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Can

Ernie Davis said the team istakes in the Lamesa game to We told the boys just to forget let's start over this week and ubt, of course, that the Tigers

were test against the highlys, defending state AAA champing surprised by Snyder in a

ed the Tigers came out of the without serious injuries, but were nursing painful bruises. starting lineups are expected this week.

observers have tabbed the as having better personnel Matadors went undefeated and last season. The team has ough it may not be as large Speedy quarterback Kenneth leading scorer in the district

offensive weapon -- fullback was held in check by the tough last week and is tied for ing with 30 points. The Tigers how a successful air attack. corded 297 yards rushing in while halfback Alan Fondy is ards. Moore has carried the for a 4.5 yards-per-carry ondy has 30 trips and a 4.7

are 2-1 for the season while we won two and tied one. The e a conference battle, since district was divided into two

take on Dunbar next week in the rict game, then open zone comweetwater.



on Division Street says what of beef holding back and the oing up, this gives the cattle beef about and the chickens cackle over.

t's football game was disappointwere treated to a fine halftime bands. Don Caldwell, featured r Band, was a big hit.

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ts, new classrooms, new band their full play in the columns, school lunch menu appears fremany papers. Nothing is ever unless the electorate is insometimes, guided to the proper ction, so the paper's role in local is highly important.

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the non-reader of a newspaper person in the United States.

# Don't Miss Slaton's Dollar Day Bargains On Fabulous Friday

# The Slaton Slatonite

A MEMBER OF MOST FAMILIES IN THE SLATON TRADE AREA

and in most Texas cities. The

state sales tax is now 3,25

and the city sales tax is 1

Smokers and drinkers were

the hardest hit by the new in-

crease to meet the \$348 mil-

lion tax bill passed by the re-

cent session of the Legislature.

Cigarette taxes were increased

from 11 cents to 15.5 cents a

In addition to falling under

the 3.25 percent state levy,

alcoholic beverages will also

be subject to the optional 1

percent city sales tax that has

been approved in more than

400 Texas cities and towns. The

new bill also levies a charge

of 5 cents a drink on alcoholic

beverages sold in private clubs.

Drinks served in private

clubs are not affected by the

sales tax levy, because tech-

nically they are not sold but

only served to persons who al-

Business portions of the tax

bill included a 50-cent in -

crease in the corporate fran-

chise tax rate, a one-half cent increase in the natural gas tax,

and a new destination tax on

out-of-state corporations do-

ready own the liquor.

ing business in Texas.

percent.

58th YEAR NO. 52

LUBBOCK COUNTY, SLATON, TEXAS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1969

10 CENTS

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# TAX ROLLS CLOSED, RATE REMAINS SAME

# City Tax Valuations Total \$20.7 Million

New Sales Tax In Effect

# City's First Return On Sales Tax Is \$11,910

Slaton taxpayers, who started paying an extra one-fourth percent on each taxable purchase Wednesday, may be happy to know that the City of Slaton received its first check on the 1 percent municipal tax last

The check was for \$11,910,10

and covered April, May and June sales -- the first quarter under the city sales tax. City officials say this is probably the lightest quarter of the year, estimating the annual take to be near \$65,000.

tax rate Wednesday went to 4.25 percent in Slaton,

# **Rentals Slow For** Low-Rent Housing

MRS. SPARKMAN WINS GRID

CONTEST, 3RD TIME IN ROW

The Housing Authority of the City of Slaton reported this week that rentals have been going at a slow pace since the low-rent housing project was opened in early July.

Dudley Berry, executive director of the Housing Authority,

**Broom Sale** In Wilson Friday

The Wilson Lions Club will hold its annual broom sale Friday (Oct. 3) from 8:30 a.m. to

The van loaded with all sorts of brooms and other household items will be located in front of the Wilson State Bank, Members of the Lions Club will help sale products made by the blind with all proceeds going to the

otherwise, Mrs. Kelly Spark-

man is the football expert for

Mrs. Sparkman, wife of jun-

ior high coach Joe Sparkman,

did it again last week, captur-

ing first place in the weekly

football contest sponsored by

Slaton firms. It marked the

third week in a row that she

has won the \$10 first prize.

Football Contest, and one that

may not soon be equalled --

unless Mrs. Sparkman wins a-

The lady grid forecaster missed only four games last

week and was first again by

coming closer on the tie-

breaker total. A brother - sis-

ter combination took second and

third-place prizes of \$5 and

\$2. They were Greg and Eu-

genia Sokora. Total score was

It's a record for The Slatonite

The Slatonite.

gain this week!

said Tuesday that only 17 of the 70 apartments had been rented, with a few more scheduled for occupancy Oct. 1.

Due to the lack of applications, Berry stated that a number of the one-bedroom units designated for the elderly have not been put on the list for other prospects with appropriate incomes.

There is a total of 70 apartments of one, two and three bedroom sizes. Rent is based on a government formula which considers the amount of family income and the number in the of Slaton in the

appropriate low income range may apply at the office of the Housing Authority, 420 E. Powers.

The \$1-million housing project was finally announced ready (See HOUSING, PAGE 4)

55 and Mrs. Sparkman guessed

R. J. Moore also missed

four games, but gets only an

honorable mention because he

was too far off on the tie -

of the 24 game winners. Joe

Sparkman missed only two high

school games and even picked

the Lorenzo - O'Donnell tie

game! However, the Southwest

Conference teams put him out

Others who missed five in-

cluded Pete Williams, Terri

Sikes, Skip Tumlinson, Don

Mitchell, Norma Tumlinson,

Fred Tamez, Larry Gamble,

Oneita White, Harley Martin,

Claude Stephens, Bradley Kit-

Turn to this week's contest and join in the fun--you could

BEGINNING A NEW SCHOOL YEAR in The Slatonite this week is the Slaton High School's

Tiger's Cage. This being National Newspaper Week, we thought it only fitting to pay

tribute to our schools for giving Slaton youth an opportunity to learn about journalism. The page will be a feature of The Slatonite every other week and all the stories are

written by the SHS staff. The class sponsor is Mrs. Helen Kerr who is shown above

with three members of her staff. They are Paul Payne, assistant editor; Kathie Mitchell,

editor; and Debbie King, business manager. The page is made possible by the participating

merchants whose advertisements may be found on the page. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Twelve entrants picked 19

breaker score.

of the running.

be a cash winner!

# Cub Round-Up Set For Tuesday

The Annual Cub Scout Roundup for Slaton is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, it was announced this week by retiring Cub Scout Master R. M. Mc-Minn. He reported to The Slatonite that Bobby Porter has been named as the new Cub Scout Master and will take over the reigns at the Tuesday night

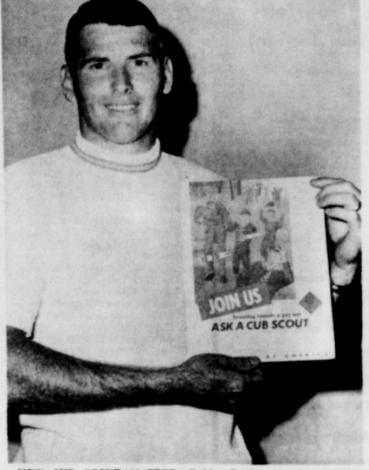
The roundup will be held in the Scout House located in the Slaton Park. Boys who are 8, 9, and 10 years of age are eligible to join the Cub Scout program.

Former Cub Scouts who are still within this age group are especially encouraged to attend the meeting, Slaton's Rotary Club is sponsor for the pack. Parents of the boys interested

in the program are urged to attend the meeting as they will have to give their permission for their sons to join the pack. Porter, who is relatively new to Slaton, moved here from Labbook 11 months ago with his family. He and his wife have

one daughter, Lisa, who is 2 1/2 years old. They make their home in Plaza Apartments. A Texas highway patrolman, Porter was raised in Afton,

(See CUBS, PAGE 6)



NEW CUB SCOUT MASTER--Bobby Porter is shown with a sign inviting boys to join the Slaton Club Scout Pack Tuesday night when it holds its annual Roundup at the Scout House. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

## WEATHER FINALLY CLEARS

# Third Bale Is **Produced Here**

It was cotton-popping weather around Slaton the past week as dry, sunny weather, with temperatures climbing in the 90's. stopped an extended wet spell and allowed cotton bolls to start opening.

And, with the good weather, came the third bale of cotton from the Slaton trade area. George Harlan, who farms south of Slaton, was producer of the premium bale Monday afternoon. He will receive a \$50 cash award from Slaton Chamber of Commerce, and earned a 50-cents per pound premium at

Slaton Co-Op Gin for the bale. Harlan ginned three bales Monday and three more Wednesday. The third bale weighed an even 500 and came from about 1700 pounds of seed cotton. It came from Acala 3080

Virgil Smith and Jack Burkett had previously brought in the first and second bales for the area, and received \$100 and \$50 awards from the Chamber.

High temperature the past week was a warm 96 degrees recorded Saturday. The mercury climbed above 90 every day since last Friday. Lowest minimum was a 57-degree reading Monday morning.

Although the extended streak of wet, damp weather is expected to effect the cotton crop, some farm observers still think the production will be greater. This is because there are more standing acres this time of the year than last season. More acres were planted in cotton and less in this area has been hailed out.

City Commission was held Tuesday afternoon with commissioners accepting and closing the tax rolls.

Commissioners approved a tax roll of \$20.7 million -down slightly from last year. The tax rate remains the same, as does the assessed value. The rate is set at \$1.75 per \$100 assessed value, or 50 percent of the total valuation.

With the assessed valuation at \$10,381,990, the anticipated revenue will be \$181,684. This revenue is down about \$3,000 from last year. The drop was credited to property that has been donated to churches the past year, and it is exempt from the taxes.

Adoption of a city sales tax probably kept the tax rate from increasing this year. The city anticipates some \$50,000 to \$65,000 in revenue from the 1 percent city sales tax.

In other business, the commission approved payment of street seal-coating work, passed a resolution commending H. M. (Bud) Englund for his help in setting up the city's ambulance service, and held an informal policy meeting with all members of Slaton Police Department.

The city resolution extended appreciation to Englund for contribution of equipment and supplies for a new ambulance, and for his time and effort in helping the city to initiate the service.

The resolution closed: "The City of Slaton does hereby extend its sincere appreciation to H.M. (Bud) Englund for his valuable services performed, and do commend him to the an tire citizenry of Slaton for his efforts on behalf of his fellow-

from the commission, told members of the police force that the commission would stand behind them 100 percent in the correct performance of their duties.

Asked for any comments, patrolmen mentioned the lack of adequate street signs and stop signs in the city, as well as some of the bad street conditions. One patrolman also mentioned the operation of "cafes" in the east part of town, pointing to establish ments which operate without a license. He said most of the problems in that area stem from these places.

Mayor David Hughes and three commissioners were present for the special session, Rudy Dominguez, Ward 4, was absent again. The entire police staff attended the meeting along with City Judge Arvin Stafford. Also present were City Sec. Alex Webb, Constable Allen Meurer, and Jim Newhouse,

# Slaton Step Ahead On State Ambulance Crisis

A recent statewide survey of hospitals and ambulance service firms showed many communities face "a serious crisis" in the field of emergency transportation and treatment, it was reported last week by Charles E. King, director of the State Health Department's division of disaster health and medical services. Slaton officials are ap-

parently a step ahead of many communities in planning and initiating a well-equipped ambulance service.

With the announcement that the local funeral home was forced to discontinue emergency ambulance service, the city commission formulated a plan to provide the vital service through the police department. The commission also secured volunteer ambulance attendants from the Slaton Volunteer Fire Department.

The city purchased a new vehicle last month and, with help from Englund's on contribution of equipment, the am-bulance was put in "first class" readiness. Chief Walter Head reported this week that the ambulance has made 16 calls since going into operation the first week of September.

A group of volunteer firemen agreed to serve as attendants on a trial basis. Head said the number of men who have first-aid certificates is small at this time, however. The big flaw in the volunteerattendant operation is that it takes valuable time to man the amublance when an emergency

# Tiger Club Sets Light Bulb Sale

Slaton Tiger Club will sponsor a Light Bulb Sale next Tuesday, beginning a door-todoor sales canvass at 6 p.m. in the east part of town and 7 p.m. in the west part of town. Club president Glen Akin an-

nounced that Carroll McDonald is project chairman, Members of athletic teams at Slaton High School will aid in the door-todoor sales.

The pre-packaged bulbs, with 8 bulbs in several popular sizes, will sell for \$2. Proceeds from the sales will be used by the adult booster organization to promote the school's athletic program.

arise. Ideally, of course, the police force could have these attendants on duty -- but this means more manpower and more funds.

But, while Slaton still has a few problems, a United Press International report from Austin says that lack of ambulance service, or inadequate service, is endangering the lives of many Texas accident victims and others needing quick medical attention. In addition, the report says many cities face rising charges for ambulance services.

Among the findings of state officials, according to a United Press International report, were:

-- At least 13 Texas counties and several cities have no ambulance service.

-- Increasing numbers of funeral homes are getting out of the business forcing many com munities to turn to police, fire-men, volunteers, or ambulances serving other areas which are ometimes a considerable distance away.

--Special equipment con --sidered essential by health authorities is not available in

(See AMBULANCE, PAGE 6)

## Shower Honors Mrs. Perdue

Mrs. Ronald Perdue, the for-mer Sheron Bennett, was honored with a miscellaneous shower Thursday at the Slaton Club House.

Mrs. Floyd Boyd greeted guests and presented them to Mrs. Lynn Perdue, mother of the groom; the honoree; Mrs. Ed Caldwell, and Mrs. Frank Stancil, mother of the honoree. Refreshments were served

by Mrs. Alvin Ford from a table laid with an imported linen cutwork cloth centered with a gold candleabra and pink rose arrangement.

Guests were registered by Mrs. Woody Smith and Miss LuAnne Fondy presented plano selections during the evening. Hostess gift was a bedspread.

Serving as hostesses were Mmes. Elton Smith, J. P. Haliburton, Ida Rushing, Floyd Boyd, Ford Stansell, Bill Hutto, Woody Smith and Alvin Ford, Others were Mmes. Benny Moeller, Ruth Sledge, Melvina Hodges, John Jones, Charles Marriott, Joe Belote, Charlie Brake, Floyd Guelker, Wayne Liles and Mark Etter.

Select foods that look good and taste good together when plan-ning your breakfast menus. For instance, bright-colored strawberries, blueberries or fresh peaches look good to cat on crisp, readyto-eat cereal.

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DANA HEATON MUNDKOWSKY

## David Blisard Celebrates 4th

David Alan Blisard celebrated his fourth birthday in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Edwards. special guests were his twin sisters, Dena Jane and Lesa Alane and his mother, Judy

Cake and ice cream were served to Teresa and Mike Wooten, Cherlyn and Jeff Fergerson, Loren and Sandra Roberts, Brenda Ann Luman and Joe Glen Fergerson.

Others present were Mmes. Earl Dee Roberts, N. J. Luman, John Fergerson, Bobby Joe Fergerson, Delbert McCleskey and Miss Joyce Wooten.

Others sending gifts but unable to attend were David's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Blisard Sr., his great -grandmother, Mrs. John Bratcher and his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Nabers

### Sla-Ton Tops Meet Tonight

Ten members of Sla-Ton Tops Club answered roll call Thursday night reporting a weight loss. Mrs. Margie Green, president, conducted the business meeting and reports were heard from committees.

area meeting will be at Sunray on October 18. Low calorie recipes were exchanged and Irene McCormick gave the devotional.

It was announced that the

The club's next meeting is tonight at 6 p.m. in the dining room at Mercy Hospital, Anyone interested is invited.

# **Tournament Set** Members of the Slaton Wo-

Slaton WGA

Slaton Misses

Win Awards

Two Slaton twirlers com -

peted in the Sixteenth Annual

NBTA West Texas Twirling

Festival at the Panhandle South

Plains Fairgrounds in Lubbock

Robin Kerr, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M.

W. Kerr, won nine awards and

Angela, competing for the

won two Lubbock

first time since the state con-

County championships in ad-

vanced solo and advanced fancy

strutting. She was runner-up

to the basic strutting title. In

placed second in advanced basic

strutting, advanced military

strutting, and advanced solo;

third in advanced two baton and

parade majorette; and fourth in advanced fancy strutting.

national open competition she

Wilkins, won three awards.

Majorette.

men's Golf Association will sponsor a Partnership Tournament next Wednesday, Oct. 8 at municipal golf course, and invitations have been mailed to women golfers in the surrounding area. Using a Hallowe'en theme.

the invitation reads in part, "Slaton WGA is cooking up a caldron of fun so hop on your driver and putt-putt over to Slaton Municipal Golf Course. Coffee and dunking at 8:30 a.m.; tee-off at 9 a.m. Witches brew in the pro shop and lunch at The Chapparal.

Door prizes will be given as well as winners' prizes and booby prizes. Entrance fee is 86.00 per person, and a handicap of no more than 8 is allowed. Entrants are asked to call 828-7133 or write Box 91, Slaton, prior to tournament day if they plan to participate. Cart reservations should be made before 6:30 p.m. Oct. 6.

# Art Club Gets New Yearbooks

Mrs. Yates Key was hostess to members of the Slaton Art Club when they met in her home at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Yearbooks were distributed calendar chairmen Mrs. Truett Fulcher and Mrs. Tommy Wallace.

Angela Wilkins, 12-year - old In memory of Mrs. Claude Anderson, each member redaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray called a special event during their association with her. The book, "Art on the Texas Plains" test in April, won first place by Elsie Montgomery Wilbanks in intermediate solo and fourths will be placed in the club library as a memorial to Mrs. in Lubbock County intermediate solo and Miss West Texas Anderson,

> The next club meeting is scheduled in the home of Mrs. Clyde Doherty.

# Mrs. White Has Program For Wesleyan Guild

The Wesleyan Service Guild met at 7:30 p.m. last Thursday in the home of Mrs. Douglas Wilson. The meeting opened with prayer led by Mrs. W.C.

A study, "A New Day for Community Centers" was led by Mrs. H. H. White. She was assisted by Mrs. Ray Conner and Miss Gertrude King.

During a social hour which followed, refreshments were

served to eight members. Attending the District Guild meeting Sunday at Agape Methodist Church in Lubbock were Mmes. F. A. Drewry, Conner and Gilmore.



MR. & MRS. ED BUXKEMPER . . . 1919



MR. & MRS. ED BUXKEMPER . . . 1969

# Ed Buxkempers Will Celebrate 50th Anniver

in St. Joseph's Catholic Church Tuesday, Oct. 7, at 4 p.m.

## Rev. Leuders Speaks To Senior Citizens

After a morning of Forty-Two and domino playing at the Slaton Club House last Friday the Senior Citizens then heard a devotional brought by the Rev. Jimmy Leuders, pastor of Immanuel Lutheran Church at

Posey. His message was entitled smith, D'Jane Jones, Timmy "The Call of Matthew To Be and Shirley Raub, Susie and from Matthew 9:9-13.

group in singing, accompanied ger Wilkins, Michele Mullins, by Mrs. Eunice Hazelwood at Carla's brother Brent and sign the piano.

Mrs. W. I. Scudder, a mem-ber of the club who will be 95 years old October 2, was sent a birthday card signed by those present.

Rev. Leuders gave thanks for the meal and he and his wife joined the group for lunch.

## Bluebonnets Meet With Mrs. Abernathy

Mrs. M. L. Abernathy was hostess when members of the Bluebonnet Club met at 2:30 p.m. last Wednesday in her home.

Twelve members answered roll call with a favorite joke. A salad plate was served and members enjoyed playing

games.

Mrs. Fannie Patterson presided for the meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. Ford Stansell.

The next meeting is scheduled Oct. 8 at 2:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. G. L. Martin, 1035 W. Lubbock St.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bux- Following the mass, the miles south of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bux-kemper will celebrate their couple's children will host a 23, 1925 to 1 to rolden appiversary with a mass dinner in St. Joseph's Hall, still make their The former Miss Louise Huebel and Buxkemper were mar- daughter, 20 gm

ried Oct. 7, 1919 in St. An- five great-gra thony's Catholic Church in Col- children are umbus, Tex., Colorado County. Post; C. Attendants at their wedding Raymond, were Otto Burger, cousin of the bride, and Elizabeth Buxkem- Rt. 1, Slaton. per, sister of the bridegroom. The Buxkempers moved three invited to atte

## CarlaWilkins Is Birthday Ho

Carla Wilkins, daughter of cream and pund
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilkins, was
honored on her 7th birthday last group throughof Tuesday with a party given in her home.

Guests attending were shellie a Disciple of Christ", taken Bennie Keck, Teresa Casey, Sue Mrs. Alvin White led the Vicki Little, Carolyn and Rod-Menzer, Kristi Ford, Jody and Carla's brother, Brent, and sis-

ters, Dana and Angela. Refreshments of cake, ice

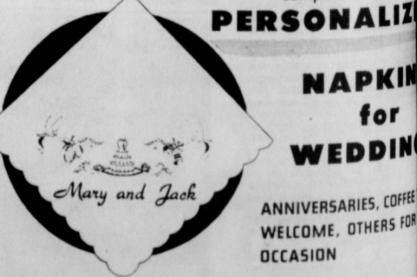
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Lynette Kuss Joe Walker, Jr. Mrs. Phil Brewer Ted Armstrong OCTOBER 4 E. C. Houchin Mrs. John Dodson

Mrs. Roger Guess Joe E. Hall Dr. Stan H. Jaynes OCTOBER 5 Cindy Cade Eva Johnson Tommy Weaver Ruth Mimms Amanda Wheeler

OCTOBER 6 Mrs. O.M. Baxley Mrs. Bill Mosley Mrs. J. F. Proctor Daymon Fikes Raymon Fikes Nicky Hopkins Carla Crumley Mrs. Milton Paul Stella Shelton Cleve Woolley Mike Ragland Jim Crow Oscar Lee Tillery

OCTOBER 7 Kay Stell Mack Allen Moseley Patricia Rowan Cleve Woolley Norris Behrend Davis Behrend Mrs. Milton Davis Ronnie Dunn Mrs. Don Caldwell

OCTOBER 8 Ann Ayers Mrs. William Jones Mrs. Danny Edwards Patsy Gamble Gib Ragland Velma Ratliff Clifford W. Hatch, Jr. Mrs. W. E. Yearout Ricky Shue

ITEM: Color-coordinated ooking sets are what's happening in the kitchen-and they come in aluminum, glass, iron and steel, with durable, easyto-care-for finishes. Among newer finishes is Polymide, a thermo-setting plastic, chem-ically related to nylon. It is most often applied to a light-weight aluminum base for a colorful, smooth, dishwasher-

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RS ... Pictured above are members of the Slaton Home Demonstration ribbons at the Fair in Lubbock last week. Left to right, from row, are Martin, Ray Brown, Jerry Melton, S. O. Henry and Alton Meeks; back ulfred Kitten, A. A. Traweek, Milt Ardrey and George Jameson,

# CLUB MEMBERS **WIN 37 RIBBONS**

winners and what they won: econd place Mrs. S. O. Henry, second in peaches and Cherry jelly; Mrs. n the county Ray Brown, third in throw pillow; Mrs. Helen Martin, first Members bbons in all in pillow cases; Mrs. Bednarz, rdrey winning first in caramel; Mrs. Alton Meeks, first in pillow cases, ons and Mrs.

second in scraf and third in list of the scarf; and Mrs. Jerry Melton, second in peanut brittle. Mrs. A. A. Traweek, first in tablecloth and secondinapron; Mrs. Wilfred Kitten, first in mints and pickled onions,

second in scarf, holiday tablecloth, holiday apron, caramel, chow chow, dill pickles, mince-meat and apple butter, and third in finger towel and best and Hobbs, N.M. most attractive box of candy. Mrs. Milt Ardrey, first in chocolate fudge (marshmallow),

standard chocolate fudge, rolled cookies, biscuits and chow chow, second in pickled okra, SAMAKANAN KANAN KA gy's Beauty Shop

Peggy Tooke, owner

plum jelly, and third in pecan pralines, strawberry jam, cupcakes, blouse and baby dress.

## Club Meets In Crandal Home

The Civic and Culture Club met in the home of Mrs. B.H. Crandall last Wednesday with Mrs. R. H. Todd serving as co-hostess.

Mrs. H. V. Wheeler gave the president's greeting and read a poem, "My Purpose" by Henrietta Heron.

After the club collect was read in unison and yearbooks were distributed, each mem-ber told of the things she had

done during summer vacation. Refreshments were served from a tea table to Mmes. H. Anderson, Kenneth Davies, M. L. German, R. C. Hall, T. C. Martin, Bruce Pember, A. L. Saage, Fred Schmidt, R. L. Smith, R. E. Switzer, and Wheeler.

The next meeting will be 8 Miles West on FM41 & Oct. 22 in the home of Mrs. MANAGEMENT R. L. Smith.

# **OES Hosts** Friendship Night

Friendship night for the Slaton Chapter 585, Order of Eastern Star, was held at the Slaton Club House Tuesday evening with Worthy Matron Juanita Bailey as master of ceremonies.

Guests were greeted by officers of the Slaton Chapter who were dressed in formal attire. Red love cups of friendship on a star were the identification badges, showing chapter, location, and member's name. Long festoons of greenery dotted here and there with red roses and pyracanthia were the decorations on the tables. A gold star surrounded by red roses was used for the centerpiece for the presiding officers' table.

A salad supper was served to more than 60 guests from Lubbock, O'Donnell, Tahoka, Brownfield, Petersburg and

Miss Mary Helen Champion, Worthy Advisor of the Slaton Assembly Rainbow Girls, furnished music during the dinner hour. Members of the Slaton assembly and Rainbow Girls gave a clever skit called "Saturday Night at the Movies". Those participating were Tomi Longtin, worthy advisor-elect; and Charlotte Sammons, dressed as Shirley Temple Black, who served as announcer and master of ceremonies; Elena Paschall and Jane Tucker were dancers; Debbie Green and Connie Rinney, background music; and Luellen Chaney, Lindy White, Cindy Paschal, Susan Ford and Becky Culver portrayed the audience.

Members from each chapter were introduced.

## St. Joseph H-SA Meets Monday

In a meeting at 8 p.m. Monday of St. Joseph's Home-School Association, the group discussed various ways of raising money for this year's projects. Sister Mary Angelica, principal, briefly discussed book needs of the school.

Officers of the organization are Joe Kitten, president; Franklin Heinrich, vice-president; Mrs. Eugene Bednarz, secretary; Mrs. Eugene Bruedigam, treasurer; and Mrs. Walter Lee Bednarz, publicity. ozs.

## **Tea Honors Girls State** Representatives

Mrs. Glen Payne served as hostess last Tuesday at the club house for a tea honoring the girls who attended Girls State this year. The tea was given by the Slaton American Legion Auxiliary.

The serving table was de-corated with a centerpiece of red and white roses, and a poppy arrangement of drift wood. The girls' scrap book was also dis-

Each of the four, Mary Frances Browning, Dianne Ken-Georgia Geer and Patti Neill, gave a report of the 10 day's work in government at Girls State. They were presented certificates from the American Legion Auxiliary, and they in turn gave a gift to Mrs. Gerry Schmid.

Mrs. W. E. Klein, 19th District Girls State chairman, had requested that these representatives be given an opportunity to report their activities at Girls State to the various civic clubs and men's organizations, and in school programs during the coming year.

Out of town guests included Mrs. David Vigness and daughter, Margaret, Nan Hutson and Mrs. Klein, all of Lubbock,

# **HELLO WORLD**



9-24-69-- Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Schilling, Rt. 1, Slaton, a girl, Tammy Annette, 6 lbs.,

9-25-69-- Mr. and Mrs. Cipriano Estrada, Rt. 1, Wilson, a boy, Samuel, 6 lbs., 6

9-28-69-- Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ace Enloe, 320 Texas Ave., Slaton, a girl, Leta Kay, 8 lbs., 5 ozs.

9-29-69 -- Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Lee Bateman, Jr., 2804-A 46th St., Lubbock, a boy, Dewey Lee III, 7 lbs., 14 1/2

Fourteen members of the Slaton Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday morning in the home of the club's president, Mrs. Wilfred Kitten, for a going

Mr. and Mrs. Jameson are noving to Seminole where he will be assistant manager at

# Church Women **Meet Monday At Grace Lutheran**

The Federated Church Women met at 3 p.m. Monday at Grace Lutheran Church in their regular 5th Monday session. Twenty - two members were present with Mrs. Wayne Sartor presiding in the absence of Mrs. Douglas Neugebauer.

Reports were heard from the treasurer and the welfare chairman, Mrs. George Green who stressed the fact that the local welfare office is badly in need of clothing, especially children's sizes. Anyone who has usable clothing is asked to bring it to the welfare center, located at the corner of 7th and Lynn Sts., or call Mrs.

Meeting time for this group has been changed to 9:30 a.m. The next 5th Monday session will be Dec. 29 at which time the women will meet at the First Christian Church.

## Ditty Bags Made For Servicemen

The Roosevelt Young Homemakers met Tuesday in the Roosevelt homemaking department to make ditty bags to send to servicemen in Vietnam. Thirteen members and four guests attended.

Guests were Mmes. D. H. Sides, Gene Mims, Larry Mann

and Michael Bales. It was announced that there will be a family social at the Roosevelt Club House Saturday, Oct. 4 at 7:30 p.m.

## **Party Honors** Mrs. Jameson

away party for Mrs. George Jameson. They presented her with a gift.

Anthony's.

Mrs. Kitten served home made Spudnuts, coffee and orange juice to the guests and their children.



WORKING CHEERLEADERS -- SHS Cheerleaders are shown decorating the halls at Slaton High. They not only work toward building the spirit for the Slaton Tigers but also for the student body. Being a cheerleader is fun and an honor, but lots of work goes along with it. (TIGER STAFF PHOTO)

### Federated Club Hears Dr. Green

The Lubbock County Federated Club Women met at 12:30 ing was Dr. Francis Earl Green, Monday in Precinct 1 Club director of the West Texas House on Slide Road for a Museum, and son of Mrs. George luncheon.

Mrs. L. A. Kerr, president, was in charge of the session. Attending from Slaton were Mmes. Fannie Patterson, George Green, Kenneth Davies, R. C. Hall Sr. and E. R. Burns,

Guest speaker for the meet-

The Veterans Administration says that the main reasons for delays in receiving chec's from the VA is that necessary

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will be held Saturday from 10 to 11 a.m. in the Slaton Branch Library. Several mothers and Mrs. Ted Melugin, local librarian, will read and tell the children stories, play records and engage in exercise songs. All children are invited to at-

Mrs. Melugin reports that the local library now has 1300 juvenile books and 1,000 books for children from grade one to three. Six bags of new books arrived last week, Another new double bookcase will be completed soon to give more space for shelving these and other

books. Some of the new books received recently in the Children's Easy books are: "What's A Ghost Goint To Do?", "Christmas in the Stable", "Now I Can Count", and "In

My Mother's House". New fiction books in the juvenile section include "Sea

have recently arrived are "Giants Unleased", "The
Grand Slam Kid", "Hot Rod",
"The Haunted Looking Glass",
"The Quarterback", and
"Nineteen Eighty-Four". Adult mystery books at the "The Friends of the Library",

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Finger", "The House of Green Surf", "Ring of Mischlef", and science fiction books include

"None But Man", "Master's Choice", and "I, Robot".

"Nothing Never Breaks Except the Heart", "Honey",
"Laughing Boy", "How Far To Bethlehem?" and "My Land Has A Voice' are adult books that can now be found at the

Mrs. Melugin attended a branch library meeting in Lubbock Tuesday morning at the

City-County Library. Something new at the library are two large maps which are on display. One is of Europe and the other of the moon, with names of craters and areas and data of importance.

Southland schools received several boxes of books last week, donated by the "Friends of the Library". These were old books, left from the move "Twig", "Peddler's Summer", of the Library". These were old books, left from the move to the new location and after the book sale several months ago. Roosevelt will also receive have recently arrived are some of these books. Slaton and some of these books. Slaton and Wilson schools have also recently been given some of the

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# Health Official At **Rotary Meeting**

Wilma Silvius, Lubbock City-County Health Department, explained the benefits and the administration of the State Crippled Children's program when she appeared as guest speaker for the Slaton Rotary Club last Thursday in the Club-

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anyone can refer children to the agency, which receives some Federal funds. The program covers any crippling condition or defect. Damage must be repairable, however, and

no custodial care is provided. The speaker also pointed out that St. John's Clinic provides free examinations to children every three months. She commended the service provided by the clinic.

Mrs. Silvius stated the big-

gest problems faced by the crippled children's agency concerned parents and transportation. She added that apparently too many parents with crippled children did not know about the agency. Others don't meet appointments with transportation mentioned most frequently as reason,

She also added that education of less fortunate citizens is of prime importance. "We can't shrug off diseases that are prevalent in the other part of town," she said, "because anything that people are in one part of town affects the entire community."

Clinton Eastman was program chairman for the week. President J. S. Edwards announced that nine Rotarians attended the inter-city meeting in Lubbock the previous week.

Several visiting guests and one visiting Rotarian was introduced at the club's regular weekly luncheon meeting.

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# COOPER NEWS

By BRENDA, CINDA & LINDA

A lot of spirit was displayed last Friday in the gym during the weekly pep rally. A guest speaker, Phil Tucker, was in-troduced by Sputter Thomason who arranged his visit to Cooper. Mr. Tucker is an All -American football player from Texas Tech, and gave an in-spiring and challenging pep talk.

Captains of the Pirates for last week were Doug Wuensche and Woody Key who each added a brief speech. Members of the Crew Club yelled their loudest with the freshmen outdoing the upperclassmen, thereby earning the privilege of ringing the Victory Bell at the game. The bell was presented to the school by the Pirate Booster Club. Singing of the school song marked the end of the spirited rally.

Cooper won the game, winning 47-8 over Anton.

MUMS ON SALE Mums are being sold by the Junior Class for the Homecoming game, scheduled Oct. 10. They are \$2.50 with a "C", and \$2.75 with a specific number. The game begins at 8 p.m. and everyone is invited to come to Cooper and watch the Pirates

"sock it Mustangs.' ASSEMBLY

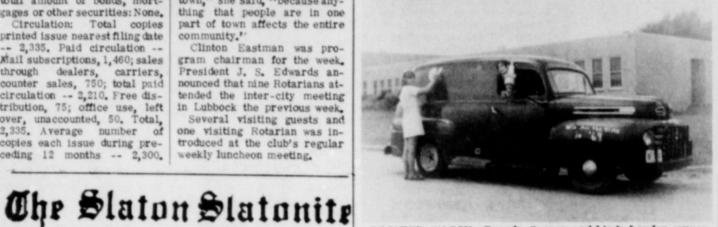
The Senior Class hosted the assembly program Wednesday which featured music by the "Shalla Grass." This band from Lubbock played "In-A-Gadda-D-Vida", originally by the "Iron Butterfly". Other hits made famous by the Beatles highlighted the remainder of the show.

B-TEAM GAME The Cooper Pirate Junior Varsity defeated the Ropes Eagles Junior Varisty last Thursday night by a score of 30-0. This victory for the Pirates gave them a 2-0 record, having defeated Sundown last week. Keep up the good work,

BAND NEWS

Members of the Pirate Band are selling Cooper Pirate bumper stickers and cushions in an effort to raise money for the new band uniforms purchased by the school. The suits are silver, accented with the red and black fighting pirate emblem.

BEAT FRENSHIP!



BOOSTER WAGON -- Brenda Cooper and Linda Louder spruce up the Cooper Pirates Booster Wagon for the next football game. The wagon, presented recently to the newly organized group, features a spark-plug antenna and a wailing siren,

HOUSING - - -

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in July after the program was first initiated here in December, 1964. Approval of federal funds of \$903,500 was announced in October, 1965.

One big problem around the 35 duplexes is the lack of paved streets, with the area almost being impassible during wet weather. Paved streets had been planned to the units, but pro-perty owners in the area protested a street-paving pro gram -- claiming the cost would

not increase their property value, or claiming inability to

The apartments are located in southeast Slaton -- between 2nd and 7th streets and between Jean and Edwards. The Housing Authority is directed and operated by a board of five commissioners, headed by H.E.

The local authority has a 40year loan on the project with payment guaranteed by the federal government.



with Carroll McDonald during the Slaton Lions Club meeting Monday. McAllister was guest speaker at the meeting. Mc-Donald is a past president of the club. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

# McAllister On Lions' Program

State Rep. R. B. (Mac) Mc- man was program chairman. Allister was guest speaker for Broom sale chairman Weldon the regular weekly luncheon meeting of the Slaton Lions Club Monday at the Community Clubhouse.

McAllister spoke briefly of the recent session of the Legislature and answered questions from the members. The firstterm Legislator said his job was "the most difficult "I've ever attempted;" but also called it gratifying and interesting.

McAllister told Lions that the influence of lobbyists is much over-rated, and he defended members of the Legislator on the whole as honest, sincere and dedicated men. He also had praise for Rep. Delwin Jones of Lubbock, who he said was highly respected in

The representative called on citizens to support their elected officials insofar as is possible. "Mr. Nixon will be our president for a few years, and though I am a Democrat, I think we should write him a letter and pledge our support for the best interests of this Nation."

Glen Akin presided over the

Self gave a report on the annual project, which netted about

## Tax Man Sam Sez

Most folks work for a salary and have their income tax withheld. It's easy to forget to include that extra income that you receive from your saving account, dividend on your stock, \$15 for helping Joe Jones, and similar items. It saves a lot of embarrassment, delayed re funds, and problems with your income tax in general, if you keep a simple record of all such income throughout the year.

In this way you don't forget to report all of your income and you don't get a letter from Internal Revenue's computer telling you that you forgot to weekly meeting, and O. G. Nie- include your dividends from ROOSEVELT NEW

PAM MIMMS & DIANE MILL

# NHS Selects 6

The Roosevelt Eagle Foot-ball team regained its footing first grade to last Friday as it blasted Ropesville 47-0. The Eagles have a 2-1 record in non - district

The Eagles meet Post this Friday at Roosevelt, The 8:00 p.m. encounter will be the last non-district game. The Eagle "B" team and

Freshman team journey to Frenship today (Thursday). The games start at 5:30 p.m. The Junior High teams met Frenship on home ground Tues-

day. Results were unavailable. YOUTH OFFICERS The Roosevelt Baptist youth met Sunday with their new Youth Director, Richard Montgomery, to make plans for the year. Of-

ficers were elected as follows: Pam Mimms, president; Patricia Rowan, vice - president; David Hammett, secretary. The youth group also attended the city-wide Crusade in the

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The atonite On Jan. 1, 1965, Fitzgerald was appointed assistant superintendent at Carlsbad, N.M. Transferring in that capacity to Newton, where he became superintendent, Jan. 1, 1966.

Due to the temporary nature of his assignment, Fitzgerald does not plan to bring his wife, Joy, and three of their four children living at home, to Amarillo.



A time for optimism . . . the beautiful weather, the anticipated yield of area crops and the future prospects for this community. Slaton does indeed hold the promise of a bright future.

Current assets should be valuable as the future unfolds. Slaton has the double asset of being on major highways and rail lines. This will be of continuing - and growing - importance. The prospect of US 84 being designated as a southward extension of Interstate 27, now from Amarillo to Lubbock, is encouraging.

Perhaps the most important single factor on Slaton's future lines in our closeness to Lubbock. The labor supply that Lubbock claims can be used by Slaton. This will be a very important factor as future industrial prospects analyze Slaton. We will be able to attract more and larger industries than other towns our size due to our closeness to Lubbock.

Most "prospect" industries demand urban advantages such as higher educational and varied entertainment facilities. These same industries also prefer a small community for living situations of their employees. Slaton, by meeting the criteria of education, entertainment, transportation and labor, is in an excellent posit-

ion for future growth. Many other factors point to a bright future. Slaton is fortunate that Lubbock industry is coming out the Slaton Highway. Many Slatonites work in Lubbock and as the future unfolds, more Lubbock industrial workers will be residing in Slaton. Another factor in Slaton's favor lies in the Buffalo Lakes and canyon areas. The present and

future. Now, for a mental game, suppose for a minute that you are an evaluation man for XYZ Industry and you are looking for a plant location, You are concerned primarily with the profit potential offered by Slaton. Such items as markets, transportation, taxes, labor and utilities will concern you. In our mental game, let's assume that you are satisfied with these

be a real plus factor for the

factors. Your next consideration will be the living environments of your employees. You will look depth at local schools, in Slaton?

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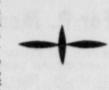
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SLATON'S SEVENTH GRADE TEAM pictured above are suited out in their new black football suits. Coach for the 29 boys is Joe Sparkman. It looks like a winning season for the team as they now hold a 3-0 record. Pictured, left to right, front row--Bill Jones, Larry Ayers, David Hodges, Kenneth Scott, Gary West, Keith Bumpass, Jim Gilmer, Pat Blackstone, Doyce Field, Joe Bob Gist and Gary Ayers; middle row--Billy Thomas, Frank Love, Ronnie Smith, Robin Cochran, Chris Williams, Brad Robison, Jim Alba, J. D. Moore and Ronnie Valdez; back row, Coach, Trever Jones, Ray Conner, Craig Nieman, Bobby Hightower, Kelly Copeland, Wheeler Smith, Clay Mitchell, Matt Hairgrove and Tony Leake.



# Junior Tigers Win, Lose Tuesday Games

Slaton's 7th grade Tigers re-

mained undefeated and unscored

upon, but the 8th graders lost

in games with Abernathy Junior

The 7th graders scored a

row, while the 8th graders

34-0 victory for their third in

Two Accidents

Checked in City

Slaton police recorded two

traffic accidents the past week,

made 12 arrests, issued 16

traffic tickets and made 5 am-

bulance calls.

High here Tuesday evening.

lost a 22-6 decision. The two teams play at Tahoka next Tuesday, with the first game set for

Abernathy scored in the second quarter to take an 8-0 lead in the 8th grade game. The visitors drove for another in the third period, then added the final tally early in the fourth period for a 22-0 lead.

Slaton's only score came on a 75-yard pass play from J. Ray Basinger to Ray L. Basinger. The try for points failed with 3 minutes left in the game, Ricky Becker and Steve Bourn made outstanding defensive plays. Greg Sokora was an offensive standout.

The 7th graders, who have scored 88 points in three games to nothing for the opposition, took a 20-0 lead at halftime. Slaton fumbled at the Abernathy in the first period, but a blocked punt gave them another scoring chance in the second quarter. Kelly Copeland hit Bobby Hightower with an 11yard pass for a 6-0 lead.

Slaton took over again on the Abernathy 5 when a fourth-down snap from center went over the kicker's head, Ronnie Smith carried in for the score. Minutes later, guardJim Alba grabbed a pass which was deflected and ran 20 yards for a score. Copeland ran for 2 points and a 20-0 lead.

In the third period, Craig Nieman scored on a 24-yard run, and Copeland added the two points. Frank Love finished the scoring by going over from the 2, then running for the extra points.

Chris Williams, J. D. Moore and Tony Leake were strong on defense.

churches, parks, other re creational areas, golf course, future plans for this area will airport, hunting - fishing, etc. As you analyze Slaton for the employees of XYZ Industry, you won't be thinking in terms of your leaders making changes. Your attitude will be based on the community as it is on the day of your inspection.

You will gain an overall impression of community pride and attitudes. This you can get by visiting in the stores, talking with the man on the street and by visually inspecting the business and residential areas. Your evaluation is complete, based on your experience and a detached objective analysis. Will the XYZ Industry locate

## Retail Sales Rise in Area

12 percent, a report of the of \$37.4 million. Census of Business reveals.

covers Standard Metropolitan \$72.1 million; and general merpolitan area for Lubbock includes all of Lubbock County.

Jewell Ward. The mishap occurred Saturday evening at the intersection of FM-400 and the US-84 service road, Ward was driver of one vehicle, and driver of the other vehicle involved was Billy L. Arnold Damage to the cars was estimated at about \$1,500.

A minor accident was recorded last Thursday on S. 6th street when vehicles driven by C. R. Bain and Deborah J. Biggs were in collision.

Retail sales in the Lubbock | Retail trade in this SMSA Metropolitan Area rose from area meant jobs for 10,350 \$289.3 million in 1963 to \$324.3 men and women (excluding promillion in 1967, an increase of prietors) and a yearly payroll

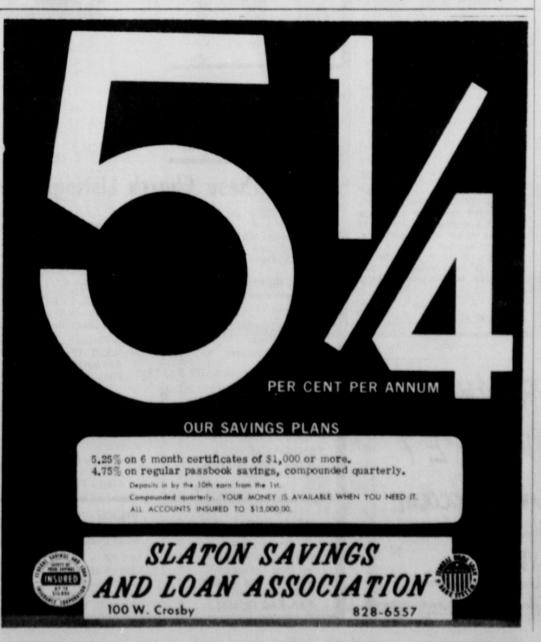
In the census year 1967, the area's eating and drinking The report, just issued by places had sales of \$17.7 milthe U. S. Department of Com- lion; gasoline service stations, merce's Bureau of the Census, \$22.6 million; auto dealers, Statistical Areas. The metro- chandise stores, \$57.9 million. Of the total retail sales, the city of Lubbock accounted for \$296.6 million, while other towns in the metropolitan area had \$27.7 million.

Clean Showerhead

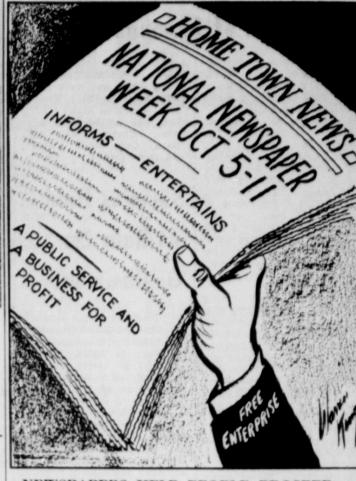
If that shower in your bath jolts you with a stream instead of a spray, your showerhead may clogged with mineral depos its. To regain the gentle spray remove the showerhead face clean the holes with needle or wire, and scrub the back surface. If the water still doesn't spray correctly, it's time to get a nev



STOPPING A TORNADO --- Tigers Allen McDonald (73) and Gary Cook (63) team up to Stop a Tornado in the Slaton-Lamesa game Friday night. Also in the action is Dennis Rushing (71) and several other Tiger gridders. Lamesa overpowered the Tigers in the contest. (Photo by Darrell Eastman)



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We're small, but we have a large pride in being a part of the newspaper business.

Roat Estacado



# Noel Loomis Dies, Was Western Writer, Son of Slatonite Founder

Noel M. Loomis, 64, a well- | include known writer of western novels and son of a former Slatonite publisher, died several weeks ago in San Diego, Calif.

He was the son of the late L. P. Loomis, founder of The Slatonite in October, 1911. Loomis was a native of Wakita, Okla., and began his career as a printer at the age of 9 on his father's paper in Slaton.

Loomis was the author of more than 50 books and 400 short stories. He was a past president of the Western Writers of America, which cited his "Short Cut to Red River" as the best Western novel of 1958.

Sometimes called "Hot Lead", Mr. Loomis wrote on a Linotype machine rather than a typewirter. He contended he could think better on a Linotype.

Mr. Loomis was stricken with a brain tumor a few days before the start of a writers' workshop which he had directed at San Diego State College. He had taught English at the college since 1958.

He was survived by his widow, a son, a daughter and four grandchildren.

His better - known works

### Infant Grandson Dies

Danny G. Enlos Jr., a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Enloe of Slaton, diedina Carlsbad hospital last Wednesday. He was two days old and was born to Mr. and Mrs. Danny G. Enloe of Carlsbad.

Graveside services were held at 10 a.m. Thursday at Baby Land, Carlsbad Cemetery, with the Rev. William Adams, Pentecostal minister from Guymon, Okla., officiating.

Other survivors in addition to the parents and grandparents are a brother, Johathan, a sister, Bethany; a grandmother, Mrs. Betty Ellis of Ft. Crystal City, Mo., and grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson of Crystal City; and his great-grandmothers, Mrs. Frank Bockman of Crystal City and Mrs. C. L. Cooper of Post.

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"Johnny Concho" (1956), which was made into a movie starring Frank Sinatra; "Hang the Men High" (1957), which was produced for tele vision; "Cheyenne War Cry", "Have Gun, Will Travel", "Bonanza" (1960).

# Services Held At Ralls For G. Hammons

Graveside services were held for Garfield (Slim) Hammons, 73, Saturday in Chapell Hill Cemetery in Ralls. He died Sept. 22 in Mercy Hospital, apparently of a heart attack. A veteran of World War I, he moved to the South Plains area in 1941.

Survivors include his wife Novella; three brothers, Charlie Hammons of Petersburg, Robert Hammons of Chapell Hill and Fred Hammons of Houston; four sisters, Mrs. Addie Sanders of Houston, Mrs. Louella Randon of Brazoria, Mrs. Betty Mae Williams of Chapell Hill and Mrs. Mabel Williams of

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Dickens County. He is a graduate of Patton Springs High School there and attended South Plains College and Texas Tech. They attend Westview Baptist

Porter has never worked as a Boy Scout leader but is willing to learn and eager to work with the Cub Scout program. He was a Boy Scout and Cub Scout when a youngster. He says he realizes he will need a lot of assistance and is counting on parents of the Cub Scouts

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MRS BAIRD'S

The yeast-rising loaf

MRS BAIRD'S

### 11:30 a.m. Sunday in Lubbock's University Nursing Center following a lengthy illness. Burial was in Englewood

CROSSWORD PUZZLE Englunds. Born in Dallas County, Mrs. Cox moved to Acuff in 1900. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Roosevelt. Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Ethel Davis and Mrs. Edan Thomas, both of Slaton, and Mrs. Ruby Tho-mas of Millsap; five grand -children, 10 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grand-

> Pallbearers were James Alsbaugh Alvin Parchman. Lecil Batcher, Vance Lipps, Earl Hammett and Paul Rogers.

# Lutheran Pastor Installed In **Sunday Service**

Rev. Delmas L. Luedke will be installed as pastor of Grace Lutheran Church Sunday morning by the Rev. Jimmy Leuders, pastor of Emmanuel Lutheran Church at Posey. Services are set at 9:30 a.m.

followed by Hely Communion. Sunday School will be at 10:45. A pot luck dinner will be served in parish hall following the services.

The Rev. Luedke was ordained as a minister of the gospel in services last Sunday in St. John's Lutheran Church of Deanville, Rev. Nick Bohmann, pastor, officiated for the

ordination service. A native of Deanville, Rev. Luedke has been attending the Evangelical Lutheran Theological Seminary in Columbus, O. He and Mrs. Luedke are residing at 840 West Jean St.

No Squeeze At one supermarket in West Germany a housewife cannot squeeze the tomatoes, rummage through a pile of sirloins, compare the weight of one carton of eggs with another, or haggle over the price of bacon. The supermarket is fully automated and everything is displayed behind

Cotton is cool.



## Sister Of Local **Woman Dies**

Mrs. Merse S. Martinez, 78, sister of Mrs. Regena Vela of Slaton, died at 9:45 p.m. Saturday in West Texas Hospital in Lubbock following a lengthy illness.

A resident of Lubbock since 1963, Mrs. Martinez was born in Corpus Christi, She had been hospitalized one week at the time of her death. Services were held at 11 a.m.

Monday inSt. Patrick's Catholic Church with the Rev. Stephen Keogh, pastor, officiating. Burwas in Peaceful Gardens Memorial Park in Lubbock. Other survivors include a nephew, Pat Vela, of Slaton.

# Saturday Rites For P. Moore

Services for Phinas Moore, 64, were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Bible Baptist Church with the Rev. H. E. Summers, pastor, officiating, Burial was in Englewood Cemetery under the direction of Englunds.

A native of Telephone and resident of Slaton for 10 years, Moore was employed by the Santa Fe Railroad Co.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Frank Moore of Slaton and Dwight Moore with the Army in Homestead, Fla.; a brother, Edgar Moore of Paris; two sisters, Mrs. Gertie Magnuss of Fort Worth and Mrs. Opal Ferguson of Ector.

Services for Mrs. Roy Cox,

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pastor, officiating. She died at

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Survivors include his wife,

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Mrs. Jack Walker of Roanoke,

and eight grandchildren.

Welcome

Pallbearers were W. D. Granger, Pete Alexander, Her-

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ber Girard and Erick Perkins.

A native of Cooper, Hindman

Childers, WTSU, Canyon; Jackle Horton, Lubbock; Jill Scott, WTSU, Canyon; Jim Thompson, City; and Bobby Meeks, WTSU, Canyon.

# Mother Of Mrs. Parks Dies In Dallas

Services for Mrs. Pearl Burke, 78, mother of Mrs. Bruce Parks of Slaton, were W. R. (Retus) Hindman, 54, a Lubbock County resident for held at 10 a.m. Monday in Restland Memorial Chapel in the past 42 years, died last Tuesday in Methodist Hospital Dallas. She was a resident of Dallas.

Burial was in Restland Memorial Park. Survivors other than Mrs.

Parks include her husband, W. M. Burke; four sons, a sister, a brother, 15 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

# Rites Read For Mrs. Austin

Mrs. C. F. Austin, 77, died about 6:30 p.m. Saturday in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after a short illness.

Va.; three brothers, George of Rt. 4, Lubbock, Stant of Weatherford and Edward of De-Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday at the First Baptist Church with Rev. J. L. Cartrite, pastor, and Rev. W. F. Ferguson of Lubbock, a re-Kalb; three sisters, Mrs. Jack Scoggins and Mrs. George Littrell, both of Weatherford and tired Baptist minister, officiat-Mrs. Paul Allredof Fort Worth; ing. Burial was in Englewood Cemetery under direction of

> She was born Aug. 9, 1892, in Mangum, Okla. She had lived in the Slaton area since 1914. She was a Baptist.

Survivors include the husband; three sons, Cecil Austin of Slaton, Leon Austin of Austin and Charles Austin of Orange; a daughter, Mrs. Bill Crawford of Clovis, N.M.; a brother, J. W. Henry of Slaton; five sisters, Mrs. L. L. Lively, Mrs. Lucille Robertson, both of Lubbock, Mrs. H. C. McGee of Pampa, Mrs. Sidney Anderson of Winters and Mrs. Beatrice Chiles of San Angelo; eight grandchildren; and four greatgrandchildren.

Pallbearers were Joe Teague, Harold Moore, Chester Williams, Earl Eblen, Doug Wilson and George Harlan.



POLICE OFFICERS, Glenn Farmer and Walter Head (Slatonite Photo) new ambulance.

AMBULANCE - - -(Continued from Page 1)

many ambulances, or has been "bolted down" by attendants who refuse to mess with the live-saving devices.

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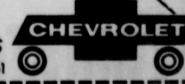
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The Tigers' only score came early in the fourth quarter when each half, and quarterback Terry Mosser connected with halfback Alan Fondy on a 34-yard touchdown pass. The Tors already had a 53-0 lead at that time, but the Tigers were still battling.
The victory left Lamesa as

the only undefeated, untied team in big District 3-AAA. Snyder, which had previously tied Estacado, knocked off the Dunbar Panthers.

The Tornado defense was so tough that Slaton put together two consecutive first downs only 19 13-66 three times in the ball game. 7-7 One of those came with the aid

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K: Lamesa 66, Slaton 7; Estacado 72, Levelland

Dunbar 10; Colorado City 28, Brownfield 7;

Lake View 20; Ft. Worth Terrell 39, Sweetwater

EK'S GAMES: Levelland at Dunbar (Thursday), at Lake View, Snyder at Colorado City, Sweet-

amesa, Littlefield at Tulia, Slaton at Estacado

URRENT SEASON STANDINGS

of a penalty, and the other came on the touchdown play. The Tigers had 9 first downs -in the second half -- to a total of 23 for Lamesa.

And, the Tors had the "number" of Slaton's big fullback, Larry Moore. He picked up 54 yards on 18 carries, but had a minus 14 to net 40 steps for the night. Fondy netted 23 yards on 7 trips. Mosser wound up with a minus 29 yards after being caught by the hard rushing Lamesa line several

Lamesa registered seven scores on runs and three on pass plays. Fullback Aaron Manuel tallied twice on runs of

1 yard; tailback Bennie Williams scored from 39 yards out; fullback Cecil Davis went 59 yards; halfback Richard Vaughn dashed 63 yards; Floyd Jenkins caught TD passes of 35 and 25 yards; halfback Ron Hester ran 3 yards; quarterback Ricky Corley ran 25 yards; and Corley passed to halfback Jerry Beaty for 12 yards. Lynn Bilberry, a big tackle, kicked six

The Tors captalized on every Tiger miscue, moving in for scores after blocking a Slaton punt, recovering two fumbles and intercepting a pass. Slaton had only one scoring threat besides the touchdown drive, moving to the Lamesa 21 in the second period before Lamesa held, A 12-yard run by Fondy and a clipping penalty against the Tors helped get the Tigers

Slaton won the toss and chose to receive the opening kickoff. Schuette returned the kick 23 yards to the Tiger 36, Moore hit the line three times for 6 yards, and Fondy punted. Slaton got a 15-yard penalty when the punt receiver signaled a fair catch and was hit. From their own 46, Lamesa moved nine yards in three plays, then went for the first and made it with

a yard to spare on fourth down. Two plays later, Williams broke off right tackle, cut to the sidelines and raced 39 yards for the first score. The Tigers ran three plays after the ensuing kickoff and punted again.

Lamesa then drove from their own 39 to the Tiger 6 in 13 plays, but the Slaton defense held on a fourth-down play at the six. It was three plays and another punt for Slaton, and Lamesa returned the kick to the Tiger 34. The Tors made it this time in eight plays, with Manuel crashing over from

the one. Louis Scott blocked the extra point kick, and it was 13-0 for Lamesa.

Following the next kickoff, Mosser hit Duane Cox with a 40-yard pass to the Lamesa 20, but the Tigers were called for offsides and penalized back to the 35. Lamesa then blocked a Tiger punt attempt and recovered it on the Tiger 18. Two plays later, Manuel lunged in for another touchdown. Moore almost broke on the

next kickoff, and carried it out to the Tiger 49. Fondy broke for 12 yards on a counter play, and the Tigers got 15 more on a clipping penalty. Mosser missed a pass, then interference was called near the goal line, but Slaton was also in motion on the play. Fondy was dropped for a 13-yard loss trying to pass and Lamesa took

over on their own 35. Second later, Davis rammed over right tackle and broke all the way on a 59-yard touchdown run. The point-after kick was good and it was 27-0 with only 1:40 left in the first half.

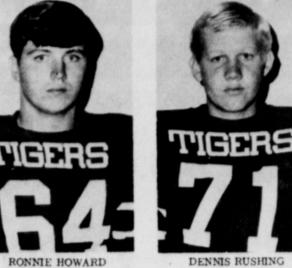
The Tigers got one first down on a 15-yard run by Moore, then had to punt and Lamesa took over on its own 35. A long pass went for a completion at the Tiger 35 when pass interference was called, then Lamesa hit on a 35-yard touchdown pass as time ranout. That made it 34-0 at halftime.

The Tors drove for an easy score early in the third period. After taking the opening kickoff and being unable to move, Ron Hester got off a tremendous punt of 55 yards to the Tiger 23. Safetyman Frank Self retreated on the bouncing ball but accidentally touched it, and Lamesa grabbed it. Five plays later, Lames lead to 41-0. Lamesa increased its

Slaton got two first downs on its next possession, then had to kick. Lamesa soph halfback Richard Vaughn, a spinter, broke for a 63-yard run moments later as the score climbed to 47-0. Slaton made two first downs on its next possession, then a snap was fumbled and Lamesa recovered on the Tiger 42.

Jenkins made a sensational one-handed grab of a pass to take to the Tors to the Tiger 11. He fumbled the ball after completing the catch, then recovered it. A running play lost a yard, then Corley passed to Beaty all alone in the corner of the end zone.

Schuette returned the kickoff





Fenley dashed 15 yards in the

second quarter of play. A 25-

yard pass play from quarter-

back Steve Nieman to halfback

Steve Ethridge sparked the





GAME CAPTAINS IN FIRST HOME CONTEST

### Freshmen Lose 18-6 Decision Slaton scored first when Dana

A speedy Plainview freshman team showed more polish and experience in capturing an 18-6 win over the Tiger freshmen here last Thursday afternoon.

for Slaton for 26 yards and almost broke all the way. The Tigers had to hand the ball over on the Tornado 48, however, after failing to make a first. On the Tors' second play, Englund rapped the quarterback with a strong blow, causing him to fumble and Rushing recovered on the Lamesa 48.

The Tigers then went all the way in five plays for their only score. Farrell got 7 yards and Moore added 9, then Moore lost a couple. Mosser's long pass was almost intercepted, but a third-down pass to Fondy lit up the scoreboard, Fondy made a great diving catch in the end zone on the 34-yard play. Allan Sanders' kick was good, but the score was 53-7.

Another fumble set up Lamesa on the 25 moments later. Slaton had held the Tors and took over on their 46. Mosser lost 6 trying to pass, then was hit for another loss of 15 and fumbled the ball. Lamesa recovered on the 25, and Corley covered that distance on the first play. It was 59-7 with 3:17 left in the game.

The frustrated Tigers went to the air in attempt to move again, but a halfback pass by Akin was intercepted by Vaughn on his 45-yard line and returned to the Tiger 10. Lamesa drew a 15-yard penalty back to the 25, but Corley lofted a pass to Jenkins in the end zone for the final tally.

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drive. Plainview came back with three long - distance scoring plays in the second period. End sweeps of 21 and 60 yards accounted for two touchdowns. The visitors scored on the final play of the first half, when a back broke 37 yards on a re-

There was no scoring in the second half, Defensive standouts from Slaton included Curtis Woolever, Kenny Schuette,

and Ethridge. The freshmen play Abernathy at 5 p.m. today.

## Junior Varsity At Abernathy

Slaton's junior varsity Tigers lost their first contest of the season at Lubbock last Thursday, taking a 32-6 defeat at the hands of the Estacado JV.

Slaton stayed close in the first period, as Jackie Ford scored on a 35-yard run. Estacado scored twice on runs of 85 and 35-yards by Russell Coleman. He also added a 15yard scoring run in the second period.

Estacado tallied on a 30yard pass play in the third period, and Ronnie Peagues dashed 85 yards for the final score for Lubbock.

Slaton's JV goes to Abernathy for its second game at 7 p.m.



players, but it's a little unusual for a coach to be on the injury list. Tiger assistant coach Doc Mize slipped in the field house and broke his arm prior to the season's first game. It was a painful break and he's just now getting in a laughing mood about it. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

ITEM: One ingenlou

plan to paint. Since many colors undergo a good deal of change from one kind of light to another, study these

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## SOUTHLAND NEWS

MRS. TOMMY WILKE

# Let's Count Our Blessings

The weather sure has been have a crop. So, let us all count beautiful this past week, hasn't our blessings instead of trying it? We are all hoping that it to find something to be disconstays this way for the next two months, but if it doesn't, then we still have a lot to be thankful for. Even though we have oodles of weeds in the crops around here, at least we still Miss Kathleen Elmore and Miss

tented about!

TO BIG BEND Guests in the home of Mrs.

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While the ladies were here visiting, they made a trip into the Big Bend country where they spent several days. Another lady from Grandview, Mrs. Maud Pitts, spent one night in the Lester home.

VISIT COLORADO

have returned from a 10-day visit in Colorado where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blyth in Denver and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Foerster and children in Monte Vista, Colo.
AT RETREAT

Sherri Wilke attended the North West Texas Luther League retreat which was held at Ceta Glen this past weekend. Approximately 60 youth and sponsors attended.

YOUTH GET-TOGETHER

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Becker | this past Sunday evening. A weiner roast and fellowship was held at 6:00, followed by a time of devotions which was led by Rev. J. H. Sharp, pastor of the Methodist church. Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Flanagan played the gui-

tar and sang several special songs. Approximately 25 young people attended along with several adults. I think that this was a fine thing, and maybe another "get-together" can be held in the near future.

Guests in the home of Mr. The Methodist and Baptist and Mrs. P. W. Crawford and churches of Southland spon - Debbie on Sunday were Mr. Was so sorry to receive the sored a "get-together" for all the youth in this community ford and James Crawford, all Ward of this community was

of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hamaker of Wolfforth and Mr. and Mrs. Dee Hodge of Level-

Guests in our home on Sunday were David Wessel and friend, Susan, from Texas Tech, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Bryan from Farmington, N.M., Mrs. Delmar Wilke, Angie and Cheryl from Wilson, Mrs. Marcus Wilke from Slaton, Mrs. Larry Wilke from Lubbock and our number two son, Darrell from Texas Tech.

COUPLE INJURED Was so sorry to receive the news that Mr. and Mrs. F. L.

involved in a car-pickup wreck on Saturday. It happened just after they came under the over-pass and turned toward Southland, A car coming from Wilson hit them, causing the wreck. Mrs. Ward is in fair condition in the West Texas Hospital in Lubbock and Mr. Ward was treated and released, May God

be with this couple in their time of need. Isaac Hopper's brother and sister-in-law was involved in a one-car wreck recently when they hit a cow on the highway canady made a near Spur. Hope all goes well

with this couple. FOOTBALL last Friday not very good game

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## **POSEY NEWS**

My, we're enjoying this bea-utiful fall weather and the cotton is opening fast. BIRTHDAY PARTIES

Mrs. Anna B. Gentry was given a birthday shower Saturday by her children and received many lovely gifts. Her Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Hastings of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Mert Gentry and Raymond Johnson of Lubbock.

eighth birthday with a party given at the Assembly of Good Fellowship Hall Saturday afternoon. Cake and punch were served. She received many

lovely gifts and two out of town phone calls wishing her a "Happy Birthday".
Mr. and Mrs. Meridith Hast-

Cathy Kitchens enjoyed her | Gentry. The Hastings visited the Tom Johnsons, the J. C. Gentrys and other relatives while they were in this area.

MRS. P.C. KITCHENS

It looks as though it is birthday week for Posey as Heddle Kelly and Fabian Stahl at -tended Joe Moeller's 79th birthday dinner Monday.

RE-BUILD WORK SHOP ings of Houston and Robert
Boyce had supper Saturday
evening with Mr. and Mrs. Mert

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Gentry spent Saturday with his
parents, the J. C. Gentrys,

while a group of men helped rebuild Mr. Gentry's work shop that burned in the spring. Odie Williams, Kenneth Gentry with Sammy and other men helped

with the building. Jimmy Burleson of Phoenix, Ariz. spent the weekend here.
Jimmy, Dale, Dorah and Cheri
Burleson, Mr. and Mrs. Noel
Oates and Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Gentry and daughter had dinner with Grandmother Burleson (Mrs. Willie Burleson) of Sla-

ton Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Meridith Harper and children spent last week at Paris, Tex. visiting

Forehand Student In Nashville

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Hugh Forehand, son of Mr. School, Forehand will transfer and Mrs. Artie B. Forehand, of 1210 South Ninth Street, Slaton, has been admitted to David in Bible. Lipscomb College, Nashville,

Tenn. A graduate of Calhoun High

relatives, Meridith enjoyed fishing with his father-in-law and others while there.

"Those who see God's hand in everything are able to leave everything in God's hands". Trust to see you next week, student,

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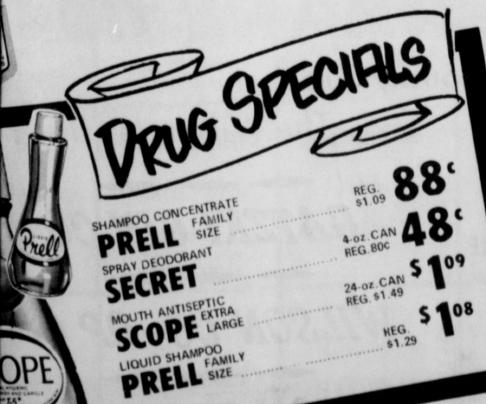


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# Cooper Romps **Over Anton**

MORE TIGER'S CAGE

Fullback Rick Smith, an allstate candidate, and quarterback Jack White sparked the offensive show as the undefeated Cooper Pirates rolled to a 47-8 victory at Anton Friday night.

Smith had more than 200 yards rushing, with 142 of the steps coming on four touchdown runs. The Pirate fullback tallied on runs of 6, 22, 34 and 80 yards.

Smith set the pace with two scoring jaunts in the first period, then White took over in the second quarter. The quarterback scored on an 8-yard run, then hit touchdown passes to Emmett Cardenas and Gilbert | tough Frenship Tigers of 4-AA.

**Band Sports** 

**New Uniforms** 

The Slaton High School Tiger

Band received new uniforms

this year. The new uniforms,

which were worn for the first

time Sept. 13 at San Angelo,

consist of black coat and pants

with white overlay. The black is accented with red trim.

The uniforms have been an

effort of the band for the past

few years. The previous uni-

forms have been used since

1957 and were in bad need of

repair. The bandpurchasednew

hats last year. The approxi-

mate cost of the new uniforms

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Martinez of 28 and 11 yards. White galloped for his other two scores in the third period and ran for a two-point conversion. Martinez added three points by kicking.

Anton's Bulldogs got on the scoreboard in the final quarter when quarterback Tom Gilbert tossed a 5-yard pass to end James Holmes. Later in the period, guard Dennis Hill dropped the Cooper signal caller in the end zone for a safety.

Anton is 0-3 for the season. Cooper, now with a 3-0 record, travels to Wolfforth Friday night for a contest with the

New Officers The Slaton High School Choirs have elected new officers for

Choirs Elect

the coming year. Elected in the mixed choir were Glenda Smith, president; Dora Johnson, vice - president; Judy Boyd, secretary; Sandra Smith and Diana Scott, robe girls; Joe Johnson and Walter Cooper, robe boys; and Andrew Jones and Benita Zapata, lib-

Elected in the girls' choir were JoAnn Roberts, presi dent; Sandra Blevins, vice -president; Charlotte Moore, secretary; Jeanie Simonton, robe girl; and Carlene Loke, librarian.

The choir contest this year is scheduled March 19 at Plain-

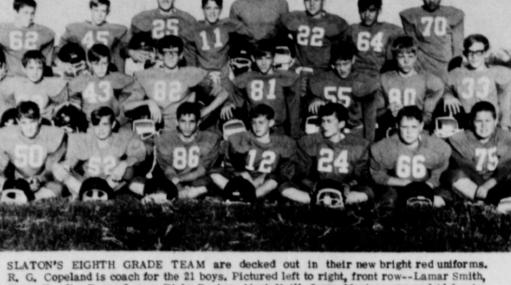
John Wilson is the director of both choirs.

## Count Shows 17 **New Students**

If a new face is seen roaming the halls of Slaton High, one may be seeing one of the 17 new students. Some of them have transferred here from as far off as Iowa.

New students include: seniors -- Lana Head, Amarillo; Patrica Pollard, Brenham; Judy Gilmer, Fort Madison, Iowa; and Darwin Belt, Lubbock; juniors -- Danny Chapman, Commanche; and Tyra Martin, Wilson; sophomores -- Robert Haynes, Val Verde; Cynthia Hendrix, Sumner, Kan.; and

Jack Taylor Add these new freshmen --Donnie Drones, Garden City, Kan.; Larry Nino, O'Donnell; Richard Zapata, Phoenix, Airz.; Annie Steels, Wilson; Ricky Spinks, Post; Patricia Green, Okla.; Joe Reyes, Robert Zavalo, Roosevelt; Constance Dodson, Lubbock; and Paul Martin, Wil-



Steve Hamlin, Benny Lopez, Ricky Becker, Mark Neill, Jerry Montgomery and Al Lewis; middle row -- C. V. Siler, Gregory Sokora, Greg Parks, Joe Alspaugh, Craig Mann, Barry Wicker, and Dwain Mosser; standing--Bobby Breedlove, Ray L. Basinger, Steve Bourn, J. Ray Basinger, coach, Thomas Heinrich, Lupe Ruiz and Raymond Gonzales. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

# Roosevelt Tops Ropes, 47-0

The Roosevelt Eagles got back on the winning trail at Ropesville Friday night, scoring a decisive 47-0 triumph. The Eagles are now 2-1 on the season and host the strong Class AA Post Antelopes Friday night. Game time is 8 p.m. at Roose-

Nine Roosevelt gridders took part in the scoring parade at Ropesville last week. Seven touchdowns were scored by seven different Eagles, while Jimmy Matsler added a 32-yard field goal and David Hammett

kicked two extra points. Scoring the touchdowns were: Arthur Tennison, 30-yard pass from Tommy Martin; Randall Hughes, 4-yard run; Johnny Brown, 6-yard run; Don Jackson, 1-yard run; Walter Mann, 6-yard run; Rex Thomas, 1-yard run; Ricky Daniel, 35yard pass from Jackson.

Roosevelt recorded 460 yards in total offense.

### Historian Displays Swords in Assembly

Nearly 50 swords and daggers were viewed by Slaton High School students in assembly Sept. 17, when Dr. Ellis Pierce, an historian, master swordsman, and coach, presented the program.

Dr. Pierce presented an ad early colonial America. His display of over 50 swords, cutdaggers, and dueling articles were vividly explained

and demonstrated. Dr. Pierce has had over 44 years of fencing experience. He is presently "Maitred Armes" of the Westmoreland Fencing Club of Pittsburg, Penn.



SOUTHLAND CHEERLEADERS -- These 3 pretty girls will be hoping to help cheer the Southland Eagles to victory as they host Gail Friday night. The cheerleaders, from top to bottom, are: Laura Bevers, sophomore; Breonne

## PICTURES TAKEN

Student pictures were taken Sept. 24, by Henington Studio, Don Caldwell, 1963 graduate Wolf City. The photographer was Paul Benton of Lubbock. The photographer will return for retakes at a later date.

Mr. Caldwell played a saxophone solo and was accompanied by the Tiger Band. The music was all arranged by Mr. Cald-

### DON CALDWELL IS HALFTIME FEATURE

of Slaton High School, was featured with the Tiger Band in a special performance Friday

Coyotes Friday night, marking the return of former Eagle coach Bob Dyess to Southland Dyess was the Eagle coach for a number of years before going to Gail this season.

## WILSON NEWS

# Mustangs Going For 4 In R

The Wilson Mustangs won their third game in a close score of 13-12 with the Sundown Roughnecks there Friday night. Dan Stone's lone conversion helped tilt the score in favor of the Mustangs in second quarter of play. Wilson is 3-0 for the sea-

son and will play their first home game with Meadow (tomorrow) Friday night, game time 8 p.m.

The Mustang Band gives some fine performances at halftime show under the leading drum major, Suzi McCormick. Coy Cook is Wilson band director.

In Junior High football action Sundown played here last Thursday at 5:30 p.m. Wilson lost to Sundown, Today (Thursday) the Junior High team will play Meadow here.

Concession stand workers will be listed as soon as they are available.

The Wilson Mustangs re -

mained undefeated after cap-

turing a thrilling 13-12 vic-

tory over the Roughnecks at

Freshman quarterback John Fields passed for both touch-

downs, and Dan Stone's con-

version kick turned out to be the

Wilson will host the Meadow

Brocs in another non-district

Longhorn Rally

Nips Southland

The Southland Eagles car-ried a 6-0 lead into the fourth

quarter Friday night, only to

see the Loop Longhorns rally

for a 20-6 victory. Loop blocked a Southland punt

and moved 34 yards to tie the

score, A little later, Loop took

the lead on a 29-yard pass play.

The Longhorns scored again

with about a minute left in the game on a 65-yard run.

in the first quarter on a 2-

yard touchdown run by Stanley

twice within the Southland five-

The defeat was the third in a

row for the Eagles. Loop is

Larry Lockridge and Ray

Valdez were defensive stand-

Southland will host the Gail

Abshire. Loop fumble

2-1 for the season.

outs for Southland.

yard line.

Southland had taken the lead

Sundown Friday night,

winning margin.

last week were, 4-H and FHA girls, Betty Shaw, placing first in brownies, and Karla Moore Carla Wilke, and Rene' Kah-

H. D. Tucker of Wilson received many ribbons with his swine entered in the fair this year.

Wilson Wins 13-12

Thriller at Sundown

Edwin Nieman of A few of the South Plains and Mrs. Franks Fair ribbon winners in Lubbock Mr. and Mrs. O and Tommy of W Mrs. Hulda Abre lich winning ribbons with their

products.

Visitors last Monday and Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Klos were his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tresney and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson. Also visiting were Mrs. Willeen Schuette. Bruce, Kenny, Roxanne and Vance of Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Klos visited with Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Gumm and John on Sunday. Saturday night visitors in Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Maeker's home, Route

The stands remained full un-

til the final gun at Sundown

as the two teams staged a de-

fensive thriller. Steve Bednarz

led the Mustang defense with

15 tackles, followed closely by

Sundown opened the scoring

in the second quarter on a 10-

yard run by halfback Eddie

Eberhart, The point try failed,

Wilson countered in the second

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the victory. First downs were about even in the contest, and Wilson had a slight edge on total offense. The Mustangs had 141 yards rushing and 79 passing, compared to 135 rushing and 56 passing for Sundown.

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outs, more pictures, and possibly a color page.

The co-editors, Susan Cagle and Cissy Blevins, won the third place trophy for their layout design at the Yearbook Workshop at Texas Tech last summer. This accomplishment further assures a successful year for the staff.

The annual staff and school photographers attended Journalism Day at Texas Tech on Saturday, Sept. 20, after which they attended the Texas Tech-Kansas football game in Jones

Kathie Mitchell Named Editor Of Tiger's Cage

Slaton's High School's journalism department elected the Tiger's Cage staff members

Sept. 8. The staff includes Kathie Mitchell, editor; Paul Payne, assistant editor; Debbie King, business manager; Marilyn Meeks, Laura Lynn Basinger, and Mike Peterson, sports writers; Sandra Blevins, Judy Gilmer, and Penny Johnston, feature writers.

Others chosen were Terry Mosser, Glenna Smith, and Gaylon Barkley, ad salesmen; Danny Boyd, circulation editor; Teddy Kidd, exchange editor; Glenda Davis, Rebecca Ratliff, and Frank Chapa, reporters; Larry Witt, typist; and Jimmy Magouirk and Debbie Breed love, copyreaders.

Mrs. M. W. Kerr is the Tiger's Cage sponsor this year. The staff plans to print 13 issues of the newspaper. This year The Slatonite plans to run the senior interviews on other pages, and this will enable the staff to write more school news on The Tiger's Cage page.

The top students will take part in the Interscholastic League

# Tigers Tackle **Matadors Next**

Lamesa came, saw, and conquered Slaton's outclassed Tigers by a score of 66-7. Lamesa proved too much for the Tigers as they showed a powerful attack which took apart Slaton's small but tough defense. After this game Lamesa looks like the cream of the crop in District

3-AAA. The Tigers never gave up, but Lamesa's speed and strength was too much, Slaton's only score came in the fourth quarter when Terry Mosser hit Alan Fondy on a 34-yard pass. Allan Sanders kicked the

extra point. Slaton hopes to get back on the winning track against Lubbock Estacado Saturday, Oct. 4 at Lowrey Field in Lubbock

at 2 p.m. Slaton's record stands at two victories and one defeat while Estacado stands 2-0-1. The tie came at the hands of Snyder 7-7. Estacado is currently ranked sixth in AAA state poll.

Nowadays, police re-lease arrested juveniles to their parents. That is, if they can locate the par-









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# **EDITORIALS**

Today in this modern and highly technical world, our school and its activities seem so small, so insignificant; but have you ever stopped to think where you would be without it or where it would be without You?

Nine months out of the year school is basically your own little world; but stop and think, "How much time, how much of myself do I alone give to my school and its activities?" It is not enough to just go to school every day and never know

what is really going on and even worse not to even care. There are numerous activities here in Slaton High School that you don't have to be smart, popular, or even talented to participate in. When one hears a person say, "I can't do this or that," everyone wonders how do they know if they have never tried.

Your school is not only something to be proud of but, more important, something to have an interest in. This year go out and join an organization or at least support your school's activities because if you don't care about your little world, who

# SCHOOL CHIEF, SIX NEW TEACHERS ON SHS FACULTY

Alamogordo, New Mexico. Mrs.

Gillis was graduated from Way-

land College and has been teach-

our small school and the

ball team this year; he is Coach

Jackie Steward from Snyder.

Coach Steward is a graduate

from Sul Ross. He likes any

sport and enjoys going to ath-

letic events. He also takes in-

terest in hunting and fishing.

The 1969 Pep Squad consists

of 40 school-spirited members.

The officers are Georgia Geer,

president; Linda Thomas, vice-

president; and Cissy Blevins,

pleated skirts with white

blouses, red vests, and black

six enthusiastic cheerleaders

-- Dee Dee Carter (senior) head

cheerleader, Judy Eblen (sen-

Glenna Smith (junior),

ior), Cindy McWilliams (jun-

Cynthia Akin (sophomore), and

Loretta Dillon (freshman).

Their new uniforms this year

are black, low-waisted jump-ers with big box pleats stitched

Mrs. Audean Nowell sponsors

The Pep Squad will be led by

uniforms are black

Georgia Geer

secretary-treasurer.

Their

the group.

A new coach is with our foot-

friendly SHS students.

The SHS faculty has acquired is Mrs. Donnie Gillis from six new teachers and a new superintendent this year.

J. C. McClesky was hired as our new superintendent of ing for five years. She enjoys schools in August to replace Dr. P. L. Vardy. Mr. Mc -Clesky, his wife Aline, and son Billy moved to Slaton from Shamrock where he had been chief of schools for nine years. Mr. McClesky has attended Texas A&M and received his Master's Degree from Mid-

western University.
Mrs. Mary McClesky is one of our new teachers at SHS who plays golf as her hobby. She has attended Texas Tech University where she was graduated with Bachelor of Arts and Political Science Degrees. Heads Pep Squad team, but an outstanding junior Mrs. McClesky enjoys our small school atmosphere and also enjoys teaching here. She teaches Algebra I, Algebra II, geometry, and trigonometry.

A new face in our English Department is Mrs. Mary Whittington from Richardson, She was graduated from Texas Tech University where she earned her Bachelor of Arts Degree in history. Mrs. Whittington prefers a small school like SHS and enjoys teaching here very

A popular new teacher around SHS is ROTC Commander, Ser- ior), geant L. B. Winters. The Sergeant enjoys teaching at SHS, and he is especially proud of his 106 ROTC boys. At the present Sergeant Winters is working on his L.B.B. Degree in red. at Texas Tech, which he will receive next year.

Our new SHS speech teacher

## SLAVE SALE SET

The annual "Slave Sale" will be held Wednesday, Oct. 15. Each Student Council member will be auctioned off with several bidding wars expected and all proceeds going to the Student Council activity fund, M. W. Kerr, principal, will also be auctioned off, along with any other "selected" teachers.

**Beat Estacado** 



STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS--Gaines Teague, seated, is president of the student body at Slaton High School this year. Other officers of the student council are Charlie Geer, vice

president, and Patty Neill, secretary-treasurer.

**Tigers Start Season With Only** 

Eight Lettermen From Last Year

The Slaton Tiger Varsity

opened the 1969-70 season with

a meager inheritance of only

eight lettermen from a 4-6

varsity crop brightens the out-

Size is the main problem

with only four boys over 185

pounds. They are Larry Moore,

212; Tom Hargraves, 200; Allen

McDonald, 198; and Dennis

Other members of the varsity

include: Quarterbacks: Terry

Mosser, 150; and Walter Sim-

mons, 140. Fullbacks: Larry

Moore, 212; Don Smith 170

and Ismal Ledesma, 160, Half-

backs: Nicky Farrell, 170; Al-

lan Fondy, 165; Bruce Schuette,

Akin, 145; and Joe Johnson,

Centers: Charlie Geer, 165;

and Allan Sanders, 150, Guards:

Louie Scott, 180; Ollie Rain-

water, 160; Ronnie Howard, 170;

Ted Dixon, 150; Gary Cook,

155; and Dick Davis, 155.

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Rushing, 195.

Tackles: Dennis Rushing,

195; Allen McDonald, 198; Tom

Hargrave, 200; and Charlie Thomas, 170. Ends: Robert Eng-

lund, 170; Jimmy Rodgers, 170;

Paul Payne, 160; Allan Walters,

Coaches are Ernie Davis

(McMurray), Eugene Franklin

(North Eastern Louisiana), Doc

Mize (Texas Tech), Jackie Ste-

ward (Sul Ross), Kenneth Hous-

den (WTSU), Joe Sparkman (Texas Tech), and R. G. Cope-land (NTSU). Managers are

Frank Menzel and Leland Kuy-

The freshmen have played

two games this season, winning against Tahoka and losing

The Slaton freshman and jun-

ior varsity combined their

teams against Tahoka's com-

bined team to win 16-0 here

in the second quarter and Randy

Davis ran for the extra points

to give Slaton a 8-0 lead. Davis

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Slaton a 8-0 lead. Davis scored

again in the fourth quarter,

and Jackie Ford ran for the

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## SHS LEADERS

# You Dig The S.C.?

What is the Student Council; how does it work? Who are the representatives and officials? These questions have been asked by a number of students.

The Student Council is the governing body of the school; it raises money to sponsor activities to aid the enjoyment of the students and teachers at Slaton High School, All decisions are made by majority ruling. The only person who can veto a plan is M. W. Kerr, the Student Council sponsor.

The representatives come from the individual classes. In early September right after school starts, two additional students are added from each class by elections. The seniors have eight representatives; the juniors, six; the sophomores, four; and the freshmen, two.

The group is headed by Gaines Teague, president; Charlie Geer, vice-president; and Patty Neill, secretary - treasurer. Other Council members in clude: seniors, Marilyn Davis, Darlene Hlavaty, Jimmie Rodgers, Dickie Jones, Clifford Summar, Nicky Farrell, and Georgia Geer; juniors, Kathie Mitchell, Glenna Smith, Glen Akin, Mario Avila, and Cindy McWilliams; sophomores, Cynthia Akin, Randy Davis, Marsha Bednarz, and Gary Dillard; and freshmen, Lana Dickson and Steve Nieman.

The Student Council is in charge of all elections at SHS, plans the school assemblies, and plans all Western Day activities. Past projects include purchasing furniture and carpet for the main office, the teachers' lounge, and the counselor's

The Council purchased and installed the sign in front of

the school, the trophy case in 2 FFA Students

Win at Fair

Two Slaton High School FFA students won prizes last week at the Panhandle South Plains Fair Livestock Show. They were Gary Cook and Glen Akin, both juniors.

Gary Cook showed the Reserve Grand Champion of a Berkshire Junior Spring Gilt hog. He also won first and second place in the junior show; in the open show he won a fourth and a fifth, With his Poland China Junior Spring Gilt hog he won third and fourth in the junior show; in the open show he won fifth and sixth, elected officers for the 1969-

the junior show and sixth in the open show. This was won by his Berkshire Junior Spring Gilt

# Fish Lead

Enrollment A recent census survey showed the total enrollment of Slaton Sept. 18. Steve Nieman scored High School to be 460.

The freshman class was the largest with 126. They had 67 girls and 59 boys, being the only class to have more girls than boys. The sophomores fell next in line with 55 girls, 62 boys, and a total of 117. The juniors had 113 in their

The freshman team played class, consisting of 53 girls and 70 boys. The seniors turn-Plainview here Sept. 25 and lost 18-6 in a scoreless second ed out to have the smallest class, with 46 girls, 58 boys, and 104 altogether in their half. Dana Fenley scored the only Slaton touchdown, running class.

Cotton looks fresh

the front lobby, and the Tiger pep pennants seen each Friday morning on the campus. Their main project was securing the Victory Bell from the Santa Fe Railway Company and the construction and painting of the trailer and the bell,

# Class Officers **Named Under New System**

A new system of electing student officials has been developed at Slaton High School this year. It is now a system of voting by secret ballots only, and not in front of the entire class. New class officers and Student Council members were nominated Sept. 4, and elected

the next day. The senior class officers are Lonnie Kuss, president; Robert Englund, vice - president; and Dianne Kenney, secretary-treasurer. Senior student council representatives are Nicky Farrell, Darlene Hlavaty, and

Georgia Geer. The juniors selected Frank Self, president; Terry Mosser, vice - president; Jane Webb, secretary; and Kathie Mitchell, treasurer. Student council representatives are Cindy Mc-

Williams and Mario Avila. The sophomores named Tommy Walters, president; Floyd Kitten, vice - president; and Cynthia Akin, secretary - treasurer. The student council members are Marsha Bednarz

and Gary Dillard. The freshmen named as president, Mike Lewis; vice-president, Paul Martin; and secretary-treasurer, Cathy Riney. Freshman student council representatives are Lana Dickson

and Steve Nieman. Class sponsors include: freshman, Mrs. Happy Mc-Clesky, Miss Faydell Barrett, and Miss Donnie Gillis; sophomore, Ernie Davis, Mrs. Velma Figley, and Jackie Stewart; junior, Mrs. Saleta Duff, Mrs. Rob-Johnson, and Kenneth Housden; senior, Eugene Franklin and Weldon Mize.

### **Honor Society Elects Officers**

The National Honor Society Glen Akin won third place in 70 school year at a meeting held

ept. 20. officers are: Pat Edwards, president; Jimmie Rogers, vice-president; Darlene Hlavaty, secretary; and Marilyn Davis, treasurer. Their sponsor is Mrs. M. G. Davis.

The Honor Society is a new club at SHS, starting only last year. It is an organization for students with a high scholastic standing, who are active in school activities and interested in the school and its well being.

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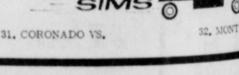
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