. E. M. Lott was an Amarillo visitor this week, spending a few days with her son George, who is in the employment of the Santa Fe.

Barney Workman, of the Texas Utilities Company, of Plainview, spent several days last week in Slaton transacting business.

Ode Porter spent the week-end in Tulsa.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Kessel and family spent Sunday in Lubbock with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Lokey were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Campbell in Lamesa.

Mrs. George Everline and daughters, Nancy and Jane, left Monday for Amarillo to join Mr. Everline, who has been transferred to the Amarillo division of the Santa Fe. The family will make their home in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tonn and family have moved to Amarillo where they will make their future home. Mr. Tonn has been transferred to that division as conductor on an Amarillo-Sweetwater passenger.

Arthur R. Tillman, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, was greeting friends in Slaton. Mr. Tillman is here in connection with the Accident Prevention work for the Santa Fe, in the safety service. The annual meeting was also attended by Mr. Tillman covering the class of work among the employees of the Slaton Division. We are always pleased to have Mr. Tillman call on us, for he is a pleasing character, and simply full of his work.

The following Slaton people visited in Lubbock Tuesday: Mrs. J. H. Brewer, Mrs. Tom Overby, Miss Katrina Terry, Mrs. J. A. Hightower, Mrs. G. W. Shanks, Mrs. B. G. Holloway and Mrs. Kirby J. Brown.

Zeke Baldwin, accompanied by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Baldwin, were in Lubbock Tuesday afternoon at a Lubbock hospital where young Zeke had his left arm re-set. The right arm is reported to be doing fine and it is hoped that the left arm will soon start to improving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cramer and little daughter, Betty Jo, expect to leave Saturday, Dec. 21st, for Topeka, Kansas and Kansas City to spend the Christmas holidays with Mr. Cramer's parents.

Slaton Volunteer Fire Dept., Slaton, Texas, Dec. 12, 1929
 To The Good People of Slaton, Texas:

Am asking your co-operation in the good work you are now engaged in, in the way of fire prevention, in our fair city. To date we have never had any one killed or injured by fire and as the Holiday Season is drawing near the Slaton Volunteer Fire Department wishes to sound this warning and ask the co-operation of each individual to keep up the good work, and close the year of 1929 without another fire, in so doing we will

keep our insurance to the minimum and might also save the life or injury of some person.

During Holiday Seasons there are such hazards as the lighting of decorations with candles and such like, which is extremely dangerous, also the fire works used which is very dangerous.

And to merchants, please do not allow rubbish to accumulate around or in your place of business, you may think you do not have time to dispose of it, but please take the time so that you may have your business and be able to enjoy the holidays instead of mourning the loss of your business due to fire.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Lubbock County—Greeting:

You are Hereby Commanded to summon B. O. Sullivan, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the 72nd District Court of Lubbock County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Lubbock, Texas, on the second Monday in February, A. D. 1930, the same being the 10th day of February, A. D. 1930, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 12th day of December, A. D. 1929, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 3975, wherein The First State Bank of Slaton, Texas, a banking corporation, is Plaintiff, and W. J. Duncan, J. F. Perry, Elmo Wall and B. O. Sullivan are Defendants. Plaintiff alleges that on May 27, 1925, W. J. Duncan and J. F. Perry recovered judgment in the District Court of

Lubbock County, Texas, against B. O. Sullivan for \$736.42 and foreclosure of certain vendors lien note described in said judgment on the east 65 feet of Lots Nos. 6 to 10, inclusive, in Block 128 of the original town of Lubbock, Lubbock County Texas, in cause No. 2135 in said court, and same further foreclosed certain vendor's lien note described in said judgment held by defendant Elmo Wall and by the First State Bank of Slaton, Texas, said judgment declaring the notes held by said Duncan and Perry superior lien on the above described real estate, that held by Elmo Wall second lien, and that held by The First State Bank of Slaton third lien, in so far as these parties were concerned, all of said liens being secondary to the liens held by the United Savings Bank of Detroit and by Mrs. Carrie M. Spencer, a widow, all said liens being foreclosed subject to the said liens of the United Savings Bank of Detroit and said Mrs. Spencer; that pursuant to said judgment an order of sale was issued out of said court on June 12, 1925, to the sheriff of Lubbock County; that pursuant to said order of sale the sheriff duly levied on said real estate as property of B. O. Sullivan, duly served the said B. O. Sullivan,

Elmo Wall and The First State Bank of Slaton with proper notice of sale, etc., everything about said notice and advertisement of sale being correct with the exception that the published notice described the property as being Block 28 instead of Block No. 128; that on July 7, 1925, the date of the sale, the sheriff sold said property for cash to J. H. Brewer for \$1400.00, in the correct manner, and executed sheriff's deed; that later the said Brewer deeded the real estate to plaintiff; that the error in the newspaper advertisement creates a cloud on the title to said property, to plaintiff's damage \$2000.00. Plaintiff prays for judgment quieting its title to said real estate; that defect in the published notice be held for naught; for costs of suit, etc.

Herein Filed Not, and have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Lubbock, Texas, this 12th day of December, A. D. 1929.

(SEAL) FLORA ATCHISON,
 Clerk, District Court, Lubbock County, Texas.



Save For Next Xmas HAVE MONEY

As the year closes we wish to thank all our friends and community for their past patronage.

We wish all a Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

SLATON STATE BANK
 Let's Diversify
 SLATON, TEXAS

O. N. ALCORN
 Transfer and Storage
 Daily Truck to Lubbock
 Long Hauls Our Specialty.
 All Work Guaranteed.
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A GIFT SHELL ADORE
 A charming gift combination of the lovely Three Flowers perfume, toilet water, sachet and face powder. In a sprightly package of modernistic design . . . \$5.00

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What gift would she appreciate more than one of these? We have them in stock.

THE City Drug STORE
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 We Fill Any Doctor's Prescriptions.
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GIVE FLOWERS CHRISTMAS

Slaton Floral Co.
 Prompt Delivery
 Phone 489 South 9th St.

You will miss a treat if you don't visit our Greenhouse.

Sensible Xmas Gifts

Don't wait until "the night before Christmas" shopping. Come in today, we have sensible gifts that will be used throughout the year. Something handsome and attractive for each member of your family. Our gifts are ELEGANT yet PRICED REASONABLE.

Our Hardware's Best; it stands the test of time.

SLATON HARDWARE CO.
 Slaton, Texas

Good Beginning Friday

ABSOLUTELY GUARANTEED INDESTRUCTIBLE

This advertisement and \$1.00 entitles Dancer to one regular \$5.00 indestructible pearl necklace equipped with beautiful Sterling silver double safety clasp

Free Narcissus Parfum and Free Face Powder

Blue Bonnet Shop
 Slaton's Busiest Corner

Do Your Christmas Buying Now

We are very fortunate to be able to offer this wonderful value to our customers at such a low price. Limit of 3 sales to a customer.

BIKES

The Gift Every Boy Wants!

To spot a CHICAGO BICYCLE riding alongside the tree Christmas morning will set your boy to turning his springs. Will he be happy? And how about a Gift every peppy youngster dreams about.

Has metal-lined aluminum rims; coil brakes; and a sturdy frame.
PRICED \$33.50

Also the sidewalk bicycles for
\$16.00

Worley Hardware Co.
 Phone 121

New Hope News.

Day School Report Chapters 76
 1929; Number present 64
 on 20.
 42-43 met in regular ses-
 Wednesday morning. Sixteen
 present.
 discussed what they would
 for the Council Meeting pro-
 at Lubbock last Saturday in
 y. Three members joined the
 They were Evelyn Hogan, Ag-
 rawunder, and Pearlne Flinn.
 and Mrs. G. C. Young of Ab-
 Texas, spent Saturday night with
 Inez Agee at the Teacherage.
 young and his wife will live in
 ck.
 and Mrs. Walter Rogers and
 ter Waltrude, Mr. and Mrs.
 te Lemmons of Lubbock
 at Miss Fay Kerley out Sunday
 teacherage.
 Schramm, Miss Inez Agee,
 Schramm and Herbert Tims
 o Church at Lubbock, The First
 t Church, Sunday night.
 3. Burkett and wife spent Sun-
 th the E. D. Harvey family.
 and Mrs. Raymond Wylie spent
 y with J. B. Pate and wife of
 ck.
 Hurley spent Sunday with
 Basham.
 Annie Hazlip and family, Her-
 N. C. Tims went to Slaton
 afternoon to visit Miss Rona
 mm.
 her A. O. Graydon filled his ap-
 point here Sunday at eleven. He
 ed a very forceful sermon on
 rable of the Talents. On leave-
 found his car loaded with good
 as the result of being "Pound-
 Agee was hostess to two lit-
 ls yesterday; Corine Baily and
 Townsend. Virginia Pate and
 Hurley joined them in the af-
 n.
 Ashcraft and Moody and Mrs.
 Ashcraft and little daughter
 calling on New Hope friends
 y.
 and Mrs. A. P. Tims left last
 ay for points in New Mexico.
 will also visit Amarillo, and
 places in Texas.
 families of F. G. Grawunder, F.
 ansen and O. A. Mattheus gath-
 at the C. W. Falkenberg home
 ervice for the Christmas Pro-
 to be given at Posey Lutheran
 h soon.
 dames J. A. Stewart, L. E.
 F. G. Grawunder, O. A. Mat-
 R. L. Stewart, J. A. Cookey,
 Annie Hazlip and daughter
 attended the Council Meeting
 h last Thursday.
 and Mrs. Ross Prather took
 friends to Levelland Saturday to
 t a farm.
 id Cooper and Miss Rona
 mm visited Mrs. Annie Hazlip
 y night.
 and Mrs. L. E. Sims have gone
 itaque to visit friends and re-
 ne and Osella Davis spent Sun-
 th Thetis Taylor.
 Edith Richardson and brother
 and Cousin Altus Griffin are
 on a trip to Roswell and other
 in New Mexico.
 L. W. Wilke family spent Sun-
 th Raymond Forester and fam-
 Posey.
 A. Taylor and wife spent Sunday
 oon with the John Boren fam-

ily.
 Helen Wilks gave the young people
 a party in her home Saturday night.
 J. A. Cooksey and family spent
 Sunday night with the J. A. Taylor
 family.
 Helen Wilke gave the young people
 a party in her home Saturday night.
 J. A. Cooksey and family spent Sun-
 day night with the J. A. Taylor fam-
 ily.
 Theresa Taylor was taken to the
 Lubbock Sanitarium Sunday and the
 physicians pronounced her trouble fa-
 cial paralysis. She is not suffering so
 much but that she can continue her
 school work.
 Avelin Hogan, David and Frank
 Sims enrolled in school last week.
 New Hope wishes The Slaton Sla-
 tonite A Happy and a Prosperous
 1930.

News Of Union

By
 Ninth Grade Pupils.
 Aluis Peterson, Russell Long, Mon-
 nie Lee McRae, Louise Young and
 Velma Payne were the guests of the
 Misses Cora and Betty Sedwick.
 Mr. and Mrs. Carl Walters enter-
 tained the young people with a party
 last Wednesday night.
 Mr. Elis Eklund with Miss Sophie
 and Lillian left Friday morning for
 Austin, where they will visit till
 Christmas.
 Mrs. O. N. Smith visited Mrs. G.
 T. Smith, who is residing at the home
 of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Berry,
 Friday afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lamband with
 their family, and Miss Roberta
 Stamps, a student of the Tech College
 at Lubbock, were the guests of Mr.
 and Mrs. A. C. Sedwick, Sunday.
 Erick Eklund, Claude and Ray Ber-
 ry, spent Saturday night with Alton
 Russell.
 Clay Jeter and the Peterson boys
 spent Sunday evening with Minard
 Griffin.
 The Methodist women of this com-
 munity are going to meet with Mrs.
 H. W. Jeter Wednesday afternoon and

quilt two quilts, which are to be sent
 to the Methodist Orphanage at Waco.
 The Rev. Bickley, presiding elder
 preached at the Methodist Church
 here last Thursday night.
 The teachers of Union School are
 planning a program and Christmas
 tree for the community, Christmas
 night.
 Mrs. Gamble and small children vis-
 ited with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Robin-
 son Sunday afternoon.
 Miss Pauline Payne spent Sunday
 with Margie Lamb.
 Gabe Larson O'Dell, son of Mr. and
 Mrs. O. W. O'Dell, spent the week end
 with Leonard Larson.
 Miss Enid Griffin gave a farewell
 party for Alvin Petterson and Rus-
 sell Long Saturday night.
 The Rev. J. I. Clinton filled his
 regular appointment here, Sunday
 morning and Sunday evening, at the
 Baptist church. His wife and two
 children accompanied him.
 The Misses Laverne, Ellen and Min-
 nie Vee, Gamble, were the guests of
 Miss Iva Presley Sunday afternoon.
 The Women's Home Demonstration
 Club met with Mrs. Baird last Wed-
 nesday evening at Lubbock.
 The High School girls of Union are
 planning their first Basket Ball game
 Friday, with Woodrow.

of house shoes, some candy and nuts
 this Christmas.
 Thanking you Dear Santa Claus,
 I am
 Your little friend,
 Betty Jo Cramer.

Dear Santa Claus:
 I am a little girl three years old. I
 want you to bring me a doll, set of
 blocks and a little iron, a little set of
 dishes and a wagon. And don't for-
 get the other little boys and girls, es-
 pecially the orphans.
 Thanks,
 Wenona Ruth Peebles.

**Mrs. Green Hostess
 To C. & C. Club Sat.**

The Civic and Culture club met at
 the home of Mrs. L. T. Green's Satur-
 day afternoon, December 14th, with
 Mrs. Lee Green as hostess.
 Mrs. Robertson, president, being
 absent, Mrs. Pickens called the meet-
 ing to order.
 After a short business session the
 program on "The Character Story"
 was interestingly discussed by Mrs.
 Stokes, who as leader made a talk on
 "Types and Authors of Character
 Stories". Mr. Pearson, in a very able
 manner gave a resume of "The Gay
 Old Dog". Mrs. Pickens' discussion
 of "Rain" was interesting in every de-
 tail and in closing her talk left the
 subject to the decision of each mem-
 ber individually as to whether "Men
 are Pigs".
 Miss Audrea Marriott was a Lub-
 bock visitor Tuesday afternoon.

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BUY HIM	BUY HER
A Suit	A Dress
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Hdkfs.	

Wishing Our Friends, Customers and
 Everybody a
MERRY, MERRY CHRISTMAS
 and a Happy and Prosperous New Year,
 we are,
 Yours to Serve,

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 DRY GOODS



**NAME PRESCRIPTION
 HE WROTE IN 1892**

Dr. Caldwell started to practice
 medicine, back in 1876, the needs for a
 doctor were not as great as today.
 He lived normal lives, ate plain,
 some food and got plenty of fresh
 air. But ever that early there were
 physical and surgical for the relief
 of constipation which Dr. Caldwell did
 believe were good for human beings.
 His prescription for constipation that
 he used early in his practice, and which
 is in drug stores in 1892 under the
 name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin,
 liquid vegetable remedy, intended
 for children and elderly people,
 they need just such a mild, safe
 stimulant.
 His prescription has proven its worth
 and is now the largest selling liquid
 in the world. It has won the confidence
 of a man who needed it to get relief from
 indigestion, biliousness, flatulence, indi-
 gence, loss of appetite and sleep, bad
 breath, dyspepsia, colds, fevers. At your
 drug store, or write "Syrup Pepsin,"
 Dr. J. C. Caldwell, Illinois, for free
 bottle.

CLARENCE SAUNDERS
 SOLE OWNER OF MY NAME

"Whoopee" Look At All the Christmas
 Goodies and How Cheap
 Prices Good from Opening Saturday,
 Dec. 21 to Closing Tuesday, Dec. 24

Cranberries	Fancy Per Pound	21c	
Oranges	ALL SIZES— GET OUR PRICES BEFORE BUYING	Apples	
		ALL SIZES GET OUR PRICES BEFORE BUYING	
CANDY	Fancy Christmas Mixed, pound	15c	
DROMEDARY DATES	10-OZ. PKG. 19.	CHOCOLATE COVERED CHERRY CANDY	LB. .45
15-OZ. PKG. RAISINS	EACH .12 1/2	WALNUTS	POUND .27
HEINZ PLUM PUDDING	CAN .43	NUTS BRAZIL	POUND .27
BREAD	Real Quality 3 loaves for	20c	
YUKON MEAL	20 POUNDS .69	SHELLED HALVES PECANS	1 POUND .95
CRANBERRY SAUCE	NO. 1 CAN 19	SHELLED HALVES PECANS	3-OZ. PKG. .23
SOUR PICKLES	QUART .24	ALL FLAVORS JELLO	3 PKGS. .25
EGGS	Guaranteed Per dozen	43c	



JACK HOLT, LILA LEE in "FLIGHT" A COLUMBIA PRODUCTION

"Flight," the Columbia all-talking aviation special which opened at the Palace Theatre Christmas Day is a mighty drama of adventure in the sky featuring the most sensational air feats ever photographed. A capable cast including Jack Holt and Ralph Graves, one of the screen's favorite teams, Lila Lee, Harold Goodwin, Jimmy De La Cruze and Alan Roscoe handle their roles with skill and artistry.

Loops, tail-spins and Immelman turns provide thrills galore for aviation enthusiasts. Fundamentally an aerial production, a beautiful and poignant love story is told against the background of breath-taking manoeuvres among the clouds.

"Lefty" Phelps, enacted by Ralph Graves, driven by shame to leave college because of a bonehead reverse football play joins the marine aviation service. He wins the sympathy and friendship of "Panama" Williams, the hard-boiled Marine sergeant (Jack Holt). Their friendship is disrupted temporarily when they both fall in love with the same girl. This situation leads to an intensely dramatic conclusion.

Battle scenes between the Nicaraguan insurgents and the American marines are tremendously realistic and thrilling. Colorful sequences are laid in the exotic atmosphere of Nicaraguan cabarets where Spanish singers and dancers hold forth.

Here is one of the rare achievements in motion pictures—a good story, excellent acting, fine direction and tense and awe-inspiring situations. Good entertainment. Frank R. Capra directed.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER DEED OF TRUST, BY SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS) County of Lubbock) Notice is hereby given that, whereas, on the 9th day of September A. D. 1925, one C. O. Ross and wife Elizabeth Ross executed a deed of trust to Walter J. L. Ray as trustee, for the benefit of Standard Savings & Loan Association, of Detroit, Mich., a corporation, on the hereinafter described real estate, which deed of trust appears of record in Vol. 30 pp 327, of

the Deed of Trust Records of Lubbock County, Texas, to which record reference is here made to more fully show the wording and effect of such instrument and the property covered by it; and where as, the said C. O. Ross has made default in the payment of the certain debt and obligation described in such instrument, leaving the sum of \$1168.32 remaining unpaid, due and owing on this date thereon; and,

Whereas, the said Walter J. L. Ray, named as trustee in said deed of trust, is unable to perform the duties imposed on him by said deed of trust, and said instrument provides in such cases for appointment of a substitute trustee to perform and enforce said trust; and,

Whereas, the undersigned M. A. Pember, was by instrument in writing, on the 16th day of December, A. D. 1929, appointed substitute trustee to perform and enforce said trust according to the terms of said instrument, and the said beneficiary Standard Savings & Loan Association has requested me to enforce such trust.

Now, therefore, I, M. A. Pember, substitute trustee as aforesaid, hereby give notice that I will accordingly, after due publication of this notice as required by such deed of trust, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, or bidders, for cash, at the Court-house door of Lubbock County, Texas, in which county such property is situated, between ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. on the first Tuesday in January, 1930, being the 7th day of January, A. D. 1930, the following real estate and premises so described and covered by such deed of trust, to-wit:

Lot No. Six (6) Block No. Seventy-five (75) in the original town of Slaton, Texas.

Dated at Slaton, Texas, this the 18th day of December, A. D. 1929.

M. A. PEMBER, Substitute Trustee.

20-3tc.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER DEED OF TRUST, BY SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS) County of Lubbock) Notice is hereby given that, where-

as, on the 15th day of January A. D. 1926, one G. N. Wilson and wife Hallie B. Wilson executed a deed of trust to Walter J. L. Ray as trustee, for the benefit of Standard Savings & Loan Association, of Detroit, Mich., a corporation, on the hereinafter described real estate, which deed of trust appears of record in Vol. 32 pp 629, of the Deed of Trust Records of Lubbock County, Texas, to which record reference is here made to more fully show the wording and effect of such instrument and the property covered by it; and whereas, the said G. N. Wilson has made default in the payment of the certain debt and obligation described in such instrument, leaving the sum of 2079.91 remaining unpaid, due and owing on this date thereon; and,

Whereas, the said Walter J. L. Ray, named as trustee in said deed of trust, is unable to perform the duties imposed on him by said deed of trust, and said instrument provides in such cases for appointment of a substitute trustee to perform and enforce said trust; and,

Whereas, the undersigned M. A. Pember, was by instrument in writing, on the 16th day of December, A. D. 1929, appointed substitute trustee to perform and enforce said trust according to the terms of said instrument, and the said beneficiary Standard Savings & Loan Association has requested me to enforce such trust.

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Lot No. Ten (10) Block No. Two (2) in the South addition to the town of Slaton, Texas.

Dated at Slaton, Texas, this the 18th day of December, A. D. 1929.

M. A. PEMBER, Substitute Trustee.

20-3tc.

Texas leads all the states in long distance bus service, having eighty routes covering 12,000 miles. California, with thirty routes covering 6,000

miles of highway, is second.

Slaton, Texas, Dec. 17, 1929

Dear Santa: I am a little boy six years old and I have tried to be a good little boy. Please bring me a triecyle and some candy and nuts and fruit.

Santa don't forget the little boys and girls at Southland.

Love, Jack De Vore.

Slaton, Texas December 14, 1929

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy two years old and have been a very good boy. I would like very much for you to bring me a big coaster wagon, a toy tractor, a french harp, a rubber ball. Santa be sure and bring me lots of apples, oranges, bananas and fruits, nuts and candy.

Be sure and bring all the little boys and girls something too.

Now Santa Don't miss my house for I live a mile and a half east of Union.

Your true friend, George S. Gamble.

Slaton, Texas December 17, 1929.

Dear Santa— I am a little girl who lives at 755 South 7th Street please bring me a big baby doll and a crib with mattress and pillow, a set of water colors and a drawing book and don't forget my little brother, Billy Bob, Better Known as "Son". He wants a wagon, wheelbarrow and steam shovel. We can hardly wait for you to come. If you don't have enough fruits and nuts for us we won't get mad for our Grandpa has a grocery store in Slaton.

Hurry to see us: Vivian & Billy Bob Murphree.

Route 1, box 29 Slaton, Texas, December 14, 1929

Dearest Santa Claus, Please bring me a pair of gloves, a watch and lots of fruits, nuts and candies. Your friend,

Joe Gamble.

P. S. Please don't forget the other little boys and girls.

DESTROYED DOLLARS.

Dollars, represented by property, die when fire destroys. Whether the blaze consumes a great tract of forest or a one-car garage, it means a permanent economic loss. The money invested can never again work to produce profits. It is definitely and literally dead.

This is a direct loss. The indirect loss, in waste of time and unemployment, may be even greater. The tax that would be paid on a destroyed building is reassessed against other citizens. The rates charged by insurance companies are determined by the aggregate average fire loss. Even-

Relieves Colds In 2 Minutes

To cut short a cold, cough due to cold, and prevent complications, nothing gives such quick and delightful relief as Aspirinal, a new scientific, "Liquid Cold Remedy" that clears the head; relieves congestion in the nose and throat; checks the excessive flow of mucus; banishes dull headaches and that chilly, achy feeling. Aspirinal is a complete, "Liquid Cold Remedy," acting gently on the liver and bowels, and your druggist is authorized to refund your money while you wait at the counter if you do not feel relief coming in two minutes. All druggists carry Aspirinal, the largest selling liquid cold remedy in the world. (adv.)

Catching Drug Store

Ambulance Service

We answer Ambulance Calls day or night.

We go any place.

Phone 104 Night Phone 149W

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Just Arrived

New Spring Coats, Ensembles, Dresses and Hats

Visit our store and inspect the newest in apparel.

Our store is filled with Chistmas Gifts for Dad, Mother and children.

You can find what you want at Kessel's.

Wishing all of you a MERRY CHRISTMAS

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"Where You Do Better"

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For Mail Subscriptions

What better CHRISTMAS GIFT would be enjoyed more every day than a copy of The Dallas Morning News? During this offer we quote a special rate for subscriptions nine months including both our daily and Sunday editions, for only—

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The Dallas Morning News

The Dallas News, Dallas, Texas.

Herewith my remittance of \$_____ to cover cost of subscription to The Dallas Morning News (daily and Sunday) (daily only) for nine months.

Name _____

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ery citizen in the every fire. Somethed its share, largegress and social orment, has been totalstead of an asset, nse.

These are simple Lubby here thought must bringith da B. L. gantic annual fire wscuted L. R. Stand the bill is charged ag, of al pocketbook.

Junction, Kimble record a \$400,000 building nearing completion.

PALACE

Sat., Dec.



LOUISE FAZENDA Reel Talking "Nell"

Sun.-Mon.

Dec. 22

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A Main Street Broadway—Fables and Vitals Admissions—

Dec. 25

Wed. - Th

Big Special Christmas Programme—

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A THRILLING DRAMA—ADMIT

JACK LILA RALPH and supp

A BEA... a se... lieva... reaso... pile... break... here! T... the... drama... MADE... COOP... THE... STAB... COE...

The Talking Screen in the Limit in This Drama of All News—Acts & Admision

SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER DEED OF TRUST. SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE.

(STATE OF TEXAS)

Lubbock
 hereby given that, where-
 18th day of September, A. D.
 B. Lowrie and wife Louise
 executed a deed of trust to
 L. Ray as trustee, for the
 Standard Savings & Loan
 of Detroit, Mich., a cor-
 on the hereinafter described
 which deed of trust ap-
 eed in Vol. 46 pp 881, of
 Trust Records of Lub-
 bock County, Texas, to which record
 here made to more fully
 word and effect of such
 and the property covered
 whereas, the said J. B.
 made default in the pay-
 ment of certain debt and obliga-
 tion in such instrument,
 the sum of \$592.51 remain-
 ing due and owing on this
 on; and,
 the said Walter J. L. Ray,
 trustee in said deed of
 unable to perform the duties
 him by said deed of trust,
 instrument provides in such
 appointment of a substitute
 perform and enforce said
 Whereas, the undersigned M. A.
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 ing, on the 16th day of December, A.
 D. 1929, appointed substitute trustee
 to perform and enforce said trust ac-
 cording to the terms of said instru-
 ment, and the said beneficiary Stan-
 ard Savings & Loan Association has
 requested me to enforce such trust.
 Now, therefore, I, M. A. Pember,
 substitute trustee as aforesaid, here-
 by give notice that I will accordingly,
 after due publication of this notice as
 required by such deed of trust, sell at
 public vendue to the highest bidder,
 or bidders, for cash, at the Court-
 house door of Lubbock County, Tex-
 in which county such property is sit-
 uated, between ten o'clock A. M. and
 four o'clock P. M. on the first Tues-
 day in January, 1930, being the 7th
 day of January, A. D. 1930, the fol-
 lowing real estate and premises so
 described and covered by such deed of
 trust, to-wit:
 Lot No. Three (3) Block No. Nine-
 ty-seven (97) in the original Town of
 Slaton, Texas.
 Dated at Slaton, Texas, this the 18th

the Deed of Trust Records of Lub-
 bock County, Texas, to which record
 reference is here made to more fully
 show the wording and effect of such
 instrument and the property covered
 by it; and whereas, the said J. B.
 Lowrie has made default in the pay-
 ment of the certain debt and obliga-
 tion described in such instrument,
 leaving the sum of \$1206.88 remain-
 ing unpaid, due and owing on this
 date thereon; and,
 Whereas, the said Walter J. L. Ray,
 named as trustee in said deed of
 trust, is unable to perform the duties
 imposed on him by said deed of trust,
 and said instrument provides in such
 cases for appointment of a substitute
 trustee to perform and enforce said
 trust; and,
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 Substitute Trustee.

THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK.

For one of the first times in the
 history of our country we find govern-
 ment and business working desper-
 ately to avoid a financial and business
 depression. Whether these efforts
 succeed or not time alone can tell.

But the writer is confident that we
 will see no serious collapse of business
 such as struck the country in times
 past. The more carefully one studies
 the situation the more certain one
 becomes that fundamentally our coun-
 try is on a stable, business basis.

The difficulty may be traced direct-
 ly to the collapse of the stock mar-
 ket. But why should this paralyze
 general business? The high stock
 values that preceded the crash were
 due to the speculative fever that ran
 through the country. The stock de-
 cline destroyed no real wealth. It
 merely wiped out paper profits and
 imaginary riches. And even in that
 it affected only a comparatively small
 number of the citizens of our country.

Take your own community as an ex-
 ample. Upon investigation you will
 find that only a very small per cen-
 tage of our citizens have been buying
 and selling stocks. This same condi-
 tion prevails throughout our country.
 It can be seen readily, therefore, that
 the proportion of our people who have
 lost so heavily in stocks that they
 must curtail their purchases in luxur-
 ies and necessities is comparatively
 small.

The great mass of American citi-
 zens is unaffected, and it is this mass
 that furnishes the market for most in-
 dustries and keeps men in jobs.

The stock flurry, of course, had its
 effect upon public psychology, one

thing to which all business reacts.
 And in this connection the confer-
 ences between the President and vari-
 ous business leaders are of outstand-
 ing value. They have without ques-
 tion restored public confidence in the
 business stability of the nation.

PROF. BALLARD OF T. C. U. ONCE TAUGHT CLASS OF 3,000

FORT WORTH.—Many teachers
 think a class with 30 or 40 students
 in it is too large, but Prof. John W.
 Ballard of Texas Christian University
 once taught a class composed of 3000
 students. That was when he was an
 instructor in the A. E. F. University

in France after the Armistice was
 signed.

"I had 3,000 men in my business or-
 ganization class," says Prof. Ballard.
 "Do you know how I taught them?
 We met in an old aerodrome at
 Beaune Cote D'or, France. A tall
 platform was built in the center of the
 building, and benches were placed
 around it. I stood on the platform
 and lectured, and there was no radio
 to help carry one's voice in those
 days, either!"

"Buck privates and majors sat to-
 gether on the same bench," Ballard
 says. "Soldiers were not required to
 attend the university, but those who
 did enroll worked hard. College cred-

its were given by the A. E. F. which
 were later accepted by all the leading
 universities."

The A. E. F. University also gave
 courses in medicine, engineering and
 other professional subjects. Prof.
 Ballard is now head of the department
 of business administration at T. C. U.
 He taught in the A. E. F. school from
 December, 1918, to July, 1919.

There are 2,050,000 Texans "gain-
 fully employed" under the Census Bu-
 reau definition of that phrase.

Styles may change but we never ex-
 pect women to go back to cotton
 stockings.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER DEED OF TRUST. SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE.

(STATE OF TEXAS)

Lubbock
 hereby given that, where-
 18th day of May A. D. 1925,
 B. Lowrie and wife Louise
 executed a deed of trust to
 L. Ray as trustee, for the
 Standard Savings & Loan
 of Detroit, Mich., a cor-
 on the hereinafter described
 which deed of trust ap-
 eed in Vol. 28 pp 476, of

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You can give one gift and that one which
 the entire family can enjoy at all hours of
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 duction and can be used every day. But
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CHRISTMAS GOODIES

As much a part of the holiday season as the Christmas Tree
 and Turkey dinner, are the nuts and candies and cakes that be-
 long to this season of the year. We offer a wide selection of all
 these articles. Walnuts, almonds, brazil nuts, oranges, apples,
 candies, glazed cherries, glazed pineapple, nut-top dates, Drom-
 edary Golden Dates, Pitted Dates, Pecan Halves.

Specials Saturday-Monday-Tuesday

LARD	Swifts Jewel 8 Pound Pail	.98
PEACHES	Hunt's Supreme, halves, heavy syrup, No. 2 1-2 can	.25
COCOA	Hershey's 1-2 pound can	.14
SALMON	Brookdale Tall can	.14
COFFEE	Maxwell House 1 pound can	.43
ORANGES	Red Ball Large size, dozen	.50
SPINACH	Hunt's Supreme No. 2 can	12 1/2
CANDY	Tulip Chocolate, 1 lb. --- .25 5 pounds --- \$1.19	
PORK AND BEANS	Van Camp's Early June Medium can	.09
PEAS	Van Camp's Early June No. 2 can	.10
MILK	Van Camp's, 6 small cans --- .25 3 large cans --- .25	
PEACHES	Cascade No. 2 1-2 can	.17
PICKLES	Happy Vale Quart sour	.23
HOMINY	Van Camp's, medium can, 3 cans	.19
PINEAPPLE	Hunt's Supreme No. 2 1-2 can, sliced	.25

Market Specials

BRISKET ROAST	Per pound	.17
STEAK	Baby Beef Fore Quarter, pound	.25
ROAST	Pork Shoulder Per pound	.22
VEAL LOAF	Pork added Per pound	.19

Dear Santa Claus,
I am a little girl not quite two years old. When you visit Slaton be sure and bring me a doll that will open and close her eyes, a doll buggy, a "choo choo" and lots of fruit.

Oodles of Love,
Billie Jean Jarman,
230 East Panhandle Ave.
Slaton, Texas.

Route 1, box 31,
Slaton, Texas,
Dec. 17.

Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me a B B Gun and two boxes of BBs and my little brother is 3 years old bring him and me a coaster wagon and he wants a little truck, a knife and some firecrackers and fill our stockings full of fruits, nuts and candies.

Lots of Love,
Charles and Glen C. Hampton

Slaton, Texas,
Dec. 17.

Dear Santa Claus
I'm a little girl 5 years old please bring me a big doll that goes to sleep and doll bed and some little dishes, plenty of fruits, nuts and candies and be sure to fill little sister's stocking for she wants to hang her's up to.

Lots of Love,
Garnitts and Mary Jane Hampton.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the people of Slaton for their many deeds of kindness during the death of our infant son, Kenneth Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Cotton,
20-1p.

Mrs. Carl A. Lewis and Mrs. W. F. Maxey were among the visitors in Lubbock Tuesday afternoon.

Methinks 'tis better to be thought a fool, than to speak and remove all doubt.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends, for the kindness shown in the death of our infant. We ask God's blessing on all of you.

Mr. and Mrs. Britton Pounds,
Mrs. M. M. Pounds,
Mrs. M. F. Conner and children.
20-1p.

MILK COWS:—Good 2 & 3 year old jersey cows. One just fresh. Scudder Motor Co. 20-3c.

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FOR RENT:—Farm, 2 miles east of town. Also Teams and tools for sale with same. See E. N. Pickens at Piggly Wiggly. 20-1c.

FOR SALE OR TRADE:—4-room modern house, 3 blocks of square. Some furniture. Priced for quick sale. 245 West Dickens St. 20-1p.

FOR SALE:—Model A Ford Truck,

good as new. Will trade for good Model A Ford or Chevrolet car. Also 177 acres land 6 miles N. E. Level-land. 100 acres in cultivation. No improvements. Will sell cheap. See J. B. McPherson at Clarence Saunders, Slaton, Tex. 20-1c.

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We are prepared to install a complete set of standard plumbing fixtures in your home on terms of 10 per cent down and the balance in equal installments of from 5 to 24 months time. 19-tfe
WOOLEVER PLUMBING CO.

FOR RENT:—Modern 5-room stucco house, east front, half way between

West Ward and High schools. Inquire 659 S. 12th Street. 19-2tp

FOR SALE:—5 room modern home on West Garza. J. B. Mierau, Amarillo, care of Santa Fe Supt. office. 19-2p

FOR SALE OR RENT:—6-room modern residence on Garza St. Apply to J. H. Brewer 10-tfe

FOR SALE OR TRADE:—Nice 5-room modern house, near Slaton High School, Box 487, Taboka, Texas. 16-4tp

FOR SALE:—Five-room modern house. Splendid location. Unusual bargain. —Plains Lumber Co. 18-tfe

The Best Holiday of the Year

Christmas... and it is the day we welcome most because of the opportunity it affords us to express our appreciation to you for your very fine patronage of the year—Merry Christmas All.

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A real Bargain in a Hudson Brougham; not hurt looks like new. See it... \$400.00

These cars are reconditioned and ready to go. See them before you buy.

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PER POUND	
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PER POUND	
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NO. 1 10 POUNDS	
SPUDS	.29
10 POUNDS	
SUGAR	.59
EXTRACTED—10 POUNDS	
HONEY	\$1.12
PER CARTON	
CIGARETTES	\$1.18
PINK—PER CAN	
SALMON	.16
MEDIUM—PER CAN	
PORK AND BEANS	.09
MARKET SPECIALS	
FRESH PORK—PER POUND	
SAUSAGE	.22
SUGAR LUMP—PER POUND	
BREAKFAST BACON	.30
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ROAST	.17
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