

# THE SLATON SLATONITE

For the Upbuilding of Slaton and the Surrounding Country

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CHAMPION  
LOCAL  
PROGRESS

A GOOD  
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MEDIUM  
IT PAYS

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## PAVING PROJECT BEGINS WHEN ENGINEER ARRIVES

### Subscribers' House Numbers to Appear in New Directory

#### Chamber of Commerce Request Granted When Telephone Co. Changes Plans

H. D. Phillips, of Lubbock, manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company's office at Lubbock and Slaton, was in this city Saturday, and told The Slatonite that the telephone directory his company is preparing to issue for Slaton will contain the street number of each subscriber. He stated that he had just been advised of this by the headquarters office.

Last week we mentioned in our columns the protest made by the Chamber of Commerce here against the stated intention of the telephone company to issue the directories without the street numbers of subscribers being included. With Mr. Phillips' announcement, it is seen that the Chamber of Commerce rendered a distinct service to the town by making that protest.

Slaton people will be gratified to learn of the change in the company's plans in this instance, and the company is to be congratulated upon doing the thing as it should be done.

#### Will Receive Election Returns Sat. Night

The Red Cross Pharmacy has announced plans to receive election returns Saturday night. A large bulletin board will be erected in front of the store and election reports will be shown there every fifteen minutes. The first bulletin is expected about 7:15.

Besides reports on the state candidates, reports will be shown on county and district races. An invitation is extended the public by the store's management to watch the returns as posted.

#### High School Granted 3 Additional Credits

Supt. C. L. Sone has announced that the State Department of Education has granted three additional units of affiliation to the Slaton High school, bringing the total up to twenty-four. Credits are now held in all subjects except fourth year English and the Manual Training Branches.

It is expected that with the careful work to be done this coming year by the teachers and pupils, credits should also be received in the courses now unaccredited.

Slaton people should feel proud of the fine record the school now holds with reference to accredited courses taught in the high school. Mr. Sone and his able faculty deserve the highest commendation we can give them for their untiring efforts in this line.

#### Texas Utilities Making Improvements By General Replacement Program Here

The Texas Utilities Company has a crew of twelve men busy this week in the business district of the city replacing small poles with larger ones, and stringing larger transmission wires in place of those that have been in use. About thirty days will be required to complete the work, and the estimated cost is about \$4,000.00. A carload of poles will be required to complete the work. The job was started Monday.

"The load our wires have been carrying is a little heavy," said J. A. Elliott, local Utilities manager, "and we are simply doing some general replacement work. We are shaping up for a larger scope of service as the town continues to grow, and we think it is better to be ahead of the requirements than behind them," he added.

The work does not represent an extension of lines, but merely replacement.

#### Motor Vehicles Must Have License Numbers

Will Rancier, chief clerk of the State Highway Commission, was in this city Monday, and while here he had a conference with the city officials relative to the violations of the State Highway laws when a motorist drives a motor vehicle with only one highway number plate thereon. Mr. Rancier is touring the state urging the strict enforcement of the law in this respect, and he received the promise of the city officials that the law would be enforced here.

Jno. T. Lokey, mayor pro tem, and Sam Selmon, chief of police, have both stated that beginning Aug. 1, all drivers of cars having only one number plate will be arrested and fined according to the provisions of the law which says TWO number plates MUST be carried on each motor vehicle.

Those having number plates missing can secure new ones from the Tax Collector in Lubbock.

#### Mayor King Is Here For Few Days' Visit

Mayor S. F. King, who went to Gregory, Texas, several weeks ago for the benefit of his health, is in Slaton for a few days looking after business interests and visiting with his many friends.

Mr. King says the climate here has been helping him very much, and that he could feel the ill effects of the high altitude as soon as he reached the Plains when returning here. He expects to be here only a few days more.

#### Slatonite Will Issue Extra Edition Sunday

An early morning edition of The Slatonite will be published Sunday carrying election returns received through the courtesy of the Lubbock Morning Avalanche. That paper will receive all-night bulletins over a special election wire—the only paper between Abilene and Amarillo to have such complete service throughout the night.

A copy of The Slatonite will be delivered to your door with our compliments.

In addition to carrying complete election returns up to early Sunday morning, this extra edition of The Slatonite will contain live news mentions of week-end happenings and advertising messages from local merchants.

#### Crop Conditions Looking Good Farmers Say

The Slatonite has interviewed several farmers this week, all of whom say that, though the feed crop, in most instances, needs rain, yet the general crop conditions are most encouraging. One farmer says his feed crop is in fine condition, not suffering for moisture at all. This he attributes to the fact that the row is not crowded with stalks.

Rain would be beneficial, however, to most grain crops, but cotton is really doing better without additional moisture, say the farmers. In fact, it is the opinion of many that a good crop would be harvested without any more rainfall.

Spread of the cotton flea which was discovered in small numbers on some farms several days ago, seems to be very slow, and no general alarm is felt yet.

#### PAVING THE WAY



Every public improvement we make in Slaton is another paving block laid in the road leading to increased civic prosperity. Our cartoon shows the taxpayers, who are responsible for these improvements, building the pathway which will let into our city new home-seekers, investors and workers who are now held back by the town's present limitations.

Outsiders are attracted to a community by what it has to offer in the way of facilities and conveniences at a moderate cost. If we can show them well-paved streets and sidewalks, modern schools and other public utilities, they will settle here, bringing business and industry with them.

Municipalities sometimes "slow up" on needed improvements to keep down expenses, but often there is a question whether this course saved or lost money for the town. We all favor economy, but Slaton should never confuse it with false economy.

#### Chrysler Salesman, of Lubbock, Visits Here

F. L. Hargin, Chrysler salesman of Lubbock, was here this week, and while in conversation with a Slatonite reporter, stated that hereafter the Chrysler agency would not be held by Mr. Piwonka in Slaton, but that Slaton people would be served through the Lubbock agency. Joe Hilton is the dealer at Lubbock, and, according to Mr. Hargin, is handling a large Chrysler business at that point.

Mr. Hargin stated that the people of this territory are invited to call on the Lubbock agency at any time they need Chrysler advice, and especially are they invited to remember that new Chryslers are always to be had from the Lubbock dealer.

#### New Mexico County Issues Wheat Challenge

Fifty farmers and business men, of Curry County, New Mexico, hereby issue a friendly challenge to all the counties in the States of Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas and New Mexico, for the purpose of showing the Banner Wheat County of the four States, for this 1926 crop.

On the basis of the greatest number of bushels and highest test, produced on the best one hundred thousand acres, non-irrigated, non-fertilized land in any one county.

Any county wishing to accept this challenge, through its agent or representative, will please write E. W. REAGAN, Clovis, N. M.

#### Meeting Continues at Church of Christ Here

The meeting which began at the Church of Christ on July 14 continues, with Rev. Elmer Carpenter preaching to large crowds.

The services are being conducted in the open air just west of the church building. Rev. Carpenter is said to be an interesting speaker, and his crowds have been enjoying his message at each service.

#### Spanish American War Veterans, Take Notice!

M. W. Uzzell and Milton Thomas, of the Men's Store, are both veterans of the Spanish-American War. So are the following men, they have learned in the last few weeks: James S. Bates, W. E. Kercheval, T. W. Covington, J. H. Watkins, and James Vaughn, making a total of seven they know of.

Messrs. Uzzell and Thomas invite any veteran of the Spanish-American War, or the widow of a veteran, to stop in and tell them about it. They want to learn the names of all the veterans of that war who may be living in this community. It will be to your interest to do this, and might be to your benefit.

#### Overland Dealer Returns From Dallas Trip

K. L. Scudder, of the Piedmont Garage, returned with his family from Dallas Monday night after attending the Overland dealers' meeting in that city Tuesday night, July 13. They also visited at Grafard and Abilene while away.

Mr. Scudder drove a sedan model of the new Overland Whippet back with him, making the 432 mile trip on sixteen and one-half gallons of gasoline and no oil added to supply with which he started. The gasoline mileage was a bit over 26 miles to the gallon, Mr. Scudder said.

#### Young People Enjoy Swimming Party

On Thursday of last week a number of Slaton young people enjoyed a swimming party at Peyton's. After the swim, the crowd spread a delightful lunch of fried chicken with all the trimmings. Among those present were Mesdames C. W. Taylor and Bill Klattenhoff, and Mrs. Klattenhoff's sister, and Misses Jo Hestand, Lillian Henry, Lucile Henry, and Leola Suits; Messrs. Carl George, J. S. Tekell, Harvey Austin, Giron Bradley, and Bill Klattenhoff.

#### Contractor Is Ready; City Putting In Lead Lines To Replace Galvanized Pipe

With all necessary equipment on the ground, L. H. Howard, street paving contractor, reports that he is ready to begin excavations for gutters and curbs for the street paving project here as soon as the city's engineer arrives. Jno. T. Lokey, mayor pro tem, stated that the engineer was expected to arrive by the middle of the week, but that up to Thursday it could not be definitely stated what day he would reach Slaton. Probably he will get here before the week closes, he said.

For several days, workmen have been busy unloading brick and stacking it along Ninth Street curbs ready for use when needed. It is planned to begin the paving on that street.

Under the direction of E. Barton, city water superintendent, the city is busy replacing water lines of galvanized pipe with lead pipes. This work will be done wherever paving is to be laid. The work this week has been mostly on Ninth, Garza and Lynn streets.

At any rate, the paving of Slaton's streets is getting under way, and before many days actual results will be in process of appearance.

Copied from The Slatonite 13 Years Ago

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:

L. B. Olive and son, Clarence, and Ira Drewery, of Bells, have decided to locate in Slaton. They have gone back to Bells to close up their business there before moving to Slaton. W. E. Olive, of the Sanitary Grocery, is a son of L. B. Olive.

J. S. Edwards went to Amarillo Tuesday to attend the Panhandle Banker's Association.

Dr. S. H. Adams attended the Panhandle Medical Association meeting at Amarillo the first of the week.

The Santa Fe received several new engines last week which will be used on the Slaton division as soon as the Texico Cut-off is completed.

Mayor R. J. Murray returned from Kansas City Wednesday where he has been for the past thirty days visiting his mother and sister.

The new Slaton baseball diamond was dedicated Tuesday evening by a game between a picket team by R. W. Parker and a team of volunteers composed of business men and non-players. Parker's team won by a wide margin. The volunteers failed because of lack of team work and poor batting.

Mrs. J. W. Wallace returned last Friday from Canyon, Texas, where she has been attending the State Normal.

#### Baby Clinic To Meet Next Mon. Afternoon

Miss Anne Bruckner, county health nurse, and a baby specialist from Lubbock will be here next Monday afternoon to conduct the baby clinic at the City Hall from three to five o'clock. Mothers are invited to bring their babies for free examination at that time.

#### Singing Convention At City Hall Here Sunday

The singers of New Hope, Posey and Union communities have appointed to meet with Slaton community singers at their regular meeting next Sunday at 2:30 p. m. and organize a community district singing convention.

The purpose of this convention will be to combine the singing talent of all those communities in a great song and praise service once or twice each month, meeting by turn with each community, and for getting better acquainted and for promoting more community fellowship.

Each community is requested to bring all its singers, its leaders, its pianists and its books. Everybody else also welcome.

W. P. FLORENCE, Chairman, Slaton Community Singing.

#### Methodists Closed Successful Revival Last Sunday Night; 35 Conversions

#### Odd Fellows and Rebekahs Had Outing

Last Monday evening, the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs and their families met at the hall about 6:30 and then headed for the three and one-half mile canyon for an outing. Four cars were in the party, and well filled baskets were loaded into all the cars. A delightful luncheon was enjoyed by the entire party.

The night was indeed beautiful, and many games were engaged in under the light of the silvery moon. The party returned to their homes about 10:30 p. m.

Mrs. A. M. Martin and Miss Frankie Trammel are visiting this week in Levelland.

Meet the Slaton band boys at the Custer Theatre Friday night.

The Methodist revival campaign which had been in progress at the Methodist church here for the past two weeks closed last Sunday night. Rev. J. F. Michael, of Abernathy, and Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Bonney, singing evangelists, were the workers during the meeting, and proved themselves very able in their respective tasks.

Rev. A. B. Davidson, local Methodist pastor, states that there were thirty-five conversions during the meeting, and that twenty-five joined the church. Others are expected to follow, he said.

Rev. Michael, who did the preaching, left Monday for his home at Abernathy, and Mr. and Mrs. Bonney left the same day for Royce City, Texas, where they will fill their next engagement.

The meeting was considered a good one, and large numbers of people from all denominations attended the services.



**CLASSIFIED ADS**

**WANTED**—Housekeeper for three. See or phone A. E. Bailey, phone No. 264-W. 1c

**LOST**—Large black handbag between Southland and Lubbock. Finder please notify Slatonite office and get reward. 1tp

**NOTICE**—All accounts made during the month are due and payable on the first and fifteenth. Please be governed accordingly.—Gates Dry Goods Co., L. R. Cypert, manager. 1c

**MAN WANTED**—With car to drive country. No experience necessary. Special training given free. Good pay—\$40.00 to \$90.00 a week—for steady work. Write today.—Box 1632, Dept. E, Philadelphia, Pa. 46-3c.

**NOTICE**—All accounts made during the month are due and payable on the first and fifteenth. Please be governed accordingly.—Gates Dry Goods Co., L. R. Cypert, manager. 1c



**FOR SALE**—Hogs. I have too many—E. E. Wilson. 1c

**TO HOME BUILDERS**—Buy your lots in district west of County Park, where better homes are being built. See J. T. Overby. 1c

**FOR SALE**—Cut sweet peas. Also I am in position to take care of some funeral work.—Davis Plant Co. 45-2c.

**INVESTMENTS**—made in lots in district west of County Park will prove profitable. For prices see J. T. Overby. 1c

**FOR QUICK SALE**—5 room modern house, one and one-half corner lot, garage, poultry house, storm cellar, shade and fruit trees, back fenced in, price \$2,800, \$50.00 cash, \$45 per month including interest. Inquire at Slatonite office. 46-1fc

**BARGAIN**—In 147 acre tract, located 3 1-2 miles southeast of Levelland. 100 acres in cultivation. Good terms. See J. T. Overby. 1c

**FEEDSTUFFS AND COAL**  
We have plenty of extra choice alfalfa hay, bran, fresh shorts and other feedstuffs, including a complete assortment of chicken feeds, etc. All feeds are priced right. Car of nut coal is expected to arrive any day. Buy your feed and coal here and get courteous treatment and save money. 1p  
**SLATON FEED MILLING CO.**



**FOR RENT**—Two modern five-room houses, and one four-room house, all well located.—J. T. Overby. 1c

**FOR RENT**—Light housekeeping rooms, also modern 6-room house.—Mrs. E. P. Nix, Phone 32. 45-2c

**FOR RENT**—Modern furnished light housekeeping rooms. Phone 314-w. 44-1fc.

**FOR RENT**—Southwest bedroom to one or two gentlemen who sleep nights. Meals in same block. Close in. Inquire at Slatonite office. 1c

**NOW THAT THE HOT DAYS ARE HERE**

Stop at—  
**P. O. DRUG & Confectionery**  
—and try our New Drinks and Dishes

**Nelms & Allen**  
CHIROPRACTORS  
(Carver Graduates)  
Mrs. Nelms Assistant  
Massage — Electro-Therapy  
Phone 540 — Leader Building  
LUBBOCK, TEXAS

**- With The Churches -**

**Presbyterian Church**

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching at 11:00 a. m. by the pastor. Subject "The Christian's Path to Fame."

There will be special music and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

There will be no service in the evening on account of the Evangelistic meetings at the M. E. Church.  
J. W. WILBANKS, Pastor.

**Baptist Church**

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
Rev. Joseph T. Fielder, of Levelland, will preach at the morning hour. He is a returned missionary from China, and will prove a highly entertaining speaker.

All B. Y. P. U. meetings at 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting at 8:30 p. m. Wednesday evening.

You are cordially invited to attend all our services. A welcome awaits you at this church.  
JNO. P. HARDESTY, Pastor.

**Philathea Class Had Meeting Wednesday**

The Philathea Class of the Baptist Sunday school were entertained in the home of Mrs. L. B. Hagerman Wednesday afternoon. Mesdames Hagerman, L. B. Wootton, and L. R. Gregory being the hostesses.

The program was opened by repeating the Lord's Prayer in concert. Then a business session followed, after which Mrs. L. R. Gregory rendered a piano solo. Miss Lois Stallings rendered two vocal numbers, and Mrs. S. W. Guist rendered two piano numbers.

Ice cream and cake were served to the guests, and everyone was delighted with all the features of the entire afternoon. Mrs. H. C. Burrus said the dismissal prayer.

**Miss Green Asks For Dis't. Clerk's Office**

Eight years of office work, principally in law offices, have fully qualified Miss Flora Green to fill the office which she is seeking, that of district clerk, subject to the Democratic primary July 24. Although the district clerk of Lubbock has always been a man, many women are filling such positions in other districts. The work is clerical, therefore particularly fitted for a woman, says Miss Green.

Miss Green is acquainted with the lawyers of the district, the men who patronize the office of the district clerk, and it is to them that she is referring persons who wish to know of her abilities. Although she has worked for several of them, she urges that voters ask any attorney.

Miss Green came to Lubbock in 1917 with her parents, who at that time settled in the Canyon community. She lives with her aged father and mother now, caring for them and one reason that she has given for seeking office is that she needs the money. However, the principal reason she has in wishing the place is that she enjoys the work.

She worked two years in Lubbock in the office of W. F. Schneck, attorney; for a short time in the office of Senor W. H. Bledsoe; 17 months in the General Land Office at Austin and for the past four years in the offices of Bean and Klett, lawyers. This experience has familiarized her with law work and with the duties of a district clerk.

Miss Green assures the voters that she desires their careful consideration of her candidacy, and that she earnestly solicits their support in the primary July 24. She realizes faithful performance of duty and efficient handling of her duties if elected to the responsible place to which she aspires.

Oscar McMennamy, of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Ross, of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Shook, of Hale Center, and S. T. McMennamy, visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McMennamy here Sunday. S. T. remained to accompany his parents on their trip to California. They will leave Thursday of this week and will be away two or three weeks.

**Celebrates First Birthday**  
Jackolene Cordeil Conner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Conner, celebrated her first birthday last Friday evening, July 9.

She received several nice presents. Lemonade and cake were served to the following guests: Maxine Maxwell, Frances Mae Conner, Da Onne and Maurice Middleton, and others.  
—Contributed.

**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

Among those who have, in the past few days, added their names to the Slatonite's large subscription list, are Leo B. Parker and W. P. Florence.

Mrs. C. C. Hartman and Mrs. S. S. House, mother and sister of Mrs. O. D. McClintock, spent Wednesday night with the latter and family while en route to Wichita Falls.

**A FAIR COLORIST**



able to meet your needs in their lines. Read their ads this week, and then make your purchases from them:

- Baker Furniture & Undertaking
- Texas Grocery
- Taylor, The Tailor
- Green's Garage
- O. Z. Ball & Company
- Pamber & Staggs.
- Teague's Drug Store
- Lone Star Cafe
- The Men's Store.
- Panhandle Lumber Co.
- Slaton Variety Store
- Slaton State Bank
- City Drug Store
- Slaton Home Mutual
- Santa Fe Railway Co.
- Maxey Dairy

The following candidates are carrying display advertising in this issue, and The Slatonite respectfully requests that you give each one your careful consideration before casting your ballot on election day:

- Miss Flora Green
- L. A. Howard
- J. T. Pinkston
- R. H. (Bob) McCauley
- T. J. (Tom) Abel
- B. G. (Bill) Sherrerd
- Louie F. Moore
- R. C. (Rollie) Burns
- Amos H. Howard
- Vaughn E. Wilson
- Lynch Davidson
- Chas. L. Brachfield.

**Pinkston Seeks To Be Next Commissioner**

J. T. Pinkston, candidate for Commissioner of Precinct Two, has been a resident of this precinct for the past eleven years, nine years of which time he has been engaged in farming. Before going to the farm, he was in the printing business.

During the time Mr. Pinkston has been living in this territory he has built a reputation as a business man and as a dependable citizen of the highest type. He is known to practically all the people, and he is spoken highly of by everyone with whom he has acquaintance.

Mr. Pinkston entered the race early in the game, and has seen most of the voters personally. To them he has

presented his claims upon their support, and states that he has received encouragement from every part of the precinct. Mr. Pinkston says he is making the race strictly on his own individual merits and that he is not making a long list of promises as to what he will or will not do if elected. However, he promises that he will give the people honest, impartial, business-like and efficient service as their commissioner if they see fit to entrust him with the task.

Mr. Pinkston urges that every voter give him due consideration before casting their ballot, and assures each one that their support will be greatly appreciated in the primary election on July 24.

**Light Display for Tires Attract Attention**

A revolving light display, like that shown in the window of Green's Garage, local Goodrich Tire dealer, was the cause of an exciting time in a little Pennsylvania town a few days ago.

This display, which automatically throws vari-colored light beams over a rainbow background featuring Goodrich tires, has been sent out by the Goodrich company to its dealers in all parts of the country.

The Pennsylvania dealer referred to above left his revolving light burning one night after all but the town's night watchman had retired.

His march through the business section during the early hours of the morning was arrested by the flaming light that flickered from the window of the tire store. Without further investigation he bolted for the nearest fire box and sounded a general alarm.

Most of the townspeople had turned out, clad in non-descript before the news that it was a Goodrich window display was passed around and the excitement subsided.

**Headache dizziness**

"I HAVE headache once in a while, usually coming from constipation or torpid liver," says Mr. L. A. Morphis, of Pottsville, Ark., "and the very best remedy I have found to correct this condition is Thedford's Black-Draught. It acts quickly and easily, and it just can't be beat."

"Black-Draught is the very best laxative I have found. I always feel so much better after taking it."

"My wife takes Black-Draught, too. For dizziness, costiveness and any little stomach disorder, we find it most satisfactory, and consider Black-Draught a family medicine."

Constipation, with an inactive liver, locks up poisons in the body and allows them to do their dangerous work.

Being purely vegetable and containing no harmful drugs, Black-Draught acts gently, helping the system get rid of impurities and preventing serious sickness. Get a package today. Sold everywhere. 25 cents.



**VULCANIZE**

With a Shaler 5-minute vulcanizer and forget it. One vulcanizer and one dozen patches

**\$1.35**

A Special Price

**GREEN'S GARAGE**

**VAUGHN E. WILSON**

CANDIDATE FOR OFFICE OF

**County Attorney**

LUBBOCK COUNTY, TEXAS

**A Young Man**

**A HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL LAWYER**

28 Years of Age—Educated in Texas

**FULLY QUALIFIED AND ENERGETIC**

In asking the people of this county to place me in the office of County Attorney I realize that it is an office of public trust, a gift of the people, and that that trust placed in an officer is worthy of and demands meritorious service. It is the Duty of your County Attorney to enforce the laws of the State fairly, impartially and speedily, that justice be done to the rich and poor alike, and to the performance of that duty I dedicate my candidacy for the office of County Attorney.

**Federal Commissioner**



Rear Admiral H. O. Stickney, retired, who has been appointed by Secretaries Hoover and Kellogg as Federal Commissioner to the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition commemorating the 150th anniversary of American Independence and which will be held in Philadelphia from June 1 to December 1. Admiral Stickney will be in full charge of the United States Government exhibit, which will be the largest of its type ever made.



**Today, July 22, Marks Close First Year Of Tech College At Lubbock**

The Texas Technological College, Lubbock, closes its first year today—that is, today marks the end of the first year of the school's activities. During the long term, the school enrolled 1,043 students, and 340 were enrolled for the summer term. This is a record unapproachable by any other school ever opened in Texas.

President Paul W. Horn gave out a statement last week in which he pictured the fine accomplishments of the school of the past year, and spoke of the greater place it is destined to fill in the future. He believes the school fills a real need in West Texas and for all Texas. It is the only school of its kind in the state, and has drawn students from every nook and corner of our great empire.

Dr. Horn predicts that the school has only begun its actual program of service. He admits that perfection has not been attained during the first year, and says the school can never be absolutely without flaw, but that as time progresses, improvements will be made in every phase of the work.

The Board of Directors and the administrative officers of the school are all Texas people, and they have acquitted themselves ably in assembling a strong faculty and in their general management of the school's affairs. The faculty for the coming year has been announced, and includes a total of eighty-six instructors, 12 with Ph. D. degrees, 46 with Masters of Arts degrees, and only nine with Bachelors of Arts degrees.

**Publication of Bank Statements Shows Slaton Country Not In Bad Condition**

The publication of the financial statements of the two banks in Slaton showing condition of business on June 30 is convincing evidence that Slaton and her trade territory is not in such bad financial condition as pessimistic propaganda would have you believe.

The statement published by the Slaton State Bank showed total deposits amounting to \$372,917.03, with surplus and undivided profits in the amount of \$21,453.51.

The First State Bank showed total deposits amounting to \$152,384.27, with surplus and undivided profits listed in the amount of \$2,808.24.

Thus we see a total of \$525,301.30 on deposit in the two progressive banking institutions in Slaton, which,

at this season of the year, and considering the fact that we have no large income from wheat production as is true with many of our neighbor cities just to the north of us, is a splendid showing. And, these recent statements will compare very favorably with those of a year ago, despite the fact that the entire Plains country suffered a disastrous freeze which cut short the cotton crop and lowered cotton prices here last fall.

Since the banks published these latest statements, two of the heaviest payrolls in recent months have been met by the Santa Fe, and doubtless this has added considerably to the deposits here.

Slaton is a fine country, and getting finer day by day.

**Strong Football Squad Expected Here Next Season; Few Changes In Old Team**

Reports coming from members of the old team indicate that all will return who did not graduate and there will be many of the substitutes here ready to take the places of the young men who did finish.

There should be another great team for Slaton High, for these young men will bring back added skill, weight, speed and head work.

The old backfield members, Fat, Wick, Stone and Owens, with some fine substitutes, will report. Huckaby, the captain and center, is in fine condition. Napps and Watkins will each offer close to 200 pounds of good muscle to be placed on either side of center. Curtis Hamilton will play havoc

with his opposing tackle and from the other candidates for the other tackle it is believed that we may be able to fill Hancock's place. The end positions will be cared for by Splawn and Weaver as regulars and many others will fight for places on the team.

The above named boys are seasoned and experienced players and have helped to win two district championships.

Lovers of this great game will have opportunity to see their favorites in action against the strongest teams of the section.

The school will demand her own teams to be eligible according to the Interscholastic League rules and expect the same of others.

**Growth In Printing Discussed At Rotary**

The program of the Slaton Rotary Club at its regular weekly luncheon last Friday was in charge of Sam E. Staggs, on the subject, "Why Classifications?"

The luncheon was served by the local Parent-Teachers' Association, and it was a feast in the superlative sense, and the credit for the planning, preparing and serving of this banquet is due to Mrs. J. R. McAtee. It brought smiles, good cheer, and satisfaction in the most satisfactory meaning of that term, leaving all in the maximum good humor to relish whatever might be in store on the literary program.

Sam Staggs, the leader, gave a talk on classifications, declaring that they were necessary. He then introduced a new and pleasing innovation in Rotary programs by providing a talk from a member on his particular line of work. This was given by Ben Smith on the subject of printing, who read a paper on that interesting subject, tracing the growth and development of the printing art from its rudimentary beginning to its present mammoth proportions.

Claude Miller, secretary of the Club, was called on and gave a very interesting talk on doings at the Denver meeting of Rotary International.

L. R. Cypert, proprietor of the Gates Dry Goods Co., visited the Club as a guest of Alex DeLong.

Harry McKirahan will have charge of the program at tomorrow's meeting, on the subject of the wisdom and advisability of giving premiums as artificial aids to business and the staging of sales.

**Lubbock Officers Arrest 633 In 6 Months**

The city of Lubbock has averaged more than one hundred arrests each month so far during 1926. A total of 633 arrests were made from January to June, inclusive. 172 people were lodged in the city jail, 165 paid fines for violating parking ordinances, 63 fines were assessed for gambling, twenty people were arrested for getting drunk and disturbing the peace, and twenty were arrested for fighting. Twenty paid fines for vagrancy, and so on through a variety of violations and disposal of cases. The highest fine paid was \$100. Most fines ranged from one dollar to \$35. A total of about \$2,500 was collected in fines.

It is pointed out that many of the arrests were people who do not live in Lubbock.

At the present time, Lubbock officers are trying to educate the people to observe the stop signs that have recently been placed adjacent to the busiest street crossings. The stop signs merely require that the car be brought to a standstill before proceeding across the street.

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

**Dance Madness Show At Palace 23-24**

Is there a woman in the world who does not want small feet?

Surely there is not a woman who can deny the fact that she envies a small, daintily formed foot.

"We do not need to emulate the example of the Chinese and Japanese to have small feet," says Claire Windsor, who plays the leading feminine role in Robert Z. Leonard's production, "Dance Madness," which will show at the Palace Theatre Friday and Saturday.

"The woman who would make the most of her charms gives as much thought to the selection of her shoes as she does to the selection of her gowns.

"If your foot is short and broad, for instance, select short vamped shoes of as narrow a last as possible. In this way you have made the most of the shortness, and have helped give your foot the narrow look as well.

"If your foot is long and narrow, then wear a narrow last with as short a vamp as is possible for comfort. Remember that a shoe too small for you never fools anyone but yourself. Comfort is the first thing to be considered.

"Here is another little secret. If you have a very large foot, never wear a small hat, because this will accentuate the foot line. A large hat will make the silhouette much more symmetrical."

**NOTICE**

Beginning Aug. 1st, all persons driving a car in the City of Slaton without TWO license numbers will be fined. One number MUST be on the front and one on rear of car.—J. T. LOKEY, Mayor Pro Tem. 47-2c.



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For the time being we will handle the Sales and Service of Chrysler Automobiles out of our Lubbock house for this territory.

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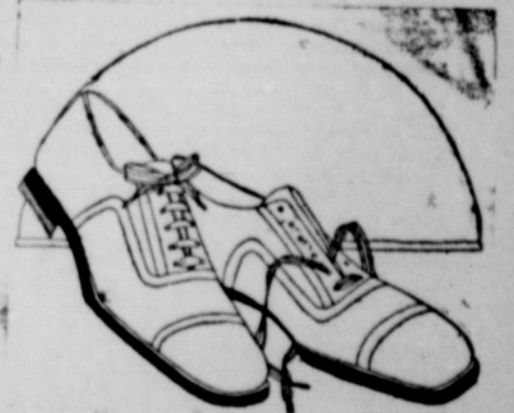


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Well, all we ask is that you try a suit of Oshkosh or Railroad King. It is in truth, an Overall that you can recommend to your friends. You'll swear by and not at them.

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Shoes for summer wear must be both comfortable and stylish. You will find both points well carried out in our Footwear.



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We know one who has a shotgun in her hope chest.—Defiance Crescent-News.



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It isn't necessary that one should be sporty in order to be a good sport.

If it is true that money talks, don't you think that as taxes go higher and higher the taxpayer ought to have more and more to say?

It is a common sight these days to see a fellow who has so much talking to do he cannot find time to say anything.

One characteristic of quackery is its ability to obtain praise from its victims.

It is impossible that honest, faithful and conscientious effort should go unrewarded. The reward is often delayed, but if it has been earned, you may rest assured that it is on the way.

We wonder what odds Barry Miller is offering that Ma will resign after the votes are counted on July 24?

We estimate that if each candidate for governor in Texas gets as many votes as he predicts he will get, their combined vote would exceed the population of the North American continent. It therefore follows that somebody is either mighty badly self deluded or doing some mighty tall lying.

It is only natural that the price of silk hosiery should go up, since it is now necessary to make the ladies' socks so much longer in order that they may modestly reach to the bottom of milady's skirt.

We are not a prophet nor the son of a prophet, but we do foresee a calamity approaching, which is due to hit certain individuals with terrific force on the night of July 24th in that region lying between Red River and the Gulf of Mexico.

It is said that there is no subject or thing under the sun that has not at some time or other formed the basis for a lie. Even the question as to the number of subscriptions a weekly newspaper has—actual, genuine, bona fide, paid for, wanted subscriptions—has not escaped the fate in this respect of all other things mundane. Ain't it awful!

Report comes of a child being born in a high speeding automobile. Let us hope that the youngster does not come to his death in the same way, as so many do who were not, like this child, born in such a hurry.

We do not know a single Christian who harbors in his heart hate for his neighbor. We know lots and lots of haters who pose as Christian, thereby deceiving themselves and no one else.

And just think, before we go to press next week, Barry Miller, now lieutenant governor, will be governor of Texas, and Ma and Jim will be ranching on the Bell-Bosque farm. We know so because Ma said she would resign if Dan beat her so much as one vote in Saturday's primary, and a Ferguson was never known to falsify!

When there is parking space at the curb for two cars and a man drives his car in so as to occupy or spoil all of that space and deprive some other of parking space, if he does it on purpose he is a hog and knows it, and if he does it thoughtlessly, he is a hog and does not know it. Hogs are fine—in their places—but a hog's place is not at a steering wheel. Think it over, friend; this might happen to apply to you.

Past and present observation in politics convince us that a man does not have to have any sense, knowledge or principle to get votes, provided he is an oily talker, has a fertile imagination and no speaking acquaintance with the truth. A fly will nibble at poison as readily as at maple syrup.

The hope of democracy rests not so much upon the intelligence and wisdom of the voters, but upon the fact that when they make a mistake and elect a misfit to office, whether

or not they do so intentionally, such misfit generally has so little ability that he cannot tear down much of the structure in the space of two years.

As applied to herself, Ma says that one good term deserves another, but as applied to the criminals of the state, her slogan is that one good term deserves a pardon.

Thomas Jefferson was a lad at thirty-three summers when he wrote the Declaration of Independence, and in all probability George Third and Lord North argued he was too young for the job.

ELECTION DAY

No more important day comes throughout the year than the day upon which people go to the polls and elect public officials to handle the affairs of government. Saturday is election day in Texas. There are many gigantic issues facing the people, chief of which may be said to exist in the selection of a governor to serve the state for the next two years.

There are only three candidates for the office of governor who will receive serious attention by the voters—Dan Moody, Lynch Davidson, and Mrs. Ferguson. One of these three will be the next chief executive of Texas. Only two of these candidates should be looked upon with favor by the people. Jim Ferguson (running by proxy) does not merit support at the ballot box. He is not a democrat, he promised two years ago he would not run this time, he has wasted public funds, or permitted it to be done, he has permitted wholesale and indiscriminate pardoning of criminals who are dangerous when turned loose among respectable people, he still cries for "indication" when Texas can never justify the corrupt acts he has perpetrated while holding places of public trust, he is opposed to woman suffrage except when his wife is running for office, he cannot be held responsible for his acts (and everybody knows he is a man who needs watching), he is an enemy of Christianity and makes public sport of things sacred to the hearts of all people who hold Christianity in reverence, he uses publicly a brand of English, (if we may be pardoned for calling it that—and if you won't, Ma surely will) which is disgraceful to the character of any person seeking a place of prominence as an official in this state or anywhere else, he asks for a fourth term as governor (though it is by marriage), he has plunged the state deeper in debt every time he has had anything to do with managing its affairs—in short, Jim Ferguson deserves to be, and it is the duty of every voter to aid in defeating him for re-election to the place he now holds in his wife's name.

Lynch Davidson has not shown in this campaign that he is the man we need for governor, though he is far preferable to the Fergusons. Davidson has tried to make issues of things that are not issues at all, and has paid no attention to the more important, constructive policies which need a champion in Texas. He has charged Moody with being aligned with oil and booze interests when there is no foundation of fact upon which he can substantiate that charge. He is a wealthy man engaged in a big business, and while he may be a financial success, he has not shown that he possesses any distinguished marks that recommend him for governor.

So, the logical conclusion is that Dan's the man—and that he should be elected the next governor of Texas. He is qualified, and has demonstrated his ability. Any man who can do the things Dan Moody has done will make a good governor. He is clean, capable, four-square, and has the energy to give Texas an aggressive administration. That he will fight for good government in this state is a certain thing, if he is elected.

Let good judgment be your guide on this election day, and remember when you vote you are exercising a sacred privilege—a privilege of giving to your state officials whose characters guarantee integrity in office. Do not consider lightly the selection of officers in the county, district and precinct, but vote conscientiously on these points also.

Above all, vote in Saturday's election. Use your poll tax receipt in the interest of good government and thereby prove your worth as a citizen.

An exchange remarks that a home-brewer in his town said "that Dallas Judge sure is a pippin." He was referring to the ruling of Judge Pippin at Dallas that since the state cannot hire a chemist to test beer to find out whether or not it is intoxicating there is no ground on which to convict the person making the stuff.

There are 898 newspapers and periodicals published in Texas, of which 113 are daily and 695 are weekly and semi-weekly newspapers.

CRIME AND CRIMINALS

It has long been a debatable question whether or not the world is growing better or worse. It is not our purpose here and now to settle that question, or even to solve it, but to point out a few factors that must be considered when wrestling with the question.

Some days ago the sheriff of Lubbock County, H. L. Johnston, succeeded in running down a bunch of thieves, about three of them, and in recovering a large quantity of stolen jewelry. He found, among other things, a bucket full of watches, some of them very valuable timepieces. The thefts occurred from Dallas to El Paso and into New Mexico.

Some days later one of these captured criminals confessed to the commission of about forty crimes. It is probable that many of these thefts, maybe all of them, received publicity in the newspapers, and it is probable that, for a time, different newspapers over the country carried frequent stories of theft. Many no doubt threw up their hands and lamented the terrible condition of things, and exclaimed that society is going to the bow-wows because of the unprecedented increase in crime.

The first point we want to emphasize is that in this case there were not forty criminals—forty thieves—but one criminal committing forty crimes. Bad as that is, it is much preferable to forty criminals committing forty crimes, or for that matter, committing only one crime. It is the percentage of persons in society who are criminally minded that counts rather than the number of crimes that are committed. When the facts are known, the present times are not nearly so terrible as many of us are wont to imagine—imagine is the word.

Another factor is the wonderful efficiency of news gatherers. Fifty years ago many crimes were committed in remote parts that never reached the printed page of a newspaper. Now, nothing escapes the alert eye of the cub reporter. And with his alert eye has developed in a high degree the art of telling a story. He plays up a crime to appeal to the imagination; he often makes it worse than it really is; he sketches in all the details which an inspector of the premises reveal and which his active imagination is able to conjure up. He is not concerned with the crime; his concern is commercialized writing—feeding the gluttonous appetites of a few thousand readers, and he is obliged to apply the rules of his writing art to the facts of some individual's dereliction.

There seems to be more—a larger percentage—of crimes and criminals than there used to be because we are able to read about a larger percentage of them.

If the other side of the social picture was turned from the wall and submitted to our gaze we should behold a vastly improved order of social conditions such as the world has never known before. Humanity is forging upward at a rapid pace. The achievement in science, art, literature, in every phase of life, is so great as actually to stagger the mind. We cannot possibly keep pace with what is going on. It is a constant struggle else we shall soon become back numbers. Verily, the world is growing nobler and better, and it looks like it is going to rain!

We know some newspapers not many thousand miles away that would have to withdraw their issues from the U. S. mails if their postage were charged for according to the amount of "hot air" they contained instead of by weight in pounds.

TYKE THINKS

By Timothy Tyke of Slaton, Texas.

Somebody is overlooking a big opportunity; advertising space on bare knees ought to sell for two bucks per inch.

It's not the one who gets to the crossing first that wins, it's the one that can proceed under its own steam after the wreckage is cleared away.

We started doing business elsewhere when our grocer explained it was better to find a worm in the apple we were eating than a half worm.

Bilge the burglar says this business of paying late night calls is profitable but not always pleasing.

An investigation was started when a farmer was found to have nine dollars and seventeen cents in cash on his person.

Old Tom the tightwad is so stingy he cut his horses tail off and then tried to feed it to the poor old nag as hay.

Exchange Shots

RAILWAY CROSSING ACCIDENTS

It would be almost impossible for a person to pick up a daily paper now without reading an account of one to twenty automobile wrecks each day—wrecks in which people either lose their lives or are maimed for life. In some states the road commissions are having white crosses put up wherever an auto wreck has occurred in which a person has lost their life. There is a place in Illinois where sixteen white crosses are erected on one spot—a place where the road makes a sharp curve and crosses a railroad track. People who have traveled over these roads say that the white crosses cause a feeling of safe driving to come over them that could not be gotten from any other source. When they see one of these white crosses they are reminded that on that spot a life was lost. Drivers, it is said, invariably take their foot off the gas when they drive in sight of a white cross. It seems to us that this idea is one that should be capitalized upon by all states. About ninety per cent of the auto accidents are caused by reckless driving. If a white cross—indicating that on that spot a life was lost from an auto wreck—will cause drivers to take their foot off the gas it would certainly prevent many accidents.—Paducah Post.

The white cross idea seems to be a good one. Unless crossings are changed so drivers go above the track level, as has been done in a few of the most dangerous crossing locations, some kind of life-saver is absolutely essential. While the building of overhead crossings would entail great expense to the railroad, it would save hundreds of human lives, and therefore would be not only a life-saver, but a money-caver in the long run. Until the overhead crossings are built, the white crosses would likely serve a very useful purpose.

QUO VADIS

My grandpa notes the world's worn cogs. And says we're going to the dogs; His grandpa in his house of logs. Said things were going to the dogs.

THEY STILL DO IT

We think it must be a very antiquated tailor shop that will advertise "trousers pressed in the rear." That was the type forty years ago when we were a lad being "raised" by strict parents.—Lubbock Morning Avalanche.

While there may not be so much "trouser pressing" by strict parents as there was forty years ago, there are still some fellows around town here who "get their trousers pressed in the rear" but "notwithstanding." Probably there are also some in Lubbock.

MUD-SLINGING SOON OVER

It won't be long now until the suffering public will be relieved of the necessity of being disturbed by the mud-slinging politicians. Such campaigns have become so obnoxious to the people of Texas that they create no enthusiasm among the voters. There is more thinking and less talking being done in politics this year than ever before.—The Farmersville Times.

Some pretty bad mud-slinging has been done among some of the candidates of this part of the state. Personalities have been engaged in too far. This should not be. A man has no claim upon your vote unless he merits it upon his own qualifications rather than upon his opponent's weakness. There is no merit for any candidate on the latter proposition. We believe, too, that Texas voters are doing some thinking for themselves this year. It is to be hoped that this is true. There is a great need existing that responsible officials be elected to all offices, starting with the highest and ending only with the lowest. All are important. Voters should not only VOTE Saturday, but they should vote for the best interest of the state, district, county and precinct. Above all, use your poll tax receipt this coming Saturday.

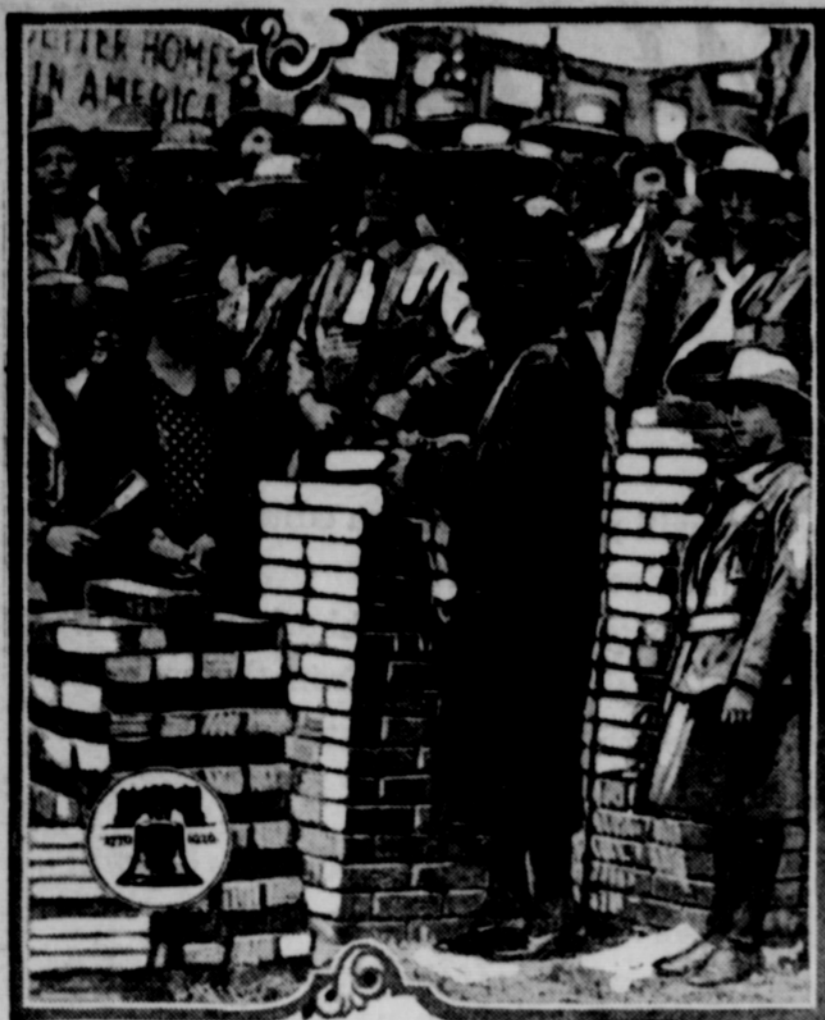
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**MRS. HOOVER TURNS BRICKLAYER**



Mrs. Herbert Hoover, wife of the Secretary of Commerce in President Coolidge's cabinet, is shown laying the cornerstone for the model home being erected by Better Homes in America organization at the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition, in Philadelphia, June 1 to December 1 to celebrate 150 years of American Independence. Opposite Mrs. Hoover stands Mrs. Vance McCormick of Harrisburg. The Girl Scouts grouped around the women will operate the house.

**Qualified Voters Number One Thousand More Than County Had Two Years Ago**

Lubbock County has over a thousand more qualified voters than in the last election according to a check of the records by Tax Collector I. F. Holland. A total of 6,293 have paid poll taxes this year compared to 5,445 of 1924. One hundred and ten exemptions were taken out this year to 93 of the last election. Five new precincts have been added since the 1924 election.

These figures illustrate the growth of the population of the county. Most precincts show increase with decrease in only a few cases. In precinct No. 1, 1642 paid their tax, an increase of 539. France Baker is the presiding officer of the precinct with S. E. Cone, Mose Hood and P. C. McCoy as judges. Precinct No. 2 with 316 paid this year gained only 8 from last election. Number 3 gained 25 votes from the past election, totalling 180. L. O. Burford is the presiding officer. In Precinct No. 4, an increase of 302 is noted, L. C. Ellis, presiding officer.

The first decrease is found in precinct No. 5, Slaton. J. W. Baker is presiding officer, and J. J. Levey, E. S. Brooks and Walter Smith as judges. Precinct Six, Caldwell, also decreased to 26 this year from 59 of last election.

Number Seven, Canyon, also decreased this year 40 polls with 82 paid. Presiding officer is T. J. Barnham. Acuff, number 8 is another decrease in votes having nine less than the 127 paid last election; presiding officer, J. F. Proctor; judge, Roscoe Griffin. Becton, number 9, follows in the decreasing precincts, having only 78 this year. Center, No. 10, decreased four votes this year. Shallowater, number 11, is the next increase, having 241 this year to the

193 of 1924. Carlisle, No. 12, fell down in her total having 138 this year, six less than last election.

Wolffarth, No. 13, and Foster, No. 14, are among the new precincts and do not have a count on the number of polls paid in. Slide, No. 15, has eight more paid taxes than in 1924. New Hope, No. 16, went down two qualified voters, having only 74 for this year. J. L. Benton is presiding officer.

Hardy, No. 17, is another of the new boxes not having a count in 1924. Idalou, No. 18, gained 5 votes and totaled 447 for this year. Precinct No. 19, Monroe, was among the number who decreased, having only 129 paid polls this year, a loss of 67.

Grovesville, No. 20, lost also, having two eligible voters less than the 65 of 1924. Woodrow, No. 21, gained nine, having a total of 92 for this year. Precinct No. 24, Slaton, has 371, presiding officer, F. V. Williams; judges, J. W. Baker and Pat Whalen. 25 and 26, Slaton, no appointments, are additions to the county.

These figures are based on the poll tax receipts and not on the democratic count of the boxes last election. A large number of young men will also vote this year who did not have to file exemption certificates.—Lubbock Avalanche.

**Will Be Great Cathedral**

The Protestant Episcopal cathedral of St. John the Divine is now in process of construction on Morningside heights, New York. The cornerstone was laid December 27, 1892. In 1911 the choir and crossing were completed. They are in Romanesque style. For the construction of the nave a modified Gothic style was later adopted. The plan calls for a total length of not more than 520 feet, a width of 250 feet and a height of 425 feet to the top of the spire.

**Back-Yard Silkworm Farm**

Thousands of school children in the United States owe their first-hand knowledge of the industrious silkworm to T. A. Keleber, an amateur entomologist of Washington, who for 26 years has been experimenting with silk worm culture in his own back yard. On half a dozen mulberry trees he raises from 10,000 to 20,000 of the creatures a year, distributing them among schools as living exhibits. Every cocoon contains from 750 to 1,000 yards of silk thread.



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**WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS**

Henrietta—The Red River District of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will hold its annual convention here July 26. B. M. Whitaker, exhibit manager of the organization, has been here for several days working on the meeting and reports that a heavy attendance from the score of counties which comprise this district will be on hand.

Decatur—The public square here has been surfaced with asphalt.

Lockney—This city will have natural gas by January 1st. A franchise has been let calling for construction to begin not later than September 1st. The pipe line will be completed to Lockney by December 1st and gas ready for use by January 1, 1927.

Carlsbad, N. M.—The Southern New Mexico Association of the chambers of commerce of twelve cities of South-eastern New Mexico will meet here August 17-18. A. P. Duggan and Homer D. Wade of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, have accepted invitations to be present.

Decatur—Wise County farmers will import ewes from Southwest Texas. It is planned to pool several car loads among Wise County farmers and ship them in co-operatively.

Washington, D. C.—Walter D. Lang, of the U. S. Geological Survey has completed field investigations of the potash deposits of West Texas and has published his findings in a bulletin just issued by the Department of Interior entitled "Potash Investigation in 1924." This bulletin contains highly interesting and instructive information and may be obtained by writing the Department of Interior through the congressman.

Wheeler—A fact that was generally overlooked in connection with the recent Eighth Annual Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce was the fact that the Wheeler Band was the youngest band at the convention, yet playing under the same conditions and before the same judges as the older organizations won the gold medal offered for the highest score.

Snyder—The Scurry County Times-Signal is conducting an unique popularity contest which is getting good results for the paper. In this contest the subscribers vote for the local correspondents of the Times-Signal of the rural districts whose work

appeals to them most. An improvement has been noticed in both the quality and quantity of the material sent in by the rural correspondents.

**FOLLOWS EMANCIPATOR**



Milton R. Moskow, twelve-year-old San Francisco schoolboy who since the age of five has patterned his life after that of Abraham Lincoln, aspires to occupy the White House some day as his hero did. He has been nominated as a candidate for the American Youth Award established by the directors of the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition, held in Philadelphia from June 1 to December 1 in celebration of 150 years of American Independence. Under the plan of the American Youth Award and the American Teacher Award, each state will select a boy and a girl and a woman teacher who best represent American ideals, and they will be given trips to Philadelphia and to Washington, where they will receive medals from President Coolidge.

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FOR

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Ordinance approving and adopting Engineer's Roll or Statement for improving 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 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;

Garza Street, from west property line of Seventh Street to the east property line of Tenth 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 Scurry Street;

erty line of Scurry Street; Panhandle Avenue, from the west property line of Seventh Street to the east property line of Tenth Street; And, Whereas, the City Engineer has prepared and filed with the City Commissioners rolls or statements for each street or part, showing thereon the amount proposed to be assessed against the property abutting upon the improvements in each such street or part thereof, and against the owners thereof, and showing other matters and things necessary and pertinent thereto, and the same having been examined, and all errors and omissions found therein having been corrected.

Therefore, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Commissioners of the City of Slaton, Texas, that:

I. The said rolls or statements be and the same are hereby approved and adopted.

II. The City Commission does hereby determine to assess a portion of the cost of said improvements in each street or part against the owners of property abutting thereon and against their abutting property, in accordance with and under the terms of Chapter II of Title 22 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas of 1911, and the proceedings of the City of Slaton concerning said improvements and letting the contract therefor.

The descriptions of the parcels of abutting property, the several amounts proposed to be assessed against the said parcels of property, and owners thereof, and the total estimate cost of the improvements in each street or part thereof, and the other matters and things as shown on the said rolls or statements are as follows, to-wit:

#### 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.

Front Feet	Block	Amount for Curb	Amount for other Improvements	Total Amount of Assessment
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Pecos & Northern Texas Ry. Co., Right of way 100 38.00 \$ 692.55 730.55  
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 56 ft. Street 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.

Front Feet	Block	Amount for Curb	Amount for other Improvements	Total Amount of Assessment
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TENTH STREET  
City of Slaton, Block 80 80 300 114.00 3060.44 3174.44

Front Feet	Block	Amount for Curb	Amount for other Improvements	Total Amount of Assessment
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#### ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR PANHANDLE STREET

From its intersection with the West line of Scurry & 7th Streets to its intersection with the East line of Lynn & 10th Street.

Front Feet	Block	Amount for Curb	Amount for other Improvements	Total Amount of Assessment
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Front Feet	Block	Amount for Curb	Amount for other Improvements	Total Amount of Assessment
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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 56 ft. Street 5.1995  
Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners 5.5795

Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for improvements other than curb 80 ft. Street 10.2015  
Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners 10.5815

#### 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.

Front Feet	Block	Amount for Curb	Amount for other Improvements	Total Amount of Assessment
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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 56 ft. Street 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 80 ft. Street 10.2015  
Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners 10.5815

#### 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.

Front Feet	Block	Amount for Curb	Amount for other Improvements	Total Amount of Assessment
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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 56 ft. Street 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 80 ft. Street 10.2015  
Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners 10.5815

#### 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.

Front Feet	Block	Amount for Curb	Amount for other Improvements	Total Amount of Assessment
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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 56 ft. Street 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 80 ft. Street 10.2015  
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.

Front Feet	Block	Amount for Curb	Amount for other Improvements	Total Amount of Assessment
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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 56 ft. Street 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 80 ft. Street 10.2015  
Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners 10.5815

#### 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.

Front Feet	Block	Amount for Curb	Amount for other Improvements	Total Amount of Assessment
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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 56 ft. Street 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 80 ft. Street 10.2015  
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.

Front Feet	Block	Amount for Curb	Amount for other Improvements	Total Amount of Assessment
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Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for curb \$ 0.38  
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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 80 ft. Street 10.2015  
Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners 10.5815

#### 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.

Front Feet	Block	Amount for Curb	Amount for other Improvements	Total Amount of Assessment
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Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for curb \$ 0.38  
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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 80 ft. Street 10.2015  
Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners 10.5815

#### ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR SEVENTH STREET

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 56 ft. Street 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 80 ft. Street 10.2015  
Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners 10.5815

#### 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.

Front Feet	Block	Amount for Curb	Amount for other Improvements	Total Amount of Assessment
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Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for curb \$ 0.38  
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Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for improvements other than curb 80 ft. Street 10.2015  
Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners 10.5815

#### ROLL OR STATEMENT FOR PANHANDLE STREET

From its intersection with the West line of Scurry & 7th Streets to its intersection with the East line of Lynn & 10th Street.

Front Feet	Block	Amount for Curb	Amount for other Improvements	Total Amount of Assessment
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Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for improvements other than curb 80 ft. Street 10.2015  
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.

Front Feet	Block	Amount for Curb	Amount for other Improvements	Total Amount of Assessment
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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 56 ft. Street 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 80 ft. Street 10.2015  
Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners 10.5815

#### 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.

Front Feet	Block	Amount for Curb	Amount for other Improvements	Total Amount of Assessment
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Rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners for curb \$ 0.38  
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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.

Front Feet	Block	Amount for Curb	Amount for other Improvements	Total Amount of Assessment
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#### 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.

Front Feet	Block	Amount for Curb	Amount for other Improvements	Total Amount of Assessment
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Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners 10.5815



# Society and Personal

P. W. Houston left Tuesday for Ector to attend the funeral of his mother who died Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Dunaway, Nyssa, Oregon.

Mrs. A. B. Davidson left Monday morning for College Station for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. B. F. Harrison, and family.

Rev. A. R. Meador, of Plainview, was a week-end visitor here with his daughter, Mrs. O. Z. Ball, and family.

Mrs. Pete Humphries, of McCauley, is visiting in the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. E. Waldrop.

Mrs. N. J. Driver, who has been very ill for several months, is visiting with her son near Lamesa. She is recovering slowly, but is able to walk about some at this time. Mrs. Driver is a sister of Mrs. E. P. Nix.

Rev. A. B. Davidson left Monday afternoon on a fishing trip and outing to be gone a few days, returning before Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stewart returned Saturday night from Jacksboro where they have been for about four weeks visiting and attending to business in that part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jarman left Sunday for a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Sherman.

James A. Spinks, of Vega, Knox County, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. P. Florence, and family.

Mrs. F. Graves, formerly of this city, was here from Amarillo, her present home, looking after business affairs Tuesday and Wednesday.

G. J. Catching and family visited the former's sister, Mrs. Frank Hughes, at Loretto, last Sunday. Mrs. Hughes has been ill for more than a year. Mr. Catching made another trip to see her Tuesday, and reports her improved.

Mrs. W. H. McKirahan, who has been visiting with relatives at Long Beach, Calif., for several weeks, writes that she is enjoying her vacation very much, and that she will be home in a few days.

J. E. Waldrop and family returned home Saturday after spending a week in Fisher County, and report the finest crops there in years.

Mrs. J. I. Parker and children, of Hamlin, returned home last week after spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. E. Waldrop.

B. A. Tolver, manager of the Acorn Store, left Saturday for New York City to buy his fall stocks of merchandise. He will be away about two weeks. Mrs. Tolver is taking his place in the store during his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Röper returned Sunday night from Mineral Wells and Fort Worth where they had been on business and visiting for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stokes and little daughter, Elizabeth, left last week for a vacation trip through Colorado, Wyoming, Oregon, and California, returning the lower route after being away four to six weeks.

Mrs. E. M. Lott, who was called to the bedside of her mother several weeks ago at Converse, Louisiana, returned Tuesday, and reports her mother some better, though still far from a state of good health. Mrs. Lott's two sons, Wilson and Leonard, accompanied her on the trip.

L. R. Cyfert of the Gates Dry Goods Co., made a trip to Abilene and Merkel, leaving Sunday and returning Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Matheny and little daughter, Margaret, of Crosbyton, passed through Slaton Wednesday and stopped a short while with friends. They had been to Lubbock and were returning home.

Mrs. G. J. Catching and two children, Ruby and Wayne, left Wednesday for Harwood, Texas, where they will visit Mrs. Catching's parents for two or three weeks.

Mrs. J. V. Wilson, who has been ill for several weeks, is able to be in her place of business again as proprietor of the Powder Puff Beauty Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bounds visited relatives and friends in Ralls Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Brown, sister of Mrs. Alice Smith, returned Tuesday from Lockney where she has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown, for the past three weeks.

Dr. M. F. Swart and family, of Lubbock, were in Slaton a short while Wednesday afternoon visiting with friends.

R. W. McPhearson, former employe of The Slatonite, and nephew of R. W. Collier, Jr., returned Wednesday from the Lubbock Sanitarium, where he underwent an operation several days ago. His mother, Mrs. H. E. McPhearson, is here with him, and will remain until he is able to return to his home at Converse, Louisiana.

Mrs. G. R. Leverett and two children, George and Miss Temple, visited relatives and friends here from Saturday to Tuesday. The Leverett family recently moved from here to Fortales, N. M., and report that they are well pleased in their new home.

Mrs. W. C. Drennon and two daughters, Margaret and Dorothy, of Houston, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Lee Green, and other relatives here.

Dr. Lester P. Smith came in last week from New York where he has just completed a year of interne work. He is visiting here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Smith.

Mrs. L. Westerfeld and children returned Monday from Dallas where they had been on an extended visit with relatives.

Mrs. Lee Green and daughter, Mrs. W. C. Drennon, are spending a few days with relatives in Amarillo, and will return here the latter part of the week.

J. B. Sanders and little daughter, Ruby, of Troy, Tennessee, are visiting his mother, Mrs. M. J. Sanders, and sister, Mrs. J. W. Wilbanks, at the Presbyterian manse.

J. T. Overby advises that he has sold J. R. McAtee twenty-four lots on Panhandle Ave., this making a total of 42 lots Mr. McAtee has purchased from Mr. Overby recently.

The new home of S. H. Johnston, located in the ten hundred block on West Garza Street, is nearing completion. Mr. Johnston is to be congratulated on building such a nice home, which shows he has faith in Slaton's future.

E. F. Jarman, proprietor of the Lone Star Cafe, purchased 29 acres of land adjoining the city wells on the east from J. T. Overby the past week. We dare say that Mr. Jarman will not try to turn farmer on us, as he is just completing his new cafe in the Kessel building.

Mr. Ganer, of Lamesa, has purchased lots in the 900 block on West Garza Street, and it is reported he will soon begin the erection of a modern home.

Misses Tressie and Florene Hanna and Miss Faye Tucker are visiting Mrs. C. R. Cates, of Pampa. Mrs. Cates is a sister of the Misses Hanna.

**SLATON COMMUNITY SINGING**  
2:30 Sunday at City Hall  
Other communities to meet with us to form singing convention.

**Junior Civic and Culture Club**  
The Junior Civic and Culture Club met at the home of Miss Gertrude King, on Saturday, July 17, in a purely social meeting. Several tables were provided for progressive "42," which was played during the entire afternoon. The hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. King, served lovely refreshments of peach sherbet and angel food cake to the following guests: Misses Lena Klattenhoff, Jo Hestand, Edith Marrs, Elizabeth Burton, Eunice Florence, Dorothy Wilmshire, Stella Maye Lanham, Evelyn Stallings, Lois Stallings, Virginia Montague, Mildred Johnson and Mesdames. Marion Anderson, Ray Porter, L. L. Stone and W. Donald.

**Intermediate B. Y. P. U. Program**  
Group II. in charge, Wallace King, Leader.

1. Four Great Possessions of America—Elizabeth Uzzell.
  2. America, the Champion of Liberty.—Bill George.
  3. The Open Door.—Ray Darwin.
  4. Why Did the Pilgrims Come?—Inez Tunnell.
  5. Why Do the Immigrants Come?—Beryl Hardesty.
  6. Blackboard Lesson.
  7. The Spirit they bring.—Wallace King.
  8. What Do the Immigrants Come From?—Wallace King.
  9. How We Should Receive These Immigrants.—Ruby Catching.
- Every boy and girl of Intermediate age come to our Union. We are having many good times, and we would like for you to join us.

Meet the Slaton band boys at the Custer Theatre Friday night. 1c

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**STRAW HAT CLEAN-UP**

Special Sale  
\$2.50 to \$5.00 Straws  
to close out at  
**\$1.50 Each**

**O. Z. BALL & Co.**

"Pay Less and Dress Better"

**JUST THE THING THESE HOT DAYS**

Wax your floors or Linoleum—then use Johnson's Floor Polisher. No effort, does work quickly and efficiently.

We rent this polisher \$2.00 per day or part thereof. Go over all floors in the home at once.

**We Also Have Johnson's Liquid Wax**

**MCKIRAHAN FURNITURE CO.**  
Dependable Merchandise

**Intermediate B. Y. P. U. Enjoys Outing**

On last Tuesday night the Intermediate B. Y. P. U. and their leader, Miss Virginia Montague, accompanied by Miss Stella Maye and Mrs. F. H. Lanham, enjoyed a moonlight picnic at Yellowhouse Canyon. The crowd met at W. B. Montagu's home at 8 o'clock and piled into the cars provided for them. After reaching the canyon a fire was built and the weiners and marshmallows roasted. After everyone had eaten his fill, numerous lively games helped pass the time. At a late hour the crowd again piled into the cars and the drivers pointed the radiator caps toward. Among those who helped to make the evening a success were Misses Hazel Mansker, Esta Lee Rice, Wilma Jones, Elizabeth Uzzell, Inez Tunnell, Rachel Darwin, Ineta Lowery, and Messrs. Otis Cannon, Denny Cannon, Marshall Holoman, Larry Taylor, Renford Taylor, Charles Lanham, Ray Darwib, Bill George, Wallace King, Gerald Woolever, Nick Montague, Clyde King and the chaperones, Mrs. F. H. Lanham, Miss Virginia Montague and Miss Stella Maye Lanham.

**Posey News**

The Posey singers went to New

**ON DUTY AGAIN**

After about six weeks absence from my shop on account of illness, I am again at my post of duty ready to serve my customers and give them regular service.

**POWDER PUFF BEAUTY SHOP**  
Mrs. J. V. WILSON  
Proprietor  
Phone . . . 252

**Hope last Sunday and had a singing. We will go to Slaton next Sunday.**

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Henderson and son returned last week from a five weeks' visit in Boswell, Oklahoma.

E. A. Gentry and son, Claude, are working in Slaton for the water service department.

J. E. Schroer, who has been visiting with Homer Kelley and family, left Friday for Roswell, N. M., where he will visit before he returns to his home in Dale, Indiana.

Poor old Posey is becoming practically obliterated by mud from political "mud-slingers." We have had two attacks from these merciless assaulters within the past week. From the way they talk about each other, after they all get around the people will be convinced that they are such a crooked bunch of candidates that there will be no use of going to the polls on election day.

Misses Olga and Julia Maeker have

been visiting in Wilson the past week.

There is some talk of beginning school here August 2.

Polk Johnson and Misses Ethel and Grace Johnson, all of Dallas, Seeph Johnson and wife, of Vernon, and Mrs. C. O. Smith, of Wichita Falls, have been visiting with the Johnson's in this community.

Those who visited in the C. C. Thornton home Sunday were County Agent Eaton and family, J. M. Morrison and family, and O. R. Patterson and family.

Crops in this community are looking fine and are fairly clean. Even Doc Walston has thinned the weeds out until you can tell where the cotton rows are.

Robert Boyce visited with the W. T. Harrison family Sunday.

Boyd Leavelle spent last week in Wilson with his brother-in-law, P. L. Johnson.

—Reporter.


# Election Returns

We will receive election returns direct from Dallas Saturday night. First bulletin due at 7:15. Large bulletin board will be placed in front of our store. Bulletins will be received and posted every fifteen minutes. Also, will receive reports on county and district candidates.

**You Are Invited To Be Our Guest And Watch the Returns Come In.**

# Red Cross Pharmacy

A Man Seeking A Man's Job



**Louie F. Moore,**  
Candidate for  
**DISTRICT CLERK**

My Platform Is QUALIFICATION My Record Has Been Made

**TO ALL THE VOTERS OF LUBBOCK COUNTY:**

In making this, my final appeal to you, I wish, first, to thank you for the pleasure of having served you in the past. The many words of encouragement that have come to me are most sincerely appreciated, coming as they do from men and women who know the sacrifice I made in order to serve you, and who, like myself, felt that in time the office I was holding would pay a reasonable compensation, which it did not do when first created. It is my honest opinion that no person has ever transacted business in the District Clerk's office, that did not come away well pleased. Should it be possible to find one man or woman in this or any other county, who failed to receive prompt, courteous and efficient service at our hands, I would gladly resign my position today. You, too, would be glad of such a record.

I am sure you realize the responsibilities resting on the District Clerk, and how important it is to have some one in charge of the office who, by actual experience, possesses the knowledge to intelligently administer the affairs and deal with the many delicate problems and situations that may arise from time to time. One can not familiarize himself in a short time with the duties therein, in a manner that can be of much service to the people.

A public officer is a servant of the people, and the highest aim in the bestowal of an office should be the best results to the greatest number. Lubbock County is no longer in the small county class, probably having at this time more cases pending than is on the dockets of Hale, Dawson, Scurry and Haskell Counties combined.

You doubtless knew me when I served as Deputy County and District Clerk, under Sam T. Davis, prior to the division of the two offices in December, 1920, wherein I gained the experience and knowledge so necessary to intelligently perform the duties of the office, after my election as District Clerk. Likewise, you knew of the meager salary the office then paid, only \$1.00 per day, and please remember: I gained the EXPERIENCE necessary, during the preceding FOUR years I served as Deputy Clerk. No one else seemed eager for the job then—it didn't pay. However, since the office has reached the stage where the salary is worthwhile, others are anxious for it, although they did not deem it wise to seek the office then. That's natural.

My opponent, Miss Flora Green, is a splendid young lady and a fine stenographer, as attested to by the fact that her employers, Bean & Klett, Attorneys, pay her \$125.00 per month, and she will still retain that position and that salary after I am re-elected on July 24th.

Should my five and one-half years' service as your District Clerk, be a barrier to my continuing in office? Especially, when the first three and one-half years did not earn me a living wage? I hope not. Is it not a job, just like any other job, just by a different name? Merely because there is another applicant for the job, is that a sufficient reason to deny me the office?

I will be grateful indeed for your endorsement of my candidacy again, promising you the same courteous and loyal service in the future, as in the past.

Sincerely,  
**LOUIE F. MOORE.**  
**YOURS FOR "MOORE" SERVICE**



**Overland Whippet Is Shown By Local Dealer**

Following an announcement made several weeks ago that the Willys-Overland Company, Inc., would put up on the American market a light car that would be the product of two years of labor by engineers of America and Europe, and that the new car would be developed from the best European light cars, the Piedmont Garage, of Slaton, local dealers for this company, placed on exhibition Tuesday a sedan model of the new Overland Whippet.

This new car is much different from anything ever before seen in this country. It is an adaptation of everything Europe has to offer in the way of powerful, economical engines, with a wide speed range, more powerful for climbing and with a flexibility, silence and smoothness which is new to light car production.

The sedan will travel 58 miles per hour as easily as the present-day "sixes" and yet it is equipped with a four-cylinder motor.

It will accelerate from 5 to 25 miles an hour in 10 seconds and will cover 28 to 30 miles an hour on a gallon of fuel. It will stop in a little over twice its length from an average driving speed, for it is equipped with four-wheel brakes.

The motor is held to develop 23 per cent more power per cubic inch of piston displacement than any other light four-cylinder motor built in America. Its braking power is greater, also, and it weighs just a little over 2,000 pounds. The power plant turns two thousand eight hundred revolutions per minute and gives a developed horsepower of 30.5 H. P. from an S. A. E. rating of 15.6 H. P. The piston displacement is 134.2 cubic inches. The bore is 3 1-8 inches and the stroke 4 3-8 inches.

The roof of the new type body is only 5 feet 8 inches from the ground, yet the roominess found on the inside of these Whippet models is one of their best features. The front seat is 40 1-2 inches wide and the rear seat 45 1-2 inches.

The radiator is conspicuously high and narrow and is housed in a deep-nicked shell. The body lines sweep gracefully without any break in the cowl, giving it an appearance which is intriguing. The bullet headlamps

have nicked shells.

The tire sizes present something else entirely new, being 27 inches in diameter, with 4.40 inch cross section, and of the balloon type.

A drilled crankshaft is offered for the first time in light car production. The whole design of the oiling system follows the practice set for larger cars, oil being forced through the crankshaft to the bearings, and thrown off the main bearings to lubricate the cylinder walls and valve mechanism.

The motor, clutch and transmission are in one unit, the clutch being of the single plate type, transmission being the modern three forward speed, selective sliding construction with an extra long change gear lever to facilitate operation of the gear shift.

An enclosed propeller shaft is used and the rear axle is of the semi-floating type with the axle members removable.

Auto-Lite system, two unit construction starting and lighting is employed and an Auto-Light ignition system is used.

**Fort Worth Pastor Slays Man Saturday**

Dr. J. Frank Norris, pastor of the First Baptist church, Fort Worth, shot and killed D. E. Chipps, lumberman, of that city, at 4:40 last Saturday. The shooting occurred in Dr. Norris' office in the basement of the large church building. Mr. Chipps died in the ambulance on the way to the hospital.

A statement given out by Dr. Norris following the shooting was to the effect that he shot Chipps in self-defense after the latter came to his office and threatened his life, making a move as if to attack him. L. H. Nutt, member of Norris' church, and an official of the Farmers & Mechanics Bank, was the only eye-witness to the tragedy, and his story corroborated that of Rev. Norris.

A grand jury hearing of the case is in progress this week, and Norris has demanded that an indictment be returned so that he may go through a trial and be cleared in the courts.

The tragedy was the culmination of a controversy in which Dr. Norris had attacked Mayor H. C. Meacham for his official action in a certain street wid-

ening and property purchase deal. Following Norris' criticism of Meacham, six employees of the Meacham department store who were also members of Norris' church, were peremptorily dismissed. Chipps was a friend of Meacham's, and evidently was taking the part of the mayor in the controversy.

Dr. Norris has been pastor of the First Baptist church of Fort Worth for many years, and has gained much prominence as a fundamentalist and an evangelist. At the last meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention held in Mineral Wells last December, Norris and the delegates from his church were not allowed seats in the convention, hence his church is not a member of the Southern Baptist body. He has a large church building, a large Sunday school and a church membership running into the thousands where he is pastor.

**Bartons Make Trip To Chicago Economically**

E. Barton and family, who recently returned from a several weeks trip to Chicago, make the following report as to the expense of their drive which was taken in a 1925 model Ford touring car:

From Slaton to Chicago, passing through Oklahoma, Kiwa, Kans., Newton, Emporia, Topeka, Kansas City, St. Louis and on to Chicago, approximately 1,548 miles, consumed 63 gallons of gasoline, four gallons and three quarts of lubricating oil, bought two tire boots, two inner tubes, 1 tube glue, 1 box valve cores, bridge toll, and meals en route, all totaled \$34.35, time 64 hours and 30 minutes.

From Chicago to Slaton, through Cairo, Ill., ferrying Mississippi and Ohio rivers, to Memphis, Little Rock, Hot Springs, Texarkana, Fort Worth and Slaton, consumed 66 gallons gasoline, 5 gallons and 1 quart oil, bought 1 tire boot, minor repairs, river tolls, and meals, total cost \$49.74, time 78 hours, 15 minutes, mileage, 1,596.

Mr. Barton thinks this is a good record as to being economical in expense, and believes it will be of interest to other motorists.

Meet the Slaton band boys at the Custer Theatre Friday night. 1c

**SPECIAL EDITION SUNDAY MORNING**

The Slatonite will publish an extra edition Sunday morning containing election returns.

Through the courtesy of the Lubbock Morning Avalanche, we will receive the returns from them which they will get all through Saturday night over a special election wire.

No other paper between Abilene and Amarillo will have this all night service over a special wire.

The extra edition will be off the press early Sunday morning and a copy will be delivered to your door with the compliments of The Slatonite.

**The Slaton Slatonite**

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**Lubbock County Facing a Crisis In Law-Enforcement**

It's going to take experience and nerve on the part of your law enforcement officers to see that the rights of respectable people are enforced and that the brand of criminals we are forced to deal with are properly punished as the laws provide for.

Some "cheap politicians" would have you believe things that your present sheriff has utterly disproved. Those same "cheap politicians" have been proved unworthy of your confidence, and they have used their "political hokum" to rake in a few votes for selfish interests. If you are posted on the latest developments along this line, you already know what sort of characters those "cheap politicians" are, and you know they do not deserve public confidence or support.

Lubbock County does not need a change in the sheriff's office now. The present sheriff is being fought by those who do not want the law enforced. Some good people may be fooled, but ask any of the criminal class

es, and they will tell you they are not going to vote for "Bud" Johnston.

What will the law-abiding citizenship of Lubbock County say at the polls next Saturday, July 24? Will they vote for a fearless character like the present sheriff, a man who has stood four-square for the best interests of the people—a man who is known to be a certain friend of the law and of the people? Surely, at this critical time in Lubbock County's history, the voters of this county will vote for law and order and not as the enemies of good government would dictate to them.

To vote that way means to vote for "Bud" Johnston. The friends of law enforcement will express their opinions at the polls Saturday in no uncertain terms. They are not ready to experiment with a new sheriff at this critical stage of the game.

**Cast Your Vote For H. L. (Bud) JOHNSTON For Sheriff Lubbock County**

(This Advertisement Paid for By Friends of H. L. "Bud" Johnston.)



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City of Slaton Block 80 80 324.4 123.27 3309.37 3432.64
GARZA STREET
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Opinion Increases Property Values; Hard To Finance Schools

It is reported that our vacant houses are filling up again and that there will likely be as many pupils here for school as heretofore.
Another room is being fitted up in the high school to help take care of the heavy classes graduated from the grammar schools last year.

Prospects are however, that there will not be quite so many for the transfer through the County Superintendent, Mr. Brown, at Lubbock.

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Printed Statement

Our equipment in home economics has been very severely criticised by the Department. But with the aid of our fine P. T. Association we have already met some of those requirements and will meet more of them this year without the necessity of calling upon the board which at this time is finding it hard to finance our large school system.

The wonderful growth in scholastic population made by most of our western towns and cities have made it a problem for them. It is only by the understanding of the people of the needs of the local schools and their abiding interest in the education of the children of the community that these cities and towns will continue to meet their obligations to the children.

We have not heard of any of them going backward but the response of the citizenship makes possible continued progress. We find many cities near us much greater involved than Slaton. It cannot be helped at present. There has been no unnecessary or surplus equipment secured. It is simply an increase of population, out of proportion to the increase of property values.

Greatest care has been exercised and will be exercised by the board and expenditures will be kept within the bounds of actual necessity, consistent with standard school work. This being true our citizens will stand by their school needs and not allow this our greatest interest to suffer.

In answer to the many inquiries about the opening of school, we wish to announce that The Institute meets in Lubbock September 8th and school begins here the 13th.

We are hearing from many of our teachers and they express their eagerness to get back. Without exception they are expecting our very best year to be 1926-7.

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While here, Rev. and Mrs. Fielder and their small son were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hood. Rev. Fielder was a student in a school in which Mr. Hood was a teacher a good many years ago.

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## Interesting Inside History

In the Dallas News of July 10 appeared a letter from M. M. Crane, attorney of Dallas, in reply to Sen. J. W. Bailey relative to an incident in the impeachment trial of Jim Ferguson. The public will not be so much interested in the quibblings of these gentlemen over the point involved as it will be interested in some inside history that has a direct bearing upon the present gubernatorial contest.

Judge Crane was the attorney employed by the Board of Managers to conduct the impeachment trial of Ferguson on behalf of the House of Representatives after the bill of impeachment had been voted by the House, and had been sent to the Senate for trial. Space forbids quoting all the letter, but we do quote all of it that contains inside information of the sort that renders it interesting to people of Texas just at this time, and which sets out facts that ought not to be forgotten. We quote as follows:

"As to Mr. Bailey's irrelevant suggestion that if I believe Gov. Ferguson embezzled the Adjutant General's fund, and I afterward supported his wife for Governor, that it leaves a settlement between me and the public, my impression is that the public understands that situation quite well. In the first place, I am not charging Gov. Ferguson with embezzlement. I am simply stating what the evidence on that point in the impeachment trial was. In the first primary I supported T. W. Davidson. In the second primary I supported Mrs. Ferguson, but before going so, Senator V. A. Collins, of Dallas, Texas, who was a member of the Court of Impeachment and who voted against Mr. Ferguson on every count, and myself had an interview with ex-Governor Ferguson. In that interview we advised him that before we could support Mrs. Ferguson there must be a definite understanding between us.

1. That our support of her would not be considered as a vindication of him. That the issues involved in his impeachment trial must be absent from and must not be involved in the campaign. To this he readily agreed.

2. Mrs. Ferguson would not offer to become a candidate for the second term. To this he also readily agreed.

3. That no attack would be made on

our educational institutions, including the State University, but that each and all of them would be adequately supported in so far as the revenues of the State would permit. To that he also acceded.

After the primary in which Mrs. Ferguson had defeated Judge Robertson, a statement, attributed to Mrs. Ferguson, was printed in a newspaper to the effect that the primary election was a vindication of her husband. Mr. Ferguson came to Dallas for an interview with some of us. The interview was between him and Judge Joseph E. Cockrell, C. A. Leddy, Hon. Jedd C. Adams and Judge Rice Maxey of Sherman, and, if I mistake not, Gov. Colquitt, myself and others. This communication of Mrs. Ferguson's was called to his attention and he insisted that she had been misunderstood, that the issue of his vindication was not involved and would not be in the general election. We told him that if it should be involved that we were out of it.

I had never supported Gov. Ferguson. I supported Col. Ball in 1916 and, of course, I supported Gov. Hobby in 1918. I sincerely hoped, however, that Gov. Ferguson would give to his wife the cordial help which he was able to give her and make her administration a great success. I was grievously disappointed, therefore, when he violated what seemed to me one of the fundamental principles of American government, recognized since the days of Washington, by accepting a retainer from the Sugarland Interests while he was the advisor of the Governor of the State. He also knew that the Constitution forbade Mrs. Ferguson from accepting any employment from any outside interest, yet she was obliged in the face of that Constitution, to receive one half of his fees as her share of their community estate. Second, when the Forum, of which he and Mrs. Ferguson were the owners, sought and obtained advertisements from prospective contractors running up into thousands of dollars. I was still more disappointed when the contracts for the roads were let, in which our already overburdened people were being charged \$3 for work that was not worth more than \$1. I was simply disgusted.

M. M. CRANE,  
Dallas, Texas.

## Elliott & Lokey Get Nehi Bottling Contract

Recently Messrs. Elliott & Lokey, proprietors of what was formerly known as Quality Bottling and Ice Cream Factory, secured the exclusive right from the Nehi Bottling Company, of Columbus, Ga., to manufacture and sell the famous Nehi products in four South Plains counties, Lubbock, Lynn, Crosby and Garza. The name of the bottling plant has been changed to Nehi Bottling Works.

In securing this contract, Messrs. Elliott & Lokey have not only been given the best territory on the whole South Plains country, but they have been awarded the right to make and distribute one of the most popular and best-liked line of soft, bottled drinks that has ever been placed on the market in the South. The Nehi products are the result of carefully tested flavors that are fully protected by law against competitive attempts at duplication.

One big feature about the Nehi products lies in the fact that the bottles used are much taller, holding nine fluid ounces instead of the customary six ounces.

The Nehi Bottling Works here has received two solid carloads of bottles already, and is enjoying a fine business. Another car of bottles are expected soon, so great is the demand for the drink in this territory. A large daily output has been reached, and is increasing regularly.

## Former Slatonite Editor Highly Honored

For two or three weeks, we have had on our desk a marked copy of the Torrington Telegram, Torrington, Wyoming, of which L. P. Loomis is the editor, telling of his election as governor of the Lions Club for the states of Wyoming and Montana. Mr. Loomis was formerly a citizen of Slaton, and was, for several years, the editor of The Slatonite back when the town of Slaton was in her infancy. All the news published each week in our column "Copied from The Slatonite of 13 years ago" is being taken, at present, from copies of the paper published by Mr. Loomis.

Mr. Loomis has many friends in Slaton who will be glad to learn of his being so highly honored as he has been in his election as governor of the Wyoming-Montana Lions.

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## New York's Old Guard Coming to Sesqui



At an imposing ceremony before their headquarters in New York City the famous Old Guard of New York under the command of Major E. Havermeier Snyder, commandant of the organization, received the invitation from the officials of the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition, opening in Philadelphia June 1 and continuing to December 1, to celebrate 150 years of American Independence, to attend the Flag Day exercises on June 14, when all the historic military commands of the thirteen original colonies will assemble for a big military display and parade headed by General Pershing. Captain James A. B. Francis, of the Old Guard State Fencibles, of the Sesqui city, is presenting the invitation to Major Snyder. At Major Snyder's left stand the commanding officers of the Philadelphia organizations, while the members of the two famous commands are grouped about their leaders in their striking dress uniforms.



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Directors:

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The Slatonite is a believer in Slaton, and Slaton believes in the Slatonite.

## 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)

**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.  
M. M. (Max) COLEMAN, 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) SHERROD

**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. NAN L. GILKERSON  
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DR. F. B. MALONE  
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# Official Ballot

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**Democratic Primary, July 24th, 1926**  
Primary test: I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary.

**For Governor:**  
LYNCH DAVIDSON, Harris County.  
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON, Bell County.  
KATE MILLER JOHNSTON, Bexar County.  
DAN MOODY, Williamson County.  
EDITH E. WILMANS, Dallas County.  
O. F. ZIMMERMAN, Morris County.

**For Lieutenant Governor:**  
BARRY MILLER, Dallas County.  
**For Attorney General:**  
JAMES V. ALLRED, Wichita County.  
CHAS. L. BRACHFIELD, Rusk County.  
THOS. SIMPSON CHRISTOPHER, Dallas County.  
JNO. W. HORNSBY, Travis County.  
T. K. IRWIN, Dallas County.  
CLAUDE FOLLARD, Harris County.

**For Comptroller of Public Accounts:**  
S. H. TERRELL, McLennan County.

**For State Treasurer:**  
J. R. BALL, Fannin County.  
ED A. CHRISTIAN, Jr., Bexar County.  
LON GARNER, Stephens County.  
GEORGE G. GARRETT, Dallas County.  
GROVER CLEVELAND HARRIS, Dallas County.  
W. GREGORY HATCHER, Dallas County.  
G. E. JOHNSON, Jones County.

**For State Superintendent of Public Instruction:**  
W. W. BENNETT, Dallas County.  
J. A. HUMPHRIES, Hockley County.  
S. M. N. MARRS, Travis County.

**For Commissioner of Agriculture:**  
T. R. BOLIN, Morris County.  
GEO. B. TERRELL, Cherokee County.

**For Land Commissioner:**  
P. B. TERRELL, Titus County.  
J. T. ROBINSON, Morris County.

**For Railroad Commissioner:**  
CHARLES E. BAUGHMAN, Brown County.  
ROBT. E. SPEER, Dallas County.  
C. V. TERRELL, Wise County.

**For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court:**  
WILLIAM PIERSON, Hunt County.

**For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals:**  
F. L. HAWKINS, Ellis County.  
LEE P. PIERSON, Dallas County.

**For Congress, 18th Congressional District:**  
MARVIN JONES, Potter County.

**For Associate Justice Court of Civil Appeals, 7th Supreme Judicial District:**  
HAL C. RANDOLPH, Potter County.

**For Representative, 119th District:**  
EMMETT W. WHITAKER,  
J. K. WESTER.

**For District Attorney 72nd Judicial District:**  
DURWOOD H. BRADLEY.  
OWEN W. McWHORTER  
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**For Tax Assessor:**  
C. W. (Charlie) PAYNE.  
R. C. BURNS.  
**For County Treasurer:**  
MRS. HATTIE STOKER.  
**For County Superintendent:**  
P. F. BROWN.  
W. M. PEVEHOUSE.  
**For County Surveyor:**  
A. L. HARRIS.

**For Commissioner Precinct No. One:**  
N. A. PAYNE.  
JOHN A. BARTON.  
R. E. OVERSTREET.  
E. C. YOUNG.

**For Commissioner Precinct No. Two:**  
J. T. PINKSTON.  
B. G. SHERROD.

**For Commissioner Precinct No. Three:**  
W. F. PRUITT.  
C. S. McCURDY,  
E. R. DAVIS.

**For Commissioner Precinct No. Four:**  
L. C. DENTON.  
T. C. CALLEY.  
GEO. C. COOPER.

**For Justice Peace, Precinct No. One, Place No. One:**  
G. R. SCOTT.  
W. E. JOHNSON.

**For Justice Peace, Precinct No. One, Official Ballot—Galley TWO**  
**Place No. Two.**  
W. S. (Billie) CLARK.  
L. H. SHELTON.

**For Justice Peace, Precinct No. Two:**  
J. J. ROSS.  
PAUL P. MURRAY.

**For Constable, Precinct No. One:**  
J. C. ROBERTS.  
SCOTT RHEUDASIL.

**For Constable, Precinct No. Two:**  
D. C. HOFFMAN.

**For Public Weigher, Precinct No. One, Lubbock:**  
WALTER E. GRICE.  
J. W. GRAVES.

**For Public Weigher, Slaton:**  
I. E. MADDEN.

**For Public Weigher, Idalou:**  
AL H. TURNER.

**For Public Weigher, Shallowater:**  
T. R. KINCAIDE.  
CLAYTON (Turk) VANCE.  
J. CARL JOHNSON.

**For Public Weigher, Wolfarth:**  
H. W. CHASE.

**For Public Weigher, Monroe:**  
H. V. RICHARDS.

or she must secure a certificate showing his or her exemptions, as required by this title. If such voter shall have lost or misplaced said tax receipt, he or she shall be entitled to vote upon making and leaving with the Judge of the Election, an affidavit that such tax was paid by him or her, or by his wife, or by her husband before said first day of February next preceding such election, at which he or she offers to vote and that said receipt has been lost or mis-placed. In any election held only in a subdivision of a county for the purpose of determining any local question or proposition affected only such subdivision of the county, then in addition to the foregoing qualifications, the voter must have resided in said county for six months next preceding such election. The provisions of this article as to casting ballots shall apply to all elections, including general, special and primary election. (Acts. 1st. C. S. 1905 P. 520; Acts 1st. C. S. 1917, P. 62; Acts 1st. C. S. 1920, P. 10; Acts 1921, P. 217; Acts 1923, P. 318).  
**Becoming of Age (Act. 2969 2954)**  
Every person who will reach the age of twenty-one years after the first day of January, and before the day of a following election at which he or she wishes to vote, and who possesses all the other qualifications of a voter under the Constitution and laws of Texas, shall be entitled to vote at such election and it shall not be necessary for such person to have paid a poll tax or to have obtained a certificate of exemption in order to entitle such person to vote at such election. If the right of such person to vote is challenged on the ground of non-age, if such person shall make affidavit that he or she has attained the age of twenty-one years on the day of such election, such person shall be entitled to vote at such election, upon filing such affidavit with the judge of election. This law shall not apply to cities having a population of five thousand or more according to the preceding Federal Census. (Id. Acts. 2nd. C. S. 1923, P. 45)  
NOTE: The Federal Census of 1920 gave the City of Lubbock 4051 population. Hence voters of Lubbock County were not required to obtain a certificate of exemption, according to the above article of the Statute, in order to cast their vote at the Primary election to be held July 24th, or the General Election in November.

**Has a Boiling Lake**  
The Grande Soufriere, of which the chief feature is the remarkable Boiling lake, in the West Indian island of Dominica, is but little known even to the islanders who are constantly reminded of its presence, says Nature Magazine. Clouds of steam indicate where it lies in the mountains, and to Roseau, the island's port, the detonations from its steam vents proclaim its close proximity. It is only six miles from the town as the crow flies, but until an air route is established, man must foot it over a difficult and even dangerous mountain trail.

**Old Shop-Windows Gone**  
Paris shopkeepers still talk of "putting up the shutters" at closing time, but actually they pull them down. The quaint, many-paned shop windows familiar in the old illustrations to the "Songs" of Beranger and the Cruikshank and Phiz drawings for Dickens' works, have disappeared to make way for great, solid iron "curtains," which are hauled down with a lever. The old windows, charming, cob-webbed and gaslit, remain in a few out-of-the-way parts of Paris.

Texas has what is reputed to be the largest and most active regional chamber of commerce in the United States.

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Leading manufactured products of Texas ranks first among the states. Texas are petroleum products, meats, in production of cotton and grain sor-cotton seed oil, lumber, cement, and gums and in total value of farm crops.

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**FIRE, TORNADO AND HAIL**  
**THE SLATON HOME MUTUAL**  
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Buying poor lumber and covering it over is like an ostrich trying to hide itself by burying its head in the sand. Sooner or later you will discover, to your sorrow, that the poor lumber shows.

You Can Buy Only Good Lumber From Us.  
**Panhandle Lumber Company**  
PHONE 1.

**Nervous hot flashes**

"SOME time ago when in a very nervous, run-down condition," says Mrs. Martha E. Marlow, of Broken Bow, Okla., "I tried numerous remedies to try at least to keep going, but I could not. I was weak and tired—just no good at all. My back ached and I had hot flashes and I was so very nervous I smothered. I couldn't sleep and I was never hungry and I kept getting weaker. I couldn't stand on my feet. This was an unusual condition for me as I had been pretty strong all along. I knew that I would have to do something, and that pretty soon."

"Some friend suggested that I take Cardui, and it certainly was a good suggestion, for after taking one bottle I could tell I was stronger and better. I didn't quit. I kept it up all through the change and did fine. I felt like a different person after I began taking Cardui."

Cardui has helped thousands of suffering women.  
Sold by all druggists.

**CARDUI**  
For Female Troubles

**Information As To Who May Vote In Primary Election Next Saturday**

The following classes of persons shall not be allowed to vote in this state (Art. 2954) (2938):

1. Persons under 21 years of age.
2. Idiots and lunatics.
3. All paupers supported by the county.
4. All persons convicted of felony, except those restored to citizenship and right of suffrage, or pardoned.
5. All soldiers, marines and seamen employed in the service of the army or navy of the United States. (Acts 1st C. S. 1905, P. 520).

**Qualifications For Voting (Art. 2955) (2939.)**

Every person subject to none of the foregoing disqualifications who shall have attained the age of twentyone years and who shall be a citizen of the United States, and who shall have resided in this state one year next preceding an election, and the last six months within the district or county in which he or she offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector. The electors living in an unorganized county may vote at an election precinct in the county to which such county is attached for judicial purposes; provided that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of this state or ordinances of any city or town in this state, shall have paid said tax before offering to vote at any election in this state, and holds a receipt showing that said poll tax

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30x3 Fabric Clincher... \$6.90	29 x 4.40 Balloon... \$11.20
30x3 1/2 Fabric Clincher... 7.80	29 x 4.75 Balloon... 14.90
30x3 Reg. Cl. Cord... 7.70	30 x 4.75 Balloon... 15.60
30x3 1/2 Ex. Size Cl. Cord... 8.95	29 x 4.95 Balloon... 16.45
31x4 S. S. Cord... 15.75	30 x 4.95 Balloon... 17.25
32x4 S. S. Cord... 17.25	31 x 5.25 Balloon... 18.15
32x4 1/2 S. S. Cord... 23.35	32 x 6.00 Balloon... 22.95
33x5 S. S. Cord... 29.50	33 x 6.00 Balloon... 24.10

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## Date Set For Boy Scout Camp; Donations Good, But More Funds Are Needed

The South Plains Area Council camping committee is the busiest group of men in West Texas this week, according to bulletins just issued. One statement states, "We are going to camp at Post. The date is August 17 to 27 inclusive. Ten days of fun, swimming, good eats and everything. We are going to have Indian Chief 'Red Eagle,' Mr. Moore of the Buffalo Trail Council and Minor Huffman, one of the best short story tellers in the South, for camp, and many other features, besides the big campfire program every night. The slogan for camp will be 'Scout for More Scouting.'"

The following have made possible the camp and its improvement. Not all of these gifts are cash. Some are payable quarterly or semi-annually, and some not until next January 1st. We need \$800.00 more in cash very badly right now:

Double U. Co.	\$7,000
Texas Utilities, plant installed	1,000
A. P. Duggan, Littlefield	885
W. O. Stevens, Post and Lubbock	200
P. W. Horn	100
W. H. Bledsoe	100
R. J. Murray	100
Chas. L. Adams	100
Roscoe Wilson	100
Hemphill Price Co.	100
Elmo Wall	100
Amon G. Carter, Ft. Worth	100
Chas. F. O'Neill	100
Minter Ganiel	100
J. C. Loveless, Lamesa	100
A. B. Davis	100
W. L. Elwood	100
V. O. Key, Lamesa	100
T. B. Dugan	100
J. A. Rix	100
W. A. Myrick	100
Cicero Smith Co.	100
Mrs. J. B. Slaughter	100
Those that contributed materials:	
Panhandle Construction Co.	110
Axtell Co.	100
Other Contributors:	
Garrett Dry Goods Co., Baker Furniture Co., Tech Cafe, W. A. Bacon, Lee O. Allen, M. System Store, Geo.	

## Chevrolet Roadster In Record-Breaking Drive

Lowering the fastest train time between the Pacific Coast and Omaha by approximately two hours, Mason Jurgensen, age 21, of 141 West 82nd St., Los Angeles, drove a Chevrolet roadster 2,070 miles between the two cities in 56 hours and 47 minutes. He was officially checked out at Los Angeles and in the Nebraska metropolis by Western Union executives.

This feat establishes an automobile record from the Pacific coast to Omaha.

Jurgensen stopped only to eat, take fuel and change one tire on the way. He picked up a nail on the New Mexico desert, that being the only mishap experienced on the entire trip. His record time as given above includes all stops en route.

The young pilot was accompanied on his dash two-thirds of the way across the United States by Joe Rolley of 941 West 41st St., Los Angeles.

On the return journey to the Coast Jurgensen added further glamour to his drive achievement by lowering the Omaha-Denver mark from 15 hours, 31 minutes to 14 hours flat. Harold Beyers, an Omaha boy, was passenger and relief driver on the way back, Rolley remaining at Omaha.

The youth's demonstration is more than a stunt. It is proof that transcontinental touring has become practical for the average motorist. Roads are good and danger has been eliminated as a factor. The young pilot spoke in high terms of his Chevrolet mount, giving it a clean bill in the matter of speed, power and road-worthiness.

"Transcontinental touring is a mere 'ride around the block' in these days of high-powered light cars and wonderful roads," Jurgensen declared.

D. Benson, Judge C. C. Crenshaw, M. Collier, for South Plains Monument Co.

## Candidate for Representative Hard Worker

Emmett L. Whitaker, of Lamesa, a young man who has had considerable experience in newspaper work and who is also a minister, is said by his friends to be a very hard worker at any task he undertakes, and they believe this is one of the best recommendations they could give him.

Mr. Whitaker is making the race for representative in the legislature from this district, and has been giving his whole time lately to making a thorough canvas of the several counties which are included in the district.

Your careful consideration of his candidacy is urged by the candidate, and he promises an efficient administration, if elected.

## Grand Jurors Advise Against Dis't. Attorney

In the Lubbock daily papers last Sunday, there appeared a signed statement from about forty men, who have served as grand jurors in this county since the present district attorney took office by appointment, in which they advised the voters against the election of the present district attorney to succeed himself. The statement said "We, the undersigned citizens of Lubbock County, having served as grand jurors since the appointment to office of our present district attorney, and having had full opportunity to observe his methods of conducting the affairs of said office, do not believe it will be to the best interests of our community that he be re-elected, consequently we neither endorse nor support his candidacy."

The statement was addressed to the voters of the 72nd Judicial District. It bore the signatures of ten prominent citizens of Slaton.

**ONE IN TEN**  
Neglecting a little wound, cut or abrasion of the flesh may in nine cases out of ten cause great suffering or inconvenience, but if treated with Boroson it causes blood poisoning, lockjaw or a chronic form of sore. The cheapest, safest and best way is to disinfect the wound with liquid Boroson and apply the Boroson Powder to complete the healing process. Price (liquid) 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Powder 20c and 60c. Sold by CITY DRUG STORE

## SATURDAY IS A BIG DAY

Every man and woman will want to come in and vote Saturday

We are making some attractive special offerings as follows:

100 bolts of lace, 5c to 10c values, per yard

Better Get What You Want While It Lasts

Good line of Sun Hats for men, boys and girls.

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Our stock of dishes is complete, and contains a wide variety of beautiful patterns. Make your selections Saturday. Prices are right.

Plenty of Ice Water for Our Saturday Customers

Ladies Use our Rest Room

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## You Don't Know How Funny a Picture is—

—until you've seen this fast-stepping tale—A husband who loves to dance with anybody but his wife—and the mysterious masked dancer who suddenly comes into his life, and as strangely disappears. All played against a background of the gayest haunts of gay Paree!

THRILLS AND THROBS EACH MERRY MOMENT! IT TICKLES! With Claire Windsor and Conrad Nagel

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Then you will know whether it is your eyes that are causing your headaches, your indigestion or any one of many other ailments, seemingly remote, yet directly influenced by eye-strain.



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# ANNOUNCEMENT

Having purchased the Slaton Chevrolet Company from the former owners, Kuykendall Chevrolet Company, of Lubbock, we take this opportunity of extending a word of greeting to the people of Slaton and surrounding territory.

The name of the firm has been changed to Jackson Chevrolet Company, and we now hold a direct contract with the Chevrolet Factory, and are not served through the Lubbock agency. We are in the same location as our predecessors occupied, and having a direct contract with the factory, we are prepared to give better Chevrolet service to the people of this territory.

Our shop equipment is first class in every respect. We are equipped to do as good work as you can get done anywhere. Mr. R. J. Reed has been retained as our shop foreman, and his ability is well known to the public as being an A-1 mechanic to whose supervision you can afford to entrust the most particular repair jobs on your car. Shop efficiency is a specialty with us. Mr. Reed has been in Slaton a long time, and we are proud to offer his services to you.

We are here to be citizens among you and this business will be conducted as a home institution to serve home people. We solicit your patronage, your friendship and your good will.

**Jackson Chevrolet Company**

F. C. JACKSON

Slaton, Texas