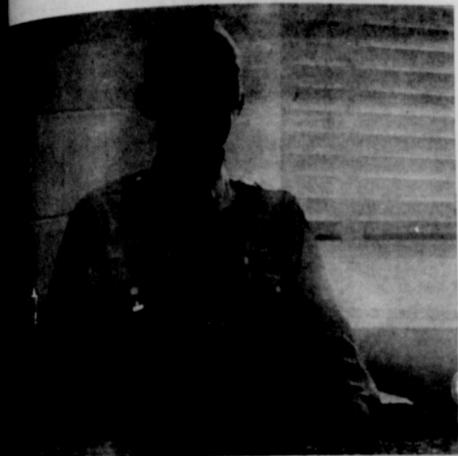


To Head Police



GENE MARTIN, 6-YEAR MEMBER of the Slaton Police Department, was named police chief here in action taken last week by the City Commission. Martin takes over his duties today, replacing Gene Martin who has resigned to accept a similar job at Pecos.

Second Glance

By JOHN H. KING II

Published in this issue of your Slatonite is the complete audit report for the fiscal year of March 31, 1963, ending March 31, 1963. The City Commission urges you to study this report carefully, and if you have any specific questions about any portion of the report, or any department covered by the findings by the auditors, you may feel free to ask your commissioner or mayor about them; however, please study the statement that is being published in this week's Slatonite before you question the commission.

Extensive remodeling, the V. F. W. will begin sponsoring its regular Wednesday dances commencing Wednesday, August 7. Including in the remodeling is a new dance area of 2,016 square feet of wood floor. The local veterinarian has engaged the Dix and his western Band of Springs to play for the dance for the coming year. Both the commander of the local dances that profits from dances are distributed to the orphans of veterans and other charitable organizations.

Kristi Rene Gill was born in the arms of her 90 year great grandfather, Mr. H. H. Post this past week. "Do you want me to cry for this picture?" His daughter, La Wanda Henry said. "What do you feel like?" The proud gentleman replied, "Both."

A revival meeting is being conducted at the Church of God this week at 206 Texas Avenue. The W. F. Mitchell of Weatherford is the evangelist for this meeting. Mr. H. B. Richardson and B. E. Coker, Jr. is the pianist. The revival meeting will close through Sunday night, starting time nightly is 7:30.

The Don Carpenter family has moved to Slaton after residing in Dallas for the past year. The Carpenters have purchased former home of Police Gene Martin's at 150 West Garza. Carpenter is employed by the Slaton Bank and Bond Company and that his entire family has moved forward to returning to Slaton for a long period of time.

Mrs. Carpenter have children; Donna Ann, 12; Dole, 10 and Penny Rene. Mrs. Carpenter is a member of the Slatonite is just as anxious as the public to have the "Slaton News" back in our hands. Our very able correspondent, June Spikes, has been forced to take a few weeks vacation from her writing just as soon as she is able, we will gain present this feature in the Slatonite.

The Slaton Slatonite

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School Budget Hearing Aug. 6

Public hearings on the proposed budget of the 1963-'64 term, Slaton Independent School District, will be held next Tuesday evening at the school business office, 300 South 9th Street. The hearing is scheduled to commence at 8:30 p. m., immediately after the regular board meeting convening at 8 o'clock. Dr. Lee Vardy, superintendent, states:

Few changes of note are outlined in the budget proposal. Total instructional cost proposal is for a slightly higher figure than last year, due to anticipated increase in enrollment. Maximum enrollment is estimated at between 2225 and 2250 scholars, maximum last year reaching 2150. Normal average enrollment of course would be at a lower figure. Proposed instruction costs are \$443,700, up from \$433,900 of last year. The total expenditures outlined called for a \$13,567 decrease from the previous year; Proposed is \$534,148 against \$647,715 last year. The decrease is enabled mainly in the field of construction, a spokesman for the school explained. Capital outlay for buildings and

Groups To Plan Hi-way Safety

A pre-construction meeting has been called by the Texas Highway Department to be held Friday morning, 10 o'clock, in the Slaton city hall. Engineers, the Department of Public Safety, the contractor of impending local construction, news media and representatives (See No. 1, Back Page)

Cost Exceeds \$4,425 for Accountants, Attorney

City Publishes Audit in Entirety

Publication of the recent Slaton city audit is printed in toto within this issue of the Slatonite, commissioners and mayor authorizing this publication after unanimous approval at a called meeting of the Commission last Friday afternoon. Introductory remarks and a resume of findings and recommendations of the Dorman Caraway accounting firm, together with findings by special legal council, were recounted week in a Page 1 story.

Disclosure has been made that special attorney's fees have aggregated \$325, that being amount of statement forwarded the city by Tom Griffith, president of the Lubbock Bar Association. Though no statement for services by the auditors has been received, Mayor Jonas Cain has stated that the firm has indicated their fees to date to approximate \$3,900. The comparative balance sheet, dated March 31, 1963, totals, together with those of the same date in 1962, reveals total city assets presently tallying out at \$2,196,567.90, a \$6,692.79 increase from the 1962 figure of \$2,189,875.11.

WEATHER

Temperature average dropped slightly this week, the last seven reporting days showing maximum average of 92, minimum night reading average of 69 degrees. These figures gave proof that the thermometer was not stuck, a plausible assumption after two weeks in a row of 95 high average and 70 low average. Spotted and varying rainfall covered the area Saturday and Sunday, the townsite of Slaton receiving moisture varying from 2 inch to more than 1/2-inch. Soakers were the lot in most surrounding areas to the northwest of Slaton over the weekend, Sunday and Monday rains falling in an arc from Littlefield to Floydada and Crosbyton. Idalou received more than 3 inches Monday. Day to day local temperature extremes, as recorded by the Pioneer Natural Gas office in Slaton, have been:

Thursday	72-96
Friday	70-96
Saturday	74-92
Sunday	68-81
Monday	66-88
Tuesday	65-94
Wednesday	68-96

on hand, cash in depositories turned checks, water account receivable, delinquent taxes ceivable, unexpired insurance prepaid and in property equipment. Categories show decrease included sewer account receivable and notes receivable. Property and equipment figures for the 1963 audit was \$1,415,05, up \$27,716.75 from the previous 1962 accounting. Liabilities and surplus show \$6,692.79 increase from the previous year. Next in or were Sanitation Charges, \$531.10; Police Fines, \$18,947 down \$5,405.00 from the previous year; street and alley rent and a number of smaller categories. Complete accounting as to expenditures, revenues, etc. in departments of the city operation is found in the 2-page statement in this Slatonite issue, and it is hoped by city officials that the publishers that careful study of the statement will eliminate excessive questioning, speculation and any rifle rumors.

Water Depletion Case Decision Appealed by Government July 22

Attorneys for the High Plains Undergrnd Water Conservation District have been advised that the water depletion case, styled Marvin Shurbet Et Ux vs. United States of America, was appealed by the government on July 22, 1963. The appeal is from a judgment rendered in May 1963 by Judge Joseph B. Dooley of the U. S. District Court for the Northern District of Texas, sustaining Shurbet's claim for a federal income-tax refund. The case will now go before the 5th Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans, Louisiana. The claim for refund is based on a cost depletion deduction for ground water depleted while irrigating agricultural crops. The suit is a test case, and is sponsored by the High Plains Water District in an effort to obtain a federal income-tax deduction for all owners of ground water in the southern High Plains of Texas who can show a cost in the ground water that is depleted in the production of income. There is no indication at this time when the case will be heard by the Court in New Orleans.

NEWS BRIEFS

LEGION BALL

Though winning their initial game in the Levelland Invitational Tournament last week, the Slaton American Legion team were edged out in their next two games, losing by two runs only to both Lubbock Auto and Pampa. Both proved excellent games, with the Lubbock Auto encounter providing plenty of excitement with six Slaton batters being hit by pitched balls.

SPECIAL MEETING

In a special meeting of the City Commission Friday, resignation of Gene Martin as police chief was accepted, and Joe Martin was promoted to fill the position. Unanimous approval of Joe Martin's appointment came after motion by Commissioner Truett Bownds, second by B. H. Bollinger. The chief's salary was pegged at \$450 per month. Mayor Jonas Cain expressed his thanks for the past cooperation of Gene Martin, citing him for his work and devotion to duty. Gene Martin was granted two weeks paid vacation on motion by Robert Hall Davis.

Sokoll Hired As Newest Clerk In City Office Here

Robert "Bobby" Sokoll commenced his duties Monday as newest clerical employee at the Slaton city offices. Mayor Cain states that Sokoll initially is working, with guidance of auditors, in improving present bookkeeping systems and setting up newly recommended procedures in the office. Sokoll's application for the position of city secretary is among those on file for that vacancy. The son of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Sokoll of 730 S. 18th St., Slaton, Sokoll received his Bachelor of Business Administration degree in August of last year, with a major in finance. He has held various bookkeeping jobs before taking the Slaton position. He was with the Marines at Camp Pendleton from September, 1962, until March 24th of this year. He formerly attended high school here, receiving higher education at St. Mary's University and Texas Tech. Sokoll is 23 years of age.



NEWCOMER TO SLATON is Daymond Weaver, manager of the Western Auto Associate Store here effective July 15th. The Weaver family comes from Snyder where he was credit manager for Goodyear there for over six years. Mr. and Mrs. Weaver are house-hunting here at present, and upon moving to Slaton their two boys, Barry, 15, and Gary, 9, will attend the public schools here. The family belongs to the Baptist Church.

Slaton Opposes Trinity Canal

Dr. Vardy Spoke At Austin Hearing

Slaton was one of two towns presenting their case before the Texas Water Commission Tuesday, urging curtailment of the \$587 million barge channel proposed from Fort Worth to Houston.

Dr. Lee Vardy represented the local Board of City Development and the Chamber of Commerce in pointing out that such a project would be Federally tax supported, with payments to be shared by all in contrast to benefits alleged to favor only a few. Amarillo was the other town sending a representative spokesman to the Austin hearing to fight the proposal, the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce, and a former Slaton resident, having graduated from the schools here. Both Eubanks and Vardy contended that progression of the canal project would force West Texas taxpayers to subsidize economic competition with their area.

The Austin hearings still were underway yesterday, freight and traffic carriers slated to appear in protest of one or more phases of the Trinity plan. When the Slatonite representative visited the Kitten farm two miles south of town on Monday, Kitten had the vehicle adjusted to travel some 2 1/2 feet per minute, showering a 200 ft. strip (60 rows with about 2 1/2 inches of water. More or less water, and wider or narrower swath can be effected with simple adjustments. Long ditches are best adapted for the selfpropelled unit; it is pictured here near the end of a mile-long ditch, taking about two days and one night to make the trip. Virtually labor and trouble-free while travelling the ditch, the machine however takes some two hours of time to transfer, service and adjust to a new location. Output of the pump of course can be adjusted to amount of water in the ditch; Kitten is utilizing two wells on the same ditch at present time, one an 8-inch and the other 5-inch. The machine is designed to handle even more supply than this, he pointed out. Comparable expense with other irrigation methods? Well, that is what the Slaton farmer is determining this season. Initial cost of the equipment exceeds \$6,000, and in most cases new ditches must be run to get the greater length that saves in labor and trouble. Kitten replaced the smaller butane tank on the machine with a large 300-gallon tank, cutting down on fueling operations. Fuel consumption has proved to be from 3 1/2 to 4 gallons per hour in Kitten's initial season test.

New Irrigation Method is Tested by Slaton Farmer

NEWEST IRRIGATION METHOD in the Slaton area is being given a thorough test this season by Nestor Kitten, prominent local farmer who has been irrigating for almost 20 years.

Kitten last spring purchased a huge machine, known as the "waterdog", seeking a means of even distribution over the more than 200 acres of cotton and grain he annually must water. As clearly defined in the adjacent pictures, the "water dog" propels itself down an irrigation ditch, scooping the water into a centrifugal pump that feeds into a nozzle adjustable for shooting the water over a wide arc.

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Construction Stage Near For New Rest Home To Serve Slaton Area

Construction of a 32-bed "Slaton Rest Home" is scheduled for commencement within the next week, according to announcement today by the owners and operators, Mrs. Estelle Evans and Mrs. Rose Wheeler, both of Slaton. The enterprise, estimated to represent \$100,000.00 investment in building and equipment, has been in the planning stage for about two years. Location of the building will be immediately across the street east from Merc Hospital parking lot. State-approved facilities will be afforded for both bed and non-bed patients, the operators state, with nurses on duty 24 hours. It is anticipated that 10 to 12 people will be employed as permanent personnel. The brick veneer structure will cover approximately 7,000 sq feet and is designed to provide a "homey" appearance on both exterior and interior. Bill Bal has assisted in the planning of facilities and will consult with contractors during the building erection, a spokesman for the owners informed. Plans are for the facility to be in operation before the last of this year, with completion date set in the late fall. Plans are for the home to serve local and immediate area needs, with the operators expressing belief that full occupancy could be assured with local residents.

Henry Is Entry In Nat'l. Model Plane Contests

William Howard Henry, local model airplane enthusiast, is in California this week as an entry in the 32nd National Model Airplane Championships being held at the Naval Air Station at Los Alamitos. The meet, sometimes called the "World Series" of model airplane flying, is running from July 29th through Sunday, August 4th. Henry, 26, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Henry of Slaton, and is a charter member of the Slaton Balsa Bugs model airplane club. More than 1,000 entries have been reported in the national contests. The contestants range from 8 to 80 years of age and come from the 50 states as well as from Canada, Mexico and South Africa.



there each year. There are three wells on his place, two pumps set at 130 feet and one set at 230 ft. depth. Only about one-half mile separates the deep well from a shallower one of 100 ft. difference in depth! A decided change in water strata cuts across the corner of the Kitten farm, necessitating the deep well at one location. Nestor Kitten was born west of Slaton and has lived on the present farm since 1946, irrigating

DIURNALLY SPEAKING

Observations and Potpourri

a nation expects to be ignorant and free in a state of civilization, it expects what never was and never will be. . . . the press is free and every man able to read, all is well.

—Thomas Jefferson

A fellow editor printed this old refrain: "The man who whispers down a well . . . About the goods he has to sell Doesn't rake in lots of dollars Like the one who stands and hollers!" Naturally, this limerick was printed after the end editor had met a man who didn't "bother" advertise his services in the newspaper because everybody in the area know what his business was and where to find him if they wanted him. Nuff said.

First public notice of the proposed Constitutional amendments coming up for vote on November 9th published in this issue. We hope you read them, they them, and be ready for a decisive vote. More this later.

Two cowboys met for the first time and by way of introduction one of them said, "Just ll me Tex."

"You from Texas?" the other cowboy asked. "Nope," the other one said. "I'm from Marynd, but who wants to be called Mary?"

This editor does not particularly take to seeing anything classed as "average." Whether it's our own, schools, chamber of commerce or whatnot, we ope for a better classification than average.

After all, there was the prominent economist to put it this way:

"If a man stands with his right foot on a hot ove and his left foot in a freezer, some statisticians ould assert that, on the average, he's comfortable!"

Let's just continue to do our best in keeping ur foot out of the fire or the freezer, and never be ontent with Slaton being an "average" town in any aspect

Rushin' Roulette by Chon Day



"USED TO WORRY BEFORE I GOT THE SAFETY BELTS."

Speed causes more accidents than any other driving error.

"Why can't you be good like that nice little girl next door?" the harassed mother asked her daughter. "She's the doctor's kid," came the reply. "He always keeps the best ones for himself."

Maybe you heard about the heavy drinker who, when asked if he drank a pint a day, said: "Gosh, I spill more than that." But did you hear about this character? He told his doctor he smoked 12 packs of cigarettes a day and doc said: "I'd like to study your case. Could you come in at 10 tomorrow morning and answer some questions?" "Impossible," said the patient. "I don't stop coughing till noon."

The Pentagon is disturbed at news that James Meredith may quit the University of Mississippi. This means the Army may have to go back to its old job of fighting the Air Force.

Wellington Editor Apprehensive

The emboldened farmers of the nation mightwell take note of a bill that is being pushed by the Administration and on which hearings are now being held in the Senate. Here are some of the provisions of the Farm Labor Recruitment Act:

1. Gives the Secretary of Labor authority to fix minimum wages for farm workers at any level he chooses.
2. Authorizes a compulsory program of recruitment at the discretion of the Secretary of Labor.
3. Gives the Secretary of Labor authority to compel a "closed shop" in agriculture, actually allowing labor unions to come in and take over.
4. Authorizes the Secretary of Labor to write labor-management contracts.
5. Gives the Secretary dictatorial powers to decide which prospective employees are willing, able and qualified workers; to determine that transportation, meals, housing, insurance and medical care provided by farmers are adequate; to determine what records will be kept by farmers; to decide what areas need additional workers; to decide when farmers have violated any provision of the law, and to establish substantial contractual responsibility by farmers with no comparable responsibility by worker.

Take another look at that last clause: "And to establish substantial contractual responsibility by farmers with no comparable responsibility by workers." Better write your Senators and Congressmen today.

Deck Wells in the Wellington Leader

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John H. King II, Publisher

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Notes from Neighbors Events and Opinions

From the Exchanges of the Slatonite

Inequities in the Criminal Code . . .

Down here (meaning in Texas) you can kill a man and get away with it."

That statement was attributed to a defendant in a murder trial here a few days ago by a witness in the case . . . and while it was denied, the jury in returning a "guilty as charged" verdict obviously gave some credence to it.

But whether the statement was made, or was not made, in this case is beside the point. The point is that it's a fact that, in Texas, people can get away with murder . . . and frequently do.

The penalty in this case, after a judgment of guilty, was a five year sentence . . . suspended . . . which pretty well proves the point.

In sharp contrast was the sentence handed down in the same court five days later . . . to a man who plead guilty to a charge of burglary. His offense: breaking and entering and stealing \$74, which he re-paid. His sentence: four years in the penitentiary . . . not suspended.

The latter, it should be pointed out in all fairness, was not eligible for suspended sentence because of previous convictions.

Nevertheless, the point is sharply made: that in Texas, under Texas law, a considerably higher value is placed on personal property than on human life . . . and a stiffer penalty is often assessed for taking property, even when restitution is made, than for taking a life which cannot be restored.

The cases cited are not isolated examples . . . they are typical in Texas.

In such cases . . . and after them . . . both courts and juries are frequently subjected to public criticism . . . but in most cases, the public is placing the blame in the wrong jurisdiction.

The fault lies with the law . . . not entirely with those who enforce or interpret the law but primarily with those who make it . . . and any appeal for revision of the law must be directed to the lawmakers in the legislature, not to the lawyers or judges in the courtroom.

It seems obvious to us . . . and it has been obvious for many years . . . that there are glaring inequities in a Texas criminal code which imposes major penalties for comparatively minor crime and lets murderers go scot free.

Ben Ezzell in The Canadian Record

Beacon Light Faintly Seen

One wonders — hopefully, if the action of American wheat farmers in voting down the proposed new system of government controls of an almost brutally rigorous nature may be the beacon light of a new kind of thinking on the part of American farmers as a whole, and particularly the smaller, family type farmers. More specifically, one wonders of legions of them are not thinking, seriously, of the virtues of ultimately returning on a gradual and orderly basis, to free-market farming in which supply and demand, not a law or a bureaucrat, do the deciding.

If so, they have excellent examples to look to. Meat is outstanding. The livestock producers of this country have had their ups and downs, their booms and busts. Recently there have been price troubles, due in major part to very heavy supplies of beef on the hoof. But, good times or bad, the producers, and all the other elements within the great and complex meat industry, have done much more than ask for government controls and regulations — they've actively and vociferously opposed them. They know that the one who pays the bill, government or individual, is the one who calls the tune to which they must dance. The meat industry prefers freedom, self-reliance, self-responsibility — and the chance to work out its problems as they come along.

And the colossal mess the past farm programs of the government have created certainly should steel them in that attitude — as well as the rest of the nation's farmers, consumers and taxpayers. —Denver City Sunday Press

Doug Meador Says . . .

Another danger in walking on a cloud is that it may be a fog settling on reality.

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Teague Drug 136 W. Garza VA 8-4535

Henzler Grocery 930 S. 9th VA 8-4949

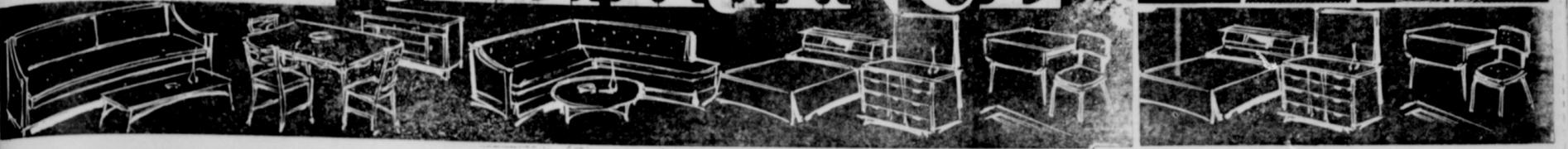
Slaton Steam Laundry 169 W. Lubbock VA 8-3426

T. G. & Y. The Slatonite 107 W. Lubbock VA 8-4711, 163 S. 9th VA 8-4201

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BLAND'S FURNITURE

Audit Report, City of Slaton, Slaton, Texas, March 31, 1963

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

MARCH 31, 1963 and MARCH 31, 1962

	ASSETS		Increase (Decrease)
	March 31, 1963	1962	
Cash on Hand	940.15	125.26	814.89
Depositories	72,927.39	54,315.21(1)	18,612.18
Checks	111.87	73.57	38.30
Accounts Receivable - Water	9,327.21	7,863.41	1,463.80
Accounts Receivable - Sewer	1,795.65	1,892.50	(96.85)
Accounts Receivable - Sanitation	1,789.95	2,005.50	(215.55)
Accounts Receivable - Delinquent	26,336.39	22,634.54(1)	3,701.76
Accounts Receivable	3,436.87	4,856.87	(1,420.00)
Accounts Receivable	452.95	452.95	
Accounts Receivable	5,826.66	5,307.31	519.35
Accounts Receivable	575.67		575.67
Accounts Receivable	1,415,114.65	1,387,397.30(1)	27,717.35
Accounts Receivable			
Accounts Receivable	637,733.18	703,950.69(1)	(66,217.51)
Accounts Receivable	2,196,567.90	2,189,875.11	6,692.79

LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS

Accounts Payable - Sundry	3,663.65		3,663.65
Accounts Payable - Hickman and Neill	618.67	6,687.70	(6,069.03)
Accounts Payable - City Hall Improvements	4,617.06		4,617.06
Accounts Payable - A. A. Russell	4,874.03	5,263.95	(389.92)
Accounts Payable - C. A. Porter	2,387.03	3,090.13	(703.10)
Accounts Payable - Withholding Taxes Payable	757.97	732.80	25.17
Accounts Payable - Appropriations Due Cemetery Ass'n.	3,022.48	899.72	2,122.76
Accounts Payable - Appropriations Due Board of City Dev.	10,184.00	10,624.47	(440.47)
Accounts Payable - Contracts Payable - Platons Machinery Co.	6,534.00		6,534.00
Accounts Payable - Owners' Meter Deposits	21,082.32	20,182.32	900.00
Accounts Payable - Deducted Indebtedness	511,000.00	537,000.00	(26,000.00)
Accounts Payable - Interest	146,733.18	166,359.69(1)	(20,217.51)
Accounts Payable - Plus	1,481,963.51	1,438,443.33(1)	42,820.18
Total Liabilities and Surplus	2,196,567.90	2,189,875.11	6,692.79

These figures differ from those reflected in the report for the period ended March 31, 1962. These differences are reconciled in the "Statement of Surplus" which follows this balance sheet.

Special Tax, General, Bond and Sinking Funds Comparative Statement of Revenues and Expenditures For Fiscal Years Ending March 31, 1963 and March 31, 1962

	Fiscal Year Ended		Increase (Decrease)
	March 31, 1963	1962	
Revenues			
General Property Taxes	91,764.96	88,720.00	3,044.96
Specialty and Interest on Taxes	977.66	866.79	110.87
Licenses	18,947.00	24,332.00	(5,405.00)
Permits and Licenses	1,248.60	1,614.55	(365.95)
Rentals and Alley Rentals	14,191.23	8,974.72	5,216.51
Initiation Charges	23,531.10	21,337.20	2,193.90
Gas Licenses	32.00	35.00	(3.00)
Swing Rights at Dump Ground	275.00	240.00	35.00
Application Fees - Zoning Board of Adj.	135.00	30.00	105.00
Application Fees - Planning and Zoning Com.	50.00	25.00	25.00
Use on Land - Theatre	812.50	312.50	500.00
Use on Land - Radio Station	330.95	210.00	149.95
Use on Lots	450.00	300.00	150.00
License	11.00	280.25	(269.25)
Arm Rents	1,633.77	1,412.88	220.89
Miscellaneous Income	1,500.70	548.50	952.20
Interest Earned	373.64	116.25	257.39
Embargement, Board of City Development	3,905.50	2,974.50	931.00
Profit on Sale of Hood Addition		6,354.19	(6,354.19)
Profit on Sale of 18th Street	1,900.00		1,900.00
Total Revenues	160,809.61	158,704.63	2,104.98

EXPENDITURES

Administration:			
Salaries	1,080.00	1,065.00	15.00
Travel	285.72	387.63	(101.91)
Dues, Charity	878.24	828.35	49.89
Contractual	1,222.63	1,261.79	(39.16)
Miscellaneous	363.85	839.50	(475.65)
Total	3,830.54	4,382.31	(551.77)
Accounting and Collecting:			
Salaries	6,800.00	6,095.44	704.56
Texas Municipal Retirement System	144.00	107.40	36.60
Employees' Insurance	200.07	185.35	14.72
Workman's Compensation Ins.	51.04	20.96	30.08
Fidelity Insurance	57.63	52.16	5.47
Audit	600.00	550.00	50.00
Fleet and General Liability Ins.	118.76	14.42	104.34
Maintenance of Equipment	278.82	23.47	255.35
Printing and Office Supplies	1,646.96	1,758.44	(111.48)
Telephone	161.35	162.90	(1.55)
Employee Education	224.56	274.63	(50.07)
Travel	23.21	76.34	(47.13)
Miscellaneous	896.90	513.17	383.73
Total	11,607.46	9,828.68	1,778.78

Legal:

Salaries	892.60	1,232.50	(339.90)
Texas Municipal Retirement System	2.15	21.75	(19.60)
Employees' Insurance	8.29	92.89	(84.60)
Workman's Compensation Ins.	3.75	3.82	(.07)
Fidelity Insurance		5.49	(5.49)
Travel	35.44	97.27	(61.83)
Miscellaneous		381.46	(381.46)
Total	942.23	1,835.18	(892.95)

Corporation Court:

Salaries	2,500.00	2,357.05	142.95
Employees' Insurance	99.84	76.31	23.53
Workman's Compensation Ins.	21.04	7.74	13.30
Fidelity Insurance	7.43	5.49	1.94
Supplies and Miscellaneous	110.13	197.76	(87.63)
Telephone	171.11	138.98	32.13
Total	2,909.75	2,783.33	126.42

Fire Department:

Salaries	3,827.00	3,545.00	282.00
Texas Municipal Retirement System	12.50	12.50	
Employee's Insurance	99.84	92.89	6.95
Workman's Compensation Ins.	57.80	111.41	(53.61)
Fleet and General Liability Ins.	548.90	189.33	359.57
Volunteer Fireman's Insurance	125.48	181.10	(55.62)
Maintenance of Equipment	449.49	60.82	388.67
Supplies	635.25	1,098.35	(463.10)
Telephone	310.42	271.12	39.30
Travel	17.10	100.00	(82.90)
Employee Education	382.20	272.05	110.15
Miscellaneous Labor	4,995.00	1,981.65	3,013.35
Fidelity Insurance	15.25	15.25	
Miscellaneous	36.50	36.50	
Total	11,504.03	7,873.73	3,630.30

Sanitation Department:

Salaries	21,706.81	21,129.64	577.17
Texas Municipal Retirement System	201.90	314.74	(112.75)
Employee's Insurance	682.55	501.94	180.61
Workman's Compensation Ins.	676.85	532.50	144.35
Fidelity Insurance	46.58	35.65	10.93
Fleet and General Liability Insurance	294.90	124.70	170.20
Maintenance of Equipment	1,042.43	1,400.34	(357.91)
Supplies	9,306.66	9,306.66	
Telephone	75.71	75.05	66.66
Miscellaneous		2.00	(2.00)
Total	37,994.98	38,411.99	(417.01)

Police Department

Salaries	30,796.27	30,527.17	269.10
Texas Municipal Retirement System	459.40	420.23	39.17
Employee's Insurance	582.25	645.75	(63.50)
Workman's Compensation Ins.	577.45	674.17	(96.72)
Fidelity Insurance	76.28	54.86	21.42
Fleet and General Liability Insurance	328.48	285.78	122.70
Contractual		241.80	(241.80)
Feeding Prisoners	862.28	878.83	(16.55)
Maintenance of Equipment	3,574.08	2,476.80	1,097.28
Supplies and Miscellaneous	3,886.37	3,149.34	437.03
Telephone	497.96	482.11	15.85
Travel	84.15	26.00	58.15
Employee Education	79.89	150.00	(70.11)
Uniforms	541.01	589.18	(48.17)
Audit	300.00	225.00	75.00
Total	42,345.97	40,747.02	1,598.95

Street Department:

Salaries	14,451.94	11,769.75	2,682.19
Texas Municipal Retirement System	272.19	152.12	120.07
Employee's Insurance	357.80	336.14	21.66
Workman's Compensation Ins.	958.23	643.07	315.16
Fidelity Insurance	26.69	24.95	1.74
Fleet and General Liability Ins.	2,625.59	1,581.20	1,044.39
Maintenance of Equipment	3,900.63	6,110.82	(2,210.19)
Supplies	3,554.08	4,350.94	(1,396.86)
Telephone	75.69	75.64	.05
Miscellaneous	139.79	2,195.59	(2,055.80)
Interest	52.33		52.33
Total	26,414.96	27,840.22	(1,425.26)

Building Operation:

Salaries	1,466.96	2,362.85	(895.89)
Employee's Insurance	56.19	92.89	(34.70)
Workman's Compensation Ins.	30.20	47.15	(16.95)
Fidelity Insurance	7.63	5.49	2.14
Fleet and General Liability, Ins.	72.44	37.71	34.73
Fire Insurance		448.69	(448.69)
Building Maintenance	149.11	779.98	(630.87)
Supplies	313.10	260.03	53.07
Miscellaneous	10.40	17.50	(7.10)
Total	2,108.03	4,062.29	(1,944.26)

Inspection:

Salaries	1,122.00	1,215.00	7.00
Employee's Insurance	90.84	92.89	6.95
Workman's Compensation Ins.	9.32	11.43	(2.11)
Fidelity Insurance	7.63	5.49	2.14
Supplies	11.81	131.99	(120.18)
Automobile Expense	90.00		90.00
Total	1,440.60	1,456.80	(16.20)

Street and Signal Lighting:

Contractual	5,151.15	4,654.50	496.65
Maintenance of Equipment	143.05	5.98	137.07
Fleet and General Liability Ins.	7.70	4.38	3.32
Miscellaneous		40.32	(40.32)
Total	5,301.90	4,705.18	596.72

TOTAL EXPENDITURES

Excess of Revenues over Expenditures	25,373.79	26,788.60	(1,414.81)
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Water Supply Fund

Comparative Statement of Income and Expense For Fiscal Years Ended March 31, 1963 and March 31, 1962

Income			
Water Sales	115,668.93	91,703.55	23,965.38
Water Taps	1,837.95	2,647.91	(809.96)
Plumbing Permits	559.00	935.00	(376.00)
Total Income	118,065.88	95,286.46	22,779.42
Expense			
Accounting and Collection:			
Salaries	8,585.18	7,893.79	691.39
Texas Municipal Retirement System	102.00	85.20	16.80
Employee's Insurance	199.68	186.09	13.59
Workman's Compensation Ins.	89.88	73.93	15.95
Fidelity Insurance	15.25	16.03	(.78)
Contractual	224.72	224.72	
Contractual - Gas Bills	593.01	719.60	(126.59)
Maintenance of Equipment	39.20	11.00	28.20
Audit	350.00	350.00	
Supplies	1,350.83	1,170.68	180.15
Miscellaneous	13.75	65.91	(52.16)
Total	11,575.60	10,896.95	678.65
Production:			
Salaries	9,450.19	8,668.38	781.81
Texas Municipal Retirement System	103.59	81.45	22.14
Employee's Insurance	232.89	217.08	15.81
Workman's Compensation Ins.	177.77	237.47	(59.70)
Fidelity Insurance	11.79	18.70	(6.91)
General and Fleet Liability	229.47	377.56	(148.09)
Maintenance of Equipment	1,386.41	1,092.02	288.39
Supplies	1,913.01	1,799.00	114.01
Pumping Cost	5,175.78	4,357.28	(818.50)
Employee Education	217.03	297.29	(80.26)
Water Royalty	4,402.72	3,847.14	555.58

Schedule of Property and Equipment

March 31, 1963

	Balance	Additions	Deletions	Bal. 3-31-63
3-31-62	19,301.01			19,301.01
Public Improvements	36,413.12	12,548.62		48,961.74
Equipment	35,985.91	175.00		36,160.91
Plant	16,482.13			16,482.13
13,494.94	3,051.91	20.00		16,526.85
Furniture and Equipment	10,660.11	488.17		11,148.28
287,405.90				287,405.90
Improvements	50,387.81			50,387.81
360,313.98	840.62			361,154.60
1,330.36				1,330.36
33,772.34	10,500.00	5,500.00		38,772.34
38,809.67				38,809.67
40,248.01	4,103.58			44,351.59
442,792.31	1,528.85			444,321.16
1,387,397.30	33,236.75	5,520.00		1,415,114.05

Statement of Total Requirements for Retirement of Principal and Interest, by Fiscal Years

March 31, 1963

Yr. Ending 3-31-63	Maturities		
	Principal	Interest	Total
1964	33,000.00	19,380.01	52,380.01
1965	36,000.00	18,140.01	54,140.01
1966	34,000.00	16,917.51	50,917.51
1967	32,000.00	15,705.01	47,705.01
1968	40,000.00	14,572.51	54,572.51
1969	38,000.00	12,983.13	50,983.13
1970	40,000.00	11,391.25	51,391.25
1971	40,000.00	9,761.25	49,761.25
1972	40,000.00	8,131.25	48,131.25
1973	43,000.00	6,448.75	49,448.75
1974	45,000.00	4,460.00	49,460.00
1975	20,000.00	3,395.00	23,395.00
1976	20,000.00	2,635.00	22,635.00
1977	25,000.00	1,875.00	26,875.00
1978	25,000.00	937.50	25,937.50
	511,000.00	146,733.18	657,733.18

Summary Schedule of Bonded Indebtedness

March 31, 1963

Name of Issue	Date of Issue	Maturity	Rate of Interest—%
Extension—1924	6-30-24	6-30-64	6
Extension and Pumping Plant—1924	5-30-24	6-30-64	6
1-1-28	1-1-26	1-1-66	5 1/2
1-1-28	7-1-28	7-1-68	5 1/2
1-1-28	7-1-28	7-1-68	5 1/2
Waterworks Improvement—1928	4-15-47	4-15-67	2 1/2-2 3/4
Waterworks and Sewer Extension	4-15-49	4-15-64	2 1/2-3
Improvements—1947	12-15-50	12-15-67	2 1/2-2 3/4
Improvement—1949	12-15-50	12-15-67	2 1/2-2 3/4
Water and Sewer Extension—1950	9-1-52	9-1-72	2 1/2-3 3/4
1-1-53	11-1-72	3 1/4-3 1/2	
Water and Sewer System—1957	7-1-57	7-1-73	4-4 1/2
Improvement—1958	7-1-58	7-1-72	3-3 1/2
General Obligation—1959	12-1-59	12-1-77	4 1/4-3-8 3/4

Summary Schedule of Bonded Indebtedness

March 31, 1963

Year	Previous Years	Current Year	Outstanding March 31, 1963	Requirements for Year Ending 3-31-1964
1964	37,000.00	1,000.00	2,000.00	1,000.00
1965	34,000.00	2,000.00	4,000.00	180.00
1966	88,000.00	3,000.00	9,000.00	495.00
1967	11,500.00	500.00	3,000.00	151.25
1968	6,500.00	500.00	3,000.00	131.25
1969	40,000.00	10,000.00	30,000.00	371.25
1970	34,000.00	6,000.00	3,000.00	135.00
1971	11,000.00	2,000.00	12,000.00	320.00
1972	11,000.00	5,000.00	34,900.00	910.00
1973	18,000.00	2,000.00	30,000.00	822.50
1974	11,000.00	2,000.00	77,000.00	2,627.50
1975	4,000.00	1,000.00	145,000.00	6,293.76
1976	2,000.00	2,000.00	26,000.00	850.00
1977		5,000.00	145,000.00	5,912.50
1978			511,000.00	33,000.00
1979				19,380.01

Sewer Extension Bonds—Series 1924

Debt Service Charges, Until Maturity

March 31, 1963

Yr. Ending March 31,	Bond No.	Principal	Interest Due	Total Principal and Interest
1964	39	1,000.00	60.00	1,060.00
1965	40	1,000.00	30.00	1,030.00
1966		2,000.00	90.00	2,120.00

Water Extension and Pumping Plant Bonds—Series 1924

Debt Service Charges, Until Maturity

March 31, 1963

Yr. Ending March 31,	Bond No.	Principal	Interest Due	Total Principal and Interest
1964	57-58	2,000.00	120.00	2,180.00
1965	59-60	2,000.00	60.00	2,060.00
1966		4,000.00	180.00	4,240.00

Paving Bonds—Series 1926

Debt Service Charges, Until Maturity

March 31, 1963

Yr. Ending March 31,	Bond Nos.	Principal	Interest Due	Total Principal and Interest
1964	92-94	3,000.00	247.50	3,247.50
1965	95-97	3,000.00	165.00	3,330.00
1966	98-100	3,000.00	82.50	3,165.00
1967		9,000.00	495.00	9,990.00

City of Slaton Fire Station Bonds—Series 1928

Debt Service Charges, Until Maturity

March 31, 1963

Yr. Ending March 31,	Bond Nos.	Principal	Interest Due	Total Principal and Interest
1964	92-94	3,000.00	247.50	3,247.50
1965	95-97	3,000.00	165.00	3,330.00
1966	98-100	3,000.00	82.50	3,165.00
1967		9,000.00	495.00	9,990.00

Denomination 500.00
Bond Numbers 1 through 30
Interest Rate Per Annum 5 1/2 %
Paying Agent Hanover Bank
New York City, New York

Year Ending 3-31,	Bond Nos.	Principal	Interest Due	Total Principal and Interest
1964	25	500.00	82.50	582.50
1965	26	500.00	68.75	568.75
1966	27	500.00	55.00	555.00
1967	28	500.00	41.25	541.25
1968	29	500.00	27.50	527.50
1969	30	500.00	13.75	513.75
		3,000.00	288.75	3,495.00

Waterworks Improvement Bonds—Series 1928

Debt Service Charges, Until Maturity

March 31, 1963

Date of Issue July 1, 1928
Amount of Issue 10,000.00
Denomination 500.00
Bond Numbers 1 through 20
Interest Rate Per Annum 5 1/2 %
Paying Agent Hanover Bank
New York City, New York

Year Ending 3-31,	Bond Nos.	Principal	Interest Due	Total Principal and Interest
1964	15	500.00	82.50	582.50
1965	16	500.00	68.75	568.75
1966	17	500.00	55.00	555.00
1967	18	500.00	41.25	541.25
1968	19	500.00	27.50	527.50
1969	20	500.00	13.75	513.75
		3,000.00	288.75	3,495.00

Waterworks and Sewer Extension and Improvement Bonds, Series 1947

Debt Service Charges, Until Maturity

March 31, 1963

Date of Issue April 15, 1947
Amount of Issue 55,000.00
Denomination 1,000.00
Bond Numbers 1 through 56
Interest Rate Per Annum 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 %
Paying Agent Mercantile National Bank
Dallas, Texas

Year Ending March 31,	Bond Nos.	Principal	Interest Due	Total Principal and Interest
1964	4-43	3,000.00	206.25	3,206.25
1965	44-46	3,000.00	165.00	3,165.00
1966	47-49	3,000.00	123.75	3,123.75
1967	50-52	3,000.00	82.50	3,082.50
1968	53-56	3,000.00	41.25	3,041.25
		15,000.00	618.75	16,031.25

Street Improvement Bonds—Series 1949

Debt Service Charges, Until Maturity

March 31, 1963

Date of Issue April 15, 1949
Amount of Issue 40,000.00
Denomination 1,000.00
Bond Numbers 1 through 40
Interest Rate Per Annum 1 to 10 2 1/4 %
Paying Agent Mercantile National Bank
Dallas, Texas

Year Ending March 31,	Bond Nos.	Principal	Interest Due	Total Principal and Interest
1964	35-37	3,000.00	90.00	3,090.00
1965	38-40	3,000.00	45.00	3,045.00
		6,000.00	135.00	6,180.00

Street Improvement Bonds—Series 1950

Debt Service Charges, Until Maturity

March 31, 1963

Date of Issue December 15, 1950
Amount of Issue 25,000.00
Denomination 1,000.00
Bond Numbers 1 through 25
Interest Rate Per Annum 1 to 17 2 1/2 %
Paying Agent Mercantile National Bank
Dallas, Texas

Year Ending March 31,	Bond Nos.	Principal	Interest Due	Total Principal and Interest
1964	14-15	2,000.00	160.00	2,160.00
1965	16-17	2,000.00	135.00	2,135.00
1966	18-19	2,000.00	110.00	2,110.00
1967	20-22	3,000.00	82.50	3,082.50
1968	23-25	3,000.00	41.25	3,041.25
		12,000.00	528.75	13,057.50

Water and Sewer Extension Bonds—Series 1950

Debt Service Charges, Until Maturity

March 31, 1963

Date of Issue December 15, 1950
Amount of Issue 50,000.00
Denomination 1,000.00
Bond Numbers 1 through 50
Interest Rate Per Annum 1 to 26 2 1/2 %
Paying Agent Mercantile National Bank
Dallas, Texas

Year Ending March 31,	Bond Nos.	Principal	Interest Due	Total Principal and Interest
1964	17-21	5,000.00	455.00	5,455.00
1965	22-26	5,000.00	392.50	5,392.50
1966	27-34	8,000.00	330.00	8,330.00
1967	35-42	8,000.00	220.00	8,220.00
1968	43-50	8,000.00	110.00	8,110.00
		34,000.00	1,507.50	37,015.00

Parks Bonds—Series 1952

Debt Service Charges, Until Maturity

March 31, 1963

Date of Issue September 1, 1952
Amount of Issue 50,000.00
Denomination 1,000.00
Bond Numbers 1 through 50
Interest Rate Per Annum 1 to 20 2 1/2 %
Paying Agent Mercantile National Bank
Dallas, Texas

Yr. Ending 3-31,	Bond Nos.	Principal	Interest Due	Total Principal and Interest
1964	21-23	3,000.00	468.75	3,468.75
1965	24-26	3,000.00	423.75	3,423.75
1966	27-29	3,000.00	378.75	3,378.75
1967	30-32	3,000.00	333.75	3,333.75
1968	33-35	3,000.00	288.75	3,288.75
1969	36-38	3,000.00	243.75	3,243.75
1970	39-41	3,000.00	198.75	3,198.75
1971	42-44	3,000.00	153.75	3,153.75
1972	45-47	3,000.00	108.75	3,108.75
1973	48-50	3,000.00	63.75	3,063.75
		30,000.00	2,625.00	34,781.25

Waterworks and Sewer Improvement and Extension Bonds—Series 1953

Debt Service Charges, Until Maturity

March 31, 1963

Date of Issue July 1, 1928
Amount of Issue 15,000.00

March 31, 1963

Date of Issue November 1, 1953
Amount of Issue 90,000.00
Denomination 1,000.00
Bond Numbers 1 through 90
Interest Rate Per Annum 1 to 40-3 1/4 %
Paying Agent Mercantile National Bank
Dallas, Texas

Yr. Ending 3-31,	Bond Nos.	Principal	Interest Due	Total Principal and Interest
1964	14-15	2,000.00	1,313.75	3,313.75
1965	16-20	5,000.00	1,281.25	6,281.25
1966	21-25	5,000.00	1,200.00	6,200.00
1967	26-30	5,000.00		

Crippled Children Clinic Scheduled Aug. 5, Lubbock

A general crippled children's clinic will be held Monday, August 5, at the Lubbock Cerebral Palsy Treatment Center, 3502 S. N. Lubbock.

Registration for the clinic, sponsored by the Lubbock County Society for Crippled Children, Inc., the Lubbock-Crosby County Medical Association, the Lubbock City-County Health Unit, the Crippled Children's Division of the State Health Department, will begin at 8:30 a. m. Charge will be made for examination.

It will be open to all children under 21 who are crippled or who have conditions which might lead to crippling. Parents are requested to accompany the patients.

Among physicians expected to take part in the clinic are: Dr. E. Ratcliff, Dr. Emmet Shanks, Dr. R. Q. Lewis, Dr. R. C. Davis, Dr. G. W. Mayes from Lubbock, and Dr. John Patterson, Fort Worth.

A few of the crippling conditions include: poliomyelitis, osteomyelitis, club feet, cleft palate, hare lip, burns, curvature of spine, dislocated hips and many others.

The overall purpose of the sponsors of the clinic is to provide a means of examination of children with crippling conditions in order that no crippled child should go without the attention needed.



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The battle is on. The most crucial test of us is under way. Which side will win?

I am not writing about the battle between Communism and Democracy, or the battle between races, or the battle between conservatives and liberals. The battle that I write of is a part of these three battles, but it is far more important and crucial and far-reaching. It is the battle between hate and love.

Paul writes, "Love bears all things, endures all things, love never ends..." (I Corinthians 13:7). This love is not the Hollywood-Hit-Tune type of love. For romantic love does end, and does fail to bear and hope all things. We are being misled when we think that romantic love can solve all problems. But we are believing the truth when we believe that God's love can overcome all things.

Christianity has been called weak because it places its faith in an emotion that seems sweetly fragile when placed against hatred. Love seems powerless because it is not brutal; it can't rant and rave and show its power by sheer might. But the war has been won by Love, and love will prevail.

As Christian, we will not solve the problems of the world, particularly those that I mentioned in the second paragraph, unless we choose to fight on the side which does not seem to fight; unless we choose to live only where there is life and not death.

In facing Communism, racial and political crises, we have only one weapon at our command: love. Hate is easier, for it is more natural for us, for we are sinners. But love is finally more powerful, for love is of God, and God is love.

And what do we love? We love people, because God loves us and He loves them. He loves them, just as He loves us, in spite of what they believe or how they act or what color their skin is or what language their Grandfathers spoke. The only hope of the world is for us to begin to look at people with and through God's eyes, and then to begin to walk around in their shoes. It is easy to hate someone whom we don't know. It is easy to love someone whom we know and whose problems we understand.

As an example, take the racial problems that we face in America. It is easy to see pickets and demonstrators and others whom we don't know and fear them and hate them. It is easier to love them when we walk by a store or a hotel or a cafe and know that we couldn't go in if our face were of a different color.

Of whom are you afraid? Whom do you hate? Whom do you not love? That person is one who is loved by God. And His love never fails nor ends.

COTTLE-KING REUNION

The Cottle and King County Reunion will be held at Mackenzie Park in Lubbock on August 11th, according to Mrs. George Best of Rt. 5, Lubbock.

Picnicers are requested to bring a picnic lunch and a white elephant for trade at the all-day affair.

FARM NEWS

BY BERT NEELLEY

Election will be held by mail on Sept. 11th to elect ASC community committeemen for Lubbock County. Three committeemen and two alternate committeemen will be elected from each of the four county communities to take office Oct. 1st to serve a one year term.

Boundaries of the Lubbock county communities have been changed for ASC purposes, according to Charles G. Bragg of the ASC county office, in order to increase administrative efficiency. Community boundaries now are the same as voting precincts, the Slaton one bounded on the west by US 87 and on the north by Highway 40 from Lubbock toward Acuff and Robertson.

There are 2595 Lubbock County farms with a total cotton allotment of 219,706 acres.

The Texas Farm Bureau comments this week on the Texas poll tax situation:

The poll tax in Texas is \$1.75 per year divided as follows: \$1.00 school tax, .50 state general revenue fund, and .25 to the county. In 1960 there were 2,239,198 poll taxes paid. This means that the state school system received \$2,239,198, general revenue fund, \$1,119,594.50 and the various counties \$559,797.25.

If the poll tax is eliminated then there will need to be some other system of voter registration and the school funds, state general revenue funds will be reduced by the amount collected from the poll taxes sold. In addition to this reduced income there will need to be money made available to carry on a system of voter registration in the counties and states.

Jack Parks, Assistant Agricultural Engineer in charge of flame cultivation research at the High Plains Research Foundation, believes that farmers throughout Texas could save several thousands of dollars in hoe labor if they would start using flame cultivation. Parks based his statement on research that has been conducted by the Foundation for the past four years.

Parks pointed out that the early planted cotton, which survived the adverse weather conditions, in most cases is now being irrigated. This irrigation will cause the weed seed to germinate, and flame cultivation can be used to good advantage in eliminating these new weeds. The one or two inch weeds can be destroyed with no damage to the cotton or soybeans if the crop plants are 6 to 8 inches in height. Grain sorghum and castorbeans can be flame cultivated with ease now since these crops are of sufficient height to permit the application of instant heat to the weeds.

Parks cautions that cloddy conditions, resulting from sweep cultivation when the soil was wet, may reduce the efficiency of flaming due to the inability of directing the flame at weeds located behind the large clods. Proper adjustment of flaming equipment can overcome this difficulty however, and if it is necessary to sweep cultivate, flaming should precede this operation. Flaming late planted cotton should be started when the cotton plant is 6 to 8 inches in height. Hoods for flaming the middles have produced the best results.

APPLICANTS SOUGHT FOR COAST GUARD OFFICER CANDIDATE SCHOOL

The Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard has announced that there are still openings available in the Officer Candidate School class that will convene on September 15, 1963. Upon completion of 17 weeks training, graduates will be commissioned Ensign in the U. S. Coast Guard Reserve. College seniors and graduates may fulfill their military obligation through the Coast Guard Officer Candidate School program.

For further information, write Commandant (PTP-2), U. S. Coast Guard, Washington, D. C.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors for their sympathy and expressions of kindness during the illness and at the death of our loved one, Marion B. Tate. Mrs. M. B. Tate Mr. and Mrs. Alton Young and Joyce.

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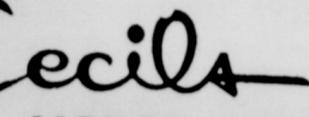
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Gov. John Connally says Texas is making a lot of progress on civil rights without demonstrations and disturbances. He urged

Texans to avoid the trouble which is plaguing other states. Roy Evans, secretary of Texas State AFL-CIO, indicated mass demonstrations are needed in lower Rio Grande Valley to improve working conditions of Mexican workers. Connally commented such statements are irresponsible and inflammatory. Governor also rejected labor's

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appeal for a special session of the Legislature to abolish right-to-work law and enact state minimum wage, saying he saw "no need, emergency or desirability" for such a session.

Evans said labor's traditional role is to try to inflame people against injustice, and he intend to keep on trying to do that.

QUICK CHANGE
From one of the unpaid boss jobs to a \$16,500-a-year assistance is the story of Dr. J. B. Copeland of San Antonio.

When the Legislature created the new job of deputy commissioner of Health Department, Dr. Copeland resigned as chairman of the State Board of Health to accept the job of deputy commissioner. He had been Board Chairman for the past ten years.

Governor Connally named Dr. N. L. Barker to replace Dr. Copeland. He appointed Dr. Elmer Baum of Austin and named Dr. John M. Smith of San Antonio and I. D. Flores of Floresville, a pharmacist, to the Board of Health.

APPOINTMENTS
Connally made other appointments. Among them:
S. A. Kerr of Huntsville and Dr. Joe A. Nelson of Weatherford, reappointments, and David A. Kimbell, Wichita Falls, to the board of regents of North Texas State University.
Ed Minor of Austin and W. R. Whitten, Fort Worth, to State Board of Pharmacy.

Sister Mary Brian Sherry of San Antonio and Mrs. Martha McClellan Davis, Beaumont, to Board of Nurse Examiners.

Dr. Richard T. Weber of Austin and Dr. James E. Makins, Lubbock, to Board of Dental Examiners.

Judge Otis Dunagan of Tyler, former Atty. Gen. Grover Sellers of Sulphur Springs and Judge James H. Moore, Nacogdoches, to the new 12th Court of Civil Appeals at Tyler.

Judge Stephen F. Preslar, McCamey, to the 8th Court of Civil Appeals at El Paso, replacing Justice Jim Langdon, whom he had named to the Railroad Commission.

Charles Sherrill, Fort Stockton, to replace Preslar as district judge.

Judge Howard P. Green of Cuero, Paul Nye of Corpus Christi and T. Gilbert Sharpe, Brownsville, to new 13th Court of Civil Appeals in Corpus Christi.

Mayor Joe E. Kelly, Victoria, to replace Green as district judge. Eugene R. Hoyt of Orange, Jack Pierce of Nacogdoches, Warren P. Cunningham Jr. of Houston, Arthur C. Leshar Jr., Houston, as district judges.

Ward R. Burke of Lufkin, Dr. George Andrew Constant of Victoria and C. E. (Sonny) Bentley, Abilene, to Board for State Hospitals and Special Schools.

George Christian of Austin, who was administrative assistant to former Gov. Price Daniel, as Governor's press secretary, replacing Wilbur Evans, who went back to sports press relations.

Clay Cotten, longtime attorney for State Insurance Department, as State Liquidator to succeed C. H. Langdeau, who is retiring due to ill health.

LOANS
Frank Miskell of Austin, who headed up the Texas Legislature's studies on the loan shark problem, will be the administrator of the new law which regulates licensed lenders.

Miskell was chosen by the State Finance Commission to be the first Regulatory Loan Commissioner. He will assume his new duties on August 23.

DRY AND WET
Texas is spotted with drought and flood points.

Texas Water Commission found that reservoirs declined a little in June. They wound up the month 76 per cent full, so there's room to store more floods when and if they come.

In general, Northeast Texas reservoirs are full, while those in South Texas are shrinking.

ROADS
Highway construction is one thing dry weather helps.

State Highway Engineer DeWitt C. Greer reported that contractors on state-federal projects completed \$24,073,319 worth of work during June.

But there's plenty yet to do. They hold contracts which total \$382,872,803 and another \$25,000,000 worth of contracts will be issued this week.

DO FENCE THEM IN
Texas Highway Department has endorsed the idea of building "median rails" on busy urban expressways.

Rails — heavy-duty fences which keep traffic from careening into opposite lanes — have been or will be installed on expressways around Houston, Fort Worth and Austin.

Also under development by highway engineers is a woven-wire mesh fence — similar to backyard chain-link jobs — to reduce headlight glare and to prevent pedestrians from crossing the freeways.

OIL HOLDS UP
Despite recommendations by several major oil buying firms

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that Texas production be cut in August, the Railroad Commission held the line.

Production will continue at the July rate 28.5% of capability of the wells. Independents praised the action.

SADLER ACTIVE
Land Commissioner Jerry Sadler continues to be much in the news.

Sadler disagreed with Governor Connally and Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr on seriousness of a state-federal dispute on reclaimed lands in the tidelands; swapped hot wires with ex-Sen. Bob Baker after Baker accused him of impeding Padre Island Seashore project; and insisted that Carr get Supreme Court concurrence or Carr's ruling that a new law reorganizing the School Land Board is valid.

SADLER ACTIVE
Texas Water Pollution Control Board granted a permit to discharge thousands of gallons of "treated effluent" into the waters

of Copano and Aransas Bays connection with plans for a new resort motel and marina; Lamar Townsite, Aransas County.

Objections voiced at public hearings led to the Commission action in instructing backers of the project — American Liberty Oil Company — to extend the point of discharge 500 feet farther out into the bay area.

STATE SCHOOL

Dr. James Turman, Director of the Texas Youth Council, defended his council's action in either firing — or retiring — Superintendent O. F. Perry of Gatesville State School.

Perry and his supporters claim too much interference from Austin, too little discipline of boys Youth Council denies this, contends policy differences cause the dismissal.

M. B. Kendrick was named to replace Perry.

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NAVY CHIEF G. L. VINYARD

Carl L. Vinyard of the Navy recruiting branch station at Slaton has announced he will in Slaton each Wednesday morning to take applications for enlistment. Chief Vinyard will be at the City Hall between 10 a. m. and 12:00 noon on announced dates to answer questions regarding Naval service, interviewing applicants for the "Buddy" program and Waves.

Chief Vinyard is a veteran of more than 12 years, serving on any type ships; the last five years service being on submarines with home ports in San Diego and Pearl Harbor.

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Representatives of the local law enforcing agencies will discuss methods of reducing the accident rate at the U. S. 84 project from 1.3 miles west of Slaton to Southland.

Announcement of the meeting was made by Engineer William F. Smith, O. L. Crain district engineer.

Police Activity

Jail Arrests: drunk, 7; simple assault, 1; vagrancy, 1; disturbance, 4.

Break-in and robbery at the "5 'til Late" grocery, 955 S. 9th, sometime Saturday night headed the local crime list this week, with some \$38 taken, plus merchandise. Four wrist watches were missing, together with two boxes of 30-30 shells, six or more boxes of 12 gauge shotgun shells, one box of 38 police specials, and possibly some gloves. Police still are checking out leads in this case.

Thursday night the city swimming pool was target of vandalism, diving boards being taken loose and thrown into the pool together with trash cans and soft drink boxes. The culprits probably scaled the fence enclosure to gain entry, police report.

John Butler of the Butler Monument Works reported that early last week someone took two pairs of pants from his parked car, and the same night someone hit a monument at his place of business, apparently striking it with a car, knocking it over and inflicting some \$40 damage.

A wheel, tire and hubcap were taken from a '56 Ford at the Davis Olds Used Car Lot, 150 W. Lynn, early this week.

Incidents of stabbing and simple assault were again reported this week in the colored and Latin sections of town.

Funeral Service Held, M. B. Tate

Funeral services for M. B. Tate, longtime area resident and carpenter, were conducted Friday in the First Baptist Church in Slaton.

Mr. Tate, 81, died early Wednesday in a Lubbock convalescent home. A native of Missouri, he resided at 200 E. 11th St. in Slaton.

Dr. Charles Wood, pastor, officiated at the services, with burial in Englewood Cemetery under direction of Williams Funeral Home. Masonic graveside services were conducted.

Surviving are the widow; one daughter, Mrs. Opal Young of San Bernardino, Calif.; a son, T. Ferguson, Roswell; two brothers, Mack and P. Y. Tate, both of Big Spring; one sister, Mrs. Zora Elkins, Hamlin; and three granddaughters.

BORN IN HOUSTON

Word has been received here of the birth of a baby girl on July 24th to Mr. and Mrs. Michel Herman of Houston. Mrs. Herman is the former Elaine Pickens of Slaton.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Troy Pickens, with great-grandparents Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Minor and Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Pickens, all of Slaton.

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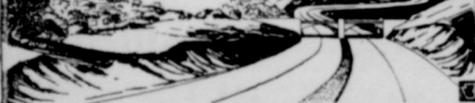
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Nowadays, however, "getting the farmer out of the mud" is one among many objectives of the national highway program. The automobile and the truck have become such an integral part of American life that good highway transportation is essential to the success of almost every activity. Industries, schools, churches and shopping centers share the farmer's vital concern with the highway program. Commuters get stuck in urban traffic jams more often than farmers get stuck in the mud.

The essentiality of highway transportation to the national economy and the national defense is reflected in the Federal-

aid highway program, which has assisted the States in the improvement of their highway networks since 1916.

Federal-aid expenditures for highways, increasing in line with the increase in highway travel, now approximate \$3 billion per year, all of which is collected by means of special taxes on highway users, chiefly the 4-cent-per-gallon Federal tax on gasoline.

These special tax receipts are allocated by Congress to four categories of Federal-aid highway expenditures: (1) aid to the State primary, or trunk-line, highways, (2) aid to farm-to-market roads, (3) aid for the improvement of city arterial streets and expressways and (4) aid in the construction of the 41,000-mile National System of Interstate and Defense Highways, the new system of coast-to-coast interconnected expressways designed to meet our defense needs and to serve as the backbone for our total highway network. The Federal government pays 90% of the construction cost of the Interstate highways and 50% on other Federal-aid highways.

State, local and Federal officials are all working together to coordinate their highway construction activities, recognizing that the roads are economic and social lifelines which are the key to better living for all of us.

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Bridal Shower Miss Bonnie Cole

Bridal shower last Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Cole. Blue linen covered the serving table, centered with a predominately blue flower arrangement, and appointed in crystal.

Approximately fifty guests were registered by Miss Collette Holt.

Background piano music was provided by Miss Areta Privett and Mrs. Mildred Lokey.

Sherlyn Mann presided at the serving table.

Miss Cole and Mr. Wicker plan an August 2 wedding.

Belinda Becker At Special Seminar

Belinda Becker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Becker of 1225 So. 12th, attended Leadership Training School this past week. It was held at Texas Lutheran College in Seguin, Texas, with 130 Texas youth attending. Rev. Nelson Trout, a member of the Youth Department of The American Lutheran Church, gave lectures during the Gospel Hour. Pastor Wilfred Sager of Dallas, Texas, was in charge of the World Hour.

Others attending from this area were: Melvin Sanders and Sherlyn Muehler; Lubbock; Zetha Rinne, Janis Maeker, and Rev. John Onda from Wilson.

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MERLE KING, SOCIETY EDITOR

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From Where I Stand

by Merle King



...of the city of Houston Saturday morning. A huge oak tree outside the girls' bedroom was struck and splintered by lightning. A clothes line attached to the tree, melted, as did the clothes pins, and garments hanging on the line were burned. To back up the story, Kathie brought home a piece of the tree trunk, with bits of bark . . . just in case anyone should doubt the "storm story!"

MR. and MRS. DEEN JACKSON drove to Roswell, New Mexico where they were weekend guests of MR. and MRS. LYNWOOD JEKEL and infant son.

Attending the 38th annual WOOLOVER reunion at Towle Park in Snyder during the past weekend were MR. and MRS. JAMES COLE and BETTY and CHARLES SHIRLEY, CONNIE and DAVID HODGES accompanied the coles on the outing, which was attended by 200 members and guests.

MRS. BERT NEELLEY, wife of the SLATONITE editor, is convalescing at her home following major surgery performed last Thursday at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Bluebonnet Club members are reminded of a picnic on Friday, August 2, 6:30 p. m. at the Slaton Clubhouse. Family members and houseguests are invited for the affair.

Excitement came with the ring of the telephone at the home of MR. and MRS. RAY MILLER late Monday. Their son, PFC. BILLY MILLER was calling from New York City, having just arrive from Germany, to say he was on his way home. After being away for almost three years, the Slaton native was expected here at mid-week. Billy was stationed at Asehaufenburg and was able to visit with relatives living only 100 miles away.

Back home after a two week visit in Houston are MISSES MOLLIE and KATHY MITCHELL, daughters of MR. and MRS. M. C. MITCHELL. They were houseguests of MR. and MRS. C. C. SPRINGER.

The girls reported most vividly, an electrical storm, which

New Officers Are Announced By The Slaton Art Club

New officers were elected by acclamation by the Slaton Art Club at a called meeting Tuesday morning, July 30, in the home of Mrs. Claude Anderson. They are Mrs. Truett Fulcher, president; Mrs. Martin Collins, vice-president; Mrs. Ellis Schmid, secretary-reporter; Mrs. Yates Key, critic; and Mrs. Byron Johnson, treasurer.

"Christmas All The Year" was the topic for the round table discussion. The centerpiece was an original creation of the "Three Wise Men" in papiermache, by Mrs. Key.

Methodist Group Planning Trip To Texas Points

A group of Slaton youths from the Senior High Methodist Youth Fellowship organization will leave Monday on a trip to several Methodist-supported institutions within the state.

Included on the trip itinerary is the Kerville Community Center, a trip to Austin where the group will go through the capital and visit a negro college, going from there to Waco for a visit at the Methodist Children's Home. Next stop will be Dallas where they will inspect Southern Methodist University and the Perkins Seminary. En route home they will tour Six Flags at Ft. Worth, and will visit McMurry College at Abilene. The tour will be of four day duration.

ATTEND ANNUAL PICNIC

Dr. and Mrs. Joe Belote recently attended the annual picnic of the South Plains Optometric Society. Dr. and Mrs. C. Earl Hildreth of Lubbock were host and hostess for the affair that included a swim in the Hildreth backyard pool, a picnic meal and social hour.

United States from his homeland of Germany.

MR. and MRS. ARDEN MAEKER and MARYLAND and PAM have returned to their New York home after a visit here with her parents, MR. and MRS. EARL MORRIS.

Visitors the past week in the Morris home included a son and daughter-in-law, MR. and MRS. MAURICE MORRIS, and her mother, MRS. TILLY POZINE of Sioux City, Iowa. The Maurice Morrises reside in Houston and had been vacationing in Iowa and the mountains of Colorado.

Guests of the local family from Ruidoso, New Mexico, were MRS. J. L. GARY and her daughter, MRS. H. L. HUBBARD and BETH, BECKY and JANNA of Carlsbad, New Mexico

Becker Reunion Sunday, July 28

On Sunday, July 28th, 131 members of the Becker family had their annual reunion. They gathered at the Slaton V. F. W. hall for a noon meal. Mrs. Floyd Forrester sang a selection for the group, accompanied by Belinda Becker. Members of the different families were introduced. Mrs. Hulda Becker Moritz, Stamford, was presented with a corsage for being the oldest relative. She is 87 years old. The youngest relative attended was Angela Becker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Becker of Slaton. During the business meeting it was decided that next year's reunion would be held at Stamford, Texas.

Families that attended the reunion were: Mrs. Pauline Gruener and son, Ronnie, Houston; Mrs. Emma Reuemer, Sealy; Mrs. Hattie Rathbein, Sealy; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moritz and sons, Mr. Roy Moritz, Mrs. Hulda Moritz, and Mr. and Mrs. Al Smith and Iris, all from Stamford; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crews and family, Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hatcher and family, Logan, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lunsford and Mike, and Mrs. Ewald Becker, all from Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. George Becker and family, Austin; Mrs. Tillie Krause and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Krause, Tahoka; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Horn, Soudown; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Becker, Jr., and family, Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Becker and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Becker, Brownfield.

Others were Mr. and Mrs. James Becker and family, Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Bunnell Mueller and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wardrup and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Becker and family, Debbie, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Forrester and family all from Lubbock.

Also attending from Wilson were: Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Wilke, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Wilke and family, Mr. and Mrs. August Becker, Southland.

Mr. and Mrs. Bo Becker and sons, Mr. and Mrs. James Riney and Cathy, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Becker and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Lehman Bartley and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Sander and Susan, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Becker and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Dillard and family, Charles Becker, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Becker and Belinda, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wilke and family Mr. and Mrs. Willie Becker, Jr. and David, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schaffner, and the Rev. and Mrs. Jimmie Herklotz and Timothy, all from Slaton.

Peebles Enrolled At A & M Adjunct

Gary L. Peebles, son of Lee D. Peebles is among the record 172 freshman enrolled this six weeks at the Texas A&M Adjunct near Junction.

RETURN TO CALIFORNIA

ter Debbie left Sunday for Mrs. Ruth Usery and daughter from Fresno, Calif., after visiting for 10 days with Mrs. Usery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Houssour, and other relatives.

Lake Brownwood Scene Of Smith Family Reunion

Descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. Horace Smith of Slaton gathered for a reunion at Lake Brownwood July 27-28. Swimming, boating, and fishing were diversion with the main event a dinner on Sunday in the cabin of Mrs. Hattie Cade.

The group decided to make the reunion an annual affair.

Family members present were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Smith and Linda, Billie Faye Dillard and Sherry, Mr. and Mrs. James Smith and Gregory and Bryan, and Tommy Johnson, all of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Smith and Renne from Gregory, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Irby G. Smith and Zerva of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Owen and Van of Hawley, Texas.

Present from Slaton were Wayne K. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith and Chuck and David, Mrs. Hattie L. Cade, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cade, Deborah, Cindy and Marsha; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Smith, Jr. of Hooks, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Barnard

Smith of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith and Mark and Jeff from Waco; and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cade, and Sherry and Conrad of Cotton Center, Texas.

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AUGUST, 1963

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Emerson said, "The only way to have a friend is to be one." There is no more lasting treasure than a good friend.

FRIENDS ARE GAINED BY DEVOTION.
True friends are each proud of the other's good qualities and forgive and overlook faults.

FRIENDSHIP SOLVES MOST PROBLEMS.
When the "Golden Rule" guides our relations with others, so that we treat them with the consideration we would like to receive, more joy is shared.

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Newcomers List Compiled by C-C

At least 38 newcomers to Slaton have been checked in latest Chamber of Commerce survey released Tuesday.

Included are the following families:

Jimmie Jean Edwards and children, Elsa, 16, and Forrest, 4, are living at 920 W. Lynn, moving here from a 15 year residence at Midland.

Aaron and Yvonne Glidewell are residing at 1150 W. Lynn, coming here from Madison, Iowa. He is employed by the Orkin Exterminator firm at Lubbock, and she works for an insurance company there.

Roy and Linda Martin and Terrance, age 21 months, have moved to 615 S. 9th. He is an encyclopedia salesman, moving here from Dallas.

Charles A. and Wilma Burgett, together with children Debra, 5, Timothy, 3, and Clayton, 1½, have moved here from Longville, Louisiana. He is a bricklayer.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Roberts and children Cynthia, 13; Barbara, 10; and Danny, 10; live at 636 W. Division. He is a truck driver in Lubbock.

J. O. and Esta Lee Richardson and J. O., Jr., are at Rt. 2N, 9th Street, moving here from Earth. He is a mechanic at the Montgomery-Schnell Implement firm.

David and Dorothy Basey, 1120 S. 11th, have three children: Jefferson, 6, Doris, 4, and Ruby Aaron, 1. Coming here from Belton, he is a night attendant at the Geer Texaco station.

John and Bernell Williams and three children, Johnnie, 20 yrs., Brenda, 12, and Shirley, 8, are new residents from Lubbock. They live at 900 S. 9th, and he is operator of the Slaton Used Furniture Company.

Newlyweds Kenneth and Harriett Moore, both of Slaton, are living at 255 N. 4th. He is a stockman at Piggly Wiggly.

Kennie Show, bachelor, lives at 320 W. Lynn, and he is a routeman for the Dr. Pepper Bottling Company.

R. J. and Mary Given have moved to 430 S. 2nd St., from Lubbock where he has lived for 17 years. He is employed by Lubbock Co-op Oil Mill.

Gloria Jean Rose is a new resident at 930 Okla., and Nick Gonzales is a newcomer at 635 S. 5th Street.

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BANDAIDS, Johnson & Johnson, Regular 65c Retail, Large Size 43c
SKIN CREAM, Noxzema, Regular \$1.35 Retail, Plus 9c Tax, 10 Oz. Bottle 88c
TOOTH PASTE, Colgate, Regular 53c Retail, Giant Size 39c

TEA, Tender Leaf, 8c Off Label, 8 Oz. Package 69c
INSTANT MILK, Belle, Non Fat, 14 Quart Size 89c
INSECT BOMB, Real Kill, Orange, Push Button, 14 Oz. Size 79c
COFFEE, Folger's, Drip, Fine or Regular, 1 Pound Can 65c
COFFEE, Folger's, Drip, Fine or Regular 2 Pound Can \$1.29
APPLESAUCE, Whitehouse 2 No 303 Cans 35c

All Vegetable
Highly Unsaturated

CRISCO

3 69c
Can

Apricots
Corn
Pineapple
Toilet Tissue
Cooking Oil
Pork 'n' Beans

Hunt's, Whole Unpid in Heavy Syrup	No. 2 1/2 Cans	\$1
Marshall Golden Cream Style Or Whole, Kernel	8 No. 303 Cans	\$1
Santa Rosa Crushed In Juice	6 No. 300 Cans	\$1
Northern Assorted Colors 4c off Label	4 Roll Pack	25c
Bessie Lee Corn Oil 24 oz. Bottle		39c
Campfire	12 No. 300 Cans	\$1

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PEACHES	California, Extra Fancy Freestones, Pound	15c
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NEW POTATOES, Fresh Red, Pound		5c
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BEANS	Green Libby Cut	5 No. 303 Cans	\$1
OLEO	Elgin, Colored Pound Pkg.		12 1/2c

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- SUGARINE, Diet Sweetner, Liquid, 4 Oz. Bottle **59c**



AN OPEN LETTER TO OUR PRESIDENT, MR. HERBERT WILCOX:

Congratulations, Mr. Wilcox, on the 10th Anniversary of our Company! We, (all 2,500 of us), wish to take this opportunity to congratulate you on the spectacular growth of our Company, Shop Rite Foods, Inc., since its beginning in July, 1953. Many of us have witnessed this steady progress over the past ten years, and as our Company has expanded and grown from one to 73 Stores, we, too, have enjoyed opportunity for advancement in our chosen careers within the food industry.

Your leadership has opened many avenues of opportunity for employment in the communities in which we live. Our Company is an outstanding example of free enterprise operating in a free America . . . and we are proud to be a part of it.

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- T-BONE STEAK, Armour Star, Aged, Heavy Beef, "Valu-Trim", Pound **98c**
- SHOULDER ROAST, Armour Star, Aged Heavy Beef, "Valu-Trim", Center Cut, lb. **59c**
- HEN TURKEYS, Clary's, Grade A, Broad-breasted Bronze, 8 to 12 lb. Average, lb. **39c**
- HAMS, Hormel's, Cure 81, Fully Cooked, Boneless, Half or Whole, Pound **98c**
- LUNCHEON MEAT, Butcher Boy, Bologna Pickle, or Mocaroni & Cheese, 6oz. Pkg. **29c**
- LINK SAUSAGE, Hormel's, Little Sizzlers, 12 Oz. Package **39c**
- SLICED BACON, Hormel's, Dairy Brand, Pound **63c**
- BEEF STEAKS, Blue Marrow, ThrifT, 20 Oz. Package **79c**

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TOILET SOAP, Lifebouy, Assorted Colors **2 Bath Bars 35c**

TOILET SOAP, Lux, Assorted Colors **3 Regular Bars 33c**

TOILET SOAP, Lux, Assorted Colors **2 Bath Bars 33c**

RINSO, Blue Detergent 10c Off Label, Gaint Box **69c**



LOOK MOM! NO SKIN! Making her debut at the 15 State Fair of Texas in Dallas October 5 through 20 will be Visi-Belle, center, in hat, the talking (natural) Transparent Woman. Marla and Cindy Hill, left & right, thought it hilarious that they "could see right through that woman." Visi-Belle will star in the Dal Health and Science Museum's special State Fair presentation, "The Story of Life."

Post Stampede and Junior Rodeo Combined, Set For August 7-10

The Post Stampede and Southwestern Championship Junior Rodeo, Post's two-in-one western show, will be held Wednesday through Saturday, August 7-10.

Post's two rodeos are being combined this year for the first time. There will be 13 events in all, six for the seniors and seven for the juniors.

Prize money, as always at a Post rodeo, is plentiful. In addition, buckles will be awarded winners of each of the 13 events and hand-made saddles to the best all-around in divisions.

The opening day rodeo will be at 6 p. m. Wednesday, August 7. There will be each night on an enlarged pavilion with music by Ilen and the Sunset Ramb

Each rodeo performance begin at 8 p. m., with the entry scheduled 15 minutes each night.

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Mrs. Peggy Sledge Retires From S. Customs Service Tenure

Mrs. Peggy Sledge, longtime resident and a former agent at the Slaton High School, has been signally honored at her home in Brownsville according to newspapering this week forwarded to the Slatonite.

Mrs. Sledge, as she is known to most of Brownsville, is the widow of the late Robert Lee Sledge, who died in 1941, leaving two sons nine and seven years of age. He had been in the Customs Service 10 years and was a Deputy Collector at the time of his death.

will "ambassador" to many entering the United States for the first time, and she will truly be missed by a host of friends from both sides of the Rio Grande.

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Joins Customs
Peggy joined the customs "family" on Jan. 30, 1942 as a customs guard, an appointive position. In 1945 she received a temporary appointment as inspectress pending competitive civil service examination the following year, when she kept the same post on a permanent basis.

H. E. Outlaw, Deputy Collector in Charge at the Brownsville port of entry since 1958, said:

"Mrs. Sledge has performed her duties in a most efficient manner; she as always conducted herself in such a way as to be a credit to the service. She is considerate of all people regardless of their station in life.

That statement, referring to her work, is matched by her friends speaking of her as a woman. She is always available if a friend needs help. She can find time in the busiest day to rush to a neighbor's injured child to a doctor, to drive a friend to the train or bus or on an errand, or to pay a visit to someone ill and lonely.

Family
The Sledge family has grown with the years. It now includes, besides Peggy, her sons Robert W. Sledge, a Methodist minister, his wife Majorie and their two children, Margaret Ann and Robert Lee; and James W. D. Sledge, his wife Louise and their children, Valerie Ann and Michael Dale. Robert (Robbie) was recently assigned to the Nebraska Wesleyan university as instructor in history and ministry.



MRS. PEGGY SLEDGE

Retirement from a full time and demanding job after almost a quarter of a century marks a definite milestone in her life and will mean a sharp new pattern, but it will not leave a void in the scheme of things for the versatile Peggy. It means she will have more time for a lot of other things. She likes to paint, write, cook, sew and browse in antique shops.

Has Collection
Mrs. Sledge has a large collection of music boxes and musical instruments ranging from a melodeon to a miniature locket. Included in the collection is an old pedal organ which was the first musical instrument used in a local church. She has been collecting these for 20 years.

About 30 years have gone into her collection of salt and pepper shakers, numbering some 2000 pairs which line the walls of her dining room. Both of these collections are partly of her own selection and partly the gifts of friends.

Also in the nature of a hobby is the personal Christmas card sent by Mrs. Sledge to her large circle of friends and business acquaintances. Like most hobbies, this one began with a need. Losing her husband shortly before Christmas, she tried to fill the emptiness with many things and one of them was the self-designed cards. In the 21 years since the number of cards has grown from the 26 sent the first Christmas, to 525 sent last year. While much of the work has been turned over to a printing company, the actual assembling and addressing is still done by hand. Each year's card has a new theme, worked out in original verse.

In the 1920's, Mrs. Sledge took a fling at newspapering and worked hard at it for several years. During those years she did everything necessary—hand-set type, operated a linotype, fed the press and wrote news copy. For a time she was editor of a weekly newspaper, the Slatonite in Slaton, Texas.

After her marriage she worked for some time in a job printing plant in San Antonio. While in service she wrote a column about local employees for the Frontier Customs Service publication.

Mrs. Sledge is a member of the First Methodist Church and has found time to work in several organizations, including the Texas Press Women, Inc., in which she is currently a district president.

Peggy is frequently asked "What are you going to do after retirement?" She says blithely, "Well there are several roads open to me. I expect I'll take one of them."

A final note, she will probably take all of them.



MASONS START BUILDING FOR LITTLE CHILDREN

The cornerstone of a building for pre-school age children of Masonic Home and School in Fort Worth was leveled recently by George R. M. Montgomery of Fort Worth, right, Past Grand Master of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Texas and president of the Masonic Home board of governors. The building is scheduled for completion about January 1, 1964.

in its current modernization program. A new school building will be occupied this fall. Shown putting mementos in the cornerstone box are several three-to-six-year-old children who will benefit from home-like facilities of the building. On the left is Hugh M. Craig of Fort Worth, Masonic Past Grand Master and member of the Masonic Home Independent School District board. He is a graduate of the school.

A substantial part of the building cost came from the Mary E. Bryant Estate. The building is the fourth addition to the Masonic Home campus

Children and grandchildren of Masons are eligible for admission to Masonic Home and School

State Citation Art Exhibition Planned By Democratic Women

Women of the Democratic Party in Texas will sponsor a State Citation Art Exhibition September 14 and 15 and will give scholarship and merit awards to the outstanding entries.

through the twelfth grade including 1963 graduates. Each district may submit four top entries to be judged in the scholarship award division and its top two entries for judging in the merit division at the state level. The state jury will consist of the recognized critics of the arts.

The exhibition will be held at the JAL Ranch in Alvarado and a \$500 scholarship award to be used for advanced study in any of the visual arts will be presented by Governor John Connally on behalf of the women of Texas' Democratic Party.

Elimination contests will be held during August in each of the 31 senatorial districts in Texas under the direction of the State Democratic committee women representing the districts.

Elimination contest for District 28 which includes Andrews, Cochran, Crosby, Dawson, Gaines, Hockley, Lubbock, Lynn, Martin, Terry and Yoakum counties is scheduled for August 30th in Brownfield. All entries will be on exhibit at the Brownfield Savings and Loan Assn., 201 W. Broadway, on this date.

Entry blanks and further details may be obtained by writing Mrs. Howard Hurd, 1008 E. Tate, Brownfield.

"The purpose of this competition is to encourage young people to become more aware of the tradition of the great heritage of Texas. The women of the Democratic Party of Texas are sponsoring this exhibit and competition in accordance with Governor Connally's emphasis on excellence in education," said Mrs. Alfred Negley, vice-chairman of the SDEC.

All entries must have been executed within the past two years and must be accompanied by a sketch evidencing ability in subjective delineation. Work done under supervision is not eligible.

Media to be considered are oils, pastels, tempera, casein, water color, drawings in pen and ink, pencil or charcoal, and mixed media.

The scholarship division of the judging is open to high school students from the ninth

July 5th:
To Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Moore, Tahoka, an 8 lb boy.

July 6th:
Mr. and Mrs. Leo Henderson, Rt. 1, Lubbock, a girl, 7 lbs 15 oz.

July 7th:
Mr. and Mrs. Gregorio Gonzalez, Wilson, an 8 lb 4 oz boy.

July 8th:
Mr. and Mrs. Jessie R. Frazier, Rt. 1, Lubbock, a girl, 7 lbs 15 oz.

July 9th:
Mr. and Mrs. Tim Bourn, Rt. 1, Lubbock, a girl, 7 lbs 15 oz.

July 10th:
Mr. and Mrs. William Chancy, Tahoka, a boy, 7 lbs 11 1/2 oz.

July 11th:
Rev. and Mrs. Keith Wiseman, Lubbock, a girl, Kimberly Ann, 7 lbs 9 1/2 oz.

July 12th:
Lubbock, a girl, 7 lbs 9 1/2 oz.

July 13th:
Lubbock, a girl, 7 lbs 9 1/2 oz.

July 14th:
Mr. and Mrs. James Ford, 120 W. Edwards, Slaton, became the parents of a girl, Paula, 5 lbs 6 oz.

July 15th:
To Mr. and Mrs. Billy Franklin Roberts, Rt. 1, Lubbock, girl, Lolita Ann, 6 lbs 14 oz.

July 16th:
Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Paul Anderson, Rt. 1, Wilson, a boy, 7 lbs 10 oz.

July 17th:
Mrs. and Mr. Fred Kyle, 8 lbs 10 oz.

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Industry Payroll in Lubbock County Over \$4.7 Million Annually

Oil and gas production in Lubbock County is valued at \$1.2 million a year, Lubbock County citizens have a stake in the worldwide energy and the complex economic and political problems involving the petroleum industry, according to statistics released this week by Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association.

"We have pulled together some figures from the most authoritative sources so residents of Lubbock County can see how local pocketbooks are affected by some of the issues which involve our industry," said J. Clyde Tomlinson, Association president. "Issues of current concern include the proposals to cut percentage depletion rates, extension of federal controls over prices at which Texas producers sell their gas, and development of laws and production methods that will help Texas compete with other states and nations for markets."

The latest year for which U. S. Bureau of Mines figures are available (1961) shows Lubbock County producing more than 388,000 barrels of crude oil, valued at about \$12 million. In 1961 there were 82 producing oil wells in the county, according to the Texas Railroad Commission.

Although its first field was discovered 22 years ago, Lubbock County is the scene for the industry's continued search for oil and gas. Some 7 wells were drilled in the county last year, with 5 being wildcat exploratory wells, according to the Oil & Gas Journal. The Association estimated that more than \$608,000 was spent on drilling in the county this past year and that some \$434,000 of this went for dry holes. Close to \$100,000 was spent last year on geophysical crews using seismic devices to probe the underground formations of Lubbock County for possible drilling locations.

Leasing adds many thousands of dollars to the county's economy. Tabulations by the International Oil Scouts Association show major companies in 1961

SOUTHLAND and GORDON - NEWS -

Mr. and Mrs. El Denton's granddaughter, Mrs. Van Conard, and Pam and Cindy of Lubbock visited them last Friday. On Saturday the group went to Portales, visiting Dale Harrigan, Randy, Deborah, Theresa and Kelly.

Other recent visitors in the Denton home were Viola Privett, Martha, Kack, Rev. and Mrs. Eddie Fortson, Mrs. Noble Wynn and Tommy Jack Taylor. Frances Rackler, Elmer Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Pierce of Muleshoe were Tuesday visitors.

Attending the Antioch Baptist Church Conference a Lubbock resident was several Southland residents, including Rev. and Mrs. Fortson, Glass Davies, Mrs. Hub Taylor, Sharia Taylor, and Mrs.

Lucile Myers. Kelly Jo Myers visited Sunday at the Dabbs family reunion held at the Slaton clubhouse. Attending were family members from El Paso, Wichita Falls, Prescott, Ariz., Abilene, Fort Worth, Amarillo, Post, and Lubbock. A friend, Mrs. Clyde Haire, visited in the afternoon. Plans were made for another reunion in 1964.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gilliam went to San Angelo Friday where he was the best man at the wedding of his brother, Jerry Gilliam

Visiting with Mrs. Ed Milliken Monday were Mrs. Susie Bradshaw and Mrs. Opal Hagler. Mrs. Milliken had fallen and broken her arm.

Visiting with Mrs. E. C. Smallwood is her sister, Mrs. Loring Burdick, from Ventura, Calif.

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Area Ag. Teacher To Be Honored

J. T. Crumley, Roosevelt High School Vocational Agriculture Teacher since 1963 will be honored by the Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association of Texas in Dallas, August 7, according to Ralph S. Moser of Stephenville, president of the organization. Crumley will be presented the twenty year tenure award in appreciation of his service to the vocational agriculture teaching profession.

The award will be presented at the annual awards breakfast of the Association. The breakfast is a part of the state-wide conference of Vocational Agriculture Teachers and the 1963 conference will be exploring the various avenues of service rendered the Nation's Agriculture Education. Educational features of the four day meeting will be under the direction of George Hurt, Director of Agriculture Education Agency. He will be assisted by J. A. Marshall, Clemon Montgomery, E. L. Tiner and ten Area Supervisors, including Walter Labay of Plainview.

Crumley received the Bachelor of Science Degree at East Texas State College in Commerce and the Master of Science from Sam Houston State Teachers College in Huntsville. He also attended Texas A&M College.

Crumley is an active supporter of the Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association. He supervised the organization of the Roosevelt Young Farmers Chapter and serves as Chairman of the Lubbock District of Vocational Agriculture teacher organization. Vocational Agriculture Students under the supervision of Crumley participate in FFA Judging Contests, Leadership contests and activities and are active in livestock shows.

Approximately 1200 teachers and friends will attend the four day Dallas meeting.

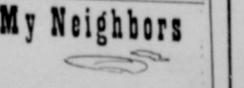
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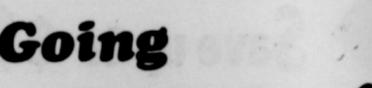
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