

THE SLATONITE

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LAST RAIL LAID ON CLOVIS-SLATON DIVISION SANTA FE

The one event which the border town of Texico-Farwell had been absolutely certain of for five years, had been expecting to materialize for every month since 1907, the building of another railroad into that little city, was realized last Saturday when the last steel rail was placed on the world advertised Texico Cut-off, and the Clovis-Slaton division of that magnificent triumph in railroad engineering, the Santa Fe's Galveston to San Francisco short line, is now a physical reality. This last link of the road is a splendid stretch of track, and is ballasted and completed for fast service. It was rumored that temporary train service by the construction company between these divisions would be inaugurated last Monday, but up to the time the Slatonite went to press this schedule had not been put into effect. Announcement has not been made yet as to when Galveston service will be started, but it is expected soon.

The new Clovis Slaton line now being finished, the work of the Slaton shops will be increased considerably by the large number of freight trains which will be handled here on their way from the Pacific Coast to the Gulf, and from the Gulf to the Coast. The freight and passenger traffic thru Slaton next year will be enormous. As an evidence of this, the Santa Fe has planned the early building here of an \$80,000.00 passenger depot with general offices in the third story, to enlarge the freight depot, lay more track in the local yards, add six stalls to the round house for Mallet engines, besides increasing the size and capacity of the shops and power house. The payroll will increase until it reaches a figure that will maintain a city here. Many department officials will be placed here permanently.

The result of these improvements can already be noticed in the activity in real estate circles, and the demand for land and city property in and around Slaton. The rent houses are nearly all occupied and the railroad shops are busier handling the increased traffic than they have ever been. Many people here will not price their land at all, and say that it is not for sale. It is quite likely that a decided raise in the prices of real estate here will occur during the next few months.

It might be well for you to remember that your city taxes are due and payable. The city needs the money and you had better kick in before the penalty attaches, and at the same time show your public spiritedness and civic pride.

Jack Alley, postmaster at Tahoka, was in town Wednesday on business.

THE GREAT DAY

IS APPROACHING and it requires table ornaments of a practical nature--that is, good eatables.

The turkey needs attendants in the way of good, pure Groceries, Cranberries, Mincemeat, Nuts, Fruits, Plum Pudding, Etc. If you want to be able to give hearty thanks for quality in this line order your groceries here, and get satisfaction for little cash.



Slaton Sanitary Grocery

YOU ONLY PAY FOR WHAT YOU BUY, AND AT LOWER PRICES

"THE SANITARY WAY IS THE ONLY WAY"

Two Literary Societies Organized.

Although only two months have passed of the present school year, wonderful progress has been made along all lines. One notable and praiseworthy accomplishment is the organization of two literary societies in the public schools -- one for the girls and one for the boys. Debates, readings, essays, and orations are studied, and the pupils are taking to the work enthusiastically. It is likely that the students will publish a weekly paper of their own next year.

The girl's society is under the management of Misses Dickerman and Robertson. Hattie Joplin is the president.

Prof. Faulkner has the boy's society in charge. Burl Guinn is president and Charley Whalen is secretary.

New Association Formed to

Study Child Life

The most recent organization in Slaton is known as "The Parents' and Teachers' Association." It is modeled in some respects after the "Mothers' Club," but it is far more. The organization is composed of the mothers and teachers of Slaton, and has as its object the development of the social life of the schools, and the development of a closer relation between patrons and teachers.

Some splendid work is being accomplished. At present the Association is studying "Child Life and Physical Education." Mrs. Joe Smith is president of the Association and Mrs. S. H. Adams is secretary. Meetings are held twice a month, on Friday, in the school building.

"Tony, The Convict."

Watch for it! What? That home talent play which is now under full headway, with a strong troupe, fine scenery, and side-splitting specialties. It is headed this way and will make its appearance very likely during the first week in December. The troupe is buckling down to regular rehearsals, and some excellent talent is coming to light. For inspiring romance, the tragedy of convict life, the beauty of paternal devotion, and wholesome comedy, this play cannot be excelled. It will be three short hours of the liveliest drama you ever witnessed. To see it means that you must cry one minute and laugh the next. If you are over emotional or too romantic, don't come! Watch for later announcements.

SANTA FE SPECIAL EDUCATION'L TRAIN COMING FRIDAY

The Santa Fe Educational Special Train will be in Slaton on Friday, Nov. 12st, from 3.55 to 5.30 o'clock p. m., and all persons interested in the development of this vicinity are urged to be present and hear the interesting and instructive lectures that will be delivered by men who are specialists in the lines about which they talk. Some of the subjects to be discussed are "Our Farm Poultry," "Canning and Preserving," "Use of Dairy Products in the Home," "Nutritive Value and Cost of Foods," "Dairying and Silos," and "Better Farming Methods." Everything is free and your time cannot be better or more profitably spent. Be there without fail.

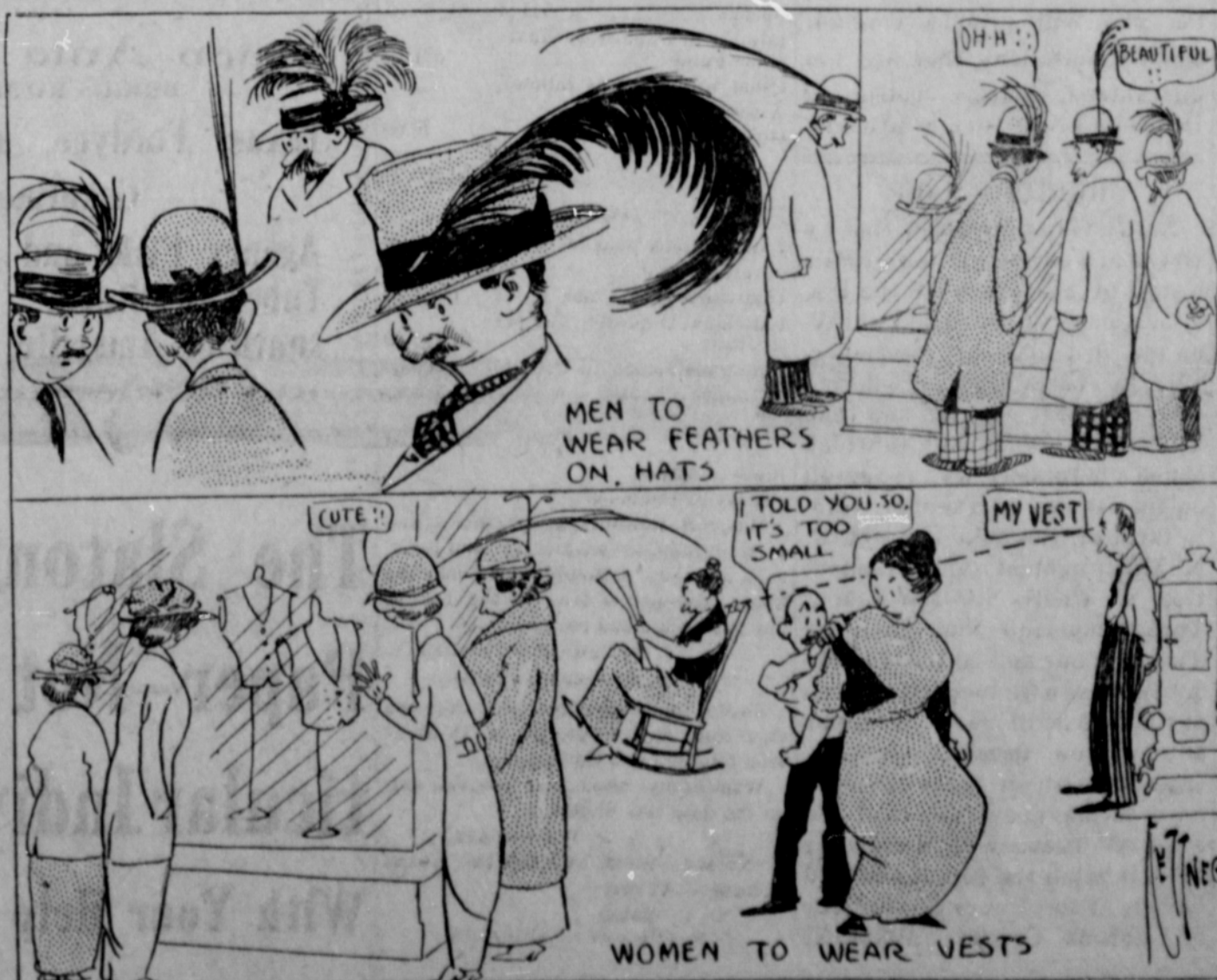
This has been a week of visiting at the homes of J. B. and B. B. Miller, the occasion being a family reunion. Mrs. H. M. Miller and Miss Francis were here from Dodge City, and Mrs. L. P. Loomis and children, Koert Carleton and Lois Alliene, of Slaton, Texas. All the other members of the family are the Banner families. All the children were present and all the other relatives, excepting Mr. Loomis who was kept away by business, and Master Noel. We have been having a great time.—Bucklin, Kans., Banner.

E. H. Petty, who has been local manager for the Houston Lumber Company for two and a half years, was transferred this week to Canadian where he has charge of the Panhandle Lumber Yard. Mr. E. R. Martin of Ashland, Kansas, has succeeded Mr. Petty here. He is an experienced lumber and coal dealer, having been with the Houston people for several years. Mr. Martin is a genial man to meet, and the Slatonite extends to him a welcome, predicting that his presence among us will be mutually beneficial.

Chris. Jacobson, who for the past two years has been employed in the railroad shops as machinist, was transferred to Canadian and left for his new home Thursday. Mr. Jacobson has been in the employ of the Santa Fe for the past ten years; he is a Slaton property owner and regretted very much to have to go from here. He says that he may be returned to this place after a while and that he will be glad to get back. His son, M. C. Jacobson, and family, will remain here.

Building activity in Slaton still continues. Mr. Hannan, boiler-maker for the Santa Fe in the local shops, is erecting a handsome four room bungalow in East Slaton, and Mr. Pollock, a progressive farmer who recently bought the Stokes place, is erecting a neat cottage on his farm.

THIS FOR THAT



CURRENCY REFORM—AT HOME



Playground of Bower Bird



The bower bird of Australia is remarkable chiefly for its habit of building—quite apart from its nest—a bower, or run, constructed apparently as a playground, to satisfy aesthetic tastes, and to form a place in which the cock bird may display himself before his mate. The run consists of a kind of corridor, some two feet long, made of twigs and dry grass. The walls of this bend towards one another at the top and sometimes even meet, so that the run becomes a tunnel. At each opening to it objects of adornment are collected—shells, brightly colored berries and leaves, brilliant flowers, pieces of glass, scraps of metal; indeed, anything the bird can find and deems suitable. The ornamentation, further, is not confined to entrance and exit; the choicest pieces of all are placed in the run itself. The bird's cleverness is not confined to the carrying of shells and other articles for the adornment of the bower. It can give calls like the cackling of a hen, the barking of a dog, the sound of metal struck, and the cry of the hawk. This last accomplishment is of great use, for it scares away many a small bird which might otherwise intrude. As the decorative flowers or berries wither they are removed and replaced by fresh ones.

Read the Slatonite



Founded and Owned by the Pecos & Northern Texas Ry. Company

SANTA FE SYSTEM

LOCATION—Southeast Corner of Lubbock County, Texas, in Central Section of the South Plains; on the new Main Trans-Continental Line of the Santa Fe System, of which the Clovis Extension is now under construction; connects North Texas lines of that system at Canyon, Texas, with South Texas lines at Coleman, Texas; junction of the Lamesa branch of that system.

ADVANTAGES AND IMPROVEMENTS—The Railway Company has completed Division Terminal Facilities at this point, constructed mostly of reinforced concrete material and including a Round House, a Power House, Machine and Blacksmith Shops, Coal Chute, a Sand House, Water Plant, Ice House, etc. Also have a Fred Harvey Eating House now open, and a Reading Room for Santa Fe employees. Have extensive yard tracks, preparatory to handling a heavy trans-continental business, both freight and passenger, between the Gulf and the Atlantic Coast and the Pacific Coast territories, and on branch lines to Tahoka, Lamesa and other towns.

3000 FEET OF BUSINESS STREETS are graded and macadamized and several residence streets graded; there are 26 business buildings of brick and reinforced concrete, with others to follow; 200 residences under construction and completed.

A **FINE AGRICULTURAL** country surrounds the town, with soil dark chocolate color, sandy loam, producing Kaffir Corn, Milo Maize, Cotton, Wheat, Oats, Indian Corn, garden crops and fruit. An inexhaustible supply of pure free stone water from wells 40 to 90 feet deep.

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SOUTH PLAINS LAND COMPANY, and HARRY T. McGEE,
Local Townsite Agents, Slaton, Texas.

A King's Strange State



Among the picturesque petty kings of Danomey who paid homage to the French General Bailloud recently was his dusky majesty of the Daassas, who made his appearance in state mounted upon a fine example of the wooden horse, set upon a wheeled stand, and drawn along by his ministers.

ONE SENTENCE CALENDAR

How often in the course of a year does a man who has no calendar near at hand ask himself the question, On what day of the week does such and such a date fall? A perusal of the following sentence will soon convince him how he may know all he needs with very little trouble:

"Said I, I dwelt for fifteen weeks in London with a robber."

Each word represents a month in order. Thus "said" stands for January and "robber" for December. The number of letters in the word gives the date on which the first Saturday

in the month represented occurs. Take, for instance, June 14, 1913, June being the sixth month is represented by the word "fifteen," which has seven letters indicating June as being the first Saturday. This seventh and seven days gives the 14th as being the second Saturday of this month. Having thus seen on which day of the week the month begins, the rest is easy.

L. D. Harris has purchased half interest in the well drill belonging to Ed Ward and both of these gentlemen will cooperate same in the future.

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Slaton, Texas

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magazines buys news-
papers, but everybody
who reads newspapers
doesn't buy magazines.
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reach the people of
this community.

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Money**



will occupy your entire
time when you become a
regular advertiser in THIS
PAPER. Unless you have
an antipathy for labor of
this kind, call us up and
we'll be glad to come and
talk over our proposition.

**"Don't Walk Your
Legs Off 'Looking'
for that Fellow
Brown—**

The QUICKEST way to
catch him is to sit still
and extend your arm just
far enough to grasp your



—then tell "central" you
want to talk to Brown
and—"Hello, there's
Brown already." So easy

Western Telephone Co. Y
Slaton, Texas

SOCIETY.

"500" Club.

Again the pretty home of Mrs. P. E. Jordan was open to a number of friends Thursday afternoon, Nov. 6th, when she gave a "500" party in honor of Mrs. H. C. Holman of Amarillo, formerly of Slaton. Throughout the home were beautiful potted chrysanthemums and red roses. It was a beautiful afternoon, one that makes everyone feel happy. There was lots of interest shown at each table. At 5 o'clock the hostess served a delicious course of combination salad on lettuce leaves with salad dressing, bread and butter and peanut butter sandwiches, candied apples with whipped cream, olives and coffee with whipped cream. After which the guests departed with the usual feeling of having spent a more than pleasant afternoon at the Jordan home. The guest list included Mesdames Holman of Amarillo, Brannon, Page, Robertson, Hudgens, Paul, Campbell, Spetter, Parker, and Howerton, and the Misses Spetter and Dunscomb.

One of the most enjoyable parties of the week was given Wednesday when Mrs. Albert S. Page entertained the "500" Club. The reception room, parlor, and dining room were chosen for this occasion and were attractive with ferns and cut flowers.

A delicious one-course luncheon was served to the following named guests: Mesdames Jordan, Parker, Brannon, Spetter, Twaddle, Simmons, and Robertson, and the Misses Dunscomb, Twaddle, and Spetter.

The club will meet with Miss Twaddle next Wednesday.

Deodilian Club.

The Deodilian Club members again enjoyed another pleasant afternoon Wednesday, Nov. 5th, at the home of Mrs. R. W. Parker. The day was beautiful and everyone felt cheerful as they sewed the while away. The afternoon passed indeed too soon, but at the close the hostess served an appetizing course of pressed chicken, fruit salad on lettuce leaves, pickled peaches, bread and butter sandwiches, and coffee with cream. At the close each one expressed that Mrs. Parker was indeed a charming hostess. Those present were Mesdames Paul, Young, Brannon, Proctor, Olive, Spetter, Hudgens, Jordan, Campbell, Twaddle, Page, Adams, and Parker of Slaton, and Mrs. Holman of Amarillo; and the Misses Proctor, Dunscomb, and Spetter.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Drury arrived in Slaton from Bells, Texas, and will make their future home here. Mr. Drury is a brother-in-law of W. E. Olive. He owns a nice farm near Slaton which he purchased some two months ago. Mrs. Drury is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Procter. The Slatonite extends to them a hearty welcome to the best part of Texas.

Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Balch left Thursday for Wise County, their old home, where they will visit for several days. They then expect to go to Dallas and attend the Baptist Convention.

Mrs. Walter Olive went to Post City Thursday, where she will visit relatives for a few days.

Always a good word for Slaton

J. S. EDWARDS, President

L. SLATON, Vice President

P. E. JORDAN, Cashier

Condensed Statement of the
No. 754

FIRST STATE BANK OF SLATON
SLATON, TEXAS

at the Close of Business October 31st, 1913

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$12,382.39	Capital Stock.....\$15,000.00
Banking Premises.....5,000.00	Surplus and Profits.....1,631.76
CASH AND EXCHANGE.....22,917.80	DEPOSITS.....33,668.43
Total.....\$50,300.19	Total.....\$50,300.19

The above statement is correct. P. E. JORDAN, Cashier

Notice our deposits and cash on hand. We are prepared to take care of all legitimate business offered, and invite the business of yourself and friends. Try us for yourself.

Guaranty Fund Bank

An additional building on the school grounds which has been added lately is quite a convenience to country pupils who drive to school as it provides barn shelter for their horses during any inclement weather. This barn was built at a small cost and is very servicable.

Mrs. C. A. Buchanan, a wealthy lady of California, Mo., was here the past week looking at the town and country with the view of investing in South Plains property. She will return in a short time, as she was very favorably impressed with the outlook.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Loomis and children arrived home Tuesday from Stratford where they had been visiting for several weeks while Mr. Loomis was assisting his father who had just purchased the newspaper there. L. P. is now back at his old place as editor and office force of the Slatonite.

Chas. Eddington, Santa Fe master mechanic, returned home this week from Kansas City where he had been taking in the sights while enjoying a little vacation. Mr. Eddington went to Chicago, and stopped in the Kaw metropolis on his way home. They say that as Charley is a single man this trip may have been something more than a vacation, and then again it may not. Can't always tell.

R. C. Edgell resigned his position on the Slatonite Wednesday and left for McAlester, N. M., where he joins his wife at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Hodges. McAlester is in the northwest corner of Curry county. Mr. Hodges has extensive land interests there, is farming intensively and extensively, and has been trying for a long time to induce Mr. Edgell to leave the printing office and assist him in looking after the property. So the Edgells expect to remain in the country for a year at least. Mr. Edgell had been associated with the editor of the Slatonite for several years in a professional way, and helped to establish the Slatonite in Slaton. It was with many regrets on both sides that this parting was made. The best wishes of many friends in Slaton go with Mr. and Mrs. Edgell that they will have a prosperous and pleasant year on the farm, and the hopes that they will then return to Slaton.

The Slatonite hopes to merit your patronage, not as the editor's looking glass but as a proper representative of the coming city of Slaton.

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City Directory and Railway Guide.

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METHODIST CHURCH.

J. P. Calloway, Pastor.
Sunday School every Sunday at 10 o'clock a. m. R. G. Shankle, Superintendent. C. C. Hoffman, Asst. Supt.
Preaching services every second and fourth Sundays in the month at 11 o'clock a. m., and at 7:30 p. m.
Womans' Missionary Society meets every Monday afternoon at three o'clock.
Union Prayer Meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Methodist church. Everyone welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

J. R. Balch, Pastor.
Sunday School every Sunday at 10 o'clock a. m. J. W. Patterson, Superintendent.
Preaching services every first and third Sundays in the month at 11 o'clock a. m., and at 7:30 p. m.
Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday at 3 o'clock p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. Word, Pastor
Preaching every fourth Sunday in the month at 11 o'clock a. m., and at 7:30 p. m.

SLATON COMMERCIAL CLUB.

R. J. Murray, president; R. C. Edgell, secretary. Club meets every Thursday evening at 8:00 o'clock at the McRea Hall on Texas avenue.

INDEPENDENT ORDER ODD FELLOWS.

Slaton Lodge meets every Friday night at 8:00 o'clock in the MacRea hall. P. M. Faulkner, Secretary. R. A. Baldwin, N. G.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.

Slaton Camp 2871 W. O. W. meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday nights in each month at MacRea Hall. J. T. Bellomy, C. C., J. M. Simmons, Clerk.

WOODMEN CIRCLE.

Slaton Grove Woodmen Circle No. 1320 meets on second and fourth Thursday evenings each month at 3:30 o'clock in the MacRea hall. Visitors cordially welcomed. Mrs. Ida Bellomy, Guardian. Mrs. Carrie Blackwell, Clerk.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE.--Santa Fe South Plains Lines

SOUTH BOUND.	
No. 27, Arrives from Amarillo.....	2:30 p. m.
" " Departs for Sweetwater.....	2:55 p. m.
NORTH BOUND.	
No. 28, Arrives from Sweetwater.....	10:40 a. m.
" " Departs for Amarillo.....	11:05 p. m.
AMARILLO LOCAL.	
No. 93, Arrives from Amarillo.....	5:15 p. m.
No. 94, Departs for Amarillo.....	6:00 a. m.
LAMESA LOCAL.	
No. 89, Departs for Lamesa.....	3:20 p. m.
No. 90, Arrives from Lamesa.....	11:30 a. m.

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BACK AGAIN.

This week's Slatonite is a hurry-up edition and a little late at that. The "boss" returned to the old job Wednesday to find that it was up to him to get out a paper altho he was worn from a strenuous two days of car driving. The retiring manager in charge resigned his job just as soon as our car hove in sight and absolutely refused to donate any further energy to the destiny of this enterprising sheet. He had heard the call of the wild. The industry of the poultry flocks in the farm barnyard on a sunny New Mexico morning as voiced by cackle and crow; the lowing kine and the steady drum of flowing sweet cream laden nostril tickling lacteal fluid into waiting milk buckets; the scent of freshly turned earth behind a plow drawn by the old farm team—beloved old Bec and Pete; the sight of scurrying rabbit, the sound of Bob White's challenging notes, and the sensation of crawling thru the frost up on a bag of mallards; the appetizing odors of good old farm suppers that put brawn and brain into men; and the sacred adolescence of evenings spent in quiet repose or fireside amusements, entirely free from the worries and turmoil of the marts where young men grow prematurely old and sharpsters in swapping dollars,—all these recollections flooded his memory and awakened his imagination, and he went back to the farm to really live again, forget, and eat bear meat. Lucky rascal; we almost envy him.

We expect to have the Slatonite under control by next week, and out on time.

Have you noticed the many strange faces in the city the past week? They are prospective purchasers of real estate—Slaton South Plains Shallow Water soil. Make their acquaintance for they are splendid people.

NOTICE

Persons who take books out of my office in my absence, will confer a favor by letting me know of the fact, so that I can keep track of the books. No objection whatever to your taking them out, but I want to know where they are. Many are gone; who has them?

R. A. Baldwin.

A real estate deal was consummated this week whereby W. E. Olive became owner of the H. D. Talley property just south of the Baptist church in South Slaton Addition. The consideration was not made public, but it is believed that the property brought a good price.

L. C. Robertson, one of Lubbock County's most progressive farmers, left this week for Enid, Okla., where he will engage in the mercantile business with his son. Mr. Robertson has a host of friends here who are sorry to learn of his departure.

O. M. Unger of Plainview is having a broad concrete walk laid in front of his Slaton lots on Texas Avenue. A splendid improvement.

Attorney R. A. Baldwin made a trip to Lubbock Monday to look after business in connection with the approaching term of the District Court.

J. W. Deal, assistant general manager of the Alfalfa Lumber Company and other associated companies, was in Slaton the first of the week from Kansas City, looking after the company's interests here.

Frank Mitchell of Marshall, Mo., was in Slaton last week, the guest of R. J. Murray & Company. Mr. Mitchell is interested in the South Plains, and is contemplating making some heavy investments here, both in farm lands and in city property.

After considerable delay that was unavoidable the new seats for the recitation rooms at the school house were received and are now installed. The old seats were put in the auditorium for use until the auditorium chairs arrive, which will be within the next two weeks.

Don't Take The Wrong Medicine

If Your Liver Gets Lazy You Need a Liver Tonic, Not Merely a Laxative for the Bowels

Many people take a simple laxative when their livers are sluggish rather than take calomel, which they know to be dangerous. But a mere laxative will not start a sluggish liver. What is needed is a tonic that will liven up the liver without forcing you to stay at home and lose a day from your business.

You have such a tonic in Dodson's Liver Tonic. Dodson's Liver Tonic must do all they claim for it because they guarantee it to take the place of dangerous calomel and agree to hand back the money with a smile to any person who tries Dodson's Liver Tonic and is not satisfied with the relief it gives.

Dodson's Liver Tonic is a harmless vegetable liquid with a pleasant taste, and is a prompt and reliable remedy for constipation, biliousness, sour stomach, and the other troubles that come from a torpid liver.

The Red Cross Pharmacy give their personal guarantee and if you will ask about this guarantee you will protect yourself against imitations that are not guaranteed. Large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic is 50 cents.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Borden County, on the 3rd day of November, 1913, in a certain cause wherein R. N. Miller is plaintiff, and Geo. T. Curtis is defendant, in which cause a judgment was rendered on the 4th day of October, 1913, in favor of the said plaintiff, R. N. Miller against said defendant Geo. T. Curtis for the sum of Three Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty-Four and 50-100 (\$3,924.50) Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per centum per annum from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit, I have levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in December 1913, it being the 2nd day of said month, at the Court House Door of Lubbock County, Texas, at

Lubbock, Texas, within legal hours, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of Geo. T. Curtis in and to the following described real property, levied upon as the property of Geo. T. Curtis to-wit:

All of Sections Nos. Sixteen (16) and Twenty (20) in Block U in Cochran County, Texas, awarded by the State of Texas to L. C. Denton on August 22nd, 1902.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for Three Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty-Four and 50-100 Dollars, in favor of R. N. Miller, together with the cost of said suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.

W. H. FLYNN,

Sheriff Lubbock County, Texas.

Lubbock, Texas, November 7th 1913.

BANK STATEMENT.

Official statement of the financial condition of the FIRST STATE BANK at Slaton, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 21st day of October, 1913, published in the Slatonite, a newspaper printed and published at Slaton, State of Texas, on the 31st day of October, 1913.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$18,632.70
Loans, real estate	3,711.00
Overdrafts	151.67
Real Estate (banking house)	3,600.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,400.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agts., net	\$18,351.15
Cash Items	384.25
Currency	3,109.00
Specie	444.80
Interest on Depositors Guarantee Fund	371.72
Other Resources as follows:	
Assessment for Guarantee Fund	49.02
Total	\$50,205.31
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$15,000.00
Surplus Fund	400.00
Undivided profits, net	1,231.06
Individual Deposits, subject to check	31,137.82
Time Certificates of Deposit	2,000.00
Cashier's Checks	436.43
Total	\$50,205.31

State of Texas, County of Lubbock.

We, J. S. Edwards, as president, and P. E. Jordan, as cashier of said bank each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. S. EDWARDS, President.
 P. E. JORDAN, Cashier.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 28th day of October, A. D. nineteen hundred and thirteen.

Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid.

J. G. WADSWORTH,
 Notary Public, Lubbock Co., Texas

CORRECT-ATTEST:
 O. L. Slaton,
 J. S. Edwards Directors.

Wait a Few Days

Our CHRISTMAS GOODS will be here and on display in a few days, so don't be in a hurry and order your holiday goods. We are going to open our goods early and sell at a low profit, so we won't have to carry anything over. Watch for the display.

R. L. BLANTON, Proprietor
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