

Slaton Will Celebrate 20th Anniversary June 15

Boy Scouts Plan Field Meet At Tahoka June 5

The directors of the Boy Scouts gathered at Post last Thursday evening in the interest of the movement. Those from Slaton attending were John W. Hood, Abe Kessel, E. B. Manire, Adrian Owens, Horace Sanborn and L. B. Hagerman. Mr. Dyer James, president of this area, was present.

From the reports made it was a gathering with much interest fostered by those attending. Several matters of importance to the Scout movement were under discussion.

It was decided that the field day meeting would be held at Tahoka. The plans as now made will be for one June 5, this being a one-day affair. The plans as now made will be for day only, however the Scouts will gather on the evening of June 4th, for an all night stay, being ready for the events on Friday. It is expected that all the towns in this area will have their quota there to participate in the events. These will include Lamesa, Post, Tahoka, Wilson, O'Donnell and Slaton.

In the office there is a fine time in store for the Scouts. Plans are being perfected for an outing in the Sacramento mountains of New Mexico. This is a wonderful camp, and is visited by Scouts from El Paso, Alamogordo and the surrounding country. It will be a most enjoyable trip for those who attend, visiting Roswell, New Mexico, which is an oasis, with the beautiful trees, gardens and growing crops, and a mighty fine little city. Passing through the Rio Hondo valley west of Roswell, where irrigation is in evidence, and part of the Mesquero Apache Indian reservation, with the adobe buildings, then on to the Sacramento mountain range, where the camp is located, and said to be one of the finest in the Southwest, along with that located near Reno.

Charge for this outing has been set at the very lowest figure possible so that every Boy Scout in Slaton can make the trip. This will be in the nature of an educational outing. We sometimes wish we were all boys and could take in the trip. The plans are made by the directors for this event, and the camping period will be from June 23 to July 3. Every Scout will be required to make an application and deposit \$1 with the application, on or before June 15, that space may be obtained and allotted for the Scouts. The entire charge for this outing is only \$10. This covers transportation, food and cabins. It is to be hoped that every Boy Scout in Slaton may be able to make the trip. Its educational features will be well worth the price asked, and to have a ten days' outing at \$1 per day is money well spent for the boys.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NEWS

By A. J. Payne, Sec'y.
The Chamber of Commerce entertained those who took part and helped in the "Good Will Trips" with a party at the Club House Monday night. The following program was carried out.

Song, America, all singing with Mrs. Lillian Butler at the piano and A. J. Payne, leader.

Then a talk by President John W. Hood, of appreciation to those who so kindly helped in our "Good Will Trips."

Music followed by the string band of the Fire Department, then a talk by Briggs Robertson, representing the American Legion and the party they took in our rounds, visiting the different communities. Next was a song by Mrs. Butler, with Mrs. Anna Cosgrove at the piano.

Then a dance by Dickie Ragsdale, and this was followed by a duet on the violin and saxophone by K. L. Scudder and Harvey Austin, and last, but not least, music by Mr. and Mrs. B. Clark and Coke Oliver with their groups.

Then followed progressive 42, there being eleven tables playing, with music.

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Song Convention To Meet Sunday

Sunday, May 31, Slaton will be host to the singers from over the county. This will be a worth while convention to attend. Tune up your heart and mind and enjoy the singing of old time hymns that mother used to sing when you were a child. It will be good. John W. Hood, president of the chamber of commerce, will welcome the visitors to Slaton. John can do it.

Our own Chamber of Commerce quartette, composed of Paul and Roy Foutz, Wayne Smith and Emmet Waldrop will give several selections. The convention will be held in the high school auditorium, commencing at 10 a. m.

Remember this is an all day session, and every one is invited. Put on your singing clothes and be there. Bring a lunch and divide with your neighbor. There will be plenty of coffee and ice water furnished.

Dan. W. Fortenberry, Pres.
W. P. Florence, Publicity.

Local Teachers To Open Summer School

The Slaton summer school will open at the high school next Monday morning at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Oscar Kilian will have charge of the grammar school work, David Lemon will have charge of the high school work and Mrs. R. M. Nash will teach the commercial subjects.

The complete schedule for the grammar school has not been worked out, but it is likely that subjects in most of the higher grades will be taught. In the high school division, most of the required subjects will be offered, including algebra, plane geometry, history, Latin, freshman English and probably Junior English. Classes in other subjects will be organized if a sufficient number of pupils desire it. Mrs. Nash will teach typewriting, shorthand and bookkeeping.

A. L. 'Dad' Elkins Is Complimented

A communication was received by A. L. "Dad" Elkins, from George Stapleton, Recorder of Khiva Temple, at Amarillo, complimenting "Dad" on the fine work he is doing in the collecting of tinfol, which has all been forwarded to the Shrine hospital, for crippled children, at Dallas. W. H. "Bill" Smith was the informant and the Shrine body is only too glad to pass on the cheering word to "Dad."

The Shriners, quoting Mr. Stapleton, think the crippled children movement is one of the greatest in the world, in that it benefits and cures thousands of poor helpless children whose parents are not financially able to have this work done for them. Khiva temple is very appreciative of the wonderful work "Dad" is carrying on. "Dad" to date has sent approximately 420 pounds to the hospital. There is no compensation of any nature for Mr. Elkins, he is doing it from the fullness of his heart, feeling that good will come from it all in restoring the deformed bodies of these children, that they may be brought back to normal, is compensation enough for him.

If you have any tinfol, toothpaste tubes, etc., please save them for "Dad," and you will be doing your bit in this fine work.

BASEBALL

The Slaton Tigers are all set for a double header Sunday, May 31. The visitors will be the Avalanche-Journal and Shallowater teams. The first game will be called at 2 o'clock, played with the Avaanche team, and at 4 o'clock the Shallowater team will cross bats with the Tigers. The admission is nominal, 25c for men, ladies free.

The Tigers are out to win these games. Give them a lift and your support. Plans are being perfected to have Tahoka here June 14 and 15, when Slaton celebrates her 20th anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Kemp have returned from a trip to Walnut Springs, Bosque county, visiting Mrs. Kemp's parents. Their little daughter will spend a month with the grandparents before returning.

MEMORIAL DAY



A Pause for those who have paused forever

WHETHER those who have paused forever passed from this earth on the field of battle or breathed their last surrounded by their dear ones, let us give pause today to their memory and to extolling the purposeful fullness of their lives. . . . with words, with thoughts, and mayhap with some blossoms to exemplify the sweetness of memories.

Baptist Women In Institute Session

The Baptist Women's Missionary Union is in session at the First Baptist church, commencing Thursday morning and continuing through today (Friday). This is a district missionary study institute.

A very fine program has been outlined with capable teachers to instruct.

The books that will be discussed at both meetings and those who will be the instructors, are "Missionary Lessons From the Bible," Mrs. Tom Campbell, of Lubbock; "Pioneers of Good Will," Mrs. Owen J. Hull, Tahoka; "Jumping Beans," by Miss Bishop, of Post; "Rafael and Conchita," by Mrs. E. C. Foster, Slaton. The Thursday meeting opened at 10 a. m. Devotionals by Mrs. Cap. Ellison, of Crosbyton, 10:30; Introduction of teachers and acquaintance of visitors, 10:40; Classes, 11:30. Special music, by First Church, Lubbock, 11:40—Inspirational address, Rev. P. D. O'Brien, Floydada.

Noon intermission.
1:30—Devotionals, Mrs. A. W. Boucher, Post.
2:00—Classes.
3:00—Special by Slaton W. M. S.
3:10—Inspirational address—Rev. O. J. Hull, Tahoka.

FRIDAY A. M.
10:00—Devotionals, Mrs. Early, of Calvary church, Lubbock.
10:30—Classes.
11:30—Special by Mrs. J. D. Carroll, Lubbock.
11:40—Inspirational address—Dr. R. C. Campbell, Lubbock.
Noon intermission
1:30—Devotionals, Mrs. W. O. Bowen, Slaton.
2:00—Classes.
3:10—Round table discussion concerning the Institute, led by Mrs. Effie Fowler, Slaton.
3:25—Inspirational address by Rev. W. F. Ferguson, Slaton.

UNION COMMUNITY WOMAN DIES HERE

Mrs. A. C. Sedgwick, of the Union community, passed away at Slaton Tuesday afternoon, at the age of 38. She leaves her husband, A. C. Sedgwick, and seven children to mourn her loss.

The services were held at the First Baptist church, Slaton, Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, the Rev. J. C. Clinton, pastor of the Union Baptist church, officiating. Interment was in Englewood cemetery, with Dr. E. C. Foster, mortician, in charge.

Report of Health Clinic Corrected

Attention has been called to omissions in the report as given in the Slatonite, issue of May 22nd, covering the school clinic, which was sponsored by the Parent-Teacher associations. There erroneously appeared the statement that St. Joseph's parochial school children were not examined, but would go through the clinic at the Mercy hospital.

In obtaining the facts covering this phase of the work, we find all of the children were examined Thursday morning, May 21st, and that the examination took place at the school, and not at Mercy hospital. The doctors who assisted in the physical examinations were W. E. Payne, Fred Standefer, George W. Shanks and Paul Owens, assisted by Miss Mary Ann O'Brien, registered nurse, and Mrs. John W. Hood.

The same system and card indexing were used as at the high school. Another omission from the report was that of Mrs. Standefer and Canon. These two gentlemen gave very liberally of their time in furthering the examinations, both at the high school and St. Joseph's, and are and should be accorded words of appreciation from Slaton folks.

A representative of the Parent-Teacher association was very much exercised at these omissions, when talking with a representative from the Slatonite, and asked that the corrections be made, that due consideration be given to all who so generously assisted in the good work. So apologies are tendered for the omissions, and are given in good faith.

THE ANGLERS RETURN

That seven come eleven crowd, with only seven making the trip, all master fishermen, with the latest and improved equipment to lure the Concho fish, has returned. The unlucky seven, J. S. Edwards, Sam Staggs, Lon Hoffman, Ben Mansker, A. C. Benton, Bill Robertson and George Hanna, returned Friday from their outing.

The fishing was mighty good, but the catch limited, and it was observed that the moon was not in the right quarter and the boys will have to take another hitch if they expect to return winners over the denizens of the deep. We feel that these seven should be given a hearing before witnesses, as the stories so far told do not correlate. They all agreed upon one thing, that they had a fine time, and know who is the best cook.

PARADE IN MORNING TO OPEN DAY-LONG CIVIC PROGRAM

Legislators Go Home After Long Session At Austin

Going on record with the longest session in the history of the state of Texas, the 42nd legislative session ended Saturday, May 23. There are prospects that Governor Sterling will later call a special session. From the reports there still remains a deficit to be cared for, and a short respite will give the solons time to dig up something new for taxation. They have covered the ground very nicely so far, and of course they will find that something to tax. Absolutely no need to worry about that, only pay your taxes.

While the governor is scanning the bills passed that await his signature to become effective, we will have to refrain from passing judgment on the entire action of the two bodies, many bills were passed and there are many to be signed.

The congressional redistricting bill failed to be put over, and the state-wide \$212,000,000 highway bond issue failed to pass. The boys who smoke cigarettes will pay 3c per package for the privilege. This is supposed to go toward the school fund. That will be fine.

Sulphur gets a 20c raise, making 75c per ton, and the cement industry will pay 5c per barrel.

We are not fully advised just what reduction in the state expenses will be made, but we do know that they are taxing about everything they can place a value on.

St. Joseph's School Closed For Year

Another successful school year for St. Joseph's parochial school, came to a close May 22. Distribution of promotion cards was made by Father O'Brien, with the admonition that their work was well done, and with the hope that a pleasant summer might be in store for all of them, as they lay aside the school activities to take on the duties of their young lives.

Father O'Brien is very appreciative of the good work done by the Sisters of St. Francis the past year, and with the opening of the fall term, greater effort will be made to keep St. Joseph's on the high plane of educational activities that now surrounds the young. Father O'Brien and the Sisters of St. Francis, express words of appreciation for the good work done by the doctors in examining the children and all those who in any way assisted, in passing them through the clinic. A few cases of bad tonsils, but on the whole a fine bunch of healthy children.

LEGIONAIRES TO OBSERVE
MEMORIAL DAY SUNDAY
Commander J. A. Elliott, of Luther Powers Post, advises that exercises will be held commemorating Memorial Day, and those that have gone West through the ages.

Services will be held at the First Methodist church, Sunday, May 31, at 4:00 p. m. An address will be given by Dr. W. A. Jackson, head of the department of government, Texas Technological college. Dr. Jackson served overseas in the aviation department.

We are sure the doctor will have a fine message for the boys and all that attend. After the church ceremonies, the Legionnaires will repair to Englewood cemetery, and decorate the graves of those who are buried there. This will include the Confederate soldiers, Federal and World War veterans.

The graves that were decorated last year are: Confederates, W. S. Adams, John Leroy Lokey, A. I. Kykendall, L. A. H. Smith; Federal, James W. Casey; World War, Clarence Pounds, James Leroy Bassinger, Horace B. Abbott, Ernest C. Stonecipher.

A. J. Payne, secretary of the chamber of commerce, reports that all arrangements are practically made for the celebrating of Slaton's 20th anniversary. The committee has outlined the program for the day, Monday, June 15th, as follows:

The day's program will start with a parade, forming at the Santa Fe station promptly at 9:30 a. m., leaving there on time at 10 a. m. The parade will be led by Slaton's band, followed by groups behind banners as follows: Group One will be behind banners designated as 1911 to 1915. Group 2 will be behind banners designating those who arrived in Slaton between the years of 1916 and 1920. Group 3 will be behind a banner 1921 to 1925. Group 4 will be behind banner 1926 to 1931 inclusive.

If you came to Slaton on the train you will walk in the parade, otherwise you will be supposed to be in the parade in the vehicle in which you came to Slaton. So, if you came to Slaton in a covered wagon, you will be in the parade that way. Following these groups will be the Boy Scouts and Camp Fire Girls. Next will be the fire boys with their fire apparatus, who will give a demonstration at the corner of the Forrest Hotel.

The march will be from the Santa Fe station up to and around the square, ending at the band stand, and there the band will play and then there will be several speeches of about five minutes each. John Hood, president of the Chamber of Commerce, and T. M. George, mayor; R. A. Baldwin, W. H. Smith, Briggs Robertson, D. E. Kemp, and Mrs. Lee Green, secretary of the retail merchants' association, are among those who will talk.

After the speeches the band will play while the people will be eating their lunch on the lawn around the City Hall. Coffee and ice water will be furnished by the Chamber of Commerce.

After lunch, there will be a 25 man's race, of men not under 225 pounds, then a sack race by boys under 15 years, and then a chicken race, those catching the chickens will keep them. There will be prizes for the other races above.

A baseball game will be played between the Old Timers and the New Corners, that is from 1911 to 1921 vs. 1921 to 1931. Then a real base ball game will be played by the Slaton team versus the Tahoka team. This will begin at 4 o'clock at Tiger park.

At 8 the night program will start with programs by the different communities which Slaton's good will trippers have been visiting. Those expected to participate are McClung, Posey, New Hope, Union, Wilson, Morgan, Hackberry, Southland, Gordon, Acuff and Robertson. These programs will be about one and a half hours long.

The day's program will close with a street dance on one side of the square, the dance to start after the programs are over.

Judges of the races are D. E. Kemp, Ernest Ward, Tom Abel. The awarding of prizes will be right after the races at the band stand.

POSTAL WORKERS MEET AT LUBBOCK MAY 30

LUBBOCK, May 29—From two to three hundred postal workers and their families are expected in Lubbock, Saturday, May 30, Memorial Day, for the annual meeting of the Eighteenth Congressional District Postal Workers' Association at the Lubbock hotel.

Dr. Paul W. Horn, president of the Texas Technological college, Arthur P. Duggan of Littlefield, are principal speakers for the occasion and other talks will be made by Mayor J. J. Clements, Lubbock; J. F. Wiles, Olton; John L. Vaughan and T. C. Lamb, Lubbock; Ross E. Gibson, Lamesa; R. D. Griffin, Slaton; Miss Ruth Courtney, Littlefield; M. Carpenter, Brownfield; R. A. Suddarth, Tahoka, and others.

The Lubbock Chamber of Commerce will entertain the group at the noon hour with a dutch lunch.

The Way of Life

BRUCE BARTON

DOING THINGS FOR PEOPLE

I have a friend who occupied a prominent position in Washington for a number of years. After his retirement he opened an office and let it be known that he would act as an adviser to individuals and companies having business to transact with the government.

Recently he told me that his first year's income was about ten times as large as he had dared to hope for. "The only way I can explain it is that I am now cashing in on my lifetime habit of doing things for people," he said. "When I was in office I never could see why it wasn't worth while to go to a little trouble for folks if you could do it properly. So when a man came to me I didn't try to side-step by saying, 'You will have to take that matter up with such and such a department.' I just tried to help him out.

"I wasn't scheming about it. I had no conscious notion that I was laying up treasure in Heaven, or anything of that sort.

"But apparently people remembered and appreciated, and now they are taking pleasure in paying me back.

Neither by temperament nor conviction do I belong to the United Brotherhood of Pollyannas. I do not hold that we live in the best of all possible worlds, nor that selfishness is always punished and virtue rewarded.

On the contrary, I see many notable examples of men who have apparently never done a gracious thing in their whole lives who yet have achieved fortunes and are quite serene and contented in the enjoyment of the good things of the world.

But at several different times in my own experience I have been surprised by having bread which I had cast on the waters and forgotten come back to me spread with good butter and even considerable jam.

One of the most valuable contracts of my business life grew out of work which I did for a certain charitable organization with no thought of personal gain. And a large piece of business once walked into my office, sent by the brother of a man whom I had been able to help many years before, and in an entirely different part of the country.

Speaking generally, I should say that the chance of being rewarded for good works is sufficient so that any man is justified, from a purely selfish standpoint, in going out of his way occasionally to be kind.

To say nothing of the fact that doing things for other people brings a personal satisfaction which is, in itself, a reward.

RUSSIA

Nobody but a Russian can understand the Russians. Hence, nobody in this country really understands what the Soviet government is trying to do and how it hopes to accomplish it. William C. White, who learned Russian and lived four years among the Russian people in cities and villages, comes nearest to it in his book, "These Russians."

Two or three things seem clear after reading this book. One is that the Russian people, much more akin to the Chinese than to any Europeans, place a trifling value upon human life. Another is that the rulers who are promoting the "Five-Year-Plan" are trying to make Russia as much like the United States as they can, so far as material progress goes. And another unescapable conclusion is that, unless something happens, all of the people of Russia will become slaves under military discipline.

Well, army life isn't so bad—for the officers.

WHEAT

Ray Long, editor of *Cosmopolitan Magazine*, who has just returned from Russia, in a speech the other day predicted that we would never see wheat again as high as a dollar a bushel.

Wheat's importance in the economic scheme of things is due to the fact that it is cheaply stored and shipped and can be kept over from season to season. When the United States was still a pioneer nation and the great wheat areas of Russia, South America and Australia were still undeveloped, wheat was a profitable crop in this country. Today it is far from being our most important crop. Minnesota, the greatest flour milling state, and on the foremost wheat producer, raised \$21,000,000 worth of wheat in 1929, a fairly normal year, but sold \$125,000,000 worth of butter.

The demand for dairy, hog and poultry products is growing; that for wheat is diminishing. If I were a wheat farmer I would put my land into some other kind of crops or sell it and pocket the loss.

MOVIES

All of the protests against the representations of crime and vice in the movies seem to have had no appreciable effect.

"Two Gun" Crowley, New York's latest "cop killer," an undersized, undeveloped boy of twenty, has admitted that he got the idea of being a "bad man" from the movies.

"Gangster" films are worse than crime stories in the newspapers, because they reach the immature mind that does not read the papers. Children cannot discriminate between right and wrong, and the gunman, even though shown as a criminal meeting a bad end, seems like a hero to many of them.

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The City of New York has begun to dig away part of the shores of Manhattan Island in order to provide dock space for the new Cunard Liner, which will be 1,018 feet long—the first ship to exceed the thousand-foot length.

This giant of the seas is still known merely as number "534." It will probably be named the *Britannia*. She will cost thirty million dollars, and displace seventy-three thousand tons of water. She is expected to be not only the world's largest ship, but the fastest large ship.

When the airship replaces the waterborne ship for fast passenger service, as it certainly will, the *Britannia* and her like will still be the useful cargo carriers.

FORD

To me the most interesting thing about Henry Ford is his inquiring mind. No other individual, and few institutions, spend so much time and money in the effort to find basic remedies for social and economic evils as Mr. Ford does. When he has an idea that he thinks will work he doesn't have to ask anybody else to finance it, but goes ahead and tries the experiment on a full-sized scale.

His latest plan to insure continuous employment to his workers is to shut down his plants for the annual inventory in summer instead of in winter, and to give all of those laid off a chance to work on his own and other farms, thus increasing agricultural production and maintaining the workers' incomes.

Mr. Ford has long believed that sixty days' work in the year is all that is really needed to produce most food crops. It will be interesting to see how his experiment works out.

at the movies

"Doctors' Wives" At Palace On Sunday

The drama of "Doctors' Wives," the all-talking picture to be shown at the Palace Sunday and Monday, is brought about when the most promising young surgeon in New York marries the daughter of a doctor, a girl whom he thought would instinctively understand his desire to devote his time, energy and talents to the relief of suffering.

Instead, suspicions sown in her mind by her mother, and other doctors' wives, soon convert the sweet young bride into a jealous counterpart of the legions who believe that "the patient is the common enemy of every doctor's wife."

Joan Bennett is said to be especially appealing, both as the idealistic, dreaming young bride, and the temptuously emotional wife who runs the gamut of experiences before she learns that her husband's sacrifices for humanity are greater than personal relations between man and wife could ever be.

Big Bet About One Merse Kiss

Imagine a man betting Edmund Lowe ten thousand dollars that he, Lowe, could not kiss the first woman that steps on a certain porch, without disclosing that the aforesaid woman is the man's own wife.

Shades of "The Cock-Eyed World," and other dame-chasing pictures with Eddie always getting his woman.

However, that particular bet and incident is the highlight of "Don't Bet On Women," Fox Movietone production which will be shown at the Palace Thursday and Friday.

Inasmuch as the beautiful Jeanette MacDonald happens to be the objective of the kiss wager, one can readily understand the motivation and the subsequent interest.

"Don't Bet On Women," is based on a story by William Anthony McGuire, the original title of which was "All Women Are Bad," but that was not a truthful title.

FOSTER ITEMS

Mrs. Laddie Wassom has been quite sick, but late reports indicate that she is slowly improving.

Raymond Evans was a dinner guest of C. D. McMillen Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Belen and baby of Lubbock, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Alexander.

Quite a number from Foster at-

tended the singing at Wolffarth, Sunday night.

Clayton Wassom spent Sunday with E. C. Payne, Jr.

Zmunt Hitt spent Saturday night with Bill and Leonard Pierce.

Mrs. J. H. Alexander spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Will Newton.

A large crowd from Foster attended the ball game at Wolffarth Sunday afternoon.

Erma Fay Johnson spent Sunday with Hester Hitt.

Miss Mildred Alexander visited the Misses Wade and Lela Wassom, Thursday afternoon.

YOU CAN'T PLEASE EVERYBODY

The world is full of goodnatured people who try to agree with everybody. If they have any opinions of their own, they conceal them in their effort to avoid hurting someone else's feelings. But they don't get anywhere. They don't gain the respect or the confidence of anybody, and they count for nothing, or next to it, in the lives of their families and their communities.

How far would a minister get on his mission if he tried to make his sermons please everybody in his congregation? The question answers itself. The politician who flatters all of his constituents and agrees with whatever any of them thinks seldom gets elected and if he does he is even more seldom renominated. The busi-



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ness man who would let every customer tell him how to run his store would soon be bankrupt. And the newspaper editor who did not have any opinions of his own but ran his paper to suit the supposed views of every one of his subscribers would find himself in a sorry fix.

There is a sound rule for everyone who is ambitious to get along in the world and be a respected member of his community, his state and his country. That is to form his or her own opinions, form them in the light of reason and change them only if reasonably convinced that they were wrong, and then to stand by them, courteously but firmly. Even those

who disagree will respect the man who sincerely holds to an opposing view. And it is better to be respected than merely tolerated.

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PICKLES, Quart Sour 19c

PROSPERITY
FLOUR 24 Lbs. 53c
48 Lbs. 98c

NO. 2 STANDARD
CORN 10c

TOMATOES, 2 No. 2 Cans 15c

MATCHES, 6 Boxes 13c

APPLE BUTTER, 28 oz. jar 19c

PRUNES, 4 Lb. Bag 29c

PURE CANE, GALLON
SYRUP 59c

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BEANS 33c

RAISINS, 4 Lb. Bag 32c

PORK & BEANS, Can 07c

MEAL, 20 Lbs., Cream 43c

COFFEE, 3 Lbs., Blossom 72c

COFFEE, 2 1/2 Lbs., Canova 82c

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BACON, Gem Squares, Lb. 15c

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Society-Churches

KING AND QUEEN OF TIGERS WERE CROWNED

Amid a setting of purple and white, the chosen king and queen of the Tigers for 1931, were crowned in the annual coronation program at the high school auditorium Thursday evening, May 21, at eight o'clock, as the conclusion of events honoring the senior class.

The stage was decorated to represent a throne, with the school colors predominating.

Miss Katrina Houston played the processional as members of the court entered from the rear down the center aisle and ascended the stage. First came the heralds, who were Misses Monette Patterson and Mildred Swafford, dressed in costumes of black and white. After taking their respective places on the stage, they announced the members of the court as they ascended the stage.

As representatives of the junior class came Duchess Rachel of the House of Darwin, and Duke Julian of the House of Kessel; then Duchess Betty of the House of Pack and Duke Troy of the House of Armes for the sophomore class. For the freshman class were Duchess Inez of the House of Patterson and Duke Charles of the House of Marriott. As each took their respective places at the throne, "Hail, Hail, All Hail," entered princess Vee of the House of Jackson and Prince Woodson of the House of Armes.

They were followed by the train-bearers, Little Misses Jean Holt and Ruth Austin, dressed in little pink organdie frocks. And the crown-bearers, Harley Mansker and Kirby Scudder, in their little frock-tail suits.

Princess Vee and Prince Woodson knelt at the throne and the senior class sponsor, Mr. David Lemons, crowned King Woodson and passed the crown to him with which King Woodson crowned Queen Vee.

The king and queen were seated on the throne and a short program rendered, which included a dance by Little Misses Jean Ann Hord and Constance Henry and Masters Harley Mansker and Kirby Scudder.

Miss Murrel Wicker gave the senior class history, and Miss Earline McAlister played "Love Waltz," by Moszkowski, after which Miss Allene Sprinkle prophesied the senior class ten years in the future, which found the students following various trades in life.

Miss Mildred Rucker read "That Old Gang of Mine" as a musical reading with Miss Katrina Houston playing the accompaniment and Misses Herbert Gaither and Joan Drewry sang.

The senior class will be given by Miss Helen Harlan. Miss Houston played the recessional.

Adding laughter and gaiety to the program, Aldon Crawford and Doyle Catching acted as the court fools, and with their many tricks and pranks kept the audience laughing the greater part of the time.

Queen Vee was dressed in shimmering white satin and on her train was painted a butterfly in the class colors.

Miss Darwin was wearing a lovely peach colored organdie, while Miss Patterson was wearing a frock of orchid net.

Ushers for the evening were Misses Mildred Self, Almeda Campbell, Crystelle Scudder, Dorothy Arthur, Trixie Jackson and Beatrice Payne.

ALATHEANS MEET

The Althean Sunday school class had their monthly business and social

Social Calendar

Thursday & Friday, May 28-29— Baptist Women's Missionary Union at Baptist church.

Friday, May 29— Rebekahs will meet at 8 p. m. in Odd Fellows' hall.

Monday, June 1— Methodist W. M. S. will meet in regular meeting.

Tuesday, June 2— Dozen and One club will meet.

Wednesday, June 3— Ladies' Aid of First Christian church meets.

meeting in the home of Mrs. J. B. Huckaby, May 15, with Mrs. George Green assistant hostess. On account of illness in the home, Mrs. Ferguson was unable to be present, and the duties of president fell upon Mrs. Huckaby, first vice president, who presided, after a very impressive devotional, the officers made splendid reports. At the close of the business hours, many games were enjoyed, after which the hostess served delicious refreshments. The meeting adjourned to meet for the next session in the home Mrs. Harry Burrus.

JUNIOR CIVIC AND CULTURE CLUB MEETS

The Junior Civic and culture club met at the home of Mrs. J. A. Elliott with Miss Countess Cellan at hostess on Tuesday evening, May 26.

During the business session, the course of study for next year was discussed. An art appreciation course was decided upon as the new course of study.

Miss Audrey Marriott led the following very interesting program:

The French Theater of Today — Miss Armes.

Las Carpas—Miss Hestand.

The New Theater of Italy, Russia and China—Miss Blodgett.

The hostess served delicious refreshments during the social hour. The next meeting will be a social meeting with Miss Irene Levey as hostess at her home, June 9.

CIRCLE NO. 1 MEETS

Circle No. 1 of the First Baptist church, met in the home of Mrs. J. T. Elliott, with seven present. Chapter 3 of the book we are studying was read and a discussion covering same was held. After the business hour, the circle adjourned, and the next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Alvin O. White, 510 West Lynn St.

DICKENS COUNTY B.Y.P.U. WILL MEET WITH DRY LAKE CHURCH

The Dickens County Associational B. Y. P. U. will meet with the Baptist church at Dry Lake the second Sunday in June, the same being the 14th day of June, at 2:30 p. m.

We will have some good live speakers and some good music. Come and be with us, we need you.

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CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible study 9:45 a. m. Sunday.

Preaching 10:45 a. m. Sunday.

Communion 11:45 a. m. Sunday.

Young people's and children's classes at 6:45 p. m.

Evening service, 7:45 p. m.

Women's Column

for Slaton women

The special classes for a two weeks duration in problems of home life, were opened Monday when Miss Hazel Blodgett, home economics teacher, kindly consented to give two weeks of her time for such a work for women, girls and even boys.

Various questions will probably arise in these classes which will help every person in attendance.

For the lady of the house, what is more difficult than to prepare a guest day meal?

Are you not always so glad when they are over and of course dread them before hand?

Well, that is exactly what the course for women will help each individual attending to correct. It will enlighten her in the ways in which she may plan, prepare and serve the meal in an easy way.

When friend-husband says he would like to have "So-and-So" to dinner on that certain day, don't you feel that cold perspiration popping out, to think of having to plan that meal, then prepare it and after all serve it yourself.

Then what a drudgery to get everything cooked just right after you have finally come to the decision of your menu. And to think you have to serve it yourself and oh, how tired you will be, and you will probably have to jump up a dozen times during the meal to get something that you forgot to put on the table.

Now there is certainly a solution to such an overwhelming problem.

and you are sure to find this solution in this class, which we are told will meet in eight lessons.

Then there is the daughter. Some day she will have a home of her own to manage and furnish, and only about one out of every hundred will get a husband who can supply them with the pocketbook necessary to re-furnish the home with new furnishings whenever the upholstery begins to wear and the porch furniture needs repainting. Therefore it is very necessary that she learn such things before she takes on a husband and be prepared even though she may get that millionaire.

Just such a lesson will be taught in the class for girls and they will get a half credit on their high school work too, so that is a two-in-one deal.

Where is there a boy who does not like to go out on camping and fishing trips? Well, he just has not been born yet, and it is probable that he never will. So the young lad should know how to prepare a camping meal and one that would be sanitary and fit for human beings to eat.

And there is that overwhelming question in the mind of the young fellow who is about to step out in society, and who thinks that he would like to take that sweet little miss out to dinner if he just knew how to use his silverware. Well, young man, if you will attend these classes you will see your worries along that line will be over and what you will have to worry about then is getting the young lady to go. However, very few will refuse a meal.

COTTON MUST REIGN

We are now seeing in the leading newspapers of the state advertisements of the many, many uses of cotton.

They tell us now to pin a cotton flower on the shoulder and be dressed up, and of course take along a cotton bag, and naturally it would be understood that you are to have on a cotton dress, fabric slippers and hat. Then you are really dressed for style.

But we should not forget those cotton gloves, which Dame Fashion says must lead. She is quoted as having said that madame's hands shall not go ungloved this spring and summer.

We all want to be right up to the top notch in style, so therefore we must wear all the cotton possible.

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THE NEW SUPREME COURT

Congress is out of session, but history is being made in Washington. On a single day the Supreme Court handed down these decisions:

It upheld the Boulder Dam act.
It declared California's "red flag" law unconstitutional, making it far more difficult for opponents of free speech to write their reactionary ideas into law.

It approved as constitutional the Indiana state tax on chain stores, a momentous factor in the merger versus independent competition controversy.

It threw out an invalid patent on the carbon dioxide method of refrigerating foodstuffs.

It held up the Ohio excise tax on public utilities and refused to review a public utility case against the City of Indianapolis.

More important than the effect of these individual decisions is their significance in indicating a new liberal attitude on the part of the Supreme Court. Chief Justice Hughes and Associate Justice Owen J. Roberts have brought to the highest tribunal a solicitude for human right that was rarely found before, except in the opinions of the court's famous dissenters, Homes, Brandeis and Stone.

All of which proves that, after all, this is a government not of laws but of men.

THE PEACETIME COST OF WAR

The whole subject of war and its cost has been brought into the arena of public discussion in the United States as a result of the recent meeting of the International Chamber of Commerce in Washington. As is always the case when the subject is discussed, everybody agreed that all nations are spending too much money on their military and naval establishments, but nobody was willing to commit his own country to a reduction in this terrific charge upon the taxpayers.

President Hoover, however, took the first step by summoning the Secretary of War and the Chief of Staff of the army into conference and asking them to figure out ways whereby the cost of maintaining the military establishment of the United States can be reduced without impairing its efficiency. This is a move in a direction which most Americans will commend. There is no doubt in the world, in our own minds, that we are a peace-loving nation. The peoples and governments of other countries do not always believe us when we say that, but every American knows that it is true. Mr. Hoover, by reason of his Quaker birth and upbringing, is naturally opposed to war as a means of settling international disputes. And it is reported that he found the heads of the army in accord with his desire for economy.

The money spent by the War Department in time of peace, is, of course, very largely for internal improvements. The developing and dredging of harbors, the building of bridges, everything that has to do with keeping navigable rivers in their channels, and many other government engineering projects, are carried out by army engineers. There is no idea of cutting down on any of these activities, which are now providing employment for tens of thousands of men who would otherwise, perhaps, be out of jobs. Nor is it planned, according to the information from Washington, to reduce the army personnel. But there are expenditures in connection with the upkeep of the military establishment which, it is believed, can be reduced or suspended to result in a saving of between \$300,000,000 and \$400,000,000 a year.

Such a saving would go a long way toward making up the nation's billion-dollar deficit, and it would also be a gesture toward the rest of the world in the way of proof that we have no immediate war-like aims.

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THE VICIOUS CIRCLE

Here's something you can figure out for yourself. Go to a resident of Slaton who has gone out of the city to buy something he could have bought here in town. Ask him why. The answer is likely to be, "I didn't know I could get it here."

Then go to the merchant who handles the same thing in Slaton (and by-the-way, his price is probably the same, or lower), tell him about it, and ask him why he didn't advertise his wares so that Slatonites would know what he had. Here, the answer will be, "There isn't enough demand; my business is not big enough."

Then put two and two together. This looks like a perfect example of the vicious circle. The customer bought out of town, because the merchant did not advertise; and the merchant did not advertise, because the customer (as some ill-advised Slatonites actually do) bought out of town.

This circle goes deeper and deeper. Every time a Slatonite buys a nickel's worth of goods elsewhere, that he could have bought in Slaton, he hampers his home town merchants in their efforts to serve him better. And every time a local merchant neglects an opportunity to advertise, he sends business away from himself and the town.

But, just as there are two main forces which can build up a vicious circle like this, there are also two forces which can be used to reverse it.

First—Slatonites—If you want your local merchants to serve you better and better, to handle fuller lines of better goods, at better prices, in better stores, buy at home. Even if you are fairly sure you can't get what you want here in Slaton, ask for it here first. The chances are you'll be surprised; local merchants carry remarkably wide stocks; but if they don't have what you ask for, they'll at least know you want it, and they'll have it for you next time.

Second—Merchants—Tell the people what you have. Not just once in a while, but all the time. Don't let anyone buy something out of town just because they didn't think you had it. Tell them—and then tell them again. These folks haven't any real desire to slight their home town enterprises. They just don't know.

Do these two things, and the circle is reversed. Every dollar you, Mr. Citizen, spend in Slaton, makes your own merchant better able to serve you—with better lines, better prices, and a more modern store. Every bit of advertising you, Mr. Merchant, use, brings you more customers and greater opportunity for expansion.

And Slaton grows.

THE WANDERER RETURNS

Mrs. Lee Green, secretary of the Retail Merchants' association, returned from a visit to the old home, Savannah, Hardin county, Tenn. Mrs. Green accompanied her brother, Reece McGee, and Mrs. McGee and daughter, of Blackwell, Okla. Their itinerary took them through Oklahoma, Arkansas, Alabama, Kentucky, Missouri and of course Texas. We suspect that T. A. Worley, Sr., and Mrs. Green will do some visiting, as Mr. Worley is from the same place. Mrs. Green reports a most enjoyable time, while time makes changes, still some of the old landmarks are there and some of the old timers welcomed the return of the former Tennesseans.

SLATON BEATS POST SUNDAY

In one of the best ball games ever played on the South Plains, Slaton beat Post 2-0 last Sunday. Each side got 3 hits. Post made 4 errors against two for Slaton. Holland was the batting star for Slaton and McCampbell for Post. Each got two hits.

Pittman, Slaton pitching ace, pitched a beautiful game and at no time was he in danger.

Box Score					
SLATON	AB	R	H	APO	
Pair lf	4	0	0	0	3
Foutz 2	4	1	0	1	3
Holland s	4	1	2	3	0
Deaver c	4	0	1	0	3
Lee r	3	0	0	1	1
Jochetz 3	3	0	0	2	0
Crow m	3	0	0	0	2
Cleveland 1	4	0	0	0	15
Pittman p	3	0	0	8	0
	32	2	3	14	27

POST					
AB	R	H	APO		
Weatherspoon 2	4	0	1	6	3
E. Chaney s	4	0	0	3	3
C. Curley 1	4	0	0	0	9
Porter p, 2nd	4	0	0	3	0
Hart, m	3	0	0	0	4
Huff 3	3	0	0	2	3
McCampbell	3	0	2	0	2
Stevens r	3	0	0	0	1
W. Chaney	3	0	0	1	5
	31	0	3	15	27

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Summary—Runs, Foutz, Holland. Two base hits, McCampbell; strikeouts by Pittman 3, Porter 2 in 3 innings, Weatherspoon 5 in 6 innings. Hit by pitcher, Hart by Pittman. Walks, Pittman none, Porter 3. Losing pitcher, Porter. Winning pitcher Pittman. Umpires Gunter, Smith. Time 1 hour and 15 minutes.

MOLASSES

When I was a boy in New England it was still the custom in almost all rural families, and probably in the cities as well, to dose all the children for days every spring with liberal tablespoonfuls of a mixture of sulphur and molasses.

For a generation of so medical men have laughed at the old "spring tonic" idea. Now medical science has discovered that this is another of the so-called folk myths that has a solid basis of truth back of it. Our grandparents were wrong in thinking that sulphur was the essential part of the mixture, but they were right in the idea that "brimstone and treacle" had a tonic effect. It was the iron in the molasses that did it, according to Dr. Walter H. Eddy.

Now we keep children out-of-doors

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SLATON CONFECTIONERY



What's in a Loaf of GOOD BREAD?

—an easy question, but surprisingly few people can answer it correctly. "Flour, sugar, lard, yeast, milk, salt, arkady and malt"—then they stop.

Too often the cost of bread is compared to the cost of flour, as the only item involving expense in baking. To do this is to overlook about 60 per cent of what is actually included in good bread and what it costs. They forget labor cost, which will run 25 per cent of the cost of a loaf. They overlook delivery and selling cost, gas and power, taxes, interest, rent and all other necessary expenses of operation. They don't think about the retailer's margin.

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FOOT SPECIALIST TO BE AT KESSEL'S TUESDAY

Announcement was made Thursday that a specialist in diagnosis and cure of foot ailments will give free demonstrations from 10 to 12 o'clock at Kessel's store, Tuesday, June 2. The foot specialist will make "pedo-graph" charts of the feet of persons who wish to avail themselves of his services; and in case there are weaknesses he will recommend treatment. There will be no charge for the work.

The demonstration will be held at the local store by arrangement with Dr. Wm. M. Scholl, manufacturer of the line of foot comfort preparations and devices for which the Kessel store is the local representative.

GRAND JURY IN SESSION

Last Monday morning the grand jury convened at Lubbock. Those from Slaton serving this term are W. E. Smart, W. R. Wilson, T. D. Johnson and J. B. Reed.

Judge Homer L. Pharr in his address to the grand jurors suggested a careful investigation of all cases and

facts brought before them that the cases may stand up in court.

The judge scores those who drive cars when lanked up with the ardent. Also physicians who prescribe without due examination of the patient. Those who follow this practice were severely scored as they violate their moral and professional obligations, and lose sight of the ethics of their profession.

CIVIC AND CULTURE CLUB MEETS SATURDAY

The Civic and Culture club met in regular session Saturday, May 23, in the home of Mrs. L. T. Green. Mrs. Robertson, president, presided over the business session, this being the last meeting of the club year, important matters of business were disposed of.

Mrs. Adams, leader, dedicated the lesson to Mrs. Wallace, who is soon to leave Slaton for San Angelo where she will make her home. Mrs. Wallace was given the honor seat and presented with a basket of flowers by Mrs. Shankle. The lesson for the afternoon was on Arabia. The roll

call was on Mode of Living and Peculiar Customs.

Those having parts were Mrs. Schmidt (in costume), The Musical Call from the Minaret, Allah-Alah-Allah; Mrs. McHugh, International Interests; (a) Thomas Lawrence, White Man of Mystery; (b) Ibn Saud, Arab Sultan; (c) British Arabian Oil Leases; (d) Frontier Agreements. Mrs. Lovett, Black Tents and White Camels; (a) Women in Black Tents, (b) The Veil.

Mrs. Baldwin, in nicely chosen terms, paid to Mrs. Wallace, tribute for work well done since associated with the club, both individually and collectively. Mrs. Robertson then presented Mrs. Wallace with a traveling bag, a gift from the entire club.

Mesdames Wallace, Shankle, Baldwin and Adams are all charter members of the club.

Mrs. Green served a delicious salad course, being assisted by Mrs. Todd. The next meeting will be June 27, with Mrs. S. H. Adams as hostess.

Delilah Isabel Manire, who has been quite ill for three weeks with an infection resulting from a blister, is still confined to her bed.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—Good fresh cow. See John B. Steffens. Three miles north of Slaton, Route 1. 43-p

FOR SALE — Poland China pigs, ready to wean. R. M. Cade, eight miles south of Slaton, Route 2, Wilson, Texas. 43-2p

FOR TRADE—Slaton home for good car or small acreage. P. O. Box 542, Slaton. 43-1p

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Fifteen modern dwellings in Slaton. These dwellings are all in good condition and are property of the loan company. Any of the properties can be bought on five to ten per cent down and the balance in monthly installments like rent.

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C. P. Beauchamp has returned from attending the session of the state funeral directors at San Angelo, the past week.

Slatonite Want Ads bring results.

CITY LEAGUE DANCE

Friday Night, May 29

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Admission 75c - 9 to 12 - Ladies Free

THE WEATHER.....

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APRIL 27 Will Spring Never Come?	APRIL 28 Still Chilly	APRIL 29 Rain Heaters On	APRIL 30 Heaters Still Burning	MAY 1 Straw Hat Day Heaters On	MAY 2 Cloudy And Damp	MAY 3 Rain Heat Needed
MAY 4 A Trifle Warmer Today	MAY 5 Heaters Needed For Comfort	MAY 6 Actually Cold Today	MAY 7 Night Too Chilly To Be Without Heat	MAY 8 Just A Little Warmer	MAY 9 A Trifle Warmer Today Although Heat Needed	MAY 10 Heat Felt Good Today
MAY 11 About The Same	MAY 12 Clear But Slightly Cool	MAY 13 Spring Fever	MAY 14 Opening Day W. T. C. C. Convention	MAY 15 Good Golf Weather	MAY 16 Tri-State Special Left for Mexico	MAY 17 More Like Spring
MAY 18 Almost Balmy Today!	MAY 19 Chilly Again Imagine!	MAY 20 Several Degrees Cooler Today	MAY 21 Just a Little Chilly!	This Was A Cold-Warm Period		

June first may be as hot as blazes, but the above period was a cold-warm one.

In Texas there's an old saying, "Only strangers predict weather," and it was certainly proven during this period. It was cold one day and warm the next, and several times it was cold and warm in the same day. During the period, most cities had their official straw hat days. Then a couple of days later those courageous souls who had purchased new straws were digging out the old felt hat, because it was so chilly that straw hats looked silly. So remember that gas was used for heating during a large portion of this period.

West Texas Gas Company

TIGER EYE

by D. M. Power



NINTH INSTALLMENT

Bob Reeves, the Kid, was nicknamed Tiger Eye by his friends down in the Brazos country because his "gun-eye" was yellow. When his father, "Killer" Reeves, died, the Kid left Texas to avoid continuing his father's feuds. Reaching Montana he is forced to draw on Nate Wheeler, an irate nester. In the exchange of shots Wheeler drops dead, the Kid later learning that Bob Garner, who had also shot at the same time, really killed Wheeler.

Garner gets the Kid to join the Poole outfit as a rim rider. The Kid succors Wheeler's widow and is interrupted by Pete Gorham and some other nesters. He shoots Gorham through both ears for coupling his name with Wheeler's widow. Later he rescues a girl, Nellie, and her dad from Gorham, wounding Pete again. The girl, in spite of her belief that the Kid is an imported Texas killer, warns him the nesters will kill him. The Kid warns Garner the nesters are planning an attack on the Poole outfit. He meets Jess Markel, a Texan who is boss of the Poole wagon crew, and shoots him through both hands.

Nellie's dad is shot from ambush and the Kid suspects Babe against his wish. The latter thinks another nester killed the old man. Babe is wounded by hidden enemies, who also shoot at Tiger Eye but miss. The Kid pulls Babe back into the cabin and wounds one of the attackers.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"Reckon I could, Babe."
"Well, damn it, do it, then! When yuh draw a bead on a nester, git 'im right. There ain't no come-back from a dead man. You got 'em out there before yuh, Tiger Eye; any jury in the world would make it self-defense. Yuh don't have to worry a damned bit. Now's your chance—git 'im, kid! Damn it, don't you know there's a bounty on nesters? You can collect five hundred apiece for 'em, and no questions asked!"

"That the price on ole Pappy Murray, Babe?"
"Hell, it's the price on any damn nester! Didn't the Old Man tell yuh so?"

"Nevah did tell me that, Babe. Mistah Bell taken my name and wheah I'm from and all, and asked right smaht questions. Nevah did tell me anything, 'cepting I was to get my o'dahs from yo'all."

"Damn right, you git your orders from me! I order yuh right now to lay 'em cold! Kill every damn nester you can draw a bead on, out there! Save goin' after 'em in the valley. Hell, they're out to kill you, an't they? You and me both! Git 'em, or they'll git you. Git the damned—" Babe trailed off into a meaningless mumble.

The kid sighed and gouged at the dried mud and tried to think of something else.

"Why, dammit, you come here with the dead list in your pocket!" Babe cried suddenly from the bunk, his sick brain seizing anew upon his grievance. "I knowed you was lyin' when you said you found that map where the wind had blowed it into a bush. You was headin' straight for the nesters with that dead list, and you knowed what you had to do."

"You made a slip-up with me when you said you was goin' to Wheeler's place because Nate Wheeler come first on the map. I like yuh, kid, and I've let yuh make out like you're a nice little lad that wouldn't kill a m'skeeter. I aint never asked no questions, but I aint a damn fool. You had the dead list and that was all I wanted to know. A man ain't expected to go around shootin' off his mouth about what he's doin'! Nobody wants yuh to advertise yourself."

"But, damn it, you've crippled one of the best shots the Poole has got, and you've been runnin' on me about beefin' ole Murray, and yuh claim you won't kill a nester yourself for love or money. Looke pretty damn sealey to me, Kid—damned if it don't. Looke like they've got you workin' for 'em. Damn spy, for all I know."

Once more the kid tried not to listen. In one ear and out the other—that was the only way to do with fever talk. Plumb foolish. Babe was shoah a sick man, all right.

He took up Babe's rifle and sent a shot over to where the little blue smoke clouds betrayed the position of the nesters. It wasn't much of a target; whether he wanted to hit a man

or not, it was unsatisfactory shooting. "How's the water holdin' out?"

That meant Babe wanted another drink. The kid filled the tin dipper, hoping Babe would not notice how he had to scrape the bottom of the bucket to do so. He hadn't thought of the water problem, but it loomed rather large now. Couldn't get to the spring while the daylight held, and Babe's thirst was growing. If the nesters stayed where they were, they had them trapped.

About noon, now. Seven hours and more till dark.

"Think you can git out through the roof? Babe tried to prop himself up on one elbow and watch, but the pain turned him dizzy and sick, and he lay panting and cursing his helplessness.

"Shoah goin' to try," said the kid grimly.

"They'll shoot yuh like a rabbit!" The kid shook his head and stepped up on the foot of the bunk where he could bring his full strength into action, prying and pushing at the dirt-covered poles of the roof.

Had the ridge beyond the little flat been higher, the nesters over there would have seen him when, at last with a final avalanche of clods and dust on the bunk, his head poked through into the sunlight. But the cabin stood on a little ridge of its own and only from the bluff opposite could one look upon the farther slope of the roof.

"Mebby when they bust in tonight you can drop down outside and make a run for it—but I can't. It's all day with me, anyhow. God, I'm dry! Gimme a drink before yuh go, will yuh, Tiger Eye?" Babe muttered.

"Shoh will, Babe. I'll get a bucket of watah directly."

"You stay inside. They'll fill yuh with lead, Kid."

"Nevah will see me, Babe. Gully back of the cabin goes to the spring and beyond."

He poured all the water into one bucket and set it on a box close to the bunk where Babe could reach the dipper if he had to.

He kindled a small fire in the stove, and let the smoke advertise a live man's presence. An old trick, but so natural a one that so far as he knew it always worked.

Shots from the ridge answered that challenge. The kid waited until the firing ceased, then took his bucket and crawled out through the roof, dropping noiselessly to the ground and sliding at once into the brushy little gully that separated the cabin from the bluff behind it.

He did not feel that he was taking any risk, but all his life he had been drilled in caution, so he went sneaking along, keeping close under the bank and stopping every few feet to listen and peer ahead. He could not see any one, and it was so quiet that he could hear a lone mosquito humming over his head. Yet he felt a human presence near him. He stood still and waited two minutes, and his quick eyes caught a quiver in a drooping branch. Some one was hiding in the bushes just above the spring, lying close under cover and watching the cabin and the flat beyond.

"Yo'all better crawl back outo that brush." The kid spoke with an ominous kind of calm. "Come damn careful, lessen yoah hungry Ioh lead." Immediately the bushes shook as if swept by a sudden gale. A pair of legs with blue overalls tucked into worn riding boots squirmed backward into view. The kid reached out and grabbed one and gave it a vicious yank, and the form it belonged to came sliding down and landed pretty much in a heap at the edge of the pool. The kid stepped back, his gun sagging at his side and his other hand going up mechanically to claw at his hat.

"Ah—excuse me, Miss Murray," he blurted, crimson to his collar.

Nellie Murray, in her father's clothes, and with her father's gray Stetson tilted over one eye at a most rakish angle, stared up at him with astonished blue eyes.

"Ah—good evenin'," the kid stammered again. "I hape yo'all will excuse me—"

"I never even heard you!" gasped Nellie. "I thought you were in the cabin. Wasn't it you shooting?"

"Yes'm, I reckon it was." The kid was trying not to look at her. Shoah did look cute, though. He dared one swift glance from under his hat brim and looked away, guilty but entranced.

But Nellie Murray was not thinking of her appearance.

"I had to come and warn you if I could. I know you didn't shoot my father, but they'll kill you just the

same. They're out to kill any Poole man they can find."

"It shoah was kind of yo'all, but I wish yoh hadn't come, Miss Murray." The kid's face was grave, his eyes more tender than he guessed. "Babe's shot, and I'm aimin' to get him outa heah tonight. I was awn my way to the stable to get the hawses."

"I'll help. I'll go crazy if I don't have something to do."

The kid tried to persuade her to stay under the bank by the spring, but he was secretly glad she wouldn't do it.

The kid led the way, thrilling to the sound if Nellie Murray's footsteps behind him. The stable door was sheltered from view of the ridge by the small haystack and by the clump of service-berry bushes where the nester had hidden that morning. There really was no danger of being seen at the stable. But while the horses were drinking thirstily at the pool, the crackle of more shooting reminded him that the battle was still going on.

"Reckon I bettah get back to the cabin and answer those shots with a few of my own," he said uneasily to Nellie. "I'll take the watah bucket. If yo-all would follow along with Babe's hawse I'd be much obliged, Miss Murray."

Nellie, coming along behind him, with never a whimper of fear for herself, filled him with a great wonder.

Shoah complicated matters too, having her along. Going to be had enough, making a run for it, with Babe. Never planned on having any one else to look after—Nellie Murray, least of all. They'd need another horse, and they'd need somebody that could shoot and hold back the nesters.

The kid didn't see how he was going to change his plan. There wasn't any other plan to change to; not unless he just rode off with Nellie and left Babe—

"Reckon yo'all bettah wait down

heah with the hawses," the kid turned and set down the water bucket. "I'll tote Babe out and put him awn his hawse."

"Through the roof? You can't do it alone. I'll have to help."

"You've got to have help, and you may as well own it first as last." She must have thought his silence was plain stubbornness; for she gave him an impatient shake. "You can't do it without me."

"Yo'all can't go in, Miss Murray. They keep awn shootin' at the cabin. Bullets come through the doah and window like bees into a hive in a plum thicket."

"I wouldn't get hit any quicker than you would." But she let her fingers slip from his arm. "Well, all right—you go on and boost him through, and I'll stay outside and ease him down to the ground. But do be careful, won't you—Bob?"

"Shoh will—Nellie. I kaint say what I want to say," murmured the kid helplessly. "I nevah did see a girl like yo'all—"

Babe lay with his eyes shut and his face twitching with the pain of his wound, and he did not pay any attention to the clods of dirt that rattled down on the blankets. The kid picked up one of the rifles and began shooting at the ridge, rushing from one end to the other. The air was thick and acrid with powder smoke. The kid looked at his old silver watch and saw that the afternoon was half gone. No use moving Babe yet. He'd die on the horse before they could get him out of the gully. It would have to be dark when they made it.

Nellie, out there—she must be hungry, hiding in the brush since dawn. Mighty hungry himself, now he got to thinking about grub. The kid reckoned it would be safe to have a little picnic out back of the cabin in the shade, just him and Nellie. Babe was all right. Nothing to do for him but let him lie quiet as long as possible.

The kid wrung out a folded towel in cold water and laid it across Babe's forehead before he crawled out through the roof with a picnic lunch for Nellie. The men on the ridge would have been astonished to see the two setting there with their backs to the wall of the beleaguered cabin, feasting contentedly on cold sourdough biscuits, cold bacon and dried blackberry sauce.

The kid was holding his mouth organ between his cupped hands, watching Nellie from the corner of his eye. He played "The Mocking Bird" softly. Nell sat curling the end of her yellow braid absently around her fingers, her eyes downcast and her lips half smiling.

"Dammit, Tiger Eye, why don't yuh shoot to kill? What yuh so damn chicken-hearted for? Damn cow thieves—"

(Continued Next Week.)

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WHEREAS, On the 9th day of September, A. D. 1925, C. O. Ross and Elizabeth Ross, his wife, of Slaton, Lubbock County, Texas, executed a Deed of Trust to the record of which in Volume 30, Page 327, Deed of Trust Records of Lubbock County, Texas, reference is hereby made, conveying to Walter J. L. Ray, Trustee, the following described Real Estate, to-wit:

Lot Number Ten (10), Block Number Two (2), South Slaton Addition to Slaton, Texas.

IN TRUST to secure the payment of the indebtedness therein described, and WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of said indebtedness according to its terms and such default has continued for more than four months and the owner and holder of said indebtedness has declared the whole amount thereof due and payable in accordance with the terms of said Trust Deed, and

WHEREAS, the said Walter J. L. Ray, trustee named in said Deed of Trust, is unable to execute the powers thereof, and has refused to execute the powers thereof, and the undersigned M. A. Pember has been appointed Substitute Trustee and has been directed by the owner and holder of said indebtedness to execute the power of sale conferred by said Trust Deed:

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of June, 1931, the same being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day,

at the front door of the County Court House in Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas, I, M. A. Pember, Substitute Trustee, as aforesaid, will sell the land above described to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, and cost of execution.

WITNESS my hand this 11th day of May, A. D. 1931.

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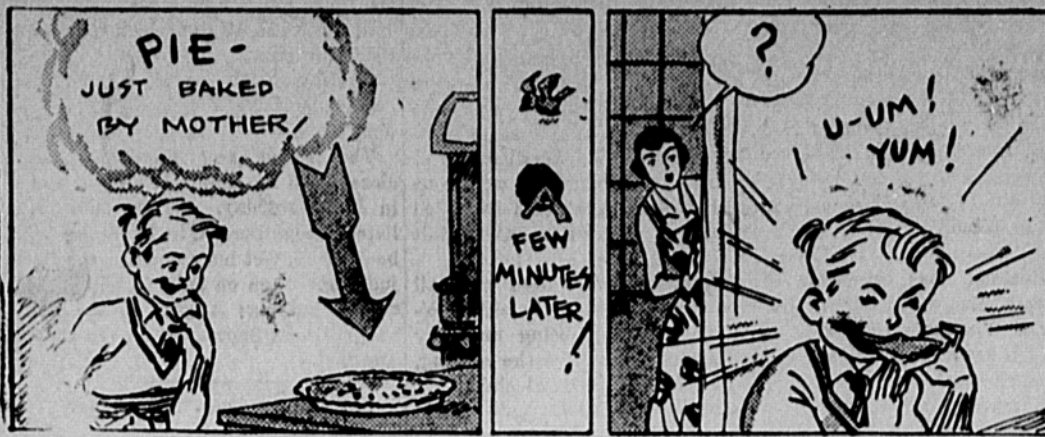
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ROTARY MEETING

Last Friday was another Rotary meeting, with Jerry Clements, Jed Hubert L. Allen and C. R. Miner, members from Lubbock. Every member present but one, pretty good. A real live subject was up for discussion, "Should the World Adopt a Thirteen-Month Year." This was controversial and of course no vote was taken. Owing to the fine dinner served by the Southland ladies, and the thermometer registered a little high, the boys appeared to be fed up. The usual snappy program was not in evidence, while there are no gormandizers among the Rotary members, still a well satisfied air was particularly noticeable, so much so that they all felt like a nap. We are thinking of having swinging hammocks, just like the sailor, and maybe introduce an Aeolian harp. This will comfort and soothe the members. Anyway this Friday should produce a fine program, for the boys are down for classification discussions, and we are sure that every fellow can tell of his business. Al Payne will tickle ivories. This will be good. Al has been practicing six months for the event. Anyway we expect to be per cent strong, so long fellows. Please wake up.

MONEY

A little boy of ten, on a visit to his grandparents, noticed that his Uncle John never did any work. The boy had never met any grownups who didn't work, and his uncle's inactivity puzzled him. He asked questions and learned that Uncle John didn't have to work, because he had money that was working for him. That appealed to the boy. He decided to get money and make it work for him. He got his first money that year, \$7 for picking cranberries, and he set that money to work in a saving bank. That was in 1850. The boy's name was George Eaker. At twenty-one he was already prominent in banking circles. He was twenty-three when he founded the First National Bank of New York. He never did anything all his life but deal in money. He died the other day at the age of 91, sincerely mourned by every leader in business and finance. He was a great man. The greatest thing about him, as I see it, was his singleness of purpose. The trouble with most of us is that we don't stick.



ELECTRIFICATION

One of my farmer neighbors in the Berkshire Hills of Massachusetts, Major Hugh Smiley of Great Barrington, is making a test of all of the possibilities of electricity on the farm. Major Smiley's hens work as long hours in winter as they do in summer, because the hen-houses are lighted by electricity. Now he has installed electric sun-lamps in the concrete barn where his prize herd of Holsteins is housed, in order to give the cattle the benefit of the ultraviolet rays in the winter, as well as in the summer. It may take several years of experience before the exact value of farm electrification is determined, but it is Major Smiley's belief that electric power is not only cheaper than man power, but more efficient, and that the use of electric lights of various types makes his hens lay better, his cows produce more milk and keeps his live stock in better health.

GRAFT

According to the trade paper, "Highway Engineer and Contractor," millions of dollars are expended annually by companies manufacturing highway machinery and materials to influence county commissioners and others having control of highway work to select certain types of roads and pavements for construction or maintenance materials and machinery. Such payments to public officials are regarded in some business circles as "lawful graft." They are dishonest because such bribes are added to the cost of the job and come out of the pockets of the taxpayers, and also because they may and often do result in a poor job, which will soon have to be done over again—again at the taxpayers' expense. It would be interesting if some live newspaper in every county in the United States should start an inquiry as to how much "lawful graft" its local officials have received from paving contractors.

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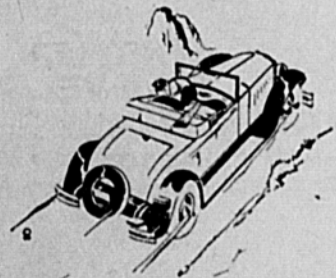
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LOCAL GOSSIP

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Smith's young son is quite ill at the family residence, on South 12th street.

Mrs. C. P. Beauchamp has returned from Fort Worth, where she was called on account of her sister's illness.

Mrs. Stait and children who have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Hill Rust, at 505 East Crosby, left Wednesday for a visit with relatives in Paris, Tenn.

Dr. W. E. Payne, who has been confined to his home for several days, is out again. He stated that he had a good nurse and a pretty fair pill bag to wait on him.

Mrs. J. E. Kelley and Mrs. Henry Wight and family returned Monday from Brownwood, where they had been visiting friends and relatives since last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jones left early Wednesday morning for Big Spring, where they were called on account of the death of Mrs. Jones' sister. Full particulars are not available.

Mrs. S. A. Peavy and daughter Doris, left Saturday for Fort Worth and other points, visiting with Mrs. Peavy's parents and friends. They expect to be absent for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sprinkle and family are spending a few weeks in Hunt county, visiting with friends and relatives. They will return to Slaton when the visiting days are over.

Miss Minnie Lee McMurry, one of Slaton's teachers, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. McMurry, 455 West Lubbock street, underwent an operation for appendicitis Wednesday morning. Reports are that she is resting very well.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wells which was partially destroyed by fire some time past, has taken on a new aspect. The property is located at 77 South 12th street. The repairing and improvements add much to the locality.

Mrs. John D. Frye, who has been a patient in Mercy Hospital for some time, was removed to her home Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Frye is showing much improvement, and states she will soon be on the road to full recovery. We wish for her a speedy progress.

Foster Carroll, mail carrier Rt. 1, is taking time at Mercy hospital, where he was operated on for appendicitis. Foster feels a little sore in mind and body, but he is going to



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R. D. Griffin, who has served some time as a member of the school board, has resigned that position. The board elected J. S. Walker to fill the vacancy. Mr. Walker has been a resident of Slaton for a long time and will make a good trustee.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hanna, accompanied by Mr. Hanna's brother of Fort Worth, visited with another brother at Floydada. A. C. reports slippery roads and a heavy rainfall, in the neighborhood of Falls and across the canyon, but was able to guide the boat home, and arrived safely.

Uncle George Marriott is smiling. This time it is a broad grin. The word came from California that Mrs. Marriott expects to arrive home today (Friday), accompanied by Dr. Sallie Miller, who has been with Mrs. Marriott since she left Slaton. All the friends will be pleased to welcome them home, and especially to know that Mrs. Marriott has greatly improved since making the change.

The Rev. W. F. Ferguson, pastor of the First Baptist church, with Mrs. Ferguson and children, left Monday morning to attend the commencement exercises of Baylor University at Waco. Miss Agnes Fields, of Iowa Park, a niece of Mrs. Ferguson, is a member of the graduating class. The Fergusons will visit in Iowa Park on their return from Waco.

Walter B. Hestand has returned from New Orleans, La., after attending the National Wholesale Grocers' convention. In his report it was stated it was one of the best conventions ever held, with representatives from all over the nation attending. Walter returns with new pronouncements and is doing right well with them.

Fred Schmidt and Mrs. Lee Green, president and secretary of the Retail Merchants' association, attended the sessions of the state Retail Merchants association, which closed Wednesday in Lubbock after a three-day session. They report very fine meetings and live discussions. Mineral Wells was favored with the convention for next year.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NEWS

(Continued from page 1)
The reception and entertainment committee, on the way in which they handled this party.
There were ninety-five present, and everybody seemed to have an enjoyable time.
The Lawn and Garden contest closed with the application that came in last Saturday. Ninety-nine are listed altogether. First judging will be June 15. Get busy now for the first judging. Then on July 15 will be the second judging; August 15 the third judging, and September 15 the fourth and last.

Our good friend Coke Oliver just has to appear on the scene occasionally, to get a change of climate and breathe the pure air of newspaper-dim, and flip fins. Old "Hec" stated he was leaving for Amarillo, there to enjoy the perplexities of the novices as they cross the hot sands of Khiva Temple. Wish all could go.

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Mrs. Chatterer: Good-bye. Thank you for the interesting news.
Mrs. Ilaye-Gossip: Be sure and tell everybody not to tell anybody what I told you.

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