



MRS. LEON ANDERSON
... Dahlonna Winterrowd

Couple Exchanges Vows In Lubbock

Miss Dahlonna Lynn Winterrowd and Leon Anderson exchanged double ring wedding vows at 7 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 15, in the home of Mrs. Billie Gunter, Lubbock. The Rev. Dudley Strain, pastor of the Lubbock First Christian Church, officiated the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Paul E. Winterrowd and the late Paul E. Winterrowd of Southland. Anderson is the son of Mrs. Reuben Anderson of Wausa, Neb.

The bride wore a white street-length velvet dress with long Juliet sleeves. Mrs. Bill Stephens, matron of honor, wore a royal blue street-length velvet dress with Juliet sleeves. Best man was Freddy Baker

of Lubbock. The couple was honored with a reception following the ceremony. They will make their home in Lubbock.

Mrs. Anderson is a graduate of Southland High School and attended South Plains College and Texas Tech. She is employed by Investors, Inc. The bridegroom is a graduate of Wausa High School and served four years in the Army Air Force. He is employed by Johnson Service Co.

Harlan-Mosty Vows Read In Kerrville

Miss Emily Elizabeth Mosty of Center Point and Bobby Joe Harlan of Slaton were married in a double ring ceremony performed at 7 p.m. Nov. 15 in St. Peter's Episcopal Church of Kerrville, with Rev. M. M. Bond, pastor, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Mosty of Center Point, and parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. George H. Harlan, Rt. 1, Slaton.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white-alaskan-cut A-line gown with a yoke of heavy embroidered lace. Her veil, a family heir-

loom, was worn as a mantilla. The bride's attendants were her four sisters, including Mrs. James F. Hayes of Clarendon, Mrs. William M. Leonard of Oklahoma City, Okla., Miss Victoria Mosty of Austin and Miss Budy Mosty of Center Point.

They wore identical dresses of apple green with a back-belted empire waistline, and wore chartreuse spider mums in their hair. They carried cascades of chartreuse spider mums tied with moss green velvet.

Serving his brother as best man was Jerry Harlan of Slaton, and groomsmen were Wade Carter and Bill Davies of Slaton, and Fred Chaney of Midland, Commie Oats and Arthur Davies, both of Slaton, were ushers.

Richard Mosty of Center Point and Lee Turner of Kerrville served as acolytes, and flower girls were Juliana Leonard of Oklahoma City and Michelle Harlan of Slaton. Ring bearer was Rick Hayes of Clarendon.

Traditional wedding music was played by Mrs. Brad Benedict, organist, from San Antonio.

A reception was held following the ceremony in the home of the bride's parents. Following a wedding trip to San Antonio, the couple will live at 515 Plaza Apartments of Slaton.

The bride is a graduate of Texas Tech University. Harlan attended San Angelo State College.

A rehearsal dinner for the couple and members of the wedding party was held at the Inn of the Hills in Kerrville.

Open House For Newlyweds In Harlan Home

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Joe Harlan, who were married in Kerrville Nov. 15, were honored with an open house reception from 2-5 p.m. Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Harlan.

Guests were greeted by Jerry Harlan and in the receiving line were the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Harlan, his parents who were also host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. George Harlan, Mrs. Judge Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Harlan and Michele.

The serving table was covered with a white linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of spider mums and stephanotis flanked on either side with white tapers in silver candelabra. Hand-painted cups, plates and punch bowl were used in serving. The refreshment table on the sun porch was covered with a white linen cloth and silver appointments were used to serve coffee, spiced tea and cookies.

Members of the house party include Mmes. Donald Norman, Jake Wendel, Roy Holt, Jack Dickson, Jimmy Wright, James Harlan Wright, Elton Smith, Larry Smith, J. C. Smith Jr., Bob Martin, Randy Sanders, Tom McCain, Don Kendrick, Douglas Livingston, A. J. McAllister, Wayne Runkles and Joe Miles.



MRS. BOBBY JOE HARLAN
... Beth Mosty

Rudy Magallanes In Service

The Girls Auxiliary of the Slaton Baptist Mission honored Rudy Magallanes with a farewell party Sunday at 2:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall of the church. Magallanes will report to Amarillo Nov. 25 to enlist and will be transferred to this week. He is the son of Mrs. Raymond Magallanes, a graduate of Slaton School and attended for two years.

Shower Honors Miss Ricker

A bridal shower, honoring Miss Deborah Ricker, bride-elect of Larry Neagle, was given last Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Jack Adamson, 3802 - 57th St., Lubbock.

Assisting Mrs. Adamson as hostesses were Mmes. George Jury, Ben Farr, Bill Hindman, Roy Smith, Bryan Pierce, John Young, Melvin Johnson and Corliss Reynolds.

Guests attending from Slaton included Mrs. Harvey Tunnell, Mrs. K. E. Warshaw and Mrs. Opal Young, great-aunt of the honoree.

Greeting guests were Miss Ricker, her mother, Mrs. Ray Ricker Jr., and Mrs. Roy Neagle of Lubbock, mother of the bridegroom-elect.

The serving table was covered with a lace cloth over white, and centered with a miniature bride and groom. The honoree's chosen colors of green and white were used in the decorations. Refreshments were served to approximately 40 persons.

Hostess gift was a three-piece cookware set.



MRS. CHARLES CURETAN
... Scharlett White

Curetán-White Vows Read In California

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace White of La Habra, Calif. and former Slaton residents, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Scharlett, to Charles Curetan of Dathan, Ala. The couple was wed Nov. 14 in La Habra.

She is a 1968 graduate of Slaton High School and is employed with Bullock. Her husband is in the US Navy and is stationed in Long Beach, Calif. The couple plans to be in Slaton this weekend returning from a wedding trip to Alabama. They will be visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. DeBusk.

Bridal Showers Honor Miss Harris

Miss Garene Harris, bride-elect of Gerald Dwayne Smith, was honored with a spice and rice shower Nov. 16 from 3 to 4 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Bing Bingham. Assisting with hostess duties were Misses Barbara Bingham and Gay Ivey.

Special guests were mothers of the couple, Mrs. Will Harris of New Home and Mrs. J. B. Smith of Slaton.

Hostess gift was a spice rack which guests attending filled with spices. Those attending

made rice bags.

Another bridal shower was given Nov. 9 in honor of Miss Harris. The shower was given in the home of Mrs. Buford Duff.

Mrs. Duff and guests, including Mmes. John Dodson, Jerry Harlan, Bill Alspaugh, Wayne Liles, J. L. Cartrite, John Thornbury and William Jones presented the honoree with an electric skillet and cut glass bowl.

Miss Harris was honoree at a gift coffee Saturday morning, Nov. 15, in the home of Mrs. Jay Gray. Mrs. Gray and several women from Westview Baptist Church presented Miss Harris with an electric blender.

On Oct. 25, Mrs. M. G. Davis honored Miss Harris with a shower in her home. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Buford Duff and Gay Ivey. A group of teachers and the hostesses presented the honoree with an electric coffee maker.

Miss Harris was the guest of Jackie McElfresh and Vicki Tumlinson at dinner and a style show in the Gold Room at Hemphill Wells. They presented Miss Harris with a robe.

A miscellaneous shower was given Oct. 28 in Fellowship Hall of the New Home Baptist Church honoring Miss Harris. Hostess gift was china.

Wedding date for the couple is Nov. 26 in the New Home Baptist Church.

Past Matrons Elect Officers

The Past Matrons Club met last Monday in the home of Mrs. H. E. Woods with Mrs. Eugene Eddings, president, conducting a business session. Opening prayer was led by Mrs. Douglas Wilson.

Officers elected to serve for the coming year include Mrs. Virgie Hunter, president; Mrs. J. D. Barry, vice-president; Mrs. R. J. Clark, secretary; and Mrs. J. A. Elliott, treasurer.

Mrs. Wade Thompson and Mrs. R. M. McMinn were initiated into the club as new members. Mrs. R. J. Clark, assisted by Mrs. Mabel Vaughn, conducted the initiation ceremony. Mrs. Dudley Berry was also welcomed into the club. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Woods to 13 members.

1/2 Price Sale

Barbara Gould

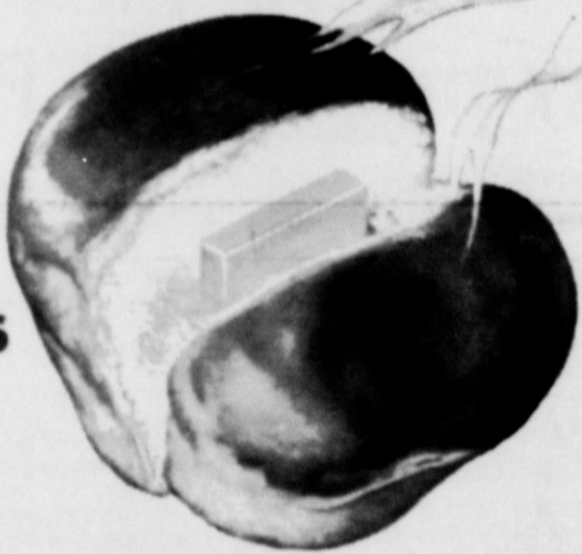
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Ethridge-Keese Vows Exchanged

Miss Cheryl Jean Keese and Doyle Gene Ethridge were united in marriage Saturday evening in double ring marriage vows at the Slaton Church of Christ, Homer Jones, Church of Christ minister and uncle of the bride, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Keese. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ethridge. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white peau de sole formal-length gown accented with lace appliques. Her long veil of silk illusion was held by an organza rose. She carried a nosegay of carnations centered with an orchid.

Mrs. Lloyd McCullough of Amarillo served as matron of honor for the bride. Other attendants were Mrs. Doug Keese, sister-in-law of the bride, and Miss Diane McMeekan. They wore long A-line dresses of avocado green satin with brocade down the front. The dresses had small stand-up collars and narrow cuffs made of brocade. Each carried a nosegay of white carnations with avocado streamers. Their veils were held with a bow.

The groom's best man was Charles Gravel of Brownwood. Groomsmen were Lloyd McCullough of Amarillo and Arthur Davies. Ushers were Stephen Lynn Ethridge, brother of the groom, Kenneth Winchester and Doug Keese, brother of the bride.

Candlelighters were Debbie Hoover and Mandy Dansbee of Lubbock, cousins of the bride.

Diana Sikes was flower girl. Soloists were Donald Sikes and Mickey Mason of Southland. The couple greeted guests at a reception in the Fellowship Hall of the church after the wedding. They plan to live at 916 84th St., Lubbock.

Mrs. Ethridge is a 1968 graduate of Slaton High School and Commercial College. She is employed by Santa Fe here. A 1968 graduate of SHS, Ethridge is attending South Plains College in Levelland.

Club Plans Christmas Party

The Civic and Culture Club met Wednesday, Nov. 19, in the home of Mrs. H. V. Wheeler with Mrs. J. C. McDougal serving as co-hostess.

The program was given by Mrs. M. L. German entitled, "A Fascinating Journey". She told of her travels and visit in Hawaii and Japan, showing slides and narrating the different places she visited. She also displayed several souvenirs.

Plans were made for a Christmas luncheon to be held Dec. 17 in the home of Mrs. A. L. Saage. The civic committee collected gifts to send to the State Hospital at Big Spring.

Members attending were Mmes. H. E. Anderson, B. H. Crandall, R. C. Hall, E. R. Legg, Fred Schmidt, H. T. Scurlock, R. L. Smith, R. E. Switzer, R. H. Todd, German, Saage, Wheeler and McDougal.



MR. AND MRS. J. H. FLOYD

Observe 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Floyd of Lewisville, Tex. and former Slaton residents, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Dec. 8.

Their children will be hosts for an open house in their honor at the home of their daughter in Richardson Sunday, Dec. 7, from 3 to 5 p.m.

Mr. Floyd, a native of Spartanburg, S.C. and the former Fannie Stubblefield were married in Post on Dec. 8, 1919 with Rev. Kidd officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd have three children, James of Amarillo, Leroy of New Orleans, and Delrine Roberts of Richardson. They have six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Thanksgiving Dinner Meeting Held Friday

The Senior Citizens held their annual Thanksgiving dinner meeting last Friday and announced the regular weekly meeting would not be held Friday, Nov. 28.

Mrs. Fannie Patterson, president, cooked turkey and dressing for the club and members took various dishes. After hearing a speaker and eating, members played dominoes.

The Rev. James Tidenberg, a Baptist missionary from Africa who held a revival last week at the First Baptist Church, was speaker for the occasion. He told about life in Africa and displayed several articles brought from that country.

The opening prayer was given by F. B. Sexton and Rev. J. L. Cartrite, pastor of the First Baptist Church, prayed the closing prayer. He and Mrs. Cartrite and Rev. Tidenberg joined the group for lunch.

Twenty-eight members attended. Out of town guests were Mrs. Bob Collingsworth of Seymour, sister of Mrs. Anna Bell Tucker; Mrs. W. A. Guinn of San Angelo and Mrs. J. P. Manly of Post, sisters of Mrs. M. E. Morris; Mrs. Jimmy Pettigrew, Mrs. F. M. McAnear and Mrs. B. W. Walston.



As we pause to give thanks for all the blessings that are ours...

for this great nation... for freedom to worship... for freedom of the press... and for all the freedoms we have, We, at The Slatonite, also express sincere gratitude to all the people of this city and area who have helped us to prosper as a community newspaper.

Our hope and goal is that we may continue to serve the community, to publish a newspaper of which citizens will be proud, and to always strive for fair and impartial news reporting.

The Slatonite

Miss Alexander Honored With Bridal Shower Engagement Announced

Miss Linda Alexander, bride-elect of Oliver Thompson Jr., was honored with a miscellaneous shower last Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Zack Payton, Rt. 6, Lubbock.

Special guests included Mrs. Robert Alexander and Mrs. Lonnie Williams, mother and grandmother of the bride-elect; Mrs. M. N. Thompson and Mrs. Horace Atwood, grandmother of the prospective bridegroom; Mrs. David Alexander and Miss Karnella Alexander, sister-in-law and sister of the honoree.

Miss Alexander's chosen colors of blue and white were used in the decorations. Hostess gift was an electrical appliance.

Hostesses for the occasion included Mmes. Bill Slater, Glenn Allen Jr., Ford Bell, Cecil Dickey, Ray Maeker, Moody White, Caylord Kinard, Harold Flournoy, John Griffin, Olan Mabray, Marvin Hall, Bertia Reiger, Dick Cade, Jack Blevins, Don Catlett and Payton.

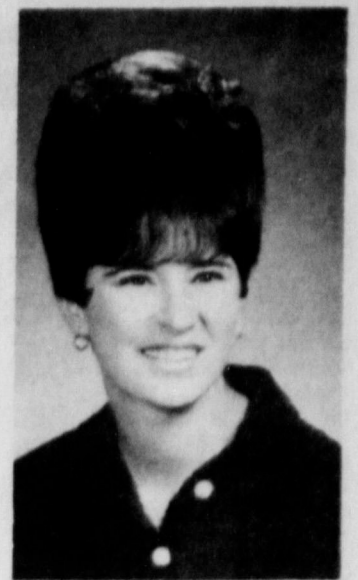
The couple plans to marry Dec. 27 in the Woodrow Baptist Church.

Mrs. D. B. Kiser of Slaton has announced the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Marchita Kay, to David Spence Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jones of Killeen.

Miss Kiser, a granddaughter of Mrs. Erna Bruckner of Slaton, graduated from Texas Tech University with a BBA degree in retailing. While at Tech, she played in the band and was a member of Tau Beta Sigma. She is presently employed as an assistant buyer for the Zale Corporation in Dallas.

Jones is a graduate of Texas A&M with a BA degree in journalism. He was a member of Sigma Delta Chi and played in the A&M Band. He presently serves as editor of the Exchange Post for the Army and Air Force Exchange Service in Dallas.

The wedding has been set January 24 in the First Baptist Church of Slaton.



MARCHITA KISER

C. F. Austin, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Ruth Crawford in Clovis, N.M., plans to return home Saturday. Mr. Austin became ill while there and was a patient in a Clovis hospital for some 10 days. He was released last Saturday.

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WILSON NEWS

BY MARGRET BARTLEY

Mustangs In Bi-District Play

The Wilson Mustangs will go into action again at 2:30 p.m. Thursday at Levelland against the Sundown Roughnecks as they make a bid for the Bi-district championship, and a chance at the regional title next week. According to Coach Al Mitts, the team will leave Wilson at 11:00 a.m. Thursday, and everyone is urged to come out to the game and boost the Mustangs to victory. He had nothing but appreciation and praise for the community support he and the team received this season. The Mustangs' seven senior starters have shown leadership and co-operation throughout the year which has left them with a fine record to finish their high school career. Coach Mitts and his staff, Joe Downey and Terry Harvick, said that it has been a

pleasure working with this fine ball team, and appreciate the effort put forth by them. The Mustangs go into the Bi-district competition with an 9-1 record. The Roughnecks have an eight-two record.

VISITING
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hutcheson and son, Ricky, of Scott AFB, Ill. have been here for a week visiting with their parents, Mrs. Mildred Hutcheson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shaw. Jerry Hutcheson of Andrews spent the weekend visiting his mother, Mrs. Mildred Hutcheson, Jerry is employed by Pan American Oil in Andrews.
Mrs. Virgil Henderson has returned home after visiting in Jacksonville with her mother who is ill.

COTTON BALE COUNT
The bale count from the Wilson gins is rising steadily with the good weather holding out this week. Available reports show Wilson Co-op Gin - 1538; Wayside Co-op-1314; and Gatzki Gin 700, late Sunday afternoon, for a total of 3552.
JR. HI WORKERS
Concession stand workers for the junior high basketball games are as follows: Dec. 1 - (St. Joseph) Lorain Crowson, Hazel Walker, Helen Autry; Dec. 8 - (Meadow) Nelta Moore, Joyce Kahlich, Mary Coleman; Jan. 5 - (Ropes) Ina Savell, Bessie Martin, Mrs. Jeff Talkmitt; Jan. 19 - (New Home) Gladys Gickhorn, Venita Hobbs, Agnes Wuenschel; Feb. 2 - (Southland) Mrs. Loyd Christopher, Betty Anders, Mrs. Tommy Bedmarz.



WISHING WELL COMPLETED---Lois Rogers, 1505 W. Crosby, has completed another project in his back yard. This time it was a beautiful wishing well, complete with wooden bucket and pulley. Seen in the background is a barbecue grill and patio he has built. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

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SELF FURNITURE

er last week, winning both games. High point girls for high school were Karla Moore with 14 points, Jan Gatzki with 11, and NanSteen with 10 points. Leading the junior girls was Karen Martin with 15, Brenda Crowson with 9 and Marilyn Christopher with 6 points.

WHS BAND WINS "I"
The Mustang Band won a "I" (one) rating Wednesday in Class B at the Regional U.L.L. marching contest at Lowrey Field. Forty-eight members strong, Wilson was the only class B band to take a first place rating. There were five bands in this class. This is the first step toward another "Sweetstakes" Band under the direction of Coy Cook. They will participate in the concert and sight-reading contests in the Spring.

FIELD TRIP
Students in the kindergarten, first grade and second grade of St. Paul Lutheran School will spend Wednesday on a field trip to Lubbock. Mrs. Barbara Olsen, lower grades teacher, has made arrangements for the group to visit the Fire Department, the Public Library and Municipal Airport. They will return to school in time for the 2:30 dismissal for the Thanksgiving holidays.

GUZMAN HOME
Alfred Guzman returned home last week from Vietnam where he has been stationed with the Armed Forces. Guzman, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Guzman of Wilson, is here on a 30-day leave. His wife is the former Ophelia Garzas of Wilson.

ELEMENTARY HONOR ROLL
Only four students in the first six grades of Wilson Schools made all "A's" on their second six weeks report cards and they were all in the third grade. Making all "A's" were Kathleen Bedmarz, Tammy Kahlich, June Schweriner and Randy Steinhauer.
According to a report from Dale Sides, principal, 23 first graders made all "A's" and "B's". Ten second graders, seven third graders, 10 fourth graders, three fifth graders and nine sixth graders were also listed on the "A-B" honor roll.

Mini-Matter
Micro-organisms found in the dry valleys of Antarctica are among the smallest on earth. One species measures only a micron -- 1/25,000th of an inch in diameter.

WILSON MENUS

DEC. 1-5
Monday: Tamales w/Cheese, Cream Potato, Tomato Relish, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk, Atrocitos.
Tuesday: Frito Pie, Ranch-style Beans, Carrot Sticks, Orange Juice, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk, Coconut Cake.
Wednesday: Super Dogs, Pinto Beans, Coleslaw, Cornbread, Butter, Milk, Fruit Ambrosia.
Thursday: Beef Echlada, Fresh Potatoes, Spinach, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk, Jello.
Friday: Hamburger w/ Cheese, Pork & Beans, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles, Onions, Buns, Milk, Chips, Orange Juice, Butter Sugar Cookie.

Servicemen's Addresses Sought

The Slatonite hopes to start publishing servicemen's names and addresses in next week's issue. Those who are subscribing to The Slatonite will automatically be listed. Other addresses should be brought by The Slatonite no later than Dec. 8, so friends will have time to send them a Christmas greeting.

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ATTEND CHURCH	1 Lions Club--noon Boy Scout Troop 128--6:30 p.m. Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m. American Legion Act.--7:30 p.m. Catholic Daughters--8 p.m.	Lad. Sec. of L.P.&E.--7:15 p.m. B of L.P.&E.--7:30 p.m. Athletans--7:30 p.m. Jr. Civic & Culture--7:30 p.m. School Board--7:30 p.m.	3 Slaton Home Demonstration Club--1:30 p.m. NEED HELP? CALL FISH 828-6414	4 Well-Baby & Immunization Clinic B of R.T. Aux.--9:30 a.m. Rotary Club--noon Sla-Ten Tops--7 p.m. Kappa Kappa Iota--7 p.m. Slaton BB Tourney--Dec. 4, 5 & 6 Southland BB Tourney--Dec. 4, 5 & 6	5 Senior Citizens--9:30 a.m. Boy Scout Troop 128--7:30 p.m. American Legion Exec.--7:30 p.m.	6 Story Time at Library \$ 1/4% INTEREST NOW BEING PAID AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN ON 6 MONTHS CERTIFICATES OF \$1,000.
ATTEND CHURCH	8 CHRISTMAS OPENING Lions Club--noon Boy Scout Troop 128--6:30 p.m. Rainbow Girls--7 p.m. Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m. West Ward PTA--7:30 p.m. American Legion Act.--7:30 p.m. City Commissioners--7:30 p.m. School Board--7:30 p.m.	9 Home, Yo, Hinkers--9 a.m. BB Retirement--10 a.m. TABA--6:30 p.m. Chamber of Commerce--7:30 p.m. Bros. of RR Trainmen--7:30 p.m. OES No. 185--7:30 p.m. VFW & Auxiliary--8 p.m.	10 Ministerial Alliance--8:30 a.m. Blasennet Club Xmas party--8 p.m. Garden Club Xmas party--8 p.m. Knights of Columbus--7:30 p.m.	11 Slaton 7th Grade Inv. BB Tourney--Dec. 11-13 Rotary Club--noon Sla-Ten Tops--7 p.m. Blasennet--7:30 p.m. Lodge 1094, AF&AM--7:30 p.m.	12 Senior Citizens--9:30 a.m. Boy Scout Troop 128--7:30 p.m.	13 IT'S CONVENIENT TO SAVE AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN --ASK ABOUT THE METHOD THAT WOULD BE BEST FOR YOU. YOU'LL BE SURPRISED HOW FAST YOUR ACCOUNT WILL GROW IF YOU SAVE PART OF EACH PAY CHECK.
ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE	15 Lions Club--noon Boy Scout Troop 128--6:30 p.m. Daughters of Pioneers--7:30 p.m. Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m. American Legion Act.--7:30 p.m.	16 Past Matrons--7 p.m. Lad. Sec. of L.P.&E.--7:15 p.m. Athletans--7:30 p.m. Jr. Civic & Culture--7:30 p.m. B of L.P.&E.--7:30 p.m. Chapter No. 387, RAM--7:30 p.m. Connell No. 324, H&M--7:30 p.m. Scottish Rite--7:30 p.m.	17 Civic & Culture Xmas Luncheon Slaton Home Demonstration Club--1:30 p.m. PASSBOOK SAVINGS ACCOUNT PAYS 4 1/2% INTEREST, COMPOUNDED QUARTERLY.	18 B of R.T. Aux.--9:30 a.m. Rotary Club--noon Friends of Library--Immunization Clinic Xmas Party at Nursing Home Sla-Ten Tops--7 p.m. American Legion & Act.--7:30 p.m.	19 Senior Citizens--9:30 a.m. Boy Scout Troop 128--7:30 p.m. Xmas holidays -- Wilson, Dec. 19-Jan. 5; Cooper, Dec. 19-Jan. 5; Southland, Dec. 19-Dec. 29.	20 PASSBOOK SAVINGS ACCOUNT PAYS 4 1/2% INTEREST, COMPOUNDED QUARTERLY.
ATTEND CHURCH	22 Xmas holiday -- Slaton, Dec. 22-Jan. 5; Roosevelt, Dec. 22-Jan. 2 Lions Club--noon Alta Society--2 p.m. Boy Scout 128--6:30 p.m. Rainbow Girls--7 p.m. City Commissioners--7:30 p.m. American Legion Act.--7:30 p.m. Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m.	23 \$ 1/4% INTEREST NOW BEING PAID AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN ON 6 MONTHS CERTIFICATES OF \$1,000.	24 SAVINGS AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN INSURED UP TO \$15,000, BY THE FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOAN INSURANCE CORP.	25 MERRY CHRISTMAS	26 Senior Citizens--9:30 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 128--7:30 p.m.	27 DOES THE FUTURE EDUCATION OF YOUR CHILD DEPEND ON YOUR SAVINGS TODAY?
ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE	29 Lions Club--noon Federated Church Women--9 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 128--6:30 p.m. Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m. American Legion Act.--7:30 p.m.	30 Slaton Art Club--7:30 p.m. SAVINGS AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN INSURED UP TO \$15,000, BY THE FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOAN INSURANCE CORP.	31 NEW YEAR'S EVE DEPOSITS MADE BY THE TENTH EARN DIVIDENDS FROM THE FIRST!	HAPPY '70!	31 Senior Citizens--9:30 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 128--7:30 p.m.	31 YOU'LL BE SURPRISED HOW FAST YOUR ACCOUNT WILL GROW IF YOU SAVE PART OF EACH PAY CHECK.

Library Closed For Thanksgiving

The Slaton Branch Library will be closed Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 26 and 27 for the Thanksgiving holidays. Another bookcase, constructed from several old ones, has been set up in the library. A number of books were shifted, making room for additional new ones that arrive frequently from Lubbock. Four new bookcases, donated by Friends of the Library, have been recently completed.
National Book Week, Nov. 16-22, was observed at the local library. A colored poster was placed in the window and free book-markers were distributed to the patrons. A group of students from the Junior High Special class, along with their teacher, Mrs. Quaker and school librarian, visited the library last Friday. Mrs. Polly Melugin, local librarian, showed the group through the library, explaining the method of checking out books, and the location of various book categories. It may be interesting to note, Mrs. Melugin said, that books from the Lubbock City County Library, may now be renewed in Slaton.
New books which arrived last week include, in the adult section: "I Couldn't Help Laughing", "The Fire Next Time," "The Flowers of Hiroshima," "The National League Story", "Fear Strikes Out", "The Home Ranch" and "The Great Escape".
Books for young adults include "The Peace", "1-2-3-Infinity", "Voyage", "Rascal Off", "In a Class, Books", "The Hero", "Look Out", "Paul, The Hero", "A Little Dog Named", "The Juvenile Book", "Let the Balloon Lone Hunt".
Library hours are 6 p.m. weekdays, 9 a.m. Saturdays.

Richard M. Completes

Sgt. Richard M. of Mr. and Mrs. of Slaton, has completed a chemical radiological specialist at Fort Wainwright, Alaska. Sgt. Miller at Slaton and is in 16th Calvary.

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OF THE TIMES--Cottonseed mounted up in two big at Slaton Co-Op Gin this past week as the cotton est neared a peak at all area gins. The bale count hit the 26,000 mark with more than 11,000 bales being ed in the past five days.

Girls' Trio Sings for Lions

"The Dynamic Illustons", a girls' trio, provided musical entertainment for the Slaton Lions Club during a regular weekly luncheon meeting Monday at the Clubhouse.

The trio of Slaton High School girls was composed of Jo Ann Roberts, Charlotte Moore and Charlotte Sammons. The music included popular, classic, folk and religious selections.

Cecil Griffin was program chairman for the week. Several guests were introduced at the meeting.

J. W. Holt announced that Christmas trees are scheduled to arrive this weekend, and the annual sale will start Dec. 2. Headquarters for the tree sales will be the old Slaton Co-Op building on N. 9th street. Work assignments were listed by Holt.

Dean Robertson reviewed the list of clubs which local Lions are scheduled to make inter-club visitations with in the next six weeks.

Jim Newhouse announced that the Lions Club is scheduled to play the Classroom Teachers in a benefit basketball game next month. Proceeds will be used for Operation Yuletide--the annual drive to aid needy families at Christmas.



CHECK-UP TIME--Slatonite newsboy Henry Rogers is in deep concentration, counting his money on the sidewalk, when this picture was taken. Henry, a regular newsboy for The Slatonite, was not only checking his sales but also looking over the coins to see if any valuable dates were in the collection. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

NEW FEATURES ADDED INTO EDITION OF TEXAS ALMANAC

Many new features have been combined with traditional information in the 1970-'71 edition of the Texas Almanac, published by The Dallas Morning News.

The 704-page publication includes, among other material, the following information not found in previous editions, Walter B. Moore, editor, said: Texas athletic records since World War II.

A new map for use in calculating sunrise and sunset times in Texas.

A summary of major non-petroleum minerals in Texas.

A history of the sheep and

goat industry in Texas.

Number of deer killed in each Texas county.

The original account of Col. Wm. B. Travis drawing a line with his sword in the Alamo, as first published in the 1873 Texas Almanac.

New listings of courts, Congressional, Texas Senate and House districts by counties.

Latitude and longitude of 254 county seat towns.

Literary awards to Texas authors, and list of poets laureate of Texas.

Updated information will include the vote in elections, names of state, county and municipal officials, members of appointive boards, officials of state and regional civic organizations, enrollment in colleges and universities, estimated populations of cities and counties, statistics on employment, payrolls, banking, insurance, public welfare and much other material.

Other features include the complete text of the Texas Constitution, up-to-date maps and historical, agricultural and economic information for 254 counties, and chapters on minerals, agriculture, business, transportation, and other phases of Texas today.

Tourism and recreation are emphasized in the 1970-'71 edition, with a description of recreational attractions written especially for the Texas Almanac by Texas Tourist Development Agency.

Elisabet Ney's famous statue of Sam Houston, which stands in the Texas Capitol, is shown on the cover. The new edition contains more color photographs than any previous Texas Almanac.

Christmas Party For HD Club Set Dec. 3

Members of the Slaton Home Demonstration Club met last Wednesday for an exchange program with the New Deal Home Demonstration Club. They met at the club house and went as a group to the host club house.

A program on "Jeweled Christmas Balls" was presented, and each one in attendance participated in making her own ornament.

Attending from here were Mmes. Letha Drolet, A. A. Trawick, S. O. Henry, Dick Hardesty, Alton Meeks, Wilfred Kitten, James Bednarz and Jim Sadler.

The next meeting will be the club's annual Christmas party, scheduled December 3 at the club house, at which time secrets will be revealed.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

NOVEMBER 27
Gregory Tomlinson
Edwin Bednarz
Ed Moore
Leonard Mosser
Raymond McGehee
Cathy Biggs
Randy Davis
Rodney Bishop
Kim Lowry
Shelby Mark Neugebauer
Kay Simonton
Mrs. H. L. Sandlin
Bobby Van Meter
NOVEMBER 29
Rebecca Jayne Carpenter
Mike Murphy

Lonnie Gerngross
Mary Alice Ysasaga
Dereese Davis
David Washington
NOVEMBER 30
Richard Schilling
K. W. Campbell
R. H. Todd Jr.
Roy W. Carpenter
Mrs. J. E. Eckert, Jr.
Ervin Roberts
Mrs. Wilburn Maeker
Mrs. Don Howell
Buddy Hettler
Jo Ann Hale
Helen Newton
Gary Stennett
Mrs. T. P. Hord
Mrs. Chester Williams
DECEMBER 1
C. D. Kitchens
James M. Barton
Mrs. Milton Pwionka
Betty Brookshire
Tom Roche
Mrs. Ginger Barton Bowles
James Marion Bowles
Kimberly Ferguson
DeWayne McCallister
Lyn Sinclair
Jennifer Guess
F. B. Sexton
Dorita Johnston
De'Ann Johnson
DECEMBER 2
Mrs. Oscar Schwertner
Donnie Schilling
Buddy Jones

My Neighbors

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Mrs. Joe Shelton
Mrs. J. B. Caldwell
Evelyn E. Martin
Brad Simmons
DECEMBER 3
Mrs. Howard Swanner
Mrs. A. A. Russell
Mrs. Jack Carpenter
Sandra Brake
Sue Brake
Mrs. H. E. Isbell
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11-20-69--Mr. and Mrs. Rosendo Maldonado, 1360 Knox, Slaton, a girl, Isabell, 6 lbs., 5 ozs.

11-22-69--Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jerwell Penry, 1600 W. 22nd, Plainview, a boy, Richard James, 5 lbs., 4 1/2 ozs.

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Some One Hundred Hunters Won't Return From Hunt

One of the biggest armies of hunters in Texas history -- some 700,000 -- will be in the field this year, and safety should accompany them.

The gun-toting brigade will be in search of game ranging from mourning doves to javelinas on a battleground stretching throughout the length and breadth of Texas.

Many of these hunters won't return from the hunt -- victims of their own mistakes or the mistakes of other trigger-happy hunters. Many will die of heart attacks, brought on by strenuous exercise to which their bodies have become unaccustomed during the past year of inactivity. Thousands will come home with head colds and flu,

the result of a variety of conditions including wind, rain and cold weather and over-exposure to the elements.

Thousands of hunters will get away with mistakes, but about a hundred a year don't survive these mental errors.

For example, who would ever climb on unfamiliar tree in the dark, carrying a loaded gun--except on the first morning of deer season?

Or, who would ever snake his way through a barbed wire fence wagging a loaded rifle behind him--except during deer season?

Who would ever put a loaded gun in the hands of an untrained teenager, admonish him to be careful and turn him loose in the woods--except during deer season?

When would you ever choose a loaded rifle or shotgun for a companion around the campfire or over a hot cup of coffee--except during deer season?

And, who would put a loaded weapon into a car filled with others--except some careless hunter during a hunt?

Planning preparedness and thoughtfulness would eliminate many unnecessary hunting fatalities. Unloading your rifle before you climb up or down a tree takes only a few seconds, so why gamble a few seconds against your life?

It's playing with pretty high stakes when you carry a loaded weapon through a fence instead of first putting it through the fence--and laying it on the ground--before you go through or over the fence. Never lean a gun against a fence; it might fall and discharge.

Never point a gun at anyone--even if you know it's unloaded. You might forget another time. And when you shoot, be sure of your target. If a youngster wants to hunt, prepare him before you take him out. When you take that coffee break or a meal, unload your gun. A loaded gun is a dangerous companion.

Don't Drive Under Influence Of Turkey!

Thanksgiving is one day of the year when food might cause more traffic accidents than alcohol. Although accidents will not be so recorded, driving while under the influence of turkey might well be the cause of a significant number of accidents over the Thanksgiving holidays.

The lure of grandmother's cooking might encourage some drivers to travel too far in one day, or, even more dangerous, to continue driving all night. Another Thanksgiving hazard is falling asleep at the wheel which is especially likely to happen to a driver who has just eaten a heavy meal.

The American Automobile Association advises motorists to not eat and run. Instead, wait several hours after getting up from the Thanksgiving table before starting out on a long trip home.

Drivers should keep car windows open so that fresh air can offset the sleep inducing effects of turkey and dressing. Also, passengers should force themselves to stay awake and keep talking to the driver. Sleeping passengers are likely to add to a driver's drowsiness.



The level of the price support loan is only one of the issues to be settled in the formation of a cotton program for 1971. But it is an issue that carries inordinate weight. Whatever the other component parts of the program, the loan level stands to be the dominant factor in determining the price at which cotton will be sold in the market place. And market prices in turn will preside over the setting of production volume, producer income and to some extent cotton consumption.

It is for these reasons that the loan level is deserving of long and serious consideration, separate and apart from the study given other aspects of the cotton program.

Participants in Washington deliberations on a farm program find there are those who would see the price support loan for cotton lowered to 18, 16 or even 15 cents per pound, basis Middling-inch at average location. Others, including the vast majority of cotton producer groups, feel that under present conditions lowering the level of the loan would serve no useful purpose.

When the Agriculture Act of 1965 was passed the loan level for cotton was cut from 29 to 21 cents. The 21 cent loan was in effect for 1966 only. For 1967, 1968 and 1969 it was reduced to 20.25 cents, and a recent announcement from USDA leaves the loan at that level for the 1970 crop.

Proponents of the Act of 1965, which specified that the loan be set at 90 percent of the world market price, predicted great things for cotton as the result of a lower loan. Almost as if by magic the low level loan was to boost domestic cotton consumption to 10 million bales or more annually. Then Agriculture Secretary Freeman predicted the U. S. would export 17 million bales in the first three years of the program, 1966 through 1968.

But the record shows that these predictions were in serious error. Domestic consumption of cotton in 1966, 1967 and 1968 came to 9.4, 8.9 and 8.2 million bales, respectively. Current estimates of 1969 consumption are also at 8.2 million, giving a 4-year average of 8.7 million bales per year.

And that is 200,000 bales per year less, not more, than was consumed in the years 1961 through 1966 when the loan averaged over 31 cents per pound.

Instead of 17 million bales moving into export markets during the first three years of the low-loan program, exports totaled a little less than 11.6 million bales. And exports for 1969, again, are expected to reach only the meager 2.7 million bales exported in 1968. Average exports, 1961-1965, were 4.2 million bales per year.

The point is that a low-level loan has no magic powers. It cannot build markets in the face of increasingly fierce competition from man-made fibers, dock strikes and other factors adversely affecting cotton consumption.

A low loan can, of course, have an effect on cotton exports to the extent that lower U.S. cotton prices discourage cotton production in other countries. But even here the benefits from a cheap price are mitigated by the subsidization of cotton production in many foreign countries, bi-lateral trade agreements between foreign countries and other elements which price alone cannot overcome.

Also, it has been pointed out by Don Anderson of Crosbyton, Chairman of the PCG Board and a recent traveler in cotton producing countries of Africa, Turkey and Greece, that "The U.S. producer of cotton is in a poor position to weather a battle of price pressures. Our highly capitalized cotton farmer in this country might well go down before the cotton farmer of Pakistan or Tanzania who provides all his own labor and grows on his own land the fuel for his equipment."

All that is required to understand the cotton producer's opposition to a loan of, say 15 cents as opposed to 20 cents, is a sharp pencil.

Even if we assume that dropping the loan to 15 cents would increase domestic and foreign markets from 11 to 13 million bales (and there is certainly no guarantee this would happen), the producer would still come out on the short end of the stick.

A market for 11 million bales of cotton at 20 cents per pound will gross U. S. cotton farmers a total of \$1.1 billion. If these same farmers produce 13 million bales and sell it for 15 cents per pound, their gross income will drop to \$975 million. Thus the producers of this country would be paying over \$1 million for the privilege of producing an additional 2 million bales of cotton. Increased efficiency might, but wouldn't likely, offset such a loss of gross income.

Some say that a 15-cent loan would permit the market to function and the selling price of cotton would not drop to the loan. This, of course, is a possibility.

The market price will rise significantly above the loan if, and only if, there is a shortage or a threatened shortage of cotton. And that holds true whether the loan is 15 cents or 20 cents or even 25 cents. History has proven it.

Which brings up another point made by producers, and one that would seem valid. With the loan at lower levels it would be extremely difficult to get farmers to produce the cotton needed to supply our domestic and foreign markets. It is proving difficult now, with the loan at 20.25 cents.

And we saw in 1967-68 what failure to produce adequate supplies can do to our markets.

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"Guilty" Mother

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Not always. Most courts will look not only at the specific fact of adultery but also at the general family picture. Above all, they will consider what is best for the children.

Thus, in one custody dispute, the evidence showed that the wife had indeed been guilty of adultery. But it also showed that she had always been devoted to the children, took



excellent care of them, and saw to it that they did well in school. Giving her custody of the children, the court commented:

"Although she may have been a bad wife, she has also been a good mother."

Furthermore, special needs of the children may strengthen the mother's side of the case, despite her adultery. For example:

One mother won custody because the child was only two years old ("because of the tender age of the child, the law favors the mother").

Another mother won custody because the children were female ("the welfare of little girls ordinarily lies with their mother, and they should not be taken from her for any except the most cogent reasons").

And another mother won custody because the child was ailing ("the child will continue to receive proper care and attention").

Nevertheless, even though adultery is not the only factor in deciding custody, it still weighs heavily indeed in the scales of justice. Again, the reason lies in seeking what is best for the children. As one judge said, in giving custody of a child to a wronged father:

"Courts usually award custody to the innocent party not as punishment (to one parent) or reward (to the other), but upon the assumption that the child will be reared in more wholesome moral surroundings."

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Wilson Takes On Sundown Playoff Tilt Thursday

Mustangs wrapped district 6-B championship night with a 24-6 victory over the Jayton team in the Thanksgiving game. The Mustangs will play the Sundown team in bi-district play.

The clash will be at 2:30 p.m. Thursday at the site, with the Mustangs leading 13-0. "It should be a real game," said Coach Ivey, adding that "we



STEVE BRIEGER scored 116 points

have both improved since that game." Mitts was still talking about his defensive crew Saturday, after the Mustangs limited the tough Jayton team to just two first downs and a total of 32 yards Friday night. Martin Garcia, the Jaybirds' top rusher, was held to only nine yards. Jayton's only score came on a 52-yard punt return after Wilson had taken an 8-0 lead. It was 8-6 at intermission, then Wilson added two touchdowns in the second half while bottling up the Jaybird attack.

Heading up the defensive work Friday night were Darrow Talkmitt, 150-pound nose guard; Frank Lopez, 160-pound senior tackle; Steven Bednarz, 180-pound junior linebacker, and Woody Follis, 159-pound junior defensive end.

on fumbles in the first half, but the tough Mustang defense got the ball back on each occasion. The game Thursday afternoon against the high-scoring Roughnecks will feature two of the top individual scorers on the South Plains. Wilson's Brieger scored two touchdowns and six conversion points to win up regular season with 116 points. Sundown's Eddie Eberhart ended with 110 points after failing to score last week.

Sundown scored a 34-12 win over Ropesville Friday to win the 5-B crown with a 5-0 slate. The Roughnecks were 8-2 on the season, compared to Wilson's 9-1 mark. Sundown scored 356 points in 10 games and gave up 104, while Wilson tallied 264 and gave up only 79.

Scores on Wilson games this



WOODY FOLLIS ...def. end and back

Steve Brieger powered over from the one, and then ran for the two-point conversion as the Mustangs took the lead and never trailed Friday night. Brieger broke for 24 yards and another score in the third period, then Steve Meador hit paydirt from six yards out in the final period. Brieger scored the conversions after each touchdown.

Meador took rushing honors for the night as the 150-pound halfback picked up 171 yards. Brieger, a 170-pound senior, smashed for 113 yards as the Mustangs registered a total of 314 yards in the game. Wilson chalked up 17 first downs, while Wilson lost the ball five times

SPORTS

Coaches Preview Cage Outlook For Rotarians

High Coaches Gay Ivey and Housden were guest for the weekly Rotary meeting last Thursday at the Community Clubhouse. The two teams in each zone will play for the district championship.

The coach said Dunbar will probably be favored in the north zone. Housden pointed that several boys on the team were still slowed by football injuries, but he felt Slaton would be a contender in the race.

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The Tigerettes are led by all-state candidate Marilyn Davis. The team will compete again in 1-AAA which includes Canyon, defending state champ; Tulia and Muleshoe.

Estacado, Develland and Littlefield. The south zone has Lamessa, Snyder, Sweetwater, Colorado City and Lake View. The top two teams in each zone will play for the district championship.

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Coach Ivey called Marilyn Meeks, 5-6 senior forward, the "quarterback" on offense, and said junior Sue Brake was scoring well in the early games. A sophomore, Cynthia Akin, started her first varsity game this week and performed well. Another forward, Janette Gass, has been slowed by illness.

The Tigerettes have more experience at the guard positions, according to Coach Ivey, adding that the defense has been the "weak spot" in the first games.

Jan Griffith was a starter at guard last season, and several of the letter winners started some of the games. Other lettermen at guards include Patty Neill, Georgia Geer, Shirley Hightower, Glenda Smith and Carol Jones. Vying for starting berths also are Judy Boyd and Debra Greenfield.

Freshmen Rosters

The Slaton Tiger freshman basketball team was scheduled to play the New Home junior varsity Monday night for its opening game. The freshmen are coached by Doc Mize.

The Tigerette freshmen, coached by Gay Ivey, are scheduled to play their first game Dec. 8 against Falls.

The freshmen boys have only eight players on the roster. The players are Mike Lewis, James Conwright, Steve Nieman, T.W. Whitfield, Donnie Drones, Vernon Arrant, Bruce Scott and Teddy Scott.

The freshmen girls have 21 players on the roster. Probable starters as forwards will be Karla Kitten, Gretta Stricklin and Cindy Kenney. Top prospects for guards are Kathy Riney, Loretta Dillon, Scharia Johnson, Regina Cline and Petra Gilson.

Other team members include forwards Vivian Conwright, Lana Dickson, Debbie Milliken, Pam Martindale, Sheree Cline and Glenda Tuggle. Guards are Joyce Devroe, Judy Denzer, Cindy Locke, Tyra Biggs, Brenda Harrell, Brenda Plowka, Betty Westbrook.

Freshman Schedule

- Nov. 24--New Home JV, here (B)
- Dec. 8 -- Falls, here (B&G) 6 p.m.
- Dec. 11-13 -- Tahoka Tourn. (B&G)
- Dec. 15--Idalou, here, 7-8-9 Girls, 5:30
- Dec. 15--Idalou, there, 7-8-9 Boys, 5:30
- Dec. 18--Post, here (B&G) 5:30
- Jan. 8--Roosevelt, there (B&G) 5:30
- Jan. 19--Roosevelt, here (B&G) 6 p.m.
- Jan. 22--Post, there (B&G) 5:30
- Jan. 23--Tulia, there (G) 5:30
- Jan. 26--Falls, there (B&G) 6 p.m.
- Jan. 30--Lockney, there (G) 5:30
- Feb. 2--Tahoka, here (B&G) 5:30
- Feb. 6--Tulia, here (G) 5 p.m.
- Feb. 9--Roosevelt, here (B&G) 6 p.m.
- Feb. 12--Frenship, there (B&G) 5:30
- Feb. 16--Idalou, there, 7-8-9 Girls, 5:30
- Feb. 16--Idalou, here, 7-8-9 Boys, 5:30
- (B-boys; B&G-boys & girls)



TIGERETTES IN ACTION---Sue Brake, surrounded by three Olton girls, goes up for two points in Friday night's game at the SHS Gym. Slaton forwards Marilyn Meeks and Cynthia Akin follow up shot at right. The Tigerettes won the game, 60-36. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Tigers Win Opener, Girls Even Record

The Slaton Tigers opened their season on a winning note here Friday night, and the Tigerettes evened their season record a 2-2 against teams from Olton.

The Tigers overcame first-game miscues to score a 66-53 win over the Mustangs, with Clifford Summar leading the way with a 28-point performance.

Slaton won the game under the backboards as Summar and

Larry Moore controlled the rebounds on both offense and defense. Moore added 16 points to the Tiger attack. They were joined in the starting lineup by another senior, Louis Scott, and two sophomores -- Darrell Eastman and Lloyd Kitten.

The Tigers connected on 16 of 32 free throws, while Olton converted on 13 of 21. Tony Miller and Mike Parsons led the Olton attack with 18 and 17 points, respectively. The

Tigers are scheduled at Tahoka Tuesday night, Nov. 25.

The Tigerettes had an easy time in rolling over the Olton Fillies Friday night, and Coach Gay Ivey used all 15 players on the bench in the 60-36 victory. Sue Brake led the way with 23 points, while Marilyn Meeks added 16 and Cynthia Akin 12.

The Slaton girls hit only 17 of 38 from the free-throw line while Olton connected on 15 of 23. Rebecca Hodges led Olton with 13 points. The Slaton first unit built up a 20-point advantage, and the reserves kept the margin in the final quarter.

The Tigerettes were scheduled to play New Home here Monday night, but the score was not available at press time, since The Slatonite went to press Monday night.

Scholarship Plan Announced

(From TIGER'S CAGE, Slaton High School)

General Motors has recently announced the continuation of its Scholarship Plan by making 239 scholarships available to outstanding high school graduates of 1970 at more than 200 colleges and universities.

The awards will be made to entering college freshmen in the fall of 1970 and may be renewed through the normal years of college for those with satisfactory records.

Although participating colleges have full discretion in giving the scholarships to selected students, GM has asked that preference be given to applicants who intend to go into the field of engineering. Those colleges not offering degrees in this field are asked to select students wishing to go into business administration, economics, mathematics, and science.

Any high school senior of the 1969-70 school year may apply for a GM scholarship.

The scholarships given range from \$200 to \$2,000 per year depending on the financial need of the individual applicant. Scholarship committees review high school records, available college entrance scores, participation in extracurricular activities, and leadership traits in order to choose the scholarship applicant who shall receive GM help. Applicants must be U.S. citizens.

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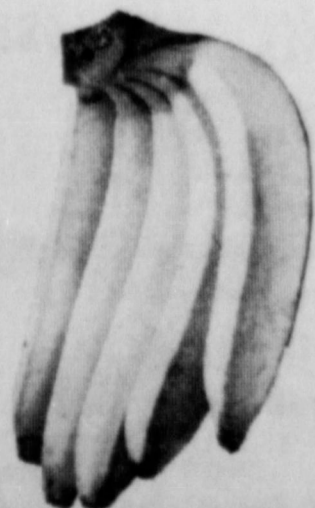
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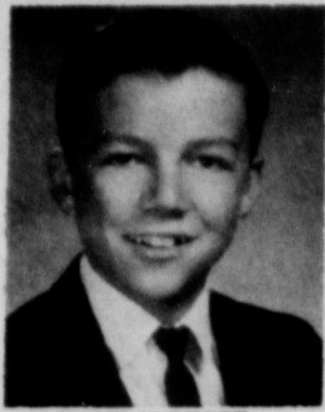
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COOPER NEWS — By BRENDA, CINDA & LINDA

Costume Day Held at CHS

In the student spotlight at Cooper High this week are sophomores Cindy Payton and Jimmy Burkett.

CINDY PAYTON
Cindy was born in Denver City. Her favorite color is pink. Her favorite teacher is her

Spanish teacher, Mrs. Wilkerson. Her favorite subject is girls' sports, and other subjects include Algebra II, American History, English II, and Homemaking II. She likes the song, "Don't It Make You Want To Go Home", and her

favorite movie is "Gone With The Wind".

Her activities at CHS include: 2 yrs. Basketball, 2 yrs. Crew Club, FHA 1st Vice President, FHA 4th Vice President. After 2 more years of high school, she plans to attend col-

lege.

JIMMY BURKETT
Jimmy was born in Lubbock. His favorite color is blue, and he likes to go to football games, and to do farm research in FFA. His Algebra II teacher, Mrs. Kidd, is his favorite teacher, and his best subject is Science. Other subjects include Sports, Biology, typing, and English II.

His favorite movie is "Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid" and his song is "Hey Jude". Activities at CHS are: Sophomore Class President, Fresh-

man Student Council Representative. His hobbies are collecting books, maps, coins, and stamps. He also plans to attend college in future years.

COSTUME DAY

Wednesday, Nov. 19, the high school had "Costume Day", sponsored by the Student Council. Such celebrities seen roaming the halls were: Farmer Jones (Cindy James), Cleopatra (Grace Romans), Satan (Ann Tolan), Mickey Mouse (Mike Vinson), Pocahontas (Phyllis Russell), Sophia Loren (R.E. Smith), Grandma Moses (Gloria

Dunnam), Raquel (Neal), and many flower children. The best costume was selected by famous Baron von von has a very striking to Mr. Marlett, won the contest, as a prize a reg. "The Three Dog nersup were: Cle and Jeanne (Dob main event of the in in the library lunch.

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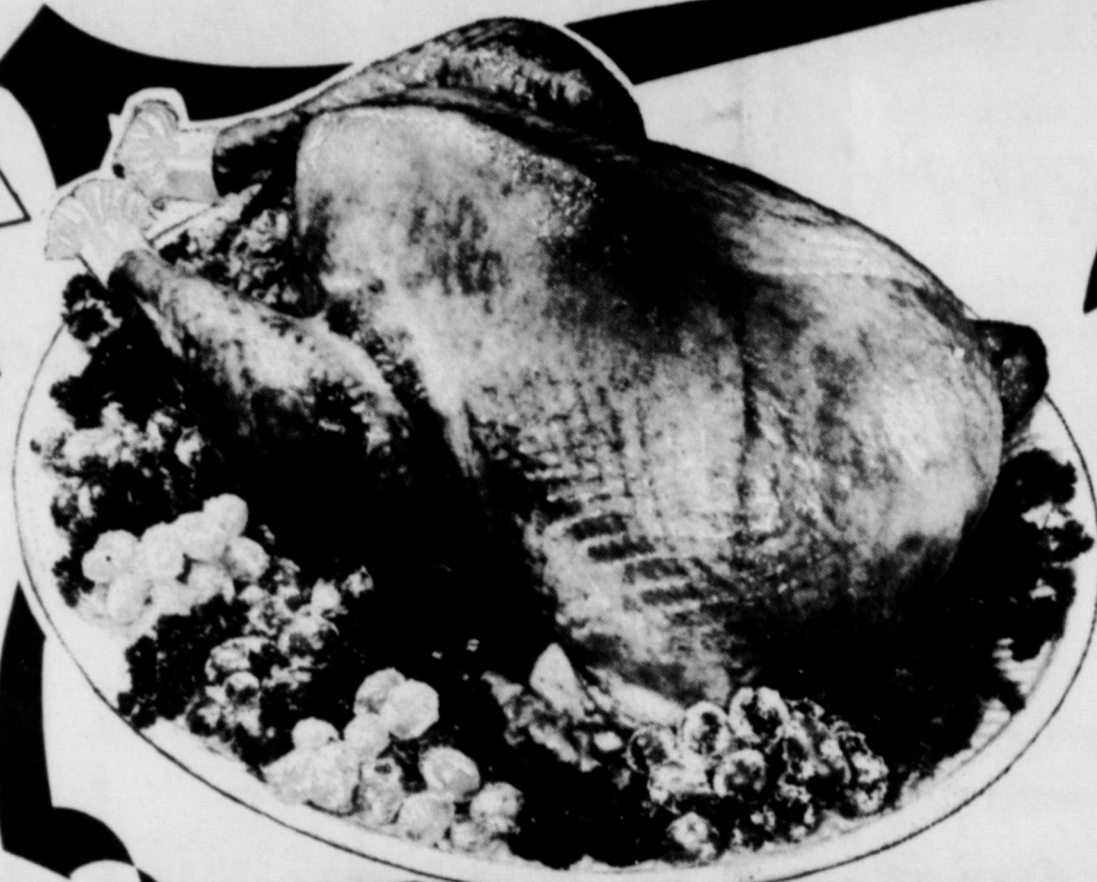
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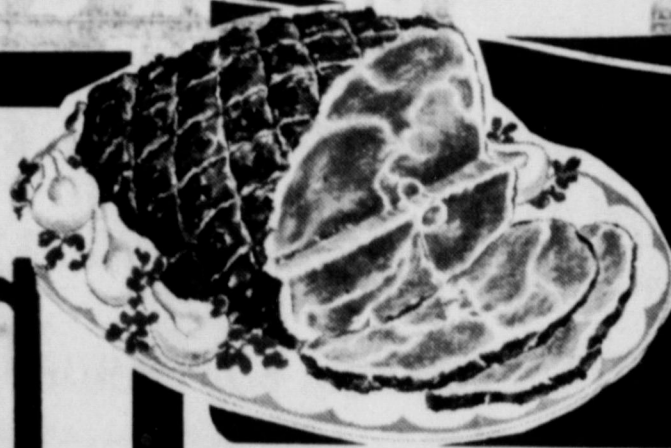
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SYMPATHY NOTE
 The residents of Woodrow would like to take this opportunity to express their deepest sympathy to the Carpenter family in the loss of Mr. Carpenter's brother. Mr. Carpenter is the superintendent of CHS.
KEEN TEENS
 Outstanding Teens of America were selected at CHS two weeks ago. They are automatically in competition for the "Most Outstanding Teen of Texas", who will receive the Governor's trophy.
 They are: Steve Louder, Patti Payton, and Jackie White. Steve is the president of the Student Council, and is parliamentarian of the National Honor Society. Patti is editor of the '70 Pirate Annual, president of the Senior Class, and secretary of the National Honor Society. Jackie is quarterback on the Pirate's varsity squad and is also a member of the National Honor Society. Congratulations!!!!
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Cpt. Shawver Decorated

WIESBADEN, Germany--U.S. Air Force Captain Joe M. Shawver, son of Mrs. Alma C. Shawver of 910 N. Donald, Seymour, Tex., has been decorated with the Meritorious Service Medal at Lindsey Air Station, Germany.
 Captain Shawver received the medal for outstanding service as a supply officer at Charleston AFB, S.C. He was cited for his professional skill, knowledge and initiative.
 He was presented the medal during ceremonies at Lindsey where he now serves in a unit of the U.S. Air Forces in Europe, America's overseas air arm assigned to NATO.
 The captain, who has served in Thailand, was commissioned upon completion of Officer Training School at Lackland AFB, Tex.
 Captain Shawver, who attended Seymour High School, received a B.B.A. degree from

McAllister Named On Committee

AUSTIN -- SP -- Rep. R.B. McAllister of Lubbock has been named by Speaker of the House, G. F. (Gus) Mutscher as a member of the interim committee to study the existing laws regulating hair dressers and cosmetologists.
 Other House members appointed by the Speaker are Joe H. Golman of Dallas, who will be chairman of the committee, Joe A. Hubenak of Rosenberg, Lynn Nabers of Brownwood, and Will L. Smith of Beaumont.
 "Rep. McAllister, as a freshman member, has impressed his fellow House members with his capacity for hard work and his quick understanding of legislative problems," Mutscher said in speaking of his pleasure in McAllister's acceptance of the committee appointment.
 The committee, as designated by HRS 456, will work with the State Board of Hairdressers and Cosmetologists to study the need for new statutes with respect to program, curriculum and instruction, and functions and programs of the Board.

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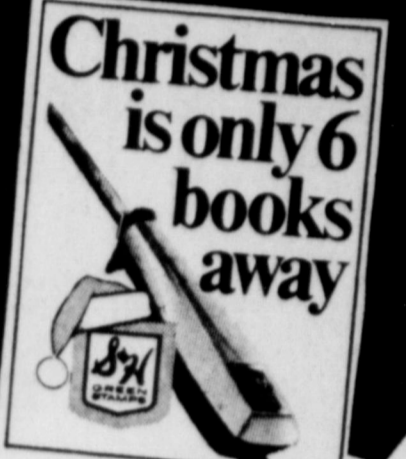
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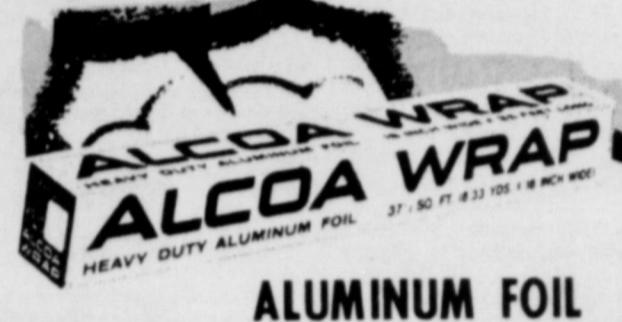
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