

The Tribune has been requested to announce that there will be a public hearing on the proposed bond issue for the building of a new Crosbryton, Texas, on Saturday, January 24th., at 2:00 P. M.

A representative of the Highway Department will be present to answer all question that might be asked.

—Lorenzo Tribune

Services observing the World Day of Prayer will be sponsored by the Canyon Council of Church Women on Friday, Feb. 13, at 3 o'clock. The program, which will be announced later, will be held at the First Christian Church.

A nursery will be provided for small children.

This is a universal service, and it is hoped that a large attendance of Canyon citizens will spend an hour to join a world at prayer, it was emphasized. Mrs. Bryan McDonald is president of the local Council.

—Canyon News

Land owners of Randall county, who are protesting the further development of the water supply for Amarillo in Randall county, will meet in Canyon Monday afternoon, according to notice from Amarillo.

The land owners went before the city commission in Amarillo Tuesday night, but were not heard due to the absence of Mayor Lawrence Hagy.

—Canyon News

Eight men representing Garza County, the City of Post and the Post Chamber of Commerce joined representatives from Crosby, Armstrong, Floyd, Carson, Hutchinson and Briscoe Counties in Silvertown last Thursday to organize the Borger To Post Highway Association for the purpose of finishing the paving of Highway No. 122 in the above mentioned counties.

—Post Dispatch

The stage is being rapidly set for the opening of the Eleventh Annual Mitchell County Fat Stock Show to be held here January 26-27. Future Farmers and 4-H boys all over Mitchell county are giving their animals last-minute groomings. Ranchers from the five eligible counties have selected their best animals for entry in the Hereford Breeders Class. More than \$1,000.00 in cash awards in addition to ribbons have been guaranteed by the Colorado City Chamber of Commerce, sponsors of the events.

—Colorado Record

Joe Cowan, Mitchell county farm agent, was in Llano last week picking calves for his 4-H boys to feed out in their club projects during 1948. Six boys now have their calves and, according to Cowan, others will be secured just as rapidly as possible.

—Colorado Record

In an effort to curtail the number of solicitations and fund raising schemes circulated among the retail merchants of Seagraves, directors of the chamber of commerce have appointed a credentials committee to examine the worthiness of such promotions before they are circulated.

The committee, composed of Cliff Armstrong, Claude Hearne and J. H. Thornhill, will approve or reject fund raising projects in the name of the chamber of commerce.

Gaines Co. News

The Fort Worth and Denver Railroad is planning the building of a cotton loading platform here, according to Meeker, local agent when, yor.

The platform will be large enough to facilitate the loading of from 200 to 300 bales at a time. This is a step taken by the railroad to make more accommodations available for the cotton farmers of this area. It has been impossible to ship cotton by rail from this point for the past several years because no loading platform was available.

—Petersburg Journal

C. of C. Banquet To Be Feb. 9th.

Fried chicken enthusiasts were disappointed last Wednesday night when the Chamber of Commerce Banquet was called off on account of the fuel shortage and the cold weather, but they are looking forward to the proposed feast that will take place on Monday, February 9th., the new date set for the event.

The Club House has been arranged for, Boyce House, the West Texas story teller has kindly consented to return here for the occasion and the program as planned for last Wednesday will be followed. The folks who attend the Banquet will be given an opportunity to vote for five new Chamber of Commerce Directors and H. C. Maxey will prepare the food with the feature attraction in the way of eats being fried chicken.

Mr. House arrived in Slaton last Wednesday, but left early in the day.

Wilson School Has Honor Rolls

J. P. Hewlett, Superintendent of the Wilson Public Schools states that the following pupils have made the First Semester Honor Roll by having an average of A on all subjects for the semester:

- Seniors — None.
- Juniors — Patricia Smith.
- Sophomores — Bessie Kindrick.
- Freshmen — Thomas Mason.
- Grade School:
- 8th. Grade — Shirley Bartley.
- 7th. Grade — Charlene Laeky.
- 6th. Grade — R. J. Bednarz, Don White and Barbara Montgomery.
- 5th. Grade — Verlene Ehlers, Evelyn Gindorf, and Javan Schmelzer.
- 4th. Grade — Jerry Church and Deana Ward.
- 3rd. Grade — Eunice Buxkemper, Dixie Hewlett, Billy Lee, Mary Lou Lichey, Larry Maeker, Ida Mason, Joyce Raymond and Patsy Spears.
- 2nd. Grade — Joyce Church, Carol Grant, Donald Gryder, Mark Pair, Neita Hewlett, Martha Anne Pair, Waymon Tamplen and Sue Tubbs.
- 1st. Grade — Willie Pat Baxley, Nancy Cook, Audrey Klaus, Wayne Harper, Elizabeth Parker, Jeanette Schneider and Ronald White.

The following made the Honor Roll by having an average of 90% or more for the third six-week term:

- Seniors — Marvin James.
- Juniors — Jimmy Coleman, Patricia Smith and Lucille Perkins.
- Sophomores — Bessie Kindrick.
- Freshmen — Thomas Mason.
- 8th. Grade — Shirley Bartley.
- 7th. Grade — Cordell Hagens and Charlene Laeky.
- 6th. Grade — Winona Anderson, R. J. Bednarz, Mary Christoper, Onita Ehlers, Barbara Montgomery, Delbert Sanders, and Don White.
- 5th. Grade — Verlene Ehlers, Evelyn Gindorf, Don Evelyn Joines, Eilche Maeker and Charles Ray Mason.
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- 1st. Grade — Willie Pat Baxley, Jimmy Blankenship, Nancy Cook, Barbara Leann Crowson, Wayne Harper, Audrey Klaus, Elizabeth Parker, Jeanette Schneider, Herman York and Ronald White.

Sgt. and Mrs. John W. Cook and daughter, Linda, have been transferred from Biloxi, Miss. to San Angelo.

Mrs. Lula Caldwell and Mr. and Mrs. Carter Caldwell have returned from Gibsland, La.

Mr. Fred Ferguson of Union, who has been quite ill, is reported to be better.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Adkins and daughter, Rita, have returned home after spending last week visiting the W. A. Marr family in Albuquerque, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Edmondson and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Talbot spent Sunday in Sweetwater where they visited Mr. Edmondson's sister, Mrs. Whit Worley.

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—Petersburg Journal



D. GORDON RUPE, JR.

DALLAS, Jan. 26 — D. Gordon Rupe, Jr., Dallas investment banker, has been named Texas chairman for the fifteenth annual observance of "American Brotherhood Week," February 22-29 that is being sponsored by the National Conference of Christians and Jews.

Tomorrow Last Day For Crop Insurance

Cotton producers in Lubbock County have an important decision to make on Federal Crop Insurance before January 31, the closing date for accepting applications for this protection against unavoidable risks in the cotton production, such as insects, weather and plant disease.

Producers will be making a group decision regarding whether they want this all-risk protection of their production investments as well as the individual decision on protecting their own crops. If they fail to qualify the county as a group, it may be some years before this protection can again be offered in the county.

Walter Y. Wells, Secretary of Lubbock County A.C.A. urges all cotton producers who are interested in the development of a sound program of crop insurance protection in the county to be sure to visit the county office and sign up before the January 31st. deadline. Full information on the progressive coverage and the premium for all insurance units are available at the county office.

Personnel and administrative funds are not sufficient, he explained, to enable the county office to make sure that every farmer is contacted personally. Consequently, farmers are urged to exercise initiative on their own part to make sure that they have the opportunity to understand the program and to sign up by personally visiting the county office. Through their applications or failure to apply, county producers are in effect voting on whether or not the county will have cotton crop insurance program in the immediate future.

PHONE NUMBER CHANGED

The phone number shown in C. M. Magouirk's advertisement in this weeks Slatonite is 121, this is not correct as he now has his headquarters at the Allied Plumbing Shop at 650 South 12th. St., and the phone number is 128-W.

Allen R. Talbot, seaman, first class, USNR, son of Mrs. Esma Talbot of 8th. St., Slaton, Texas, has visited Trinidad, B.W.I., while enroute to Buenos Aires, Argentina, aboard the heavy cruiser USS Albany, flagship of Vice Admiral Lynde D. McCormick, Commander of Battleships and Cruisers, Atlantic Fleet. Accompanying the Albany on its visit of courtesy to Argentina is the destroyer USS McKenzie.

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Church of Christ To Send Aid To Navaho Indians

People of Slaton are being offered the opportunity to participate in the sending of another truckload of clothing and food to the relief of the Navaho Indians in the mountainous regions around Gallup, N. M. This mission is being carried out by the Church of Christ, lead by their minister, Lloyd Moyer.

Conditions of Indians in this area has been desperate, well over a thousand of them having already died from malnutrition and exposure. This truckload is to be delivered directly to a school back in the hills where it will be distributed among people who have not been reached heretofore.

Reception booths are to be set up in the following stores: Piggly-Wiggly, Berkeley and Haddock, Drive-In Food Market and Ely's Grocery; a trailer will be placed in front of the Post Office and packages may also be brought to the Church of Christ.

All packages must be in by February 8, as the truck will leave as soon after that date as weather permits.

Charley Guy Speaks At High School

Charley Guy, managing editor of the Avalanche-Journal, who has recently returned from a tour in Europe, spoke in the Slaton High School auditorium Monday night, under the sponsorship of the Civic Clubs of the City. A number of musical numbers were also enjoyed, given by a sextet composed of Misses Daunita Dowell, Joyce Sexton, Anna Doris Phillips, Nancy Teague, Betty Jo Gentry and Connie Jo Fish. Miss Dowell also sang, "Temptation."

Taxes Will Be Delinquent Feb. 1

Attention of Slaton citizens is called to the fact that only two days remain in which to pay city and school taxes without a penalty. On February 1 all unpaid taxes become delinquent.

Mrs. Roger Pinson of Plainview, and two sons, Maxey of Stamford, and Roger of Tech, spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Haral.

Mrs. M. R. McClain of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe West.

Miss Dorothy Davis from McMurry College has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis, between semesters.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kerens and son John moved to Morton last week.

Signs Duplicate



DEDHAM, MASS.—(Soundphoto)—A duplicate of the Taft "voluntary" anti-inflation bill, which disappeared mysteriously shortly before President Truman was about to sign it into law, was rushed to Dedham High School by plane and auto from Washington and signed by Speaker of the House Joseph Martin. The document was flown by Army plane to the North Attleboro home of Martin and then rushed by auto to the Dedham High School where he was keeping a speaking engagement.

A. A. Gartman Out For Commissioner Indian Lore Entertainment Will Be Presented By The Slaton Boy Scouts



A. A. GARTMAN

To the people of precinct two of Lubbock, County, I am again asking for the office of County Commissioner of precinct two. I ran for this office two years ago and was defeated by less than a hundred votes, and again I want to thank the people for the splendid vote you gave me two years ago. I will greatly appreciate all the support that you give me this time. I certainly want to thank the many friends that have come to me from all over the precinct asking and encouraging me to run for this office again. I made a clean race for this office two years ago, and will do the same thing again this time, although there were a few statements made against me two years ago that were absolutely false.

I am 41 years of age and have a high school education. I have lived here in the precinct for 22 years, have a wife and five children, all born and reared, schooled right here in the precinct. I still have three children at home.

I am a tax payer here in the precinct and I believe I am qualified to fill the office that I am asking for, as I have had experience in the building of roads and the handling of an office. I served this precinct 4 years, from 1941 to 1944 as Public weigher, and at the present time I am Deputy County Weigher.

My Platform To The People Is: More and better streets, roads, farm-to-market roads, and school bus routes all over the precinct.

I am for lower taxes and the eradication of Johnson Grass in our country. I will be fair to all if elected and will do my best to see each and everyone in the precinct before the July primary.

So your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated on July 24th., for County Commissioner of Precinct Two.

Your friend and neighbor,
A. A. GARTMAN.

O. E. S. SPONSORING FORTY-TWO PARTY

A Forty-Two Party at the Club House on next Friday night, February 6, is being sponsored by the Slaton members of the Order of the Eastern Star, for the benefit of the Cancer Research Fund. Light refreshments are to be served and plenty of fun is promised. Tickets are being sold by members of the O. E. S.



Born January 24 at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. J. Herrick, a son weighing 8 pounds and 12 ounces.

Born January 24 at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Teffertiller, a daughter weighing 8 pounds and 5 ounces.

Born January 24 at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Peterson, a boy weighing 8 pounds and 1 ounce.

Born January 27 at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. W. F. White, a daughter weighing 7 pounds and 13 ounces.

Over the Wire



A. C. Strickland, who is the promotional manager of the Lubbock County Calf. Hog and Lamb show featured in Slaton every spring, says that he will soon get things lined up for the 1948 show. For several years the show was held on the East side of the Square but it has out grown those quarters and was moved last year to the Tiger Athletic Field where the increased showing of animals could be accommodated.

It will be staged at the Athletic Field again this year and will likely be the biggest and best ever held.

Considerable work has been done by the Southwestern Public Service Company on their lines East of town where the High line has been put on new and bigger poles and where some highly technical equipment has been installed to automatically control the current that flows to some of the big industrial users of power in this area.

Business is still going strong in nearly all lines in Slaton. Food stores report increases over last year, the clothing stores are doing more business and the old after the Holiday blues have about worn off.

More people have paid their Poll Taxes this year than in any previous year according to the available information. The total number of Poll Taxes paid through the F. A. Drewery office to date are 763 while Mr. Drewery estimates that over 1000 Poll Taxes will be paid in his office this year as there is over a week yet to go. About 500 is the average for Slaton.

The recent snow demonstrates that something should be done about the drainage on the West Side of the Square. If the money spent for Doctor bills and drugs to cure the colds and pneumonia of folks who exposed themselves to the icy waters, could be used for the repairs it would probably more than pay the expense. Let's start a March of nickles to do the job if it cannot be done any other way.

Local Church Is Host To Laymen

The Laymen's League of the Disciples of Christ met in the First Christian Church here Sunday afternoon beginning at 4 o'clock. The League Governor, John Butler of Brownfield, presided over the business meeting, during which reports were heard from members of the church throughout this section, interspersed with special music by a quartet from the Lubbock Church.

At 6 o'clock a buffet supper was served in the basement by the young matrons of the church. Dr. McCord, minister of the Brownfield Church, gave the invocation. More than fifty out-of-town guests were in attendance.

At 7:30 Mr. Butler opened the evening session, with Dr. Roberts of Brownfield conducting the song service. Dr. McCord gave the scripture reading and the local minister, Rev. Dale Medearis, brought the evening message. Dr. J. D. Dyer of Lamesa gave the benediction.

Laymen were present from Brownfield, Lamesa and Lubbock.

GRANDFATHER OF LOCAL PEOPLE DIES IN KANSAS

Mr. L. Kirkpatrick of Wichita, Kansas, passed away January 26th, at the age of 96 years. Grandchildren are Gordon and Melvin Burrell and Mrs. Olen Terry of Slaton and Mrs. Felix Boldin of Lubbock.

The Slaton Troop of the Boy Scouts of America have prepared an Indian Lore entertainment, which they will present this evening at 7:45 at the High School gymnasium. Indian dancing, representative of tribes of all different sections of the United States will be featured. Guest dancers are to be present from Lamesa, Brownfield and Lubbock.

The course in Indian Lore has been under the direction of Mr. D. J. Reeves, teacher in West Ward school, and an interesting and entertaining program is promised.

A small admission charge will be made in order to raise funds for some needed repairs and improvements for the Scout hall.

Mr. Bruce Pember, Scoutmaster, Mr. Reeves, and the ministers of Slaton are doing some fine work with the Slaton boys and the public is urged to support them by attending this entertainment.

February 6 ushers in National Boy Scout Week, during which the activities of this fine organization will be given special attention all over the United States.

Martindale Asks For Re-election

In announcing my candidacy for Public Weigher for a second term I do so with a feeling that I have done everything within my power to do my work as it should have been done.

While I do not feel that I have not made mistakes, for I am sure I have, I do feel that all that I have made were small errors and that considering all of the difficulties that come with this work I believe that the work has been done satisfactorily for both the cotton raisers of this area as well as for the County.

To those who made it possible for me to be elected the first time I wish to extend my sincere appreciation and to say that I will endeavor to deserve your vote more on my second term as I have gained experience in the work and feel that I can save time for those I serve and give them the value of the experience I have gained.

To those who have had no occasion to use the services I render I earnestly request that you make inquiries concerning my efforts during the past two years and I hereby make my promise that I will give my best efforts at all times to the work that is required in the place I seek.

Thanking you again for the support you gave me in my first race and asking for your consideration again I am, yours truly,
J. W. MARTINDALE



During one of his lecture tours, Mark Twain made a stopover at a small California town. Before dinner he visited the barber shop for a shave.

"You're a stranger in town, aren't you?" queried the barber.

"Yes," Twain replied. "This is my first time here."

"You chose a good time to come," the barber continued. "Mark Twain is going to lecture tonight. Think you'll be going?"

"Oh, I guess so."

"Have you bought your ticket? If you haven't you'll have to stand, 'cause everything is sold out," warned the barber.

"Doggone!" cursed Twain. "I never saw such confounded luck! Every time that fellow lectures, I have to stand!"

—Walter Winchell

Mark Twain, who hated to bother with spelling or punctuation, once accompanied a manuscript to his publisher with this note: "Gentlemen:? Please scatter these throughout the attached according to your taste."

—Hy Gardner, Parade

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Order those chicks early. The best breeders and hatcheries usually have a certain amount of top grade chicks, and those who place their orders first for these chicks of superior quality are placed highest on the delivery preference list. It also assures one of getting the breed desired and getting them off to an early start so they reach the favorable early broiler market quickly. Hatcherymen must make their plans far in advance, and many of them offer special discounts to the early purchasers so their plans can be completed. Early booking pays off so don't neglect to contact the hatcheryman at once.

Plan The Way
After the chicks are ordered, start planning the year's management program. Even birds with the best breeding won't do well without good care. See that the brooder house and equipment are in good condition before the chicks arrive. Then determine to give the birds the best of care all through the growing season. Good management may mean the difference between high and low mortality between productive and unproductive layers. Think it over carefully.

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"Manufacturer's instructions give a washing machine's capacity. Be sure there's plenty of suds when washing a quilt, blanket or spread. Four to six sheets are a normal load, but a mixture of sheets and pillow cases gives better circulation than bedding."

"Blankets and spreads need a bit more careful handling," she adds. "Use lukewarm water and rich suds. Spots may be rubbed with two well-soaped fingers and blanket binding with a soft brush. Give them three rinses to remove every bit of soap. Keep the wringer loose."

"Dry the blankets or rayon colored spreads in the shade or on a line indoors away from direct heat or sunlight. Reverse them occasionally as they stop dripping to prevent sagging. Blot moisture with a towel as it collects. When dry, brush both sides of blanket with clean brush to bring up nap. Press the binding with warm iron."

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POSEY ITEMS

R. L. BOYD

In spite of the cold weather the attendance was good at the church services Sunday. There were four visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Allen of Wolforth, and Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Taylor who live west of Slaton.

S. N. Gentry had charge of Sunday school services, as the superintendent, S. N. Sain and the assistant, M. P. Gentry were absent.

At least three of the candidates for one county position have lived at or near Posey at one time.

Several wells are being drilled for irrigation purposes. R. B. Boyd got a small well across the canyon and a new well is being drilled on the Patterson farm bordering Posey. J. C. Vannoy also has a well that is about completed.

Some farm homes have been repaired with new space added

and a few garages have been built. A farewell gift was given to Mrs. J. H. Slone, who has moved from the community, by the members of the Sunday school class.

John Gates, store owner, who came here about two years ago from Idalou, says that he may soon sell or close his store and find employment in Lubbock.

The Posey Gin, which has had the most successful season in several years, has about completed the season.

The REA has connected lines to most homes, except for a few on the south Buffalo road and poles have been erected for some time to the more isolated residences.

Mr. Sheffey, who ranches along the canyon, and farms some of the state game reserve land, says that he is going to move some fences to eliminate the weed growth near the south entrance to Buffalo Lakes.

The school trustee board has

not yet announced the selection of a new trustee to take the place of J. H. Slone, who has moved to New Mexico. Another trustee, Mr. W. M. Cox, has moved to Colorado since the last election.

Willie J. Shaffer has recently purchased a new Chevrolet automobile.

A letter has been received from Miss Ruth Duncan, a Missionary who is now located at Kilnshim, China, stating that she is going farther inland. The Missionary, who has relatives here, must remain in China seven years before returning home.

Get your College and Public School recommended Merriman Webster's Dictionaries at the Slatonite, \$4.75. The same dictionaries are selling in other places for \$5.50.

Easy Does It

One day I heard my Uncle Ben, the most successfully lazy man in Logan County, Kentucky, calling the maid by his wife's name. When I corrected him, he explained, "I call everybody Cora now—even the dog and the stock. It's easier. I can sit here on the porch and when I holler 'Cora' I know somebody's going to come. Them I don't want I send back."

—Reader's Digest

A bus repairman was filling out a report on a highway accident. When he came to the question, "Disposition of Passengers?" he candidly wrote: "Mad as Hell."

—Reader's Digest

Birth Announcements, Wedding Invitations and Informals at the Slatonite.



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Everyone is invited to the play Thursday night, January 29, at the Southland High School auditorium for the benefit of the luncheon room.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kellem, and his mother, Mrs. Nettie Kellem, returned Saturday from Pittsburgh, Pa., where they spent two weeks with their brother and son, Pete Kellem, and family.

Mrs. August Becker left Monday for Temple, Texas, to visit her mother, Mrs. Eckloman, who is sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dunn and children spent the week end in Merkel with friends.

Mr. Alex Dunn is on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Dunn have sold their farm and are now living in the J. F. Winterrows farm house.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Hard of Lubbock visited the J. L. Whites, late Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Dunn have returned from Alabama and Fort Worth. Their Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Dunn and family, also Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Whited.

Mrs. Joe Childress and Beverly, and Mrs. Homer Gilland of Lubbock, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gilland Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Zed Bright and family of Trent, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sego and family of Merkel visited the R. D. Williams last Sunday.

Visiting Fay Collins recently was her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Whately, her mother, Mrs. Mary Whately, and sister Lola Mullins, all of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Donahoo and grandson, Jerry, have returned from a three week's visit with their sons in Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Numley of Lurlock, Calif., are visiting Mr. Numley's grandfather, Mr. J. P. Howard, also Mr. Numleys aunt, Mrs. Don Pernell and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Leake and child of Mineral Wells spent the week end with Mr. Leakes parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Leake.

There was a farewell party given at the H. V. Wheeler home Wednesday night honoring Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King and son who are moving to their farm, recently purchased six miles out of Lubbock on the Shallowater road.

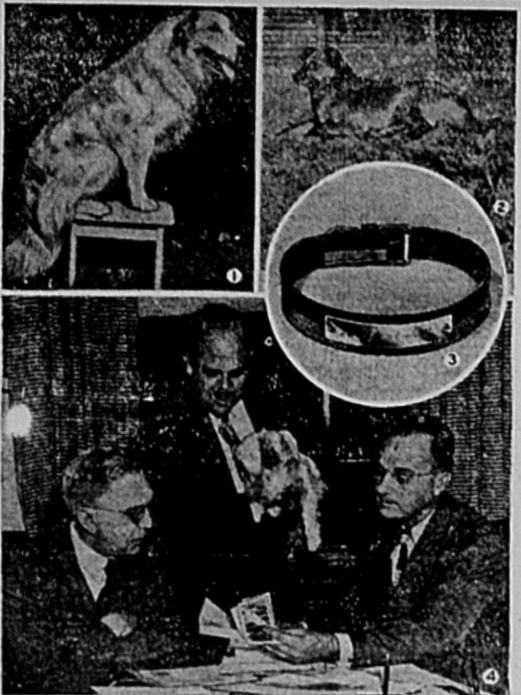
Mrs. Mary Jane Gray has just returned from Burnet where she visited her daughter, Mrs. May.

Mr. Elmer Trimble was in the Lubbock hospital four days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Bartlett of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bartlett of Littlefield, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bartlett, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Trimble of California are here for a weeks visit.

Named "America's Most Useful Dogs"



BECAUSE the judges could not decide between them, both dogs here were awarded the title "America's Most Useful Dog of 1947" in a contest undertaken by the Gaines Dog Research Center, New York, as part of the year's National Dog Week observance. 1. "Tubby," who helps run the Karl B. Loud farm at Wellsboro, Pa. 2. "Spike," who is righthand man to Mrs. Ed Schlagel, Cataldo, Idaho, in the operation of her ranch. 3. Custom-made collar bearing engraved silver plate presented to the winning dogs. 4. Judges weighing the merits of candidates in contest. Left to right, Sydney H. Coleman, executive vice president, ASPCA; Ted Malone, prominent radio personality (with pet Sealyham Ochie), and Harry Miller, director, Gaines Dog Research Center.

To prevent reinfestation of rats all piles of rubbish, trash, and brush should be burned; feed concentrates should be protected, barns and cribs should be rat-proofed.

Loose leaf ledgers, ledger outfits and blank books at the Slatonite.

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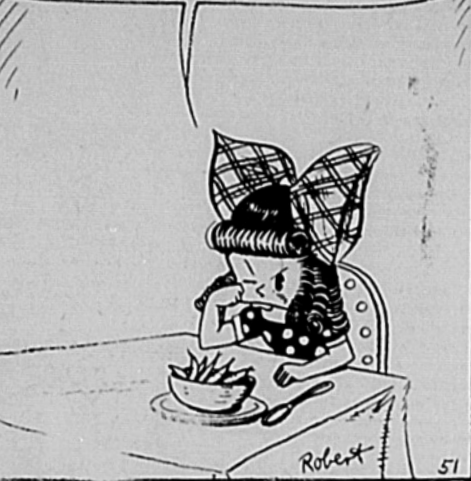
Volunteering as a blood donor at a Texas hospital, a young woman was asked by the nurse, "Do you know your type?" "Oh, yes," came the confident reply, "I'm the sultry type."

—Reader's Digest

Dried fruit and bread crumbs or cooked cereal may be combined in a stuffing that dresses up the cheapest cuts of meat.

JEST LAFFS by ROBERT

BUT I DON'T WANT TO SEE IN THE DARK, SO WHY SHOULD I EAT THESE DARN CARROTS?



"Miss Lala" Brightens Her Corner



MEMPHIS—Mrs. Lala Blaylock, a crossing flag lady for the Illinois Central Railroad at Poplar Street crossing here, pictured before a miniature of her station, explains to Paul Flowers, local newsman, how she created a beauty spot around her shanty Miss Lala, as she is known in Memphis, was honored by the Memphis City Beautiful Commission with an award at a banquet which more than 600 members of Civic Groups, Gold Star Mothers and Parent Teachers Associations attended. It was from near this crossing that the immortal Casey Jones left on his ill-fated run in 1900



A happy moment during breakfast in this scene from "Had To Be You," co-starring Ginger Rogers and Cornel Wilde, Columbia picture. At the Slaton Theatre Saturday Prevue, Sunday and Monday.

Three bank examiners walked into a leading Chicago bank for their monthly audit. It was nearly nine in the evening when one of them exclaimed, "A shortage of \$500,000!"

After a careful checking of the balance sheets the other examiners agreed. Early the following morning the bank was a beehive of investigation. The shortage was soon traced to the Department of Check Cancellations. The department head rushed up to a new employee who was hanging up her hat, and asked excitedly:

"Miss Smith, do you recall cancelling a cash check for \$500,000 yesterday?"

"Oh, that check," the girl replied, opening her purse. "I took that home last night to show my mother the kind of work I do."

—Reader's Digest

The production credit associations in Texas have made loans for nearly \$700 million in the past 14 years. Total losses since organization of the associations have been about 1/40 of 1 percent of the money loaned.

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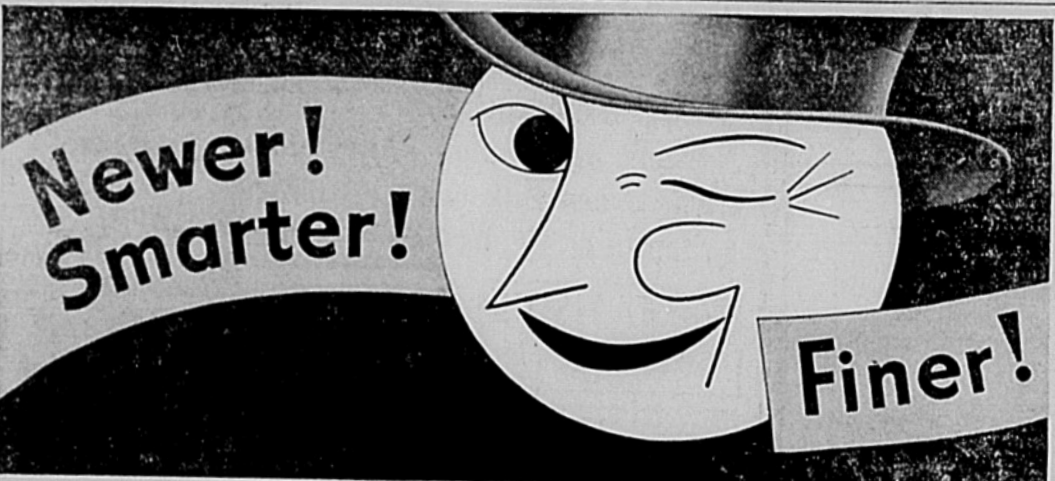
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JUST TALK
 by
A.M.J.

Mayor Wooton's grandson, young Bryan Williams, III, who is way up in the third grade at a school near Post, told his mother that he is getting disgusted with school. The teacher asks so many silly questions, such as what is five and five. "I don't know and don't care what five and five is," said Bryan. In my opinion Bryan Junior has expressed something well worth considering. When you get right down to it what difference does it make whether five and five equal nine or ten. Nine is a very handy number to have, it has lots of curves and is a very nice number and like Bryan, I see no need to get my blood pressure to boiling over, my hair ruffled and my wife sore at me because I can't make five and five equal ten.

After long experience I would advise Bryan Jr., to take on less confining troubles to think about, such as the U. N., the Atom Bomb and Russia for one can not be tied down to any answer and in the end no one can prove whether you are right or wrong. While such subjects just naturally fade away in time there are always some new ones to take their places and you can slosh around in problems no mathematician can answer. Phooey on five and five.

Again this week I have a guest talker who has some scintillating thoughts to brighten the reading of those who take the time to check over these columns. He is Pete Pearson and Pete knows a thing or two, maybe three.

Last Wednesday morning a stranger stopped me on the sidewalk and opened up with, "Pardon me, are you a newspaper man or do you sleep in that suit?" Now I have always been a peaceful man patterned after the definition of a pacifist—a man whose figure has the wrong proportions of latitude and longitude—so I gave the stranger the absent treatment and hurried to the office. Imagine my chagrin when Alex Jackson shuffled in ten minutes later and asked me to be a "Guest Artist" and write a column for this issue of the Slatonite. I have always envied newspaper editors who make a lot of money and have nothing to do except write a weekly column most of which they copy from other papers and accepted the invitation before realizing that I would be at the mercy of Bill Sewell who is Alex's most enthusiastic heckler. Bill will sit up all night to find an error in the Slatonite then gleefully announce it at the Rotary Club or anywhere that he can get an audience.

Bill was drinking coffee with J. J. Maxey and me over at the Palace Cafe a day or so ago. The conversation ran smoothly for a while then Bill broke out with four or five big words that he had picked up from Birl Guinn, took academic expression and with several references to the theory of relativity he says, "in words you boys will understand, is when you drive an old car about ten years, keeping it in what you think is fairly good condition then suddenly trade it in on a new one." I have always worried about what I would say to Mr. Einstein if I met him on the street, but now I'll know. Just grab him by the hand and say, "Hi Albert, old man, how's your new Chevrolet?"

While getting my monthly haircut last Friday I was looking at the pictures in the current issue of the Post when a loud guffaw from Heywood Basinger in the next chair shattered the peaceful quiet of the shop. "Haw, haw, look what he's reading, haw, haw!" I glanced at the heading above the pictures which read, "I Cured Myself of Working," and quickly turned the page but too late to prevent Butch Hillen, from seeing it. I still don't see anything funny about it, but I'm glad Travis Reynolds was out of the shop at the time.

I'm adding to my list of favorite speakers the name of Father T. D. O'Brien who addressed the Rotary Club last Thursday on the subject, "Get a Job and Fall in Love with it." His ten minute talk was filled with Irish humor and sound philosophy and gave the members something to think

From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

From Sheepskin to Sheep


There aren't too many college graduates in our town. Good honest thinking, yes...but most folks went from high school into farming. No harm in that! But I admire veterans like Dick Newcomb... who's 23, but going to college under the G.I. Bill of Rights. Intends to be a sheep farmer—but a better-informed, more scientific farmer, with more know-how!

And veterans like Dick aren't letting anything interfere. What little relaxation they allow themselves is in the form of needed exercise, or

books, or conversation and an occasional glass of beer with friends. Seems as if, just by having their education postponed, they've put a higher value on it...and on things like temperance (that glass of beer, for instance), understanding, and good citizenship. And from where I sit, when Dick gets his sheepskin—he won't have lost much time. He'll be an even better farmer than his Dad. (Exactly what Dad wanted!)

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While we are in the orchid department let's send one to Mr. A. C. Sirickland of the school system in charge of vocational agriculture who is the one man responsible for the highly successful Pig and Calf show staged annually in Slaton for seven years. "Strick" has worked many days each year soliciting subscriptions for prize lists, preparing programs, helping the boys with their entries and getting the show grounds in order, erecting pens and the numerous jobs necessary for shows of this kind. Slaton citizens have been very generous in their support of his program and we hope his show this year will be better than ever. We could use a few more citizens of his caliber.

While I was at Possum Kingdom lake last summer with some fishermen—I make no claim to the distinction—we met a very congenial man from Fort Worth who was oiling his cabin cruiser then wiping the oil off. Our conversation covered several subjects including the usual fisherman's lies and eventually got around to our families, our friend relating the fact that he had two grown daughters who for some reason were never interested in going to college. He explained, however, that the expense was about the same as he had put them through Neiman-Marcus instead. Now his remarks have caused me no little unrest as I have two daughters who will be teen-age entirely too soon, and the thoughts of years of party dresses, clubs, nylons, toeless shoes, college, etc., fill me with apprehension. My load is almost as great as that imposed upon the shoulders of Nat Heaton and Howard Hoffman by problems of the United Nations, Internat-

ional Relations and Communism. J. H. Brewer noticed an article in the paper wherein a noted judge declared that a man should be master of his own home or know the reason why. J. H. says most men know the reason why. George Jones advertised for a waitress and received the following reply: "I saw you want a waitress. I hate to wait on tables. Can't you get someone else? Please answer."

Some Are
 Two little children were playing. One pretended that she wanted to rent the other's house. "Have you any parents?" the playhouse owner asked. "Yes," said the other little girl, "two." "I'm sorry," said the little land-

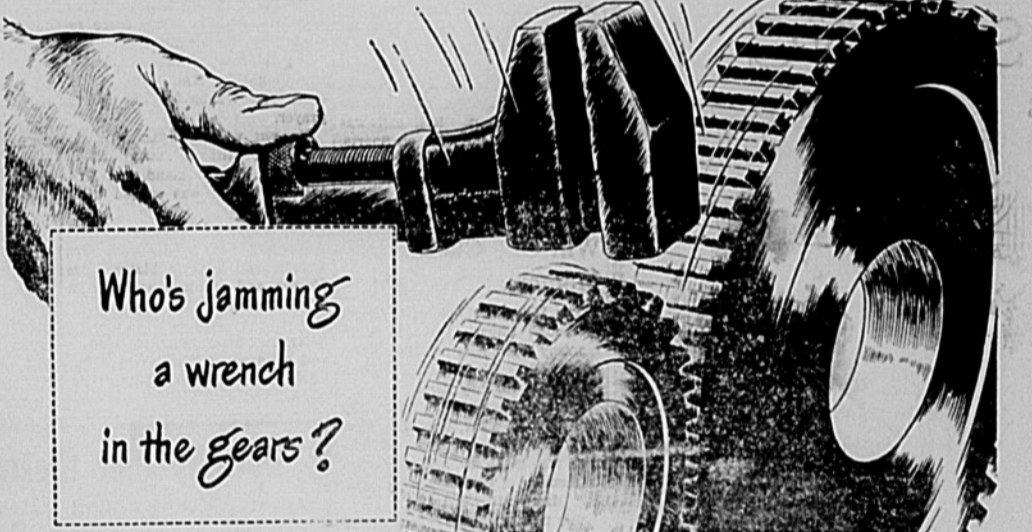
lady, "I never rent to children with parents, they're so destructive."
Attention!
 Critic: "It strikes me as being an impressive statue, yet isn't that rather an odd posture for a general to assume?"
 Sculptor: "Well, it isn't my fault. You see, I had the work half completed when the committee decided they couldn't afford a horse for the general."

Rats found in Texas are the Norway, or common rat, and Alexandrine or roof rat. The Norway rat lives on the ground, under buildings, heaps of rubbish or in burrows, while the Alexandrine rat lives in attics, lofts, under roofs and eaves and in double walls.

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Who's jamming a wrench in the gears?

3 Unions Block Labor Peace—Refuse Wage Boost Already Accepted by 19 Other Railroad Unions!

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen and the Switchmen's Union of North America, representing 125,000 railroad employees, have refused to accept the offer of the Railroads of a wage increase of 15 1/2 cents an hour. This is the same increase awarded 1,000,000 non-operating employees by an arbitration board in September, 1947. This is the same increase accepted by 175,000 conductors, trainmen and switchmen by agreement on November 14, 1947. Agreements have been made with 1,175,000 employees, represented by nineteen unions. But these three unions, representing only 125,000 men, are trying to get more. They are demanding also many new working rules not embraced in the settlement with the conductors and trainmen.

Incidentally, the Switchmen's Union of North America represents only about 7% of all railroad switchmen, the other 93% being represented by the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and covered by the settlement with that union.

Strike Threat
 The leaders of these three unions spread a strike ballot while negotiations were still in progress. This is not a secret vote but is taken by union leaders and votes are signed by the employees in the presence of union representatives.

When direct negotiations failed, the leaders of these three unions refused to join the railroads in asking the National Mediation Board to attempt to settle the dispute, but the Board took jurisdiction at the request of the carriers and has been earnestly attempting since November 24, 1947, to bring about a settlement. The Board on January 15, 1948, announced its inability to reach a mediation settlement. The leaders of the unions rejected the request of the Mediation Board to arbitrate. The railroads accepted.

What Now?
 The Unions having refused to arbitrate, the Railway Labor Act provides for the appointment of a fact-finding board by the President.

The railroads feel it is due shippers, passengers, employees, stockholders, and the general public to know that throughout these negotiations and in mediation, they have not only exerted every effort to reach a fair and reasonable settlement, but they have also met every requirement of the Railway Labor Act respecting the negotiation, mediation, and arbitration of labor disputes.

It seems unthinkable that these three unions, representing less than 10 per cent of railroad employees, and those among the highest paid, can successfully maintain the threat of a paralyzing strike against the interest of the entire country—and against 90 per cent of their fellow employees.

The threat of a strike cannot justify granting more favorable conditions to 125,000 employees than have already been put in effect for 1,175,000, nor will it alter the opposition of the railroads to unwarranted wage increases or to changes in working rules which are not justified.

A glance at the box shows what employees represented by the Engineers and Firemen make. They are among the highest paid in the ranks of labor in the United States, if not the highest.

Compare these wages with what you make!

Type of Employer	1938 Average Annual Earnings	1947 Average Annual Earnings	1947 Average Annual Earnings with 15 1/2% Costs per Hour Added
ENGINEERS			
Road Freight (Local and Way)	\$3,966	\$6,126	\$6,757
Road Passenger	3,632	5,399	6,025
Road Freight (Through)	3,147	4,684	5,189
Yard	2,743	4,081	4,539
FIREMEN			
Road Freight (Local and Way)	2,738	4,683	5,268
Road Passenger	2,732	4,544	5,165
Road Freight (Through)	2,069	3,490	3,891
Yard	1,962	3,136	3,553

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Engagement of Miss Jolene Tate Is Announced At Tea Friday, Jan. 23

Mrs. Joe W. Tate entertained with a tea Friday, January 23, at the Slaton Club House announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Jolene Marie, to Mr. John Marvin Fondy, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fondy, Sr., of Slaton. Calling hours were from 7 to 9 p. m.

Guests were greeted the first hour by Mrs. H. G. Stokes and the second hour by Mrs. Clifford D. Young and presented to the receiving line consisting of Mrs. Tate, the honoree, Mrs. J. M. Fondy, Sr., Mrs. R. J. Fondy, sister-in-law of the bridegroom, Mrs. W. M. Rust, aunt of the bridegroom, and Miss Vysta Ward.

Misses Glenna Sue Liles and Betty Jo Gentry presided at the bride's book on a table laid with a lace cloth and centered with white carnations and a miniature bride and groom. From a pink basket Miss Mary Evelyn Cook and little Miss Karen Deaver gave each guest dainty pink net rice bags tied with satin ribbon holding the tiny scrolls revealing the wedding date, "Jolene and John, February 15th." The table centering the room was covered with a handmade cloth of heirloom lace, belonging to Mrs. W. M. Rust and centered with pink carnations and white candles matching those of the serving table.

The tea table was laid with a handmade blue marquisette cloth stenciled in silver flowers, belonging to Mrs. Milton Fields. The centerpiece was an arrangement of pink carnations in a crystal bowl flanked on each side with white candles embossed with white violets and green leaves, with matching holders identical to those on

the center table. A delicate pink punch was served from a crystal service and alternating at the punch bowl were Mesdames C. R. Bain and B. A. Hanna.

Small sweetheart sandwiches, macaroons and buttered nuts were also on the serving table.

Music was furnished during the evening by Mrs. L. B. Hagerman and Miss Billie Jean Tucker. Miss Tucker also rendered vocal solos.

Other decorations were tall baskets of pink gladiolus, and the room was lighted with floor and table lamps.

Others assisting in the house party were Mesdames L. B. Wootton, M. H. Lasater, E. H. Ward, E. E. Culver, S. T. Phillips, W. F. Ferguson, R. L. Smith, R. E. Lee, E. A. Gentry, Dan Liles, Dudley Berry, O. D. Kenney, Fred Stephens, Gordon Burrell, L. K. Hart, Lula Caldwell, Guy Brown, Fred England, T. E. McClanahan, Fred Stottlemire, Fred Schmidt, C. W. Wilks, and Misses Nancy Teague and Anna Doris Phillips.

Over two hundred guests registered in the bride's book.

Curtis Hamilton of Lubbock, formerly of Slaton, has been quite ill with a throat infection for several days.

Judge Starnes of Gladewater visited his sister, Mrs. Marvin Abernathy over the week end.

Visiting over the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Sargent were Mrs. Sargent's mother, Mrs. Lena Mann, and brother, Chas. Mann, Jr., and wife, all of Colorado City.

Society - Clubs

Miss Brown Weds Mr. Charles Hafer

Announcement is being made of the marriage of Evelyn Brown, daughter of Mrs. F. P. Brown, and Charles Hafer of Post, son of Mrs. Gladys Hafer of Vernon, Texas, which took place December 18, at the home of the officiating minister, Dr. H. F. Robinson, Pastor of Lubbock First Methodist Church.

The bride wore a blue wool suit with black accessories. She is a graduate of Slaton High School.

The groom served two years in the armed service.

Attendants were Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Jones of Post.

The couple are at home near Post.

Forum Lecture Is Postponed

The Slaton Child Study Forum meeting which was scheduled for Wednesday was postponed because of the weather. Mrs. Ivy Savage of Lubbock was to have spoken on "The Adult's Responsibility in Preparing the Pre-School Child for Public School Experiences." Weather permitting, this meeting will be held on February 25th.

A Play School is scheduled to open February 18, during the hours of 9:30 a. m. until 11:30, unless extremely bad weather or an epidemic should prevent.

Bluebonnets Meet

The Bluebonnet Club met on January 14, in the home of Mrs. L. T. Garland. Roll call was answered with New Year's Resolutions. Fourteen members were present, with two guests, Mrs. W. D. Cooper and Mrs. Earl D. Eblen.

On January 28, the next regular meeting was held in the home of Mrs. S. P. Ferguson, with sixteen members present. Roll call was answered by Comments on Sports. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Dan Liles on Feb. 11.

Win One Class Has Memorial Program

The Win One Class of the First Methodist Church met in their monthly and social meeting at the home of Mrs. W. R. Wilson, Friday afternoon, January 23rd.

The devotional was given by Mrs. R. L. Wicker, prayer by Mrs. J. T. Pinkston. A memorial service was given by Mrs. Pinkston in memory of their departed member, Mrs. E. R. Legg.

The regular business session was carried out. Procedure of drawing names of Sunshine Sisters was conducted.

Refreshments were served to twenty members.

VACATIONS IN NEIGHBOR STATES DISCUSSED BY CLUB

The Junior Civic and Culture Club met on January 20th, in the home of Miss Gertrude King, 340 W. Lubbock, with eighteen members present. Mrs. Vasker Browning presided.

Mrs. Otis Neill and Mrs. J. J. Maxey gave the program. Both made interesting and descriptive talks on "Vacations in Our Neighboring States."

Miss King served lovely refreshments. Next meeting will be February 3rd, with Mrs. R. N. Shepard, 134 N. 4th St.

FRIENDSHIP CLASS MET

The Friendship Class of the Slaton Methodist Church met on Friday night, January 23rd, in the home of Alton Sumrall at Posey. The hostess served refreshments and a number of entertaining games were played.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Todd, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gore, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miles, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Baker, Arthur Sumrall and Karen and Porter Baker, Jr.

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Health And Safety Studied By Club

The Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club met in regular session Monday night in the home of Miss Myrtle Teague, with Mrs. W. T. Howard as hostess. Roll call was answered by Health and Safety Illustrations.

The topic of study was Health and Safety, with Mrs. J. S. Edwards, Jr., discussing Cancer and Mrs. James Watkins talking of Heart Disease.

A parliamentary drill was conducted by Mrs. Jack Edwards.

Others present were Mesdames Cecil Scott, Oree Glascock, M. B. Tudor, Garland Swann, Joe Teague, III, Joe Walker, Jr., V. J. Johnson and Miss Wilda Hannah.

Next meeting will be February 2, in the home of Mrs. Oree Glascock.

Plans Made For Spanish Dinner

The DeMolay boys and the Rainbow girls are giving a Spanish Dinner at the Slaton Club House on February 13. The dinner will be served at two different hours, one serving at 7:00 and another at 8:00. There will also be a floor show presented at 7:30 and 8:30. Tickets are to be \$1.50 and 75c, and may be purchased from any DeMolay boy or Rainbow girl.

BLANCHE GROVE CIRCLE HAS MISSION LESSON

The Blanche Grove Circle of the First Baptist Church met on Monday afternoon with Mrs. A. P. Wilson.

Mrs. R. L. Smith led in opening prayer and Bible verses were repeated by the members.

An interesting mission lesson was taught by Mrs. A. C. Strickland. Mrs. Wilson led the closing prayer.

Present were Mesdames W. F. Ferguson, Clifford Young, R. L. Smith, A. C. Strickland, and Mrs. Wilson. Coffee was served after the lesson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Todd, Jr., have moved back to Slaton from Morton and are now at home at 335 W. Division.

Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Sanders and children of Morton spent the week end in Slaton visiting relatives and friends.

The Marriage Of Miss Marian Bain Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Bain of 625 South 9th Street, are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Marian, to Mr. Douglas McCoy, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. McCoy of Lubbock, which took place in Amarillo on November the 14th, in the home of the officiating minister, Rev. D. T. Godso pastor of the Central Baptist Church.

The bride wore a winter white gabardine suit with black accessories. For something blue she wore blue ear clips and something old and borrowed was a cameo pin of her mother's. An orchid fashioned her corsage.

Mrs. McCoy is a graduate of Slaton High School and for the past two years she has attended Texas Tech where she was a member of Sans Souci social club.

Mr. McCoy is a graduate of San Angelo High School, and attended Rice Institute at Houston for two years and was a member of Kappa Seg. He received his B. S. degree at Texas Tech the past semester and is now attending Baylor University Dental College, at Dallas.

Mrs. McCoy has joined him in Dallas, but will return to Slaton next week, where several post-nuptial courtesies have been planned in her honor.

Mrs. Henry Hollis Is Hostess To C and C

Mrs. Henry Hollis was hostess to the Civic and Culture Club in the home of Mrs. Fred Stottlemire, 305 W. Garza, Saturday, January 24th.

Mrs. J. S. Bates led the program on "Inter-American Affairs," and Mrs. J. B. Huckabay and Mrs. Ralph Hayes assisted. Nineteen members attended.

The next meeting will be February 14 in the home of Mrs. Dick Ragsdale, with Mrs. Lee Green as hostess.

Sherry Lynn, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Patton, has been ill this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Richardson

and son, Teddy, of Lubbock, spent Sunday in the D. W. Thompson home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Taylor left Wednesday on an emergency call to Shreveport, La., where Mr. Taylor's uncle, Mr. Guy Taylor, has suffered a severe heart attack. Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Skelton of Cristoval were expected to join them in Fort Worth.

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Will appreciate your visiting my place to see what we can work out.

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SUBJECT:
"DESIRING TO JUSTIFY HIMSELF"

"Desiring to justify himself." That is the comment about the lawyer who was told by Jesus to love his neighbor as himself. Luke 10:25-29. Desiring to justify himself, he asked: "Who is my neighbor?" Doubtless he was looking for a loophole through which he could jump and escape the proper obligations to his fellowman.

There is not much character or manhood about the person who goes about with a bag full of excuses, objections, reasons, and explanations designed to justify himself. The man or woman or boy or girl who can always explain why he was found with a deficit in thoughtfulness, love, kindness, consideration, loyalty or anything else is really a dangerous character. He has spent too much time and thought on explaining why he did not do what he should rather than on doing things that needed no explanation.

We have found people that way in religion. They were going to obey the gospel and live right, be faithful Christians and go to heaven, but they found out that there are a few hypocrites in the church! Or they discovered that their grandfath-

er's religion did not exactly agree with what they know the Bible teaches, but if it were good enough for him it is good enough for them. The real reason is that there are some things they had rather do than the right thing, and "desiring to justify" themselves, they resort to such explanations.

"Desiring to justify himself," a person may sanctimoniously explain that he is "too busy." Others declare that the reason they do not go to church is that they "can't get anybody to go to church with them." Or it is too far to walk. Or about the time they get ready to go, company always comes. And people—some of them—still have Sunday morning headaches!

Desiring to justify himself, one person explains that the reason that he does not support the Lord's work is that "charity begins at home." A charity no stronger than his is not able to leave the house. It is too little and puny to be displayed in public. Real charity cannot stay at home, any more than light can stay in darkness. Nothing is more evangelistic than a real, lusty brand of love and concern for our fellowman.

One fundamental difference between a real Christian and one who is not is the attitude that he has toward his faults and shortcomings. A sinner always has an explanation by which he justifies himself. A Christian knows that excuses and explanations are not justification, and depends upon a full and frank confession of his sins and failures and relies upon the blood of Christ for his justification.

Many a person is too little to be big enough to admit his faults and to do so graciously and sincerely. Surely that person is blind who cannot see that he is no exception to the rule that "all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God." Romans 3:23. Surely he must learn that men are "justified freely by his grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus." Romans 3:24.

Is it by faith in Christ that we repent of our sins (Luke 13: 3), confess our faith in him (Acts 8:37), and are baptized into Christ where we find justification (Gal. 3:27).

The CHURCH of CHRIST
SLATON, TEXAS

Social Security Man To Be Here

Elliott W. Adams, Social Security Administration Representative, will be in Slaton at the U. S. Post Office at 4:00 p. m. on Wednesday, February 4, 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.

Upon the death of a worker who paid social security taxes, his next of kin should check with the Social Security account number office, Lubbock, Texas. They may be eligible for payments under the old-age and survivors insurance program.



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News Summary Featured Weekly

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Rural Dogs Voted "Most Useful" Title

Pennsylvania and Idaho Canines So Outstanding Judges Can't Decide Between Them

A committee of judges, weighing the merits of candidates in "America's Most Useful Dog of 1947" contest, finally decided to award the title to two dogs, it has been announced.

The winners are "Tubby," a Collie-Spaniel owned by Karl B. Loid, R.F.D. 1, Wellboro, Penna., and "Spike," of German Shepherd and mixed ancestry, owned by Mrs. Ed. Schlager, Route 1, Cataldo, Idaho. Each dog had so many qualifications that the judges simply could not decide between them.

The contest to find the "Most Useful Dog" was undertaken by the Gaines Dog Research Center, New York City, as part of the observance of the 1947 National Dog Week. Judges in the contest were Sydney H. Coleman, executive vice president of the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals; Ted Malone, prominent radio personality; and Henry Miller, director of the Gaines Dog Research Center. The two dogs have been presented by the Research Center with handsome red and blue collars bearing sterling silver engraved plates attesting to their honors in this contest.

"Tubby," only a year and a half old, is not only an excellent all-round watch dog, but a real herd dog who takes out and brings in the cows each day in the best farm tradition. For this purpose he carries a stick in his mouth which he wields with great dexterity. In addition, he brings in the mail, carries firewood into the house, carries nails to and from the house and barn, bears notes to and from his master in the field, saves his mistress endless steps by fetching from upstairs rooms hat, shoes, wallet or other desired articles, and performs a variety of similar chores. He can also do about 30 tricks, count up to ten, and, according to reliable witnesses, can speak a few words—although the judges did not take these last into consideration in selecting him for the award.

"Spike," on the other hand, serves as right-hand-man to Mrs. Schlager, who, with an invalid husband, has the responsibility of running a 190-acre ranch. He, too, is an expert herd dog with cattle. Among his other accomplishments is acting as chaperone to his owner's flock of chickens, pulling a wagon and skidding small trees. He is an exceptional hunting dog and has cleared his owner's property of coyotes, badgers and other vermin. A vigilant watch dog, "Spike" keeps his home place free of all trespassers. He watches over the Schlager children, whether at home or in the woods, as anxiously as a mother.

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MARKET NEWS

(USDA)—Many southwest farm products found weaker markets last week, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Hogs fell sharply at midweek for net losses of mostly 50 cents to \$1 for the period. Top butcher hogs closed at \$26.50 at San Antonio and Fort Worth, \$27 at Oklahoma City, \$27.50 at Wichita, and \$27.75 at Denver. Sows brought \$22 to \$24.

Late losses offset early gains on southwest cattle markets to leave

some classes higher, some lower than a week ago. Steers and yearlings showed weakest tendencies. Common and medium steers and yearlings brought \$16.50 to \$22.50 at Houston, as medium grades sold at \$22.50 to \$26.50 at San Antonio. Medium and good steers cashed from \$25.35 to \$29.75 at Denver, and \$25 to \$29 at Wichita. Medium and good steers moved at \$20 to \$27 at Fort Worth and \$24 to \$28 at Oklahoma City.

Some southwest markets quoted eggs a little lower for the week. Dallas and Fort Worth paid around 40 to 42 cents a dozen for most current receipts, Denver 37 to 38, and New Orleans 43 to 48. Hens

held firm, but fryers found rather slow demand at 40 to 41 cents a pound at New Orleans and around 37 to 38 elsewhere.

Spot cotton prices registered net declines of around \$3.50 per bale in less active buying. Low grade current ginnings were not readily accepted by the trade.

Wheat marketings fell of sharply as prices slumped early in the week and closed fully 10 cents lower Friday. Bulk carlots sold at \$3.12 per bushel at Texas common points. White corn all but regained early losses but yellow corn stayed 12 cents lower, and other grains netted declines of around five cents.

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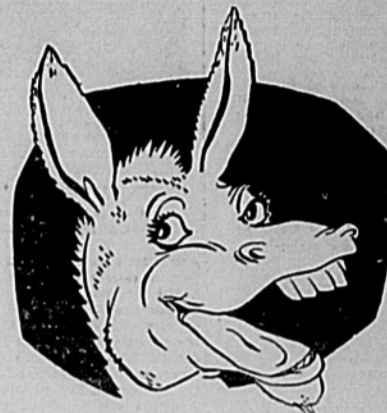
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SUGGESTIONS FOR CURING FIDO OF PURSUING CARS

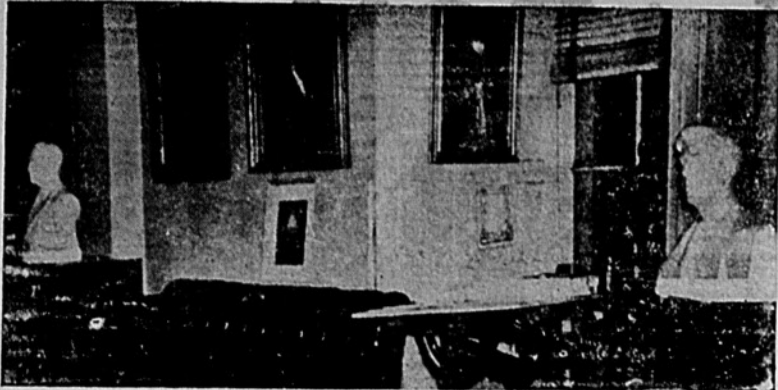
"How can my dog be trained not to chase automobiles?" is one of the most frequently-asked questions of the Gaines Dog Research Center, New York City, these days, what with the extraordinarily great volume of traffic on our highways and streets and more and more dogs being killed — a great percentage of them because of their dangerous habit of pursuing passing motor vehicles.

Most drivers will do everything short of wrecking their cars to avoid hitting a dog, states the Center, but in heavy, fast-moving traffic a driver usually can't swerve out of the way of a dog that leaps suddenly from the roadside. The habit is too dangerous to be tolerated and, if necessary, stern measures should be used for breaking it. The Center suggests two proven methods for persuading Fido to abandon this suicidal pastime.

One system is as follows: For this method the trainer needs an assistant, a car, and a long carriage or buggy whip. While one person drives, the second sits by an open window of the car with the whip. When the dog charges toward the car, the whip must be used with full force on him and he must be shouted at in an angry voice to "Go home!" If the whip method does not prove successful, the same general procedure should be followed, but instead of a whip, the trainer uses a powerful squirt gun loaded with a mild solution of ammonia and water. Dogs hate the odor of ammonia, and if the squirt gun is well aimed, the lesson is usually learned after one or two sessions. If one method doesn't work, the other usually will. The idea, of course, is to cause the dog to associate an unpleasant experience with the act of running after a car, to which is added his utter astonishment at having an automobile attack him, the Center states.

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Far Apart



WASHINGTON, D. C.—(Soundphoto)—President Truman and ex-Vice President Henry Wallace far apart! Indicative of present relationship between them in the coming presidential race, are the two stone-faced marble busts, reposing temporarily in the office of capitol architect David Lynn. Awaiting assignment to a niche in the Senate wing of the capitol, by the Senate committee on rules and administration, they were purchased by Mr. Lynn under a law requiring that a marble bust be made of each U.S. Vice President. Purchase price was \$2,500 each.

Camelback Mountain
Camelback mountain, located a few miles northeast of Phoenix, Ariz., takes its name from the fact that it closely resembles a giant camel lying prone on the desert. The Indians also have a legend about it. Once, shortly before the Civil war, the government imported a band of camels from the Middle East for travel across the forbidding southwestern desert. The camels became scattered and wandered aimlessly over the desert. One of the last survivors defied the gods of thunder and lightning and, according to Indian legend, was turned to stone.

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Workings of a Veto
The word veto is derived from the Latin and means "I forbid." The president is authorized by the constitution to refuse his assent to any measure presented by congress for his approval. In such case, he returns the measure to the house in which it originated, at the same time indicating his objections—the so-called veto message. The veto covers the entire measure; the president is not authorized, as are the governors of some states, to veto separate items in a bill.

Many Billiard Shots
There are 63 quadrillion ways of making billiard shots, according to calculations of Prof. Frank G. Dickinson, University of Illinois. He has stated that if a man could make a different shot every second and played 24 hours every day, it would take him more than two billion years to execute every possible billiard shot.

Last summer my uncle in Miss. was campaigning for sheriff. One night a stranger knocked at his door.

"Need a littl help," he said. "My car went dead while I was getting some water outa the spring. How 'bout helping me shove off?" "Sure," said Uncle Bob. We followed the man to the car and he got in. But before we could begin to shove he stepped on the starter and the motor roared. Leaning out, the driver said, "Jist wanted to know if you was the right kind of man to vote for."

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Lubbock Co. Top In Cotton Improvement

COLLEGE STATION, Jan. 26 — Cotton improvement work took a step forward in Texas in 1947, and figures from Smith-Doxey classification records help prove it.

F. E. Lichte, extension cotton gin specialist for Texas A. & M. College, says that 1,034 applications from 148 counties, covering 97,154 producers and 6,781,063 acres of cotton were received for the free classification and market news service offered under the Smith-Doxey Act of 1937. Eighteen varieties of cotton and 1,414 cotton gins were involved.

About 1,243,600 bales of cotton ginned so far this season, representing about 45 percent of the estimated crop, have been classed free for farmers in Smith-Doxey cotton improvement groups in Texas, John L. McCollum of the southwest area cotton branch of the USDA's Production and Marketing Administration, reports. This total does not include cotton classed for Commodity Credit Corporation loans, cotton futures, the Army, and farmers and ginners not in improvement groups who sent the samples to the branch office.

The Lubbock office, where 747,072 bales already have been classed for improvement groups, leads the state, McCollum says. Location of other offices and number of bales classed are: Abilene, 154,668; Austin, 66,898; Corpus Christi, 138,166; Dallas, 96,442; and Galveston, 40,400. Cotton produced in the El Paso irrigated district is classed by the western area cotton branch at Bakersfield, Calif., where about 260,000 bales already have been classed.

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Good Sport for Women



Shooting is a woman's sport, says pretty Dot Lind, feminine half of the "Shooting Linds," America's No. 1 exhibition shooters. Women, she adds, have more patience than men, and will take time to acquire skill through practice. By starting with a 22-caliber rifle women can easily graduate to heavier rifles and shotguns, according to Dot. The 120-pound Western-Winchester crackshot is master of 10 sporting arms.

Record Budget



WASHINGTON, D. C.—(Soundphoto)—President Truman sent to Congress his budget for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1949 totalling almost forty billion dollars. Giving the huge volume close and grim-faced scrutiny, is Rep. John Taber, (R. N. Y.) Chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, whose job it will be to pass on the record peacetime budget.

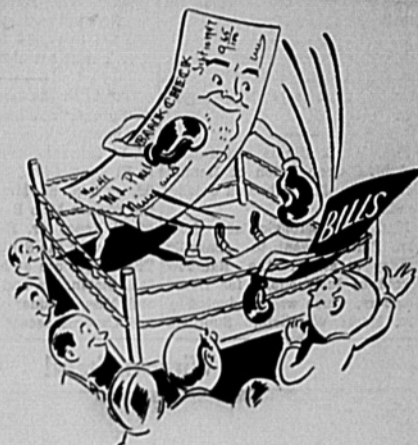
Egotism is nothing but a case of mistaken nonentity. —Barbara Stanwyck.
He was a fortune hunter just window shopping. —Fibber McGee. Formal as a starched napkin. —O. H. Hampsch.

Something Like an Ostrich
The legends of the great Roc of Arabian mythology, which could pick up an elephant and fly off with it, probably were based on the aepyornis of Madagascar. The aepyornis became extinct in comparatively recent times. Scientists believe the bird was 10 or more feet tall and much like the ostrich. It had powerful legs and was a speedy runner, but it could not fly. Its eggs have the capacity of three ostrich eggs.

Power on the Farms
Approximately three million tractors are doing the work on American farms today. Shortly before the war there were about one and one-half million tractors on farms in the United States. In 1930, about one million farmers used tractor power. Economists of the U. S. department of agriculture say that tractors are going to replace horses and mules at an accelerated rate.

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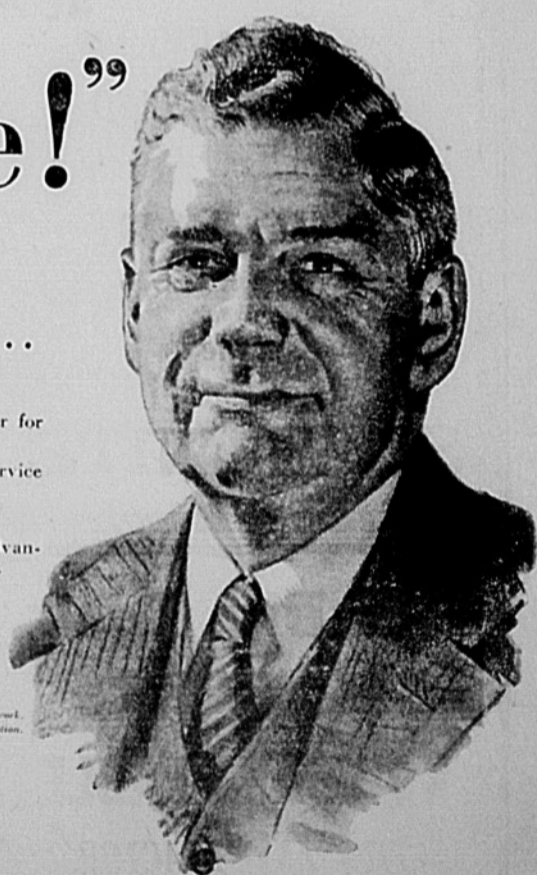
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About Folks

Jack D. Berkley got his private pilots license January 25. He is the first student to graduate from the E. & L. Flying Service.

Mrs. S. A. Peavy is visiting her mother in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Carlson returned Sunday from a two weeks' visit in Austin, San Antonio and Corpus Christi.

Mrs. J. E. Castleberry left Sunday for San Angelo to spend a week visiting in the home of her cousin, Mrs. John Roff.

Mr. Fent Stallings, who has been quite ill in Mercy Hospital, was able to return to his home Saturday.

Mrs. W. B. Elkins and family, and Mrs. Gene Eaton of Hamlin visited Mrs. Joe Tate and Jolene, Sunday.

Mrs. C. T. Scroggins and Mrs. Sam Phillips went to Amarillo Sunday to attend the Rainbow School of Instruction for Board Members, which was conducted by Mrs. Marie Whitfield, Supreme

Texas Tech Notes

LUBBOCK, Tex., January 26 — A "milking parlor," one of the newest innovations in production of sanitary milk, is being built at Texas Technological College as a part of a long-range program to modernize dairy facilities and expand production.

Texas Tech is the first school in the state to construct a dairy combine unit of this type. An observation room will be open for class instruction and for interested visitors when the "parlor" is completed.

Deputy Mrs. Scroggins returned to Slaton Tuesday, while Mrs. Phillips remained in Amarillo for a visit with her sister.

Guests in the home of Mrs. M. A. Spooner and daughter, Ethel, the past week were Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Edwards, who were married in El Reno, Okla., Friday, January 23, at 8 p. m. Mrs. Edwards is the former Miss Beth Ann Brown of El Reno. Mr. Edwards is connected with the Santa Fe in Slaton. The couple are at home at 205 N. 5th, Slaton. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards and Miss Spooner visited Carlsbad Caverns recently.

ed, probably in mid-March. With the new system, cows will be fed before milking and then led into individual stalls. A stationary milking machine will be used that will automatically draw milk into a jug resting on scales, enabling the output to be weighed immediately. A vacuum system will carry the milk through pipes into an adjoining building where it will be strained as it is emptied into large cans.

In addition to cleanliness factors, further advantages of the new setup are that it will eliminate the necessity of moving portable milking machines from stall to stall where the cows eat, and

do away with certain other manual steps required under previous systems. Working in a pit by the side of the stalls, operators will be able to open and close all the doors in the building by remote control.

LUBBOCK, Tex., January 26 — As a service to public school children in the Lubbock area, the West Texas Museum at Texas Technological College will offer special lectures and exhibits this spring. Dr. W. C. Holden, museum director, announces.

Subjects include South American countries, pueblo pottery, Southwestern Indian baskets, early

settlers and history of the South Plains. Folsom and Abilene man, and the Yaqui Indians of Sonora, Mexico.

Dr. Holden requests teachers interested in bringing groups of students to the museum to contact him at least a week in advance in order that all arrangements may be made.

LUBBOCK, Tex., January 26 — A livestock judging team from Texas Technological College won first place in the first carload judging contest ever held for intercollegiate competition, and a team member, W. D. Hancock of Jayton, won first individual honor-

over 64 other contestants representing 13 schools.

LUBBOCK, Tex., January 26 — When LaVerne Roach, middleweight boxer from Plainview, returns from New York to his home, he will find an unusual gift waiting for him.

Choc Hutcheson, a journalism student at Texas Technological College, made a wire recording of the radio broadcast of Roach's recent successful debut in Madison Square garden when the West Texan won a decision over the favored Tony Janiro. It is expected that the record will find a permanent place among the fighter's souvenirs.

LUBBOCK, Tex., January 26 —

Almost two-thirds of 6114 students enrolled in Texas Technological College this semester are either Baptists or Methodists, according to a survey conducted by the registrar's office.

Baptists hold a slight plurality of numbers over the Methodists with 2159 members as compared with 1825. Church of Christ is third with 509 members, followed by Presbyterian, 395, and the Christian, 300. Twenty-two other denominations and sects are represented, with only 481 students indicating no church affiliation.

On Witness Stand



TOKYO—(Soundphoto)—Hideki Tojo, chief of the Japanese war cabinet, takes the witness stand in his own behalf to testify before the International Military Tribunal for the Far East. Beside Tojo stands Capt. D. S. Van Meter of San Antonio, Texas, Marshal of the Court, who swore Tojo in.

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