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Slaton H. E. Girls Attend Rally At Mineral Wells

Representatives from the local high school attended the State Home Making Rally which was held in the Baker Hotel at Mineral Wells last week.

About five hundred girls from all parts of the state attended the rally ing dresses made in class, arranging flowers, judging family dietaries, planning meals, and many other phases of home making.

Wilma Crawford from the local high school won second place in the entry, Caring for Food in the Home. J. A. Elliott. Miss Crawford also made an interesting three minute report on the work gion and Auxiliary will meet at Mr. Watson was one of Lasara's of the Home Economics Clubs in West

The girls all report a most enjoyable and worthwhile trip and are looking forward to next year when they

diff, and sponsor, Miss Allred.

## Democratic Convention Call Issued

Lubbock county Democrats, meeting Saturday at their voting boxes in precinct convention, will name delegates to the county convention at the courthouse Tuesday, May 10.

the state conclave, has been issued by meeting. is entitled to 17 votes; No. 4 of Lub- us have a record attendance. bock to four; No. 18 of Idalou to two; No. 24 of Slaton to four; and No. 27 of Labbock to five. The meeting opens

Ratio One To 25

Representation is based on number of voters for governor in the last general election in each precinct, the ratio being one delegate to 25 votes cast for governor, said Mr. Wester.

man pointed out, delegates to the ference of President Houston Harte, national convention, which nominates Masager D. A. Bandeen, and other ofcandidates for president and vice pre- ficials of the organization in Sweetsident, are named.

" All Democrats may participate in fied voters under Teaxs laws and who tures and taxation; the beautifica- Community Mother's Day Singing. "I hereby pledge myself to support development of livestock and agricul- folks' singing. The other communities dramatic moments. the nominees of the Democratic party ture; will be given special attention and every body invited. for president and vice president of the at the convention in group confer-United States by voting for the De- ences devoted to each. Definite re-Texas'," Mr. Wester ruled.

"Let each precinct be represented conferences. in the county convention at Lubbock," the chairman urged. "I hope the Democrats of the county will take an in- the general convention program. Aterest in these primary conventions mong them are: James S. Carson, and turn out and organize and elect Vice-president of the American and delegats to the county convention. We Foreign Power Company, New York hope the Democrats, not only in Lub- City; Herman Gerlach James, Presibock, but also throughout the United States, will unite, bury their differences, and nominate a good man, who President of the National Council of has the interest of the people at heart; American Shipbuilders, New York all get to-gether and say, lets go to come out and lets put this program and if we are united we can elect him. City. Lubbock county is a good place in which to start."

The pledge which Mr. Wester mentioned was adopted by the state Demoncratic executive committee, was sustained by the Texas supreme court and was endorsed by the Lubbock county executive committee.

## All Teachers Are Re-elected

At the trustee's meeting last Monday night. The present corps of 26 teachers, and the three janitors now employed at the schools were re-elect-

W understand that superentendent A. R. Ellis; David Lemons, high school principal, and Mrs. E. N. Pickens, east ward school principal were rethe od also.

P. A. Drewry was re-elected secre

tary of the board.

No new teachers were elected, Mr. Ellis said, as no additions to the present faculty were needed.

## **Legion Auxiliary News Column**

which included such entries as wear- Irby Smith and A. J. Payne. Winners first to be buried in the new cemetery were Mrs. Gregory and Irby Smith.

Auxiliary out.

Hostess for Tuesday night was Mrs.

The Eighteenth District of the Le-Quanah Saturday and Sunday May, 7 most porminent and progressive citi-

iary attended the Luncheon given by brick and tile building of the town; Lubbock last Saturday April 30.

Representatives from Slaton were Henry Jarman, Raymond Johnson and postmaster, and served in that capa-Wilma Crawford, Josephine Wolfe, Fred Tudor. The afternoon was spent city until his death. Mary Katherine Burns, Geneva Con- in playing bridge and forty two. Mrs. , A. J. Payne winning high score in were numbered by scores. Many Span- screen season is the opening Sunday forty-two. She received a lovly tea ish and Mexican people came to pay at the Palace Theatre of "Arsene

> Mrs. Henry Jarman was the lucky fer their services to the family. winner of a beautiful quilt given away by the Lubbock Auxiliary.

is our State Chaplin.

Our next meeting will be Thursday night May, 12. Please take notice of the change in our meeting date. The change is being made on account of the school program on Friday 13. There Official call for the county meeting, is several important matters to be which will name representatives to brought before the Auxiliary at this

Chairman J. K. Wester. Each precinct Our President Mrs. J. S. Bates has except five in the county will be en- ask that each chairman bring written titled to one delegate at the May 10 reports to this meeting. So please be meeting. Precinct No. 1 of Lubbock out and bring your reports, and help

## 14th. Annual WTCC Program Completed

SWEETWATER, May 5 .- The program for the 14th. Annual Convention of the West Texas Chamber of ferent contests. Commerce, Sweetwater, May 12-14, At the state convention, the chair- was tentatively completed at a conwater Wednesday.

The regional chamber's programs obtained from the deliberations of the

Speakers of international fame and reputation have accepted places upon dent of the University of South Dakota , Vermillion, S. D.; and H. G. Smith,

will address the opening session of

Among the speakers who will address the group conferences are: Frank P. Holland, Dallas; Mrs. Henry B. Trigg, Fort Worth; O. C. Coles, El Paso; Chas. A. Jay, Dallas; Moore Lynn, Austin; Leon Goodman, Midland; A. H. Leidigh, Lubbock; R. C. Morrison, Fort Worth; Lee M. Jenny, Dallas; E. O. Siecke, College Station; J. H. Burkett, Clyde; S. E. Tracy, Dallas; Amon G. Carter, Fort Worth Senator Carl C. Hardin, Stevenville Walter Beck, Fort Worth and C. N Bassett, El Paso.

NOTICE

payable at the Lubbock National know your wishes.

poisan last Saturday night.

#### Former Slaton Man | Teachers' Pay Died At Lasara

Word has just been received of the The forty two party was well at- resided in Lasara, Texas, at the time \$8,000 in a meeting of the board of Those in play off were Mrs. Mary here, and whose many friends will o'clock Monday night and adjourned Hestand, Mrs. R. L. Gregory, Mr. feel sorrow at his passing, was the at 3 o'clock Tuesday monning.

good crowd. So come and help the Mr. Watson was born in Hartwell, whittled to \$85, and of \$85 to \$75. Georgia. He lived in Slaton for a number of years when Slaton was in its infancy. He moved to the Rio Grande "Arsene Lupin" infancy. He moved to the Rio Grande Valley six years ago.

zens. He bought and ran the first The following ladies of our Auxil- store at Lasara; he built the first and he built and equiped the first cafe Mesdame J. S. Bates, A. J. Payne, and shop and garage. He was first

His friends in the border towns

Mrs. Van Stewart our state president of Lasara; and three daughter, Mrs. Morley, John Miljan and Tully Marwas in attendance at this luncheon. D. H. Suite of Phoenix, Arizona, Mrs. shall have important supporting roles Also Mrs. Tillman Jones of Post who Robert L. Sledge, of San Antonio, in the production, which was directed and Miss Fern Watson, of Lasara.

# Scout Court Of Honor To Be

Thehe is something of interest for each who will attend the Boy Scout Court of Honor at 8 P. M. today Friday May 6th, at the Club House, there are fifty two boys that will take a part in this cermony, and a number of awards to be made, and there are to be out of town Scout Officials to be there, each one is especially invited to be there whether you have a boy connected with Scouting or not, as your presence will not only encourage the boys but will assist them in their dif-

The boys of Slaton, will be just what we as citizens assist them in being, so let us fill the Club House to-

MOTHER'S DAY SINGING

on the sick list last week.

# Reduced Here

citizens, Andrew M. Watson, who feet a total annual saving exceeding guest day program.

# Clever Mystery

John and Lionel Barrymore as Thief and Detective of Sleuth Drama

An auspicious event of the 1932 their last respects to him, and to of- Lupin," presenting John Barrymore and Lionel Barrymore in the first He is survived by his widow, two joint appearance of the celebrated sons, James O. of Chicago, and Dale, stars in a motion picture. Karen by Jack Conway, who last scored with

> The well-know mystery stories of Maurice Le Blane which idealize the debonair French thief, Arsene Lupin, appearance together of the two Barry- condition. Held Tonight more brothers, although the picture is more directly based on the Paris stage success on which Le Blanc colla- ing a few days at Austin. borated with Francis de Croisset.

Has Sophisticated Humor The screen version, which is said to be concerned as much with sophisticated humor as with the unwinding of the clever mysteries perpetuated by the master thief of Paris, also emphasizes the romantic love affair between John Barrymore as the thief and Miss Morley as the police spy who poses as a countess in order to track down the elusive drawing room criminal, but subsequently endangers her reputation in order to protect the charming robber.

Next Sunday at Baptist Church, attempts to catch the gentleman-thief, the Clovis Hospital. the primary convention who are quali- for the reduction of public expendi- 2:30 P. M. is place and time for Inter- who resorts to the most amazing disguises and tricks to elude detection, will subscribe to the following pledge, tion of West Texas; and the further There, will be old folks' and young that results in most of the picture's

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Emma Wallace and grand- Sam Fergerson, of the McClung commoretratic electors of the state of commendations and policies will be children, Maxelene and Wallace were munity, was buried Saturday after- Lula Lyons, at Miami, last week.

#### Junior Civic-Culture Club Holds Guest Day

Last Saturday evening at the clublouse, the Junior Civic and Culture Salaries of the Public school teach- club entertained the Senior club and death of one of Slaton's pioneer ers and executives were reduced to ef- their other friends in their annual

The room was beautifully decorated tended Tuesday night seven tables of his death a few weeks ago. Mr. trustees of the Slaton independent in a color scheme of pink and green, of the University of Oklahoma, Horace Watson, who was once well known school district, which met at 7:30 and the refreshments were in the Jones, head of the Violin department Unofficially it was reported that club, served their refreshments to at Lasara, the securing of which had the superintendent's salary was cut about forty-five guests and club mem-Next Tuesday night will be the last been one of the main objectives dui- from \$2,550 to \$2,000 a year, and bers, after which an interesting proof the tournment we are expecting a ing the past few weeks of his life. that teacher's salaries of \$100 were gram on the course of study taken by the Junior Club, "Folklore," was used. Rating 1, Highly Superior; rendered.

> Armes gave an introductory talk on 7, Inferior. Folklore. She also announced the first number on the program, a Negro Film Here Soon spiritual by Miss Ruby Waller. Several members of the club then presented Piano Solos: a one-act play, "Never Ain't," which dealt with the lasting quality of Mountaineer feuds. The party was ior, 8 years June Scott-Highly Superthen treated to a photograph album ior, 11 years Doris Peavy-Highly containing a picture of everone pre- Superior, 12 years Minnie Will Woot-

# LOCAL MARKET

Fred Spikes, of Lubbock, was in Slaton on business, monday.

Mrs. Ella Gentry returned this week, from a two-week visit with Preludio and three Two-part Invention her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. McDonald, of Lockney. She re- | Scales: supplied the motivation for the first ports that the crops there are in good

Johnnie Jones and wife are spend-

Miss Zona Florence spent the week end with her brother Earl and wife, of Ralls.

R. C. Poteet, of Lubbock, was a business visitor this week.

O. N. Alcorn is on the sick list

R. L. Kirksey, who has been in the Clovis Hospital for the last twelve weeks, is home for a two-week stay.

Mr. J. L. Sweet's mother and sister Violin: Lionel Barrymore's role as the de- from Dallas, arrived Tuesday morn- Alva Sims Wilks-Good, Wayne tective is said to outshine even his ing to be with Mrs. Sweet during the Catching-Excellent. effective work in "Mata Hari" and "A illness of their little daughter and Free Soul," and it is his oft-baffled Mr. Sweet. Mr. Sweet was taken to Farewell Party For

> Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McAlister had Mr. McAlister's sister and family, also his mother for the week-end.

Jack Cooper and wife attended the funeral of the formers sister, Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Florence and Dr. and Mrs. Bottkins, of Ralls spent Sunday in the W. P. Florence home.

moved to Dallas to make their future

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Smith, of 755

S. 13th St. are the proud parents of were requested to go to the home of a son born Sunday.

town the fore part of the week transacting business and calling on old

Mrs. B. G. Norman has returned from Brownwood where she was C. L. Pack, S. A. Peavey, C. E. Porsummoned by the serious illness of a

## Penalty On **Delinquent Taxes** Cancelled Again

Board it was decided that no penalty cuss our taxation crisis and the prowould be collected on delinquent taxes, blems comfronting us which the comalthough there would be a small in-

The action of the board was with the hope of collecting some taxes at this time. there is at this time \$35,-000.00 on the tax roll uncollected.

Money at this time would mean so

## Ratings Given In Tri - State Music Tests

Mrs. Paul Van Katenjk of Southern Methodist University, Clarence Burg same motif. The girls, assisted by of the University of Colorado and several of the mothers of the Junior Frank A. Beech, director of music in Kansas State Teachers College were the judges in the Tri-State Contests held in Amarillo Saturday, April 16.

The following plan of rating pupils Rating 2, Superior; Rating 3, Excel-Mrs. Wright, president of the club, lent; Rating 4, Good; Rating 5, Averwelcomed the visitors, and Miss Irene age; Rating 6, Below average; Rating

Rating of Slaton pupils are as fol-

From Miss Ramsey's Class:

7 years Kenneth Tanner-Superior, 9years Milton Kessel-Highly Superton-Superior, 14 years Jareta Rogers -Superior, 16 years Crystelle Scudder-Highly Superior, 16 years Myrtle Teague- Superior, 18 years Charles Fike-Very Superjor. Ensemble:

12 years Minnie Will Wootton-Excellent, 12 years Elvina Smith- Excelent, 16 years Crystelle Scudder-Good, 16 years Myrtle Teague-Good. "Bach Contest:

16 years Myrtle Teague-Four little -Highly Superior.

Crystelle Scudder-Highly Superior, Myrtle Teague-Superior. From Mrs. Butler's Class: Piano Solos:

10 years Marian Ferguson-Superior, 13 years Edith Foutz-Excellent, 14 years Travis Ferguson-Superior, 15 years Morris Ward-Superior. Ensemble:

13 years Edith Foutz-Average, 13 years Nelldean White-Average, 10 years Virginia Bowman-Average, 10 years Marion Ferguson-Average.

12 years Mary Elizabeth Florence-Theory-Superior.

East Ward Glee Club-Excellent. From Miss Heads Class:

# Mrs. Gillies Wednesday

A regular semi-monthly meeting of the Wednesday Study Club was turned into a surprise party for one of the members, Mrs. J. A. Gillies, who is going away soon. The members and several guests presented Mrs. Gillies with a number of small gifts as tokens of esteem and affection.

The meeting was held at the clubhouse. Mrs. Peavy was leader of the program which was a one-act play. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kirby have Those taking part in it were: Mrs. Peavey, a poet, Mrs. Shanks, his wife, Mrs. Dick Ragsdale, a jealous husband, Mrs. Gillies, his wife.

After the program, those present Mrs. A. E. Whitehead for refreshments. Mrs. Whitehead, assisted by J. W. McDonlad of Lamesa was in Mrs. K. C. Scott, served the following:

Mesdames Walter Tomlinson, K. B. Brown, Allen Farrell, Horace Hawkins, J. J. Rushing, G. W. Hightower, Lee Green, H. W Ragsdale, Briggs Robertson, J. A. Gillies, Ray Hickman, ter, R. W. Ragsdale, K. L. Scudder, 14 E G. W. Shanks, Jess Swint, and C. W.

## **Taxation Lecture** At Posey Tonight

Tonight, W. P. Florence, candidate At the recent meeting of the School for County Commissioner, will dismissioners will have authority over, at Posey 8 P. M.

> There have been good crowds and much interest at these meetings.

> The Gentry Musicians furnish entertainment. If any opponents wish to show where Florence is wrong they

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Chamber of Commerce News

By A. J. PAYNE, Secretary

Well folks the election is over, and Besides the business that is to be now lets all get together and put transacted, there will be a program of Slaton on the map with an undivided musical numbers, and talks by any work for the upbuilding of our little of work over in good fashion. Governor Ross S. Sterling of Texas City, a City that has made good, has of and in the past. There is to be be the main speaker.

Will you be there? The place is at enjoyment to every body. you want and think, this is your of interest and benifit to Slaton. Board of City Development, the Di-All Tachers warrants up to and rectors are put here by you to do as

can be done, and will be done if we and every body that will talk. Now W. H. Smith will be Master of grown in spite of all the up-heavels | Cermonies, President J. W. Hood wil

five (5) new Directors of the Board | Uncle George Marriott will be there of City Development and Chamber of with his clog dance, so will the Snata Commerce to be elected for the en- Fe Musicians The Clark's, as well as sueing year, and at a meeting of the the Musicians of the fines Art Dedirectors a few nights ago, it was partments of the High School, Mrs. thought best to have an open house Lillian Butler, Miss Jeanette Ramsey, and have every body there to help and Miss Lessie Head. So all of you select these five (5) new Directors. | come out and make it an evening of

the Club House, the day and date is After this meeting the Directors Monday night 8 P. M. May 9th. This want to get busy on the delayed proinvitation is for you, both ladies and gram of work for the coming year, gentlemen, the Directors want every and that has to do first, with the body to be there and to have a voice Good Will Trips, the Yard and Garden in what is being done and say what Contest, the Band, and other things

A special train bearing the Dallas terest on all taxes prior to 1931. including B. 4, Dated Jan. 1 1931 are you wish, so come out and let them Good Will Trippers, will be here May 13th. at 9:20 A. M. according to letter The five (5) men going out (and just received, and they ask that all F. A. Drewry according to custom) they are not merchants stay in their place of busi-Bus.-Mgr. eligible to re-election for one year, ness, so that members of their party The men going off the Board are T. A. may call on them. Remember the day much in carrying on the School ,and may have opportunity. Mrs. J. D. Norris took ptomaine Worldy Jr. Geo. G. Green, W. H. and date, May 13th. 9:20 A. M. which to those who could pay, this would be Smith, J. H. Brewer, B. E. Clark. is Friday of next week.

#### The Slaton Slatonite

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#### THE B. C. D. ELECTION

out of 410 the people of Slaton decided to continue the Board of City Development. The narrow margin in favor gives no ground for gloating over the result. Gloating does no good. There has been too much of it. The very narrow margin gives those who lost no cause for repining. There has been too much repining. It does no

And, too, the B. C. D. should take warning. Neither that organization nor any other supported by public taxation should be retained or continued a minute longer than it justifies its existance by its fruits, and by its fruits it is going to be judged. The purpose of the B. C. D. is not to afford an easy seat at the public pie counter. It is designed only for strenuous service, and only in proportion can befall one so great as being bereft seems to be that we'll work together that it serves and gets results suf- of the influence, counsels and com- after we've thoroughly worked each ficient to justify its cost can its exitence he justified on any ground.

Those elected as members of the B. C. D. and those conducting its activities are charged with a public trust. The principle underlying the organization is sound, but its efficiency can be nil. The vote last week was a warning. Those who advocated abolishing the Board were, without doubt, sincere, as were those who fought to save it. The fight was wholesome, and if looked upon in the proper spirit, and with a sane attitude, will result only in good for Slaton. It has focused attention on the organization. matter was brought into the lime- tion! light.

Furthermore, we saw no evidence of ill feeling during the period of the contest, on election day, or sincel That was all as it should be, and evidences that Slaton is making progress toward sanity. There were rumors, it is true, that the petition for the election was insufficient in that it bore many names of persons who were not residents of Slaton at the time the petition was acted on and the election ordered. However, while the Slatonite fought for retention of the Board, it did not choose to raise matters that might seem technical. We welcomed the opportunity for the people to vote on the merits of the B.C. D. We welcomed the opportunity for citizens of Slaton to become better acquainted with their own home town. We believe such education was

needful and that it was profitable. We hope that the future work and accomplishments of the Board will justify the action of the voters in r-taining it. Whether the result of the election was what it should have been only time can tell, and it will be up to the Board in the future to enable those who fought for its life to justify the wisdom of the course. But not entirely up to the Board, because with public hostility and lack of public cooperation that Board nor any other can make headway. Every citizen of the town has the same interest that we have. The Board is a Slaton institution, of, by and for the whole Slaton territory. It works for Slaton, craves harmony and requires. our cooperation. Let us pull together. Let each refrain from doing and saying those things that injure, hold back and handicap our very excellent and to the entire community.

MOTHERS' DAY

Have faith in Slaton!

Next Sunday, May 8th, is Mothers' Day. It is a day unofficially set apact and voluntarily observed by all right thinking and duly appreciative people out of respect to motherhood in general, and to each individual's mother

in particular. The world scarcely knows or is able to calculate what it owes to the mothers of men. Few children know or are able to calculate or fully appreciate the magnitude and extent of the debt they owe to their mothers. It is safe to say that, with the rarest of exceptions, no boy or girl would go astray if he or she followed the counsels and

and of sacrifice is inherent in motherhood.

Itsis fitting and proper that the world should set apart one day in the year and dedicate it as Mothers' Day. But more fitting it is that, inasmuch as Mother considers every day her child's day, calling for labor, care, solicitation and sacrifice on her part for her child, so, in turn, from the standpoint of the child every day should be Mother's Day to him.

Respect for one's mother, and for ner memory, is an indispensable attribute of one's character. No boy with due respect and venertion for his mother can be wholly bad, or very bad. No person, child or adult, who By the narrow margin of nine votes does not have such respect and veneration for moher can be or remain very good, worthy or honorable. The child who does not keep the Fifth Commandment-Honor thy father and distinction; others that show dis-

> spect and to break the other nine. Father and husband supports the home, but it is Mother who makes and maintains the home. It is mother who comes most intimately in contact wih the children, and as a consequence has the bigger responsibility in moulding their characters, just as she at any rate possess driving power. generally has the great influence. 'The hand that rocks the cradle rules the world." Man's ingenuity has found substitutes for virtually everything in life, but no substitute has ever been found, or will ever be found, for a good mother. There is no calamity panionship of a good mother. Without other. the influence of mother, man would be a savage. Art has not been able to sublime, so appealing, as Mother with | Charity would be justified in hitting her child in her arms. Motherhood, below the belt, and the spirit, goodness and benevolence of motherhood, furnishes to man his most definite conception of Heaven. If no spirit save that typified by the noblest aspirations of mother- to wear one pair? hood ruled the earth, mankind could conceive of no world, place or condition more heavenly, more perfect or favor majority rule only when they more desirable.

Mother, we salute thee! Motherhood, Slaton people are now better ac- we bow down in awe and reverence quainted with its work, its object before thee; we offer up to thee our and its purpose. It is well that the respect, our homage and our venera-

Have faith in Slaton!

## Query Corner

QUESTIONS

1. Name the first suspension bridge built in New York. 2. In what State was Mark Twain

I. In what park is the Lincoln Mem-

I. Where is the Eiffel Tower?

Of what nationality was Mozart : 6. What is the average depth of the Atlantic Ocean?

Where was the piano invented? k. Where were the first oranges

9. How old was Lafayette when he 10. Name the highest peak of the Black Mts.

ANSWERS APRIL 29th.

4. The U. S. Postal Service.

6. Delaware; 60 feet above sea level

7. Venezuela.

9. The United States, United Kingdom, Germany and France. 10. Translation of the Bible into

### P.T.A.To Meet Next Wednesday

Next Wednesday afternoon, at the little city. There is nothing to be high school, at 4 o'clock, a meeting gained by any such course, and harm of all the P. T. A.'s will be held. the school building Sunday P. M. a is certain to result, to each individual The P. T. A.'s from the three schools large crowd was present. He is going session of the season, and all parents June. and teachers are urged to come.

An interesting program will be rendered, and a social hour and refreshments will be enjoyed.

Mrs. Luther Fanlkner was the guest of relatives in Blanket, and attended the 84th birthday celebration of her father, "Uncle" Bill Simpson.

Mesdames F. M. Lawrence and W. W. Smithee visited in Idalou and Lubbock Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Foster were in Mrs. Dickerson and Lilla Mae. Lubbock, Tuesday on a business trip

Mrs. T. T. Morgan and baby Joe sick for a few days last week. from Mills King, Texas are visiting Mrs. Milliken was real sick Monday admonitions of mother. There is no Mrs. Viola Evans and family and a P. M. and night. sacrifice a true mother will not make host of friends here.

#### THIS TOPSY TURVY WORLD

"When people get topsy turvy the world seems that way."

Have faith in Slaton!

If you have faith in Slaton then Slaton will have faith in you, and all will prosper.

Anyway, you got to admit the divorce court erases lots of mistakes.

Theodore carried the Big Stick, but Franklin uses the Soft Answer.

What continues to puzzle us is why Al Capone should want to be out of jail times like these.

Some girls wear clothes that show mother-usually grows up to disre-tinctly.

> It is not well so to conduct yourself that others on first meeting will

> our modern aristocracy, and they do This country could very profitably

Chauffeurs are said to make up

large Congressmen. The Slaton idea of cooperation

trade off some candidates for Con-

gressmen-at-Large for some really

There are exceptions to all rules, produce a painting so beautiful, so and undoubtedly this is a time when

> We wonder if the fellow who invented two-pants suits also whispered in the wife's ear that she was entitled

And then there are Democrats who are sure that majority rule favors

We know, of course, that no matter who is elected President he cannot bring back prosperity, still we shall not vote for any candidate who does not promise to do that.

Since Mr. Einstein discovered the fact of Relativity it is harder than ever for lots of folks to distinguish

## Morgan Items

Every one is very busy planting since the nice rains we received last

Mr. Holland was called to the bedside of his father who was very sick. On last Monday but when he returned the latter part of the week he was

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Woosey are rejoiceing over the arrival of a Son in their home last Friday night. His name is Josh Eugene.

Mrs. Shine Miller and daughtre Hazel spent a few days last week with

her mother at Lubbock. Mrs. Calling is real sick with an

attack of appendicites. Mr. F. Thompson and cousin of the

Valley in South, Texas. Spent Saturday night and Sunday with home

Mrs. Effie Crews suffered last week with a very bad throat having to have it lanced but she's better at present. Mrs. Pruitt and Mrs. Etheridge receivede word last Wednesday that their sister at Miama Texas had passed away they were unable to go. Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Slaton spent Friday night with their Daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Mel Code.

Mr. and Mrs. Adee Perdue visited Mr. and Mrs. Blevins Sunday. Mr. Sparkman lost three head of

Cattle last week and has another one

Mr. Parrish of Close City sang at will have a joint meeting at this last to teach a Singing School for us in

> Bro. Wright of Southland preaches for us next Sunday P. M.

> Mrs. Skinner and children visited Mrs. Milleken and Ralph for a while Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford and family visited with their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Hart of Posey Sunday.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Pruitt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Etheridge and family and Mr. and

Melvin Lame the little infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ethridge was real

truth from the other article.

couldn't take a joke, and wifey replied, "Well, I took you, didn't I?"

A gentleman over at Dallas says there is no substitute for commonsence showing, probably, that he never tried using just plain old hoss

With some ten millions of people out of work in this country, the most they put into it, yet harbor the notion appropriate thing we can think of is daylight saving. It gives them so own home town and out of life than much more time to look for a job, you they are willing to put into them.

In this scheme of things by the time one gains sense enough to know how to live he is either ready to die or too old to practice the art.

Judging from the number of elec- ficit. tion contests being filed there are people so determined to save this country they fight for the opportun-

Anyway this winter weather that is

You understand, of course, that when a politician tells you where he stands on public questions he feels morally certain he knows where you

Inasmuch as Hooey Long thinks why doesn't he just come out and



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Hooey, from Loozyanny, in a frenzy the other day shouted at the Senate that he resigned from every Committee appointment, and we think Hooey would create only gladness if he re-Hubby declared to wifey that she signed from the whole Democratic party.

> Mr. Patman indignantly denies the charge that he is trying to debase the currency and says the charge is baseless, but whether or not the charge is baseless, if his plan goes through the currency will be.

There are folks who well know they cannot get more out of a bank than that they can get more out of their Just plain cheaters, we calls 'em!

The Democrats in 1928 wound up their campaign with a million dollar deficit, whereas the Republicans in 1932 are winding up their administration with a two billion dollar de-

Midland Independent School District shows a present cash balance in the bank of over \$34,000.00, which is certainly evidence of something. Is it exceptionally good business managelasting all spring effectually cloaks ment, or is it exceptionally excessive our real excuse for not buying a new taxation and exceptionally high property valuations? Yeah, the balance in the bank looks good, but what's the facts?

In the days to come that verdict of guilty in the Massie case of that Melting Pot Jury will be cited as proving many things. We rise to remark that it proves, among other all taxes should be put on Rockefeller, things, that Hawaii isn't a bit like Baruch and other multi-millionaires. Texas. We had hoped it would be. Personally, we regret the verdict of guilty. Its effect may be to license rapine and violence. We fear that white women over there are not quite as safe now as before the verdict. And somehow we regret one other thing, and that is that Massie didn't "get'

we sorta regret that, too! Deeply gret it, you might say!

Again we remark, Have fr



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#### Political Announcements

The Slatonite has been authorized to present the names of the following Candidate for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic voters in their primary elections on Saturday, July 23rd. 1932.

For County Commissioner J. T. Pinkston, of Slaton (Re-Election)

Pre. No. 2:

#### Forney Henry

Precinct No. 2 T. W. Covington

of Slaton Precinct No. 2

W. P. Florence, of Slaton

P. G. Meading, of Posey

Briggs Robertson, Of Slaton L. W. Wilke,

of New Hope FOR DISTRICT JUDGE: 72nd Judicial District

Homer L. Pharr, of Lubbock For re-election second term Robert H. Bean,

of Lubbock -W. P. Walker.

of Crosbyton FOR STATE SENATOR 30th Senatorial District

Clyde E. Thomas, of Big Spring Arthur P. Duggan,

of Littlefield FOR COUNTY TREASURER: Miss Anne Ford, of Lubbock

(Re-election) Walter S. Dickenson,

of Lubbock For District Attorney Frank D. Brown

of Lubbock George S. Berry of Lubbock

> Dan Blair, Of Lubbock

For Sherrif: T. J. (Tom) Abel of Slaton

J. C. Roberts of Lubbock

C. A. Holcomb of Lubbock Wade Hardy,

of Lubbock Re-Election For Tax Collector:

Wm. Hurley Carpenter of Lubbock Sam T. Davis

of Lubbock Albert S. Darby of Lubbock

FOR TAX ASSESSOR Fred Spikes, of Lubbock of Lubbock

W. H. (Bill) Meador of Lubbock

R. C. Poteet of Lubbock

C. W. (Charley) Payne, of Lubbock FOR COUNTY CLERK:

Jim W. Hodges of Lubbock Ed Allen,

of Lubbock Mrs. Floe Swenson, of Lubbock

W. E. Lavender of Lubbock For County Attorney

Vaughn E. Wilson. of Lubbock Re-Election

Charles Nordyke. of Lubbock FOR COUNTY JUDGE

E. L. Pitts, of Lubbock

Mrs. Carl Greer and brother, Carl Stewart, was called to the bedside of their brother at Fort Worth. We understand that he was held up and shot by a negro.

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The Junior B. Y. P. U. are urgently requested to be 100 per cent next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Effie Fowler's Sunday School Class were treated to ice cream and cake at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ward on East Lynn street last Friday night. A most enjoyable time was had by the boys.

All roads lead to the Plain Lumber office where the Men's Victory Bible Class meets every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock. The men of the town who are not in the habit of attending any Sunday school are cordially invited to pay us a visit and see what we are going-it will do you good.

#### WEST WARD NEWS

For the past two weeks the patrons of West Ward have sent and are still continuing to send individual lunches to some of our pupils who are unable to bring lunches. We appreciate the cooperation of these good mothers and fell like it is a very good work.

Miss McMurry has planned a radio program for some of her pupils to give this Friday afternoon between 6:00 and 6:30 over K. F. Y. O., Lubbock. The program will consists of songs and readings. East Ward first grade pupils, Mrs. Allen Ferrel wil accompany for this program will accupy a part of this time in a program. Don't forget the time.

The pupils are working hard on heir May Day program, which is to be presented on May 13th at the High School Auditorium at 8:30. We are planning to have each and every pupil represented in this program unless he desires not to be. Don't forget this date. Every one is welcomed

The Sunday School report for May

JUNIOR HIGH NEWS

All the clubs held their regular meetings on Tuesday, and report very good programs. Interest in this club very healthy sign of progress. The Volley ball gir's are working

hard every recess.

We have a number of recruits and e hoping to have a real team next

Mr. C. W. Hubbard and family from Fort Worth Texas spent the week-end in the home of Dorotha McAlister. Opal Patterson reurned Sunday

# <del>^</del> The Climax of Mothers Day

Dinner at the Tiger Cafe. In remembrance of all the grand dinners she cooked for you, celebrate Mothers' Day with a grand dinner cooked by somebody else; namely the Tiger Cafe Chef.

Should we reserve two places for you and Mother?

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> > Bart Jones prop.

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# BAPTIST NOTES

The Junior High teachers wore an unusually broad smile on Tuesday We are wondering if the School Trustee's meeting had something to do with it.

her uncle in Idalou.

ife Work."

Sunday School Report for May 1. 7B. - 8 out of 23 Sander's room 6B - 9 out of 14.

The English classes have had some

Marr's room 6A - 27 out of 40. 5A - 20 out of 31. Sealy's room Killian room 5A - 18 out of 30. 5B - 19 out of 32. Wilhite room

#### GIRL SCOUT NOTES

as their new leader Miss Pauline Mrs. T. O. Petty. Marriott who took charge of the work when Mrs. Edwin Hill left who was our former leader.

The girls plan to initiate Miss Schmidt, Sunday. Marriott by a party next Friday night. Elizabeth Baldwin Reporter

#### WIN ONE CLASS

The Win One Class of The Metho dist Church met at the home of Mrs F. Merril on W. Garza St. Friday P. M. Apri 29.

Meeting was opened by our president Mrs. Drewry Devotional was led by Mrs. Abel.

Prayer by Mrs. Pinkston. A letter of thanks was read from our ophan Miss Lena, in regard to her spring clothing.

We all missed Mrs. Metcalf who recently moved to Lubbock and regret her absence very much as she was so faithful and loyal a member.

Each member wrote a few lines of love and cheer to her. A most pleasant and social P. M. was spent after which the hostess served delicious ice cream and angel food cake to 13 members and two guests Bro. and Sister Fike.

Reporter

#### BLUE BONNET CLUB

The Blue Bonnet Club held its regular meeting with Mrs. L. W. Smith. After a short business session the lub adjourned.

During the social hour which folowed, little Miss Elvira Smith rendered some musical numbers which were greatly enjoyed by all. The hostess assisted by her daught-

after having a very nice time visiting er served delicious refreshments to thirteen members.

The next meeting of the club will interesting themes this week on "My be with Mrs. Hugh Diamond at her home on S. Eight street.

> THE CHURCH OF CHRIST Services for Sunday May 8, 132. Bible Study \_\_\_\_\_ 9:45 A. M. Preaching and worship \_\_ 10:45 A. M. Subject: Sin and its punishment. Preaching \_\_\_\_\_ 8:00 P. M.

Subject: The Beatuitdes. Albert Smith, Minister

Marian Anderson and family, of Big Springs, who have been visiting Mrs. Andersan's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Morgan, of Amarillo, stopped over here for a short The Girl Scouts are very glad to have visit with Mrs. W. J. Anderson and

> W. H. (Bill) Meador, of Lubbock, visiter his daughter, Mrs. Fred H.

Miss Exie Smith went to Amarillo, Monday, to attend the Graduating Exercise of the Northwest Texas Hospital, and to visit friends for a while.

E. R. Burns spent a few days in Mineral Wells last week.

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Altus Oklahoma and lived together EGERMEIER BIBLE Story Books. as husband and wife until the year of Mighly recommended by local people. 1926 when defendant abandoned plain- Pure Quallah Cotton Seed for sale 50c guests of relatives at Meadow last Phone 135-J. or see Mrs. Bessie M. tiff and they have not lived together

> Wherefore Plaintiff prays for judgment divorcing her from defendant upon the grounds of three years adandonment. etc.

Herein Fail Not, and have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your reexecuted the same.

Given under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Lubbock, Texas this the 19th day of April A. D. 1932.

Chas. B. Metcalfe Clerk, (Seal) District Court, Lubbock County, By Olive Fluke Deputy, Dated at Austin, Texas,

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in said Court on the 19th day of April plus Dahlia Bulbs for sale at depres- Farm Land for Slaton Property also

Plaintiff, and A. E. Blackwell, is De- I have several reposessed homes at fendant, and said petition alleging bargain prices and easy payments, Mercy Hospital last Wednesday afterthat Plaintiff and defendant were all are in good condition, let me show noon, and is reported to be doing

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per bu .- Scudder Motor Co.

Mrs. R. T. Williams underwent an operation for appendicitis at the nicely.

Dan W. Liles and family were the

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JAMES SHAW Banking Commissioner of Texas.

this the 24th day of March, A. D. 1932.

Mrs. W. D. Scales and her sister, Miss Ethel Williams, of Lubbock, are with her son Earl in Ralls. closed car for a house-S. Selman. 1tp visiting freinds and relatives in Slaton this week.

> Willie Conner, daughter of Frank Conner, on West Lynn St. had the misfortune to fall and break her arm just above the wrist.

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