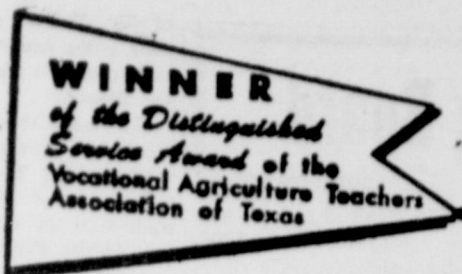


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## Dates Set On Two Elections, City And Liquor

### Local Savings And Loan Firm To Observe Savings, Thrift Month

The Lubbock County Commissioners Court called an election on the legalization of sale of all forms of alcoholic beverages on an off premises basis in the City of Slaton for Saturday, November 5, in a meeting in Lubbock Monday.

The election will be the second on the liquor question in Slaton in less than a year. Last November, an election which sought to legalize sales on an off-premises basis for Justice of the Peace Precinct Two failed, 898 to 813.

Petitions bearing the names of 289 local residents were turned in to the County Clerk last Wednesday, calling for the "Package Store" election. After certification by the clerk, the petitions were acted on last Monday by the County Commissioners.

Meanwhile, the United Dry Forces of Slaton had their third meeting since talk of the election got started, yesterday morning.

The meeting, held in the First Baptist Church at 7 a. m., was called to order by Wayne Liza, president.

Principal item of business was naming additional personnel to already existing committees and

forming a few more to take care of details in the group's opposition to legalization of sales.

Also, a tentative budget was drawn up and some money is available, said Harold Mobley, minister of the Slaton Church of Christ, secretary-treasurer of the organization.

The group also decided to get some personal copies of the petition calling for the election.

Committees formed included transportation, one member from each church in the community; publicity, absentees, information, prayer, Rev. Weldon Thomas of the Evangelical Methodist Church and Rev. H. E. Summar of the Bible Baptist Church, chairman; and telephone, Mrs. C. S. Wilkinson, chairman; and Youth, Larry Delaney, chairman.

In other activity at the meeting, Delaney gave a report on youth committee's activities so far and future plans; it was agreed to order 200 more bumper stickers; and there was a discussion on providing nurseries for election day.

Liles adjourned the meeting with a prayer. There was no other meeting date set and it will have to be a called meeting.

### Rotarians To Honor Teachers Here Tonight

Floyd Hemphill, past Rotary district governor, Amarillo, will be the speaker when the Slaton Rotary Club plays host to the faculty of Slaton schools tonight in the Club House.

The affair tonight will be the Rotary Club's annual observance honoring local teachers, from elementary schools all the way up, and will get underway at 7:30 p. m.

The speaker is principal of Olson Park Elementary School in Amarillo.

### Girl Scout Fund Drive Is Underway

PI GRL SCOUT 1/24  
The Slaton Girl Scout Fund Drive is currently underway here under the chairmanship of Earl D. Eblen.

The drive started September 30.

In a letter to local merchants, Eblen says, "The fund drive for 1959-60 was unsuccessful due to lack of local interest. If this same situation prevails in the 1960-61 drive, the Girl Scout program will be at a standstill in Slaton. Please make our drive a success by mailing your contributions to Mrs. Earl Tumlison, neighbor chairman for the Girl Scouts, 310 South 4th Street, Slaton, Texas, or call Mrs. H. R. Merriman at VA 8-3188, secretary of the Girl Scouts, and have your contributions picked up. Thanks, Earl D. Eblen, campaign chairman."

Poppy Day Scheduled November 8  
Poppy Day will be observed in Slaton on Tuesday, November 8th, the day of the General Election.

Members of the local American Legion (Continued on Page 5)

### Mrs. Smith's Rites Held Here Monday

Mrs. Nancy Loretta Smith, 89, a Slaton resident 44 years, died at 3:20 p. m. Saturday in the home of a daughter, Mrs. K. C. Scott.

Funeral rites were held at 10:30 a. m. Monday in the First Methodist Church. The Rev. Rollo Davidson, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Englewood Cemetery under the direction of Williams Funeral Home.

Mrs. Smith was a native of Halls Crossroads, Knox County, Tenn.



PIONEERS' LOOKING AT A PRETTY—Here are members of the Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club "shopping" for the mink stole to be given as a door prize at "Fashions with Finesse," the group's forthcoming style show to be presented by Dunlap's. The show is to be staged October 20, Slaton High School Auditorium. In the picture are: Mrs. Joe Walker Jr., left; Mrs. R. E. Ayers, right.

### Study Club Predicts 'Biggest Show Yet'

With more than 500 tickets already sold for "Fashions with Finesse," a style show to be held under the sponsorship of the Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club to raise money with which to repair and paint the Band Stand, club members now predict the show will play before one of Slaton's biggest audiences. They also state that their fashion festival, to be staged by Dunlap's, will be the most exquisite and elegant extravaganza yet seen in Slaton. "Fashions with Finesse" is to be staged in the High School Auditorium on the night of October 20. A mink stole is to be presented as a door prize.

Although the Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club had planned to bolster their bandstand "building fund" solely

from the sale of style show tickets, numerous individuals, clubs, and businesses have asked for a part in the civic program. The Club has already promised a brand new 50-star flag to fly from the "new" band stand pole, two offers have been received to paint the structure, and, at a regular meeting held last week, the Slaton Garden Club voted to furnish the curbing around the stand and plant and care for flowers in the protected beds.

The "big" door prize, at the style show, a mink stole was being selected this week by representatives of the Pioneer Club. Other door prizes are to include a gift certificate, perfume, and according to club members, a number of other valuable "things."

### JUNIOR HIGH PLAYS POST

Slaton's two Junior High football teams played Post Junior High Tuesday night, losing both. The Eighth Grade team lost, 24-8, with Slaton's Jerry Don Telfertiller scoring on an 80 yard run and Sonny Lee adding the extra points. The Seventh lost, 44-0.

Tickets for "Fashions with Finesse" are available from any member of the Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club of which Mrs. Alex Webb is president. The tickets are one dollar each. Purchasers of tickets need not be present to be eligible for door prizes.

They got off to a good start with a touchdown of their own first, but eventually the Slaton Tigers fell to the Lockney Longhorns, 24-6, in a home game last Friday night.

Steve Ball, Tiger fullback, plunged three yards for the game's first touchdown to put Slaton out in front, 6-0. The try for extra points failed.

Led by quarterback Johnny Belt and back Bill Mangold, though, Lockney came roaring back to score two touchdowns and four points after in the first half. Mangold got the first score, dashing over from five yards out, nine plays after the kick-

off following Slaton's score. Wingback Joe Allard added another Longhorn score from eight yards out and the Lockney gridders held a halftime lead of 16-6.

Seven plays after the kickoff for the second half, the visitors had scored again with Mangold again getting the honors, sweeping end for 28 yards and the game's final touchdown.

This week the Tigers visit powerful Denver City, where the Mustangs have hung up an impressive season and are favored to reach the state playoffs and probably even win the state championship.

### Charter Amendment Election April; Safety Measures Are Tallied

The Slaton City Commission Monday night a recommendation that the long-pending election would alter the method of providing a City Secretary from appointive to elective, be held in conjunction with the regular City Election, the first Tuesday in April next year.

Petitions were turned in several weeks ago by local individuals who are seeking a Charter Amendment election for the purpose of changing the method of hiring a City Secretary from the present way, appointment by the City Commission, to elective by the qualified voters of the community.

The petitions were first canvassed by a committee appointed by Mayor Clark Self and then were studied by Commissioners Harry Stokes and L. O. Lemon for a recommendation on how and when to hold the election. The joint City Election-Charter Amendment election was chosen because of the savings in election cost principally, Stokes said.

In other activity at the Monday night meeting, the Commission heard a report from Chief of Police Eugene L. Martin that school zone signs had been secured and set up and that Southwestern Public Service Company would furnish poles and erect them for the installation of a flashing light at the intersection of Jean and S. 9th Streets.

Commissioner Harry Stokes brought up the possibility of placing stop signs at the intersections of W. Crosby and N. 20th and W. Lynn and N. 20th Streets and Martin agreed that they would be in the interest of safety. The commission voted to purchase the signs and erect them. Martin also recommended that the City pass an ordinance limiting the speed of emergency vehicles to 10 miles per

hour over the legal speed. The group voted to instruct Attorney Claude Cray to prepare the ordinance.

The Commission asked the fact that there would be a "crack-down" on drivers who have no driving licenses.

The word was that "intend to see that the enforcement" concerning no license offenders.

The Planning and Zoning Commission made three recommendations to the Commission concerning zoning change re-

(1) The committee request that property on S. 4th Street from Street to Murray Street be changed from R-1 zoning, residential, to B-2 zoning, residential, to B-2 zoning. The group recommended the change be made.

(2) A request was made that blocks, 166, 167, 168 and 187, West Park Avenue be changed from R-3, single dwellings, to I-1, Industrial. Recommendation was the change be denied.

(3) A request was made that block 200, West Park Avenue, be changed from I-1, Industrial. Recommendation was the change be denied and Street from Lynn to Crosby closed and put up for sale, taking into consideration the rights of property owners on both sides.

The Commission voted to accept the recommendation of the Zoning and Planning and authorized the City Attorney to prepare the proper ordinances.

Secretary J. J. Maxey advised that the claim of Torres for damages as the result of a lawn mower accident in which he was involved working for the City, losing the use of two fingers, was paid for \$341.48.

Chief Martin was asked to check on the origination of offensive smells reported of in the community.

The salary of City Attorney was raised from \$75 per month to \$100 with no change extra work arrangements.

Mayor Clark Self read a letter from the City Engineer concerning the completion of work by Panhandle Construction Company. The engineer said job was satisfactorily completed and recommended the contractor be paid the final payment of \$10,208.10. The commission authorized the payment.

The firm has just completed a new lift station and sewer (Continued on Page 5)

Free Classifieds Next Week; See Story For Details

## Slatonite Month, Newspaper Week Proclaimed; Open House At Paper Friday

Mayor Clark Self Sr. has proclaimed the remainder of the month of October as Slatonite Month in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of The Slaton Slatonite, and has named Oct. 15-21 Newspaper Week in Slaton, in cooperation with National Newspaper Week.

The Slatonite will get festivities kicked off this Friday with Open House at the newspaper plant from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. The general public is invited and urged to tour their newspaper plant during those hours this week in order to become better acquainted with the paper and so the newspaper's staff

can become better acquainted with them.

A lengthy list of door prizes can be signed for by visitors to the plant Friday. The drawing will be held at 5 p. m. and winners do not have to be present. To be given away are a Cole portable typewriter, a man's watch, a chair for use in home or office, two desk lamps, a Bible and a ball-point pen.

Next week, there will be special stories, ads, etc., commemorating National Newspaper Week and The Slatonite's 50th Anniversary. In addition, a special will

be observed on classified ads. All paid subscribers to the Slatonite can run, without charge, one classified ad not to exceed 25 words.

This would be a good time to clean out the closets, garages, attics and what-have-you and convert some of those old "White Elephant" items into cold, hard cash. Remember, you can advertise most anything absolutely free but you must be a subscriber to The Slatonite and we ask that you bring it into the paper, typed up if possible. Only one classified to a family, please. Free classifieds must be turned in

by 5 p. m. next Monday, October 17th.

There will be several other observances conducted during the week and month to commemorate The Slatonite's anniversary and National Newspaper Week.

Mayor Self's proclamation:

WHEREAS, The Slatonite has completed 50 years of service to Slaton and surrounding area and,

WHEREAS, this community's weekly newspaper performs a valuable local news and service function;

respect the purposes of "A Free Press" and

WHEREAS, The Slatonite is joining with other newspapers of the nation during the week of October 15-21, 1960, in observing National Newspaper Week with the theme "Your Newspaper—Freedom's Guardian" and,

WHEREAS this theme is particularly appropriate during the year of a great national election and during worldwide political upheaval which is serving as a cloak for the enemies of democracy to seize control of the press and sub-

lowmen, and

WHEREAS our newspapers are a potent force in bringing about desired civic improvements in our town because of enlightened public opinion, and

WHEREAS our community system, built on moving goods from a shelf or showroom of the consumer, benefits largely because our newspaper helps by its advertising columns to move goods, thus creating jobs and helping to build prosperity for Slaton-area residents, and

WHEREAS there is tremendous emphasis on youth today, both at home and abroad,

can give our youth is a press that will keep their environment and their livestock

NOW, THEREFORE, I, mayor of Slaton, Texas, do hereby proclaim the month of October and the week of October 15 to 21, 1960, as Slatonite Month and Newspaper Week, respectively, and urge all citizens to take time to reflect upon this theme, "Your Newspaper—Freedom's Guardian" with special attention to the need in our world today for uncensored channels of information that will help to dispel suspi-

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## EDITORIALS

### Twelve Men And An Idea

Elsewhere in today's Slatonite you will see an advertisement by 12 very fine local men. This ad has long been a familiar sight in Slaton. It should be read with deep interest by every person in the community.

The advertisement deals with a four-letter word which is the four-letter word usually keeps extremely desirous company. It is often used in connection with honorable deeds and lofty thoughts. That word is DUTY.

The ad mentions the duty of the 12 men, who have been elected as your City Commissioners and directors of the Slaton School Board. It also mentions the duties each of us in the community.

One of the severest problems of our community is that this is not just our idea. . . is the tremendous division that exists among our people. We have local merchants jealous of chain store merchants, and vice versa; we have Protestants who dislike Catholics and Catholics who won't trade with Protestants; we have railroad families who don't particularly like others in the community and people in the community who don't particularly like the railroaders; we have rumor-mongers and le-carriers, snipers and gossipers who ply their hobby of viciousness; we have colored people who hate white people and white people who hate colored people; we have money people who couldn't stand to see anyone else have money; we have poor people who despise other people; we have people who think they are wise and people who know they are ignorant and neither can teach the other; we have sinners and we have good people, hypocrites and pious individuals.

We have very few people who would take one step out of their way to help a neighbor, to be friendly, to make his life a little brighter. We have practically no one who would join with a friend in common cause.

But we have a fine place to live, too, don't we? We have the physical plants to give us most every comfort and certainly every necessity.

All we need is a little tolerance and sincere friendliness. . . a little "get along" and this would be the best place in the whole country.

Let's read that ad closely and then let's do just what it asks. Let's be nice to each other and not quarrel and have a chip on our shoulder. Let's allow the other fellow a few mistakes. . . unless we never made any ourselves. And let's let him think the way he wants to. And then let's do our level best to be real friends with everyone we possibly can in the community. It'll make everybody feel better and it'll sure cut down on doctor bills. It could conceivably eliminate ulcers in town; it could give us more freedom, more self-satisfaction and a better chance in our "pursuit of happiness." I'm sure willing to try, are you?

JRC  
Note: The sentiments expressed in this editorial are The Slatonite's and do not necessarily represent those of the sponsors of the ad.

### TV and Printed Words . . .

Competition for shares of the advertising dollar gets tougher all the time. Television has seen to that.

Television people have, on occasion, attempted to sell the idea that their media is a far more effective way of interesting the potential consumer than any other including newspapers. So a survey made in Richmond, Virginia, is of unusual interest.

Editor & Publisher reports: "An independent research organization found that of more than 41,000 telephone calls only about one-fifth of them had the TV set turned on. Of that number 81 per cent were able to identify the program turned on but 71 per cent could not name any sponsor or product or type of product being advertised on that program. And even if the respondent said 'soap' instead of giving a brand name it was counted as sponsor information which seemed to us like leaning over backward.

## The Sounding Board

(Editor's Note: The editor of the Lorenzo Tribune recently came out in support of Richard Nixon for President. In the following article, he tells why. It's food for thought, no matter which candidate you favor.)

Lorenzo Tribune  
MAIN STREET

Last week we avowed our support of the Republican candidate for president. Having thus openly sold out to the devil in the eyes of what we suspect is a major portion of our readers, we feel obliged to explain why more fully.

We do not intend to quote figures on the national growth index, farm prices, cost of living, defense, taxes or anything else. In the first place, we don't have the figures handy and we don't feel disposed to look them up. In the second place, the figures wouldn't change our opinion anyway.

It is clearly evident from the direction the Democrat party has been taking for the past 28 years that the only possible result of its political philosophy is a welfare state. This leaves us with this choice of conclusions to make about those at the helm of the Democrat party: 1) A welfare state is their desired goal. 2) They are so grossly stupid they cannot see the inevitable result of their programs, or 3) they don't care what the result will be as long as they can buy votes with promises of something for nothing.

Any one of these conclusions would be sufficient to cause us to reject the Democrat candidate out of hand. As a matter of fact, we think Democrat leadership is largely motivated by reasons 1 and 3 making the present Democrat party a coalition of fuzzy idealism and cynical hypocrisy. Naturally there are many Democrats who do not fall in either category. Regrettably, their efforts to alter their party's policies and programs have been largely ineffectual. The Los Angeles convention was a sample of the consideration they can expect from the Liberal-Hypocritical element now firmly in control. (We might add that while Kennedy is only a fair representative of the liberal wing, Johnson is the perfect archetype of the hypocritical.)

But, for the sake of conjecture, let us suppose that all Democrats are completely honest, sincere and dedicated. We would still be forced to reject their candidate for the simple reason that we do not want to live in a welfare state, no matter how sincere its proponents may be.

It may be that the welfare state is neither evil nor immoral. We are not philosopher enough to discuss that question. But one thing is certain, if the government is to provide complete security for everyone, it must first control everyone. Individualists and the unhousebroken will not fit in the welfare state. It may eliminate the poor, sick and needy, but it will at the same time eliminate everything that makes life worth the trouble—and everything that makes a free society free. For there is no such thing as something for nothing. Everything has its price, and for each government "gift" the price is a little liberty.

If you think that security is worth more than liberty, that government handouts bring more satisfaction than the fruits of individual initiative and enterprise, by all means vote Democrat. But examine your heart and your conscience carefully before you decide.

We close this little discourse with a quotation from the essay "On Liberty" by J. S. Mill (quite a liberal in his day):

"A State which dwells its men, in order that may be more docile instruments in its hands for beneficial purposes—will find that with small men so great things can really be accomplished."

In case you don't dig J. S. Mill (English philosopher, 1806-1873), the following little ditty, donated by two local subversives, may serve better to illustrate the point:

PSLAM OF SUBSIDY

"The government is my shepherd—I shall not work.  
"It allows me to lie down on good jobs; it leadeth me beside still factories.  
"It destroyeth my initiative. It leadeth me in the paths of the parasite for politics' sake.  
"Yea, though I walk through the valley of laziness and deficit, spending, I will fear no evil, for the government is with me.  
"Its dole and its vote-getters they comfort me.  
"It prepareth my economic Utopia for me by appropriating the earnings of my grandchildren, gna, my inefficiency runneth over.  
"Surely the government shall care for me all the days of my life and I shall dwell in a fool's paradice forever."

## The Reader's Angle

Dear Editor,

To the Voters in Slaton:

Having lived in Slaton since 1911, I find it impossible to keep silence on the liquor question. Will it be beneficial to our town? From my viewpoint it will be very detrimental to all; and it will be especially harmful to our young people, who will be leaders of tomorrow.

Those of us who claim to be Christians should do all within our power to keep alcoholic beverages of all kinds out of Slaton.

I felt so depressed when I learned that some of the supposed-to-be leading business people had signed a petition calling for an election to allow the sale of all alcoholic beverages in the City of Slaton on an off-premise basis.

Can anyone show us where liquor has been of any benefit to the people? It has broken up homes, ruined the health of some and others have lost their lives.

Some few people seem to think that the sale of liquor will help business. One thing it will do is bring the lower class of people into our town.

Do you think to gain the whole world and lose one soul would really be gain?

Think over these things and then vote against it. I am appealing to you to do it.

Very sincerely,  
Minnie A. Brannon  
Mrs. A. L. Brannon

Dear Editor,

I was reading your paper this week and saw a picture of the band stand. This brought back remembrances of the different things that my grandfather has told me about the time he built the bandstand and other buildings and houses in Slaton and in the surrounding towns.

My grandfather is an oldtimer of Slaton. He has been away from there for about nine years but he still visits his friends here when he is able.

My grandfather is Mr. A. A. DeVore, better known as Mr. Deo. He is sick now and I would like to have his friends of Slaton and surrounding towns to send him cards and letters. So if you would publish his name and address I would thank you.

Mr. A. A. DeVore  
408 Pine Street  
Lamarque, Texas  
Yours Truly,  
Charline Martin  
Texas City, Texas

(Dear Charline Martin,  
We sincerely hope that many

of Mr. DeVore's friends see your letter and reply with cards and letters to cheer him during his illness.

We would send him a subscription, but we find that he is already taking The Slatonite and will therefore be able to keep up-to-date on what the Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club are doing to repair the band stand.

Sincerely,  
The Ed. JRC

Dear Editor,

Writing this letter is something like crossing a bridge before you get to it. As a matter of fact, there may not even be a bridge, but the time grows short and there will be little left for debate of the Parkhill, Smith and Cooper report, if questions there be concerning it.

The City is to be complimented on employing this firm for a survey of Slaton's future water needs. There is no reason to think it will not be full, complete, accurate and factual and this is not intended to imply otherwise, but since then will be so little time before the question of participating in the Canadian River project is voted on, perhaps the question of Slaton's future development might be raised in advance.

As we see it, the greatest difference between Slaton and other towns within a 20 mile radius of Lubbock has been; and will continue to be; the advantages of the railroad payroll and taxes over a farming community.

The question of interest that might be raised in anticipation of the Parkhill, Smith and Cooper report, at this time, is whether Slaton's future growth and water requirements will be predicated upon the past two decades of war-inflated prosperity, or whether it will recognize the decline in the railroad's participation in Slaton's future; the deterioration of the irrigation water supply, and the divided four-lane by-pass.

Yours Truly,  
C. L. Tanner  
335 S. 9th Street  
Slaton, Texas

(Dear Mr. Tanner,  
For the benefit of those read-

ers who might not be familiar with what report you are speaking of, I'll remind them that Parkhill, Smith and Cooper are at present surveying Slaton's water needs, both present and future, as to cost, availability, etc.

Like you, Mr. Tanner, I'm sure the report will be accurate. I might point out that the City of Levelland is at present hiring the same firm to see if that community can afford NOT to get into the Canadian River project.

I always feel that any major commitment by the community should be subjected to a great deal of public exposure, so the residents can decide for themselves which would be the proper action in any situation. Our City Commissioners are also very interested in seeing that both sides of the story are told to local residents, who must approve getting into the project if this community is to do so. The commission, however, has decided to wait until after they receive the engineers' report before doing much talking on the project, either way.

We, perhaps, would be wise to do the same. However, the question you raise would be interesting to discuss, whether or not the Canadian River Dam was in the picture.

For one thing we agree that the presence in Slaton of the Santa Fe Railroad, its employees, their pay, and the taxes both pay, is a major contribution to the community. If we were to suddenly lose Santa Fe, the city would suffer a crushing economic blow with accompanying loss of population, businesses, etc. There is nothing to indicate that will happen, though.

Also, I don't think anyone's irrigation well is getting any bigger. As to the effect of the coming four-lane highway, it's a moot question at this stage, in my opinion.

The report will be based, I feel confident, on past growth for Slaton, as there is nothing to indicate that growth will decline.

Let's hear some more on this subject.

Sincerely,  
The Ed. JRC

Dear Editor,

Recently Slaton was awakened by the whistling sirens of ambulances and police cars going to the scene of a wreck. It was a typical fall night on Saturday and not late, about 11:30—the weather was fine—no rain-slicked highways—no reason for a wreck unless the fact that eight Latin-Americans who had been to Post, where they sell alcoholic beverages, could have been a reason. A boy and a girl out on a date and were on their way home—a fine boy and girl. I know because I have known both of them since they were small children. It is usually the innocent who suffer most of the time. Two of the Latin-Americans were killed and the other six were injured. The white boy and girl were injured the boy seriously and both spent time in the hospital. The boy had to have surgery. At the time I was right across the hall from the boy (incidentally he is a close neighbor of ours), when my daughter had surgery and I know what the mother and daddy of this boy went through. Many nights of sleeplessness and worry. Is this what Slaton really wants?

The men who signed this petition, most of them have children. Some of their children will soon be teenagers if they aren't already and I wonder if having Slaton wet would mean this much—to have people hurt in wrecks or killed such as this one? Not to think of the many other ways that it will effect

the town.

As far as I am personally concerned, it would be better on me since I live at Southland if it did go wet because the traffic is terrific on the highway, especially on the week ends. As far as Slaton is concerned it will ruin the town and Slaton is such a nice clean town to be turned in to a place where every kind of person in the world will come to. I hope the Christian people of Slaton will take a stand against this evil and vote in the coming election and vote against it.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. Harley Martin

Yes, a typical Saturday night bumper to bumper traffic from Slaton to Post and if you happen to be on the highway, you wonder if the next car that you meet will be the one that blows you off the road.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. Harley Martin



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Insurance Agency  
135 N. 8th VA 8-354

### Gracious Dining

makes any occasion something 'special'

whether you begin or end an evening here, the perfection of our cuisine and service will make the occasion truly memorable!

### Bruce's Cafe

VA-8-7114

## THE CLASSIC FORD LOOK FOR '61 BRINGS YOU THE BEST OF EVERYTHING!

'61 Ford has the Classic Straight-Line Styling!

See how the new concave grille glitters! See how the massive bumper sweeps back into the classic Ford straight-line styling! Come in and admire the '61 Ford in our showroom!

'61 Ford has the Thunderbird's Roofline!

Today's great profile is Thunderbird's roofline. It's not only the most limited style there is, it's practical. Plenty of hats-on head room, front and rear.

'61 Ford has Ford's Classic Rear-End Styling!

Smooth and sleek, with the safe and friendly big, round taillights that flow smoothly into the classic sculpturing of the '61 Ford rear end.

and it's the car beautifully built to take care of itself!

HERE'S HOW THE '61 FORD TAKES CARE OF ITSELF!

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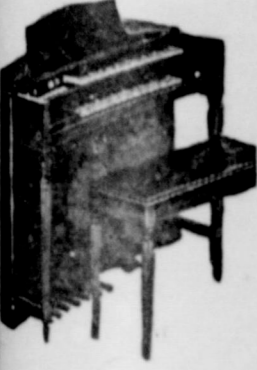
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TALK  
BY A. M. J.



A couple of weeks ago, when I was resting myself against a light post on the north side of the square, leisurely contemplating Wayne Smith slogging paint, here and there, on the front of several buildings, Howard Hoffman unfolded out of his car and helped me contemplate the improvements.

"The business section of Slaton has surely changed a lot in the last ten or fifteen years," said Howard, "and all that hula-baloos you used to put in the Slatonite must have had something to do with it."

Looking back over the recent past of our town, it must be admitted that Slaton, is getting to be exceedingly modern in appearance. For a while I got my blood pressure up around the hundred and fifty mark about getting the City Hall modernized and hoped to stir up some trouble about getting it torn down and a new building in its place, but lately I have become nostalgic and now it would break my heart to see the old eye sore destroyed. Every town needs something to remind the old and new citizens of the past, and in my opinion there is nothing in town that can take us back to the past

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(Pd. Pol. Adv.)

any more than the city hall. It is a typical 1900 model of gingerbread and inconvenience and all of us need an example to remind us that even Slaton people once enjoyed the leisurely life of the horse and buggy when such a thing as an air conditioner was unknown.

I'll bet a lot of youngsters would not recognize a palm leaf fan if they should see one and I'd give a dollar to get one of those folding fans the gals used to carry around to peep over when they wanted to give some goof the glad eye.

The only draw back that I see to the City Hall today is the smell of disinfectant that permeates every inch of space in the old building. That smell does not take me back to the good old days, but if it was not there I might recognize some of the old ones I used to gag on.

Having to pamper an ulcer I get on and off of diets at intervals and quite often the sight of some one eating pickles, watermelon, pecans and peanuts almost sets me wild. My envy reaches the atmosphere at this time of the year when I go into the food markets and see the foods that the farm laborers select and what astounds me is the amount some of them buy.

They peel off fifty and sixty dollars at a time without a sish and buy the most expensive foods such as avocados, new season apples at twenty cents each, and all kinds of frozen foods. All the children have ice cream cones in their fists and many of them not only carry ice cream cones but also a huge sack of popcorn.

It is all I can do on Fridays or Saturdays to keep from getting a couple of cones myself, along with some peanut brittle, a dill pickle or two and some hot tamales. If I ever succumb you can say that my wife told me not to.

—just talk—

Take some of the miracle drugs and if do not get worse, it's a miracle. Most of us take so many pills, tablets and liquids that we have to take some more to counteract the ones we are taking to overcome our diseases. At the present I am taking one dime size tablet to reduce the fluid in my system which also drains out most of the potassium that I need in order to keep worrying about world conditions, so I take another plum sized pill to put back the potassium that the first pill drains out, then I take another big green tablet to regulate things so that they keep time and other one in case I get the headache, and should I take cold I have a set of tablets that make me dizzy and some more to take to reduce the dizziness and that's why I go around feeling and looking so queer.

—just talk—

Thinking further along this line I submit below something that James Hill, a former Slatonite employee, who now publishes the Knox City Herald, recently printed:  
**JUST AFTER A TORNADO**  
which ruined a small town in Texas, a newspaper reporter

was talking to one of the natives who was doing the clean-up job.

"Were you in the tornado?" asked the newspaperman.

"Well, son, it all depends on how you look at it," replied the old fellow. "When the roof fell in, she fell just right. And when the walls caved in, they only nudged me. The hot stove got pushed across the room, but it stopped just before it hit me, and while it set the house on fire, I got out just in time."

The old man stopped talking and considered the situation for a long moment. "I guess you couldn't say I was in that tornado," he said slowly, "but I was gettin' gosh-awful close to it!" —Dan Bennett (Quote)

**Local Savings And Loan Firm To Observe Savings, Thrift Month**

B. B. Castleberry, manager of the Slaton Savings and Loan Association, has announced that the association will observe Texas Savings and Loan Thrift Month. "The purpose of Texas Savings and Loan Thrift Month is one in which the Slaton Savings and Loan Association is heartily in accord," Castleberry states. "To an institution dedicated to the importance of thrift, the purpose of this observance is essential. The following five points are included in the purpose of the month:

First — to translate the important relationship that exists

in the practice of thrift and the present economy.

Second — to present a realistic picture of the components in the American Economy and the individual's responsibility in developing a balance in financial affairs.

Third — to highlight the historical importance of thrift as a basis for today's emphasis.

Fourth — to emphasize the independence derived by individuals who do their own saving for present and future needs, and

Fifth — to present the habit of thrift as the preferred way

in the world economy." The Slaton Savings and Loan Association is a member of the Texas Savings and Loan League which sponsors the annual observance of Texas Savings and Loan Thrift Month.

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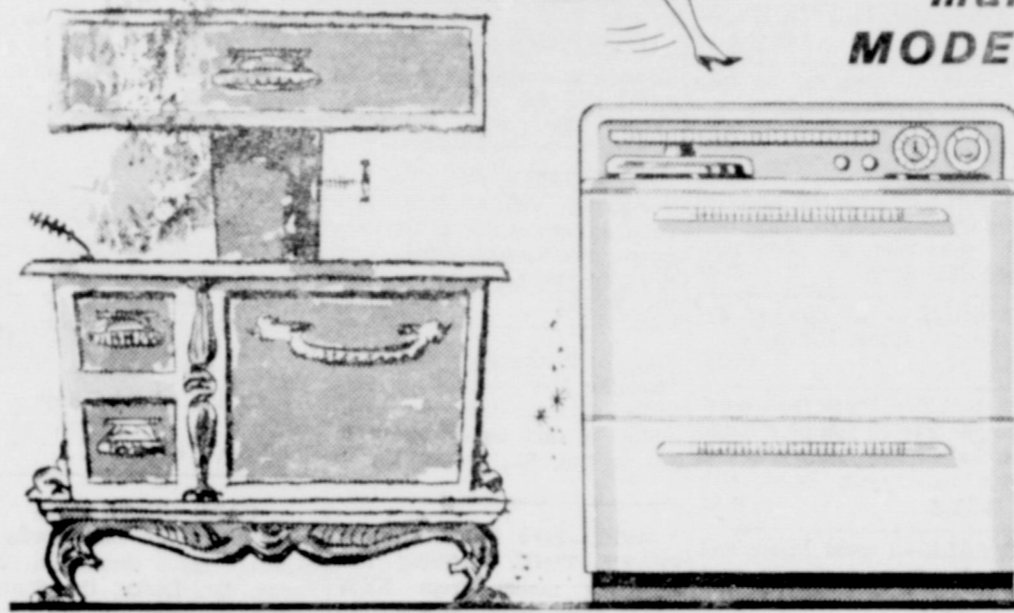
**FFA Booth Will Show \$60 Seventh FFA Slaton Chapter of Farmers of America will display sixty dollars rich day September 26 at 11 handle South Plains Fair. They maintained a 1 tied "Tramping Cotton placed seventh out of competing booths. The Tiger"**

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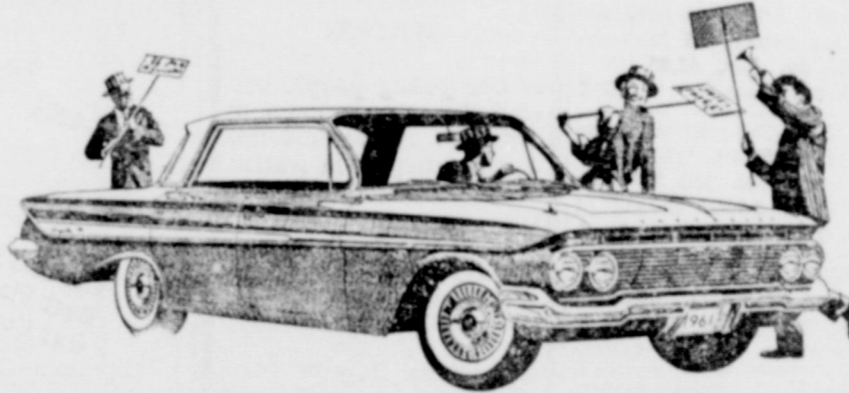
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New '61 Chevrolet IMPALA SPORT SEDAN

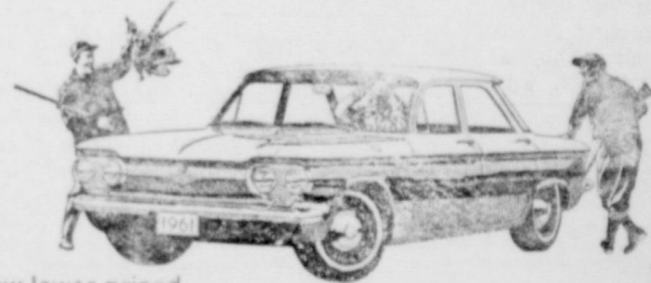
You've got five Impalas to pick from—models that put the accent on luxury while offering all of Chevy's new ideas about comfort and convenience—like larger door openings, higher seats, and a low-loading deep-well trunk.



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(2-Door Sedan, above) All Biscaynes, 6 or V8, give you a full measure of Chevy quality, comfort and proved performance. Yet they're priced right down with many smaller cars that give you a lot less!



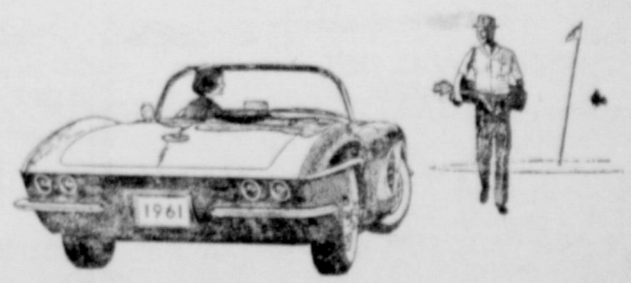
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 e at Teague Drug.  
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 machine, plus price of  
 quired for your need.  
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**NT**—Floor Sanders  
 rollers, Lasater-Hoff-  
 dware. tfe-53

**NT**—Hospital Beds,  
 Furniture Co. VA 8-  
 tfe-50

**ENT**—Do-it-yourself  
 cleaning machine. Ask  
 details. Quality Drive  
 ers & Laundry, VA  
 tfe-34

**ENT**—Bedroom, joining  
 230 S. 12. VA 8-3421.  
 I. Drewery. tfe-44

**ENT**—Storage room, 12  
 ft., private entrance in  
 former Slatonite building  
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 t, VA 8-33081 J. L. Al-

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 er house close in on pave-  
 ment tub bath, Phone VA  
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 wall to wall carpet. Call  
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**ENT**—2 room apartme-  
 nt, single room, outside en-  
 trances only, prefer one  
 or one woman, would ac-  
 cept, \$35.00 per month  
 ad call VA 8-4369.  
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**ENT**—Unfurnished three  
 and bath, house. Newly-  
 ted. Storm cellar, Shades  
 oor coverings furnished.  
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**FOR SALE**—4 rooms and bath  
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 3 years old. See H. P. Piwonka  
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**FOR SALE**—Used farm equip-  
 ment: 1 nine row Sandfighter,  
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 knifer, 4 row Stalk Cutter, M.  
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 M. reversible breaking plow,  
 Wuensche, Rt. 1 Wilson, 3 mi.  
 West and 3 miles North of Wil-  
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**FOR SALE**—320 acres near  
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 ment. Priced below market.  
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 also, Howard Carlson, 2317  
 34th Street, Lubbock. tfe-35

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 6 for \$1.00, 45 speed, top tunes,  
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 Pawn Shop, 110 East Lubbock  
 Street, Phone VA-84632. 4tp-1

**FOR SALE**—Gallon sizes of  
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**FOR SALE**—New House - 3  
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 plows, one-ways, cotton strip-  
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**FOR SALE**—Used 12 foot  
 freezer good condition chest  
 type. See Bain Auto Store.  
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**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—Tires,  
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**FOR SALE**—160 acre farm, 55  
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 Air conditioner. Consider trade  
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 Bert Smith

## For Sale

**FOR SALE**—Trailer house,  
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**FOR SALE**—25 gilt shafts. Call  
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 gas heater. Call VA 8-4144.  
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 Hatchery—Spreaders to loan  
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 Huser Hatchery. tfe-38

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 cement mixer on wheels. Call  
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1. The names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are:  
 Name  
 Publisher Joel R. Combs  
 Editor Joel R. Combs  
 Managing editor Joel R. Combs  
 Business manager Joel R. Combs  
 Address  
 Box 775, Slaton, Texas

2. The owner is: (If owned by a corporation, its name and address must be stated and also immediately thereunder the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 percent or more of total amount of stock. If not owned by a corporation, the names and addresses of the individual owners must be given. If owned by a partnership or other unincorporated firm, its name and address, as well as that of each individual member, must be given.)  
 Name  
 Francis & Richard Perry  
 Address  
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**CARD OF THANKS**  
 I could never find words to express my thanks to Dr. Payne, Dr. Locke, the Sisters, nurses and staff of the Slaton Mercy Hospital, friends, who sent flowers, cards and gifts, and those who came by to say hello to me during my stay in the hospital.  
 My greatest wish and prayer is, God bless you with health and happiness.  
 Mrs. Buford Jones

**CARD OF THANKS**  
 We wish to take this method of expressing our sincere appreciation to the friends that sent flowers, cards and greetings and visited me, during my seemingly long stay at Veterans Hospital at Big Springs.  
 Walter Savell and Family.

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 Name  
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4. Paragraphs 2 and 3 include, in cases where the stockholder or security holder appears upon the books of the company as trustee or in any other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation for whom such trustee is acting; also the statements in the 2 paragraphs show the affiant's full knowledge and belief as to the circumstances and conditions under which stockholders and security holders do not appear upon the books of the company as trustees, hold stock and securities in a capacity other than that of a bona fide owner.

5. The average number of copies of each issue of this publication sold or distributed, through the mails or otherwise, to paid subscribers during the 12 months preceding the date shown above was: (This information is required by the act of June 11, 1960 to be included in all statements regardless of frequency of issue.) 2,023  
 Joel R. Combs  
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of October, 1960 (SEAL) Wylene Smith  
 (My commission expires 6-1-61)

**Rev. Crabtree**  
**Speaker For**  
**Metodit Men**

"The most valuable asset to the pastor of a church is a group of men willing to serve in whatever capacity is required," stated Reverend Elmer Crabtree, formerly of Slaton, new of Plainview.

Reverend Crabtree was guest speaker at the regular meeting Monday night of the Methodist Men of the First Methodist Church in Slaton. Twenty members of the group attended the dinner meeting.

An unusual guest accompanied Rev. Crabtree on the trip from Plainview. He was W. C. Bunton, president, Methodist Men, First Methodist Church of Plainview, Butlin, a short time resident of Slaton, set out the "more than 50" trees in City Hall Park "back in World War 1 days."

**MISC—\$400 MONTHLY**  
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**MISC**—Degar-Johnson Blacksmith Shop & Welding Equipment, Lubbock Highway. 2tp-1

## Bank's Official Charter No. 1650 Statement Of Financial Condition of the

## Citizens State Bank

at Slaton, Texas at the close of business on the 15th day of June, 1960, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

**RESOURCES**

- Loans and discounts, including overdrafts ..... 1,632,037.50
- United States Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed ..... 769,727.50
- Obligations of state and political subdivisions ..... 237,388.51
- Cash, balance due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection (including exchanges for clearing house) .... 890,132.54
- Banking house, or leasehold improvements ..... 119,000.00
- Furniture, fixtures, and equipment ..... 34,592.50
- Other real estate owned ..... 1.00
- Other assets ..... 13,838.25

**11. Total Resources ..... 3,696,717.80**

**LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS**

- Common Capital Stock ..... 100,000.00
- Surplus: Certified ..... 150,000.00
- Undivided profits ..... 8,347.00
- Capital reserves ..... 61,535.80  
 (Not to include specifically allocated reserve for expenses, or valuation allowances)
- Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations ..... 3,102,804.60
- Public funds (Incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions) ..... 198,950.28
- Total all deposits ..... \$3,671,160.00
- Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts ..... 3,696,717.80

**STATE OF TEXAS )**  
**COUNTY OF LUBBOCK )**  
 I, T. A. Worley, Jr., being Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
 T. A. Worley, Jr.  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of October 1960.  
 (Tommie Wieker)  
 Notary Public, Lubbock County, Texas.  
 CORRECT - ATTEST  
 H. T. Swanner  
 Bob Merrell  
 J. S. Edwards Jr.

163 S. 9th  
 VA 8-4201  
**THE SLATONITE**

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Dear Friends,

YOU are invited to attend Open House at The Slatonite tomorrow, any time you choose between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m.

to celebrate our 50th Anniversary, and also We're having this special occasion in order to better acquaint you with your newspaper and so we can come better acquainted with you. We want you to come in so badly we're giving away just scads of stuff to entice you. For instance, you can sign for drawings which, if your name is drawn, could get you a man's watch for free, a beautiful chair to be used at home or in the office, a Cole portable typewriter, a desk lamp, a Bible or a ball-point pen. Also, we will be serving free coffee and cookies throughout the day. So you're bound to get something for free when you visit The Slatonite, if you want it.

We're sticking our chest out just a little bit when we say this, but . . . in case you missed it on the front page, we'd like to tell you that Mayor Clark Self has proclaimed the nation-wide observance of National Newspaper Week.

We Sure hope you will find time to visit. You'll be welcome, so . . . Come As You Are" to our 50th Anniversary Open House Celebration. We will Look forward to seeing you.

Sincerely,  
 Joel R. Combs, Publisher  
 The Slatonite

P.S. This invitation is also extended on behalf of the staff at The Slatonite: Bobbie Combs, bookkeeper; Darrel Weaver, advertising manager; Judy Franke and Jeanette Franke, reporters; Jose Rubio, mechanical superintendent; Chester Reese, Printer; and Duane Well, pressman.

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**Slaton Youth Will Receive FFA Award**

Eugene Bednarz, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bednarz of Rt. 1, Slaton, is scheduled to receive the American Farmer Degree at the 33rd annual national convention of the Future Farmers of America in Kansas City, Mo., next week. A member of the Cooper FFA chapter, Bednarz was recommended for the award by the national board of student officers of the FFA. He has been approved for the award by the national FFA directors. Highest National Award Attainment of the American Farmer Degree, highest national award an FFA member can attain, is based on the FFA member's record in farming, leadership and scholarship. The award is conferred annually upon only one of every 1,000 FFA members.

Bednarz will board a special FFA train for Kansas City at Amarillo Monday. He will be accompanied to the national

convention by Earl Madding, vocational agriculture teacher at Cooper High School.

The convention opens Tuesday and continues through Saturday. Bednarz will receive a cash travel allowance from the National FFA Foundation, Inc., and the estate FFA organization.

Along with the degree, Bednarz will receive a certificate of merit and a gold key from the national organization at the convention.

Bednarz is the 17th member of the Cooper FFA chapter to receive the American Farmer Degree.

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ce, those who would like to see pictures of work in these place are welcome to remain. Services are each morning at 10 a.m. and each evening at 7:30 with the public invited.

**WANT ADS GET RESULTS**



**FFA SWEETHEART**

Janet Adamek was elected Sweetheart of the Slaton Future Farmers of America chapter at a regular meeting of the organization last week in the Vocational Agriculture room at Slaton High School. She will represent the Slaton FFA chapter in the District Sweetheart Contest in the near future. Miss Adamek is a Junior at Slaton High, she is active in Choral, F. H. A., and basketball and is Junior Cheerleader in the Pep Squad. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Adamek, 720 N. 20th.

**POPPY DAY**

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The Legion Auxiliary will be selling poppies on the streets of downtown Slaton and in local stores, to finance charitable Auxiliary projects.

President of the Auxiliary is Mrs. Ethel Woods. Poppy Day Chairman is Mrs. Hobart Trimpa.

**CHARTER**

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extension work in the northwest portion of town.

The group authorized sending Gordon Alsbrook to Austin to take an examination for his plumbing inspector's license at the request of George Willis, water and sewer department superintendent.

The City Secretary, Willis and the City Engineer, Bennett Reeves of the firm Parkhill Smith and Cooper, Lubbock, had contacted Guillermo Valdez about a strip of land 15 feet by 140 feet, through lot 9, block one, Oil Mill Addition. Guillermo agreed to take \$50 for the strip, which will save the City \$310.00 on installation of sewer and provide for pick up of garbage from the residences in the block. The Commission voted to buy the property.

The Commission tabled a request by W. A. Riley to use his car for an ambulance, which he said the State Department of Health had approved. Riley also said he was an approved Red Cross first aid administrator.

A called meeting of the Commission will be held in Slaton Savings and Loan Association's office today for the purpose of hearing a discussion by the Bureau of Reclamation on changes asked by the federal government in a contract between the Canadian River Municipal Water Authority and the government. The meeting will be held at 4:30 p. m.

Secretary Maxey was elected a director of the Texas Municipal League during that organization's annual meeting in Galveston last week. A letter was received in that connection, from former Slatonite Louie Welch, presently a City Councilman at Houston.

The letter mentions that the election of Maxey to the board of directors of the state-wide organization is not only an honor to Maxey but to the City of Slaton as well, and points out that many benefits to the City can be derived from Maxey's service on the board. Another letter of congratulations came from Kenneth T. Nunn, city secretary at Texas City.

Others on the board from this area, or who might be known by local persons, include Welch; H. P. Clifton, city manager at Lubbock; and Vernon E. Thompson, Lubbock Commissioner.

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QUARTERBACKS, HALFBACK—Gregg Nowlin, Webber Tefertiller and Steve Ball, left to right.

### PICK THE WINNERS—TEST YOUR SKILL

**HERE'S HOW YOU WIN**  
Listed in the box at the right are some of the football games which will be played this week in this area and across the nation. Indicate by an x the teams you think will be winners and mail or bring to The Slatonite before 5 p. m. Friday of each week. Persons with largest number of winners will receive first prize, etc. Indicate Score only in tie-breaker game — Just the winners on others.

**PICK THE WINNERS OF**

( ) ..... Arkansas vs. Texas .....  
 ( ) ..... (Tie-breaker game, indicate score)  
 ( ) ..... Baylor vs. Texas Tech .....  
 ( ) ..... Oklahoma vs. Kansas .....  
 ( ) ..... Air Force vs. Navy .....  
 ( ) ..... Nebraska vs. Army .....  
 ( ) ..... Syracuse vs. Penn State .....  
 ( ) ..... Rice vs. S. M. U. ....

( ) ..... Texas A&M vs. T. C. U. ....  
 ( ) ..... West Tex. State vs. North Tex. ....  
 ( ) ..... Wisconsin vs. Iowa .....

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 Address \_\_\_\_\_

**THE TIGERS NEED AND DESERVE YOUR SUPPORT. SHOW THEM YOU ARE ONE HUNDRED % BEHIND THEM BY ATTENDING ALL THE GAMES THIS SEASON.**

### Schedules

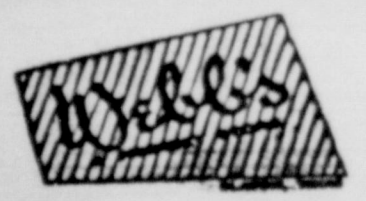
| SLATON TIGERS                      | WILSON MUSTANGS                 | SOUTHLAND EAGLES                      |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Sept. 2, Canyon, home              | Sept. 9, Plains, home           | Sept. 2, Bula, home                   |
| Sept. 9, Seagraves, home           | Sept. 16, Meadow, home          | Sept. 9, Jayton, there                |
| Sept. 16, Rotam, there             | Sept. 23, Anton, there          | Sept. 16, Guthrie, there              |
| Sept. 23, Frenship, there          | Sept. 30, Whiteface, there      | Sept. 23, Patton Springs, home, Conf. |
| Sept. 30, Crosbyton, home          | Oct. 7, Ropes, there            | Sept. 30, Wellman, there, Conf.       |
| Oct. 7, Lockney, home              | Oct. 15, Sands, home, Conf.     | Oct. 7, Gale, home Conf.              |
| Oct. 14, Denver City, there, Conf. | Oct. 21, New Home, there, Conf. | Oct. 21, Loop, there, Conf.           |
| Oct. 21, Tahoka, home, Conf.       | Oct. 28, New Deal, home, Conf.  | Oct. 15, Union, home Conf.            |
| Oct. 28, Open                      | Nov. 4, Lorenzo, home, Conf.    | Oct. 28, Pettit, there, Conf.         |
| Nov. 4, Post, there, Conf.         | Nov. 12, Cooper, there, Conf.   | Nov. 4, Open                          |
| Nov. 11, Stanton, home, Conf.      |                                 | Nov. 11, Smyer, home Conf.            |

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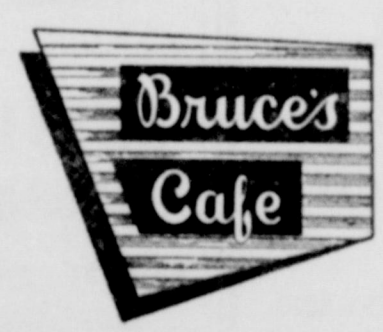
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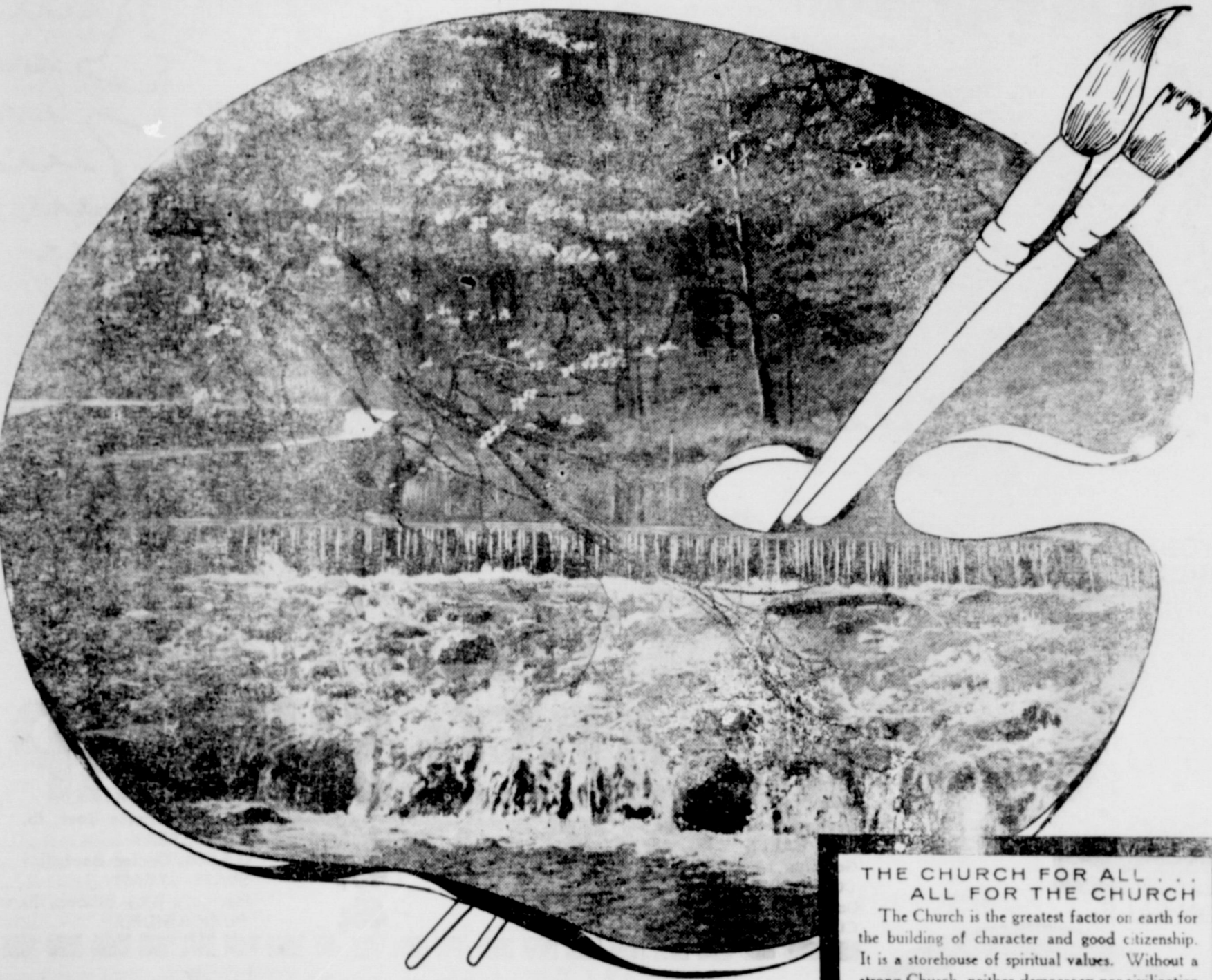
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| Day       | Book           | Chapter | Verses |
|-----------|----------------|---------|--------|
| Sunday    | Genesis        | 1       | 1-31   |
| Monday    | Psalms         | 104     | 1-35   |
| Tuesday   | Psalms         | 37      | 22-29  |
| Wednesday | II Corinthians | 4       | 3-6    |
| Thursday  | Luke           | 12      | 31-34  |
| Friday    | Luke           | 14      | 18-30  |
| Saturday  | Psalms         | 95      | 1-11   |



God must love beauty, to use it so lavishly. The Master Artist dapples the soft green leaves with golden sunshine, turns the brook to flowing crystal, and puts a song into Spring itself.

There is beauty in us, too . . . because He put it there. In His sight, none of us are ugly, none of us are forsaken, none of us are "lost."

But sometimes, in the busy process of day-to-day living, we turn blind eyes upon the world's loveliness, and take for granted the gifts which should brighten our days and years. We need a faith that gives us vision to find again the inner beauty He gave us in the beginning . . . a gift which He never takes away. Let us go, then, to His Church. Let us "enter into His gates with thanksgiving . . . for the Lord is good; His mercy is everlasting; and His Truth endureth forever."

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Rev. F. A. Wittig
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Slaton & Lubbock
  - Church of Christ  
Crump, Minister
  - Church of Christ  
Terry, Minister
  - Baptist Church  
Donley, Pastor

## Record Seen In Cotton Production

An all-time new cotton production record for the Texas High Plains appears to be in sight for the 1960 cotton year as officials of the Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. and the Lubbock Cotton Exchange have announced an October crop estimate of 2,038,000 bales for the 23 counties on the Plains.

Veteran cotton observers say that condition of both dryland and irrigated cotton is in good to excellent shape and if October weather continues with warm, sunshine and the first frost does not come before the average frost date of around November 5 for the Lubbock area, the new production total could easily be reached this year.

Receipts at the Lubbock Cotton Classing office, including totals for the Lamesa and Brownfield offices, as of today total approximately 100,000 bales. Records show this is approximately 50,000 bales less than was classed in 1959 on this date, indicating the area cotton

### AT CORPUS CHRISTI SCHOOL

Robert Neil Guinn of 100 West Lubbock, Slaton, has enrolled at the University of Corpus Christi for the fall semester. Guinn is a senior student for the bachelor of arts degree with a major in English and a minor in language.

### Cole Receives Top Education Award

James Cole, a 1960 senior at SHS, was awarded an Educational Award for outstanding achievements in agriculture. This award was made at an assembly Tuesday 27, in the Slaton High School Auditorium.

Mr. Turner presented the award for the Santa Fe Railroad. This award will pay Mr. Cole's way to the National FFA convention to be held in Kansas City, Kansas this month.

### Melcher To Lead SHS Bengal Band

Slaton High School Band elected officers for 1960-61 Monday, Sept. 19. Joe Melcher will lead the Band as President.

Other officers are Don Edwards, Vice - President; Lena Glascock, Secretary; and Patsy Pettigrew, reporter. SHS band also selected jackets they preferred. The jacket is different from any which have been brought in the past few years.

### Linder Elected To Lead SHS DECA

Slaton High School D. E. Club officers were elected for 1960-61 September 23 in its first official meeting. These officers are led by President Daris Linder. Other leaders are Carolyn Howell, vice-president; Carol Buxkemper, secretary-treasurer; Tommy Claiborne, reporter; and Eddie Cone, sergeant-at-arms. Club meeting will be held the third Thursday of each month.

### MISS SMITH WAYLAND HOST

Plainview (spl.) Parents Day at Wayland Baptist College Oct. 17 will welcome parents of Wayland students to the campus with activities especially planned for their entertainment and to acquaint them with the college.

Groundbreaking ceremony for Owen Hall, 100 unit residence hall for women, and Allison-Conkright Hall, 8-unit married students apartment, an dedication of Goodpasture and Collier Halls, other married student apartments, will highlight the day. Groundbreaking and dedication are scheduled for 2:30 p.m.

Hosts for the day's activities include Kathy Smith from Slaton.

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Rev. Dwight E. Lusk used the theme, "Setting the Table," to inspire and challenge each member to do her best.

Officers for the new year:

President; Mrs. E. D. Gossett; Vice-President, Mrs. L. O. Lemon; Enlistment Chairman, Mrs. A. L. Romines; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. George Gamble; Program Chairman, Mrs. N. R. Belt; Mission Study, Mrs. Ray Boyce; Community Missions, Mrs. T. V. Ellis; Stewardship Chairman, Mrs. Grady Patterson; Camp Chairman, Mrs. George Green; Prayer Chairman, Mrs. J. S. Vaughn; Publicity and Social Chairman, Mrs. J. E. Gray; Chairman of Aletha Circle, Mrs. M. E. Cagle; Chairman of Ben Oliver Circle, Mrs. T. P.

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Also attending the meeting were Mrs. Darrel Baugh, Mrs. Melvin Elliott, and the pastor, Rev. Dwight Lusk.

Coffee and rolls were served during the fellowship period which followed.

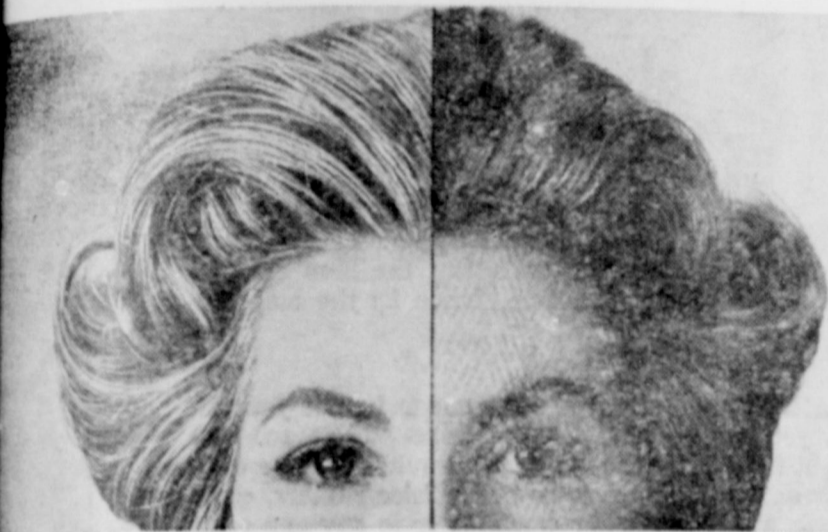
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## Miss Buxkemper Becomes Bride Of Joe Schilling

St. Joseph's Catholic Church was the scene of a 4 p.m. wedding mass read Tuesday for Miss Eunice Lee Buxkemper,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin H. Buxkemper, Rt. 2, and Joe A. Schilling, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman F. Schilling, Rt. 1. The Rev. Msgr. T. D. O'Brien performed the double ring ceremony. The bride's father gave her in marriage.

She wore a gown of peau de sole and re-embroidered Alecon lace fashioned with a long stem figuring bodice and a bouffant bell-shaped skirt. The bodice featured a sweetheart neckline. Appliqued lace medallions with satin bows garnished the bodice and skirt. A wide chapel train fell below a bustle back to complete the gown. A French cap of lace held her veil of silk illusion. She carried a bouquet fashioned as a bow with an orchid in the center.

Miss Jeanette Buxkemper was her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Kay Ella Bruedigam of Wilson, cousin of the bride, Miss Kathleen Buxkemper, cousin of the bride, and Diane Kuss, niece of the bridegroom.

They wore dresses of mauve peau de sole fashioned with a sweetheart neckline, short sleeves and a fitted bodice. The full pleated skirts fell from softly crushed cummerbunds. They wore headpieces of taffeta and velvet ribbon in mauve and carried bouquets of pink carnations.

Ushers were Paul Buxkemper, uncle of the bride; Curtis Bruedigam of Wilson, cousin of the bride; Robert Verkamp of Idalou, cousin of the bridegroom; Roy Strube, cousin of the bride; and Franklin Kitten, cousin of the bridegroom. Acolytes were Edward Meurer, cousin of the bride, and Kenneth Kitten, cousin of the groom.

Juanita Schwertner was flower girl. She is a niece of the bridegroom. Doyle Buxkemper, cousin of the bride, was ring bearer.

Organists were Misses Charlene Kitten, Diana Schuette and Joan Bednarz. Members of St. Joseph's Catholic Church presented vocal music.

A reception was given in the parish hall.

After a wedding trip to Dallas, the couple will live at Rt. 1, Slaton where the bridegroom is engaged in farming. He is a graduate of Slaton High School. His bride graduated from Wilson High School and is now employed by Citizen's State Bank in Slaton.

Mrs. Schilling traveled in a green suit with brown accessories and an orchid corsage.

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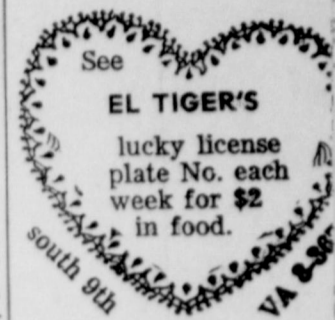
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### Wedding Is Planned For Dec.

A December wedding is being planned by Miss Dorothy Kay Heaton and James Clinton Morgan. Plans of their daughter's approaching marriage are Mrs. C. L. Heaton. Morgan is being announced by Mr. and

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Miss Heaton, a former Tech student, is attending Ughon's Business College. I fiance, an August graduate Tech, is employed by the C of Fort Worth as administrative aide to the chief of police.



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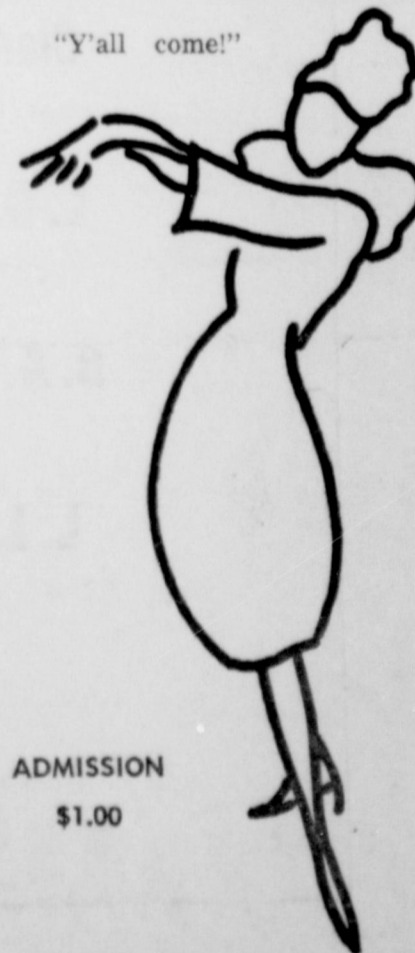
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### FACTS

Most of us appreciate our good fortune in living in Slaton Community, which offers us so many advantages over less fortunate locations.

We have a good climate, good farm lands, a well run hospital, fine churches of almost all faiths, well run accredited schools, a steady payroll from the Santa Fe Railroad, progressive merchants and numerous recreation facilities, such as picnic grounds, swimming pool, tennis courts and several ball parks for youngsters.

We are located almost on the outskirts of one of the countries most modern and progressive cities, which furnishes employment for literally hundreds of our citizens. This same proximity also makes available to us all the facilities of the city, such as wholesale distributors, commodity markets, their fine parks and shopping centers, a large university, Southwest Conference Sports and water sports at Buffalo.

Our town is known as a high salaried town, due no doubt to standards set by the Railroad, as compared to other small towns, and yet our merchants sell as a whole below the prices in other small towns, this due to necessity in combating competitive prices offered in the nearby city.

However, our most important asset is the quality of our people. We have the very highest type of farmers, the steadiest and best quality salaried people, a good solid Bank, progressive merchants and professional men and the ideal location for both retired couples and young people raising families.

We also have a truly democratic form of government, the kind that has been in effect in our country since 1776, and for which we have successfully fought several wars.

The men who are charged with running the business affairs of our community are elected by the citizens every year, elections in which every man or woman who is of age, has lived here the proper time and paid the poll tax is not only allowed to vote, but is urged to vote

### OUR DUTY

We have been, or should have been, elected to temporarily handle the business of this community by the majority of the citizens. We consider this a trust and, as has been done by most of our predecessors, intend to do what we think is best for the majority of the people. This is our duty.

There is only a certain amount of income, for which there are more demands than supply. There are certain bond obligations, some voted back forty years ago, that have to be met. We must allocate the funds, first to meet these obligations and then to pay for current services which are necessary to the safety and convenience of our citizens. This is our duty.

We do not think we know all the answers, nor do we think we are infallible. But, we are the ones charged with this responsibility, and must use our own judgment. This is our duty.

We hold regular meetings to transact your business, and you not only have every right to attend these meetings when you have either advice or complaints, but are urged to do so. However, there is usually a lot of business to attend to in a short time and we must of necessity operate on some sort of schedule. Therefore, we will ask that if a group calls, you appoint a spokesman before calling and call ahead of time for a place on the schedule. Our secretaries will be instructed to make these arrangements. We agree to consider suggestions, and investigate complaints. This is our duty.

We realize there are several major problems facing us. One of them is the need of a re-appraisal of property valuations for taxes in order to keep them allocated equitably. This will be a never ending job, as values constantly change. Another is some arrangement for a long term water supply. This is a major problem, and one which the voters will have to decide, but we have to furnish the information. Another is the constantly growing demand for classroom space, in order to meet the State specifications. We are working on these and others. This is our duty.

We do not agree to have our meetings broken up by haranguing and bickering, which accomplishes no purpose but only causes hard feelings. This is not our duty.

### YOUR DUTY

It is your duty as a citizen to vote in every election, both local and national. In this way, the men charged with handling business will be chosen by the majority. This is your duty.

After you have chosen some one to handle your affairs, you should give them a chance to do so. You thought they were capable, or you would not have elected them. Do not listen to or believe false rumors, come and ask, either at regular meetings or to any one of us privately. This is your duty.

Do not sign crippling petitions, or petitions which you do not understand, just to be a good fellow or to get rid of the one passing it. Investigate thoroughly first, ask the ones you elected to explain. A lot of noise can be made by a loud and irresponsible minority. Allowing them to run your business against the wishes of the ones you elected is government by minority and not by majority. This is your duty.

If they do not handle your business satisfactorily, there is an election every year for replacement of these officials. In the case of the City you can change the entire group in two years, and in the school you can do the same thing in three years. Change them up as provided by law, and put in people you think are better qualified. This is your duty.

As citizens, we beg you to realize that you have every right to your opinions and beliefs, but that the other fellow does also. In an election, you should vote as you feel, and so should the other fellow. There have been rumors of more petitions and even of boycotts. An unfounded rumor is bad, but a boycott is vicious. An organized boycott is illegal. But the worst result is hard feeling between our citizens and detrimental effects on our community. Let us give the other fellow the same right that we want, to think and vote as he sees. This is your duty.

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**Doreas Class Of First Baptist Holds Installation Of Officers**

The Doreas Class of the First Baptist Church held installation of officers in the home of Mrs. R. Bain, Thursday, October 13, at 7:00 p.m. Mrs. Dudley Berry was co-hostess.

Mrs. Berry, president, presided over a short business meeting. Then Mrs. Fred Stevens opened the meeting with a prayer. Mrs. Shaw installed the new officers. They were Mesdames: Raymond Smoot, teacher; Sam Wilson, president; Lois Rogers, vice-president; H. E. Woods, secretary-treasurer; T. E. McClanahan, devotional; C. R. Bain, reporter; Ernest Carroll, S. T. Brunson, C. R. Bain, and Dudley Berry, group captains; Mrs. Raymond Smoot,

Mrs. Sam Wilson, Mrs. T. E. McClanahan were elected to serve on the year book committee.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. H. E. Woods, Mrs. Lois Rogers, Mrs. Sam Wilson, Mrs. Dudley Berry, Mrs. Ernest Carroll, Mrs. Carl Sartain, Mrs. S. T. Brunson, Mrs. Edgar Mosley, Mrs. L. M. Connor, Mrs. Boyd Meeks, Mrs. Clifford Young, and Mrs. C. R. Bain. There were two visitors present, Mrs. Fred Stevens and Mrs. Clyde Shaw.

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**Posey Ladies Aid Society Has Meeting**

The Posey Ladies' Aid Society met at the educational building on Thursday afternoon, October 6, with Mrs. Roy Smitherman as hostess.

Eleven members and one visitor, Mrs. Chas. Tschler, were present.

Various individuals led in prayer and Rev. F. A. Wittig gave the Bible Study based on the Gospel of Mark 15:16-20. The whole group joined in the service of thanksgiving at the ingathering of the Thankoffering boxes.

**Schneider Is Named Wilson FHA Sweetheart**

WILSON—In a recent meeting of the Wilson FHA, Leroy Schneider, son of Mr. and Mrs.

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**Rose Show Set In Lubbock This Saturday**

The first annual Rose Society Rose Show will be held in the Lubbock Garden and Art Center, Lubbock, Saturday and Sunday, October 15 and 16, 1960. All amateur rose growers are invited to participate in this show. Entries must be at the Center, 42nd and College Avenue, between 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. on Saturday, October 15.

There will be 4 different classes for Hybrid Tea Roses; 4 different classes for Floribunda Roses; 4 different classes for Grandiflora Roses; one class for climbers and one miscellaneous class. In the artistic division there will be 5 different classes for flower arrangements.

There will be ribbons awarded to first, second and third and honorable mention if warranted in each class. In addition, there will be seven different rosettes offered and six different trophies.

The show is open to the public from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday.

A schedule of the show may be obtained by calling SHERWOOD 4-3272 or SWIFT 5-3390 in Lubbock.

Herman Schneider, was elected Chapter Sweetheart. Leroy is a junior in high school and a captain of the football team.

Sharon Lunden was elected to run for district office and Jane Schneider was elected to run for area office. The district meeting is to be held in Seminole on October 29.

The annual Mother and Daughter Banquet will be held October 31, in the cafeteria.

**Athenians Have Annual Guest Night**

The Athenian Study Club met October 4 for their annual guest night in the home of Mrs. Phillips Lemon with Mrs. Winona Brewer as co-hostess.

Mrs. Mary Stell presented Mr. Luis Fernando Meyer, a Texas Tech senior civil engineering major from Paragua, South America, who gave a most interesting and enjoyable program about his country.

Guests and members attending were: Miss Kay Stell, Mrs. Mildred Mitchell, Mrs. Judge Smith, Mrs. Elizabeth Rose, Mrs. Donald Jones, Mrs. Davis Herring, Mrs. Maebelle Kearn, Mrs. Mariam Chaddock, Mrs. Charlene Davis, Mrs. Cleo Langham, Mrs. Bernice Harlan, Mrs. Peggy May, Mrs. Cleo Reasoner, Mrs. Ella Mae Hall, Mrs. Carolyn Davis, Mrs. Virginia Bellows, Mrs. Elizabeth Clark, Mrs. Mary Stell, Mrs. Winona Brewer, Mrs. Phillips Lemon and Mrs. Mary Grace Privett.



**GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY WILL BE OBSERVED BY COUPLE**

The 50th Golden Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Wells Sr., 425 E. Lubbock St. will be observed Sunday afternoon, October 16, at the Slaton Club House.

Hosts and hostesses for the occasion will be the couple's daughters: Mesdames Clarence Taylor, Ravenna, Texas; and

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Mrs. Wells is the former Dolie Gamble. The couple were married at Savoy, Texas, on October 12, 1910. They moved to Ropesville in 1923 and later moved to Slaton where they lived since 1928. Mr. Wells retired Justice of the Peace. They attend the Church of Christ.

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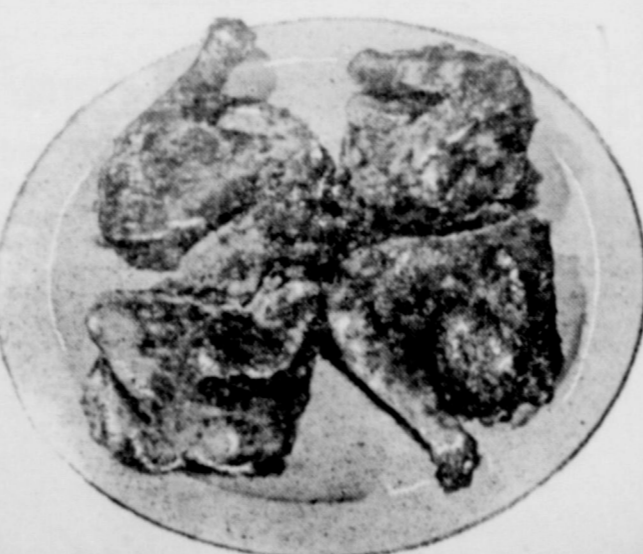
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## Local Women Attend District WSCS Meeting Held In Lubbock

The District Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met in Asbury Methodist Church, Lubbock, Wednesday, October 5.

"Heritage and Destiny" was the theme for the meeting, which was conducted by Mrs. J. P. Elms, district president. District leaders who had served within the past twenty years were honored. Members who had served in other districts, as well as Oklahoma and Hawaii, were recognized.

Mrs. Cecil Mathews, past vice-president of the Northwest Texas Conference of the WSCS, discussed, "Our Heritage."

"Youth speaks to Destiny" was the topic of talks given by Ruth Latch and Russell Denison Jr., who had attended the South Central Jurisdiction Missionary Conference at Mt. Sequoyah this past summer.

An offering, wrapped as a birthday gift from each society, was presented for Methodist Conference daughters, who are serving from this district.

A talk, "Destiny Calls to Youth," was followed by a skit, entitled, "Twenty-Year-Old Debutante."

Following a noon luncheon in Fellowship Hall, Mrs. Elms served a birthday cake, which she had made and decorated with the WSCS emblem and lighted candles, to the 200 members present.

Former District officers from Slaton who were honored were: Mesdames Martin Collins, Douglas Wilson, Bill Layne, George Culwell and Ray Farley, who is now serving.

Other local society members present were Mesdames A. E. Whitehead, Rollo Davidson, E. R. Legg, C. A. Womack, H. T. Scurlock and one guest, Mrs. Martin of Kansas City, mother of Mrs. Collins.

The local society met Monday, October 10, in the chapel. Mrs.

## Slaton Woman Is Winner In National Contest

Mrs. Raymond Buxkemper, Route 2, Slaton, was recently notified by Dr. Pepper Company, Dallas, that she was included among 1,000 winners in the company's recently completed nationwide Diamond Doorknob contest. She will receive a Columbian Sportsmaster Picnic Set.

The contest ended August 31 and brought considerable national attention because of its unique grand prize, a doorknob of special design encrusted with 50 small diamonds and a huge two-carat, blue-white diamond mounted in its center. As the grand award the diamond doorknob will be attached to a \$25,000 Swift Home having a family-size Refinite-Sheldon swimming pool in its backyard and a new Rambler station wagon in its driveway. A total of 1,000 prizes are being awarded.

An official of the national soft drink company said the Diamond Doorknob contest was a part of a year-long celebration during 1960 in observance of the firm's 75th Anniversary. Entrants in the contest were asked to complete the sentence, "I want Dr. Pepper's Diamond Jubilee Doorknob because..." on a card accompanying each carton of Dr. Pepper during the period of the contest.

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## Past Student Body Prexys Recalled

What has become of our past Student Body Presidents? This question has been asked many times by the students of Slaton High School.

Rollo Davidson gave the area of work and showed a film strip on "The World Federation of Methodist Women."

Mrs. H. W. Jeter gave the devotional and presented a program and slides, from personal friends of hers in Puerto Rico.

The Society will meet in Circles Monday, October 17, at 3 p.m., as follows: India with Mrs. W. W. Stanley; Africa, with Mrs. Fred Tudor; Mexico with Mrs. S. H. Adams.

The Cuba Circle will meet Wednesday, October 19, with Mrs. Jack Berkley at 4 p.m.

Buddy Scaton, President Student Body 1955-1956, attended Tarleton Junior College, then later he attended Texas State. He is now a Lt. in the Army.

President 1956-1957, Tom McLanahan, attended Tarleton Junior College two years, then now working in the engineering department of the Santa Fe.

Miss Martha McCormick, president as Student Body 1957-1958, attended Draughton's Business College, approximately 6 months.

In May she became Mrs. Jock, Haddock is now employed at Payne's Clinic.

Jerry "Red" Allen, President 1958-1959, is now married to Miss Vicki Kirksey, attending Texas Tech who is majoring in agriculture.

Don Edwards is now a student for 1960-61.

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