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## Memorial Day Ceremonies To Be Held By V.F.W. And Legionnaires

Through the combined efforts of the Aaron Luman Post of the Slaton Chapter of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Luther Powers Post of the Slaton American Legion an impressive and elaborate program has been arranged for Memorial Day at the Englewood Cemetery, to start at 2:30 Sunday, May 30th.

Wagoner Carr, Attorney from Lubbock, will make the address and the ceremonies will be carried out in full military manner by the members of the two organizations mentioned above.

Those who are to take part in the ceremonies and those who wish to attend are requested to meet at V. F. W. Hall at 1:35 to 2:00 p. m., Sunday, from where a procession will be formed to go to Englewood Cemetery.

## Announces For State Senator



DUDLEY K. BRUMMETT

Dudley K. Brummett, Lubbock Attorney and Army Air Corps combat veteran of World War II, announced Saturday that he is a candidate for State Senator from the 30th, Senatorial District.

Brummett is 28 years of age and married. He is a former member of the Attorney General's Department of Texas under Gerald C. Mann. He served as an Attorney for the Supreme Court of Texas following his release from military service in October, 1945. Since September, 1946, he has been actively engaged in the general practice of law at Lubbock and an instructor of Government at Texas Tech. He is an ex-student of Texas Tech and the University of Texas Law School.

Brummett volunteered for the Army in May, 1942, as a buck private. After training at Mineral Wells, Texas, he was transferred to the Air Corps and trained as an aviation cadet. He later was commissioned a Lieutenant. Brummett flew a bomber plane from the United States across the ocean to England. From there he participated in bombing raids over Germany. He piloted a B-17 Flying Fortress, and together with his eight crew members, was shot down on his sixth mission, over Hamburg, Germany. All crew members parachuted from the burning plane to safety from ten thousand feet, though one crew member was jerked unconscious when his parachute opened and when he struck the ground broke one leg and seven ribs. All members on landing were scattered over a distance of about twenty miles. When Brummett hit the ground he attempted to escape into a nearby forest. He was pursued and fired upon by German soldiers who had seen him come down. Brummett and all the crew members were gathered up and

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## Irrigation School To Be Held June 3rd

Lubbock County Agricultural Agent D. W. Sherrill has made arrangements for a full day of entertainment and instruction for those interested in irrigation to take place at the Lubbock County Experiment Station two miles northeast of Lubbock.

On Thursday, June the 3rd, an Irrigation School will be conducted from 9:00 a. m. until 4 p. m., and a number of demonstrations will be held of farming implements and instructions given by experts such as John Box, agronomist, C. McArthur, of the State Experiment Station, H. C. Norman, Soil Conservation engineer, Don Jones, Experiment Station Superintendent, Ivan D. Wood, irrigation specialist, W. L. Owens, Entomologist, Fred Kventon, Otis Isom and Frank Gray, Lubbock County farmers, Walter Y. Wells, Administrative Agent, and C. E. Fisher, Extension Agent.

There will be questions and answer programs and displays for equipment used on irrigation farms.

Those who wish to attend should bring a box lunch, free cold drinks will be served at noon.

Miss Kathleen Eldson spent several days in San Marcos visiting graduating friends at the Academy. She attended the Academy three years and graduated from Slaton High School in the class of '48.

Three carloads of young people of the Church of Christ visited the Carlsbad Caverns Monday of this week. They were accompanied on the trip by Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Dooley, Mr. Ernest Elliston and Lloyd Moyer, pastor.

## Over the Wire

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It is a long cry from the \$15.00 ball point pens to those that are selling for \$1.00 now. The dollar ones are said to be better than the original \$15.00 ones, but none of them live up to the claims that they will write for a year, that is unless the user writes only two or three times a year.

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## Athletic Program At Park To Begin Tuesday, June 1

The Summer Recreation program at the County Park will start Tuesday, June 1st at 2:00 p. m. Coach Tillery is asking all boys interested in this program to meet him at the Soft Ball Park on the above date.

This program is again being sponsored by the Slaton Chamber of Commerce and the Slaton Lions Club. Last year 35 to 40 boys took part each day. It is hoped that many more boys will take advantage of the opportunities offered for recreation this year. Coach Tillery hopes to work with the younger boys each morning and the older group in the afternoon.

Games of Soft Ball, Base Ball, Soccer, Basket Ball, Volley Ball, Horse Shoe Pitching and many others will be taught and played. Swimming will be offered one day each week. Coach Tillery will be on hand to teach and supervise these games at all times.

Come on out boys if you are six or older and enjoy a clean, healthful, and supervised recreation program this summer. It is being conducted for your benefit.

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## Buddy Poppy Day To Be Tomorrow



JEANNE CRAIN, Twentieth Century-Fox motion picture star, is the Veterans of Foreign Wars National Buddy Poppy Girl for 1948.

While Miss Crain will not likely appear on the streets of Slaton to sell poppies tomorrow, there will be a number of home town women who will have just as sweet a smile for you and the money you give

will do just as much good for the disabled Veterans who are in hospitals all over the nation as the money that will be collected by Miss Crain.

Buy a poppy tomorrow and help one of the most deserving causes.



H. F. HEATH C. I. WALL

## W.T. Gas Company Makes Changes

R. F. Hinchey, Lubbock, president of West Texas Gas Company, has announced two important promotions which have been made to handle the increasing volume of work incident to the rapid growth of cities served by the company.

C. I. (Stoney) Wall of Lubbock, widely known throughout West Texas, has been named vice-president in charge of operations. He will have general supervision over the company's distributing plants, pipe lines and compressor stations. Formerly vice-president and assistant general manager, he also has served since 1939 as superintendent of city plants.

Herman F. Heath of Midland, heretofore manager of the company's Midland District, has been promoted to be superintendent of city plant, with headquarters at Lubbock. The addition of Heath to the general office staff will relieve Wall of the multitudinous details connected with operating 44 distributing plants in 11 company districts.

	AB	R	H
Gray, ss	4	0	0
Reiger, 3b	4	8	0
Weaver, 1b	4	0	2
Tillery, cf	4	0	2
McCoy, 2b	2	1	0
Arrants, c	4	1	2
Banks, 1b	4	0	0
Donaldson, 1f	4	0	1
Faulkner, p	4	0	1
	34	2	8
Warren, lf	4	1	0
Andergon, cf	5	0	1
Graham, ss	5	1	2
Walker, 2b	5	1	1
White, 1b	3	0	0
Burnett, 1b	2	0	2
Harwick, 3b	4	1	0
Warlick, cf	5	1	1
Kelly, c	3	0	0
Rodgers, c	2	0	1
Bish, p	4	1	1
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## DDT To Be Sprayed Here May 31

Dr. Payne Says Polio Increasing

## Slaton Students Receive Bachelor Degrees At Tech

Ten young people of Slaton are to receive Bachelor Degrees tonight at the 22nd annual commencement exercises at Texas Technological College. Following are the names of the Slaton candidates and their majors: Nina Ray Hickman, sociology; James Douglas Keese, petroleum engineering; Alice Harrison Lowrance, primary education; Alice Gene Meading, journalism; Joe William Robertson, marketing; Dayle Howard Rosberry, marketing and salesmanship; Sara Shaw, clothing; James Lewis Savell, agronomy; Clarence Edward Tillery, history; William Harrison Vermillion, international trade.

## Man Killed In R. R. Yards Here

Deputy Constable Walter Eckles is under a \$2,000.00 bond to appear before the Grand Jury in connection with the shooting of Clyde Tune of Fargo, Oklahoma, last Saturday in the railroad yards here in Slaton.

The shooting occurred when Tune and a companion were ordered by Eckles to get off of a freight train. According to Constable Eckles, the men started running and Tune made a move toward his pocket and Eckles thought he was reaching for a gun. Neither man was armed when later investigated, but a flashlight was found on the body of Tune.

Tune's father lived in Fargo, Oklahoma, but Tune himself had been in California and other states. He was married and had a family. The body has been shipped to Oklahoma by the Williams Funeral Home of Slaton.

## More Water Is Officials' Goal

Mayor L. B. Wootton reported that the water well that was put down on the City owned property southwest of town did not prove as satisfactory as it was hoped it would and that another well is being bored with the hope of getting a well as good or better than the first one that was drilled last summer on the tract and which is now supplying the city with a good part of its water.

The well that was drilled last week proved to be a fair well, but not good enough to give the city the amount of water that the City Commissioners feel is enough to meet all emergencies that might arise. If a much larger supply is secured it would require several months to get water pipe and equipment to supplement the present sources that supply Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Duckett and sons, Darwin and Boyd, and Billy Butler spent the week end with their brother, J. B. Butler, jr., and family, and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Lyle and Cliff Cuipepper, all of Cactus.

Mrs. A. W. Shewmake, jr., and children visited her mother in Dallas the first of the week.

## One Inch, Says Gauge

The Kip Kendrick rain gauge that was installed on the Slatonite back fence showed that one inch of rain had fallen this week up until Thursday morning. The gauge is not responsible for moisture that may have fallen since that time.

## SADDLE TO BE GIVEN

A handsome saddle will go to the grand champion quarter horse in the new performance class at the meeting of the American Quarter Horse Association in connection with the Texas Cowboy Reunion here July 2, 3, and 5, Roy Arledge, chairman, said this week. Other new prizes will also be offered.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Harral will return this week from Fort Worth, where they have been visiting Mrs. Harral's relatives.

Through the co-operation of the Lubbock County Commissioners, Mayor Lee Wootton reports that Slaton will be given a DDT treatment at the expense of the County. The DDT machine will be here by 8:00 o'clock Monday, May 31st, and every resident of Slaton should open all doors and windows so that the fog can enter. While the odor is slightly disconcerting, it is harmless to all animals and human beings, but kills insects of all kinds.

There will be a second trip of the machine to Slaton in several weeks to follow up the one Monday. This, too, will be done at the expense of the County and not of the city. All of the towns in the County can avail themselves of the same service.

"The rapid increase of polio in the southern and coastal counties of our State indicates that this will be the greatest in number of cases of any year we have ever had, as it is far ahead at this time of any previous year. Records show that it usually invades that part of the State much earlier than our section," said Dr. W. E. Payne, City Health Officer.

"Special cleanup drives are being authorized and promoted in those sections, with the hope of arresting the rapid development of polio. We feel that we should not wait for an outbreak here before getting seriously interested in cleaning our alleys and all breeding places for all types of germs. As stated in a previous article, all trash and rubbish should be collected and disposed of at once.

"All breeding places that cannot be cleaned sufficiently, should be sprayed or treated with D.D.T. solution. Each citizen should take an active part in opening up all places to be reached by the City sprayer. All outhouses and toilets, if not connected with the sewer system, should be properly treated. Any that are in reach of the sewer, should be connected. Any help that the City or the City Health Department may be in position to extend to any citizen will be gladly given," said Dr. Payne.

## J. F. Frye Buried Here Wednesday

Funeral services were held last Wednesday at the Methodist Church for J. F. Frye, who died at the Mercy Hospital Monday, May 24, from a heart attack. He had been in ill health for a year or more and had suffered from heart trouble.

Mr. Frye was well known in this vicinity, having been in the tire business both here and in Lubbock a number of years ago. At the time of his death he was operating the local bus station.

The funeral services were held by Reverend Cal Wright, who was assisted by Reverend W. F. Ferguson. Interment was in Englewood Cemetery and the Williams Funeral Home was in charge of the funeral.

Survivors include a son, John Frye of Slaton; two sisters, Mrs. Clyde Cooper of Tulsa and Mrs. Virgie McGee of Childress; and a half-brother, J. C. Frye, in New Mexico.

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## DOLLAR DAY

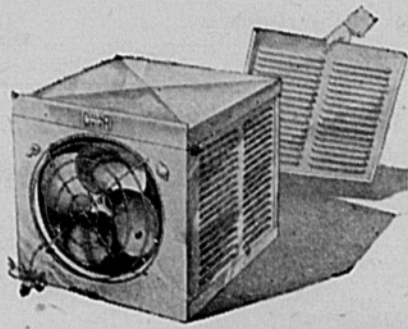
To Be Inaugurated Monday, June 6

In order to test the price consciousness of the people in this area, a group of Slaton merchants will offer Special Dollar Day and first Monday in the Month Specials through next week's Slatonite. While the publicity for the event will be carried in the paper of June 4th, the sales day will be June 7th and merchandise that will be on sale for the event will not be available until the following Monday. From all accounts there will be many exceptional bargains available. If the event proves popular it will be held regularly each month.

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**RED'S PRIDE** — Valentina Marie, one-year-old daughter of comedian Red Skelton, gets her first introduction to the NBC microphone which her daddy faces every Tuesday. Valentina, however, seems far more interested in her famous father.

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**CHORAL LEADER** — Robert Shaw will direct a chorus of 30 mixed voices in a program of classical music on NBC starting Sunday, June 6. It will be presented in the time spot of the "Charlie McCarthy Show" for the summer, through Aug. 29.

**Breast of Chicken**  
Breast of chicken is more than just a delicacy—it also is an excellent source of niacin (the anti-pellagra vitamin), according to the U. S. bureau of animal industry.

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 Morning Worship ... 10:50 a. m.  
**Youth Meetings:**  
 Methodist ..... 6:45 p. m.  
 Baptist ..... 6:30 p. m.  
 Presbyterian and Christian  
 Youth Fellowship ..... 6:15 p. m.  
**Evening Services:**  
 Church of Christ .... 7:30 p. m.  
 Methodist ..... 8:00 p. m.  
 Baptist ..... 8:00 p. m.  
 Presbyterian ..... 7:30 p. m.  
 First Christian ..... 7:30 p. m.  
**MONDAY:**  
 Missionary Programs.  
**TUESDAY:**  
 Baptist Choir Practice, 7:30.  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
 Methodist Choir Practice, 7:30.  
 Baptist Prayer Meeting, 7:30.  
 Church of Christ, 8:00.  
**THURSDAY:**  
 Presbyterian Choir Practice,  
 7:15.

### Church Women To Hold United Fifth Monday Meeting

The United Council of Church Women, in which every Christian woman in Slaton may have a part, will hold their regular fifth Monday meeting next Monday, May 31, at 3 p. m., with the women of the First Christian Church on East Panhandle as hostesses. The following program has been planned:

Soft music, Betty Jo Gentry.  
 Prayer, Rev. Geo. Hodges, pastor of the Presbyterian Church.  
 Devotional, The Lord's Prayer in verse and song, Mrs. R. H. Todd and Mrs. L. A. Harral.  
 Book Review, "Papa Was A Preacher," Myrtle Teague.  
 Hymn, "God Be With You Till We Meet Again."  
 Prayer, Rev. W. F. Ferguson, pastor of the Baptist Church.

### BUSINESS WOMEN MEET IN HOME OF MRS. L. O. LEMON

The Business Women's Circle of the First Baptist Church met Monday night in the home of Mrs. L. O. Lemon. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Lemon presided over the business meeting.

Mrs. E. R. Burns presented an interesting lesson on the study of Prayers of the Bible, which included the Model Prayer and the Prayers of David.

Mrs. Lemon dismissed with prayer. The next meeting will be held June 14 in the home of Mrs. Bland Tomlinson.

### GERTRUDE KING IS HOSTESS TO WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church met Monday night in the home of Miss Gertrude King.

The mission study, Great Prayers of the Bible, was led by Mrs. Alma Caldwell, followed by general discussion.

Refreshments were served to ten members present.

### BAPTIST CIRCLES HAVE JOINT SESSION MONDAY

The Annie Armstrong and the Blanche Groves Circles of the First Baptist Church met in joint session Monday in the home of Mrs. R. L. Smith.

Mrs. A. C. Strickland gave a review of the study book, "Christus Emptor". Thirteen members and two guests were present.

This was the last regular meeting for these Circles for the summer.

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL TO BE HELD AT SOUTHLAND

Vacation Bible School at Southland Baptist Church begins Monday morning, May 31, at 9 o'clock and will continue through June 4. Stories, handwork, songs and Bible lessons will be offered each day from 9 until 11:30 a. m. All children from 4 to 16 are invited to attend.

A. T. Nixon, Pastor.

### ALATHEAN S. S. CLASS TO HAVE DINNER

The Alathean Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church will hold a covered dish dinner on Thursday, June 3, at 7 o'clock at the Club House.

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Size of building is approximately 50 feet by 90 feet.

Building will be opened for inspection June 9 and 10 or by appointment.

Further information can be obtained from the Business Office of the Slaton Independent School District at the City Hall, or from the Superintendent of Schools.

### MIDWAY NEWS

Midway Baptist Church entertained the monthly Youth Fellowship last Friday night. This meeting was well attended by both young and old of several churches in this area. Each group gave a very interesting program. After the service was over, everyone went out on the lawn, where refreshments of sandwiches, cake

and soft drinks were served.

The next meeting is to be at the Temple Baptist Church in Lubbock of which Rev. Ralph McCoy is pastor. The date will be announced later.

Rev. McWaters, pastor of Midway Church, is with the Lazbuddie Baptist Church near Muleshoe this week in a revival.

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### GAS CO. HOPES TO INCREASE SUPPLY BY WINTER TIME

(Continued From Page 1.)

The gas so purchased will be natural gas from the Panhandle Gas Field and is expected to be available by November 1, subject to coal or steel strikes or other events which might delay completion of El Paso Natural's line.

"There still remain some few local bottlenecks," the gas company president said, "because the towns have grown so rapidly that some sections of transmission line have become too small to handle the greatly increased demands. We believe all will be taken care of one way or another before snow comes. If it's humanly possible, we'll certainly do it, because we sincerely want to take care of the fuel needs of our territory."

The gas company is operating, Hinchey explained, under a long-range expansion program calling for the installation of added facilities year by year as needs are anticipated. This program, he said, has been accelerated due to the demonstrated inadequacy of transmission facilities under the severe weather conditions of last winter. This inadequacy of transmission facilities from the gas fields, of course, is now overcome by the signing of the agreement with El Paso Natural Gas Company.

"Facilities to be added in the immediate future," Hinchey said, "will include enlargements to several compressor stations, replacement of sections of the transmission lines with larger-sized pipe, and constant extensions to and modernization of the distributing plants."

The toughest obstacle to be overcome by the gas company's organization at this time is the obtaining of sufficient steel pipe, even at premium prices. Hinchey said, however, that his people are combing the markets throughout the Southwest and almost daily are buying pipe at widely scattered points. These purchases consist mostly of small stocks of assorted size, but occasionally a really substantial purchase is made. For instance, a company crew is now at Camp Bowie removing some 45,000 feet of pipe purchased there from War Assets Administration. Sufficient progress has been made in this manner that company officials are encouraged to believe enough pipe will be secured to extend service this year to a great many new customers who want gas service, and to remedy the local bottlenecks mentioned.

### ERNEST STROUD MARRIES SAN ANGELO GIRL

Miss Nola Rowden of San Angelo and Ernest Stroud, son of Mrs. Cora Stroud of Slaton, were married last Wednesday evening in the Methodist Church at San Angelo. The bride wore white crepe with brown accessories and carried a bouquet of red rosebuds. She was a nurse in the Santa Fe Hospital at San Angelo.

Mr. Stroud was formerly with the Santa Fe here, but for the past year has been in San Angelo and is now employed by the Santa Fe there. He is a Veteran of World War II, having spent 18 months overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Short and daughter, Kay, and son, Woodie, went to Denton Thursday where Mrs. Short and children spent Thursday and Friday visiting relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Edwards and Mrs. Eddie Mathis. Mr. Short went on to Ft. Worth and spent Thursday night with his mother, Mrs. Mary Short. They returned home Saturday.

Among the returning students are Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Hoover, who will spend the vacation months at home in Slaton. Bobbie is studying for the ministry at Freed-Hardeman College, Henderson, Tenn.

Allan Payne, Miss Rona Schramm and Miss Bernice Layne are expected to return today from Dallas where Mr. Payne and Miss Schramm went to attend the buyers market and display of fall merchandise.

### POSEY HOME DEM. CLUB HAS LESSON ON JELLY

The Posey Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. O. E. Patterson. "Prepared pectin used in jelly is a sure way to have good jelly. Use as little water as possible. Fruit that has very little acid should have one tablespoon of lemon juice added to each cup of juice," Mrs. C. F. Schulte told the Club.

Mrs. O. R. Patterson gave the Council report. Also reported on the book review.

Meeting adjourned to meet June 2nd in the home of Mrs. C. F. Schulte. Refreshments were served.

Paula K. Cherry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Cherry of Bryan, arrived Wednesday to visit in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cherry.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stroud of San Angelo were in Slaton last week to attend the graduation exercises of his sister, Betty Stroud.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Oates are spending this week in Dallas, where they attended the Style Show and Buyers Mart on fall merchandise. They are expected to return to Slaton tomorrow.

A. R. Keys and son, Russell, left Wednesday morning for an extended trip through the southern states. Mrs. Keys plans to join them later in Tennessee.

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been predicting and expecting a recession but I have about given up hope. If the United States is going to go into a large military training program there will be an even greater shortage of metal for civilian consumption than ever before and prices will go higher and higher.

While there is a good chance of another war I doubt very much that there will ever be another war like the last one and if they do pass a draft law and force all the young men to take the same kind of training that was used in the last war it would likely be a lot of time and money wasted for the next war will be an air war and the big navies and armies will be duck soup for the air forces. If atomic bombs are used it would keep an army out of any bombed territory for months and if any training is given in this country it seems to me that it should be given on the implements that will be used in the next war. The Army and Navy men will fight to the last ditch to keep their hold on the world but their day is nearly all over and perhaps the day of all modern civilization.

There are many things that are higher and more scarce than they have ever been since I can remember. The weekly newspapers over the nation are getting squeezed more than ever and many of them are having to turn down advertising because they cannot get the newsprint on which to print larger papers.

The dailies seem to be getting more newsprint than they did soon after the war and are increasing their advertising volume but are not endeavoring to increase their circulation. The magazines are getting more book paper and they are taking more advertising and more subscribers but the weekly papers are the step children and

are getting what the little boy shot at.

It has always been said by statisticians that there are more marriages in October than any other month of the year regardless of the fact that there is a lot of propaganda put out about June Brides but I believe that this June is going to be a record month for brides in this area.

We have printed more invitations to teas and marriage announcements this month than at any time we have ever been in business and they all follow the same pattern. The bride-to-be and her mother come in, the bride-to-be drops into a chair with a deep sigh and a stony stare and the mother asks to see samples of the announcements, etc. She tears through them all in a whirlwind frenzy, pulls the daughter out of the chair and demands that she help select the announcements, etc. but the girl always says just any kind will do and the mother dumps her back in the chair and orders two or three hundred invitations and comes back in a couple of days and increases the order to twice as many as she ordered the first time. Yep, the mothers really get a kick out of getting daughter married.

It is said that traffic accidents are increasing by leaps and bounds and that unless some method is worked out to control them that we will have the most terrible loss of life ever recorded from this source. It is most discouraging to read the daily papers and see the gruesome accounts of what is going on. It has come to the point where many people will not drive in the more populated centers after dark and those who are endeavoring to control the situation say that it has about gotten

out of their hands. It is terrible thing to consider.

There are more transients who are coming into the smaller towns than there has been in many days and folks in Slaton should be more careful about leaving their homes open for daylight robberies and for those who might not be as honest as they should. Several homes have been invaded lately by drunks and one by a drunken Mexican. Better watch any one who comes around with whom you are not familiar.

While my husband was teaching at a small state agricultural college, a proposal was brought before the legislature to raise faculty salaries. The farm bloc was solidly against the measure — they couldn't see why the state should pay their college professors \$5,000 a year just for talking 12 or 15 hours a week. Faculty representatives made no headway with their arguments until one of them, who had had some farming experience, had an inspiration. "Gentlemen," he told the lawmakers, "a college professor is a little like a bull. It's not the amount of time he spends. It's the importance of what he does." The professors got their raise. —Reader's Digest

The screen "discovery" was disconsolate. "Did you see how that critic panned me?" he wailed to the producer. "Forget it," replied the latter expansively. "That guy's nothing more than a parrot. He only repeats what everybody else is saying." —Reader's Digest

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**JUST TALK**  
 by A.M.J.

It is mighty hard to get a word in edgewise in favor of oneself. A couple of weeks ago I wrote that the climbing roses on our front porch were extra pretty and found several who agreed with me but now comes Mrs. Kirby Scudder who wants to know whether I saw their climbing roses and claims, now that the roses are all gone, that hers were just as pretty as ours were. And even P. G. Meading makes the statement that his roses were larger and more fragrant than Judge Smith's roses and Leonard Herral wants to get his name on the list. If you will notice there is but one woman in on the deal and she does not claim that the roses are hers, but, the Scudder roses, which proves that men are more sentimental, more appreciative of beauty than women are, and the men will work for it. The women roll their eyes and say Ah! when they see something that pleases their eyes or sensations but that is about as far as they will go, while a man will go out and plant roses, pet a radish and

pamper a fruit tree, a good looking woman or work on most anything until he is ready to drop in order to get it as near perfect as he can.

Slaton is the only town in this section of the state that has had nothing in the way of a City wide promotion since the war. Many towns much smaller than Slaton have promoted Rodeos, Dollar Days, Santa Claus at Christmas time and other things that have brought amusement and entertainment to their midst but Slaton to-date has had nothing of this kind. Admitting that such promotions usually come out in the red, they do keep the people in the surrounding communities conscious of the town. Slaton has shown much progress in the past two years but it has all been by individuals and not by co-operation of the people of the town.

The weather, women's hats and mother-in-laws get a lot of pushing around in the jokes, the conversation and in the lives of most of us because they do things that can hardly be eliminated but science is beginning to do things about the weather and we can turn on the air conditioning in the summer time, the hot air in the winter time and get in out of the rain when a few drops fall out here in West Texas but it is going to take something more than science to have any effect on women's hats or mother-in-laws.

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The Rev. T. D. O'Brien officiated at the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with pink and white gladioli. Sister M. Regina played traditional wedding marches and accompanied the choir at the Nuptial Mass.

Franklin Kitten and Donald Wendel were acolytes.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white marquisette, with a fitted bodice fashioned with a high neckline. A ruffle outlined the yoke of marquisette and inserted lace. The full skirt, which extended into a short train, was trimmed with inserted lace and wide ruffles. She wore the traditional things and had a penny in her shoe. To her beautiful tiara designed with seed pearls was attached her finger-tip veil of bridal illusion. She carried a colonial bouquet of white sweet-peas with a large satin bow and streamers.

Bridesmaids were her sister, Miss Madeline Wimmer, and Miss Betty Jo Kitten. They wore identical dresses of aqua marquisette. Their headdresses of aqua net were pleated in a halo design. Each wore a strand of moonstones and matching earrings, a gift of the bride. They carried bouquets of pink sweet-peas.

Jack Reissig, brother of the groom, and Jack Ludwig of Amarillo were the groom's attendants.

Anton Wimmer and Alfred Reissig were ushers.

After the ceremony an all-day reception was held at the home of the groom's mother. The bridal table was centered with a three-tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom. In the evening the couple gave a dance at the Cotton Club, with music by C. A. Rogers and his orchestra.

Out-of-town guests were: Mr.

## Music Recitals Feature Week

On Wednesday evening of this week Mrs. Lillian Butler brought a number of her pupils from Lubbock and presented them in joint piano and voice recital at the Slaton Club House with the following Slaton pupils: May Bell and Joyce Pember, Shirley and Nancy Teague, Patsy Hickman and Shirley Saage.

Tonight, at 8:00, at the Club House, Mrs. J. A. Wright is presenting Peggy Jean Ely, Martha Mack and Kay Porter in Junior Piano Recital. The young ladies will play numbers in three groups, classic, romantic and modern.

On Saturday, May 29, Mrs. J. A. Wright is presenting Donna Pearson in intermediate piano recital at 2:00 p. m., in her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Austin of Seminole visited recently in the R. M. Nash home.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Foote and little sons, David and Bill, of Pueblo, Colo., have been visiting this week in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Nash and Mr. Jesse, Mrs. Foote's father.

and Mrs. H. A. Wimmer and Emil; Mr. and Mrs. Hunsdner and Ethel Rose; Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Grossman and Mary Ellen; Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Wimmer, Tommy and Alvin; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wimmer; Mr. and Mrs. John Bartels, Leonard, Edwin and Bernice, and Alvin Kuss, all of Hermleigh; Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Brink and Joyce Edda of San Antonio; Mrs. Emilie Hoelscher and Barbara Reissig of Boerne; Mrs. James Seideman, Mrs. Billy Seideman, Mrs. Ellen Bellah and Michael of Amarillo; and Lillian Wimmer of Lubbock.

The bride is a graduate of Hermleigh High School and also of Santa Rosa School of Nursing in San Antonio. The groom is a graduate of Price Memorial College in Amarillo.

After a short wedding trip to New Mexico and points south, the couple will be at home in Slaton.

**Bride Is Shower Honoree**  
The bride was honored with a miscellaneous shower Thursday, May 13, at the Slaton Club House.

# Society - Clubs

## Formal Tea In Hickman Home Announces June Wedding



### LADIES AUXILIARY TO B. OF R. T. HAS PICNIC SUPPER

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen held a picnic supper in the home of Mrs. Mamie McCain on Wednesday, May 19. Mrs. Bertha Pfann Kuche, Secretary of the Grand Executive Board, was guests of honor.

Ushering in the season for June brides in Slaton was the formal tea given Sunday afternoon from three until six in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hickman, 635 So. 11th St., announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter, Nina Ray, to Jack Nesbitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Nesbitt of San Angelo.

The receiving room was made lovely with pink roses, sweetpeas, and carnations. Greeting guests at the door were Mrs. Fred England, Mrs. Lee Wootton, and Mrs. K. L. Scudder. In the receiving line were Mrs. Hickman, Nina Ray, Mrs. John Nesbitt, Miss Ruth Austin and Mrs. Buck Nesbitt of Lubbock.

Soft music was played throughout the receiving hours by Mrs. Webber Williams, Mrs. Roy Mack, Mrs. R. M. Thomas of Post, Misses Joyce Pember, Jean Holt, and Mary Haral. Patsy Hickman, young sister of the bride-elect, sang several numbers during the afternoon, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. L. A. Haral.

The wide doorway between the receiving room and dining room was framed by a luxuriant branch of pink roses. The dining room was resplendent in white and gold. The table was covered with a cut-work linen cloth and centered with a reflector holding a tall crystal bowl of white stock from which double ruffles of net led to bride's nosegays around the edge.

Tall white tapers in crystal holders were used and wide white satin streamers with gold lettering announced the June wedding. Frosted punch was served from a cutglass bowl with cakes, mints and nuts, and white napkins with "Nina Ray and Jack" printed in gold. Alternating at the serving table were Mrs. D. J. Neill, Mrs. J. E. Parker of Post, Mrs. O. O. Crow, Miss Emma Young of Belen, N. M., Mrs. A. C. Sanders of Lubbock, and Mrs. Vernon Haws of Post. Others in the dining room were Mrs. Bobbie Edmondson, Mrs. K. C. Scott, Mrs. R. L. Smith, and Miss Wilma Jean DeBusk.

White stock and larkspur decorated the bedroom in which guests were registered by Miss Alice Gene Meading, Mrs. Robert Green, and Mrs. Milton Fields. One hundred and eighty-five names were registered in the white and gold bride's book. Bidding guests goodbye were Mrs. B. M. Pember, Mrs. Otis Neill, and Mrs. B. A. Hanna.

### MISS VOIGHT TO GRADUATE

Miss Anne Voight, who graduated from the Slaton High School in 1945, will be among the Graduate Nurses who will receive diplomas tonight at the King's Daughters Hospital at Temple. Her mother, Mrs. Ben Catchings, will attend the graduation exercises.

Miss Voight will go from Temple to Galveston where she will receive further training in a large hospital there.

## P.-T. A. Closes Year's Work With Informal Tea

The Slaton Elementary Parent Teachers Association met at the club house at four o'clock May 20 for the last meeting of this school year.

Mrs. Lee Vardy poured tea from a table beautifully decorated with spring flowers and candles.

Mrs. Marion C. Hodge presided over the meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. E. B. Morgan. Mrs. German read the minutes of the previous meeting. Mrs. Carl Hyatt, the program chairman, presented the Mother Chorus, who sang one of the numbers this group sang at Ason at the District P.-T. A. Conference.

Mrs. Roy S. Mack installed the officers for the 1948-49 school year as follows: President, Mrs. Sug Robertson; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. Marion C. Hodge; 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. Gordon Burrell; Secretary, Mrs. R. M. Shepard; Cor. Secretary, Mrs. M. L. German; Treasurer, Mrs. Carl Hyatt.

Mrs. Robertson appointed committees for next year's work and also outlined some new plans. Some of the new plans under discussion were a better health program for the school children and more visual aid education.

The committees appointed for the year by the executive committee follow: Program, Mrs. Marion C. Hodge; Finance, Mrs. Gordon Burrell; Membership, Mrs. Chas. Walton; Hospitality, Mrs. Roy Mack; Publicity, Mrs. Lee Vardy; Music, Mrs. C. H. Green; Goals, W. T. Wyatt; Visual Education, Ed. W. Cummings; Publications, Mrs. Clyde McGinley; Health, Mrs. Roy Dobson; Character and Spiritual Life, Mrs. Gus Clevenger; Citizenship, Lloyd Moyer; Safety, R. M. Shepard; Legislative, J. W. Bagby.

The meeting date for next year was set for the second Monday night of each month. Slaton is fortunate to have a Mother Chorus composed of members of the Elementary and Junior and Senior High School P. T. A. This chorus is directed by Mrs. C. H. Green and Mrs. Roy Mack is the accompanist. Members are Mesdames W. T. Cherry, R. W. Cudd, Ernest Short, H. T. Swanner, Carl Lewis, Jack Shepard, J. P. Pearson, E. T. McClanahan, and C. L. Ward.

## Engagement Of Loretta Stevenson And Jack Shaw Is Announced

### Coffee Honors Recent Bride

A coffee shower honoring Mrs. Leonard Lott, the former Miss Lucille Doherty, was given May 21st from 9:30 to 11:00 a. m., in the home of Mrs. A. R. Keys. Mrs. Keys greeted guests and introduced them to the receiving line composed of the honoree, Mrs. E. M. Lott, and Mrs. Bart Jones.

Mrs. Roy Wicker had Mrs. J. C. Champion presided at the bride's book. Mrs. C. L. Pack and Mrs. W. L. Holloman served coffee from a table covered with a lace cloth and adorned with white candles in crystal holders and a crystal bowl filled with salmon pink gladioli. The house was decorated with a profusion of spring flowers.

In the house party were Mrs. Keys, Mrs. Wicker, Mrs. Roy Holt, Mrs. Pack, Mrs. Hollowan, Mrs. V. P. Williams, Mrs. W. P. Layne, Mrs. Jessie Prosser, Mrs. J. W. Chenoweth, Mrs. V. L. Wampler, Mrs. Elbert Wilson, Mrs. Champion and Mrs. C. L. Walton, and Misses Marcella Hollinden, Marie Gerron and Gertrude King. Thirty-seven guests called.

Mrs. W. T. Davis, who underwent surgery last Monday, is improving rapidly and is expected to be at home soon.

Miss Dorothy Davis has returned from McMurry College and will spend the summer at home.

A gift of appreciation was given to Mrs. E. B. Morgan, as the outgoing president.

Mrs. Eleanore Stevenson entertained at tea Monday evening at the Club House to announce the engagement of her daughter, Loretta, to Mr. Jack A. Shaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan R. Shaw, of 1912 Dixie Drive, Lubbock.

The wedding date was revealed on tiny printed scrolls tied with pink satin ribbon, inscribed, "Jack and Loretta, June 6". The garden wedding will take place at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Don Hatchett 700 South 13th St., at 8:30 in the morning.

During calling hours, background music was offered by the daughter, Swann, Mrs. Ernest Short and Miss Theresa Hargrove. Mrs. Ralph Dickson officiated at the tea table, which was laid with a lace cloth, centered with pink carnations flanked by pink tapers in crystal candelabra. Pink fruit punch and miniature pink and white cookies were served to approximately one hundred guests.

Mrs. Donald Zeleny of Lubbock presided at the brides book.

Members of the house party were Mrs. Stevenson, mother of the honoree, Miss Stevenson, Mrs. B. R. Shaw, mother of the bridegroom-elect, and Mesdames Don Hatchett, Irby Smith, Haskell Laster, Richard Wilkinson, Fred H. Schmidt, John Burton, sr., John Berkley, Leonard Bain, J. V. Bickelstaff, W. L. Davis, George Talbot, sr., and Misses Rona Schramm, Zerva Smith, Janice Coonrod of Lohm, Texas, Sue Padon of Shallowater, Joanne Miller of Snyder, Carolyn Beane of Hamlin, and Henrietta Jackson of Whitewright.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lott and children of Ft. Worth were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lott of 520 W. Lubbock.

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SUBJECT: MIRACLES

As we continue our study of the subject, "Miracles", it might be well for us to briefly review what we have already learned. We have found that God had a definite purpose in miracles. That purpose was to CONFIRM the word. (Heb. 2:1-2) (Mk. 16:20). As God was revealing His will to the world, His messengers needed something to prove to the world that God was with them. Miracles met this need. If we, today, wish to prove that God is with us all we need to do is abide in the teaching of Christ. (II John 9).

We have found that God did not intend that miracles last forever. (Eph. 4:8-13; I Cor. chapters 12 and 13). These passages teach that miracles (gifts) were given unto men, for the work of the ministry, etc. "UNTIL" we come in the knowledge of Christ and the unity of the faith. We may know of the unity of the faith and have a knowledge of Christ if we study the New Testament. Hence, miracles were given to last "UNTIL" God's complete revelation was made. For a complete review of things already learned you may read the last two articles appearing in this paper.

**ONLY ONE SIGN TO LAST FOREVER**

Jesus taught that only ONE sign was to last on and on. (Matt. 12:39-40). "But He answered and said unto them, 'An evil and adulterous generation seeketh after a sign; AND THERE SHALL NO SIGN BE GIVEN TO IT BUT THE SIGN OF JONAH THE PROPHET.' For as Jonah was three days and three nights in the belly of the whale; so shall the Son of Man be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth." Now let us see just what Jesus here teaches. He says that there will be those who will seek a sign. But there will be NO sign

given unto them. Except the sign of Jonah. There is to be ONE sign given. What is it? Jesus says the sign of Jonah. The fact that Jonah was three days and nights in the belly of the whale signifies something. It typifies the death, burial and resurrection of Christ. Jesus says this is the ONLY sign that shall be given. If the world will not believe the story of the death, burial and resurrection of Christ, there can be no salvation for them. Paul says, "I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth: to the Jew first and also to the Greek (Rom. 1:16). Now, whatever the gospel is it is THE power God uses to save. We need NOT look for some Mysterious and Miraculous power to come and save us. The gospel does that. But what is the gospel? The word "gospel" means glad tidings, good news. Paul says the death, burial and resurrection of Christ is the gospel. (I Cor. 15:1-4) "Moreover, brethren, I declare unto you the gospel which I preached unto you, which also you have received, and wherein ye stand; BY WHICH ALSO YE ARE SAVED, if ye keep in memory what I preached unto you, unless ye have believed in vain. FOR I DELIVERED UNTO YOU FIRST OF ALL THAT WHICH I ALSO RECEIVED, HOW THAT CHRIST DIED FOR OUR SINS ACCORDING TO THE SCRIPTURES; AND THAT HE WAS BURIED, AND THAT HE ROSE AGAIN THE THIRD DAY ACCORDING TO THE SCRIPTURES." Here Paul says he preached the GOSPEL to these people, then he explains what that was. The DEATH, BURIAL and RESURRECTION of Christ. Some one might ask, How could that be gospel, (glad tidings, or good news)? Certainly there is NO

good news in the story of the death of the Son of God if you leave out the part which says HE DID IT FOR US. However, when we consider that we are lost, doomed to hell without a Savior, and that Christ died, was buried and rose again the third day FOR our sins, then the story contains good news or glad tidings.

This is the only sign that shall be given, says Jesus. We MUST OBEY a form of this doctrine. (Rom. 6:17-18) "But God be thanked, that ye WERE the servants of sin, but ye HAVE OBEYED FROM THE HEART THAT FORM OF DOCTRINE WHICH WAS DELIVERED YOU, BEING THEN MADE FREE FROM SIN, ye became the servants of righteousness." When were they free from sin? When they obeyed a form of the doctrine delivered them. They were NOT free from sin TILL they OBEYED. Now, what was delivered them? The DEATH, BURIAL and RESURRECTION. So, when they did something that pictures the doctrine, they were made free from sin. But what did they do? Paul answers in the first part of the chapter, verses 3 and 4. "Know ye not that so many of us as were baptized into Jesus Christ were baptized into his death? Therefore we are BURIED WITH Him by baptism into DEATH: that like as Christ raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so WE also should walk in newness of life." So, in baptism they OBEYED a likeness of the death, burial and resurrection of Christ, and were THEN made free from sin. This is obeying the gospel. (II Thess. 1:7-9) tells us that Christ will take vengeance on ALL who obey NOT the gospel. Dear reader, this is the only sign given today. Have you obeyed the gospel? If you have not I beg you do so before it is too late.

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**Political Announcements**

The Slaton Slatonite has been authorized to present the names of the following citizens as candidates for office, subject to the action of the Democratic Voters in their Primary Election on Saturday, July 24, 1948.

For Representative, 19th District Of Congress  
**GEORGE MAHON**

For Senator 30th Senatorial District  
**KILMER B. CORBIN**  
**STERLING J. PARRISH** (Re-election 2nd Term)  
**DUDLEY K. BRUMMETT**

For State Representative, 119th District  
**PRESTON E. SMITH**

For District Judge 72nd Judicial District  
**DAN BLAIR**

For District Judge 99th Judicial District  
**G. V. PARDUE**

For District Attorney 72nd Judicial District  
**LLOYD CROSLIN** (Re-Election)

For District Courts Clerk  
**ROYAL FURGESON** (Re-Election)

For County Attorney  
**JOHN STEELE** (Re-Election 2nd Term)  
**THOMAS B. FORBIS**  
**WAGGONER CARR**

For Tax Assessor-Collector  
**J. B. JOHNSTON** (Re-Election 2nd Term)

For County Clerk  
**LOUIE F. MOORE** (Re-Election 2nd Term)

For County Treasurer  
**J. R. SHIPP**

For County Judge  
**WALTER DAVIES** (Re-Election)  
**ROBERT PORTER**

For Sheriff  
**GRADY HARRIST** (Re-Election)

For County Commissioner Precinct 2  
**E. A. GENTRY**  
**LARKIN TAYLOR**  
**A. A. GARTMAN**  
**H. C. MAXEY**  
**GEORGE G. GREEN**  
**BEN MANSKER** (Re-election)

For Public Weigher  
**J. W. MARTINDALE** (Re-election)



# SUNDAY, MAY 30 WILL BE

*Memorial Day*

And the Aaron Luman Post of the V.F.W. together with the members of the Luther Powers Post of the American Legion will hold Services at the Englewood Cemetery for all who have sacrificed their lives in defense of the United States

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**SOUTHLAND**  
**MRS. FLOY KING**

The Commencement exercises Friday night, May 21, closed this term of school. The following program was carried out: Processional, Mrs. H. Taylor. Invocation, C. E. Poehlman. Salutatory, Joy Scott. Class President's Address, Ferrell Wheeler. Class History, Betty Jackson. Class Will, Helen Barton. "Now Is The Hour," Class. Valedictory, Betty Jean Edmonds. Address, Rev. A. T. Nixon. Presentation of Diplomas, Supt. C. S. Lindsey. Benediction, I. J. Duff. Recessional, Mrs. Taylor. Class officers: Sponsor, C. S. Lindsey; president, Ferrell Wheeler; vice president, Joy Scott; Sec. Treas., Jean Edmonds; reporter, Betty Jackson. Betty Jean Edmonds and Ferrell Wheeler won the scholarships.

The Eighth Grade graduating exercises were held Wednesday night. The speaker was Rev. T. E. Rutledge, assisted by Rev. A. T. Nixon.

Barbara Brooks went to Tahoka with her aunt Wednesday night and stayed until Sunday. Her parents, accompanied by Glenda Grantham, went after her.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Weaver went to Gorman fishing and fox hunting last week.

Gene Anderson and Blondie Ellis have the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Wilke and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Gindorf and children went to Lingo, N. M., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Walter



Gene Autry serenades some desert beauties in this scene from Columbia's "The Last Round-Up."  
 SLATON THEATRE — FRIDAY & SATURDAY

Wilke and children last Friday. Mr. A. Wilke spent most of the week with the Walter Wilkes.

Homer Gilliland of Lubbock visited his parents, the W. W. Gillilands Sunday.

Mrs. Juan Reyes visited in Lubbock part of last week.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Nettie Kellum were Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Attaway of Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Smallwood of Lubbock attended the graduating exercises here Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Allen and baby recently visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Weaver and family moved to Meadow last week. He will manage the Farmers Gin there.

Arlie D. Reed, who was injured in a car wreck last Sunday is getting along satisfactorily.

Southland has been well represented at the Post Rodeo and dressed in cowboy style too.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hord, jr., of 2820 27th St., Lubbock, formerly of Southland, on the birth of a daughter weighing 7 pounds, 7 ounces, Saturday. The father is employed by the West Texas Gas Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Whited were in Lubbock Saturday visiting their niece, Mrs. Junior Hord and the new baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. August Becker have returned from Temple where they visited her mother and other relatives.

Sarge Cummings left Sunday morning for Lamesa.

Mrs. Nellie Mathis and her mother, Mrs. Nettie Kellum went to Brownfield Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Mathis and family and get acquainted with the new daughter who arrived last week and was named Ava.

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**STATE OF THE UNION**

—also—  
CARTOON — NEWS

**POSEY ITEMS**

R. L. BOYD

All officers and teachers were present at the Sunday School with several visitors from Lubbock. Rev. Ray Cox stated that he may not be appointed for another term.

Rev. J. M. Morrison has gone to Arkansas to visit relatives for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lowrance are moving to Lubbock where they will teach school.

Mrs. Bert Darland has returned to Morton after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Carroll.

Mrs. J. H. Halford and daughter, Nan, of New Home, visited the Carroll and M. P. Gentry families Friday.

B. Jones of Haskell has been visiting his sister, Mrs. F. H. Stolle and Mr. Stolle.

Sue Anne Williams had the highest average of the girls in the Junior class at Slaton High School this year.

Billie Carroll, son of Ed Carroll, who now lives at Harbor City, Calif., has recovered from his recent illness.

Invitations are being sent to several former residents to attend the Church dedication the first Sunday in June.

J. W. Boyce has gone to Denver, Colo., to visit his daughter, Mrs. E. E. McGinnis. He says that he may be gone about a month in visiting other relatives and farther west.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hayes have suffered painful injuries when the stepped on nails. Mr. Hayes has taken the serum treatment.

The Women's Society of Christian Service plans to meet Thursday at 2:30 at the church building.

Several residents attended the Singleton funeral at Crosbyton Sunday.

John Hansen, Frances Hart and Ella B. Johnson were among the highest ten students of Slaton High School class of '48.

While waiting for rain, several



LUBBOCK, Texas, May 24 — American Business Club for the benefit of the capital fund of the Lubbock Boys' Club.

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fishermen have been trying to catch the tagged fish which carry high prizes at Buffalo Lakes.

J. C. Vannoy has had a visitor a brother who lives in California.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Craig have moved to South Texas.

The Sunday School has purchased forty new copies of song

**Casual Comment**

By Mrs. Nora Billingsley

I've spent much of my life looking for rain, and "nearly always" it came—finally.

When Merkel was having some sort of a celebration, a good many years ago, a man from the plains made a talk. I believe he was from Lubbock, but I don't remember his name or much about him, except his saying, "They say when you start to reminiscing it's a sign you are getting old. Well I don't care if it is," and he told of going to school in a half dugout. A buffalo came to the door, and stood there, looking in, and the lady teacher fainted.

Once, much farther back, when I was a girl in Tennessee, a visitor in the community came to church. She and some of the women had known each other years before. Perhaps it was an age of less tact, or even less kindness, for they frankly told each other how much "older" they looked.

The women of the community could see little change in themselves, but could plainly see that the visitor had changed, and the visitor assured them that they, too, had aged. I looked and listened, and, with the sweeping positiveness of youth, I thought to myself "You are all old, and you need not doubt THAT." At that time I was in my early teens, and the women were, perhaps, in their early forties.

It depends on our own age—what we consider "OLD." It now seems that old age is an always retreating mirage. When we are in our twenties, we think we will be really ancient in our forties, but when we reach that time in life, we know we are not ancient at all. Age is still somewhat out in the future. However, we are sure, at this time, that we will concede old age in our sixties.

There was an interesting article in The Saturday Evening Post, some time ago, by Samuel G. Blythe, "Well, Well, Here Comes Sixty," in which he says, "A man's sixties are what he has made them, speaking physically and mentally—and of course economically also."

I think that, by the time we are in our sixties, life should mean more than ever before. We have, perhaps, had a lot of disappointments over the years, but we know now, how little they mattered and such things no longer upset us, though we can yet look with tolerant sympathy and understanding on "the tempests in teacups" of those who are still busily engaged in making much-a-do about nothing.

We live in our interests — and the more of them, the richer is life.

One of my pet curiosities is to know what the new 200 inch telescope will reveal. For many years I've been interested in the experiments, the failures, and the

final success of its making. I counted it a lucky accident that, during a wakeful night, I heard the broadcast when, foot by careful foot, it was taken from a Pasadena laboratory and loaded for its last trip to the observatory on Palomar mountain.

Yes, even in our sixties, if we have fairly good health and are interested in the panorama of passing events, we know that old age is still retreating, somewhere into the future.

And yet, we don't fool ourselves. We know we have reached a time in life when "anything can happen, and usually does." Time is

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Mertizo wool is South American wool from mixed breeds of sheep.

### DUDLEY K. BRUMMETT MAKES STATEMENT—

(Continued from page 1)

became Prisoners of War of the Germans until the end of hostilities. Brummett, together with several thousand other Air Corps Prisoners of War participated in the January sub-zero march on foot through deep snow from Sagan, in the east part of Germany to Spremberg, Germany. The Prisoners of War were being removed out of east Germany to prevent their liberation by the approaching Russian Army invading Germany from the east. They were crowded into box cars and carried on to Mooseburg in southern Germany, a crowded, infamous and filthy Prisoner of War camp, without heat or fuel, and there kept on a starvation diet. They were there liberated by General Patton's Third Army on the 29th day of April, 1945. Brummett and his entire crew were immediately

flown out of Germany and returned to the United States, which all agreed was the most blessed country on earth. Brummett was awarded the Air Medal for his bombing missions over Germany.

Brummett stated that in seeking the office of State Senator, "I desire to serve my fellow man in the Senate Hall of Texas. It has been my life ambition to serve in public life." Brummett stated further, "I have but one promise to make in offering myself as a candidate for State Senator, and that is, that when elected I will represent all the people of my district to the best of my ability on every legislative matter that shall come before the Senate of Texas."

Brummett was born and reared in Dickens County. He moved with his parents to Lubbock in 1932. He attended Lubbock public schools and Texas Tech, working his way through school as a grocery clerk with Furr Food Stores for three years of this time. He later attended the University of Texas Law School.

Brummett is a Vice-President of the Junior Bar of Texas, a member of the State Bar of Texas, Lions Club, Junior Chamber of Commerce, Methodist Church, member of Texas Prisoner of War Club, member Caterpillar Club, and a Reserve Officer in the Air Corps of the United States Army.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

### It's Leap Year, Girls!

First girl in our town to "get her man" on Leap Year was the Cuppers' daughter, Jane, who wed Bill Webster's boy last Saturday.

I know it's usual for older folks to shake their heads over the younger generation. (It's gone on for hundreds of years, now.)

When I asked Bill Jr. if it was true that Janey really did the proposing, Bill said: No, but she made it plain she'd make an ideal wife. Instead of looking for diversion or excitement every evening, she was content to chat beside the fire.

"I could plainly see," says Bill, "that we'd really have a happy home life—which is just exactly what I want from marriage."

But from where I sit, young people of marrying age today are every bit as commendable as their elders were—in their temperance (a glass of beer for instance), tolerance, and common sense. So to Jane and Bill—the best of luck!

Joe Marsh

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- This and That**
- ACROSS**
- 1—To be filled with longing
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  - 15—Like
  - 16—Space
  - 17—Among
  - 18—Exclamation
  - 21—Parent
  - 23—Colloquial "all right"
  - 24—Wet, spongy earth
  - 27—A particle
  - 29—Egress
  - 30—A strong
  - 31—Preposition
  - 33—Measure of weight
  - 34—Negative
- DOWN**
- 1—Adolescence
  - 2—Listening device
  - 3—Member of a Semitic race
  - 4—Negative
  - 5—Man's nickname
  - 6—Miscues
  - 7—Fish egg
  - 8—Rigid
  - 11—Sloping roadway
  - 12—Continent
  - 19—Verily
  - 20—Dry
  - 21—Fuss
  - 23—Prophetic sign
  - 25—Roman numeral
  - 26—Latin connective
  - 27—Preposition
  - 28—Over
  - 31—Provoked
  - 32—Facial expression
  - 33—Gloom
  - 35—Musical instrument
  - 36—Beverages
  - 38—To shift suddenly from one side to the other (nautical)
  - 40—Anger
  - 43—Correlative of neither
  - 45—Like
  - 46—Sea-going vessel (abbrev.)

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## Cecil Says

Howdy Folks: A milk man has to look but one horse in the ramp all day, but a bartender has to look at hundreds of them.

Come to think about it, the only way a nag is a woman to work is to turn his back to it.

Speaking of horses, do you suppose a political dark horse is one who is willing to pony up?

And horse sense must be just plain stable thinking.

One of our customers seems to think that a nag is a woman with no horse sense.

That's an old gag, but maybe he's got something there.

We know a party who claims that some people must have a sixth sense because they show no signs of the other five.

Be that as it may, it's good sense to buy our gasoline. Why don't you?

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# MORE TELEPHONES

more telephone calls

More and more calls from more and more telephones have taxed the capacity of switchboards and operators alike during these days of equipment shortages. Even so, most calls at most times go through promptly.

If, at times, you do not hear "Number, please?" immediately, it's because hundreds of other people are calling at the same time and operators are doing their best to answer each call in turn. This is especially true during the busiest hours of the day—midmorning and early evening.

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# PUBLIC SERVICE

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**Last Meeting Of Year For Civic Club Is Held**

The Civic and Culture Club met Saturday, May 22, 1948, in the home of Mrs. W. E. Smart, with Mrs. D. J. Neill as co-hostess. This meeting was the closing meeting of the current calendar year. The next meeting will be held the second Saturday in September.

Mrs. P. G. Meading was leader of the program for the afternoon and spoke on, "Canada's Education and Religion."

Mrs. B. M. Pember talked on, "Canada and United States."

Refreshments were served to seventeen members.

**SOUTHLAND CHURCH HONORS DEPARTING MINISTER**

On Tuesday evening, May 25, members of the Southland Lutheran Church honored their pastor, Rev. E. C. Poehlman, with a farewell party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Voight.

Group singing and the playing of various games were enjoyed. During the evening Mr. Wallace Becker presented the departing pastor with an appropriate gift in behalf of the congregation.

Refreshments of punch, cake and sandwiches were served to approximately fifty people.

**GRAND LODGE OFFICER VISITS SLATON LODGE**

Mrs. Bertha Pfann Kuche, Secretary of the Grand Executive Board, visited the Slaton Lodge of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen on Thursday, May 20th. A dinner was served in her honor at noon in the Lodge hall. Lodge was held immediately after. Five ladies from the Lubbock lodge and one from San Angelo were also guests. Mrs. Pfann Kuche was here to instruct the ladies in Auxiliary work and they report they have been greatly benefited by her visit.

**CHILD STUDY FORUM HAS FINAL MEETING AND TEA**

The final meeting of the Slaton Child Study Forum was held May 19 in the home of Mrs. Sug Robertson. The following new officers were installed: Pres., Mrs. T. R. Hendrix; vice-pres., Mrs. Milton Fields; treas., Mrs. Joe Walker, jr.; sec., Mrs. J. C. Smith; cor.-sec., Mrs. H. E. Woillard; rep., Mrs. Robertson.

A tea hour was held. Program plans and plans for the play school for the new year will be made soon. The school has been dismissed until after Vacation Bible Schools are over.

**Social Security Man To Be Here**

Gerald L. Schantz, Social Security Administration Representative, will be in Slaton, Texas at the Post Office at 4:00 p. m., on June 2, 1948, for the purpose of answering any questions you may have on social security; discussing possible benefits and taking claims from persons who seem to be entitled to benefits; and taking applications for social security account number cards.

When you multiply your social security account numbers, you stand a good chance of dividing your future benefits.

Only wages posted to the account of the worker involved are considered when a claim is filed. Unless the applicant can furnish a record of all numbers he has used, some wages on which he has paid social security taxes won't be counted.

Protect your future social security benefits by asking for a "duplicate" instead of a new card to replace the card which has been lost or worn out.

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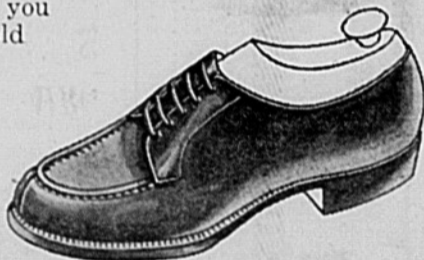
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<b>NEW POTATOES</b>	<b>6c</b>
NO. 1 — POUND	
<b>SQUASH</b>	<b>5c</b>
YELLOW OR WHITE — LB.	
<b>ROASTING EARS</b>	<b>5c</b>
FRESH — EACH	
<b>CELERY</b>	<b>15c</b>
ERTRA LARGE STALK	
<b>CABBAGE</b>	<b>5c</b>
FIRM HEAD—LB.	
<b>SPUDS</b>	<b>6c</b>
CALIFORNIA WHITE ROSE — LB.	

<b>COFFEE</b>	
RED AND WHITE	<b>53c</b>
POUND	
<b>TOMATOES</b>	
NO. 2 CANS	<b>25c</b>
2 FOR	
<b>APPLE SAUCE</b>	
C & S	<b>19c</b>
NO. 2 CAN	
<b>GRAPE JUICE</b>	
WHITE SWAN	<b>35c</b>
PURE CONCORD	
QUART	

**MORE for your MONEY**

<b>PREPARED MUSTARD.</b>	<b>5c</b>
8 OZ. JAR	
<b>SALAD DRESSING</b>	<b>35c</b>
SUN SPUN — PINT	
<b>TEA</b>	<b>23c</b>
SCHILLINGS — 1/4 LB. PKG.	
<b>APPLE JUICE</b>	<b>15c</b>
CRYSTAL — QUART BOTTLE	
<b>PRUNE PLUMS</b>	<b>19c</b>
NO. 2 1/2 CAN	
<b>VEGETABLE SOUP</b>	<b>25c</b>
MCGRATH'S — 3 CANS	
<b>MARSHMALLOWS</b>	<b>25c</b>
6 OZ. PACKAGE — 2 FOR	
<b>PANCAKE FLOUR</b>	<b>29c</b>
PILLSBURY'S — LARGE 2 1/2 LB. PKG.	
<b>SWEET RELISH</b>	<b>9c</b>
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ASSORTED FLAVORS — 6 FOR	
<b>ASPARAGUS</b>	<b>35c</b>
FANCY ALL GREEN — NO. 2 CAN	
<b>PRUNE JUICE</b>	<b>25c</b>
HOUSE OF GEORGE—12 OZ. BOT. — 3 FOR	

**Mixed Vegetables**

ST. ELMO	<b>10c</b>
NO. 2	
CAN	
<b>-BEETS</b>	
KUNERS	<b>18c</b>
CUT	
2 1/2 CAN	
<b>PEAS</b>	
RED & WHITE	<b>21c</b>
NO. 2 CAN	
<b>BOILED BEANS</b>	
WITH PORK	<b>25c</b>
FIRESIDE — TALL	
CAN — 2 FOR	

**MEAT makes the MEAL!**

<b>ROAST</b>	<b>55c</b>
NICE, LEAN PORK — POUND	
<b>BACON</b>	<b>79c</b>
MORRELL'S PRIDE — SLICED — LB.	
<b>PICNIC HAM</b>	<b>49c</b>
MORRELL'S PRIDE — 1/2 OR WHOLE — LB.	
<b>NUCOA</b>	<b>39c</b>
OLEOMARGARINE — LB.	

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