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# THE SLATON SLATONITE

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IT PAYS

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## PRIMARY ELECTION TO BE ONE MONTH FROM TODAY

### Pass Halfway Goal In Raising Boy Scout Memorial Fund

#### Further Appeals Made That People Help In Work's Early Completion

Texas Utilities	\$1,000.00
W. H. Bledsoe	100.00
R. J. Murray	100.00
Rosecoe Wilson	100.00
Elmo Wall	100.00
A. G. Carter, Ft. Worth	100.00
A. P. Duggan, Littlefield	885.00
Dr. P. W. Horn	100.00
C. L. Adams	100.00
Hemphill Price Co.	100.00
W. L. Elwood	100.00
Chas. F. O'Neal	100.00

These are the people who are making possible by their donations the permanent improvement of the C. W. Post Memorial Scout camp at Post, Texas. This list is to be run from week to week until the total reaches the \$5,000.00 mark necessary for the success of the undertaking.

Five thousand dollars is the goal set for the fund for the camp improvement. In order that the people who have contributed and those contributing may know where the \$5,000.00 goes, exclusive of the \$1,000.00 light plant, the following list has been prepared by the officials of the council:

Concrete dam	\$1,500.00
Kitchen and screened-in mess hall	1,500.00
Water supply system	800.00
Latrine system, building of road from highway to camp headquarters, remodeling the ranch and out houses, cleaning out of springs for water supply, cost of caretaker, etc.	1,200.00

The clearing of the canyon for the dam site has been completed, and it is in readiness now for the throwing up of the concrete works—when the funds come in to take care of the cost. The dam is to be provided with a 12-inch valve that may be used in an emergency, emptying the lake in a very short while.

The water system includes a storage tank and pump in the canyon, and on the highest peak within bounds of the camp, a 15,000 gallon reservoir concrete tank, which will give plenty of pressure for any water that might be needed on the camp grounds, and will insure an adequate supply of water at all times.

The old ranch and cow-boy bunk houses have been remodeled and almost rebuilt for the habitation by the boys—and all this work costs.

R. J. Murray, who is chairman of the finance committee for the camp, issues an urgent appeal to the citizens of Lubbock and of the South Plains to line themselves up with this project and invest, as pointed out by a Lubbock firm "in the future manhood of these boys."

Mr. Clapp, who is in active supervision of the construction work now being done, points out that the work has gone as far as it is possible for it to go without more money to continue it. The site is ready for the dam; the lake is ready for the water, the grounds are ready for the roads and water reservoirs. And the time is almost ready for the boys to be on the grounds, with no money on hand to finance the work remaining to be done.

Anyone who wishes to invest one hundred dollars in this proposition for betterment of the condition for the South Plains boys, may get in touch with either scout headquarters or with R. J. Murray, 202 Leader Building, Lubbock.

#### Let's Go!

**Preached At Baptist Church Last Sunday**  
In the absence of the pastor, Rev. Jno. P. Hardesty, Rev. F. J. Callaway preached at the Baptist church last Sunday morning. He was scheduled to speak at the evening hour, also, but was unable to do so, and Rev. A. R. Meador of Plainview, filled the pulpit at that hour.

#### Lokey Explains Why Water Rate Unchanged

In the last issue of The Slatonite, a letter which had been mailed to our office bearing on the present water rates was published. The letter was signed "A Citizen." In the letter the writer of it advocated lower water rates, at least through the summer months, for the people of Slaton, and wanted to know why lower rates could not be had.

The Slatonite published the letter, though unsigned, because we felt that it was a question in which the entire town is interested. Whether we should or should not have lower rates is a proposition that rightly engages the attention of every person.

Since last week's issue, Jno. T. Lokey, mayor pro tem, has been interviewed by a Slatonite reporter, and the following explanation is the essence of that interview. In it, Mr. Lokey gives the reasons why the present water rates have been maintained and why they are still needed. He stated that he is anxious for the people to know exactly the entire situation—all the city officials are anxious for this to be true—in order that no misunderstanding may prevail on the question. Follow this explanation closely:

Before the present city commission went into office, the funds from the water and sewer bond issue had been expended in laying the original mains which were planned for under that bond issue. Yet, the city does not have sufficient water extensions. Constant demands and requests are being made for more water extensions. Since there is no bond money left with which to make these additional extensions, there is only one way to make them, unless more bonds were voted or warrants issued, and that is to pay for them out of water profits. The city commission has preferred to use this method and save interest on borrowed funds rather than to place a still heavier load on the taxpayers.

At the present time, more water mains are needed. In fact, before the paving of our streets begins one big main must be laid from the southeast corner of the square to about the location of the Slaton Steam Laundry. Also, the galvanized water piping that was originally laid several years ago must be dug up and replaced with lead piping before paving can proceed. This is on account of the fact that the galvanized pipe now in use will rust out in a few years and it would be too late to put in lead piping after the paving is laid. The city must lay lead lines now—lines that will never rust out, and this is to be financed from the water fund. The total cost of this work has been estimated at near \$2,500.

Another thing is the fact that the city is furnishing free water to three different parks in the city limits—the city hall park, the Santa Fe park and the new club house park. This adds an extra burden to the water department.

The last city water well completed represented an outlay of about \$1,000 from the water fund. Lightning has caused \$600 expense at city wells in less than a year. No insurance could be secured on that property that would furnish protection against lightning. All of these expenses must be paid for out of some kind of income, and the only income upon which the city can depend for this work is that received into the water fund.

Mr. Lokey says the price of city water could be cut almost half in two were there no building going on or if the town were already adequately served with water extensions. But so long as the town is building at the rate it has been and is building, there will be the need to gradually extend the territory covered by the city's

#### Summer Arrives



#### Slatonite Delayed This Week Account Late Arrival of City's Ordinances

The Slatonite reaches its readers late this week. We regret it very much, but it simply could not be avoided.

Readers will notice a long list of city ordinances and paving assessment notices which arrived in the mails Thursday morning, our publication day.

The law makes certain requirements

about publication of these ordinances before street paving can be done. So, in order to speed up the time when the paving program will start, we delayed the paper that the ordinances might appear in this issue.

We trust our friends will pardon the delay, and we hope it will not happen again.

Copied from  
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The following items are copied from the Slatonite of thirteen years ago. Many of our old timers here may be able to recall things mentioned here in from week to week, and doubtless it will be very interesting to them, as well as to others who will be glad to learn something of the early history of Slaton:

H. D. Talley dug eighty-four Irish potatoes from three hills of plants, not counting twelve or fifteen that were found roosting in the branches of the vine. H. D. plans to cross the potatoes with some plant that grows to a larger size, and produce all his Irish potatoes in the tree tops in order to avoid the necessity of digging the potatoes.

The A. B. Robertson ranch is recognized as the greatest and most unique one in West Texas. Floyd V. Williams came up from Post Saturday and spent a few days with his family. F. V. is assistant district organizer for the Ben Hur lodge and has just organized a lodge at Post.

FOUND—Lost and chain between Slaton and Lubbock two weeks ago. Owner can describe and claim property by addressing R. B. Kiteaco, Slaton, Texas. (Editor's note: This was the only want ad in The Slatonite thirteen years ago today. Turn to back page and see how it compares with the want ad column in today's issue.)

Arthur Green and children, of Clovis, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Leverett west of Slaton this week.

The need must be met in some way, and the city commission feels that they are doing their very best to meet it in the most desirable manner.

It is the wish of Mr. Lokey and of the other commissioners that any citizen who wants to investigate the water situation in Slaton feel free to come to the City Hall and look over the books which are open to the people at any time.

#### Voters Will Decide Many Important Questions at Polls July Twenty-Fourth

##### Return From International Rotary Meeting

Floyd C. Rector and Dick Ragsdale returned home Tuesday night from Denver, Colo., where they attended the International Rotary Convention. Claude Miller, who also was in the party, stopped off at Amarillo to be at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention which was held there Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Ragsdale and Rector report a splendid trip, and say the Rotary meeting was a tremendously great event. They had the time of their lives, they said, from the time they left until their return home, though they do not try to hide the fact that Slaton and home looks good to them.

Besides the greatness of the International Convention, in which Mr. Rector represented the Slaton Rotary Club, these gentlemen testify to the fact that the cool Colorado climate is indeed delightful at this season of the year.

Miller, Rector and Ragsdale left here on June 11.

##### Posey News

We are glad to report that crops are fine in this community. The farmers have about caught up with their work and will soon be ready for another rain.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson and family, from Wilson, visited with Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Gentry Sunday.

Last Friday morning when Mr. David Sooter awoke he was surprised to find two of his stacks of feed afire. About three thousand bushels of good maize and hogs were burned. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Miss Leecy Thornton is attending the summer school at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Patterson visited friends in Tahoka Sunday.

A large crowd enjoyed a party at the Maeker home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Griffin and children visited in the home of Mr. Homer Kelly Sunday evening.

The Club Girls met at the school house Tuesday evening. Dr. Phillips lectured on care of the Teeth.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvel Slaton, from Lubbock, visited with Mrs. Elzie Carroll Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Allison has been on the sick list the past week.

Odie Burlison and family attended a barbecue and baptizing at Brownfield Sunday.

Mr. Marion Benton and Mrs. C. Z. Fine have entered the Tech at Lubbock.

Porter Robinson and family visited his father-in-law, "Grandpa" Rinnis, Sunday afternoon.

Breckenridge—This city is to have a new five story hotel to cost \$400,000.

Olney—Boyce House, well known West Texas newspaper man, formerly staff correspondent for the Fort Worth Record, is the new editor for the Olney Enterprise. House will also serve as general publicity man for the town working in co-operation with the Olney Chamber of Commerce.

One month from today Texas voters will be going to the polls to cast their ballots for state, county and precinct offices. Just thirty short, fleeting days are left to candidates to present their claims to the people. They're going to be mighty busy during that time. So will the farmers, but the candidates will call on Mr. Farmer just the same. Likewise with men and women in other occupations.

When the polls close and the last ballot has been dropped in the box one month from today, many important questions will have been decided. A governor might be nominated in that primary, though another primary may be required to determine who will be Texas' chief executive. Other state officers will be either nominated or some participating candidates eliminated from the race. County officers the same way.

One month from today many candidates will be on tiptoe to learn the result of his race for the office sought. Many a political "fan" will be anxious to see how his favorite candidates fared at the hands of the voters. In other words, July 24 is going to be a day of no little interest to the people of Texas. And most of us will be glad when it has passed.

#### Bradley Will Speak Saturday Afternoon

Durwood H. Bradley, of Lubbock, candidate for District Attorney, will address voters of Slaton and vicinity on the five issues of the present campaign, Saturday afternoon at four o'clock, according to advices received at The Slatonite office.

Mr. Bradley will speak from the band stand in the city hall park, it is announced, and it is hoped a good crowd will be present to hear him. His friends issue an especial appeal to the ladies to arrange to hear Mr. Bradley's address.

#### Duggan Elected President W. T. C. C. Body

Arthur P. Duggan, prominent banker and developer of farming lands, whose home is at Littlefield, was elected Tuesday as the next president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. R. W. Haynie, of Abilene, was a contender in the race, but withdrew when the nominating committee recommended Duggan.

The retiring president, R. Q. Lee, of Cisco, has done a great work with the body during the past year, and Mr. Duggan is well qualified to render the same type of service to the organization.

#### Does Advertising Pay? Ask Those Who Use It!

Wrigley spends \$5,500,000 a year to tell the public about chewing gum. Ford spends \$6,000,000 to sell flyovers.

The electric light and power industry spends more than \$4,000,000 in advertising.

Campbells spend \$1,500,000 advertising soups.

Electric railway companies advertise to an approximate total figure of \$2,500,000.

The advertising budget for Colgates is \$1,185,000.

Some \$1,170,000 is spent by Proctor & Gamble to sell soap.

Gas companies spend something more than \$2,000,000.

A total of \$1,142,000 is spent on Victor talking machines.

Telephone companies have busy advertising lines with an estimated toll of \$1,500,000. Along each line sounds the voice with the smile.

Does advertising pay? The answer is to be found in America's business, commercial and industrial trend.



# CLASSIFIED ADS

**LOST**—Small gold football used for watch chain. Bears inscription "G 1923" and "R. Verbow, Tackle." Finder please notify C. D. Lawrence, 820 Wallace St., Clovis, N. M. Reward offered. 1p

# HELP WANTED

**MAN WANTED**—with car to drive country. No experience necessary. Special training given free. Good pay—\$40.00 to \$50.00 a week—for steady work. Write today. Box 1632, Dept. E, Philadelphia, Pa. 41-3c

# RENT

**FOR RENT**—Two-room house, two blocks south of the square. Phone C. L. Tanner, phone 247. 41-2c

**FOR RENT**—Two furnished light housekeeping rooms. Modern.—Mrs. I. R. Gregory. 36-1fc

**FOR RENT**—3-room modern house, hot and cold water, garage. Located one block east of new high school. \$20 per month.—Rockwell Bros. Lumber Co. 39

**FOR RENT**—Four room stucco house, 2 blocks south of church. Phone 237, Owner. 40-4p

# FOR SALE

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—Two good Jersey milk cows.—Piedmont Garage. 1c

**WANTED**—To pasture some stock. Have 2,000 acres good grass.—J. C. Johnston. 40-4p

**JEWELRY**—At reduced prices.—City Drug Store, Jno. Dabney & Son. 40-1fc

## NOTICE

I will be in Slaton all summer and if you are interested in instruction on wind or string instruments, I will have classes at reduced summer rates. I also have several used instruments for sale at reasonable prices. MRS. C. O. ROSS.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—House and lot in Okmulgee, Okla., all sewer and street taxes paid. Will take good auto as part payment, terms on balance. Okmulgee is a county seat, and a No. 1 oil town. Just out of Tulsa, Okla. Inquire at Slatonite office. 40-3p

**COMPLETE LINE**—Of Toilet Articles.—City Drug Store, Jno. Dabney & Son. 40-1fc

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—637 acres of land located 10 miles S. W. of Bledsoe, Texas; 145.7 acres, 3 miles S. E. of Levelland, 100 acres in cultivation, no other improvements; 320 acres 2 1/2 miles S. E. of Wilson, there will be 160 acres in cultivation.—J. T. Overby, Slaton, Texas. 1c

**PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS**, A specialty.—City Drug Store, Jno. Dabney & Son. 40-1fc

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—5-room modern stucco house, with garage, good location, will take \$125 down, balance like rent. Or would take some trade. What have you?—Rama Grigg, at Rockwell Bros. Phone No. 15. 11c

**CENOL FLY KILLER**—Makes Home Happy. Buy it at City Drug Store, Jno. Dabney & Son.

**PLANTS FOR SALE**—Plenty sweet potatoes, tomatoes, cabbage, pepper, at T. C. Leedy's Plant Farm, at Tahoka.—T. C. Leedy. 39-4c

**CENOL**—Mite, roach, ant, flea and bedbug killer. Guaranteed.—City Drug Store, Jno. Dabney & Son. 40-1fc

**FOR SALE**—Two lots, close in.—Box 25, Slaton, Texas. 40-3c

**EXPERT MECHANIC**—Now employed. Prepared to do all kinds of automobile repairing at very low prices. Call and see us.—Rogers & Austin Wrecking Co., on Ninth Street, across from Slaton Motor Co. 42

**FOUNT DRINKS**—We try to make the best.—City Drug Store, Jno. Dabney & Son. 40-1fc

**FOR SALE**—Light delivery bed for Ford, at real bargain.—Rogers & Austin Wrecking Co. 42

The Slatonite has a paid subscription list. We do not secure subscribers without their knowledge of it.

# DIRECTORY OF ADVERTISERS

The following list includes those having at least a minimum of four column inches of display advertising in this issue. These merchants and business men are progressive, and are able to meet your needs in their lines. Read their ads this week, and then make your purchases from them:

- Slaton Feed Milling Co.
- Slaton State Bank
- Farker, The Radiator Man
- Baker Furniture & Undertaking
- The Men's Store
- Teague's Drug Store
- Dr. J. W. Phillips
- Pember & Staggs
- Gulf Refining Co.
- City Drug Store
- Panhandle Lumber Co.
- Santa Fe Railway Co.
- Slaton Home Mutual
- H. C. Maxey Dairy
- Elrod's Furniture
- O. Z. Ball & Co.
- Slaton Second Hand Store
- Slaton Variety Store
- G. L. Sledge
- Evans' Cleaning Plant
- Gates Dry Goods Co.
- McKirahan Furniture Co.
- South Plains Cafe
- Acorn Stores, Inc.

## Slaton Crop Prospects Better Than Elsewhere

A little jaunt in a Ford car to Wichita Falls and back in two days may sound easy, but experience is the only thing that will show you what it really means.

L. A. Wilson, Slatonite advertising and news feature man, took his wife and baby laugher to visit with Mrs. Wilson's mother, leaving here last Friday morning and arriving twenty-six miles beyond Wichita Falls, at Byers, Texas, at 9 p. m. Then the drive home was made Saturday, Mrs. Wilson and her baby remaining for a few weeks' visit.

The connection that all this has with Slaton's crop prospects lies in the fact that, though our Ford was doing its best all the time on the trip, the driver had time to observe crop conditions in the country through which we passed.

From Paducah to Vernon the wheat fields were scenes of activity. Practically all the wheat had been cut at that time, and was ready for the threshers to begin work. In a few fields the thrashing was started as the return trip was made on Saturday.

The wheat crop in those sections is not so good as it promised to be a short time ago. This is caused by rust, rain and hot winds. The stalk is rank but the heads are not so well developed as they should be. Farmers said the wheat would thresh out from fifteen to twenty bushels per acre.

Cotton is not so well advanced anywhere along the route as is generally true around Slaton. There are a few localities which suffered from hail and where the replanted cotton is just now coming up, but the oldest cotton is younger than cotton around Slaton. This is because of longer continuance of rain than we experienced in this section.

Corn and oats look pretty good in all the places we passed. There is only a small acreage of oats, comparatively, but there are numerous fields of fine looking corn ranging from knee high to half thigh high.

Farmers are extremely busy in all the fields through the counties we passed, and the weather has been ideal for several days for them to get their crops in good condition.

The general prospects in Motley, Cottle, Fears and Wilbarger Counties are not so good as we have in Slaton territory, and Slaton is the best looking town we saw from the time we left until we returned. (No apologies to offer to Vernon and Wichita Falls.)

## Porter Whaley Goes With San Tone Body

Porter A. Whaley, an outstanding figure in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for several years, has accepted the place of manager of the Chamber of Commerce of San Antonio, effective July 15. His salary was set at \$10,000 a year.

Mr. Whaley has been a dynamic power in the success of the West Texas Chamber, and he will be sorely missed in that organization. San Antonio feels proud of securing Mr. Whaley, and believes he can aid in tying West Texas a little closer to that distant metropolis.

## Successful Year Had By School Orchestras

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Yours sincerely,  
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Mr. Catching will return home Friday.

## SLATON COMMUNITY FAIR SEPTEMBER 23, 24 AND 25

This, the third annual fair, we hope will far surpass our past efforts. We take this opportunity to thank all that so faithfully worked in the past two fairs.

Our work was not in vain. Our work and efforts are today bringing forth ten fold by exhibiting to the world what energy, co-operation and service could do. Our fairs have been one of the main factors in stimulating and encouraging the present condition that today prevails in every community.

There was never inaugurated a better institution for inspiring the confidence of the people than a fair where each of us show and exhibit to the world our purpose of life. It is at the fair that each are inspired to do greater and bigger things. You join in that great community spirit to win, not in that selfish motive to gain, but in the bigger spirit to serve and become a unit in the great building called Community Interest.

We are preparing to move the fair location to the County Park or Club grounds, where there will be more adequate grounds and will provide more and better conveniences for the general public.

We ask and desire that all from every community in Lubbock, Lynn and Garza Counties, join in making this fair, our third annual fair, one of the best on the Plains.

This is your fair and in this you not only help your community and fellow man, but you have builded your own confidence and learned that great spirit of co-operation and service.

Arrangements will be made for the care of hogs, cattle and horses. In fact everything that the country has to exhibit. List your entries early. Our fair catalog will be printed at an early date. The community contest will be one outstanding feature of this occasion. Each girls' and boys' club will be asked to compete. Folks, get the spirit to serve, to work, to help create the spirit that goes in the making of a bigger and better fair.

With the present outlook for a bumper crop, every man and woman should be inspired and feel the duties of community building and community life. Remember, all are welcome. It is your fair, and my duty and your duty to make it the best and biggest fair of the plains. Prepare now to organize your community.

J. J. ROSS, Mgr.

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- Good white plates, each ..... 10c
- Oat meal dishes, each ..... 10c
- Tall tea glasses, set ..... 50c
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# Society and Personal

## Sone-Reynolds Nuptials Solemnized

A quiet home wedding took place last Saturday afternoon at three o'clock, when Miss Ollie Sone became the bride of Robert Reynolds. Just the family and a few of the bride's most intimate and dearly beloved friends were present. Rev. A. B. Davidson, pastor of the Methodist church here, officiated, using the beautiful and impressive ring ceremony. While the solemn words were being said and vows taken, Mrs. Lem Sone played "I Love You Truly," softly and sweetly on the piano.

The bride was beautiful in a going-away gown of dark blue tulle. Her bouquet consisted of gorgeous American beauty roses.

After the ceremony was concluded the bride and groom left in their car for Plainview. They will make their home there in a lovely bungalow, which the groom has built for his bride. Mr. Reynolds has the Ford agency in Plainview.

Miss Ollie is the daughter of Supt. and Mrs. C. L. Sone, of this city. She was first known and loved by the people of Slaton three years ago, when she accepted the position as head of the Latin department in the high school here. For the past two years she has been engaged in newspaper work, having founded the Wilson Pointer, a weekly newspaper of our neighboring town. Later she went to Panhandle and continued her most excellent work there. She is a woman of great versatility and power of accomplishment. Those very characteristics seem to account for her popularity wherever she goes.

## Whittaker-Davis

Edward Whittaker and Miss Vera Davis, both of Lubbock, were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage here last Sunday, Rev. A. B. Davidson performing the ceremony. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Davis, of Lubbock, and Mr. Whittaker is employed in the Lubbock Avalanche office.

The bridal couple were accompanied by several relatives and friends on their trip here in search of a minister to tie the knot that made them husband and wife.

## Burkhalter-Lamar

Richard Burkhalter and Miss Lull Lamar motored to Lubbock last Saturday where they were quietly married by Rev. White, pastor of the First Methodist church there. The ceremony was pronounced by Rev. White was indeed impressive.

Mr. and Mrs. Burkhalter are both well known in Slaton. The groom's home was originally in Weatherford, but for some time he has been a resident of this city. The many friends of the happy couple wish them much happiness.

## Miss Kimmel Entertains

Last Tuesday evening Miss Maxine Kimmel entertained a group of her friends with a slumber party at the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. L. Kimmel.

Miss Kimmel proved herself a very charming hostess, and the house resounded with laughter, pillows and pepper, until early in the morning. Much music, a mock wedding and all sorts of hilarious stunts were indulged in. At twelve o'clock the guests raided the kitchen, where the hostess had provided stacks of delicious sandwiches, pickles, cookies and tea. Then more stunts, jokes (both practical and impractical) until everyone was willing to call it a day, or rather a night.

Those girls enjoying Miss Kimmel's hospitality included Misses Jo Hestand, Lillian Henry, Margaret Smith, Ruth Whitaker, Virginia Montague, Ethel Nelhoff, Frances Blundell, Alene Tucker, Marian McHugh and Willie Maude (Bill) Sanford, of Houston.

## Surprise Party

Last Monday night a group of the younger set gathered at James Cullar's home for an informal good time. Various outdoor and indoor games were played. It was a delightful affair, and came as a complete surprise to the young host. Unlike most guests, these brought their repast with them, and spread the light lunch out of doors.

Those who joined in the sports of the evening were Misses Wilma Jones, Mildred Rawley, Merle Tudor, Maurine Shelby, Hazel Mansker, and Messrs. Larry Taylor, Harry McDonald, Johnny Berkeley, James Cullar, Loren Cullar, Luke Shelby, Willie George and Wallace King.

## Junior Civic and Culture

The Junior Civic and Culture Club was entertained last Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ben Smith. It was a purely social meeting and a lively afternoon of progressive "42" made everybody enjoy themselves to the utmost. Mrs. Theron Lane scored the most punches, winning 6 out of 7 games. Late in the afternoon, the hostess, Mrs. Smith, assisted by Miss Eunice Florence, served delightful refreshments of sherbet and angel food cake.

The guests and members present included Mrs. Theron Lane, Misses Faye Hampton, Mildred Johnson, Frances Adams, Virginia Montague, Louise Lanham, Elizabeth Burton, Eunice Florence and Gertrude King, at whose home the next meeting will be held.

## Honoring Miss Sone

On last Friday evening the many friends of Miss Ollie Sone brought their gifts of love for her to the home of Mrs. S. H. Adams. When everyone had brought their beautiful gifts, Mrs. Adams, with Mrs. Silas Wilson and little daughter, Jeannette, carried them to Miss Sone, whose marriage occurred the following day. Beautiful as the gifts were, they could not express the love and admiration the givers have for the wonderful girl on whom they were showered.

## Nichols-McReynolds

Miss Annabel Nichols and Clifford McReynolds, accompanied by the latter's sister, Mrs. P. A. Minor, motored to Lubbock Tuesday and were quietly married by the Methodist pastor, the Rev. White, of that city. The young couple are both residents of Slaton and will make this their home. Miss Annabel is one of Slaton's most charming and popular young ladies. She was an efficient employee of the S. W. Bell Telephone Co. here at the time of her marriage.

## Young Folks Enjoy Outing

On last Thursday evening a jolly bunch of young folks motored out to Payton's swimming pool for a plunge and picnic supper. Just as the fun began, however, the rain started, but it did not dampen the spirits of this lively crowd. Mrs. Marion Anderson, (nee Miss Theresa Morgan) invited them all to her new home near there, where a picnic lunch was spread and a good time ensued.

The party included Misses Frances Adams, Louise Lanham, Eunice Florence, Stella Maye Lanham, Mildred Johnson, Mary Ella Morgan, Elizabeth Burton, Frankie McAtee, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Theron Lane.

## Club House Party

There were six tables of "42" and all the liveliness and good fun that goes with it at the club house party last Tuesday night. Mrs. C. A. Bruner acted as hostess for the evening. After the games were finished it was decided not to play the final one between the four players who had won the greatest number of games during the evening. A count showed that Mrs. Joe McDonald was the champion of the evening, her card showing 13 punches.

## Rebekahs "Kid" Party

The Rebekahs and Odd Fellows, and their families, enjoyed a "kid" party at the Odd Fellows Hall last Monday night. The amusement consisted of a variety of games played in childish style, and in the fact that everybody came dressed in "kid" style. There was no end to the fun—that is, not until about the midnight hour. Refreshments consisting of ice cream sandwiches were served.

It is planned to hold some kind of social meeting the third Monday night in each month.

Mrs. J. H. Cooper and children, and Mrs. Clyde Harcrow, all of Rochester, who visited their sister, Mrs. Jno. Bull, and family, here this week, went to Post Tuesday, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Bull, and will visit relatives there before returning to their homes at Rochester.

Mrs. E. M. Lott left this morning for Converse, Louisiana, in response to a message stating her mother, at that place, was very ill. Mrs. Lott was accompanied by her two younger sons, Leonard and Wilson.

O. D. McClintock returned Wednesday from Dallas where he has been for the past four months undergoing treatment in a hospital. He will go back in a few weeks for additional treatment.

Miss Ouida Buzbee has returned from a trip to the Carlsbad Cavern and Ruidoso Springs.

Miss Maxine Kimmel is at home again after a ten days' visit with relatives and friends in Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gillett and two children, of Whitewright, Texas, have been visiting Mr. Gillett's sister here, Mrs. Silas Wilson.

Worland McAtee left Saturday to work in the wheat fields around Amarillo and Pampa.

Miss Grace McAtee, who has been teaching piano and violin in Austwell for the past year, returned home Monday to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McAtee.

Miss Mildred Rowley has returned to her home in Portales, N. M.

Sam McAtee and daughter, of Berkeley, California, visited in the J. R. McAtee home during the past week.

Mrs. Marion Anderson is in Amarillo visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Morgan.

Miss Verlie Fichas spent the week-end with her parents in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Schenck and son, Dilard, of Lubbock, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Parker last Wednesday evening.

Miss Ann McAtee, charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McAtee, is attending the summer school of Columbia University in New York City.

Mrs. Tanner and little daughter, Mary Margaret, of Tahoka, have returned home after a visit with the former's cousin, Mrs. S. H. Adams.

Miss Laramore, of Lamesa, has been visiting relatives in Slaton for the past few days. She was accompanied by Elsie Mitchell.

Misses Josephine and Frances Adams, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Farris Frye, left Monday for Chicago, where they will all visit relatives.

Abe Kessel left Tuesday morning to see the sights at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention at Amarillo.

Rev. A. R. Meador, of Plainview, spent the week-end with his daughter, Mrs. O. Z. Ball, and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Suit are in Temple visiting relatives.

Mrs. James V. Wilson underwent an operation in a Lubbock sanitarium last Sunday.

Cletus Nesbitt has returned from a six weeks visit with friends and relatives in Dallas, Wichita Falls and Roysce City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stewart are away on a visit to Jacksboro and other eastern parts of the state.

Mrs. C. W. Wilks and son, Alva Sims, left Sunday morning for Amarillo for a visit of several days with Mrs. Wilks' sister.

Mrs. O. P. Reid, of El Paso, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Landreth, and family.

G. K. Taylor and family, and L. B. Thornton and family went to Post Wednesday to attend a big family reunion held there with relatives of the two families.

C. W. Wilks left last Friday for Littlefield where he becomes an apprentice telegraph operator.

Mrs. Bob Whitaker and little son, Bobby, returned Friday from Seagraves where they visited Mrs. Whitaker's sister.

Mrs. T. G. Pannell, formerly Miss Lou Ella Calvin, is back at her post of duty as stenographer and book-keeper for the Slaton Motor Company.

Rev. M. G. French and niece, Miss Betty Reynolds, attended the W. T. C. C. convention at Amarillo early this week.

Newt Whipple, of Florida, was here this week, visiting with his family and attending to business matters.

J. V. Spikes, of Lubbock, was here on business Monday. Mr. Spikes was formerly the manager of the Slaton Chevrolet Company.

Mrs. J. E. Alexander, of Lubbock, is spending a few days here with her sister, Mrs. H. C. Burrus, and family.

Mrs. B. F. Harrison and two of her three children left Wednesday morning for their home at College Station. They have been visiting Mrs. Harrison's parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Davidson. The oldest of Mrs. Harrison's children, B. Frank, Jr., remained with his grandparents for a continued visit of three weeks.

Rev. Jno. P. Hardesty and family visited with relatives at Lamesa from Saturday to Monday.

W. O. Stevens, of Lubbock, was in Slaton Wednesday.

J. R. Smith attended the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention at Amarillo this week.

Dr. M. F. Swart, of Lubbock, was a Slaton visitor Wednesday.

Albert G. Smith and family, of Snyder, came up Sunday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Smith. Mrs. Smith, and their baby daughter, remained here for a few days.

W. M. Pevhouse, candidate for County Superintendent, was here Wednesday mingling with Slaton voters.

Mrs. W. E. Dorsett returned Monday from Childress and Quanah where she visited several days with relatives and friends.

Owen McWhorter, candidate for District Attorney, was here this week in the interest of his candidacy.

R. W. McPhearson, has returned from Lubbock where he underwent an operation, about two weeks ago, for appendicitis. Although McPhearson's case was rather a serious one, he is now doing fine and rapidly recovering.

Miss Norma Proyles, of Dallas was the guest the past week of Misses Tressie and Florene Hanna.

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Where many religions flourish there is generally little religion.

A scientist claims to have discovered a difference between the Radiot and the Idiot—not much, but some.

Not all who criticize are critics. Some of them are just plain grouches.

Eloquence consists in knowing what to say and how to say it. Wisdom consists in knowing what to leave unsaid. Only in the truly great does one find Eloquence and Wisdom happily blended.

He who lives uprightly can never know all the people who secretly respect and honor him, and who lives meanly can never know all the people who secretly condemn and malign him.

A large part of what we believe today is that which somebody away back yonder crammed down our throats as vital truths when we were too young and too small to resist or to know the difference between sense and nonsense.

Towns and communities are built, not with, nor by, but in spite of, the chronic knockers in them. And those who do the building also constitute the cementing force that holds the town together against the constant knocking of the knockers.

No man likes to have it said of him that he is a knocker, and it would be surprising how many men would boast that they are knockers if knocking one's home town became a popular fad.

Our observation is that men do not have much success in "getting together" when each man has a private set of conditions which the others must subscribe to as a condition precedent to his co-operation in the cause.

Human beings are not unlike tall houses—the upper story being the poorest furnished of all.

Over here in West Texas is a district with three candidates running for an office, one of whom is a marathon runner, one a snail and the other a Virginia Creeper. Can you guess their names?

Husbands are at last beginning to win that degree of importance which has been rightly theirs all these centuries. The other day a woman in New York got judgment for \$100,000 from another woman for alienation of her husband's affections. The incident is just one link in the chain of proof that we husbands are "some punkins."

Jack Walton, late deposed governor of Oklahoma, is back in politics. But, then, you know, it is so easy these days for one to get into politics and sometimes so very difficult for one to get into office.

The law is getting so courteous to criminals the next step will be for the court, on turning a convict free, to apologize to him for having occasioned him all this trouble.

A recent popular magazine carries an ad. offering to teach us—by mail—how to become a weather prophet. But we imagine our income would be greater if we were taught to be a rain maker. But, anyway, these magazines are wonderful things.

And the same magazine also carried an ad of an automobile without showing a slender disrobed young lady on the running board with a long lazy hound pointing his nose at her. It made it much easier to see the car than was possible in the former ads.

The contemporary who complains and grumbles that we do not confine these remarks exclusively to homefolk while penning this column doesn't himself ever come to our rescue by doing anything remarkable. If a thing isn't remarkable we can't remark on it, can we? We cannot.

Just because one may be light-hearted is no reason why he should at the same time be light leaved.

A child advancing upon the world without a trained mind is like a warrior going to battle without arms.

Just because somebody's pet notion is very old or held by a large number of people doesn't necessarily make it worth our acceptance.

**MR. MOODY'S SPEECH**

Dan Moody, candidate for governor, struck the keynote in his speech here Saturday when he said that what Texas needs most is "the restoration of confidence in government in this state by sensible administration of state affairs."

That Mr. Moody is the logical man to give Texas a safe, sane and economical administration is daily becoming more and more evident. He is the logical man to defeat Ferguson, and that is sufficient reason to elect him governor, provided he is equal in other respects with his opponents. This, we believe, is true. Mr. Moody has no personal reason to give an attentive ear to big business in Texas if he is elected governor. There may be other candidates who have such reason. The sure thing is that if Mr. Moody is elected governor, he will devote himself to the task of giving Texas a good administration, if for no other reason than that it will be his one big chance to prove himself to the people.

As for us being qualified, the administration of affairs of the office of attorney general is proof of his being a capable man. He is a young man, but young men are those who are doing things in the world today. The old men, as a rule, become either non-progressive or entangled in alliances with special interests, so far as politics is concerned. The preference goes to the young man any day. He may make mistakes, but so will the older man, and his energy, enthusiasm and determination will save the day for him when the older man would be standing still in his tracks. Give us Dan Moody for governor.

**FATHER AND SON**

For a long time we have been wont to celebrate Mother's Day, at which time the virtues of our best friend are extolled, and we are reminded again of the greatest and sublimest of earthly love—Mother's love.

Recently we have begun to celebrate Father and Son week. Every day ought to be mother's day. Every day ought to be father's day. Every week and month and year should be mother's and father's week and month and year.

The child mind gradually unfolds. It is a curious mind. It craves information. The child mind demands and will find satisfaction to satisfy its doubts, its wonderings, its curiosities. If it cannot get the necessary information from one source it will get it from another.

Any girl who has a better pal than her mother is an unfortunate girl. Any boy who has a better pal than his father is an unfortunate boy. The most fortunate child is the boy or the girl who is understood by its parents. The most fortunate parents are those who possess the confidence of their children. Not all parents have the confidence of their children. In such cases the child will confide his secrets to his playmates and to strangers in preference to his father and mother. He will find information to solve his doubts and curiosities from base and salacious sources. He will receive false information, but he will not know it is false. He will act on it and conform his life to it—all a secret process going on right before your eyes, but unobserved by the parent.

The solution of most of our moral problems, of crime, and of disease lies in a better, closer, more sympathetic understanding of children by their parents. It is of the utmost importance that a child's pattern of conduct shall be a worthy pattern. Boys will follow in the footsteps of dad, and girls will pattern after their mothers. That is why each succeeding generation carries with it all the signs and evil habits, as well as the virtues, of the preceding generation.

The idea of Father and Son week is to emphasize the duty each owes to the other, to bring them into closer and more intimate contact, to enable each the better to understand the other.

The positions of fatherhood and motherhood are high and noble. The opportunities presented to those holding these positions for the accomplishment of good or of evil are unmeasured and unmeasurable. And in proportion to the opportunity is the responsibility.

What is sown in the child life will be reaped in the adult life. It is a law of being inflexible and inexorable.

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**THE EVE OF PROSPERITY**

Prosperity is coming to the Plains country. The wheat crop is starting the tide.

Unmistakable evidence is at hand. Just as bits of seaweed and increasing marking of foam precede the tide, these telltale bits that always precede prosperity and follow in its wake are showing themselves.

In one block in Plainview a shooting gallery is being assembled, while on another corner a tent has been pitched. It is the domicile of a den of loaves—a black loco and her cub.

There's an increasing number of mendicants making Plainview. They have heard the news of a good wheat crop and prosperity.

Poor relations, who have shown more or less disinterest in the Plains kin, will soon be coming to the Plains for a visit. The old Tin Henries of other sections will be headed toward the Plains that their owners may enjoy the hospitality of prosperous homes of relations.

From many sections of East Texas covered wagons are already no doubt on route for the Plains. "They've" heard that Uncle John or Cousin Harry are going to make a killing with their wheat crop.

With the good times that are ahead a "land crop is sprouting. There has been more activity in real estate in the vicinity of Plainview in the last sixty days than in the twelve months which preceded.

Good times are ahead. The evidence is unmistakable—Plainview Evening Herald.

Yes, prosperity is coming to the Plains—to the South Plains. While this section does not engage heavily in wheat raising, our crops are indeed promising at this season. Cotton is growing fast, and other crops are doing splendidly. A greater diversity of crops are noticeable on the farms here this year than ever before. Besides good crop prospects, Slaton is enjoying the direct benefits of an increasing Santa Fe payroll coming because of the heavy oil traffic from the Panhandle field. Also, the paving project is about to begin which will mean the employment of numbers of men and an extra flow of cash through the channels of trade. When fall comes with what appears now to be a bumper crop, there is no telling how prosperous this country will be. No town on the North or South Plains has the healthy earmarks of prosperity that Slaton possesses today. We are more than abundantly blest. But what will come of it? If everything works out right for a big crop and good prices this fall, will the people use their money sensibly, or will they throw it away as they have done in former years? After all, the thing that counts most is 'how much we save.' Of course, the farmers, many of them, will have heavy obligations to liquidate. But, if prices are good and if the yield is good, there will be a surplus above what is required for debt paying, and still a surplus above the fall and winter needs of the family. If business judgment is used in the spending of the surplus, this country will be one

thousand per cent better off a year from now than it is now—and it's a fine country now. The main thing we, and others like us, need to learn is how to take care of what we make and be independent from year to year.

**CUT THE WEEDS**

Right now is a good time to begin the summer onslaught against weeds. The plentiful rains of the spring have been exceptionally favorable to their rank growth and every street, alley and vacant lot is now infested with them.

Not only are they unsightly, but after a while they will go to seed, and the winds will scatter them far and wide for next year's maturity. Really, a city-wide campaign of weed-cutting would be in order right now. It would benefit the entire town.—Lamb County Leader.

What would newspapers do if they didn't have such subjects as weed-cutting, fly-swatting and politics to talk about? Still, these are serious subjects and should have the attention the papers urge their readers to give them. The guardian of this column can consistently urge others to cut their weeds, because he has a clean back lot around his own place—that is, the weeds have been cut during the past week. They are not all removed from their native habitat, but when dry enough to burn well they will be consumed and turned into ashes. That's what all of us should do with our weed crops. The spring and summer rains have fostered a healthy crop of wild, pestiferous plants. It is the safest plan to rid your place of them.

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WHIPPING PRISONERS

There has ever been on the part of a few citizens a maudlin sentiment advocating the humane treatment of prisoners, and by the word "humane," they mean that a prisoner charged with crime and confined to a jail cell should become the object of tenderest solicitude not only of the public but also of the officers who have him in charge.

This maudlin sentiment does not stop to consider that most of these jailbirds are the most dangerous characters that infest any community; that they are a constant menace to the most fundamental principles of organized society, of morality, womanhood and the home; that these desperate characters are imbued with a desire for destruction; that they are rebels against authority in any and every form, in whose wake neither property, life nor virtue is safe.

Oftentimes when incarcerated, such characters will even attempt to tear down the jail, and will destroy any public property they can get their hands on; that they will seek any advantage of their guards and if necessary kill and murder in their efforts to defeat the law.

The trouble with maudlin sentiment is that it knows nothing, absolutely nothing, of the criminal mind and heart and life. It does not see things from the standpoint of utter depravity; it does not reason from the viewpoint of one bent on mischief, devoid of all sense of social duty, and spinning every responsibility.

Because a criminal is confined in jail does not give him license to continue his depraved practices. It does not give him a right to destroy the jail property; it does not give him a right to act indecently; it does not give him a right to look out his window and hurl indecent and insulting remarks to women and girls passing on the walk.

The person who defends such robbers is an enemy to society whether he is aware of the fact or not. The person who, holding official position, and charged with the duty under the law of preserving law and order, and of prosecuting crime, who will seek to block and hinder proper discipline of such desperate characters, deserves not the confidence or the vote or countenance of any honest citizen who desires to live in a community where law reigns and where justice sits on the throne.

The officers who have these criminals in charge must be given a wide discretion in the best manner of handling them. They have the responsibility, and theirs is at all times an unpleasant and a difficult job. Emergencies frequently arise in the handling of prisoners when an officer or a guard does not have time to institute investigations and call in political prosecutors for political advice. He must act and that quickly and decisively. A prisoner must be made to behave. If gentle means will not accomplish the object, if being "humane" will not subdue a beast, force must be resorted to; and as for us, we can be counted on first, last and all the time as taking the part and the side of the officers of the law who are willing to perform their duty, and not the part and the side of the criminals and their unprincipled, political, self-seeking friends who would prostitute their office and betray the people whose suffrage they seek.

THE BOND MATTER IN POLITICS

It is common knowledge that for some months past a large group of citizens of Texas have sought to prevail upon the governor of Texas to call a special session of the legislature to validate some eighty millions of road bonds outstanding in Texas, which bonds were in effect declared invalid by the United States Supreme Court in the Archer County case.

When the decision in question was rendered it raised but one issue from the standpoint of morals and practical common sense. That issue was the integrity of the people of this state. It put up to them squarely the question of what they would do toward paying their honest debts. The credit of the state was involved. If Texas repudiated the debt because of a legal technicality, investors would no longer have any confidence in the honesty of Texas and our securities would be worthless.

The right thinking people, which is a vast majority of the people, at once set about to solve the problem of validating the bonds and saving the credit of the state. The ablest legal opinion both in and out of Texas said the legislature could validate the bonds. Ma Ferguson was asked to call the legislature in special session for that purpose, and he promised to do so provided a feasible plan was presented for validation. The plan was presented. Mrs. Ferguson declared herself in favor of saving the state's credit and as being opposed to repudiation. The people took her at her word.

Then, the other day over at Wichita Falls, Jim Ferguson, actual governor, in a speech made remarks which have completely blasted the hopes of those who have been trusting in the governor to do something in the crisis that faces us. What Jim said or that occasion made it clear that the governor's office is not in favor of validation, which is the same thing as saying that the executive is in favor of repudiation.

It is an example of Fergusonism at its worst. It presents to the people a situation that must be settled at the polls. To save the credit and good name of Texas financially demands the defeat, the decisive and overwhelming defeat, of Fergusonism in the first primary. It is unfortunate that the bond matter should be dragged into politics, but the attitude and declarations of Jim Ferguson have made that course imperative.

The people of Texas will not repudiate their honest debts. The road bonds we have sold present a moral obligation that must be met. We have received the money from good faith purchasers of our bonds; we have spent the money, constructed roads and we are now using those highways. They are property of Texas, paid for with borrowed money. Shall we repay that money, court decision or no court decision? Ferguson says No! We must either repudiate Jim Ferguson or go on record before the world as repudiating our moral financial obligations by hiding behind legal technicalities. Texans will not do the latter, but on July 24 Texans will vindicate their state before the world.

Slatonite Want-ads get results. Try them and see for yourself.

W. T. C. C. ISSUE

The Amarillo News published a special West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention issue last Sunday containing one hundred and twenty-six pages. It was a good paper—well prepared from every standpoint. The size of that issue is another evidence of Amarillo's "city-fied" ways and of the progressiveness of the management of the Amarillo News.

Jim's Own Brother Won't Support Him

Sherman, Texas, June 20.—A. M. Ferguson of this city, brother of former Governor James E. Ferguson, Saturday sent the following message to Lynch Davidson:

"Dear Friend Lynch—I am in trouble and want you to reciprocate my offer of support. What shall I do? I positively will not support Jim. Since you are afraid of my support, all my friends whom I had asked to vote for you are laughing at me and ridiculing you for your billousness at Wichita Falls last night. Preacher Jim will not have me and my wife will not let me vote for the ladies."

"Please read this to your audience tonight so they will know how big or how small you are"—Dallas News  
The only course we can see for Mr. Ferguson to follow is to vote for Dan Moody—next governor of Texas.

TYKE THINKS

By Timothy Tyke of Slaton, Texas.

Hairbrained Harry was leaving his girl's house so fast the other night that he ran over and killed three birds on the wing.

Our gentlemanly friend was greatly provoked when his uncle took one of his bed room slippers for a new fangled cuspidor.

It may be a long way to Tipperary, but the whole trip hinges on the possibilities of a return ticket as far as we are concerned.

We don't care if Coolidge cuts all of the edges off the Federal taxes and then burns the centerpiece.

We wonder if the railroad I. C. C. business stands for "I can't consent?"

Madhouse Madge observes, "My Flivver got the timer arm bent, and my beau wanted to roll its sleeve back and look at it."

Here's a new one: A mule and a Ford met on the highway. "And what might you be?" asked the mule. "An automobile," answered the Ford, "and you?" "I'm a horse," replied the mule. And they both laughed.


SICKLY, PEEVISH CHILDREN

Children suffering from intestinal worms are cross, restless and unhealthy. There are other symptoms, however. If the child is pale, has dark rings under the eyes, and breathes and takes no interest in play, it is almost a certainty that worms are eating away its vitality. The surest remedy for worms is White's Cream Vermifuge. It is positive destruction to the worms but harmless to the child. Price 35c. Sold by

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**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 in July, 1926. Voters of Slaton and Lubbock County are requested to give careful consideration to those whose names are listed as follows:

- For Tax Assessor**  
R. C. (ROLLIE) BURNS, of Lubbock  
C. W. (Charley) PAYNE, of Lubbock
- For County Clerk**  
AMOS H. HOWARD, of Lubbock.  
R. H. (Bob) McCAULEY, of Lubbock.  
JOHN H. WILLIAMS, of Lubbock.
- For District Attorney:**  
WALTER C. WITCHER, of Lubbock.  
OWEN W. McWHORTER, of Lubbock  
DURWOOD H. BRADLEY, Lubbock.
- For District Clerk:**  
LOUIE F. MOORE, of Lubbock.  
(Re-election)
- MISS FLORA GREEN, of Lubbock.  
**For Sheriff:**  
T. J. (TOM) ABEL, of Slaton.  
H. L. (Bud) JOHNSTON, of Lubbock  
(Re-election)  
BAXTER HONEY, of Lubbock.
- For Tax Collector:**  
I. F. HOLLAND, of Lubbock.  
(Re-election)
- For County Judge:**  
CHARLES NORDYKE, of Lubbock.  
(Re-election)
- For County Attorney:**  
L. A. HOWARD, of Lubbock.  
VAUGHN E. WILSON, of Lubbock.  
**For County Superintendent of Public Instruction:**  
W. M. PEVEHOUSE, of Lubbock.  
P. F. BROWN, of Lubbock.  
**For Commissioner Precinct Two**  
J. T. PINKSTON.  
B. G. (Bill) SEERROD  
**For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2**  
I. E. (Ike) MADDEN  
**For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2**  
PAUL P. MURRAY.

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DR. J. P. LATTIMORE  
General Medicine  
DR. NAN L. GILKERSON  
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat  
DR. F. B. MALONE  
General Medicine  
MISS MABEL McCLENDON  
X-Ray and Laboratory Technician  
MISS JEAN YATES, R. N.  
Superintendent of Nurses  
C. E. HUNT  
Business Manager  
A chartered Training School for Nurses is conducted in connection with the Sanitarium. Young women who desire to enter training may address the Lubbock Sanitarium

**Run-Down**  
gave out easily  
"MY health wasn't any account at all," says Mrs. H. L. Cayton, of Washington, N. C. "I would start to do my housework and I would give out before I had done anything at all. I did not have any strength, and if I did the least thing it seemed to tax me so I could not finish. I was run-down sure enough. Several of my friends had taken Cardui and they said to me, 'Why don't you try it?' I knew I needed something to build up my general health and to increase my strength. Finally one day when I was recovering from a spell of sickness, I decided to try Cardui. I got a bottle and began to take it. I could notice that I was improving as my appetite got better and I did not give out nearly so quick. I took several bottles and I felt lots better. Two years ago I decided to take it again. It built me up and made me feel like a different person. It is the grandest medicine for women that I know anything about."  
**CARDUI**  
For Female Troubles

**Mr. Farmer and Mr. Working Man:**  
What, if today, your employer came to you and said:  
"Well, John, you are the best man I ever had on this job. I know your ability—I know you have always had my interest at heart, John, and I would trust you to the end of the world, but you have been here for several years, and today a young man came in and asked me for your job and I think I ought to give it to him. No, he has had no experience, whatever, but he assured me that he would make a better man than you have."  
**What Would You Think?**  
So faithful has Louie F. Moore served the people as clerk of the district court for the past five and one-half years that not one word of criticism has been heard, and we, the 100 friends who contributed this space and who continuously patronize the district clerk's office, believe in rewarding such merit. Don't you? Then vote for  
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### Moody Is Heartily Received By Large Audience Here Last Saturday

... from Post where he spoke p. m., Dan Moody, candidate for governor, and the present attorney general of Texas, made a brief address in Slaton last Saturday afternoon to address Slaton voters. On the occasion of an engagement at Lubbock Saturday night, Mr. Moody was unable to limit the time of his speech

... the arrival of the speaker. The Slaton Band rendered several numbers during the entertainment of the evening.

... arrived about five-thirty and was introduced by Pink L. Beck. In the course of his speech, Mr. Moody briefly reviewed the conditions that are involved in the present situation.

... he explained that his "dedicated to the task" was from the curse of the state. He explained that he believed it would be his duty to see that the confidence in the present administration was restored.

... period in 1925. Sales will continue to break precedents throughout the summer months, Chevrolet sales officials predict.

... "Our constant endeavor to improve our product, taking advantage of the most modern appliances known in the automobile industry, with never-relaxing vigilance on maintenance of quality, is meeting with the sincere appreciation of the public," said W. S. Knudsen, president of the Chevrolet Motor Company.

... "The \$10,000,000 expansion program of the company, providing facilities for production of one million Chevrolet cars during 1927, is well under way at this time, with ground broken and building additions being made at Chevrolet plants throughout the country.

... have drawn a little cartoon," Moody, "which shows Jim Ferguson in audience singing to the tune 'Gonna Rain No More' a posed of these words, 'Gonna Grab No More.' The cartoon shows Jim Ferguson singing to Jim, 'How in the World Gonna Know that You Ain't Grab No More?'" That, in Moody's opinion, is a very good example of Ferguson's status before the people of Texas today.

... of the highway scandal in which Jim Ferguson has been used of grafting the people of Texas.

... houses—the great majority of the state—poorest of the state.

... About twenty per cent of the state's money actually goes to the highways under the present law.

... according to Mr. Moody, the state's records in the highway scandal at Austin. He referred to the part of Ferguson's being named but the worst of the political "pie-eating" in the government.

... Moody said, "Jim Ferguson effect, holding office of governor in Texas when he is not, under the law, qualified to hold office of governor."

... "The condition in the state is that Jim Ferguson is not only a disgrace to the state, but a disgrace to the people of Texas."

... Jack was is that Jim Ferguson is not only a disgrace to the state, but a disgrace to the people of Texas.

... today's speech was along the same lines as he has spoken at other places. He treated each point with brevity and with succeeding engagement.

... estimated at near one thousand. His speech, and he was applauded during the course of his speech.

... production in May. But we imagine it will be greater if we make it.

... And the same automobile showing a slender display on the running board.

... The contemporaneous and grumblings that sales these remarks exclusively while penning this.

... thing isn't remarkable we mark on it, can we? What



DAN MOODY

### MRS. E. J. BAXTER

Mrs. E. J. Baxter, mother of Mrs. E. C. Foster, died at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Foster here at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday. She had been seriously ill for several weeks, and in a poor state of health for more than a year. Her death came as a relief to her suffering and frail body, though it brings grief and sorrow to all the loved ones and friends. Mrs. Baxter was eighty-three years old. She leaves several children and other relatives to mourn her passing.

Friends and relatives of the deceased left this (Thursday) morning to accompany the body to Whit, Parker County, Texas, for burial there. Whit was the former home of Mrs. Baxter.

Mrs. Baxter, a member of the Baptist church, was a noble, Christian character.

The Slatonite extends condolence to the bereaved family.

### CARD OF THANKS

To the many friends who were so kind and considerate of us during the sickness and passing of our dear boy, Edmund, we wish to express our sincere appreciation of their love and sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. SONE and Family

### Texas Man Elected President of Rotary

Denver, Colo. June 22.—Harry H. Rogers, of San Antonio, Texas, was elected to the presidency of Rotary International at the seventeenth annual convention attended by nearly 9,000 Rotarians and their wives and guests. The voting power of the convention was vested in about 3,500 delegates whose choice of Harry H. Rogers is conceded as being in line with the excellent verdicts of former years.

Harry H. Rogers was born on a farm near Wheatland, Missouri. At 15, he began teaching school and taught 10 years, studying law at home. He was admitted to the Bar in Missouri at 25, but immediately moved to Indian Territory, now Oklahoma, where he practiced law. In 1920 he moved to San Antonio, Texas, but retained his Oklahoma interests in banking and oil production.

He built the Uvalde and Northern Railway and helped to build the San Antonio Cotton Mills of which he is now vice president. He is a director of eight or ten banks and a member of the Board of Trustees or Regents of several Universities.

He is a member of the San Antonio Rotary club and was governor of the 15th district 1924 and 1925. He was elected a director at Rotary International at Cleveland last year.

### Western Union Man Is Taking Vacation

C. B. Beall, Western Union operator here, is taking his vacation. He and Mrs. Beall and their small son are in Amarillo for several days. They expect to enjoy their days of rest and come back better fitted for their strenuous duties.

In the absence of Mr. Beall, a relief man, M. L. Ware, of Dallas, is in charge at the Western Union office.

### Reported Improving After Operation

J. J. Garland, farmer living west of Slaton, who was operated upon in a Lubbock sanitarium June 15 after developing a serious case of appendicitis, is reported to be improving, and it was thought, at the latest account, that he had passed out of the danger period.

Friends and neighbors of Mr. Garland, including several people from town, played the part of the good Samaritan this week when they went to the Garland farm and did some needed work in his fields. This is a very commendable thing, and there is no doubt about Mr. Garland's appreciating these evidences of kindness, friendship and sympathy in his misfortune.

### Seeks To Be Elected Member of Legislature

Emmett L. Whitaker, of Lamesa, Dawson County, has announced his candidacy for Representative from the 119th District of Texas in the State Legislature. He is running subject to the action of the democratic primary in July. The 119th district embraces Cochran, Hockley, Lubbock, Crosby, Yoakum, Terry, Lynn, Gaines and Dawson Counties.

Mr. Whitaker is a printer-preacher, and has been employed by several different newspapers in West Texas. He is pastor of a church at Sparenburg. His friends say he is well qualified for the place to which he aspires.

### Baxter Honey Solicits Support For Sheriff

This week The Slatonite is authorized to present to our readers the name of Baxter Honey as a candidate for Sheriff of Lubbock County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary July 24.

Mr. Honey entered the sheriff's race several months ago, but he has not previously announced his candidacy through these columns. He has been busily engaged by private duties, and has devoted only a small amount of time to canvassing. But, from now until the primary he will be active in his efforts to see every possible voter in the county, he says.

A resident of Lubbock County for the past eighteen years, Mr. Honey is known to a large number of people, and especially the old-timers. His friends state that he is not only a good officer, experienced and tried in that capacity, but that he is every inch a gentleman and a good citizen in whose hands the people could well afford to place large responsibility.

Mr. Honey has been active as a peace officer in Lubbock and elsewhere. He pledges strict adherence to duty and enforcement of the laws if he is elected to the position to which he aspires. He invites your consideration when you go to cast your ballot.

### Returns From Trip To Western States

Dr. A. F. Woods and daughter, Miss Pearl, and his assistant, Miss Helen Edwards, all of Lubbock, recently returned from a vacation spent in California, Arizona and New Mexico. They visited many points of interest, including El Paso, Juarez, San Diego, Long Beach, Catalina Islands, and the moving picture studios of southern California. They made the trip in their car, leaving the latter part of May.

### Baby Clinic At City Hall Next Saturday

Miss Anne Eruckner, County health nurse, will conduct the baby clinic at the City Hall next Saturday, June 26, at 3 p. m. Mothers are invited to bring their children for examination. The service is free.

### Slatonite Error Will Stop Husband's Worry

Last week in the personal mention column of The Slatonite, the names of two ladies of Slaton were inexplicably confused, and it was reported that Mrs. A. H. McGonagill had returned home from a visit to Brownwood, San Saba and other Texas points. It should have read that Mrs. M. V. McConathy had returned from those places where she had been on a visit.

However, Mrs. McGonagill has been visiting in Dallas for several weeks, and when her husband read the confused personal mention about his wife in last week's issue, he could just imagine how glad he would be if his better half had really returned home as the paper stated.

His first plans were to make a trip to Dallas in about two more weeks and bring Mrs. McGonagill home with him. But, after the excitement of picturing the Mrs. already home from her trip, he has decided to rush up the Dallas jaunt a couple of weeks. So, he will leave Saturday of this week, returning Sunday with his wife to their home here. He says he is glad the error was made in last week's paper, for otherwise he would have waited submissively until another two weeks had passed by.

As it is, he will assert his authority as the head of the household and bring the lady home two weeks ahead of schedule. Luck to you, Mr. McGonagill, and we hope you find it easy to induce the wife to come back from her trip earlier than she intended, because a bunch of us fellows around town know how to sympathize with you in your feeble attempts to act as housekeeper while the wife takes a vacation.

### Band Will Present Program Fri. Night

The Slaton Band is preparing to give a concert Friday night from the band stand on the City Hall lawn. Everybody is invited to come and hear the numbers to be played by the band on that occasion. The band is developing quite rapidly into a musical organization of considerable size and accomplishment. Be sure to hear them Friday night.

### To The Voters Of Lubbock County

In announcing myself for the office of sheriff of Lubbock County, I desire to make the following statement:

I have served in the enforcement of the laws of my country for a considerable time in the city of Lubbock, and the people know the service I have rendered. My position on every question, moral or otherwise, has always been known.

If I am elected to this office, I wish to say that I am not unmindful of the great responsibility that will be placed on me.

The oath I shall take shall be my guide, and it is impossible for any man to comply with that oath in serving as sheriff without giving the best and all that is in him for the enforcement of the laws. I shall conduct the office in a way that will be a credit to myself and cause no citizen to regret that he has supported me.

On these principles I am willing to stake my chance of election as your sheriff, and if elected I promise you my best efforts in the enforcement of the laws of the state, so far as is within my power.

I respectfully solicit every man and woman in Lubbock County to give my candidacy careful consideration, and I assure you that I shall appreciate your support in the Democratic Primaries. I shall try to see every voter in the county before the primary, but if I should fail to see you, it will be for lack of time and not because I do not covet your loyal help and support.

Very respectfully yours,  
(Signed) BAXTER HONEY.

### Barton Family Enjoying Trip To Chicago

A card from Mrs. Ivy A. Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Barton, states that all the family are greatly enjoying their stay in Chicago where they went several days ago to visit the two sons, Don and Lonnie. Mrs. Moore said they had been experiencing some very cold weather since arriving there.

Their drive from here to Chicago was attended by good fortune except that it rained the last twelve hours of their journey.

# Announcing--- New Low Prices On Ford Automobiles

The Ford Motor Company, who has always led the field in manufacturing the best car in its class for the lowest price, announces a further reduction of \$40.00 to its already low price.

The Delivered Prices in Slaton Are:

Roadster	\$445.00
Touring	\$466.00
Coupe	579.00
Tudor Sedan	590.00
Fordor Sedan	640.00
Truck Chassis	400.00

All passenger cars have balloon tires as standard Equipment.

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ORDINANCE NO. 39

Ordinance approving and adopting Engineer's Roll or Statement for improving of a portion of Texas Avenue, and sundry other streets and places in the City of Slaton, Texas, fixing a time and place for hearing of owners of railroad and abutting property and all others interested, directing the City Secretary to give notice and declaring an emergency.

NOTICE

By making publication of the hereinafter set forth ordinance notice is given of all the matters and facts therein contained, which said ordinance is as follows:

ORDINANCE approving and adopting engineer's roll or statement for improving of a portion of Texas Avenue and sundry other streets and places in the City of Slaton, Texas, fixing a time and place for hearing of owners of railroads and abutting property and all others interested, directing the City Secretary to give notice and declaring an emergency.

Whereas, the City Commissioners of the City of Slaton, has heretofore ordered that the following portions of streets, and places in said city, to be improved, to-wit: Texas Avenue, from the north property line of railroad street to south property line of Garza Street; Lubbock Street, from the west property line of Seventh Street to the east property line of Tenth Street; Eighth Street, from the south property line of Lynn Street to the north property line of Scurry Street; Ninth Street, from south property line of Lynn Street to the north property line of Tenth Street.

ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR RAILROAD STREET

From its intersection with East Line of Texas Ave. to its intersection with the West line of Texas Ave.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes Santa Fe, Right of Way, and various property owners.

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for curb \$ 0.38

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for improvements other than curb \$ 6.9255

ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR GARZA STREET

From its intersection with the East line of 10th Street to its intersection with the West line of 7th Street.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes H. D. Talley, Floyd Parker, H. D. Talley, H. D. Talley, W. R. Wilson, W. R. Wilson, First State Bank, City of Slaton.

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for curb \$ 0.38

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for improvements other than curb \$ 6.9255

ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR TENTH STREET

From its intersection with the East line of Lynn & 10th Streets to its intersection with the West line of Texas Ave.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes H. D. Talley, H. D. Talley, H. D. Talley, H. D. Talley, W. R. Wilson, W. R. Wilson, First State Bank, City of Slaton.

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for curb \$ 0.38

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for improvements other than curb \$ 6.9255

ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR SEVENTH STREET

From its intersection with the East line of Lynn & 10th Streets to its intersection with the West line of Texas Ave.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes H. J. Gentry, S. W. Bell T. Co., S. W. Bell T. Co., A. C. Benton.

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for curb \$ 0.38

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for improvements other than curb \$ 6.9255

ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR PANHANDLE STREET

From its intersection with the West line of Lynn & 10th Streets to its intersection with the East line of Lynn & 10th Streets.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes J. C. Smith, J. C. Smith, J. C. Smith, Mrs. Nellie Beal, A. K. Green, P. H. Whalen, P. & N. T. Ry. Co., J. T. Overby, Christian Church, Christian Church, Christian Church, Christian Church, J. G. Maybin, J. G. Maybin, J. G. Maybin, J. G. Nicely, J. G. Nicely, Lubbock and Eighth Streets, Garza and Ninth Streets, A. C. Harrison, A. R. Bagly, G. L. Sledge, G. L. Sledge, G. L. Sledge, M. O. Napps.

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for curb \$ 0.38

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for improvements other than curb \$ 6.9255

ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR TENTH STREET

From its intersection with the East line of Lynn & 10th Streets to its intersection with the West line of Texas Ave.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes Paul P. Murray, Paul P. Murray, Paul P. Murray, Cora Neimeyer, A. K. Green, H. Werdock.

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for curb \$ 0.38

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for improvements other than curb \$ 6.9255

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes NINTH STREET, Jones, Ragsdale & Talley, Jones, Ragsdale & Talley, Talley & Ragsdale, J. T. Overby, C. T. Lohrey, W. M. Hoffman, W. W. Austin, P. & N. T. Ry. Co., P. & N. T. Ry. Co., Key & Yeates, Key & Yeates.

EIGHTH STREET

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes J. T. Overby, P. & N. T. Ry. Co., P. H. Whalen, A. K. Green.

SEVENTH STREET

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes City of Slaton.

ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR EIGHTH STREET

From its intersection with the North line of Scurry Street to its intersection with the South line of Lynn Street.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes Mrs. Lee Green, Mrs. Lee Green, Mrs. Lee Green, Iola Jane Rogers, Iola Jane Rogers, Iola Jane Rogers, Key & Yeates.

LUBBOCK STREET

From its intersection with the North line of Scurry Street to its intersection with the South line of Lynn Street.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes City of Slaton, Slaton State Bank, Brannon & Utter, A. L. Brannon, Olive Murray, J. J. Kitten, W. E. Smart, W. E. Smart.

LYNN STREET

From its intersection with the North line of Scurry Street to its intersection with the South line of Lynn Street.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes Mrs. A. Germany, J. G. Maybin, J. Nicely, J. Nicely.

ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR EIGHTH STREET

From its intersection with the North line of Scurry Street to its intersection with the South line of Lynn Street.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes A. G. Saage, A. G. Saage, W. E. Smart, J. S. Lanham, W. E. Smart, F. J. Darwin, J. R. McAttee, J. R. McAttee, J. R. McAttee, T. A. Worley, Oren McWilliams, Oren McWilliams.

GARZA STREET

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes Sarah Sussler, A. Kessell, P. J. Koldize, P. J. Koldize, A. Kessell, A. Kessell, O. N. Unger, O. N. Unger.

LYNN STREET

From its intersection with the North line of Scurry Street to its intersection with the South line of Lynn Street.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes J. W. Walters & T. A. Blair, J. W. Walters & T. A. Blair, J. W. Walters & T. A. Blair, P. & N. T. Ry. Co., P. & N. T. Ry. Co., P. & N. T. Ry. Co., P. & N. T. Ry. Co., Mrs. Annie Hixie, Mrs. Annie Hixie.

ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR LUBBOCK STREET

From its intersection with the East line of Tenth Street to its intersection with the West line of Seventh Street.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes J. W. Walters & T. A. Blair, J. W. Walters & T. A. Blair, J. W. Walters & T. A. Blair, P. & N. T. Ry. Co., P. & N. T. Ry. Co., P. & N. T. Ry. Co., P. & N. T. Ry. Co., Mrs. Annie Hixie, Mrs. Annie Hixie.

TENTH STREET

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes J. W. Walters & T. A. Blair, J. W. Walters & T. A. Blair, J. W. Walters & T. A. Blair, P. & N. T. Ry. Co., P. & N. T. Ry. Co., P. & N. T. Ry. Co., P. & N. T. Ry. Co., Mrs. Annie Hixie, Mrs. Annie Hixie.

ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR TENTH STREET

From its intersection with the East line of Lynn & 10th Streets to its intersection with the West line of Texas Ave.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes J. W. Walters & T. A. Blair, J. W. Walters & T. A. Blair, J. W. Walters & T. A. Blair, P. & N. T. Ry. Co., P. & N. T. Ry. Co., P. & N. T. Ry. Co., P. & N. T. Ry. Co., Mrs. Annie Hixie, Mrs. Annie Hixie.

ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR GARZA STREET

From its intersection with the East line of 10th Street to its intersection with the West line of 7th Street.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes T. J. Abel, F. Roper, T. J. Abel, H. W. Austin, L. B. Wooten, J. H. Teague, Sr., Masonic Lodge, Masonic Lodge, Mrs. W. E. Smart, Mr. W. E. Smart, C. F. Anderson, Slaton State Bank.

EIGHTH STREET

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes J. C. Paul, Twidle & Mury, E. N. Twaddle, G. H. Orr, H. G. Brandt, Mrs. Lee Green, Mrs. Lee Green, George Kachler.

SEVENTH STREET

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes City of Slaton.

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for curb \$ 0.38

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for improvements other than curb \$ 6.9255

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for improvements other than curb \$ 6.9255

ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR PANHANDLE STREET

From its intersection with the West line of Lynn & 10th Streets to its intersection with the East line of Lynn & 10th Street.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes F. V. L. M. & R. T. Williams, F. V. L. M. & R. T. Williams, Lynn & Tenth Streets, A. C. Benton, S. W. Bell Telephone Co., S. W. Bell Telephone Co., H. J. Gentry, H. J. Gentry, H. W. Austin, Slaton State Bank, H. J. Campbell.

LYNN & TENTH STREETS

From its intersection with the West line of Lynn & 10th Streets to its intersection with the East line of Lynn & 10th Street.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes City of Slaton.

ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR NINTH STREET

From its intersection with the North line of Scurry Street to its intersection with the South line of Lynn Street.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes Baptist Church, Baptist Church, Baptist Church, Baptist Church, Baptist Church, Baptist Church, E. C. Foster, E. C. Foster, P. & N. T. Ry. Co., P. & N. T. Ry. Co., M. A. Stewart, H. Werdock, H. Werdock, H. Werdock.

LUBBOCK STREET

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes S. S. Forrest, S. S. Forrest, S. S. Forrest, S. S. Forrest, S. S. Forrest, S. S. Forrest, H. W. Ragsdale, Mrs. O. E. Plumble, N. C. Gentry Estate, Mrs. F. Graves.

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for curb \$ 0.38

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for improvements other than curb \$ 6.9255

Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners \$ 7.3055

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for improvements other than curb \$ 6.9255

Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners \$ 10.2015

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for improvements other than curb \$ 6.9255

Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners \$ 10.5815

ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR NINTH STREET

From its intersection with the North line of Scurry Street to its intersection with the South line of Lynn Street.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes Mrs. F. Graves, C. F. Anderson, First State Bank, Garza Street, F. V. L. M. & R. T. Williams, F. V. L. M. & R. T. Williams, F. V. L. M. & R. T. Williams, Mr. E. V. Woolever, H. W. Ragsdale, W. E. Smart, Sam Selman.

LYNN STREET

From its intersection with the North line of Scurry Street to its intersection with the South line of Lynn Street.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes Plains Lumber Co., Plains Lumber Co., Plains Lumber Co., Plains Lumber Co., Plains Lumber Co., Plains Lumber Co., Ragsdale, Talley & Jones, City of Slaton, Garza Street, E. Roper, T. J. Abel, E. Roper, H. D. Talley, Talley & Hubbard, I. O. O. F. Lodge, I. O. O. F. Lodge, Wilham & Brewer, Wilham & Brewer.

LYNN STREET

From its intersection with the North line of Scurry Street to its intersection with the South line of Lynn Street.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes City of Slaton.

ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR TEXAS AVENUE

From its intersection with the North line of Garza & 8th Street to its intersection with the North line of Railroad Street.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes Sarah Sussler, A. Kessell, F. J. Koldize, P. J. Koldize, A. Kessell, O. M. Unger, O. M. Unger, J. L. Cruce, E. N. Twaddle, E. J. Bushey, E. J. Bushey, Twaddle & Howerton, E. N. Twaddle.

ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR TEXAS AVENUE

From its intersection with the North line of Garza & 8th Street to its intersection with the North line of Railroad Street.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes J. H. Teague, Sr., Twaddle & Murray, E. N. Twaddle, G. H. Orr, H. G. Brandt, Mrs. Lee Green, Mrs. Lee Green, George Koehler, J. F. Utter, W. J. Anderson, A. E. Whitehead, Jno. A. Fox, et al., E. N. Twaddle, E. N. Twaddle, Mrs. W. Donald.

LYNN & SEVENTH STREETS

From its intersection with the North line of Garza & 8th Street to its intersection with the North line of Railroad Street.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes J. S. Edwards, Twaddle & Hood, Twaddle & Hood, A. L. Robertson, A. L. Robertson, J. S. Edwards, J. S. Edwards, Ray Conner, J. W. Grant, E. B. Manire, E. B. Manire, Fred Gueteshoh, G. W. DeBerry, Tim Cromin, Tim Cromin, Ed. S. Strasser.

ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR TEXAS AVENUE

From its intersection with the North line of Garza & 8th Street to its intersection with the North line of Railroad Street.

Table with columns: Lot, Block, Front Feet, Amount For Curb, Amount For Other Improvements, Total Amount of Assessment. Includes H. Werdock, H. Werdock, A. Kessell.



WILL CONDUCT MUSIC IN METHODIST REVIVAL



The Bonney Workers—  
Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Bonney—who will conduct the music in the Methodist revival which begins here Sunday, July 4.

Rev. J. F. Michael will do the preaching.

Interesting Impromptu Program By Rotarians

Because Frank Miller, program leader for the Slaton Rotary Club at its luncheon last Friday, was unavoidably detained by business, it became necessary for the Club to stage another impromptu program. S. E. Staggs in the chair in the absence of President Floyd Rector, called on Rev. Michael G. French to take charge and he immediately started the program off by calling on J. Fred Anton, who appealed to R. A. Baldwin at his elbow for some subject to talk on, but received no assistance. Finally he supplied himself with a subject and made a rattling good speech on it. J. Tom Overby was the next speaker, who was commended to make it snappy, and Tom rose to such points of snappiness that at times it was feared he was going to become eloquent, but he sat down just before that stage was reached. In order that the audience might be permitted to get its breath again after a breezy, snappy speech, a song was called for and the Club, led by Lem Sene and Allan Payne, sang "Let's All Get Together," during which time some real musical talent was developed. Ben Smith was then called on, and Ben, still under the inspiration of the song, directed his remarks along the same lines as those expressed in verse, urging all citizens to get together. The program was closed with some interesting remarks from Sam E. Staggs, after which the Club faced the flag and sang "America." The program tomorrow will be in charge of President Floyd Rector, at which time the members will hear of the great convention of Rotary International, held at Denver last week.

KNOW TEXAS

Some of the older land grants in Texas were made by Spain to individuals and colonies in 1540. Texas has approximately 4000 miles of electric transmission lines and electric generator capacity of about 580,000 kilowatts. The largest county in Texas has an area of 5,935 square miles. Three entire states each have less area than this county. They are Connecticut, Delaware and Rhode Island. Approximately 1,800,000 miles of wire is used by the telephone companies in Texas in supplying service. Texas stands third among the states in the amount and value of petroleum produced.

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Telephone Grows Fast In West Texas Towns

Much new telephone equipment is to be added to the facilities at Vernon this summer. A large crew of men will begin work this month installing new equipment and extending service in all parts of the city. Additional wires are being strung on the toll lines between Wichita Falls and Amarillo to meet the demands for more service over the long distance lines in those sections of Texas. At Plainview there is an extensive program of telephone improvements under way which is designed to place service ahead of the immediate demands and to meet the needs of that growing community. The new telephone exchange at Big Lake has been placed in service and that growing section is now assured of efficient service of communication. Three additional toll line circuits between Sweetwater and San Angelo have just been opened filling the needs of that section for long lines communication. A new central office for the telephone company is being arranged at Canyon and the local telephone service there is being improved by additions and betterments of the plant.

South Plains Fair are looking for the best and largest number of agricultural exhibits in the history of the exposition. Styled as the "Show

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Eaton Urges Preparation of Fair Exhibits

Lubbock, June 23.—Now is the time for communities and contestants that plan to have agricultural exhibits at the Panhandle South Plains Fair to begin gathering their products for the exposition, according to D. F. Eaton, superintendent of the department of agriculture. Several important products are ready to gather at this time, according to Eaton and the county or community that does not get them now will be at a loss later. Wheat, barley, rye, and speltz are ripe and must be gathered before too late. Alfalfa, sweet clover, wild and tame grasses and other such products can be gotten at this time or later either. Oats will be ripening in the next few days and must be gotten at that time. The small grain crop is the best it has been in years over this section. The southern portion of the South Plains does not have a large crop of the grain, but what is growing is looking good, while the northern portion of the section is covered with waving fields of good grain. A number of counties and communities have their agricultural committees at work looking after fair products, while others will likely start gathering their products starting early this week. A good season of last fall deposited by heavy rains gave the small grain crops a good start and heavy rains in the spring finished the crop out in good shape. The spring rains together with the season from last fall have given cotton and grain sorghums a good start and these crops are showing wonderful prospects of making good yields. With the crops in this shape, officials of the Panhandle



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