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School Board Election Set April 6

Election date for the 1963 school trustee election has been set for April 6th, resulting from action at regular meeting of the Slaton Independent School District board Tuesday night of this week.

Terms of Harold Tucker and Joe Miles expire this year, creating two posts to be filled on the 7-man board.

Election site will be the business offices of the school, 300 South 9th Street.

The present board of trustees is composed of Dr. Don Hatchett, J. T. Kendrick, Tucker, Miles, J. W. Martindale, Max Arrants and R. E. Ayers.

ADDITION CONTEMPLATED

In other business, the board Tuesday evening authorized preliminary drawings and study to be made of a 4-classroom addition to the Austin schools.

GYM NEAR READINESS

Progress of gymnasium construction at Evans school was reviewed, indications pointing toward occupancy of the facility within two or three weeks. Bleacher construction is now underway, and receipt and installation of goals remains as only lacking piece of equipment. Dr. Vardy stated.

Building contract for the 12-240 ft. structure was left in mid-October to Stout Steel Builders of Lubbock on a bid of \$26,183.60. The building, located 150 feet west of the Evans school, is of steel construction with inside partition walls of pumice block and tile. Incorporated in the added facility is the gym and stage, one classroom, and boys and girls dressing rooms.

NEGOTIATIONS EXTENDED

Extended purchase time was voted for negotiations of purchase of lots 3 and 4, Block 1, Johnson addition, extension granted until March 6th of this year.

The auditing and accounting firm of Hallmark, Brasher & Hearn was re-employed as school district auditors for the present year.

Rural Listings Being Secured For Directory

Effort is being made to complete rural listings this week for the forthcoming Slaton directory, according to Mrs. Julia Bisbee, Chamber of Commerce secretary.

Anyone living on Routes 1 and 2, and who has not been contacted, is urged to contact the local chamber office to insure the comprehensive directory being compiled.

Target date for directory availability is set in early April, and the sooner the listings are secured, the sooner the book should be available.



Solicitation is underway in the annual Heart Fund drive, with B. H. Bollinger in charge of the local effort, assisted by the Rainbow Girls, many Eastern Star members and other volunteers.

Coin containers were distributed to Slaton business firms this week. On Monday, Feb. 18th, a coffee for workers and the general public will be held at the local clubhouse at 7:15 in the evening. Further plans will be inaugurated at this meeting.

Bollinger points out that more than 75-million Heart Fund dollars have been invested since 1948 in research seeking causes, prevention and cures for heart attack, stroke, high blood pressure, rheumatic fever and inborn heart defects. Millions more have been spent to inform doctors of new developments to benefit their patients; initiate community programs that protect youngsters against repeat attacks of rheumatic fever, diagnostic and check-up clinics for children and adults, rehabilitation programs for stroke and heart victims, vocational guidance services to help heart patients become self-supporting. Other dollars alert the public on how to care for healthy hearts and seek help in combating heart disease.

Voluntary contributions to the Heart Fund support all Heart Association programs, Bollinger concluded.

Magnitude of the program can be understood when it is realized that more than 10 million Americans suffer from some form of heart disease.

Favorite Foods Demonstration Is Set for Tuesday

Slaton 4-H Clubmembers will conduct their "Favorite Foods Demonstration" next Tuesday, February 12, at 6:30 p.m., at the Slaton clubhouse, it has been announced.

A group from the local organization attended a similar demonstration Monday given by the Roosevelt 4-H Club. Attending were Cynthia Steffens, Kathryn Kitten, Oleta Bednarz, Joyce Kitten, Linda Nell Kahlich and Doris Kitten, members, accompanied by Mesdames O. F. Kitten, Robert Bednarz, L. J. Kahlich and Tony Steffens.

Mrs. Wilson, Well-Known in Area As Newspaperwoman and Church Worker, Died in Slaton Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. W. R. (Laura Frances) Wilson, pioneer newspaperwoman, life-long churchworker and 20-year Slaton resident, were held Monday afternoon in the First Methodist Church in Slaton. Burial was in the Ralls Cemetery.

Mrs. Wilson, 75, died late Saturday evening at Mercy Hospital Rev. Rollo Davidson, pastor of the Methodist church here, officiated at the funeral services, assisted by Rev. Lloyd Mayhew of Brownfield. Arrangements were under direction of Williams Funeral Home.

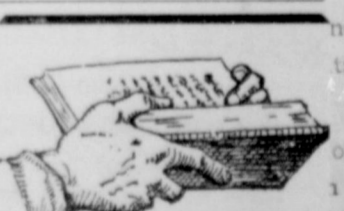
Pallbearers were Ed Moseley, Ray Hopper, Cliff Parrish, Ed Haddock, Jack Haliburton and Joe Walker Jr.

Mrs. Wilson is survived by her husband, W. R. Wilson, to whom she was married in 1938, two sons: Carl Hyatt, publisher of the Commerce (Texas) Journal, and J. W. Hyatt of Portland, Oregon; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

The deceased and A. C. "Dek" Hyatt were married in 1911, and the couple published the Ralls Banner during the years 1925 to 1933 when Mr. Hyatt died. The widow published it until 1938, and the paper remained in the family until 1940.

A member of the Methodist church since childhood, Mrs. Wilson had held many offices in the local church and in the Women's Society of Christian

Service. She was on the finance committee when the present local church was built, she was a life member of the W.S.C.S., and she was probably best known as superintendent of the nursery and young people's departments through the years. She was a member of the Eastern Star.



Be still

"He will turn again, he will have compassion upon us." Micah 7:19.

Though Father, You are always there

Ready still to answer prayer,

Patient toward your humankind,

Pardon as we forget each day,

Only in distress we plead

For Jesus Christ to intercede!

WILL CURTIS

New Firm Opens For Business To Serve Farmers

Another new business firm has been established in Slaton, announcement ad of the Slaton Fertilizer & Chemical, Inc. being found elsewhere in this issue.

Located between FM Road 400 and Canyon Road, the firm is now open for business; it is owned by Jay Gray, Jerry Jones and C. E. McCoy, with Jones as manager.

Free prizes are being offered by way of introduction, and registration for these begins this Friday.

Free soil analysis service will be featured by the firm, together with sale of anhydrous ammonia, phosphoric acid, defoliant, feed seed, plow points, insecticides, etc.



WORKING WITH SANTA FE EMPLOYEES, the Slaton Volunteer Fire Department extinguished smoldering cotton bales in a box car here Monday morning. Some 50 compressed bales from the carload of 100 were unloaded after the car had been spotted near fire hydrant connections near the depot. About a dozen bales were damaged by the fire.

Six fire calls already have been answered this month by the local department that was kept busy with 38 runs during January.

An 8 p.m. fire Monday evening destroyed a barn at the Bob Cameron farm on the golf course road. One tractor and one calf were fatalities of this blaze.

Centralized Accounting System Inaugurated by Railway Company

A centralized accounting bureau has been established at Lubbock by the Panhandle and Santa Fe Railway Company, effective February 1st, according to announcement by A. H. Grigsby, local freight agent.

The bureau will take over certain phases of the accounting work previously done at Slaton and other railway stations of this area. Grigsby asserted that the plan will permit the coordination and machine processing of records more quickly and accurately than possible under the old system of station accounting.

Five additional men will be placed in the Lubbock office, Grigsby stated, with one job affected in Slaton.

Eleven Hundred Poll Taxes Paid

Poll tax payments were brisk in Slaton during the final days of payment, with 1103 being paid locally, this total exclusive of payments by several at the Lubbock exemptions and taxes possibly paid by several at the Lubbock County tax collector's office.

The Drewry Insurance office reported 617 poll taxes paid, with the spirited Lions Club drive accounting for 486 more.

Several observers have termed the payments "very satisfactory" for an "off election" year. Though county totals have not been finalized, registration figures are thought to be between 20,000 and 30,000. Some 22,000 tax receipts and exemption certificate blanks were issued to special deputies over the county, and complete reports had not been received from all these at last check by the Slatonite.

Taxpayers streamed into the Lubbock assessor's office up to the midnight, January 31st, deadline, to cure the poll tax receipts that have been available since last October 1st. The local office did a bumper last day business but closed at the regular 5 p.m. hour.

No change will be made in actual handling of traffic received and forwarded by the Slaton station, only change involving local patrons said to be that freight bills (rendered against patrons who may have established a credit rating with the Santa Fe covering inbound collect shipments and outbound prepaid shipments) will be mailed to patrons from the Lubbock bureau, requesting payment direct to the Lubbock office.

Investigation or inspection of loss and damage to shipments will be made by representatives from the Slaton office as customary in the past. Claims should be mailed direct to the bureau at the Lubbock office.

Grigsby concluded by stating "the principal objective of this modern accounting procedure is to provide the best and most accurate billing service possible for our patrons. While we do not anticipate any difficulties with this new system, nevertheless, if you should have a problem on any particular shipment, please feel free to call on this office and we will do everything possible to solve it."

WEATHER

Hardly straw hat weather, but the high 84 reading on February 1st was a decided contrast from last week low of 7 degrees. Average daytime temperatures since last Thursday have been 71 degrees, with average lows at 32 degrees. High afternoon winds and blowing dust have marred several otherwise spring-like days.

Extreme day to day temperatures, as recorded by the Pioneer Natural Gas Company gauge in Slaton, have been:

Thursday	21-76
Friday	48-84
Saturday	42-54
Sunday	20-58
Monday	34-76
Tuesday	26-74
Wednesday	30-74



Slaton "Neighbors on the Job" featuring the unique word and pen sketches prepared by Slatonite staff artist and writers, this week introduces personnel of two more firms serving the area, Pender Insurance Agency and Kendrick Pontiac.

"Progress Partners for '63" is the theme of this series of get-acquainted advertisements; and these firms are just two of the many that are joining in similar presentations through the columns of your hometown paper.



PERSONABLE MONSIGNOR PETER MORSCH has been getting acquainted here this week after assuming appointment January 31st as pastor of St. Joseph's Catholic Church. Born in Holland in 1903, Monsignor Morsch was ordained in 1931 at Fribourg, Switzerland, coming to the Amarillo diocese in September of that same year. He was named assistant at Sacred Heart church, San Angelo, and later served churches in Rotan, Odessa, Dalhart, Littlefield, White Deer and Nazareth. He was named a diocesan consultant in 1943 and was appointed dean of the Plainview deanery in 1952, and was invested as a domestic prelate with the title of Rt. Rev. Monsignor in September of 1960.

Monsignor Morsch's appointment at Slaton coincided with a number of other appointments in Catholic parishes of the area. The Very Rev. W. J. Riechel went to Holy Family church at Nazareth, replacing Morsch, and being transferred from Sacred Heart Cathedral in Amarillo, a post filled by the Very Rev. Edward Chrisman who formerly was pastor at St. Philip's church, Pep. The Rev. Stanley Crosshola of Nazareth, was named pastor of the St. Francis church; and Monsignor Richard Vaughn was appointed pastor at St. Francis.

first real "sand blast" season Friday seemed to up a lot of the dormant seeds that go along with humidity problems, according to the local physicians and pharmacists.

perhaps we will get some relief by the weekend that help hold the soil and assure early planting season this year.

the FHA said supper banquets at the Jr. High School Monday night a panel session concerning teenage pregnancies was held immediately after the supper. After the panel session, one very young teen-ager was overheard as saying "I would get married to you but my parents said that I must be home by 9:30."

Echo, which is the inmate paper written and printed by inmates at Texas Department of Corrections, carried editorial on rehabilitation re-education which stated the five that the freed convict must go through to be fully reformed, which are:

- Desire to change
- Choosing a method of change
- Pursuing method in prison
- Applying method to free world situations
- Consolidation and success

is one tops the allergies... ward of a person this week was allergic to anti-allergy pills.

Exes Reunion To be June 22

Old Friends

By J. J. Maxey

(Editor's note: Repeatedly reported to be one of the better features of the Slatonite, the "Old Frinds" weekly column and written by J. J. Maxey has appeared on every page of the Slatonite — from the "Classified" page to the "Society Section". So far as this editor is able to determine, the column never before has edged onto PAGE ONE and we have an awaiting opportunity to sneak it to that position just for you! This week seems the opportune time, for actually there's a lot of news in the column that follows, with announcement dates and elaborate plans for the 1963 reunion of Slaton Exes. tails follow, in Maxey's own words.)

Our executive committee composed of Virta Zuma Shepard, Othy Jones, Billie Moeller and myself met Tuesday morning made the following decisions for our re-union this year. The date of June twenty-second was set for our dinner and program. A consensus of opinion was that this date would better suit exes are in business in that they would not have to be away on the day of the month.

It was decided that the theme of our re-union this year would be "Old Friends" and all of our previous football teams, from the beginning to the present. Curtis Hamilton who coached here for 17 years during the thirties has expressed a desire to get all his boys together during the re-union. Members of the bi-district championship team of 1927 who were present last year indicated they would like to have a reunion of their team this year. It would be others that will want to do the same. It would sure give all of you older fellows a chance to do a little bragging with the proper records to back it up with.

With the theme of the re-union, it was decided to have Paul W. Wright, who coached here from 1928 thru the mid-30's as our principal speaker. Paul is a good speaker and is known and respected by a great many of our exes. When Paul left here he assumed the coaching job at Western State Teachers College, Colorado. He served in that capacity for a number of years and was later made the athletic director there. He is still in contact with the college but I am not sure in what capacity.

To further accentuate the theme of our re-union, it was decided to elect a queen for the year. Each class will be asked to nominate one of their members for queen and the class having the largest number in attendance at the re-union will have their member elected as queen for the year. Now it will not matter whether you have just graduated from high school or have a number of grand children, you can still be queen of the year. The Ex-Students Association for the year. It is suggested that nominations can be thoroughly publicized. I don't know who you are in order that all nominations can be thoroughly publicized. I know who our nomination will be but the class of 1930 is going to be hard to beat since we intend to have at least forty or forty-five members present at the reunion.

We can remember the following football coaches — Gus Odus Mitchell, Paul W. Wright, Othy Hamilton, Max Adams, Tim Tillery, Tony Poulus, Coach Adair, Homer Tompkins, and Maurice Kerr. I have never known who the coach was, perhaps Bill Sledge or Paul Wilson can help me on this. Will appreciate any help that you can give on any of these coaches.

Virta Zuma tells me that we are still solvent but will need the funds to put this re-union on in the way it should be. There are two bucks per year and if all of us pay that amount, we will never have to be any assessment made and no one will be out more than the other.

Those paying dues since last week were Cora Peebles Calvin, Lagg Arrants, Leroy and Cherie Poer.

EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

Observations and Potpourri

Scout Week, marking the 53rd Anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America, is being observed this week.

Any business firm or any organization or any cause that sticks around for half a century, growing and serving with each successive year... is qualified to merit more than a passing glance.

Theme of the current Scout program is "Strengthen America... Be Prepared, Be Fit".

Not a bad attitude for any generation or any group, is it?

And in recognizing the Boy Scout movement for the fine work that it is, we submit that it might be well for all of us to go backward in our research to that federal charter of Scouting, granted by Congress on June 15, 1916. We like the stated purposes, and hope that we, too, as adults and community workers can absorb some of the same attributes:

... the purpose of Scouting "shall be to promote through organization and cooperation with other agencies, the ability of boys to do things for themselves and others, to train them in Scoutcraft, and to teach them patriotism, courage, self-reliance, and kindred virtues, by placing emphasis upon the Scout Oath or Promise and Law for character development, citizenship training, and physical fitness".

It takes a mighty good bookkeeper to make a deficit look like a surplus.

And if our information is correct, the estimated budget deficit of our nation is \$7,000,000,000.00.

We will give our administration full credit for the mouth-support it has given to alleviation of the debt burden. The same is true of all administrations we can remember. So, though we wholeheartedly justify its efforts, we cannot give a blanket justification for some of the methods we see being proposed.

Naive as we are, we cannot help but be concerned when our gold reserve is leaving the Fort Knox cache faster than the badmen of Western TV could relieve stage passengers of their boodle.

We are concerned with an economic growth rate that we believe below the capabilities of American industry.

Neither does unemployment help pay off the national deficit.

We still believe it morally and ethically dishonest to arbitrarily place the heavy yoke of our own errors on the shoulders of future generations. Our children deserve a heritage... but not one of unpaid obligations... ignored and postponed by their apathetic forebears.

The trouble with a lot of us is that we want to accomplish many things, but aren't willing to pay the price. If life were a game in which the rewards were handed out on a silver platter to anyone who happened to ask for them, lots of folks would sleep in rose beds. But, unfortunately, we have to reckon with the thorns.

"He who would climb a tree must grasp its branches—not the blossoms," said Thackeray. Which means that we must pull ourselves up over the rough places, and not expect simply to coast downhill all the time.

We get mostly what we go after—if we go after it hard enough. About the only thing that has ever come into our life without effort is trouble; and much of that can be traced to a desire to take hold of the blossoms instead of grasping the branches.

Thorns serve a purpose. They teach us that even in plucking roses, one must go about it with care and skill and practical knowledge—or get stuck.

When you say that you agree to a thing in principle you mean that you have not the slightest intention of carrying it out in practice. — Bismarck

Men so like to be talked about that a discussion of their faults delights them. — Andre Maurois

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SCOUT WEEK

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BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Scout Week Celebrates 53rd Anniversary

Physical fitness, one of the principal aims of the Boy Scouts of America for 53 years, is receiving special emphasis during Scout Week in February by the organization's 5,210,000 members. The theme, "Strengthen America—Be Prepared—Be Fit", as shown on the new 1963 Scout Week poster, will be dramatized during special meetings of nearly 135,000 Cub Scout packs, Boy Scout troops, and Explorer

EASY DOES IT!

The lion was stalking through the jungle looking for trouble. He grabbed a passing tiger and asked, "Who is king of the jungle?"

"You are, O mighty lion," answered the tiger.

The lion then grabbed a bear and asked, "Who is boss of the jungle?"

"You are, O mighty lion," replied the bear.

Next the lion met an elephant and asked, "Who is boss of the jungle?" The elephant grabbed him with his trunk, whirled him around, and threw him against a tree, leaving the lion weak and injured. The lion got up feebly and said, "Just because you don't know the answer is no reason for you to get so rough."

TEACHER SHORTAGE

An inspector, visiting a country school, was extremely annoyed at the noise made by the scholars in an adjoining room.

At last, unable to stand it any longer, he opened the door and burst upon the class.

Seeing one boy taller than the others and talking a great deal, he seized him by the collar, removed him to the next room, and stood him firmly in the corner.

"Now you stand there and be quiet!" he commanded.

Ten minutes later a small head appeared round the door, and a meek voice asked: "Please, sir — may we have our teacher back?"

IT'S BEAN NICE

A teacher called for sentences using the word "beans."

"My father grows beans," said the bright boy of the class.

"My mother cooks beans," said another pupil.

Then a third popped up: "We are all human beans."

A real man never talks about what the world owes him, the happiness he deserves, the chance he ought to have, and all that; all that he claims is the right to live and play the man. A real man is just as honest alone in the dark, in his own room, as he is in public. A real man does not want pulls, tips and favors; he wants work and honest wages. A real man is loyal to his friends and guards their reputation as his own. A real man is dependable; his simple word is as good as his Bible oath. A real man does not want something for nothing, so the "get-rich-quick" people cannot use him. A real man never hunts danger, and never dodges it when he ought to meet it. A real man is — well, he is an honest man, the finest, best, noblest, most refreshing thing to be found on all the green earth — unless it is a real woman.

A dime held close enough to the eye will shut out the whole world. The small duty close at hand may shut out all vision, all ideals. The small duty is always with us. There are always things to be done. In order to achieve the greatest which is within each one of us, we must balance between small duties which could never be completely done — had we ten times our present time and strength — and the distant ideals. We must be able to say to the immediate and small, "Stand back! That is your place! This is the time for rest, for margin, for assimilation, for growth."



Notes from Neighbors

Events and Opinions

From the Exchanges of the Slatonite

Pragmatism a la Jungle...

A big game hunter in Africa was on his way back to camp when an enormous lion walked out of the jungle not 20 feet away. As the lion was about to spring, the hunter fired his last cartridge and missed. The lion sprang too far and landed 15 feet beyond the hunter who then ran for camp and safety.

The next day the hunter figured there might be something wrong with his eyesight and he went out back of the camp to practice a little shooting at close range. He heard a strange noise in the brush, and he investigated. It was the lion, practicing short leaps. —Lake City Graphic

Climate and Culture...

Truly the peculiarities of the climate affect the culture of the indigenous population. The wind in West Texas, for instance. Did you ever notice how the domino games by the courthouse shift around the rock outbuildings in order to stay on the leeward side?

Standing off and getting the big picture, you might even say the very game they are playing is a result of the wind. Small wooden blocks, unlike cards, stay on the table well in even a fairly brisk breeze.

In most countries, the gentry with time on their hands go in for ball rolling games. Ninepins, skittles, whatever they may call it, the village idlers how or toss. In England and France, they try to get close to another ball.

However, the West Texas wind puts too much element of luck in ball rolling. Even pitching horseshoes, and silver dollars have never really caught on in this breezy climate.

C. D. Cash talks about the basketball team which came here from Robertson years ago and laid a good liking on the current Chieftain team. Cash talked to one of the country players, who had scored 30 or 40 points, as he left the Crosbyton gymnasium.

"It was easy shooting here," said the high scoring Robertson lad. "I didn't even have to allow for the wind." —Crosbyton Review

Snapping Turtles Evicted

A seemingly unanswerable problem that had city workmen scratching their heads for the last six weeks was solved last weekend when two large snapping turtles came tumbling out of the sewer line that served as their home for the past month and a half.

City Manager Frazer Edmonds explained that the major sewer line from the city's present south farm to the Sulphur River would become clogged every few days. Crews would apparently clean the line only to have the situation reoccur within a few days. The reptiles it seems would simply dodge the apparatus the workmen would send through the lines and, upon resumption of whatever activities the turtles had underway in the pipe would clog it up again. —Commerce Journal

Home Rule Proposed at Ballinger

With a proposed charter for the City of Ballinger in its final stages of completion, members of the Ballinger Charter Commission are meeting with small groups of Ballinger residents, explaining various features of the charter, as well as the thinking behind the proposed new charter.

The new document would make the operation of the City of Ballinger come under Home Rule, rather than under general laws of the state as is now the case.

In the draft of a letter which will accompany the charter when it is presented to the City Commission, the Charter Commission requests the election on the charter to be held Tuesday, April 2.

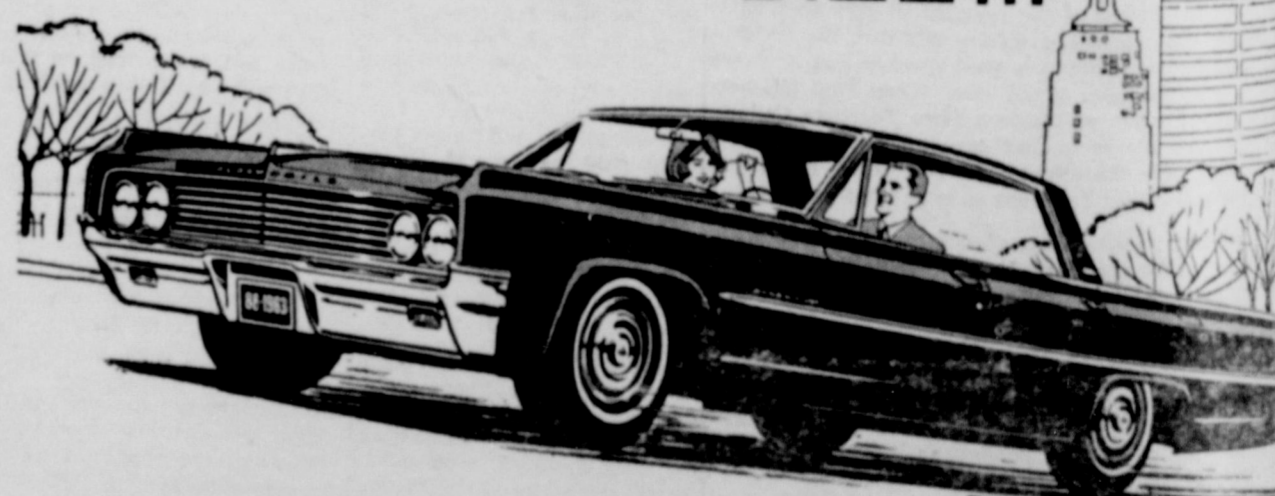
They point out that under the laws of the state, a copy of the proposed charter must be sent to each qualified voter within the City of Ballinger no fewer than 30 days prior to the date of the election.

The charter proposing Home Rule government for Ballinger is the first to be submitted to Ballinger residents for their consideration. Essentially, the new document provides for a Mayor and four councilmen, in contrast to the Mayor and two commissioners under the present charter. —Ballinger Ledger

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AT THE SLATONITE

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Textile Tour Planned For Area Cotton Folks

The Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., has announced plans for another textile mill tour by cotton growers, ginners, and other interested persons of the High Plains area. The tour this year will be to mills in the Augusta, Georgia, area.

George W. Pfeiffenberger, PCG Executive Vice President, said

Louis Piwonka Dies In California

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Piwonka and son Milton returned recently from St. Gabriel, California, where they attended the funeral of a brother, Louis F. Piwonka.

Death came as result of a heart attack, January 19th, to the 75-year old man who lived in Slaton years ago.

Other Texans attending the funeral included Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hlavaty, a sister, of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Kocurek, sister, of Temple; and a brother, Raymond Piwonka of Caldwell. A sister, Mrs. G. B. Nesbitt, lives in Slaton, and other sisters are Mrs. John Peters of Midland and Mrs. Henry Polansky of Alice.

Schmidly of Levelland was elected vice-chairman and Bean was elected to serve as secretary-treasurer.

J. R. Belt, Jr., of Lockney is the fifth member on the water district board.

The tour is scheduled for February 26-28 and will cost approximately \$150 per person. Wives are invited to accompany their husbands.

The PCG will sponsor the tour in cooperation with the American Textile Manufacturers Institute. Arrangements will be made for a chartered airplane that will seat approximately 50 people.

"This tour will help in better understanding the utilization of cotton", Pfeiffenberger said. "We think area farmers, ginners, and others will come back from the tour with a better picture of the overall cotton situation."

The happiness of life depends less upon what befalls us than upon the way in which we take it.

— Texas Prison Echo

Pleasure acquired at the pain of others is without substance that and must vanish quickly, as show that falls into the sea."

ation and of cotton's crop... position in the textile industry. The tour last year was to the P. H. Hanes Knitting Company in Winston-Salem, North Carolina and Fieldcrest Mills in Spray, North Carolina. It was considered a complete success. Mr. F. M. Jack, Carlisle ginner, said after returning: "I think we can more readily understand now how cotton can price itself out of the market if price relationships with synthetics get too far out of line".

Leroy Durham, Plainview farmer, remarked as the group was returning from Winston-Salem last year: "Any cotton grower who takes advantage of an opportunity like this to tour

textile mills will never be sorry. This has been one of the most enlightening tours that anybody who deals in cotton could make". Ronald Weaver, Petersburg ginner and another participant in last year's trip, stated: "This tour should make us want to produce and gin better quality cotton on the South Plains. More quality improvements would mean that mills would buy increasing amounts of our cotton".

Pfeiffenberger said that this year's tour will afford an opportunity to meet many users and potential users of High Plains cotton. It could generate more interest in area cotton on the part of mills, he added.

One mill to be visited will be the Graniteville Company's plant near Augusta. Mr. J. B. Kyser, an official of the mill, reported on a visit of ATMI officials to Lubbock and the High Plains last year, that the firm buys about 100,000 bales of area cotton each year.

Pfeiffenberger requested anyone interested in making the tour to write to the Plains Cotton Growers' office, 1720 Avenue M, Lubbock, or call the office at Porter 2-0553. Interested parties should contact the PCG before February 15, if possible, in order that final arrangements may be completed.

A complete tour agenda and other details will be announced in the near future.



Shown above is the Board of Directors of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District for 1963. Seated, left to right, is J. R. Belt, Jr., of Lockney and Henry "Chick" Schmidly of Levelland, Vice-Chairman. Standing, left to right, is Russell Bean of Lubbock, Secretary-Treasurer; John Gammon of Lazbuddi, Chairman; and Earl Holt of Hereford.

Water Conservation District Board Reorganizes; Gammon Is Elected Chairman for New Year

Three area men have been sworn-in as members of the five-man Board of Directors of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District.

During luncheon ceremonies last week in Lubbock, the honorable Howard C. Davidson, Judge of 99th District Court in Lubbock, administered the oath-of-office to Russell Bean of Lubbock, John Gammon of Lazbuddi and Earl Holt of Hereford. Each was recently elected by residents of the district to serve a two-year term of office on the board.

Luncheon ceremonies were presided over by T. L. Sparkman, Jr., of Hereford, who along with Elmer Blakenship of Wilson, retired from the board

PERFORMED IN CONCERT

Donald W. Edwards of Slaton performed with 275 other student musicians Tuesday in a concert at North Texas State University. The program was a joint presentation by the NTSU Symphony Orchestra, Grand Chorus and Women's Choir. Edwards sings in the tenor section of the Grand Chorus. A sophomore music education major, he is the son of J. S. Edwards Jr., 745 S. 18th.

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with the qualifying of the newly-elected men.

During a business meeting following the swearing-in ceremonies, Gammon was elected to serve as chairman of the board during 1963. Henry "Chick"

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Rev. Charles Stuart

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Rev. Clinton Eastman

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Rev. B. E. Coker

Church Of Christ
11th & Division
Roy Dean Verner

Assembly Of God
340 W. Division

Missionary Baptist Church
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Ray Smith

First Baptist Church
of Southland
Eddie Fortson, Pastor

Southland Methodist
Church
Rev. B. B. Byus

First Baptist Church
Wilson
Rev. H. F. Scott

Acuff Baptist Church
W. O. Donley, Pastor

Our Lady Of Guadalupe
Church

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Msgr. T. D. O'Brien
19th & Lubbock

Gordon Church Of Christ
Cline Drake, Minister

Acuff Church Of Christ
Brooks Terry, Minister

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Rev. Leroy R. Deans

St. John Lutheran Church
Wilson
Rev. John W. Onda

First Baptist Church
255 S. 9th
Dr. Charles Wood

First Christian Church
145 E. Panhandle
John L. Floyd

Immanuel Lutheran Church
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Rev. F. A. Wittig

First Presbyterian Church
425 W. Lubbock
Rev. Fred Ryle

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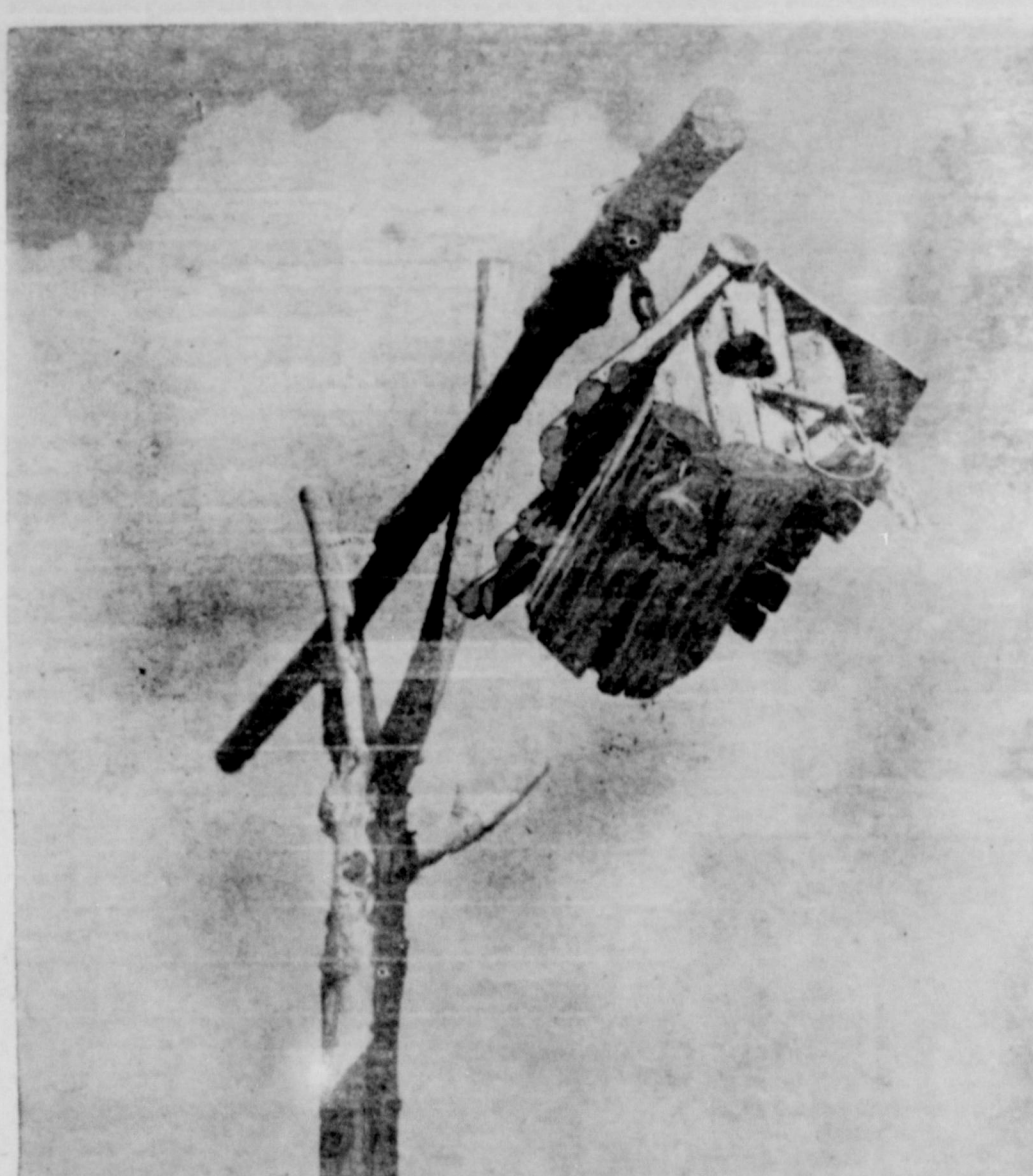
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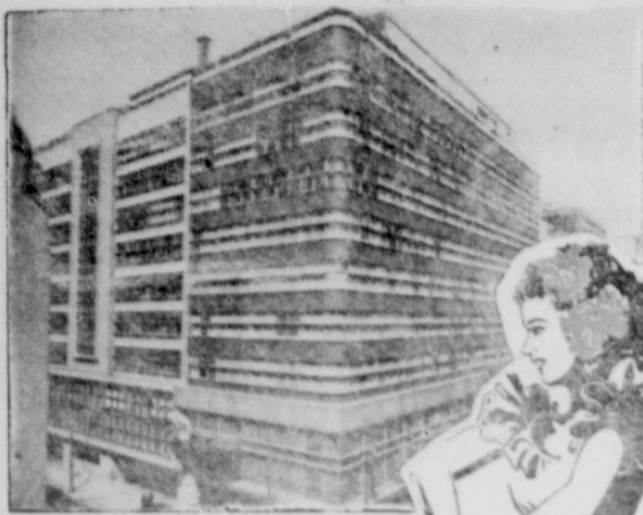
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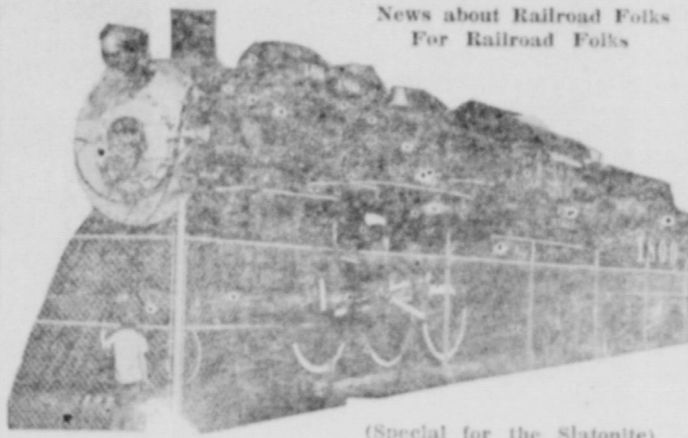
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HERE AND THERE
 Our Dispatchers Office still has all the aspects of a crazy mixed-up place what with painters, carpenters, electricians, air-conditioning men and water servicemen taking turns in there with their own little jobs and sometimes they all seem to be in there at once. But new colors and ceilings are beginning to peep through and it looks like it won't be too long before they have a mighty nice-looking office in there.
 Chuck Space, son of Chief Clerk to Master Mechanic and

Chuck!
 The FHA girls of Slaton High entertained their mothers with a salad supper, Monday night, which was certainly a pleasant affair. The supper was prepared by the girls and was followed by a panel discussion on teenage marriage which was quite interesting.

Visitors in the Division Office lately have included Retired Office Engineer S. A. "Squire" Peavy and Maintenance Clerk (on leave of absence) Jack Shepard who just had to come by to see what was going on down here! Mighty nice to have them drop in!

Brakeman - Switchman L. M. Vereen has resigned from our service to return to school. . . . Brakeman B. R. Tomlin also has resigned in order to move to Kansas City. G. G. Taylor has bid in the agency at Sudan, Texas. We have a new apprentice operator at Leham - Dean Nichols, who is the son of Agent M. D. Nichols at Happy. Welcome to the railroad, Dean!

VISITORS
 Relief Clerk Paul Elmore is real happy this week due to the fact that her mother and daddy, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Beam of Gastonia, North Carolina, are visiting in her home in Lubbock. Mrs. J. P. Spears of Newton, her sister and brother-in-law, Coleman and Livestock Agent and Mrs. Wildon Spears and their family of Amarillo, Texas, visited in the home of Car Clerk

Thursday, February 7, 1963

Norma and Steno-Clerk Mary Spears this weekend. Steno-Clerk Lori Anne Lamb visited in the home of her sister in Lockney.

Operator D. E. Conner is on sick leave due to a back injury he sustained in an automobile accident several weeks ago. . . . Agent B. L. Roberts at Barnhart is going to the Santa Fe Hospital at Temple account of illness. Switchman J. A. Porter of Lubbock is on sick leave pending retirement.

Brakeman Bill Brake is on leave of absence to have surgery on his knee. . . . Agent C. E. Ball of Plainview is in Temple hospital account illness. Section Laborer P. M. Moore is on his way to the hospital at Temple. With all these people in the hospital, it is mighty nice to report that someone is coming home from the hospital. . . . Call Boy Rardin McCormick is returning home from the Santa Fe Hospital at Albuquerque where he has been for quite awhile due to an infection. Welcome home and we hope everyone else on this list will be heading home real soon.

Mrs. G. I. Norris is reported to be improved at Mercy Hospital where she has been a patient since last Sunday.

Trimpa Goes To Levelland Store

Hobart Trimpa, former manager of the C. R. Anthony in Slaton, is assuming management of that firm's new store at Levelland, according to an announcement made this week.

Opening of the Levelland store is scheduled for March. Trimpa will begin purchasing merchandise for the new store next Monday he states.

Mrs. Trimpa and the children, Dawn and Tom, plan to return to Slaton until the closing of this school term.

Trimpa has been married in the Slaton store for 11 years and both children of the store were born in Slaton.

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STATE CAPITAL
Highlights
AND Sidelights
by Vern Sanford
 TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Rep. James Cotten of Weatherford — one of the most militant members of the 58th Legislature — is examining the flight records of state-owned planes.

Cotten is concerned about what he considers frivolous use of state property. . . namely, three airplanes which the Department of Public Safety is supposed to

use for transporting officers to distant scenes of crimes, or to attend law enforcement meetings without missing too many duty hours.

Cotten says he has discovered these planes have been used: For rushing a representative home for the weekend; for ferrying a state senator home to make a speech; for transporting the state librarian to a monument on the coast "to get ideas on how to set up displays."

Cotten wants to know "How much did these junkets cost?.. State pilots haven't answered, but Austin airport authorities guess the cost at \$26 to \$78 an hour — depending on which plane is used — plus pilot's time.

Now the representative from Weatherford is talking about grounding all passengers except those who are entitled to use state planes for necessary, official business.

He plans to introduce a bill that would forbid legislators from hitch-hiking rides aboard the planes unless they were on official business.

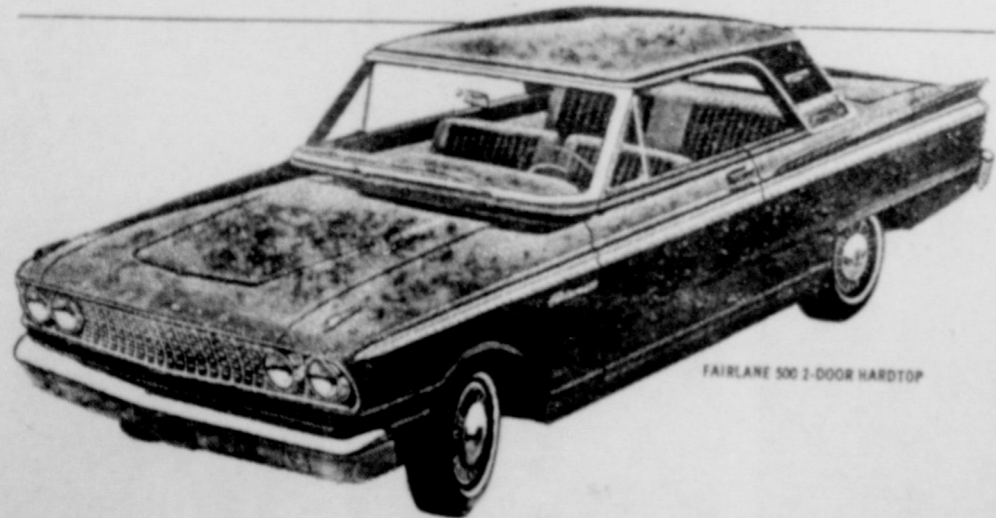
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PARENTAL SUPPORT BILL

A bill which would make relatives responsible for the welfare of the needy old people has been introduced by Rep. J. Collier Adams of Lubbock.

Patterned after the "Montana Method," the bill calls for contributions to the support of citizens on Old Age Assistance rolls and disabled persons receiving state aid.

The "responsible" relatives could be the assistance recipient's parent, aunt, uncle, niece, nephew, spouse, brother, sister, son, daughter or grandparent.

Proposed law would make a person earning \$201 a month and supporting only himself pay \$5 a month toward a relative's care. If he made \$376 a month and was supporting two people, he'd have to pay \$20.

"I just believe," Representative Adams said, "that the commandment 'Honor thy mother and father' should be upheld." He said he also figures that the most needy people could get larger benefit checks if others received semi-support from their families.

BRUCCELLOSIS TESTS

Dr. John L. Wilbur Jr., U.S. Department of Agriculture's animal disease eradication division, reported that public stockyards inspection last month revealed brucellosis infection ratios of 1 to 11 per cent.

High ratio was revealed at the Port City Stockyards in Houston. An infection ratio of only one per cent was found at San Antonio's Union Stockyards. Fort Worth Stockyards' ratio was 3.7 per cent.

NO EMERGENCY

The man who holds the state purse strings for the House of Representatives said he sees no urgency requiring fast legislative action to bolster the screw-worm eradication program by \$1,400,000.

Chairman Bill Heatly of the House Appropriations Committee said his conclusion of a recent hearing is that livestock producers have raised enough money to keep the program going until March 1.

Meanwhile, an interim study committee headed by Sen. Culp Krueger of El Campo strongly recommended that the \$1,400,000 be appropriated now, and another \$1,600,000 be appropriated for the year beginning September 1.

This would make up the \$3,000,000, members of the Southwest Animal Health Research Foundation have been seeking from the state.

FIRST APPOINTMENT

Gov. John Connally's first appointment act was to name Judge Louis T. Holland Jr. of Montague as Presiding Judge of the 8th Administrative Judicial District.

Judge Holland will succeed

TRADING STAMP TAX

As an alternate to sending "the cream of business profits to out-of-state trading stamp companies," Rep. Jim Segrest of San Antonio proposed a 10 per cent gross receipts tax on trading stamps.

"Trading stamps are the most hated of all competitive weapons by even those who use them so why not tax such an unhealthy item?" Segrest asked.

He said his bill would bring millions to the state treasury as a balance to "some fifty million dollars" taken out of Texas annually by trading stamp companies.

\$18,000,000 PLANT SECURED

Governor Connally, who's been determined to make this state a leader in securing new industry, was greatly pleased with the announcement that the Holly Sugar Corporation of Colorado Springs, Colorado, will establish an \$18,000,000 sugar beet processing plant in Hereford.

Construction will begin soon, and the 1,700-acre plant is expected to be in operation by September 1, 1964.

"Establishment of this refinery is a big step toward providing new job opportunities for the citizens of Texas," Governor Connally wired the sugar firm.

COLLEGE HEARINGS SET

House State Affairs Committee — which has been the referral point of about one-third of 200 bills already introduced by the 58th Legislature — put college upgrading requests first on its agenda.

Bills being heard are those designed to lend senior status and full state support to San Angelo Junior College and Odessa Junior College, and give full state support to Pan American College at Edinburg.

FUND - RAISING RESTRICTIONS

Sen. Criss Cole of Houston believes the state should keep tabs on all people who raise money for charity.

Many charitable organizations use professional money-raisers to conduct fund campaigns, and Cole proposes that the charities tell Secretary of State Crawford Martin:

1. What sort of deals they've made with their professional money-raisers;
2. What commissions the fund-raisers would get;
3. When solicitations will be held, and what will be done with the money solicited.

Annual reports of licensed organizations would be checked by a certified public accountant. Attorney general would halt the activities of organizations which try to raise cash without registering, unless they are exempt from the act.

FREE FISHING

An easing of fishing license requirements — aimed at helping unemployed persons on the Gulf Coast — has been introduced by Rep. Ed J. Harris of Galveston.

Harris proposed that citizens be allowed to fish with rod and reel in their home counties without paying \$2.15 for a license. He described fishing in one's

own county or from one's own property as a "basic, human right."

PURCHASE RAISE PROPOSED

A bill to raise from \$150 to \$500 the amount of "emergency purchases" a county can make without advertising for competitive bids has been drafted by Rep. Vernon Beckham of Denison.

Beckham said a county official can't buy a truckload of gasoline or a typewriter without exceeding the \$150 limita-

tion enacted in 1921.

Beckham introduced another bill which would raise the maximum to be spent by county commissioners on office buildings or jails in cities other than the county seat from \$150,000 to \$200,000.

OIL ALLOWABLE UPPED

Texas Railroad Commission has given oilmen their biggest production raise in many months.

"Nearly all counties in 'South Texas' voted for racing last year," he said enthusiastically.

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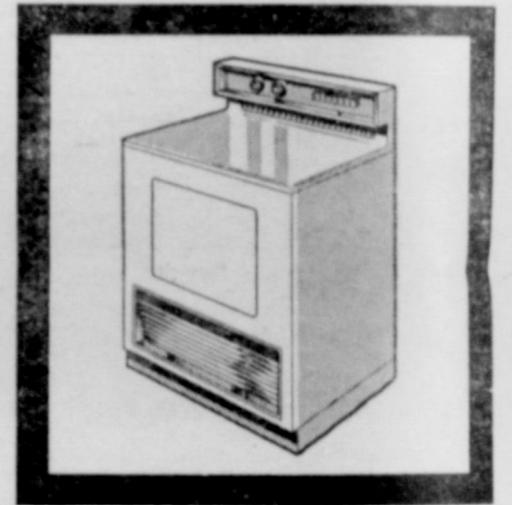
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Mothers of Slaton F.H.A. Members Were Honored at Salad Supper and Program

The F.H.A. girls honored their mothers with a Salad Supper Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the Jr. High School Cafeteria. Two hundred mothers and daughters attended.

The following girls were on the Clean-up Committee: Kay Hoate, Janet Hollingsworth, Dorothy Buckemper, LaVerne Schwertner, Marilyn McSween, Judy Schwartz, Linda Longtin, Judy Angle, Judy Kroll, Gloria Penzer, Vicki Roche, Betty

Cole, Janis Mosley, and Diana Shaffer, and Linda Isbell. The following were on the Preparation Committee: Jan Scott, Betty McSween, Nan Saage, Nancy Anderson, Kathy Brown, Judy Edwards, Gerry Clark, Lundie Roche, Carolyn Means Lynette Kuss and Teresase Lokey.

After supper was served, a panel consisting of Mary Ruth Green, Mrs. C. L. Heaton, and Rev. Fred Ryle talked on the topic, "Teen-Age Marriage". Each girl brought a salad.

As a devotional, Nelda Ray gave a parable, "Mother".

TO ATTEND BEAUTY SHOW

Mrs. Winnie Vaughn and Melba Ethridge will leave Saturday to attend the All-Texas Beauty Show convening for three days in the Adolphus Hotel in Dallas.

The show is sponsored by the Texas Association of Accredited Beauty Culturists.

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Native of England Spoke Monday To Centurettes Here

Miss Diane Drinkwater, an exchange teacher at Wheelock Elementary School in Lubbock, and whose home is Bristol, England, was guest speaker at the meeting of the Centurettes in Slaton Monday. Her most interesting talk was on the subject, "A Stranger in Our Land".

Mrs. Donald Basinger was in charge of the program, and the meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Dwayne Preston, with Mrs. Robert Heaton serving as co-hostess.

Refreshments of chicken salad, pickles, olives, potato chips, hot rolls, cherry pie and Cokes were served to sixteen members and the guest. Members present were Mesdames Wayne Banks, Tim Bourn, Harley Castleberry, Tip Culver, Truman Ford, Jackie Haire, Jack Haliburton, Joe Holland, Hobert Limmer, Pat Taylor, Ray Wilkins, W. B. Wilks, Randy Sanders and Preston, Heaton and Basinger.

Parents Feted On 15th Anniversary

Miss Laverne Schwertner was hostess Sunday at a surprise party honoring her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Schwertner, on occasion of their 15th wedding anniversary.

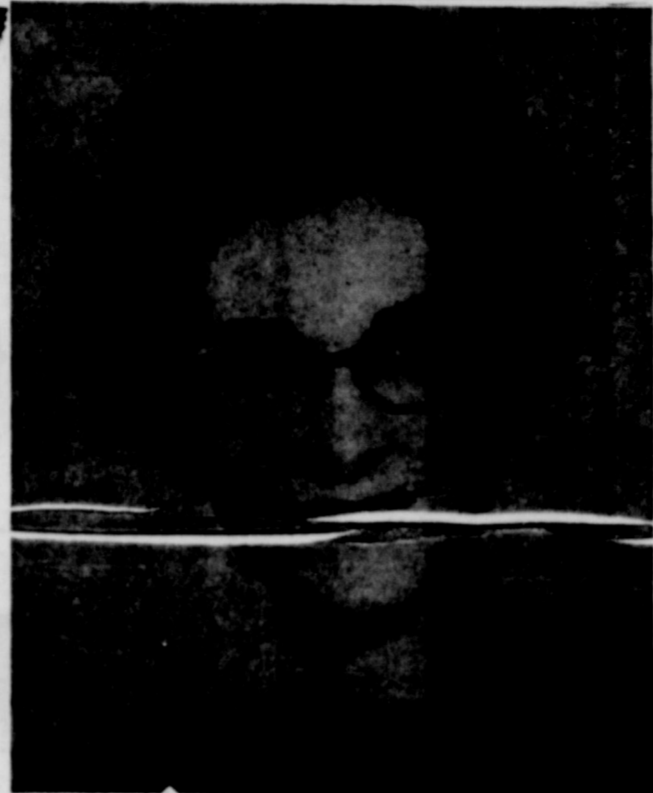
Other children of the family, all present, were Mark, Juanita, Jerome and Clarice. Thirty-seven guests attended.

Wedding Planned By Miss Robinson, Mike Winchester

Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Robinson of Route 1, Post, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Linda Gay Robinson, to Mike Weiland Winchester, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Merriman, 310 South 8th, Slaton.

The wedding is scheduled at 8 p.m. February 10 in the Slaton Church of Christ. Mr. McFarland of Lubbock will officiate for the vows. Friends of the couple are invited to attend.

Mrs. Lin Barnes and son, Mark, visited last week in Odessa with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Irwin.



MISS LOU ANNE PARSONS

Spring Wedding Plans Revealed

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd William Parsons, 108 Winnwood Road, Little Rock, Ark., announce the engagement of their daughter, Lou Anne, to Billy Raymond Smoot, son of the Reverend and Mrs. Raymond McGee Smoot of Slaton.

The wedding will take place in early spring.

Miss Parsons graduated from Baylor University and the University of Texas. She is a member of Beta Gamma Sigma, honorary fraternity in the school of Business, and is a past president of Phi Gamma Nu, an honorary business sorority.

Mr. Smoot, a graduate of

Texas Technological College in Lubbock, Texas is vice-president of Phi Delta Kappa, an honorary educational fraternity.

Both Miss Parsons and Mr. Smoot are teaching in the Odessa, Texas schools.

THANK YOU NOTE

We want to thank everyone who helped us make the March of Dimes drive a success.

We especially want to thank the F.H.A. girls for maintaining the Block of Dimes and Road Block on such a cold day. We also send many thanks to the Catholic Daughters and the Athenians for helping us with the Mothers March, and all the clubs who sent us donations.

The Centurettes Study Club

Daughters of the Pioneer Host Mother-Daughter Tea

A Valentine motif was in the air with a "Mother and Daughter Tea" in the Slaton Clubhouse Monday evening when the Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club entertained. Hostesses were Mrs. Cecil Scott and Mrs. Greeley Myers.

"Be Charming" was the theme of the program given by Miss Lynne from the Robert Spence Finishing School in Lubbock. Mrs. Bill Smith introduced the speaker, who had experience in modeling and directing in Philadelphia, Dallas, and Lubbock. She presented the seven keys to charm: posture and walk; skin,

hair, and make-up; voice; wardrobe; figure; personality; and etiquette and social graces.

The speakers table, enhanced with a manzanita branch hung with red velvet hearts and lace added their festooning bit, as did a handsome bronze candleabra holding glowing red tapers.

Miss Jill Scott registered sixty members and their guests, including out of town guests, Mrs. Robert E. Boney of Las Cruces, New Mexico and Miss Jean Lancaster, associated with the Lubbock finishing school. A bronze candleabra holding red tapers marked the register table.

The tea table, covered with white linen, featured a centerpiece of entwined hearts and cloids fashioned from white styrofoam and red satin ribbons. Silver and crystal appointments were used. Misses Jan Scott and Vickie Nowlin presided at the serving table.

Mrs. M. M. Schlueter won the door prize, a six weeks course in self-improvement at the Lubbock school.

Mrs. John Morris, president of the club, was presiding officer for the evening.

Introductory Tea Given Mrs. Elton G. Smith Jr.

Mrs. Elton G. Smith, Sr., entertained with an introductory tea for her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Elton G. Smith, Jr., at her home on the Petersburg Road Sunday, February 3. One hundred and

thirty guests called between the hours of three and five.

The honoree is the former Miss Sandi Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Black of Lubbock.

The tea table held a silver candleabra with white tapers and epergne filled with red carnations and tiny white mums. Appointments were silver and handpainted china was used for serving.

Receiving guests with the hostess and honoree was Mrs. C. A. Black, mother of the recent bride.

Members of the houseparty included Mesdames George Harlan, J. C. Smith, Jr., Randy Sanders, J. C. Smith, Sr., O. N. Alcorn, Auden Nowell, and Nan Res.

Also, Mesdames Raymond Dunn and Frances Ray Dunn, J. D. Henderson and Sandra, C. A. Black and Debbie of Lubbock; and Mrs. Arnold Alcorn of Muleshoe.

Debbie Black and Frances Ray Dunn alternated at the guest book.

Miss Sandra Henderson provided background music during the calling hours.

Happy Birthdays

February 7 — Herschel Glasgow, Steve Meador, Roni Heinrich, J. P. Haliburton, S. art William Swanner.

February 8 — Mrs. Lois D. per, Coy Biggs, Keith Price, M. W. L. Davis, Earl Eblen, J. Tommy Hargrave, Harold Ge Fox, Mrs. J. R. Brush, Willis David Becker.

February 9 — Mrs. Rufus Schwertner, Howard Hoffman, Jr., Billy Belote, Mrs. Char J. Fomes, L. O. Lambert, M. L. M. Cole, Mrs. Robert I. Hagler, D. M. Jackson, F. Marriot, Caydon Brush, M. Freddie Marriot, Mark Los Hill, Mrs. George Abare.

February 10 — Manuel Geor Mrs. Inell Avant, James Bru. Mrs. J. S. Edwards Jr., M. Bobby Jones, Mrs. Harry Stok Mrs. T. N. Bickers, Mackie K. tenhoff.

February 11 — Teresa L. Patricia Kayser, Cecil Mos. Regina Anders, Douglas Has ton, Dorothy Howell.

February 12 — Pete Lanter, Mrs. T. L. Weaver, Mrs. Lester, O. O. Crow, Roy Stru Frances Martin, Landis Fra William Ray Combs.

February 13 — Freddie Mil Alvin Kitten, Mrs. Carter C. well, Mrs. Gene Turner.



MISS SUE LOTT

Miss Lott Is New Teacher in Schools

Miss Sue Lott has been named as a first grade teacher at the Stephen F. Austin school in Slaton, assuming her duties last Monday.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lott of O'Donnell, Miss Lott is a January graduate of Texas Tech where she majored in Elementary Education. She was vice president at Weeks Hall and of the Women's Council, holding office in Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority.

Miss Lott is living at 420 W. Lubbock Street in Slaton.

The Slatonite is glad to list coming events in this column at all times. If new meetings are scheduled, or if times or places are being changed from those previously announced, a call to VA 8-4202 will assure the correct listing in the "Coming Events" column.

Thursday, February 7
Rotary Club, noon at clubhouse.
L. A. to B. of R. T., 10 a.m., Legion Hall.
Friday, February 8
Senior Citizens Club, 10 a.m., clubhouse.
Saturday, February 9
Another good day to trade in Slaton!
Sunday, February 10
A welcome awaits you at the church of your choice.
Monday, February 11
American Legion, 7:30 p.m., Legion Hall.
Rainbow Girls, 7 p.m., Masonic Hall.
Knights of Columbus, 8 p.m., St. Joseph's Hall.
City Commission, 8 p.m., P.T.A., 7:30 p.m., West Ward School.
Tuesday, February 12
V.F.W., 8 p.m., at V.F.W. Hall.
Eastern Star, 7:30 p.m., at Masonic Hall.
Lions Club, noon at Bruce's Cafe.
Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., at 205 S. 11th.
Santa Fe Pensioners Club, 10 a.m.
Ministerial Alliance, 7 a.m., at Bruce's Cafe.
Wednesday, February 13
Jaycees, 8 p.m.
Home Demonstration Club, 2 p.m.
Bluebonnet Club, 2:30 p.m.

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Mr. Pember and his wife, Maurine, have 4 children: Joyce, MayBelle, Joan and Bruce Jr. Bruce was born in Onawa, Iowa. His birthday is July 31.

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Since February, 1946
Frances S. Sargent hails Big Spring, Texas as her birth place. She has one daughter, Peggy, and 6 grand children. Frances begins her 18th year with Slaton's oldest established insurance agency this month. She is a member of First Baptist Church, Eastern Star, President VFW Auxiliary Post No. 6721 and she is official scorekeeper for Little League Majors.

MY JOB CO-OWNER



Since August 1, 1959
Bob Kern, a native Texan was born at Colorado City. He and his wife MayBelle have two children; Keri and Kevin. Bob is a member of the First Methodist Church where he also teaches a Sunday School Class. Bob is a member of Association Insurance Agents, Slaton Volunteer Fire Department, Slaton Little League Association. Before joining Pember Insurance Agency he taught in Iraan Public Schools. He attended McMurray College, Texas Tech College and Monahan High School.

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VISIT FROM HEREFORD

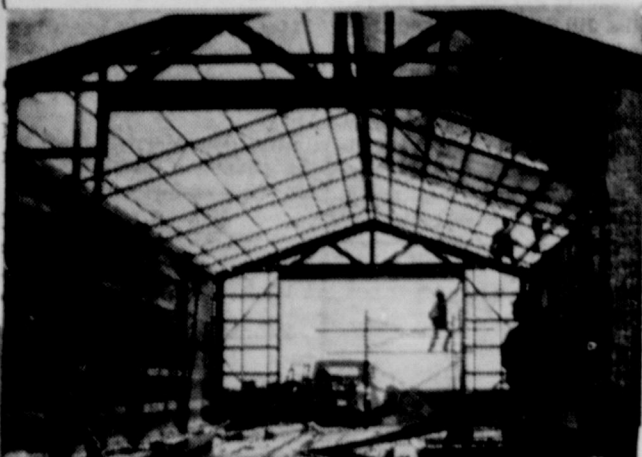
Mr. and Mrs. David Reed of Hereford were dinner guests in J. B. Butler home Monday. They later attended the funeral of Mrs. W. R. Wilson.

VISIT IN LAMESA

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Butler and Mr. and Mrs. James Vannoy visited in Lamesa Sunday with the Bill Butlers and children Billy, Randy and Michele.

Ledgers - Bookkeeping Forms

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Tip Kendrick moved to Slaton July 4, 1945 where he entered business as International Harvester Dealer. On February 10, 1948 he assumed the ownership of the present Kendrick Pontiac Dealership. Mr. Kendrick was born in Wingate, Texas. He and his wife, Jo, have three children; Don, Bill and LaRue. Kendrick is vice president of the Slaton Independent School District. On his list of hobbies is fishing.

Don is another member of the Kendrick family that is working at Kendrick Pontiac in management capacity. He is one of Tip Kendrick's two sons. Don and his wife Janice have two children: Don, Jr., and Karla. Don Kendrick is a member of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, Slaton Chamber of Commerce, Slaton Volunteer Fire Department and he is also a neighborhood commissioner of Boy Scouts of America.

Billy Kendrick has the same birthday as his brother, Don, January 11, but the Kendrick brothers were born in different years at Floydada, Texas. Bill spends the majority of his time at Kendrick Pontiac making certain that the local Pontiac dealership has an ample supply of replacement parts for all Pontiac automobiles. Bill is a member of the First Baptist Church in Slaton.

Tax Account Numbers Essential When Filing Income Tax Returns

Taxpayers have been reminded by Dallas District Internal Revenue Director Ellis Campbell that under a recent Law they are required to enter their identifying "tax account" numbers on 1962 income tax returns filed in 1963.

For the individual, this is his social security number, or similar number issued for tax reporting purposes if he has never had employment under social security coverage.

Use of identifying numbers is essential to electronic processing of returns, now being installed nationwide by Internal Revenue, Mr. Campbell said. He added that failure to show account number may delay any refund due.

Taxpayers still needing an

account number should apply at once to the District Director's office, or to the District Office of the Social Security Administration, or by writing to Internal Revenue Service, Post Office Box 211, Baltimore, Maryland.

Director Campbell pointed out also that payers of dividends and interest are required to obtain the account numbers of their shareholders and depositors and to use them on information documents submitted to Internal Revenue.

He said receivers of income from these sources should comply promptly when they get requests for their account numbers from the paying organization. This also is required by law, he added.

Southland News

BANQUET HELD

The Southland Athletic Banquet was held Saturday evening at the Plainsman Hotel in Lubbock, with the faculty attending, together with all students who participated in sports during the year. More than 40 were in attendance.

Speakers included F. W. Calloway, Tom Buchanan and Bobby Dyess, coaches.

Mrs. Don Pennell and her sister, Mrs. Carl Cedorhelm, visited Mrs. Pennell's nephew in El Paso last week.

Robert Becker, Brownfield, visited his parents, the Willie Beckers, Sunday.

A week of vacation in Monterrey, Mexico, was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lumsden and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Getzki.

Mrs. Opal Pennell visited Ned Myers who is hospitalized in Post after being hurt in a fall.

Monday evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mason were Hank Slaight of Slaton and Lonnie Mason of Lubbock.

Mrs. Sam Martin visited her sister, Mrs. Nora Billingsly, at Lubbock Sunday night and Monday.

District Superintendent Rev. Marvin Boyd preached at the Methodist Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Calloway and little Jay visited the Chub Kellys and boys in Slaton Sunday.

Visitors in the T.L. Barnes home Sunday and Monday were Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Eubanks of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Bedford

Shearer of Texline, and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Davis and children of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Smallwood made a business trip to Tahoka Monday.

Visitors in the Alma Albright home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Phelps and three grandchildren of Sudan, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Orsborn of Heckville, and Mr. and Mrs. Payton Crawford and Jettie and Debra.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morris moved to Slaton last Wednesday. Mrs. Morris said she had been living in Lynn County for 58 years, moving there in 1915, where they lived until Wednesday. They raised six children. Their new home address is 1520 West Lynn St. in Slaton. Mrs. Morris' daughter, Mrs. J. L. Gary, came from New Mexico on Friday and stayed until Sunday to help her mother in moving. Mrs. Gary has two sons in Wayland College at Plainview. They met their mother and visited her and their grandparents Friday night.

Lester Hampton was the morning speaker at the Southland Baptist Church. A layman, he is a Gideon and volunteer worker to Japan.

Rodney Maeker On TLC Band Tour

Rodney Maeker of Wilson, a sophomore pre-theo student, is a member of the TLC band which went on its annual tour Jan. 26-Feb. 3.

Maeker is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Maeker, Route 2, Wilson.

The tour included concerts in G a n a d o, Yorktown, Cuero, Woodsboro, Goliad, Robstown, Bishop, Agua Dulce, Harlingen, Orange Grove, Sinton, and Monterrey.

Included on the concert program, planned to appeal to the musical tastes of most people, was classical works, selections from musical shows, and popular marches. Special band numbers featured a piano solo, the flute section, a trumpet trio, and a saxophone quartet.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Warren and Randy attended funeral services Sunday for Lawrence Ratliff, a cousin of Warren's. Services for Mr. Ratliff, age 60, were held Sunday afternoon at Boyd, Wise County, Texas.



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representatives.
Two constitutional amend-
ments and a bill to do the job
are being sponsored by Reps.
Ben Atwell of Dallas and Char-
les N. Wilson of Trinity.

EXECUTION STAYED
Carolyn Lima, convicted mur-

deress, still is scheduled to be-
come the first woman in Texas
to be executed.
Currently she is living on bor-
rowed time, since Governor
Connally has granted her the
customary 30-day constitutional
stay of execution.
Her "partner in murder,"
Leslie Ashley, also has been
granted a "stay" which has set
March 30.
The new execution date for
Miss Lima and Ashley were
convicted of murder in the slaying
of Fred Tomes, Houston real
estate dealer. Texas Court of
Criminal Appeals twice has
upheld the conviction and death
sentence.

RAPID PACE
Highway construction moved
along at a rapid, but not re-
cord, pace in Texas during

1962. State Highway Engineer
D. C. Greer says Texas is "on
schedule" in the interstate pro-
gram.
He particularly notes, how-
ever, that Texas is building its
mileage at about 60 per cent of
what the cost per mile in other
states has been.
Sprawling interstate systems
and unique bridge projects high-
lighted the year for the Texas
Highway Department.
Eighty-one new interstate
miles were built in the state,
bringing the total now open to
traffic to 1,895 miles.
Texas' target is 3,000 miles
by 1972, Greer says.

AG RENAMED
Maj. Gen. Thomas S. Bishop
has been re-appointed Adjutant
General of Texas by Governor
Connally.

Brig. Gen. James D. Scott al-
so was renamed assistant.
REDISTRICTING PROPOSED
Dallas County will get Texas'
23rd Congressman if the 9-man
Dallas House delegation has its
way.
All three Democrat and six
Republican House members
have joined in introducing a
bill to redistrict the state.
Their proposal would split the
county into two congressional
districts along the north-south
line which now divides county
commissioner precincts.
CONSTITUTION REVISION
Rep. Carl Parker of Port Ar-
thur says he will handle in the
House a measure creating a 40-
man commission to study re-
vision of the Texas Constitution.
A similar measure, SB 31, has
been introduced in the Senate
by Sen. A. R. Schwartz of Gal-
veston.

BAR OBSCENE FILMS
A bill to prevent showing of
obscene films in Texas has won
the approval of the Senate State
Affairs Committee.
Measure, sponsored by Sen.
George Parkhouse of Dallas,
would place censorship restric-
tions on foreign films and films
traveling across state lines, two
film types now unrestricted.
GOVERNOR HIRES 55
Governor Connally has so far
employed 55 persons.
They range from key staff
personal to domestic help at the
mansion.
A staff aide said the present
total of full and part-time
workers is less than the previous
administration's.
He also noted that the office
is "not yet fully staffed."
There are new faces at nearly
all desks but most have worked
in and around the capitol in
the past.
SENTENCE THROWN OUT
Court of Criminal Appeals in
Austin has reversed a 25-year
sentence for murder.
A Harris County district court
had found Hoover Small, a leg-
less Houston resident, guilty of
murder with malice in the
shooting death of his wife.
The murder weapon could not
be found.
Appeals court's opinion said
Small could not get down the
steps of his apartment to dis-
pose of a weapon without aid.

VOTER REGISTRATION
Annual voter registration has
been proposed in the Texas Sen-
ate by Sen. Tom Creighton of
Mineral Wells.
Bill was filed in anticipation
of poll tax repeal this year or
next.
Senator Creighton is chairman
of the interim Committee on
Texas Election Law Study. His
bill is said to reflect the com-
mittee's recommendations.
TEXAS CRUDE USE
Texas refineries may have to
buy three-fourths of their crude
oil within the state.

**Research Proves
Bench Leveling
Profitable Here**

Does bench leveling of irri-
gated land with 2 and 3 percent
slope pay? James C. Valliant,
associate water engineer at the
High Plains Research Founda-
tion, says it does. In Research
Report No. 55 issued in January
1963, it is shown that three year
results on both cotton and Grain
Sorghum planting on benched
land paid off in comparison
with sloping land at the Founda-
tion.
The returns from bench-
leveling are three-fold. They are
(1) increased yield; (2) de-
creased water usage; and (3) saving
valuable soil from eroding while
building up soil fertility.
The difficulties of early bench
leveling were that the benches
were frequently not of uniform
width for equipment use, point
rows were numerous and border
maintenance was difficult. The
benches at the Foundation were
constructed parallel so that four-
row equipment could be used
and point rows could be elimi-
nated. A new bench border
maintainer, used for the first
time in 1962, apparently solves
the problem of border mainte-
nance and border weed control.
The use of these modern meth-
ods has paid for the cost of con-
structing and maintaining ben-

ches and farm profits have in-
creased over a period of years.
The three year average profit
in grain sorghum on benches
over sloping land was \$22.69
per acre. On cotton the three
year average was \$21.39 per
acre. Capital loss from soil ero-
sion on sloping land is far great-
er than many realize.
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cultural practices, time of irri-
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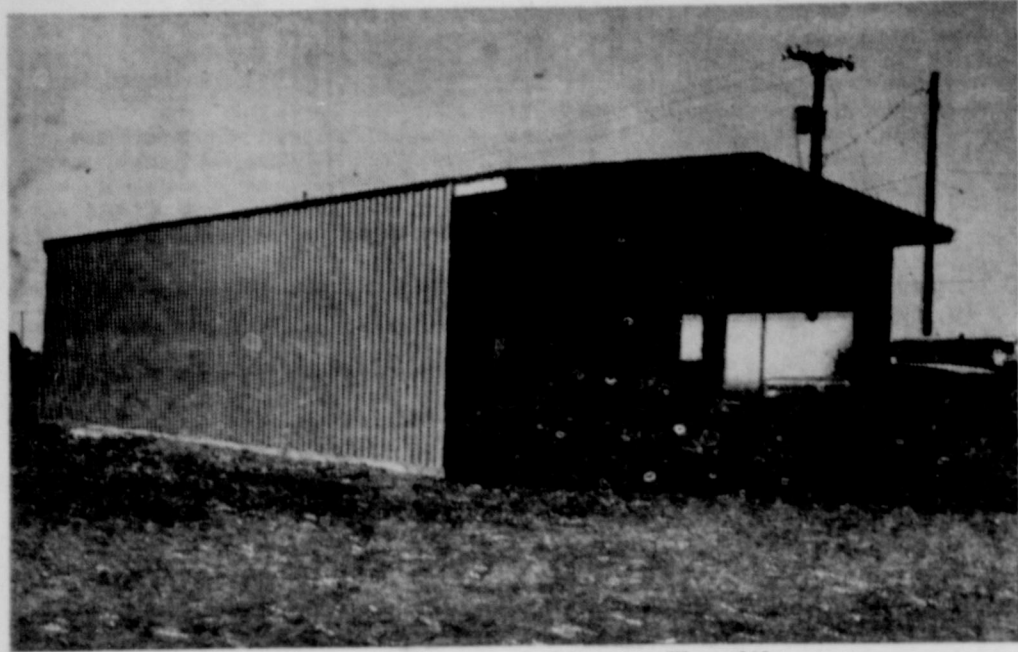
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Slaton Man's Kin Dies in California

A. H. Warren, 68, brother of J. A. Warren of Slaton, died January 23 at his home in Montebello, California.

J. A. Warren attended the funeral held January 26 in Montebello. A. H. was reared at Hollis, Oklahoma, as one of seven sons of the late Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Warren. He and his family moved to California in 1941. Surviving are four girls and one son, all married and living in Montebello.

Five surviving brothers are J. A. of Slaton, Drew and N. W. of Hollis, R. H. of Lubbock, and Lee, Duke, Oklahoma. All the brothers, with exception of Drew, were able to attend the funeral. A nephew, James Warren of Muleshoe, also attended.

Mothers March Doubled Funds In MOD Drive

Three hours of intensified solicitation by volunteers in the "Mothers' March" netted \$415.15 Thursday evening to wind up the Slaton March of Dimes activity conducted throughout the month of January.

Some 40 workers, many of them members of the sponsoring Centrettes, the Athenians and the Catholic Daughters, called on Slaton residences between the hours of 5 p.m. and 8 p.m. on the March date.

Total MOD funds raised locally aggregated \$830.13, according to announcement by Mrs. Wayne Banks, chairman of the Centrettes committee in charge of the program. Containers placed in business houses accounted for \$25.14; a bake sale brought in \$50.50, and the FHA Little Sisters and Big Sisters raised \$339.34 in a one-day activity schedule.

DINNER FOR PASTOR

A basket dinner was held Wednesday, January 30, in St. Joseph's Hall honoring the Rev. Tito Sammut. A purse was presented to him as a going-away gift. Rev. Sammut had temporarily filled the post of pastor of St. Joseph's Church here.

COMING EVENT

The Young People of Westview Baptist Church have scheduled their Sweetheart Banquet for Friday at 7 p.m. at the Slaton Clubhouse.

Mrs. Thornton's Services Today, Baptist Church

Funeral services are scheduled today in Slaton for Mrs. Ida Fife Thornton, mother of former Colorado Governor Dan Thornton.

Mrs. Thornton, 79 years of age, died Monday night while visiting in Houston. A native of Mississippi, she recently had made her home in San Diego. She and her husband, the late Mr. Thornton who died in May, 1960, moved to the Slaton area in 1921 where he farmed near Posey.

Services will be at 2 p.m. today in the First Baptist Church. Rev. Charles E. Wood officiating, assisted by Rev. J. T. Bolding of Lubbock. Burial will be in Englewood Cemetery under direction of Williams Funeral Home.

Surviving are five sons, Dan of Colorado; Clarence, Bakersfield, Calif.; K., Bakersfield; T. G., El Cajon, Calif.; and Hollis, La Marque; one daughter, Mrs. Lucy Dally, Lemon Grove, Calif.; and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS deaths from flaming crashes are increasing at an alarming rate in Texas, per cent increase, deaths and 42 injuries during the six-year period and

WHEREAS proposals before the Texas Legislature require trucks carrying explosives or inflammable stop at unprotected grade crossings; and

WHEREAS Texas is only three states that to the old "slow down" horse and buggy other states have "STOP - LOOK - LAWS" for vehicles carrying dangerous cargoes; and

WHEREAS such a measure would helplessly laughter at train-truck crashes in crossings in communities throughout the State - public train-bus crashes usually eliminated by the of stop laws for those

NOW, THEREFORE RESOLVED that the hood of Railroad Lodge No. 892 meeting at Slaton, Texas, 27th day of January, wholeheartedly endorse Bill 67 by Sen. Frank of San Antonio, and 293 by Rep. Ben Tjler, and calls upon of the Texas Legislature particularly those from to support these amendments designed to needless killings at crossings.

ATTEND BROTHER'S FUNERAL

Mrs. W. L. Davis announced the funeral for the late Mr. W. L. Davis, 65, of Slaton, Texas, who died at his residence on numerous occasions before Monday.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson announce the birth of a girl, Annette Christine, Tuesday morning at the Hospital in Lubbock, weighed in at 7 lbs. Grandparents are Mr. Frank Kitten and Mrs. Rudolph Schwertner of Slaton area.

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