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## SLATON PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO OPEN NEXT MONDAY

### Plan Employed In House Numbering Proving Satisfactory In Every Respect

The street markers and house numbers in Slaton have proven, in the short time since their erection, a distinct help to the citizenship. Merchants who have deliveries to make, old residents who want to find some place not familiar to them, and new comers who do not know the town are loud in their praise of the new markers.

The map compiled by the Slaton Chamber of Commerce is in the office of the city secretary—if anyone builds a new home, the city secretary can give them their house number if they will call in person or by telephone.

Here is the key to finding houses in Slaton. A little study will disclose its simplicity:

Garza street and Eighth street are the dividing lines. Garza divides the streets running north and south, while Eighth divides the streets running east and west. All streets north of Garza are designated by "North," etc. The house numbers begin at these two streets, each block being designated by a hundred unit.

Even house numbers are on the east and north sides of the streets, while odd numbers are on the west and south sides. The hundred units run consecutively in every instance, except that each first block on every street south of Division street is designated as the "600" block. This was made necessary due to the irregularity with which streets intersect Division.

All streets in South Slaton Addition are named for prominent citizens of Slaton, all other streets running east and west are named for counties in West Texas. All streets, except three in East Park Addition, that run north and south, are numbered. First street almost adjoins the railroad, while Twenty-First street, the farthest west, runs one block west of the Catholic church.

This plan, as originated by the Chamber of Commerce, was approved by city officials of Lubbock, by representatives of the United States Postal Department and by the city engineers of Slaton before it was placed in operation.

### Farmers Anxious For Warm, Dry Weather

For the past several days, the weather has been partly cloudy with indications of rain. No prediction is being made, but it might come before this story is in the hands of the reader. On the day it is being written (Wednesday) clouds are still in evidence.

What the farmers of this territory are wanting at this time, however, is warm, sunny weather. They know the cotton will open slowly so long as it remains cloudy or partly cloudy. A dry atmosphere with plenty of sunshine would also prevent further activity of the leaf worm in a damaging degree.

It is hoped that old Sol will do his best on the South Plains during the next sixty days, and that Jupiter Pluvius will take a rest for the same period of time. Of course, it will be and always has been difficult to control weather conditions to suit the whims of men, but the men who raise cotton on the South Plains would be very grateful if the weather would control itself in conformity with their wishes for a period of time allowing the best fruitage and the most favorable conditions for harvesting the cotton and feed crops of this section.

Let's hope for good weather, and if it doesn't come just as we want it, then we'll do the best we can with the weather we do have. A bumper crop of cotton and feed crops is about to be gathered in this section, and if things work out right, this section will be "in the swim" this fall.

B. A. Toliver and family returned Monday night from Pecos, Texas, where they had been for several days visiting friends. They made the trip overland. Mr. Toliver is the manager of the Acorn Stores here.

### Mayor's Suggestions on Clean-up Get Response

Some two or three weeks ago, Mayor W. H. McKirahan issued an appeal to Slaton people that all citizens cooperate in a general clean-up campaign around home and business premises. The mayor states that the response has been fine, and that many homes, vacant lots and back alleys in both residence and business sections now look much better and are in more sanitary condition than formerly.

"While some of the people have not been able to get to the work so far," Mr. McKirahan stated, "it is believed they will give it their attention as soon as they can spare the time to do so."

The mayor appreciates the response the people have made, he said, and he also hopes that wherever the work has been thus far neglected early efforts will be made to finish the town-wide clean-up job. He is very anxious that Slaton shall not only have a clean, attractive appearance externally, but that the health of our people may be protected by a condition of cleanliness throughout the city.

### Four Bales Ginned Here Up To Tuesday

At a late hour Tuesday, a total of four bales of 1926 cotton had been ginned in Slaton. One was ginned a week ago by the Farmers' Gin. It was the first bale and was brought in by John Oshrine. Another bale was brought in by Jack Lekey and was ginned by the Slaton Gin. John Oshrine appeared on the scene again Tuesday with still another bale which was ginned by L. P. Thornton and Sons. Also, a bale was ginned for Lloyd Tucker by the M. G. Davis Gin on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. Oshrine who received first bale premium here last week, also won first bale honors at Idalou, it was said.

### Paving Project Making Good Progress

About five blocks of concrete have been poured in the paving project now under way in Slaton. Brick laying began Tuesday, and a block of brick had been laid by Wednesday. The brick laying will proceed right along on blocks where concrete has been laid.

Streets that have not yet had concrete laid on them are rapidly being shaped up by removal of dirt and leveling of the surface. A large amount of the work that requires the major portion of time has already been finished and progress is expected to be more rapid from now on than it has been heretofore. The preparatory work has been the principal time-consuming.

With the completion of the first seventeen blocks of paving provided for under the present contract, it is planned to proceed at once with the extension of the paving on the three additional streets to be paved, Lynn street in the business section and West Garza and South Tenth in the residence section. A total of about thirty blocks will be laid before the job is completely finished.

### Builders Class Will Meet Tues., Sept. 14

The Builders Class of the Methodist Sunday school will meet with Mrs. W. H. Smith, Tuesday, September 14 at 3 p. m. Topic: The Bible in Song. Leader, Mrs. Price. Every member of the class is requested to be present. Our officers will be elected for the next year.

Reporter.  
W. E. Olive and family left Saturday for a fishing and outing trip on the Llano River.

### Meeting of Thoroughbred Seed Farmers Called

A stockholders meeting of the Thoroughbred Cotton Growers Association of Slaton will be held in the city hall of Slaton, Saturday afternoon, September 11. The meeting will be held in the office of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce.

All farmers who purchased seed from the Galloway interests are urged to be present. A number of matters of vital importance will be discussed at this meeting, according to J. W. Henry, president of the Slaton Cotton Growers' Association. If plans for pooling the long staple Mebane cotton are to be completed, it will be necessary for all stockholders to be present.

### Catholic School May Open Next Monday

For some time it has been hoped by the Catholic school here that the new building under construction would be finished in time for school to open as early as next Monday, September 13. Efforts are being made to rush the work to a sufficient degree of completion that school could begin on that date. However, some doubt has been expressed that it would be possible to begin the school session at that time. According to Rev. M. G. French, school will open Monday following if it is seen that things cannot be in readiness by next Monday.

The building now under construction will provide four classrooms and a studio for the fine arts. There will be four teachers in the school, and courses of study will be offered through eight grades. It is expected that about a hundred pupils will be enrolled.

Work on the building is being delayed by the necessity for the workmen, who are farmers, to be busy a part of the time with their crops. This has hindered the progress of construction all along. When completed, the building will be a modern school building of stucco over framework.

The fine arts department of the school will be taught by competent teachers. This feature of the work will be stressed, it is stated.

The teachers who will serve in the school are well prepared professionally, and the quality of work to be done is thus guaranteed to be high. It will be the constant aim of the school to maintain standards that rank with those required by the State Department of Education for the public schools, Rev. French stated.

### 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:

The 1913-14 term of school opens next Monday in the new schoolhouse. The teachers for the year are P. M. Faulkner, Supt.; Miss Hallie Dickerman, principal; Miss Myrtle Robertson, Mrs. Maude Wallace, Miss Frankie Vermillion and Miss Pearl Duncomb.

Trains will be running over the Slaton-Clovis line in a few weeks.

Santa Fe officials visited Slaton last week to locate the site for the new depot and for the addition to the roundhouse. It is expected that some of the general offices will be moved to Slaton the first of the year.

Landrum Brasfield is putting in an underground silo at his farm six miles west of Slaton.

Briggs Robertson returned Monday from a trip through East Texas and Louisiana.

Dunn & DeLong have bought the tailoring business of Ras Gamble on Texas Avenue.

### Farmers Say Leaf Worm Damage Slight

Farmers of this section seem but little worried by evidence of the leaf worm. Many of the farmers have applied poison and others are planning to do so in the near future. Formulas are numerous and poison is available in Lubbock and elsewhere in any quantity desired.

A meeting called by the Slaton Chamber of Commerce, offering aid to the farmers, who attended by only a few cotton growers. They were appreciative of the interest shown by business men of Slaton, but assured officers of the Chamber of Commerce that they had the situation very well in hand and expected to make a good yield from their cotton.

### Minister and Son Take Trip On Foot

Rev. J. W. Willbanks and son, Sam, left Slaton Monday, August 30, on a trip with El Paso as the final destination. They started out on foot headed for Big Spring. Motorists were kind in picking them up for good long rides, and they reached Big Spring Monday night. A heavy rain fell there that night, so they took the train for El Paso, arriving in that city Tuesday. They stayed there until Friday, visiting for a while with Dr. Floyd Poe, pastor of the First Presbyterian church there, and seeing the sights in El Paso and Juarez.

At 11:30 Friday morning, they left El Paso headed for home. Again, they were favored with rides by passing motorists, and reached home at 2:45 p. m. last Sunday.

Some of those who gave them "lifts" on the highway proved to be acquaintances or relatives of former friends of Rev. Willbanks, and pleasant conversations resulted from the chance meetings. The two men were fortunate enough to get rides all the way from El Paso to Slaton except from Midland to Big Spring where they rode in a bus.

The trip was delightful to the Minister and his son, and they both returned feeling fine and bearing a good coat of tan each.

Rev. Willbanks says he was in Juarez twelve years ago, and that since his former visit there, the city has become modernized. Paved streets have replaced the old adobe ones, and many other changes were noted. American business is very active in Juarez, he says. Among these is mentioned a large Ford plant now in operation there. "Many saloons were in evidence there," said Rev. Willbanks, "almost every other door enters a saloon."

### Baptist Women Plan State Mission Program

The Baptist W. M. U. of the church here will observe the week of prayer for State Missions. The program for Monday is as follows:

Leader—Mrs. Fred Stottlemire.  
Song—Revive Us Again.  
State Missions—Mrs. W. D. Harris.

Woman's duty to State Missions—Mrs. W. T. Driver.  
God's message to me on Stewardship—Mrs. Elliott.

Prayer.  
Song—The Great Physician.  
W. M. U.—Mrs. C. V. Young.

Relation of Auxiliary to Church—Mrs. Foster.

Round Table discussion—  
Value of mission study,  
Value of week of prayer,  
Value of Circle plan,  
Value of graded union,  
Value of personal service and soul winning, led by Mrs. J. W. Short.

Tuesday's program:  
Leader—Mrs. Foster.  
Song—Jesus Shall Reign.  
Prayer for our institutions of healing.

Our hospitals—Mrs. Burrus.  
Song—The Great Physician.  
Review of our schools and their needs—Mrs. H. C. Burrus.

Christian education—Mrs. T. O. Petty.  
Prayer for our denominational schools.

Review of our schools and their

### Expect Initial Enrollment To Pass Thousand Mark; Work Well-Planned

#### Wicker Child Improves Slowly After Accident

The four-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wicker who was hurt Thursday evening, August 26, when run over by a car, was brought home Monday from a Lubbock sanitarium where she had been continuously since the night of the accident. The injury was so serious and came so near proving instantly fatal that it was thought unwise for her to be moved until this week.

It is reported, however, that slow improvement is being noted in the little girl's condition, and it is hoped that she will soon be well on the road to complete recovery. The accident caused a fracture of the skull at the base, and the child must naturally require time for marked improvement.

Two local boys, it is said, were in the car that ran over the child causing the injury that almost proved fatal.

#### Chiropractor Locates In Benton Building

Dr. T. M. Sumter, who recently moved to Slaton from Oklahoma City, has established offices in the Benton Building for the practice of Chiropractic and Electro-Therapy. Mrs. Sumter is here with her husband.

Dr. and Mrs. Sumter state that they are well pleased with Slaton and the prospects here and that they are glad to be residents of a growing young city such as this.

#### Enjoy Overland Trip Into New Mexico

A crowd composed of Mrs. George Marriott, her mother, Mrs. Hise, and daughter, Miss Eura Taylor, and Miss Frances Galbraith, who is visiting here from Shreveport, La., and Dick Skelton left last Wednesday morning in Mr. Marriott's new car for Carlsbad New Mexico, where they visited the wonderful cave that has been the center of attraction for many people the past few months. It took over five hours to go through this cave, and all except Mrs. Hise, who was advised not to take the long tramp, are still talking of the wonders of it. On the return trip stops were made at Bottomless Wells, Cloudcroft, Capitan, Roswell and at Portales, where they visited relatives and friends. They returned to Slaton Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lanham, accompanied by the former's mother, brother and sister, Mrs. F. H. Lanham, Wayne Johnson and Miss Stella Mae, and also by Miss Maddox, who has been visiting the Lanham family, left Sunday for Montezuma, N. M. Miss Maddox was returning to her home at Montezuma, and Mr. and Mrs. Lanham were en route to Buckeye, Ariz., where the former will teach in the public school this term. Mrs. F. H. Lanham, Miss Stella Mae and Wayne Johnson will return here this week bringing with them W. S. Lanham, Sr., father of F. H. Lanham, who has been visiting relatives at Montezuma for several days.

The following Santa Fe men were borrowed to help out here during the wheat rush, but during the last week they have returned to their homes as listed here: Engineer J. R. Moore to Belin, N. M.; Engineer Murrell to Wellington; Engineer B. F. Maupin to Clovis; Engineer A. R. Kline to Wichita, Kans.; Jack Landreth to Wellington; C. H. Townsend to La Junta.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Stokes and baby, of Idalou, were here Tuesday visiting a few hours with relatives and attending to business.

needs—Mrs. Hardesty.  
Love the law in the tithe—Miss Clara Thomas.

God's tenth—Mrs. D. W. Liles.  
Prayer—God's call and our responsibility.

Next Monday is the big day—the day when school starts. The 1926-27 session of Slaton public schools will begin Monday when more than one thousand boys and girls are expected to enroll. Parents and friends of the school are invited to attend the opening and thus encourage the students and the teachers by this sign of interest on their part, an interest that will, it is hoped, beget the finest sort of co-operation in making this year a really great year in Slaton.

All departments of the various ward schools and of the high schools sections have been well-planned so far as the work is concerned, and it is expected that only a few days will be required to see the entire school organization moving on and functioning in an orderly way as if it were the middle of the term.

Many of the teachers have been busy for several days assisting their pupils in receiving the proper classification and in planning their courses of study.

Special emphasis is being laid on the fine arts departments of the school this year. Every department is expected to be full, and it appears that a highly successful year in the fine arts is just ahead.

The classes of the high school will be larger than ever, it is thought, and a senior class of record-breaking numerical strength is looked for. Freshmen, sophomores and juniors will be plentiful, also.

Interest in athletics is expected to be high, and a good football team looms as a practical certainty.

The following are the members of the faculty for the respective city schools of Slaton:

East Ward: Mr. Brinker, Sulphur Springs, Texas; Mrs. E. N. Pickens, Slaton; Miss Tera Baughman, Kress; Miss Ouida Zuzbee, Slaton; Miss Clarice Smith, Albany; Miss Grayce Pirtle, Clarendon; and Mrs. James Wallace, Slaton.

West Ward: J. B. Caldwell, Chicota, Texas; Mrs. Harry Frye, Slaton; Mrs. J. S. Lanham, Slaton; Mrs. W. A. Miller, Vega; Miss Irene Stout, Slaton; Miss Elizabeth Smith, Whitewright; Mrs. Hollis, Slaton; Mrs. J. D. Westler, Slaton; Mrs. Hobdy, Slaton; Mrs. Tomlinson, Slaton; Mrs. Smart, Slaton, and Miss Maurice Hardesty, Slaton.

High School: J. D. Wester, Slaton; Miss Dean, Alvarado; Miss Cary, Pampa; Miss Amy Daniel, Sweetwater; Miss Madge Stanford, Sweetwater; W. A. Miller, Vega; M. H. Peveshouse, Slaton; Miss Wayman Blythe, Athens; Miss Nina Blair, Denton; Miss Thelma Eivens, Tulia; R. M. Nash, Athens; Mrs. R. M. Nash, Athens; D. A. Bivins, Tulia; Miss Juanita Mawdsley, Pratt, Kansas.

Superintendent C. L. Sone has the following to say:

"The aims of the school are to offer to Slaton children the best obtainable opportunities with the best of teachers.

"The education of children has become the greatest business of the community. It should be the best performed work in the community.

"The people of Slaton want nothing but the best, and they may congratulate themselves in their good fortune of obtaining such a fine body of teachers to lead their children.

"This must be a great year in that our school shall hold out to our pupils the inspirations that shall lead them to be worth-while folks.

"As we are growing in numbers, let us determine to grow in efficiency, for this is what counts in the lives of our boys and girls."

#### Rebekah Lodge Official Coming Monday

The District Grand President of the Rebekah Lodge will visit Slaton next Monday night, it is reported, and all members of the lodge are urgently requested to attend a meeting at the ball on that night.



# CLASSIFIED ADS

**FOUND**—And left at this office, key ring, two keys, metal tag bearing number, clasp for attaching to belt. Inquire at Slatonite office, identify keys, pay for this ad and the keys are yours.



**FOR SALE**—1925 Ford Coupe, balloon tires, good mechanical condition. See Claude Miller, Slaton City Hall. 1c

**FOR SALE CHEAP FOR CASH**—One Ford coupe and one Ford touring. Both in good shape. See me at once.—L. Westerfeld. 52-2c

**FOR SALE**—Pianos and Phonographs. Special terms to farmers. You can take your instrument now and make first payment after you sell some cotton. Drop in and see our new lines, or write or phone salesman to come and see you.—Barrier Bros., Lubbock, Texas. 1c

**FOR SALE**—Three lots, one on corner, other two adjoining, located in West Park addition. See L. B. Wootton. Phone 117. 50-1fc

**FORGET LAUNDRY TROUBLES**—Let us do the hot work of washing for you.—Slaton Steam Laundry. Phone 112. 1c

**FOR TRADE**—Slightly used phonographs and pianos, easy terms. Will take good milk cows as part payment. Write for salesman to come and see you.—Barrier Bros., Lubbock, Texas.

**ROUGH DRY**—Or finished. Good service, prompt delivery.—Slaton Steam Laundry. Phone 112. 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

**PHONE 112**—For best laundry service.—Slaton Steam Laundry. 1c

**THE SANTA FE RAILWAY**—Has completed a railroad from Lubbock west to Bledsoe, opening up for settlement Hockley and Cochran Counties. Choice business and residential lots for sale in the townsites of Smyer, Whiteface, Lehman and Bledsoe, on very liberal terms. These towns offer excellent opportunities for every line of business, calling and profession. Adjoining each of these towns farm lands for sale in tracts of five acres up to 177 acres. Favorable terms and low rate of interest. Here is an opportunity to buy a farm on terms easier than rent. See or write me for full particulars.—R. J. MURRAY, 202 LEADER BUILDING, LUBBOCK, TEXAS. 1-9c

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Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_

**WANTED**—Girl to keep house.—J. W. Elrod, at Elrod's Furniture. 1c



**CAN KEEP**—Two or four girls, teachers or students, near West Ward school, good accommodations, prices reasonable.—Mrs. M. Coltharp, 235 So. 15th St. 52-4p

**FOR RENT**—Modern furnished apartment. Phone 314-W. 51-1fc

**FOR RENT**—Two upstairs bedrooms. Inquire at Slatonite office. 1p

**FOR RENT**—One bedroom, \$11 per month. One garage \$3.50 per month. Phone 47 after 7 p. m. 1c

**THREE OR FOUR GIRLS**—Teachers or students, can secure rooms or rooms and cooking privileges three blocks west of high school. Have garage, also. Apply at 1055 South 33rd St. 1-7p

## - With The Churches -

### Methodist Church

Sunday school at 9:50 a. m., Prof. C. L. Sone, Supt  
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., by the pastor.

You are cordially invited to all the services. Come and worship with us and we will try to do you good.  
Morning subject: "The candle of the Lord." Night subject: "Noonday publicity."  
You will be interested in these sermons.

A. B. DAVIDSON,  
Pastor.

### SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Devotional meeting—Living Right. Quiz—Mr. B.unds.

Introduction—Jewell Armes.

1. Get right with God—Irene Armes.

2. Saved by Grace—Thurman Porter.

3. (1) Keep right with God—Mable Stottlemire.

(2) and (3)—Audean Alcorn.

4. Work right with God—Jessie Anderson.

5. End right with God—Maudie Keith.

Program and extra material for study will be found on page 61 of the quarterly. You are invited to be present at 7 p. m.

### Methodist Missionary

The Methodist Missionary Society met in regular session at the church Monday afternoon. It being the fifth Monday, the leaders decided they would have an extra Bible study. Mrs. H. W. Ragsdale, who is the regular Bible study leader, led the discussion on the fourth chapter of Genesis. The ladies who attend these lessons regularly are urging the members who have failed to take advantage of them to come, as they are benefiting greatly by them. Mrs. Ragsdale is a splendid leader, and any ladies of other denominations who wish to attend will be welcomed. At the close of the afternoon study each lady told her favorite Bible story and a general discussion followed.  
Next Monday will be business meeting, and all members are urged to attend.

### Girls' Auxiliary

Last Thursday we had sixteen present. We had one visitor and initiated one member, an old member who came back. We had 17c collection.

The girls sat on the grass and pieced some quilt blocks. We had enough blocks to finish our quilt, including what we made at home.

After we had finished everything else, Mrs. Jobe and Mrs. Shaw served punch and sandwiches.

We all had a nice time and thanked Mesdames Jobe and Shaw for the occasion, and we washed the dishes for Mrs. Shaw before we left.

—Reporter.

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Missionary Society of the First Christian Church will meet with Mrs. Knox next Monday, Sept. 6. The

meeting will be in charge of Mrs. Irwin.

Song, by members.

Scripture reading.

Adventure for God, Mrs. Roy Garner.

Song, Mozelle Norris.

Three best echoes from everywhere. Recitation, Curtis Garner.

Our future leaders, Mrs. Schuhmann.

Song, Virginia Lee Davis.

A yellow peril or golden opportunity, Mrs. Davis.

—Reporter.

### Chevrolet Improves Commercial Bodies

Development of distinct types of commercial car bodies, designed and manufactured in their entirety by the Chevrolet organization now affords the public a complete line of Chevrolet-built passenger and commercial vehicles for the first time in the company's history.

Complete trucks are available for immediate delivery to the purchaser. They are the one ton panel delivery—one ton stake and the one ton grain carrying body.

The chassis can be furnished also with cab only, suitable for mounting any special truck body desired by the owner.

Substantially the same cab is used on all bodies. The cab is entirely enclosed and weather-proof and affords the same comfort in the driver's compartment as a Chevrolet passenger car. The doors are 24 inches wide, with high-grade locks. Plate glass side windows are furnished with Tensstedt regulators as in the standard closed car. A full ventilating windshield, glass rear windows, cab lining and cushion covering of fabrikoid leather, combination stop and tail light and conveniently-placed instrument panel are features. Seats are arranged for easy handling of controls and steering wheel. The cab is Biscay green, duco striped in gold and cowl lights are standard equipment.

Each of these body types has been designed for the utmost utility, convenience and adaptability to the work for which it is designed.

With these modern advantages at an attractive price, these new trucks are expected to attain a prominent place in the favor of the commercial-car buying public.

J. V. Spikes, of Lubbock, was in Slaton last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Elliott and baby daughter, Bettie Jane, visited relatives in Amarillo last week-end, returning Sunday night.

Mrs. Marian Anderson has accepted employment as saleslady in the Slaton Variety Store.

Mrs. W. H. Doss, of Colorado City, is visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs. W. H. Clark.

Cheese is one of the richest of all common foods in calcium, needed for repairing and building teeth and bones.

## DIRECTORY OF ADVERTISERS

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

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- Gates Dry Goods Co.
- Mrs. Ola Sanders.
- Pember & Stagg.
- Slaton Produce Co.
- Catching's Drug Store.
- Coleman Grocery.
- Slaton State Bank
- City Drug Store
- Payne Dry Goods Co.
- Maxey Dairy
- The Men's Store.
- Green's Garage.
- Teague's Drug Store
- Panhandle Lumber Co.
- Joe Spigel, Dry Goods.
- Slaton Home Mutual
- DeLong, Merchant Tailor.
- Paul Owens, O. D.
- Jackson Chevrolet Co.
- Slaton Variety Store.
- Texas Grocery.
- J. T. Overby.
- Slaton Second Hand Store.

## Car Foreman for Santa Fe On Vacation

W. E. Johnson, general car foreman for the Santa Fe, was granted his regular 14-day vacation this week, and left Thursday (today) for Kansas. His family accompanied him.

They will meet Mr. Johnson's brother-in-law in Kansas, and then take a fishing and hunting trip through Oklahoma and Kansas, traveling by automobile.

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

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The surest sign of worms in children is paleness, lack of interest in play, fretfulness, variable appetite, picking at the nose and sudden starting in sleep. When these symptoms appear it is time to give White's Cream Vermifuge. A few doses drives out the worms and puts the little one on the road to health again. White's Cream Vermifuge has a record of fifty years of successful use. Price 35c. Sold by CITY DRUG STORE



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THE DIVINE LOVE AND WISDOM, the profoundest book and revelation concerning God and His Creation ever written, first published in Latin at Amsterdam 1763; along with this is the "Intercourse Between the Soul and the Body" first published in Latin at London 1769.	\$1.25
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Flappers ought to be thinkers, so that when clothes fail them entirely, they can at least be wrapped in thought.

Arguments, however sound, that go contrary to a man's preconceived notion of things, fall on his understanding like water on a duck's back.

The joke about the pedestrian and the automobile bids fair to become as popular as was the mother-in-law joke a few years ago. The latter seems already to have superseded the former.

It being our self imposed duty to say what is wrong with the present generation, we remark that the trouble arises because mothers have forgotten one of the salutary uses our grandmothers made of the slipper.

These days when a young man says, "I am going to see my girl," the chances are ten to one he is telling you the literal truth. Dame fashion has decreed it thus.

Intelligence consists not so much in the ability to discover new facts as in ability to correlate and apply known facts.

Youth feels upon hope; old age upon regrets.

No labor is dishonorable that has a worthy end in view, while aimless toil is time squandered.

Nothing is inscrutable until we begin to think on it; then everything is.

Sentiment incites man to action, but it is reason that incites him to progress.

Folks behave, when they do behave, for one of two reasons: Either because they fear to do evil, or because they think it pays to behave. Personal selfishness and egotism form the background of human actions.

We know the world is progressing because the desire for good health is becoming almost as universal as is the desire for the American dollar.

The man self-ism goes wrong who in every emergency asks himself the question: "What is my present duty?"

Conscience is the mirror that reflects back to us our faults.

No one can be my friend who does not understand me, and all are my friends who do.

Most men who have greatly pleased the world proceeded only with the object in view of pleasing themselves.

Oftentimes strategy is only error that turns out well.

Pride is a heavy load that makes it impossible for him who carries it to surmount obstacles.

Passion drives us, but Reason leads, and generally in opposite directions.

Every rational human being is in reality two different persons: One is the fellow the world thinks him to be and the other is the fellow he knows himself to be.

A fool by his speech reveals what is in his mind, but a wise man by his speech conceals his mind.

While girls have been acquiring masculine attire, men have been acquiring the feminine blouse.

When in humanity's journey a new fact is discovered then and there the rational of mankind build a shrine.

The crying need of the world today is for someone to tell folks how to live today, and not how to die tomorrow.

The less a man knows the easier it is for him to control his thoughts, and therefore the easier for him to believe as he pleases. The ignorant person can believe anything.

**SCHOOL BEGINS MONDAY**

Next Monday morning the school bells ring again in Slaton. The 1926-27 term starts for boys and girls of this community. A year fraught with tremendous possibilities lies just ahead. What will we do with our opportunities?

Few towns have the school facilities Slaton has, when you consider the town's size and the number of years that have entered into school development. We have provided the material equipment for the training of our youth. The teachers have been secured who are capable of doing good work in their departments. We have hundreds of boys and girls who need the advantages of the schools. The use we make of all these opportunities will depend upon the parents, largely the parents.

As we begin the new school year, every parent who has a child in school should determine to give the best co-operation in making the year a profitable one. Unless you do the year will be lost so far as your child is concerned, and your failure to co-operate in the best sense will also hinder the work in general. Teachers, equipment and pupils are not all it takes to make a school. The parent factor is an important one.

As patrons, as citizens we have a great responsibility upon us as we enter the new school year. Will we face it properly? Let us determine to do so. By unstinted effort and loyal co-operation all down the line, let us make this the best year in Slaton school history.

**THE TECH COLLEGE**

In a few days more, the Tech College at Lubbock will open its doors to begin the second term of service to Texas. The record of the first year was remarkable. More than a thousand students were enrolled there last year—the first year. Think of it. And it is conservative to say that at least fifty per cent more students will attend this year than attended last.

Slaton sent a fine group of young men and young women to the Tech last year. The same thing, in greater degree, will happen this year. The school is near by, it is already one of the great schools of Texas, and local young men and young women will use the advantages thus offered. It is well, and we would encourage attending the Tech. We would not discourage attendance upon other good schools of the state, but especially if you have no particular choice, why not go to the Tech? And, perhaps, if you do have

**EXCHANGE SHOTS**

**NOT SATISFIED**

O. Boy, but when a man needs a vacation most is when he has just returned from one. The editor of this paper played around for a few weeks up in Colorado where the water is ice cold all the time and the weather is not much better. Just to think that we had to come home and go to work is almost heartbreaking. The day when you start on a vacation is a "grand and glorious feeling," but the day you start back is one in which a fellow is liable to take a good case of the grouches—and keep them for awhile, too. When we were a kid we wished that every day was Sunday. We now wish that every day was vacation day.—Plover Post.

Man is never satisfied. After he gets what he had been wanting so badly, he still wants something else—anything to bring about a change from what he has now. We see the editor of the Post is no exception to this rule. Anyway, the vacation season will soon be over. The next worries are about Santa Claus and coal bills.

**NOW A REALITY**

Lubbock's new hotel—for so many months a dream and for the past eight months a vision—today is a reality. It has opened its doors and stands towering a silent monument to the civic pride and co-operation of the South Plains' leading municipality.

Lubbock citizens can point with pride to that half million dollar hotel, which will radiate Lubbock hospitality to all who enter its portals. It bears the stamp of the chief ingredient of Lubbock's municipal make-up—secure belief in the future of both city and territory.—Lubbock Daily Journal.

A half-million dollar hotel is a really great accomplishment in a city the size of Lubbock. It took lots of hard work and the never-give-up spirit on the part of her citizens, but the main thing worthy of notice is that they HAVE THE NEW HOTEL. Slaton will take a step in that direction soon. A new hotel for Slaton is on the minds of her people, and will materialize when the move is started again in dead earnest.

a choice other than the Tech you would change that choice if you considered all the advantages Tech offers right at your door.

Let's help Tech grow. Let's enjoy the fine opportunities offered at the Tech which West Texas and Texas have never had until the Tech was founded.

**SOMEBODY SAID**

Somebody said the announcement that a test has been decided upon for the Robertson ranch just east of the Lubbock County line in Crosby County to drill for oil may result in more than even the most hopeful look forward to.

Somebody said it looks like this will be the best Fall season Slaton has seen in many years. It looked that way a year ago at this time, but we are all hoping nothing happens to blight the '26 prospects as it did in 1925.

Somebody said if things go on as well as they look now, there will be more new automobiles in this country this fall than at any time recently. Folks need cars and they should be purchased when needed, but we certainly do believe it will be easy for the people to go too far in the buying of automobiles this fall. When we warn the people against needless extravagance in this line we are befriending the automobile dealer as well as the would-be buyers.

Somebody said the recent announcement that purchasers of paint and rouge by women and girls had increased millions of dollars in the last year has been offset by the decrease in yardage required for dresses.

Somebody said bigotry is one of the most detestable characteristics an individual can be afflicted with. We agree on that point. There's no excuse for anyone becoming so self-important that he feels himself above other folks his equals. Democracy, congeniality, equality and fraternity are good principles to have incorporated in one's methods of living.

Somebody said most folks are afraid of dying, but that the thing needed is to prepare for living and the dying question will then be safely settled.

Somebody said when Slaton's new telephone system is completed next year, this city will have the most modern plan on the plains, considering the size of the town.

Somebody said there are entirely too many weeds and rubbish piles in the city limits. They ought to be cleaned up for health's sake, folks.

Somebody said Dan Moody bears every mark of distinguished qualifications for the governor's office. It's certain he will do better than have the Fergusons or else his administration will be a total failure.

Somebody said Father's Day comes twelve times a year—the first of each month.

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# SOCIETY

**Bluebonnet Club**  
 Mesdames Holt and McCall were hostesses to the Bluebonnet Club Friday, Sept. 3, at the home of the latter at 509 W. Lynn Street. We had election of officers which were as follows: Mrs. W. R. Lovett, president; Mrs. Leggy, V. president; Mrs. J. F. Merrill, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. F. B. Tudor, reporter. Two new members were taken in. They were Mesdames. B. H. Erwin and Roy Cobb.

A very busy hour was spent in making a quilt for the little adopted girl, after which the hostesses served a delightful salad course to the members. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. J. M. Hannah at 605 South Tenth Street with Mrs. W. E. Olive as assistant hostess. Each member is requested to bring quilt scraps.

**Pupils Entertain Parents**  
 The pupils of Miss Maggie Wallace George gave a recital at Miss George's home Tuesday evening, entertaining their parents and a few friends. Miss George opened their newly remodeled home in this manner and the occasion was greatly enjoyed by all. An ice course was served at the close of the program. These pupils appeared on the program: Virginia and Pauline Sanders, Helen Harlan, Le Roy Moss, Delva Etta Moss, Ethel Williams, Dorothy Alcorn.

**Mrs. Brewer Entertains Wed. Study**  
 The Wednesday Study Club was entertained last week by Mrs. Irving Brewer at her home on Garza Street. In the absence of the assigned leader, Mrs. Whitehead, the program on American Naturalists was very ably handled by Mrs. Richard Ragsdale. Those who contributed to the program besides the leader were Mesdames. Harry Stokes, L. L. Stone, K. C. Scott and Truman Case. At the close of the program an ice course was served to the members.

**"42" Party**  
 About forty young people gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. McManus, Saturday, to spend the evening in a social way with their son, Homer. Forty-two and various other games formed the entertainment for the evening, and at the close, an ice course was served. Friends from Plainview, Post and Lubbock were among the guests.

**Tres Mesa Bridge Club**  
 Mrs. Sam E. Staggs was hostess to the Tres Mesa Bridge Club Thursday afternoon. The usual number of games were enjoyed, after which Mrs. Staggs served a delightful two course lunch. Mrs. Woolfskill, Miss Mawdsley and Mrs. W. W. Walker, of Clovis, were guests of the club.

**Club Notes**  
 The Tres Mesa Bridge Club will meet September 16 with Mrs. R. A. Baldwin as hostess. The Civic and Culture Club has its next meeting Saturday, September 11, with Mrs. W. Donald, at her home 755 S. Eleventh St. The Thursday Bridge Club will meet September 16 instead of September 9 with Mrs. Kirby Brown as hostess, at her home 110 N. Sixth St.

Mrs. H. G. Whitaker left Tuesday for Springdale, Ark., for a month's visit with her mother and other relatives. D. H. Hanchett, of Idalou, was here on business Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. D. D. Phillips and Mrs. Audrey Phillips are in El Paso for the week-end. Mrs. Chas. Puck and daughter returned Friday from a six weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Oklahoma and Texas points. Miss Clarice Smith, of Albany, came to Slaton Sunday to be one of our teachers in the East Ward school. Mrs. Dick Odum and daughter came in Friday from their vacation spent in Florida and in Georgia with Mr. Odum's parents. Little Maxine was unfortunate enough to get her fingers mashed in a door just before arriving in Lubbock. She was cared for by physicians there at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Posey, and returned to Slaton the following day. Mrs. A. M. Morgan left this week for a few days' visit with friends in Newton, Kansas. Mr. and Mrs. LaMarr Forest and family, of Lamesa, spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Forest.

Miss Myrtle Shahan, of Abilene was the week-end guest of her cousin, Miss Verta Zuma McReynolds. Miss McReynolds also has as a guest another cousin, Miss Idellah Tomlinson, of Cisco. Mrs. John Hannah and daughter returned Wednesday from a month's visit in Alies and Blossing, Texas. Mrs. Hannah's niece, Miss Nedra Parker, returned with her to spend the winter. Royce Pember, Howard Hoffman and Walter McAtee will leave Saturday for Austin where Royce and Howard will enter the state university, while Walter will attend St. Edward's this winter. Friends will be glad to know that Patricia May Miller and her mother, Mrs. G. R. Miller, are home from a Lubbock sanitarium. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson, of Spur, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred England Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Moore, of Galveston, sister of Mrs. Kirby Brown, is visiting in the latter's home here. Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Brown spent Wednesday in Lamesa with their aunt, Mrs. Miller. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Moss enjoyed a day's visit last Sunday from Mrs. Moss' sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hill. They were on their way from Texico to Glen Rose.

Miss Nino Ruiz, of Denton, who is to teach Spanish in our high school this year, has arrived and is to be with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Payne. Miss Myrtle Young, of Amarillo, has come to Slaton to spend the winter with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Simmons, and to attend Slaton schools.

Miss Frances Guffin, who has spent part of her summer vacation with home folks at Roswell, has returned to Slaton to again take up her violin classes. Misses Faye and Aileen Tucker and Virginia Montague will leave Sunday morning for Austin to enter the University.

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**Judge Baldwin Moved Law Offices This Week**

Attorney R. A. Baldwin this week moved his law offices from the Masonic building to the second floor of the Slaton State Bank building, where some remodeling has been done and the law offices are housed in three very commodious and well furnished rooms.

The office rooms formerly occupied by Judge Baldwin in the Masonic building are being remodeled by the lodge and are to be converted into club rooms for use of members of that order and their families. When the building is completed it will contain a commodious dining room and kitchen, cloak rooms, lounging rooms, ante rooms, and all modern conveniences, a detailed account of which was published in a recent issue of The Slatonite. So that Slaton will have one of the best appointed and most completely equipped lodge rooms in this section of Texas.

The new improvements and alterations being made in the local Masonic hall involve the expenditure of several thousand dollars.

**Slatonite Readers Move Figures Ahead**

The following list includes those who have been added to our list as new subscribers or who have renewed their Slatonite subscriptions within the past few days:

L. R. Gregory, Mrs. Ola Sanders, E. G. Norman, Dr. J. L. Rice, R. F. Swenford, J. H. Reynolds, M. A. Smith, Panhandle Lumber Co., W. E. Johnson, Dr. H. F. Miller, Fred B. Tudor, J. S. Vaughn, Mrs. W. H. Proctor, Dr. W. A. Tucker, G. M. Cullar, R. L. Castle, J. F. Aiton, J. T. Overby, D. B. Walker, Perry Moss, Thomas G. McEver, A. I. Kuykendall, J. H. Reeves, H. L. Henderson, J. S. McDonald, L. M. Smith, W. B. Russell, J. J. Niehoff, H. H. Eubanks, T. J. Ervin, R. W. Scott, Jack Lokey, W. T. Wickler, W. T. Sprating, M. B. Tate, G. T. Hammett.

**Return From Vacation Trip To Austin**

Misses Lucile and Lillian Henry, and Mrs. Charles Austin and children have returned to their homes here after a visit with relatives and friends at Austin. They report a splendid trip with the exception of the accident they had when a car collided with their own car on the highway as they were changing a tire by the roadside on the way to Austin. Mrs. Austin and Miss Lillian Henry, both of whom were injured, are getting along fine. Other members of the party were shaken up pretty badly, but were none the worse for the accident a short time after it happened. Friends here will be glad to know they had a pleasant visit despite the accident.

**New And Old Students Come To The Tech**

Lubbock, Sept. 8.—The Texas Technological College and the dormitories adjoining the campus are visited by a large number of old students and prospective students daily who come to Lubbock to make preparations to attend the fall term which opens September 20. Many of these students, especially the boys, are remaining in Lubbock until the Tech opens. The cars parked in front of the administration building at all hours of the day; which bring hundreds of visitors to the Tech, would indicate that class work was under way. All of the visitors are interested in the Tech and almost every car brings old students and prospects.

**Tech Teachers Returning For Fall Term**

Lubbock, Sept. 8.—Members of the Tech faculty are returning to Lubbock daily to begin the work of organization preparatory to the opening of the fall term, September 20. Members of the faculty have spent the summer in various localities. A greater per cent of them have done some work in other institutions of the United States, either as instructors in summer school or working on advanced degrees. However, a few of the faculty members have spent the summer in recreation, some going for a tour of Europe. But all are returning with enthusiasm for the fall term. The work of organization is going forward rapidly now, and by the time registration begins every department will be well organized.

**SAVE LEAVES**

As alfalfa leaves contain two-thirds of the feeding value of the plant, an effort should be made to get the hay into the stack or mow with as large a proportion of leaves as possible.

**Slaton-Lubbock Rotarians To Play Ball Game**

The program at the Slaton Rotary luncheon last Friday noon was in charge of Superintendent Sone, and dealt with the sixth object of Rotary—International Peace. It was an interesting and profitable meeting.

Ben F. Smith was called on and read a paper on the subject, "The Goal of Rotary—International Peace." It was a well prepared article and was enjoyed by all present.

The Club discussed the proposition of establishing a Student Loan Fund, and because it developed that the members were not fully informed on the details of the plan, and because it was thought better to go into the matter a little more fully, definite action was deferred. All seem of the opinion that such action would be a worthy enterprise, but some believe that the club is not yet financially able to undertake it, because of the added financial burden on the members which many of them do not think wise to take on at this time.

Alex DeLong, chairman of the committee to arrange the ball game between the Lubbock and Slaton Rotary Clubs, reported that the game would be staged next Friday afternoon. The Lubbock Rotary Club will be guests of the Slaton Rotarians at the luncheon tomorrow, and the game will be played probably commencing about 2:30 o'clock. Much interest is being manifested in this event, for it is known in advance that the contest will be a classical affair if it does not develop sufficient talent to make it classy.

On September 17, at the Club House, in the evening, the Slaton Rotarians will stage another ladies' night, at which time wivas and sweethearts—wives of those who are married and sweethearts only of the unmarried—will be present. A breezy program is being arranged for that occasion.

Prof. Culwell, who is to be Superintendent of the West Ward school for the coming year, was a guest of the club last Friday.

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A garnish of whipped cream on milk soups improves their appearance and adds to their food value.

**Lubbock Entertaining Teachers This Week**

The teachers of several counties in this section of the South Plains are being entertained by Lubbock people this week as they attend the Teachers' Institute which started Monday. The sessions are being held at the Tech College and will continue through Friday.

The teachers of the Slaton schools are in attendance on the Institute, and will return here to be ready for the opening of Slaton schools next Monday.

Supt. C. L. Sone is an assistant conductor of the Institute now in session at Lubbock.

Savory fats can be made by cooking beef, pork, and other meat fats with herbs or strong vegetable juices, particularly onion, and straining for use in seasoning gravies and meat dishes.

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Cotton Growers**

We wish to announce that we have added new cleaning equipment which doubles our former cleaning capacity in the ginning of cotton. Also, we have installed the round bale press. We are better prepared than ever before to give you the very highest type of ginning service.

With the ginning season right at hand, we take pleasure in announcing that we are ready to take care of your patronage, and that we solicit your ginning business this fall. Give us the chance to serve you and we know you will be satisfied.

**Slaton Gin Company**

R. H. TUDOR, Manager

**To the Farmers of Union Community**

In ten days our new gin in the Union community eight miles west of Slaton will be ready to gin your cotton. The entire plant is new and modern all the way through. We have bought only the latest model machinery for this plant, including the best of cleaning equipment.

All the farmers in the territory which our gin has been built to serve are extended a cordial invitation to give us your patronage. We can assure you that we are fully able to give satisfaction in ginning your cotton. Fair treatment and good service will be our policy at all times.

**Bring Us Your Cotton**

**Union Gin Company**

D. V. FONDY, Manager