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Tigers Play Last Game of Season Friday Night

The Abernathy Antelopes will be in Slaton Friday night to tangle with the Lions for another conference game. This will be the final game of the season's run showing two wins to date.

The Abernathy eleven have a record of three conference wins to one loss. Two weeks ago they defeated Tahoka 14-0 and last week they took a rest. They have one injury to their quarterback Oscar Lopez. Their other players to be watched closely or trouble for Slaton will follow. Their best tackle is a swift lad by the name of Thomas Vecchio.

Coach Ehrler states that his starting line-up will be Jimmy Sikes, Jerry Jones, Rodney Fulcher, Pat Adamek, Jerry Hogue, Victor Huser, Norberto Diaz, Jerry Gentry, Mackie Klattenhoff, Tommy McLanahan and Howard Limmer.

American Legion's Annual Breakfast Set for Sunday

The American Legion's annual breakfast will be Sunday, Nov. 11. Members will meet at the Legion Hall at 7 a. m. and go in a group to Bruce's Cafe. All service men are invited, says Arthur Dennis. Tickets may be obtained from Wright Price, Casey Walling, and other members.

At 11 a. m. members of the Legion and their auxiliary will meet at the Westview Baptist Church for the morning service.

The regular meeting date for the Legion is Monday, Nov. 12, at 7:30 p. m. in the Legion Hall.

C. of C. Selects Miss Joan Pember as Maid of Cotton Contest Entry

The Slaton Chamber of Commerce has selected Miss Joan Pember to represent Slaton in the South Plains Maid of Cotton contest that is to be held in Lubbock on November 19-20. The winner of the South Plains contest will be given a \$2,000 wardrobe and trip to enter the national contest held in Memphis, Tennessee.

Miss Pember is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Pember, owners of the Pember Insurance Agency and the Ben Franklin Store. She is a graduate of the Slaton schools and is now a student at Texas Tech.

This is the first year that Slaton has had an entry in this contest. "We are very pleased to have Miss Pember as our representative in this contest," said Don Crow, chairman of the committee.



Miss Joan Pember

Slaton Boxes Stay Democratic; County, State, National Go Republican In Election Tuesday

The general election Tuesday drew nearly a record crowd due to the interest in the two presidential candidates. Slaton did not pay any attention to the county, state or national trends, but was individual in its choice. The city stayed Dem-

ocratic, the county went Republican, the South Plains area voted Democratic, the state went Republican and the national outcome was Republican.

The voting in Slaton was next to the largest number in history, be-

ing second only to four years ago in the same election. Tuesday the two presidential candidates totaled 1286 votes. This is 257 more than voted in the first Democratic primary this past July. The total then was 1029.

Although the Republican candidates carried Lubbock county, the state of Texas and a landslide over the United States, the Slaton boxes stayed in the Democratic fold. The three boxes gave Stevenson 774 votes against Eisenhower's 512 votes. Stevenson led here with 262 majority.

Slaton Boxes

The Slaton voting for president was as follows:
Box 26—Stevenson 212; Eisenhower 151.
Box 27—Stevenson 234; Eisenhower 157.
Box 28—Stevenson 328; Eisenhower 204.

1952 Vote

Four years ago the three Slaton boxes polled an even larger number than this week, largely due to a beer election that was being held then. The vote was 1554, which was 263 more than the 1286 total this year.

Slaton wanted Stevenson then as well as now. The vote was Stevenson 689; Eisenhower 665. The county and the nation went for Eisenhower at that time as they did this week.

County Vote

Lubbock county voters gave Eisenhower a slight lead. The total was 13,970 for Eisenhower and 12,537 for Stevenson. This is opposite from the entire South Plains region, which stayed in the Democratic fold.

Lubbock county went Republican four years ago with Eisenhower receiving 16,077 to Stevenson's 11,360 votes.

Amendments

The Slaton boxes stayed with the county and state voters in that they approved all constitutional amendments. The eight state amendments were approved with a large majority in all three boxes and in the county.

Slatonites Pay To Stay Home on Halloween Night

The Elementary Schools Parent-Teacher Association sponsored its second annual "stay at home night" on Halloween.

The organization planned to purchase a public address system for the West Ward auditorium stage with the proceeds received this year. Mrs. Johnny Morris, P. T. A. treasurer, reports that \$244.13 was the total amount received.

Calendar Of Coming Events

- Thursday, Nov. 8**
Rotary Club, 12 noon, Clubhouse
Masonic Lodge, 7:30 p. m., Masonic Hall
L. S. of B. of L. F. & E. family party, 7:30 p. m., clubhouse
- Friday, Nov. 9**
Art Club, 2 p. m., Clubhouse
Tigers vs. Abernathy, 8 p. m., here
- Saturday, Nov. 10**
Tiger Town, 8 p. m., City Park
- Sunday, Nov. 11**
Catholic Ladies' Bazaar, 3 p. m., St. Joseph's Hall
Catholic Ladies' Annual Turkey Dinner, 4:30 p. m., St. Joseph's School cafeteria
Catholic Ladies' Dance, 8:30 p. m., St. Joseph's Hall
- Monday, Nov. 12**
City Commission, 7 p. m., City Hall
American Legion, 7 p. m., Legion Hall
Scout Troop 29, 7:30 p. m., Scout Hall
American Legion Auxiliary, 7:30 p. m., Clubhouse
P. T. A., 7:45 p. m., West Ward Auditorium
- Tuesday, Nov. 13**
Driver License Examinations, all day, Chamber of Commerce Office, City Hall
Lion's Club, 12 noon, Clubhouse
W. O. W., 7 p. m., W. O. W. Hall
Eastern Star, 7:30 p. m., Masonic hall
- Wednesday, Nov. 14**
V. F. W., 7:30 p. m., V. F. W. Hall



WILFRED KITTEN, president of the Jaycees, watches as Johnny Schmidt, vice president, tries out the new phone at Tiger Town. The Jaycees installed the phone for emergency purposes and will furnish payment for the phone bill as long as Tiger Town and the Junior Chamber of Commerce function, reported Tommy Swanner, treasurer.

Masons to Be Honored With Turkey Dinner

Members of the Slaton Masonic Lodge will be the honored guests at the annual turkey dinner given by the members of the Eastern Star on next Friday evening, November 16, at 6 p. m. The meeting will be held at the clubhouse. All master Masons are invited and urged to attend, says W. T. Brown, secretary of the lodge.

Over 20,000 Bales Ginned This Year

The six gins in the Slaton area report 20,450 bales of cotton ginned this year since the beginning of the season. This report is given by the Union Gin, the Howard Gin, Posey Gin, Campbell Gin, and the two Coop Gins.

Hostess for District Meeting Nov. 11

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church will be hostess to the Lubbock District Wesleyan Service Guilds on Sunday, Nov. 11. A luncheon will be served at 12:15 p. m. in the Fellowship Hall at the church.

The meeting will begin at 1:20 p. m. with the theme "The Spirit of Christ for all of Life." Mrs. Cecil Matthews of the First Methodist Church of Lubbock will be the main speaker. Miss Charlotte Doughtie of St. John's Methodist Church of Lubbock will give the devotional.

Other interesting and vital points of guild work will be presented at the meeting.

Slaton to Host Singing Convention

Slaton will be host to the Plains Caprock Singing Convention Saturday and Sunday according to Bill Baker. The first session will be held Saturday evening at 7:30 and Sunday's all day convention will begin at 10 a. m. The Church of God, located on Texas Ave., will be the meeting place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor visited over the week end in Carlisle in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman R. Taylor.

JOURNALISTS TO PARTICIPATE IN 1956 TB SCHOOL PRESS PROJECT

The journalism class is participating in the 1956 School Press Project sponsored by the National Tuberculosis Association, its affiliated associations, and the Columbia Scholastic Press Association.

Now in its 20th year, the project calls for news and feature stories, editorials, and art work by students. For students, on specified aspects of tuberculosis control. Its purpose is to cooperate with the schools in developing responsible citizenship.

Beginning with this issue and continuing in the following three issues, there will appear articles written by the journalism students pertaining to TB and its control. These issues with the articles will be submitted in a county press project along with the other schools in the county. Certificates of honor will be awarded to those publications which, in the judgment of a national committee representing

the sponsors, fulfill the aims of the school press project. Outstanding entries are selected for recognition and submission in the state project. The state TB association selects up to nine of these to be submitted to the National Tuberculosis Association for consideration in the national project.

Wednesday, Oct. 24, the class took a tour through the TB headquarters in the Veterans Administration Building in Lubbock. Talks were given by Al Williams on rehabilitation, by Dr. O. Brandon Hull on the medical side, and by Viola Stoughton on the social side. The TB nurses showed the class the isolated waiting room, special dispensaries, the nurses' office, lead-lined X-ray room, an exhibit of tubercle bacillus cultures, and various special equipment.

—The Tigers Cage

Slaton Junior Class To Give 'Almost Summer' Next Week

The junior play production, "Almost Summer," will be presented Tuesday, Nov. 13, at 8 p. m. The play portrays the life of an average high school senior, Paul Jones (Jackie Shepard), with his many problems.

Paul has planned to spend part of the summer at a lake resort with his family and his girl, Jane (Venita Green).

Skull Found Near Midland May Be 20,000 Years Old

A Texas Tech anthropologist says radio carbon tests show a woman's skull found near Midland, Tex., three years ago apparently is 20,000 years old—the oldest human remains ever found in the Western Hemisphere.

The Santa Fe New Mexican, in a copyrighted story, said the tests may prove that the earliest Americans were "modern men" not the beast-like Neanderthal men who roamed ancient Europe.

Experts two years ago said the skull, known as the "Midland Man," was more than 12,000 years old.

It was found by Keith Glasscock, a pipeline construction worker and amateur archeologist, in 1953.

The next summer, Dr. Fred Wendorf, then of the Museum of New Mexico anthropology department, excavated the site along with Dr. Alex Krieger of Texas University.

With the skull they also found a collection of human bone splinters, bison bone fragments and arrowheads.

Skull of "Modern" Type
Wendorf, now at Texas Tech, Lubbock, said that the Lamont geo-physical laboratories at Palisades, N. Y., had completed checks on carbon remains found in fire hearths at the site. The tests, which measure the atomic disintegration of matter, indicated that the fire was burning 20,000 years ago.

Dr. Frank Hibben of the University of New Mexico said the discovery may do much to lay to rest the theory that the earliest inhabitants of the Americas resembled the brute-like cavemen types of ancient Europe. Hibben noted the skull was of the "long head" type not unlike that of the modern American Indian.

Skull Found Near Midland May Be 20,000 Years Old

The problem arises of Paul's not graduating high enough in his class to enter the University in the fall, the alternative being going to summer school. A history test is the determining factor, but with Jane's help and despite temptations to cheat, Paul scores a high grade.

The problems that arise facing Paul seem endless, but with the help of Mr. Jones (Jerry Gentry) and Mrs. Jones (Beth Lowry) everything works out. Paul's younger brother, Junior (Bobby Sokoll) and Mary (Dorothy Heaton), his 17-year-old sister, only add to his troubles.

Jack (Hugh Van Pierre) is Paul's pal and considers himself a "killer" with the girls. Mr. Smudgey (Douglas Corley), school principal, also plays a big hand in Paul's troubles.

Lilah Johnson (Della Seaggins) is a surprise element in the play. She is a very petite, pretty girl with doll-like features. The person who has the job of cleaning up after the Jones children is the maid, Anna (Frances Flores).

Directing will be done by Mrs. Alma Caldwell, class sponsor, with Lavoy Reed and Clark Wood serving as stage managers.

Admission at the door will be 25 cents for elementary grades and 50 cents for all others.

—The Tigers Cage

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Townsend visited over the week end in their daughter, Mrs. T. C. Workman, Mr. Workman and children in Edmondson.

Mrs. N. C. Hickey of Amarillo visited here over the week end in the home of Miss Rona Schramm.

Police Arrest Six Bootleggers

Police Chief Bill Daniel reports that his department arrested six bootleggers during the week. 16 weekend arrests included drunkenness, vagrancy, disturbing the peace and other disturbances.

M. E. Mosely Dies Of Heart Attack

Malcolm E. Mosely, 34, died Wednesday evening in Mercy Hospital following a heart attack. He was owner of Mosely Machine Shop and was also an irrigation contractor.

Mosely is survived by his wife, a daughter, Janis Lee and a son, Malcolm Alvin.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 3 p. m. at the Church of Christ. Interment will be in Englewood cemetery.

Slaton Physics Class Tours United States Weather Bureau

Monday, Oct. 21, the physics class of SHS, under the direction of Jim Mallard, took a field trip to the U. S. Weather Bureau located at the Lubbock Municipal Airport.

The weather bureau is a branch of the U. S. Department of Commerce. The students observed the making of weather maps and the radar machine which is used in tracking different types of weather. The range of the radar scope is from 10 to 200 miles. This may be adjusted by simply changing a dial. A barograph, which is a machine used to record the barometric pressure at certain hours was observed, and also an anemometer, which is used to measure the velocity of the wind in knots and miles per hour.

Weather Balloons Used
The Weather Bureau uses weather balloons inflated to 18 inches to find the height of the clouds. These balloons travel at a rate of approximately 500 feet per minute. The velocity of the wind is measured in knots; and simply by pressing a button, it may be converted to miles per hour.

A system of teletype machines is

Amendment Vote Next Tuesday

There will be another state-wide election next Tuesday, November 13th, on a state amendment. Voting will be at the regular places from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. This separate election was caused by an error in drawing up the legal forms in which the 13th was specified instead of being included in the election this week.

This amendment is known as HJR 30, concerns including totally disabled persons between the ages of 18 and 65 in the state welfare program and raises the constitutional limit of all welfare funds to \$1,500,000 per year.

NEW PATROLMAN ADDED TO POLICE DEPT.

Joe Martin from Stamford, Texas started work in the Slaton police department last week, announced Police Chief Daniel.

Mr. Martin's family consists of his wife and three boys. He is an experienced police officer.



RAY BELT, manager of Piggly Wiggly, pins a corsage on Mrs. John E. Todd. Mrs. Todd was selected as Most Courtious Clerk of the Month for October by the Chamber of Commerce committee. Her reaction was, "Of course I'm surprised, but so pleased. It's quite an honor." She has been an employe at Piggly Wiggly 14 months.

City Christmas Decorations To Make Beauty Spot of Entire City Square

This year's plans for Christmas decorating by the Chamber of Commerce committee call for the centralization of the Christmas lights and decorations around the city hall square. If their plans materialize this square should attract visitors for miles around.

All of the street lights that have been used formerly will be concentrated on the square to make a real impression of the Christmas motif rather than being distributed thinly over town. Mayor Wootton and the city force will be putting these lights.

Hobart Trimps, chairman of the decorating committee, reports that his group is planning a real novel-

ty in a Christmas scene. An experiment of using a fine mist for a background for colored Christmas scenes from a picture projecture is being planned. If this work out as planned it should be a real attraction. The material is being assembled for this attractive decoration.

The lighting of the square with the lights available should see decorations reaching from the three story building in the center to the four corners of the square. Added to this will be many additional lights in and among the trees.

The committee plans to put up the decorations immediately after Thanksgiving.

Schedule Annual Friendship Night

The Rainbow Girls will have their Annual Friendship Night Monday, Nov. 12. It will begin with a salad supper at 6:30 p. m., followed by initiation at 7:30 p. m. Thirty assemblies in this area have been invited and 150 people are expected to attend, says Mrs. J. A. Smith, Mother Advisor.

ANNUAL POPPY SALE SATURDAY Christmas Seals Mailed This Week

The annual poppy sale will be held Saturday, November 10, with members of the American Legion Auxiliary and scout troop 6 on the streets in Slaton to pin them on all the passersby. These little red poppies are made by disabled veterans in the Veterans' Hospitals throughout the land. "They will be worn not only in honor of disabled veterans but also in memory of all those who have given their lives for the freedom of our country," says Mrs. George Green, president of the local American Legion Auxiliary.

Why the Poppy
During World War I in Europe, from the Swiss border through France and Belgium to the North Sea, fighting raged for four years. All through that land the ground was trampled by the heavy shoes of millions of fighting men. It was churned by the shells of many cannons, blown full of craters by the explosions of mines and bleached by poisonous gas.

It was in this area that the American boys marched in 1917-1918, determined to put an end to the horrible war. As they struggled across this shattered country the only touch of life and beauty they saw were the little wild red poppies. Poppies sprang up over the graves of the war dead. These little red flowers seemed to send a message of courage and hope to those who still lived.

Symbol
The poppy has become the symbol of the dead—a memorial flower. It is the sign of the high ideals for which the brave young men gave their lives. "This is why we pin the poppy on when we pay tribute to our dead of two World Wars," declares Mrs. Green.

Annual Poppy Sale Saturday Christmas Seals Mailed This Week

The annual TB Christmas seal drive was opened in earnest this week. A group of ladies met at the clubhouse Monday morning and mailed out letters, folders and seals to prospective buyers.

The Christmas Seal sale is staged by the Lubbock County Tuberculosis Association to help those in the county that have tuberculosis and even more important, to find others that do not know that they are infected.

Geo. Green, Slaton, is the county chairman of the drive this year. Mrs. Charlie Walton is chairman of the drive in the city of Slaton. Mrs. J. J. Maxey is the publicity chairman for the local drive and is also on the county advisory committee. Melvin Kunkel is first vice-president of the county association.

There are no personal solicitations for Christmas seal funds. All contributors are contacted by mailing out the seals with the expectation of the money being mailed back to the committee.

TB Causes Tragedies
In the letter mailed out it is stated that 129 people in Lubbock county found out for the first time that they had tuberculosis the past year. 238 cases have been reported in the county.

"Here is our job for next year," the letter continued. "To help find as many as we can of the 150 or 200 Lubbock county citizens who have TB and do not know it. To counsel and help the patients and their families. To sponsor intensive research. To strengthen the defense through education. These things you assure with your Christmas Seal gift."

Contributions may be mailed to Mrs. Charlie Walton, Slaton, Texas.

WE'RE PROUD OF SLATON BOYS AND GIRLS

We have heard during the past few years of how the boys and girls are unconsiderate and of how they cause a problem that is called juvenile delinquents. That they are worse now than they were years ago. This we have not agreed with at all. This belief was proven in Slaton Wednesday night of last week. The tradition of Halloween is by nature the day and night of spooks and mischief. It can be remembered when on this date extensive damage resulted from pranks that went beyond the fun stage.

In Slaton, Texas, Halloween came and passed with only the traditional fun. No wanton damage has been reported, which is as it should be. Our young people are using more common sense than boys and girls did when we were a youngster. They're having their fun without senseless destruction. We say, that's an improvement, and a good one, over past history. They are to be commended and complimented. Slaton people are indeed proud.

A DUTY TO SERVE

Newsweek magazine, in a story on the selection of a jury to try the Brinks robbery case, reprinted parts of various colloquies between the judge hearing the case and prospective jurors. The exchange of questions and answers clearly indicated how anxious many people are to escape jury duty. More than 900 men and women were examined before a single juror was accepted.

Some of the people who were dismissed admitted outside the courtroom that they were afraid to serve because of the possibility of gangland vengeance.

It is a sorry commentary on our citizenship when we allow fear, indifference or a desire to escape inconvenience to prevent us from doing our duty. There are few ways in which citizens can participate more personally in the democratic process than by jury service. Yet all too often people who consider themselves responsible members of the community attempt to escape doing their duty by lies and evasions.

Democratic institutions are precious; they were achieved at a high price in sweat, sacrifice and bloodshed over a great many centuries. There are parts of the world where even today men would gladly risk their lives to establish and maintain a system of impartial justice. When we fail to do our duty, however inconvenient we may find that duty, we are weakening the structure of justice and turning our backs on a heritage which must be preserved to be preserved.

HIGHWAY PROGRESS

The nation is moving ahead rapidly under the new federal highway act which became operative June 29. Interstate highway projects which will cost more than 800 million dollars already have been approved.

The new highway law is a long-range program which will provide the United States with 33 billion dollars in road construction over the next 13 years. It was badly needed to bring us up from behind in this age of the automobile.

President Eisenhower, in making public a progress report submitted by Secretary of Commerce Sinclair Weeks, put his finger on the most likely place where the program may bog down when he said that he is "hopeful that the states will continue to move swiftly in advancing final project applications."

State action is necessary. If the states act promptly many of our present highway deficiencies will be removed. If they drag their feet it may be a long time before American highways are truly modern.

As the President pointed out, state action is necessary to "convert the federal fund authorizations into usable roads at the earliest possible time." To date, the states are doing very well in making applications for federal funds.

ONE MAN'S SOLUTION

A provocative suggestion for meeting the problem of booming enrollments in colleges was made the other day by the president of Brown university. Dr. Barnaby C. Keeney's plan is simple: Raise entrance standards.

It is simple, all right—and it will raise the hackles of many who believe that every American boy and girl is entitled to a college education. It opposes the trend toward making it possible for almost anyone to acquire a degree.

Yet is it a bad idea? Dr. Keeney would refuse admission to, or dismiss, "all those who are not qualified to do college work or will not work." His is the feeling, shared at a rather high intellectual level. There are good arguments for that. Perhaps the fact that such an approach might hold student bodies to manageable size is not the most persuasive of those arguments, but it's worth thinking about.



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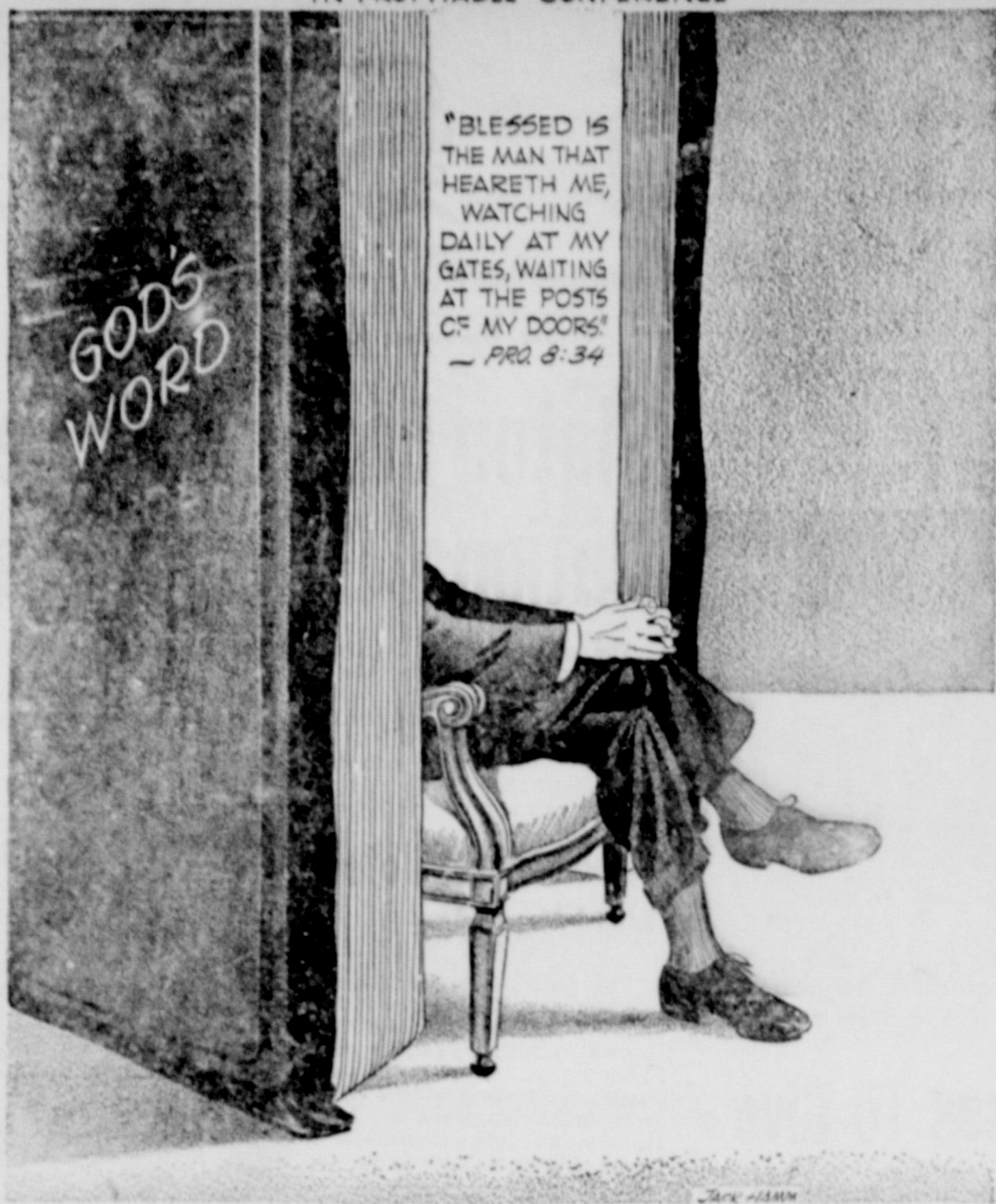


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"BLESSED IS THE MAN THAT HEARETH ME, WATCHING DAILY AT MY GATES, WAITING AT THE POSTS OF MY DOORS"
— PRV 8:34



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"YOUR HONOR, I OBJECT . . ."

Second guessers and Monday morning quarterbacks always have brilliant hindsight. How well they pinpoint the boobos the coach made last week!

So it is with the trial in a law suit. After the jury brings in the verdict people can tell you how your lawyer should have conducted the trial.

But as with football, it's somewhat harder to look forward into the swirl of maneuvers and predict in advance how a particular move will make out. The future holds many surprises.

Our system of justice rests upon the "adversary" theory of a trial where both sides fight for real stakes in dead earnest.

Our U. S. Supreme Court, for example, will not give an "advisory" opinion to anybody—neither the President or Congress—as to whether a proposed law would be constitutional. The court decides that point only in a real law suit with real people fighting for real stakes.

Our courts have an aversion to deciding a point of fact or law where each side does not present its views on the merits with skill, vigor, and good faith. They know how plausible one side can sound until the adversary has his inning.

So, during a trial the pressure is on. Each side tries to present the facts favorable to its cause and prevent the other side from presenting matters which are not properly admissible under the rules of evidence.

To make matters worse, unless your lawyer acts at once, say, when the other side offers a piece of testimony, he loses the right to get the court to strike it from the record at a later time.

Fully to protect you, your lawyer must plan your case so that if things go against you, he can take your case "on the record" to a higher court if he feels that the trial court has erred. But alas, often he cannot claim the error unless he made a point of it at the proper instant during the trial.

If you ever sat on a jury, you may have wondered why some lawyer always objected to every little thing. He ought to have known, you think, that he was making the jury angry with him.

Well, this is why: If he had not, for example, moved to "quash the indictment," or objected to certain evidence, the higher court might not let him raise the point on appeal.

So even if he antagonized everybody in the court, the lawyer by the rules of our system of justice, still had the duty of "protecting the record" so that if need be he could also protect his client in the higher courts.

At every stage of a lawsuit, your lawyer must remember to make points against the possible day that a panel of thoughtful appellate judges would find one side can sound what was done in the excitement of a trial.

(This column, prepared by the State Bar of Texas, is written to

inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who is fully advised concerning the facts involved, because a slight variance in facts may change the application of the law.)

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Rapp visited in Floydada Sunday with Mrs. Rapp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sparks, and Mr. Rapp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Rapp.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Strange visited in Snyder over the week end in the home of Mrs. Strange's brother, Leo McGinnis, and Mrs. McGinnis.

Mrs. William E. Crabtree and two little daughters, Judy and Cheri, of Levelland were week end guests in the home of Mrs. Crabtree's parents-in-law, the Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Crabtree.

Mrs. C. S. Wilkenson is spending this week in Texhoma, Texas, with her parents and other relatives.

Amendments Are Discussed at Rotary

A discussion of the state amendments that were voted on in the election Tuesday was the topic at the Slaton Rotary Club Thursday noon. Howard Hoffman was in charge of the program. The speaker for the day was John Schmidt.

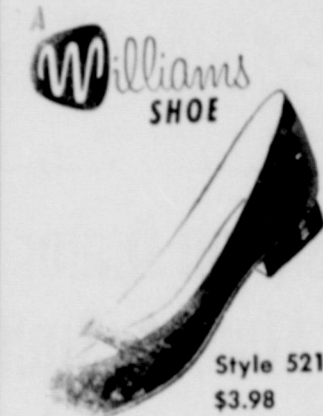
Each amendment was discussed by Mr. Schmidt. A general discussion was participated in by members of the club. Two different amendments were explained by Lee Vardy and Claude Cravens.

Visitors were introduced by Don Britt. They were Earl Collins, Lubbock and Tommy Parker, Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Personett of Long Beach, Calif. are visiting here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Churchill.

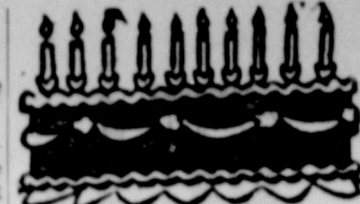
Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Reynolds visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Holden in Lubbock Sunday.

The Pump Takes A Perky Bow



Prettiest pump of the new season . . . a black suede beauty with the perkier grosgrain bow ever, white-dotted and eye-catching.

Knott-Muse



Happy Birthday

November 9: Donald Earl Morris, Jess Burton, Claudia Anderson
November 10: H. B. Banks, Herbert Limmer, Cynthia Clark, Betty Jo Belote, Johnny Bednarz, Mrs. C. A. Wells, Marjorie Northcutt.
November 11: R. C. Brush, Mrs. Clark Self Sr., Jake Reissig, Natrell

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cooper and little daughter, Cydney, of Midland visited here Sunday in the home of Mr. Cooper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper.

November 12: Bobby Brasfield, Mrs. G. C. Clary, Mrs. James Edwards, Mrs. J. C. Walter, Linda Limmer.

November 13: Tommy Kyle, M. B. Tate, Mike Williams, Mrs. W. H. Dawson, David Bond, J. A. Elliott, Mrs. S. T. Wadley, Mrs. L. W. Smith, Mrs. Joe Ross.

November 14: J. C. Jones
November 15: Frank Bernard Sexton, Mrs. L. M. Conner, Barbara Meeks, Max Maier.



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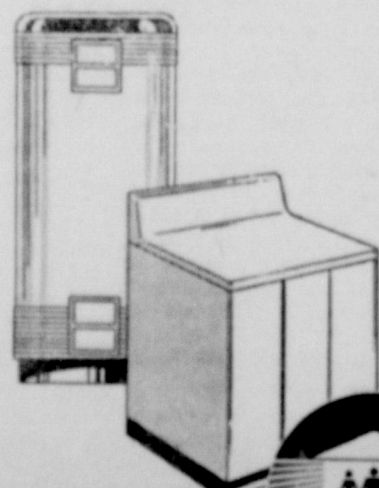
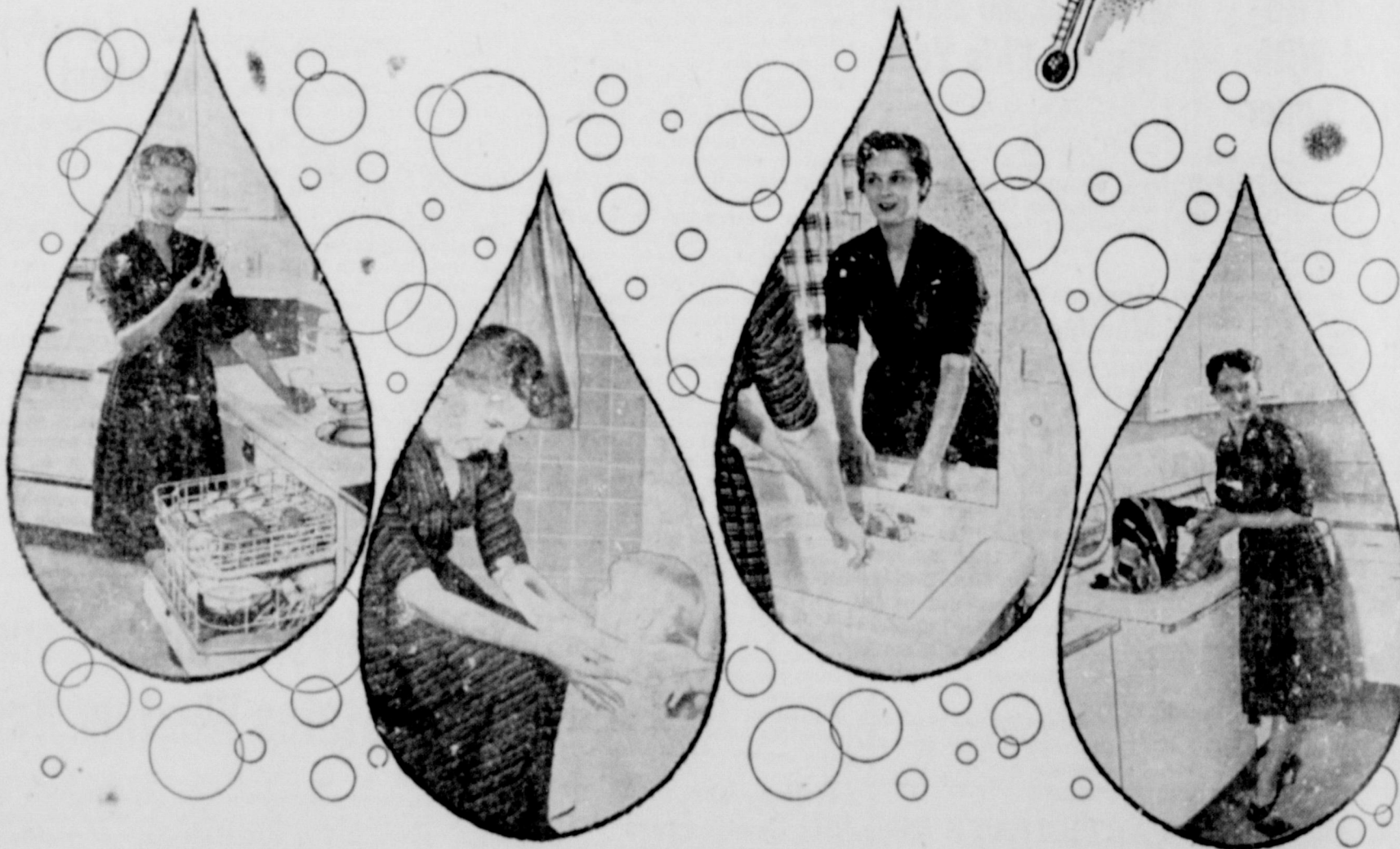
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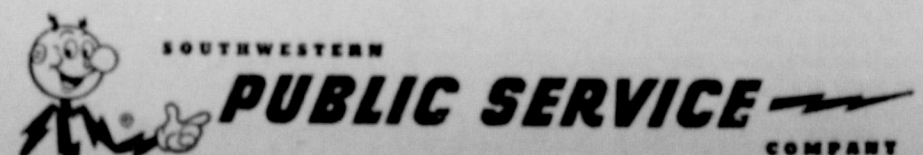
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NEW PONTIACS HERE FRIDAY

Pontiac introduces its 1957 models Friday with three series, the Star Chief on a 124-inch wheelbase, the Super Chief and Chieftain on 122-inch wheelbase, in 16 new body styles, according to S. E. Knudsen, GM Vice President and General Manager of Pontiac Motor Division. Featuring exciting Star Flight body styling with "starlite" or "accent" two-toning, luxurious interiors and spectacular performance, the new models will be on display at Ken W. C. Williams in Dallas last

ber 9. "The 1957 Pontiacs are the most exciting new cars we have ever offered," Knudsen said. "From the massive gleaming front to the smart, streamlined fins of the rear fenders, the 1957 Pontiacs are a triumph of modern design and safety engineering. The body design is new. The overall length has been increased 1.2 inches; however, the lower silhouette and the dramatic styling creates a much longer and sleeker appearance."

Front
The wide, low front end of the 1957 Pontiac is high-lighted and protected by heavy wrap-around bumpers with integrated bomb-type bumper guards. Large oval parking lamps are set into the lower part of the bumpers. A semi-circular chrome grille and a full width air scoop direct air flow to the car radiator.

Hooded head lamps surmounted by sleek front-fender ornaments

are prominent in the front-end styling. Greater vision is achieved by lowering the hood 1.6 inches and increasing the windshield area 75.4 square inches in the Catalinas, convertibles and custom station wagons and by 69 square inches in sedans and other station wagons.

The flair of the rear fender fin houses an integrated tail and back-up lamp and a safety reflector. The rear projection of the oval tail lamp is protected by a projection in the rear bumper which also serves as an exhaust port on cars equipped with dual exhausts.

A missile outline trim of stainless steel sweeps the entire length of the car on each side. The Star Flight styling of the 1957 Pontiac is further accentuated by a wind-split molding in the rear fender. On the Star Chief models this torpedo-shaped windsplit is sheathed in stainless steel. The same material, brushed to a satin finish, is used on the vane wheel discs. A full range of exciting modern colors is available on the 16 body styles.

Pontiac's completely new instrument panel for 1957 offers the ultimate in safety, convenience, and modern styling. The lower section of the panel on Star Chief models features full-width chromed trim panels. The glove compartment door and dual ash trays are housed in the lower panel. The instrument cluster, with two circular dials and a luminescent "Safety Line" speedometer, are positioned at an easily readable level. New finger-tip heater and defroster controls, radio controls and clock are located near the center of the instrument panel. The radio speaker is positioned

below the center of the instrument panel for better sound reproduction and distribution. Another influence of "dream car" styling in the 1957 Pontiacs is the deep swallow-tail steering wheel, which adds the final touch of modern, safety design to the passenger compartment.

American car buyers, who over the past few years have grown increasingly interested in "what's under the hood" of their new cars, will find that Pontiac engineers have developed the 1957 car to a new level of efficiency and smooth, durable performance.

Engine Improved
The 1957 line will offer engines with horsepower of 252 and 270, and an additional extra horsepower engine especially designed for law enforcement cars.

Pontiac offers a "first" in high-compression engines with its intake valve stems vented to atmosphere pressure to prevent oil being drawn into the combustion chamber under high vacuum operating conditions. The increased piston stroke, of 3 and 9.16 inches, gives quicker acceleration and more instantaneous power on demand. New steel band, thermal controlled pistons are standard. Among other new features related to the new engine are a new distributor, more powerful starting motor, new ignition control switch and a new, larger, coil spring clutch for use with the Synchromesh transmission.

Pontiac's Strato-Flight Hydramatic transmission, improved to match the increased torque of the new engines, features a new in-

do you remember?

One Year Ago in Slaton
Taken from Nov. 11, 1955

Southside Church of Christ of Lubbock was the scene at 7 o'clock Friday night of the marriage of Miss Dorothy Kay Rainey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Rainey, Rt. 4, Lubbock, and Bobby Jack Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jones.

R. W. Cudd of Cudd Implement was recently awarded a plaque as an award of merit for "10 years of outstanding service of the highest standard as a dealer for the Minneapolis-Moline Machinery Company and its predecessors."

Black and red were the colors seen at Slaton High School Friday, Oct. 28, school color day. Every person at SHS had on something red and black, everyone that is except Phil Brewer, who wore a pink shirt all day. Finally someone gave him a package of goffer matches which he wore hanging out of his pocket.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Wright and Don last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Mowell, Charlene Mowell, and David Springs all of Rule. M. C. Mowell is Mrs. Wright's brother.

On their way to work Tuesday morning, residents of Slaton were

met by a heavy rain. The unusual driving mechanism for unmatched smoothness, quietness and responsiveness. The transmission oil cooler is located in the lower part of the radiator for maximum cooling efficiency.

greeted with blustering winds. Those with cars parked out in the open had ice and snow-covered windshields to contend with before they could take the morning drive to work. The snow which started around 6:30 p. m. Monday left a two-inch blanket on the ground.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Graves and children of Childress spent the week end visiting Mrs. Graves' sister, Mrs. Hugo Mosser, and family. Tuesday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kitchens were Bill Kitchens and Buck Fielder of Dimmitt and C. D. Kitchens of Hereford.

Miss Sharon Boyd was crowned Junior High football sweetheart during halftime activities of the Slaton-Wilson football game Tuesday night.

Five Years Ago in Slaton
Taken from Nov. 9, 1951

The Slaton Elementary School faculty, students, and Parent-Teacher Association plan open house Monday evening, Nov. 12, from 7:30 to 9 p. m. All teachers will be in their home rooms to meet the parents and friends of their students.

The Athenian Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Jack Shaw, 2019 62nd St., Lubbock.

Miss Patsy Hickman visited Miss Maybell Pember at McMurry College, Abilene, this past week end, while her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hickman, visited with relatives in Baird.

The marriage of Miss Clydell Mc-

Gunley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McGinley of Slaton, and F. M. Hoffman, son of Mrs. E. M. Reagan of the Idalou highway, took place at 2:30 o'clock in the home of the bride's parents, Rev. J. T. Bolding, pastor of Slaton First Baptist Church, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Ten Years Ago in Slaton
Taken from Nov. 8, 1946

The Halloween Carnival under the sponsorship of the Jr.-Sr. P. T. A. was a marked success financially according to the treasurer's report. A sum of \$904.55 was realized.

The newly organized Chamber of Commerce is being well attended said the president and the club is planning a number of activities for civic betterment.

In a double ring ceremony Tuesday morning at 6 a. m. in St. Joseph's Church, Miss Cornelia Behlen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Behlen, became the bride of Raymond Buskemper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Buskemper, with Rev. T. D. O'Brien officiating.

Dr. and Mrs. M. Jay McSweeney Jr. spent last week in Chicago attending the convention of the Association of R. R. Surgeons.

Last Sunday guests of Jr. R. Woods of Southland were the A. M. and Gale Hawthorns of Monroe, Mrs. Giles Mathis of Mathis and her mother of Grassland, Mrs. Nellie Mathis and Carolyn Sue.

Vern Johnson, president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, reports that paint suitable for painting the street signs on Slaton streets is still unobtainable but that the price of paint went up several dollars a gallon last week and that the manufacturers will probably

Mrs. Johnny Carpenter and Michelle of Brownfield visited here Thursday in the home of her sister, Mrs. Ray Ricker, and Mr. Ricker.

Mrs. Walter Rampey Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Walter David Rampey Jr. and daughter of Wichita Falls, brought D. S. Richardson home from the Baylor Hospital in Dallas Saturday where he had been several weeks. The Rampeys spent the week end in the Richardson home. Mrs. Rampey Sr. is Mr. and Mrs. Richardsons' daughter.

Helen Russell spent Wednesday through Saturday in Crowell visiting her mother, Mrs. J. F. Russell.

turn it loose on the market at an early date. When they do the streets will be marked said Mr. Johnson.

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Mrs. T. J. Reed has as her guests over the week end her son, Edwin Reed, Mrs. Reed and son of Barnhart. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harrigan and daughter, Barbara, of Post spent Sunday with Mrs. Reed.

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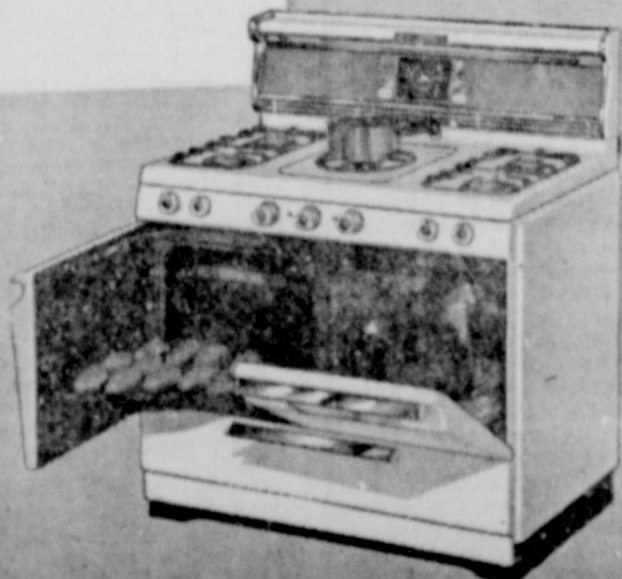
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FOR RENT—4-room apartment, carpeted, 305 South 8th. Call VA 8-4456. 3-1tc

FOR RENT—Bedroom, outside entrance, adjoining bath, 825 South 7th. Phone VA 8-3165. 1tc

FOR RENT—3-room furnished apartment at back of 330 W. Crosby. Call VA 8-3383. 3-2tp

FOR RENT—Power saw; electric drills; electric sanders; power mower; floor polisher, by hour or day. Migginbotham-Bartlett co. 34-tc

FOR RENT—2-room furnished apartment, private bath, children allowed. Phone VA 8-4521 or VA 8-3612. 3-2tp

FOR RENT—Modern 3-room house for rent, unfurnished, at 1035 S. 13th. See C. D. Siewert, 2 miles north of Wilson, or call VA 8-3023. 3-1tp

FOR RENT—2-bedroom house, 250 East Dickens street. See Jonah White or call VA 8-4634. 3-2tp

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FOR RENT—Furnished bachelor garage apartment, dishes and cooking ware furnished, \$8 per week, bills paid. Call VA 8-3902. 3-1tc

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FOR RENT—Nice 3-room furnished apartment with garage near West Ward school. Call VA 8-3288. 3-1tc

FOR RENT—5-room house at 310 S. 6th. Cal VA 8-4126. Crow Grocery. 3-1tc

FOR RENT—House, three rooms and bath, furnished or unfurnished. Cal VA 8-3887. 3-1tc

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WANTED—Custom boll pulling. Contact Jonah E. White, phone VA 8-4634. 1-3tp

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FOR SALE—13 acres, 1/4 mile west of Slaton on pavement. Call Lubbock, PO 3-4387 or Slaton VA 8-4197. 1-4tp

FOR SALE OR RENT—House at 500 W. Lynn; 3-bedroom home on South 7th for sale or trade for smaller place; fresh milk cow for sale. Call VA 8-3316. 3-2tp

FOR SALE—Two-bedroom house, 320 East Panhandle street, \$3,500. See Cecil Self at Self Service Station. 2-4tc

FOR SALE—6-room house and 2 lots, \$3,500. See Grady Elder or call VA 8-3964. 3-2tp

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Miscellaneous

MISCELLANEOUS—Amateur show with the Serenaders, November 15, 8:00 p. m., high school auditorium, prizes \$10 first, \$3 second, \$3 third, guest appearance on radio program for winner. Entries come by 8:10 S. 10th st. or phone VA 8-3612. 3-2tp

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Real Estate

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This column is to be a regular feature of the Slatonite. Its purpose is to acquaint you with the books that are available for your enjoyment at the County Library. There will be two book reviews each week, one for adults and one for juveniles.

THE TONTINE
By Thomas B. Costain
It is hardly necessary to introduce Thomas B. Costain to lovers of fine fiction. His imposing line of best sellers, "The Black Rose," "The Moneyman," "The Silver Chalice"—has endeared him to readers the world over as a novelist of rare and magical talent. Mr. Costain's new novel defies description. Critics are calling it "Costain's best" the highest praise it can be accorded. The tontine, popular during the nineteenth century, was a strange and enticing form of lottery in which the shares increased in value as those who were shareholders died. The last survivor received an enormous sum of money. Most famous of all tontines was the Great Waterloo, formed in 1812, and this suspenseful human sweepstakes provides the basis for this absorbing novel.

Characters
Here is the story, spanning four generations, of some of the men and women who were entries in the Great Waterloo. Of the dozens of contestants whose lives are so vital to the story, the ravishingly beautiful Isabelle Carboy is perhaps the most memorable. She vowed to allow nothing, not even love, to stand in the way of her ambition to become a duchess. Julian Grace was the only man who really loved Isabelle. What happens to him when he dramatically flees to South America to seek forgetfulness, and finds a far richer fulfillment in the arms of the adorable Winifred, is a novel in itself. You may prefer Alfred Carboy, Isabelle's carefree, romantic brother, a young man who knew his own heart but hadn't the courage to obey it. Alfred was persuaded to desert his childhood sweetheart, Helen Groody a coachman's daughter, and spent the rest of his life regretting his forsaken love. Many years later, Helen Groody was to repay her lover's cruelty with an act of devotion only her own gentle, forgiving heart could conceive. As time passes, you are carried along on the breathless suspense of the tontine itself, until finally, of the thousands of entries, there are but three survivors in this eerie human lottery. Then there are two. And at least, one.

Variety is Keynote
Above everything else, "The Tontine" is a story of great variety. Its remarkable cast includes ex-kings, princesses, millionaires, actresses, sailors, planters, portrait painters, and a whole gallery of minor characters. The action centers in London, but it wanders far afield to America, Jamaica, and Bermuda. Filled with romance, not only of the leading characters, but of the romance of a fast-changing civilization and the building of a huge trade empire. It is the kind of novel which, despite its unusual length, you will read all too quickly—the author had written still another volume about these characters who certainly rank among the most fascinating to be encountered in modern fiction.

A CITY FOR JEAN
By Helen Wells
"A City for Jean" is a richly detailed novel about a young girl's career in social welfare work. People were what Jean Abbott cared about, and in her desire to serve them, she chose a "career in humanity." When she stepped from college into the job of social investigator, she was not afraid to explore the seamy streets of a great city and to enter constructively in to the lives of "her" sixty families. Before she had time to take a deep breath, Jean found herself holding the big, fiery D'Adamo family together and helping hilariously bewildered Willy Merlin to emerge as a happy, useful man. She caught an eleven-year-old boy's illness just in time, steered a brilliant young girl toward achieving her life's ambition, and managed to prevent a young couple from wrecking their marriage on hidden rocks. Rewarding Work With warmth and concern, plus a maturity she didn't know she had until the moment she needed it, Jean brought to all these people the help they required to be

come, instead of public wards, self-reliant, self-respecting families. All over the city, doors and confidential records, and hearts, opened to Jean in the course of her extraordinary job. What she learned about people, and about love, gave her rewarding new insights into life, especially into her own romance with Dick. "A City for Jean" lifts the curtain, perhaps for the first time in print, on the exciting and controversial field of welfare, a field which affects millions of Americans, but which is curiously little known and understood. Young readers will remember for a long time Jean Abbott's delightful love story, her warmth and courage, and her vital career of public service.

Lundie Roche Has Combination Party
Lundie Roche entertained a group of her friends with a combination tacky-Halloween party October 29 at her home. For atmosphere, the party was held in the Roche's barn which was decorated with spooks, goblins, and other scary apparitions. Ghosts stories were told as the lights were dimmed. Refreshments were served to Patricia McSweeney, Billy Cooper, Areta Privett, Malcolm Gilbert, Susan Lovelady, Don Caldwell, Bonnie Cole, Carl Wilcox, Sue Armstrong, Barton Pike, Margaret Meeks, Jim Gravell, and Ronnie Jones.

W. S. C. S. MEETS
The W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church met in circles Tuesday, Nov. 6. The study theme was "Home Missions in the National News." The Africa Circle met with Mrs. W. R. Wilson. Mrs. J. S. Edwards Jr. was study leader. She was assisted by Mesdames Fred Tudor, H. W. Jeter, Douglas Wilson, S. H. Adams, and Joe Walker Jr. There were 10 members present. The India Circle met with Mrs. W. L. Blaylock. Eight members and two guests were present. Mrs. C. A. Womack was study leader. She was assisted by Mesdames S. W. Clark, J. D. Barry, and R. H. Todd Sr. The Mexico Circle met with Mrs. W. R. Lovett. Mrs. Elmer Crabtree was leader. She was assisted by Mesdames W. R. Lovett and J. F. Eckert. There were four members and two guests present. The next meeting of the W. S. C. S. will be November 13 in Fellowship Hall at 9:30 a. m. Mrs. J. B. Sharp will begin the study, "Missions, U. S. A.". The nursery will be open. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Robertson of Smyer visited here Sunday in the home of Mrs. Robertson's grandmother, Mrs. Beulah Stephens. Mrs. Marshall Stewart and children spent last week in Big Spring visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Turner.

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Tuesday, November 13, 1956, 10:00 a. m.

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FURNITURE: Rush, Edison Kroehler, Delaney, Walldorf, Jackson, Oklahoma, 2 and 3 piece living room suites, many sectionals, variety of styles and upholstery . . . Harmon, B. Faghill, Coleman, Owasso, Johnson, Myers-Spall, Napier bed room suites; Harmon beds, dbl and triple dressers, nite stands, etc. . . Large qty. Harmon, Winston, Berkshire, dinette suites in variety of woods and constructions . . . occasional, swivel, rocking, cricket, camel back, lounge, platform chairs, brands by Alkin, Dulaney, Hood, Fishman, Cordell, Moore, Kroehler . . . Edison-Hicks, Walldorf, Hartbors, Fishman, sofas, divans and settees, etc. etc.

APPLIANCES: Admiral TV console, record players, Sonora table radios, Admiral upright freezers, Speed Queen ironer and dryer.

FURNISHINGS: Large assortment of lamps, mirrors, assorted tables, night stands, gossip benches, mattresses and springs, chests, rugs, what-nots, etc. etc.

WAREHOUSE EQUIPMENT: Step ladders, furniture pads, cleaning equipment, refrigerator and floor dollies, hose, tools, etc. etc.

OFFICE: Smith Corona Typewriter, BC Allen adding machine, Wizzard Register, file cabinets, Protactil safe, etc. etc.

TRUCK: '50 Model Chevrolet 3/4-ton pick-up with special furniture bed made by Globe Body Shop.

TRUSTEES: Slaton sale: Roy Bass, Lubbock Nat'l Bank Bldg., Lubbock, Texas; Amarillo sale: Earl Wyatt, Johnson Bldg., Amarillo, Texas

TERMS: Cash, cashier's check, certified check. 25% deposit at time of bid, balance on presentation of invoice on premises. Sale subject to confirmation of referee.

How Lubbock County Voted

Table with columns: President (Stevenson, Eisenhower, Andrews, Dies, Spangler), Governor (Daniel, Bryant, O'Daniel, Wilson, Duran), Attorney General (Culbert, Anthony, Murray, Rummel, Culbert, Brown, James, Logan, White, Singleton), Justice S. Court, Railroad Commis., Comp-troller, Treas-urer, Ag. Commis., AMENDMENTS (No. 1-8), and For/Against counts.

Brownie Troop 4 Organized Monday

Brownie Troop 4 was organized Monday, Nov. 5. They will meet each Monday from 3 to 4 p. m. in the Scout Hall.

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Dr. and Mrs. Richard L. Vardy of Dallas spent the week end here in the home of Dr. Vardy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Vardy. Both families attended Tech homecoming.

Advertisement for PEMBER INSURANCE AGENCY, featuring a cartoon illustration and text: 'NOW AVAILABLE THE NEW FAMILY AUTOMOBILE POLICY BETTER COVERAGE BROADER COVERAGE At No Increase In Rates! PEMBER INSURANCE AGENCY 135 N. 8th Ph. VA 8-3541'

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hardin and little daughter, Mary Evelyn, left Slaton Saturday for Waxahachie where they will make their home.

Advertisement for The Dallas Morning News, featuring a hand pointing to the text: 'Now... YOU CAN ENJOY THE DALLAS NEWS FOR ONLY \$1.75 PER MONTH!' and a coupon to fill out.

Manuel Gomez Jr. Buried Last Week

Manuel Gomez Jr., 25, died last week after nine years in the wheelchair as the result of an automobile accident. He had been taken to Mercy Hospital the week before and was later transferred to Methodist Hospital in Lubbock where he passed away.

Mrs. Yates Key Gives History of Famous Diamonds

Mrs. Melvin Kunkel was hostess to the Junior Civic and Culture Club Tuesday evening, Nov. 6. Mrs. Joe Belote, president, presided over the meeting. Roll call was answered by each member giving the name of her birthstone and its meaning.

Mrs. W. H. Smith to Be Honored On Her Birthday

Mrs. W. H. Smith will celebrate her 86th birthday on Saturday of this week when she will be honored with a dinner in the home of her daughter, Mrs. K. C. Scott and Mr. Scott. All of her children and all the grandchildren except one will be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Etheridge of Maljamar, N. Mex. spent the week end here in the home of Mrs. Etheridge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Ham.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Young took Mrs. Young's cousin, Mrs. W. T. West, to Kermit last Wednesday. Mrs. West had been in the hospital in Lubbock for several weeks.

Norma Terry Crowned Queen

At half time of the homecoming game between Whiteface and Wilson Friday night, Miss Norma Terry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chang Terry of the New Lynn Community, was crowned football queen.

WARD OF THANKS

We wish to express to kind neighbors and thoughtful friends our heartfelt thanks for their many expressions of sympathy at the passing of our brother, C. A. Schilling, of Wichita Kan. The beautiful floral offerings were especially appreciated.

We Will Be

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Advertisement for Citizens State Bank, featuring 'We Will Be' and 'CLOSED MONDAY, NOV. 12'.

Advertisement for EASY CUSTOM SPIRALATOR AUTOMATIC, featuring an image of the washing machine and text: 'Save \$50.00 only \$249.95'.

Advertisement for GE Skillet and Iron, featuring images of the products and text: 'NEW AUTOMATIC SKILLET 1195' and 'WASTE BASKET IRONING BOARD'.

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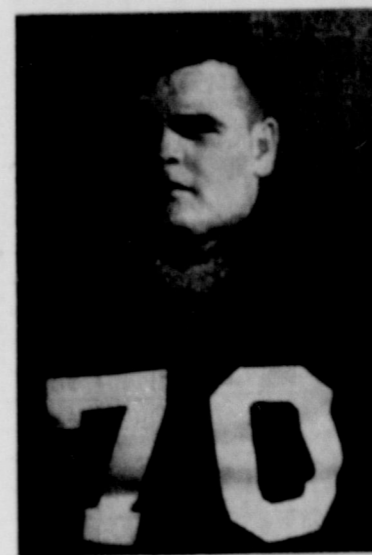
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8:00 p.m.

TONIGHT



Eugene Hopkins

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| Slaton 19 | Crosbyton 13 |
| Slaton 6 | Seagraves 12 |
| Slaton 13 | Sudan 14 |
| Slaton 39 | Roscoe 14 |
| * Slaton 14 | Post 27 |
| * Slaton 6 | Lockney 31 |
| * Slaton 6 | Spur 52 |
| * Slaton 6 | Floydada 25 |
| * Slaton 14 | Tahoka 20 |
| * Nov. 9, Abernathy, Here | |
| * Conference Games | |

A SALUTE TO THE SLATON TIGERS SENIORS

The boys pictured on this page will be playing their last football game for the Slaton Tigers tonight. So why not go out to the game and show them that WIN or LOSE you are backing them all the way. These are the boys who for three years have been representing your high school on the field of play. They deserve your support. So make it a point to go to the final game of the season for the Slaton Tigers and these fine SENIORS.



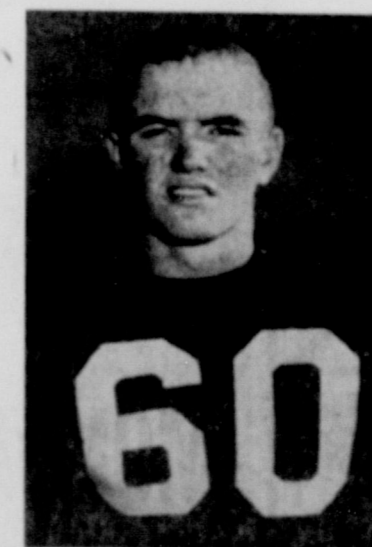
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Mrs. Stella Shelton had as her guests over the week end her sister, Mrs. T. A. Bippus, and son, Dale, and Miss Nelda Williams of Amarillo, and her brother, H. V. Singleterry and Mrs. Singleterry, and Mary Frances and Sammy Davis, and Mrs. Dora Mae Felty of Clovis, N. Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Haire and Johnny visited last week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. King of Floydada, former residents of Southland.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Self Jr. attended funeral services in Goree Friday for Mrs. Self's grandfather, C. C. Cunningham.

OLDSMOBILES ON DISPLAY HERE FRIDAY

Oldsmobile, boasting the most sweeping change in the last 20 years, will introduce new models in dealer showrooms Friday.

This new car will be on display in Slaton at the Davis Motor Company.

The 1957 Oldsmobile silhouette will be two inches lower and nearly five inches longer and will be available in 17 body styles in three series of cars.

Outstanding styling note will be an "accent stripe," which will give the car a two-tone effect with the car painted one color and the "ac-

cent stripe" in a contrasting color. The styling innovation is created by the use of two narrow chrome moldings running more than half the length of the car's side panels.

Front End Style

The Oldsmobile front end styling includes a "hi-lo" bumper incorporating massive upper and lower bumper bars for double protection. Chrome block letters will spell out the Oldsmobile name across the grille.

Mechanical advances include a wider and heavier chassis, new "pivot-raise" front suspension that resists dipping, improved rear suspension, 14-inch wheels and a new 277 horsepower "Rocket" engine.

The frame is eight inches wider than in 1956. The front suspension is designed to prevent the front end from nosing down when the brakes are applied. Rear shock absorbers have been moved to a position outside the leaf springs in order to obtain a wider spring base and to reduce roll on curves.

Instrument Panel

A strut-mounted instrument panel was adapted from Oldsmobile's experimental Delta. It includes recessed instruments and a deeply recessed steering wheel.

Oldsmobile will be first in the industry to utilize "printed" electric-circuits in both the dash area and in the radio. The new system will simplify maintenance.

Pat Stansell, who is a student at Texas Tech, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Stansell.

E. C. Hinds, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Martha Stallings, for the past three weeks, returned to home in Salona Beach, Calif. Sunday.

Mrs. Earnest Short and Kay and Mrs. Short's mother, Mrs. Ruby Wood, visited in Post Sunday with Mrs. Short's daughter, Mrs. Shorty Hester, and Mr. Hester.

Week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Brewer were Mr. Brewer's sister, Mrs. Bill McDavid, Mr. McDavid and Jane of Waco and his brother, Dr. J. H. Brewer Jr., and Mrs. Brewer of Levelland, and Terry McDavid, who is a student at Texas Tech.

Commercially speaking, the Douglas fir is more valuable than any other tree.

The new "Rocket" engine has been boosted from 240 to 277 horsepower and the four-barrel quad-jet carburetor is now standard on all series.

Thirteen new colors have been added to make a total of 22. Six of the colors are in the high luster "lucite" finish introduced by Oldsmobile last year.

Mesdames Weldon Callaway, Horace Wheeler, Kenneth Davies, J. Oats, Dan Siewert, Sam Martin, Harley Martin, Don Pennell, Glen Smallwood, and Hul Haire of Southland were in Lubbock for the official visit of the Worthy Grand Matron, Pauline Smith, at Lubbock Chapter 76. Mrs. Haire was presented as a member of the publications committee of the Grand Chapter of Texas Order of the Eastern Star.

Week end guests of the Leonard Ehrlers were Lt. and Mrs. Dameron Ray Spruill and Nancy of Roswell who spent Saturday evening. On Sunday night Mr. and Mrs. Morris Ledger of Marfa, Bob Jeaux De Vine of Clovis, and Miss Natalie Cobb of Lubbock were dinner guests of the Ehrlers. Ledger is a former teacher in the Slaton schools.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hickman and Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Nesbit of Snyder visited in San Angelo over the week end in the home of Dr. Nesbit's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Nesbit.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Turner had as their guests over the week end their daughter, Mrs. Harvey Allen, and Mr. Allen of Hobbs, N. Mex., their son, Jack, and his son, Pete, also of Hobbs visited with them Sunday.

WANT ADS GET RESULTS



STRENGTH FOR THE WEEK

"Strive to enter in at the strait gate, for many, I say unto you, will seek to enter in and shall not be able." Luke 13:24.

To strive means to strain or exert every nerve of the body and soul. Men of this age are in the habit of living easy. There is not much strain for some to live now, not like our forefathers who worked for 40 to 75 cents a day and glad to get that. They plowed with oxen or one horse raising blackeyed peas and yams to be stored away for the cold months ahead. Today we have become accustomed to a line of push buttons to do our work for us, taking the strain off us.

But stop a minute men and brethren. God's way is higher than our way, so are his thoughts higher than our thoughts. Neither has the Lord any push buttons for salvation. If our dads had to strive to enter in, I am sure we, the children, will have to do the same to enter in. Many will seek but shall not be able, so it says, but why? we may ask. Because too many look for an easy way.

The question is why strive when it would seem so easy. The devil, my friend, stands before us day and night to lure us; to entice us and tempt us; to laugh and to mock if we do not go along with him. Therefore, we wrestle not against the flesh and blood but against powers and principalities, against rulers of darkness and spiritual wickedness.

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Wee to the inhabitants of the earth and of the sun, for the devil is come down unto you having great wrath because he knoweth he hath but a short time left. Brethren, if we are to get to heaven we will have to do more than push buttons. We will have to burn midnight oil and stay on our knees and watch till Jesus comes.

—W. T. Toles, pastor of the Church of God

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith returned from a two weeks vacation Sunday. In San Angelo the C. E. Smiths visited Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Don L. Cummings, Mr. Cummings and family and the R. L. Smiths visited their son, T. W. Smith, and family. Both families attended the O. E. S. Grand Chapter in Ft. Worth. From Ft. Worth the R. L. Smiths went to Topeka, Kan. and visited with Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. R. L. Smith Sr. and his sister, Mrs. Ed Grimes, Mr. Grimes and family. The C. E. Smiths went on to Burchard, Neb. where they were again joined by the R. L. Smiths for a visit with the Smith men's uncle, R. H. Smith, and Mrs. Smith. The rest of their vacation was taken up sight seeing in the Ozarks.

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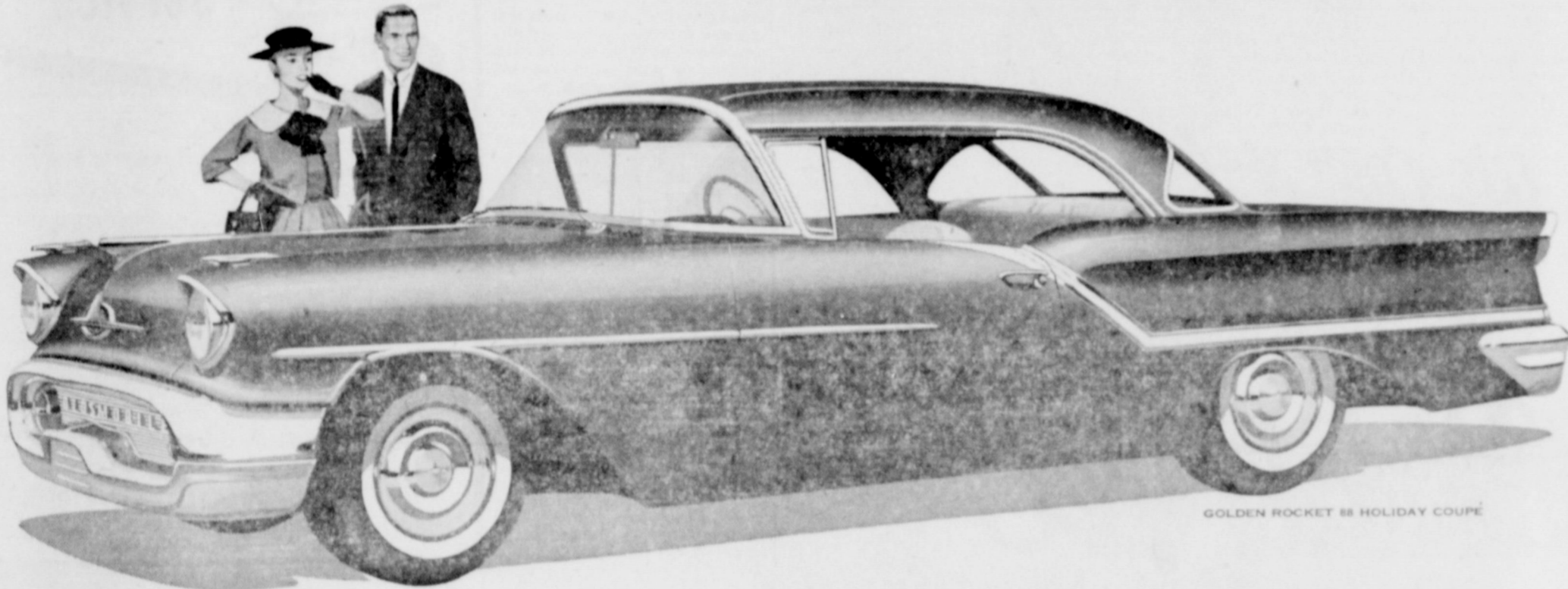
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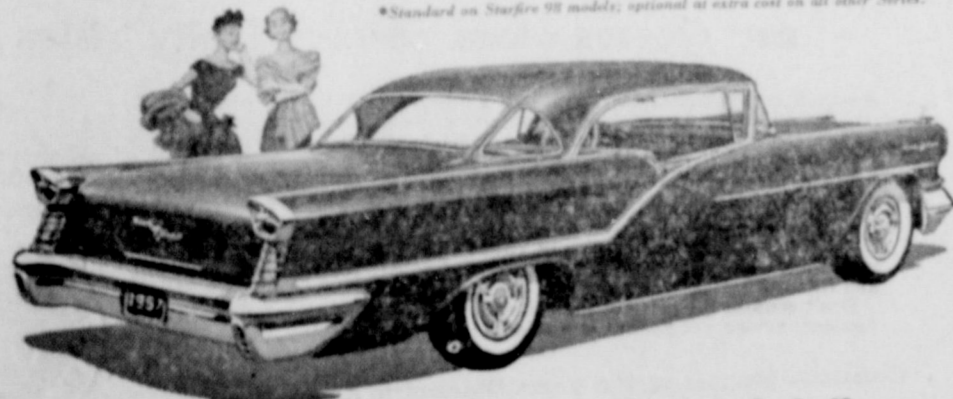
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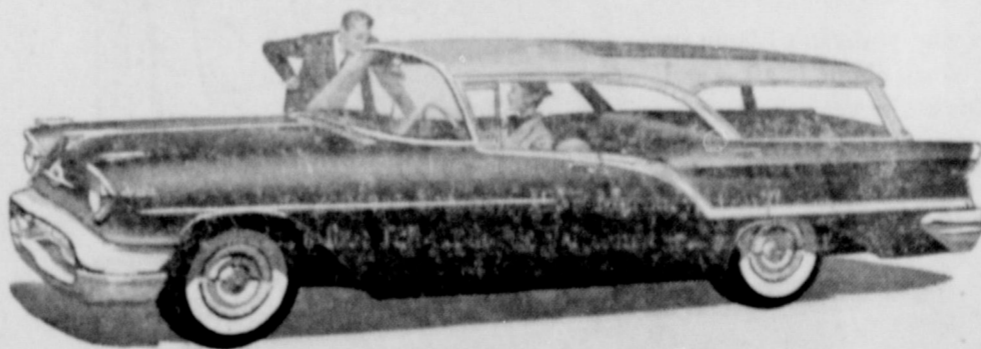
So much that's new—so much that's exclusively Olds! Come in now and make your choice—from 17 glorious models in three great Oldsmobile Series . . . GOLDEN ROCKET 88, SUPER 88, STARFIRE 98. In every model you'll find the new styling values—the new engineering values that tell why your investment holds when you go over to Olds!

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*Standard on Starfire 98 models; optional in extra cost on all other Series.

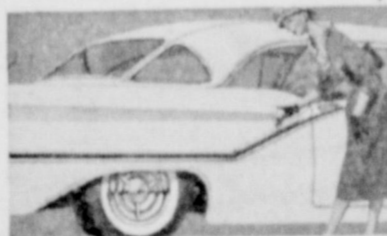


Unmistakably, the accent's on luxury in the Starfire 98 Series. Available in four glamorous models. Jetaway Hydra-Matic, Power Steering, Pedal-Ease Power Brakes and many other extra-value features are standard equipment.

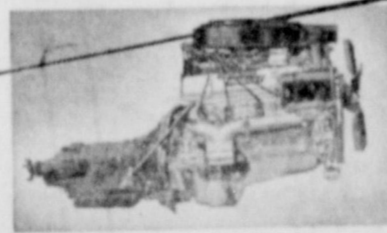


Oldsmobile introduces a brilliant new combination of hardtop glamor and rugged utility to station wagon design! Shown above, the "geared-for-action" Super 88 Fiesta. Two other 4-Door Fiestas are available in the Golden Rocket 88 Series.

This year, the accent's on Oldsmobile—the car that puts the accent on You! Just look! It's the completely new Oldsmobile for '57! The car with styling that spotlights you . . . the car with the features that benefit you . . . the car with the value that safeguards your investment! Let us show you! Now, more than ever, it's true . . . Only Olds could be so New!



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- Matching dryer on same contract
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New Buicks Have More Room, Power

The 1957 Buick, with a new V-8 engine generating 300 horsepower in the Roadmaster, Super and Century series, will be introduced in dealer showrooms Monday.

More engineering and styling improvements have been packed in the 1957 model than in any previous Buick in history," said W. C. Williams, proprietor of the Williams Buick Co. in Slaton. Mr. Williams will have these new cars on display Monday.

The new line features lower, roomier bodies, some models reduced in height as much as 3 1/2 inches from last year.

New styling presents bigger panoramic windshields with a more rakish slant to the pillars. The hood line has been lowered and the fender lines raised, accentuating the long, low silhouette.

Long-flowing rear fenders are capped by a chrome bezel which houses tail and directional signal lamps and backup lights.

The variable pitch Dynaflo transmission is continued as standard equipment on Roadmaster, Su-

per and Century models and optional on Special models.

Two new features have been incorporated in the front end suspension system. For the first time a ball-joint suspension is used, improving the stability of the car on corners and curves, and a new anti-diver device reduces front end dive on fast stops by approximately 60 per cent.

Optional on all models is a safety minder, which buzzes constantly when a predetermined speed is reached. The safety minder can be set at any speed desired by turning a knob on the instrument panel.

Buick's 1957 line comes in 20 body styles with a two and four-door hardtop and a convertible in each series. A two and four-door sedan are offered in the Special series only.

Three estate wagons, two of them in four-door hardtop styling, are offered in the Special series only.

New Buicks come in two wheelbases, 127 1/2 inches for the Roadmaster and Super and 122 inches for the Century and Special.

Ettie Mathis, Mike Haddock, and Gene Berkley spent the week end in Colorado Springs, Colo. visiting in the home of Miss Mathis' sister, Mrs. Elmer Gollenhon, and Mr. Gollenhon.



By Vern Sanford Texas Press Association

AUSTIN, Tex.—Good news from Gov. Allan Shivers.

Texas' Governor reports that the State will begin the new biennium with a \$50,000,000 surplus. He also advised the Texas Research League, to whom he made the announcement, that under the same general budget now in use, a tax bill might be avoided by the upcoming legislature.

Four future needs were listed by the retiring governor, for the Legislature's consideration.

1. Full-time paid parole supervisors.

2. Authority to back up responsibilities placed on the governor.

3. Abolition of earmarked special funds.

4. A building for housing state archives.

Austin's biggest spotlight will, of course, be turned on the Capitol building come January. Arrival of a new Legislature will quicken the tempo of the city. Large turnovers in the summer primaries mean a horde of newcomers to both houses.

CRUSADE FOR ARCHIVES—Legislators likely will hear many pleas for a "permanent and proper home" for Texas archives.

Group after group has joined the crusade to protect the state's historical documents. Their theme: a remote Quonset hut is no fitting place to house the original Texas Declaration of Independence

and William B. Travis' famous "victory or death" letter from the Alamo.

Besides being unhandy and unsuitable, say the crusaders, the hut is unsafe. It's the same building where Highway Department records burned two years ago. It's leaky, and some water already has seeped in and damaged some documents.

Texas State Historical Foundation is taking the lead in rallying its 1,400 members and other tradition-minded groups to seek legislative action.

WATER MONEY SOUGHT—Texas Water Resources Committee is working against time to have a statewide water conservation program ready for the next Legislature.

Already approved by committee is a proposed \$10,000,000 appropriation to buy storage space in federal reservoirs.

Three other proposals are being re-written and will be taken up at a December meeting. They are (1) an anti-pollution bill to deal with contamination of underground water supplies, (2) a constitutional amendment to set up a \$100,000,000 bond fund to finance local conservation projects and (3) an enabling bill to finance the bond revenue.

Also still being considered is a three-percent property tax with proceeds marked for water conservation. Some observers have suggested that several plans operating all

at once will be needed to finance the kind of water program Texas needs. Texas League of Municipalities is backing a \$300,000,000 program.

SAM HOUSTON SHRINE—Another request of the Legislature, this one from Huntsville, will be laid before both houses in Austin, come January. Asked for will be \$82,000 to add three new wings to the Sam Houston Memorial Museum, plus a \$3,000 appropriation increase for maintenance.

GAS PRICING FORMULA—Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd has filed a "friend of the court" brief in the case of Panhandle Eastern Pipeline Co. vs. The City of Detroit. He wants the U. S. Supreme Court to review a decision by the court of appeals for the District of Columbia.

Shepperd's complaint is that the appeals court decision compels the FPC to use a gas pricing formula that penalizes small producers. "The Federal Government should not have the power to fix Texas natural gas prices," Shepperd contended, "but if they assert that power, then the FPC should determine local prices on a local basis." CHRISTMAS IS WHITE HOPE—Despite a steady four-months sales decline, Texas merchants still think Christmas will cure the year's average.

Opinion surveys by the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research show that "typical merchants are confident that holiday business will surpass 1955 and that satisfactory volume can be expected well into 1957."

Latest figures pointed the other way. September sales were down 12 percent from a year ago, and the year as a whole was 6 per cent under 1955. Slipping significantly from last year were: Automobiles, 28 per cent; Food Stores, 18 per cent; Furniture, 13 per cent; Building Materials, 13 per cent.

Bureau explanation in a nutshell: People bought so heavily in '55 they're having to use '56 income to

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gathings of Dallas were week end guests in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Robert Vivial, Mr. Vivial and girls.

The Rev. and Mrs. Myrel Hickman of Oklahoma City, Okla. visited here over the week end in the home of Mrs. Hickman's sister, Mrs. J. B. Smith, and Mr. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. James Haliburton and children of Lubbock visited here over the week end in the home of Mrs. Haliburton's mother, Mrs. L. C. Tucker, Mrs. Vern Johnson of Sherman is a visitor in the Tucker home this week.

pay off the installments.

FARMERS AT WORK—Wide-spread rains, though generally light, put farmers to work day and night. It was a chance to get winter crops in before the soil dried out again. But it wasn't soon enough, say agriculture experts, to prevent a hard winter for livestock owners.

"It's pretty late in the year for enough winter grazing to be produced... herds will require heavy supplemental feeding," said a spokesman for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "But with additional moisture, farmers and ranchers can begin their 'come-back' next spring and summer."

SHORT SNORTS—Frank A. Driskill is the new administrative assistant to Land Commr. Earl Rudder. Driskill, a Crockett businessman, succeeds Douglas Weitzel who went to Longview as an investigator in the district attorney's office.

Six major air-sampling stations will operate in Texas after the first of the year, reports the State Department of Health. Sites will be Dallas, Houston, Corpus Christi, San Antonio, El Paso and Point O'Connor on the Gulf Coast. Air will be tested for sources and types of contamination. State assistance for Austin city finances was suggested by a Travis County grand jury last week. It noted that the city furnishes police and fire protection and other governmental services to state institutions and buildings—all except from city taxes. Texas contributions of \$5,000 have been sent to Europe to help feed refugees in Hungary, according to John Gillies, Texas Director of the Christian Rural Overseas Program. Request has gone to Washington for approval of 1957 Texas cotton acreage allotments, the Texas Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee has announced. Figures were not released. West Texas cotton farmers say they will be unable to repay their obligations and make a normal income unless their acreage quotas are increased.

Lawrence E. Ledbetter, superintendent of the Capitol building and grounds, has retired after 38 years of state service. He was among 17 long-time employees of the Board of Control to retire at the same time. A new policy of that department makes retirement compulsory at the age of 72. Those leaving ranged in age from 70 to 82.



NEW ARRIVALS IN SLATON

Born Oct. 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Prisco Parra, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital a boy weighing 8 pounds and 15 ounces.

Born Nov. 1 to Mr. and Mrs. Matias Delgado, Rt. 2, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital a boy weighing 6 pounds and 6 ounces.

Born Nov. 1 to Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Kinder, 1045 South 12, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital a girl weighing 8 pounds.

Born Nov. 1 to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Espinosa, Rt. 2, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital a girl weighing 5 pounds and 11 ounces.

Born Nov. 2 to Mr. and Mrs. Santos Olivia, Wilson, in Mercy Hospital a girl weighing 7 pounds.

Born Nov. 3 to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Pruitt, Post, in Mercy Hospital a boy weighing 8 pounds and 1 ounce.

Born Nov. 4 to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kuykendall, Post, in Mercy Hospital a boy weighing 8 pounds and 14 ounces.

Born Nov. 5 to Mr. and Mrs. Eloy Sanchez, Wilson, in Mercy Hospital

a boy weighing 6 pounds and 4 ounces.
Born Nov. 5 to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Devroe, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital a boy weighing 8 pounds.
Born Nov. 5 to Mr. and Mrs. Edward McBride, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital a boy weighing 7 pounds and 1 ounce.
Born Nov. 6 to Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Pineda in Mercy Hospital a girl weighing 5 pounds and 5 ounces.
Born Nov. 6 to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Alexander, 530 W. Division, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital a boy weighing 7 pound sand 8 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Shelton and family of Lubbock visited here Sunday in the home of Mr. Shelton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Shelton. Mrs. Nellie Wall of Lubbock visited in the Shelton home last Monday.

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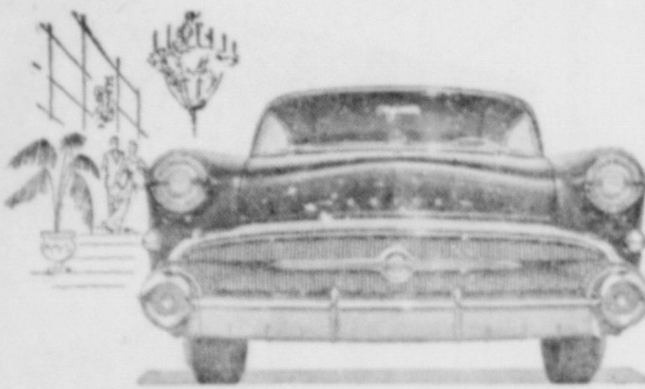
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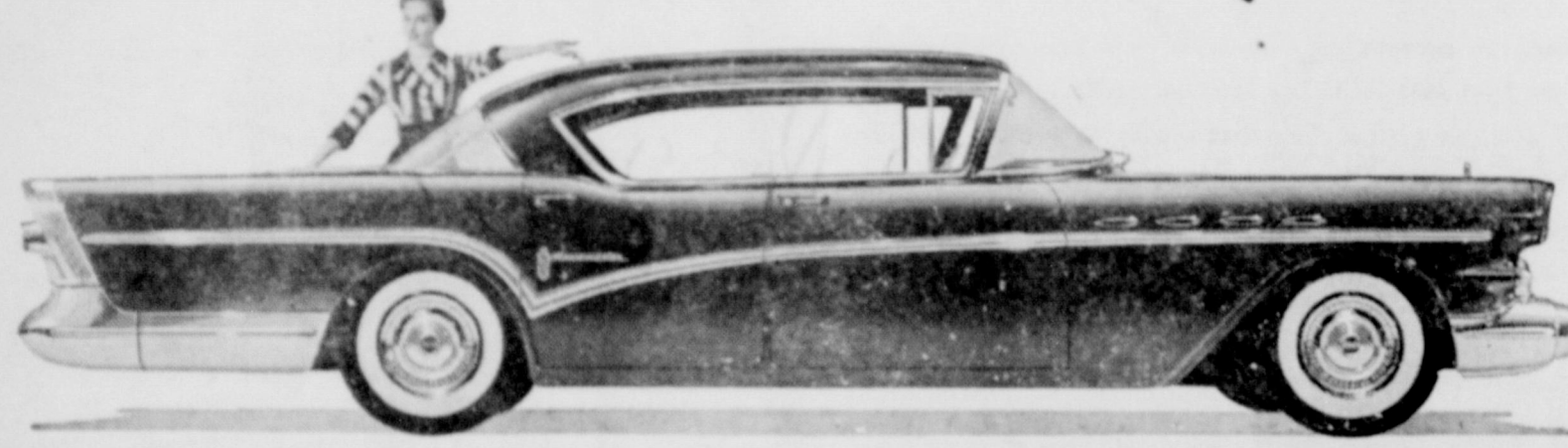
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Sue Robertson accompanied by mother, Mrs. A. L. Robertson, to Austin last week end where Mrs. Robertson visited her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Kimbro, and Mr. Kimbro while Mr. Robertson went to Houston for Rice homecoming game. Mrs. Kimbro arrived Wednesday for a two weeks visit with her mother.

Mrs. Floyd King and Brice King and son visited in Muleshoe Sunday with Mrs. King's brother, B. Q. Furrh, and Mrs. Furrh, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. King.

Doug Williams was in Dallas last week for the showing of the new 1957 Buick.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stokes spent the week end in Dallas visiting their son, Gerald Stokes.

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Area Farm Yields Elephant's Bones

Several bones, identified as those of an elephant inhabiting this area about 20,000 years ago, have been discovered on the Robertson ranch in southwestern Crosby county.

A. Sug Robertson, 3508 45th st., Lubbock, owner of the ranch, said the bones were discovered during the past month by employees of a gravel company of Lubbock who were working a gravel deposit on the ranch.

The bones have been donated to the museum at Texas Tech.

Dr. W. C. Holden, museum director, said the bones were evidently those of a small elephant since the tusk measured only three inches in diameter.

Similar bones have been discovered frequently over the Southwest, Holden said. It is believed that the elephants inhabited the area between 20,000 and 30,000 years ago when the climate here was similar to that in the higher-elevation regions of Africa.

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"Dream car" design for driving today is offered by Mercury in its completely new line for 1957. Representing one of the most extensive model changes in history, the 1957 Mercury has a unique styling theme highlighted by graceful, sculptured side projectiles topping low rear fenders and terminating in massive V-angle tail-lights. Entirely new, bigger bodies designed especially for Mercury are wider and longer and roomier, giving more passenger comfort. Overall height has been reduced four inches, yet head room has been increased two inches. A softer ride, better handling and roadability result from newly engineered chassis features, which include the industry's first air-cushion rear suspension on many models. A choice of a 255 hp. or 290 hp. V-8 engine is offered in Mercury's 15 new models in Monterey, Montclair and station wagon series. Pictured is the Mercury Montclair four-door sedan.

New 1957 Mercury Goes on Display Monday at Slaton Motor Company

Mercury will set an industry record never equaled for a "dream car" to-production model when dealers introduce the 1957 Mercurys in showrooms all over the United States on November 12. They will be on display in Slaton at the Slaton Motor Company.

The 1957 Mercury is 5 inches longer than the previous model, 3 inches wider and 4 inches lower. Headroom has been increased 2 inches and there is also more hip room and leg room. Wheelbase is up 3 inches from 119 to 122 inches and the front tread is one and a half inches wider.

The new Mercury styling with the thin, crisp roof with its distinctive front and rear overhang has slim but rugged pillars supporting the roof front and rear.

With sharply reduced car height, the roof has become an integral part of car design. First to recognize this important transition, Mer-

cury has imposed a clean-cut channel in the center of the roof which continues in the rear deck with the channel extending past the rear window into the package tray. For better vision, total glass area has been increased by 700 square inches.

Mechanically as well as in styling design, the 1957 Mercury makes noteworthy strides forward. Outstanding features are:

New Features
New Keyboard control with Mer-O-Matic transmission which is mounted on the instrument panel to the left of the steering column.

Air cushion rear suspension—first in the industry for passenger cars—is featured in many models as part of Mercury's all-new "floating ride," designed to smother bumps, vibrations and road noises and provide smooth, effortless driving.

New "floating ride"—which provides jolt-free comfort at all times and includes new, improved springing action with longer, softer front coil springs and more flexible rear leaf springs; swept-back ball-joint front suspension through which the front wheels are pulled over, rather than pushed into bumps; a lower center of gravity and scientific weight distribution which contribute to better ride, easier handling and more responsive steering.

New Station Wagons with "passenger car" riding comfort—feature air cushion rear suspension; are 10 inches longer, lower, wider, more spacious and carry 9 passengers.

New Chassis—for increased safety, durability and improved road-handling qualities; new, stronger, bow-shaped frame (12.5 inches longer and 14.5 inches wider) permits lowering the floor in combination with a new straddle-mounted rear axle with increased offset drive pinion, lower floor tunnel and reduced height with more headroom.

New 14-inch wheels—have extra low-pressure tires on wide-shouldered 6-inch rims which contribute

to improved ride and lowered car height.

New, bigger brakes—with rear wheel brake size increased from 2 to 2.5 inches on all 1957 Mercurys and on front wheel brakes from 2.50 inches to 3 inches on Mercurys equipped with the Turnpike Cruiser engine.

Safety group—includes a special safety jacket which protects children with a scientifically designed jacket with built-in harness attaching to seat belts; plus new front seat track stop to keep seat from leaving its tracks, impact-absorbing steering wheel, new safety door locks and padded instrument panel and sun visors.

New Power Booster fan—which saves up to 17 horsepower that other cars usually waste, boosts performance, saves fuel and reduces engine sound.

New 4-barrel carburetor with low silhouette and dual intakes which control carburetor air temperature in summer and winter driving.

New Body features—include new high-level, controlled cowl ventilation with fresh air taken into passenger compartment away from the exhaust air level; new, high density, fibreglass roof insulation which absorbs all types of noises and protects from heat and cold.

New body colors—include 16 new colors including: fio-tones with one color on the roof, projectile-shaped rear fender tops and the lower body area with a contrasting color on the remainder of the body including hood and rear deck; two-tones with a second color on the roof and the projectiles and solid color cars with the projectiles painted a harmonizing or contrasting color.

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Legionnaires Plan Church Attendance In Group Nov. 11

Members of the American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary will attend church services in a group at the Westview Baptist Church on Veteran's Day, Sunday, Nov. 11, at 11 a. m. The legion and Auxiliary have jointly sponsored a "back-to-God" movement for the past several years. This year they encourage church attendance.

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Our greatest hope is the Church, which throughout the ages, has unceasingly taught the need for moving together toward a common goal. And only the Church has pointed the Way toward that goal.

Join forces with the multitudes in every land who seek the highest goals. Worship with them the only Prince of Peace. And, believing with all Christians in the might of Right, work toward our God-promised destiny.

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| Day | Book | Chapter | Verses |
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| Sunday | Psalm | 91 | 1-16 |
| Monday | Isaiah | 2 | 3-5 |
| Tuesday | Luke | 10 | 25-37 |
| Wednesday | Luke | 12 | 22-34 |
| Thursday | Luke | 13 | 1-10 |
| Friday | I John | 4 | 7-21 |
| Saturday | Psalm | 8 | 1-9 |

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Tigers' Mothers Club Meets

The Tigers' Mothers Club met Monday, Nov. 5, at 8 p. m. in the high school. This was their final meeting for this year.

Plans were made for a turkey dinner to be given after the Abernathy-Slaton game tonight for the varsity and B-team football boys and their dates.

Twelve members were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walters visited in Noble, Norman, and Oklahoma City, Okla. over the week end with relatives and friends.

LOWER BARRIERS

A special White House survey, urging sweeping changes in American trade policies, has strengthened the sentiment for the lowering of tariffs and other barriers now restricting foreign exports to the United States. The report was drafted by thirteen American business, labor and farm leaders and the recommendations coincided almost exactly with what British and other allied officials have been hoping this country would do.

U. S. HOUSING

The Census Bureau reports that there were 45,983,398 dwelling units in the country as of April, 1950. This was an increase of 23 per cent over the 1940 total of 37,325,470 units. Arizona led all the states with a 47 per cent gain in new houses.

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Mrs. E. E. Culver Hostess to SS Class

The Dorcas Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. E. E. Culver Thursday, Nov. 1, at 3 a. m. The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Clyde Shaw. Each member answered roll call with their favorite Bible verse.

Mrs. Dudley Berry gave the devotional on "How big is your Bi-

ble?" Mrs. Culver, president, presided over the business meeting. Each officer presented their monthly report.

Mrs. C. W. Jennings was in charge of a social period in which Bible games were played.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames C. R. Bain, Sam Phillips, Berry, Shaw, Sam Wilson, Tommy Johnson, H. V. Jarman, Birdie Meyer, Jennings, Joe Wilson, and E. C. Carroll. Mrs. A. T. Wright was a visitor.

Study Club Gets Tips on Hair for Self Improvement

Mrs. Phillip Dawson was in charge of a program on "Self Improvement: Hair" at a meeting of the Athenian Study Club in the home of Mrs. H. F. Martens Tuesday, Nov. 6. Mrs. Dawson introduced her guest speaker Mickie Whisinant, instructor at Jessie Lee's Beauty School in Lubbock. To exemplify her tips on improvement of the hair, Mickie used a model, Sandy Hill of Lubbock.

The study club made plans to select Slaton's Woman-of-the-Year to be presented at the 1956 Chamber of Commerce banquet.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames R. W. Bowman, Dick Cheatham, Surman Clark, M. G. Davis, Dawson, J. E. Eckert Jr.,

T. E. L. Class Met Tuesday

The T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 6, in the home of Mrs. Fannie Patterson. Mrs. A. J. Baker gave the devotional. Mrs. E. M. Lott presided over a short business meeting.

Pie and coffee were served to Mesdames Lott, Baker, Essie Privett, Ed Meyers, J. A. Douglas, W. M. Rust, and J. W. Crawford.

The next meeting will be on December 14 at 6:30 p. m. in the Fellowship Hall of the church. It will be the class Christmas party.

George Harlan, S. H. Jaynes, Wayne Kenney, R. B. Lain, Weldon Meador, J. D. Perkins, and L. A. Reasoner.

Girl Scout Troop 6 Work on Scrapbooks

Girl Scout Troop 6 met Thursday, Nov. 2, in the Alton Meeks' home. Scouts who hadn't completed their scrapbooks worked on them. The other scouts popped corn and made chocolate fudge.

Members of the troop present were: Nancy Anderson, Susan Lovelady, Janet Martin, Patricia McSween, Margaret Meeks, Areta Privett, Lundie Roche, Melva Wall, Carolyn Newcomb, Jerry Eddings, and Glenda Bounds. Leaders present were: Mesdames Buford Martin, Melvin Wall, and Meeks. There was one visitor, Gerry Clark.

The next meeting of the troop will be Thursday, Nov. 8, from 4 to 5:30 p. m. in the study hall at the Junior High School building.

A CARD OF THANKS

I want to say thank you for the beautiful flowers, gifts, cards, letters, food, visits, and other deeds that were done to comfort me during my recent illness. To those who donated blood and those who offered to donate blood, to the doctors and nurses—may I say a kind thanks. It's people like each of you that make life worth living.
—Mrs. E. W. Stokes



W. A. J. CARTER, division superintendent, and Mrs. Jessie Prosser look at a watch presented to Mrs. Prosser earlier by J. W. Bagby, chief clerk, as a retirement gift by employees of the Santa Fe. The cedar chest in front of them was another gift given to Mrs. Prosser in appreciation of her 38 years of service.

poets. Besides her work at the office, she is a Past Matron of the Eastern Star and has been quite active in work at the First Methodist Church where she is a member.

Seven years ago Mrs. Prosser began work at the Presbyterian Mexican Mission on Sunday afternoons. Now she teaches in the Sunday school and is an ardent worker in all of the activities of the mission.

Mrs. Prosser hopes to fulfill her dream to take courses at Moody Bible Institute in Chicago in some phase of work with children or missions.

Honored With Dinner

On Thursday, October 25, the women who work in the Santa Fe offices gave a dinner for Mrs. Prosser at Underwoods in Lubbock. Ten women were present.

has so much reading to catch up on. She loves to read the works of the

Mrs. Jessie Prosser Retires After 38 Years With SF

Mrs. Jessie Prosser was showing her successor around on Wednesday, Oct. 31, when she walked into an office full of Santa Fe employees who were already passing around coffee and doughnuts. She immediately joined in the friendly banter without realizing that the party was in her honor. After 38 years of employment with the Santa Fe Railway, Mrs. Prosser was retiring and fellow employees wanted to express their appreciation of her work.

Mrs. Prosser was Jessie Jones before her marriage. Plainview is her hometown. She now lives here with a sister, Mrs. L. T. Arthur.

Began as Temporary Employee
On June 1, 1918, Mrs. Prosser began working for Santa Fe in Plainview as a temporary employee. Before moving to Slaton in August, 1932, she worked at the Santa Fe office in Lubbock.

At the time of her retirement, Mrs. Prosser's official title was assistant maintenance clerk. Actually, the job was handling contracts and leases, said Mrs. Prosser. She worked in the engineering department with Mr. R. D. Bisbee and Mr. S. A. Peavy.

Lots of Reading to Do
Work has taken up most of Mrs. Prosser's time. She says that she

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Edmo Stell of Roswell, N. Mex. visited over the week end in the home of his son, J. D. Stell, and Mrs. Stell.

Mrs. and Mrs. W. S. Sikes had as their guests last week end Mrs. Sikes' sister, Mrs. George Gilham, and Mrs. Gilham of Claud and her mother, Mrs. Travis Knox, of Amarillo.

Mrs. R. F. Swafford visited in Slaton Wednesday and Thursday of the week in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Evans, and Mr. Evans.

Mrs. Joe Woosley of Seminole visited Monday here with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Raymond.

Mrs. Joe Rankin of Ralls spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Brasfield.

Services Held for Mrs. J. Pennington

Mrs. Jess Pennington, 78, died Monday night, Nov. 5, at Mercy Hospital.

Funeral services were held in the First Baptist Church Wednesday, Nov. 7, at 3 p. m. with Rev. Ted Gaze officiating, assisted by Rev. Elmer Crabtree. The pallbearers were her grandsons.

Mrs. Pennington was born in Missouri on May 1, 1878. She had been a resident of Lubbock county since 1927. Her home was located near Posey.

Survivors include her husband; three daughters, Mrs. George Hays; Mrs. Sara Balouchie, Albuquerque; and Mrs. Jack Blackburn, Vesalia, Calif.; one son, Frazer, Vesalia, Calif.; 17 grandchildren; and 8 great grandchildren.

Tracy Crawford, who is a student at Baylor University in Waco, visited here over the week end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Garrigues and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crawford. He was met here by his mother, Mrs. J. D. McPhaul, and Mr. McPhaul of Lamesa and together they attended Tech homecoming Saturday.

Ellie's CORN BEEF HASH



TEXAS DEMOC HEAD—Speaker of the Texas House of Representatives, Jim Lindsey of Texarkana, is the new chairman of the State Democratic Party. Chosen as one of the Five Most Outstanding Young Men in Texas last year, Lindsey, at 30, is the youngest Speaker and youngest Party Chairman in the state's history.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Angle and children spent the week end in Knox City visiting with Mrs. Angle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Q. C. Davis.

Mrs. Tip Anderson and Mrs. Frank Harris of Big Spring visited here Friday in the home of Mrs. Anderson's sister, Mrs. Cecil Long, and Mr. Long.

Services Held for Mrs. Annie Cavett

Funeral services for Mrs. Annie Cavett, 72, were held Saturday, Nov. 3, at 2:30 p. m. in the First Baptist Church with Rev. Ted Gaze officiating. Interment was in the Ralls Cemetery under the direction of Williams Funeral Home.

After a 3 months' illness, Mrs. Cavett died at 5 p. m. Thursday in the Mercy Hospital.

Mrs. Cavett was born March 21, 1884, in Erath County. She and her husband, the late D. F. Cavett, moved to Slaton in 1926. He was a retired farmer at the time of his death in 1948.

Mrs. Cavett had eight children; daughters, Mesdames John King of Tacoma, Wash., D. C. Harrison of Hobbs, Homer Wright of Lubbock, Charlie Archer of Clovis, Olen Dickerson of Slaton, and E. P. Fulkerson of Chicago, Ill.; sons, Ben Jr. of Slaton, and Houston Scott of Carlsbad. Mrs. King was unable to be present at the funeral. Others present at the funeral were: Mrs. Cavett's sisters, Mesdames Ethel Trammel of San Angelo, Nora Freeman of Abilene; brothers, Charlie McDermitt of Tucumcari, N. M., Troy McDermitt of Ralls, Fred McDermitt of Pueblo, Colo. Another brother, H. C. McDermitt of Abilene, was unable to be present. Mrs. Cavett had 21 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Don Pemberton and Gale of Plainview visited here Saturday in the home of Mrs. Pemberton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Arnold. Sunday the Arnolds' son, Marvin C. Arnold, of San Angelo visited with them.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Burge of Wichita Falls visited here last week end in the home of Mrs. Burge's daughter, Mrs. A. A. Webb, Mr. Webb and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Adkins visited in Midland Thursday and Thursday night with their daughter, Mrs. Travis Melton, Mr. Melton and boys. Mrs. Melton, Freddie and Billie returned to Slaton with the Adkinses and remained here until Sunday.

Mrs. H. B. Banks and son, Rodney, and F. W. Banks visited in Sweetwater over the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Swanson Aucutt.

If sold for the value of its chemical elements, the human body would be worth about 98 cents.

SS Class Has Halloween Party

The Junior II Class of the Westview Baptist Church had a Halloween party last week in the home of Jerry Eddings. Present were Carolyn Harper, Mary Ruth Green, Lundie Roche, Mary Sunday, Martha Ellis, and Billy Sue Baker. Assisting with the party were Mrs. George Green and Mrs. Bill Baker, class teacher. There were two guests, Betty Armstrong and Betty Brookshire.

The group went trick-or-treating, then returned to the Eddings' home to play games, dunk for apples and have refreshments.

Bee's wings vibrate 190 times a second.

Twelve Churches Report 1,320 in Church Schools

Attendance at church schools in Slaton Sunday, Nov. 4, totaled 1,320 in the 12 churches which reported.

Churches reporting and their attendance was as follows:
First Christian 54
Church of God 47
First Methodist 259
First Baptist 433
Church of the Nazarene 60
Westview Baptist 183
First Presbyterian 67
First Baptist Mission 59
Assembly of God 60
Pentecostal Holiness 43
Bible Baptist 42
Missionary Baptist 13

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our most sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for the kindness shown us in the recent months of illness and death of our mother and grandmother; for the food and beautiful floral offerings; for the prayers and cards. We also wish to thank the doctors, nurses, and Sisters for their faithfulness and service; the ministers for prayers and guiding counsel when it was most needed. May God's richest blessings be with each and every one of you in our sincere prayer.

—The Children, Grandchildren, Brothers and Sisters of Mrs. Annie Cavett

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Butler, Randy, and Billie of Seminole visited here Sunday with Mr. Butler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Butler, and Mrs. Butler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Boyce. Also visiting in the Butler home Sunday was their grandson, Darwin Duckett, and Mrs. Duckett of Ropes.

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COLLEGE STATION—High on the list of subjects discussed by members of the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council in their fall meeting held at Waco on September 11 was the problem of how to make rural Texans more safety conscious.

While the Council, composed of a group of men and women interested in making rural life safer and more pleasant, pondered the question, death struck only a few miles away. A farm tractor was being towed by a pickup and driven by a farm worker. Apparently, because of excessive speed and a fast slow-down, the tractor jerked, knocked and turned over several times killing the tractor driver. A terrible price to pay for the violation of a basic safety rule—that of moving farm equipment at a safe

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olve the element of chance. Don't try to make adjustments on machinery while the power is on or the machine is in operation. A hand, leg or life can be lost in an unguarded moment.

The Council is planning for more intensive work and requests the assistance of every interested person, organization, agency or group in carrying out their objective . . . that of preventing farm and home accidents in rural Texas.

Tractors can be killers, says Ulich, when they are operated in a careless manner. The specialist urges all farmers and others who operate tractors and other power driven farm machinery to always guard against practices which in-

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WILSON NEWS

By Ann Davidson
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Stegemoller and daughter of Childress visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ehlers and family, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Mosley spent the week end visiting relatives in Amarillo.

Rev. and Mrs. H. F. Scott and Mark left Sunday to attend the Texas Baptist General Convention which is being held in Corpus Christi this week.

Mrs. Earl Tunnell of Tahoka visited Mrs. H. C. Fountain on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Campbell visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim White of Muleshoe over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Key visited Mr. and Mrs. Billy Key of Sundown on Sunday.

Eugene Hill and Bill Brandt of Littlefield spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Teinert.

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church attended Week of Prayer with the Southern W. S. C. S. last week. Several ladies attended and reported a good attendance and good programs.

The youth of the Methodist Church and St. John's Lutheran Church "trick or treated" for CROP on Wednesday night. Afterwards they returned to the Methodist Church where a report was given and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Katie Nieman and Mary Ann Hendricks went to Lakeview on Tuesday night to help Willie Nieman celebrate his birthday.

Mrs. Loyd McCormick returned home from the hospital on Saturday after having been in the Methodist hospital since Monday. She is reported recovering nicely.

Miss Dorothy Knipping of Lamesa visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ehlers Friday night and attended homecoming activities at the high school.

The W. M. U. of the Baptist Church met Monday night for a social. Games were planned by Mrs. Arving Holder. Refreshments of punch, coffee, and cookies were served to seven members.

The Walter League of St. Paul's Lutheran Church met Wednesday night for a Halloween party. After Halloween trick games were played and the twenty guests enjoyed a wiener roast.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Coleman, Mr. and Claude Roper attended funeral services in Abernathy on Sunday afternoon for Janna Sue Robertson, two week-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Robertson. Janna was the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arl Gunn, Mr. and Mrs. Gunn also attended the funeral. The baby died Saturday afternoon in a Lubbock hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Schaffner of Slaton were lunch guests of Mrs. Katie Nieman on Sunday.

On Wednesday night Mrs. Charles Baker and Mrs. G. C. Watkins were hosts for a Halloween party honoring the beginners of the Baptist Church. The children were dressed in costumes for the occasion. Refreshments of punch and cookies were served to thirteen children. Afterwards the children went

"trick or treating"
The Ladies of St. Paul's Church met Sunday afternoon with thirteen members present. A report of the rally held in Plainview last month was given and plans made for a Christmas party. It was also reported that the rally next October would be held in Wilson. Rev. Heinemeier brought the last study on the topic, "Woman Suffrage in the Church."
In pep rally held Friday afternoon, Dewey Corley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Corley and a tri-captain of the Mustangs, was crowned pep squad beau by Norma Terry, head cheer leader.

The Business Women's Circle held the Brownfield Association meeting at the Baptist Church last Tuesday night. Mrs. Smith, community missions chairman was a guest speaker. The room was decorated with a Halloween motif. A jack-o-lantern, fall leaves and fruit formed the piece for the piano. Other fall leaves and a horn-ornament decorated another table. The refreshment table was laid with a lace cloth over yellow and centered with a bouquet of fall flowers. Miss Ann Davidson ladled punch and Dixie Hewlett served the cookies. The Y. W. A. girls had charge of decorations and planning and serving the refreshments. Guests attended from Brownfield, Floydada and Wilson.



"Campus Corner"

By Beverly Bland

Is everybody ready for this Friday night? If you haven't bought your wife daughter or mother a mum for the homecoming game, you had better hurry. Football sweetheart candidates are: Louise Moore, Junior; Charlotte Muse, senior; both are cheerleaders; Nancy Mosley, senior, majorette; and Marilyn Boyce, senior. As you all know we play Abernathy in the last game of the 56-57 season.

It's a good thing that the election is over because some of the students in the civics classes have been getting rather upset over candidate speeches. The history classes in SHS voted also Tuesday and Eisenhower won by only four votes. The Democratic party carried other votes.

The annual FHA banquet has been set for November 19 at the Lubbock Hotel. December 20 has been designated as the date for the banquet although it isn't known as yet where it will be held.

This Friday will be the last pep rally for the senior class and we would like to see many visitors there. There will be a dance at Tiger Town after the game Friday.

GRASS MACHINE HAS 6-DAY GROWING SEASON

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LIFE EXPECTANCY
Dr. Louis L. Dublin, insurance statistician, predicts an increase of four or five years in the average American's life expectancy during the next 20 or 25 years. Within this generation an average length of life of 73 years is likely. Women should live even longer—they can expect about three years more than this nation's level.

SOME FOG:
MAKFIELD, ENGLAND—The fog was so thick recently that a pack of 37 fox hounds, hot on the scent, out ran their masters and vanished into the fog. Leading the search for the lost dogs was the hunt's master, H. B. Parry, who declared, "We have never lost the pack before."

FOREIGN INVESTMENTS
Private investments by U. S. firms in foreign countries have jumped in the past nine years from a little over \$7,000,000,000 to about \$13,750,000,000, according to a Commerce Department report. American investments in Canada, at over \$3,500,000,000, were higher than in any other country at the end of 1950.

26 TIGERETTES BEGIN PRACTICE FOR 1956-57 ROUND BALL SEASON

SWEETHEARTS TO BE CHOSEN

Wednesday, Oct. 31, class meetings were held for the purpose of electing FFA and FHA sweethearts. The contest will be decided by the class having the most number of votes, and each cent raised counts one vote. The contest will end Friday, Nov. 16.

The senior class chose Helen Ann Norris for FFA Sweetheart and Dwayne Preston for FHA Sweetheart. The junior class sweethearts are: Alfred Blissard and Shirley Love; sophomores, Gail Huser and Pat Adamek; and the freshman class chose Sharon Boyd and Lee Meurer.

—The Tigers Cage

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You can substitute the name of any other state for that of Iowa—Ohio, Missouri, California, Texas, whatever. The amounts of money involved will vary, but in every case foreign trade has a big bearing on our material welfare. The figures for the country as a whole are enormously impressive—last year our exports were valued at \$14.3 billion and our imports at \$11.4 billion, and together they accounted for 1.5 million jobs within our borders.

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Robert Fulton was a portrait painter before he became an inventor.

It is colder at the antarctic than at the arctic.

Twenty-six girls are reporting for girls basketball this year according to Coach Marvin Smith. Of these 14 will be on the "A" squad with the remaining playing on the "B" squad.

The Tigerettes, defending the bi-district crown this year, have only three returning lettermen, Lana Smith, Alma Winn, and Beverly Bland. Other members of the squad will include: forwards—Marilyn Dickson, Shirley Forson, Maxey and Charlene Limmer; guards—Sunny Mudgett, Beth Louise Moore, Winnie McGee, Betty Joyce Green, Venita Gray and Sandra Long.

Girls representing the "B" squad will be: Pat Schilling, Frances Peggy Bownds, Sandra Wells, Shelley Kitten, Linda Buxkemper, Gail Huser, Irene Tomlinson, Mary McCormick, Eunice Wiley, Jenn Lee Christman, and Vicki Kirker.

A rough schedule faces the Tigerettes this year. It includes: Nov. 15, Friendship; Nov. 20, Ropewalk; Nov. 23, Lorenzo; Nov. 30, Mesquite; Dec. 4, Wilson; Dec. 6, New Deal Tournament; Dec. 11, New Deal; Dec. 18, Friendship; Dec. 21, Crosbyton; Dec. 27, 29, Crosbyton Tournament; Jan. 3, 4, Dimmitt Tournament; Jan. 8, Abernathy; Jan. 11, Crosbyton; Jan. 15, Tahoka; Jan. 18, Post; Jan. 22, Lockney; Jan. 25, Spur; Jan. 29, Floydada; Feb. 5, New Deal; Feb. 8, Tahoka; Feb. 12, Post; Feb. 15, Lockney; Feb. 19, Spur; Feb. 23, Floydada; and Feb. 26, Abernathy.

—The Tigers Cage

FHA Girls Set Date For Annual Banquet

The FHA Banquet is scheduled for Monday, Nov. 19, at 7:30 p. m. in the Lubbock Hotel.

The committee in charge of arrangements is Barbara Wilke, Ed Sain, Nancy Mosley, Helen Ann Norris, Betty Clark, Geneva Barrett, Dorothy Kitchens, Nan Huser and Lola Hopkins.

All members of FHA who have paid their dues are eligible to attend and they may bring a guest.

—The Tigers Cage

ATOM-BOMB AIRMEN

The Navy has announced that it is developing a corps of atom-bombardiers—flyers and ordnance experts trained in the highest and secret schools of nuclear warfare on use. Graduates of these courses are already at sea with the fleet or at naval air stations, flying carrier-based aircraft presumably capable of delivering any current type of atomic bomb.

5 IN SERVICE; 1 SON HOME
CHICAGO, ILL.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schmeda, the parents of five sons now in military service are happy to have their youngest son, Bob, 19, home on leave. Two other sons served overseas in World War II.

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SELF'S Service station

Commission Calls Election, Survey

Slaton City Commissioners Monday night passed an ordinance calling for an election on amendments to the City Charter, in addition to other routine actions.

The engineering firm of Parkhill, Smith, and Cooper was given the go-ahead for a complete survey of Slaton's sewer system. This will be the first complete survey of the sewer system since its installation in 1922. The survey is being accomplished in order to determine needs for Slaton's future growth.

The commissioners also granted permission to a group representing Slaton churches, for use of a room in City Hall for a Welfare Center.

Parkhill Funeral Held Thursday

Funeral services were held Thursday morning for George F. Parkhill, 82, who died Tuesday at Big Spring. He had been a resident for Slaton for 10 years.

The Rev. Buford Battin, Nazarene evangelist, and the Rev. Clifford McDougal, Baptist minister from Burnet, officiated at the services. Burial was in Englewood Cemetery.

In addition to his wife, Parkhill is survived by two daughters, Miss Zella Parkhill of Slaton, and Mrs. W. P. Basham, Tulsa, Okla.; two brothers, E. L. of Whitesboro, and Henry, F. Worth; two sisters, Mrs. W. P. Orrell, Forestburg, and Mrs. M. M. Landers, St. Jo; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

F. H. A. to Collect Christmas Cards

Slaton F. H. A. Chapters will participate in the State project of collecting Christmas cards to send to State hospitals and tuberculosis hospitals. Below is a letter which explains this State project:

Dear Future Homemakers: It is time to make plans for Christmas. As before, I hope you will include that wonderful project of collecting Christmas cards for the patients in our state hospitals and tuberculosis hospitals.

From all reports it was an outstanding success last year with over 50,000 cards collected. It is still the "talk of the town" and has even gained national recognition. You may be sure that the patients will be looking forward to selecting the cards you send. This may be their only contact with the outside world. In some hospitals, booths were set up and the cards were displayed. Wherever this could be done it was highly successful.

Be sure your cards are unsigned; that the envelopes are stamped but unaddressed. When you have collected the number you have set as your goal, mail (or deliver) them to the hospital nearest to you. Be sure that the cards are sent so that the hospitals will receive them by December 1. It will be a real satisfaction for you to share in this way with others, the true spirit of Christmas.

And to you Future Homemakers a very happy Christmas. Sincerely, Elizabeth Gorham (Mrs. D. R.) For the State Volunteer Services of The Texas Society for Mental Health

Any Slaton resident who wishes to donate cards for this project is asked to call VA8-3987 or VA8-3777, reports Mrs. G. K. Haile, F. H. A. sponsor. They may or may not be stamped. This is a worthwhile project in which Slaton F. H. A. 'ers have participated for the past two years.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to say "thank you" for your response to our annual Thanksgiving turkey dinner last Sunday and to offer an apology for running out of turkey and having to substitute ham. The turnout was much larger than we had expected but we promise you that we will be better prepared to take care of you next year.

—St. Joseph Altar Society

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my appreciation to my friends for their thoughtfulness to me when I was in the hospital in Dallas and since I have been home. For all the flowers, cards, letters and calls I am deeply grateful.

—Mrs. J. H. Brewer

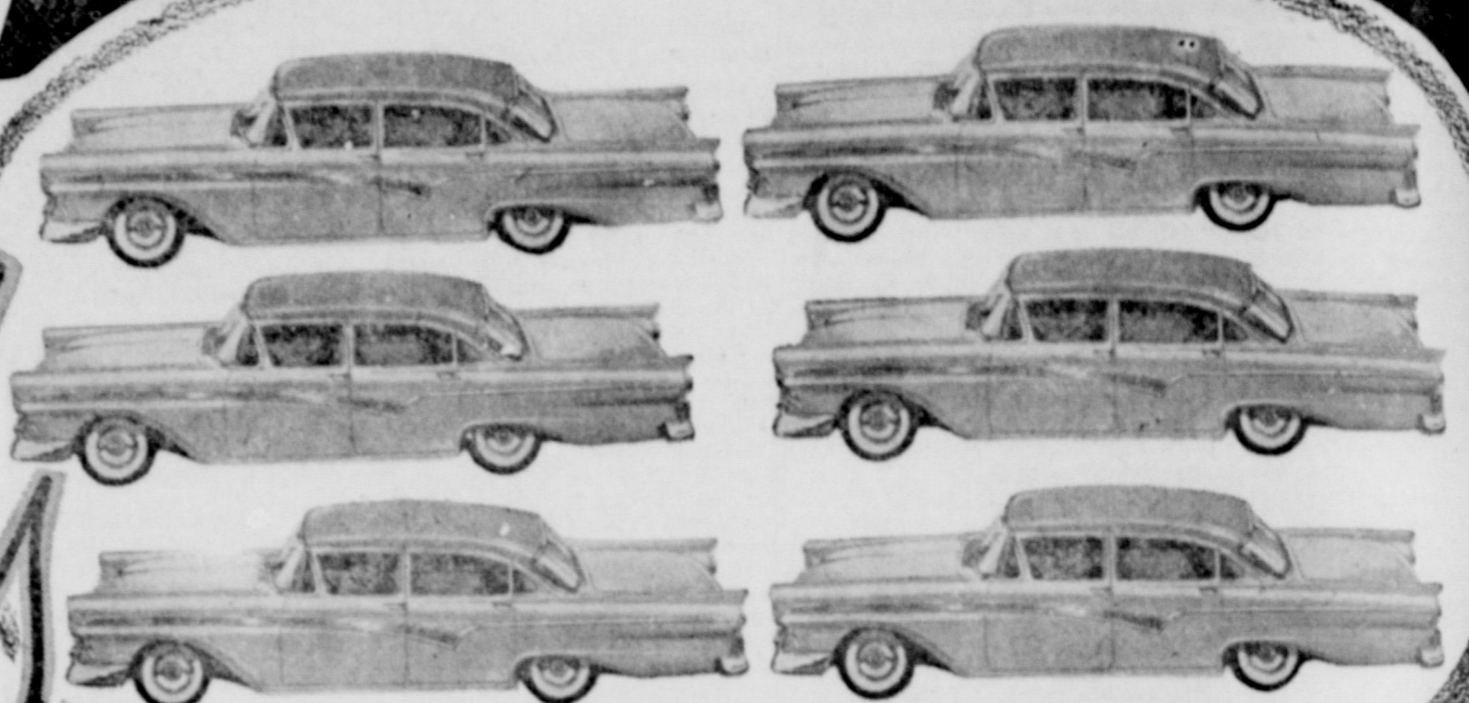
At least ten countries use the eagle as the symbol of supremacy. Horace Mann is the father of the American public school system.

Red cedar wood is used most commonly in making lead pencils.

One horsepower is the power required to lift 33,000 pounds one foot in one minute.

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- Dole, Fancy Sliced PINEAPPLE No. 1 1/4 can 20c
- Del Monte, No. 303 Can Early Garden PEAS 19c
- Gladioli, 5-Lb. Bag MEAL 39c
- Heinz, Large Bottle KETCHUP 25c
- Libby's Garden, No. 303 LIMAS 27c
- Libby's Sliced, No. 303 BEETS 15c
- Morton's, 1/4-Lb. Pkg. TEA 29c
- Fuxedo, No. 1/2 Can TUNA 19c
- Sunshine Hi-Ho, Large Box CRACKERS 35c

- BANANAS Golden Fruit lb. 12 1/2c
- CAULIFLOWER Snow White lb. 10c
- U. S. No. 1 Colorado Reds, 10 Lbs. POTATOES 49c
- Double Red, Jonathan APPLES, lb. 12 1/2c
- All Purpose
- Texas, 5-Lb. Bag ORANGES 39c
- Green, Fresh Bunch ONIONS 7 1/2c

- Green, Jack and the Beanstalk Fancy Blue Lake Cut BEANS, No. 303 can 21c
- Cream Style or Whole Kernel Marshall, No. 303 Can CORN, 2 for 27c
- Libby's, Freestone, No. 2 1/2 Can Halves or Slices PEACHES 39c
- Spiced, Gold Coast, No. 2 1/2 Can PEACHES 31c
- Hunt's Bartlett Halves, No. 2 1/2 PEARS 39c
- Hunt's, No. 300 Cans, New POTATOES, 2 for 25c
- Salad, Salad Bowl, Pints DRESSING 25c
- Pik-L-Barrel, Country Style Chips PICKLES, pint 28c
- Marshall, Tall Cans MILK, 2 for 25c
- Pineapple, Santa Rosa JUICE, 46-oz. can 25c
- Winslow, All Green Cut ASPARAGUS, No. 300 can 31c
- Aunt Ellen's, 9-Oz. Box PI DO 17c
- Vanilla, Pioneer WAFERS, 10-oz. cello bag 25c
- Marischino, Towie, CHERRIES, 8-oz. bottle 25c
- Aluminum Foil, 25-Ft. Roll REYNOLDS WRAP 29c

STRAWBERRIES

- Libby's, 6-Oz. Can ORANGE JUICE 15c
- Complete, Your Choice Patio Dinners 59c
- Baby, Libby's, 10-Oz. Pkg. LIMAS 23c
- Whip, Rich's, 7-Oz. Can TOPPING 45c

CANDIED YAMS PRESERVES

- Hills-O-Home 14-oz. pkg. 23c
- Par Pure Strawberry 20-oz. tumbler 39c
- Paper, Pert, White or Colored Napkins, 60 count 10c
- Hand, Woodbury's \$1.00 Size LOTION, plus tax 50c
- Stick, Stopette, Plus Tax DEODORANT 69c
- Dromedary, White or Yellow or Devil's Food

CAKE MIX

- Pillsbury, 5-Lb. Bag FLOUR 49c
- With Pork, Marshall, No. 300 Cans BEANS 3 for 25c
- Pard, 2c Off Can, Net Price DOG FOOD 2 for 25c

HOME PERMANENT \$139

- HAM Wilson Certified or E & R Brand 49c
- Butt End 47c
- Shank End 45c
- CAT FISH Fresh Louisiana lb. 49c
- Fresh Frosted, 4-1/2-Lb. Avg. HENS, lb. 39c
- Puffins, Zip Open Cans BISCUITS, 2 for 25c
- Sliced, E&R Thick Sliced BACON, 2-lb. pkg. 95c
- American, Swiss or Pimiento Kraft Deluxe, Sliced, 1/2-Lb. Pkg. CHEESE 35c
- Round, U. S. Standard Baby Beef STEAK, lb. 69c
- Loin, U. S. Standard Baby Beef STEAK, lb. 59c
- Chuck, U. S. Standard Baby Beef ROAST, lb. 35c
- Steak, U. S. Standard Baby Beef T-BONE 69c

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