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Will Organized City Group

Bring about greater business firms also to effect a efficient aid for may be cared for a committee has board of directors of Commerce Development to plans for a United and launch the to put the organ-

composed of L. Green and T. E. been empowered treasurer and ex- for the body, and coming week to

ation in caring charity cases in together with elimi- cases, will not dollars for business will give the help to those who in need of assist- of their fellow- Smith, president of Commerce, in com- urgent need of a body here.

declared if the average would keep a record of in charity during the of a year, he would be aston- at the amount thus paid out, the number of calls made upon of this money is wasted. said, when it is given out proper investigation having made as to the actual merits of

the purpose of the United Char- to eliminate the waste and at same time give more effective to the truly needy, Mr. Smith of the aims can be ac- with less expense to the as an organization is perfect-

of the committee is that, has been complet- members will be cards to display offices bearing an to this, "We Con- to the United Charities Fund; You Should See Organization.

the campaign is launched, it of the committee that all who wish to see the char- a success, give it their as generously as they can.

Home Town Speaker Will Be Tuesday

Home Town Speaker," to Slaton at the annual West of Commerce conven- on May 29-31, will be next Tuesday afternoon contact is held at the of Commerce office at three

was announced in the this week, and several indicated they would take of the John Rayburn in this representative in this two years.

the speaker who is se- by the Chamber of the trip to Abilene the of this month. This will be offered for the Graduates of this year may enter of the high

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pastor of the Slaton Sun- where he meeting of convention. He come early in ements have enthal, a Jew speak from the night.

Fine Arts Recital Scheduled May 20

Mrs. Lillian Butler, teacher of piano and voice, will present her pupils in a class recital at the High School auditorium Tuesday evening, May 20.

Miss Frances Adams, teacher of expression, and Miss Frankie McAtee, teacher of violin, will include several of their pupils in the program.

This promises to be an enjoyable entertainment and the public has been extended an invitation to attend.

The Rev. Jennings Delivered Sermon To Class Sunday

The Rev. Walter P. Jennings, pastor of the First Christian church of Lubbock, delivered the baccalaureate sermon Sunday evening at eight o'clock at the High School auditorium, for the sixty-seven classmen, twenty-six boys and forty-one girls, who are finishing from that institution.

As Miss Jeannette Ramsey, teacher of piano, played the processional, the graduates dressed in gray caps and gowns marched down the aisle with their teachers to the front of the auditorium and occupied reserve seats.

L. T. Green, superintendent of the Slaton Schools, presided during the evening's program and introduced the speaker. Preceding the sermon the choir gave two numbers, "Come, Let Us Sing Unto The Lord" and "Kings and Thrones". The Rev. Z. B. Dally, pastor of the First Christian Church of this city, gave the invocation, with Rev. James Rayburn, Presbyterian pastor reading the scripture Mrs. Lillian Butler, voice and piano teacher, gave a beautiful vocal solo, "Save Me, O God" by Harris.

The Rev. Jennings delivered an inspiring and interesting sermon, urging the graduates to endeavor to attain the highest qualities of success on this life and to be honest and upright in doing so, as we are judged in the next world by our efforts and successes in this life. The sermon was greatly enjoyed.

All of the churches of the city dismissed their Sunday evening services in order that their particular pastor might be represented on the program and allowing the members to attend. The auditorium was filled and persons standing in the rear.

The benediction was given by the Rev. I. A. Smith, pastor of the Methodist church, followed by the recessional.

Oklahomans Visit Here Wednesday

Wednesday, May 14, the Oklahoma City, Chamber of Commerce representatives visited Slaton, the special train consisting of ten cars arrived on time from the South, the first to unload was the High School band of Oklahoma City. The various members of the trip marched to the City Hall square, the delegation was met by a large assembly at the depot, cars were furnished for those that wished to ride, Mr. W. H. "Bill" Smith, Santa Fe agent, welcomed the visitors to the best town on the South Plains, their speakers were pleased at the cordial reception given. The High School band favored the assemblage with several nice selections. Of course the kiddies were delighted at the passing of tokens, and many of them were bedecked with feathers, savoring of the Oklahoma Indians, thus the Sooners came and left on time for Lubbock.

Jew Preacher Will Speak Here Sunday

A converted Jew, Jacob Rosenthal, of Abilene, will preach at the First Baptist church here at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday, it is announced by church officials. Mr. Rosenthal is an ordained Baptist minister, a member of the First Baptist church, Abilene, where Dr. Millard A. Jenkins is pastor. The Jew preacher has spoken in many churches in Texas and Oklahoma, and is said to be a most interesting and entertaining talker. Everyone is invited to hear him, it was announced.

Jerry Millican, of Wichita Falls, was the guest of Miss Pauline Marriott the first of the week.

Baccalaureate and Commencement Programs Held; King and Queen Are Crowned; Schools To End Friday

Legion Chooses Committees for June Convention

A group of sub-committees to aid in planning for and actually providing for the 18th District convention of the American Legion, which will be held here on June 14 and 15, have been named by the general committee which is composed of L. A. Wilson, chairman; D. E. Kemp, and Floyd C. Rector. The committees and their members, are:

Registration—G. H. Brown, W. C. Tillman and Mrs. Fred Tudor.

Luncheon—Dan W. Liles, Art K. Green and Mrs. Dan W. Liles.

Housing—C. A. Porter, B. E. Payne and Mrs. Lee Green.

Automobiles—J. A. Elliott, Oscar Killian and Alvin O. White.

Legion Reception—Dr. E. C. Foster, C. V. Head, J. M. Sikes, Calvin Robbins and Horace Hawkins.

Auxiliary Reception—Mrs. D. E. Kemp, Mrs. A. Dennis, Mrs. L. A. Wilson and Mrs. E. C. Foster.

A general meeting of all these committees will be held within a few days, at which time preliminary plans will be started for the convention arrangements, it was announced by Legion officials.

First Concrete Poured Thursday On Road Project

Lubbock county made history on Thursday morning when the first concrete was poured on the Slaton-Lubbock highway paving project. The paving of this road is the first step in spending \$991,000 on a county-wide road program, for which bonds were voted on Dec. 17, 1929.

Zempler Construction company, of Amarillo is in charge of the paving, having been awarded the contract for this work about two months ago. No other paving awards in the county have yet been let. The road to be paved under this first contract is about sixteen miles in length, and it is expected that the work will be completed by late summer or early fall.

A picture of the pouring of the first concrete was made Thursday by the Slaton Chamber of Commerce, to be used in publicity relative to opening of the county's paving program.

Scores of men, trucks and various kinds of machinery are now in use on the paving work. The work is starting just outside the city limits here, heading toward Lubbock. Slaton is headquarters for the construction crews, the assembling and distribution of paving materials is being handled from this point.

"Best Citizens" Chosen In Local School System

According to records in citizenship kept by the high school faculty during the past school year, Dorothy Alcorn, a senior, and Woodson Armes, a junior, are the "best citizens" among the girls and boys of the high school, having made the most perfect records during the year.

In recognition of their achievements, these two pupils were presented beautiful awards by Luther Powers Post, American Legion. D. E. Kemp, local Post commander, presented the awards at the commencement program held Monday night at the high school auditorium.

The girl is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Alcorn and the boy is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Armes. Woodson will be captain of the high school football team next season. He was a star at center last season.

Mr. and Mrs. George Correl and daughter have moved to San Angelo, where Mr. Correl has been transferred by the Santa Fe.

Slaton High school commencement programs and other special school events in connection with school closing have engaged attention of the city during the past week.

The high school auditorium was the scene last Sunday night of the baccalaureate sermon for the senior class. Rev. Walter P. Jennings, pastor of the First Christian church, of Lubbock, delivered the sermon before an audience of nearly 1,000 people. The graduating class had sixty-seven members.

Other features of the baccalaureate program were: Processional by Miss Jeannette Ramsey; anthem, by the choir; hymn by congregation; invocation, by Rev. Z. B. Dally, pastor of the First Christian church; anthem, by choir; Scripture reading, by Rev. James Rayburn, pastor the First Presbyterian church, vocal solo, Mrs. Lillian Butler; benediction, Rev. I. A. Smith, pastor of the First Methodist church, and the recessional by Miss Ramsey.

The commencement address was delivered at the auditorium on Monday night by George W. Dupree, of Lubbock, who spoke in the absence of Dr. Paul W. Horn, Texas Tech president, who had been scheduled to deliver the address. A large crowd attended this program.

Miss Ramsey played the processional; the invocation was given by Rev. J. E. Mullins, pastor of the Church of Christ; salutatory, Jewell Smith; duo by Frances Harlan and Josephine Adams; valedictory, Lorene McClintock; duo, Lorene McClintock and Ella Loyce Gentry; presentation of diplomas, L. T. Green.

On Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, the annual ceremony in which the king and queen of the Slaton High Tigers were crowned, was held at the high school auditorium. The program was elaborate in every detail, and was largely attended.

Lawrence Evans and Nadine Smith were the pupils honored at the coronation ceremonies. They had been chosen by the student body.

The program included: processional, Lorene McClintock; coronation of King Lawrence and Queen Nadine, by L. T. Green; song, by Charlene Jordan and Lena Lee Wilson; senior class history, Pauline Marriott; dance, Doris Peavy, senior class prophecy, Bonnie Thomas; song, Pauline Marriott; reading, Frances Adams; chalk talk, Alva Jo Blundell; violin solo, Frankie McAtee; senior class will, Jewell Smith.

The court attendants were: Lorene Saage, Monette Patterson, Crystelle Scudder, Delmar McCollum, Woodson Armes and Troy Bickerstaff.

Train bearers were: June Scott, Dorothy Jane Riggs, Lena Lee Wilson, Mary Lee Ann Schmidt and Nina Wray Hickman.

Crown bearers were: Scott and "Boots" Lovelady.

Pauline Sanders, Josephine Adams and Conway Kuykendall were heralds, the latter taking the part of court jester.

Ushers were: Mildred Boyd, Alva Jo Blundell, Frances Eubank, Frances Harlan, Pearl Edmondson and Hazel Reeder.

When the program had been concluded, a photograph of the entire royal party, in the beautiful stage settings, was taken by Mel Thurman, local photographer.

The schools of the city will be officially closed for this year's term on Friday afternoon of this week. Graduation exercises for 95 grammar school pupils will be held at three o'clock Friday afternoon at the high school auditorium.

86 Boys and Girls Will Be Awarded 7th Grade Diplomas

Eighty-six boys and girls will receive their elementary grade diplomas this (Friday) afternoon at three o'clock at the High School auditorium.

Mr. L. T. Green, superintendent of Slaton schools will deliver the diplomas with a few brief remarks.

The public and especially the parents of the boys and girls are urged to be present.

A short program will be rendered.

Dick Enos left Sunday for Dallas where he has accepted a position.

Publish Hi School Essays Next Week

Officials of the Chamber of Commerce said today that the winning essays from Slaton High school in the recent contest on "Why Slaton People Should Spend Slaton Money in Slaton," will be published in this paper next week. The winners were Mary Dell Dunlap and Wilson Lott. The winning essays from East Ward and West Ward were published in the last two issues of this paper.

Varied Program Held By Rotary Club On Friday

With good fellowship abounding the club entered into the spirit, and a fine meeting was held, most of the boys were there, after a fine luncheon served by the ladies from New Hope, President "Bill" Smith took charge, and the first number on the program was a fine song by the entire membership, led by Lloyd Wilson wielding the baton, and Allan Payne touching the ivories, the gang did fine, and are developing into quite a musical body.

It fell to the lot of T. E. (Rod) Roderick to undertake to tell. Results of the recent naval conference in London; how it affects the United States, Rod in a short address followed the conference in its deliberations for three months, and the final agreement between the 3-5 powers. The effect upon the United States was left to see just what the United States Senate does with the agreement.

Several interesting talks were made upon what was considered the best article in the April Rotary magazine.

Dad Green thought the new coined name by Sinclair Lewis, the writer, of Bobbitt, carried much for thought, he graphically used the new name and portrayed its intent.

This Friday's program should be a hummer, as it is neither wet or dry, we suspect that some of the fellows will have dry throats and wet lips, so that would be 50-50. The question is; A positive statement. The Literary Digest Poll is a Fair Expression of the Nations Attitude towards the Prohibition Question.

P. G. Stokes and Bernie Payne are going to say it is. W. F. (Billy) Ferguson and R. P. (Pink) Burks who are going to say, nothing doing. Don't miss this fellows, you may get wet feet and again you may be perfectly dry, we look for this to be a good one.

Nazarene Members Conducting Revival

The Norris Evangelistic party of Abilene are conducting a Nazarene revival at 208 Texas Avenue. The revival began Monday night and will continue for two weeks, closing on Sunday night, May 24.

Rev. W. H. Norris, evangelistic minister, is delivering inspiring sermons of the old time gospel. Other members of the evangelistic party include, Miss Bertha Wardlow, special singer and pianist; and Miss Evaleta Tucker, choir leader.

Seats and platform have been erected in the building and all denominations have been extended an invitation to attend these services beginning each evening at 7:45.

Mrs. H. A. Hannam, of Amarillo, spent Sunday here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Marriott and family. She attended the baccalaureate sermon Sunday evening.

Alumni Assn. Dance Was Jolly Affair

The dance sponsored by the Alumni Association of Slaton High, was an enjoyable affair on last Friday evening at the Selman Skating Rink. The Buffalo Rythm Stompers furnished the music for the affair.

The building was beautifully decorated in the Alma Mater colors of purple and white and shaded lights lent a softening blend of colors.

On account of the inclement weather, and other happenings on the same date, the dance was not attended as well as was expected, however, all who enjoyed the merriment report a jolly good time, with the exception of the heat.

What Our Slaton Teachers Will Do During Vacation

With the closing of a very successful school year the teachers of Slaton will scatter and take up various sources of amusement as well as study during the summer months.

According to a survey made of the different schools the teachers have stated their intentions for the summer months, some will of course, wander far away and not return to Slaton while others will remain in Slaton and rest for another year's work.

Mr. L. T. Green, superintendent of Slaton schools is undecided in his plans for the summer although he states that he will probably travel some and too be in Slaton quite a great deal.

In High School the teachers have stated the following intentions for the summer: A. M. Sprinkle, principal, undecided but will probably remain in Slaton; Coach and Mrs. Paul Wright will attend the University of Illinois doing special work on their master degrees; Miss Addie Lea Morrison will attend East Texas State Teachers college at Commerce; J. G. Wilhite will remain in Slaton; H. C. Kennedy will attend East Texas State Teachers college at Commerce; Miss Lois Cone will be at home in Lubbock; Miss Eda Watson will be at home in Barry, Texas; Miss Iva Cary will attend Texas Tech; Miss Jo Hestand will sail June 8 for Europe with the Simmons Cowboy Band; Mrs. J. S. Lanham will remain in Slaton; R. M. Nash will attend Texas Tech or University of Texas; Mrs. R. M. Nash will teach in summer school; David Lemon will teach in summer school.

The teachers in West ward have stated their plans as follows: Mr. C. W. Roberts, principal, will remain in Slaton and work but is undecided as to the nature of the work; Mrs. Oscar Killian will attend Texas Tech; Mrs. J. G. Wilhite will attend school but is undecided, however probably at Texas Tech; Miss Edith Marrs is undecided; Miss Elizabeth Smith will attend school at Texas Tech; Miss Clarice will attend school at Alpine or Texas Tech; Miss Evelyn Stallings is undecided; Miss Minnie Lee McMurray will attend Tech; Mrs. Inez Ferrell is undecided; Miss Cora Sealy will spend the summer in New Mexico and Colorado; Mrs. Joan Austin is undecided; Mrs. Harry Fyre is undecided but will probably attend school.

In East ward the teachers have given as their desires and plans the following: Morris Ledger, principal, will spend the summer with his parents at Moran; Mrs. J. W. Wallace will attend school at Texas Tech; Miss Eunice Florence is undecided; Miss Lois Stallings will attend school at Texas Tech; Miss Fay Colthrop is undecided; Mrs. Carl W. George will spend the summer in Slaton; Mrs. E. N. Pickens will remain in Slaton.

The citizens of Slaton are indeed hopeful that the majority of the teachers will return to Slaton next fall for another year's work in our schools and the wish of a delightful vacation has been extended to each of them during the summer months.

Troop 31 Given Scout Charter

At the semi-monthly meeting of the Luther Powers Post, American Legion of Slaton, held last Friday night, Scout Troop No. 31 of this city, of which Dan W. Liles is Scoutmaster, was presented its Scout charter by officers of the Legion Post here. The presentation talk was made by L. A. Wilson.

Only a few members of the troop were present, but after the charter presentation, they were guests of the Legionnaires at a special luncheon of sausage, bread, pickles and soda water.

The evening was also the occasion of the regular meeting of the Post and also of the Auxiliary here, and members of both of these bodies participated in the lunch, following the close of their business sessions.

Rev. I. A. Smith left this week for Dallas where he will attend the General Conference of the Methodist church which is being conducted in that city.

Miss Nobody from Nowhere

BY ELIZABETH JORDAN

THIRD INSTALLMENT

What Has Gone Before.

A beautiful young woman finds herself on the sidewalk in a strange city. She cannot remember her name or where she came from. She has nothing in her purse to tell who she is. A young man who has seen her in the hotel where he is stopping notices her and takes her to the hotel in a cab. There they find that she registered in French, as Miss Eve Nobody of Nowhere. The clerk has been calling her "Miss Parsons". The young man tells her she is in New York. His name is Eric Hamilton, of Chicago. He asks his friend, Dr. Carrick, a nerve specialist, to call at the hotel. Dr. Carrick talks encouragingly, but says he will send a nurse to stay with the mysterious "Miss Parsons" that night.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY
"Will you tell me exactly what the doctor said, and all he said?" she asked at last.

"Of course." He came and stood beside her. "He thinks that you have had some sort of a shock, which made you decide to get away from the scene of it, whatever it was. He thinks you came to the decision very hastily for you started with no luggage. Yet when you got here you clearly expected to stay sometime, for you went out the next day and bought some things which you had delivered here at the hotel."

"When I came up here to my rooms before dinner I went through everything," she confirmed, "but there was nothing to help me, except some money. It's not much, but I hope it will see me through. Anyway, it's probably all I have in the world, for my clothes show I'm not rich. They're 'good but not gorgeous' she grimly paraphrased.

His heart leaped over the small jest, but before he could speak her face darkened and she went on.

"The money won't carry me very far if I have a long seige—with a trained nurse at night and a psychiatrist coming every morning," she pointed out. "Suppose this attack lasts longer than my money does?"

"It won't." He spoke with such conviction that she brightened again. "The Garland's summer rates are still in effect, and they're very reasonable," he went on. Carrick is too good a chap to send you a big bill."

He was talking against time, to keep her panic at bay until the nurse came.

"Oh, what a devilish situation this is!" She turned back to the window bringing her hands together with an effect of desperation that alarmed him.

"Come now," he urged "keep steady. A whole lot depends on that. The more quietly you take this, the sooner you will get over it. He agrees that the thing to do is to sit tight, just as you're doing, and let inquiries come from the other end. If your family

and friends don't know where you are they'll have started an investigation by this time, but they're doing it very carefully."

She stood still and stared into the darkness. Suddenly she turned back to the room with a little laugh that broke through their seriousness like a gush of a fountain.

"We may discover that I have run away from a husband and six children," she said lightly, but giving him a definite effect of breathfulness and tension. "My innocent babes may be crying for me this minute."

"What a gastly idea!" he began, and stopped abruptly. As if she had caught his thought she looked at him with sudden intentness; but he was on his guard and his disarming smile banished any suspicion she might have had. However, the little episode seemed to harden some half-formed purpose, for she went toward the inner door with an air of resolution he recalled later.

"If you will excuse me," she said, "I'll make some preparations for the nurse. I suppose since she is coming she must be made comfortable. No, please don't go," he added as he turned to take up his hat. I'd rather you were her when she comes. There's some light literature on the table that might interest you."

She made a hospitable gesture toward the literature, and disappeared through the door leading her into the bedroom.

He selected a magazine, drew an easy-chair to the reading-lamp, and contentedly sat down. She was only a few feet away on the other side of the door, and there was something satisfactory in being her sentinel. It wasn't strange that he was immensely interested in her, he mused. Any one would be interested in a girl in that tragic plight. For a few minutes more he casually thought about her while he turned the pages of the magazine, glancing at pictures and titles.

A title on a page of the magazine he held caught his eye and he began to read, with frequent glances at the closed door and an ear alert for sound in the inner room. As he had already demonstrated, it was not his habit to do things by halves. He became so attentive to the article he was reading, then interested, and finally absorbed.

"Is this Miss Parson's room?" she

inquired. "I'm Miss Adams, the nurse. Doctor Carrick sent me

"Yes, of course. We have been expecting you."

"Doctor Carrick told me all about the case and gave me full instructions," the nurse went on. "It took some time. Otherwise I would have been here sooner. I suppose she's in her room," she suggested. "Hadn't I better go right in and report?"

Miss Adams gave the door panel a soft but decided tap, and when she received no reply she repeated it with out emphasis, calling clearly: "The nurse, Miss Parsons. May I come in? But when there was no response to this, she turned and cast a questioning glance at the young man.

"Go in," he managed to bring out, and strengthened the order with an imperative gesture.

Plainly Miss Adams was not the type of nurse who accepted order from every one who chose to give them. She hesitated, and rapped a third time. Still receiving no reply, she turned the knob and entered the bedroom, leaving the door ajar behind her. Hamilton remained close to the open door, but he did not look into the room beyond it. Instead he wheeled and stared at the opposite wall, telling himself there were a half dozen reasons why the girl in the inner room might not have heard those three decided taps.

Miss Adams reappeared, and now she was obviously disturbed.

"We mustn' assume too much," she said kindly, with an understanding glance at his agitated face. "You said she was frightened, and in such conditions patients do strange things. I've looked out of the window," she added calmly; and again he felt his scalp prick. "There's nothing wrong in the street. Of course she may be somewhere else in the hotel."

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ups and Downs of a domestic Climber

Mr. Graffe, the grocer, telephoned early every morning, about the time Mother was making the beds upstairs.

"Junior, you answer the 'phone!" Mother exclaimed, as the telephone downstairs rang. "The list's on the telephone stand. And we want—"

But Junior was halfway down the stairs. His thin treble floated back.

"A pound of butter," he was telling Mr. Graffe, "and . . . Mother! What's this word? R-u-t-a—"

"I'll talk to him, Junior!" She hurried down the steps to the telephone and repeated the remaining items on the list.

"Oh, dear," she sighed, hanging up the receiver. "These stairs will be the death of me, yet. I wish we had an 'extension' telephone upstairs."

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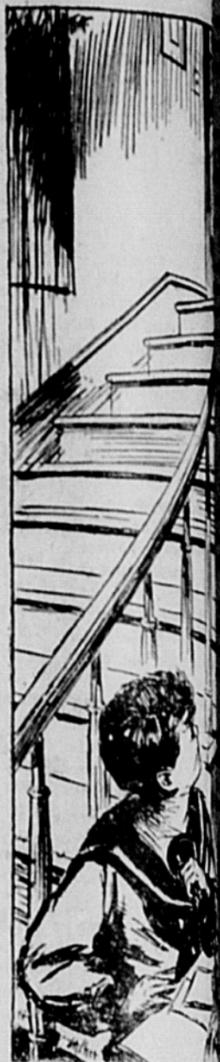
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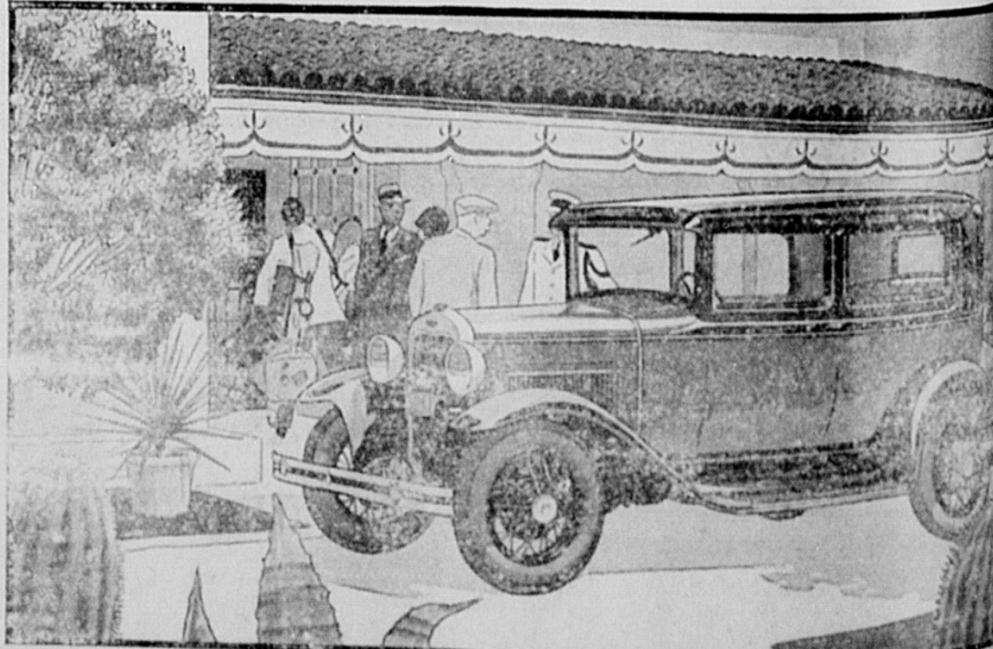


She hurried down the stairs.



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I'd stirred up a chamber maid and a porter and got everything fixed she changed her mind again and cleared out. She left a dollar for the chambermaid and the porter, though," he added forgivingly, and ended, on another afterthought, "Nice girl."

Hamilton put on the hat he had been carrying and descended the hotel front steps to the street.

"Cab, Sir?" asked the doorman, who knew him.

"Not yet. . . See here, Saunderson—"

Hamilton put a dollar into the man's hand—"did you happen to hear the address Miss Parsons gave her cabman tonight when she left?"

Saunders pocketed the dollar and looked sympathetic.

"She didn't take no cab here, sir," he reported. "It was funny, too, for she usually does. Besides, tonight she was carrying a little hand-bag and a big bundle. But when I started to get a taxi for her she walked off, shakin' her head."

"Which way did she go?"

"That way," Saunders indicated the side street. His voice sank to a confidential note, for his was an honest nature and he desired to earn his dollar—in part, at least.

"I got a feelin', sir," he said, "that she walked off because she didn't want to give no address her. If that hadn't been it why would she carry them things? She gave me my quarter jest the same, and I'd bet that quarter she took a cab at the next corner."

Hamilton returned to the waiting nurse. It was easy now to piece together the bits of the puzzle. Miss Parsons had experienced another panic, had decided that she was becoming "a case," and had fled to avoid that horror. Of course she would pick up a cab farther along the street or take one of the scores of cabs applying up an down the next avenue, only a block away. By this time she might be in Harlem or on a train bound west or south. In any case she was definitely gone. She was out there somewhere in the darkness. What would become of her? Anything, everything, might happen to her.

He must find her, of course. That went without saying. Even if his interest had been less than it was, he couldn't let her, in her condition, vanish into the unknown. He had not

been responsible at first, but now. . . He made his report to the nurse. "She paid her bill and checked out an hour ago."

Miss Adams nodded.

Hamilton's strained nerves snapped.

"If it was so certain that she would why the devil didn't Carrick warn me?" he broke out, and immediately apologized again. "Come on, we'll go uptown and talk to Carrick. You don't suppose he has gone to bed, do you?" he asked irritably.

Miss Adams express her theory that Doctor Carrick could not have done anything so inconsiderate. It was much more likely, she thought, that the physician might have dropped in at his club on his way home, to have a rubber of bridge with some friends. As a nurse who had attended many of his patients she knew

something of his habits. She even knew the name of his club, and mentioned it.

Continued Next Week

IN MEMORY

Little Lee Monroe Williams was born July 22, 1929, and died May 5, 1930. Huddled on earth, to bloom in Heaven. Everything was done that loving hands could do. But God bade him come and he passed into the Great Beyond. To await the glad day when he can again meet you both, he

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is smiling down from Heaven upon you. His little hands are stretched forth beckoning you to come. Weep not dear mother and father, you can meet your dear little one again some day in that beautiful home where death and sorrow can never enter. Where God wipes away all tears and heals all broken hearts.

Contributed.

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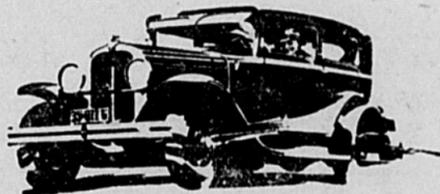
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A LEADING POLITICAL GOAT

Effort is being made to establish a new method of fixing railroad rates. A bill authorizing this has been introduced by a Senator well known for his advocacy of government ownership of utilities. Under the Transportation Act, the Interstate Commerce Commission is instructed to establish a railroad rate structure that will enable the lines, when efficiently managed, to earn a fair return on the value of their property. If the new bill becomes a law this method will be abandoned and the Commission will be authorized to establish a "rate basis" of their own.

It is difficult to see how a fair rate structure can be created without consideration of the present values of railroad property. Even under the system now in force the railroads, in spite of increasingly economical management have been unable to earn a "fair return" established by law. If an arbitrary rate basis was established it would probably mean an end of railroad progress.

Since 1913, when the valuation of the railroads was authorized by the La Follette Act, the commission and the lines have expended 160 million dollars in an effort to accurately evaluate railroad property, passengers and shippers have paid the bill. Now it is advocated that this method be abandoned in favor of an untried theory. Apparently the railroads are still a political football.

**King and Queen
Of Tigers Were
Crowned Here**

His Majesty Lawrence of the House of Evans and Her Majesty Nadine of the House of Smith, were crowned King and Queen of the Tigers in a beautiful coronation ceremony Tuesday evening at the High School auditorium, amid an improvised throne embanked in summer blossoms, with the school colors of purple and white predominating.

Mr. L. T. Green, Superintendent of Slaton Schools, was master of ceremonies and placed upon Slaton High's most loyal and appreciated Tigress a crown of brilliants and pearls and on the brow of the bravest of all Tigers who has suffered almost unbearable pain for his beloved Alma Mater was placed a crown of royal purple.

Three duchesses in gowns of pastel organdies, and their escorts, formed the court. The presentation was opened by the entrance of the Herald, Josephine Adams and Pauline Sanders dressed in appropriate costumes of blue and pink, who, after taking their places on the right and left side

of the stage respectively, announced the court as they arrived. Duchess Monette of the House of Patterson, dressed in yellow and white organdie was presented with Duke Woodson of the House of Armes, as representatives of the Junior class; Duchess Lorena of the House of Saage, wore a pink and white organdie and was escorted by Duke Delmer of the House of McCollum, representatives of the Sophomore class. Next to enter was Duchess Crystelle of the House of Scudder wearing a pink and white organdie and escorted by Duke Troy of the House of Bickerstaff, representing the Freshman class. They were followed by Mr. L. T. Green, master of ceremonies, and the crown bearers, Scott and "Boots" Lovelady.

Hail, hail, next to enter was King Lawrence and Queen Nadine, who marched down the white flower-strewn aisle and ascended the stage which was arranged into a summer garden and centered with a beautiful throne of purple and white. They were followed by the trainbearers, June Scott, Dorothy Jane Riggs, Lena Lee Wilson, Mary Lee Ann Schmidt, and Nina Wray Hickman. And last, but by no means least, was Conway Kuykendall as the court fool, displaying his foolish and frivolous manner and causing laughter throughout the program.

Queen Nadine wore a gorgeous white georgette gown trimmed in crystals and pearls. Her train was of silver cloth lined in pale orchid swinging from a regal collar which was caught with a lovely maline bow of pale green.

Immediately after the coronation the following program was enjoyed: song, Lena Lee Wilson accompanied by Charlene Jordan at the piano; senior class history, Pauline Marriott; dance, Doris Peavy, senior class prophecy, Bonnie Thomas; song, Pauline Marriott; reading, Miss Frances Adams; chalk talk, Alva Jo Blundell; violin solo, Miss Frankie McAtee and senior class will, Jewell Smith.

The ushers, who added charm and beauty to the affair were: Mildred Boyd, Frances Harlan, Hazel Reeder, Frances Eubanks, Pearl Edmondson, Alva Jo Blundell and Mildred Rucker.

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BUSY MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The Busy Men's Bible Class of the First Methodist Church, met in its regular monthly social meeting Friday night, May 9, with the president A. J. Payne, and fourteen members present and several visitors, Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Jones of Slaton and Mr. Cade of Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Payne entertained at their home. The following program covers the evening entertainment.

Invocation—L. T. Green
What do I get from My Class—Sam E. Staggs
Music—Mr. and Mrs. Clark.
How can our Class be improved—R. M. Nash.

Music—Mr. and Mrs. Clark
Assistance to the Sunday School of this class— Ass't. Supt. Jordan.
Music—Mr. and Mrs. Clark
My experience with My Class—Mr. Burks.

Influence of this Class on the whole Sunday School—Supt. W. E. Olive
Music—Mr. and Mrs. Clark
My Year Experience with the Class as Teacher—L. T. Green
Impromptu talk by Mr. Cade, of Amarillo

Music— Mr. and Mrs. Clark
Then the Class went in for fun, by playing several games that were suggested by Lewis Smith, chairman of the entertaining committee, and every one present seemed to get their share of fun from these.

After the games the class was served delicious refreshments by hostess assisted by Mrs. Jones.

Then the class met in a business session. It was decided to meet with Mr. Lovett, June 13, at 415 West Lynn street. No further business, the class was dismissed by R. M. Nash, in a word of prayer.

"Uncle" George Marriott spent the week-end in Amarillo

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Psalm and Scripture
Song.
Address, On Home; Werner Mueller Duet, Lydia Becker and Mrs. Wilke
Recitation, Natalie Ahrens
Song.
Address; Gertrude Wilke.
Roll Call. Responding with Bible verse.
Closing song.

Robert Brinker, of Sweetwater, spent the week-end here with his wife who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Niehoff. Mr. and Mrs. Brinker expect to leave next week for East Texas where they will spend the summer with relatives and friends.

Political Announcements

The Slatonite has been authorized to announce the following persons as candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary July 26, 1930.

For District Clerk—

FLORA ATCHISON
CHARLES B. METCALF

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2—

J. T. PINKSTON, of Slaton.
(Re-election)

For Tax Collector—

A. J. CLARK, of Lubbock.
(Re-election)

For County Tax Assessor—

A. B. ELLIS
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"Uncle" George Marriott returned Monday from Amarillo where he spent the week-end and attended the dance given in the general office building of the Santa Fe for the benefit of paying for instruments purchased by the members of the 32-piece orchestra, which is composed of the clerks in the offices. "Uncle" George states that approximately 800 persons attended the ball. As was reported.

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Colthrop, Elizabeth Smith, Frances Adams, Jo Hestand, and Eunice Florence. Miss Jeannette Ramsey gave a beautiful piano solo followed by a vocal solo rendered by Mrs. Lillian Butler. Mrs. P. G. Stokes concluded the program by a clever resume of the short stories studied during the year.

The hostess served a delicious salad and ice course to the sixty-five guests present. Each club member invited one guest and the members of the Junior Civic and Culture club were invited by the club as guests for the afternoon. Out-of-town guests included Mrs. J. F. Frye and Mrs. W. Y. Price of Lubbock, Miss Irma Mae Shankle of Mount Pleasant and Miss Alice Littlefield, of Lorenzo.

The clubhouse was artistically decorated in cut flowers and pot plants and a lovely color scheme of pink, green and white was prevalent in the decorations and refreshment course.

The club will meet in regular session on May 24th in the home of Mrs. E. L. Blundell with Mrs. J. A. McHugh as leader of the program.

Misses Adams and Harlan Presented In A Senior Recital

Miss Jeannette Ramsey presented Misses Josephine Adams and Frances Harlan in a Senior Piano Recital last Friday evening at the High School auditorium at eight o'clock.

The stage was beautifully decorated with cut flowers and pot plants, which added color to the occasion. The auditorium was filled with friends of the young ladies, who gathered to enjoy the evening's program and rejoice with the graduates in their completion of their High School course in music.

Misses Adams and Harlan were charmingly dressed in pink chiffon made on the princess lines, each wearing lovely corrages of sweet peas.

The ushers added color and charm, they were Misses Katrina Houston dressed in green taffeta, Helen Harlan wearing an orange crepe, Pauline Sanders gowned in an Elizabethan period yellow organdie and Lorene McClintock dressed in a combination of orange and black crepe. They were assisted by John Rayburn and Jimmie Savage.

The program rendered by Misses Adams and Harlan was representative of the three periods of music, the classic school by the works of Beethoven and Mozart, the romantic which included the works of Schubert and Chopin and the modern by the works of Grieg, MacDowell and Chaminade.

The first and last numbers on the program were duos by the young ladies and were well received, the first being Andante et Scherzettino, op. 59 by Chaminade, while the last number was Habanera de Cinna by Mary Howe, who is a strictly modern composer.

The second number, Minuetto by

Schubert played by Josephine, was acclaimed splendid, also her number To Spring, by Grieg. She also played the first movement of Beethoven's Sanato op. 14, No. 1, which was well rendered as well as Pastoral Idyl by MacDowell. Miss Adams' playing was characterized by her delicate interpretations of the masters.

Miss Harlan showed excellent talent in the field of music in her numbers, Fantasia in D minor by Mozart and Piesette by Chaminade, as well as her interpretations of Beethoven's Sonata op. 14, No. 1, in the second and third movement, also Chopin's Nocturne in F minor. Frances' playing was also marked by her delicacy and also the contrasting numbers of brilliancy.

The young ladies were pronounced as possessing a splendid understanding of the theme of the old Masters as well as the more modern composers. Their technique and time, also phrasing seemed perfect and with further study, which the young ladies expect to make, will come a better conception. They were each the recipient of many beautiful flowers, as tokens of the love and high esteem in which they are held by their friends and classmates.

A mark of distinction for the young ladies was the fact that they were not assisted by anyone else in rendering the program, which was well received and enjoyed.

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New Hope News.

Sunday School Report, Collection \$1.45; Chapters 219; Number present 65; visitors 4.

J. C. Thomas filled his appointment morning and evening. He was accompanied by Mrs. Thomas and their two daughters. Brother Thomas will be at the head of the New Hope school this coming year.

Ida and Ella Falkenberg spent Sunday with Dora and Lena Matthews.

Mrs. Annie Hazlip entertained the following friends to dinner Sunday: Brother J. C. Thomas and family, Curtis Boyd and wife and Roy Campbell.

Edith Richardson is visiting in the home of her brother, Lewis, in Lubbock.

The E. T. Bryant family spent Sunday with Neal Eubanks and wife.

The second team to serve the Rotary Club at Slaton Friday were: Mesdames J. A. Taylor, J. V. Lemmons and J. A. Cooksey. The third team to serve will be composed of Mesdames F. G. Grawunder, S. D. Kuykendall, R. L. Stewart, and Miss Zeldia Parkhill.

D. C. Ross of Lubbock preached a Mothers Day sermon here Sunday. Brother Ross was a pioneer preacher here with the New Hope people and they are always delighted to have him come and preach to them. He will preach here again the second Sunday. Brother Ross was accompanied by Mrs. Ross and Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Sanders.

John Richardson of Arkansas is coming to visit his brother, T. J. Richardson and family.

Garland Boyd, who has been visiting friends and relatives here for the past ten days will return to his home in Saint Jo this week.

A. L. Williams, and family of Lubbock, visited Mrs. William's sister, Mrs. J. A. Taylor Sunday.

Last week the school trustees elected the following teachers for the coming year: Prof. Taylor and wife, of Southland and Mrs. C. Z. Fine.

Charley Boyd and family ate dinner with the J. A. Taylor family. The F. G. Grawunder, and F. E. Minnsen families are entertaining the measles.

The Woman's Home Demonstration club met Thursday with Mrs. J. N. Townsend. Nine members were present and talked on well balanced diet, and showed pictures of the result of well balanced foods on both man and

animals. The club planned a farewell party for Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Townsend to be given in the J. A. Cooksey home Wednesday night.

Omer Simms has gone to Paris to visit friends and relatives for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Richardson of Lubbock are the proud parents of a baby daughter.

Frances Stewart spent Sunday with the Lemmon girls.

Mrs. S. A. Wiley has been spending the last two weeks with her son Raymond and wife.

Mrs. J. A. Taylor and daughters, Thetis and Theresa, visited in the J. A. Cooksey home Monday.

Thetis Taylor took supper Sunday night with Charley Boyd.

Mrs. Annie Hazlip will spend most of next week with her daughters, Frances and Josephine, at Mule Shoe.

Miss Baird will meet with the club girls in the club room Wednesday.

One of the worst sand storms of years visited us Wednesday.

The Woman's Home Demonstration club held their monthly program at the home of Mrs. R. L. Stewart Monday afternoon. It was a Mother's and Daughter's program. Nineteen were present. The following program was given: Mother's Day reading, Mrs. J. A. Cooksey; Willie Mae Prather played two violin solos; Mrs. J. N. Townsend sang a solo. A playlette was given by the following: Mesdames L. E. Simms and J. A. Taylor, Misses Allene Cooksey, Thetis Taylor. The name of the playlette was "Mother's Job." Games were played, then all present sang "Mother's Song". The hostess served sandwiches, anglefood cake, and punch.

Mr. and Mrs. Cluren Body of Lubbock visited Raymond Wilke and wife last week.

L. C. Boyd and wife, of Lubbock, visited their son and wife, Mrs. and Mrs. Curtis Boyd Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilke visited Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Smith of the Woodrow community Sunday evening.

FOSTER ITEMS

Farmers are busy planting cotton this week, and trying hard to get it in before we have any more rain.

Mr. Will Newton and family were Lubbock visitors Sunday.

Mr. Raymond Hitt and Misses Vela Wassom and Hester Hitt, were guests in the Alexander home Sunday for dinner.

Miss Raye Alexander is spending the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Belew at Lubbock.

Dinner guests of Miss Audrey Gamble Sunday were the following: Misses Ruby Lee Hitt, Alma Rhea Eades, and Jessie Payne, Messrs. Robert Kind, Clayton Wassom and E. C. Payne.

There was preaching at Foster Sunday morning.

Miss Lele Wassom was a dinner guest of Miss Mabel Hitt Sunday.

Will Newton was a Ropes visitor Sunday afternoon.

Misses Darkus and Dorothea Hitt were dinner guests in the Payne home Sunday.

Miss Maggie Lee Payne and Clarence Eades were Barton visitors Sunday night.

Miss Mildred Alexander spent Thursday night with her sister, Mrs. Ethel Belew, at Lubbock.

Mrs. Gamble was a visitor of Mrs. Lorene Alexander Tuesday afternoon.

BAPTIST W. M. S. MET WITH MRS. H. C. BURRUS

The W. M. S. of the Baptist Church met Monday afternoon in the home of

Mrs. H. C. Burrus, 625 South 11th street, in a missionary program.

The subject for the afternoon was "Christianity Answering Today's Needs," with the following program: Hymn—Sowing in the Morning; leader, Mrs. Colthrop; devotional, Mark 4:3-8, 14-20, leader; prayer; Love-the Law of Life, Mrs. J. A. Elliott; Christianity-Love in Action, Mrs. W. O. Bowen; "Suffer the Little children to Come unto Me," Mrs. Burrus; Christianity and Industry, Mrs. Milton Thomas; Christianity's Opportunity in Europe, Mrs. W. B. Montague; Answering Mary's Need, Mrs. Wiley Martin; The Golden Rule Answers

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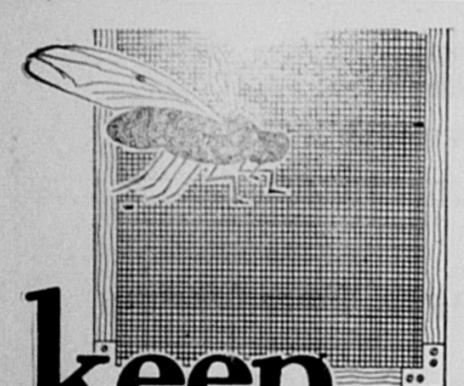
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Retail Merchants Will Meet May 19

The Retail Merchants Association will meet Monday evening in the secretary's office at the City Hall in a membership meeting, according to Mrs. Lee Green, secretary.

All members of the association have been especially urged to attend this meeting.

Rev. and Mrs. Dally Returned from Convention At Austin

Rev. Z. B. Dally, pastor of the Christian church of this city, and wife spent last week in Austin attending the Annual State Convention of the Christian churches of Texas. They report a great program which was built around the nineteenth hundred anniversary of Pentecost, which is to be observed next month.

One of the most interesting features of the sessions was the laymen's meeting in the Senate chamber, the principle speaker of which was Governor Dan Moody. Ex-Governor Pat Neff was also present at this meeting. They also report that crops along the way such as corn, oats, and cotton were looking fine.

Junior High Pupils Elect Best Citizens

Mabel Smith, a high seventh grade pupil of Mrs. Wilhite's room, and Pete Felton, a high sixth grade pupil Mrs. Fry's room were elected by the student body of Junior high in a very exciting and close election held for the purpose of selecting a boy and girl as the two best citizens of Junior High. After an exciting campaign, in which many speeches were made for and against the candidates, a real election was held. The pupils in order to vote had to pay a poll tax of one cent. The candidates were selected by the teachers, the two from each room having the highest grade in citizenship were placed on the ballot by the teacher. Posters covered the walls and boards of the building asking the pupils to vote for the various candidates. Very little mud-slinging was indulged in by the speakers and candidates.

The candidates receiving a fine complimentary vote were Vonner

Cherry, Charles Beal, John Gillie, Marlin Johnson, Milton Schuette, Joretta Rogers, Marie Stamphill, Virginia Brasfield, Flora Alice Alcorn, and Mary Dessie Caldwell. Next year it is hoped that a suitable award will be given those making the highest grade. The election only goes to prove that children can be relied upon quite as much as their elders to select the best citizens, and that their judgment is about as accurate in such matters as the mature citizens of the country.

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Santa Fe Safety Meeting Is Held

The bimonthly safety meeting of the Santa Fe employees was held Wednesday morning in the Reading Room, with representatives from various points of the Slaton division. G. R. Miller, Master Mechanic, was chairman of the meeting, the many and various subjects that were offered for discussion were interesting, and all things were for the betterment of the Santa Fe, and its employees, the records show a wonderful decrease of injuries reported from the Slaton division, even with the new lines that have been added.

The wonderful co-operation between

the Santa Fe and its employees was reflected by the various committees, in vying with each other in having the best record in their department.

Charley Taylor, assistant to the superintendent, represented that department, W. H. "Bill" Smith, our own "Bill", the agent, was there with his smile and courtesy. Uncle George Marriot was of course host to the gathering, but he failed to set them up.

Safety Supervisor, A. R. Tillman, of Albuquerque, was in attendance and as always, brings a message to the boys, his talk was instructive, stressing the fact that the casualty list in the past 5 years had been reduced to a minimum, that he did not take this credit to himself, but all credit due to the employees, who had made it possible to establish such a good record. He earnestly asked them to continue the good work that the record may be better at the next meeting. Visitors were Mayor Reece, T. J. Abel, Chief of Police, Horace Hawkins and T. E. Roderick.

Slaton Summer School To Begin On May 19th

The summer school at the high school building, offering practically all required subjects that are given during the long session, will begin Monday, May 19, and continue until July 3, according to L. T. Green, superintendent of the Slaton public schools.

In addition to the regular literary work, the commercial department is offering a complete course, including Shorthand, Typewriting, Bookkeeping, Commercial Arithmetic, and other Commercial subjects that may be requested. This department, Mr. Green said, was one of the best Commercial departments in the entire state, and is a great asset to the school and com-

munity, offering practically the same work at home that many young people go away to business colleges to get.

The students are showing quite a bit of interest in the Summer School, and many have indicated their intention to attend. Quite a number of the mid-term Freshman class are expected to go to the Summer School and work off the second semester of Freshman requirements in order to enter the Sophomore class next September.

Summer Schools are growing in popularity, both in high school and in colleges through the length and breadth of our land. All of our leading colleges and many of our best high schools offer almost the entire course of study during the summer session that is offered in the long session, and in many instances, their enrollment is greater than during the long terms.

FOOD SALE

The ladies of the First Christian church will hold a food sale Saturday, May 17, at the Clarence Saunders store. Cakes, pies and such like will be on sale, also chickens if they can be found available, according to Mrs. Z. B. Dally.

The Rev. W. F. Ferguson, pastor of the First Baptist church, is attending the Baptist convention, being held at New Orleans, La., this week.

The Rev. James Rayburn, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, delivered the address to the graduating class of Southland, Wednesday.

Paul Houston, of Lubbock, was a visitor here Thursday evening.

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