

# The Slaton Slatonite

A MEMBER OF MOST FAMILIES IN THE SLATON TRADE AREA

59th YEAR, NO. 10

LUBBOCK COUNTY, SLATON, TEXAS

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1969

10 CENTS



(Courtesy of Pioneer Nat. Gas)

TEMP.	HIGH	LOW
Dec. 10	60 est.	24
Dec. 9	60	30
Dec. 8	56	29
Dec. 7	42	26
Dec. 6	40	28
Dec. 5	64	36
Dec. 4	50	40



By Speedy Nieman

Division Street says not many  
principle without expecting to  
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your merit to be known, acknow-  
ledge other people.--Oriental proverb  
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at Citizens State Bank  
"A. Day" Tuesday, holding a  
party for T. A. Worley. It was a  
Friday afternoon that an explosion  
occurred, injuring Worley.  
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celebrated the fact that T.A.  
died Tuesday, presenting him  
with a special boutonniere.  
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Chamber manager Ted Weaver  
here this week, but will still be  
several weeks. We don't want him  
to go, however, without commending  
him well done. The energetic and  
ambitious Chamber man has been an asset  
to the Chamber and though we will miss  
his presence and his very best  
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members, committee chairmen and  
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by Chamber officials.  
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to keep it going.  
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Yuletide--a community project  
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most fortunate at Christmastime--  
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in Slaton again this year. It's a  
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to make application of the words,  
...  
blessed to give than to receive."



VISIT WITH MR. C--Phil Robertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Robertson, didn't seem too pleased to be in Santa's lap here Monday night--or maybe he was pleading his case for some particular toys. Slaton held its Christmas opening Monday night and downtown Yule lights were turned on around the square. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

## Chamber Names Manager

### Davis, McClesky Head 1970 Slate



ROBERT H. DAVIS

### Seminole Man To Succeed Weaver Here

Earl Bartley, 35, manager of the Seminole Chamber of Commerce, resigned his post Tuesday to announce his acceptance of the manager's job with Slaton Chamber of Commerce.  
Bartley will succeed Ted Weaver, who recently resigned to accept the Chamber manager's position at Sweetwater. The new manager will come to Slaton Jan. 1, it was announced Tuesday by Clark Self Jr., Slaton C of C president.  
Self said the board officially approved the employment of Bartley Tuesday morning at a regular meeting. The Seminole man had been in Slaton for a personal interview about two weeks ago.  
Self said Bartley "was highly recommended to our Chamber directors, and we look forward to working with him on behalf of our community."  
Weaver will be leaving Slaton this month after terminating his job on Dec. 9. He had been manager here for about one and one-half years.  
Bartley, a native of Tahoka, has been Seminole C of C manager for a year and a half. He was a Texas Highway Patrolman for nine years and was a chief deputy at Seminole before entering Chamber work. He graduated from Tahoka High School and attended Howard Payne College.  
He is a deacon in the First Baptist Church at Seminole and is active in the Lions Club. He and his wife, Carolyn, have two children--Ron, a freshman in high school, and Janna, 11.  
Bartley's father, the late L.N. Bartley, died in May this year. He was a farmer in the Tahoka area and later went into police work, serving on the Slaton force briefly in 1950 before going to Tahoka as police chief. Mrs. Bartley now resides in Odessa.  
The Chamber man has two brothers--one a police chief at Kermit and the other residing in Los Angeles, and one sister who lives in Dallas.  
His wife, the former Carolyn Henderson, is a native of Wilson. Her father, the late Frank Henderson, was a Lynn County deputy and was killed in the line of duty in 1954.

Robert Hall Davis will be installed as president of Slaton Chamber of Commerce, succeeding Clark Self Jr., when the annual C of C Banquet is held Jan. 19.  
The announcement came Tuesday morning following a regular monthly meeting of Chamber directors at The Carnation House. Five new directors were also named with J. C. McClesky, school superintendent, being elected as incoming vice president.  
Other directors named for three-year terms were Bill Adams, J. W. Holt, Glen Akin and Jake Wendel. McClesky, Adams and Holt are newcomers to the board, with Akin and Wendel being re-elected.  
Davis will move up after serving as vice president the past year. Steve Smith was selected as treasurer for next

year, and will replace Bob Kern in that capacity.  
The annual banquet will feature Ace Reid, cartoonist and after-dinner speaker. He is the creator of "Cowpokes", a popular cartoon series which appears in many newspapers. He has also published six "Cowpoke" books, and Ace Reid Enterprises at Kerrville publishes Cowpoke calendars and postcards.  
Tickets for the banquet are scheduled to go on sale in a few days, with two teams of directors vying for honors in the sale of tickets. Carroll McDonald and Glen Akin are the team captains. The losing team will sing at the banquet.  
Reid was reared as a cowboy, receiving his training on 4,000 acres of old pasture and studied in the school of hard knocks under very droughty conditions.  
After years of shocking wheat, breaking horses and fixing fences on his father's ranch near Electra, the 6-footer decided it was easier to draw cowboys than to be one. His cartoon characters are earthy people, and anyone who knows something about farms or ranches will recognize them as authentic.  
Reid and his wife, Madge, and son, Stan, live on the Draggin' S ranch near Kerrville, and as Ace laughingly admits, "I'll have to cartoon to afford it!"

### SAYS SWANNER School Board Cannot Change Tax Valuations

Slaton School Board, in a regular monthly meeting Monday night, approved monthly bills, discussed a tax matter, and heard reports on routine business from Supt. J. C. McClesky.  
The board of trustees also reviewed budget disbursements and receipts--a new policy initiated by the superintendent to keep board members better informed on the school district's financial status each month.  
P. T. Gentry appeared at the board meeting to discuss some property tax valuations, and board chairman Ted Swanner said the trustees would consider the matter.  
In a later discussion, it was brought out that a school board has no legal authority to change or adjust tax valuations. In view of this, Swanner said he didn't think the board should hear tax complaints since no action could legally be taken on the matters.  
Swanner said it was his understanding that once the Board of Equalization sets the values and the school board approves and closes the tax rolls, trustees have no authority to make changes. Supt. McClesky confirmed the statement, pointing out that it also applies to other governing bodies.  
McClesky reported that the school's purchase order system will be put into practice Jan. 1.

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The club also heard reports on two projects--the Christmas tree sales and Operation Yuletide. Trees are being sold each day, 9:30 a.m. to 7 p.m., at the old Slaton Co-Op Gin building on N. 9th street.  
Jim Newhouse reported that a benefit basketball game has been scheduled to secure canned goods and toys for the Operation Yuletide program.



GLEN D. AKIN

## Bale Count Passes 50,000

The Slaton area cotton harvest continued to roll this week with the bale count passing the 50,000 mark, after a day of showers and heavy fog had slowed operations last Thursday.  
The Slatonite's weekly bale count Wednesday morning showed a total of 53,771 bales had been weighed in at area gins. This compared to a total of 45,134 last week.  
At this time last year, the bale count was 45,035 after wet weather and a light snow had slowed harvesting activities.  
Several of the area gins reported they are past the halfway mark and some as much as two-thirds through the ginning season. The bale count Wednesday: Slaton Co-Op Gin 13,000; Acuff Co-Op 8,600; Wilson Co-Op 4,800; Farmers Gin 3,000; Posey Gin 2,305; Union Co-Op 3,450; Campbell Gin 1,730; Basinger Gin 1,250; Hackberry Gin 4,236; McClung Co-Op 3,400; New Lynn Gin 2,000 est.; Wayside Gin 3,000; Gatzki Gin 1,900; Planters Gin 1,100 est.  
After last Thursday's shower and fog, the weather cleared again and sunny skies prevailed. Minimum temperature for the week was recorded Wednesday morning with a low of 24 degrees. High reading was 64 degrees last Friday.  
Samples received at the four area USDA classing offices had reached a seasonal high of 40 to 45 thousand daily when the rain and fog interrupted the harvest last week.  
Despite the unfavorable weather conditions, volume of samples classed was still the highest for any week this season. The four South Plains classing offices classed 287,000 samples during the week ending Friday, Dec. 5, bringing the season's total to 665,000.  
Estimates indicate that 60 to 70 per cent of this season's crop is now out of the fields.

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## Benefit Game For Needy

"Operation Yuletide" -- the annual drive to help needy families--is in Slaton again this year with the spearheading the campaign.  
In past several years, names of needy families will be accepted at the Chamber office at City Hall, and names of clubs and organizations have plans to join in the annual campaign to make Christmas brighter for the less fortunate in the community.  
Operations for Operation Yuletide may be at the Chamber office, The Slatonite, and Radio. Checks may also be deposited at State Bank to the Operation Yuletide fund.  
Plans have announced plans for a benefit game tonight, with admission being \$1.00 for adults and 50c for children. The Lions and Slaton clubs will clash in the benefit game at the high school gym.  
The winner of the night will be games Joseph's and Southland junior high girls' game will start at 5:30 p.m., and the boys' contest.  
Games will be led by coaches Ernie Franklin, Kenneth Housden, Jackie and Gay Ivey.  
Plans will have such standouts as Jim "Old Giant" Newhouse, Carroll "Old Donald" Glen "Tojo" Akin, J. W. Holt, and--in case the coaches get away--the Lions will call on J. C. McClesky to officiate!

## Home Lighting Contest Needs More Entrants

So far, little interest has been shown by Slaton residents in the Home Lighting Contest. Deadline for entering the contest has been set for Dec. 19 and there had been only one entrant at press time.  
Windy Brewer, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce Christmas home lighting committee, encourages residents to join in the program. She stressed that judging would not be based on amount of money expended on the home lighting and decorations.  
Cash prizes of \$25, \$10 and \$5 will be awarded winners in the overall Christmas home lighting and decorations program.  
Mrs. Brewer said the door division will be included in the project again this year, with prizes of \$7.50 and \$5 offered the top two doors. Theme for the home decorations this year will be "Put On a Holiday Face."  
Homes and doors will be judged by out-of-town officials Friday night, Dec. 19. All entrants would leave their lights on until at least 9:30 p.m.  
All residents who wish to be considered in the judging should phone their address to the Chamber office, 828-6238.



## Santa Wants To Hear From You

Jolly Old Saint Nick contacted The Slatonite this week and said that he is eager to hear from all you boys and girls in the Slaton area, so he'll know what you want for Christmas.  
He would like to have your letters too, so get your paper and pencils handy and write that letter to Santa, and address it to the North Pole, in care of The Slatonite, Box 775, Slaton, and we'll see that he gets the letters special delivery.

## LUBBOCK JAYCEES GIVE AWARD Slaton Farmer Honored

Slaton's Glen D. Akin, 35, was named Monday as Lubbock County's "Outstanding Young Farmer of Texas." The state Jaycee convention is scheduled at Lubbock this year in February. Akin was presented a plaque during the Jaycee luncheon. The award is co-sponsored by Horkey Oil Co., Northern Propane Co., and Acuff Co-Op Gin.  
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Slaton area in 1955 with 36 acres of land--12 acres in cotton. He is now farming 950 acres with 450 acres in cotton production. He has served as secretary-treasurer of Slaton Cotton Improvement Association and is a member of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.  
Besides his farming interests, Akin has become involved in community affairs. He is currently serving as president of Slaton Lions Club and president of Slaton Tiger Club  
(See FARMER, Page 4)

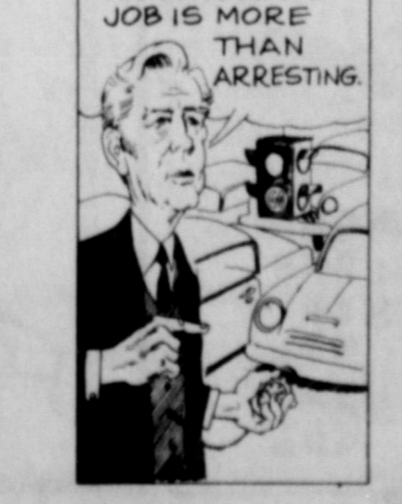


LIONS AT WORK--The Slaton Lions Club is conducting its annual Christmas Tree sales project with J. W. Holt as committee chairman. He is pictured with Ted Gentry who operates the tree headquarters during the day, 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Members of the club are on duty from 5 to 7 p.m. each evening. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

## Sleigh-of-Gifts Contest Starts

Santa Claus came to town Monday, formally opening the Christmas season in Slaton. The Christmas opening program, sponsored by Slaton Chamber of Commerce, included music by the Tiger Band, singing of Christmas carols to the audience led by master ceremonies Dee Bowman, the appearance of Santa Claus, and turning on of downtown Yule lights.  
The Christmas program will include the popular Sleigh-

## Mid-Town Mayor



Full-of-Gifts contest sponsored by the Chamber the past two years. Twenty-six Slaton firms have donated gifts which will go to the lucky winner of the contest.  
Entry blanks were distributed to the participating firms this week, and the contest is open free to any person 16 years of age or older. The winner will be the person who comes the closest to the total retail value of all the gifts.  
Santa's sleigh will be on display at Citizens State Bank, along with a bowl of money which is included in the contest as the real "unknown." Entrants can determine the exact value of all the other gifts by visiting each store. Entry deadline is Saturday, Dec. 20, at 5 p.m. Entry blanks can be filed in a box at the bank.  
Don Kendrick, chairman of the C of C Christmas program, said attempts are being made to arrange for Santa to make more visits before Christmas.





MRS. JERRY L. STEWART  
... Diane McMeekan

## Stewart-McMeekan Vows Exchanged

Miss Linda Diane McMeekan and Jerry Lynn Stewart exchanged double ring wedding vows in a ceremony read at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the Slaton Church of Christ, Ken Rhodes, dean of students at Lubbock Christian College, officiated. Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McMeekan. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Weldon Gebert of Slaton and Bill Stewart of Lubbock. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an empire formal gown of white velvet trimmed with embroidered velvet lace. The gown featured long sleeves and stand-up collar. Her veil was bridal illusion was held with white roses. She carried a bouquet of pink and white roses with white velvet streamers. Serving as maid of honor was Miss Laquita Fomar of Silverton. Mrs. Doyle Ethridge of Lubbock was matron of honor and bridesmaids were Miss Kayla McMeekan of Abilene, cousin of the bride, and Kale Roche of Amarillo. The attendants wore street-length hot pink velvet dresses featuring round yokes and long sleeves. Each carried hot pink bouquets with lighted votives and pink streamers and ribbons. Their headpieces were of hot pink malibu fur attached to pink illusion. Best man was Alvis Rogers of Lubbock. Serving as groomsmen were Riley Gebert of Slaton, David Fowler and Doyle Ethridge, both of Lubbock. Ushers were Tom Roche and Tommy Walters. Candlelighters were Marilena Maberry of Clovis, N.M., and Tommy Walters. Flower girls were Rhonda and Donna Beevers of Houston, twin nieces of the groom. Mark Degan was ring bearer. Wedding music was sung by members of the Lubbock Christian High School. Soloist Miss Mickey Mason sang "Because" and soloist Donald Sikes sang "Wedding Prayer". A reception for the couple was held in Fellowship Hall following the ceremony. The couple is making their home at Fort Riley, Kan. where the bridegroom is stationed with the U. S. Army. Both are Slaton High School graduates. The bride attended Lubbock Christian College and the bridegroom has completed a year's tour in Vietnam with the 25th Infantry Division.

## Miss Kubacak Is Honoree

Miss Betty Kubacak, bride-elect of Mike Schaffner, was honored with a lingerie shower Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. David Ehler. Assisting with hostess duties were Miss Kathy Kubacak, Miss Margaret Denzer, Miss Judy Denzer, Mrs. Lesly McCuiston, Mrs. Thomas Clark and Mrs. David Ehler. Greeting guests were the honoree, the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. Jim Kubacak, and the mother of the bridegroom, Mrs. Carl Schaffner. Mrs. Lesly McCuiston, sister of the bride, presided at the bride's book registering guests. The informal party was attended by approximately 25 guests who were served refreshments of cookies, chips, dips and soft drinks. The couple will exchange wedding vows Jan. 3, 1970, in St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

## Presbyterian Women Hold Christmas Party

The Grace Haynes Guild and Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church met Monday night for a Dutch Treat in the dining room at the Carnation House. Attending the Christmas party were Mmes. Opal Young, Vivian, Williams, Laura Travis, Virgie Hunter, Helen Champton, Pearl Pinkert, Sally Peavy, Willie Kate Schmidt, Nina Hickman, Goldie Anderson, Mugs Davidson and Miss Jackie McElfresh. Mrs. Hunter presented the program.

## WCS Meets

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the United Methodist Church met Monday at 9:30 a.m. in the chapel. Mrs. E. R. Legg, vice-president, opened the meeting with prayer. Mrs. Ray Farley led the pledge service, assisted by Mmes. Stan Jaynes, Legg, V.C. Wheeler, and W.S. McWilliams, who told of work of women's society in Appalachia, Pharr, Texas Community Center, Mexico, Calcutta, Uganda and Banya. Mrs. R. H. Todd closed the meeting with scripture 1 John 3. Members placed pledges on the altar while Mrs. L. A. Haral played "O Zion Haste" on the piano.

The purpose of the society was read in unison and the meeting was closed with silent prayer and benediction. Mrs. M. E. Morris was welcomed as a new member.

## Christmas Party In Moore Home

Group 1 of the Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian Church held its annual Christmas party last Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Johnnie Moore with 11 members attending. Mrs. J. D. Norris presided over a brief business session. Mrs. Ida Smith read the scripture from Luke 2:1-12 and Mrs. Mary Taylor gave the devotional prayer. A special offering for the Juliette Fowler Orphan's Home was received and Mrs. Carl Lewis gave the dedicatory prayer. Games were played, gifts were exchanged and refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her son, Tim,

## Party Planned For Vets' Children

Plans were made for the annual Christmas party for veterans' children when members of the Ladies Auxiliary to VFW Post 8721 met Monday night for their regular meeting. Auxiliary members will trim the Christmas tree and get things ready for the party Sunday, Dec. 21, at 2 p.m. The party will be held the next night on Dec. 22 at 7:30 p.m. in the VFW Post home, Santa Claus is scheduled to arrive at the party about 8 p.m. The meeting Monday night

was conducted by Mrs. Leona Lamb. Three new members were initiated into the auxiliary. It was announced that dues will be delinquent after Dec. 31. After the meeting, members of the VFW Post served hamburgers. The group's next meeting will be Jan. 12, 1970 at 8 p.m. and all members are urged to attend and take a covered dish. The meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. Francis Clements, chaplain.

## Debra Ricker Honored With 'Paper' Shower

Miss Debra Ricker, bride-elect of Larry E. Neagle of Lubbock, was honored with a "paper" shower last Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Roy Smith of Lubbock. Hostesses were members of the YWA and their sponsors, Mrs. John Purcell and Mrs. Smith. Eight guests attended and brought gifts in brown paper bags. The paper gifts included napkins, paper towels, place mats and other paper items used in the home.

## Piano Pupils In Recital

Mrs. J. A. Wright presented her piano pupils in recital at 3:15 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church.

Featured pupils were Tory Taylor, Donna Tunlinson, Cindy Porsch, Linda Lester, Jaimie Forster, Jenee Jensen and Cindy Kincer.

Others were Kandice Martin, Cynthia Edmunds, Kevin Kern, Cary Jones, Ruth Parks, Brenda Heaton, Kathy Thornbury, Roxanne McDonald and Craig Belt. And, Dana Wendell, Dwana Mosser, Brenda McDonald, Kelvin Thomas, Paul Sumrall, Dana Pool, Mary Ann Norman, Patti Parrish and La Donna Jones.

And, Randy Marshall, Jan Burkett, Lu Anne Fondy, Lynn Jaycon, Ramona Key, Mary Leslie Cole, Glenna Jones, Rita Lynn Butler, Nancy Norman and Mary Frances Browning.

## Pastors Present Program Friday

Rev. Will Dodd, pastor of the Southland Baptist Church, was speaker at the Senior Citizens Club meeting Friday at the club house. He read scriptures from the 21st Chapter of John and spoke on "Fellow Thou Me". The opening prayer was given by F. B. Sexton.

Rev. Jim Sharp, pastor of the Southland Methodist Church, played records made by his son, Weldon. He sang "Walk With the King" and "On The Glory Road". Rev. Dodd gave thanks for the meal and Rev. Sharp joined the members for lunch.

Other visitors were Mrs. Willie White of Lubbock, Mrs. Mozelle Guinn of San Angelo, sisters of Mrs. M. E. Morris and Julie Claunch, great-granddaughter of Mrs. Joe H. Teague Jr.

The meeting was conducted by Mrs. Fannie Patterson, president, and the group welcomed back Mrs. E. M. Lott who had been visiting relatives in Louisiana for the past six weeks.

MR. & MRS. C. D. SIEWERT

## Siewerts Honored On 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Siewert of 1035 So. 13th St., Slaton, will be honored by their children and grandchildren on their 50th Wedding Anniversary with a reception from 3-5 p.m. Sunday in the parish hall of St. Paul Lutheran Church in Wilton. The former Emily Noack and Mr. Siewert were married December 14, 1919 at Hackberry. They were engaged in farming in the Southland and Wilson communities until retiring in 1965. Hosting the event will be four children, including Richard Stewart of La., C. L. (Chuck) Stewart of Slaton, and Mrs. Tudor of Midland. Mr. and Mrs. Siewert have 10 grandchildren, great-grandchild. Friends of the couple invited to attend the

## Shower Honors Mrs. Harlan

Mrs. Bobby Joe Harlan, the former Miss Beth Mosty, was honored with a miscellaneous shower Sunday, Nov. 30, from 2:30 to 4 p.m. in the home of Mrs. J. Martin Basinger.

Mrs. George Harlan, mother of the groom, was a special guest. Hostess gift was an electric mixer.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Wayne Liles, Jack Clark, Kenneth Davies, Ed Hadlock, Harry Stokes, J. Martin Basinger, Floyd Guelker, Jack Myers, Don Mitchell, Jay Oats, Truett Bownds, Ed McCoy, LeLand Scott, Fred England, Stan Jaynes, Ed Moseley, Bill Alspaugh, and Max Arrants.

## TAHA Holds Executive Meet

The executive board of TAHA held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon in the dining room at Mercy Hospital. Mrs. C. O. Buxkemper, vice-president, conducted the meeting.

A report was given that the Harvest Dance held last month was a success and proceeds would be applied on the X-ray machine purchased last year for the hospital. The group expressed their appreciation to all those who had a part in making it the success that it was. Two new members, Mrs. Curtis Dowell and Mrs. Bill Adams, were welcomed into the organization. Anyone interested in hospital auxiliary work is invited to join.

## Wedding Date

Mr. and Mrs. Williams announce the marriage of their daughter, to Lenore Bright. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Parrish and Mrs. Curtis Parrish announce the marriage of their daughter, to Lenore Bright. The couple plans Jan. 10 at 4 p.m. in St. Paul Lutheran Church. Friends of the couple invited to attend.

## J. Davis Armistead

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### LORRAINE Lingerie

All of these lovely Lorraine Lingerie styles are new easy care, wash and wear Antron® nylon. Each — or all — would be a welcome gift this Christmas!

<p>Sleeveless shift gown with matching applique trim. S, M, L. Azure Blue or Sunglow. Item A. <b>\$6.</b></p> <p>Culotte lounging pajamas tie with a satin sash. Azure Blue. Sizes 32-38. Item B. <b>\$13.</b></p> <p>Short robe with 3/4 sleeves and applique trim is perfect by itself or over Items A, D or F. Azure Blue or Sunglow. S, M, L. Item C. <b>\$9.</b></p>	<p>Tailored two-piece pajamas are comfortable, feminine. Azure Blue or Sunglow. Sizes 32-40. Item D. <b>\$9.</b></p> <p>Full-length gown has 3/4 sleeves, floral applique trim. Azure Blue or Rambling Rose. S, M, L. Item E. <b>\$8.</b></p> <p>Shift gown with 3/4 sleeves, applique trim. Azure Blue or Sunglow. S, M, L. Item F. <b>\$6.</b></p>
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# STAG NIGHT

## SHOPPING PRIVACY FOR MEN ONLY!

**SANDERS' PANT & TOP SHOP**

will hold its second Stag Night Dec. 16th, after a very successful special night Dec. 9th. Special discounts will be offered to men shoppers!

Gift wrapping free and all sizes are guaranteed. Hours on Stag Night will be from 6:30 to 10:30 p.m.

720 So. 6th St.

**Sanders' Fabric, Pant & Top Shop**

ARRIVED JUST IN TIME FOR CHRISTMAS!

- BLOUSES
- SWEATERS
- FINGER BRACELETS



### Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. James Mason of Southland announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mickey Ann, to Allen Miles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miles of Slaton. The couple plan to marry Dec. 29 in the Slaton Church of Christ.

Miss Mason is a 1967 graduate of Southland High School and a senior education major at Texas Tech. Miles is a 1966 graduate of Slaton High School. He attended South Plains College two years before entering the Army. He is now stationed at Rodriguez Army Hospital in San Juan, Puerto Rico.

### Kappas Have Xmas Dinner

Members of Kappa Kappala met at the Chapparral Restaurant last Friday for a Christmas dinner and gift exchange.

Co-hostesses Ruth Longtin and Gladys Morgan used miniature Christmas candles as plate favors.

Attending the annual occasion were Meses. Opal Rose, Opal Townsend, Seleta Duff, Ruth Fleming, Velma O'Neal, Sue Davis, Tracy Menzer, Sandra Cole, Edith Brooks, Troyce Wood, Roberta Johnson, Mary Gilmore, Beryl Gunter, Melba Holland, Poodle Mize, Peggy Raub and Miss Jackie McElfresh.

### Wedding Set December 19



PAULA CONNER

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby J. Conner of 245 West Crosby announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Paula, to Danny Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Roberts, all of Slaton.

Miss Conner is a junior student at Slaton High School. Roberts is serving with the U.S. Army and is presently stationed at Fort Sill, Okla.

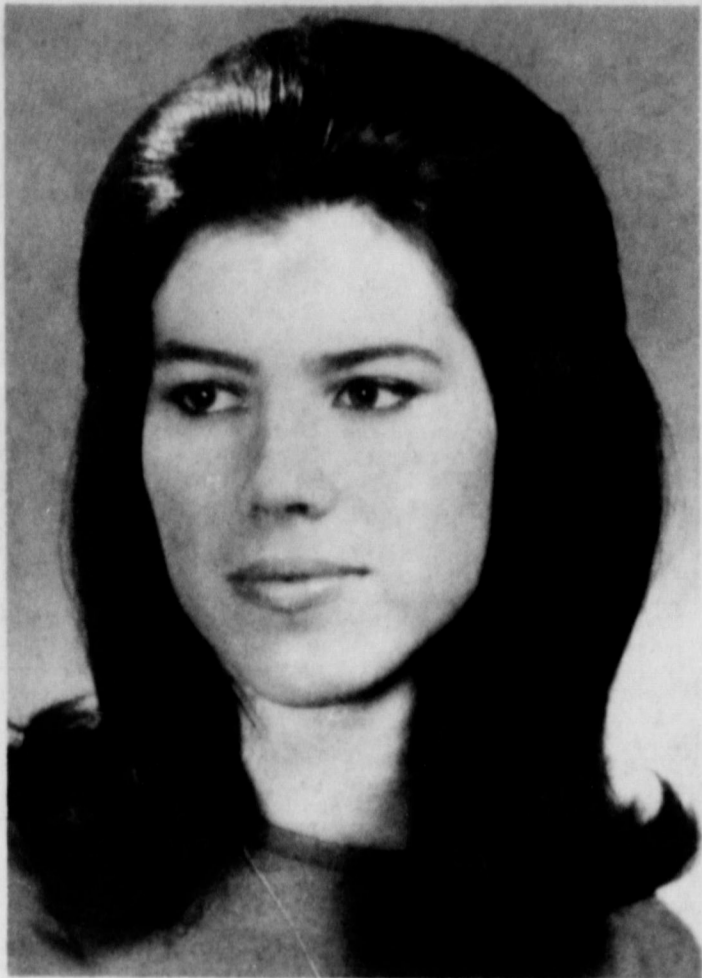
The couple plans to marry at 7:30 p.m. Dec. 19 in the Bible Baptist Church of Slaton. Friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend.

### AL Auxiliary At Workshop

Three members of the local American Legion Auxiliary attended a Christmas workshop at the Veterans Hospital in Big Spring Sunday, and reported that a large number of gifts had been received for the patients there.

Making the trip were Mrs. Carter Shaw, Mrs. Ellis P. Schmid and Mrs. Ira McCarver. The auxiliary members expressed appreciation to all who helped the Slaton group do its part.

Max Wilson of Deer Park, is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Wilson.



MRS. JIMMY RUSSELL ... Andra Jean Allen

### Russell-Allen Vows Read In Oklahoma

Miss Andra Jean Allen and James Byron Russell, Jr. exchanged wedding vows Dec. 3 in St. Stephen's Methodist Church in Norman, Okla., with the Rev. William B. Oden officiating.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Allen, Jr. of Rt. 6, Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. James Byron Russell, Sr. of Oklahoma City, Okla.

Theresa Ervin of Fort Monmouth, N.J. was maid of honor. Bruce J. Pels of Norman was best man.

The bride is a graduate of Cooper High School and Texas Tech University with a B. A. degree. She is now doing graduate work in English in Oklahoma University.

Russell served four years with the U.S. Navy, two of those years in Vietnam. He is a junior physics major and is employed in a manufacturing company.

The couple will reside at 210 So. Flood, Norman, Okla.

### Door Prize Winners Named

Mrs. Cleo Reasoner, owner of City Floral, announced door prize winners at her Christmas open house which was held Friday and Saturday.

Winner of the \$25 gift certificate for cut flowers, plants or Christmas arrangements was Mrs. Bobby Joplin and winner of the \$15 gift certificate was Mrs. M. L. German.

### Class Served Xmas Dinner

The Dorcas Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Clifford Young Monday, Dec. 8, at 6:30 p.m. for a Christmas party. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Lois Rogers and Miss Fannie Castleberry.

A Christmas dinner was served to 17 members and 14 guests. Mrs. R. L. Smith presented a Christmas story entitled "Christmas Street".

Mrs. Wade Thompson conducted a short business meeting and Mrs. J. L. Cartrite prayed the opening prayer. Gifts were exchanged.

Special guests were the Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Cartrite, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Caldwell, Mrs. Dolly Brown, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Stokes and Mrs. Harvey Tunnell, and husbands of the members.

Mrs. Alpha Taylor's daughter, Mrs. Delbert Alcorn of Oklahoma City, visited her last week.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Breland are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davis of Sulphur Springs, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hoover of San Angelo, Lesa and Jay Don, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Harry and daughters of Lubbock.

### Class Meets In Clark Home

The Lydia Class of the First United Methodist Church met Monday evening in the home of Mrs. R. J. Clark. Meses. Joe Miles, J. S. Edwards and Cecil Scott served as co-hostesses. Dinner was served to 16 members and a Christmas box was planned for a needy family. The class also voted to purchase a rocking chair for the church nursery.

Christmas cards were signed to be sent to the Lay Witnesses who visited the church here recently. Gifts were exchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Haire spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Graham. Her mother, Mrs. Madora Elliott of Dallas, returned home with them for an extended visit.

J. C. McClesky, superintendent of Slaton Public Schools, attended the Vocational Education Workshop sponsored by the Texas Education Agency Dec. 5 at the Raiderland Convention Center in Lubbock.

The workshop was designed to give regional school officials the opportunity to review revisions in the State Guide for Vocational Program Planning.

### Piano Recital Set Saturday

Piano pupils of Mrs. Mildred Lokey will be presented in recital at 7 p.m. Saturday in the high school auditorium, and the public is invited to attend.

Those participating include Shelli Wallace, Sheryl Wallace, Clarice Schwertner, Jerome Schwertner, Cynara Gipson, Petra Gipson, Karen Fleming, Lisa Hall, Linda Kitten, Susan McCain and Debbie Rodriguez; Also, Cindy Walker, Tim Hoover, Marjean Goode, Marlene Goode, Marilyn Walker, Curtis McCain, Georgia Pettie, Connie Hodges, Karen Melcher and Clifford Kitten.

### Shower Honors Officers Installed

Miss Nancy Bell, bride-elect of Pat McKinley, was honored with a lingerie party Saturday in the home of Mrs. Ray Gant, Lubbock.

Special guests were Mrs. Ford Bell, mother of the honoree, and Mrs. Eunice McKinley, mother of the prospective bridegroom.

The bride's chosen colors of Christmas red and green accented the serving table.

Co-hostesses were Meses Jeanette Bednarz and Sharon Wimmer, Meses. Glenn Allen, W. L. Bednarz, W. R. Wylie and Mrs. Jim Russell.

The couple plans to be married on Dec. 20 at Calvary Baptist Church in Lubbock.

The annual Christmas party for members of the Slaton Home Demonstration Club was held last Wednesday at the Slaton club house.

During the business session, Mrs. Wilfred Kitten, president, installed new officers for the coming year. They are Mrs. S. O. Henry, president; Mrs. Dick Hardesty, vice-president and program chairman; and Mrs. Jim Sadler, secretary-treasurer.

Members presented Mrs. Kitten, outgoing president, with a gift. Hostesses were Meses. Ray Bown, Jerry Melton, Letha Dretel and Kitten. They served refreshments to Meses. B. B. Green, Alton Meeks, Grady Elder, Helen Martin, F. W. Lueck, A. A. Traweck, Henry Sadler and Hardesty, and one guest, Mrs. George Jameson.

The next meeting is scheduled Jan. 7 at the club house at which time programs for the coming year will be discussed and yearbooks filled out. The club now has a nursery available for small children during the meeting.

### Retirees Tuesday

The Retirees Club met Tuesday at the Slaton home with 48 members. Bro. John Sharp was the speaker.

Mrs. R. C. Sanner was named as new member. Lyle Berry of Slaton was a welcome guest.

Members gave a report on the "Flying Saucer" which is storming the winter. Reported ill are Joe and Dust, Jim Rucker and Ecker.

Members are urged to attend regular meetings on Tuesday of each month. Phillips, president, new members are welcome.

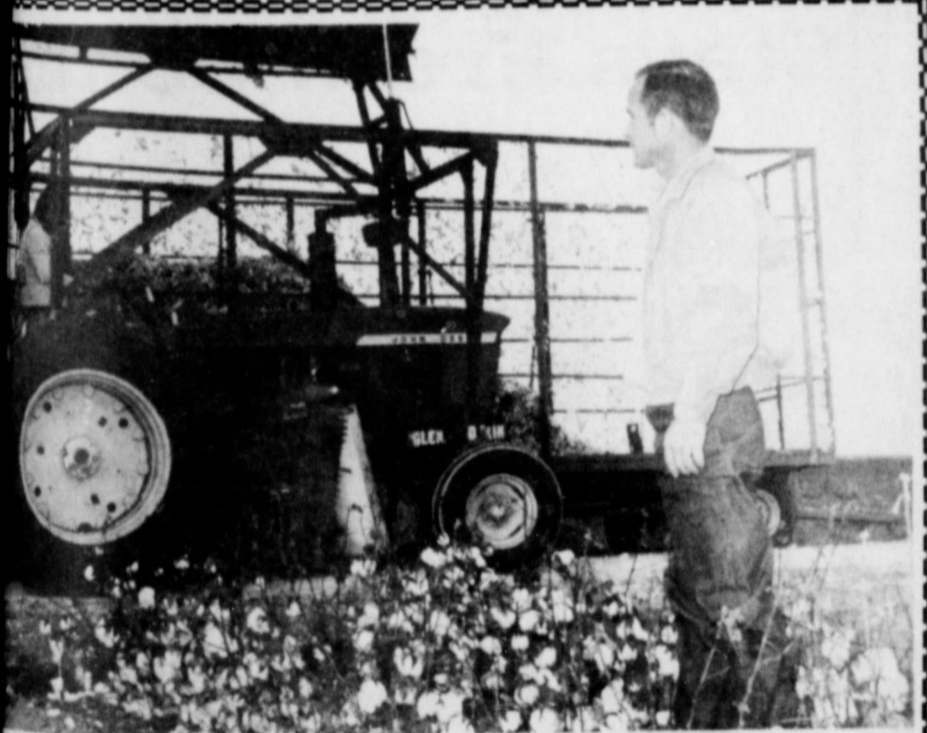
### Shepard Winner

Shepard was winner of her prize at VI Simons house held in her home on Fisher Friday night. The name was given to Cleo Green at the office of Commerce office. Mrs. G. Green was the gift set.

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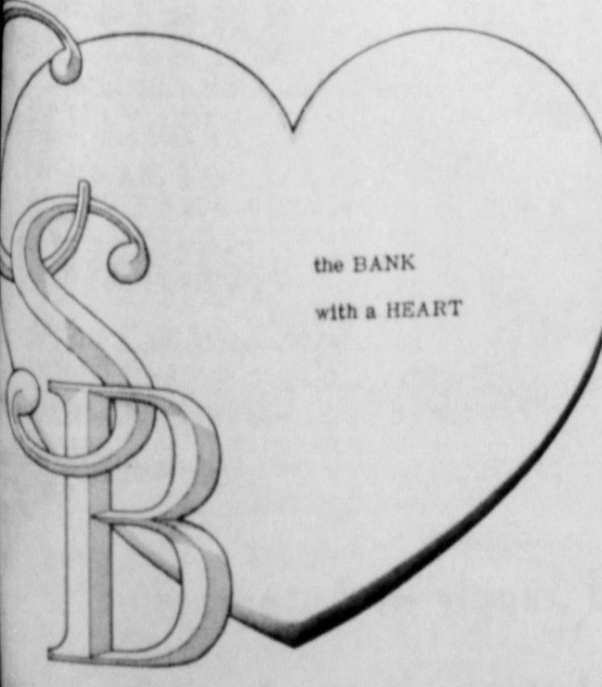


STANDING YOUNG FARMER of Lubbock County, Glen Akin of Slaton, was busy week with cotton stripping operations when he learned that the Lubbock Jaycees selected him for their annual "Outstanding Young Farmer" award. The Jaycees presented him with a plaque and will enter his name in state competition.

We at Citizens State Bank proudly salute one of the farmers of our community for being named recipient of the Lubbock Jaycees' "Outstanding Young Farmer" award.

It is noteworthy that Glen Akin is also an active community leader, and CSB joins citizens of the community in offering congratulations for this recognition. We think our community is blessed with fine citizens, and it's always good to see them honored in various fields of endeavor.

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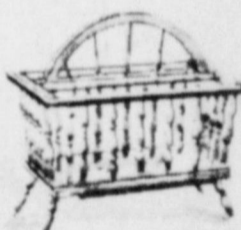
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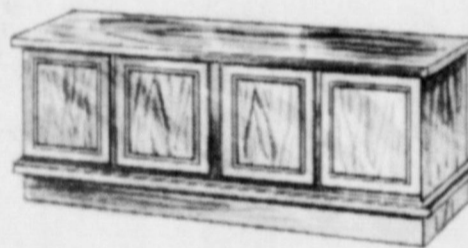
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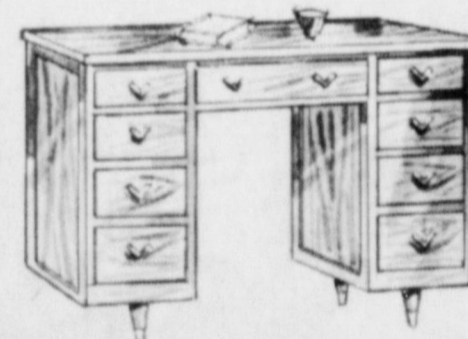
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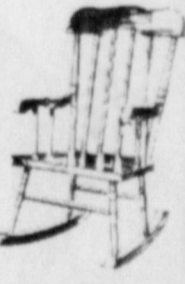
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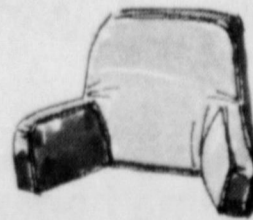
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## Voice of Democracy Contest Winners To Be Announced

Winners of the Voice of Democracy contest, sponsored by Slaton's VFW Post 6721 and the Ladies Auxiliary will be announced soon and presentations will be made at the organization's regular meeting on Monday, Jan. 12.

First place winner will be presented a \$50 Savings Bond,

second place will be awarded a \$25 Savings Bond, and third place winner will be presented a trophy.

First place winner will be eligible for the district contest which will be judged Jan. 10. The state contest will be Jan. 30 and the National contest will be Feb. 4.

FARMER--  
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--an adult booster organization. A longtime booster of youth activities, Akin has been a Babe Ruth League baseball manager and is a past president and vice president of the league. He has also served on the adult board of Tiger Town, Slaton's youth center. He is a director of Slaton Chamber of Commerce and a member of First Baptist Church of Slaton.

Akin attended elementary schools in Lubbock, then moved to Slaton and graduated from SHS where he was a letter winner in football and basketball. He is the son of Mrs. Don Britt of Slaton.

He and his wife, the former Ethlyn Young, have two children -- Glen Jr., 17, and Cynthia, 15, both students at Slaton High. The couple resided in Seminole before moving to Slaton in 1955.

## Police Check Four Accidents

Slaton police reported 17 arrests the past week, and also issued 16 traffic tickets, investigated four accidents, and made three ambulance calls.

A minor accident on the US-84 bypass early Friday morning involved vehicles driven by Lee A. Washington and Teresita R. Ruiz. Total damage was estimated at \$200.

Daniel Vasquez Jr. and Charles W. Scott were the drivers of a car and truck involved in a collision Saturday afternoon on S. 9th street. Minor damage was reported for the truck, and Vasquez's car sustained about \$400 damage.

Gary L. Dillard was involved in a collision with a parked car on 16th street Sunday evening. Total damage was estimated at about \$560.

Eddie Fisher and Carline Sanchez were drivers involved in a two-car collision at 10th and Geneva, Lee Hammons, 10, was taken to Mercy Hospital with minor injuries. Total damage to the cars was pegged at \$1,000.

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FIRE FIGHTERS--Slaton's Volunteer Fire Department made three calls Monday, and quick and efficient action held blazes at two houses to minor damages. Shown in action are firemen at the N. P. Tate home, 650 S. 15th, where a utility room caught fire. Another house fire was extinguished at Geneva and Johnson streets, and a pickup fire was doused near Posey.

## Tech Professor At Rotary Club

Dr. Bernie J. Fallon, Texas Tech professor, was guest speaker at the regular Slaton Rotary Club luncheon meeting last Thursday in the Clubhouse.

Dr. Fallon presented a program on "Crossroads of the Southwest", an idea to promote this slogan for Lubbock and the area. He used slides to illustrate his presentation. Several visiting Rotarians and guests were introduced at the meeting.



## DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- DECEMBER 11  
M. H. Lasater  
Dale Schwertner  
Albert Jones  
Joe Hargrave  
Linda Kay Shafer  
Kevin H. Johnston  
Ronnie Coker  
David Taylor  
William Saage  
Mrs. Wayne Cooper  
Wallace Saage  
Kendon Wheeler
- DECEMBER 12  
R. A. Thompson, Jr.  
Otis Neill  
Walter Heinrich  
Mrs. C. E. Geer  
Lance L. Dunn  
Cynthia Ann Rhoads  
Thomas Heinrich  
D. W. McLeod  
Cassie Adams  
Bonnie Adams  
Ola Hester  
Mrs. Otis Neill
- DECEMBER 13  
Glen Akin  
Bradley Kitten  
Dillard Dunn  
Jimmy Townsend  
L. A. Reasoner  
Bobbie Ann Moore  
Mrs. Frank Love  
Don Jones  
Mrs. J. A. Samples  
Leroy Holt  
Mrs. Bobby G. Jones
- DECEMBER 14  
Mrs. James Foster  
Joe Cain  
Mary Ruth Green  
Mike Davis  
Clinton Martin  
Charles Hampton  
Marvin Harris  
Karlene Eastman  
Rab Hunter  
Jackie Speer  
Suzanne Darby  
Mrs. Charlie Hunter  
Doris Larance  
Darrell Echois  
Mrs. R. M. Nash
- DECEMBER 15  
Mrs. Elmer Crabtree  
Sherry Herrin  
Mrs. Lawrence Schilling  
Gregg Nowlin  
Jan Jenkins  
Mrs. E. R. Heinrich  
John Sherrrod  
Samye Jones  
Joan Sherman  
Mrs. Marlin Bumpass  
Mrs. Carl Gilmore
- DECEMBER 16  
Dr. Jay McSwain  
David Tucker  
Billy Wayne Vandiver  
Ronny Hightower  
Telena McCallister  
Susan Crow
- DECEMBER 17  
Travis Lancaster  
H. G. Schuette

## Slaton Police Chief Commends Two Officers

Slaton Police Chief Walter Head commended two of his officers for "a high dedication to the profession" after the men completed 400 hours of police academy training.

The police chief said Sgt. J. L. Creager and patrolman Billy Timms volunteered to attend the Lubbock Police Academy while maintaining their regular tours of duty. The pair recently completed the training, and Head praised the men for their sacrifice and dedication to duty.

Head said the officers were able to enroll in the academy through the cooperation of J. T. Alley, Lubbock chief of police, and C. G. Bartley, director of training. The two Slaton officers attended classes eight hours a day for 12 weeks, and still worked their shifts on the Slaton force.

Head said Texas police authorities have been striving for better qualified policemen and presented a bill to the Legislature creating the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Officer Standards and Education. Gov. Preston Smith signed a bill creating certain standards set by the commission, and one of these requires a commissioned officer to have at least 140 hours of police academy training.

## Menus

- Dec. 15-19  
MONDAY  
Hamburger steak, gravy, potatoes, English peas, salad, peach cobbler, rolls, milk.
- TUESDAY  
Chili and beans, corn, cole slaw, apricots, rolls, milk.
- WEDNESDAY  
Turkey, dressing, green beans, cranberry salad, fruit jello, bread, milk.
- THURSDAY  
Meat loaf, blackeye peas, potatoes, salad, chocolate cake, rolls, milk.
- FRIDAY  
Soup, tuna, peanut butter and cheese sandwiches, banana pudding, milk.

- Rev. Louis Bowerman  
Glenda Jeanne Hampton  
Mrs. Earl Johnson  
Mrs. Bill Green  
Brenda Gail Klattenhoff  
J. E. Eckert, III (Dinks)  
Debby Buckman  
Betti Park  
Alice Woolley  
Carolyn Hill  
Mrs. Webber Williams, Pr.

## Service Men's Addresses

Following is a partial list of area servicemen's addresses. It has been suggested that you clip these addresses and glue onto Christmas cards so the men in service will receive a lot of greetings from area friends.

RD/3 Calvin W. Klaus B701290  
O.L. Div. USS Oklahoma City  
CLG 5, FPO San Francisco  
96601

Prvt. Kenny Mitchell A.M.  
254147  
PLT. 2197 2nd BN, MCRD  
San Diego, Calif. 92140

Sp/4 Gary D. Geer  
Co. B-2nd-67th Armor.  
2nd Armd. Div.  
Ft. Hood, Texas 76544

SMSGT. Leo H. Wendel  
Air Base Trailer Lodge  
Box 348C  
Ablene, Texas 79607

Lcdr. J. W. Adams  
204 W. Sunset N.A.S. Agana  
Guam  
FPO San Francisco, Calif.  
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450-94-6255 Security  
Phu Lam Signal Bn.  
APO San Francisco, 96243

SP/4 Alfred T. Guzman  
RA15796390  
"A" Co. 1/501st Inf. 101st  
Abn. Div.  
APO San Francisco 96383

Sgt. Donald R. Holder  
559th TFS, Box 285  
APO San Francisco, Calif.  
96326

Capt. Joe M. Shawver  
HQ - USA - FE MDC/MSSAP  
N.Y., N.Y. 09633

Rickey Summar 456-76-8267  
HHB - 5th Bn. 1st Artillery  
UMR - Box 6584  
APO New York 09332

Capt. Frank E. Chapple  
1857-B King Place  
Ft. Detrick, Md. 21701

A1c Gary L. Davis AF15796260  
CMR Box 6934 - 4531 Supply Sq.  
Homestead AFB, Fla. 33030

Pvt. Joseph A. Miles  
464-84-5603  
Det. AMEDS RUSAH  
Ft. Brooke, Puerto Rico 00933



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96334

A1/c Joe R. Rhoads  
AF 18745006  
CMR 1397 610 M.A.S.S.  
APO San Francisco, Calif.  
96328

SSG Phil A. Rumpy  
Rt. 2, Box 117-B  
Waynesville, Mo. 65583

Travis Dabbs  
2821A Quay Loop  
Holloman AFB, N.M. 88330

S/Sgt. Harlan Brown  
55 TFS CMR Box 395  
APO New York 09120

Sgt. J. D. Howell  
RD #4 Alder Drive  
Newburgh, N.Y. 12550

Mack Klattenhoff  
1605 CAMS Box 177  
APO New York 09406

SP/4 Jerry Luman  
RA15931045  
88th Hem. Co. Box 263  
APO New York, 09165

Claude L. Ward  
73 Stanley Drive  
Newport News, Va. 23602

L/Cpl. E. R. McC...  
240-36-70  
2nd Platoon "A"  
Trans.  
c/o 1st Mtr. Trans.  
FPO San Francisco

A1c Jerald D. W...  
Box 19  
Ellington AFB, Tex.

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459-94-3290  
Echo Troop 16th Cav  
APO Seattle, Wash.

Ensign Bruce Pen...  
Camelot Apts. #10...  
Old Corey Field H...  
Pensacola, Fla. 32508

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BY MARGRET BARTLEY

Supermarket Has New Owners

Mrs. Dixie Coleman was brought home Monday from San Benito by her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hewlett. Mrs. Rudy Kahlich returned home Sunday from a ten-day visit to Muleshoe with the Edmund Kitten family. Other visitors with them Thanksgiving were the Willie Kitten family, the Leroy Kitten family and Charles Kahlich, who was home from college. Last Sunday they attended a birthday party in the Leroy Kitten home for three of their children.

The Methodist women met this week to make preparations for the church program, and went as a group to visit with Mrs. John Hamilton, who lives in the Sherrick Home in Lubbock.

Mrs. Anton Ahrens and Edgar Ahrens visited Sunday in Slaton with Mrs. Erna Bruckner, Mrs. K. Kiser and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Dreyer.

Mrs. Cleo Clark of Pampa, visited over the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Hautence Parker.

Mrs. Hazel Everage and children visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Robinson. Mrs. Pearl Davidson visited last week in Walnut Springs with her father in law, Mr. Davidson, who is hospitalized.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gayle and Mrs. Gayle's mother of Abilene, visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Gayle.

Visiting with the W. P. Stoker family over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Sherman of El Paso, Mrs. Ernie Karnes Jr. of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. John Stoker, Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Stoker and Liz, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hill and Janice Liggon and children, all of Lubbock. J. T. Stoker will be visiting the Stokers for a while.

IN ACCIDENT Bill Klos and his daughter, Mrs. R. J. Schuette, were involved in a car accident Thursday in Lubbock. Later in the week, he was hospitalized in Lubbock Methodist Hospital with a heart ailment.

Mr. and Mrs. David Peterson and family spent the weekend in Wichita Falls visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hutcheson, SS CLASS PARTY

The Lydia Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church had their Christmas party Tuesday in the church Educational Building. Mrs. Evelyn Nelson, teacher, and 18 members and guests attended the salad supper.

ST. PAUL NEWS Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Gicklhorn and Tammy were received

into the fellowship of St. Paul Lutheran Church this week. The manger scene in the church yard was assembled this week by the Walther League and other decorations were put up. The next meeting will be Sunday evening at 7:30 when the group will set a date for caroling.

OPEN HOUSE AT PARSONAGE An open house will be held at the Baptist parsonage, Sunday Dec. 14, from 2-5 when Pastor and Mrs. Baldwin invite all members to come by.

FOOTBALL BANQUET The Baptist men honored the football players and their fathers Wednesday night at 8 p.m., in the church educational building with a supper. Feature speaker was Dickie Griggs, a Tech football player. Approximately 70 guests were served.

ST. PAUL XMAS PARTIES Classes at St. Pauls School will hold their Christmas parties Dec. 19, with the Kindergarten party at 11 a.m., and the others beginning at 1 p.m. School will dismiss at 2:30.

BASKETBALL NEWS High school basketball teams played this week in the Cooper tournament, and finished with second and third place trophies. The boys won over Ropes in the first game, 51-45, with Brad Moore leading the scoring with 26 points, Woody Follis next with 8, and Steve Meador doing a fine job on defense. Rick Branden scored high for Ropes with 11 points.

Cooper won the second game 37-20, as Brad Moore scored 10 and Jimmy Fox scored 4.

Wilson took the third game 53-27 against O'Donnell as B. Moore scored 17, W. Follis 16, and Steve Meador, 6. Mike Harris led the opposition with 14. Wilson boys won second.

High school girls lost their first game to Ropes, 35-32. High pointers were Karla Moore with 16 and Jan Gatzki with 11.

Cooper took the second game 35-21, with K. Moore scoring 11, and J. Gatzki, 7.

Wilson took the third game, 37-33 against O'Donnell. Karla Moore scored 20, Nan Steen, 5, and Jan Gatzki, 8. They came out of the tournament with third place.

JR. III 2nd AT S'LAND The Wilson junior high basketball teams both came out



STORY TIME--This group of children are listening to a Christmas story being told by Mrs. R. C. Hall Jr. at Story Time held last Saturday at the Slaton Branch Library. The Friends of the Library sponsors Story Time the first Saturday of each month and all children are welcome.

with second place in the Southland tournament this week as the boys downed Post 7th grade in the first game, 38-25. High pointers were Christ Coleman, 19, and Phil Kitten, 8.

They won again against Slaton 7th grade, 37-17, as Coleman scored 14, Oscar Ortega 6, David Savell 6, and Stan Meador 8.

In the championship game against Post 8th grade, Post came out in the lead, 40-23. Coleman led Wilson again with 12, Clyde Wilke scored 4, and Ortega, 4.

In girls play, Wilson took the first game from Post with a score of 24-19, as Brenda Crowson scored 12, Karen Martin 8.

Wilson scored high against Slaton, 37-9, as Ann Nava scored 14, B. Crowson 12, and K. Martin, 11.

In championship play against Post, Wilson was downed 32-19, as B. Crowson scored 12, K. Martin, 7, and Marilyn Christopher, 4 points.

SCHOOL SCHEDULE Dec. 11-12-13-Roosevelt Tourney (high school)

Dec. 14-Christmas Band Concert, 3 p.m. (Auditorium)

Dec. 15-All-school Christmas party, 8 p.m. (Cafeteria)

Dec. 16 - Basketball, high school, there, New Home, 6:30

Dec. 17 - Faculty Christmas party, 8 p.m.

Dec. 18-FHA Christmas party

WILSON MENUS

Dec. 15-19

Monday: Spanish Rice, Green Beans, Cole Slaw, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk, Chocolate Pudding.

Tuesday: Super Dogs, Scalloped Potato, Mixed Greens, Cornbread, Butter, Milk, Peaches.

Wednesday: Country Fried Steak, Sweet Potato, Tossed Salad, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk, Fruit Jello.

Thursday: Meat Balls w/ Spaghetti, Blackeyed Peas, Sauerkraut, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk, Appricots.

Friday: Chicken Salad Sandwich, Green Beans, Lettuce, Tomato Salad, Buns, Milk, Orange Juice, Peanut Butter Cookies.

Dec. 19-dismiss at 2:30 for holidays-High school basketball against Loop, here, 5:30. End of Semester.

STORE HAS NEW OWNERS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spiehs took over operation of Wilson Supermarket, December 1. They and their three daughters, Debbie, 8, Cindy, 6, and Rhonda 2, moved into the house formerly occupied by Mrs. Reynolds, former owner of the store. They attend St. Paul Lutheran Church, and their two older daughters attend school there.

Originally from Wisconsin, the Spiehs moved to Wilson from Santa Fe, N.M. where he has been associated with Furr's Supermarkets since 1962. Mrs. Spiehs, (Judy), will also be working in the store here.

COOPER NEWS

By BRENDA, CINDA & LINDA

Cooper Wins Own Tournament

"The Pirates are Number One" was the yell for Cooper after the Pirates earned first place trophies in both boys' and girls' basketball games during the Cooper tournament last weekend.

Wilson, Ropes, O'Donnell and Cooper competed for the championship. Other winners in the boys' division were Wilson, second; Ropes, third. In the girls games, Ropes won second and Wilson, third.

Cooper is proud of both basketball teams and hope for a first place in district competition.

Starting team for the boys included Steve Louder, Gilbert Martinez, Emmett Cardenas, Dale Wimmer, Woody Key and Lannie Marshall. Boys' coach is Dick Hughett.

The girls starting team included Margaret Luker, Vickie

Potts and Judy Durr. Suzie Kahlich, Bill and Roxann McCutchen. Their coach is

STUDENT COUNCIL A movie, entitled "Head", sponsored by the Student Council, is scheduled for December 19. Plans are being made for the final decision on each class nominating members of the student council.

Mr. and Miss G. elected by the students. Members of the faculty will be the final decision.

Elections for "Who" and "Mr. and Mrs. of the Year" will be next Monday.

FFA NEWS Members of the Senior Chapter conducted their District Leadership week. They won first place in the Quiz Team contest.

Conducting team are Jay Wimmer, J. Ott, Cary Pata, Al Thompson, Ernest Tommy Cammack.

Members of the are Jerry McKee, son, Leslie Cain, Franklin.

Good Records Reduce Taxes

Good records can save tax dollars at income tax filing time for Northern Texas taxpayers.

Ellis Campbell, Jr., District Director of Internal Revenue in Northern Texas, said good records help you get all the deductions and credits you are entitled to.

A good system for keeping records is to label envelopes or folders according to the types of income and deductions you have, Campbell said. Bills and receipts should be put in the appropriate folder as they are paid.

Taxpayers who itemize their deductions on Form 1040 must have available cancelled checks, receipts, statements, and other data to support the claimed deductions.

Campbell said that, in addition to saving tax dollars, good record-keeping makes preparation of the tax return a much easier task.

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**SOUTHLAND NEWS**

MRS. TOMMY WILKE

**Abshire On All-District Team**

Boys--Southland--Coach Bill Mathis  
 Second Place; Girls--Wilson--Coach Joe Downey; Boys--Wilson--Coach Al Mitts,  
 First Place; Girls--Post 8th Grade--Coach Billy Hahn; Boys--Post 8th Grade--Coach Waco Reynolds  
 Glenn Kiesel was involved in a car-pickup collision last Tuesday, Dec. 2, on the Hackberry and Wilson highway crossing near Mrs. Alice Martin's home. Glenn received facial lacerations and other bruises, and all three occupants of the car were hospitalized, we hope all goes well with you, Glenn.  
 Little Leeann McInturf, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. David McInturf and grand daughter of Mrs. Selma Kiesel, was baptized Sunday at Grace Lutheran Church, Slaton. Her aunt and uncle, Judy Kiesel and Glenn Kiesel, are her sponsors. May God bless this young child and keep her in His care always.  
**BRIDAL SHOWER**  
 Miss Kathleen Smith, bride-elect of Ernie Hooks, was honored with a bridal shower at the Close City Community Center on Saturday, December 6.  
**FISH FRY**  
 We enjoyed a delicious fish fry in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Zieschang on Thursday night, Dec. 4. Other attending were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Kettler of Needville, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moerbe from Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. August Patsche and children from the Roosevelt Community, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lorenz and children from New Deal, Rev. and Mrs. Delmas Luedke from Slaton, and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Klaat from Lubbock. After the meal, progressive "42" was played with Mrs. Kettler and Rev. Luedke emerging as the winners.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Stolle, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Becker, Edmund and Yours Truly were guests in the R. M. McMin home on Sunday night.  
 Dan Eckert was at home recently on a week-end pass. He is in the medic corps with the U. S. Air Force and is just beginning a new training period in hospital work. Dan is the son of Mrs. R. D. Eckert.  
**ENGAGED**  
 Congratulations to Mickey Ann Mason and Allen Miles whose engagement and approaching marriage has been announced. Mickey is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Mason of Southland and Allen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miles of Slaton. They are planning to be married December 29 in the Slaton Church of Christ. May God bless this young couple richly.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Wilke have returned to their home in Kingsland after spending several weeks here visiting with friends and relatives.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Palmer and Mr. and Mrs. Berry T. Johnson from Garden City, Tex. spent Sunday here visiting with Mrs. Palmer's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Myers.  
**GAME FOR OPERATION YULETIDE**  
 The Southland Junior High basketball boys and girls will play the St. Joseph teams tonight with the girls playing first at 5:30 p.m. Following these two games, a game will

be played by the Lions Club members vs. the Slaton teachers.

Admission to the games will be a toy or canned goods which will be used in baskets for the needy at Christmas.  
 This would be a good opportunity to enjoy the evening and also get the Christmas spirit by helping others.

**MAKES ALL-DISTRICT**  
 Congratulations to Stanley Abshire who made the All-District team in football. Stanley is a senior and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Abshire.  
 "A good memory is fine--but the ability to forget is the true test of greatness."  
 Since I work every day and do not have a telephone handy, I feel as if I'm not doing justice to our Southland Column, so I have decided to let someone else write it. If you would like to do this, either contact me or the Slatonite.

War veterans who are totally and permanently disabled from service-connected causes can now receive outpatient care at VA hospital clinics for conditions not connected with their military service as well as for service-connected conditions.

**LETTERS to EDITOR**

Hello friends in and around Slaton, "My Kind of Town", I miss Slaton more than any one knows. I like Amarillo and my two boys are here so I am staying with them.

During the Thanksgiving holidays, it made me realize to thank my Lord for my useful life, to help raise the children I had a part of -- 15 in all. Now I'm 71 and maybe I could help a few more.

When I think of the good neighbors and friends we had in Slaton, it makes life easier to live. They are friendly and warm there. I helped Mrs. Davis at the Florist Shop and also helped serve Rotary and Lions Clubs. Such nice people and I think of it so much now.

I just wanted to say "hi" and send greetings to everyone there.

Mrs. F. B. DeMent  
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EIGHTH GRADE TEAM--Slaton's Eighth Grade Basketball Team is pictured above with their coach, R. G. Copeland. Pictured left to right, front row, are Alan Lewis, Dennis Gary, Jerry Montgomery, Jay Ray Basinger, Ray Lynn Basinger and Danny McAnear; back row, Mark Neill, Jimmy Tipton, Larmar Smith, Greg Parks, Steve Bourn and Copeland. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

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 In these informal living days, there's still a right and a wrong to sign your Christmas cards, and here's a brief review.  
 If husband and wife are sending a card, it is never signed "Mrs." Only the first and last names are used, with the name first, such as "Jim and Marge Smith."  
 If the children's names are included in the signature, the father's name is first, then mother's name, and then the children, such as "Floyd, Alice and Scott Williams."  
 If you are signing your cards with the man's full name, add the word "The," such as "The Floyd Williams."  
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 If you are signing with either the company name, "The Hawkeye Company," or by the individual sender's name, "Andrew Smith," cards are sent to an office and addressed to a man or a woman, not to husband and wife.  
 If you are signing with the printed versus the hand signed signature? The individual choice, though most people prefer to sign in their own hand so they can add short personal greetings to express warmth and well wishes.  
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## EDITORIALS

The Christmas season has arrived again, and one more year has come and gone. Yet, wars go on, the establishment is still disliked, and pills are popped.

One might ask, "Where is this world going?" but that is the negative side of the situation. Let's look at the bright side for a change. A child's eyes still light up at the sight of Santa, winter means snow, and Christmas is still a very special time of year.

Yes, our Creator was right when he blessed us with this blissful and joyous time of year. He knew what he was doing when he sent his love and devotion to the world. Although it may seem to be covered up or even destroyed in times of despair, mankind will always be aware of its presence. This Christmas season, don't just look at the world, look into it, and see what was meant to be seen.

## Spirit of Christmas Reflected in Survey

Christmas comes but once a year yet the personal meaning of Christmas is with one always. When asked what Christmas meant to the following people, the answers came with careful thought and feeling.

Lt. Col. Clifford Bowen, Jr., the commanding ROTC officer, answered the question by saying, "Christmas is a wonderful time for reflecting upon the joys of life. If the spirit of Christmas could manifest itself throughout the year, this would be an ideal world to live in. For what seems to be a too short period of time, we all expel the Scrooge Complexes

from our personalities and live for this short period in a state of brotherly love."

Mrs. Charlene Davis, counselor, has this to say, "Christmas means to me a renewal of faith in peace on earth and good will toward our fellow man."

English IV teacher, Mrs. Maxine Walker, expressed her feeling of the Christmas spirit with the statement, "Christmas, with its feeling of gaiety and good will toward men, is the best time of the year. The bright faces of children, eyes sparkling, noses pressed against shop windows, the happy tunes of Christmas carols coming from the loud speakers and surging through the beautifully decorated department stores, and the hurrying shoppers rushing madly about in confusion draws us into a feeling of kinship with all mankind. Climaxing all this is the lovely story of the Saviour's birth which gives our hearts peace and our minds hope for a better world."

Mrs. Helen Kerr, journalism teacher, believes that "Christmas is a giving time and a happy time. It is a time to help others. But with every Christmas gift, I am reminded of the greatest Christmas gift ever given - the gift of God's son who was born on Christmas day in a manger - one of the loveliest of places. When we realize that God sent his Son to be our Saviour, we understand how wonderful God is."

Lionie Kuss, senior, contends that "Christmas means a time of joy and happiness to share with your family and with friends. It's that time of year when you get that certain kind of feeling in you. I can't describe it, but it's different from any other. You just want to do more for others, and it makes you feel a whole lot better after you've done it. Over all, Christmas is a time of peace for everyone."

Georgia Geer, senior, remarked, "Christmas is the time of year when you get a lump in your throat from listening to 'Silent Night' or 'Joy to the World.' It is that time of year when you can go into almost any store and see children staring at toys with longing and hope. Hope, that's what Christmas is all about - hope that there will be peace on earth and good will to all men."

### Drug Abuse Film Shown to Students

"Drug Abuse" was the topic of the film shown Nov. 26, in the high school auditorium.

In the film the effects that liquor and narcotics have on a person were compared. Narcotics were also compared with cigarettes.

Following the film, questions from the students were answered by Earl Eblen, local pharmacist who obtained the film for showing.

### FFA Teams In Idalou Contest

The Slaton FFA Chapter traveled to Idalou Nov. 25 for a contest competing with 22 other chapters.

The Radio Team, consisting of Doug Simmons, Glen Akin, and Brad Kitten, placed fourth. The Quiz Team, composed of Tommy Jack Taylor, Curt Woollever, Paul Ray Martin, and Mike Fosterer, won seventh place. Jerry Hopper, Curt Woollever, Jackie Edwards, Kenny Schuette, Ronald Strain, Bruce Scott, and Paul Ray Martin, made up the Junior Chapter Conducting Team which placed sixth.

The Senior Chapter Conducting Team placed eighth. The team consists of Bobby Hopper, Dwayne Buskemper, Floyd Kitten, Larry Becker, Terry Woollever, Norman Pionka, and Bernard Kitten.



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### TIGER CALENDAR

CALENDAR OF EVENTS  
Thursday, Dec. 11  
6 p.m. Tahoka Tournament - Freshman  
Tulia Tournament  
Friday, Dec. 12  
Tulia Tournament  
Tahoka Tournament  
Saturday, Dec. 13  
Tulia Tournament  
Tahoka Tournament  
FTA District Convention  
Monday, Dec. 15  
5:30 Freshman girls vs. Idalou here  
5:30 Freshman boys vs. Idalou here

Tuesday, Dec. 16  
5:30 A-B girls and A boys vs. Post here  
Wednesday, Dec. 17  
11:25 -- ROTC Assembly  
Thursday, Dec. 18  
5:30 Freshman boys and girls vs. Post here  
6:30 A-B girls vs. Klondike there

Friday, Dec. 19  
Denver City Tournament for A boys  
2:30 School dismisses for Christmas holiday  
Saturday, Dec. 20  
Denver City Tournament  
Dec. 26 - 31  
Duncanville Tournament for A girls  
Saturday, Jan. 3  
5:30 A-B girls and A boys vs. Floydada there  
Monday, Jan. 5  
School resumes  
Tuesday, Jan. 6  
5:30 A girls and A-B boys vs. Tahoka here  
Thursday, Jan. 8  
5:30 Freshman girls and boys vs. Roosevelt there  
Friday, Jan. 9  
6:15 A-B boys vs. Brownfield here

Saturday, Jan. 10  
Tulia B Tournament  
7 p.m. -- ROTC Talent Show  
Tuesday, Jan. 13  
6:30 A-B girls vs. Muleshoe here  
6:30 A-B boys vs. Estacado there

Jan. 14-15-16  
Mid-term exams  
Thursday, Jan. 15  
6 p.m. Freshmen vs. Tahoka here  
Friday, Jan. 16  
6:30 A-B girls vs. Abernathy there  
6:15 A-B boys vs. Levelland here

Monday, Jan. 19  
6:30 p.m. Roosevelt freshmen here  
Tuesday, Jan. 20  
A-B girls vs. Canyon here  
Thursday, Jan. 22  
5:30 Freshmen vs. Post there  
Slaton B Tournament  
Friday, Jan. 23  
5:30 A-B girls vs. Tulla there  
6:15 A-B boys vs. Littlefield there

Saturday, Jan. 24  
Slaton B Tournament  
Monday, Jan. 26  
6 p.m. Freshmen vs. Ralls there  
6:30 A-B girls vs. O'Donnell there  
Tuesday, Jan. 27  
6:15 A-B boys vs. Dunbar here

### SHS ORGANIZATIONS HELP ADD TO CHRISTMAS CHEER

Adding to the Christmas cheer is the purpose of the various organizations of Slaton High School which are participating in decorations, assemblies, and other events.

The Slaton High School Band played for the arrival of Santa Claus Monday night at the square. This is an annual event sponsored by the Slaton Chamber of Commerce.

The Future Homemakers of America are to have a Musical Dystrophy Drive. The Slaton Young Homemakers are responsible for the Christmas tree standing in the Homemaking Department display window.

The Future Teachers of America are in charge of the decorating of the doors of the classrooms in Slaton High School. The Student Council has received a Christmas tree to be decorated and placed in the foyer of the building. They plan to have a "singing telegram" sale, also, Friday afternoon, December 19. The Student Council will present a film to the students of Slaton High School. School will then turn out for the Christmas holidays at 2:30.

### FTA MEETING

The District FTA Meeting will be held Dec. 13 at Estacado High School in Lubbock. All FTA members will attend the meeting along with Judy Boyd and Robert Englund who will compete for District Mr. and Miss FTA.

### Experiments Start

Chemistry experiments have begun in Bill Carnes' chemistry class. The students were assigned to do a series of experiments individually which would serve as a background for later assignments. In these experiments, the students became familiar with the various types of acids, elements, and compounds.

### Talent Show Set By Junior ROTC

The Slaton Junior ROTC Unit will sponsor a talent show Friday, Jan. 10, at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

There will be two divisions: junior age, 4-12; and senior division ages, 13 and over. There will be first, second, and third place trophies in each division. The admission will be 50 cents for students and \$1 adults.

ton Young Homemakers are responsible for the Christmas tree standing in the Homemaking Department display window. The decorations on the tree were handmade by the Slaton Young Homemakers.

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### Mid-Term Exam Schedule Given

Slaton High School students will take mid-term examinations on Jan. 14-16. Pupils may be exempt from tests if they have an average of 90 or above for the semester and not more than five absences. A new rule at Slaton High is that three tardies will equal one day's absence.

The schedule for the examinations:  
Jan. 14 -- 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. -- second period tests.  
Jan. 15 -- 8:50 a.m. to 10:20 a.m. -- third period tests; 10:30 a.m. to noon -- fourth period tests; 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. -- fifth period tests.  
Jan. 16 -- 8:50 a.m. to 10:20 a.m. -- first period tests; 10:30 a.m. to noon -- sixth period tests.

### Tomlinson Gives Sales Demonstration

Bland Tomlinson, of Bland's Furniture Store, presented a sales demonstration to the D.E. classes last Friday, December 5.

Following the demonstration, Mr. Tomlinson explained the factors of selling and then answered questions from students.

This week the D. E. students have been making their own sales demonstrations in class.



MRS. DWAYNE SMITH

### Vows Pledged By SHS Teacher

Miss Garene Harris, home-making teacher at Slaton High School, and Dwayne Smith were united in marriage in a double ring ceremony officiated by Rev. J. L. Cartrite, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Slaton, at 5 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 26, in the New Home Baptist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Harris of New Home. Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith, Slaton.

Miss Gay Ivey - maid of honor, Ray Hurst of New Home - bestman, Mrs. Larry Brown of Hereford - bridesmatron, and Jerry Gentry, - groomsmen, were the couples' attendants. Boswell Edwards, soloist, was accompanied by Mrs. M. G. Davis, organist.

A reception followed the wedding in Fellowship Hall. The table was decorated with gold candleabra and attendants' bouquets. The wedding cake was made by Mrs. J. L. Cartrite. Mr. and Mrs. Smith traveled to Western New Mexico on their honeymoon. They are living at 1515 West Garza.

### B-Team Tourney Slated Here

Slaton will host a B-team tournament Jan. 22-24.

Teams competing in the boys' bracket are Slaton, Ralls, Roosevelt, Petersburg, Tahoka, Post, Idalou, and Floydada. The girls bracket includes Slaton, Roosevelt, Tulla, Petersburg, Tahoka, Post, Idalou, and Floydada.

### Holidays Set

Slaton High School will dismiss for the Christmas holidays at 2:30 p.m. Friday, Dec. 19; and students will return to classes Monday, Jan. 5.

## Tigerettes Win Tourney Again

Slaton's Tigerettes and Dunbar's Panthers took the titles in the Slaton Tourney for the third straight year. The Tigerettes dumped Roosevelt, 46-34, and Dunbar topped host Slaton, 82-47, in the final games of the tournament.

In the girls' bracket, Slaton reached the finals by beating Spur, 73-33, and Stanton, 67-

51. In the boys' bracket, Dunbar crushed Stanton, 58-56, and Brownfield, 58-56, in the first round.

The two second round games were won by Dunbar, 62-49, and Roosevelt, 62-41, and Slaton, 66-41, and Roosevelt, 66-41, in the final games of the tournament.

### Rosters Given For Boys Teams

Coach Kenneth Housden has picked his Varsity squad for the 1969-70 basketball season.

They are Larry Moore, Louie Scott, Clifford Summar, Andrew Jones, Darrell Eastman, Lloyd Kitten, Alan Fondy, Terry Mosser, Glen Thomas, Paul Payne, and Tom Melton.

Junior Varsity prospects include Bradley Kitten, Floyd Kitten, Clyde Kitten, Bernard Kitten, Tommy Jack Taylor, Randy Davis, Mark Nesbitt, Jay Burks, Tony Martin, Gregory Wendel, Walter Cooper, Jim Melton, Jesse Flores, David Martinez, Caylon Barkley, and Raul Tamez. Jackie Stewart is the Junior Varsity coach.

The Freshman squad is composed of Steve Nieman, Mike Lewis, Donnie Drones, James Conwright, T. W. Whitfield, Vernon Arrants, Bruce Scott, and Teddy Scott. Coach Weldon Mize will be guiding the freshmen this year.

### Tiger Varsity Jackets Given

The Slaton Tiger Varsity received their Varsity letter jackets last Friday afternoon. To be eligible for the jackets, a player must play in 20 quarters during the season.

The 18 players, who received jackets are Gary Cook, Ted Dixon, Ishmael Ledesma, Ollie Rainwater, Charles Thomas, Glen Akin, Frank Self, Charlie Geer, Bruce Schuette, Paul Payne, Allen Walters, Dwayne Cox, Allen Sanders, Alan Fondy, Terry Mosser, Dick Davis, Tom Hargrave, and Tate Fondy.

Because of University interscholastic League rules, the nine lettermen from last year cannot receive another jacket. They will be awarded plaques at a later date.

### Moore, Thomas On 3-AAA Team

Charles Thomas and Larry Moore were named to the 3-AAA All-District team last week. Thomas is a junior defensive lineman; and Moore, who was ranked among the top in the district in rushing, scoring, and punt returns, is a senior running back.

Six other Tigers received honorable mention. They are Louie Scott, Jimmy Rogers, Nicky Farrell, Allen McDonald, Don Smith, and Robert Englund.

### Roundup Review

Slaton traveled to Brownfield, 2, returning with a 2-1 record and one defeat against the biggest rivals of the Slaton Tigers.

The Slaton Tigers, 23-point output of Larry Moore, defeated Post 63-42. The Tigers were ahead at the half, 29 to 0. Scott and Clifford helped the Slaton case in 15 and 14 points respectively.

The Slaton Tigerettes defeated Post 67 to 52 for straight victory. Moore was top scorer with 18 points. Sue Brake and Meeks clipping in 10 points respectively.

The Slaton Junior Varsity was defeated by Post. Floyd Kitten had 13 points. Randy Davis had eight points. The Tigers had 69-64, here Nov. 29, hitting 22 and Scott lost to Tulla by 77. Tommy Taylor gets Slaton.

Slaton won two and lost a 46-33 decision at Idalou. Summar led with 18.

The Tigerettes won 32 triumph as Meeks led the way with 20 points. Jan Griffith started on defense. A 38-29 decision as Beard and Gorla got 17 and 14 points.

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# Bar, Slaton Repeat As Tourney Champs Here



The Slaton Tigerettes and the Dunbar Panthers captured the championship crowns for the third year in a row at the annual Slaton Invitational Basketball Tournament Saturday night.

And, for the third year in a row, the Tigers finished second to the champion Dunbar team. The all-Negro Panther team rolled to a 82-47 win in the finals against the Tigers, Estacado won third place with a 79-50 decision over Roosevelt, and Colorado City took consolation honors with a 76-51 win over Stanton.

The Tigerettes downed Roosevelt, 46-34, for the girls' tourney title; Abernathy took the third-place trophy with a 55-40 win over Stanton, and Sundown took consolation honors with a 46-41 defeat of Spur.

Slaton landed big Larry Moore on the boys' all-tournament team, which also included Glenn Davis and Marc Wilson of Dunbar, John Brown of Brownfield, and Lasel Green of Estacado. Davis tallied 95 points in four games to lead all scorers.

Forward Marilyn Davis and guard Patty Neill were all-tourney selections on the girls' team. Desie Bobo of Roosevelt and Druann McCune of Abernathy were the other forwards, and Betty Crumley of Roosevelt and Leatrice Jones of Stanton were the other guards.

Dunbar's only close call came in a second-round game with the Brownfield Cubs. After trailing the first half, Brownfield erupted for 20 points in the third period and took a 44-36 advantage. The Pantheres, led by Glenn Davis' 12 points in the final period, rallied for the close 58-56 victory. Davis and Brown of the Cubs tied for scoring honors with 26 each.

The Panthers opened with a 93-57 win over Stanton, edged Brownfield, then downed Estacado by 82-65. The Pantheres jumped to a 22-8 lead against Slaton in the finals and were never headed. Ernest Davis hit 27 and Glenn Davis 24 in the win over Slaton. Cliff Summar had 16 and Moore 14 for the Tigers.

The Tigerettes opened with a 17-10 lead over Roosevelt in the final, and led by 27-15 at halftime. Davis scored 13 points each half to pace the Slaton fens, and Marilyn Meeks tallied 14 points. Neill, Greenfield and Davis led in rebounds off the boards. For Roosevelt, Carol Woolley had 13 points and Bobo 12.

Miss Bobo had the high single game scoring honors for the girls as she hit 42 points in Roosevelt's 54-52 win over Abernathy. She tallied 77 points in three games.

The Tigerettes advanced to the finals with wins over Spur and Stanton. All the girls saw action as Slaton rolled to a 73-33 triumph over Spur, with Davis and Sue Brake leading the way. Brake hit 29, Davis 20 and Marilyn Meeks added 18. Slaton jumped to a 28-7 lead in the opening quarter, and led by 42-19 at halftime. Gracie Kelly had 18 for Spur.

Davis scored 30 and Meeks 20 as the Tigerettes downed Stanton in the second game. Slaton led all the way, posting a 38-21 advantage at halftime. Vicki Lynn had 16 for Stanton.

Davis scored 76 points in the three tourney games, while Meeks had 52 and Brake 42. Jan Griffith, Debra Greenfield, and Judy Boyd were outstanding guards along with Neill.

The Tigers advanced to the finals with wins over Spur and Roosevelt. Moore hit 13 points in the final quarter to rally the Tigers for a 62-49 triumph over Spur in the first game.

Slaton was behind by 29-24 at halftime and 42-40 going into the final period. The Tigers outscored Spur by 22-8 in the final stanza. Summar tallied 22 points in the opener to give the Tigers a big one-

two scoring punch. Slaton jumped to a 16-9 lead over Roosevelt and kept the lead in winning by 57-44. Summar led all scorers with 21 points, while Lloyd Kitten hit 16 and Moore 12 for the Tigers. Randall Hughes had 13 and Tom Martin 12 for the Eagles.

Summar led Slaton in scoring for the tourney, tallying 59 points in the three contests. Moore hit 54 points, Kitten 27 and Louis Scott 16.

## Tigerettes Win Two at Trent, Enter Tourney

Slaton's Tigerettes scored a close 58-56 victory over the Trent girls Tuesday night at Trent, recording their 8th triumph of the season against two defeats.

Marilyn Davis paced Slaton with 30 points, while Marilyn Meeks added 15, Janette Gass 10 and Cynthia Akin 3. Slaton took a 14-8 lead over the highly-regarded Trent team in the first period and led by 27-25 at halftime.

The Tigerettes hit 16 of 27 shots at the free-throw line. The Slaton varsity girls will enter the Tullia Tournament today.

The Slaton junior varsity girls were also victorious at Trent, racking up a 61-31 decision. Dru Ann Beard led the

## Tigers Top Mustangs

Sparked by a 53-point production from their big post men, the Slaton Tigers scored an 80-73 victory over the Denver City Mustangs in a non-district basketball contest Tuesday night in the SHS Gym.

Clifford Summar took game scoring honors with 28 points, and teammate Larry Moore put in 25 as the Tigers won their sixth game against two losses. Doug Hubbard pumped in 27 for the Mustangs and Gerald Smith was next with 14.

Slaton trailed by 20-18 after the opening quarter, but the Tigers rested at halftime with a 43-38 advantage. Slaton had the edge on the scoreboard, 61-50, after three quarters.

The Tigers hit 32 of 60 shots from the field for a 53 percent shooting average. Slaton converted on 14 of 25 at the free-throw line. Denver City hit only 41 percent from the field, but the Mustangs had only 17 turnovers compared to 30 for the Tigers.

Slaton won the battle of the boards, 30-17, with Moore leading the way. The Tigers enter the Tullia Tournament today.

The Slaton junior varsity lost a 58-31 decision to Denver City Tuesday night. Floyd Kitten hit 12 and Clyde Kitten had 9 in the losing cause.

SHIP FORM--Marilyn Meeks goes up for two points in the Slaton Tourney. The Tigerettes won the game for the third straight year. Slaton's Marilyn Meeks, left, is in position for the rebound.



DISTRICT PICKS--Senior fullback Larry Moore, left, and junior defensive guard Billy Thomas, right, are congratulated by Coach Ernie Davis after the pair were named to the 3-AAA All-District football team. The Tigers had six others named honorably mention. Allen McDonald received votes both on offense and defense, while Don and Robert England were on the defensive team. Nick Farrell, Jimmy Rogers and Scott made the offensive team. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

## Freshmen Split With Abernathy

Slaton's freshmen basketball teams won and lost two close games against Abernathy here Monday night.

The boys lost a close 47-43 overtime decision to the visitors, while the Tigerette freshmen won a tight 35-34 contest over the Abernathy girls.

Slaton led most of the way in the boys game, but Abernathy knotted the score at 25-25 before halftime, then rallied to tie it at 43-43 when regulation play ended.

T. W. Whitfield hit 22 points to lead Slaton in the losing contest, and Steve Nieman added 11.

The freshmen girls got balanced scoring from the forwards in scoring the close triumph over Abernathy. Gretta Stricklin led the way with 12 points, followed by Karla Kitten with 10 and Cindy Kenney with 9. It was the first game for the girls.



READY FOR TOURNEY--The Slaton seventh grade basketball team pictured above will meet Cooper tonight in the 7th Grade Basketball Tournament which is being held at the junior high gym through Saturday. The team is coached by Bing Bingham. Left to right, front row, are Susan Ford, Cindy Patterson, Jo Edna Smith, Rhonda Biggs, Melissa Wilson, Brenda McDonald and Brenda Thorp; back row, Coach Bingham, Cathy Townsend, manager, Rhonda Moseley, Darla Shackelford, Kimmie Cooper, Ann Webb, Anita Boatman, Kathy Eblen, Susan Chaney, Rosemary Scott and Cheri Menzer, manager. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

## Slaton Will Host 7th Grade Tourney

Slaton will host a 7th Grade Basketball Tourney Thursday through Saturday with eight schools sending both boys and girls teams to compete.

Teams entered in the tourney include Post, Tahoka, Idalou, O'Donnell, Frenship, Roosevelt, Cooper and Slaton.

Play starts at 2 p.m. Thursday in the girls' division with Post playing Tahoka. A boys' game between the two schools will follow at 3. Pairings match the same schools in the boys' and girls' brackets.

Idalou-O'Donnell games are set at 4 and 5 p.m.; Frenship-Roosevelt games at 6:30 and 7:30, and Slaton-Idalou games at 8:30 and 9:30.

Eight games are scheduled Thursday and Friday, and six games will be on tap Saturday. Championship, third-place and consolation finals are set Saturday starting at 3:30.

Slaton's 7th grade teams won one and lost one in the Southland Tourney last weekend. The boys opened with a close 29-28 win over Southland Junior High, as

## Slaton Will Host 7th Grade Tourney

Kelly Copeland hit two free shots in the final seconds. Bobby Hightower had 10 points and Craig Nieman 8 in the victory, while Whaley hit 16 for the losers.

The Slaton boys were downed by Wilson Junior High, 36-17, in the second game. Hightower and Nieman scored 7 and 5 points, while Coleman hit 14 for Wilson.

Slaton's girls scored a 40-22 victory over Southland in the opener as Brenda McDonald and Rose Scott tallied 18 points each. Martinez had 8 for Southland. Wilson eliminated the Slaton girls by 37-9 in the second game. McDonald had 5 and Scott 4, while Crowson hit 16 for Wilson.

## Junior High Tops Roosevelt

Slaton Junior High basketball teams won four games against Roosevelt Monday night with the boys playing at Roosevelt and the girls here.

Slaton's 8th grade girls scored a 23-11 victory with Ann Partain and Jan Davis tallying 7 points each. Westbrook led the visitors with 4.

The 7th grade girls won a 20-10 decision over Roosevelt with Rose Scott and Melissa Wilson scoring 7 and 6 points, respectively. McMillan had 3 for Roosevelt.

At Roosevelt, Slaton's Steve Bourn paced the 8th grade with 8 points in a 21-14 triumph. Bobo had 7 for the losers. The 7th graders took a 25-12 victory with Kelly Copeland and Billy Thomas scoring 9 and 4 points. Fikes had 4 for Roosevelt.

The junior high teams play Idalou Monday night, with the boys playing there and the girls here. Slaton's 7th grade teams are in the Slaton Tourney today through Saturday.

## 4-H Club Has New Officers

The Slaton 4-H Club installed new officers and held its Christmas party during a meeting Tuesday night at the Clubhouse.

Clifford Kitten is the new president, succeeding Corliss Wimmer. Other new officers are Jimmy Kahlich, vice president; Brenda Thorp, secretary; Ann Webb, reporter; Kathy Riney and Clifford Kitten, council delegates.

The club played games with prizes being given. The cooking group made cookies which were served at the meeting.

The VA's program to provide on-the-spot orientation and counseling to combat troops in Vietnam reached the one million mark in November.

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# Seven On All-District Team

The All - District football players were named for District 4-A. Roosevelt netted seven positions; George Henry and Randall Hughes were both unanimous choices. The positions and players are: Offensive team: Ross Hughes - end; George Henry - tackle; Terry Paxton - guard; Tommy Martin - quarterback; and Randall Hughes - back.

Defensive Team: George Henry - defensive lineman and Randall Hughes - linebacker.

NHS NEWS  
Dec. 3, the National Honor Society met and year book photographs were taken. Members are urged to pay their dues.

The Roosevelt Fems met Petersburg in their first district game of the season on Dec. 2. The first half was a tense close game. At half the score was 21-21. In the last half the Eagles bowed 51-43. High - pointer for the game was Kathy Wilson, of Petersburg, with 37. Dessie Bobo captured the honors for Roosevelt with 24. The "B" team defeated Petersburg earlier 21-17. Carol Woolley, of Roosevelt, was high point with 13.

The Boys' Varsity was overcome by Christ the King, in the last game of the night. The Trojans led the first quarter, but at half trailed 28-27. The

Eagles lost their slim lead during the third quarter and the last stanza started with the score 40-35. The final score was 51-44. Tim Teaver, of CTK, was high-point with 17, followed by Tommy Martin, of Rhs, with 13.

The RHS Fems defeated Tahoka and Abernathy only to be overcome by Slaton in the championship game of the Slaton Tourney. Subsequently the Eagles took second place in the tournament. Tahoka proved to be no challenge for the Eagles as they romped 66-41. Dessie Bobo, RHS, was high-point with 23. The Fems nipped Abernathy 54-52, as Dessie Bobo pumped in 42 points.

In the championship game Marilyn Davis sparked the Slaton Tigers to victory over the Eagles 46-34. Miss Davis tallied 27 points.

Dessie Bobo (forward) and Bettie Crumley (guard) were the two Roosevelt players who netted positions on the All-District team.

The RHS boys defeated Littlefield 58-47 in tournament play Thursday, with Roosevelt's Tommy Martin gathering top honors by scoring 17 points.

The Eagles then met defeat at the hands of Slaton, Saturday in bout to determine the third place team, the Eagles

fell to Estacado 79-50. Green, of Estacado, scored 27, followed closely by Tommy Martin, Roosevelt, with 24.

Dec. 11, 12 and 13 Roosevelt holds its annual Invitational Tournament. Teams Participating will be: McAdoo, Christ the King, New Deal, Friendship, Abernathy, Cooper, Gail, and Roosevelt.

Dec. 16, both varsities and the boys' "B" team travel to Shallowater. Games start at 5:30.

**STUDENTS OF MONTH**  
"Boy anmer Girl of the Month" for December are Roy Jim Davis and Lanette Kinard.

**FTA NEWS**  
The Future Teachers of America met Dec. 3 with James Dickey presiding. The chapter elected Coach Gene Mimms for "December Teacher of the Month". Several Roosevelt FTA members will attend the annual district FTA convention at Estacado High School Saturday, Dec. 13. Carrie Davidson, RHS sophomore is a candidate for the district financial secretary position.

Mr. and Mrs. O.M. Norris, C. L. Jackson and Jerry Forbes, all of Dallas, visited the Edgar Reynolds, C. O. Stewarts and W. E. Morgans over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Box and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Rush and Walco Morgan spent Sunday in the Edgar Reynolds home. Other visitors were the Joe Jack Reynolds and Tom Ed Reynolds.

Several addresses of Roosevelt service men were published in last week's Slatonite. Following are two more addresses in case you would like to send them greeting cards or gifts for Christmas:  
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FHA BEAU SELECTED--Janice Bukemper, Nadine Meurer and Ruth Melcher, left to right, have recently received Chapter Degrees in the Future Homemakers of America. They are shown with Jack Webb, who was elected FHA Beau at Slaton High. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

## Father Of Local Resident Dies At Silverton

John J. Vardell, 87, of Silverton, father of L. W. Vardell of Slaton, died last Thursday in a Lockney hospital. Services were read at 3 p.m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church of Silverton.

A retired farmer, Mr. Vardell was born in Arkansas and moved to Briscoe County in 1924. Mrs. Vardell died Nov. 1, 1964.

Survivors include five other sons; four daughters; one brother; four sisters; 27 grandchildren and 33 great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Vardell and their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vardell of Burnet, attended the funeral services, returning home late Saturday.

## FHA Degrees Given, Webb Named Beau

Jack Webb was elected FHA Beau at a special meeting last Thursday afternoon, according to Tom Melcher, president.

It was also announced that Nadine Meurer, Ruth Melcher, and Janice Bukemper received Chapter Degrees, a second degree achievement. To be eligible for the degree a member has to be in FHA at least two years, have a Junior Degree, and have an active role in their chapter.

Plans were laid for the Muscular Dystrophy Donation Drive, also. The city will be divided into sections, and each of these will be given to a group of girls to work. They will be giving a pin and pamphlets to all who donate. The drive will last through Friday.

Tom Melcher is serving as president of the Slaton FHA Chapter. Other officers in-

clude: first vice - president, Vicky Tumlinson; second vice-president, Janice Bukemper; third vice - president, Nadine Meurer; fourth vice - president, Ruth Melcher; fifth vice-president, Debra Robison; secretary - treasurer, Judy Eble; and parliamentarian, Carol Mosser.

## Missionary To Speak Here Sunday

Rev. Bryan Mock, Assembly of God missionary, recently returned from Venezuela, South America where he has been serving actively in a rapidly growing national church will be speaking in the 6 p.m. service in the Slaton Assembly of God Church, 14th & Jean Streets, Sunday.

The Rev. Bryan Mock recalls vividly the industrious efforts of the Venezuelan people to use meager resources to make a traditional form of sandals called the Alpagata and their economical form of bedding in the form of a cotton-string hammock. Nevertheless, the living conditions have improved in the state of Falcon with the development of the Petroleum Industry. Government agencies are seeking to rapidly exploit the possibilities to better the economy.

A cultural change is occurring at the same time and many of the Venezuelans are seen

finding a better through a knowledge of the simple Gospel message. Rev. Mock will be speaking in the form of a slide presentation. He is representing the Assembly of God in Bolivia and as a number of American countries. He notes that a great opportunity exists where and this is in two night Bible studies during their visit in Venezuela. Veterans whose connected disabilities are 50 per cent or more are entitled to additional benefits for dependents.



AT COON SUPPER--Attending the American Legion's annual coon supper Saturday night were several of the organization's top officials. Left to right are Jack Flynt, of Dimmitt, national committee man, Henry Hill of Kingsland, Texas Department commander, J. W. Martindale, commander of the local Luther Powers Post #438, and C. G. McKinzie of Lubbock, 19th District commander. In the background are Bert Polk and Edgar Ahrens of Wilson who helped "cook the coon".

## Department Head At AL Supper

The annual coon supper, sponsored by the American Legion, was held at 7:30 p.m. Saturday at the American Legion Hall with approximately 75 persons attending.

Included in the 20 out-of-town guests were Henry Hill of Kingsland, Texas Department commander and principal speaker for the evening, Jack Flynt of Dimmitt, National committee man, and C. G. McKinzie of Lubbock, 19th District commander.

## Wimmers Attend Kuss Services

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Wimmer attended funeral services in Snyder Saturday for Miss Jane Kuss, 30, who died last Thursday in Hendrick Memorial Hospital at Abilene following a long illness.

Miss Kuss, a nurse at Snyder Memorial Hospital in Snyder, was a cousin of Albert Kuss of Slaton.

Survivors include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kuss Jr. of Hermleigh; and three brothers.

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**Today's Answer**

**ACROSS**  
1. "Oscar"  
2. Robertson  
6. African worm  
9. Baby's shoe  
10. Egyptian dancing girl  
12. Adam's grandson  
13. Carry who carried an ax  
15. Stage of the nest  
16. They're louder than words  
17. Tatar  
18. Unexpected delight  
19. Gives out as provisions  
21. Depletes (with "up")  
25. Sauciness  
26. Perfect  
27. West of Nod  
28. Wrinkle  
29. Harlebeests  
31. Football score: abbr.  
32. Hindu holy city  
35. One of two, sometimes four  
36. Excuses  
37. Passenger  
38. Lusterless  
39. Footpaths  
41. Confederate name  
42. Scotman

**DOWN**  
1. Bewildered  
2. Robber's "take home"  
3. "De-Level"  
4. Symbol for iron  
5. Thrusts and parries  
6. Horse  
7. Hedgepodge  
8. Egyptian god  
9. Type of hardy  
11. Rank below Lt. JG  
14. --- uses for words  
16. Greek god of war  
18. Part of a photograph  
20. Observe  
22. Neptune's domain  
23. Toward the rising sun  
24. Heavy month  
26. A Gershwin and others  
28. Whicaps  
30. Boundary: 3rd Admiree comb. form.  
32. Worthless  
33. Jewish month  
34. Historic river  
35. --- down (yielded)  
37. Admiree comb. form.  
40. Sun god

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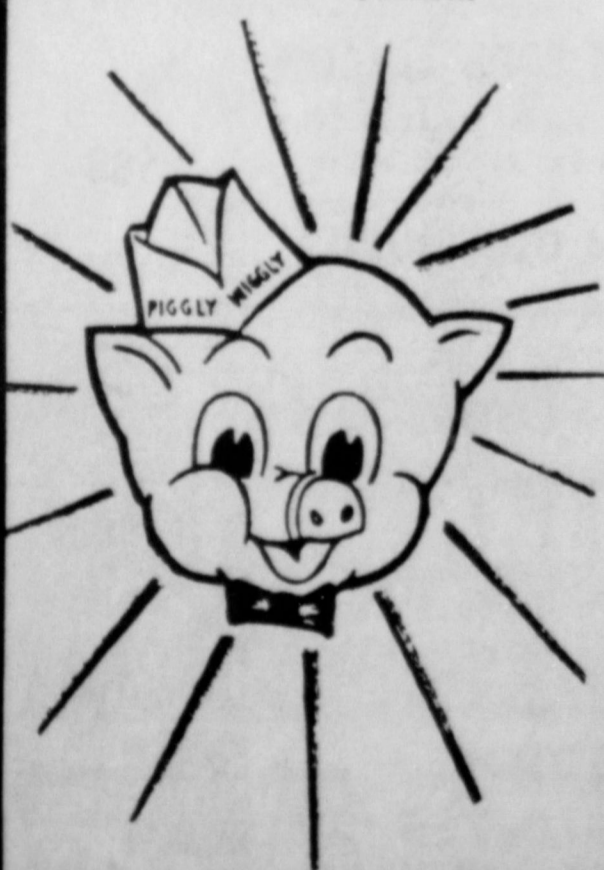
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