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Farmers Hit \$75 Million Hurdle With Cotton Plea

The main purpose of the committee's trip was to urge that the one-cent per-pound cut be restored. The Department of Agriculture has announced the drop of cotton supports from 30 cents a pound, middling -one-inch, in 1964 to 29 cents a pound in 1965.

Congressman George Mahon arranged for the group to have extensive discussions with Vice President Humphrey, Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman, Under Secretary of Agriculture Charles Murphy, Representative Bob Poage, vice chairman of the House Committee on Agriculture, Representative Jamie Whitten, chairman of the subcommittee on Agriculture Appropriations, and other officials.

"I think I have never seen a group from our District receive a better reception from government officials, nor have I ever seen a group do a better job in stating its case," Mahon said after participating in the meetings with the committee.

Officials explained to the group that to eliminate the one-cent cut would cost the government 75 million dollars which had not been included in the

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Snow Leaves Little Moisture

Two cold fronts moved through the Slaton area the past week, both leaving a little snow but hardly enough moisture to record.

And the 30-day forecast for the South Plains area is not too encouraging.

The forecast calls for above-normal rainfall for this usually-dry month, but still not more than an inch in most places. Temperatures are predicted to be below normal, and frequent dust storms are probable.

The weather forecast was issued by the Weather Bureau Agricultural Advisory Office at the Research and Extension Center in Lubbock.

Jefferson Rites Held Thursday

Funeral services for Mrs. Charlotte Jefferson, 71, were read Thursday at 2 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Slaton. Rev. Dr. Charles Woods, pastor, officiated, and graveside services were held at 10 a.m. Friday in Oakwood Cemetery in Corsicans under direction of Williams Funeral Home.

Mrs. Jefferson is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Wayne Liles of Slaton; one son, Joe M. Jr., of Lubbock; two grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

The family requested that memorials be sent to the First Baptist Church memorial fund.

COUNTY SHOWS BIG INCREASE

Retail Sales On Boom

Lubbock County's 1,566 retail establishments had \$289.3 million in sales in 1963, an increase of 35 percent from 1958, the U.S. Bureau of Census has just reported after tabulating data gathered from all firms in the 1963 census of business.

The growth of retail sales in Lubbock County was at a rate almost double that of the state since 1958. The statewide increase amounted to only 18 percent, compared to 35 for Lubbock County.

The latest previous business census conducted by the bureau, an agency of the U.S. Department of Commerce, was in 1958.

Retail trade in the county meant jobs (not counting owners) for 9,921 men and women and a yearly payroll of \$32.5 million.

In volume of business the county's food stores had sales of \$54.8 million—an increase of 35 percent from 1958, in other retail business—the county's eating and drinking places had sales of \$13.5 million; gasoline service stations had sales of \$19.2 million. Auto dealers and related retail trade establishments had

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For the state as a whole, the Census Bureau reported 96,406 retail establishments with sales of \$12,715.4 million, up 18 percent from 1958.

Census reports to be issued during the next few months will give state and county figures on wholesale and service trades, manufacturing and mineral industries.

WEATHER

	LOW	HIGH
Feb. 25	18	65
Feb. 26	27	73
Feb. 27	36	82
Feb. 28	51	76
March 1	24	34
March 2	20	31
March 3	18	45

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WILSON NEWS

BY MRS. TED MELUGIN

School students were dismissed early Thursday and Friday, due to the volleyball tournament and grading of six-week tests. The Wilson Outsider's Volleyball Tournament began Thursday, and was a success with trophies given Saturday after the final game. Wilson teams that participated were "Busy Bees", "Wilson Exes," "Wilson Garage", "Wilson Knock-outs", Wilson Coach, Larry Brown. Teams winning trophies were: First place: women division, Wilson knock-outs; mens division, New Home Butane; second place: Women; Ivy Leagues; Mens; Jerry Brown's team; Consolation trophies: Women's division, Post Toasties, Men's division, Armo Techans.

CONGRATULATIONS TO NEWLY WEDS

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Bishop were married Friday, Feb. 19th, 7 p.m. in the Wilson Baptist Church, with Rev. H. F. Scott officiating. A reception followed the ceremony in the Fellowship Hall of the Church. Mrs. Bishop is the former Elaine Christopher and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Christopher, Wilson. Bishop is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bishop, Wilson. The couple both attended WHS and are residing in Lubbock, where Mr. Bishop is employed by Service Machinery Company.

SENIORS HONORED
Monday, Feb. 22, the Wilson seniors were honored with a banquet given in St. John's Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall.

LOCALS
Mr. and Mrs. Anton Ahrens and son, Edgar, had as visitors this past week Mr. and Mrs. David McClain, Sharon and Davie McClain of Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Ahrens of Lubbock and Henry Ahrens of Cotton Center. Arlen Long of Slaton, R.R. Dreyer, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Gumm and John T., Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Gardner, Carla Jean and Dennis of Olton.

Mrs. Ted Melugin and mother-in-law, Mrs. Mae Melugin, visited in Lubbock last Wednesday with Mrs. Melugin's little niece and nephew, Dana Jo and Andy Holt.

Edwin Martin's dad, Archie Martin of Hillsburg, California and brother-in-law, Mr. Robert Eckels visited in the Edwin Martin home several days and with relatives in Slaton. Eddie Williams surprised his parents Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Williams with a visit last weekend. Eddie is a junior at Sul Ross College in Alpine.

The friends of Mrs. Pat Swann are very happy to know that she is home and feeling fine, after such a long confinement in the Methodist Hospital and undergoing surgery recently. Troy Melugin was the lucky recipient Thursday of a German Shepherd puppy by calling the Slaton radio station.

Mrs. Katie Nieman had as visitors Sunday, Mrs. John Maeker, and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nieman.

BABY ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Maeker of Lubbock are the proud par-



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ents of a boy, their first baby, Jeffrey Curtis, born Thursday Feb. 18th, weight 5 pounds 15 ozs. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C.F. Wise of Cooper. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Maeker of Wilson.

This is Texas Public School Week.

There are several students in Wilson Schools out with the mumps.

Sunday, members of the First Baptist Church enjoyed a fellowship luncheon served on the grounds following service. Gifts were presented to Rev. H.F. Scott, his wife, and son Mark. Rev. Scott served as pastor in Wilson for the past nine years and has accepted pastorate of the First Baptist Church in Seagraves, which became effective March 1. During Rev. Scott's pastorate in Wilson, a new educational building, par-

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Patients in the Slaton Mercy Hospital are Mrs. Ira Clary and also Mrs. Floyd Wilson. We wish them a speedy recovery.

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Mrs. J.W. Lamb had as visitors over the weekend, her granddaughter of Lubbock, Mrs. J.D. Fortner and boys, Ronny, Brian and Terry. Mr. Fortner is serving in the naval reserve. Mrs. Lamb's daughter and husband also visited Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Onas Ray, of Slaton.

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Wilson FFA In Show Spotlight

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Making the trip to San Antonio from Wilson were Johnny Scott, Mike Coleman, David Kossian, Jimmy Koenig, David Tucker, Dennis Moore, Delbert McKlesky, and their vocational agriculture teacher, Bobby Lee. The Co-op Gin of Wilson furnished the truck for hauling the stock to San Antonio.

Lone Star Brewing Co. chased the prize of two Wilson exhibitors. David Tucker won the reserve champion of other Pure Bred Show; and Delbert Moore who showed the Hampshire.

Bobby Lee exhibited and second light weight China barrow in the Lee Moore exhibition. The Poland China honors at the show. Following is a list of Wilson winners: Poland China, champion, weighing \$200.00 4, Jerry 6, David Tucker; 12, Jerry Bourne; Middleweight, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

President's budget. It was also pointed out by key members of Congress that it would be most difficult to secure approval in the House of an additional 75 million dollars for cotton, especially without a request from the Department of Agriculture and the Bureau of the Budget.

Last year's cotton support program required government expenditures in excess of 850 million dollars. Congressman Mahon pointed out that there probably was not a 50-50 chance to get the additional 75 million dollars required for the restoration of the 30-cent support price, but he pledged to continue to do everything he could to be of assistance, realizing that the impact of the reduction in the support price last year, plus an additional reduction this year, would make it difficult and in some cases impossible to carry out a successful cotton farming operation in 1965.

Mahon stated that there will be full agreement on the point that one of the major difficulties confronting cotton farmers is the fact that while the support price on cotton is going down, the cost of production is going up, and the farm labor situation is getting more difficult every year.

While the group came to Washington for the purpose of discussing the one-cent price drop, much time was devoted to discussions of what should be done at this session of Congress about new cotton legislation. Such legislation is required, as the present law expires at the end of this year.

Mahon said that he felt the group did an exceptionally good job in impressing on officials in Washington the urgent necessity for the maintenance of a healthy condition among commercial farmers who produce the great bulk of the food and fiber required by the nation. He pointed out that it is estimated that more than 90 percent of South Plains farmers would be classified as commercial farmers.

Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt Gentry and Mrs. Joe Johnson were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Johnson Sunday.

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Hughes Speaks To Athenians

Jim Hughes, KCAS radio station manager, presented the program for the Athenian Club when it met Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. Bruce Pember. Mrs. Bob Kern served as hostess for the meeting.

Hughes' speech was on communications, primarily in regard to TV and radio. He was introduced by Mrs. Clark Self Jr.

Members present answered roll call with a picturesque speech.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Ed Moseley, Joe Miles, R.C. Hall, Don Mitchell, Tommy Davis, M.G. Davis, Lee man Reasoner, Harley Martin, Surman Clark, Dick Hartman, Jim Hughes, Joe Fondy, George Harlan, Self, Kern and Pember, and to Mr. Hughes.

MEETING CALLED

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen will meet this morning at 10 a.m. in the American Legion Hall. All members are urged to attend.

Nurses Attend Area Meeting

Attending the Professional Nurses Conference in Lubbock recently were Mrs. Grace Dodson, school nurse, and Mrs. Augusta Blum and Mrs. H.A. Bryant, nurses on the Mercy Hospital staff.

A number of well-known speakers presented a program on "Discovering Ourselves". The conference was sponsored by District 18, TNA in cooperation with the Lubbock Mental Health Association.



IN SPC SPIRIT CLUB--Two Slaton students have been named as officers in the newly organized "Flaming Spurs" at South Plains College in Levelland. Left to right are Mike Kitten of Slaton, secretary; Fred Blount of Plains, president, and Roy Kitten of Slaton, parliamentary. The club promotes school spirit.

Don Heinrich Has Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Heinrich entertained their son, Don, on his 13th birthday Sunday with a birthday dinner.

Helping him celebrate were Mr. and Mrs. O.J. Heinrich, Larry, Joyce, Glen, Mark, his brother, Thomas, and his two grandmothers.

Slaton Pair In New SPC Club

LEVELLAND (Special)—One of the most recent organizations at South Plains College here is the "Flaming Spurs."

It is a service organization with a prime purpose to promote school spirit.

Members participating in pep rallies, make posters, and take the initiative in promoting all school spirit.

At the organizational meeting, Fred Blount, Plains, was elected president; Jimmy Vandlingham, Sunray, vice president; Roy Kitten, Slaton, secretary; Pat Robbins, Littlefield, treasurer; and Mike Kitten, Slaton, parliamentary.

Members wear uniforms at pep rallies and all basketball games. Included in the uniforms are bright orange ties, blue satin jackets with white trim, carrying out the college colors of blue and orange with white. A flaming spur is applied on back of the jacket.

To become a "Flaming Spur," students must meet the qualifications of South Plains College. Names go through a screening committee before they are accepted for membership. The club has twenty-five charter members. Royce Waltrip is faculty sponsor.

Police Record Two Mishaps

City police were investigating several thefts this week, after making nine arrests over the weekend, and two auto accidents were recorded Tuesday.

Bob Talley of Slaton sustained minor injuries in one of the accidents—a one-car turnover at Railroad Ave. and 5th St. Tuesday at 12:45 p.m. Police said the driver, Jeannie Lawrence of Lubbock lost control of the car and it hit a telephone pole and flipped over.

The other traffic accident was a minor crash at 9th and Lynn. Drivers were Oscar Wendel of 630 S. 9th and Clyde Evans of Rt. 1, Slaton.

A break-in was reported at a house on 400 E. Floyd, and three tires were reported stolen from 1095 S. 15th St. Two locks were reported stolen from a pickup at 1020 S. 20th St. Vandals broke windows in a house at 200 S. 7th St.



SUCCESSFUL OPEN HOUSE--Slaton's newest business, Kitten-Moseley Fertilizer and Supply Inc., enjoyed a big turnout of farmers and residents Saturday during its open house. Films were shown on the soil fertility program during the day, and coffee, cold drinks and donuts were served. Nestor Kitten, right, one of the owners of the new business, is shown talking to one of the visitors, Casey Jones. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

GRAND CONTRIBUTION--Mrs. Connie Locke, chairman of the Heart Fund Drive, is shown accepting a generous contribution to the drive from H.B. (Harvey) Griffith, president of Lubbock County Beverage Association. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

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What's to be done about our noisy society? Many industrialists have already taken steps to sound-proof work area in noisy factories and issue ear plugs or earmuffs to workers.

The rest of us who are plagued by the day-to-day noises of a busy world and family can do something, too.

If you plan to build or buy a home soon, check with the contractor, he'll be able to offer suggestions to cut down on noisiness in your home.

If you are already settled in your home, remember the noise problem if you make any additions or changes.

One simple step costs nothing and can be used in almost every home to combat the noise problem. Set aside a room or an area as a "quiet place." Study your house or apartment to see which part of it can most easily be cut off from the majority of noise. Put your TV, stereo and other noise-makers in the opposite room or apartment in the opposite room.

Such a quiet place won't completely solve the ever-growing problem of noise, but it will go far toward cutting down on family tension and giving the ears

Wilson Trustee Election Called

WILSON (SC)--Wilson school district's trustee election has been called officially for Saturday, April 3. The final date for filing for the three vacancies on the board was March 3.

Terms of Loyd Mears, Walter Ray Steen, and Cecil Wied expire this year. Holdover members of the board are Edwin Maeker, chairman, Jiggs Swann, A.N. Crowson, and Jim Lane.

Supt. Leroy Scott's contract was extended two years in advance at an earlier meeting, and Principals M.L. Green and Tom Harkey received contract extensions at a later board meeting.

The value of jade found in the U.S. is about 15 times that of diamonds found here.

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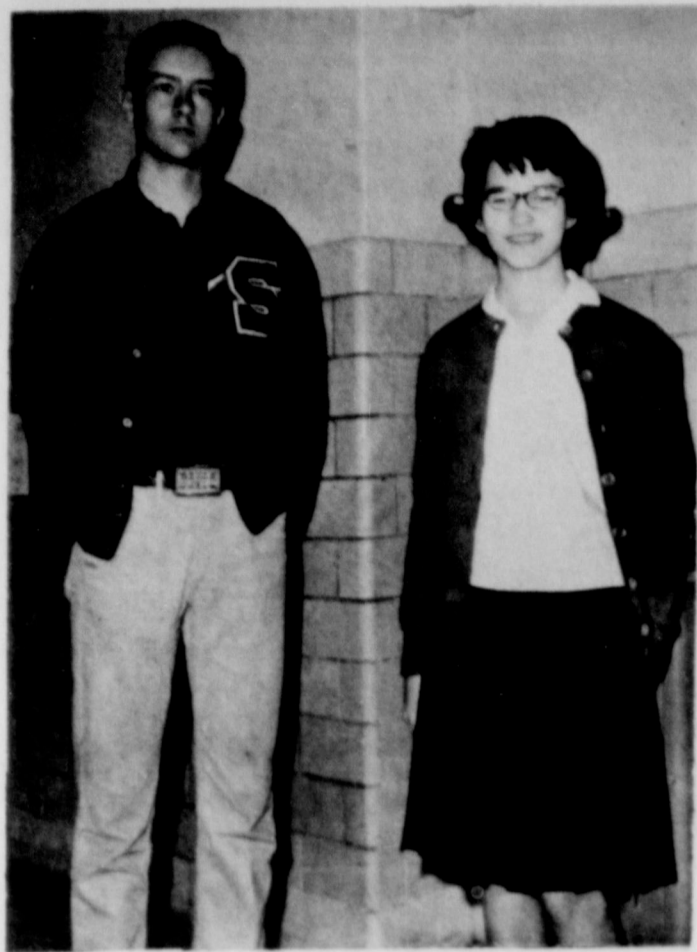
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FRESHMAN FAVORITES--Johnny Lankly and Dianne Jaynes were recently elected favorites of the SHS freshman class. They, along with other class favorites will be honored with a full page picture in the school annual. (SLATONITE PHOTO)



SOPHOMORE FAVORITES--David Tucker is shown opening the door for Sheryl Clark at Slaton High School. They are the newly elected class favorites for the sophomore class. (SLATONITE PHOTO)



JUNIOR FAVORITES--Vicki Roche and David Edwards, newly elected junior class favorites at Slaton High School are shown in the corridor at SHS in front of the famous "Tiger". (SLATONITE PHOTO)

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"OLD FRIENDS"

Old friends plans to be back in your Slatonite each week to give our readers the low down on ex-students. The ex-students association is again on the move. The executive committee met last Sunday afternoon to make tentative plans for the 1965 reunion. The reunion was set for the weekend of June 19.

It was decided that this reunion be dedicated to those teachers associated with our school during the years 1911 through 1920. President Bill Klattenhoff has been corresponding with several of these early day faculty members and a great deal of enthusiasm has been expressed.

Chairmen of several committees were named by Klattenhoff. They are Mrs. Jack Shepard and Mrs. Wade Thompson, registration; Harold Wilson and Fabian Stahl, dinner; T.A. Worley, Mrs. Pauline Scott and Mrs. Pauline Browning, nominating; Clark Self, Sr. and Tommy Davis, hospitality; and Bill Ball, publication.

This Sunday at 2 p.m. there will be a meeting of all officers, members of the executive committee and those persons listed above as committee chairmen in the committee

Slaton Junior In Tech Opera

LUBBOCK-- David Taylor, Texas Tech junior from Slaton has been named to the cast of Tech's University Theater production of Brecht-Weill's Tree penny Opera scheduled March 18-21.

The secondary education major will appear as one of the constables in the unusual musical play which introduced the character Macheath and the popular song, "Mack the Knife". A graduate of Slaton High School, Taylor is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M.L. Taylor, 350 S. 8th St.

This is the year for the class of 1930 to have their 35th year reunion. This class seems to be one of the closest classes of any in the entire organization. In 1950 when the group had their first get-to-gather since high school days they had 85 percent of the 67 members present. Each five years they have a reunion.

Dr. Joe E. Webb was seen in the crowd of Tigerette fans last Monday night in the Plainview High School gym. Webb was associated with the Slaton school in the 1930's as and early 40's. He has made his home in Plainview the past 20 years.

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Here is an emergency situation. Suppose at high speed your right wheels should drop off a pavement that has a low or rough shoulder. What would you do?

Here is what the defensive driver would do. Avoid any quick movements of controls and especially do not attempt to jerk your car back onto the pavement. Maintain control straight ahead and reduce speed, driving to the right just enough to straddle the pavement edge.

When your speed is slow enough and there is no vehicle meeting or overtaking close behind, turn back onto the pavement at a place that is not too rough. If you cut back before you slow down you may overshoot your traffic lane and you may turn over trying to recover control.

If a vehicle is meeting you, you may cause a head-on collision or cause the other driver to turn over trying to avoid you. If you are on a four-lane road, you might overshoot the first lane and strike a vehicle in the inside lane.

Cutting the wheels at an angle to a pavement edge which is higher than the shoulder enables your wheels to roll up on the pavement without hanging on the edge of the pavement. If the shoulders are low and rough as far ahead as you can see, reduce your speed to approximately 10 miles per hour, shift to second gear, clear traffic and ease back over the pavement edge slowly.

If traffic is heavy or a driver is so close behind you that he may start to overtake and pass you, you should slow down and drive off the pavement. When traffic is clear, make a normal entry onto the road.

Expressway Gets Okay In County

AUSTIN-- Preparation of plans for the construction of an expressway facility on U.S. Highway 87 in Lubbock County was authorized Feb. 26 by the Texas Highway Commission.

The section of U.S. 87 included in the project extends from one mile south of Abernathy south of Monroe Overpass, a distance of eight miles. Cost of construction was estimated at \$2,109,000 by the Texas Highway Department.

The Commission instructed the State Highway Engineer to submit the project for finance consideration as soon as plans are complete.

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SOUTHLAND NEWS

MRS. EDMUND WILKE



"WEDDING SPELLS"—is the name of the play to be presented tonight in the Southland High School auditorium at 7:30. The play is a comedy put on by the senior class, Mrs. Irene Kuykendall, English and Spanish teacher, is director of the play. Pictured in the cast are left to right, seated Beverly Stolle, Margaret Espinosa, Barbara Mock, Dahlonna Winterrowd, and Lupe Salina; standing are Troy Lewis, Connie Wartes, Larry Wilke, Rod Callaway, Don Altman, Julia Cisneros, and Joe Hall. They extend an invitation to everyone. Admission is 50¢ for adults, 25¢ for children, and 75¢ for reserved seats. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

While there, a son, Billy Lancaster and family from Galveston came for a visit. On the way home, they went by Steven-ville to visit a nephew, Roy Lancaster, who attends John Tarlton College.

Mr. and Mrs. John East, former residents of near Southland have returned from Dublin, Texas where they attended the funeral of Mrs. East's father, Mr. Trice.

We are happy to report that Mr. and Mrs. Don Clary of Gordon has a new baby son. The young man made his grand entrance on the 3rd of February.

Mrs. J.F. Rackler has been on the sick list and some of her visitors were Mrs. Fred Scott and daughter, Iru, a daughter, Mrs. Claud Roper of Lubbock, and Nelda Roper from Lubbock.

Johnnie Haire was home from Sul Ross College for the weekend.

Mrs. Hawton Haire and daughter, Mrs. Bobby Conner, attended a wedding shower in Lubbock on Saturday for Mrs. Haire's grandson Randy and his new bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Letroy and family of Midland visited in the W.P. Lester home over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Rackler visited Martin Baily who is a patient in the Methodist Hospital.

Edmund dinner guests in the Edmund Wilke home, were Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Becker and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hampton and children, and Mr. and Mrs. R.M. McMin all of Slaton.

Mrs. Lee Mayberry and two boys visited in the home of her parents, the Maynard Olsons of Stamford, for a week

and a half. Mrs. Mayberry has been ill for several weeks, but is feeling better now. Perhaps some of you Southland people don't know the Mayberrys. They are a young couple that live in Mrs. Emma Becker's house two miles northwest of Southland. Lee works for the Santa Fe.

Little Terri Lester, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Winston Lester, had leg surgery at Methodist Hospital last Tuesday and we are happy to report that she is doing very well. She is at home now and will have her leg in a cast for at least six weeks. But from what I understand, she doesn't let that cast keep her from getting around. If someone of the family wants to help her around she politely says no and gets around by herself. She is a darling little girl and we wish for her a speedy recovery. Brenda Mason, a sister of Mrs. Doris Lester, was a patient in West Texas Hospital of Lubbock for several days. Doris's mother has also been very busy being a nurse along with all her other activities.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pennell and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Callaway of Southland and Miss Margie Harrison of Post, attended a basketball game in Lubbock Saturday night which was played at the J.T. Hutchinson gym. Don Harley, the Pennell's son works for the Hobbs tralor Company of Lubbock, and they have a team in the City League. They didn't win first place but did place second in the Industrial and City League.

Kenneth (Chuck) and Libbie Stahl and two children are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wartes. Kenneth is serving with Uncle Sam's armed forces and he is going to Turkey March 29 for 18 months. Libby and the two children are going to make their home in Slaton or Lubbock while he is

gone. I was sorry to read in the Lubbock paper that Mrs. Minnie Bartlett died Saturday in Methodist. She used to be a resident of Garza County. Among some of the people from here that attended the funeral Monday at the Calvary Baptist Church of Lubbock, were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Stolle and Roy Stolle.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence King have been to Newcastle to visit Mrs. King's father, who is very ill. Lawrence will be going back to stay awhile with his father-in-law.

For a small church, the Methodist Church of Southland is a busy one. Seems like there is always something going on over there. Sunday night they had a family night with each family bringing a covered dish for supper. This was followed with an official board meeting.

A special film was shown to the congregation and the title of it was "Conversion Plus." The film was about a young couple and how their conversion took place. Every Sunday evening at 5:30 the young people of the church and their friends and relatives meet for recreation and worship. They have each Sunday planned with different devotions and programs. This Sunday a program will be given by Beverly Stolle on "The Roman Catholic Church." A revival will start on March 28 and end April 4th, with Rev. Raymond Riley, of the Epworth Methodist Church of Abilene, conducting the services. Pastor Cooper and his wife are a young couple and they have three lovely children. They are so very friendly and are always doing something to help someone in this community. All of the young people, as well as the older ones, like them a lot.

Church attendance Sunday was 30, Sunday School, 35; Youth 11; and Sunday night, 22.

Area Newspapers Saluted By Texas Senate

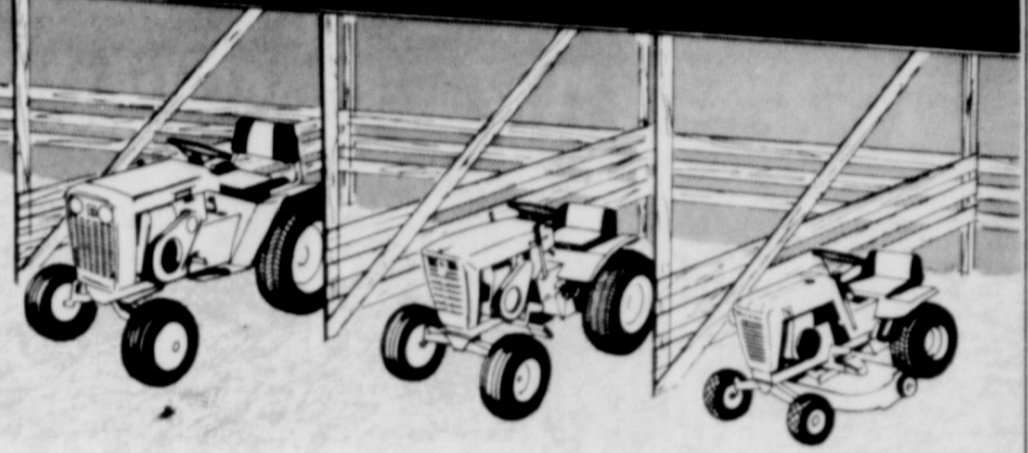
A number of area newspapers, including The Slaton Slatonite, have been saluted for public service in Senate Resolution No. 79, adopted Feb. 8, 1965. The resolution was authored by State Sen. H.J. (Doc) Blanchard of Lubbock. A copy of the resolution, complete with state seal and the signature of L.L. Gov. Preston Smith, president

of the senate, was received this week. The resolution states in part: "Whereas, Texas journalists, like Texas statesmen, have gained national recognition in representing to the ultimate the best interests of all the people; and "Whereas, certain members of the staff of the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal newspaper have been cited by the Headliners Club of Texas with distinguished awards for exceptional talent; and "Whereas, in this crisis-age, it behooves all Texans to recognize the serious tasks and need for dedication in the men and women who are concerned with our receiving full know-

ledge of local, state, and national events... resolved that the Texas Senate salute these institutions with all due respect and deep regard for their public service." Eighteen other area papers were listed along with the Lubbock newspaper. A prescription for sulphur salve to treat granulated eyelids was found in the Ebers Papyrus, a famous Egyptian formulary dated about 1850 B.C. A variety of perennial cotton native in Africa grows in tree form to a height of 12 to 20 feet.

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Slaton Men In Minor Wrecks

Jim Benton Sr. and Hack Lasater were slightly injured in a freak accident Monday in Lubbock.

The pair were in Benton's car and were driving across some railroad tracks at a slow speed when the vehicle "dipped and caught one of the tracks."

Both men were thrown into the windshield, and Lasater's hat was left hanging in the broken glass after the accident. Neither of the Slaton men were hospitalized.

Two other Slaton men were involved in a one-car traffic mishap at Loop 289 and South east Drive in Lubbock Monday afternoon. Robert Gutierrez, 17 Rt. 2, Slaton, and Raymond Trevino, 17, Slaton were taken to Methodist Hospital following the accident. They were released following emergency treatment.

Mrs. Joe Teague, Jr. returned home last week from Dallas where she visited her daughter, Miss Myrtle Teague.

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The new criteria, which allows acceptance of young men who are unable to complete high school, will give a greater number of people the opportunity to become a member of the Aerospace Team.

Detailed information on the new enlistment opportunities, and the other many fine opportunities such as a college tuition assistance, offered to young men and women seeking to prepare themselves for the future may be obtained by contacting Sgt. Wall at the Lubbock recruiting office, or by calling PO2-3359 (collect) to arrange an appointment.



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- 8th-Edgar Williams-all receiving a tractor seat cushion.
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EDITOR'S CORNER

Are you one of those litterbugs that goes around leaving trash everywhere? At times the campus around Slaton High School has looked as though everyone in this school was a litterbug.

Papers are sometimes scattered all around the school. Of course, not all of these papers come from the students of our school but you and I know that most of them do. In the past, the janitor and sometimes the P.E. boys have helped to keep the campus clean, but you students have to carry your share of the load also.

Since there are trash cans in almost all parts of the school, you should at least have enough responsibility to put your old papers and candy and gum wrappers in them. Paper is often scattered all over the halls of classrooms and you should obey these rules that have been set for your own good. If you are one of those students who chews gum in class, which is also against the rules, you should put it in the trash cans after you get through with it instead of sticking it under the desks.

So far, candy and Coke machines have been allowed to stay in the halls, but if paper and coke bottles keep appearing everywhere instead of the trash cans, you may find that these machines may not be in the halls much longer.

So, instead of losing privileges that many schools don't have, obey the school rules so you will have a clean school of which you can always be proud.

Mrs. Martin Says Teaching Is Interesting

To most of the students at SHS an English teacher is just an English teacher.

But when we questioned Mrs. Martin, one of our English teachers, we found that this is untrue. According to Mrs. Elizabeth Martin, teachers can lead really interesting lives.

Mrs. Martin, who has taught for 26 years, has spent 11 of them right here at Slaton High School. She was born in Skidmore, Texas, and was graduated from Hermleigh High School. Mrs. Martin then attended East Texas State Teachers College and Texas Tech and received her teaching certificate.

Since that time, she has married, had three sons (two of whom are now teaching) and traveled to various parts of the United States.

We also discovered that English teachers do something besides teach. They also read and watch television. At least our Mrs. Martin does.

Eskimos carve figures from the ivory of walrus tusks.

The development of explosive for blasting and the use of steam to drive pumps mark the beginning of modern mining.



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Caging The Tigers



JAN REYNOLDS



DOUG HOLLEY



EMMA MARTINEZ

Another friendly face walking around the halls of SHS is Jan Reynolds. Jan arrived in the world Jan. 4, 1947, in Slaton.

Among the activities Jan took part in are D.E. and two years of choir. Some of Jan's favorites include: song, "The In Crowd"; actor, Jack Lemmon; actress, Lee Remick; movie, "Days of Wine and Roses"; food, Mexican food, Jan's spare time is riding around like every one else.

When asked what Jan's most embarrassing moment was, she replied: "I have too many and they probably wouldn't be allowed in the paper."

Jan's pet peeve is having to wait on someone. Her future plans are to go to nursing school.

Sundown Edges Tigerettes In Practice Game

The score was 43-42 in the game on Friday, Feb. 26, between the Slaton Tigerettes and the Sundown Buffettes.

The score with 15 seconds left to be played was 43-40 with Sundown in possession of the ball. Then the ball was stolen and a basket was made by Peggy Kirksey bringing the score to 43-42 as the buzzer sounded. High pointers for the game were Peggy Kirksey and Joan Claiborne, — each with 13 points.

Both teams had previously won their district titles and were preparing for their bi-district playoffs.

A boy who no one can miss going down the halls of SHS is Doug Holley. Doug was born in Lubbock on Jan. 26, 1947.

Among Doug's favorites are Mrs. Figley, teacher; his senior year, and subject, English. His favorite sport is basketball. Doug's favorite actor and actress are Sean Connery and Sandra Dee. His favorite song and singer are "It's Only Make Believe" and Roy Orbison.

Doug's pastime is riding around. Doug's most embarrassing moment was when Chuck Space almost gave the wrong girl a note. His future plans are to graduate and maybe go to South Plains.

His pet peeves are people who knock being short and a girl who shuts the door so you can't open it.

Doug's advice to freshmen is to study hard and mind your upper classmen.

One well-known, active student around SHS is Emma Martinez. She was born on Nov. 22, 1946, here in Slaton.

Her favorite include: color-blue, food-chicken fried steak, actor-Paul Newman, actress-Sandra Dee, song-"My Heart Belongs to Only You", by Bobby Venton. Her favorite teacher and subject, Mrs. Martin and English.

Emma's pastime is writing to Fred and listening to records and the radio. When asked of her most embarrassing moment, she replied: "I have had so many that I don't think I could remember one."

Emma's pet peeve is "people who rush me or tell me to hurry!" She advises freshmen to take all your harder subjects before you're a Senior.

After graduation she plans to attend Draughon's Business College and then who knows what!

How Many Panes In SHS

Do you like to wash windows?

We recently made a count of the window panes around SHS. Most of the teachers thought we were crazy but we finally found out. We asked these people how many window panes they thought we had counted. Here are the answers:

- Linda Dodson-390
- Carolyn Bradshaw-150
- Nancy Smith-73 (Nancy there are more windows than that in the A.G. shop!)
- Len Dodson- 657
- Larry Gamble- 399

Nicky Patterson-700
Mrs. Martin-500
Wayne Magum- 1601
Nicky Patterson was the closest because there are 720 panes in SHS. Congratulations Nicky, you now get to wash the windows but SMILE, it's only 3,168 sq. ft. of glass. If all the panes were in one I plate, it would only be 100 ft. long and 32 ft. wide.

In one of the city primary rooms, the teacher was telling the students about the various things on the farm, including the fact that chickens grow from tiny, fluffy chicks to fullgrown roosters and hens with lots of feathers. "That's odd," one lad commented, "our chickens don't have feathers—they have plastic bags on them."

Roselle, N.J., was the first town to have electric lights.

Hey, Man! How Many Miles On Your Wheel?

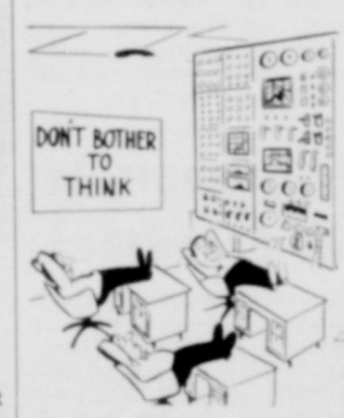
Recently a survey was taken concerning the mileage of the high school students' cars. Here were some of the results:

- Kyle Page-57,977
- Larry Smith- 19,135
- Connie Woods- 92,126
- Doug Holley- 74,232
- Nicky Patterson-2,551
- Sparky Stephens-21,408
- Johnny Hennington-29,677
- Ray Hampton-49,049
- David Jaynes- 9,237
- Larry Lemons-84,269
- Dean Hatchett-77,206
- McSween's- 29,126
- Steve Bruster- 89,799
- Jimmy Marriott-85,045
- Cindy Sherwood-61,601
- Larry Gamble- 39,431
- Bryon Johnson-918
- Bernard Wall-59

The least mileage checked was Bernard Wall with 59 miles but, I think it has already turned over once, so it doesn't count. Sorry, Bernie! Byron Johnson only had 918 miles. Connie Woods with 92,126 had the highest mileage. The highest mileage for a jeep was David Jaynes', since he has the only jeep at school.

Coming Events

- March 4-D.E. Convention at Houston
- March 5- Teachers Meeting
- March 6- Idalou Track Meet
- March 13- Abernathy track meet, Choral Contest
- March 12-Band Banquet 7:30
- March 17- Hootenanny
- March 18- FHA meeting 7:00
- March 19- Area FHA meeting at Lubbock
- March 20-Hale Center track meet
- March 23- Choral Banquet
- March 24- Play skits
- March 25- Student Council Meeting at Midland, Dress rehearsal for senior play
- March 26- Senior Play
- March 27-Springlake Track Meet
- March 29- Basketball Banquet
- March 30- One act Play at Denver City
- April 1- Choral 7 & 8 Cafeterium
- April 2- Band Contest
- April 3- Kress Track Meet



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SENIOR FAVORITES--Standing by the candy machine at Slaton High School are the newly elected senior class favorites. They are Larry Melcher and Judy Schwartz. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

CLASSES PICK FAVORITES

Each class at SHS elected class favorites last Wednesday by popular vote. The annual staff sponsors the election each year, and each class gets full page coverage in the annual. Those elected were

Larry Melcher and Judy Schwartz, senior favorites; David Edwards and Vicki Roche, junior favorites; David Tucker and Sheryl Clark, sophomore favorites; and Johnny Lankly and Dianne Jaynes, freshmen favorites.

STOP! THINK! OBSERVE SCHOOL TRAFFIC RULES

Are you guilty of fast driving? Are you courteous to the people walking? And do you observe the rules?

These rules I'm talking about are the school traffic laws and the BE Courteous rules. If you respect and observe these rules you are being a good citizen to your school.

Stop and think a while. Ask yourself this question: "Do I respect the rights of people and do I observe the school traffic laws?"

Now think about this. At noon when you are leaving for lunch do you drive carefully out the parking lot and do you

respect the rights of the people who are trying to go across the parking area? If so then you are being a good citizen to your school.

But this may not always be true. Most likely you are in such a rush to leave the school grounds that you don't even bother to look where you are going and this could cause an accident to occur. Or you zoom out without thinking that someone might try to get across, and you are driving so fast that you are unable to stop and you hit the person. This is sad but true and it just might happen one of these days. And it could be you.

It has happened here before, and if something isn't done by you and everyone else it might happen again.

The last time a tragic thing like that occurred the person who was hit was very lucky and wasn't too seriously hurt. But the next person may not be so lucky.

"What makes you think Junior will be in politics one day?" asked mother.

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Favorite Food Winners Named At Roosevelt

The Roosevelt Community 4-H Club held its annual favorite food show Tuesday of last week at the Roosevelt Club House.

Senior division winners who will compete in the Lubbock county food contest are Kathy Walters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walters; and Elaine Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Reynolds.

Top scorers among the juniors who will represent the club in county competition are Vickie Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Davis, meats; Kay Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Junior Jones, dairy; Carol Woolley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Woolley, fruit and vegetables; Carol Griffin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Griffin, bread and cereals.

Others receiving ribbons were Mary Harty, Earlene Savalli, Donna Griffin and Cindy Donnelly. Dishes prepared by the members were judged by Mrs. O.F. Kitten and Mrs. W.A. Steffens, both of Slaton 4-H Club. Mrs. Sam Sanders, assistant Lubbock County home demonstration agent, awarded the ribbons to the girls and introduced the visitors. Mrs. Roy Patterson, Lubbock County Home demonstration agent, and Mrs. Aubrey Russell, district home demonstration agent.

Elbert Johnson spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Ray of Dallas last week and then visited a cousin, Lucie Clopton, at Wichita Falls.

Vets Service Clinic Slated

A series of regional Rehabilitation Clinics for Veterans Service Officers will be held this spring throughout the state, and one is set for this area March 25-26 in Lubbock.

The Lubbock clinic will be conducted at American Legion Post 148 at 2412 Ave. Q. The two-day clinics are sponsored by the Veterans Affairs Commission of Texas in cooperation with the Texas Departments of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Disabled American Veterans.

The clinics serve as refresher training courses for Veterans County Officers, and for all post, chapter and barracks service officers.



2-16-65--Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cheak, Box 563, Slaton, boy, Edwin Stewart, 7lbs. 11 1/2 ozs.

2-24-65--Mr. and Mrs. Willie Owens, Jr., 1910 39th, Lubbock, boy, Willie Neal, 7lbs., 4 1/2 ozs.

2-26-65--Mr. and Mrs. David Martinez, Jr., Rt. 1 Box 78, Tahoka, boy, Randy Martinez, 6lbs. and 5 1/2 ozs.

3-1-65--Mr. and Mrs. Frank V. Vasquez, Box 12, Tahoka, boy, Robert Lee, 7lbs., 2 ozs.

3-2-65--Mr. and Mrs. Gary Lee Williams, 5023 35th Lubbock, boy, Johnny Lee, 9lbs. 6 1/2 ozs.



AT GRAND OPENING--Leo Massey, left, of 705 S. 7th, was among the many residents who visited White Auto's grand opening this week and signed up for one of the free prizes to be given away Saturday. Bill Clone, new White's owner-manager, greets Massey. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

SS Man Here On March 24

If you are over 65 and still working, you should consult your nearest social security office.

Have you read or heard the above advice before but then failed to follow up on it? If so, this article is for you.

Most people know that in order to collect social security benefits for each month in the year, they must limit their earnings to \$1200 for that year.

What many people do not seem to realize is that even if one is over 65 and still earning more than \$1200 a year, it is possible that some social security benefits can be paid.

Burial was in city of Lubbock Cemetery under direction of Franklin Bartley Funeral Home.

Mrs. Forbes died Saturday at Highland Hospital following an illness of several months. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include three daughters; a sister; three grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Forbes Services Held At Canyon

Services for Mrs. Cullen Curlee Forbes, 79, resident of the Canyon community since 1917, were held Monday at 4 p.m. at the Canyon Methodist Church. Rev. Cecil Tune, pastor, officiated, assisted by Rev. W.O. Donley of Acuff.

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Former Residents Have New Son

Mr. and Mrs. J.S. Adamson of Littleton, Colo., and former residents of Slaton, are the proud parents of a son Feb. 10.

Little Baird Joseph weighed in at 6lbs. 13ozs. Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Heinrich are God Parents of the new baby.

School Menu

MONDAY
Roast and gravy, whipped potatoes, green peas, hot rolls, butter and honey, 1/2 pt. milk.

TUESDAY
Fried chicken, green beans and potatoes, pickled beets, olives, lemon pie, 1/2 pt. milk.

WEDNESDAY
Barbecued wieners, pinto beans, buttered spinach, cheese sticks, pickles, cornbread, sugar cookies, 1/2 pt. milk.

THURSDAY
Salmon patties, macaroni and cheese, tossed salad, buttered carrots, cherry cobbler, 1/2 pt. milk.

FRIDAY
Hamburgers, with lettuce and tomato, fishsticks, tarter sauce buttered corn, chocolate pudding, 1/2 pt. milk.

Church Honors Wilson Pastor

The auditorium of the First Baptist Church of Wilson was filled to capacity Sunday with members and friends in honor of the pastor, Rev. H.F. Scott and family, for their services the past nine years in Wilson. Scott has accepted pastorate of the First Baptist Church at Seagraves, effective March 1.

Following the morning worship service, George Williamson, Sunday School superintendent, gave a brief report pertaining to Rev. Scott's ministry while at Wilson. While there, 194 were added to the church by baptism and 218 by letter. He performed 41 marriage ceremonies and conducted 45 funerals. More than \$80,000 was spent on new buildings including a new parsonage, educational building and Latin mission building.

The church presented the pastor and family with a beautiful silver service. Their son, Mark, was presented a gift of books from the church. A noon meal was served in the educational building and a period of fellowship followed.

On Sunday night, the pastor of the Methodist Church, Rev. W.O. Rucker, Jr., and his congregation attended the service.



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Slaton, Cooper Youths Win 4-H Foods Contest

A Slaton girl and a Cooper boy were Senior winners in the Lubbock County 4-H Favorite Foods Show in Lubbock Saturday. They are Cindy Steffens, 15, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Steffens, and Ronnie Schaffner, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Schaffner of Cooper.

Cindy and Ronnie were top winners in the Senior Division. They will represent the county group in the District 2 food show at Texas Tech on April 3.

In the junior division four separate groups had class or winners. These included Sharon Clark, Shallowater, bread and cereal; Nathan Griffin, Cooper, meat; Gayle McMeenamy, Shallowater, fruit and vegetables; and Teresa Butler, Idaho, milk.

Other blue ribbon winners

in the Senior Division included Cindy Cade, Cooper; and Joyce and Doris Kitten, both of Slaton.

Red ribbon Senior winners included Andy Watkins, Cooper; Kathy Walter and Elaine Cooper, both of Roosevelt; and Laverne Schwertner and Oleta Bednarz, both of Slaton.

The only white ribbon Senior winner was Carla Nesbitt, Slaton.

The winners in the Junior Division were:

BREAD AND CEREAL DIVISION
Blue Ribbons--Miss Cary Shallowater; and Carol Griffin, Roosevelt.
Red Ribbons--Cinda Harden, Cooper; and Debbie Janner, Idaho.
White Ribbons--Mike Vinson, Cooper; and Susan Kautch, Slaton.

MEAT DIVISION
Blue Ribbons--Griffin, Cooper; Vicki Davis, Roosevelt; Mark Dorsett, Cooper; Jan Kessiah, Shallowater; and Dee New, Fremont.
Red Ribbons--Linda Kahllich, Slaton; and Robert Harris, Lubbock.
White Ribbon--Ann Percuson, Idaho.

FRUIT AND VEGETABLE DIVISION
Blue Ribbons--Miss McMeenamy; Shallowater; Carol Woolley, Roosevelt; Debra Conner; and Ann Derratt, both of Cooper; and Lee Ann Odum, Friendship.
Red Ribbons--Deanna Butler, Idaho; Carline Lake, Mason; and Sherry Milton, Lubbock.
White Ribbons--None awarded.

Blue Ribbons--Miss Butler, Idaho; Linda Louder and Gary Schaffner, both of Cooper; Denise Merrill, Shallowater; and Kay Jones, Roosevelt.
Red Ribbon--Jay Wimmer, Slaton.
White Ribbons--None awarded.



"Man can control everything but a woman and a hurricane."

Survey Of Farm Pesticide Uses Will Be Made

A survey of pesticides used by farmers and how they are used, will be made in Lubbock County during February and March, according to Cary D. Palmer, state statistician, Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service.

Lubbock County is one of 400 counties in the U.S. included in a national study of farm uses of pesticides. The results will be used to help assess the economic impact of present and future uses of chemical control measures. This study, the first of its kind, is part of the USDA research program to develop more effective and safer pest control methods.

Farm operators living in selected areas of the county will be asked to report on the sprays and dusts used in 1964 against crop and livestock insects and for killing weeds. The survey will include questions on the materials used, costs and method of application, and other related farm characteristics.

Leon West of Lubbock will interview farmers in Lubbock County, starting this week. He will be working under the supervision of the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service.

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To Run In Idalou Meet

Senior track team coach Macon Saturday took the Idalou for the first time.

showing at Fort Stockton last week. Bobby Brake, a regional qualifier last season, heads up the potential point-makers for the Tiger team. Coach Macon has had only 28 boys trying for berths on the Slaton team. The Tigers will travel to Abernathy for another meet on March 13.

Peace Corps Tests Slated

An opportunity for Lubbock area residents to test their aptitudes for Peace Corps service will come at 8:30 a.m., Saturday, March 13, at the Lubbock Post Office building, room 16-A.

The opportunity is the Peace Corps Placement Test. It is not passed or failed, but simply indicates where your greatest potential lies. The Peace Corps Questionnaire, which must be filled out and brought to the exam unless previously submitted, tells what an applicant had done in the past. But the placement test is aimed at showing what he or she can do in the future. Applicants do not have to register for the test ahead of time.

The Peace Corps Questionnaire can be obtained at all Post Offices. On college campuses, they are available at college placement centers or the offices of Peace Corps Liaison officers, who are members of the faculty or college administration. If you can't find a Questionnaire, write the Peace Corps, Washington, D.C. 20525.

Automobile production in 1907 in the U.S. totaled over 50,000 cars valued at more than \$100,000.

In ancient times, ivory was valued next to jade.



TROPHY WINNER--Ren Cross came home Sunday with a first place trophy from the National Hot Rod Association meet in Abilene. He won first place in E/Stock Automatic, driving his 1964 Plymouth Fury. His was the fourth fastest stock car at the meet in the eliminator competition. His wife and 19 day-old daughter, Candace, made the trip to Abilene with him. He will enter some races at Hobbs, N.M. Sunday. (SLATON-ITE PHOTO)

Knock-Outs Win Volleyball Title In Wilson Meet

The Wilson Knock-Outs and the New Home Butane teams came out as first-place winners in the Outsiders Volleyball Tournament that took place last Thursday, Friday and Saturday in Wilson.

Trophies were presented to the winning teams Saturday. In the women's division, the Wilson Knock-Outs edged out the Slaton team, the Ivy Leagues for first place. The Ivy League were second with the Post Toasties winning consolation.

In the men's division the New Home Butane team won first with Jerry Brown's team winning second, and the Armo Techsans winning consolation. Playing on Slaton's Ivy League team were Pat Wright, Gay Ivey, Newma Carnes, Eva Jo Berkley, Childers, Paula Shedd and Shirley Copeland.

The famous Applan Way from Rome to Capua was wide enough to permit wagons to pass one another.

Most sleeping pills are followed by a definite hangover period of depressed mental powers.

Roosevelt Girls Top Springlake In Bi-District

ABERNATHY(Special)--The undefeated Roosevelt girls captured a 69-62 bi-district basketball contest over the Springlake fems here Tuesday night to move into the regional meet at Lubbock Saturday.

Britton and Beth Dent spaced the losers with 29 and 22 points, respectively. Roosevelt was the District 4-A winner, and

Springlake was the champion of District 3-A. Roosevelt will be the favorite in the Class A tourney at Lubbock.

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Season Saturday Southland

Season is underway at complete. The Eagles will play their first track meet on Saturday. Coach Robert Dyess has 12 boys out. They are Dennis Bowers, Grant Out of the money, David Dabbs, Dan Eckert, Dennis Abshire, Jackie Abshire, Curtis Abshire, Bryan.

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SOUTHLAND DISTRICT CHAMPS--This Southland Junior High basketball team has won the 9-B district title for three years in a row. They had a 15-1 record for the season. They were winners of the Southland Junior High Tourney and lost their only game of the season against Roosevelt at the tournament there. On the team are left to right, seated, Tommy Jack Taylor, Jimmy Overman, Jimmy Outlaw, Larry Bevers, and Darrell Hill; kneeling, Mike Mason, Ray Altman, Douglas Smallwood, Walter Sims, and Stanley Abshire; standing, Darrell Wilke, Sammy Wartes, Joey Basinger, Curtis Lancaster, and Coach Wayne Newton. Eighth graders who have been on the team all three years are Wilke, Basinger, Mason, Lancaster and Wartes. This is Newton's first season at Southland.



Youthful Donald A. Johnson, Texas Tech graduate, has been named executive vice president of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. He succeeds the late George W. Pfeiffenberger. Johnson had served as Pfeiffenberger's assistant since 1962. A native of Hamlin, Johnson graduated from Tech in 1955.

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TEXAS today has one of the nation's finest, most comprehensive programs of medical care for the aged. These are the Texas approach, we call it-- medical benefits to Old Age Assistance recipients and extensive health care through the use of special in-patient plans for the aged. The Texas legislature also expected to implement a program for those who are not on assistance but who do need help with medical expenses.

These facts:
1. 1,000,000 needy aged, representing 30 per cent of the entire aged population, now pay for Blue Cross-Blue Shield health insurance policy paid for by the State.

2. This State program provides hospital, surgical, x-ray, and nursing home care for the aged in Texas now have more health insurance policies.

3. Through the "Texas 65 Health Insurance Plan," Blue Cross "Senior Texan Service" and other special programs offered to the aged by private companies, health insurance is available to all who want it at a reasonable cost.

4. Studies by Belden Associates indicate that only a small percentage of the aged are still need and want help in paying for health insurance (these aged would be covered by a program now being considered by the legislature).

5. In view of these facts, the national "medical care" proposal (the King-Anderson bill,

H.R. 1) is not needed. "Medicare" benefits are very limited, covering about one quarter (25%) of the total yearly health care costs of the average aged person. "Medicare" would not cover physicians' services or surgical charges, nor would it cover the cost of drugs outside of institutional care.

The "medicare" proposal is an extremely expensive one. While we all are starting to enjoy a reduction in federal income taxes as a result of action by Congress last year, the "medicare" program would cost an estimated \$1.7 billion dollars in additional taxes the first year. "Medicare" would increase payroll taxes to cover everyone over 65--even the wealthy. The employee who now pays a maximum tax of \$174 annually would find the amount for Social Security benefits and "medicare" increased to \$291 by 1971. Employers would pay a similar increase for each employee, thus resulting in higher prices for goods and services.

The Texas approach of providing medical, surgical and hospital care to those who need it is a more comprehensive, more economical program than "medicare," and it provides more benefits. If you object to paying higher payroll taxes for an undesirable, unneeded program, write your Congressman today. Ask him to oppose the "medicare" tax proposal, mentioning the programs for the aged now available in Texas. Ask him to support the Herlong-Curtis Elder-care Bill (H.R. 3727), which would make possible the broadening of the existing Texas program to provide medical, hospital and nursing home care for those few remaining aged who are still in need of help.

For further information, see your doctor or any member of the **LUBBOCK-CROSBY-GARZA COUNTY MEDICAL SOCIETY**

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