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E. A. Gentry Resigns As Police Chief Effective First Of April

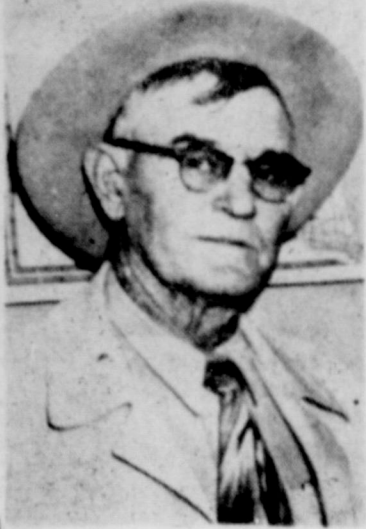
E. A. Gentry, Slaton's chief of police for almost six years and a member of the force for 10 years, submitted his resignation to the City Commission Monday night. The resignation is effective April 1st.

The commissioners voted to accept the resignation and to present him with one month's salary in appreciation for his "10 years of faithful service to the city."

In an ad placed in the Slatonite this week stating his resignation, Gentry expressed his thanks to the people of Slaton "for their cooperation and gratitude shown to me while I have been your police chief." He went on to say in the ad, "It seemed that my services were no longer wanted, as the City Commissioners put so much pressure on me that it got unbearable."

The resigning police officer joined the Slaton force in 1945. At that time there were two policemen on the force, Gentry, who worked the night, and Ernest Ward, who worked days. The two officers made their rounds over the city on foot as the city did not own a police car at that time.

Gentry became chief of police



E. A. Gentry

on August 1, 1950, and has served in that capacity until the present time.

He and his wife reside at 600 S. 13th St. in Slaton.

The City Commission also heard a report from representatives of

the fire department, stating the need for additional fire fighting equipment. The commission appointed a committee to investigate the needs of this department and other city needs to be presented to the commission at a later date. It is possible that a bond election will be called to pay for these needs sometime in the future.

The commission authorized the hiring of C. S. Williams, a Lubbock Accounting firm, to make the annual audit of the city books. The fiscal year ends March 31st.

Thieves Enter Hardware Store

Three Latin American youths were arrested Friday night on suspicion of taking approximately \$550 worth of merchandise from Lasater-Hoffman Hardware Co. late Wednesday night.

A fourth member of the gang was being sought in connection with the burglary in which four pistols, several shotguns, rifles, ammunition, three table model radios and one large radio were taken from the local firm. The cash register was stripped of small change in the amount of \$4.50.

The three were being held Friday night in lieu of bond set the same day by Justice of the Peace George H. McCleskey. They are Felipe Villarreal, 18; Alec Rodriguez, 18; and Alex Sanchez Stone, 24; all of Lubbock.

M. H. Lassiter said Tuesday that he hoped to recover at least half of the merchandise which was stolen.

Bail was set at \$1,000 for Stone and at \$2,000 each for Rodriguez, and Villarreal.

First Baptist Trustees Sign Contracts for Auditorium

Trustees of the First Baptist Church signed the contracts Monday night for the construction of a new church auditorium at a cost of \$126,691. The auditorium will be added to the front of the present education building at 255 S. 9th st. The present buildings will not be disturbed.

Construction will be of brick and tile and the auditorium when completed will have an estimated seating capacity of 755.

Ben McGregor Construction Co. of Lubbock has the general contract which amounts to \$108,696. The electrical contract is held by Al Preston of Lubbock and it amounts to \$6,995.

Liles Sheet Metal Works of Slaton holds the heating and plumbing contract in the amount of \$11,000.

The committee in charge of the construction of the church is composed of J. C. Smith, chairman; Bert Lamb and Jack Clark.

The church board of trustees are O. D. Crow, chairman; J. J. Maxey,

secretary; Judge Smith, Jack Clark, Wayne Liles, and J. B. Butler.

J. B. Lamb is chairman of the architectural planning committee for the church. His committee is formed of O. N. Alcorn, E. M. Lott, J. J. Maxey, Carter Caldwell, Mrs. O. D. Crow, J. C. Smith Jr., Mrs. Fannie Patterson, M. C. Kunkel, Mrs. Dudley Berry, J. B. Huckaby, and L. C. Pruitt.

The Rev. J. T. Bolding is pastor of the church.

Ground Breaking Ceremonies Set At Baptist Church

Ground breaking ceremonies have been set at the First Baptist Church at noon Sunday, according to the Rev. J. T. Bolding, pastor of the church.

Ground will be broken for the construction of a new church auditorium to be built at an estimated cost of \$126,691.

The public is invited, according to Rev. Bolding.

Wilfred Kitten Named Junior Chamber of Commerce Prexy

Wilfred Kitten of Slaton was named president of the newly organized Junior Chamber of Commerce in Slaton Monday night. More than 20 Slaton men became members of the Jaycees at the organizational meeting held in the VFW Hall.

The other officers are John Schmidt, first vice president; Phil Brewer, second vice president; Pete Williams, secretary; and Tommy Swanner, treasurer.

Directors of the new organization are Don Crow, state director; Joe Lester, Hugo Mosser, and Ted Swanner.

The organization is open to all men between the ages of 21 and 35 and dues are \$10 dollars per year. Prospective members will have the opportunity to join when the organization meets again March 19 at 8 p. m. in the VFW Hall.

The Jaycees have as their purpose, the training of young men of the community in civic leadership, and the promotion of civic activities and welfare in the community.

One of the Jaycee by-laws states that any J. C. organization should have at least 10% of the male population as members. "This is our goal," according to Williams, secretary of the local group.

Williams said that the charter fee to the national organization has already been paid.

The charter members of the Slaton Junior Chamber of Commerce are D. W. Walston, Swanner, Schmidt, Sonny Shackelford, Brewer, Swanner, Lester, Crow, Glen Akin, Walter Bednarz.

N. W. Spears, Mosser, Robert Vial, Bob Taylor, Williams, Clarence Kitten, Junior Brashears, Noel Wilson, West Reed, George Dubose, and Kitten.

Little League Meeting Planned

A general meeting of parents, managers, coaches, and persons otherwise interested in Little League will be held Monday, March 19 in the High School Auditorium. The meeting will start at 7:30 p. m.

The meeting is not a player registration meeting, but for the purpose of discussing plans and arrangements for the coming Little League season.

Registration meeting for players and parents will be held the first part of April, according to Charles Marriott.

Marriott stated that six teams will be organized this year in the major league, two more than last year's four-team league. The teams will be called the Dodgers, Indians, Giants, Yankees, Tigers, and the Cardinals.

Auto Inspection Deadline Nears

"Residents who postpone having their automobiles inspected may find themselves waiting in long lines if they wait until the last minute." This warning came from the local inspection stations this week.

One of the stations reported that though the cars were coming in fairly steadily, there were still many who seem to be waiting until near deadline.

The deadline for the inspections is April 15. The local inspection stations are located at Carroll's Service Station, Slaton Motor Co., Williams Buick Co., "Doc" Crow Chevrolet, and Slaton Implement Co.

Slaton Parochial School Bids To Be Received Wednesday

Bids for the construction of a parochial school in Slaton will be received at the office of Hugh Dryer Jr. & Associates, Lubbock architect at 2 p. m. on March 21.

The school will be constructed for St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Slaton.

The new school is estimated to cost between \$80,000 and \$90,000 and will have floor space coverage estimated at 10,500 square feet.

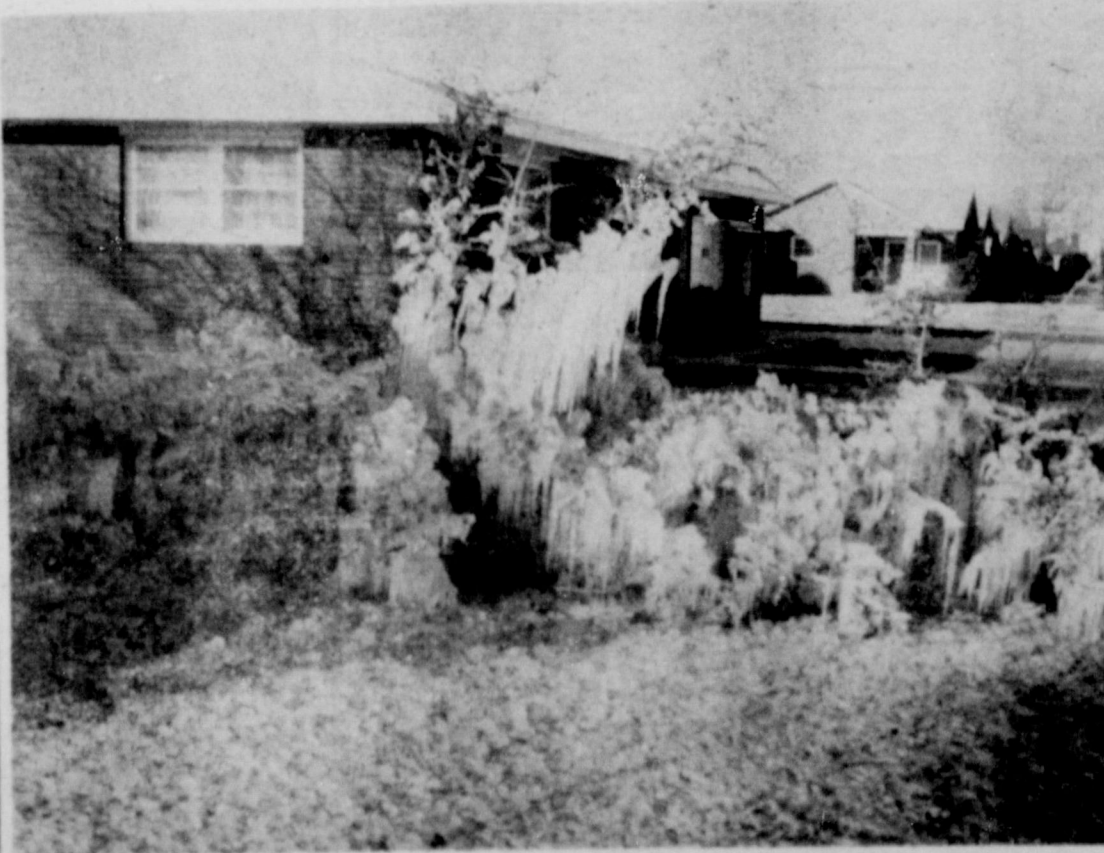
Building space will be devoted to four classrooms, offices, a library, restrooms, a combination auditorium and cafeteria, a stage area, dressing rooms, kitchen, storage and equipment rooms.

Outside construction will be face brick and stucco with an exposed concrete block interior. Ceilings will be of fiberglass suspended, ceramic tile wainscots with flooring in ceramic tile, asphalt tile, vinyl tile, finished cement and as an alternate maple flooring in the auditorium.

Fluorescent lighting and forced air heating are also planned. Pastor of the church is the Rev. Msgr. T. D. O'Brien.

Bids will be received separately for the general contract, electric plumbing and heating. A combined bid will be taken for plumbing and heating.

WEST TEXAS WEATHER—It could only happen in West Texas. Thursday of last week residents were enjoying shirt-sleeve weather. Friday morning they were greeted with overcast skies and a teeth-rattling wind. Many residents of the community were caught with their guard down and their water sprinklers on, as is evidenced by this home at 935 W. Lubbock St. The water was still running when this picture was snapped Friday morning and it was freezing as fast as it hit the ground.



(SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)

Local Vote Carries 165 to 37

Slaton Voters Approve Canadian River Water Contract Tuesday

Qualified voters of Slaton, numbering 202, went to the polls to cast their vote for or against the \$74.8 million Canadian River Dam Water Contract in Slaton Tuesday.

When it was all over the results showed that 165 Slatonites were in favor of the contract and 37 were

against using Canadian River water.

Plainview Drops Out

Plainview was the only city which failed to stay in the project; the contract was defeated there 557-330.

The vote Tuesday was the go-

ahead signal needed to start construction of a dam on the Canadian River and construction of a pipeline to serve member cities.

The next step will be the sale of \$2 million of the \$74.8 million in bonds, to be used to complete engineering and other preliminary details.

Merchants, Residents Donate \$145 to Aid Slaton Needy

(Editor's Note: During the past two weeks an organization of Slaton residents has banded together in an attempt to find a solution to the problem of caring for several needy families found living within our community. Stinson R. Behlen heads the organization which has managed to collect enough food and clothing to take care of about 120 persons.

Behlen, this week, made a complete report of the activities of his organization up to the present time. His report follows.)

By Stinson R. Behlen

Last week the Slaton Community Needy Program, an informal organization headed by Stinson R. Behlen, R. C. McCann, W. G. McCook, the Rev. A. Lopez, Cliff Weaver, and Carl Shumaker started work on a plan to bring relief to the needy situation in Slaton.

On Saturday of last week food and clothing was given to 24 needy families which had little or no means of support. Friday and Saturday the organization circulated a letter soliciting cash donations for the Slaton Community Fund. R. C. McCann is acting treasurer for the group.

Donations Total \$145

A total of \$145 was donated by local merchants and citizens interested in relieving the situation. A total of \$123.45 was spent on groceries consisting of flour, beans, lard, rice, and canned milk.

These people have probably enough food now to last them four to six weeks. With the Lord granting, we hope to receive some rain and moisture so work will be available for these folks who are ready to work at any time.

This is our way of Christian life and service to our community by working toward helping others in need. We clothed, fed, and supplied all races, white, colored, and Mexican during the past two weeks and will continue to help others as the need arises.

We will and must do so if we love and want to serve our Lord better. A deep gratitude and appreciation comes from every family helped. Those of us who were there to help, wish the residents could have been there at the Mexican Mission.

Thanks to the Citizens

We want to thank all of the citizens of the entire community for the wonderful support being given to this work and for the food-clothing, bedding, etc., which is still coming in each day.

We are building up a back-log of supplies of non-perishable goods for the future plans which are in the works for a formal organization very soon. Watch this paper for details and plans. If you wish to serve your community in a better Christian way, you can all help do so.

The following letter was circulated by us on Friday and Saturday in Slaton. To whom it may concern: The Slaton Community Relief Program, an informal organization at present . . . Headed by Stinson R. Behlen, the Rev. A. Lopez, R. C.

McCann, W. G. McCook, Cliff Weaver and Carl Shumaker.

Alliance and Churches

Promoted by the Slaton Ministerial Alliance and its churches, it is a non-profit organization for all people in need and for any race, color or creed, and for greater love and service to our Lord and to help alleviate the needs of our fellow man. This informal organization is now accepting cash donations from which food, fuel, medicine, etc. will be bought for the needy.

Any excess donations not used will be deposited in the bank for future use. Please make all checks or cash to the Slaton Community Fund. R. C. McCann, treasurer.

Full Report

A full report on the use of the funds donated to the Slaton Community Needy Program.

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(SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)

BETTER HURRY—Residents were reminded this week by Mrs. F. A. Drewery, deputy tax collector that time is running out for the sale of auto license plates. The deadline for the purchase of 1956 tags is March 31. So far, in the five weeks that the plates have been on sale, Mrs. Drewery reports that she has sold only 782 tags to local residents. Mrs. Alton Lockett, a secretary in the deputy tax collector's office is shown as she sells plate number 782 to Miss Joerita Kitten. The plates can be purchased in the tax collector's office at Drewery Insurance.

Near Capacity Crowd Hears Brumbelow at Football Banquet

"It's not so important what you do, you do well," Mike Brumbelow told the near capacity crowd at the annual Football Banquet Tuesday night at the Clubhouse.

Brumbelow, athletic director and head football coach at Texas Western College at El Paso, was guest speaker at the banquet.

The speaker played high school football at Jacksboro, Texas, as a fullback, but played guard when he entered college at Texas Christian University. He captained the 1929 TCU team that won its first Southwest Conference Championship.

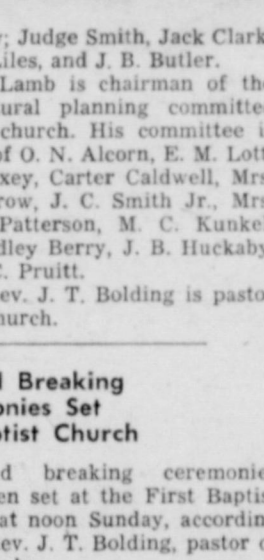
Other presentations included a gift certificate to the football sweater, Louise Moore, from the Tiger football team, and a gift certificate to coach M. W. Kerr for scouting during the past season for the Tigers.

Coach Tompkins introduced and commented on each of the boys who came out for football last season.

J. C. Smith Jr. handled the Toastmaster duties during the banquet.

Dinner music was provided by Neutie Nan Watson and Mary Anne Klattenhoff. Decorations were prepared by the pep squad girls.

Coach and Mrs. Leonard Ehlers were introduced and welcomed to Slaton by the toastmaster. Also introduced was Marion Smith, new head line coach and Ehlers' assistant coach at Slaton High School.



Mike Brumbelow

ship and was named the conference's most valuable player.

After coaching two years at high school in El Paso, he returned to TCU as line coach in 1935.

He served a hitch in the navy at the beginning of World War II, and then opened a sporting goods business. He kept his hand in football during that time by coaching during the season at Mississippi, and scouting for some of the nation's top teams until 1950, when he took the head coaching job at Texas Western.

"Football is much like the game

Rules governing the use of the Clubhouse in Slaton were discussed and approved at a town meeting of citizens at the City Hall Auditorium Tuesday night.

All 10 of the rules, including the rule which permits card playing in the Clubhouse, were discussed, voted on, and approved by about 85 residents, who attended the meeting.

Although card playing will be allowed at the Clubhouse there will be no dancing, the group decided. The card playing rule passed by a vote of 51 to 22.

The tentative set of rules were prepared by the members of various civic organizations, and the meeting called so that everyone interested might have a chance to voice his views on the proposed rules.

F. E. Perry, president of the Chamber of Commerce was elected to act as moderator of the meet-

Clubhouse Rules Are Approved At Public Meeting of Citizens

ing. He read each of the proposed rules to those present. Following a discussion period each rule was put to a vote.

The rules, as they were voted on and approved, will go to the directors of the Chamber of Commerce, but no action to change the rules can or will be undertaken by the directors.

"In order for changes of any kind to be made in the rules as they stand now, they would have to undergo the same procedure they did at the meeting Tuesday night."

A recommendation was made at the meeting that reservations for the Clubhouse be made at least five days in advance of the planned date of use. Reservations can be made by calling the Clubhouse manager C. D. Willis at 101 or by seeing him at the Clubhouse office.

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Calendar Of Coming Events

- THURSDAY, MARCH 15**
- Rotary Club, noon, Clubhouse.
 - LA to B of RT, 4 p. m., American Legion Hall.
 - Movie, "Battleground Europe," 7:30 p. m., First Baptist Church.
- SATURDAY, MARCH 17**
- Canyon Reef Relys, Sn-d-r Tex-as.
- SUNDAY, MARCH 18**
- Methodist Evening Fellowship, 6 p. m., Worship, 7-45 p. m.
 - Ground breaking ceremonies, noon, First Baptist Church.
- MONDAY, MARCH 19**
- Little League organizational meeting, 7:30 p. m., High School Auditorium.
 - Men's Breakfast, Fellowship Hall, 6:30 a. m., First Methodist Church.
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 - Junior Chamber of Commerce, 8 p. m., VFW Hall.
 - Deadline for "Mystery Farm" contest, 1 p. m.
- TUESDAY, MARCH 20**
- Lions Club, noon, Clubhouse.
 - Chamber of Commerce directors meeting, 7 p. m., Bruce's Cafe.
- WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21**
- Vesper Services, 7:30 p. m., Grace Lutheran Church.
 - Susanna Wesley Sunday School class, 3 p. m., home of Mrs. Elmer Crabtree, 1030 W. Garza St.
- THURSDAY, MARCH 22**
- Rotary Club, noon, Clubhouse.
 - Masonic Lodge, 7:30 p. m., Masonic Hall.

STUDYING HURRICANES

Hurricanes Ada, Carol, Diane and their equally energetic sisters are due for the most intensive examination ever devoted to the species. The examining will be done by the United States weather bureau, assisted by the navy, the air force, and scientists from several other nations.

One result of their combined efforts, it is expected, will be the perfecting of accurate 24-hour and eventually 72-hour forecasts. The weather men have more ambitious things in mind. They hope to work out means, perhaps by seeding clouds, to steer the great tropical storms away from heavily populated areas. Such an achievement would be of tremendous benefit to coastal regions that have suffered so grievously in the past.

Probing hurricanes is complicated, and not without danger. It requires special equipment such as high-flying rockets to photograph whole storms, planes loaded with electronic "brains" capable of probing hurricanes up to 40,000 feet.

An operation of this magnitude is naturally expensive. Congress has appropriated half a million dollars, and the total cost to the United States will be many times that sum. But millions for prevention pale into insignificance beside the toll that hurricanes take. Some 1,500 lives were lost last year, 218 of them in this country, and there were two billion—mark the word—billion—dollars worth of damage.

ARMS AND THE BUDGET

Many Americans are becoming alarmed by the nation's state of preparedness. We have been cutting down the army and decreasing appropriations for our armed forces. The purpose is to reduce expenditures and make it easier to balance the budget. To many, this economy seems like an effort to save money by dropping fire insurance.

The controversy has been helped along by Gen. Matthew Ridgway's magazine articles which state that, when Chief of Staff, he emphatically disapproved of the reductions. Congress is expected to inquire whether President Eisenhower knew, at the time, of Ridgway's dissent.

When doubts are expressed, we are reminded that the President is an eminent soldier who is not likely to let our military efficiency suffer. No one believes that he would wish to do so. The question is whether all the details of this sort of economy and their effects have been sufficiently brought to his attention. It would do no harm to explore such an idea of doubt.

TRANS-OCEAN COACHES

North American Airlines has sounded off with a vigorous complaint about the government's refusal to let it start trans-Atlantic "coach" flights at reduced fares. It says Uncle Sam has yielded to pressure from "monopoly-minded carriers who want to keep overseas air travel in the champagne and caviar class."

At first glance, North American's complaint seems justified. It may well be right in its assertion that the government's action is a blow "to millions of Americans and Europeans who have hoped in vain for the day when trans-ocean air travel would be within their means."

In the interests of fairness, however, the government side of the matter should be heard. The civil aeronautics board purports to have had the public interest in mind when it turned down the North American Airlines application. That claim should not be lightly thrust aside.

The CAB's attitude is that complex and important questions are raised by North American's application. It believes that there should be a full hearing, with the President making the final decision.

The airline is naturally disappointed. But it can hardly object to a hearing that will set the whole matter in perspective. Such a hearing should be conducted as soon as possible. If it should turn out that safety is involved—safety is paramount.

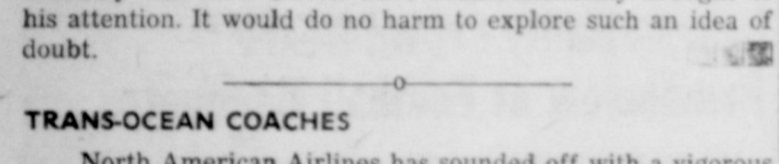
Let's never take democracy for granted. The freedoms it provides must be diligently guarded. To abuse them is to destroy them.

HEART-FELT FELLOWSHIP



"GOD IS UTTERLY DEPENDABLE, AND IT IS HE WHO HAS CALLED YOU INTO FELLOWSHIP WITH HIS SON JESUS CHRIST, OUR LORD."
I COR. 1:3
(PHILLIPS '78)

Executive gets a glory by showing a patient spirit when routine is upset. Mothers can get a glory by meeting the pressing demands with gentleness and kindness. Even children can get a glory as they cheerfully fit into the family program.



STRENGTH FOR THE WEEK

You Gotta Get a Glory
By Mrs. Bryan Ross

"Whether therefore ye eat, or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God." I Cor. 10:31

"Oh, you gotta get a glory in the work you do." How often have the Negro spirituals sounded the depths of rich, Bible truths!

Too often our blind eyes see no glory in everyday living. Life is for the most part made up of doing the little daily, routine things over and over. Ah, we dream of the day when we'll do some great work for Jesus. But the days slip by much the same.

"Whatsoever ye do," the scripture says, "do all to the glory of God." That's where the glory comes in! Let's put a shine on the little things. The janitor gets a glory as he flourishes his shine rag an extra time on the brass trim. Mr.

Executive gets a glory by showing a patient spirit when routine is upset. Mothers can get a glory by meeting the pressing demands with gentleness and kindness. Even children can get a glory as they cheerfully fit into the family program.

But a gentle reminder on who gets the glory. We are apt to let our best side show only if we're sure we are being watched by outsiders. That's when we get the glory, and it fades quickly. It stumbles us to realize how much of our living is not really for the glory of God. Let's pray that we might unselfishly give God the glory.

Let's take up the chant, "You gotta get a glory in the work you do." Let the glory show today. Great are the rewards—both now and in heaven to come for "then shall ye also appear with him in glory."

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Edwards made a business trip to Dallas and Houston this week. They left on Wednesday of last week and will be gone for 10 days.

Mrs. W. E. Payne returned home last week from Galveston where she has been visiting her daughter, Dr. Beatrice Payne Knight. Dr. Knight brought her home and spent the week end.

Wilson Girl Enters Annual Princess Contest

Miss Vy Noma Clem, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. U. A. Clem of Wilson, has been entered in the fourth annual Princess Contest which is being held in conjunction with the South Plains Junior Fat Stock Show in Lubbock, March 19-21.

The 17-year-old High School student was entered in the contest by the FFA Chapter of Wilson High School. Mutt Brueedigam is president of the sponsoring FFA Chapter.

Judging will be held Saturday, March 17, at 10 a. m. in Fair Park Coliseum. Five 4-H Club presidents will judge the FFA Princess contest, and five FFA Chapter presidents will judge the 4-H Club Princess contest.

Judging will be on the basis of beauty and appearance alone. The two princesses will be outfitted in western clothes and will serve as official hostesses for the Junior Fat Stock Show.

John Richey, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Richey, spent from Wednesday of last week until Saturday in Santa Fe with the Texas Tech Band.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walker Sr. left on Wednesday of last week to visit Mr. Walker's mother, Mrs. W. O. Walker, in Ranger. Mrs. Walker has been ill for several weeks. Mrs. Joe Walker returned home Sunday.

D. W. Garland of Ft. Worth visited Saturday and Sunday with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Glascock and daughter, Estelle, spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting Mrs. W. A. Glascock and Mrs. L. C. Bratcher.

Mrs. Jimmie Barton of Amarillo visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Ball.

Mrs. J. S. Avent spent from Wednesday of last week until Sunday visiting her son, Bill Avent, and family in Coffeyville, Kan.

Mrs. Ed Gorom and daughter, Mary Nell, returned home Friday after visiting for two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Carter, in Lytton Springs. The Rev. Gorom went after her and visited for several days before returning home.

Cast Released for Speech Contest Play

The speech class, under the instruction of Mrs. Mary Gilmore, has selected the one-act play, "The Storm" by Donald Payton, which they plan to enter in the district Interscholastic League contest which is to be held March 23, in Floydada.

The cast includes Jackie Shepard as Jeff Mulky, Sandra Wells as Mary Mulky, Roland German as the Hunter, Viola Walton as the Woman, and Betty Johnson as the Girl.

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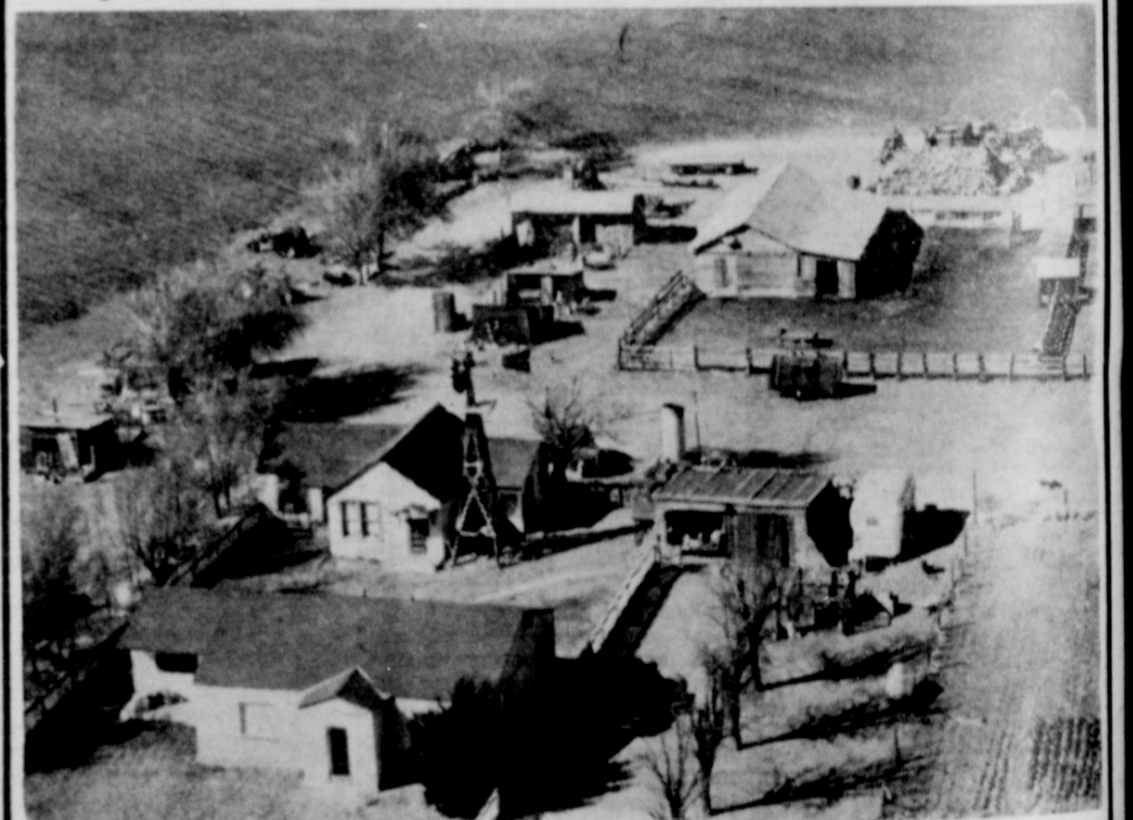
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Mystery Farm of the week



Anyone can submit their guess between the time the Slatonite comes out Thursday until 12 o'clock Monday. Winning guess will be drawn from correct answers: Phone 200, mail or bring in your guess. You may win a year's subscription to the Slatonite and two free passes to the Slaton Theatre. Operator of the farm pictured above can stop at the Slaton Farm Store and receive, absolutely free, a beautiful framed picture of his farm.

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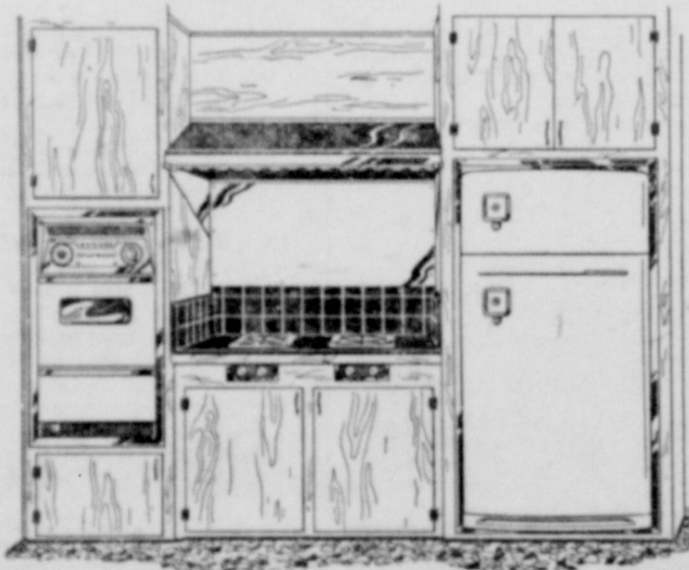
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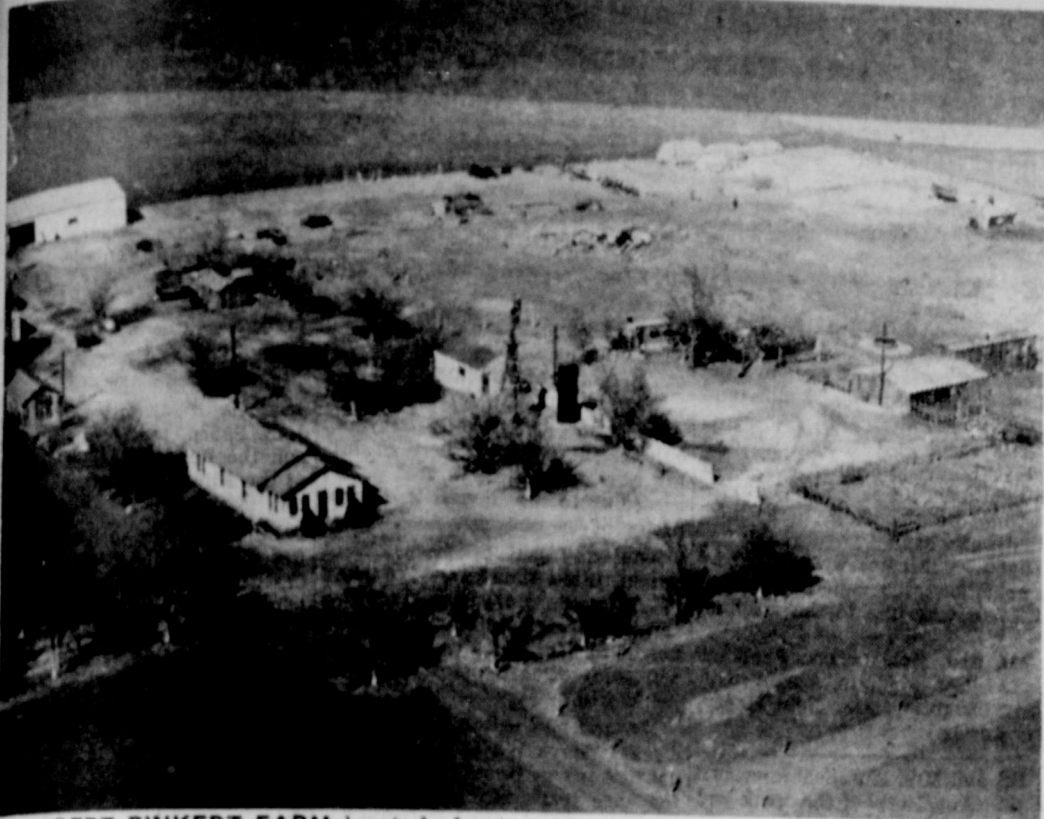
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The ALBERT PINKERT FARM located about a mile and a half northeast of Slaton is the farm which appeared in last week's issue of The Slatonite as the "Mystery Farm." The Pinkert family has lived on the farm since 1932.

Pinkert Owns "Mystery Farm"

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pinkert own the "Mystery Farm" which appeared in last week's issue of The Slatonite. The farm is located about one and a half miles northwest of Slaton.

The family has lived on the farm since 1932.

Most of the buildings and improvements have been added by the family, since moving to the farm.

Mrs. Pinkert is the former Josephine Rabrook of Falls County, Texas. She married her husband in 1917. The couple has six children, four sons and two daughters. The children include Frank, Henry, Herbert, and Leon all of whom live in the Slaton area; Mrs. Phil Vandenberghe, and Dora Pinkert, both

Mrs. Webber Williams Sr. spent Sunday in Spur visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. F. Campbell.

Mrs. V. P. Williams, Mrs. Claude Keeton of Lubbock and Mrs. C. C. Wicker spent the week end at Possum Kingdom Lake.

of Lubbock.

The family are members of St. Joseph's Catholic Church of Slaton. Leon Pinkert, the youngest son, is a member of the Knights of Columbus. Mrs. Pinkert is a member of the Catholic Daughters.

Two four inch irrigation wells were recently completed and the family hopes to irrigate at least a part of the 400-acres on the farm in the coming year.

Cotton and grain sorghum are the two chief crops. About 24 head of cattle are raised for re-sale and for milking, according to Leon Pinkert.

Clark Self Jr. spent the week end in Seymour visiting his fiancée, Ann Cunningham.

ELECTION ORDER AND NOTICE THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Lubbock

On this the 5th day of March, 1956, the Board of Trustees of Slaton Independent School District convened in Regular session with the following members present, to-wit:

Robert H. Davis, President
Joe S. Walker, Jr. Clark Self
Milton Davis Monroe M. Brieger
J. C. Smith, Jr.

and the following absent: T. C. Reynolds, constituting a quorum and among other proceedings had by said Board of Trustees was the following:

Whereas the term of office of Robert H. Davis and T. C. Reynolds, members of the Board of Trustees of this School District will expire on the first Saturday in April, 1956, said first Saturday being April 7th, 1956, and on said date a trustee election will be held in said School District.

Whereas it is necessary for this Board to pass an order establishing the procedure for filing for and conducting said trustee election

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SLATON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT:

1. That an election be held in said School District on April 7th 1956, for the purpose of electing 2 members to the Board of Trustees of said School District.

2. That all requests by candidates to have their names placed upon the ballot for the above mentioned election shall be in writing and filed with Vera P. Drewry at 136 So. 8th St. Slaton, Texas, not later than March 27th, 1956, at 5 p. m.

3. That said election shall be held at the following place and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers for said election:

At City Hall Building in Slaton, Texas, in said School District, with Chas. H. Whalen as Presiding Judge, and Mrs. W. G. Reese and Mrs. B. A. Hanna, Clerks.

4. The manner of holding said election shall be governed, as near as may be, by the Election Code of this State, and this Board of Trustees will furnish all necessary ballots and other election supplies requisite to said election.

5. Immediately after said election has been held the officers holding the same shall make returns of the results thereof to the Board of Trustees of said School District, and return the ballot box to the Secretary of said Board for safekeeping.

6. The secretary of this Board of Trustees shall forthwith issue a notice of said election by posting copies of this order at three different places within the boundaries of said School District, which posting shall be done not less than ten days prior to the date for said election.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that the same do pass. Thereupon, the question being called for, all the members of the Board voted AYE: No one voted NO.

ROBERT H. DAVIS
President, Board of Trustees

ATTEST:
JOE S. WALKER JR.
Secretary
(Published in The Slaton Slatonite March 16, 1956.)

Cast Chosen for Speech Production

The annual speech play will be held March 30, in the Slaton Senior High Auditorium at 7:30 p. m. The purpose of the play is to make money for the speech department but most of all to entertain the public. Admission will be 25 cents for children and 50 cents for adults and high school students.

"The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come," a delightful play in three acts by Charles George, is based on the novel by John Fox

Junior.
The cast, which was recently released by Mrs. Mary Gilmore, speech instructor, includes Bobby Skoll, Douglas Corley, Betty Johnson, Da Onne Duncan, Medwin Gattis, Sue Corley, John Foster, Peggy Kenney, Viola Waiton, Bobbie Fely, Roland German, Sandra Wells, and Martha Allred. Stage hands are Jackie Shepard and Clark Wood.
—The Tiger's Cage

Mrs. Alvin White and three children of Dimmitt visited Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. W. R. Greer.

First Christian Church Breakfast Has 15 Present

Elmer Wilson cooked breakfast for the 15 men who attended the Men's Breakfast Monday morning at 6:30 in Fellowship Hall of the First Christian Church of Slaton.

The breakfast is held each Monday and visitors are always welcome to attend, according to the Rev. Edwin Gorom, pastor of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Smith and daughter, Nancy, returned home last Friday from a trip to Oklahoma. They attended funeral services for a relative in Tulsa and visited with friends. They visited Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lewellen, in Shidler.

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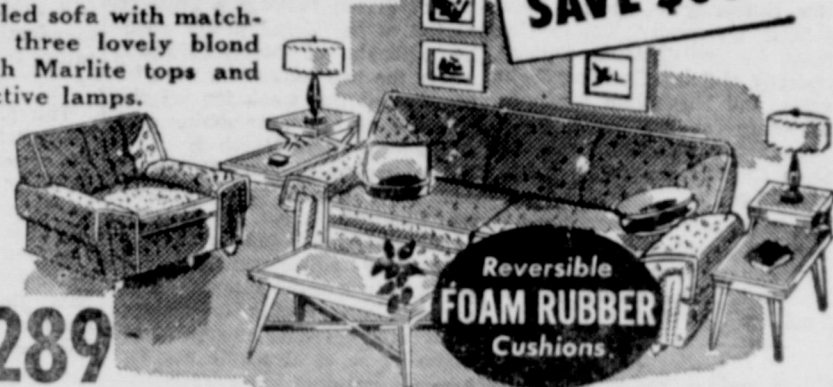
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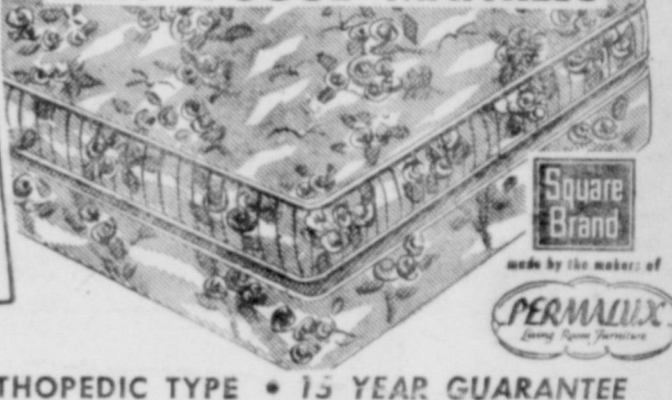


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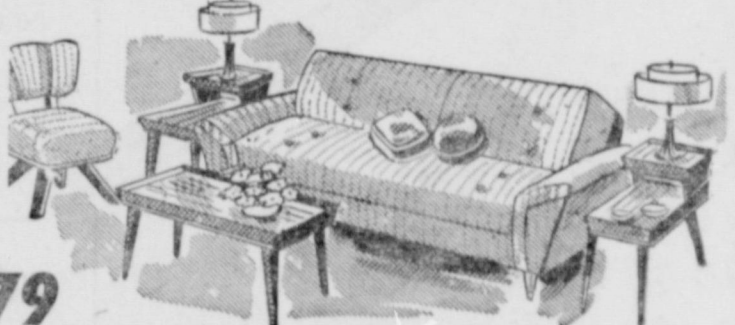


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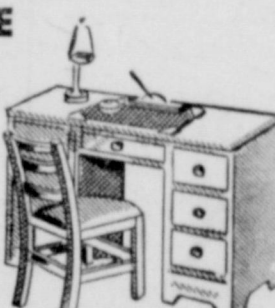
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Visitors in the home of J. C. Foster last Friday were his mother, Mrs. J. C. Foster Sr., his brother, Bernice Foster, and his sisters, Mrs. George Hutchins and Mrs. Elvis Scott, all of Cross Plains.

Slaton's New Head Coach Assumes Duties Here; Names Assistant

Marion Smith, a former all-conference end at West Texas State College was this week named as assistant coach at Slaton High School. Smith will assist Leonard Ehrlers, Slaton High School's new head coach who assumed his duties here last week.

The new assistant will take over line-coach duties when he arrives here in the fall.

Ehrlers reports that the first thing he plans to do in Slaton is get acquainted with the parents of the boys who will comprise the Tiger Squad next year. Along this line he is making plans for a Parents Clinic on March 29.

The new head coach succeeded Homer Tompkins, who has taken assistant coach duties at Cameron, Texas.

His duties at Slaton High include teaching courses in history and physical education as well as his coaching chores. He has a three-year contract with the local school system.

Fall football practice has been set at Slaton beginning August 27 with the first game to be played on September 7.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Chambers and children spent Sunday in Littlefield visiting Mrs. Chambers' sister, Mrs. A. L. Spruill, who has just been dismissed from the hospital following surgery.

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Slaton Youth Wins Debate Honors

Arlie Hoover, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hoover of 850 S. 12th St. was recently selected as the best negative debator on the Florida Christian Junior College Debate Team.

The team is under the direction of Bob F. Owen dean of students at the college.

The team has met such colleges as the University of Florida, Florida State University, Emory University, Abilene Christian College, University of South Carolina, Wake Forest, and Mississippi Southern. All these colleges are four-year colleges or universities except for Florida Christian which is a two-year college.

The team won 10 of 12 debates in a recent tournament and personal honors went to the Slaton youth. Hoover is in his second year at the college.

Slatonite Want Ads get results.

CD of A Organizes Youth Program

Sunday, March 25, at 7:30 p. m., the first meeting of the Catholic Daughters of America youth program will be held at St. Joseph's Hall. This program has been organized by the C. D. of A. and will be sponsored by them.

The parties are to be each second and fourth Sunday nights with at least three couples acting as chaperons. Membership cards are to be mailed to about 120 to 125 youths of this parish, who are in the age limits and are eligible.

Mrs. O. F. Kitten, grand regent of the C. D. of A. No. 1364, reports that each member may bring one guest is, who is 12 years old or older. No admission will be charged and light refreshments will be served each evening.

At the first meeting the young people will choose a name for the organization, which is to be on a trial basis. If successful it will be continued beyond that time.

Games will be played and the young people will be taught square dancing. All who receive membership cards are urged to be present at the first meeting, according to Mrs. Kitten.

Slaton Teen-Agers Suffer Injuries In Auto Accident

Two Slaton teen-agers were reported to be "doing pretty good" by officials of Mercy Hospital where the two youngsters were being treated this week for injuries received in an automobile accident late at night March 8.

The two are Robert Hurst, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Hurst, and Charlotte Bland, 13, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Bland.

Highway police reported that Hurst, driver of the automobile, apparently was unable to make a right hand curve as he approached Slaton about 6 of a mile north of here on an unmarked county road.

The car evidently hit a bar ditch and flipped over.

Local Men Attend Meeting Of Cotton Group

Bill Alspaugh and Carter Caldwell, both of Slaton, attended the organizational meeting of the Plains Cotton Growers Inc. at Lubbock Tuesday night.

The farmers and businessmen who attended were divided into the eight county school districts. The school districts of New Deal, Slaton, Roosevelt, Lubbock, and Cooper each appointed a farmer representative and businessmen's representative.

Alspaugh Selected

Alspaugh was selected to serve as farmer representative from Slaton and will also serve as secretary of this district.

Caldwell will serve as businessmen's representative.

The two men have as their duties locally the collection of dues to the organization and to arrange a local meeting to be held sometime in the future.

W. O. Fortenberry, president of the organization told the group that the two things the organization can do include: the promotion and selling of West Texas Cotton; and try to prevent further cuts in cotton acreage allotments in this area.

The PCG represents this 13 county area, according to Alspaugh and will work toward assisting those in members in this immediate area rather than the state as a whole.

Raising Funds

The plan for raising funds for the operation of the group was also brought out at the meeting Tuesday. Farmer members will be asked to pay 10 cents a bale for cotton they produced in 1955.

Ginner-business members will be requested to pay one cent for each bale ginned during 1955. Other business contributions are to range between \$5 to \$100.

"Local people can make their checks out to Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., and mail them to me at

Slaton Dispatcher Seriously Burned

R. C. Sanner, Slaton Santa Fe Railroad dispatcher, was reported by officials at Mercy Hospital Thursday morning to be resting well though still in serious conditions from burns suffered Wednesday evening.

The Slaton man received burns over about 50 per cent of this body. He was reported to have third degree burns over his hands and arms.

The accident occurred when a can of kerosene Sanner was using to light a trash fire, exploded burning him on the chest, neck, face, hands, and arms.

Sanner's screams were heard by a neighbor, who called an ambulance to take him to the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Faulkner visited last week in Austin with their daughter, Mrs. John Henry, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Schermerhorn of San Angelo spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Elkins.

Bill Meeks of Stratford, Oklahoma spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Edwards.

Billy Dickson spent the week end in Lubbock visiting Gerald Lee Clark. Mrs. Dickson went after him Sunday afternoon.

box 555, Slaton, Texas," Alspaugh said. "I will then forward them to the PCG secretary, R. A. Elms, in Littlefield."

He also invited interested residents, farmers and businessmen to contact him for further information.

Methodist Evening Program Reports 236 Present

The Methodist Evening Fellowship at the First Methodist Church in Slaton had an attendance of 236 Sunday.

At this Sunday's fellowship the High School group will be in charge of entertainment during the supper hour.

"How to Have Family Prayers" will be the subject of the sermon during worship services at 7:45 p. m., according to the Rev. J. B. Sharp, pastor of the church.

"Malachi" will be discussed in "Eight Bible Characters," a class taught by the Rev. H. F. Treptow. "Eight Great Religious Books" taught by Mr. and Mrs. Don Crow will study "The Greatest Thing in the World."

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Sumrall will discuss "Have We Lost the Spiritual Life in Our Home?" in the class they are teaching, "Family Religious Life and Applied Religion."

Mrs. Virgie Hunter's class, "The Best Years of Your Life" will discuss "In the Nineties—What to do—Would You Care to Know?"

"The Life and Teachings of Jesus" a course taught by the Rev. Elmer Crabtree will study "Rewards of the Kingdom."

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Bostick and Elizabeth attended the wedding of Miss Marilyn Simpson and Leon Bostick in Albuquerque, N. Mex. last Saturday night. They spent the night with their son, Clem Bostick, and family and returned home Sunday. Leon is the Bosticks' grandson.

Smith Rites Set Friday at Methodist Church

Funeral services for Louis W. Smith, 69, are scheduled at 2:30 p. m. Friday in the First Methodist Church of Slaton.

Smith, a resident of Slaton for 43 years, died at Mercy hospital Wednesday.

The Rev. Elmer Crabtree, retired pastor, will officiate with the Rev. J. B. Sharp, pastor of the church, and the Rev. J. T. Bolding, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Slaton, assisting.

Burial will be in Englewood under the direction of Williams Funeral Home. Masonic rites will be conducted by the Slaton Masonic Lodge.

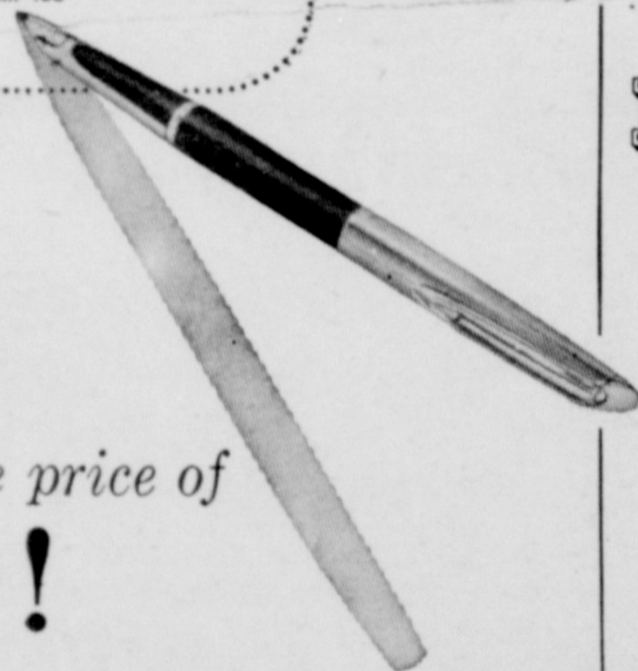
The retired Santa Fe engineer is survived by his wife; a daughter, Mrs. O. J. Afreth of Chappagna, N. Y.; a son, L. W. Jr., Houston; four brothers, Joe H. San Angelo, Edwin, Amarillo, S. P., San Antonio, and Lester, California; two sisters, Mrs. W. C. Buntin, Plainsview, and Mrs. Joe H. McDonald, Amarillo; and three grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carpenter and children spent from Saturday until Monday visiting Mrs. Carpenter's grandparents, the Rev. J. B. Ward, in Hugo, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. O. Bolding, in Leonard. They attended the dedication services of a new Baptist Church in Greenville and visited Mrs. Carpenter's brother, J. T., in Ft. Worth. In Brownwood they visited Mr. Carpenter's brother, W. C. Carpenter, and family.

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Anyone who does not receive an entry blank in the mail can get one from the local dealer, according to Don Crow.

The contest closes April 14 and consists of a jingle which must be completed by the entrant.

"Doc" Crow Chevrolet will forward all entries to the contest judges.

RAINBOW GIRLS SCHEDULE NIGHT OF FUN AT FIESTA

A Mexican Dinner, a floorshow and who could ask for more?

The annual Rainbow Spanish Fiesta will be held tonight, March 16, in the Clubhouse with the same menu being served as in previous years. The meals will be served at 6:30 and 8 p. m. with floorshows each hour.

Program numbers will be a trio by Pam Maxey, Shirley Love and Dorothy Heaton; solos by Betty Fondy and Jeanette Burrell; dances by Paulette Dowell and June and Gayle Johnson; and duets by Eunice Wiley and Pat Schilling. Mrs. R. L. Smith is program chairman.

The proceeds from this fiesta will be used to help send the girls to Grand Assembly in Houston this year. Tickets may be secured for \$1.50 from any Rainbow girl. For those who observe lent, cheese enchiladas will be served.

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They are the men who are called upon to investigate sudden and tragic explosions which maim, dismember, and kill several people each year.

An Example

As an example, last July 21 the 47th Ordnance Detachment of Fort Hood, Texas, was called by the superintendent of a brick company at Elgin, Texas. Two men of the detachment traveled to Elgin, where their investigation revealed that an eight-year-old boy had both feet blown from his legs in an explosion. The boy, Lupe Villarreal, had been playing with three others in the residential compound of the brickyard. They were playing with a "dud," which suddenly exploded with a terrible blast when Lupe hit it with a hammer.

Lost Feet

Little Lupe Villarreal will go through life without feet and part of his legs. But his tragic accident alerted a community to danger in its back yard—and they did something about it.

The explosive ordnance disposal men in the Fourth Army area are sure that death for unsuspecting people lurks in hundreds of places in the Southwest in the form of so-called duds and souvenirs. They can do nothing about it, however, unless the persons who know where the lethal items are located report them to the police, the sheriff's office, civil defense, or the Army itself.



WANTED—London Bobby makes notes on effectiveness of his filter mask, which protects him partially from a smoke-laden fog blanketing the city. Airborne soot particles from uncounted chimneys and fireplaces turn an ordinary pea-soup fog into a poison-bearing, impenetrable pall several times each winter.

Karen Bell of Muleshoe spent the week end visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Bownds. The Bownds took her home Sunday afternoon and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bell. Mrs. Bell and Mrs. Bownds are sisters.

With its 780,000 workers the printing industry ranks ninth among the nation's top 20 manufacturing industries, in total number of employees.

As the printing industry is composed primarily of small business firms, it takes 900 of the nation's largest printeries to account for more than 50 per cent of the industry's sales volume.

Schools Host 1181 Residents During Public Schools Week

Slaton's Public Schools played host to 1181 visitors during the week of March 5-10, designated as Public Schools Week in Texas.

Special assembly programs, exhibits, and radio and television interviews marked the local observance of the special week. Parents were taken on guided tours through the local schools where they saw exhibits and teaching aids as prepared by their youngsters.

One of the highlights of the week was the presentation of an operetta, "Hansel and Gretel," March 6 in the High School Auditorium. The operetta was presented through the cooperation of the music department of West Ward and the elementary Parent-Teacher Association to raise funds for the purchase of stage equipment and stage curtains for the West Ward Auditorium.

About \$50 was raised from the presentation. Along with designated visitation days each school presented some special program in commemoration of the school week observance.

A special assembly program at High School was presented March 7. The program portrayed the growth of education in the Texas Public Schools system.

An assembly centered around the theme of education was presented on March 8 in the Junior High School Auditorium. The program was presented by students in the sixth, seventh, and eighth grades.

Visitors to East Ward found displays of the pupils' work throughout the school. Each room spent the week working on units appropriate to seasonal and community environments.

Evans classes were each working on a different project with the individual students working on related subjects.

Hedges Reports 18 Youngsters Out for Track

Coach Willard Hedges reported this week that 18 boys have gone out for track at Slaton High School. The track team entered its first competition this year when they took part in the Crosbyton Relays Saturday, March 10 at Crosbyton.

Dickie Thomas of Slaton took a third place in the meet. He ran third in the 880-yard dash in 2.9 minutes according to Coach Hedges.

The youngsters will enter the Snyder Canyon Reef Relays this Saturday. Hedges said he expects to take about 10 of his boys to the meet.

Other meets in which the team will compete include the West Texas Relays, Odessa; the Hale Center Relays and the district meet at Lubbock on April 14.

The youngsters and the events they will participate in are Abel Arguello, mile run; Alex Franco, dash; Amon Sparkman, 880-yard mile run; Dickie Thomas, 880-yard dash; Eugene Hopkins, low hurdles; Claude Myers, 220-yard dash;

Lanny Swanner, 440-yard dash; R. C. McCann, 440-yard dash; Pat Adamek, 440-yard; Robert Hurst, sprinter; Donnie Marsh, mile; Billy Caldwell, 88-yard dash; Marvin Self, shot put and discus; Earl Kenney, distance man; Gerald Tucker, distance man; Kenneth Patterson, mile;

Roland Germaif, vaulter; and Tommy McClanahan, vaulter.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bownds spent four days last week visiting Mrs. J. W. Dowell in San Angelo.

ROOM APLENTY

As is generally known, the farm population has been declining while the size of the average farm has been increasing. The agricultural economists seem virtually unanimous in believing that this trend will continue, with fewer farmers and bigger farms.

The reason for it, of course, is the technological revolution that has resulted from mechanization, electrification, and other gigantic forward steps that farming has taken in a comparatively short period of time.

Some people, however, fear that all this progress involves a serious danger—a danger that the family farm may be on the way out, and

that the future of farming lies in huge, corporation-type enterprises.

The weight of evidence is against that view. Modern farming techniques should and do strengthen the family farm. Mechanized equipment, starting with the tractor and going all the way down the long list, is an example. It makes it possible for the small operator to handle a larger acreage and to produce more with less cost and physical effort. Not every farmer, obviously, can individually buy all the machines and attachments that are desired. But groups of farmers, acting cooperatively, can do that—and the cost to each is moderate indeed in the light of the results.



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The Slaton, Tex., Slatonite Friday, March 16, 1956

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Strickland of McGregor spent the week-end visiting friends. They are former residents of Slaton where he was vocational agriculture teacher in the high school.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Bolding went to Greenville Sunday to attend dedication services of a new Baptist church there.

Mrs. T. N. Moorhead and sons, Mike and Gregg, of Big Spring spent Friday night with Mrs. Moorhead's mother, Mrs. Roy Parks, and Mr. Parks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Maxey and Pam spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday in Pampa visiting Mrs. Maxey's father, Dr. Paul Owens, and Mrs. Owens.

Local Furniture Store Owner Attends Meeting

Bland Tomlinson, owner and manager of Home Furniture Co. in Slaton attended the fourth annual Furniture Management Institute in Austin last weekend. Mrs. Tomlinson accompanied her husband.

The institute met from March 5 through the 8th under the joint sponsorship of the Retail Furniture Association of Texas and Division of Extension, University of Texas. About 75 store owners and managers attended the meeting.

Each owner or manager attending the institute took courses in Promotion and Sales Management, Accounting as an Aid to Management, Personnel Training, and Installation Credit Procedures.

Jake Kamin, Houston furniture dealer, who is president of the Texas Retail Furniture Association, told the membership of the state organization that progressive merchants need the help of this training program in order to meet the needs of today's homemakers.

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By Vern Sanford
Texas Press Association
AUSTIN—Gov. Allan Shivers says he prefers his four-point "states rights" program to a fourth term as governor. Therefore he will not be a candidate for public office in 1956.

Thus he will bring to a close, at the end of this year, 20 active years as a public official. With him will go a record of never having been defeated in any election campaign.

But Shivers is not through . . . yet. He has a plan of action "to protect local authority from federal interference." It centers around interposition.

Four steps in his program include (1) a general discussion of interposition; (2) public expression for or against interposition—at precinct, county and state conventions; (3) if approved by party committees, the placing of an interposition proposition on the primary election ballot; and (4) if endorsed by voters, passing of a legislative resolution asking a U. S. Constitutional Amendment to strengthen and clarify local powers.

In announcing his decision not to run again, Shivers defended his administration against those who have attacked it because of veterans land and insurance upheavals.

Faults found in each are being quickly and efficiently corrected, he declared. He predicted that the veterans land program, when completed, will bring the state a \$25,000,000 profit. As to insurance, he said that by May 31 the commission "will have cleaned out every unsound, insolvent or dishonest company that can be closed under the present stringent laws."

Interposition Reaction Varies
Reaction to Governor Shivers' proposed interposition resolution ran the gamut of yes, no and maybe.

Possibilities of a referendum on interposition, on the Democratic primary ballot this summer, now are under study by the party's legal committee. It will be taken up by the full executive committee probably about the middle of March.

Approving the plan were Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd, who de-murred only on the "slowness," Gubernatorial Candidate Reuben Senterfitt; and Dallas members of the Democratic Executive Committee.

More time to study the idea was asked by Reps. J. W. Cooper Jr., and L. DeWitt Hale of Corpus Christi.

It's a "waste of time and energy," said Rep. Barefoot Sanders of Dallas. James P. Hart, a potential candidate for governor, called it "futile and dangerous."

Porter Predicts Victory
Jack Porter, spokesman for Texas' elated Republicans, predicted in Austin speeches that President Eis-

enhower will carry Texas again this year.

National Committeeman Porter said the Republicans also are hopeful of sending a man to the U. S. Senate if Price Daniel resigns to become governor.

His party does not expect to name a full slate of candidates.

"But we have two prospects in sight as a nominee for governor," he said. "And GOP Congressman Bruce Alger of Dallas will be re-elected."

Republican state executive committee members meet in Austin on March 12 to decide whether the party will hold a primary this year. Site for the state convention May 22 will be named at this meeting.

Indictments Handed Out
A. B. Shoemaker, head of US Trust and Guaranty Co. and its affiliates, who tried to kill himself Jan. 7, was indicted by a McLennan Co. grand jury. Indictments charged the sale of certified drafts, without a state license, after the new insurance securities law became effective.

The grand jury report was critical of the insurance commission.

Also indicted and charged with having made unlawful campaign expenditures back in 1954 was Vernon T. Sanford, general manager of the Texas Press Association. He was charged with placing a total of \$76 worth of advertising in Waco newspapers in behalf of Lt. Gov. Ben Ramsey.

Texas Election Laws prohibit an individual from spending more than \$25 in behalf of or against any candidate, or contributing more than \$100 to a candidate's campaign fund.

Sanford places ads for candidates and others, in Texas newspapers, as an agent of TPA. He states that he did not spend any of his own money, or any funds of the Texas Press Association in behalf of Ramsey or any other candidate.

Says TPA President Russell W. Bryant, publisher of the Italy News-Herald, "Charges that Mr. Sanford has violated the Texas election code are ridiculous and without foundation. The entire matter stems from the vindictiveness of a disgruntled, defeated candidate who cannot face the fact that the people of Texas believed him unfit to be lieutenant governor."

TPA Directors, meeting in a special session, adopted a resolution expressing complete confidence in Sanford and commending him "for the manner in which he has and is executing the affairs of our association."

Short Shorts
TEXAS MILITARY DISTRICT announces an increased number of beginning spaces in the Army Medical residency training program will be available July 1. Eligible are reserve Medical Corps officers not on active duty who have had six months or more duty in tactical units as medical corps officers.

DR. RALPH T. GREEN, chairman of Baylor University's economics department, has been appointed executive director of the State Commission on Higher Education. DEADLINE for 1956 auto inspections is April 15. Col. Homer Garrison, public safety director, says that 2,000,000 Texas auto owners have not yet taken their cars to licensed inspection stations for safety checks.

PRESSURE continues to mount urging Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd to remain in public office. Shepperd's mail has been exceptionally heavy. Latest newspaper to come out editorially for Shepperd is the Kilgore News Herald. The newspaper urged citizens to "insist that he continue his courageous and effective public service." Shepperd still is mum on his personal plans and many close friends say he is dropping out of public office.

Principal Releases Wilson Elementary Honor Roll List

L. G. Fuller, principal of the Wilson Elementary School, this week, released the names of the 42 honor roll students for the past school term. The students include:

SIXTH—Nancy Foster, Vondal Rinne, Junior Hewlett, Jerry Hutcheson, Larry Petty, Larry Spears.

FIFTH—Billy Hatchell, Sandra Lumsden.

FOURTH—Delphine Menzer, Ted Bartley, Tommy Swann, Lynda Heck, Janet Gindorf, Claudia Stoker, Elizabeth Christopher, Valton Maeker.

THIRD—Lee Gillentine, Delbert McCleskey, Joe Mason, Kathy Cummings, Jane Stoker, Loyce Baker, Janis Maeker, Antonia Villarreal, Charlotte Mears, Mike Holder.

SECOND—Judy Elmore, Judy Reed, Vickie Young, Joe Rodriguez, Sue Hewlett, Ralph Velasquez, Dolores Neva, Moses Vaca.

FIRST—Karen Sue Swann, Elida Valdez, Raeland Cook, Cristi McCormick, Gilbert Munoz, Joe Morales, Jesusa Villarreal, Martha Balderoz.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Murphy and boys spent Sunday in Hobbs, N. Mex. visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Goodrum and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gravel and children spent the week-end in San Angelo.

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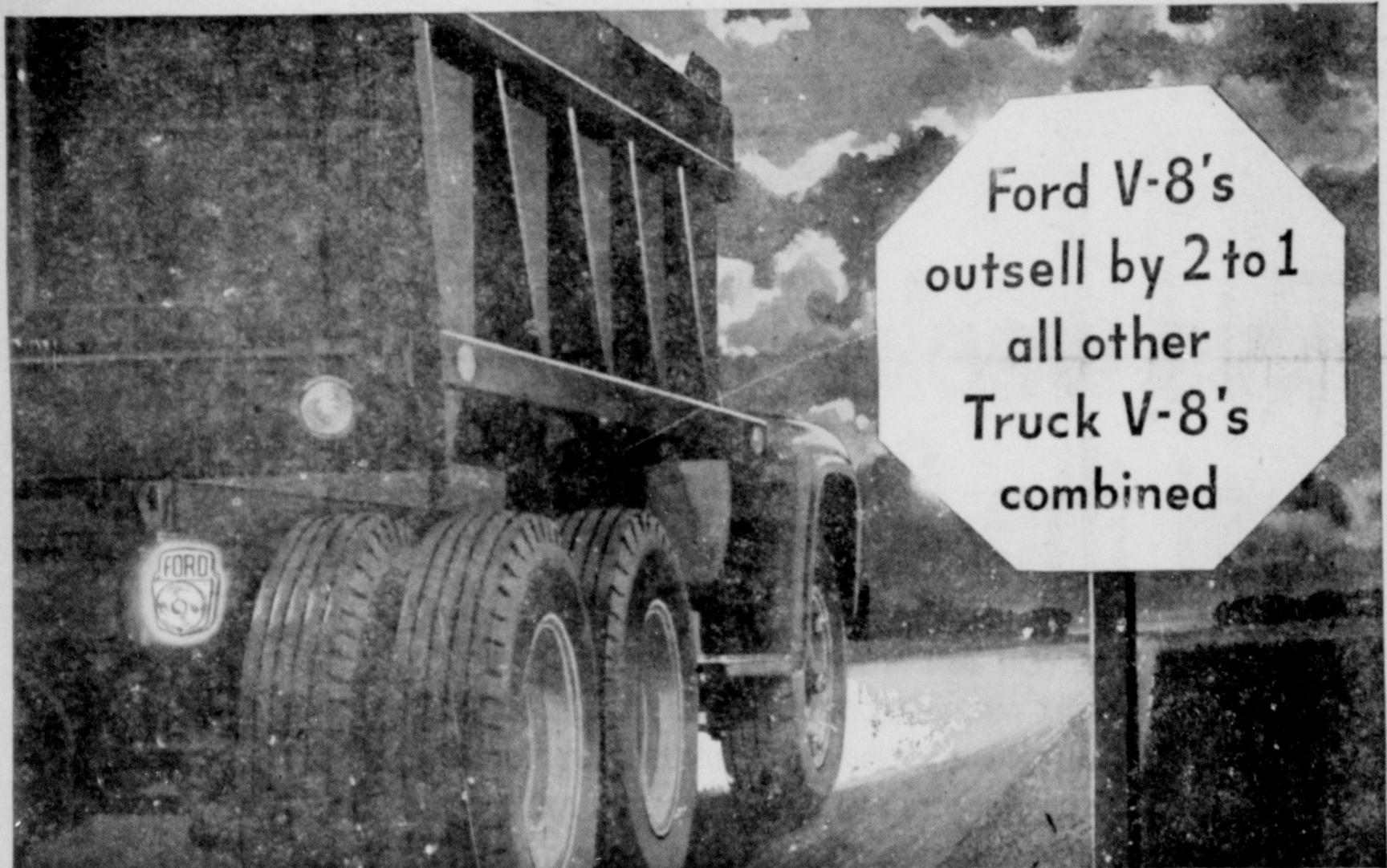
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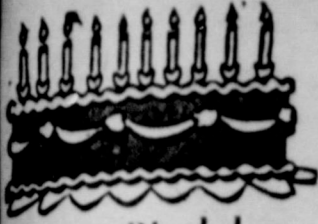
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Jonell Lamb, who attends McMurry College in Abilene, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Lamb.

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Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Tudor visited Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hubbard in San Angelo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Legg returned Saturday from the valley where they have been for several weeks.

Five Years Ago in Slaton
Taken From March 16, 1951
Mr. and Mrs. Al Romines went to Plainview Sunday to bring their son, Kenneth, home. He has been visiting his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Griffith returned March 3 from a trip to Oklahoma City, where they attended the general store convention of C. R. Anthony's stores.

Guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Arrants this week are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Arrants and son, Tommy, from Charleston, Tenn.

Gerald Stokes, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Stokes, and Durwood Crawford, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crawford, left last Sunday for Lackland Air Force Base, where they will receive their basic training.

Mrs. Bland Tomlinson entertained her daughter, Irene, with a party on her tenth birthday March 12. Twelve guests were present.

Mrs. B. H. Guest, who underwent major surgery in Lubbock Memorial Hospital last week, is improving.

The Mes Amies Club, which was

recently organized, met in the home of Mrs. Ed Caldwell Thursday afternoon. The afternoon was spent playing canasta.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hestand have returned from Dallas where they attended the wedding of their granddaughter, Miss Joan Stokes. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Van Stokes, formerly of Slaton.

Ten Years Ago in Slaton
Taken From March 15, 1946
Betty Dickson went to Lamesa last night where she was a representative of Slaton in an oratorical contest sponsored by the American Legion post of Lubbock.

Dr. and Mrs. Elbert Loveless, formerly of Slaton, are now in Wichita, Kan. He is on terminal leave and is doing "refresher" work at County Hospital.

Tommie Karen McCall was entertained by her mother, Mrs. T. C. McCall, with a party on her fourth birthday March 12. Twenty-three guests attended.

R. W. Cudd of the Cudd Implement Co., is ill in the hospital. He has pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl D. Eblen and Robert Green went to the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. Alan Lynch and their daughter, Cynthia, from San Francisco, are visiting Mrs. Lynch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Edmondson.

Sgt. Charles L. Reese is visiting his mother this week. He will report for duty with the army next week in North Carolina.

J. C. Pair received his discharge March 8 at Ft. Bliss after serving 14 months overseas. After a short vacation he and his family will be at home in Canadian.

Soil Conservation Board to Submit Sherrill for Award

Lubbock County Soil Conservation District Board of Supervisors unanimously voted to submit the name of Lubbock County Agent D. W. Sherrill to the nominations committee for the Hoblitzelle Awards Program of the Texas Research Foundation.

The state winner of the awards program will receive \$5,000, and the board expressed high hopes for Sherrill's possibilities in the contest. Judging will be on the basis of a non-farmer who has contributed most to the advancement of agriculture, especially during the past three years.

Agreement Signed
Agreements were signed for soil conservation practices to be applied on 1632 acres of land at the

regular monthly meeting of the Board of Supervisors March 8.

New district cooperators, who are owners of the land represented include O. O. Mabry, M. B. Benton, Ivor L. Jones, Leo B. Kitten, James D. Hampton, H. C. Gouddy, George Sooter, and J. B. Robbins.

Applications for Arizona Cypress trees under the district's windbreak assistance on farms program were granted George Hindman, Mrs. Adele Cook, Reo M. Ragan, Allen L. Meurer, and B. T. Rucker.

Nomination Considered
Nominations for Fort Worth Press Awards Program were further considered and Frank Gray announced that these nominations, along with the winners of the district's essay contest will be announced around March 15th.

Gray stated however, that the prizes to district winners would not be awarded until "Soil Stewardship Week," May 6-13, 1956, when special recognition programs will be held.

The board also reviewed its an-

Car Inspections Are Reported Behind Schedule

Safety inspections of the nearly 4,000,000 motor vehicles registered in Texas is "falling seriously behind schedule" with the official

annual report. Copies of this report have been mailed to every farm owner in Lubbock County. Additional copies are available to all requesting them according to Gray.

Members Present
Three of the five board members were present for the meeting. In addition to Gray, Edwin Merrell and John Pugh attended. Others present were County Agent Sherrill, SCS Technician Ronald Bailey, Jack Creel, and Mrs. Alton Strickland, District Business Manager.

deadline only six weeks away.

This was reported today by the Highway Safety Council of Texas after a spot check of authorized inspection stations for the week ending March 3.

Executive Director G. C. Morris of the Council said that inspections had "held to a satisfactory pace until January, but inspection stations—particularly in metropolitan areas—report that the required safety checks have been falling seriously behind schedule during the past six weeks."

"In some areas," Morris reported, "motorists seem to have forgotten about inspections altogether and activity has come to a standstill."

Deadline for the inspection of vehicles registered in Texas is April 15.

The Rev. J. B. Sharp attended the Wilson Lectures at McMurry College in Abilene on Thursday of last week.

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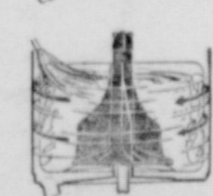
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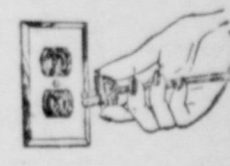


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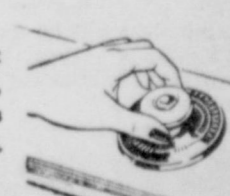
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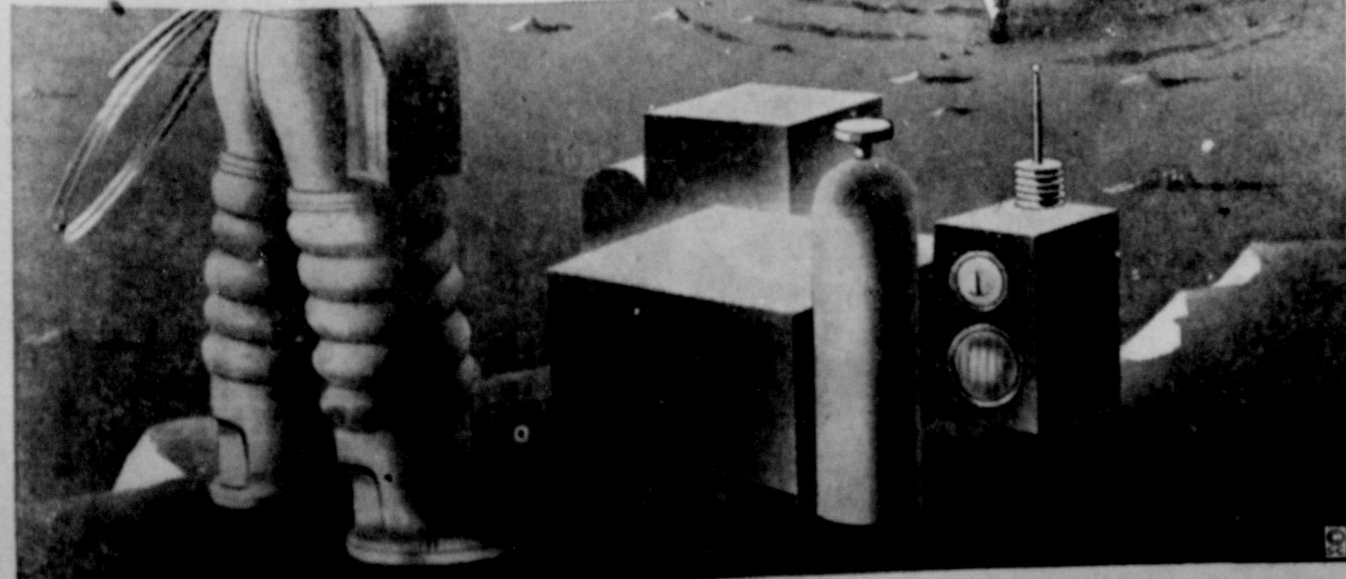
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Donations

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munity Fund during the drive last week for which food and supplies were bought for the needy families of Slaton and its surrounding community follows: Of the \$145 donated, \$123.45 was spent for food, etc. leaving a balance on hand of \$21.55 which will be used at a later date.

The following persons and business firms donated to the drive: Mrs. Lee Peeble, \$3; anonymous, \$10; Stinson Behlen, \$1; DeLeon Barber Shop, \$1; Forrest Foundation, \$25; J. L. Parks, \$1; Slaton Farm Store, \$5; Charles L. Smith, \$2; Alex Webb, \$2;

Lois Draper, \$1; Walton Drug, \$2.50; Fred H. Schmidt, \$5; Champion Jewelry, \$5; B. C. Welch, \$2.50; Charlie Walton, \$2; Browning and Marriott, \$3; Bain Auto Store, \$2;

More Donations
Oran McWilliams, \$2; O. D. Kenney, \$10; Mosser Radio Shop, \$1; Fondy Shoe Shop, \$1; Mrs. Travis Reynolds, \$1; Dr. Joe H. Brewer, \$2; Quality Cleaners, \$2; J. H. Brewer, \$2; Mrs. Bobbie Taylor, \$1; C. H. Anthony Co., \$5; Mrs. Frank Lawrence, \$1; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Reynolds, \$5; Home Furniture Co., \$10; R. R. Gentry, \$2; Pioneer Natural Gas Co., \$5;

Self Service Station, \$5; Slaton Steam Laundry, \$2; Southwestern Public Service Co., \$5; Slaton Pharmacy, \$5; and Thompson Furniture, \$5.

Clubhouse Rules

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The rules as they were approved at the citizen's meeting Tuesday night are as follows:

1. Post the hours that the custodian is on duty in the club house or on the grounds in or around the County Park in Slaton.

2. Post the hours that the club house can be used—the club house will be available from 8 a. m. to 10 (10 p. m.), to midnight by special arrangement.

3. When an individual or representative of a group asks for a club house reservation and this reservation time is taken, the custodian shall inform said individual who has reserved the club house for that date and time. Thus, if the second party cares to do so, they may ask the first party to inform them if they cancel their reservation.

4. That the club house can be used for card parties of no less than 8 tables upon the condition that there shall be no wagering or betting of any money at any card games in this building.

5. The building must be cleaned immediately after using. Dishes, glassware, and all cooking utensils must be washed and placed exactly as found. Clean the stove, refrigerator, sink and cabinets as you would in your own home. Garbage must be removed from the building and put into garbage containers outside the building. If you plan to hire a janitor, arrangements must be made with the custodian.

6. If you plan to decorate the club house at a time different than your reservation time, permission must be obtained from the custodian as another group may have the club house when you plan to decorate or remove decorations.

7. Do not come into the building until your reservation time starts—you must be out of the building when your reservation time is up.

8. The club house cannot be reserved or used by any commercial parties wherein advertising or selling of a product is the purpose of the meeting, or for dancing.

9. No furniture or equipment belonging to the club house can leave the building.

10. A fee of \$5.00 for Saturday afternoon, \$10.00 for Sunday and \$3.50 for use of the club house after 10:00 p. m., but not later than 12, midnight will be charged.

11. It is strictly against the regulations to mar or deface the building in any way.

In the printing industry about 82 per cent of all printed matter is done by letterpress, 13 per cent by offset lithography, and 5 per cent by gravure. Silk screen printing is a rapidly growing process.

The annual Texas Safety Conference, which includes a section on farm and ranch safety, will be held in Dallas at the Baker Hotel on March 26-27. The farm and ranch section meeting is set for 2 p. m. on the 26th. The safety record of agriculture needs a lot of improving and attendance at this meeting can help.

4-H club work is the youth part of Agricultural Extension Service's educational programs. 4-H club members learn to do by doing and their classrooms are the farms, ranches and homes of Texas.

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BETTY JO FONDY AND WILLIAM B. BROWN TO MARRY MAY 30

Mr. Joe Fondy, 310 W. Dickens, is announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of his daughter, Miss Betty Jo Fondy, to William Buford Brown of Slaton, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brown, Syl-vester, Texas.

The ceremony will be read in the First Methodist Church Chapel on May 30, at 6 p. m., with the Rev. J. B. Sharp officiating.

Miss Fondy is a graduating senior in Slaton High School. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Sylvester High School and following two years in the U. S. Navy he is now employed by the Santa Fe Railway Co.



Betty Jo Fondy

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Elkins and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rust visited recently with the Mel Thurmans at their cabin on the lake near Abilene.

HAWAIIAN PROGRAM PRESENTED AT SLATON GARDEN CLUB MEET

Slaton Garden Club met Wednesday, March 7, in the home of Mrs. H. T. Swanner with Mrs. V. G. Browning and Mrs. J. D. Holt as co-hostesses.

Mrs. W. B. Williams assisted by a guest, Mrs. Jim Barton of Amarillo, presented a program which featured Hawaii. Mrs. Williams made a trip to Hawaii last year and Mrs. Barton was recent resident of eight months there.

Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Swanner, Mrs. Barton, Mrs. Francis Perry and another guest, Mrs. O. Z. Ball modeled native clothes purchased in Hawaii. They included the teatimer, sarong, mumuus, holomuus and coolie suits.

Movies and Dances

Movies made by Mrs. Williams were shown and she also told of interesting experiences she had while on the islands and enroute. Mrs. Barton entertained with several hula dances. She made a study of the dances while living in Hawaii.

A floral arrangement of pink geraniums in a brass container was presented by Mrs. S. G. Wilson.

A refreshment plate was served during the social hour and favors were baby orchids Mrs. Williams had ordered from Hilo, Hawaii.

Officers Elected

A short business meeting was held at which time the following officers were elected for the ensuing two years: Mrs. A. M. Jackson, president; Mrs. E. R. Legg, 1st vice president; Mrs. H. G. Stokes, 2nd vice president; Mrs. Browning, secretary; Mrs. Jack Nowlin, treasurer; Mrs. Clifford Young, parliamentarian; Mrs. Holt, historian; Mrs. Holt, librarian; and reporter, Mrs. Perry.

Those attending were Mesdames F. A. Drewry, Young, Bruce Pemberton, Jackson, Nowlin, J. S. Edwards Jr., Troy Pickens, Wilson, Legg, Perry, Swanner, Williams, the guests, Mrs. Ball, Mrs. Barton, Mrs. Wade Thompson, Mrs. C. D. Marriott and the hostesses.

The Slaton Slatonite Society Clubs

Mrs. J. J. Maxey, Society Editor

Phone 200

The Slaton, Tex., Slatonite

Friday, March 16, 1956

Spiritual Classics Study Continued By WSCS Monday

For the second study from "Five Spiritual Classics," the WSCS of the First Methodist Church met in the chapel Monday, March 12, with Mrs. A. C. Burk, vice president, conducting the short business meeting.

Mrs. J. H. Brewer was program leader for this lesson from "Imitation of Christ" with Psalms 43:3 as a basis. Mrs. F. L. Elterman sang verses of "Oh Love! How Deep, How Broad, How Bright," between each of the program parts presented by Mrs. Brewer, Mrs. A. E. Whitehead, Mrs. R. H. Todd Sr., Mrs. Calvin Lamb and Mrs. M. L. German.

A devotion on prayer was brought by Mrs. A. C. Burk. Mrs. Don Crow spoke on the authorship of the study, "Imitation of Christ." Closing prayer was by the Rev. J. B. Sharp.

Mrs. J. E. Patterson, Jeanetta Patterson and Dale Bumgardner of Big Spring visited recently with Mrs. W. T. Boatwright. Mrs. Patterson is Mrs. Boatwright's daughter.

Mrs. H. C. Gordon of Burleson visited last week with her daughter, Mrs. S. W. Clark, and family. They both visited in Post with Mrs. Gordon's daughter, Mrs. W. L. Porterfield, and family.

JOYCE VOIGT CANDIDATE FOR 'NURSE OF YEAR' IN GALVESTON

A Slaton girl, Miss Joyce Voigt, was honored recently when she was selected as a candidate for the "Nurse of the Year" honors from the University of Texas Medical Branch School of Nursing at Galveston. Winner of the honor is to be announced later.

Joyce and three others were selected by the process of elimination by the students of this school and St. Mary's School of Nursing. Candidates must measure up to rigorous qualifications. She must be skilled in inter-personal relationship and communication, possess a high sense of moral, spiritual and esthetic values, be competent, have sufficient practice to assure safe performance and participate in social activities.

Joyce is a graduate of Slaton High School where she was a student council representative and president and vice president of the Future Homemakers of America club. She attended the FHA convention during her junior and senior years.

She acted in plays, was a member of the assembly program committee and belonged to a social club.

During the two years she attended Texas Tech she was active in campus activities.

At the nursing school, she is president of the senior class, historical reporter, chairman of the



Miss Joyce Voigt

Handbook revisions committee and a member of the Regional Budget committee.

Her classmates hail her as a "thorough and earnest worker and the patients love her." Joyce is the daughter of Mrs. Ben Catching of 355 W. Panhandle.

Berry Home Scene T. E. L. Luncheon Thursday Noon

A covered dish luncheon and monthly business meeting was given in the Dudley Berry home Thursday, March 8, with Mrs. Berry as hostess to the T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. E. M. Lott, president, presided over the meeting. The devotion, based on the 46th Psalm, was brought by Mrs. J. R. Robertson. Prayer was led by Mrs. L. T. Arthur.

The closing prayer was led by Mrs. Effie Privett. Twelve members and nine visitors were present.

Legionnaires Have Annual Birthday Dinner Monday

Complimenting the American Legion on their 37th birthday, the annual birthday party and buffet dinner was given with the Auxiliary as hostesses Monday evening, March 12. About 75 to 80 person attended this meeting held in the Clubhouse.

Commander Howard Carlson cut the birthday cake. Highlight of the evening was a talk by Thomas Clinton, past commander of Lubbock. Others on program were Tracy Crawford, who gave his prize winning oration, and Mrs. Virgie Hunter, in her impersonation of Minnie Pearl.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Mike Fry, district auxiliary president, of Lubbock; District Legion Commander Liner of Seminole; Mrs. Cline, president Lubbock auxiliary and eight members from this organization; and Post Commander Head of Lubbock and five Lubbock Legionnaires.

STANLEY-ASH WEDDING DATE IS MARCH 24

Announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Minnie Lou, to Johnny Ray Ash of Slaton is being made by Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Stanley, Rt. 2, Tahoka. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ash of Desdemona, Texas.

The ceremony will be read at 7 p. m., Saturday, March 24, in the Grassland Church of Christ.

Miss Stanley is a graduate of Tahoka High School and Abilene Christian College. She is teaching fifth grade at West Ward in Slaton. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Desdemona High School and Ranger Junior College. He is an employee of the Santa Fe Railway Co.

Casey Walling spent the week in Dublin visiting friends. J. B. Butler and S. O. Henry are in Georgia to get a load of granite.



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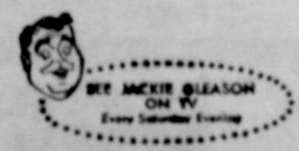
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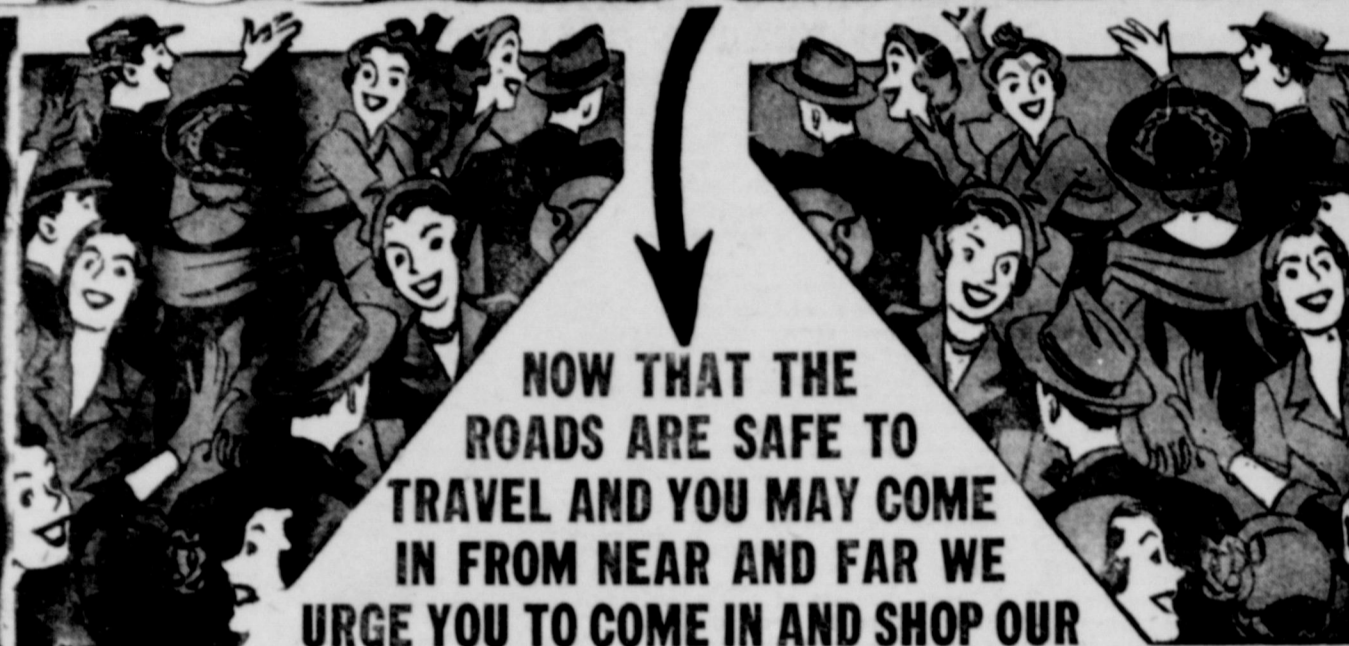
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MEN'S DRESS HATS Bankrupt Sale Priced at	\$1.55	FINE QUALITY SHEETS Size 81 x 99, Sacrificed at	\$1.44	BOYS' SPORT COATS Reduced to Go, as Low as	\$2.44	BOYS' WESTERN HATS Sacrificed Now at This Low	99^c

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GREATEST SALE IN SLATON

SLATON'S GREATEST EVENT

The Slaton, Tex., Slatonite Friday, March 16, 1956

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis and children spent the week end in Hidalgo, N. Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. Estel Ham and Mrs. Gladys White spent the week end in Lovington visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ehrbridge and children. Mrs. Ehrbridge is the daughter of the Hams.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Green and son, Roy Clay, visited in Plainview last Sunday with Mr. Green's brother, James Green, and family.

Mrs. E. R. Legg and her nephew, Jed Robinson Jr. spent Sunday in San Angelo visiting another nephew, Lerue Robinson, Mrs. Robinson and new baby.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Cole last Sunday were Mrs. Cole's mother, Mrs. J. W. Dixon, and her brother, Bill Dixon, and family of Post.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Cagle of Jayton visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cagle and Susan. Mrs. M. E. Cagle has been confined to her home with pneumonia.

Rotary Club Has Hawaiian Program At Thursday Meet

Mrs. Webber Williams showed the Rotary Club movies, taken on her recent trip to Hawaii, at the luncheon meeting of the club on Thursday of last week. She also narrated the films as they were shown.

Three Hawaiian dances were also presented by Mrs. Jimmie Barton of Amarillo. She is the former Shirley Ball, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Ball of Slaton.

A song in keeping with the Hawaiian theme was presented by Mrs. M. G. Davis.

Mrs. O. Z. Ball, Mrs. Barton, Mrs. Williams, and Mrs. Davis all wore authentic costumes to further carry out the Hawaiian motif.

Last Rites Held For Mrs. Yates

Funeral services were held Wednesday at the First Baptist Church of Slaton for Mrs. Charles B. Yates, 62, who died Tuesday in Mercy Hospital.

Services were conducted by the Rev. J. T. Bolding, pastor of the church at 3 p. m. Burial was in Englewood Cemetery under the direction of Williams Funeral Home of Slaton.

A pioneer resident of the community, Mrs. Yates had lived here with her husband for 44 years. He is constable of Precinct 2 and has been a police officer here during most of the time the couple has lived here.

She is survived by her husband; three daughters, Mrs. Frances Baught, Houston; Mrs. Corene Harvey, Lubbock; and Mrs. Leona Burleson, Slaton; one son, C. D. of Houston; three sisters, Mrs. Edna Brooks, Houston; Mrs. Jewel Hallan, Ft. Worth; and Mrs. Katie Standefer, Lamesa; a brother, Jesse Brasfield, Slaton; 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Mrs. B. B. Clark and Mrs. J. B. Clark attended the Associational Sunday School Meeting at the Trinity Baptist Church in Lubbock Monday night.



TEXAS PRESS MANAGER HONORED—Brig. Gen. Lewis S. Griffing, Chief of the Texas Military District, is pictured here as he presents a U. S. Army Certificate of Achievement to Vernon T. Sanford, general manager of the Texas Press Association. Lt. Gen. J. H. Collier, Commanding General of the Fourth Army at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, signed the Certificate. It was presented in the office of General Griffing, in Austin. Among those present were Col. Thomas C. Green, TMD Executive Officer; Col. David F. Brown, Senior Army Advisor for Texas Reserves; and Charles A. Green, editor of the Austin American-Statesman. Sanford was honored for contributing his own time and effort to a publicity campaign promoting U. S. Army Reserve Day in Texas. Said General Griffing: "Mr. Sanford has greatly strengthened relations between the United States Army and newspaper publishers in the State of Texas. He has contributed significantly to the Army Reserve Program and the National Defense Effort."



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C. & W. Announces Winners in Contest To Name "Cute Kid"

Mrs. D. B. Johnson won a 16 x 20 inch brush oil portrait of her four year old daughter, Christie, in "The Cute Kid Contest" held at C. & W. Furniture and Appliance Store in Slaton. The first place oil portrait is valued at \$100.

Second prize, consisting of an 11 x 14 oil portrait went to A. J. Hoover. The second prize is valued at \$20.

A \$12, 8 x 10 oil portrait went to Ray Miller for third prize.

Mrs. J. W. Martindale won the fourth prize which consisted of an \$8, 8 x 10 sepia portrait.

Fifth prize, consisting of a \$7, 8 x 10 black and white portrait was presented to Mrs. W. J. Starks.

A few calendars and pictures haven't been picked up by the mothers of the children whose pictures were taken, according to Charlie Smith at C. & W. Furniture.

Landle Grigsby spent the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Grigsby. He attends ACC in Abilene. Also visiting in their home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Barnards of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Dowell and Paulette and Sharon Boyd will spend this week end in Altus, Okla. visiting Lt. and Mrs. Thomas L. Hodges and baby. Mrs. Hodges is the daughter of the Dowells.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Weaver and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tidwell attended a Westerners Square Dance in San Angelo last Saturday night.

Monday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Clark were Mr. Clark's mother, Mrs. Carl Clark, and two sisters, Mrs. Harold Voss and Miss Thelma Clark, all of Post.

Mrs. Wayne Lamb spent from Wednesday of last week until Sunday in Waynoka, Okla. visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Young. The Youngs had been visiting in Slaton and she went home with them.

Dr. and Mrs. Richard Vardy of Ft. Worth visited last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Vardy and Mrs. J. E. Farley. Also visiting during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Richardson of Dallas.

Carol Jean Cartwright accompanied her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Kitchens, of Hereford to Crane last week end to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Kitchens.

Mrs. Ava Gibbs of Oelwein, Iowa visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Collins. Mrs. Collins is Mrs. Gibbs' niece.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clodfelter and children attended funeral services for Mrs. Clodfelter's grandfather, T. N. Baxter, in Tulla last Friday.

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Over in Europe, they go further. Vienna offers a five-minute fairy tale for kids. In Switzerland you can get the news in any of three languages. And a couple of places have "talking menus" for desperate housewives.

From where I sit, it doesn't matter if ideas are put out by telephone, through editorials, or in person—as long as we can take them or leave them. I happen to like a glass of beer with my supper. You may prefer coffee, tea or branch water. Well, there's no harm in "listening" to another's opinions... but if he should try to force them on you, it's always an American's privilege to simply "hang up!"

Joe Marsh

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BIG UNDERTAKING NEARLY COMPLETED—Mrs. J. E. Gray is shown above as she is making a cutwork linen table cloth. This project, started several years ago, is near completion. According to Mrs. Gray, about the only time she works on the cloth now is during TV commercials.

Slaton Women Give Their Favorite Tested Recipes

A Strawberry Pie that is easily prepared and real, real good may be had by using this recipe given by Mrs. J. E. Gray as the recipe of the week.

Strawberry Icebox Pie
20 marshmallows
1 box frozen strawberries
1 cup whipping cream

Vanilla wafer or graham cracker crust.
Method: Place marshmallows in top of double boiler and melt. Stir in partially thawed strawberries and cool in refrigerator. Whip cream and fold into other mixture. Place in crumb crust and chill be-

fore serving. This makes 1 thick pie.

Reared at Texon
Mrs. Gray, who was Faye Bowen before her marriage, was reared at Texon, a small town 86 miles west of San Angelo and went to Reagan High School, a consolidated school near Texon. This is where she met her husband. The first time Mr. Gray saw his wife they were playing baseball and he tells her she couldn't bat worth a "hoot."

The couple were married in 1941 and moved to Slaton in November of 1945. They have always been interested in all types of sports and Faye laughingly says they have spent their married life either on the way to a ballgame, at a ballgame or on the way home from a ballgame.

At the present Faye is learning to play golf and has fun at that for a hobby. They love to play miniature golf and to bowl. Last year Jay worked with the Dodgers in the local Little League as manager. Faye says they have especially looked forward to the boys' visits this winter.

Works in Church

The Grays are charter members of the Westview Baptist Church. They are active members and work in the same department of Sunday School. Faye is a teacher of the 13 year old girls' class in the Intermediate department and Jay is superintendent of this department.

She is secretary and treasurer of the WMS and a group captain in training union. In her spare time she likes to sew, although she doesn't sew as much as she has in the past.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sain and Kay spent Saturday night and Sunday in Amarillo visiting the Sains' daughter, Mrs. L. D. Splawn, and family. Mrs. Splawn and the children returned home with them for a visit.

Society

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INVESTITURE CEREMONY HELD BY GIRL SCOUT TROOP 6 THURSDAY

As the girls of Girl Scout Troop 6 formed a semi-circle around a candle-light table, Mrs. W. L. Roche gave a brief history of Girl Scouting at the Investiture Ceremony held by this troop Thursday, March 8, at the Scout Hall.

The girls gave the Girl Scout slogan, motto and laws. Melva Wall, Majorie Baxley and Carolyn Newcomb gave the Girl Scout promise and received their G. S. pins from Mrs. Alton Meeks.

Melva Wall also received her Brownie Wings. Mrs. Meeks explained the meaning of each of the insignia and where they are to be worn on the uniform.

"Lily of the Valley" had been selected by the girls as their troop crest and each girl received a crest and membership stars. These stars are given for each year of scouting completed.

Those receiving three stars were Nancy Nell Anderson, Janet Martin, Rena McCann, Margaret Meeks, Areta Privett, Nancy Rakes and Yundie Roche. Melva Wall received two stars and Carol Jean Richmond is entitled to two stars but was not present to receive them.

Ten mothers, three fathers and several brothers were present for the service.

At the regular meeting Thursday afternoon, the girls cleaned the hall and practiced for the program. Janet Martin, hostess, served

Local Women to Attend Conference Guild Meeting

Mrs. Ray Conner, president of the local Wesleyan Service Guild, and Mrs. F. A. Drewry are planning to attend the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference Wesleyan Service Guild meeting in Lubbock March 17-18 at the First Methodist Church.

Major item of business will be the election of new officers Sunday morning. Miss Dorothy Little, deaconess in charge of Houchen Settlement and Day Nursery, El Paso, and Mrs. Harold Soulen of Hutchinson, Kan., vice president of South Central Jurisdiction Methodist WSCS, will be the featured speakers.

Miss Little will show slides following the Saturday evening session and will speak on "Outstretched Hands" Sunday morning. Mrs. Soulen will speak Saturday night and Sunday afternoon.

Registration will begin at 3 p. m. Saturday. Mrs. Conner says they expect more to attend from Slaton, especially on Sunday.

cokes, fudge and divinity candy. Mrs. B. C. Martin was a visitor. Mrs. Alton Meeks and Mrs. W. L. Roche are leaders.

GRACE MISSION WORKERS LESSON ON HOLY SPIRIT

Grace Mission Workers of the Grace Lutheran Church met at the Parish Hall Thursday evening, March 8, for their monthly meeting.

The meeting was opened with a hymn "God Will Take Care of You." The devotion was given by Mrs. Robert Schneider. "God and the Holy Spirit" was the topic for the Bible study given by Mrs. Elsie Camden. Mrs. Wallace Becker brought a topic also.

Following a closing prayer and a business meeting, refreshments were served to 19 members and the pastor, the Rev. H. F. Treptow. Hostesses were Mrs. Arthur Stolle and Mrs. Walter Stolle.

RAINBOWS MEET MONDAY NIGHT

Monday, March 12, Order of the Rainbow for Girls met in the Masonic Hall for a regular meeting. Patsy Hogue presided.

Jack Smith was elected as Rainbow "Dad." The girls voted to attend the First Methodist Church April 8 to observe the anniversary of their organization. Plans were also discussed for the fiesta, which is sponsored each year by the Eastern Star with money being used to send the girls to Grand Assembly.

At the next meeting on March 26, Mrs. A. J. Tinnin of Ralls, Grand Visitor, will be present. There will be an initiation ceremony also. Mrs. W. R. Lovett announces a practice period at 9:30 a. m. Saturday, March 24.

Mrs. Wayne Lamb Honored With Birthday Dinner

A surprise birthday dinner was given complimenting Mrs. Wayne Lamb Wednesday March 7, in the home of Mrs. B. W. Jones with Mrs. Jones, her daughter, Dorothy, and her niece, Meddy, as hostesses.

Guests were the honoree and her husband, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Young of Waynoka, Okla., her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Ricker, an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Ricker, Jerry and Judy and Miss Kay Woodie, all of Lubbock, her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Collins Jr. and Shelley of Floydada.

WORK ON EASTER BASKETS BEGUN BY TROOP 9

Brownie Troop 9, sponsored by the Slatonite, met Thursday, March 8, at the Girl Scout House. The girls started making Easter baskets that they will work on for the next two weeks.

Those attending were Betty Ann Bridges, Joan Claiborne, Judy Dawson, Shirley Hodges, Nancy McSween, Patricia Rackler, Deborah Scott, Cindy Sherwood, Cindy Spikes, Carol Ann Todd, Kay Simmons, Kay Tomlinson and Nancy Lou Walton.

The leaders are Mrs. Kenneth Rackler and Mrs. R. G. Hodges.

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P-TA Elects New Officers March 6

West Ward Parent-Teacher Association met Tuesday, March 6, in the High school library preceding the opera for a short business session and election of officers. Mrs. G. W. Privett, president, presided.

New officers elected were Mrs. R. E. Ayers, president; Mrs. Cecil Scott, 1st vice president; Mrs. H. B. Banks, 2nd vice president; Mrs. R. W. Coffee, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Roy Saage, recording secretary; and Mrs. John E. Morris, treasurer.

A district P-TA convention will be held in Lubbock April 10-11 and all who can attend were elected as delegates to the convention.

The next meeting of the P-TA will be April 9, at 7:45 p. m. in the West Ward Auditorium. Mrs. Bill Whitley's room won the room count.

AUXILIARY MEETS IN C. L. PACK HOME

Presbyterian Women's Auxiliary met Monday, Feb. 27, in the home of Mrs. C. L. Pack with 11 members and three guests present. Guests were Mrs. W. D. Walston, Mrs. Clifford Jones and Mrs. Johnnie Shelton.

Mrs. R. D. Hickman, president, presided over the short business session.

Mrs. H. E. Anderson led the Bible study taken from Ephesians and used as her subject "Way of Divine Purpose." She brought out the fact that the way of divine purpose is as modern as today's newspaper.

"Your Attitude Is Showing" was the title of the program led by Mrs. Hickman. Topics discussed dealt with the need to help children feel not only loved but wanted and needed, getting the child to say "I am sorry," talking before the children and intense and narrow family loyalties.

The hostess served a refreshment plate.

Demonstration of Cookie Making Given at HD Club

Wednesday, March 7, the Slaton Home Demonstration Club met at the Clubhouse for their regular meeting with Mrs. George Evans and Mrs. Carter Shaw as cohostesses.

Mrs. Evans gave a demonstration on making and baking cookies.

Those attending were Mesdames C. W. Jennings, Clea Young, E. E. Wilson, T. G. McEver, E. W. Stokes, R. C. Hall, Lee Limmer, Delma Hodge.

Mesdames Cecil Long, Robert Meeks, T. A. Johnson, M. L. Abernathy, W. A. Cook, Alton Meeks, George Evans and one guest, Sandra Long.

The next meeting will be March 21 at the Clubhouse.

CARD OF THANKS

We are sincerely grateful to our friends and neighbors for their many acts of sympathy during our sad bereavement. Our appreciation cannot be adequately expressed. —The R. L. Kirksey Family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Bickers and Sarah Sue spent Sunday in Littlefield visiting the Bickers' daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Webb.

Mrs. J. E. Vannoy and son, Boyd, and Mrs. J. B. Butler attended the Golden Wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Glenn in Lubbock Sunday afternoon. They also visited Johnny Johnson, who is in Methodist Hospital and Mrs. R. E. Thompson, Vernon and Asher J.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Burks and son, Jay, of Lackland Air Force Base at Del Rio visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Childress. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Childress and children of Lovington, N. Mex. also visited last week. The Childresses also visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gilliland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Childress visited Mr. Childress' brother, S. G. Childress, and Mrs. Childress in Big Spring last week.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. Fannie Patterson were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Patterson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Benton Patterson and family all of Wolfforth and Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Patterson and family of Olton.

Ottis Neil Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Patterson, of Olton underwent a tonsillectomy at Mercy Hospital Tuesday. He is reported to be doing fine. Ottis Neil is the grandson of Mrs. Fannie Patterson.

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Mrs. R. L. Smith Teaches Lesson at Lottie Moon Circle

"Christian Education" was the subject studied by the Lottie Moon Circle of the First Baptist Church at their meeting Monday, March 12, in the home of Mrs. J. R. Robertson. Mrs. R. L. Smith was the program leader.

Following the resignation of Mrs. J. H. Teague Jr. as circle chairman, Mrs. Fannie Patterson was elected to fill her term. Mrs. Teague is confined to her home because of a broken limb. Mrs. C. W. Jennings was elected as co-chairman.

Mrs. C. D. Willis led the closing prayer.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Ed Meyers, Willis, Clea Young, E. L. Norris, Toy Melton, J. A. Douglas, Patterson, Smith, Jennings and Robertson.

MISSION LESSON STUDIED BY BUSINESS WOMEN

Mrs. Dudley Berry was hostess when the Business Women's Circle of the First Baptist Church met in her home Thursday evening, March 8.

The devotion was brought by Mrs. J. T. Bolding with Mrs. Fannie Patterson leading the opening prayer. Mrs. Fred Stottlemire led the program on state missions. She was assisted by Mrs. Berry and Mrs. T. E. McClanahan.

Thursday, April 12, the circle will meet in the home of Mrs. E. R. Burns at 8 p. m.

Those present were Mesdames Patterson, Bolding, Lyle, Stottlemire, Burns, McClanahan and Miss Eula Ferrill.

Clark Home Scene Ann Judson Circle Meeting Wednesday

Mission study was held in the home of Mrs. Jack Clark Wednesday morning, March 14, by the Ann Judson Circle of the First Baptist Church.

The mission book, "A World Within a World," was completed and "Tribes Go Up" was started by the teacher, Mrs. Bill McCray.

Following the business, refreshments were served to Mesdames McCray, Wayne Kenney, Ray Samples, Lindol Beard, Al Romines, Floyd Guelker and the hostess.

PARTY HONORS ANNIE CLARK

Annie Mae Clark was complimented on her 13th birthday Tuesday, March 13, when a party was given in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Clark, with Algerita Clark as hostess.

Cake and Cokes were served to the honoree and Linda Squyres, Dora Tucker, Steffany Johnson, Jeanette Price, Harriet Perkins and Sue Liles.

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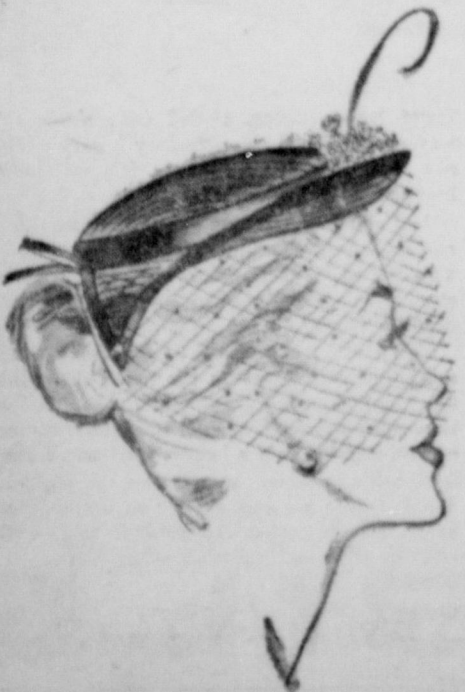
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CARD OF THANKS

The family of J. V. Jolly wishes to express their thanks and appreciation to their many friends and neighbors for their many kindnesses. And thanks also for the food and lovely flowers sent during the loss of our beloved dad.
—The Children of J. V. Jolly.

Mr. and Mrs. Vasker Browning and Mary Frances and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marriott spent Wednesday in Midland on business.

Mrs. Georgia Criesman spent Friday and Saturday in Ft. Stockton visiting friends and relatives.

Southland News

By Louise Davidson

The Rev. and Mrs. Billy Poole and family of O'Donnell are new residents in Southland. The Rev. Poole is the pastor of the Baptist Church.

Don and Ralph Milliken, both of Wolfboro, were in Southland last Wednesday visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Milliken.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Winterrowd are the proud parents of a new baby boy, Jerry Vaughn.

Mrs. R. R. Jones and Mrs. Haywood Basinger of Slaton are in Vernon, where they are receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. J. A. Willingham moved to Post last Tuesday.

Friday visitors in the Edd Milliken home were the Rev. Scott of Wilson, Mrs. J. M. Haley and daughters from Garnolia and Mr. and Mrs. Ott Patterson of Tahoka.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jernigan of Rocky Ford, Colo. visited recently in the home of Mrs. Jernigan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Reed Sr., and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Shaw visited Thursday and Friday in Friona with Mrs. Shaw's son M. J. Stacy, and family.

Mrs. J. S. Eial of Lubbock visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ward.

I. J. Duff is in a hospital in Denver City recovering from a heart attack. He is a former resident of Southland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cook and Jack Cook made a business trip to Belton recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Jackson and Don Wayne visited Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Thomas Jr. in Shallowater recently. They celebrated Mrs. Jackson and Mr. Thomas's birthdays.

Mrs. Clyde Haire attend funeral services for her sister in Spearman last week.

Mrs. J. C. Harris is a patient in

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Tiny Tots DRESSES



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SIZES 7 to 14

Mersey Hospital in Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Swanner and Lynn of Slaton were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook.

Roy Latourette, Dorothy Simpson and Mary Echols of McMurry College in Abilene had charge of both services at the Methodist Church Sunday.

Edd Portwood of Tulsa and his son, Lester Portwood, of Perryton visited in the F. M. Davidson home last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Seals are on a fishing trip to the Rio Grande. Miss Woodena Sue Brewer was a Sunday dinner guest of Misses Deana and Glenda Ward of Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Martin of Healdton, Calif. are visiting with Mrs. Martin's mother, Mrs. Shelton, and other relatives.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Milliken were Mr. and Mrs. Byron Milliken of New Home, Pat Milliken of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Shaw.

Donna Adkins of Amherst is visiting with her sister and brother-in-law, the Rev. and Mrs. Jim Tomlinson, and Terry.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dabbs and family Mr. and Mrs. Harley Martin, Tyra Jan and Paul Ray and Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Martin and Suzanne of Spade attended the Martin family reunion in Snyder last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lancaster and Miss Wanda Price of Lubbock attended the senior play at Southland Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Poole and Vernon Scott all of Abilene were weekend visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Tuney Basinger and family of Seagraves were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. Basinger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Basinger. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mosley and Nedra.

Gerald Dabbs of Lubbock spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dabbs, Brenda and David.

H. C. Upchurch of Ft. Worth visited recently in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Mosley, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mosley.

Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Billingsley of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Kidd of Slaton were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Martin one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Anderson were called to Roswell, N. Mex. last Saturday to be with Mr. Anderson's sister, Mrs. Dora Harrell, who was injured seriously in a car accident.

Mrs. Donald Pennell was in Post on Friday visiting her sisters, Mrs. A. A. Ferguson and Mrs. Carl Cedarholm.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Oats, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Davies and Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Callaway spent Sunday at Lake Thomas near Snyder.

A. F. Davies is visiting in Spade with Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Martin and Suzanne.

The Eastern Star entertained with a chili supper and surprise birthday party honoring their worthy matron, Mrs. Wesley Scott, Monday night in the home of Mrs. S. D. Martin. Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Harley Martin were hostesses. There were 16 present.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meyers visited relatives in Spur Sunday. Elton Truelock is in the Veterans Hospital in Big Spring.

Mrs. Sam Walls of Flourin, La. is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Walls.

CARD OF THANKS

With deepest gratitude, I wish to thank all those who were so thoughtful during my recent illness. We appreciate all those who sent cards, letters and flowers and for all the kindnesses shown.
—C. L. Garrigues and family.

Mrs. Rosa Owens spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sprinkle in Pampa.

The Slaton, Tex., Slatonite Friday, March 16, 1956

Billy Graham Featured in Film At Baptist Church



Billy Graham

Billy Graham was to be featured in a 27 minute black and white film which was presented here at the First Baptist Church on Thursday, March 15 at 7:30 p. m.

No admission was charged for the film entitled, "Battle Ground Europe." The film was advertised as a dramatic documentary covering the 1955 Billy Graham European crusade.

The evangelist preaches in five different languages through the use of interpreters.

Sponsored by the First Baptist Brotherhood the film was shown in the church auditorium.

All residents of the city were invited to attend, according to the Rev. J. T. Bolding, pastor of the church.

Mrs. W. C. Church spent from Tuesday of last week until Thursday in Halfway visiting her son, M. C. Church, and family.

Willis Petty of Ft. Worth spent from Thursday until Tuesday visiting his parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crawford. The Crawfords returned to Ft. Worth with him to visit Mrs. Petty, Donald and Nancy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Todd and Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Munn and daughter, Jean, of Gorman spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Todd and boys.

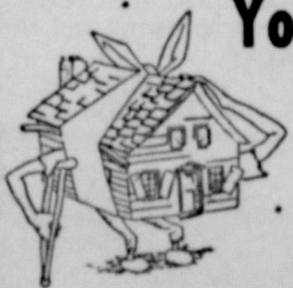
Mr. and Mrs. Alton Meeks, Carl and Margaret spent Sunday with Mrs. Meeks' brother, Henry Wheatley, and family in Post. Mrs. Meeks' grandmother, Mrs. C. K. Wheatley, came home with them for a visit.

Mrs. Nick Neu has returned home after spending two weeks in Pecos visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Macha. The Machas have a new baby girl born Feb. 25. She has been named Peggy Marie. Mr. and Mrs. Francis Grabber went after Mrs. Neu last week end.

Mrs. Ivan Cooper Is Farm Winner

Mrs. Ivan Cooper of Route 2, Slaton is the "Mystery Farm" winner of the week. She will receive two free passes to the Slaton Theatre and a one-year subscription to The Slatonite if she will come by the newspaper office.

She correctly identified the farm as the Albert Pinkert place located about one and a half miles northeast of Slaton.



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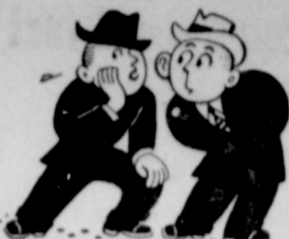
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Mrs. G. F. Vaughn and Mrs. Bailey of Petersburg visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Doyle. Mrs. Vaughn is Mrs. Doyle's mother.

Duncan Fields and two children of Denver, Colo. will arrive this week end to visit for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. DeBusk.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. McClanahan and Tommy spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting Mr. and Mrs. Billy Brackeen and family.



"Campus Corner"

By Beverly Bland

Things around Slaton High School are silent this week except for the annual football banquet.

The Tigerettes are still excited, they returned from Austin Sunday at 5:30 p. m.

Several Slaton High School boys were treated to a chicken supper March 7, at Bruce's Cafe. The boys include Phil Pearson, Jerry Don Ross, Larry White, Tracy Crawford, Robert Heaton, Dickie Thomas, Jerry Hogue, Don Wright, Douglas Corley, Amon Sparkman, Dal Stanley.

Rodney Kitten, Lavoy Reed, Tommy McClanahan, Victor Huser, Dale Gordon, Freddy Marriott, Roland German, and coaches Ehrler and Hedges.

The annual football banquet was held Tuesday night, March 13 at the Clubhouse. Speaker for the evening was Mike Brumbelow, Texas Western Athletic Director.

Marvin Self, Alex Franc, Able Arguello, Donnie Marsh, Pat Adamek, Lanny Swanner, Claude Myers, Dickie Thomas, and Amon Sparkman traveled to Crosby March 10 to the track meet held there.

Friday, March 9, Coach Leonard Ehrler ordered new football equipment for next year. The new uniforms are like those of the Chicago Bears.

The Slaton Choral Club will make a tour Friday, March 16 to three different schools. At 9:30 a. m. the will sing at Sunday; at 11 a. m., Whiteface; and at 1 p. m. they will appear at Morton.

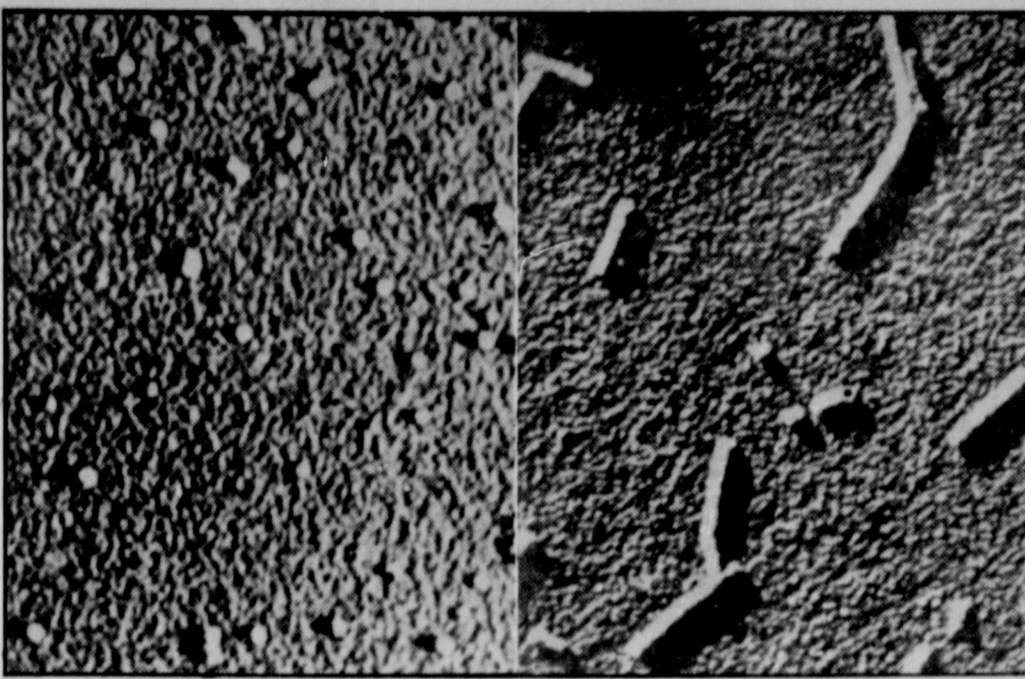
Each program will last 30 minutes. Some of the songs that they will sing are "Holy Lord God," "Call to Remembrance," "Think on Me," and "Can I Forget You." The 44 members of the club are directed by Mrs. M. G. Davis.

Mrs. J. D. Perkins will go on the tour with the club. Barbara Wilke and Neutie Watson will accompany the club at the piano.

The speech play, "The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come," has been postponed.

"The Skeleton Walks" is the name of the annual senior play, sponsored by C. M. McPherson. The cast of characters has not been selected yet.

Attention all interested in



... ON THE BORDERLINE OF LIFE"—Pictures above, taken with aid of the electron microscope, record the first time inert fragments of matter have ever been put together by man to form a living substance. Co-researchers Dr. Heinz L. Frankel-Conrat and Dr. Robley Williams, University of California, made the experiment. It was hailed as "an utterly fantastic discovery on the borderline of life" by Dr. Wendell M. Stanley, head of University of California's virus laboratory. Picture at left shows inert protein portion of the tobacco mosaic virus. At right, rod-like objects are "rebuilt" viruses constructed with inert protein and nucleic acid parts of the virus in an alkaline solution. Man-made virus reproduces itself, causes mosaic disease in the tobacco plant. Tailor-made immunization to disease and a key to the hereditary secrets hidden in the chromosomes are seen as possible achievements in the light of the historic experiment.

Mrs. George Culwell left Wednesday to attend the Annual Conference of the WSCS in Stamford. Mrs. W. B. Copeland of Cooper accompanied her. Mrs. Culwell is the representative from the First Methodist Church of Slaton and is also District Secretary of Supply Work. They will return home this week end.

Tracy Crawford Speaks at Lions Club Tuesday

Tracy Crawford, Slaton High School Senior presented his oration entitled "Jur Living Constitution" at the Lions Club meeting Tuesday at the Clubhouse.

He placed first in the American Legion Oratorical Contest for the 19th Congressional District of Texas at Lubbock March 3.

Tracy was sponsored by the Luke Powers Post 438 of Slaton in the

contest. He was defeated in quarter finals of the state contest at Odessa March 6.

Lions President B. N. Ball urged the Lions to attend the Lions District 2-T-1 Convention to be held in Amarillo May 17-19.

Mrs. C. E. Corley visited last week with her nephew, Ira Waller, and family in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Klattenhoff, Mary Ann and Mackie and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Haddock attended the senior organ recital of Miss Jahnel Olenbush at the First Methodist Church in Lubbock Sunday.

Attendance at Church Schools for Mar. 11

Attendance at church schools in Slaton Sunday, Mar. 11, totaled 1,680 in the 13 churches which reported.

Churches reporting and their attendance was as follows:

First Christian	66
Church of God	52
First Methodist	262
First Baptist	382
Church of the Nazarene	74
Westview Baptist	200
First Presbyterian	30
Grace Lutheran	98
Church of Christ	194
First Baptist Mission	199
Assembly of God	65
Pentecostal Holiness	79
Bible Baptist	69

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Walker of Lubbock visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Davis and family.

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I am proud to say that I have built the police department from a two-man force to five uniformed policemen. Also from \$600 to \$800 a year income to \$7,000 and more, also a city patrol car equipped with a two-way radio.

Of all this I am proud for the City of Slaton, but it seemed that my services were no longer wanted as the City Commissioners put so much pressure on me that it got unbearable.

However, the City Commissioners state that they, the City Commissioners, had the pressure put on them by the citizens. That I would not know.

I have been honest and fair with the city officials at all times to the best of my ability and again I say thanks to the people of Slaton for what you have done for me.

E. A. Gentry

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The Methodist Men's Breakfast played host to five male employees of Southwestern Public Service Co. Monday morning in Fellowship Hall of the First Methodist Church in Slaton. There were a total of 20 men present at the breakfast Monday.

Otis Neil will bring the devotional at the breakfast on Monday, March 19.

All men of the community are invited to attend the breakfast each Monday at 6:30 p. m., according to the Rev. J. B. Sharp, pastor of the church. The breakfast is prepared at a cost of 50 cents for each person present.

Bantam Fanciers Hold Exhibition At Littlefield

V. F. Lowe of Slaton was elected chairman of the board of directors of the Hub Bantam Club when it was organized February 20 in the old court house in Lubbock.

Club membership, according to member C. W. Wilks Jr., is open to all who are interested in Bantams. Persons desiring to become affiliated may contact Wilks for further information.

The first Bantam Show and exhibition of birds will be held in Littlefield March 16 and 17. Final date for entries was March 12. The show is open to all who wish to enter Bantams, whether or not they are club members, Wilks said. An entry fee of 10 cents is required for each bird entered.

News Of Slaton Men In Service

Cartwright in Exercises

BERLIN, Army JFC Paul W. Cartwright, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cartwright, Route 1, Slaton, Tex., recently took part in a winter field training exercise held by the 6th Infantry Regiment in Berlin.

The exercise was conducted in Grunewald Forest, a 28-square-mile preserve in the American and British sectors of the divided city.

Cartwright, a radio operator in the regiment's Company E, entered the Army in February 1955 and completed basic training at Fort Carson, Colo.

He attended Roosevelt High School.

Glen Bursleson Completes Course

FORT BELVOIR, VA.—Pvt. Glenn R. Bursleson, whose wife, Gwen, lives in Slaton, recently was graduated from the eight-week parts supply course at The Engineer School, Fort Belvoir, Va.

The course trained enlisted men in the storage, identification, issue and receiving of engineer spare parts of all types of engineer equipment.

Bursleson, son of Truman B. Bursleson, Slaton, entered the Army in October 1955 and completed basic training at Fort Ord, Calif.

Bursleson is a former employee of Liles Sheet Metal Works.

Williams in Germany

9TH DIV., GERMANY—Army Pvt. Reuben L. Williams, 26, son of Alford Warren, Slaton, Tex., recently was assigned to the 9th Infantry Division in Germany.

As part of the U. S. Seventh Army, the 9th Division conducts rigorous training exercises, including realistic maneuvers and field problems, in southern Germany.

Williams, an aidman, entered the Army in August 1954 and completed basic training at Fort Sam Houston, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Faulkner spent the week end in Brownwood visiting Mrs. Faulkner's sisters, Mrs. John Forehand and Mrs. Henry Kesler, and their husbands.

Political Announcements

The Slaton Slatonite has been authorized to announce the following candidates for office subject to the democratic primaries:

For State Senate:
Carroll Cobb
Preston Smith

For District Attorney:
George E. Gilkerson

For County Attorney:
Bill Gillespie

For State Representative:
Waggoner Carr

Slaton Choral Girls Will Enter Contest

The Interscholastic League choral contest will be held at Level-land March 24. All the choral girls will go by bus and the songs that will be sung are "Lord's Prayer," "Call to Remembrance," and "Think on Me."

The soloists will also try for first, second, or third places. The students competing in the solo division and the songs they will sing are: Mary Lee Buxkemper, "Sweet Song of Old"; Viola Walton, "I Love Thee"; Micky Ward, "In the Luxembourg Gardens"; Betty Clark, "Prayer"; and Tracy Crawford, "Morning."

—The Tiger's Cage

FORMER SLATONITE WRITES STORY FOR MAGAZINE

Mrs. B. N. Billingsley of Lubbock has written an article entitled "Old Age Is a Retreating Mirage" and it appears in the March-April issue of "Your Life." She is a former resident of Slaton.

Mrs. John Fondy Jr. and children, Tate and Judy, Mrs. Lindol Beard, Dru Ann and Miles, Mrs. Wayne Kenney and Dianne and Mrs. Arvan Holder and Theresa of Wilson all went by train to Amherst Tuesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jim Traugott and Shannon. They returned by train Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stahl of Hermleigh spent the week end visiting Mrs. Stahl's sister, Mrs. Truett Fulcher, Mr. Fulcher and Rodney.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fondy and children spent the week end in Amarillo visiting Mr. Fondy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fondy Sr.

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