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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Salaton, Texas.

Gentalmen:

We want to congratulate you folks on the apirit you are showing in bullting up the Goodwill in this community for SLATON.

We think there is no reason why allaton merchants cannot put on a monthly Dollar day program that will prove to the folks in our trade territory that this is the place to purchase their requirements and believe if this campaign is followed up and continued with plenty of publicity, we will establish in the minds of our customers that Slaton is for Slaton and Slaton territory and what it is to the interest of everyone to put their shoulder to the wheel and give their eld, home town a boost.

We wish for the Slatonite and every merchant and every resident in Slaton and the Slaton territory the very beat there is for 1932.

Again thanking you for your work this direction, we remain,

Yours very truly
Panhandle Lumber Company
By- John D. Frye

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Deadline Set

Do not wait a day longer to pay your taxes and buy your car licease, for tomorrow may be too late. The last minute that you can pay your taxes is midnight on Saturday night, January 30. The office will be open here until that time. This applies also to your poll tax. Don't lose your yote by waiting too late to pay your

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Much Wheat

Blair to Seek

Guy Nix Announces Specials In Groceries, Fruit, Feed, Meat

Two Local Firms Robbed

Two local firms were visited by robbers on the afternoon and night of Thursday, January 21.

According to Mr. Strasser, of the Hood-Strasser Lumber Co., he was alone Thursday afternoon when two Mexicans came to look at some posts. One remained in the office and on his return, he found that about \$20 had been taken from the safe.

In connection with the robbery, two Mexicans are being held in the Lubbock county jail. One of them has been identified, but the money has not yet been recovered.

Thursday night thieves broke through a window in the basement of Hestand Kimball Grocer Co. About \$10 in cash and several pairs of gloves and bandama handkerchiefs were taken. They dropped several boxes of snuff on the way out. No. clue has yet been found, but it was believed to be tramps.

For Re-Election

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Sown In Area Anton Defeats

More than 800,000 acres of wheat have been sown in South Plains counties along the Santa Fe railroad for the 1932 crop it is estimated by Ira M. Robinson, chief clerk in the division freght and passenger offices of the railroad.

"Reports from agents on the Slaton division indicate the acreage sown last fall is \$12,200." Mr. Robinson said, "This is a decrease of 50,000 acres over the same planting for the 1931 crop.

"Most of this section right around Lubbock and the branch lines out of here show a substantial increase. It is in Hale and Swisher counties and farther north where the reduction is."

Bad weather in the planting season was the contributing cause for the decreased acreage, it was explained. During November and December weather conditions prevented farners getting into the fields to complete sowing of wheat.

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Saton Tigresses went down in defeat A Anton, Saturday January 23, with a score of 24 to 19. The game with a score of 24 to 19. The score of 24 to 19. The sco

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Griffin wer Attorney's Post

Dan Blair, local attorney, will be one of the candidates for the office of district attorney of the 72nd judicial district, it was learned today, Mr. Blair's announcement will be made in the near future, he said when questioned regarding his candidacy.

Guy Nix Announces

MR. AND MRS. FRED SCHMIDT ATTEND FATHER'S FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Schmidt left Mr. Nix has for some time been in the grocery business in connection this fruit, feed and meat market. Ilsewhere in this issue you will find a Friday and Saturday specials.

Mr. Nix's store is located on the cast side of the square.

It is with pride that we make mention of two of our boys, Merle Hagernan and Jack Fry, for making and natalling Crystal Radio sets, which tre working successfully.

Cecil Greer and Murell Wicker, of Slaton, made the honor roll for the ger-and lege, with an average grade of B on hich is term hours of work, according to the report of the registrar's office.

In Sheriff's Race For Re-Election



Poll Taxes Are Near Normal For

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Monday, February 1, is the last day for paying automobile license fees.
The poll tax is \$1.75 and may be paid without paying property tax. In paying property tax, the poll assessment is required, however. A man not paying property tax may pay his wife's poll tax, his own, or both.
The people who intend to pay their taxes are urged to take care of them today, in order to avoid the rush on Saturday.

Funeral Services

Clifton Randolph Brownlee was born in Dallas, Texas fifty-feur years ago and died in Lubbock, January 19, 1932. He is survived by his wife and six children.

His funeral was conducted by Rev. James Rayburn, from the Presbyter-ian church in Lubbock.

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The service was attended by his many friends and neighbors from Hurlwood, the community in which he made his home, and the following friends from Slaton: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Brannon, and Mesdames W. D. Eads, C. M. Simmons, and G. H. Jones.

The deceased was a brother of Raymond Johnson, of Slaton.

Do Your Part And

Pay Your Poll Tax

The George Washington Bicentennial Comittee suggests that payment of a poll tax is a fitting tribute in the celebration of the Two-Hundreth Anniversary of the birth of George Washington. The Citizen.

As a citizen, George Washington accepted his responsibilites and interested himself in everything for the good of his country. To be a full fledged citizen and assume the duttes and responsibilities of such, you must secure a poll tax receipt before February 11, 1932.

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There is much to come before the voters that will be vital to the future of our country, and good citizenship requires that you preform your full duty, so do not delay in paying your poli tax. This applies to both men and women.

Dr. Hardy, president of Baylor Col-lege, of Belton, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. David Lemon last Sunday.

Rendition Of All Property

Payment of poll taxes thus far in Lubbock county is near normal for an election year, about 3,000 having been paid at the county tax cellectors, office here and by the telegraph of the tax-paying element waits until the last week to pay poll and other assessments and often uses the mail in remitting.

Mail postmarked January 31, or earlier, will be accepted as before the deadline.

The 31st is the last day for payment of the state of 1925, as amended by the deadline.

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"If such property is not rendered, the assessor is required to assess it the same as any other property."

Aks For Renditions

Mr. Ellis is asking the chairman of the board of every school district in the county, whether common school or, independent, to ask the assessor or his deputies for the blank on which to make such renditions. He also asks that the chairman of the board of trustees or such other church governing board in charge of the church propety to make similar requests.

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Delinquent Tax Penalties Dropped

NOTICE TO SCOUTS

You are urged to attend your neeting which is next week. See

Vaughn E. Wilson Again In Race For

County Attorney

"In announcing for re-election to the office of county attorney I do this knowing that I have done well by my oath of office and the good people of the county who have supported me throughout my tenure as a public officer. I appreciate the loyal support that has been given to me and the many expressions of good will that have been extended."

34 years of age Residence at 1920-17th street in Lubbock, Family-wife (Mary) and 4 children, Louise Wilson, age 4. Ben Lee Wilson, age 2. 1-2, Yaughn E. Wilson, age 2. 1-2, Yaughn E. Wilson, age 8 months.

Let Y. Y. Y. Service all solve with his work at accompaniment and solo, while Serpico, with his violin, made all hands glad they came. Serpice also led us out to the "Coast".

Bob Collins, smoked two cigarties late Friday from smoking stuffs a Mexican had sold his brother, B. T. Collins, for a dime. Soon afterwards, the younger Collins keeled over, suffered paralysis, and was unconscious for about two hours while physicians worked over him.

These people had a happy faculty for program arrangement which left no dead spot in the entire program and we were sorry when the program closed. Here's hoping this organization meets with us next year—and the others.

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The Mexican, Juan Misquito, about 30, pleaded guilty of selling marijuana, in the county court Satur-day morning and Judge E. L. Pitts sentenced him to 90 days in the unty jail.

Caught Here

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The older Collins bought the
palm-full of smoking stuffs without
knowing what it was and his brother
used it, ignorant of the danger,
County Attorney Yaughn E. Wilson
said, After Bob Collins' collapse, a
search for the Mexican was begun
and he was arristed here. A box containing about two ounces of marijuana was in one of Misquito's pockets when he was taken into custody,
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Police Chief Tom Abel notified County Attorney Wilson and Sheriff Wade Hardy of the case and, after they had obtained statements from the Collines, the suspect was taken into custody.

Conley to Seek

coratic primary.

Conley said his candidacy would be announced formally in the near future. In addition to serving with the sheriff's department, he formerly was a member of the Lubbock police

Lumberman Re-

John D. Frye, for the past year Company here, is being transferred to the General Office at Amarillo Mr. Frye expects to leave Slaton some time next week to assume his set duties as Sales and Advertising Manyager for the Panhandle Lumber Company yards.

The Panhandle Lumber Company operates some fifty yards in the Panhandle, South Plains territory and, while Mr. Frye's many friends regret his leaving Slaton, they congratulate him on his promotion and wish him every success in his new position.

B. E. (DOCK) CASTLEBERRY PROMOTED

The many friends of Dock Castleberry congratulate hi mon his promotion to the position of Manager of
the Panhandle Lumber Compary yard
ot Siaton, succeeding Mr. John D.
Frye, who is being moved to Amarillo
as Sales and Advertising Manager
for the Company.
Tock, as he is familiarly known, is
one of the home boys and we are
oproud that he has made good and that
his ability has been recognized. We
extend to him our every good wish
for his success in handling his new
position.

ANOTHER GOOD S. FE PROGRAM

Clair Foster, pianist, pleased the crowd with his work at accompani-ment and solo, while Serpico, with his violin, made all hands glad they came. Local Youth

Collapses

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A lot of people in Slaton are miss-ing some fine entertainment by not attending these performances put on by the Santa Fe. They are both free and fine.

The next one is February 13th. Signed: COKE OLIVER, "Uncle Gawge's" Publicity Man.

Local Men Attend Scout Meetings

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Last Thursday, J. H. Hood and
A. Kessel made a trip to Tahoka to
meet with the Souther district of the
South Plains Area of Boy Scouts.
The work of the year was gone over,
and officers were elected for the coming year as follows:

W. S. Anglin, chairman, Tahoka,
Texas; J. T. Hord, vice chairman,
Tocs; A. Kessel, chairman of Activities, damesa.

These gentlemen reported a very
interesting meeting and came back
with the inspiration of pushing the
work of Scouting in Slaton. The
next days oliciting was made to
raise funds to register troops of Slaton. The Rotary is sponsored by the
American Legion. To date troop 37
has been registered and affiliated
with the South Plains Area Council,
while the South Plains Area
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Kessel, Briggs Robertson, Roy Cobb.

Prof. Wilhite, L. B. Haggerma, Zeke

Baldwin, James Merril and Clyde

Smith, the latter receiving his Eagle

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Bownds Wins Another Trip

The Slaton Slatonite

Slaton, Lubbock County, Texas.

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Subscription price, per year, in Lubbock county Outside of the county _____\$2.00

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per single-column inch _____35e Business would like to get rid of the prophet and begin to realize a

profit. If in 1932 the worst is yet to come, 1931 at least did its part to prepare us for the ordeal.

The reason we look steadfastly to the future is that if there are better days they will be found there.

Now that we have a law to suppress over supply of cotton, why cannot we have a law to suppress over production of foolish laws?

The explanation of the depression seems to be that because everybody has too much of everthing nobody has enough of anything.

This year, 1932, is Leap Yearwhen the ladies will do the proposing and the gentlemen will do the leaping.

On January 22nd. Franklin Roose welt discovered that he is a presidential candidate, but everybody else knew it long before then.

All of us know who the average man is, only we dislike to confess it.

A marriage license is today's bigwest bargain. It costs about two dollars, yet just think of all the excitement you get!

And if America hadn't won the war probably she would have been deprived of the pleasure of footing the bills of those who lost it.

We wonder if Uncle Sam, the prize fighter, when he entered the arena back in 1917 then knew that the rules of the game provided that the loser should take all the gate receipts?

Patriotism consists in passing on to posterity, unsullied, our great heritage, and for good measure we are also passing on to them for payment our great bond issues.

There are lots of times when silence is not only surpassing eloquence, but is the only irrefutable logic.

Some people grumble about the shortage of the dollar's buying power, whereas our grumble is about the shortage of the dollar.

so much if the thing bought woud last than we get for lambasting it! maturing installments.

Germany says she cannot pay any more reparations. Wouldn't it have been nice of her had she considered that point before starting the war!

It is a rule among gamblers that "If you can't pay, don't play," which wouldn't be a bad rule for nations to adopt in the game of war.

Listen, friend, here is a valuable tip: If you are in the market for free advice, legal, medical, or other sort you will surely soon be in need of real, honest, paid for advice if you are fool enough to act on the free advice you have snitched.

have come down-wages, rents, cost of the children, the budget being ar-Say, have you noticed how things of living, land values, even taxes in some instances-in fact just about everything except telephone rates? How come? And why?

The Senate has before it a bill to conserve wild life. Do you know of any wild life in this country outside the cabarets and speak-easies?

The Chicago Crime Commission oasts that it has conquered gangland cause Ralph and Al Capone are in Jafl, which reminds us that "we" killed bear. The fact is that Ralph and Al probably committed a hundred crimes in Chicago with no sort of punishment, and it was Uncle Sam who put them in jail for dodging payment of income taxes. The Chicago Crime Commission accomplishes wonders, including drawing their salaries and eating their three squares a day.

who knows, maybe this depression Misery, poverty and heartache invade

next world war so frightful.

that if she will this time forgive us or later. for having lent her all that money we won't ever make the same mistake

The Dallas News says "There are too many books for the number of buyers, just as there are too many farmers, too many lawyers, too many doctors." So that explains it. There are not enough people who want to buy books, farmers, lawyers and doc-

Dr. Frederick C. Leonard, astronomer of the California Institute of Technology, says that the new 200 inch telescope will render visible some billion and a half stars, or as many as there are peope on the earth. The practical value of this is, of course, that each can hitch his wagon to his own star without trespassing on the other fellow's star.

It has just about come to the point that one cannot be sociable and extend his hand to a neighbor for a frendly handshake without aying himself liable to the suspicion that he is a candidate.

A news dispatch says Japan lands more soldiers at Shanghai. These soldiers will be used to back up Japan's determination not to have Man-

There are newspapers that rap timid candidates for taking their position on the fence as regards the prohibition question, and then there are newspa pers that fear to take a stand on the same question for fear it will lose a subscriber. The position of this newspaper is that it has no liquor to force down the other fellow's throat, and wouldn't do that anyway; nor do we propose to sneak aroundand swipe the other fellow's bottle to keep him from taking a snort if he wants to. In short, our strong point is not meddling in other people's private business. Personally, we are derned independent, and like to see other folks the same way. So subscribe for the Slatonite. It is your home town paper, with no apologies to offer, and will become a better, bigger, funnier and more in teresting newspaper in proportion that it receives the cooperation and backing of the community.

In a magazine article we read that 'a lion will not hurt you unless he is hungry or woundee or frightened or annoyed or vicious." We are grateful for that information, and when we go lion hunting we shall studiously avoid a meeting with one that is hungry, wonded, frightened, annoyed or vicious. Our information is that there is only one kind of lion that does not fall into one or more of the foregoing categories, and he is a dead lion. It was an illuminating article, all of it about as sensible as the sentence quoted, but it filled space, and the brilliant author prob-Installment buying would'nt gall us ing it—which is a penny a word more

FAMILY FINANCES

One problem that forever confronts the family is that of finances. How should a modest family income be spent in order to accomplish the greatest good? Roger Babson, noted financial expert, has formulated a family budget table covering incomes from \$1500 to \$50,000 a year. The family ncome is disposed of under four headings, being Savings, Insurance Living Expenses and Education, and Church and Benevolent.

From a \$1500 income Mr. Babson says that \$25 should be saved laid away for a rainy day or for emergency; \$50 should be expended in the form of insurance premiums, \$30 for benevolent purposes, and the remaind er used to live on and for the educatio ranged for a family of two adults and

two children. The larger the income the greater each item under the four heads becomes. We wish to concern ourselves here with his first two columns, namely, Savings and Insurance. No matter how small the income, something can be and should be saved. Distress is unknown to that family that is determined to spend less than its income, be the saving ever so little, because a little saved is far better than spending it all and going into debt, and that before the pay check is received. It is wiser to live on that which has been earned than to buy and consume now what must be paid for if at all by fu-

ture earnings. The next item is Insurance. There is no better investment. Death is certain - sometimes sudden. Often it is the bread winner who goes. Funeral expenses accrue and the income stops.

was sent on us so we won't find the the home. No head of a family is too people sought to return to the farm poor to carry some insurance. In fact the poorer the greater the need, We are in favor of telling Europe should death come, as it will, sooner

> The wise father and mother will each insist on lying aside a few nickels or dimes from each pay check, and at any cost will lay aside each week a dollar to keep in force a thousand dollar policy on the life of each, and more in proportion as the family income justifies. They will also insist or paying cash for what they eat and wear, avoiding debt as they would a poison reptile-for that is what debt is to the average family. By so doing, the wolf never visits their door; they can look the whole world in the face they maintain their self respect, and there comes a sense of security and independence as nothing else in the world can bring. Budget your incomethen bend every honorable effort to live within it!

BACK TO THE FARM

For years past there has been a steady trend from the farm to the ity. Abandonment of the farm and concentration of population in great cities has been for several decades ooked upon with alarm. Many factors entered into this desire of so many people to change from rural to urban life. Farming was generally unprofitable as compared with other lines of employment; hours of labor in in dustry were fewer than on the farm; industrial labor was largely indoors; fram labor exposed one to the elements winter and summer; the city afforded more leisure, more amusement. greater sociability, more thrills, more excitement, more temptation, more danger .Also the city afforded better educational advantages for the children, and afforded what was believed to be a better opportunity to acquire, culture, polish and refinement. Many, indeed, were the factors to account for thedrift of people from the country to the towns and cities.

entire world in the fall of 1929. The severity of that depression-with the end not yet in sight—has perforce country. The mad struggle for the acquirement and enjoyment of luxuries, for ease, amusement, leisure excitement, thrills, temptations and dangers, has been gradually abandoned. The reason for this is sheer necessy. The struggle for existence in the past two and a half years has become real. To acquire the bare necessities of life has become the primal concern of millions of our people. The state of mind produced by prosperity and before going to court. easy conditions of living had to change, and it has changed very radically. Resumption of the practice of the back window of his Austin. the elemental virtues of thrift and frugality has been forced upon the masses. These momentous changes in mental attitudes and habits of living are now being evidenced by an unprecedented ebb of the human tide. The movement is now from the towns and cities back to the farms. Why? Many factors must be cited to ac-

ount for this change. City life has exactions that are unknown to rural Unemployment begins in the ity. Depression strikes the city first and strikes it harder than it does the rural sections ,although farmers are reluctant to admit the fact. It is easier man on the farm than it is for the attention. business man and city dweller. What the latter eats he must buy, whereas he farmer can grow most of his table supplies. Depressions have the inevitable tendency to reduce people o a state of nature-to conditions hat prevail in primitive society asd n pioneer regions. People are now eeking a life closer to nature. They and it on the farm. City life is almost vholly artificial. It must depend upon he basic industries of agriculture and stock raising. The greater and more prolonged the depression, the more must the city depend on the country. The country produces; the city consumes. The city cannot get along without both cash and credit, whereas in times of great extremity the rural population can get along with a minimum of both. So long as the rains descend and the fields produce, the farmer will not starve. By abandoning indulgence of his desire for luxuries he is able to tide over 'he worst financial, industrial and economic crises. But the city dweller, after abandoing all luxuries, still finds himself greatly in need of cash and credit where with to acquire necessities. His handicap in this regard is far greater than is the farmer's handicap. For every farmer who actually wants for necessities, the condition of at least ten city dwellers is well nigh intolerable.

Local conditions and facts known to all prove the foregoing assertions. Never before in the history of the South Plains of Texas have so many

The towns are full of would be farm tenants. They are not actuated by the belief that rickes await them on the farm. The desire, for the time being at least, is not for wealth but for the opportunity to make a living for wife and wee'uns. That desire cannot be realized in town and city; but it can be in greater measure on the farm.

Take bankruptcy court statistics. An unprecedented number of citizens have either voluntarily sought or have een forced into bankruptcy. Over ninety percent of them are city and town dwellers. Not one in ten is a armer. True, many farmers have gone broke, but, too, nearly all business men-nearly all-have suffered that calamity. Where one farmer loses his farm, ten merchants lose their businesses to their creditors.

The back to the farm movement is the unwilling effort of the masses to solve the problem the depression has forced on them, and in no little degree it will help to solve the probem. It is a necessary and wholesome readjustment.

Medical science tells us that fever, for example, is not in itself a disease, but a sympton of morbid conditions. The same may be said of this depression. It did not come about without adequate cause. Nothing does. The causes of the depression constitute the real disease. The depression itself is the surface manifestation of deep sion will disappear when, and only when, its causes have been removed. Among those causes may be listed our artificial mode of life; abuse of credit; abandonment of habits of thrift and frugality; inordinate craving for luxuries; love of ease, amusement, thrills, temptations, excitement; unwillingness and acquired inability to live upon-little; lack adaptation to conditions. The depression had to come. Its presence is entirely logical. It is the resultant of forces that have long been working. It is enforced and necessary readjustment, a part of which That condition prevailed until the is a return to a simpler life, closer to great depression settled down on the nature, and to those fundamental and elemental principles which control almost unprecedented continuance and human life, both as reguards the social unit and the social aggregate. It is proof that neither the individual nor altered habits of living all over the the tribe can indefinitely thrive in defiance of the laws that inexorably control, govern and determine their nnate character.

HUMORETTES

Hammond- Why does Mrs. Meekly continue to live with her husband when he beats her so often?

Cabbageo- She wants a divorce and her lawyer advises her to get as many beatings to her credit as possible

Devilbiss- That's tough about Skinkepelse not being able to see out

Defuniak- Why, what's the trouble? Devilbiss-Oh, the license tag cov-

FIRE INSURANCE

We are prepared to write all kinds of Insurance on your property Fire, Terna !c, Hail, etc. Aiso insure your Damage, Personal Injury and Collision at a cost too small to take the Damage, Personal Injury and Collischance of loss.

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J. H. Brewer & Co.



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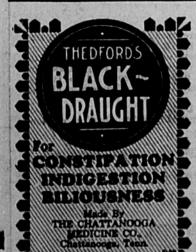
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"Ben-Hur" World's Most Spectacular

Makes Triumphant Return to Palace With Sound Effects

Screen spectacle which passed out with the coming of the talkies may be seen in all its glory with Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's return showing of "Ben-Hur," conceded to be the most spectacular film in the world. The picture, in which Ramon Novarro plays his greatest role, is now augmented with sound effects and will be shown Sunday and Monday at the

"Ben-Hur" was directed by Fred Niblo, and the history of its three years in the making both in Italy and California, at a cost of four million dollars, is a real-life odyssey of enterprise and adventuring, culminating with the completion of the gigantic Antioch circur and race course and the filming of the great chariot race between the Jew, Ben-Hur and the Roman, Messala.

Sound Increases Realism

The addition of sound makes the spectacular nature of these gigantic scenes even more vivid and impressive for in the chariot scenes the audience is now able to heat the thrilling cheers of the spectators. The effect of sound is again made apparent in the terrific sea battle in which the shouts of the fighters and the groans of the wounded make for an amazing realism.

General Lew Wallace wrote "Ben-Hur" half a century ago and its succeas as a novel was followed in 1899 by its dramatization. The stage spectacle has since become known as the most widely produced offering in the world and the fact that no year goes by without a production of the spectacular Wallace drama in some country or the other has given it the

title of the world's most immortal

In picturizing the work, Metro-Film Drama Goldwyn-Mayer enjoyed the immense advantages of the screen in making the most of picturesque outdoor scenes and a plot characterized by the splendor and pomp of Graeco-Roman milieu in the time of Christ. Among scenes which current talkies cannot duplicate are those of the Wise Men and the Star of Bethlehen, Jerusalem under Roman occupation, the amaz- the Constitution? ing sea battle between Greeks and Romans, the brilliant chariot race, 7. Which way does the state Capitol the hero's assembling of is Gallileano legions, the finding of his mother and the miraculous healing wrought by iam McKinnley was assasinated? the Divine power. Many of the 10. What is the state flower of Texas?

> Angus-Young Speedo claims he made a new record with his auto last

Sandy-Yes; he put 39 people in the

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of the Greek Alphabet? 3. Who was the founder of the Saturday Evening Post? 4. What is the official title of the

Viceroy of Egypt? 5. What state was the last to adopt

6. What is a tallyho?

. What is the national sport of Spat sister in the valley of the lepers and 9. Who was vice-president when Will

ANSWERS

1. Yellow 2. Carbolic acid.

Chameleon.

face?

1. Carnegie. 5. Fourteen.

6. A table of contents.

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ers, Deutoronomy. 8. Hudson.

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GIVEN BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Wanda Louise Waldrep encelebration of her birthday. The fol- Teacher's Association in April, lowing attended; Sylvia Jenkins, John Jenkins, Aleda Carrel, Henderson ers Waldrep, Cora French, Roy Sudduth, Helen Miller, Ray Debus, Gerrgia Mae Sudduth, Nobel Chambliss Mary Ellen Brannon, Grady Curry, Laverne Dubus, and Curtis Brown.

HAPPY HOUR EPWORTH LEAGUE HAS PARTY

The Happy Hour Epworth League met at the Club House Tuesday evening for the first social of the year.

About twenty-five members were present to enjoy the games and con- Mrs. Tudor ____ tests which were led by Charles Fike. Miss Florence A very attractive refreshment plate Miss Waller was served to those present, by Misses Miss Coltharp Murrel Wicker and Joan Drewry. The Mrs. Pickens ___ party was chaperoned by the sponsor, Miss Addie Lea Morrison and Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Fike.

BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

At a meeting of the Deacons of the First Baptist Church, held last Sunday afternoon, it was decided to begin the series of revival meetings on the socond Sunday in March, which is the 13th. Rev. Ferguson will do the preach-

Mrs. E. C. Foster conducted a study course on "Studies in the New Testament" to a large class last week. At the same time Mrs. C. W. Young taught the "Sunday School Manual," In all there were about fifty who completed the two books. Diplomas will be awarded to those who studed the manual and seals to those taking the studies in the New Testament.

These study courses are creating an unusual interest as well as benefitting those taking the studies to be more efficient in Sunday School work.

MRS. PEAVY HOSTESS TO WEDNESDAY STUDY CLUB

January 20, in the home of Mrs. A. Peavy, at 325 West Garza. The program for the afternoon, of which Mrs. Ayres was leader, was a study of the works of Maeterlinck. In response to the rollcall each member gave some interesting fact about Washington D. C. The leader discussed "Pelease and Melisande." Maeterlinck's Use of last Sunday, A number of students are E. Porter. Mrs. Ragsdale discussed sickness and bad weather. "The Blue Bird."

served a delicious plate lunch to the program in a few weeks. We wish t members who were present and three invite each and every parent guests, Messers Marion Wooden, Rodney McReynolds and J. D. Frye.

The next meeting will be February 3, in the home of Mrs. Dick Ragsiale, with Mrs. Swint as leader

MISS INEZ TUNNEL HOSTESS TO

After the business of the Club was joy singing very much concluded, the program on "Joys and The pupils who have entered the

nel, assisted by Mrs. Blundell, served time until our county tract meets. refreshments to the following members; Misses Audrey Marriott, Ollie JACK TURNER CELEBRATES Mae Gaither, Vinita Bower, Faye 10TH BIRTHDAY Colthorp, Thelma Poteet, Eunice For-ence, Ruby Catching, Jo Hestand, birthday Saturday afternoon, Jan. 23, Edith Marrs, Corn Sealy, Gertrode by entertaining several friends with King, Evelyn Stallings and Ruby a theater party. After the show the Waller, and Mesdames P. W. Wright children returned to the home of Mrs.

The next meeting will be Tuesday were served to the following: Rodevening, February 9, in the home of ney McReynolds, Perry and Francis Mrs. P. W. Wright, with Miss Eunice Florence as hostess.

EAST WARD SCHOOL NOTES

Two very interesting Spring events are holding the attention of all the pupils just now. One is the County Meet which will be held the last of March. All the boys are jumping, running races and in every way preparing for the track events.

The Third and Fourth grade pupils are all working on Spelling over all other County Contestants last year, diet and lost 22 pounds and now I Of course the pupils wish to win an- feel like a new man." other banner to put beside the pretty yellow and blue one in the hall.

reading and telling stories so that in the morning before breakfast. they might enter the Tiny Tot Story Telling Contest.

Everyone is working hard to get a The other rooms are planning to play will be glad to supply you.

at a future meeting of P. T. A. or in chapel. Then, too, each one wants to be the one to play in the Band during tertained sixteen young people as a the District Meeting of the Parent-

And there is the other important event for the Spring-the District Chambliss, Dorotha McAlister, Sand- Meeting of the Parent-Teacher's Association which is to be held here at Slaton, Others, besides the Rythm Band, are working for this. The pupils in Miss Coltharp's and Mrs. Pickens' rooms, under the direction of Mrs. Lillian Bulter, are learning to sing some very pretty songs. Plans are being made fo a Mother's Chorus, also The following are the percentages of the different rooms that attended Sunday School January 24;

Miss McClenny's

EAST WARD P. T. A. MEETS On Tuesday, January 26, the East Ward Parent-Teacher's Association met in regular session. A large number of mothers was present.

The following program was given: "Doctor Cure-Me-Quick"-a playlet by some pupils from Miss Mc Clenny's room.

Rhythm Band Selection-A group f students from Mrs. Picken's room. "Child and Social Hygiene" - was the subject of a very interesting and

educational talk given by Mrs. Cates. Mrs. Tudor's room won the goldfish by having the largest number of visitors and mothers present. All parents are invited and urged to be present at the next meeting which will be

WEST WARD P. T. A.

West Ward P. T. A. met January 26 in regular meeting. The Rhythm band, under the direction of Miss Head, gave an interesting number. Mrs. Peavy discussed Thrift in the home and Mrs. Wilhite gave a dis-The Wednesday Study Club met cussion on Thrift in the school.

> There was a good attendance, but at the next meeting, which is February 9, we hope to have even a larger num-

WEST WARD NEWS

Out of a total of 184 in attendance Monday, 93 attended Sunday School Symbolism was discussed by Mrs. C. having to miss school on account of

The pupils of West Ward are plan-Following the program the hostess ning to have a Washington Birthday JR. CIVIC AND CULTURE CLUB day mornings the first and second The Junior Civic and Culture Club grades have their music lessons and met Tuesday evening, Jan. 26 in the on Tuesday and Friday mornings the home of Mrs. Blundell, with Inez Tun- third and fourth grades sing. The

Sorrows of the Folk in Song," was interscholistic league spelling contest led by Miss Cora Sealy. Miss Ruby have just begun working on it. We Waller also took part on the program. hope to start work on the other sub-Following the program, Miss Tua- jects soon, as it will be only a short

T. A. Turner, where refreshments

How One Man Lost 22 Pounds

Mr. Herman Runkis of Detroit writes: "A few lines of thanks from a rheumatism sufferer-my first bottle of Kruschen Salts took all the aches and swellings out of my joints -with my first bottle I went on a

To lose fat SAFELY and quickly take one half teaspoonful of Krus-First and Second grade pupils are chen Salts in a glass of hot water

For your health's sake ask for and get Kruschen-the cost for a bottle that lasts 4 weeks is but a trifle at place in the Rhythm Band. All the any drug store in the world and if reoms are now at work learning pieces after the first bottle you are not to play. Mrs. Pickens' room enter-tained at P. T. A. Tuesday afternoon. money back. All good druggists

Moss, Deihl Glover, Roy DeBusk, Jo ome Burns and Roy Sudduth.

The young host received many nice presents and a very enjoyable after-

The Win One class of the First Methodist Church, met in a lovely business and social meeting Friday afternoon, January 22, in the home of Mrs. T. J. Abel. Mesdames Mansker, Metcalfe and Evans were joint host-

The meeting was called to order by he president, Mrs. Drewry, and devotional was given by Mrs. Rhoades. charge for the evening. Much merriment was given in the opening of a birthday bag. A very interesting contest was enjoyed, after which delicious refreshments were served to 25 members and one visitor, Mrs. Ellis, of Post City.

The next meeting will be held Friday afternoon, February 26, at the Club House.

SLATON SCHOOL GETS DISTRICT MEETING OF H. E. GIRLS

At the district meeting held at Abernathy last Saturday Slaton won the honor of having the meeting held in this town for the year 1933. These district meetings have been held at the following towns since the meetings have been held; Lubbock, Plainveiw and Abernathy. Levelland and Crosbyton were also bidders for the 1933 m eting. There should be some 150 or 200 girls from schools of the South Plains attend this meeting. Miss Allred, and her girls are to be conas this to our city.

The Slaton Home Economies Department is one of the out standing many notables of France and the Home Economic Departments in this have the honor of entertaining this meeting

Legion Auxiliary **News Column**

After a short business meeting, the Luther Powers Post .. and Unit ment in a social Friday evening, January 22. Post Commander, Robertson, introduced the incoming commander, Mr. R. L. Gregory, Mrs. Ragsdale took

When the "get acquainted conversation" was over and every one seemed to have met every one else, refreshments were served by the following hostess; Mesdames R. W. Ragsdale, past 20 years, assign few reasons, dis-1 man. J. A. Elliott, J. S. Bates, A. J. Payne, Briggs Robertson, Lee Green. The meeting then adjourned to meet in regular business meeting February 12.

little son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper is at home and recovering as rapidly

Legion has purchased the old Santa Fe depot building and will convert it into a club house.

Music is expected to take an important part in the American Legion Auxiliary's program during this year. Community singing at Auxiliary Meetings is to be encouraged.

In Paris, not far from the official American Embassy is Pershing Hall, the Paris home of the American Legratulated on bringing a meeting such gion. Last October the President of France inaugurated the new home, the ceremonies being attended by

section of the country, and it is in fine group of girls. Girls all over the

We are very glad to know that the

The Littlefield Post of the American

keeping with the department that we South Plains wil be invited to this

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Guaranteed Package Coffee ____ 15c,lb. No. 1 Yams, 2½c lb. \$1.05 basket. Crowder Peas, 25 lbs. ____ \$1.00 Pinto Beans, 100 lbs., \$3.20. Best Beef Roast _____ 9c lb.

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Announcement!

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United States, Not only those in the hall heard the message, but it was carried to half the world by radio. Pershing Hall is a monument comemor ting the World War services of Amer cans and is a treasure house of souv iners, as well as a club house.

ROTARY

Rotary Program last Friday Jan. 15th. was, Medicine: Will there be as great advance in science of medicine the coming quarter century as there has been in the past quarter century, assign few reasons. Dr. W. Everett Payne discussed this subject.

Surgery: Can surgery continue to advance the next 20 years as in the

cussed by Dr. Marvin C. Overton.

Dental Surgery: Will Dental Surgery advance in the next 20 years as n the past 20 years. Assign a few reaons, discussed by Dr. George Shanks. The Rotary Quartet sang "Swing Low Sweet Chariot."

Next Friday's program, will open with a song by Rotary Quartet, followed by subject on Our Schools, to be discussed by Will P. Florence, 19 Next subject, is it right to make

unjust laws, if so, name a few, to be discussed by Roy A. Baldwin, 20

This is to be a Civil Welfare Pro-

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Murray Speaks On Cooperatives

DALLAS, Texas, January 28. all A scathing attack on the "hog-round" system of buying cotton, criticism of the Cotton Shippers' Association for its attacks on cooperative marketing, prediction that cooperative marketing will replace cotton and grain exchanges, do away with short selling, save millions of dollars to both members and non-members of cooperatives through guaranteeing just cotton grading and maintain stabilized prosperity for both ariculture and general business institutions, featured the address of R. J. "Bob" Murray, General Manager of the Texas Cotton Cooperative Association, Thursday, before the 12th annual convention of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation and its affiliated commodity cooperatives, representing 125,000 organized Texas farmers.

"Cooperatives have made tremendous strides and progress," declared Murray. More than 6,00 Texas farmers joined the Texas Cotton Cooperative Association during the past six months.

"The cooperatives have passed through the experimental stages and have become thoroughly founded and financially strong in carrying on their program. Attacks and criticisms of the cooperatives constitute conclusive evidence of the highest nature that cooperaive marketing is succeeding. Otherwise, they would not pay much attention to the cooperatives.

"Let's answer this attack of the trade by asking them a few questions:

- (1) What has the Cotton Shippers' Association ever done to help raise the standard of American Cotton?
- (2) What have they ever done to bring about the consumption of more
- (3) What have they ever done to
- increase the prices to the producer? (4) What have they ever done to induce the producer to plant better night.
- seed? (5) What have they ever done to render service or assistance in secur ing lower freight rates or insurance rates for you?
- (6) What support have they ever given to any legislation pertaining to your welfare.

"In fact, what have they ever done to aid and assist you to obtain a fair price for your commodities, which in turn you might use to raise the standard of living upon your farm homes and obtain for you and your families a small degree at least of the comforts and conveniences to which you above all people, are fully entitled and which you have been denied by this systemless method, set up by the trade for their benefit and not yours?

"We believe and we feel that you believe, that the system of the private trade and the short selling of benefits are going to crystallize cotton is the most injurious practice public sentiment against the Cotton allowed in a civilized country and that Shippers Association and that they it should be stopped. In the new setup of business adjustment, the pro- for right or wrong. Otherwise how ducer-owned and producer-controlled do you account for more than 6,000 cooperatives should take the place of cotten growers joining the Texas Cotthe exchanges. The proper and most ton Cooperative Association during economical way for mills to buy cot- the past six months, and with delivton is direct from the producer through the producer-owned coopera- daily in substantial volume from all

"Through the strongly financed Texas Cotton Cooperative Association, cotton growers of the State, if they will wake up, have the machinery running efficiently and economically to bring their business to a profitable position, and, in addition, to help restore all other lines of business in the State. I maintain that the Texas Cotton Cooperative Association is entitled to the confidence of every cotton producer in the State."

Co-ops Farmer Controlled. "Their services are tangible and in tangible. Their services have mean millions of dollars to even non-members of the cooperative association because as a result of their program, they have brought about a greater

recognition of quality, a greater appreciation of the dollar and cent value of such quality and practically over the entire state brought you a world market.

"Do you people know that this present season the Texas Cotton Cooperative Association maintained an statewide service through 102 classing offices and 574 receiving agents? Do you know that it is estimated conservatively that these classing offices graded and stapled some 2,500,000 bales of cotton, of which number lightly in excess of 400,000 bates as been handled so far this season by the Texas Cotton Cooperative As-

sociation? Did the trade ever offer you the rvices of government licensed class rs to determine the equality of your cotton? Did they and do they, under the "hog-round" system, recog-



Miss Thelma Smithee, who has been working in Abilene, has returned home to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Smithee.

Mrs. J. Wolf, who was operated on for goiter in a Lubbock sanitarium last week, has returned to her home and is doing nicely.

Mrs. W. B. Montague has returned can fill with efficiency. from a visit with her two sisters in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Delma Hodge spent the first of the week in Big Springs, visiting the latter's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Knox Rawlings.

Mayo Tanner drove down from Canyon, Texas, to see whom?

Bertram Kessel has been ill at his ome for the past week.

Miss Margaret Killian, teacher at

Marion Cooper has returned from Alpine, where he has been at work.

E. N. Twaddle is seriously ill at

Judge Phillips is reported better, ifter several days illness with flu.

Mrs. J. F. Smith and little daughter, Lou Ann, is visiting in the home of R. L. Smith, on South Eighth St.

Mrs. J. L. Jordan, of the Dixie community, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. W. F. Martin.

Dr. and Mrs. Largent, parents of Mrs. M. C. Overton, Jr., returned to their home in McKinney Saturday

pneumonia, at the home of his father,

Mabel Reno, from the Harvey House, underwent an appendicitis op eration at Mercy Hospital this week

Mr. and Mrs. Linus Stahl, who have for the past two years been making their home in Posey, are now at home in Slaton, at 740 South 12th. St. Their many friends wish them happiness their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Davis, of Trenton, Texas, visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Legg.

nize in dollars and cents the products of your farms?

"I claim that these services and will take a sound licking in this fight eries to the cooperatives continuing

sections of the State?"

Mrs. F. B. Swenson In Clerk's Race

Meeting with the cordial approval of a host of friends comes the announcement of Mrs. Floe Benson Swenson, one of the few women candidates of Lubbock Couty, asking for the consideration of the Democratic voters in the July primary.

Mrs. Swenson is asking for the office of County Clerk, a position that it is a well established fact that she

A native of Palo Pinto county, Texas, Floe Benson came as a small child with her parents to Lubbock, where she has since resided. A graduate of the Lubbock High School, and graduate of the College of Industrial Arts, Denton, Texas, she is well fitted for any clerical or administrative position for which she might ask.

Deputy Seven Years

At this time Mrs. Swenson, who is the widow of the late V. T. Swenson, former Chief Clerk with the Agent, Santa Fe railway local offices, is going into her seventh year in the capa-Morgan, spent Monday night with city of deputy county clerk, she havher brother, Oscar Killian, and fam-ling first served during the Herbert Stubbs tenure in office and so far throughout the Amos Howard term as County Clerk.

> Her complete familiarity with the records and files of the County coming within the jurisdiction of the County Clrek's office, and her efficiency in executng official duties together with her affable and obliging disposition, consttute a fine foundation for her claims in behalf of her candidacy, which will no doubt be largely recognized by the people of her county.

Perhaps no individual is better acquainted with the duties of the Clerk's office and no one could prove more painstaking or competent in the discharge of same.

Her First Campaign.

Seen by a news reporter, Mrs. Swenson stated she had never before been a candidate for office, and ex-Troy Armes is quite sick with pressed sincere appreciation for the encouragement she is receiving in the outset of the campaign, and a desire to fulfill in every respect the expectation of her supporters.

Modest in attitude, her personality is expressive of energy and competence and she will no doubbt receive a trong support at the polls as an evidence of the confidence so justly accorded her.

Miss Nanny Hill, county demontrator of Hockley County, visited Mrs E. R. Legg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil B. Bryant visited friends in Brownfield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Brown are in Plainview visiting in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Lokey.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mr. Henry V. Jarman is well on the road to recovery after a severe spell of sickness.

on this patient in a hurry?

Dr. Slicer-Yes, we didn't have time to even look up his financial rating.

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Our grandfathers knew an intimate lot about woods, veneers, stains. They knew leather and machinery and cutlery. They had to.

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TRUTH AND LOGIC.

blood, trying to nominate a man who can keep the party together, while the Republican bosses insist on defeat them at home. at the polls, rather than nominate anybody but Hoover.

Popular writers contend that men ho are able to accumulate money or themselves, in large quantities by dishonest methods and unjust pracces, and still escape the law, are the en who ought to be placed in high public positons of trust, because of their great sagacity; but that don't make it so. A man of extraordinary ability is the wrong man to be placed in such a position, unless he has the manhood to exercise his ability in the right direction.

A rich and famous writer tells us of a young man under forty years old, successful in his business, who made the rounds of the New York speakeasies and drank in each one, and then jumped out of a twentieth story window because he was refused more

The gentleman's own words prove this young man made the rounds of the New York speakeasies and drank in all of them proves conclusively that he was not successful in his own

This famous man of letters says further that the young man's friends now refuse to believe that prohibition is a perfect success.

Once upon a time, s veral years B. P. (before prohibition), a boy under twenty-one years old, at Streator, Illinios, got drunk and jumped off a high embankment, head first, and killed himself, and the gentleman did not say anything about refusing to believe that booze was a perfect suc cess; but in those days, such inci dents were too common to receive more than casual notice.

We do not claim that prohibition is as yet, a perfect success, neither do we claim that it can be expected to be a perfect success in twelve years; but we do claim that it is entitled to as much time to prove itself a perfect itself a "perfect" failure-namely, about four hundred years in America.

Automobiles, football, shows, pretty clothes, powder puffs, lipsticks, cigarettes and spending money now absorbs so much of the children's attention, and it is so diffi



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cult to induce them to think of their compel their creditors to do without school work, that it seems that the groceries; that such men as "Legs" The Democrat bosses, are sweating only object in sending them to school, Diamond and the Capones were good, in most cases, is to escape seven hours moral, intelligent, , useful citizens a day of the task of taking care of twelve years ago, and wanted to re-

> It is gratifying to note that there are at least a few men in Congress who are smart enough and honest for these erroneous statements comenough to catch up with some of the men whom the appetite for money has ruined.

After a man has acquired a sufficient amount of wealth, honor and fame, he can say, "tweedle dee" or 'tweedle dum," just as he chooses and it don't make any particular difference which he says, the people will say: "That's just the dope. That man sure knows his stuff." He can tell us that P. T. Barnum was the original author of, "You can fool part of the people all the time, and fool all the people part of the time, but you cant' fool all the people all the time" that Baltimore is the capital of Mary land; that there is only two hours difference between Eastern Standard time and Pacific Standard time; that "Thou shalt not kill," is the fifth commandment; that the sun crosses the Tropic of Capricorn on the 22nd of March; that children ought to be reared in an environment of profan ity, iniquity and filth, and ought to be permitted to use their own pleasure in partaking of it, to give them an opportunity to learn that it wrong; that debtors have a right to spend creditors' money for automo-



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continues.

The grass crop was a total failure now I sleep fine." City Drug Store,

HIGH SCHOOL P. T. A.

The High School Parent-Teacher's Association observed National Thrift Week in their meeting at the High School Auditorium Thursday, Jan. 21

The following program was rendered; Leader-Mrs. L. C. Odom, Piano Solo-Betty Pack, Thrift Maxims-Pupils of Miss Hazel Mansker, Insurance as a Means of Thrift-C. C. Hoffman Jr. Thrift in the Home-Mrs. Fred Schmidt, Thrift in the Use of

The next meeting of the association will be on Thursday, February 4, at four o'clock.

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In fact to interest the people of Slaton in Slaton values, we offer for this Dollar Day program, merchandise on the basis of \$1.50 value for \$1.00 throughout our stock. Souvenirs for the Ladies and Pencils for the Kiddies.

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Society-Churches

The students have taken new interest in their studies and are progressing rapidly. However, the studies are not all that they think about, for they of girls and boys who put life into the work. The classes are also beginning to take more interest in social affairs, as this is the last semester of this school year.

The seniors are generally considered first in a case such as this, and because of that, they started off by selecting their rings. They receive their rings within the next four weeks from one of the local merchants, Mr. Teague. The invitations were also selected, but as it is quite a while until time to send them out, they are more interested in their rings. Mr. Catching will handle the invitation

Another thing that is of much importance to the Seniors is the Junior play, which is being worked on now. This means that there will soon be another Junior-Senior banquet, and a Junior-Senior banquet always means lots of fun to these two fine classes.

There was an interesting play presented Tuesday evening, January 26, by the Junior Dramatic Club. The name "Polly Wants a Cracker," and it was a two-act comedy. The audience enjoyed it very much.

Thursday afternoon, January 21, at four o'clock, the Parent-Teachers Association presented a thrift program in the High School Aditorium. This a number of loyal citizens backing ball team. the school. Another thing that the P. T. A. has done for our school is the work of opening a Cafeteria. The the death of his grandmother, but is cafeteria was opened last Tuesday, back in school now. January 19, and business seemed to be very good. All the students ap- 12th birthday with a party on Jan. preciate this cafeteria on cold days when it is too cold to be out, and able time. those who live too far to go home are very pleased to be able to get a nice

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work just recently, and they report Work started off very nicely in our that they are doing much hard work High School this second semester. in order to be able to carry off the called laws." debating honors again this year. Those who are participating in this work are: C. E. Mitchell, Marion have some very peppy clubs and teams Dugan, Lavern Bloodworth, J. L. Miller, and Oma Faye Morris.

> Then last, but not least, come the basket ball teams. Our girls have participated in quite a number of games lately, and have been very successful. The scores of two of these games are as follows: Thursday, Jan. 21, Slaton girls, 41, Brownfield, 21; Tuesday, Jan. 26, Slaton girls, 34, Ralls, 16. The girls will take a leading part in a tournament held at Brownfield this Friday and Saturday, January 29 and 30. Some of the teams they will play are the Lamesa, Brownfield, Ropes, Meadow, Levelland, and Anton teams.

> The boys entered a tournament at Lubbock a few days ago, and won several games, but lost to Lubbock, 19 to 31 in one of the last rounds.

Our school has started off nicely, and to keep it running smoothly we must have the co-operation of every parent, citizen, and pupil. Help us keep a first class school!

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL STATIC. West Ward and Junior Hi P. T. A. Jan. 26. A very interesting program to church Sunday evening. The time was given, to a large attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilhite and son, Gilbert, were in Brownfield Thursday, wish to sew better and more peace Jan. 21, with the basketball girls. ful times ahead. s closely connected with our school Also they were in Ralls Tuesday work, and shows that there are quite night, Jan. 26, with the girls basket- this service.

George Talbot has been out of school for a few days on account of

Miss Rixey Leverett celebrated her 23. All present report a very enjoy-

The English classes of Junior High Mrs. S. E. Staggs. The program for will observe Woodrow Wilson week from Feb. 1-5, Lincoln week, Feb. 8-12 and interest will center around Washington from Feb. 15-22. Many schools are thus honoring their heroes, and using their lives for inspiration and caracter development in the schools.

The various clubs sponsored by the teachers for students were organized last Tuesday, Jan. 26, at opportunity period. These clubs will meet each Tuesday from 1:00 to 1:35. The following clubs were organized: English, Story Telling, Dramatic, Choral, Art, Science. Each student is required to join one of these clubs. The English club seems to be the popular club this term, having 54 members. The other clubs were

about equally attended. Following is a report of Sunday school attendance for Sunday, Jan.

Room	Present	At S. S.
Mr. Sanders,		
7B	23	9
6B	22	11
Miss Marrs, 6A	43	53
Mrs. Killian, 5A I	35	. 21
Miss Sealy, 5A II	33	, 22
Mrs. Wilhite, 5B	29	15
Totals	185	111

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES The lesson-sermon subject in all THE Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, January 24, was "TRUTH." First State

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"God_shall send forth his mercy and his truth," was the golden text taken from Psalms 57:3.

Included in the passages read from the Scriptures was the following from Psalms 43:3; "O send out thy light and thy truth; let the , lead me; let them bring me unto thy holy hill, and to thy tabernacles."

The services also embraced citations from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy; a

'The question, 'What is Truth,' convulses the world . . . The efforts of errors to answer this question by some ology are vain. Spiritual rationality and free thought accompany approaching Science, and cannot be put down. They will emancipate humanity, and supplant unscientific means and so-

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST NOTES. Services for Sunday, Jan. 51: Bible Study, 9:45 a. m.

Preaching and worship, 11 a. m. Subject: The Christian's Vocation. Young People's Meeting, 6 p. m. Preaching, 7 p. m. Subject: How The Lord Saves People.

ALBERT SMITH, Minister.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Preaching services, 11 a. m. and :30 p. m.

Epworth League-Senior, Young People and Children's divisions-Sunday evening, 6:30.

Prayer meeting, Wed., 7:30 p. m. Choir practice, Wed., 8:15 p. m. Woman's Missionary Society, Mon-

This is our church calendar and we try to make each meeting profitable. If you are a Methodist, attend these services. If you are not a member and desire to visit us, you are wel-

The subject for the service Sunday vening at 7:30 will be, 'My Mother's

If there are those who are fortunate enough to have their mother's held their regular meeting Tuesday, Bible, we ask them to bring the Bible has come when as a people we must get back to our mother's Bible, if we

We will have appropriate music for

We want the Methodist Church to be called a Friendly Church. Come out and help us.

MRS. STAGGS HOSTESS TO CIVIC AND CULTURE CLUB

met Saturday, Jan. 23, in the home of the afternoon was a study of the

mong which was the following from plays of Eugene O'Neil. Mrs. R. O. Hayes, leader for the afternoon, dis cussed the life of the author. Three plays were discussed by the following ladies: Mrs. McHugh discussed "Ail God's Chilluns Got Wings"; "Emperor Jones" was discussed by Mrs. Smart. Miss Ramsey, a guest, but a former member of the club, discussed 'A Strange Interlude," a play she saw while in New York.

> Following the program a delightful social hour as enjoyed, during which the hostess passed delightful refreshment plates to those present. The next meeting will be Saturday, Feb. 13, in the home of Mrs. Fred H. Schmidt, with Mrs. Lee Green as

A LETTER TO THE GOOD PEOPLE OF SLATON

We wish to thank the good people of Slaton for their kindly help. You can find no better people than in Slaton. I suppose the most of you know that we are losing our home to the loan company for less than two hundred dollars, unless we can get help soon. One good man was going to help us, but something went wrong. We thank him and his family just the

We surely hate to lose our home. We have such true friends, all good Christian ones too. I am sure that God in tender mercy will get us by, and may His richest blessings rest on you all. May we all meet in the Home above, where there is no pain sorrow and tears, or breaking of tender threads of love and friendship.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Gale, 330 South 11th St., Slaton, Texas.

Platitude Al-Human nature is a strange thing. Now, the things that interest me may not interest you at

Daley Reeder-Quite true, but there are compensations. It interests me to observe the things you are interested in that do not interest me.

Judge-The traffic officer says you got sareastic with him?

Mr. Nagger-But I didn't intend to be. He talked to me like my wife does The Senior Civic and Culture Club and I forgot myself and answered, 'Yes, my dear!'

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audiences but for those who, having seen it before, will be surprised how much they like seeing it again."

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Forney Henry

T. W. Covington

W. P. Florence, P. G. Meading,

of Posey FOR DISTRICT JUDGE: 72nd Judicial District

Homer L. Pharr, of Lubbock For Re-Election

Robert H. Bean,

of Lubbock
t STATE SENATOR
Senatorial District
Clyde E. Thomas,
of Big Spring
District Attorney
Frank D. Brown
of Lubbock

George S. Berry For Sherrif: T. J. (Tom) Abel

J. C. Roberts

C. A. Holcomb Wade Hardy,

Re-Electio

Wm. Hurley Carpenter Sam T. Davis

Albert S. Darby

OR TAX ASSESSOR Fred Spikes, of Lubbock FOR COUNTY CLERK:

Jim W. Hodges

of Lubbock

Ed Allen,

Mrs. Floe Swenson, nty Attorn

Vaughn E. Wilson, of Lubbock Re-Election



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There never was a time in the history of our country when there was greater need for a general organization of farmers," declared Pesident J. F., Montgomery of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation in his annual address before the Federation convention Wednesday morning in the Jefferson Hotel.

"Today it requires twice as many cows and hogs, three times as many pounds of cotton, and four times as many bushels of wheat to buy a dolar's worth of finished products than t did three years ago. There has not it did three years ago. There has not been a corresponding decline in man-ufactured products the farmer needs

to buy.

"There has been no perceptible decline in the tax bill or in the general
overhead expense account. The
farmer, however, has gone the limit
in curtailing exenses and effecting
economies in his own bousehold. In
my judgment, every farmer will eventually be forced by necessity to get
in and maintain his own organization
if he ever gets any real relief from
present conditions."

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Progress in oganizing of farmers can best be brought about by beginning in the local community and ending in a statewide program, Mentgomery declared. He advocated expansion of the present cotton, wheat, wool, mohair and pecan cooperative marketing associations and organizations for the marketing of fruit, vegetables, dairy products and poultry.

Little Wallace Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper, who underwent a serious operation in the Lubbock Sanitarium, was returned home

Mrs. Fred Schmidt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Meador, of Lubbock, are visiting here.

A1 FRESH Jersey cows for sale.— Scudder Motor Company.

WANTED—To trade good six-cylinder car for house in Slaton,—R, L

FOUND—By Mc. D. Gamble, Rt. 1, Box 66, a watch and chain. Owner may reclaim by identification and payment of this ad at the Slatonite.

WHO WANTS to trade Slaton property for a real farm, 117 acres, can give possession at once, clear of debt, no junk, but a real home, running water, plenty grass, good house, well and windmill, 75 acres to cultivate,—I. N. ELROD, Alvord, Texas.

REGISTERED Barcley Corsetierre. Have your corsets designed especially for you. Surgical Corsets and braces a specialty. Recommended by local physicians—Mrs. R. L. Wicker, 255 S. 6th St.

EGERMEIER BIBLE Story Books, Highly recommended by local people. Phone 135-J, or see Mrs. Bessie M. Donald.

WANTED—To trade a '29 model four-door Ford Sedan, for teams and tools.—W. A. Hamilton, five miles south of Scuthland. 1tp

\$55.00 Draughon's Scholarship Certificate for sale. Liberal discount. Inquire 235 East Panhandle Street, City.



NEXT time you are out of fix as the result of irregular or faulty bowel movement, try Thedford's Black-Draught for the refreshing relief it gives thousands of people who take it Mr.E. W. Cecil, a construction superintendent in Fulaski, Va., says:

"When I get constipated, my head aches, and I have that dull, tired feeling—just not equal to my work. I don't feel hungry and I know that I need something to cleanse my system, so I take Black-Draught. We have found it a great help."

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BLACK DRAUGHT

Four-H Clubs Re-Organized

Five Four-H girls clubs were reorganized in Lubbock county last
week with 76 members, Miss Isla
Mae Chitwood, county home demonstration agent, said Saturday.
Groups organized are:
Becton, 19 members; Louise Bolton,
president; Ina Mae Eason, vice president; Annabell Poll, scatary; Pauline Pitts, assistant secretary and treasurer; Ruth Bolton, reporter; Mrs. Ed
Snodgrass, sponsor.
Liberty, 16 members; Marjorie Flem

urer; Ruth Bolton, reporter; Mrs. Ed. Snodgrass, sponsor.

Liberty, 16 members: Marjorie Flem ing, president; Eugenia Emery, secretary; Loweta Shipp, reporter; Miss Hazel Fisher, sponser.

Union, 11 members: Betty Sedgawick, president; Minnie Vee Gamble, vice president; Pauline Payne, secretary- treasurer; Cora Sedgwick, ereporter; Mrs. V. L. Cade, sponser.

Foster, 14 members: Maxine I Smith, president; Jessie Payne, vice gresident; Mildred Alexander, secretary- treasurer; Mrs. E. L. Dawkins, sponser.

Acuff, 16 members: Ruby Gregory, president; Virginia Hall, secretary: Elzora Railsback, reporter; Mrs. Douglas Pounds, sponser.

Five other girls clubs are to beorganized in the county before Feb. i. They are Hurlwood Center, New Hope, Shallowater and County Line. Some new girls are being included in the registration list. Girls between the ages of 10 and 20 years are eligible for membership.

Earl Florence and Prof. Nichols, Ralls, spent the week-end with the formers parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Horence.



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THE CHARIOT RACE! THE SEA FIGHT!
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Tue.-Wed. **GOOD SPORT**

Lynda Watkins John Boles

Chamber of Commerce News

By A. J. PAYNE, Secretary

A few of us weht out to Union last received her first invitation from Thursday night and heard a very in- McClung community to be sure and Thursday night and heard a very interesting program from their 4-H.
Club members, and then we put on a
short program of talks and music,
after which Mr. Kelly made a very instructive talk and demonstration on
Poulty. On Friday night we went
over to Acuff, to attend the same
kind of meeting.

So far there has not been very many
calls for help in charity work not

over to Acuff, to attend the same aind of meeting.

Friday night of this week, it being the 29th. Slaton Chamber of Commerce has been invited out to Morgan school house, and we were asked to invite every body, so this your invitation for any and all. As many that may want to go to Morgan school house will be welcome, you will get plenty of good eats Cheap.

So lets all go we meet all the same the same to the envery many calls for help in charity work not nearly so many as last year at this time, which goes to show that Slaton and bears out Roger Babson's statement when he says depression is in retreat, as his forecast is that business is to gain in 1932.

A letter from the American Alliance

welcome, you will get plenty of good eats Cheap.

So lets all go, we meet at the City was reported and turned over to the Educational Committee who are W. H. Smith & R. D. Hickman, Chairman Miss Nell Mocre, of Post, spent Slaton Chamber of Commerce has and Vice-Chairman, who reported it Sunday with Miss Helen Melton.

tack to the Board of Directors in es-sion Tuesday night for their approval. It was approved by the board and the Resolutions as recommended by the Educational Committee will be sent to our Senators and Congressman in Washington D. C. These resolutions awards on with communist propaganda as now being spread in the United States.

fl. s. REPORT ON S. S. ATTENDANCE FOR JAN. 24, 1932.

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Teacher Er	rolled	At S. S.	Per
Miss Armes	72	19	26%
Miss Hestand	28	10	35%
Mrs. Wright	22	14	63%
Miss Morrison	39	21	545
Miss Dean	76	29	38%
Mrs. Tekell	39	25	64%
Miss Catching	35	20	579
- General A	verage	. 48	1-75

Mesars. A. Kessel and Carl Greet are to leave Sunday to attend a style show in Dallas.

THE RED & WHITE

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

Lbs. Crackers

25c K.C. 19c

No. 2, Red - White Crushed or Sliced

PINTO BEANS

CORN

14c

SOUP

9c

TAMALES

13c

CAKE FLOUR

Oats **Biscuits**

WHOLE WHEAT

Blue & White

Cocoa

Blue & White

Kellog's

COFFEE

39c

COFFEE

75c

PRUNES

29c

MATCHES

19c

Red & White, 2 large of MILK

17c

PAPER

Soap

Red & White

Tomatoes

No. 2 2 for

SEE OUR WINDOWS for MARKET SPECIALS JESS SWINT - CHICK GARLAND - J.N. WHITE