

One Hundred Expected To Attend Rancher's, Feeder's Field Day

Approximately one hundred ranchers, feeders, and educators are expected to attend the Rancher's and Cattle Feeder's Field Day to be held next Tuesday, Nov. 29, at the Edwin Forrest Ranch, seven miles north of Slaton.

The program, scheduled to get under way at 9 o'clock is under the direction of D. W. Sherrill, county agent of Lubbock county.

The central theme of the one-day field day, according to the county agent, is to "try to point the way from all cotton farming to balanced farming, with cotton, feed, and livestock being the main points."

Four Attend WTCC Meeting Tuesday

Four directors of the local chamber of commerce are in Fort Worth this week attending the annual director's meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, which was scheduled for Tuesday.

Those attending from Slaton are George W. Brassell, president of the local chamber; P. G. Meading, board manager; Lewis Hollingsworth, treasurer of the board and member of the West Texas board, and J. B. Huckabay, Slaton city commissioner.

Before noon lectures and demonstrations will include spraying cattle for grubs and lice by Edwin Forrest, dehorning of cattle by Dr. N. A. Cox, veterinarian of Lubbock; identification of grasses by George Samson of Post; grazing value of grasses by Jack Carothers, assistant county agent of Lubbock county; water conservation by Marshall Howard, S.C.S., and new grasses by O. L. Kay, S.C.S.

West Texas water projects were to have been the principal subject of the conference. Speakers for the occasion were Department of the Interior executives. A Fort Worth publisher, Amon G. Carter, presided at the banquet.

The four representatives from Slaton were to have returned home Wednesday.

Hi School Bands To Invade Tech

LUBBOCK, Nov. 22 — High school bands—some 1,200 strong are expected to invade the Texas Tech campus Dec. 9-10 for the seventh annual Tech-Lubbock public school band clinic. D. O. Wiley, director of Tech bands, says.

Wiley said bandmen will be divided into five different groups for the clinic. All AAA and AA players will use the 1950 music lists, while bands from class A, B and C schools will be divided into separate groups. Texas Tech's Concert band also will participate in the two-day program.

1950 Automobiles On Display Here

In step with the times in new automobiles, Slaton has on display this week the new 1950 Pontiac and the new 1950 Ford models that are creating much attention all over the nation.

Tip Kendrick, manager and owner of the Slaton Implement Company, is very enthusiastic over the new 1950 Pontiac with their many new innovations including new front-end design, newly designed parking lights, heavier grill, new rear deck name plate and a score of other refinements.

Johnny Jones Dies In Slaton Saturday

Funeral services for Johnny Jones, 50, who died about 11:00 Saturday night in Mercy Hospital were held Monday at 2:30 p. m. in the First Methodist Church in Slaton.

Rev. A. C. Harding, Methodist minister from Sundown, officiated at the funeral, assisted by Rev. J. T. Bolding, pastor of the Slaton Baptist Church.

Slaton Churches Observe Holiday

Union Thanksgiving services were scheduled to be held Wednesday evening, November 23, at 7:30 o'clock in the First Presbyterian Church of Slaton. All the churches of this city participated in this observance of the Thanksgiving season.

Jones, a resident of the South Plains area for almost 35 years, had operated a food store in Sundown for about eight years. Previous to that time he had resided in Slaton for many years.

Williams Funeral home of Slaton directed burial in the Slaton cemetery.

THE WEATHER

The West Texas Gas Company reports that their tested thermometer recorded a high of 82 on Saturday, November 19 and a low of 33 on Monday morning, November 21.

Survivors are his wife, four brothers, W. N. Jones of Century, Fla., S. O. Jones of Centumote, Fla., G. L. Jones of Arrey, N. M., and C. D. Jones of Morton; and three sisters, Mrs. J. T. Grimes, Mobile, Ala., Mrs. A. G. Chun, Alabama, and Mrs. G. L. Ledbetter, Century, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Scudder plan to spend Thanksgiving in Lubbock with their daughter and son-in-law. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sanders, jr., they also plan to visit their son, Kirby Scudder, jr., and his family in Amarillo over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Pearson and sons plan to spend Thanksgiving in Clovis, N. M., with her parents.

Public Service Employees Receive Awards . . .



At the first Southwestern Public Service dinner which was held Thursday evening, Nov. 17 at the Lubbock Hotel, 53 service awards in the five-year bracket were presented. Three of the awards went to Slaton residents, Elbert Wilson, W. L. (Pete) Pearson, and Louis Hollingsworth.

The awards were presented only to employees of the southern division which covers the area in the southern part of the Panhandle. This was the first time such awards had been offered by the company for length of service; however, it is believed that the presentation will become an annual affair.

Wilson, service foreman, received a 25-year award, but has been working for Southwestern for 29 years. He has been with the company longer than any other employee except H. L. Allen, vice-president, who received a 35 year award for 38 years of service.

REPORTS SHOW SLATON A BIG BRIGHT SPOT IN BUSINESS LINE

Slaton Man Says Englishmen Are Doing All Right

V. P. Williams of Slaton, engineer on the Santa Fe, returned last week from a visit to England where he spent several weeks.

In commenting on conditions in England Mr. Williams said that the English do not seem to be in bad spirits and most of them seem to be having a big time harassing and poking fun at the Labor Government.

He reported that he saw several communist meetings and that there are more communists in England than most people in the United States realize. The red flag was often unfurled at the gatherings and the clashes between the communists and the police were frequent.

Believing the business activity of the area is reflected to a great extent by the postal receipts the following figures were secured from Post Master Scudder of Slaton.

In commenting on the report Mr. Scudder said that postal receipts for this office increased in sales of stamps so far this year by 12 per cent over the same period for 1948. In considering the figures it must be kept in mind that most of the crop of 1948 had been gathered by Thanksgiving, while practically half of this year's crop is still in the fields.

Many people have complained that a large amount of the money that is being paid the cotton pullers is going back to Old Mexico, but the figures at the Post Office do not bear this out. In 1948 money orders sent out amounted to \$60,571.62 with 107 orders on the peak day, so far in 1949 there has been \$104,654.63 with a peak day of 454 money orders.

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The Question Of The Week . . .

From this week's poll we have decided that Slaton is blessed with having very good parents as they all agree, with the exception of one, that "Husbands Should Help Wives Take Care Of The Children."

Slaton Alcoholics To Assist Others

Reports from the Slaton group of Alcoholics Anonymous show that practically all of the members both men and women are making excellent records in their fight against their greatest enemy.

Trades Day Is To Be December 5th With Santa Claus

Old Santa with his long whiskers and red suit will be at the Slaton Trades Day Gift program on Monday, December 5th when he will have candy for the kiddies and good advice for the grown folks.

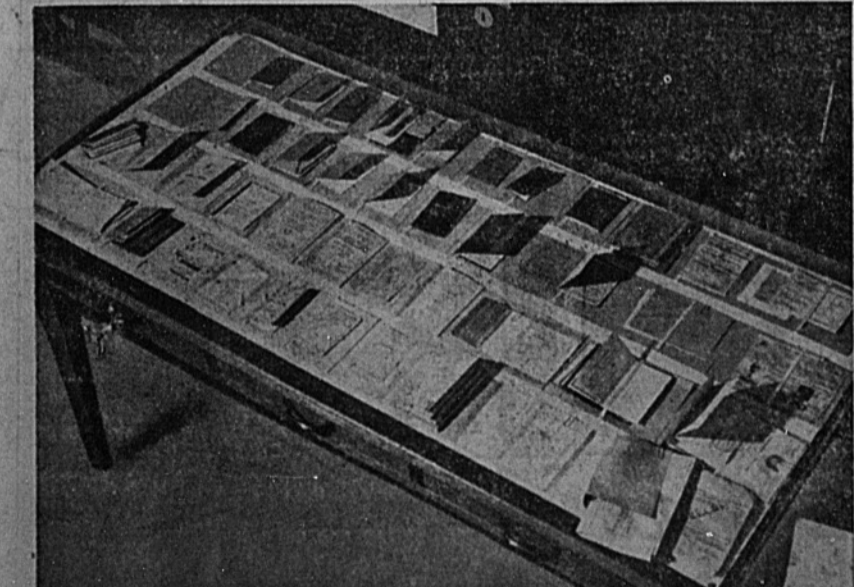
Movies To Be Shown Monday At TD Club

Movies of the past two Slaton Tiger games will be shown Monday night at 8:00 o'clock in the City Hall auditorium, according to President John Berkley. These will be movies of the Post and Littlefield games.

Slaton Stores Close

Slaton stores will be closed Thursday, November 24 in commemoration of the Thanksgiving holiday. It is a custom of Retail Merchants to close each year on this date. However, the stores will be opened again for trade Friday and Saturday as most of them observe the one day only.

U.N. Drafts Traffic Convention



Tackling world road traffic problems, a U.N. conference has agreed on an international road traffic convention which eventually would help motorists in all countries. The convention suggests the adoption of a simplified international driving permit which would be honored everywhere. The above exhibit of driving permits issued by 40 countries shows the necessity of reaching some form of simplification and greater uniformity in driving permit requirements.

BIRTHS

Flo Beth Berry will spend Thanksgiving in San Angelo with her aunt Mrs. J. A. Owens, jr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Church have recently moved to Slaton from Merkel, Texas. They are living at 1050 W. Garza Street.

Born Nov. 16 to Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnson at Mercy Hospital a girl weighing 8 lbs., 9 ozs.

Born Nov. 17 to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Terry at Mercy Hospital a boy weighing 6 lbs., 14 ozs.

Born Nov. 17 to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Johnson of Lamesa a girl weighing 7 lbs., 7 ozs. Mrs. Johnson is the former Miss Monna Caldwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Caldwell.

Born Nov. 18 to Mr. and Mrs. O. T. McPherson at Mercy Hospital a boy weighing 8 lbs., 1 oz.

Born Nov. 20 to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brooks at Mercy Hospital a girl weighing 6 lbs., 13 ozs.

Born Nov. 21 to Mr. and Mrs. J. Barrera at Mercy Hospital a girl weighing 6 lbs., 4 ozs.

Born Nov. 21 to Mr. and Mrs. H. Vega at Mercy Hospital twin girls weighing 4 lbs., and 9 ozs., and 6 lbs., and 6 ozs.

Born Nov. 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Sid Hudson of Washington, D. C., in Lubbock Memorial hospital a girl weighing 7 lbs., 10 ozs.

Thanksgiving

A Prayer — A Feast — A Tradition — A Holiday — a day that only the people of this nation know, revere and observe. A day set aside to give Thanks to the power above for the good things that made and are still making the United States of America the most prosperous, the most independent and the most glorious nation on earth.

Not only should we offer our prayer of Thanksgiving for the good life that is ours, but we should pray today for the future and for the preservation of this United States so that those who come after us may give their Thanksgiving because we preserved our freedom for them.

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MONDAY**
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Slaton, Texas

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\$34.50 NOW \$16.88

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Don't Take Less
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and other better
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all wool...
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and winter
models...
Tans, greys,
and tweeds...
at prices far
below their
actual value.

24⁷⁵
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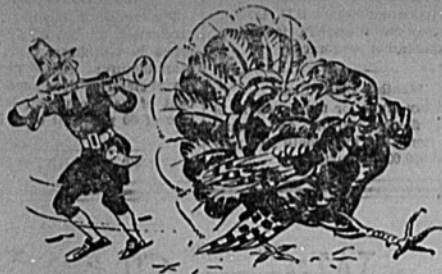
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Shoes On The South Plains... All Sizes, Newest Styles
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Clay Dates
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Slaton, Texas



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We Are Sincerely Thankful For
One Of The Best Years Business
Ever Enjoyed By This Store...
We Have Strived To Deserve It And
Will Continue To Do Our Best To
Serve You....

Teague Drug Store

Charley Walton and Joe Teague, III
Owners

The SPORTLIGHT

by Clarence

Coach Clarence Tillery's grid-
ders battled all the way last Fri-
day in the playoff game with Lit-
tlefield, but it was just about a
case of too much Wildcat. The
Littlefield machine started slowly,
but once in motion it was prac-
tically unstoppable. The huge
Lamb county squad, holding a
weight edge of around 25 pounds
per man, finally wore the Slaton
team down.

But despite the unbalanced
score, as well as several handicap-
ping injuries in the line and back
field, the Tigers spirit never stop-
ped. Cecil Bybee's passing and
Carl Lewis' receiving kept the
Wildcats on the alert all the way.
The entire line, paced by Leon
Moore and Carl Williams, turned
in a good performance.

Lewis and Bybee filled the air
with a 42-pass barrage that netted
12 completion and 198 yards. But
they could never keep rolling long
enough to cross the Wildcat goal
line. The 'Cat line held Slaton to
a net gain of only 12 yards on the
ground, while they rolled up a
total of 528 yards on the ground,
gained 25 first downs, and inter-
cepted four Tiger passes.

Final score, 47-0.

Coaches Clarence Tillery and
Bill Barnett will be among more
than 100 area high school basket-
ball coaches and their squads who
will attend the fourth annual
Clarence Fox basketball coaching
school to be held next Sunday and
Monday at Lubbock's Chapman
Fieldhouse.

An exhibition basketball game
between Tech and West Texas
State squads Monday night will
conclude the two-day school. The
game will be open to the public.
Chief instructors for the clinic
will be Polk Robison of Tech and
Gus Miller of West Texas. Their
respective squads will serve as
demonstrative units.

The program is to open Sunday
morning at 9:30 in the Hilton
Hotel, when all visiting coaches
will attend an official's meeting
of the Border Conference. Rules
and interpretations will be dis-
cussed at the meeting, and it will
take the place of a separate rules
interpretation meeting for the
school.

Lecture sessions are scheduled
for Sunday afternoon and part
of Monday, with the exhibition
game winding up the session Mon-
day evening.

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The Lubbock City Recreation
Department and the Veterans of
Foreign Wars will join in sponsor-
ing a district TAAF boxing tourna-
ment to be held December 8-9 at
Sled Allen's arena, according to
information released recently. The
winners of that tournament will be
sent to the state TAAF tourna-
ment in Fort Worth December 16-
17.

Ed Sides of the committee says
competing teams are expected to
enter from Amarillo, Abilene, and
Odessa.

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Here is a remarkable record
made by Coach A. J. Sales' Wil-
son Mustangs during the past
season. Undeafated and untied in
the regular season, the Ponies have
rolled up a total of 378 points for
an average of 54 points per game,
or better than a point-a-minute.
That is considered as very good
in six-man football. Only 73 points
were scored against them by the
opposition.

The lone defeat of the year came
at the hands of the six-man crew
from Welnet in Haskell county in
the bi-district playoff last Friday
night at Post. Final score was
29-18.

Old-Fashioned Favorite

Molasses is near the top of the
list of iron-rich foods. Nutrition-
ists recommend its use in low-cost
diets when meat, liver, and eggs
cannot be served too often. Its
frequent use in the diet is an excel-
lent safeguard against nutritional
anemia.

"Old North State"

North Carolina, which contains
3,370 square miles of water, is
known as "Old North State," "Tur-
pentine State," and "Tarheel State."



AND WE SAY

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Will And We Will Strive
In Every Way To Deserve
Your Business In The Fut-
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Thanksgiving

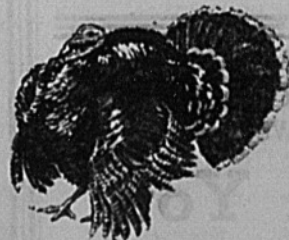
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For The Many Old Friends, New Friends, And For The
Customers Who Have Shopped With Us Since Our
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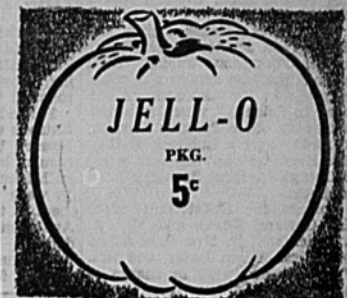


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ALL GOLD FRUIT COCKTAIL 2 1/2 Can 27c

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Turkeys
PLUMP AND TENDER
FRESH DRESSED
PLACE YOUR ORDER EARLY

HENS 55c
HEAVY, DRESSED, POUND

HAMS 55c
WILSON, SUGAR CURED, 1/2 OR WHOLE, Pound

BACON 59c
CUDAHY'S, SLICED, POUND

FRYERS, OYSTERS, FISH

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ALL DAY
NOV. 24TH
THANKSGIVING
DAY

FANCY TABLE
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Just A Word of
Thanksgiving
TO THE GOOD PEOPLE OF THIS
AREA... WE APPRECIATE
YOUR BUSINESS AND HOPE TO
BE ABLE TO SERVE YOU BET-
TER AS TIME GOES ON...
SHOP EARLY
FRIDAY AND MISS THE
SATURDAY RUSH



GRAPES 12 1/2c
POUND

PEARS 15c
POUND

DATES 29c
FRESH, POUND

CRANBERRIES 19c
POUND

WALNUTS 39c
POUND

ALMONDS 39c
POUND

COCOANUTS 11c
POUND

YAMS 7c
POUND

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DAVIS & HUMPHRIES OWNERS & OPERATORS

Society Clubs

European Tour Slides Are Shown To Local Club By Lubbock Women

Highlighting the Monday evening Guest Day program of the Daughters of the Pioneer was the showing of technicolor slides by Miss Mildred Boone, supplemented with an informal speech by Miss Evelyn Jones which pictured an extensive educational tour of Europe taken last summer by the guests, both Lubbock school teachers. The program was held in the auditorium of the West Ward School.

Miss Jones and Miss Boone toured Scotland, England, France, Switzerland, Germany, Italy, and Newfoundland; however, the pictures shown to the Pioneer group covered only Switzerland, northern Italy and southern France including the French Riviera. The pictures, excellent in both coverage and photographic technique, showed many ancient and historical regions, and portrayed to perfection the natural scenic beauty of the countries included in the tour.

While in Switzerland, Miss Boone and Miss Jones attended a five-weeks study course in French which was conducted at the University of Neuchatel, which is located on the north western shores of Lake Neuchatel.

Miss Jones teaches eighth and ninth grade science in Lubbock's Carroll Thompson Junior High School. She also sponsors a science program for children, "Adventures In Science," which is broadcast every other Tuesday morning at 10:45 over a Lubbock station. Miss Boone teaches the fifth grade at George M. Hunt School, also in Lubbock.

Hostess for Guest Day were Mrs. Garland Swann and Mrs. A. C. Strickland, jr. Mrs. Oree Glasscock, Mrs. Melvin Tudor, and Mrs. W. T. Howard were in charge of the program.

Other guests of the evening were Mrs. Bill Chiesman, Mrs. R. C. Ayers, Mrs. Pat Patterson, Mrs. W. D. Edwards, Mrs. C. C. Wicker, Mrs. A. C. Strickland, Mrs. Ray Conner, Mrs. E. G. Abington, Mrs. W. T. Taylor, Mrs. Fred Schmidt, Mrs. Milton Fields, Mrs. James Perkins, Mrs. Milton Davis, Mrs. S. H. Adams, Mrs. Bob Ayers, Mrs. Lewis Hollingsworth, Miss Frances Ray and Mrs. Clarence Guhl.

SHOWER IS GIVEN FOR MRS. SID HUDSON

Mrs. Sid Hudson of Washington, D. C. was honored recently with a pink and blue shower at the home of Mrs. Clifford Young with Mrs. R. L. King acting as co-hostess.

The table was decorated with orchid chrysanthemums and was laid with a lace table cloth. Mrs. King served punch and sandwiches to thirty-four guests.

Mrs. Hudson is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Ferguson of Lubbock.

Jr. Civic - Culture Hears Mrs. Wright For Music Program

Meeting at the home of Mrs. Yates Key, the Junior Civic and Culture Club was entertained on Tuesday evening, Nov. 18 with a musical program arranged by Mrs. J. A. Wright.

Mrs. Wright presented a piano concert to the group playing selections from Bach and Mendelssohn. She also made a short talk and demonstration of the technique of playing the various numbers.

Following the program refreshments were served to those present by the hostess. Mrs. Hack Lasater was the only visitor present for the occasion.

The club will meet next on December 13 at the home of Mrs. Lee Vardy for their Christmas party.

Past Matron's Club Has Turkey Dinner

A turkey dinner and social hour was held by the members of the Past Matron's Club Tuesday evening, November 17 in the dining room of the Masonic Hall.

Following the dinner, the Past Matrons went to the home of Mrs. Howard Woods, president, for the regular business session. Plans for a Christmas meeting for December 15 were discussed. The club will meet at the home of Mrs. Claude Anderson at 155 S. 15th on that date.

One guest, Mrs. Etna Jones, was present for the occasion.

Legion Auxiliary Has Regular Meet

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary met this week for their regular session with Mrs. A. J. White and Mrs. A. R. Keys presiding.

The Christmas meeting was discussed and it was decided to have a gift exchange, price not to exceed one dollar. Report from the treasurer showed \$85 proceeds from the rummage and poppy sales.

Also at the past meeting, every one present brought a gift for the Veterans' Christmas box. Refreshments were served to Mrs. George Green, Mrs. A. R. Keys, Mrs. Fred Tudor, Mrs. Dan Liles, Mrs. C. F. Smith, Mrs. W. E. McCain, Mrs. Arthur Dennis and the hostess.

Next regular meeting of the Auxiliary will be December 21 in the home of Mrs. A. R. Keys at 220 So. 5th Street.

-WANT ADS GET RESULTS-

Baptist Mission Meets Monday

Members of the various First Baptist circles met Monday afternoon, November 21 in the home of Mrs. Bentley Page for their regular monthly Mission program.

Opening prayer was led by Mrs. J. B. Huckabay and Mrs. Clyde Shaw gave the devotional.

"Christ, the Answer for Moslem Lands," was the theme of the program. Those participating were Mrs. J. T. Bolding, Mrs. Carter Shaw, Mrs. Fred Stottlemire, and Mrs. L. R. Gregory. A duet was sung by Mrs. John Fondy and Mrs. T. E. McClanahan, and a musical reading was presented by Mrs. R. L. Smith, jr.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to nineteen members.

Win One Class Has Turkey Dinner

A turkey dinner was served on Thursday evening at the Club House by the members of the Methodist Win One Class for their husbands. Those who were unmarried invited a guest.

"The Origin of Thanksgiving" was presented to the group by Mrs. E. R. Legg, and two vocal numbers by a male quartet were given. Those in the quartet were Mr. J. T. Pinkston, Mr. Jerry Mudgett, Mrs. Joe Walker and C. A. Womack. Accompanying the group in singing was Mrs. Louis Smith.

A Thanksgiving motif was carried out in the decorations. Dinner was served to forty-six people present.

M. L. Elder Has 81st Birthday

A birthday dinner was given Sunday in the home of Mrs. O. C. Clark for her father, M. L. Elder, who celebrated his eighty-first birthday Sunday, Nov. 20.

Those present were Tom and Mary Elder, Mrs. W. J. Schilling, and Patricia and Mary Schilling, Jack and Jo Ann Clark and little daughters Cindy and Cheryl, Curley and Corky Martindale and little Lina, and T. J. Dendrick all of Slaton.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Owens of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Williams and Betty Ruth of Seagraves, Mrs. Bill Williams and baby of Seagraves, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Clark and children, Gerald and Susie of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Elder of Littlefield, Mary M. Elder of Lubbock and Mr. Cornelius of Bridgeport.

CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Civic and Culture Club will meet Saturday, November 26 at the home of Mrs. H. G. Sanders rather than Mrs. R. G. Shankle as previously planned.

Monthly Pack Meeting of the Cub Scouts will be held the first Thursday in December, December 1, at the City Hall at 7:30.

Brick Tea Money
Brick tea made from the inferior leaves of the tea-plant, mixed with sheep's blood, dried and pressed into cubes, were made in Central Asia and Mongolia for medium of exchange in Russia in early days.



AND I WANT... This is a candid camera shot of a little girl being interviewed by a genial Santa on the subject of her desires in the line of Christmas presents. The rapt expression on her face is typical of small girl-and-boyhood when a lovely crisis like this presents itself.

On Christmas

While the litter from Christmas packages is still about, be particularly careful of smoking. Hot ashes dropped on tissue paper or a carelessly-tossed match could result in tragedy.

December 25 was decreed as the date of Christ's nativity by the Roman emperor Julian who began his reign as a Christian, but reverted to paganism before his death.

Chatterboxing

with Marie Guhl

Perhaps the hardest thing in the world next to going to sleep on Christmas Eve night when you're a kid is waking up at six-thirty every morning when you're an adult. Many altruistic individuals have devoted their life's work to making this world a more comfortable place in which to live, and they have gone a long way too. But there's one step more that should be taken. Some enterprising young scientist should go to work on perfecting a method of waking up us tired and be dragged peasants after a night's sleep which didn't help our condition much. Maybe it could be done in the way of a pill. They have pills to put us to sleep, why not pills to wake us up. These pills could come in all sorts of time limits such as one-hour pills for short naps or eight-hour pills for a good night's rest. This new discovery would do away with the nerve racking jangle of the alarm clock which indeed wakes us up, but at the same time puts you in such a bad mood that you can't concentrate on giving your all to winning the day's loaf of bread. Whereas with an eight-hour pill rather than an alarm clock you could go to bed at ten o'clock, fall right to sleep, and sharply at seven the next morning you would be wide awake ready to go out in the world and make your fortune. But is would probably be like the automobile, after we'd had it a few months we wouldn't appreciate it any longer.

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And last, in the line of Thanksgiving is a prayer written by Joseph Auslander for Thanksgiving, 1949, which, if not a Pulitzer Prize winner, is good sentiment.

We thank Thee for our daily bread; For faith by which the soul is fed; For burdens given us to bear; For hope that lifts the heart's despair.

We thank Thee, Lord, for eyes to see The truth that makes, and keeps, men free; For faults—and the strength to mend them; For dreams—and courage to defend them.

We have so much to thank Thee for, Dear Lord; we beg but one boon more; Peace in the hearts of all men living, Peace in the whole world this Thanksgiving.

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Since this is Thanksgiving week we should have at least one Thanksgiving story. This one I read several days ago and thought it was

THANKS
TO THE PEOPLE OF SLATON AND THIS TERRITORY IT HAS BEEN A PLEASURE TO SERVE YOU
CITY DRUG
112 W. Garza St. Slaton, Tex.

For 28 years of faithful patronage—patronage which has enabled us to continue to serve you—we thank you, the people of Slaton, on this Thanksgiving day

O. Z. BALL & COMPANY

And To You And You And You We Say . . .

Thank You
We hope our services have pleased you and that you will continue to come back and visit us . . .
FONDY'S SHOE AND LEATHER SHOP

Father of Comedy
Aristophanes, (about B.C. 450-380 the Athenian dramatist, is considered the father of comedy.

More Diesel Engines
The ratio of steam locomotive production to that of diesel-electric types is shrinking sharply. One manufacturer alone reports that diesel-electrics accounted for 85 per cent of its production last year, a rise of 60 per cent over 1946.

Monthly Clubs Boom
Monthly clubs for the purchase of books, flowers, fruits and many other items by the month are now a \$250,000,000 industry.

- WANT ADS GET RESULTS -

Wings Shirts

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For Sale 12

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FOR SALE BY OWNER: School store with modern living quarters, large basement. Doing excellent business. Across from West Ward School. G. W. Dial, 805 So. 15th. Phone 644-J. tfe

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FOR SALE: 2 piece living room suite at a bargain. Mrs. Julia Sears, 245 W. Scurry. 12-2-p

For Rent 9

FOR RENT: Bedroom, outside entrance. Inquire at 165 W. Panhandle from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m. daily. 11-25-c

FOR RENT: Furnished or unfurnished house, 2 rooms and bath South 10th St. See Gee Lambert Co. Phone 316. 11-1-c

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Real Estate 6

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Southland News
MRS. FLOY KING

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR MRS. TRUELOCK
Funeral services were held Friday at 3:00 p. m. for Flora Truelock, 41, who died a mysterious death Wednesday in her home. The Rev. P. D. Fullingim, pastor of the local Baptist Church, officiated at the services. He was assisted by Rev. J. C. Arnold, pastor of the Southland Methodist church.

Mrs. Truelock was a student of Plainview High School, Wayland College in Plainview and Texas Technological College. She taught school in Higgins and was active in the Baptist Church.
Pallbearers were: Hub Haire, James Parks, Buster McCoy, J. R. King, A. A. Ferguson, Sam Ellis, John Leake, and Donald Pennell. Flower bearers were Laqueta Bruster, Lavonne Ferguson, Jeanette Tillery, Mary Frances King, Emma Lou Basinger, Barbara Brooks, Sybil Smith and Novella Nixon.
Burial was in the Southland cemetery under the direction of Mason Funeral Home of Post.
Mrs. Truelock was survived by her husband, Marvin Truelock, two children, Glenda and Calvin Grantham by a former marriage, her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fletcher of Plainview, three brothers, Frank and Fred of Galveston and Bob of Kilgore.

Mr. and Mrs. Gear Cassitty of Howe are visiting the Halliburtons.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brown of Durango, Colo., visited Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Ellis last week and others who had Sunday night supper with Mr. and Mrs. Ellis were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ellis and children, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Pennell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hub Haire and son Johnnie, Mr. and Mrs. Skinner King and son Marc, and Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Anderson and Gene and Kay.

Mrs. Kary Mathis and boys and her mother Mrs. Gregg and Mr. and Mrs. S. Ellis, all of Lubbock, visited Mr. and Mrs. Riley Wood Saturday.

Mrs. Jack Myers spent Saturday night with her mother at Spur.

Mrs. S. M. Truelock and children accompanied her daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Terry and baby of Lubbock to New Mexico Sunday to visit Mrs. Truelock's father Mr. C. Rolan, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. James Parks and children and Mr. Buster McCoy visited in Lubbock Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Ellis visited Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Arthur Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bedford of Lubbock were visiting old friends at Southland Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Hendrix of Lubbock visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Leake Wednesday.

Visiting the Jack Myers family last week was her sister Mrs. J. J. Hahn and husband of Spur.

Mr. Jake Hatcher of Littlefield attended the funeral here Friday and spent that night with Mr. R. H. Coffeen then spent the week end with the Willie Beckers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fletcher of Plainview are staying a couple of weeks with their grandchildren, Glenda and Calvin Grantham and their son-in-law Marvin Truelock.

Mrs. C. A. Bloxom was brought home Saturday for the first time since she was injured in a car accident about two weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Samon Gilliland made a business trip to Lubbock Sunday.

Mrs. Hub Haire's niece, Mrs. Bland Roof and daughter Ramsey Joe of Cleveland, Ohio visited them and others visiting the Haires were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kline of Ft. Worth over the week end.

Christmas cards in a wide variety including plastics as low as 25 for \$1.00 at the Slatonite.

Leather covered Scrap Book, very nice Christmas gift, regular \$3.75 values \$2.25 at the Slatonite.

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"Red, Hot And Blue"
Riot Of Fun, Music

There will be a great deal of fun on the screen of the Slaton Theatre where Paramount's, "Red, Hot and Blue" will play Nov. 30 and Dec. 1. with Betty Hutton cutting a wider, funnier swath than before! Betty is co-starred with Victor Mature in this hilarious film about a stage-struck girl from Ohio who wants to make the grade on Broadway in a great, big hurry.

It has been a few years since that particular kind of fun was available to fans because Betty took a leave of absence from acting to have her second daughter. And there's never been anyone who could hold a candle to her for uninhibited ebullience and infectious animal spirits, which she has ample opportunity to display in "Red, Hot and Blue." Betty has never been peppier and her rendition of the four new songs written especially for her by Frank Loesser is a riot of melody, action a la Hutton and laughs!

Featured roles are filled by William Demarest who portrays Betty's high-powered press agent, June Havoc and Jane Nigh, show-girl room-mates of Betty, Raymond Walburn as a millionaire playboy, Art Smith as a well-known columnist, and songwriter Frank Loesser who makes his acting debut as a piano-playing gangster with whom Betty becomes involved.

Victor Mature, as Betty's serious-minded boy friend, has his hands full keeping her in check when she decides the short cut to stardom is by getting her picture in the newspapers and her name in their columns. Her press agent goes a little too far to accomplish that, involving her with a racketeer who wants to turn producer. The racketeer is bumped off in Betty's presence and his strong-arm men kidnap her and try to force her to reveal the name of the killer. It isn't so much what happens to

Betty at that point that brings down the house, but what happens to the gangsters!

The four songs Betty does are, "I Wake Up," "Now That I Need You," "That's Loyalty," and a sensational jive version of "Hamlet," in which Betty impersonates a zany Ophelia.
John Farrow directed the film.



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Smart peignoir black jersey robe with convertible club collar. Monogram type motif and white piping bring real charm to this dress-weight rayon jersey robe. In colors.



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Multifilament rayon satin with contrasting piping trim and embroidery pocket. In pastels.



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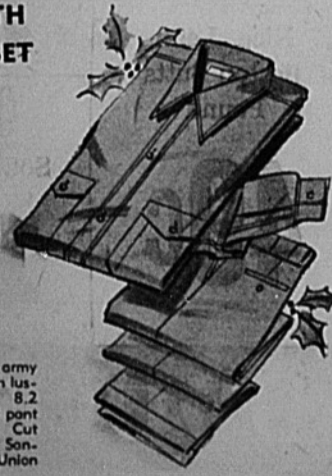
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TUESDAY, NOV. 29



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WED. & THUR., NOV. 30 & DEC. 1



Neighbors in the Night News

Union News
MRS. M. D. GAMBLE

There will be a Thanksgiving Program at the Methodist Church Wednesday night November 23. The public is invited to attend. Mr. and Mrs. Howard White visited Little Lary Dafe Meyer a Mery Hospital in Slaton Sunday Larry is quite ill. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hampton and Jackie of Goree, Texas were recent visitors with his mother Mrs J. G. Hampton and her brother Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Jones and other relatives. Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Patterson were her sister Mrs. Nina Hodgkins and a sister-in-law Mrs. Carrie Starr of Ft. Worth. Mr. Marion Day of Clovis, N. M. spent the week end here with his wife Mrs. Christine Day. T. J. Smith and A. B. Graham of Gatesville are here helping his

brother-in-law, Howard White, run his bole puller. Fonda Patterson spent Sunday afternoon with Lou Ann Greene. Mrs. J. G. Hampton returned some last week after a visit with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Cade at Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cade, Donna Sue, and Diana Mae spent the week end at Cross Plains visiting his sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barr. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Greene and Lou Ann were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Virgle Robbins last Saturday at Idalou. Mr. and Mrs. Olin Summers of Post visited with Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Pierce Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin White of Slaton visited with Mr. and Mrs.

Rhea Pierce Monday night. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Reynolds Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Pierce. Adding machines and cash drawer in excellent condition. Remington-Rand model. You can't afford to miss this buy at \$100.00. Slaton Slatonite.

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Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Loveless are spending Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. U. E. Rodgers of Menard, Texas on their ranch.



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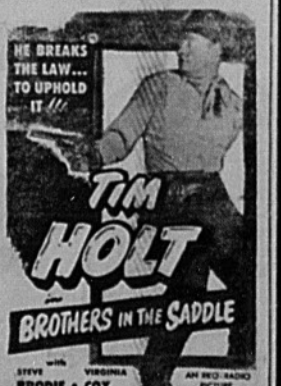
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RED HOT SPECIALS FOR THE WEEK-END

CRISCO 3 lb. can 79c	CRANBERRY SAUCE Ocean Spray Tall Can 12 1/2c	PICNIC HAMS Wilson Certified 39c Pound	PORK ROAST Nice, Lean Boston Butts Pound 49c	OYSTERS Small, Pint 79c
PUMPKIN American Beauty No. 2 Can 3 For 25c	BACON Armours Star Per Lb. 59c	OLEO Southern Maid Pound 19c		

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CAMERA TOPICS

by T. T. Holden*



Pictorial pictures like this prize-winner from the Graflex Photo Contest require all-over sharp focus. Myron Hochstetler made this with his diaphragm stopped down to f/32 and an exposure of one second.

EXPOSURE AND DEPTH OF FIELD III

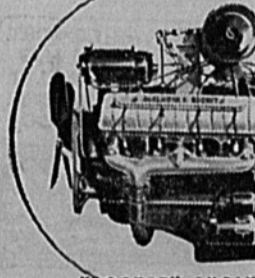
Depth of field might be compared to a spotlight in the theater. It enables the photographer to concentrate the viewer's attention on certain details and to play down unimportant areas. Using it to best advantage is a matter of practice and imagination.

If you own a view camera or single lens reflex, you can study the actual effect of depth of field on the ground glass. With other cameras you can only estimate what will appear in the finished picture.

Let's pretend we are taking a picture of a girl standing about ten feet in front of a large hedge. Obviously, we want the girl to be in focus, but the hedge will probably make a better background if it is blurred so it won't attract attention. After focusing on the girl, we consult our depth of field chart and what diaphragm opening will throw the background out of focus. Then we adjust our shutter speed to give the proper exposure at the aperture.

Or perhaps our problem is to photograph a large group of people. The nearest person is ten feet from the camera, while the farthest is twenty-five. We can't hurt any one's feelings by blurring them so we select a small aperture that will keep our entire group sharp when we focus on the distance indicated.

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THESE WOMEN!

By d'Alessio



"Boy, could I help HER across the street!"

West Texas Roundup



Deaf Smith county rates number one in the State of Texas in the amount of on-the-farm storage built under the P.M.A. program instituted in June, according to Faust Collier, local P.M.A. secretary.

Commitments for 455,143 bushels in on the farm storage have been issued by the local office. In comparison the new addition to Pittman Grain company is 450,000 bushels. — The Hereford Brand.

Movement of grain sorghum through Seagraves and other South Plains communities was being stalled this week by shortage of approved warehouses for storage of grain going into the government loan program.

Although nearly a hundred carloads of grain have been received by the two elevators in Seagraves, elevator men say that practically all storage space in Texas has been filled. — Gaines County News.

Colorado City has been granted permission for a 500 watt radio station by the Federal Communications Commission it was announced here by District Attorney Eldon Mahon, who received a telegram Friday from the FCC in Washington informing him of the new permit. — Colorado Record.

Farmers in Cochran County are showing considerable interest in the new Housing Act recently passed by Congress and signed by the President in July 15, 1949, according to Robert C. Cross, Farmers Home Administration Supervisor. He said that his office had received a number of calls or visits from farmers anxious to construct or repair farm buildings. — Morton Tribune.

Room for 200,000 additional bushels of grain will be available for storage when Bradley Grain Company, Inc., elevators are completed. Eight tanks will be completed in three weeks with two more due for completion by next spring. Two tanks will be taking grain for storage by the latter part of this week. Tanks will be 4 feet high and 32 and one-half feet in diameter. — The Hereford Brand.

West Texas Gas Company officials have announced that construction crews have started stalling approximately 10 miles 6 5/8 inch natural gas transmission pipe line between Wellman and Seagraves. The large line will replace 3 1/2 inch pipe which is now in use. — The Brownfield News.

Defects of hearing among Terry county school children now can be determined by a new machine purchased by the Brownfield Lions club, reports Dr. Frank P. Miller, director of the South Plains Health Unit.

The new device is an audiometer, a scientific electric machine which detects hearing faults in children. It is to be used in Terry county schools by health unit personnel in cooperation with school authorities. — The Brownfield News.

Of the 32 gins in Hockley County, 24 have signed up with the Production and Marketing Administration to pay farmers \$46.50 per ton for cotton seed.

J. W. Evans, administrative officer of the PMA for this county said that of Wednesday morning 24 Hockley County gins had signed. — The Hockley County Herald.

Deaf Smith County lands will stand a good chance to receive their share of improvements from \$5,000,000 recently voted by the legislature as a fund for Soil Conservation aid to standard districts in Texas if the proposed creation of Tierra Blanca Soil Conservation District meets the approval of voters Saturday. One of the provisions of the legislative act is that the land must lie in one of the standard districts set up by the act. — The Hereford Brand.

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- ACROSS**
- 1—Patterns
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 - 11—Termination of a prayer
 - 12—Period of time
 - 14—Only
 - 15—Evil
 - 16—Popular food (pl.)
 - 18—Royal Nautical Engineers (abbrev.)
 - 19—Put away for future use
 - 20—Came close to
 - 21—A number
 - 22—Cooked by simmering
 - 24—Fitted with doors
 - 26—East
 - 28—Prefix meaning "not"
 - 29—Wrath
 - 30—Stout poles (nautical)
 - 33—Popular name for garden containing animals
 - 35—Not
 - 37—Man's name
- DOWN**
- 38—Personal pronoun
 - 39—Gained as clear profit
 - 42—Visitors
 - 45—A hypothetical force
 - 46—Place for secreting oneself
 - 48—Division of the Bible (abbrev.)
 - 49—Scare
 - 51—Man's nickname
 - 52—Feminine noun suffix
 - 54—To come out
 - 55—Made clean
- Across**
- 10—Legally transferred property
 - 13—Ancient sun god
 - 16—Attacks on all sides
 - 17—Spanish gentlemen
 - 23—Sailor
 - 25—The self recognizing
 - 27—Dance step
 - 29—To refrain from recognizing
 - 31—Implement for propelling in water
 - 32—Highly-seasoned meat and vegetable dish
 - 34—Dispossessed
 - 36—The remaining one of two or more
 - 38—Apportioned
 - 40—A kind of cheese
 - 41—East Indies (abbrev.)
 - 43—United Underwriters (abbrev.)
 - 44—To carry
 - 47—Educational Orders (abbrev.)
 - 50—Prefix denoting "again"
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SPECIAL CHURCH PROGRAM TO BE HELD SATURDAY

Students from Southwestern Pentecostal Holiness College will present a special service at the local Pentecostal Holiness Church Saturday night, Nov. 26 at 7:30. Everyone in town is invited to attend the service.

Mrs. S. S. Forrest went to Austin last Tuesday where she was a delegate from the Slaton Civic and Culture Club to the state convention of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs. Mrs. Gus Robertson accompanied her to the convention and she also visited her daughter in Austin, Mrs. Kimbro. They returned Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Cummings left Sunday morning for Lawrence, Kansas after they received word that Mrs. Cummings' father, A. L. Russell, had died suddenly.

Jim Cherry, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cherry, who is attending West Texas State in Canyon is going to College Station Thanksgiving to see the A. & M. and Texas football game. Bill Cherry, also a West Texas student, will go to San Angelo with his parents Thanksgiving Day where they will visit Mr. Cherry's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Ater. Both of the boys will then spend the remainder of the week end in Slaton.

Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Bolding, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Young, Mrs. Fannie Patterson, George Green and Mrs. Fred Stottlemire attended the Baptist Workers meeting Tuesday in Lubbock at the East Side Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hickman and Patsy are going to San Angelo for Thanksgiving to visit Mr. and Mrs. Robert Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Pember and family are spending Thanksgiving in Whitewright with Mrs. Pember's mother.

Mr. Sam Houston, father of Mrs. C. L. Ellis of Slaton, passed away November 15 at Tatum, N. M. He was 92 years of age.

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Christmas trees and cribs, within respective spheres of influence, provide focal points for observances of the season.
Various legends claim to tell the story of the first Christmas tree; actually, evergreen decorations were so closely associated with pagan celebrations that they were banned by many ecclesiastics of the early church.



According to literature, the first Christmas tree was set up at Strasburg, Germany, in 1604; even then, the cry rose against heathen customs and, as late as 1851, the Rev. Henry Schwan was severely criticized for setting up a Christmas tree in his church in Cleveland, Ohio.

St. Francis of Assisi received special permission from the pope to present a tableau of the nativity scene. This first crib, set up at Greccio, Italy, in 1223, was an immediate sensation; the renaissance endowed the cribs with ornate pagantry and, modernly, the crib is to southern Europe and Catholic countries what the tree is to America and northern lands.

Eighteenth century Italians were fond of a fantastic decoration called the Ceppo. Pyramidal in construction, the Ceppi were made on a framework of lathes with transverse shelves rising to three or four stories, depending on the over-all size of the Ceppo.

The whole thing was covered with colored paper, tufts, tassels, fringes, tiny pine cones, and little flags; a manger scene was represented on the lowest shelf, while the upper ones were covered with small gifts, etc.; wax tapers were placed along the sides and a large gilt cone ornamented the top. Although the original designer probably never saw a Christmas tree, the Ceppo—aided by a little imagination—bridges the gap between Christmas cribs and trees.

Life of Uranium
Electrical scientists report that uranium, key element in the development of atomic energy, led a dull life a decade ago in such odds and ends jobs as coloring of glass and china. They point out that it was discarded as a useless by-product of radium in World War I.

Hospital Bed Need
Authorities agree that at least 45 general hospital beds per 1,000 population are required to meet the health needs of the country. There were only 3.5 beds per 1,000 civilian population in the United States in 1943, and not many more today. These beds tend to be concentrated in areas which have wealth and large population.

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"Our invariable custom," said Mr. Wardle. "Everybody sits down with us on Christmas Eve, as you see them now—servants and all; and here we wait till the clock strikes twelve to usher Christmas in, and while away the time with forfeits and old stories. Trundle by, rake up the fire."

Up flew the bright sparks myriads as the logs were stirred, and the deep, red blaze sent forth a rich glow that penetrated into the farthest corner of the room and cast its cheerful tint on every face.

"Come," said Wardle, "a song—a Christmas song, give you one in default of a better."

"Bravo!" said Mr. Pickwick. "Fill up!" cried Wardle. "It will be two hours gone before you see the bottom of the bowl through the deep rich colour of the wassail; fill up all round, and now the song."—From Charles Dickens' "Pickwick Papers."

Coverage of Turkey
The area of modern Turkey totals slightly less than 300,000 square miles; it lies wholly within Asia Minor, except for a small but important bridgehead in Europe. All of Turkey-in-Europe, and the coastal regions of Asia Minor, enjoy abundant rainfall and produce a varied list of crops, from grapes to forests.

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Box Car Celebrated
The Sunday before Labor Day finds the town of Tracy, Minn., celebrating "Box Car Day." The populace in this railroad division town thus acknowledging the reason for the prosperity of the community, the freight business.

True Founder
While Charles Darwin, by his "Origin of Species" (1859) converted the scientific world to the theory of evolution, Lamarck, (1744-1829) was the true founder of the theory

Phyllis and Frances Hunter, daughters of Mrs. Virgie Hunter, will spend Thanksgiving in Slaton with their mother. They are freshman students at West Texas State where they are majorettes with the college band. Frances and Phyllis will leave early Saturday morning for Albuquerque where they will be with the band for the West Texas and University of New Mexico football game. Frances was recently elected "Miss 1949 Model" at the college in a contest sponsored by the Art Club.

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- Monkeys cannot sing, but none of them try either. — Herbert Prochnon.
- Thinking is the talking of the soul with itself. — Plato.
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- Doing good is no fun unless you are caught in the act. —Hugh Acott.
- I believe in getting in hot water; it keeps one clean. —G. K. Chesterton.
- The rich are alcoholics; the poor are drunks. — George Stoll.
- Civil service is something you get in restaurants between wars. — Powassan News.
- Atomic energy confronts mankind with this dreadful choice: if we have war we shall be blown to bits, and if we have peace we shall be bored to death. — Robert Hutchins.
- The timelessness of a rainy day. — E. Benson.
- Nature has given women so much power that the law has very wisely given them little. — Samuel Johnson.
- A good marriage is like a good handshake. There is no upper hand. — Cleveland Plain Dealer.
- Now that you can find a store clerk when you want one, it's the prices that are out of sight. — Mervin Utter.
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- Occasionally it does a man good to get off by himself and mutter. — Cranberry News.
- Every man's memory is his private literature. — Aldous Huxley.
- A leader is one who is only a few steps ahead of the parade. To be a mile ahead is to have your own parade.—Nicholas Klein.

It's Good To Be A West Texan

Slaton and this area is probably in better condition right now than any part of the state and probably better off than any part of the nation. More money has passed through the bank, the Post Office and through the hands of the merchants than has ever passed through their hands during any two weeks in Slaton history. Traveling salesmen and people who have visited other sections of the state say that while conditions are still crowded and prices high, that business is not very good. The harvest season for most other parts of the state and over the nation has come and gone, but we are likely to feel the good effect of the harvest of cotton and money until well into the spring. Many farmers have reduced the price they have been paying for pulling cotton and some are going to gathering by picking machine or by sledging and the peak in business was probably reached last Saturday. Many concerns reported that the shortage of experienced help and the shortage of merchandise was critical and that many people who waited to buy could not find what they wanted or could not get waited upon. One grocery store reported that they figured a loss of over forty dollars in goods stolen from one counter alone. This was the only department in the store where an accurate check could be made and they estimated that their loss ran in the hundreds of dollars for that one day. People working in stores and those who manage them are nearly worn out, many stores have stayed open for business on Sundays and late on Saturday nights and there are a few that are not surfeited with business. It may be many a day before such perfect weather conditions will prevail again and most of the farmers believe that this will be the last year for unlimited acreage for cotton. If the people who live in other sections of the nation could cooperate with each other as well as the workers and business interest of this area do then many of the troubles of today would not be present. It is hard to read the accounts of what is going on in the nation today and not feel that there is serious trouble brewing with an eventual crisis that will most likely shake the nation to its foundation. This area is tied to the national economy but we can take care of ourselves for a long time and prosper when the crowded centers and festering manufacturing centers have gone hay-wire. It is a privilege and an honor to live in West Texas where the folks still have confidence in their own ability to take care of themselves and where we can disagree with our neighbors and still be friends.

What Slaton Needs Is Flowers

Even though the worst part of our winter is yet to come and a twig of grass wouldn't have a chance to grow if transplanted now, people who are interested in growing things should start planning for spring planting now. Slaton has more possibilities for being a really beautiful town than any other city its size in these parts, but it needs to be dressed up. Slaton needs to have more things growing within the city limits, purely for the sake of beauty in order to have it noticed by people passing through. The lack of flowers and shrubs around the cities in this area makes the towns seem barren and unproductive. There is plenty of time to decide what flowers you want to plant this spring; but if you are interested in shrubs, now is the time to buy and plant. Shrubs and hedges which are planted now will have taken root by spring and they will begin to sprout and show real beauty long before the summer is over. The little park on the Lubbock highway just outside Slaton would be a wonderful place for Slaton to try its hand at growing some flowers and shrubs as an introductory beauty spot into the city. If a group of interested people would get together and plan such a project and volunteer to donate a little of their time to that cause, no doubt the small amount of money which would go into it could be raised within the city. But even closer to home than the park, the city hall lawn is in bad need of a face lifting. Flower seeds are compar-

tively cheap to buy and a few planted here and there can add color and life to an otherwise dull and uninteresting spot. Petunias, verbenas, zinnias and marigolds—all bright colored flowers—will grow in Slaton with very little care other than regular watering.

Why not make Slaton famous on the South Plains for its growing beauty?

Light Up For Christmas

Every year following the Thanksgiving holidays, people begin thoughts of Christmas festivities. Perhaps the first sign of Christmas spirit is seeing the decorations that adorn the homes and business establishments.

In most towns and cities a prize is offered each year at Christmas time for the most original and attractive home that has been decorated on the exterior. Last year in Slaton such a prize was offered. It is believed that the presentation of a Christmas prize will become a yearly tradition in Slaton if the interest in such a program can be kept alive.

In order that it might be determined whether or not an award will be given this year, competition in the actual decorating should begin soon. Should such a contest be carried out, the award should not be made for the most elaborate or expensive decoration, but should be given for the most original.

Bright, beautiful lighting and holiday decorations add much to the enjoyment of the Yuletide season. Let's make Slaton beautiful!



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Watch Out For The Symptoms!

Laughed out loud when I heard Hoot Davis was down with Chicken Pox. A man of forty-five catching a kid's disease!

So I went to see him, armed with jokes about "second childhood" but forgot them fast when I got there. Hoot looked terrible and had quite a fever.

While we talked, I come to think of how Chicken Pox is a lot like other "diseases"—diseases of the character, such as intolerance, self-righteousness or just plain ignorance. They're excusable in children, but when they come out in adults they're ten times as bad—and can be mighty "contagious."

From where I sit, we should all watch out for the "symptoms"—little things like criticizing a person's preference for a friendly glass of temperate beer or ale. We've seen personal freedom wither away in other countries, when individual intolerance was allowed to get out of hand and become a nation-wide epidemic.

Joe Marsh

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Thanksgiving Day services are held each year by the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., and its branches throughout the world. The order of service includes the reading of a Lesson-Sermon on the topic of "Thanksgiving," and opportunity is afforded for testimonies of gratitude to be expressed appropriate to the occasion. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

The Golden Text is: "In every thing give thanks: for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you" (1 Thessalonians 5:18).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise: be thankful into him, and bless his name" (Psalm 100:4).

"Gold" in Carrots

Gold color of carrots is due to carotene. Our bodies convert carotene in part to Vitamin A, the vitamin which promotes growth and builds up the body's resistance to infections in the nose, throat and eyes.



JUST TALK

by
A.M.J.

J. H. Brewer has been having the time of his life with a cotton stripping machine that he has been operating on his farm. J. H. would rather see wheels go round, gears grind and ratchets ratch than to eat ice cream in the summer time or turkey on Thanksgiving.

Personally I view such things with alarm, as I have very little confidence in belts staying where they belong, and the grinding, whistling and groaning noises that such apparatus makes is terrifying to my ears, but to J. H. they sound like the music of Bach, Lowensterns wedding march and the latest jive.

The cotton that he has been getting from the stripping machine is of better staple cotton than was picked by hand from the same kind of cotton, the machine does more work than a crew of pickers and J. H. is in the best humor he has been in since Franklin Roosevelt won over Wilkie.

J. H. should be the publisher of a newspaper, for he could have more fun than anybody when the presses are running, the linotype breaking down and the typewriters rattling. Three are more things that squeak, roar, groan and buzz around a newspaper office than there are most anywhere and such things are soothing to a man who wonders what this little whichi, does and what the eccentric wheel makes go boom.

Mrs. R. D. Bisbee, who has recently gone to work in our book keeping department, went into the press room last week and was amazed at how the newspaper press does its work. After watching with amazement she said, "I had no idea how a newspaper is published. Why that piece of paper stars at the top, goes down into the thing, stays a little while and comes out with the printing on it."

She is still greatly flabbergasted and thinks there is some kind of slight of hand going on.

It is hardly worth while to put the fear of a sand storm in the minds of visitors and new residents any more for this country seems to have lost its ability to produce man size, black as night, teeth gritting sand storms like we used to have. Most folks who come to this country for the first time seem to hope for, and expect, the kind of sand storms most of us have been bragging about since 1933 and 1934, but all we can produce is a few of last weeks Avalanche Journals in the air that come blowing down here occasionally from the back alleys of Lubbock only sixteen miles away. What is this compared to pieces of shingles from Albuquerque, sheets and underwear from Hereford and prairie dogs from Tucumcari, that used to come sailing in on clouds of midnight colored dirt in the good old days.

This country is going sissy, and the first thing we know we'll be having television, pole sitting contests and turtle races.

From now on until December 25 most everyone will be boiling over with good will, hand shakes



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**Littlefield Wins
District Title
From Slaton, 47-0**

Littlefield's burly Wildcats staged a touchdown parade at the expense of Slaton's Tigers last Friday afternoon at Tech's Jones Stadium as they marched to a District 4-A football championship by crushing the local eleven 47-0.

A crowd of 4500 fans saw the champions of the north half zone completely overpower the south half champs and win the right to meet Spur, champions of 3-A, in the bi-district playoff. The game was played yesterday at Littlefield.

Littlefield, displaying one of the hardest-running backfield quartets to be found in Class A circles, racked up four straight first downs after taking the opening kickoff. But the initial drive ended when Slaton's Leon Moore pounced on a Wildcat fumble on the Tiger 33.

Slaton then failed on a fourth-down try for a first, however, and Littlefield roared back to score in just seven plays. Frank Gage, Tom Bailes and Donald Crossley battered their way to the Tiger four, and from there Charles Askew raced around left end untouched for the tally. Gene Renfro failed in his try to run across the extra point.

The Tigers buckled down and held the Wildcats fairly well in check until midway through the second period, when Gage and Renfro sparked a 59-yard march that ended with Gage scoring from two yards out. Bailes ran the conversion, making it 13-0.

After Slaton failed to move on the ensuing series of downs and kicked out feebly on the Tiger 39, Gage took a handoff from Crossley and burst through the middle to go all the way for Littlefield's third touchdown. Bailes

plunge for the extra point boosted the count to 20-0, where it remained at halftime.

After the intermission, during which the Wildcat and Tiger bands put on a colorful show, Littlefield took up right where it had left off. On the third play from scrimmage, a pass thrown by Slaton's Cecil Bybee was batted into the air by Renfro and caught by End Floyd Golf, who sprinted 25 yards to score. Askew ran the extra point.

The next Wildcat marker came on an 88-yard drive, after the Cats had stymied Slaton's deepest penetration of the game. Bailes picked up 26, Askew added 37, Bailes made seven, Askew got 17, and then Bailes went the final yard. Crossley made the extra point on a quarterback sneak, boosting the count to 34-0.

After a pass interception by Stephen Brock, Bailes romped 40 yards on the following play for another third-period counter. Crossley again ran the conversion. Renfro scored the closing touchdown on a 39-yard sprint through the line late in the fourth quarter. Cowan's running try for the extra point was stopped.

Slaton's most serious bid came early in the third stanza when Bybee hit Carl Lewis with two passes which carried 31 yards to the Wildcat nine-yard line. But there the Littlefield defense tightened handing the Tigers a loss of three yards in the next four downs.

Late in the game, Slaton again drove into Wildcat territory, moving 67 yards on Bybee's passing before the march bogged down at Littlefield's 13-yard stripe.

To Boil Carrots

Use almost no water for boiling carrots—about one inch in the bottom of a pan with a tight fitting cover. Add one-half teaspoon salt for each pound of carrots, or one-half teaspoon salt to each cup of water. Drop carrots into the boiling, salted water. Cover and boil gently—10 to 20 minutes for the cut pieces and 15 to 20 minutes for the whole carrots.

**News Summary
Featured Weekly**

"The Case of the Curious Wife" — Curiosity, you know, once killed a cat. But in this story it kills a wife! Don't miss a true-life mystery thriller. Read it in the American Weekly, the great magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

"Why You Can't Pick the Winner" — Meet W. T. Anderson, the famous gambler and race horse owner and find out why men like him make it impossible for you to beat the ponies. Read this timely article in the American Weekly, that great magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Scudder are spending the Thanksgiving Holiday with their daughter and her family the A. C. Sanders, Jr., in Lubbock.

Citrus Fruits

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Slaton Women Give Their Favorite Tested Recipes

So far no one has told us a good way to cook spaghetti, so this week Mrs. Oree Glasscock has given us a recipe for cooking "chicken spaghetti" which really sounds like an all-time hit.

Ingredients for her recipe call for:

- 1 four or five lb. hen
- 2 boxes spaghetti
- 2 large onions
- 2 small cans of tomatoes
- 1 small can of mushrooms
- Grated cheese (to taste)

Black pepper (to taste)
Worcestershire sauce (to taste)

Directions for cooking are somewhat confusing, so we will divide it into four steps.

Step 1. Stew chicken until tender, then dice into small pieces. Mrs. Glasscock says she boils hers in salted water in her presto cooker.

Step 2. Cook the two boxes of spaghetti in salted water, blanch, add part of the chicken broth, place in large pan and simmer.

Step 3. Brown onions in part of the chicken fat. Run the two cans of tomatoes through sieve and add to the onions and chicken fat. Season highly with black pepper and Worcestershire sauce, add diced chicken and one small can of mushrooms. Cook slowly for about forty-five minutes or an hour, or until well-blended.

Step 4. When ready to serve, combine spaghetti and chicken mixture, heat both together, and add grated cheese.

Mrs. Glasscock says that if you can keep the directions straight that the result is something out of this world. She also says that it is a grand recipe for a party and that it will serve as many as twelve or more people.

Our "chicken spaghetti" recipe originally was given to Mrs. Glasscock by a friend and she has been

servicing it for several years. She suggests that if cooking for an average sized family, the recipe should be cut in half and a very small chicken used.

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- Long life has been added everywhere to the engine, frame, and body. That's Ford quality!
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- New streamline details in good taste bring new beauty to the "Fashion Car."
- New bumper guards and new bumper support arms keep you safer... in style.

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- "Magic Air" Heater for 1950 has higher speed motor to increase air flow 25%.

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- Finer Six, too—95 h.p.—the most advanced Six you can buy. Gives greater economy.
- New concave instrument seats have brilliant, new contrasting colors.
- Interior light switch now located on instrument panel. It saves groping in the dark.
- Improved front suspension with new torsional stabilizer adds to Ford's roadability.
- Smart hardware, inside and out, has been designed to give you more than beauty.
- New doubled-walled glove compartment door has new piano-type hinge. Looks and works better.
- New color styling in a steering wheel that's a pleasure to touch. Positive grip.
- Automatic courtesy light goes on when you open either of the front doors.
- More head room results from new bows that hold top lining across full width of roof.
- New interior appointments—Smart ornaments. New rich treatment on door panels.
- Brake pedal is well away from steering column to allow greater driving freedom.
- New wider sun visors for more protection from glare—more safety when sun is low.
- Exclusive 100-h.p. V-8 performance for brilliant pick-up, smooth response, safe control.
- New floor coverings in both front and rear, are made of rich and durable materials.

Drive the '50 FORD *Today!* AT YOUR FORD DEALER'S

SLATON MOTOR COMPANY

150 W. LYNN -- PHONE 133

Register Every Day for Gifts to be Given on SLATON'S

TRADE DAY

MONDAY, DECEMBER 5th

\$75 WORTH OF U. S. SAVINGS BONDS
and 23 Other Valuable Gifts to be Given Free

Each 1st Monday of Each Month

HERES HOW You May Take Part:

In each place of business taking part in this gift program is an entry box and blanks on which you may write your name and address. You may visit each place of business and enter your name once each day for chances on the three \$25.00 U. S. Savings Bonds that will be given the first Monday of each month. In addition 23 of the places of business will give individual gifts and will have separate boxes in which to register for the gifts, a list of them is given below.

There are no restrictions on registering, you do not have to buy a thing, write a sonnet or save any box tops.

The drawings will start at 4:00 p. m. each first Monday and will be held on the City Hall Lawn when the weather permits, if not in the City Hall Auditorium when the weather is inclement.

YOU MAY REGISTER EVERY DAY FOR BOTH THE BONDS AND THE FREE GIFTS.

SANTA

Will Be
HERE



WITH LOTS OF
FREE CANDY
FOR THE KIDDIES
PLAN NOW TO BE AT THE
FREE DRAWING

On The Slaton City Hall Lawn, Or In Case Of Inclement Weather At The City Hall Auditorium, Dec. 5th, Starting At 4:00 P. M.

LET'S ALL HAVE LOTS OF FUN ----
FREE CONCERT BY
SLATON TIGER BAND
COME HAVE A GOOD TIME.

FIRMS TAKING PART IN Gift Program

- ADAMS SERVICE STATION
- C. R. ANTHONY CO.
- RAY C. AYERS & SON, INC.
- O. Z. BALL
- BERKLEY & HADDOCK
- CITIZENS STATE BANK
- CLAY OATES DEPT. STORE
- CROW-HARRAL CHEVROLET CO.
- DAVIS MOTOR CO.
- DICKSON HATCHERY
- EAVES PRODUCE
- ELY FURNITURE
- HOME FURNITURE
- HUSER HATCHERY
- PIGGY-WIGGLY
- PLAINS LUMBER CO.
- SCHUETTE SERVICE STATION
- SELF SERVICE STATION
- SLATON IMPLEMENT CO.
- SLATON LUMBER CO.
- SLATON MOTOR CO.
- SLATON STEAM LAUNDRY
- SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE
- TEAGUE DRUG STORE
- WHITE AUTO STORE
- WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE

GIFTS To Be Given By Firms

- Adams Service Station
600x16 Tube
- C. R. Anthony Co.
\$15 Bed Spread
- Ray C. Ayers & Son, Inc.
100 lbs. any Ayers Feed
- O. Z. Ball & Son
\$5.00 In Merchandise
- Berkley & Haddock
Valuable Prize
- Clay Oates Dept. Store
\$10.00 In Merchandise
- Crow-Harral Chevrolet Co.
Wash and Lubrication Job
- Dickson Hatchery
One sack of Gooch's Best Feed
- Eaves Produce
Box of Groceries
- Ely Furniture Co.
\$5.00 In Trade
- Home Furniture
Two Clothes Dryers
- Huser Hatchery
Santa Claus Package
- Piggly Wiggly
Valuable Gift
- Schuette Service
Valuable Gift
- Self Service Station
1 Gallon Permanent Anti-Freeze
- Slaton Implement Co.
Valuable Gift
- Slaton Lumber Co.
Room Lot of Wallpaper to be Selected from our Stock.
- Slaton Motor Co.
1 Ford Exhaust Reflector
1 Can Ford Cooling System Cleaner
1 Can Ford Radiator Rust Inhibitor
- Teague Drug Store
Large Box King's Candy
- White Auto Store
1 General Electric Coffee Maker
- Western Auto Associate Store
\$5.00 Merchandise

You must register at each place of business in order to have your name in the pot for the merchandise prizes.



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U. S. SAVINGS BONDS
Given Free
EVERY FIRST MONDAY
of EACH MONTH



23
MORE
GIFTS
To Be Given
EACH FIRST MONDAY
of EACH MONTH

Mr. Clay Oates returned Friday from Dallas where he was buying merchandise.

O. O. Crow is expected to return from a deer hunt in Mason County.



FOR SNACKS-SANDWICHES

they love its rich, mild cheddar cheese flavor

NUTRITIOUS!
DIGESTIBLE AS MILK



**THANKS FOR
YOUR BUSINESS
YOUR GOOD WILL
and
YOUR FRIENDSHIP**
**ALCORN
Motor Freight**

Posey Items

R. L. BOYD

Mrs. Everett L. Mangum and four sons have arrived in Japan to join their husband and father, Tech. Sgt. Mangum of the Air Force, and they expect to remain in that country for about two years.

Woody Allen of Wolfforth was a Sunday visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller.

Otis Echols and his Melody Boys will stage a concert at the Community Church the night of Dec. 8th. The concert will be sponsored by the Home Demonstration Club. Prices of admission will be 60c and 30c.

Mrs. C. B. MacGowan was called to Grand Prairie early Sunday morning by a message telling of the serious illness of her mother.

Because of the heavy over-flow of seed cotton, the gin was operated last Sunday.

The Community Sunday School will have a dinner December 14 at the Slaton Club House. Christmas gifts will be exchanged.

Several residents attended the All Church Singing which met Sunday afternoon at McClung.

Rev. Billy Lewis, Baptist pastor of Lubbock will be present next Sunday for fourth Sunday services.

Raymon Johnson of Ropesville was visiting friends here Sunday.

Miss K. and R. Boyd visited Mrs. Lillian Boyd of Lubbock Highway Sunday afternoon.

Ignatz J. Kempf, who farms near Buffalo Lakes has already completed a good harvest of cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Rackler are parents of a daughter born Saturday morning at St. Mary's hospital at Lubbock.

Mrs. Emma Stockbridge of Lubbock has been visiting friends here for several days.

Fred Stolle was the first member of one deer hunting party from here to bag a deer. Another hunter of the same group bagged a turkey.

Chick Sanitation

Before baby chicks are started, it is highly advisable to scour the brooder houses with lye or other suitable disinfectants. One pound of lye in six gallons of hot water is satisfactory for this purpose. If it is possible, the brooder house should be moved to new ground some distance from the laying house.

Freight Train Leads

American railroads carried more tons of freight per train in the year 1948 than ever before and with an increase in average speed. Average load of freight per train in 1948 was 1,176 tons, an increase of 30 tons above the previous high record established in the year 1947, when the average was 1,146 tons. It also was an increase of 37 tons above that in 1944, the peak war year. In 1929, the average was only 804 tons.

Mrs. D. W. Thompson and son spent the week end in Slaton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marriott.

Mrs. O. O. Crow is visiting her sister in Wichita Falls while her husband is hunting in South Texas.

Mrs. H. G. Stokes is visiting her daughter and her family, the W. H. Mudgett in Duncan, Okla.

THANKSGIVING

NOVEMBER 24

And We Say **THANKS** For The Many Favors That Have Made Our Business With You A Pleasure

Let Us Hope For Peace And Good Will During The Months And Years To Come We Hope To Serve You Better

Slaton Butane & Appliance

107 N. 9th St.

Phone 548

Thanksgiving

And We Take This Opportunity To Extend Our Word Of

THANKS

To The People Of This Area For Your Patronage Of The Past Year . . . Your Good Will Has Enabled Us To Continually Offer You Better Service . . . We Hope You Will Come In And See Us Often . . .



Campbell's Gin

325 N. 9th St.

We Give

Thanksgiving

FOR THE MANY

Friends

We're Always **GLAD** To **SEE YOU!**

We have made in the short while we have been in business in Slaton . . . and we hope to meet and make a great many more . . . We suggest you watch our prices and hope you come in and visit us.

The Texas Grocery

Home Furniture Co.

Furnisher of Your Home Furniture

Slaton, Texas

November 24, 1949

Dear Customer:

With the arrival of Thanksgiving and the Holiday season it is fitting, we believe, to stop and give consideration to the things that make this season of the year particularly enjoyable, among them the privilege of living and being able to do business in a free country and with people such as you here in the great independent South Plains region.

We are particularly thankful for the good friends and customers we have made, for without such folks as you we could not have prospered. We have done our best to fill your needs in home furnishings. We are striving daily to better our services to you and will continue to do so as long as we are in business.

We hope you have a very pleasant Thanksgiving

Yours truly,

BLAND TOMLINSON