



**City Health Officer Warns Against Disease**

To the Citizens of Slaton: There is some typhoid fever in this vicinity, and we all want to do our best to avoid an epidemic this fall. Let's keep our premises clean; destroy everything that draws flies, leave no melon rinds, empty cans, and other refuse to draw flies. If you have out-door toilets, use lots of lime in them; cut the weeds and grass around your yards. Typhoid is a fifth disease, and we can keep it stamped out if we keep our premises clean. If you have been around cases of fever, you had better have your family physician give you typhoid serum; it is an absolute preventative. S. H. ADAMS, City Health Officer.

**Local Man Named As Ins. Representative**

Dallas, Texas, Aug. 25.—R. W. Ragsdale, of Slaton, Texas, has been named agent for the Southland Life at Slaton, according to an announcement today. Neil Wright, of Lubbock, is district agent for the company which is one of the strongest in the South.

Mrs. Percy Minor and daughter, Doris, left Thursday for a few weeks visit with Mr. Minor's parents, in Amarillo.

**CHILDREN'S FATAL DISEASES**

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**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. 45-tfc

**FOR SALE**—Plenty of nice tomatoes, turnip greens and other vegetables, at the stand opposite Trammel House. Drive by and sample them.—Guy Brown. 1c

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

**ROUGH DRY**—Or finished. Good service, prompt delivery.—Slaton Steam Laundry. Phone 112. 1c

**FOR SALE**—My home in west Slaton. Will price right for quick sale, with liberal terms. See me at once.—R. A. Baldwin. 48-tfc



**FOR RENT**—One, two or three rooms, 3 blocks of high school. Prices reasonable. Address box 891, Slaton. 1p

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

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

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**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

**WANTED**—To do house work for board during school. 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

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

**Here's To Slaton**

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of civilization, that marvelous perfection of transportation and financial enterprise, to strike the soil with its rod of industry and the stream of activity that gushed forth marked the streets of the city that was to fulfill the dreams of primeval man. And thus we have Slaton. It is no idle prophecy that in two years, Slaton will be the largest city on the South Plains, and in ten years will rival Amarillo, the metropolis of northwest Texas. But that is also another theme.

Having the town of Slaton, it is only natural that the next necessary thing is THE SLATONITE. Here it is. We are here because we are here. We could not resist the invitation to come and help build a city.

We are not here to boost any ring, fic or faction, but to boost the whole city of Slaton. We are not here to knock anybody or interfere with anybody else's business, but to make an honest profit in the printing business in this Pride of the Plains.

We are here to promote every good enterprise that tends to make a bigger, better, and a prosperous city; that helps to keep our citizens law abiding, and uplifts the spirit of a Christian community.

We need advance no further assertions of our principles; you will see them week by week, month by month, and year by year as we produce THE SLATONITE, and you can judge whether we ring true or not.

In building a paper such as you want to hasten the coming of our city into its own, only one thing is necessary. We must have your liberal patronage. A newspaper is different from other business lines in that it is absolutely dependent on the other business firms of the town for its patronage. So the paper will be what you make it, after we have proved our worth. In return for your advertising placed in these columns, we expect to send the paper to every farmer in any way interested in trading here, and to build up a large foreign list for the benefit of the real estate men.

In return for your patronage to our job department, we will give you the best of up-to-date work, and handle your orders expeditiously.

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You boost us, and we'll boost Slaton.

Sincerely,  
The Publishers.

**Program South Plains Teachers' Institute**

Following is the program for the South Plains Teachers' Institute, to be held at Lubbock, September 6 to 10:

Conductor, F. W. Horn, president of the Texas Technological College; assistant conductors, A. W. Evans, Texas Technological College; C. L. Sone, superintendent schools, Slaton. Faculty: P. W. Horn, conductor; A. W. Evans, assistant conductor, C. L. Sone, assistant conductor; W. E. Witt Lubbock high school, secretary; G. N. Atkinson, Lubbock, chairman committee on houses; Miss Lila Baugh, Teachers' College, Kingsville, Texas; Miss Corinne Nash, Lubbock; J. M. Gordon, Texas Technological College; M. H. Duncan, Lubbock, A. H. Leidigh, Technological College; Miss Margaret Weeks, Texas Technological College; Miss Louise Ocker, Miss Mary Dunn, E. J. Lower, with C. L. Sone, committees on Athletic and social events.

C. H. Judd, head of School of Education, University of Chicago, will speak twice daily to General Section. He will speak at 9 o'clock and 1:30 o'clock. His subjects will be as follows:

Monday—Reading.  
Tuesday—Numbers.  
Wednesday Morning—Spelling.  
Wednesday Afternoon—Geography.  
Thursday Morning—The Results of Expansion of American Education.  
Thursday Afternoon—The Social Psychology as a Basis of Education.  
Friday Morning—Curriculum Reconstruction.  
Friday Afternoon—Scientific Studies in Education.

Mrs. S. M. N. Marrs will present the work of the State Parents' and Teachers' Association.

Miss Katherine Hagquist will present the work of the State Health Department.

Miss Nora M. Deaver will give special demonstrations for teachers of penmanship.

Dr. D. C. McIntosh, of the A. & M. College, will present the work of Rural Schools.

During the course of the week there will be one evening lecture by Dr. C. H. Judd open to the public. On another evening there will be a musical entertainment.

There will also be present a repre-

Claude V. Hall, 1917-20



**Eight School Superintendents Here Since Town Was Laid Out Back In 1911**

The schools of Slaton, through the fifteen years of her busy life, have had eight different superintendents. They are: W. P. Florence, 1911-12; Mr. Faulkner, 1912-14; Mr. Terrell, 1914-16; M. E. Johnson, 1916-17; Claude V. Hall, 1917-20, three terms; Mr. Rives, 1920-21; J. W. Martin, 1921-22, and it was at this time that the schools began to experience such remarkable expansion; and following the one term of Mr. Martin, the present superintendent, C. L. Sone, came to the Slaton schools in 1922, and has been a large factor in bringing about the vast improvements seen in these years.

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**L. Susser Back From Trip to Market Centers**

L. Susser, of the Texas Dry Goods Store, has returned from a trip covering a period of several days, when he went to the market centers of the east for a fling at fall and winter buying of merchandise. He reports a very pleasant trip and that he is well pleased with the results he achieved in making his purchases.

Mrs. J. F. Anton and daughters left Wednesday for a short visit in Amarillo with friends.

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

Mrs. Ola Sanders returned Sunday from Galveston where she had gone for a visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stokes and daughter are home from their vacation spent in Washington and California. Mr. Stokes is feeling much better now after having had an operation while in San Francisco.

R. A. Baldwin left Wednesday morning for Austin to be away for several days.

Sam Willbanks, who has been doing some summer work at the University, is visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Willbanks.

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# Society and Personal

## Mrs. Speer Addresses Civic and Culture Club

On Saturday of last week, Mrs. J. F. Frye was hostess to the Civic and Culture Club at the regular meeting for the month of August. During an important business session, several matters of interest were decided upon for the coming club year, after which Miss Frances Adams gave, in a very charming manner, two readings.

Mrs. W. B. Price, president of the Seventh District T. F. W. C., then introduced Mrs. Elizabeth Speer, of Austin, executive secretary of the Texas Board of Prison Reform, who spoke to the club women in the interest of the prison reform being carried on by this Texas board, explaining the manner in which the work is conducted and asking support for the amendment to be submitted to the voters in the November election.

A two-course lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by her nieces, Misses Frances and Josephine Adams.

The next club meeting will be held September 11, at the home of Mrs. S. H. Adams, with a study of Early American Writers, this being the first lesson in the course for the year which is a study of American writers, such as arranged by the chautauquus press.

## Watermelon Feast

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tudor and Mrs. Wm. Lovett entertained at a watermelon spread for Miss Tommie Kirby at the canyon last Thursday evening. Games were played and a general good time enjoyed before the young people returned to town. Miss Tommie was the inspiration of a number of lovely affairs while she visited in Slaton, and this was just another added to the list. These young people enjoyed the affair: Tommie Kirby, Hazel Mansker, Virginia McKirahan, Inez Tunnell, Elizabeth Lanham, Willina Lovett, Leo Scott, Robert Siler, Gerald Woolver, Demp and Otis Cannon, Ray Darwin and Willie George.

## Mesdames. McWilliams and Ayres Hostesses

(Received too late for last week's issue).  
Mrs. G. M. Ayres and Mrs. Oran McWilliams were hostesses to a delightful dinner on Wednesday evening honoring Tommie Kirby, who, with her mother, are visiting Slaton friends.

The girls were invited to the Lone Star Cafe where a course dinner was served at seven-thirty. The hostesses then invited the guests to a drug store where an ice course was served, and each guest found a beautiful favor or at her plate. After the girls bid the hostesses goodbye, they went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lovett, where they were guests of Willina at a slumber party. Those enjoying the affair were Tommie Kirby, Hazel Mansker, Virginia McKirahan, Inez Tunnell and Willina Lovett.

## Chapter Meets with Mrs. Adams

The Vada Gilliland Chapter of the Young Ladies Missionary Society, of the Methodist church, met with Mrs. S. H. Adams Monday afternoon. The book of Esther was beautifully told by Miss Joe Hestand and general discussion was enjoyed. Mrs. Adams, as leader of the young people, is doing a splendid work and it is her desire that all members attend the next Monday meeting, which will be held at her home 255 S. 10th St., at 4:30 o'clock.

## Campfire Girls Enjoy Picnic

The Bon Son Gee Camp Fire girls, chaperoned by their guardian and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Anderson, drove out to Payton's pool for a swim on Monday evening. This girls enjoyed the water. Then before the picnic was spread, they gave their dance and songs about the camp fire, where later weiners were fried and marshmallows toasted. The girls who attended were Claudie Anderson, Mildred Boyd, Lorene McClintock, Ruby Teague, Flora May Cook, Josephine Adams, and Virginia McKirahan. Miss Nadine North was a guest.

Miss Evelyn Hefner has returned to her home at Levelland after two weeks' visit with Miss Thelma Garland.

Ralph L. Mabry, of Abilene, has resigned his position there and accepted a position here with the Santa Fe.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Williams, Friday, Aug. 27, a fine baby boy, weighing 13 pounds. The mother and child are reported doing fine.

George Marriott, who has been ill for the past week, is very much improved, we are glad to state.

## Birthday Party for Three

Last Thursday afternoon, David Todd and Lois Nell and William T. Spratling, Jr., celebrated their birthdays with a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Todd. Many of their little friends were present and the group was delightfully entertained by Misses Maggie George and Maxine Kimmel. After the children became tired from playing the many games which were provided, the birthday cakes were brought out and everybody enjoyed watching the candles burn and then in assisting the three little hostesses in blowing them out.

A delightful ice course was served by Mesdames Todd and Spratling. Those present were: Naoma Sherrod, June Graves, Essie Graves, Billy Ball, Christine Brooks, Minnie Will Wootton, Marion Bectal, Roy Childress, Florence Baldwin, Elizabeth Baldwin, Janet Wilson, Richard Ragsdale, Dorothy McAlister, Merle Haggerman, Alva Simms Wilks, Elvira Smith, Junior Collier, Reo Hood, Mary Lemons, Loretta Puett, Marguerite Puett, Vera Lee Blundell, J. P. Adams, Jr., Beatrice Adams, Edward Adams, De Nola Elrod, J. W. Elrod, Jo Jo Elrod, Madine Kimmel, Mary Lee Kemp, Frank Todd, Junior Todd, Maggie George, Maxine Kimmel.

## Miss Marriott Entertains

Miss Audrey Marriott honored her house guests, Miss Dorothy Ryan and Miss Elaine Davidson, with a swimming party and picnic at Payton's on Wednesday evening of last week. The party left for the pool late in the afternoon, while Mrs. Chas. Marriott followed with the picnic lunch later. These young visiting girls have been the inspiration of a number of social affairs while the guests of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Marriott. Those who enjoyed this affair besides the guests of honor were Marian McHugh, Margaret Smith, Ura Taylor and Pauline Marriott.

R. R. Howe, of Seagraves, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Mansker and family at the Slaton Hotel.

## NOTHING LIKE IT ON EARTH

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## Presbyterian Men Have Social

The men of the First Presbyterian church gathered at the church building on Thursday night for a social evening. The attendance was splendid and the meeting was very enjoyable. An ice course was served at the close of the meeting.

S. A. Peavy returned Saturday from Clovis, New Mexico, where he went a few days before for medical attention. Mr. Peavy returned to his work Sunday feeling much improved.

Mrs. J. F. Anton and daughters, Misses Mary and Charlotte, left Wednesday for Los Vegas, to visit the former's parents a few days. They will visit the Carlsbad Cave before returning home in time for the beginning of school.

Joe Burton, who has been visiting his mother and sister, left last week for Leland Stanford University, where he is studying to be a physician. Joe had not been home for three years and his many friends were glad to see him.

Miss Mae Driver, who is in training as a nurse in the Lubbock Sanitarium, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Driver, here Tuesday.

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The value of railroads in Texas is more than \$700,000,000.

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You can't expect other people to follow your advice when you won't.

A parent's love for his child will not ruin the child unless he mixes bad judgment with it.

Some people must do the world's drudgery in order that other people may enjoy the world's Art.

Children care nothing for precept but follow gladly after examples.

The Republicans in Texas will elect a governor this fall, and so will the Democrats, but the selection of the latter will draw the pay.

There will be more business and less distraction in the masculine mind when, and only when, sufficient time shall have elapsed to enable the masculine gender to become accustomed to the sight of bare knees peeking out from under super abbreviated skirts.

Col. H. H. Haines, of Houston, Republican candidate for governor, stated the other day, as per press reports, that he would NOT be surprised if Texas went Republican this fall, which remark forces us to lose faith either in his sanity or his sincerity.

Did you notice the fact that last week Rudolph Valentino, the movie actor, who died, got far more publicity, bigger and more prominent headlines in the newspapers than did Dr. Charles W. Eliot, President Emeritus of Harvard and the world's leading educator, who also died about the same time? The death of which one of these men most excited YOUR interest—and regret—and why?

Evolution is that branch of science which seeks to understand and explain the changes that have taken place and are now taking place in the visible universe. Religion seeks to understand and explain the things that pertain to the invisible universe. It is not improbable that both, insofar as they rest upon truth, are laws of life that, traced back far enough have a common origin, and that origin divine.

The Slatonite is able this week to make definite announcement to its readers that the next governor of Texas will not be any person named Ferguson.

In one respect, at least, the people of Texas on last Saturday agreed with Jim Ferguson. Jim said the issue in the campaign was Moodyism. We think so, too. Did you note how popular the issue was?

Young married men used to be able to make their young wives rave by telling of the wonderful pies "mother used to bake," and now the young married woman makes her young husband rave by telling him how much better was the home brew her father used to make.

We really can't expect much progress to be made in reforming the world until the business of reforming is placed on a more paying basis than it is at present.

We imagine that many a writer has refrained from boldly expressing his honest thought because of fear that by so doing he would lose patronage.

It makes us dejected to think that even if we were to attain the luxuries which our mind pictures before us, they would eventually become bore-some to us through intimate enjoyment.

Our definition of a poor sport is a candidate who has run for office, been defeated, and goes about with an expression on his face that makes us believe sugar would turn sour in his mouth.

Most anything will thrive on opposition. Now that Mexico is fighting the church, nearly everybody down there has discovered that he wants to go to church. A church scandal works the same way. Look at Fort Worth.

An anomaly is a money lender who can lose interest while he is losing the interest.

**SETTLED BY THE PEOPLE**

The question as to whether Dan Moody or Mrs. Ferguson should win the democratic nomination for the governorship in Texas was settled in Saturday's primary election when Moody polled a majority of almost two to one over Mrs. Ferguson, out of a vote that will total near the 800,000 mark when they are all counted.

The voice of the people spoke again in clairton tones Saturday. All Texas is glad it is ever. And, Texas is satisfied with the results. Whispered comment that there might be an independent candidate or a Republican candidate in the general election who could defeat Dan Moody is idle talk, for Dan Moody has too large a support in Texas for such to be the case, even if an attempt were to be made.

It is altogether likely that Moody will be inaugurated as governor in January, regardless of Mrs. Ferguson's decision to resign or not to resign—for her term expires at that time.

**CORRUPTION IN ELECTIONS**

Over in Dallas County there has been pending in the courts a contest of the first primary election between Schuyler Marshall, Jr., present sheriff, and Allen Seale, his opponent.

The vote as tabulated from the July primary gave Seale a lead of 124 votes over Marshall. The latter brought a contest, alleging many acts of corruption and charged, in short, that persons holding the election in many of the various boxes over the county, simply stole the election from him.

The final count of the ballots as made under orders of the court reverses the count of the election officers and gives Marshall a lead of 367 votes—a change of 491 votes. Most of these were accounted for by the fact that election officers called for Seale votes that were in fact cast for Marshall. It is not disclosed that either of the candidates were responsible for this corruption.

But it is corruption of the very worst, most detestable sort. There is no sort of thieving quite so reprehensible as that of an election officer stealing a vote that has been cast by a fellow citizen. It is the most detestable theft that any animal in human form can commit.

In some of the Dallas County boxes, it was found that as many as twenty-eight votes cast for one candidate were counted for the other, making a difference in the net result for that box of 56 votes. That is too great to admit honest mistake. It evidences a deliberate attempt to steal the election.

The most valuable political right the citizen possesses is the right to take part in his government. This right can be exercised only through the privilege of the elective franchise. That is the means by which he expresses his choice. When the citizen goes to the ballot box and casts his vote, he has the right to have that ballot counted just as he votes it. To have it counted otherwise is a blow at the very foundation of our government. It is corruption that eats at the vitals of civil liberty and democratic institution.

No man ever committed a crime that more thoroughly deserved a penitentiary sentence than the men who, in Dallas County, entrusted with the responsibility of holding the election, deliberately stole votes from one candidate and gave them to another. We hope the hand of the law falls heavily upon all such, as a fitting punishment upon all such, as a fitting example to others who may be tempted to engage in this most contemptible practice.

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**EXCHANGE SHOTS**

**A PLACE TO WORK**

If any of the civic organizations of this community should run short of anything to do, they might take up the school grounds in this city and undertake a definite program of beautifying them.

We have just as good, if not better school buildings than are found in the ordinary town the size of Lamesa. They are well-kept and are a credit to our city and the surrounding country, but wouldn't they look much better if the ground were in better shape?

There should be trees, flowers, walks and other things there that would add much to the looks of the property and be a distinct credit to the town.

There are school grounds in West Texas that are beauty spots of those towns, but Lamesa's school grounds will not come under that heading.

The property at present is kept clean, but that doesn't look very pretty, just bare ground, with no aids of the artificial or means that would tend to improve the appearance of the property.—Dawson Co. Journal.

In a measure, the same conditions prevail in Slaton. However, the civic organizations of the town have done some of this kind of work, and the school children themselves have also done some beautifying of school grounds by the planting of trees. But, there is plenty left undone. And it should be done by somebody, for the simple reason that it has not yet been finished. Slaton deserves as pretty school grounds as does any town. We have some of the most modern and best-equipped buildings in the West, and the grounds ought not to be neglected. We believe our civic bodies will incorporate plans of this kind in their programs, and certainly it will be a worthy task, challenging the support of all.

**BACON AND—**

We think it is a mighty good idea to raise your own bacon and eggs.—Lubbock Morning Avalanche.

Especially if one is as fond of those two articles of food as this writer is. We like them every morning for breakfast, all the year 'round. That's the menu for us. But, listen, since bacon has gone up so much of late, it's a terrible expense to keep on tickling the palate with the favorite delectable breakfast—because we have to buy it. Every time bacon is bought one is reminded that to raise one's own bacon would save considerable cash. Eggs are no too high now, but there's a season just ahead when they will be. But, if we raised our own bacon, our neighbors wouldn't like us, and the producer of pork from whom we now get our supply would lose a valued customer, etc., etc. It's a problem, but after all, when 'tiss can raise your own bacon and eggs, do it, and if you can't and still want them, buy them if you can afford it; otherwise, be satisfied with something else. That's the policy we'll have to follow ourselves.

The Slatonite is in receipt of Volume One, Number One, of the Abilene Morning News, this initial number of Abilene's new publication having been published Wednesday, Sept. 1. The News is published by the Reporter Publishing Company, and is to be issued daily, except Monday. We thank the News for making us a charter member of its exchange list.

The world's best authorities on the problem of unemployment are those who never employ anyone and who never suffer themselves to be employed—the members of this and every other town's whittle and spit club.

**SOMEBODY SAID**

Somebody said last week he drove forty miles in the country without any trouble, and then when he got back into town he got "stuck" in the mud on Texas Avenue. It was all on account of the tear-up accompanying the paving of streets, however. But, at the same time, we don't mean to praise the streets as they were before paving was started.

Somebody said the police force here would have a real job when the paving is finished—enforcing traffic laws.

Somebody said the board of city development plan is the best thing for the town they have heard mentioned in a long time.

Somebody said the Masons would certainly have a fine lodge hall here when their improvements are finished. Announcement of the starting of the remodeling of the hall was made in the Slatonite last week.

Somebody said if everybody would keep their own premises clean there would be no typhoid fever, or at least very little in the town. Unclean premises are not only a menace to the home where they exist, but to neighbors all around.

Somebody said the announcement that several blocks more of paving are to be had means a lot to Slaton and her onward march to progress.

Somebody said! The Slatonite is fifteen, going on sixteen.

Somebody said Slaton did her duty Saturday when she piled up a big vote for Dan Moody.

Somebody said mosquitoes are worse in Slaton this year than they have been in many, many years. The trouble lies in frequent rainfall and neglect of drainage, disposal of empty cans, etc.

Somebody said The Slatonite's fifteenth anniversary edition published last week was the best thing they have seen done in newspaperdom in Slaton for a long, long time.

Somebody said it wouldn't be long until gins will be humming night and day turning out bale after bale of the fleecy staple.

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**Famous Mex. Orchestra Coming to Lubbock**

One of the biggest musical attractions that has ever come to the South Plains will be at Lubbock September 8 when the Imperial Symphony Orchestra, of Mexico, will play there at the Texas Tech Pavillion under the auspices of the South Plains Music Teachers' Association, according to a letter just received from Miss Mary Dunn, of Lubbock, who is president of the Association. Miss Jeannette Ramsey, of Slaton, is secretary of the Association.

The orchestra is making its first American tour and is meeting with hearty applause every where it plays. One minute the listener is delighted with the freshness of the popular Mexican airs, to be soothed a moment later by the sweetness and solemnity of the classics of the Southern Republic. Standard semi-classical numbers, grand opera selections, popular ballads and old time melodies have their place on the evening's program.

The forty-piece orchestra is under the direction of Robert L. Rechey, graduate of the Mexican Conservatory of Music. He played for President Diaz when he was ten years of age and was pronounced a genius by the president. In addition to the Orchestra proper, the Symphony party includes a number of prominent soloists of Mexico.

Among the numbers on the program is "The Overture from William Tell," "A Selection from Carmen," and many others.

The orchestra will be at the Tech Pavillion during the South Plains Teachers' Institute and in addition to the teachers who will attend, a large number of music lovers from the entire South Plains section are expected to hear the program which will be the outstanding musical attraction in this section for a long time.

**Fine Arts Teachers to Begin Work Monday**

The Fine Arts teachers of the public school will open their studios Monday morning at nine o'clock, at the high school building, it is announced.

Mothers and pupils are urged to come and get the children enrolled before school begins. New members wishing to enter high school and junior orchestras are urged to come and register.

New teachers have been added to our faculty and we are more capable of taking care of many children.

The teachers for the term are: Miss Jeannette Ramsey, piano; Miss Grace L. Bailey, piano and director of high school orchestras; Miss Frances Guffin, violin and director of junior; Miss Winnie May Crawford, expression.

—Contributed.

**Local Boys Will Defend Tennis Title**

William Sewell and Wilson McKirahan will leave Sunday for Big Spring, where they will enter the tennis tournament being held there Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, and will defend the loving cup won by them last year. If the boys are successful in winning the cup again this year, it will become their permanent property.

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

**WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS**

**White Deer**—A contract for a new forty-five room hotel has been closed here recently. Each of the rooms will have an outside exposure and will be equipped with all modern conveniences. This building will also be used for a number of offices, which will also have the advantage of outside exposures.

**Lubbock**—Lubbock's new \$500,000 six-story hotel is to be opened this week according to the manager. The hotel is modern in every particular. There are 124 guest rooms, a large lobby and coffee shop on the main floor, a banquet hall, and three private dining rooms. There will also be an open court for dancing and for public gatherings.

**Big Lake**—This city's paving program is to be gotten under way soon, following a recent meeting of property owners relative to carrying out the program which has been arranged, calling for paving from the Orient Ry. north to Main and one block each way on all streets at their intersections with Main Street.

**Rising Star**—Work of the Brownwood-Rising Star state highway is making good progress. The right of way, which will go through fields, will be delayed until crops are gathered. Three crews are at work on this project at present.

**Clyde**—Answering the call of Secretary W. H. Shanks, of the Chamber of Commerce, the Callahan County Sheep and Goat Raisers Association has recently been organized. The organization plans to build ware houses at Clyde and make the city a market center for their products.

**Plainview**—An incubator with a 12,000 egg capacity will be installed in Plainview by the Banner-Price Company, of this city. The firm will have baby chicks to sell in season. M. M. Bonner believes that there will be a good market for the custom-hatching. The incubator to be used as one of the largest of its type sold.

**Sweetwater**—Agitation is being started here for the establishment of a local creamery to be owned and operated by local dairymen. This project was started soon after the recent organization of the Nolan County Dairymen's Association.

**Slaton**—The Southwestern Bell Telephone Company expects to spend an amount of \$77,000 in new building, new outside equipment, and the installation of the new common battery system here soon. The completion of the new system is expected early in the new year.

**Alamogordo, N. M.**—Work on the new power and light plant for this city has begun. C. M. Einhart of this city is to be manager of the new plant. A total of 2,300 volts of current will be generated by the plant. Lines are to be built immediately to Tulorosa and to the shallow water pumping belt. They will be constructed to other cities later. The cost of the entire plant is to exceed \$200,000.

**Stamford**—The West Texas Chamber of Commerce has been instrumental in aiding the farmer to kill the leaf worm which has recently made its way into the bumper cotton crop of West Texas. The Chamber has put those commodities needing calcium

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to thank our many friends, including the Santa Fe shop boys, for their many kind deeds shown us during our sorrow in the death and burial of our loved son, husband and brother, also for the many beautiful floral offerings. At this time of our deep troubles, we haven't the words to express our gratitude.

Mrs. M. M. Pounds, mother, Mrs. Florence Pounds, wife, Mrs. J. D. Speck, sister, Mrs. A. A. Burch, sister, Mrs. J. C. Speck, sister, Mrs. J. T. Gross, sister, Mrs. A. S. Traweck, sister, Mrs. J. C. Becham, sister, H. A. Pounds, brother, F. S. Pounds, brother, Britton Pounds, brother.

arsenate or other poisons for this pest in touch with places where supply was in excess of the demand.

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**A KITCHEN CONVENIENCE**

A breakfast alcove in a farm kitchen is a great convenience. Use a painted stationary table and built-in benches or seats to match. Such an alcove is cheerful and attractive, and as it is so close to the source of supplies and so easily kept clean it saves the housewife considerable labor.

**CUSTARD**

A soft custard should be cooked slowly in a double boiler and stirred almost constantly.

**PLENTY PICKLES**

Watermelons seem to be especially plentiful this year. The rinds make delicious preserves and good pickles.

The capital of Texas has been at Austin since 1845. Prior to that time it had been at Washington, Harrisburg, Galveston, Velasco, Quintana, Columbia and Houston.

**AMERICAN FRYS**

When frying potatoes use but little fat and a heavy skillet. Let all the pieces brown on one side before turning them and cook only enough at a time to cover the bottom of the skillet in a thin layer.

**VARIETY IN BREAD**

Everyone gets tired of eating the same kind of bread day after day. Introduce variety by having whole wheat, graham, or rye bread once in awhile; sweet breads, such as raisin, date, nut or coffee ring; quick breads like muffins and biscuits; crisp breads, including toast, crackers, or bread sticks.

To remove a light scorch stain from a cotton fabric moisten the stain with water and place in the sun.

J. W. Hood made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

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- We appreciate and wish to express our unbounded gratitude to
- Those who by their support made possible our anniversary edition celebrating our fifteenth birthday as a Slaton institution.
- The hundreds and even thousands who have been and who are now members of our large family of readers.
- The business men, business firms and individuals who have patronized our advertising columns and bought job printing at The Slatonite office through all or a part of the past fifteen years.
- To all and any other friends who may not be included in the above enumerations.

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# Society and Personal

## Combs-Moore

Miss Arah Moore and J. W. Combs were quietly married last Monday afternoon by Rev. Graves Darby, of Wilson. Miss Arah is one of Slaton's most charming young ladies, the daughter of Mrs. Erah M. Moore, and is loved by all who know her. She has been employed by the Slaton Variety store for the past several months. The groom, Mr. J. W. Combs, is a native of Leonard, Texas, but is at present in the employ of the Santa Fe railway company here. They are at home for the present at the home of Mrs. T. O. Fetty.

They are planning to leave on their bridal trip sometime after the twentieth of this month, when they will visit the groom's relatives at Leonard, and at other points in the east.

## Slaton Boy Honored

Royce Morgan Pember, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Pember, of this city, is in receipt of a telegram from the Texas Tech Toradors, asking him to sign with them for the coming season as their pianist. The Toradors have an enviable reputation throughout West Texas, and only the best musicians play with them. These boys make more than enough to pay their expenses through school, and are quite popular, being much in demand wherever orchestra music is played. It is quite an honor to be asked to play with them, and we are justly proud of our home town boy. Mr. Pember, however, declined the position, as he will return to the State University, at Austin this fall, where he plays in the well known Longhorn Band. He has had quite a bit of experience along this line, as he played with the National Guards this summer and has organized several orchestras here.

## Mrs. Klasner Entertains

Mrs. J. A. Klasner was hostess to the Thursday Lodge Club last week. Mrs. Klasner, assisted by her sister, Mrs. Hodges, served a two course lunch to these members and guests: Mesdames, J. O. Miller, of Dallas, H. W. Ragsdale, Richard Ragsdale, J. F. Anton, Morgan, Staggs, McKirahan and Hestano.

## Bluebonnet Club

The Blue Bonnet Needle Club meets today with Mesdames, McCall and Holt, at the home of the former at 500 W. Lynn St.

Each member is requested to be present for this in election of officers, also bring quilt scraps as we are making quilts for our little adopted girl in Amarillo.

—Reporter.

Mrs. B. O. Bailey has returned from Proctor where she made an extended visit to her aunt. She was accompanied home by Miss Grace Castleberry, of Montecella, Ark.

Mrs. Castleberry and Mrs. B. O. Bailey have as their guests E. G. Castleberry, of Corpus Christi, and Mrs. B. G. Puntney, of Amarillo.

Mrs. No'aa Barton, of Seagraves, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Goldie Thompson.

Mrs. J. A. Earner returned Thursday from Clovis, where she had been visiting a sister, Mrs. Chas. Shannon, the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Law Sone spent Monday and Tuesday with Mr. Sone's parents, Prof. and Mrs. C. L. Sone. Mr. and Mrs. Sone, who were married in Amarillo Aug 19, have been spending their honeymoon in Colorado, and were enroute to Desdemona, where Mr. Sone is teacher of mathematics and coach for the high school.

Rev. Michael G. French spent Wednesday in Seagraves.

Victor Payne, of Abilene, was the guest of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Payne, a few days last week.

Mrs. J. N. Colstan and daughter and Miss Flora May Cook returned Monday from Galveston, where they have been visiting the past two weeks.

Mrs. C. T. Lokey and son, Billy, and Theresa Lokey are visiting in Lamesa with Mr. and Mrs. Jim George and family.

Miss Pauline Lokey, who has been visiting her relatives in Slaton the past few weeks, will leave this week for Farwell, Texas, where she will again teach a domestic science class in the schools there.

Rev. J. W. Wilbanks and son, Sam, are spending a few days at El Paso.

H. C. Croom, of Strawn, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bruner. Mr. Croom, who is a brother of Mrs. Bruner, was on his way to Idalou, where he is interested in oil.

J. L. Miller, Jr., of St. Augustine, has come to Slaton to make his home with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Miller, and he will be associated with the Slaton Variety Store.

Roger Taylor, of Amarillo, spent Sunday with his brother, Charlie Taylor.

Miss May Driver, who is in training at the Lubbock Sanitarium, spent Sunday here with her parents.

Mrs. G. W. Culwell and daughter and sister, Miss White, who has been her guest, left Friday for Avoca, Tex., where they will visit their parents. Mrs. Culwell and daughter will return in a few weeks.

Lewis Smith, who had an operation for appendicitis last Saturday, is reported doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Simmons have as their guests Mrs. R. A. LaMond and sons, Ralph and Guy, of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Leverett, of Nevada, are visiting Mrs. Leverett's mother, Mrs. A. N. Ricks, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wester, who have been doing summer work at Canyon, came to Slaton this week to locate here before school opens.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fogerson and son, of Silverton, arrived today to be the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Zeph Fogerson.

Mrs. W. W. Walker and children, of Clovis, are visiting friends in Slaton. They are the guests of Miss Betty Reynolds.

Miss Ruth Evans, of Plainview, spent last week here with her brother, Carl Evans, and family. Mrs. Evans and daughter, Jean, and Mrs. W. A. Roberts accompanied her to her home the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hale and son, of San Antonio, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Price and Mr. and Mrs. Frye Tuesday and Wednesday. They were on their way to Colorado where they will spend a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Whitehead and children have returned to Slaton from a vacation spent at Fort Worth and nearby places.

Miss Juanita Mawdsley, Home Economics instructor in the Slaton High School, and Miss Grace Bailey, music teacher of the High School, have returned to Slaton to make preparation for their year's work.

Woodie Rogers returned early in the week from an extended stay in California.

Mesdames, Ivy Moore and E. F. King visited in Lubbock Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. J. Niehoff and daughter, Miss Ethel, returned from California Tuesday after a month's visit in Berkeley, Los Angeles, and other places.

Tom Starnes and aunt, Miss Anna Blades, of Greenville, returned home Monday after a few days visit with the latter's sister, Mrs. W. B. Montague.

Miss Ouida Puzbee was a Lubbock visitor last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Barton took the latter's father, G. W. Catching, and his sister, Mrs. Mary Wells, of Beaumont, to Brownfield Sunday where they met Mrs. Parton's brother, John Catching, of Lovington. Mrs. Wells and G. W. Catching will visit several weeks at Lovington.

Mrs. Ois Sanders returned Sunday from San Antonio, Galveston, Bay City, Palacios and other points where she has been on a visit and also while away she attended the markets to purchase her fall stocks of millinery.

Mrs. R. T. Smith, of Abilene, visited Mrs. E. C. Carpenter here from Tuesday of last week to Tuesday of this week.

G. M. Cailar made a business trip to Levelland Wednesday.

R. R. Tekell and Oscar Ingram, of Dallas, are visiting the former's brother, J. S. Tekell, this week-end.

Mrs. W. S. Ianham went to Snyder Wednesday for a visit of two or three days with her uncle and aunt there.

Von Roeder and wife, of Knapp, Borden County, have moved to Slaton, Mr. Roeder having accepted a place in the Slaton Motor Company establishment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lanham will leave Sunday for Buckeye, Ariz., where he will teach in the schools there this term.

Santa Fe Dispatcher Champion and wife visited Saturday night and Sunday with Lockrey relatives.

Mrs. Rae Porter returned last week from McKinney, where she had been on an extended visit with relatives.

Miss Audrey Philips arrived Tuesday night from Big Spring where she had been visiting. She will visit here with her father, Dr. J. W. Philips, until the opening of the fall term at the Tech College at Lubbock, where she will be a student.

E. H. Ward and family returned Tuesday from a ten days' visit with relatives in Lamar County.

Mrs. J. S. Lanham and children returned Thursday from Montezuma, N. M., where they had been on an outing trip and visiting relatives.

Mrs. Norman Williams is visiting relatives and friends near Cuero and Austin.

Junior Lanham, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lanham, returned Thursday from Montezuma, N. M., where he had been visiting his aunt, Mrs. A. L. Maddox, and family.

Mrs. D. W. Liles and son, Wayne, accompanied by Joe Liles, who has been visiting his brother, D. W., will leave Friday for Childress, Wichita Falls, and Vernon to visit relatives. D. W. will join them later.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Wilson and daughter, Jeannette, will leave Sunday for a visit in Sherman and White-wright, with relatives and friends.

T. D. Johnston, Miss Jewell Johnston and Miss Mary Anton spent Monday in Lubbock.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Holt Smith and children, of Lamesa, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Scott.

Buddy Savage, of Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coonie, of Dallas, and Mrs. Gent, of Abilene, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Savage last week.

Miss Dorothy Ryan, of Strong City, Kansas, left Monday for her home after a visit in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Marriott and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marriott.

Roy McCurdy, who has been working for the Santa Fe during the summer, left for his home in Snyder to spend a few days before accompanying his mother to Honey Grove to visit his grandfather. Roy expects to enter the A. & M. this year to study civil engineering.

Mrs. F. S. Hewes and daughters will arrive in Slaton about the fifth from Long Beach, where they have been the past month on a pleasure trip.

Mrs. J. M. House and daughter, Alta, of Caprock, New Mexico, have come to Slaton to spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mansker and family. Miss Alta will attend school here this winter.

Miss Frances Adams spent a few days this week in Abilene with a classmate, Miss Grace Potts.

Dr. Sallie W. Miller returned recently from a 'ten days' outing in New Mexico. She was accompanied home by her sister and niece, Mrs. A. Murry and daughter, Miss Marguerite, of Warren, Arizona.

Mrs. E. B. Caraway came down from Amarillo Saturday night, where she has been located the past few months looking after their oil interests, to be with Mr. Caraway who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Zirby Brown returned Tuesday from California, where they have been the past few weeks for the benefit of Mr. Brown's health. He is very much improved and will again take up his duties as chief dispatcher for the Santa Fe here.

Secretary Claude Miller, of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce, is enjoying a visit of his mother, Mrs. I. C. Miller, whose home is in Dallas.

Mrs. Ben F. Smith left Sunday for a month's vacation to be spent among her friends and relatives in the southern part of the State.

Mrs. G. P. Harris has been on the sick list for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wilks were in Post Friday and Saturday visiting Mr. Wilks' mother, Mrs. E. F. Wilks, and his uncle, Thomas Glascock, who is ill there. The latter is ninety-five years of age. He is a Confederate veteran. Mr. Wilks states that he fears there has been no improvement in his uncle's serious condition.

Jesse Brasfield, who has been ill of typhoid fever for several weeks, is slowly improving. He has been removed from the home of his brother-in-law, O. Z. Ball, to the home of his sister, Mrs. E. S. Brooks.

Miss Lois Marie Stanton, of Lubbock, visited in the home of O. Z. Ball and family from Friday to Tuesday, returning to her home on the latter day when her parents came for her.

Mrs. C. W. Wilks visited her son, C. W., Jr., at Littlefield Saturday and Sunday.

The two sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hood, Odie and Leo, were taken to a Lubbock Sanitarium Wednesday for operations to remove their tonsils.

A. H. McGonagill was a business visitor in Lubbock Monday.

Mrs. Thomas G. McEver was a shopper in Lubbock Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hodge, Monday, August 30, a fine seven pound boy.

Several people from Wilson attended the revival meeting at the Baptist church here last week.

W. W. Stone and family, of Abilene were here last week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Jarman. Mr. Stone says crops are fine in the Anton territory.

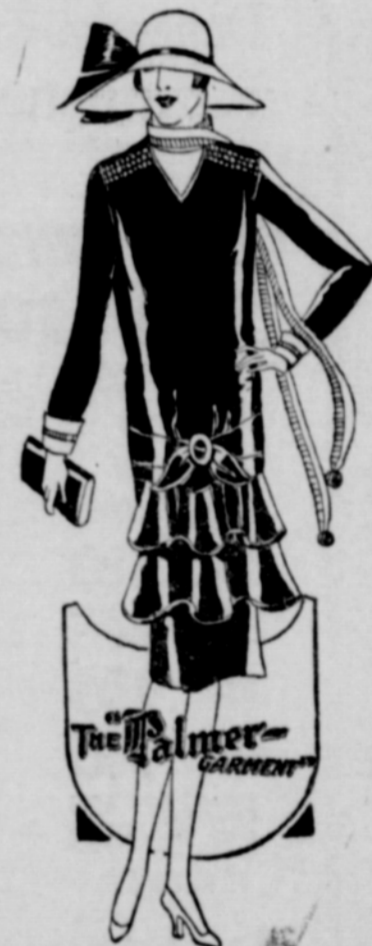
Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Schuhmann have returned from San Saba County and Fort Worth where they visited relatives and attended a family reunion of Mrs. Schuhmann's people.

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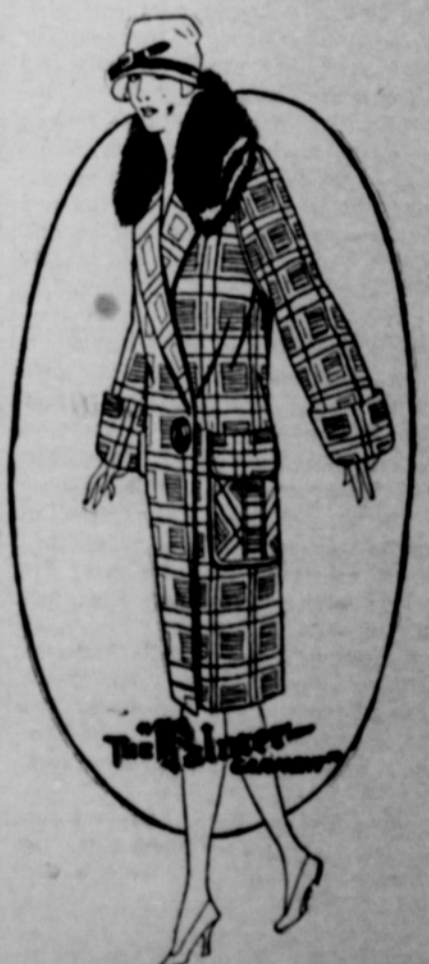
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**Farmers Offered Free Service On Pickers**

A. M. Robertson, special agent of the Farm Labor Division of the U. S. Department of Labor, was in Slaton last week-end making a survey of this section relative to the problem of getting a sufficient number of cotton pickers to harvest the crop this fall.

All Cotton planters who will need outside help are urged to list their names with the Farm Labor Division, stating the price they will pay per hundred, the number of hands they will need, and whether or not they will furnish housing, fuel and water and pay transportation of the pickers on delivery, same to be deducted from the wages of the first picking.

There is no fee charged either to the planters or laborers and the Farm Labor Division is anxious to be of assistance in any way possible in supplying pickers to gather the cotton.

Farmers are urged to make no promises they will not fulfill, as it is necessary for the Department to hold the confidence of the laboring public which it serves. More than thirty-five thousand pickers were sent to the Rio Grande Valley this spring and practically all of this number will be available for the harvest in central and north Texas, as the cotton in that district is all picked before it opens in this section.

The office of the Farm Labor Division at Fort Worth, with C. W. Woodman in charge, is permanent and a letter addressed to Mr. Woodman will receive prompt attention, not only during the cotton picking season, but at any other time of year a farmer is in need of labor of any kind. As before stated, this is a free service and no charge whatever is made.

All indications point to a shortage of cotton pickers this season and farmers are urged to take as many single hands as possible and arrange to board them. That is inconvenient sometimes, but it is not a question of the kind of labor desired this year, but rather the kind that can be had.

Farmers who have any sign of leaf worm are urged to lose no time poisoning them, as they will devastate a cotton crop within a very short time. Practically every section is infected with them this year.

A uniform price for picking is urged, as different prices being paid in the same community will cause pickers to go from place to place looking for the highest price and delay their settling down to work.

Exports through the port of Galveston in 1925 were valued at \$455,358,451.

**Vaccination Urged By State Health Board**

"Vaccination against typhoid is the best preventative against this disease known to medical science, and doctors of the state are urged to do everything possible towards having the people of their respective communities given this immunization. Especially should this be done in localities where typhoid has already appeared.

"According to reports received by the state board of health, the incidence of typhoid fever is not so great this year as it was in 1925, and by the use of preventive measures, this good record may be maintained."

TRY SLATONITE WANT-ADS.

**Return From Vacation Trip to Grayson Co.**

J. T. Pinkston and family have returned from a visit of several days with relatives in Grayson County, where Mr. Pinkston's parents live. They also visit other relatives in Wichita County while away.

Mr. Pinkston is the County Commissioner-elect from this precinct, having won the democratic nomination in the July primary.

The family report a very pleasant and profitable trip.

There are about 440,000 farms and more than 4,000 manufacturing establishments in Texas.

**OPENING**

OF OUR

**Fall Style Show**

**Friday and Saturday  
September 3rd and 4th**

SHOWING THE

**NEWEST CREATIONS IN FALL 1926  
MILLINERY**

AND

**LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR**

AT

**Gates Dry Goods  
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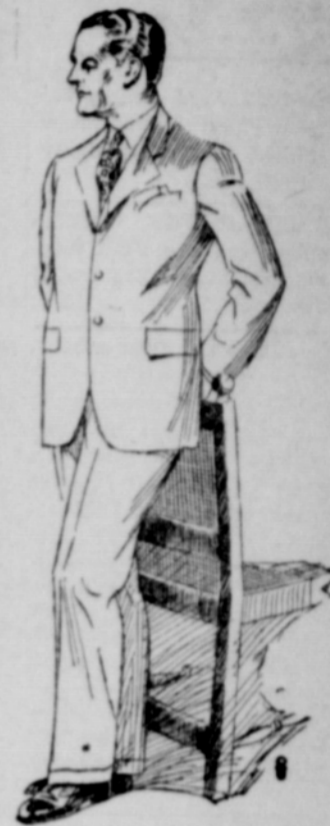
**MEN'S  
SUITS**

Large Shipments of Hart, Schaffner & Marx, Claverly, and Middishade suits for men and youths are arriving at this store this week.

Priced from  
**\$20 to \$45**

Fit, Style, Material and Workmanship predominate in these new fall clothes. Come in and see them.

It's Time To Dress Up.



*The*  
**MEN'S STORE**

Uzzell & Thomas

**Prospective**

**HOME BUYERS**

**A**RE INVITED to inspect the three homes I have in restricted district west of county park, which will be open from 3 p. m. until 7 p. m., September 3rd, 4th, 5th.

**Come - You Are Invited**

**J. T. Overby, Real Estate**

As old as the town.

Phone 134.

Office Slaton State Bank.

**CHEAP EGGS FROM PULLETS**

In experiments by the United States Department of Agriculture general-purpose pullets, such as Plymouth Rocks, Rhode Island Reds, or Wyandottes, produced a dozen eggs from 6.8 pounds of feed, and Leghorn pullets from 5.2 pounds to feed. Old hens required a much larger amount of feed than pullets in producing a dozen eggs.

**Galli-Curci Swayed by the Seer of Sweden**



Prima Donna Gives Wonderful Interpretation of the Writings of Emanuel Swedenborg—

HENRY FORD'S Dearborn Independent publishes a remarkable article on Galli-Curci and Emanuel Swedenborg, by Clarence W. Barron of the Wall Street Journal, the world famous financial authority. Mr. Barron declares that Galli-Curci has the most wonderful brain he has ever met or heard of in a woman, although she is much more "a true woman with a life and soul of affection for all that is ennobling and uplifting in the family, and in color, form, and music."

Mr. Barron is chairman of the Rotch Trustee, who acting under the will of Lydia S. Rotch of New Bedford, Mass., began in 1872 a modern translation of the Theological Works which Emanuel Swedenborg wrote and published in the Latin tongue, and deposited in the libraries of the world 150 years ago.

This work was completed and published by the Houghton Mifflin Co. in 32 volumes in 1907.

About three years ago there appeared in a Cleveland paper a paragraph that among her other accomplishments Galli-Curci had read all the Theological Writings of Emanuel Swedenborg. The claim seemed absurd to Mr. Barron that he thought might be easily punctured by a simple inquiry as to the edition.

**The Bible a Greater Work Than Ever**  
To Mr. Barron's direct inquiry Madame Galli-Curci promptly replied: "Yes, I have read in the past year the complete Swedenborg Works, in fact it is the Rotch Edition of the Houghton Mifflin Co. that I have."

"I can say certainly that the Bible to me is a greater work than it was before."

Mr. Barron says: "My astonishment was intensified. Familiar over many years with Swedenborg's general theological writings, I had set out to read the entire thirty-two volumes preparatory to an advertising campaign for the sale of this edition. Reading a few pages each day I finished my self-imposed task in fourteen years. I shall probably finish a second reading, at my present rate of progress, in perhaps ten years. Was it possible that I woman with no previous knowledge or relation to these books had really intelligently read them within a year?"

**Swedenborg's Writings**  
Mr. Barron continues: "As an economist writing state papers on weights, measures, coinages and currencies, Swedenborg is easily comprehended. As an engineer transporting ships overland he is easily visualized. As a government official in the great mining industry of Sweden, writing practical books on mining and smelting, declared to be the foundation of modern metallurgy, he is of interest in the encyclopedia of scientific history. As the writer of volumes—original studies in search for the human soul—he is not without human interest."

"But when one comes to the realm of the unseen, where there is neither time nor space upon which to rest mental conceptions, few may enter into the fullness of the revelation which has come into the libraries of the world through Emanuel Swedenborg."

"Think of twenty modern-sized volumes, originally written in the Latin tongue and unfolding from the Hebrew of 'Genesis' and 'Exodus' the internal or spiritual sense that lies beneath the letter. Annex a dozen more similar volumes that not only expound every picture set forth in the book of 'Revelation' as conveyor of a tremendous truth of universal application throughout invisible degrees of creation and life, but also illumine all the problems of sex as presented throughout the universe from the union of the love and wisdom in the divine down to sex crystallization in the mineral kingdom; include the deepest of all works ever written entitled, in the original Latin, 'Angelic Wisdom Concerning the Divine Love and the Divine Wisdom.'

Then answer to yourself the number of years that ought to be required to master these thirty-two volumes"

**Mean More Than Any Other Books**

Mr. Barron, still credulous, continued his correspondence with Madame Galli-Curci for some months. He learned that soon after she lost her dear mother she had sought the Writings of Swedenborg in a desire to know more about the other world whence her mother had gone. She spent the entire summer vacation studying Swedenborg's Works, and declared: "They have meant, and mean more to me than anything else I have ever read."

When Galli-Curci returned from California Mr. Barron motored up into the Catskills to her beautiful Italian palace, and in an afternoon with her and her husband, Mr. Homer Samuels, he was convinced that Galli-Curci had read and devoured Swedenborg in a briefer period than anybody had ever done before.

He says of this interview: "Hours flew like minutes. I wasn't the questioner. Mr. and Mrs. Samuels were at me with the sharpest and deepest questions. They seemed in perfect harmony mentally and spiritually, as in their work in music."

**Wanted to Learn**

"She wanted to know about the 'Grand Man'. I told her it would be easier to comprehend it if she would forego the idea of time and space and consider, as Swedenborg says in 'The Apocalypse Explained', that every society in the heavens connects with some organ of the human body and helps to sustain it. Therefore the heavens have the organization of the 'Grand Man', but we need not think of it as a shape or figure."

"Yes," exclaimed her husband, "I see it; it is organization." I explained, also, how the 'Psalms' likewise connected with every society of the heavens, and how the world within and without was knit together in one grand poem and song of creation, man in the image of his Maker and knit into Him through the heavens, from which he has life in every organ of his body."

**Swedenborg's 32 Volumes Read in a Single Summer**

"Now I understand," she said, and asked me for explanation of other things. Her intelligent questions, as well as her statements, left no manner of doubt that Galli-Curci had performed the stupendous feat of reading the thirty-two volumes of Swedenborg in a single summer season. She declared 'Heaven and Hell' a very attractive and popular title and concerns that about which people are most eager to know; but it is not one of Swedenborg's great works; although it makes a good popular and introductory work."

**A Help in Her Work**

Galli-Curci understands the writings of Swedenborg even better than theologians, because she puts them into practice in the broadest life of loving helpfulness. She said that Swedenborg had helped her in her work. She had no longer to think of herself but of her audiences, and let the music flow through her; regard herself just a medium for life to pour through. She felt with and for her audiences, and singing was no effort for her."

**All Fear Vanishes**

"The more you do—the more you give forth—the more life and energy is poured into you, and you are stronger and not weaker for the doing, the working and the singing. I always feel stronger; I am not exhausted at all by my singing. Swedenborg shows the reason and how life comes in as you pour it forth usefully to others. You don't have to try worry or fret. You know it is not you but that it is just being done through you."

Speaking further of the help Swedenborg had been to her in her work she said: "One gets so much more confidence. The other world and the one life, that comprehends all life, becomes reality and all fear and worry vanish."

**Station K-U-T Re-opens About October 1**

Austin, Texas, Aug. 31.—Broadcasting will be conducted from University of Texas station KUT during the coming long session as last year with programs on Sunday, Monday and Wednesday nights, according to Dr. S. L. Brown, in charge of the station. The station will be reopened about October 1.

**11,000 Acres Robertson Ranch Leased**

An oil lease has been filed in the County Clerk's office, wherein the heirs of A. B. (Sug) Robertson, deceased, leased 10,945 acres to the El Capitan Oil Company. This is approximately one-third of the land owned by Mr. Robertson at the time of his death, and is located in Lubbock, Crosby and Garza Counties.

The persons joining in the lease contract were Mrs. Emma L. Robertson, A. B. Robertson, Jr., W. H. Sewell and wife, and Poole Robertson, the present owners.

The contract provides a period of five years for exploitation for oil and gas, and specifically provides that two wells must be commenced within twelve months, or the lease will be automatically cancelled, unless the El Capitan Oil Company, lessees in the contract pay the sum of \$2,738.25 for an extension.

**Announce Different Phone Bill Schedule**

Telephone bills have always been mailed on the first of each month. The Southwestern Bell Telephone company now announces that the bills for Slaton will be received by subscribers on the 11th day of each month. This plan will give the subscribers up-to-date bills. The charges will be posted up to within five days of the date the bill is received by the subscriber.

It is thought that this plan will be more satisfactory to the subscribers and will make it easier to have the bills correct, as by having different dates for different cities the company will be able to give all billing more careful supervision.

Printed notices will accompany the bill which will explain the new plan and will show what charges are included. Nearly all water, light, gas and telephone companies have adopted this plan which is called "rotation billing," and it has been found that the plan is very satisfactory from the standpoint of the patrons as well as for the company.

The business office of the telephone company will be glad to furnish any information in connection with this that the patrons may desire, it is announced.

Texas statistics have figured that the value of Texas manufactured products in 1926 will be almost as great as the value of Texas farm products.

**FOR WORKING PEOPLE**

The best of workers get out of sorts when the liver fails to act. They feel languid, half-sick, "blue" and discouraged and think they are getting lazy. Neglect of these symptoms might result in a sick spell, therefore the sensible course is to take a dose or two of Herbine. It is just the medicine needed to purify the system and restore the vim and ambition of health. Price 60c. Sold by CITY DRUG STORE

**NOTICE!**

**I Sell On the Installment Plan**

Amount	Down	per week
\$ 5 to \$10	\$2.00	\$1.00
\$10 to \$20	\$2.50	\$2.00
\$20 to \$40	\$5.00	\$2.50
\$40 to \$60	\$7.50	\$3.00
\$60 to \$80	\$8.50	\$4.00
\$80 to \$100	\$10.00	\$5.00

**I DO ANY KIND OF REPAIRING**

Common upholstered chairs, \$2 and \$2.50

Victrolas, one spring \$2.00, two Springs \$3.50

GUN AND KEY WORK All Work Guaranteed

**Slaton Second-Hand Store**

E. E. HARDCASTLE, Prop. Phone 184

**Finding Place to Park Is Day's Biggest Job**

One of the comedians and humorists now in popular favor has been discussing the problem of parking automobiles. Here is a part of one of his lines that always gets a laugh. It is about something within the general experience:

"Have you your car parked where there is no restrictions as to the time it can stay there? If so, don't move it, leave it there. You may never find another place. If you feel that you have to use your car, why, buy another one. Don't move this one out of its parking place. There are thousands just waiting to get in."

"Policemen are doing nothing but marking cars. A policeman used to carry a stick or billy, now he carries a piece of chalk."

"There are more people looking for parking places than there are for jobs. You live out, say fifteen blocks, from the main part of town. You drive down in the morning. After driving around looking for a place to park for a couple of hours, you finally find one, and walk by your own house on the way to town."

"Modern ads are reading nowadays. 'Car for sale or trade, been parked three times. Will trade and give difference for once parked car.' Have brand new car, will trade for any car already parked." "I'll trade for any car already parked."



**PROTECT YOUR EYES**

After we have tested your eyes by our thoroughly scientific methods, and fitted them with correctly ground lenses you can see naturally and without eyestrain of any kind.

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For the fall season I will have my millinery, dressmaking and hemstitching at my residence.

New line of hats arriving every week. Best style at a money-saving price.

**Mrs. Ola Sanders**  
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This is a season of the year when your medicine cabinet should have your attention. Keep it well stocked from our reliable stock of drugs.

**CATCHING'S DRUG STORE**

AT YOUR SERVICE  
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MEMBER TEXAS QUALIFIED DRUGGISTS' LEAGUE

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It might not be welcome news to all the boys and girls but they will appreciate the fact that they can bring the list of needed supplies to this store and have it filled. We are ready for the demand.

Full Line of Jewelry and Watches

**City Drug Store**

Jno. Dabney & Son.

**Smartly Simple NEW DRESSES**

In a manner, it is the extreme simplicity which marks the designing of these new Frocks that makes them so exceptionally attractive and supremely smart. To aid you in choosing to meet your needs we have arranged a liberal supply of models at moderate prices.



**Joe Spigel Dry Goods**  
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