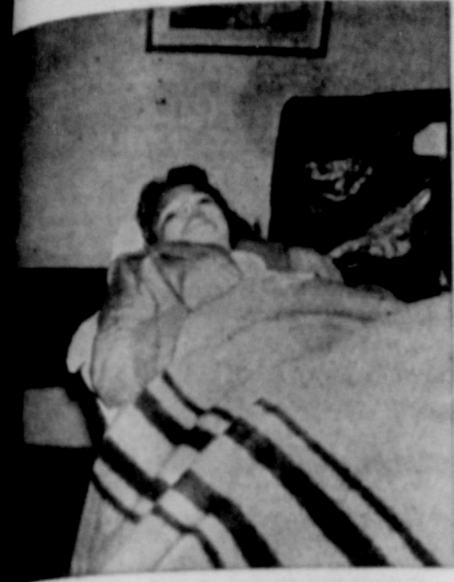


Units Are Tested in City-wide Civilian Defense Alert Practice



First "patient" in the 7 o'clock Slaton emergency that alarmed some residents Monday was Paul Trout, shown here being checked at Mercy Hospital by Dr. John C. Locke. "Patients" were tagged and directed to proper emergency wards or rooms.

Among the 20 high school students transported to Mercy Hospital Monday evening with simulated injuries were the two pictured here in an emergency ward, Carolyn Brasfield and Sheara Harris. Ambulances and cars rounded up the "patients" for rapid transit to the hospital.

Busy at the laboratory of Mercy Hospital during the Civil Defense practice Monday evening are Sr. Mary Carla, R. S. M., clerk; Sr. Mary Madeleva, R. S. M., laboratory technician; and Frances Flores, assistant laboratory technician.

...the "supreme test" of emergency operation during the Monday evening practice. The patient after stumbling on a curb and injuring his leg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Angle, was brought to the hospital by Johnnie Waters.

...emergency station receiving reports from all units within four minutes of the alert alarm. Within 30 minutes all functions had been completed and re-check had been made with the GHQ, reports Civil Defense heads Mayor Lemon, Luther Gregory and J. J. Maxey.

...Center of activity during the operation proved to be Mercy Hospital, where a capacity test was made via method of 20 high school students being transported to that point for immediate emergency care. Police tested traffic flow control at this location, and all doctors, the nursing and hospital staff joined in efforts that would have ap-

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Punt, Pass, Kick Contest Winners Given 15 Prizes

Fifteen local boys, ages 7 through 11, carried home enviable awards Saturday, resulting from winning in the local unit of the Punt, Pass and Kick contest staged by joint endeavor of the Slaton Motor Company and the Slaton Lions Club.

Scores of the local boys will be compared against those of other winners in the state for elimination in a plan that ultimately will be held Monday evening, November 12th.

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Public Auction Unclaimed Goods Set Saturday

A public auction, conducted by the Slaton Police Department, will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Site of the sale will be the city hall lawn, Chief Gene Martin reports.

Unclaimed property of considerable value will be offered. Included will be cameras, radios, guns, knives, etc.

Local Vote Trend Statewide



Lubbock Doctor Will Address Slaton P-TA

Dr. Pat Pappas of Lubbock has been announced as guest speaker at the monthly meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association to be held Monday evening, November 12th.

Dr. Pappas, who has exhibited an avid interest in governmental functions, will speak on the topic "Our American Heritage" at the session commencing at 7:30 p.m. at West Ward School.

Speaking several months ago before the Rotary Club here, Dr. Pappas was well received, and the P-TA officers are enthusiastic in urging full attendance at the Monday night meeting.

A musical program will be presented by students of Mrs. Perkins of the music department.

P-TA memberships will be accepted at the meeting, Mrs. Don Crow, president, states.

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POPPY SALE Contest Is Close; Finish Line Near

Only one repeater qualified among the top three in the Slatonite football guessing contest for the November 2-3 games, Jerry Burrell, the 1st place winner last week coming in third in the latest stanza of the 10-week contest.

H. H. White took first place honors, a position copped twice by his wife in earlier weeks, and Larry White, also a newcomer to the winning ranks, placed second.

Both the Whites picked all 15 game winners correctly, and Burrell made his only error in picking Lockney over Abernathy, with actual score being Abernathy, 26, Lockney, 8.

Several other contestants were pressing on the heels of the winners, several being eliminated by picking Plains over Seagraves.

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Slaton voters followed statewide trends in all race returns Tuesday, joining in the large turnout deemed the big news of this off-year election.

The local boxes, 26, 27, 28 concurred in county selections, with one notable exception: the locals favored John Connally in the governor's race 707 to 434 over his Republican opponent Jack Cox, while incomplete returns from Lubbock County favored Cox 10,900 to 9,659.

In the only local office up for decision, Commissioner of Precinct II, incumbent George Green tallied 516 votes against 355 for challenger Dub Williams.

Of considerable interest locally was the county-wide \$250,000 bond issue, presented on a small and separate ballot, to decide on purchase of voting machines. Vote count early Wednesday morning showed definite defeat of the proposal, near complete returns revealing 8,662 for the machines, 10,729 against.

Statewide voting on the 14

School And City Property Sale Is Proposed Here

The Slaton Independent School Board voted Tuesday night to sell property that the Slaton Independent School District owns jointly with the City of Slaton. Before the transaction can be completed the Slaton City Commission must also approve the sale.

Ceferino Salazar has offered the City and the School District \$600.00 for lots 5 and 6 in block 105 in South Park Addition. The lots are located at 7th and Murray Streets.

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Ex Servicemen To Meet Sunday Morn

The annual Slaton breakfast for veterans is slated for Sunday morning, Nov. 11, according to announcement of Luther Gregory, commander of Legion Post No. 438.

The affair will commence at 7 a.m., at the local Legion Hall. All Legionnaires and ex-service men are invited.

Today Big Day In Scout Drive

More than 125 Slaton residents have volunteered to help the Boy Scouts conduct its 1962 fund raising campaign which opens today, it has been announced by Ellis Schmid and Luther Gregory, General Solicitation Chairmen of the drive.

The Scout units of Slaton

expect to expand the program and enroll more boys than ever want to be Scouts.

Charles Barron is the Community Chairman for the drive. Barron is with the Santa F Railroad in Slaton.

Among those working with Barron in heading up the campaign are: Richard Evans, Dou Galassini, J. J. Maxey, Gen Martin, Hank Lasater and John Schmidt. Working with Schmid and Gregory in recruiting workers are Bland Tomlinson, De Kendricks, Barnie Greenfield, and Bill Ware.

The Scout Finance campaign opens today with a breakfast at Bruce's Cafe, it was announced by Schmid, Arrangements Chairman.

"The Boy Scouts of America is an independent national agency operating under a federal charter granted by the Congress of the United States in 1916 stated Mr. Merlin Derebery Lubbock, the District Finer Chairman. "In turn, the Santa F Plains Council receives the charter each year from the National Council of the Boy Scouts of America. We are responsible to it that every boy in 20 counties surrounding Lubbock is given the opportunity of joying the game of Scouting

Iron Benefit Game Is Tonite

and 130 lb. linemen battle it out. At presstime it was not known if an ambulance would be standing by or if a flatbed truck with mattresses would be provided.

Coaches Bingham and Kerr will try to keep the game in hand, pledging officiating at some level or other.

A goal of \$10,000 has been set by the Jaycees, President Bill Ware has stated, to provide for erection of bleachers on the west side to seat 1465 home fans and other field improvements.

The game tonight is first of the enterprises planned to augment the fund drive. Donations at any time will be welcomed by the Jaycees, their representatives report.

Advance ticket sales have indicated a record turnout at Tiger Stadium for this game. Halftime entertainment will be provided, with plans for the High School band to participate.

Rugged Foe Is Next for Tigers

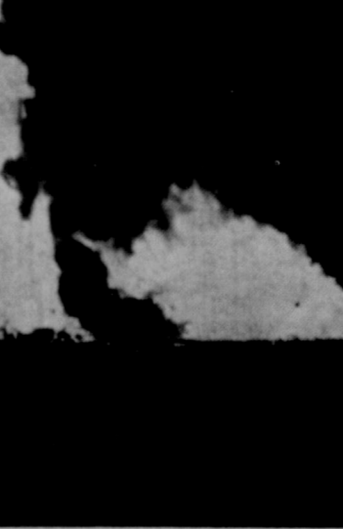
Slaton Tigers this week-end face undoubtedly their toughest competition of this season, or possibly any season, as they journey Friday evening to Denver City where they will engage the highly touted Mustangs.

The Denver City team with a season win-loss record of 8-0, and conference tally of 2-0, has been picked by numerous observers and sports writers to take the state AA championship. During the 1961 season this team emerged from district play with a 9-0 record, then winning over Crane 35-13 in bi-district, but bowing in regional play to Dalhart 6-29, for a year record of 11-1.

Denver City routed Freshup last week to tune of 66-6, while the locals succumbed to Spur 26-14.

Slaton was ahead at one point in the encounter of last week, forging forward early in the second quarter when end Keith White blocked a punt on the Spur 11 yard line, quarterback Bobby Drake scoring on a 1-yard plunge, and Steve Ball converting the extra point. The other Slaton points were garnered in the third quarter, with Ball making the TD from 13 yards out.

The play was set up by a pass interception and a 64-yard run by Ascension Perez. Ball again



An enthusiastic crowd, spirited school yells, a huge bonfire — this was the recipe Thursday night for fun galore as Slaton High School students whipped up added interest for the homecoming week-end, climaxed with the Spur game Friday night at which Charlene Kitten was crowned as homecoming queen. The bonfire was lit at a South 22nd Street location.

Pictured are Tommy Simmons and Karen Buxkember, designated as Mr. and Miss Flame. In keen competition, each class had vied to provide the most wood for the bonfire; first place honors went to the seniors, trailed by the juniors and freshmen in that order.



In Psalm 90 Moses speaks of the brevity of life. This Psalm was composed when the children of Israel were wandering through the desert.

Because of this the people had to wander in the desert for forty years. All those twenty years old and over when they left Egypt were to die in the desert.

Their forefathers, Abraham and Isaac, lived to be 175 and 180 years old respectively.

Now in the desert the average age limit dropped to three score years and ten and sometimes it reached fourscore years.

To properly invest our time, our talents and our treasures, we must above all things consider the brevity of life.

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F. A. Wittig, Pastor Immanuel Lutheran Church, Posey

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Underground Emergency Quarters Underway, Dept. Public Safety

Col. Homer Garrison Jr. has announced that ground has been broken for a \$630,000 underground state emergency operating center at the Texas Department of Public Safety.

The project, jointly financed by the state and the federal office of civil defense, will cover some 12,000 feet of floor space and will be capable of uninterrupted operation for approximately 30 days under "button up" conditions.

He said the new center will replace the existing state control center in the basement of the DPS headquarters where many natural disaster relief operations have been coordinated since 1954.

It is part of a long range program designed to increase the effectiveness of the civil defense effort which includes modernizing and expanding the DPS communications facilities over the state.

"Our experience in Hurricane Carla last year proved that our present facilities were inadequate to handle major disasters at peak efficiency," Garrison said.

The center is designed to provide safe facilities for the Governor's Council of Defense and Disaster Relief which is charged with the implementation and direction of the Texas Operational Survival Plan.

It is designed to provide maximum safety and protection to its occupants and equipment against the effects of air blast, thermal radiation, initial and residual radiation, including fallout, and of chemical and biological agents of warfare.

The center will be manned and operated on a 24-hour schedule daily at all times, providing monitoring service on all warning channels and will be maintained on a constant ready basis for full activation when impending or threatened disaster is evident.

The message center facilities will be used by DPS communications personnel in maintaining and operating the department's statewide police communications network.

The new structure will be large enough to accommodate approximately 120 persons, with dormitory facilities. It will be equipped with a kitchen, dining area, infirmary and office space for members of the Governor's Defense and Disaster Council and key personnel of the Department of Public Safety.

The center will have its own independent water supply from a well capable of pumping 500 gallons per minute, an independent fuel supply and auxiliary power for utilities.

\$13 Billion Filed As Texas Income

Texas taxpayers reported \$13.6 billion adjusted gross income on the 2,873,000 Federal income tax returns filed for 1960.

Income statistics, after allowance for deductions and exemptions, showed taxable income in Texas of \$7.17 billion.

Salaries and wages showed the largest dollar amount increase, with \$10.658 billion reported in 1960, an increase of 0.8 per cent over the \$10,575 million in 1959.

On a nationwide scale, Internal Revenue's Preliminary Report for 1960 indicates the vast change in taxpayers' adjusted gross income over the past decade. In 1950 only 14 per cent

of the returns had income over \$5,000. By contrast, of the 61 million individual returns filed for 1960, 42 per cent showed income above the \$5,000 level.

As might be expected, the bulk of the increase in income from

taxpayers reported nationally during 1960 came from salaries and wages, and it dwarfed the changes from other sources. Salaries and wages totaled \$257.9 billion for 1960, a \$10.5 billion increase over 1959.

Basketball Clinic Set at Plainview

Plans have been completed for the sixth annual Flying Queens Basketball Clinic to be held in Plainview November 10.

This girls basketball clinic, which started six years ago as a small local affair, has expanded so greatly that last year it was attended by sixty coaches and over 500 players from high school girls' teams all over Texas and in neighboring states.

The program followed at this instructional workshop is unique. It consists of short periods during which outstanding coaches using their teams or the Flying Queens give demonstrations of their ideas, techniques, and methods.

Coach Harley Redin and the Flying Queens will be featured in the clinic. The Queens and Queen Bees, the freshman team, will demonstrate fundamentals, ball handling, and actual game play in their own winning style.

Following the all-day instruction, four regulation basketball games will be played, featuring a game between two of last year's state champions, Sundown and Claude.

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According to Wilson, the same law applies to the Constitutional Party.

HIGH COST OF LEARNING

Tuition for Texas' 20 state universities and colleges may be doubled by the time members of the 1964 high school graduating classes are ready to enroll. Texas Commission on Higher Education decided to ask the Legislature to double tuition — from \$50 to \$100 a semester — and increase appropriations by 55 per cent during 1964-65. Commission approved a \$4,000,000 boost in the previously recommended biennial budget of \$162,000,000. Commission also recommended raising college presidents' salaries; and ordered its staff to remedial writing and reading

and tours from college curriculums.

Request for more money came after it was noted that this fall's enrollment of 110,000 students in 19 colleges was an increase of 9 per cent over last year, and the "war babies" will soon be knocking at the doors.

DEFICIT RISES

Deficit in the State's General Revenue Fund increased by almost \$13,000,000 during mid-October, according to a report from State Treasurer Jesse James.

On October 9, the State was in the red to the tune of \$41,250,349. By October 24, the deficit was \$54,074,283.

MAP PROJECT PUSHED

Absence of topographic maps of the entire state may be holding us back in the nationwide race for new industries.

At a meeting of the Texas Mapping Advisory Committee, Harry Clark, director of the Texas Industrial Commission, said that topographic maps are very necessary to industries considering sites here. Chairman John J. Vandertulp said the maps are essential to industrial and agricultural planning.

Topographic maps are those that show the physical features

of a region in minute detail.

When a mapping program of 73 counties is completed, Texas will be half-mapped.

ATTRACTIVE NUISANCES

State Health Department officials issued a warning against the use of arsenious acid containers for water bottles.

Field engineers recently found about 40 of the one-gallon size containers along the highway in Collin County. One had about one and one-half ounces of arsenic left in it — enough to kill more than 100 people.

Death of three members of a Josephine farm family was attributed to accidental poisoning caused by drinking water out of a container which had been used for cotton defoliation.

"These plastic bottles are attractive nuisances... and deadly," an official said.

RADIATION

DETECTION PLAN

An officer of the Texas Department of Public Safety soon should be able to help out at the scene of a radiation accident or incident anywhere in the State in about 30 minutes, Col. Homer Garrison Jr. announced.

A stepped-up training program in radiation detection which began on October 29 is expected to provide enough trained men to handle any emergency.

Officers who have completed the course already are driving vehicles equipped with a Geiger Counter to measure very low amounts of radiation, a mid-range survey meter, and a high-range meter.

Men also carry personal "Dosimeters" on their persons so they periodically can determine the amount of radiation they have been subjected to during the survey of an area in which radio-active spillage has occurred.

Department's also helping to train members of city police departments, sheriffs' departments, rescue squads and other groups.

HIGHWAY HOME HELP

Property owners and tenants who become displaced by Interstate Highway right-of-way acquisition now are entitled to help from district engineers of the State Highway Department.

In compliance with the 1962 Federal Aid Highway Act, people must give up their homes or property because of right-of-way acquisition can get relocation assistance.

Assistance will include listings of available rental and sale properties, referrals to services such as local housing bureaus and chambers of commerce, and similar advisory aid.

MOST SCENIC

Two Texas highways are finalists in Parade Magazine's Scenic Highway Award contest, and rank among the 20 "most scenic" in the U.S.

One is Interstate Highway 45, "The Way of the Pines," which runs through a wooded area southeast of Huntsville. The other is a section of F.M. Road 170, "El Camino del Rio," which traverses rough country along the Rio Grande between Lajitas and Redford.

A-G RULINGS

Sen. Louis Crump of San Saba asked the attorney general whether newspaper publication of a new State Constitution would be required before one could be adopted. "It would not," says Wilson.

A male juvenile, between 10 and 17, or a female juvenile, between 10 and 18, cannot be tried in a county court for negligent homicide in the second degree, Wellington County Attorney R. L. Templeton was informed.

A county court cannot commit a person to a mental hospital for temporary hospitalization for any longer than 90 days.

A school district which does not teach high school grades cannot cancel or annul the transfer of one of its resident scholars to a school district which provides high school grades.

JOB TRAINING OFFERED

A plan to discourage high school "drop-outs" and retrain adult workers was implemented when the Texas Employment Commission and the Texas Education Agency appointed an advisory committee to assist in carrying out the terms of the

1962 Manpower Development and Training Act.

Act, which became effective on August 1, was designed to provide occupational training in skills which can be learned in 52 weeks. Adult students who show satisfactory progress may be entitled to unemployment compensation while attending classes.

State Vocational Agency will arrange for facilities and instructors for local schools, but training will be under the complete direction of local educational systems.

Training programs for household appliance repairmen and for auto mechanics already are in operation, the former in Corpus Christi and the latter in El Paso.

CODE REVISIONS

Texas State Bar officers and directors have selected revisions in the Code of Criminal Procedure as number one on its 12-point legislative program for 1963.

Bar president Leon Jaworski said "There is particular need for criminal procedure reforms in our State."

Other proposals will include a statute regulating the execution of bail bonds in Texas, a Uniform Commercial Code, a Uniform Arbitration Act, and amendments to the Texas Securities Act.

Bar also will propose a constitutional amendment calling for the local option abolition of justice of the peace courts and replacing them with courts of record.

Legislature also will be asked to repeal acts of its last regular session making jury findings, instead of court findings, conclusive in custody cases.

ENFORCEMENT FUND

Railroad Commissioner Bill Murray says an enforcement tax of 1c per barrel of oil is not needed.

According to Murray there would be enough money for oil and gas law enforcement if the Legislature would allocate all the funds collected for the purpose.

His comments were inspired by the enforcement tax of 1c per barrel of oil recommended by the Gregg County grand jury.

Legislature authorized the commission to take \$300,000 a year from the gas utilities fund to supplement oil enforcement tax income.

Chairman Murray feels that the commission's main need is for 15 more inspectors, to supplement its staff recently bolstered by 15 men.

MILITARY DUTY RULING

State employees requesting another year of active duty with the 49th Armored Division can have their jobs back when they get out.

So says Attorney General Will Wilson.

He held that those staying on for another year "are entitled to restoration of state employment."

Many members of the 49th Division were recalled to active duty when the Berlin situation became tense last year. Most of the men were released in August. Some requested and were assigned another year of active duty.

NO WAITING

There is no longer a waiting list of applicants for land purchase under the veterans' land program, says Land Commissioner Jerry Sadler.

Sadler said that 70,000 veterans

were given land-buying opportunities the past 21 months.

Commissioner reported a backlog of 40,672 veterans on January 1, 1961. Many of them had been waiting their turn for three years.

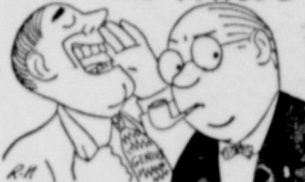
A total of 116,885 applications have been received since the program began operation in 1949.

VALUABLE MARKERS

Historical markers are worth their weight in gold according to the Texas Highway Department. Three tourist markers recently erected to mark significant historical sites are proving this.

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earns nearly its original cost in added tourist revenues each month. Original cost was about \$630 each. They will earn this cost ten times in a year. Each marker is credited with earning an average of \$17.55 per day. Markers — first of 25 to be erected during the next year —

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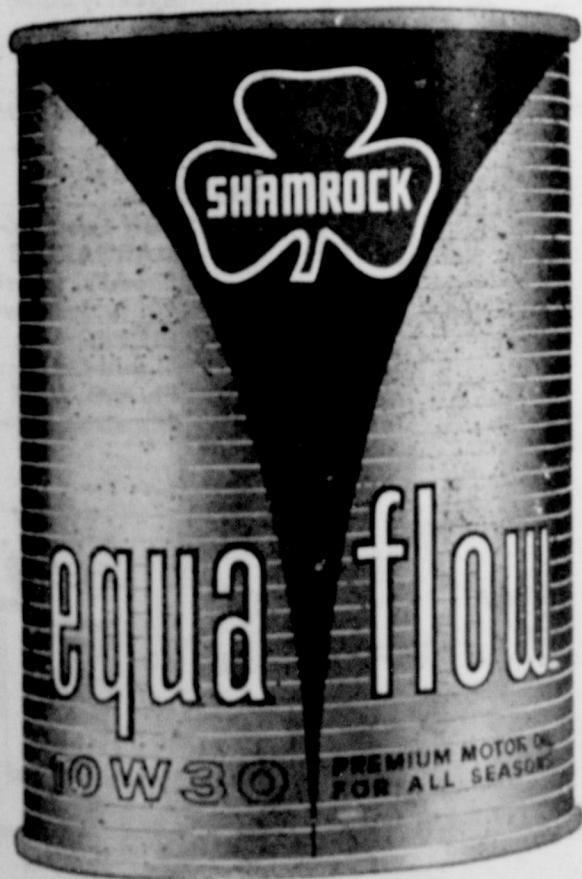
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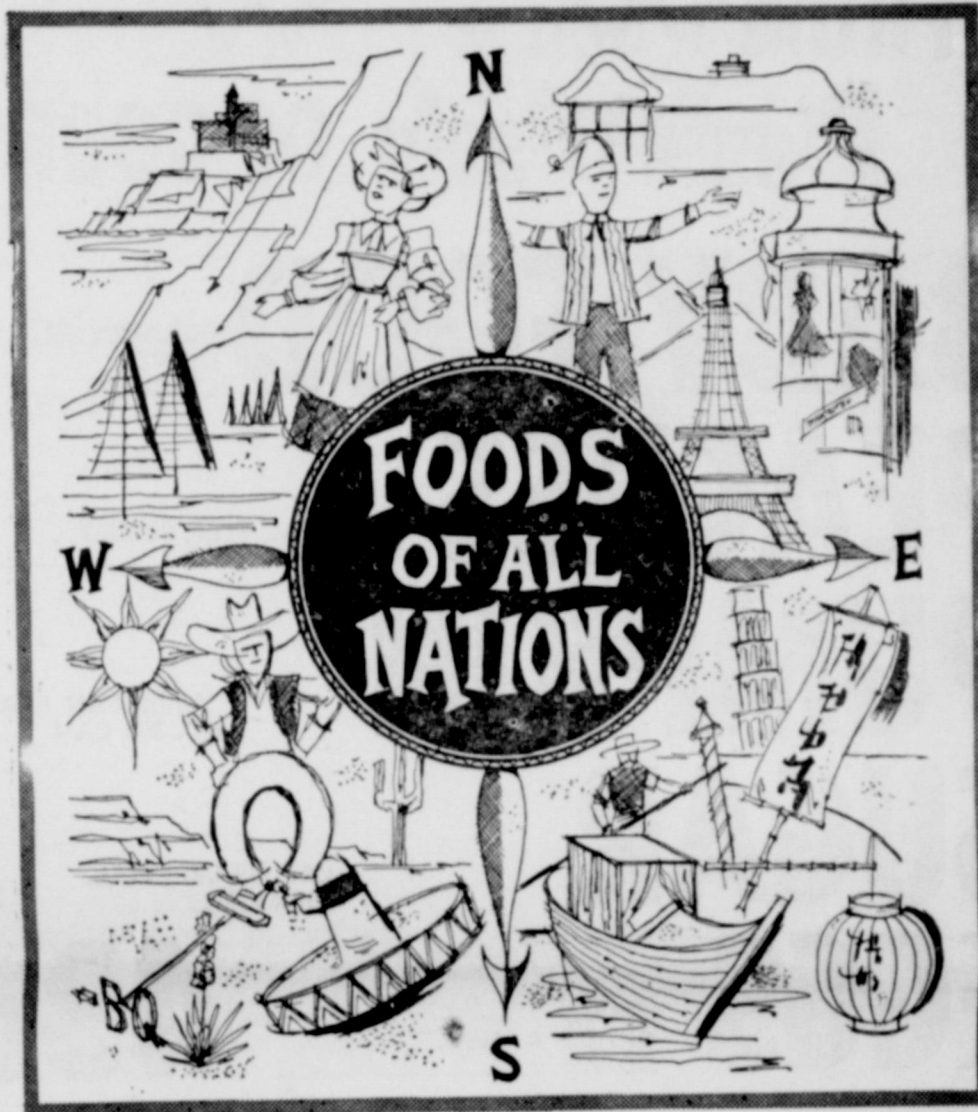
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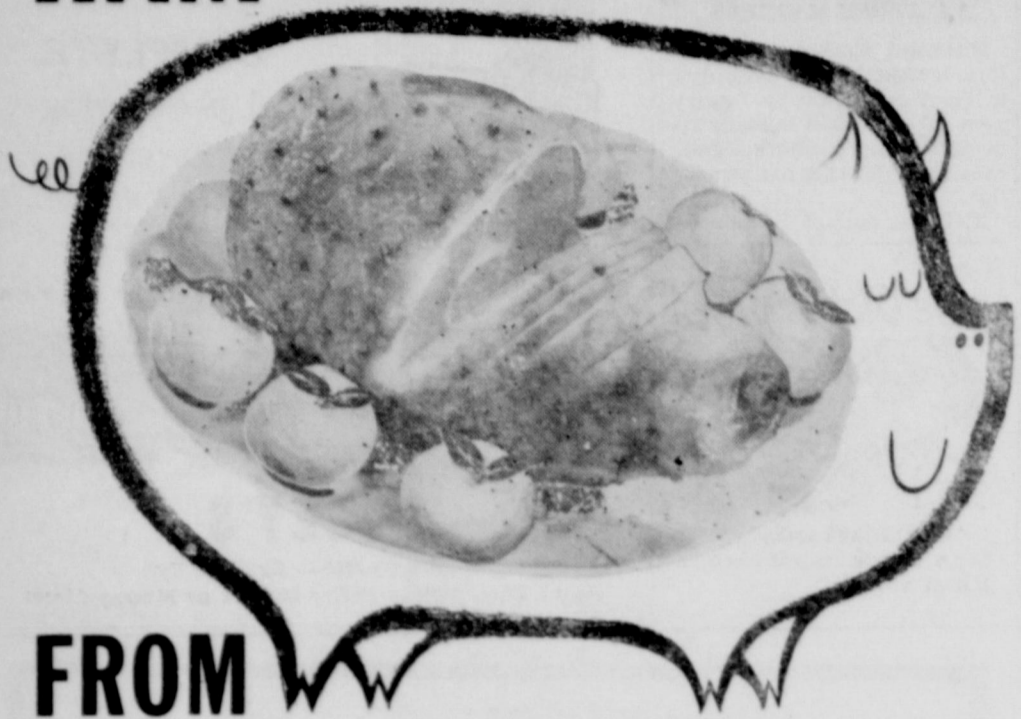
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(Special for the Slatonite)

By JUNE SPIKES

HERE AND THERE

Well, things are still perking around the Santa Fe Yards in spite of elections, Cuban crisis, Halloween, Bon Fires and Civil Defense which seems to have been the topic of many a conversation around the rail yards as well as Slaton for the last week or two. The Mechanical Department has recalled a number of firemen and the Trainmaster's Office is hiring some new men to work as brakemen and switchmen. The latest topic of conversation around the office seems to be the Football Game between the Slaton Exes and the JC's which is to be played Thursday night, November 8th, in an effort to raise money for a new grandstand at the football stadium. This game should certainly be worth seeing and is really for something we can use and enjoy. Dean Arthur was visiting around the Division Office this week - Dean used to be special officer at San Angelo but gave up his job with the Santa Fe and is selling Oldsmobile for Womble-Olds in Lubbock at the present time. He was looking for familiar faces from the 1930's and '40's. We were mighty proud to hear that an old friend got a promotion last week - Mr. Doyal Duncan, who was in Slaton for several years as Secretary to the Superintendent, has been made Traveling Car Agent in Mr. Baumgartner's Office in Chicago and Doyal and family will be moving to Chicago soon from Amarillo. John George, son of Conductor and Mrs. J. H. George, crowned Homecoming Queen Charlene Kitten at the Homecoming Football game with Spur, November 2nd. It was a very charming ceremony with the pretty girls, and the Band and the football boys.

Evans Hi Begins Basketball Play

Evans High School in Slaton commences its season of basketball play this week with the first home games for both boys and girls slated Friday night, as the locals engage Levelland visitors.

Both boys and girls A and B teams will play. Starting time is 7:40 p.m., according to Coach Don G. Jones, and the games will be played in the Junior High School gymnasium. The public is invited to attend.

Coaches of the Evans teams are Robt. L. Armstrong, Jr., Jones, and Chas. Alexander.

On Saturday the Evans teams will play Sweetwater teams here, followed by more local engagements on Tuesday of next week when they will play host to Olton.

The season schedule is found elsewhere in this edition of The Slatonite.

Visitors Feted At Salad Luncheon

Mr. Hank Bush of Corvallis, Oregon, was honoree Monday at a salad luncheon in the home of Mrs. Jean Edmonson, 240 N. 12th, in Slaton. Mrs. Hobart Trimpa was co-hostess for the covered dish affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Bush are on a trip that has taken them to Phoenix, Ariz., and they are here visiting her mother, Mrs. Beryl Gunter.

Attending the luncheon were Mesdames Weldon Meador, Joe Miles, Ted Swanner, Earl Ebbelen, W. D. Cooper and Carlton Tumlinson.

Mesdames Bud Englund, Henry Jarman, Billie White, June Spikes, Beryl Gunter, Dorothy Jones and Hobart Trimpa.

Wolverines Win Season - Opener With Floydada

The Evans High Wolverines opened their 1962-63 basketball season Tuesday night with a 61-52 victory over the Della Plains Hornets from Floydada, in a game played at Floydada. Nathaniel Quincy, Wolverine captain, led all scorers with 24 points. Elmo Curtis and J. L. Quincy scored 12 and 11 points respectively. The victory was won by a great team effort as eight players broke into the scoring column.

SICK LIST

We are always sorry to report when anyone is sick, but I always hate to be the last one to know when a friend is ill so maybe I could have sent a card or visited or something. Fireman C. E. Corley is hospitalized in St. Anthony's Hospital, Amarillo, Texas, after having a heart attack while he was here between runs. Hope he will improve in a hurry and be home

THANK YOU St. Joseph's Altar Society wishes to thank everyone for coming out to the Turkey Dinner of last Sunday which was a very big success. 4-1tc

Box Supper Set By FHA and FFA

An FHA and FFA-sponsored box supper has been announced for Thursday, November 15, at 6 p.m., location the Catholic Hall.

All faculty members, their wives and husbands, are invited, together with FHA and FFA members.

Ladies are asked to bring a box supper for two.

Award Winners Told at Opening Of Gift Gallery

Formal opening of the Gift Gallery, 135-A S. 9th in Slaton, was held Saturday, with scores of guests viewing the diversified stock of specialty gift items and registering for the prizes announced.

Gift certificates were awarded as follows: Nell Sartain, \$30; Velma Haglen, \$20; Nancie Walton, \$10; and \$5 each to Dean Gilliland, Rose Kahlich and Marinell DeVries. Stuffed toys were prizes for Vicky Nowlin, Diane Heinrich and Charles Sherrod.

Stadium Fracas Results in Fines

Fines collected in Slaton Corporation Court during the first six days of November have averaged well over \$100 per day, according to records of Judge Luther Gregory, with \$790 collected since Nov. 1, \$405 of this resulting from week-end activity alone.

Arrests have included two for vagrancy, three vandalism, 27 drunk, six disturbance, four of possession by minor, and one of abusive language to a peace officer.

Fines were paid by four individuals charged in "disturbance and destruction of private property" after an affair at the local football stadium Friday night.

Lynn McCruiston, R. D. Clause, Bob Talley and John Wayne Ferguson paid fines and were released to Lynn County where other charges were pending from an affray at Wilson.

Howard Wright, teacher in the local schools, reported that five men approached his car at the ballgame, harassing, cursing and using other abusive language, reportedly striking Richey Polk who was in his company. This and other incidents led up to arrest of offending parties.

-WEATHER-

Table with 2 columns: Day and low, and readings. Thursday 64-56, Friday 68-45, Saturday 62-40, Sunday 74-36, Monday 64-43, Tuesday 72-46.

Coming Events

Thursday, November 8 Boy Scout Finance drive to be conducted.

Jaycee-Slaton Exes to play Stadium Benefit football game at 7:30 p.m. at Tiger Stadium. Masonic Banquet, 6 p.m. V.F.W. Auxiliary, 8 p.m., at V.F.W. Hall. Rotary Club, noon at clubhouse

Friday, November 9 Slaton Tigers play at Denver City in last game away from home. Senior Citizens Club, 10:00 a.m., at clubhouse.

Sunday, November 11

A welcome awaits you at the church of your choice.

Monday, November 12 American Legion, 7:30 p.m. Rainbow Girls, 7 p.m. at Masonic Hall. Knights of Columbus, 8 p.m., at St. Joseph's Hall. City Commission, 8 p.m. P. T. A., 7:30 p.m., West Ward School.

Tuesday, November 13 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.

Wednesday, November 14 Jaycee, 8 p.m. Home Demonstration Club, 2 p.m. Bluebonnet Club, 2:30 p.m.

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SEPT. 14	IDALOU	THERE
SEPT. 21	TANOKA	HERE
SEPT. 28	ROTAN	THERE
OCT. 5	CROSBYTON	HERE
OCT. 12	LOCKNEY	HERE
x OCT. 26	POST	THERE
x NOV. 2	SPUR	HERE
x NOV. 9	DENVER CITY	THERE
x NOV. 16	FRENSHIP	HERE

X Conference Games



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ANDREWS	MONAHANS
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Observations and Potpourri



Notes from Neighbors: Events and Opinions

Members of The American Legion at recent national convention of that body in Nevada, and more than one has gone out to tell the Slatonite of the address, "An Address" delivered by J. Edgar Hoover

Mr. Hoover, director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, has emerged as one of the men of this generation; his perception of America's needs has increased his service far beyond the agency which he has served for so long.

From his Las Vegas address, passing on his thoughts for thought that is worth digesting: "Everywhere must be prepared today to be counted — either for or against freedom."

An idealistic Nation — a Nation ruled by men. Yet, each year shows new records of crime and lawlessness. "The 100 years ago, Edmund Burke warned, 'The necessary for the triumph of evil is for good to do nothing.' How meaningful these words are

failed to meet the postwar goals which were established for herself because the "good" Burke referred to — the forces for decency — have failed in many respects to their duties and responsibilities. "What happened to the time-honored precepts of fair play which influenced the formative years of the Republic? Where is the faith in God which sustained us through our past trials? Have our national conscience, our sensitivity to filth and

grown so weak that they no longer react upon our proud heritage of freedom? "The States today because, and only because, of a dangerous flaw in our Nation's moral armor. — the principle of pleasure before duty — practiced across the length and breadth of the Nation is undermining those attributes of personal integrity and self-discipline which are essential to survival. It is creating citizens who reach for a warped sense of values and an undependable

is a parasite, feeding upon public disinterest and lethargy. This day, more than 5,200 felonies are committed every minute — will be committed in the United States. They will include 430 crimes — murders, forcible rapes, and assaults to 250 robberies, 10 an hour, will be recorded. 4,500 burglaries, major larcenies and auto-thefts.

1946 our national crime totals have more than doubled. Over the past five years, since 1957, crime has risen five times as fast as our growth. "There has this increase been more pronounced among America's youth. Last year, persons under 18 years of age were involved in 43 per cent of all serious crimes. They accounted for 22 per cent of the robbery arrests, nearly one half of the burglary arrests, and well over half of automobile accidents throughout the United States.

heavy toll of crime, both juvenile and adult, is the product of self-indulgence and irresponsibility. There is a pattern of flight from responsibility. "It is tragically true that many otherwise intelligent persons have a blind spot with regard to the conduct of their children. Until there comes about a greater understanding — real interest, concern — we will witness a continued increase in juvenile crime.

There must be a moral reawakening in every home. Disrespect for law and order is a tragic crime. Benjamin Franklin said, "Nothing is of more value for the public weal, than to train... in wisdom and virtue. Wise and good men are the strength of a state; much more so than armies or arms."

Business sadism can be stopped only by a concerted action on the part of everyone connected with enforcement and our judicial processes. We must stiffen laws and a more stern policy toward convicted individuals. "When the interests of justice and consideration for the welfare of society are buried under an avalanche of decisions which give violators of the law the privileges that destroy respect for the law and public safety.

When technicalities have been permitted to prevail, our penal codes which have been employed exclusively for the benefit of that small minority of lawyers — criminals who use any tactic, no matter how unethical, to defeat the interests of justice. "When our parole boards are being influenced by technical theorists — conference room "experts" — without experience in the arena of action

temper justice in the American judicial system. Leniency was never intended to become a reward for repeating offenders. Mercy can be hazardous when they are wasted on those who exploit them. "Responsibility for the wave of lawlessness now sweeping the Nation and the continued existence of crime is which crime and corruption flourish, lies with the American people. The public, by its attitude and its lethargic acceptance of the law, has helped create an atmosphere conducive to the insidious growth of underworld ac-

There is a sinister partner in promoting the breakdown of our moral standards. This partner is international communism — an aggressive and atheistic force which controls one third of the world's population, one fourth of her land surface. The barbaric empire now stretches from the Wall of China Sea, from Asia's Mekong River to the snowy Mountains of Cuba.

In our country, this international conspiracy is being led by a bold and defiant Communist Party dedicated to the destruction of our form of government. In the battle against communism, the United States must win and we will win. Let Khrush-

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shchev, Castro and Mao-Tse-tung recognize there is no force more powerful than the determination of a free and righteous people!

Let us not forget that whenever we have stood firm, communism has retreated.

From the moment the American Republic was conceived, our country has achieved its proudest moments in the face of adversity. Valley Forge, Belleau Wood, Guadalcanal; Pusan, Korea — these are proud names in the Nation's history, places where our fighting men have risen to heroic heights to overcome deadly enemies. Challenge, not compromise — victory, not defeat — these are words which have real meaning for true Americans!

We must assemble our strength — the moral strength endowed upon us by our Creator, the Author of Liberty. We must reaffirm our determination — the God-inspired determination to protect our freedoms and safeguard our democratic heritage at all costs.

In the heat of an all-out struggle with an alien godless ideology, this Nation needs all the prayers it can get. Prayer and devotion to our Creator are basic to American strength and courage.

"One of the hardest secrets for a man to keep is his opinion of himself."

If you don't say anything, you won't be called on to repeat it. — Calvin Coolidge.

Copied: Seven probable reasons stand out that prompts a woman to march resolutely into a store to buy something:

- (1) Because her husband says she can't have it.
- (2) It will make her look thinner.
- (3) It comes from Dallas.
- (4) Her neighbors can't afford it.
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Ralls Seeks Lake Road Paving

Members of the Commissioners Court of Crosby County left for Austin early this week to seek a paved road to the new White River Dam. An appointment with the State Highway Commission had been arranged for yesterday, Oct. 31.

The proposed road would leave FM 651 about 15 miles south of Crosbyton, skirt the L-7 ranch on the south and generally follow the dirt road recently opened to the dam site. It would cross the dam and also follow the new dirt road route into Spur.

Paving around the lake would be on the Water District property and any arrangements for paving would be made by the district, commissioners stated.

The group believes they will receive an answer from the Highway Commission, probably soon after the hearing. The state group, it is understood, usually cooperates in making lakes accessible by pavement.

A special allocation of state highway funds will have to be made before the road could be built. — Ralls Banner.

Courthouse Grant Is Asked

McClulloch County's application for a 50 percent federal grant to build a new courthouse — if the voters approve the project later — was to be put in the mail Tuesday afternoon.

A delegation was in Fort Worth Monday to get final instructions on filing of the application, and federal officials said the government "will let you know in 10 days whether the application is approved."

"We've been working from early to late on this thing," said County Judge Love Kimbrough. The application outlines the County's plans in great detail and required considerable research.

"After the application is approved in Washington, we'll give the people a chance to say whether they want a new courthouse."

The federal grant will pay 50 percent of the estimated \$500,000 cost, but the voters of McClulloch County will have to okay a bond issue to pay the other 50 percent.

The courthouse blueprints also include provisions for a fallout shelter in the reinforced concrete basement. In case of emergency it would provide shelter for 1,000 persons.

"We may never need it, but it would be there in case we do," Kimbrough said. — Brady Herald

Another \$10,000 for Scholarships

Horton Howell, Lockney, recently presented \$10,000 from the Howell family to President A. Hope Owen of Wayland Baptist College for a K. W. Howell Endowed Scholarship Fund. Since January, 1962, Wayland has received in excess of \$100,000 for its endowed scholarship fund, interest on which goes in amounts from \$200 to \$500 to entering freshmen who have rated high scores under the American College Testing Program. Donors of the K. W. Howell Scholarship Fund are the children of this pioneer couple who moved in 1919 to Brownfield from Hedley in Donley County. Donors include Weldon Howell, 2819 Crockett, Amarillo; Harlan Howell, 800 Harvard, Midland; Margaret Howell, Washington, D. C., who is on leave this year from the Department of Health, Education and Welfare to complete requirements for her doctorate at the University of California; and Horton Howell, Lockney. — Floyd County Hesperian

Don't Push the Panic Button

The current crisis with Cuba has brought civil defense and the fallout shelter back into focus.

The last crisis, a year or so ago, saw a boom to bust cycle in the shelter business. As long as folks were worried, they wanted to buy some protection. When the Moscow headlines tamed back down, most of the fallout shelter firms went out of business.

Now with the Cuban crisis, you might say, "Here we go again."

War fears scare a lot of folks more than others. Wanting safety and protection is normal enough, but folks should want it every day of every year — not just when the headlines blacken. How can these people forget so quickly when the crisis is gone, but they do.

Lack of preparedness is one of America's greatest weaknesses. And without a doubt, civil defense tops the list. The cost for real protection is tremendous. The government simply can't afford "to give it" to us. If we want it we've got to provide for ourselves.

Let's examine the problem in Post. The community has been inspected by experts and has no buildings feasible for conversion into public fallout shelters. There are only three or four private shelters in the entire community. Those were built during the last crisis.

It makes good sense for folks to go ahead with plans for family fallout shelters. They take time to build. They can be financed through FHA over 60 months.

The danger will ever be with us. When, and if, the bomb come they probably will be at a time chosen by Russia. There will be no advance warning. That is not the Red way.

The nuclear age is here and will be here through all the year ahead. We must take the long range outlook regarding it. There probably will be a lot of Cubas ahead. — JC — Post Dispatch

Doug Meador Says ---

Density of the human mind can be made pliable when well saturated with a few drops of natural ego, kneaded with a little flattery and cooled at room temperature on boards sugared wit conceit.

Meeting an old friend may be like opening the book of memory at a folded page and trying to unfathom the plot of life's drama with characters wandering in and out at will, written and acting their parts.

Never discount a man's veracity until he brags about his wife's cooking and household economy at the same time.

Most of us are immune from the problem that affects that man who has reached the top; he has no choice of directions to can go.

The malignancy of doubt is often present after a broken promise has been restored to apparent normalcy. —Matador Tribu

"Africans are difficult to understand," says a big game hunter. This doubtless is due to their being people.

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proposed constitutional amendments indicated clear passage of six of these, defeat of eight. Seemingly headed for adoption were amendment No. 2, welfare insurance; No. 3, hospital district in Ochiltree County; No. 7, emergency succession provisions; No. 8, disability payments; No. 11, veteran's land resale; and No. 13, Dallas school district.

As expected, the "Trial de Novo" 14th proposal appeared destined for defeat by more than 2-1 ratio.

Tabulation submitted Wednesday morning for the three Slaton boxes gave the following vote:

Governor: Connally — 707; Cox — 434.

Lt. Governor: Smith — 667; Hayes — 308.

Attorney General: Carr — 867; Kennerly — 306.

Congressman-at-large: Pool — 739; Barry — 436.

Railroad Commissioner: Ramsey — 902; Hanson — 266.

Comptroller: Calvert — 870; Smith — 252.

Land Commissioner: Sadler — 906; Fay — 261.

Agricultural Commissioner: White — 886; Hubbard — 284.

Congressman: Mahon — 836;

Taylor — 344. State Senator: Blanchard — 899; Christi — 276.

Representative, Place 1: Quilliam — 832; Kissell — 280. Representative, Place 2: Adams — 838; Turner — 332.

Representative, Place 3: Parsley — 900; Lowery — 271. County Treasurer: Rieger — 886; Nalle — 283.

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appeared "for real" to any casual onlooker.

Minor defects in the operation were analyzed, and another practice alert is anticipated prior to tornado season for further development of smooth, orderly and efficient emergency measures.

Students submitting as patients during the practice were Betty McSween, Carolyn Brasfield, Sheara Harris, Larry Melcher, Jimmy Marriott, Barbara Vara, Mary Jane Alvarado, Eli Stockstill, Bobbie Ferguson, Larry Moeller.

Bob Van Meter, Len Dodson, Linda Dodson, Randall Warren, John Green, Wade Carter, Thomas Clements, Jimmy Duncan, Bobbie Harlan and Ronnie Henry.

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The poppy became immortalized in a poem by a Canadian soldier, Lt. Col. John McRae entitled, "In Flanders' Fields." Practically everyone is familiar with its opening lines: "In Flanders' fields the poppies blow between the crosses row on row."

The poppy as a memorial to our servicemen's sacrifices for the cause of freedom dates back of the years following the first World War. The American soldiers returning home in 1918 were familiar with the wild European poppies which bloomed on the battlefields of Europe.

All of the red crepe paper memorial flowers offered to the public each year by volunteer workers are made by veterans in hospitals and recuperation centers throughout the nation. Since the years following World War I the flower has become symbolic of the sacrifices all American servicemen have made in the nation's defense. Wearing a poppy on Nov. 10th will be your opportunity to remember them.

On Saturday, poppy sale centers will be set up at Slaton Drug, Teague Drug and Piggy Wiggly, according to the Auxiliary committee in charge.

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mately will send state winners to Dallas, and area winners with their parents to the National Football League championship game in Washington where a White House tour will be featured.

First place local winners in each of the five age groups were presented Saturday with warm-up jackets, blue in color with white leather sleeves. Second place winners were presented regulation football helmets, and third place boys were given regulation footballs.

Some 126 local boys entered into the local competition, and Bill Smith of the Slaton Motor firm, as announced the winners as follows, together with scores: Age 7: Stephen Taylor, 74; Craig Deans, 66½; Victor Lee Herrin, 63½.

Age 8: Ronnie Verner, 126; Robert Ethridge, 122; Lloyd T. Kitten, 102.

Age 9: Don Wayne Jackson, 127; Lee Wayne Clodfelter, 119½; John Taylor Jr., 112.

Age 10: Mike Melcher, 159½; Donald Heinrich, 142½; Lloyd Norris, 133½.

Age 11: Clifford Summar, 180; Alvin Roy Queen, 175; Jimmy Williams, 155.

Old Friends
By J. J. Maxey

One of our spies reported that she and several other Slaton Exes attended the tenth annual Y.M.C.A. dinner held in Lubbock on October 25th where another Slaton Ex, Stanley Brown, had been asked to bring the address of the evening. Stanley, class of 1943, has been connected with the U.S. Department of Agriculture for some time and has been living in Russia for the past two and one-half years. Stanley spoke on Agricultural conditions in Russia. He commented that the Russians do have quite a lot of heavy agricultural equipment but most of it is outdated according to our standards.

Exes attending from Slaton were Phil and Winona Brewer and Dorothy Jones. The speaker's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Reynolds, class of 1946, were in attendance from Midland. Mrs. Warren Tabor (Charlene Fisher), class of 1943, was present from Levelland. Bill Cherry, class of 1943, was also present from Amarillo.

The entire group of exes got together after the banquet and had a good session of exchanging experiences. Bill Cherry commented that some of the things that have been printed in the Exes' news letters are the things that some are trying to forget. All were strong for the continuance of the ex-students organization work. Everyone reported a swell time. It does one good to meet and talk with friends that have been further away than the county seat and can report on what is on the other side of the mountain.

Mrs. Henry E. Bush (Martha Ann Gunter), class of 1946, together with her husband were Slaton visitors for two or three days this week. Mr. Bush is in the irrigation pump business at Corvallis, Oregon. The Bush's had been on a business trip to Phoenix, Arizona and while that near Texas had to come on here to visit Martha's mother, Mrs. Berl Gunter, and a host of school friends.

On Monday night of this week Martha was honored at a (what's the nice way to say hen party), where a large number of her old friends got together at Billie Jean Edmondson's home. Each of the ladies brought a salad plate for refreshments. Jean says that the time was spent in the exchange of experiences, stories. Those attending were Mrs. Weldon Meador (Dorothy Davis), Mrs. Joe Miles (Billie Allen), Mrs. Ted Swanner (Mary Evelyn Cook), Mrs. W. L. White (Wilma DeBusk), Mrs. Earl Eblen (Mina Garland), Mrs. W. D. Cooper (Almo Garland), Mrs. Carlton Scroggins (Della Scroggins), Mrs. Billie White (Billie Greer), Mrs. Carter Caldwell (Faye Perdue), Mrs. Bud Englund (Genna Williams), Mrs. June Spikes (June Scott), Mrs. Hobart Trimpa, Mrs. Henry Jarman and Mrs. Berl Gunter. A real nice time was had by all and it is hoped that Martha can come home again real soon. Martha's address is 630 Merrie Drive, Corvallis, Oregon.

It is with a great deal of regret that we report the death of two OLD FRIENDS, Mr. Bill Balch of the New Home community died on November 4th. Mr. Balch attended school here in 1914 and 1915. We learned this week that Mrs. Vyola Hubbard (Vyola Talley) had passed away some two or three weeks ago at her home in Pearsall, Texas. Mrs. Hubbard had been ill for several months. Mrs. Hubbard was a member of the class of 1915.

I have a copy of a story entitled "Footprints and Echos" written by Mrs. Hubbard a few years ago. This is a true story that deals with the real early life of the City of Slaton and the people and things that were necessary to make the kind of community that we have. This story makes real interesting reading, especially for those whose families have been here for a long time and others that can remember Slaton and its people from our early years. Would be glad to lend this copy to anyone that is interested.

Those paying dues since last week were Namoia Denny McDonald, Almo Garland Cooper, Lona Hammett Todd, Mildred Brown Lokey.

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Terms of the proposed contract are that Salazar will pay \$100.00 down and that the two taxing agencies will hold a mortgage on the property until the balance is paid.

City Secretary J. J. Maxey said that the warranty deed dated in 1938 was presented to the City of Slaton and Slaton Independent School District reads "for \$1.00 and other valuable considerations."

If the lots are sold, the money will go into the general fund of the two taxing agencies. Maxey stated Wednesday that he assumed the two taxing agencies equally owned the lots.

Other business discussed was the site of the bonfire held last Thursday night. School Superintendent Dr. Lee Vardy said the future school site on 23rd street was completely away from existing structures therefore there was little danger in having such a large fire as far as endangering other property.

The regular school board meeting was moved from 7:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. this month due to the fact, that many of the board members had to leave early, and in order to get all matters discussed and acted upon, the meeting was called for 7:00 p.m." according to board

president Dr. Don Hatchett. It wasn't decided until noon Tuesday that the meeting would not be held at the previously announced time of 7:30 p.m.

Other than the regular members attending the meeting were Mr. Robert Lee and Slatonite Publisher, John H. King II.

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WE OFFER SINCERE CONGRATULATION TO THE WINNERS OF THE PUNT, PASS & KICK HELD SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3rd THE 15 WINNERS ARE:

AGE GROUP 7		AGE GROUP 8		AGE GROUP 9	
Name	Points	Name	Points	Name	Points
Stephen Taylor	74	Ronnie Verner	126	Don Wayne Jackson	127
Craig Deans	66½	Robert Ethridge	122	Lee Wayne Clodfelter	119½
Victor Lee Herrin	63½	Lloyd T. Kitten	102	John Taylor, Jr.	112

AGE GROUP 10		AGE GROUP 11	
Name	Points	Name	Points
Mike Melcher	157½	Clifford Summar	180
Donald Heinrich	143½	Alvin Roy Queen	175
Lloyd Norris	133½	Jimmy Williams	155

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