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All Out Effort to Stamp Out Polio Climaxes with Sunday Innoculation

PUBLIC FORUM

Acting upon the premise that information is better than possibility of mis-information, that all the facts of an proposition should be known before action by the public, the Slaton Jaycee organization is sponsoring a Public Forum tonight for complete airing of pros and cons of city hall construction in Slaton, (2) costs, bonding program, etc., and (3) needs for, or advantages of, the new quarters.

The open meeting has been called for 8 o'clock p.m. in the second floor courtroom of the city hall. John Schmidt, chamber of commerce president, will be moderator, with a panel present to give a direct and qualified answer to questions that might be posed. Mayor L. O. Lemon will be joined on the panel by Bob Davis representing the city fiscal agents, and by a member of the Haynes & Kirby architectural firm.

Jaycee president Bill Ware is most emphatic in urging the public to attend this discussion, following through in expressing their desires, whatever they may be, at the polls on August 14th. Only a full turn-out at the forum meeting will assure a fair airing of the proposition; and only a full turn-out at the polls will express the true wishes of Slaton taxpayers, Ware concludes.

Slaton School District Budget Hearing Scheduled Monday Night

Proposed budget for the 1962-63 operation of the Slaton Independent School District will be up for study this Monday evening, with a public hearing scheduled at that time. Interested parties are invited to attend the session convening 8:30 p.m. at the school business offices at 300 South 9th Street.

No drastic budget alterations are anticipated, school officials state. Because of evident increase in enrollment as noted in the Slatonite last week, structural cost proposals have been set at \$433,900, that being \$9,400 above this expense in term.

However, total proposed expenditures indicate a decrease of \$20,989.00, a '62-'63 estimate of \$647,715.00 against the previous year cost of \$668,704.00.

Decrease in capital outlay for buildings and equipment will materially affect the overall picture, with a suggested \$53,000.00 comparing with \$190,000.00 of last year.

Rites Held Here For Mrs. Hestand

Funeral services for Mrs. W. B. Hestand were conducted Wednesday morning at 10 a.m. in the First Methodist Church of Slaton.

Mrs. Hestand, 84, died Monday morning in the Starlight Rest Home in Center Point. She was born December 1, 1878, in Savoy, Texas, and was married in Bells, Texas, to W. B. Hestand.

Mrs. Seel Injure In Wreck Tuesday

Mrs. Leva (Gus) Seel, 71-year-old Slaton resident, was hospitalized at Mercy Hospital Tuesday after being involved in a car-truck collision some three miles northwest of Slaton on Highway 84.

Mrs. Seel was reported in hospital personnel to be well late yesterday. The accident occurred shortly before noon Tuesday when a '54 Ford driven by Mrs. Seel was struck from the rear by a semi and gravel truck belonging to Byrd Sand & Gravel Co. and driven by Olton Everett Byrd, Jr.

The rear end of the Seel car was extensively damaged, with minor damage reported to the truck. Both vehicles were traveling southeast, according to the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Lubbock County Farm Labor Wage Rates Clarified by Commission

Mexican nationals (braceros) employed in hoeing cotton in Lubbock County must be paid a minimum of 70c per hour, according to a telegram sent the Slatonite this week by Tracy C. Murrell, regional director of the Texas Employment Commission.

The telegram read, "Wage finding effective July 26, 1962, Lubbock County; Hoeing cotton — mixed crews — men, women and children 50 cents per hour. Hourly rates less than 70c are not applicable to Mexican contract workers".

Richard Bunting, manager of the Lubbock office of the Employment Commission, has elaborated by explaining that braceros must be paid as much as any American citizen working on the same job, and the citizen must be paid as much as the Mexican national laborer. However, Bunting added, where the two groups are not employed together, no wage controls are present to affect the citizen worker. The 50c wage mentioned in the telegram, Bunting explained, is only a figure garnered from wage surveys made locally. Mexican nationals "must" be paid a minimum of 70c in any event, he concluded.

Hail, Wind Take Toll In Hackberry Gin Area

Light rain covered much of the Slaton area late Saturday evening with heavy hail damage inflicted to crops in the Hackberry gin vicinity 12 miles south of Slaton.

T. W. Bryson, manager of the Hackberry gin, surveyed hail damage in that area, estimating at least 400 acres of good cotton hauled out. About seven farms were affected in the storm that commenced near the Robert Mock rental farm just southeast of the gin about 1 1/4 miles, damaged the crops at the Arthur Stolle place and continued west some three miles to the vicinity of the Van Foster home. Though the hailstones were small, extremely high winds accompanying the rain and hail completed the damage.

Brilliant electrical displays accompanied the rain Saturday throughout the area. The city rain gauge measured .9 inch, according to report of George Willis, city water superintendent. Minor electrical damage was inflicted in Slaton, with one street light circuit being knocked out of commission for a short period, and some fuses were blown.

Coming Events

- Thursday, August 2: Rotary Club, noon at clubhouse; L. A. to B. of R. T., 10 a.m., at Legion Hall.
- Friday, August 3: Senior Citizens Club, 10 a.m., at clubhouse.
- Sunday, August 5: Catholic Daughters, 2 p.m., attend the church of your choice.
- Monday, August 6: Ladies Auxiliary, Firemen; 7:30 p.m.; Daughters of the Pioneers Study Club, 8 p.m.; Centurettes, 7:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, August 7: Athenian Study Club, 7:30 p.m.; Lions Club, noon at Bruce's Cafe; L. S. of B. L. F. & E., 9 a.m., at Legion Hall; School Board, 7:30 p.m.; Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m.; First Christian Church basement.
- Wednesday, August 8: V. F. W., 8 p.m., at V. F. W. Hall; Bluebonnet Club, 2:30 p.m.

QUIET WEEK FOR POLICE
Extent of vandalism in Slaton this week was reported by Chief Gene Martin as only one incident, theft of the receiver from the pay phone booth at the northwest corner of the Slaton city square.

"Stop Polio Sunday"

Whether this effort and this date will be marked as the victory milestone in the local fight against the ancient crippling disease, or whether all the work and planning will be chalked off as merely a nice try — all this depends upon how residents of Slaton respond to the opportunity that is theirs for the asking.

John Schmidt, chairman of this Community Oral Polio Vaccine endeavor, said this week, "The Rotary Club, the Jaycees, the Lions Club and a score of individual workers have done everything we can think of to further this cause. I cannot imagine any excuse that anyone could have not to get this vaccine Sunday in Slaton. We are equipped to serve 8,000 applicants. . . all we can do now is urge your participation".

All citizens from age 6 weeks and up are eligible to turn out at the West Ward School this Sunday between 1 p.m. and 6 p.m. to receive their first dose of the highly-recommended Sabin oral polio vaccine. To speed up the gigantic operation, the public is asked to fill out the registration forms beforehand, whenever possible. A copy of the form is found on a full-page ad elsewhere in this issue of The Slatonite. The form should be clipped, completed and brought to the school Sunday. However, forms also will be available Sunday for those unable for any reason to fill them out beforehand.

The actual operation is simple: Those who have filled out registration forms beforehand can drop them off at the school, pick up a cube of sugar on which the vaccine has been dropped, let it dissolve in their mouth, and be on their way.

The August 5th immunization is the first in a series of three other dates to be announced later. Completion of the three oral doses is said by authoritative sources to provide permanent immunization, no boosters being required. Even if the individual has had the Salk vaccine treatment in the past, he is urged to take the new oral dose. No injections are made, no pain is experienced; the vaccine can be administered to infants by dropper, spoon or paper cup. Older children and adults can drink a mixture or eat a cube of sugar on which the vaccine has been dropped.

The Slaton Rotary Club is sponsoring first of the immunization sessions, the later two administrations to be under direction of the Lions Club and the Jaycees. These civic-minded organizations are underwriting cost of the program, and no charge is assessed to the public. However, donations of a 25c minimum will be welcomed at the school Sunday to help defray the expenses.

One resident, in a statement to the Slatonite this week, said, "Only last month I paid \$4 for one of these doses. I cannot imagine anyone falling to avail themselves of the free program, even donating substantially to the cause".

Lubbock County has an opportunity seldom before presented to a community, to take another step towards completely eliminating poliomyelitis, publicity chairman Ellis Schmidt states.

Since the introduction of the Salk vaccine in 1955, the incidence of polio has been cut back sharply. But even one case of a crippled child, or too many, Schmidt pointed out. Salk vaccine is a killed virus vaccine. Although three types are combined into one vaccine, four shots are given over a period of 9 to 15 months. With Sabin oral vaccine, each type is given separately by mouth, four to eight weeks apart. This vaccine works fast, usually within a week, laboratory officials point out. The oral vaccine acts to produce an intestinal barrier against poliovirus as well as antibodies in the blood-stream. Thus, it is expected that the vaccine will help prevent vaccinated persons from carrying the disease as well as help protect them against poliovirus.

Lubbock County health unit nurses will be present Sunday at the school, and the vaccine will be administered by a physician.

Absentee Voting Deadline Aug. 10

Absentee votes for the August 14th Slaton city hall bond election may be cast until and including Friday, August 10th, according to announcement by City Secretary J. J. Maxey.

Ballots already are on hand, and the absentee votes may be cast at the office of city secretary. Eligible voters in this election are defined as anyone having rendered any type property for taxation, and who is otherwise a qualified voter.

Amendments Outlined

In this issue of the Slatonite there appears the full text of seven of the Constitutional Amendments to be voted on at the upcoming General Election (Nov. 6). So that the public is fully informed, we urge study of each proposed measure in its entirety.

A brief digest of the 14 proposed Amendments follows:

NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (HJR 25) — Provides Workmen's Compensation Insurance for the employees of all political subdivisions.

NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (SJR 9) — Raises the limit on use of state funds to assist needy aged, needy blind and needy children from Forty-seven Million Dollars (\$47,000,000) to Fifty-two Million Dollars (\$52,000,000).

NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (SJR 22) — Permits creation of hospital districts in Ochiltree, Castro, Hansford and Hopkins Counties.

NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT (HJR 46) — Provides for a State program of acquiring conservation storage facilities in reservoirs.

NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT (HJR 51) — Creates hospital districts and limits their power.

NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT (HJR 36) — Authorizes retirement, disability, and death benefits for elected and appointive officers and employees of counties and political subdivisions who have served in such capacity for twelve (12) years or more.

NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT (SJR 13) — Insures continuity of state and local governmental operations in periods of emergency, resulting from disasters caused by enemy attack, by providing for the prompt and temporary succession to the powers and duties of public office, except members of the Legislature.

NUMBER EIGHT ON THE BALLOT (SJR 7) — Establishes a ceiling of Two Million, Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$2,500,000) per year on the amount that may be paid out of state funds for assistance payments to the totally and permanently disabled.

NUMBER NINE ON THE BALLOT (HJR 70) — Authorizes the construction, equipping, maintenance and financing of a home for the aged in Titus County and permits the Legislature to authorize the creation of two (2) hospital districts in Brazoria County.

NUMBER TEN ON THE BALLOT (SJR 12) — Permits state employees to serve as consultants or on advisory committees, or as members of a Public School Board, provided they are not members of the teaching profession, with a state agency or any political subdivision thereof.

NUMBER ELEVEN ON THE BALLOT (SJR 25) — Authorizes resale of repossessed lands in the Veterans Land Fund, to any buyer, after having been first offered for resale to veterans.

NUMBER TWELVE ON THE BALLOT (SJR 19) — Delegates limited zoning powers to any county bordering on the Gulf of Mexico or the tidewater limits thereof.

NUMBER THIRTEEN ON THE BALLOT (SJR 6) — Provides that taxes or bonds previously voted in any Independent School District, major portion of which is in Dallas County, shall not be abrogated, canceled or invalidated by any change in boundaries and authorizes the continuation of the levy of taxes after such change without further election.

NUMBER FOURTEEN ON THE BALLOT (HJR 32) — Provides for trials de novo on all appeals from actions, rulings, or decisions of administrative or executive agencies of government.



A new hybrid crop? A dwarf pine or a giant asparagus? It's your pick, but if you finally conclude that it is a half-and-half carefree weed, you'll be correct.

Thelma Davis of the Midway community across the canyon from Slaton brought the evidence into Slaton via pickup truck last week-end, and is shown here displaying it to LaWanda Perry, Slatonite employee.

Davis claims that the weed came from the field of neighbor John Smith, who actually is a very good farmer; other witnesses claim for a fact it came from their own lawn or field. Chances are, however, that the noxious plant was brought from Florida where they are reported this year to be of giant proportions.

Moral: Things are sure mixed up. The big weeds have come west, the cattle have gone east, the Republicans have come south and the Negroes have gone north. These changing times!

(SLATONITE PHOTO)

Second glance

By JOHN H. KING II
J. D. Barry called The Slatonite office this week to ask how much the patients at Slaton, confined to the Santa Fe Hospital in Albuquerque, enjoyed and appreciated the Slatonite being sent to them there.

Barry also told us that Mr. Barry recently underwent eye surgery and continues to be a patient at the Santa Fe Hospital in Albuquerque. We wish Mr. Barry a speedy recovery and hope he is back on the job soon.

Seven of the fourteen proposed constitutional amendments appear in this issue of The Slatonite. We urge you to read them carefully and study them thoroughly before you vote for or against them in the General Election, November 6. Remember, please, the defeat or passage of these amendments will change your state government. YOU leave the responsibility of deciding if you want these changes or not.

Just a personal observation but it seems to me that the folks work harder at rest than they do at their jobs.

EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

Observations and Potpourri

No Saturated Press for Us

Upon scanning the front page of a well-known daily newspaper this morning, we suddenly were awakened to the appalling fact that five of the six articles on the front page were releases from government bureaus or were stories about government services, investigations, controls, projects and theories.

Only other "story" on the page was that of a murder. Now why are so many dailies monopolized by government "news"? It conceivably could be one of three reasons:

(1) Bureau publicity agents are doing a stellar job of convincing the press of the importance of their particular mission.

(2) These are the tidings the public wants to read, preferring such to the old-fashioned headlines of people and events in the several walks of life.

(3) Government is now so big that every facet of our existence is contingent upon information from "higher up", that we may be a good, law-abiding, loyal and conforming proletariat.

We do not like any part of the trend of government-spawned items taking over any news publication. Continuation of the practice can prove only one thing: — the bigness of a power-happy hierarchy.

Thank goodness we are publishers of a hometown weekly paper, one in which we feel people still like to read about the deeds and accomplishments of people about us, our neighbors and children, wholesome and good news of the familiar institutions of our community.

Last week the Slatonite had 21 front page news stories, not a one of them sensational for sensationalism sake; not a one was dictated by any individual or bureaucratic entity.

For better or for worse, the Slatonite still is an independent paper with its ownership and employees dedicated to the task of providing local news in an impartial manner. . . a family newspaper. We are proud of this responsibility, and we jealously guard our right to keep the Slatonite wholesome and independent.

Until the time arrives when we know without doubt that the public prefers the printed details of government guardianship on one hand, of tragedy and rape and carnality on the other, we'll continue to provide a balanced, if dull, paper you can hand your children without apologizing or blushing.

We are "agin" it! Indications now are that imitations threaten to replace the cow.

Take a look on the grocery shelves and you'll see what we mean. . . imitation milk. . . imitation whipped cream. . . desserts of a sort. . . and a special coffee "cream"

Could be that our grandchildren will never have the "pleasure" of lifting bossy's hoof from the milk pail or swatting her aromatic tail from their eyes! We have a fond memory of childhood days when we thought we had problems — all dissolved when bossy came ambling into the stall with a new-born calf. . . how pleased dad was with a heifer calf, but so upset when it was a scrawny Jersey bull.

So much for shades of yesterday.

A penny will hide the largest star in the universe if you hold it close enough to your eye.

During the past decade of record building, especially in the housing field, mortgage debt in the nation has almost tripled. Texas is reported by statisticians to be led only by California in the amount of mortgage financing through life insurance companies. Mortgage financing outstanding with the life insurance firms has increased 566 per cent since the end of WW II.

Evidently a lot of other folks also live on mortgage row.

Page Bruce's . . . we've heard of a restaurant sign that reads, "What foods these morsels be".

One of the hundreds of press releases sent to weekly newspapers and loosely labeled as "news" proclaims that expert writers and many businessmen believe that our standard of living will become lower instead of higher.

Now you can find many businessmen or many people in any category who will agree with anything you say, so we fail to be impressed by such quotations.

But we can see how a businessman might prophecy lower standards of living — it could happen to you and to us if the give-away practices of our government continue to the point where the "emerging" nations are financially assisted to the ultimate detriment and even breakdown of our own economy. It could happen — but only so if the American people are so smug and indifferent as to let it occur.

How far down this road have we travelled?

Now we don't want to hear any more disparaging remarks about our alleged IQ. We have unimpeachable proof on the status of our intellect, to - wit:

A high school homemaking textbook comes out with the assertion that a person's enjoyment of food rises in proportion to his intelligence.

Have you ever seen us eat steaks, potatoes and cream gravy? And fried chicken?

We'll never again be concerned about our IQ.

Then there's the assertion that very few persons ever tell the truth to someone with money. How come and what for? Any plausible explanation escapes us if this be true. What's your comment?

THINGS ARE GOING TO THE DOGS

My granddad, viewing earth's worn cogs,
Said things were going to the dogs;
His grandad in his house of logs,
Said things were going to the dogs;
His grandad in old Ireland's bogs,
Said things were going to the dogs;
His grandad in his old skin togs,
Said things were going to the dogs;
There's one thing that I have to state



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Notes from Neighbors: Events and Opinions



From the Exchanges of the Slatonite

The professional classes had better look out. There's a new group, educated by mid-20th century methods, knocking at their doors.

Janel Snodgrass says she is expecting her medical degree any day from "Good Housekeeping". Probably doing her internship watching "Ben Casey" and "Dr. Kildare".

After a few more installments of "Perry Mason" "The Defenders" and "The Verdict is Yours", I'm sending my wife down to take the state bar exams. — From the Crosby Review

Washington last year siphoned into its expanding activities more revenue (\$1.4 billion dollars) than ever before in this nation's lifetime.

It poured out more dollars than have ever been spent before, except during the last two years of World War II when our all-out effort for war reached a peak. Fiscal '62 spending of 87.7 billions is a round figure of \$474 out of your personal pocketbook — and the pockets of all other Americans who are supporting their government. (And a lot of us are paying more than this to make up for those supported in whole, or part, by welfare.)

To complete the picture there have been 25 deficits in the past 31 years, and the national debt has rocketed from 11 to 300 billions. This does not include other fiscal obligations which make the best guess of our All-American owings some 1 1/4 trillion dollars.

Still worse is the dangerous shift in spending from local and state sources to distant Washington. In 1730, state and local governments spent 8 billion dollars, the federal government only 3 billions. Now, total local, state and federal expenditures approach 150 billions — and Washington's overall spending is two thirds of the total. In other words, local and state governments have multiplied their expenditures 7 times — but federal multiplication has been more than 30 times.

Since 1914, when a few Americans began paying income taxes, the nation's population has increased 80 per cent — the number of tax returns has risen 17,000 per cent.

The answer? Impress your representatives in Washington with language strong enough to end these deficits and to return the money, and the power to collect and spend, to the people and to local and state governments which they can control more closely than the sprawling octopus on the Potomac.

— The Dallas Morning News

Orbital High Jinx. . .

Improved communications, we seem to have been on a highway to international understanding. On the other hand, has been noted that hell is paved with good intentions. The world's first commercial means of bounding word from continent to continent, seems likely to prove treacherous.

Fifteen hours after its launching from Cape Canaveral, the high orbiting AT&T satellite went on test, sending messages, still pictures and live TV from Earth Station Andover, Me. to Washington and other US points. Reports of their reception by ground stations in France. It was wonderful, agreed all concerned, except it had not been planned to try trans-Atlantic broadcasts.

But the bigger surprise came next evening when the satellite was launched with an East to West broadcast of the first entertainment program via outer space. Though it was, here was Parisian nightlife on American soil from Brooklyn to Beverly Hills — while Britain had snorted over France's "breach" of the Eurovision as a joint Telstar broadcast July 23.

Two hours and forty-eight minutes later, however, the satellite's next trip around, the two continents were reconnected. It will always be an England as a BBC announcer stated that Telstar was bouncing a LIVE show over the Downs in Cornwall — in which three officials discussed the technicalities of this "major step in communications." It won't be in picture quality — but many viewers thought they were leading in sex appeal.

Thus we can hope that international amity may be in the coming days so that we may look forward to production by the members of the European Broadcasting Union and our own three broadcasting systems on the 24-hour French show lasted but eight minutes before Telstar's range in its 16,000 mph transit of the high heat theoretical broadcast limit is 18 1/2 minutes, the satellite was warned against using long words. — From the Associated Press

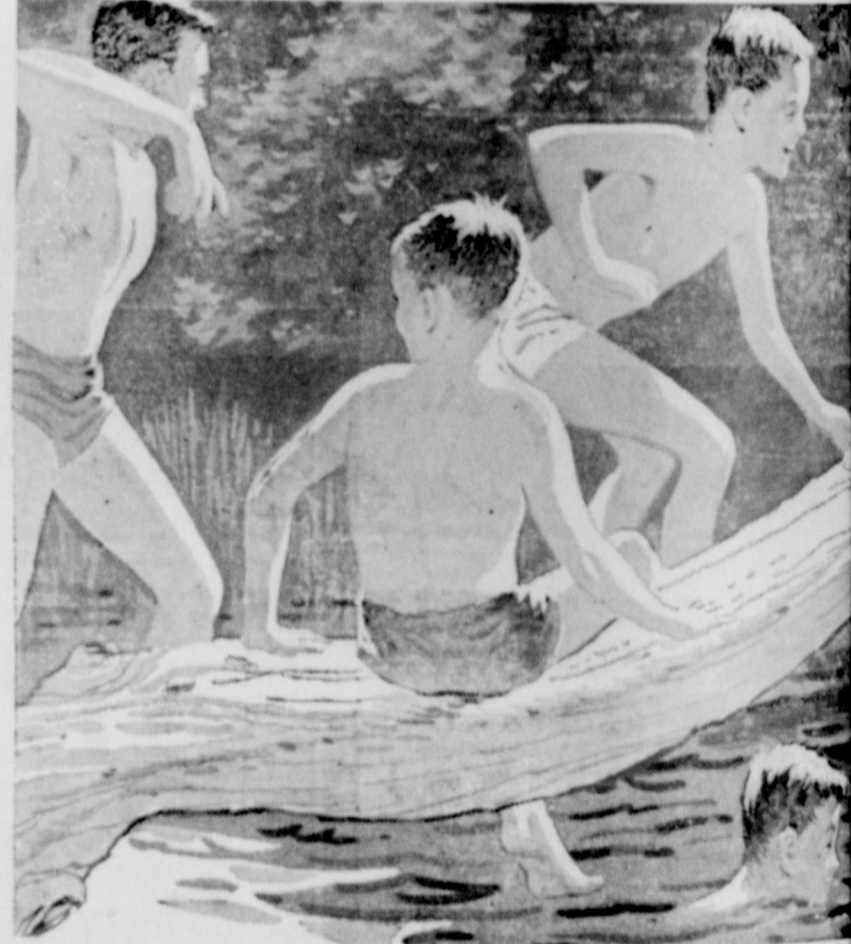
Mr. and Mrs. Joe P. Holland and Terri Anne and Joey spent a recent weekend visiting Mrs. Holland's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ayers, and other relatives.



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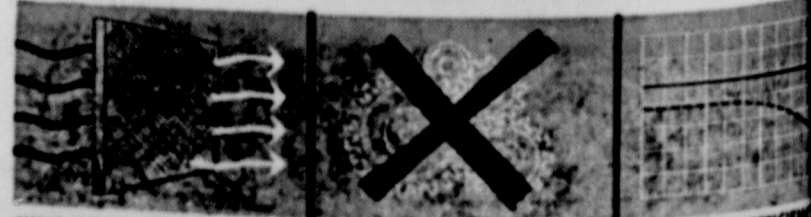
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Scout Program Cited by Rotary

Byron Johnson, scoutmaster of the Baptist-sponsored Troop 125 in Slaton, addressed the local Rotary Club last Thursday, outlining the summer activity of Slaton scouting.

Troop 125 was formed only last October, and since that time the members have participated in a camp in New Mexico mountains and have engaged in numerous other outdoor and character-building activities.

Johnson told of unique experiences at the mountain camp wherein the boys weathered hail, snow and rain without any of them becoming ill or finding it necessary to call home.

Scouting programs, Johnson continued, are most instrumental in development of individual responsibility, with the camps

Local Writer With Boulder Students

Martha Sue Oats, Rt. 2, Slaton, is among about 100 writers and writing students attending the 29th Writers' Conference in the Rocky Mountains at the University of Colorado through Aug. 10.

Eight professional writers are leading the conference, according to Dr. Margaret Robb, conference director and CU professor of speech and drama.

Leaders and the workshops they teach are: Marguerite Henry and Marian Place, juvenile writing; Mildred Walker, the novel; Rolfe Humphries, poetry; Edwin L. Peterson, short story; John Bakeless, non-fiction; and Lorus J. and Margery Milne, science writing.

placing emphasis on duty to God and to one another, self reliance, and appreciation of the outdoors.

Wayland Secures German Teacher

A new international flavor will be added to the faculty at Wayland Baptist College this fall with the addition of Friedrich Horlacher, instructor in German and Latin, who comes from Germany, according to Dean Robert G. Collmer.

Mr. Horlacher will replace Gary Garner, instructor in languages, who is on leave to do doctoral work at the University of Colorado with a fellowship granted by the Texas Baptist Education Commission. His leave extends to August, 1963.

Mr. Horlacher, a native of Ulm, Donau, Germany, is now doing doctoral studies at the University of Tubingen in the English language with special work in American literature. It is this study that has interested him in coming to the United States to teach and to continue research toward his dissertation on the life and work of the American, Robert Herrick. He has passed his examinations and now lacks only the completion of his dissertation.

EVANGELIST PREACHES AT HIS HOME CHURCH

Rev. S. Raymond Snoot, Baptist evangelist of Slaton, is in Fannin County this week conducting a revival at Windom, place of his birth and church of his first pastorate. He led in a dedication service there Sunday for the new remodeled and refurnished church.

H. T. Swanner was a recent business visitor in Monterrey, Mexico.

Wilson News

BY MRS. FLOYD BARTLEY

Delayed from last week:

Thursday night Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Gumm and John T. and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Kaatz, Betty and Sue of Lubbock, had an ice cream supper with the Edwin Martin family.

Stanley Baker of Meadow spent Friday night with his uncle and family, the E. B. Gumm.

Karen Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Martin has been very sick this week with tonsillitis. She is doing better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Adams of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Coleman and Mike went to Ruidoso for the weekend.

Dean and Dale Coleman of Dallas have been spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Coleman. Their dad, Malcome Coleman came Monday to take them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gauge and Jackie of Tahoka spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Follis and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Follis visited in Hurlwood Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Glascock, where Mrs. Glascock is recovering from a minor operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Proffer, Danny, Susan and Joe of Paris, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Brockman of Levelland spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nelson. Monday, Mr. Proffer and Brockman, and the children went to Carlsbad Caverns.

Mr. and Mrs. Dowden Koeninger and girls spent Saturday and Sunday in Hale Center visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Koeninger.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Robertson of San Antonio visited this week with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wuensche and sons. Mrs. Robertson is Mrs. Wuensche's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Church and Mrs. Tommy Harkey and Gary went Thursday to visit Mr. Church's brother, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Church of Olton.

Ira Clary was in Lubbock Sunday visiting with his brother Ivan Clary who is in the hospital there.

Mrs. H. C. Fountain spent Sunday in Tahoka with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tunnell.

Venita Kyzer spent Sunday in Slaton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Deavers.

Lynda Heck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Heck left July 13 for Houston where she will visit for 2 or 3 more weeks with her uncles, Mr. and Mrs. James Brock, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brock.

Mr. John Heck is reported in the same fair condition in the Baptist Hospital in San Angelo. He was visited Saturday morning by his three sons, Floyd of Wilson, Henry of Plainview, and Herman of Lubbock.

Mrs. Floyd Cannon of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cook and Mrs. John Heck spent Sunday with the Floyd Hecks.

A pink and blue shower was given Monday night at 7:30 in the First Baptist Church educational building for Mrs. Robert Christopher. Decorations were in pink and white and the hostess gift was a large diaper bag. About 25 guests were present.

Visiting this week with Mrs. Willa Wakeland is her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Kirtley and grandson Bruce of Austin.

The regular bridge club met Thursday for a luncheon at the home of Mrs. R. L. Kahlich. Members include: Madames A. L. Holder, Roger Blakney, Lawrence May, Charles Baker, David Ste, R. L. Kahlich, Weldon Meador, and Miss Pat Standefer.

A meeting of the Young Women's Auxiliary was held Monday night in the home of Miss Pat Standefer for an ice cream supper and mission study book.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ray Steen and family had lunch Monday with Mrs. Katie Nieman.

Rev. and Mrs. Roth and family of Seguin visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Jake Mueller.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Melugin, Terry, Lynda and Troy attended the double ring ceremony of their nephew Odis Bradshaw and bride, Donnie King, at Muleshoe, Thursday, July 19. It was held at the First Baptist Church.

The Luther League met Sunday night in Mackenzie Park in Lubbock for a tri-league ice cream supper. Those attending were from St. John Lutheran Church in Wilson, Slaton, and Posey.

Valton Maeker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Maeker, is attending a two week speech workshop at Texas Tech. He won the scholarship by placing first in competition at the State Interscholastic League meet in Austin.

SPECIAL SERVICE The consecration of the new First Methodist Church will be held August 19. They are to meet in the old church and all go to the new church together. The District Superintendent will speak at the morning service. A cornerstone will be laid at 3:00 p.m., in a cornerstone service.

RAIN REPORTS From Monday, July 16 to Monday July 23rd. N. W. — Herman Wuensche — 3 and 2/10 inches; N. W. — R. E. Behrend — 1 and 7/10 inches; N. W. — Lloyd Anders — 2 inches; N. E. — E. B. Gumm — 6/10 inches; N. E. — Floyd Heck — 2 inches; S. W. — Roger Blakney — 1 1/2 inches; S. — R. L. Kahlich — 2 inches; S. — E. L. Blankenship — 4/10 inches; E. — L. A. Coleman — 2 1/2 inches; E. — Edmund Maeker — 2 inches; Town — 1 and 2/10 inches.

BIRTHDAY PARTY A birthday party was given Sunday night July 22 to celebrate the 21st birthday of Buddy Kaatz. Those present were: the families of Arthur Herzog, Herman Wuensche, Carl Gicklhorn, Byron Talkmitt, Miss Shirley Behrend, Miss Louise Menzel, Bobby Wied, all of Wilson.

The John Hewlett family and the Arnold Behrends of Lubbock.

The Munroe Noack family and Charles Limmer of Lamesa. BIRTHDAYS July 28 — Mr. J. F. Covey Charlotte Mears 29 — Barbara Roe A. A. Timert 30 — Jerry Bartley 31 — Kenneth Baker Mrs. Jim Brock August 1 — Rodney Crews 2 — Mrs. Jackie Bishop 3 — Shirley Morton Connie Moore

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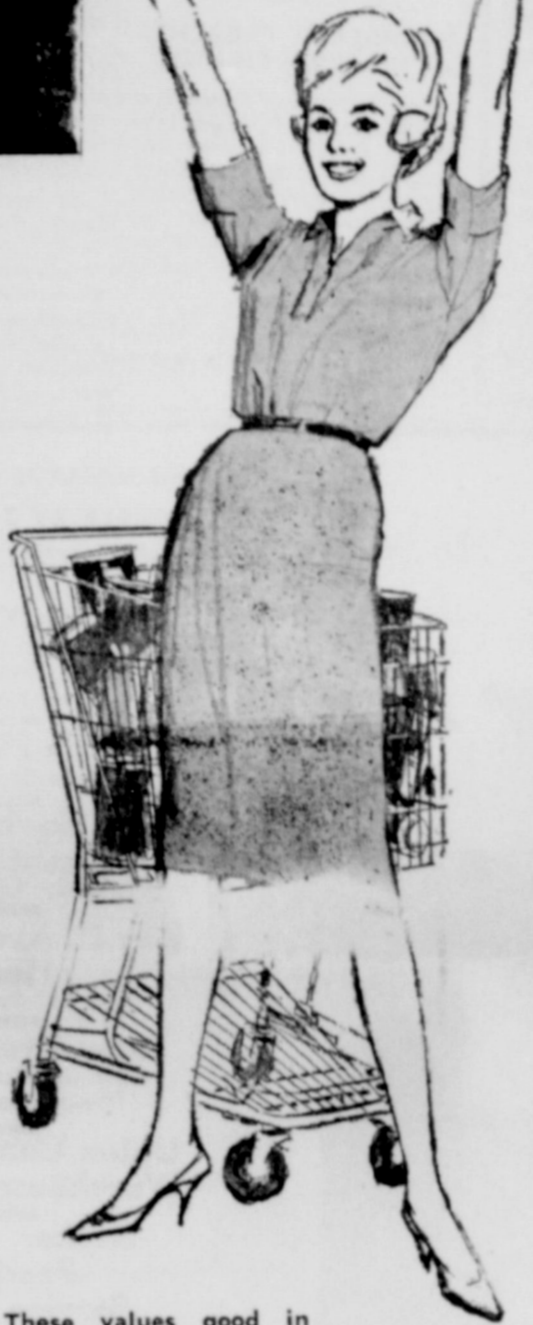
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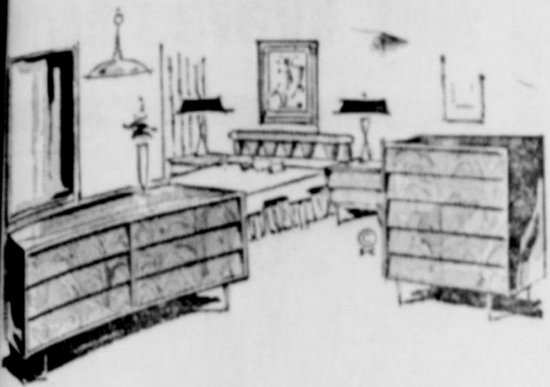
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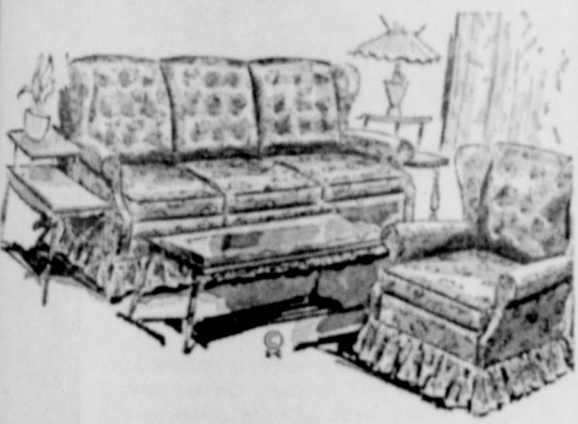
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SLATON, TEXAS

Old Friends

By J. J. Maxey

We were glad to see an old friend that came by the office last week, Sam Burnett, class of 1948, who is living in Lakin, Kansas now. It was good to reminisce with Sam since we helped to coach him in freshman football a long time ago. After graduation Sam went up to Coffeyville Junior College where he played under one of our buddies, Demp Cannon. Sam was very high in his praise of Demp, both as a coach and as a man. Sam teaches in Junior High School at Lakin and has had very good results with the Junior High athletic teams. He has been working on his Masters degree this summer and says it seems like he has been in school all of his life. He also gave me some news about his brother, Grady Burnett, class of 1946. Grady is also in the teaching and coaching profession and has been coaching at Canadian, Texas for the past five years. He will begin a tenure at Wheeler, Texas this fall. Many of you will remember the Burnett boys as hard nose football players. It seems that they coach the same way. Sam played here under Tim Tillery and when I told him that Biner Bin-ham was coaching here now he said, "Wouldn't it be wonderful to have Tim and Bing both here as coaches". In our opinion, Tim was the best defensive coach in this area and Bing the best offensive coach. Some times it is hard to get all of your eggs in one basket.

We note that one of our exes from the class of 1955, Harold Trout, has returned from the service. Harold has just finished three years with the Army (ASA) in Germany. Harold will return to Texas Tech this fall to finish his college education.

Among the week end visitors in Slaton were Joe Tucker and his wife, the former Carolyn Fondy, class of 1952. Joe and Carolyn are living at 4816 West 11th Street, Amarillo, Texas. Joe is employed as a salesman for U.S. Gypsum.

Your correspondents two daughters and their families were in Slaton over the weekend. Pam and Jerry Jones, class of 1953, and Paula and Mac Hildins. Paula was a member of the class of 1951. Pam and Jerry are living at 1407 Princeton, Big Spring where Jerry is business representative for the South-western Bell Telephone Co. Paula and Mac are living at 1101 East James Street in Monahan where Mac is managing the Savings and Loan Association. It is always a pleasure to have the kids home even for a short visit. It gives Mom and Pop a chance to play with all of the grand kids.

Gene Moore, class of 1948, was by the office this week. Bill is railroading out of Winslow, Arizona. Bill and his family were here visiting his mother, Mrs. L. J. Thorn, who has been in ill health for quite some time. Dorothy Jones, class of 1943, is vacationing in cool Colorado this week. Dorothy and a group of her girl friends are camping

CARD OF THANKS

We feel our inability as we attempt to thank our host of friends for their concern during the recent loss of our wife and mother.

To those whose words were kind and helped in so many ways; to those who sent food for our meals, and beautiful flowers; to the Methodist ladies who prepared for our kinpeople, and many more we may not mention, we say: "May God's richest blessings be yours".

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HEAR THE SATURDAY
NIGHT WEATHER. Chan-

and seeing the sights. I would imagine that she is getting as far away from a telephone as she can. Those paying dues since last week were — Hugh D. Young, Wayne Kirkpatrick, Jim Cherry, Gene and Bobbie Ann Moore, Fabian Stahl and Bill Thorn.

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