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The Hidden Issue ----- Is The Power To Suppress

Residents of a community the size of Slaton very naturally tend to grow concerned about affairs dealing with vast government agencies and the centralizing power that these agencies have been

up to this week, scarcely one Slaton resident in 1000 who would have believed that the US Department of Labor could force our town to do something by threatening harm to others who have nothing to do with us.

This editorial will not discuss the integration issue or its moral and legal implications.

We will discuss, however, our state of affairs when a government has become so powerfully centralized and ruthless that it will mete out financial damage to a large number of uninvolved persons in order to force others to comply.

Slaton's City Commission had delegated the problem to a five-man committee to study the problem until March, when some arrangement was to be reached.

But this apparently was not suitable. And you think that the US Department of Labor did this at this particular time because it was NECESSARY, then will someone please tell us how a swimming pool in Slaton will be affected in the middle of December?

The truth is that a slow and peaceful negotiation would have resolved the problem. But it would not have allowed the Department of Labor to show by means of force that it will not be contradicted, and those who have applied the pressure and caused this act to be done would have been totally unhappy had a solution been reached without the axe actually falling. Slaton has been put in this situation.

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FEDERAL AGENCY VS. CITY GOVERNMENT--

Commission To "Fight" Ultimatum Delivered By Labor Department



THE TROUBLED WATERS--Pictured above is Slaton's Municipal Swimming Pool, the subject of a complicated controversy this week that raged in Slaton. Trouble began when the U. S. Department of Labor ordered Slaton officials to integrate the pool or be blacklisted for bracero farm labor.

Holidays Set, Expansion Planned At Meeting Of School Board

The Slaton School Board met in regular session December 5. Routine business was called for and bills were approved for payment. A slight change in the walls to the new high school addition was approved. The cost of the change was \$427.

Christmas holidays were set to begin Thursday, December 21, at 3:45 p.m., and school will resume Tuesday, January 2.

The problem of Civil Defense was discussed in regard to the phases of general disaster and also the possibility of nuclear fallout. The board requested further study on the subject.

The audit of the school for 1960-61 was read and approved. A film on safety was recommended for showing in the high school. The board ordered

the installation of a mercury-vapor light on the junior high campus. The board requested that all buses have a number and that the name "Slaton School" be painted on each bus.

Further plant expansion was discussed and further study was requested.

An amendment to school board policy was adopted in that any person or group of persons requested a hearing be required to submit this request to the Superintendent of schools and/or Business Office one day prior to the meeting, at which time the subject to be discussed must be presented, and in the case of a group, the speaker must be designated.

The board decided that the placement on 7th and 8th grade teams of pupils on Junior High athletic teams be left to the

prerogative of the administrative and athletic departments since it is felt that they are in a better position than the board or the parents to make this placement.

The board also authorized the paying of its part or paving the two blocks south of West Ward. This is with the condition that enough other property owners adjoining the school property pay their part of paving along with the segment paid for by the city.

Evans Defeats Sweetwater

Slaton - Evans High School topped Sweetwater 40-37 here Monday night before a large and excited home crowd.

Evans took a narrow 23-20 halftime lead, but Sweetwater tied the score at 30-30 as the final eight minutes began. By playing control ball and taking cinch shots the home team was able to come out of the game victorious.

Cedell Anderson took scoring honors for the home team with 10 points, Quincy followed with 9 points. For the visitors W. Jennings led the scoring with a total of 17 points, followed by Wilson with 9 points.

Evans "B" boys tied with Sweetwater. The scores were 14-14. Robert Moreau was high point man.

Evans girls were defeated by Sweetwater 38-18. The next home game will be Saturday, December 9, 1961 when the Evans Wolverines will meet the Snyder Trojans.

Santa Claus To Be Here Saturday

SANTA CLAUS WILL BE IN TOWN SATURDAY AFTERNOON! HE WILL MAKE A TOUR OF THE STORES AND VISIT WITH THE YOUNGSTERS. BE SURE TO FIND HIM!!!!

Tigers Win Consolation In Tahoka Tourney; Fall To Lockney 57-50

Slaton's Tigers won the consolation bracket of the Tahoka Invitational Tournament last weekend, winning two games while losing two for the week.

Opening the tourney the cagers of Coach M. W. Kerr fell to Spur by 44-36, and then came back to thoroughly trounce Frenship by 76-45. Then rounding out the tourney play they downed Wilson by 74-43.

In a home game Tuesday night the Tigers fell to Lockney by a trim 57-50.

In tournament action Ronnie Jones led the point makers against Spur with 12 points,

and Dick Martin headed the list against Frenship by netting 15. In the consolation championship with Wilson, Martin again led with 17 points.

Battling Lockney, the Tigers took a 14-11 first quarter lead, and were in front at halftime by 25-23. They were outscored in the third period by 16-3, however, and were unable to close the gap before the final whistle.

Ronnie Jones led with 18 points.

Next games will be Dec. 7, 8, and 9, in the Abernathy tournament.

Must Integrate Pool In 30 Days Or Be Refused Mexican Nationals

Slaton was thrust suddenly into the spotlight of state notice this week when it was made public that the City Commission was ordered by the U. S. Department of Labor to integrate its municipal swimming pool or be refused the use of Mexican national labor.

Dated Nov. 30, the letter stated the "blacklist" for bracero labor would take in all the Slaton area, including Community Producers Inc., Lorenzo Producers Assn., and 31 farmers surrounding the city.

Mayor L. O. Lemon and city commissioners were quick to take issue with the order. "Not because of the integration angle," they said, "but because we resent a government bureau trying to ram something down our throats."

Generally the farmers' reaction was in sympathy with the commissioners. "Tell 'em to go to hell," one cotton grower stated.

The order, sent by certified mail to Mayor Lemon, gave the city 30 days in which to comply.

Latest developments included a meeting held Wednesday night of the commission with farmers affected, and a scheduled conference Friday of Lemon and commissioner Harry Stokes with Congressman George Mahon of Lubbock.

Stokes stated that, "We don't deny that tax money, including tax money from our citizens who are of Mexican descent, is used in running the pool. Of course they must be treated fairly."

But he added, "If the letter had come from the Justice Department, which is supposed to be the one handling segregation matters, it might have been different."

Lemon pointed out "this isn't a political party matter, either. We had some trouble back under the Eisenhower administration as well as under the Kennedy administration."

Similar incidents have occurred in recent years at other South Plains cities, but Stokes said he did not know of one involving city-owned property.

"All of the others have revolved around private businesses," he said.

Farmers sympathetic "We told the Department of Labor we would work something out, and I think we could have. They're just trying to put the squeeze on the bracero program and get it closed down entirely."

Stokes said several of the farmers who would be involved have been contacted and all seemed to be sympathetic.

Lemon explained that a mill tax is levied for the Board of City Development in Slaton, which in turn operates the municipal swimming pool as well as other things.

Clark Self Jr., president of the BCD, will meet with the

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The Letter That Demanded The Integration

Mr. L. O. Lemon
Mayor of Slaton

Slaton, Texas

Dear Mayor Lemon:

This is with reference to my letters of September 22 and 28, 1961 regarding discrimination against persons of Mexican descent in the operation of the Municipal Swimming Pool.

Reference is also made to my telegram of October 12 and your reply of October 13, advising that the City Commission appointed a five-man committee to investigate the complaint and make a report with their recommendations by March 1962.

This is to advise that unless the City of Slaton takes corrective action to remove the discriminatory restrictions in connection with the use and operation of the municipal swimming pool within 30 days from the receipt of this certified letter, action will be instituted to remove any Mexican Nationals in the area and to prohibit Mexican Nationals being contracted into the area.

You are advised that a copy of this notice is being mailed to the Community Producers Inc. Lubbock, Texas, the Lorenzo Producers Association, Lorenzo, Texas, and 31 farmers in the area of Slaton who will be denied the use of Mexican Nationals for agriculture employment if the City of Slaton is placed on the list of unacceptable communities because of discriminator practices.

Yours very truly
Tracy O. Murrell
Regional Director

Resident Injured In Tractor- Pickup Accident

Virgil Henderson, 50, was listed in fair condition yesterday after being involved in a tractor-pickup truck collision Sunday evening 2.4 miles south of Slaton on F-M Road 400. Patrolmen reported that Henderson was in the pickup traveling south on the farm road about 6:20 p.m. when the collision occurred with a tractor parked on the pavement and facing south.

It was reported that the driverless tractor was owned by J. E. Vannoy. Driver of the pickup was Henderson's son, John Hugh Henderson, 21, Rt. 1, Slaton.

Slaton Cage Tourney Set Jan. 4, 5, 6

Slaton's second annual Invitational Basketball Tournament is scheduled for January 4, 5, and 6, it was announced this week.

Teams competing, in both girls and boys divisions, will be Lakeview of San Angelo, McAdoo, Shallowater, Spur, Tahoka, Floydada, Oton, Post and Slaton.

Thursday and Friday games will start at 2 p.m., and semifinals and finals on Saturday will start at 8 p.m.

A schedule will be announced later.

Deadline Nears For Connection

In the years from 1957 to 1960 the City of Slaton's sanitary sewer system was extended to various areas that had not been previously served.

Many residents had not made any effort to connect to the available sewer. On September 16th, 1961, 127 notices were mailed to those residents who were not connected to the sanitary sewer, giving them a 90 day period in which to do so. This period will end December 15th, 1961.

Those that have not already made the necessary arrangements, should do so before the 15th of December, by contacting the water and sewer superintendent, whose office is located under the water tank in the center of town.

Penalty for violation of the City of Slaton Plumbing Ordinance is by fine not to exceed two (\$200.00) hundred dollars.

Tigerettes Win Two; Lose Two

Slaton's Tigerettes won third place in the Tahoka Invitational Tournament last week while winning two games and losing two.

In tournament play, the Tigerettes won the opener over Spur by 56-18 and then fell to Frenship by 45-33. In the final tourney game the cagers of Coach Paul Boswell downed New Home easily 42-39.

Tuesday night on the home court the Tigerettes battled Lockney to a 42-35 loss to Lockney.

In the Spur contest Glenda Bouds led with 18 points, and Jane Tompkins scored 12. In the loss to Frenship, Glenda again led with 28 points, and continued to head the scorers list against New Home with 22 points.

Falling to Lockney, Glenda paced the field with 21 points, making up in part for the first loss to Lockney earlier this season by a 28 point margin.

By mutual comparison the Tigerettes, young and inexperienced, have gained in power since the first Lockney encounter. Next games will be Dec. 7, 8, and 9, in Abernathy and its annual tournament.

Names Of Needy Families Wanted By Slaton's Ministerial Alliance

Members of Slaton's Ministerial Alliance asked this week that the names of needy families be given them for the Christmas program of charitable distribution.

Persons knowing of families in need may call Rev. Lusk,

Westview Baptist Church; Rev. Rollo Davidson, First Methodist Church; or Dr. Charles Wood, First Baptist Church. Information on the families should include name, address, number in the family, and the church preference.

Stormproof Cotton Being Developed

Stormproof cotton that has been developed and is being marketed by J. H. Lambright, who lives near Gordon, is presently being studied by both the Department of Agriculture and the Lubbock Experiment Station.

Under a system of production, Lambright has been growing the cotton for three years. Several studies are being made. If continued

tests indicate that the stormproof cotton of Lambright's is as genuine as the early years have shown, then the State Seed and Plant Board will approve the registration of the seed, and a revolutionary variety of cotton will be available primarily for the area, and eventually for the entire industry.

More information on the cotton will be given at a later date.



STORMPROOF COTTON--Pictured above is a segment of the developed stormproof cotton, being grown by J. H. Lambright, who lives near Gordon. If tests show that the cotton is as genuine as the early years have shown, then approval will be given by the State Seed and Plant Board, offering a revolutionary type seed.

THE BOOK OF LIFE

When all has been said and tried about philosophies of life, how to be happy, or how to be a success, mankind unfulfilled elsewhere will still turn back to The Bible. Here indeed are the words of life. Here is a guide to your footsteps and a lamp for your path. No man needs to stumble through life as if blind; God has provided a light and it shines through this book. Go where the book is treasured and understood, to the Church, and hear The Word for your life.

Is something wrong with your life--an inner restless dissatisfaction? The answer to every human problem comes only from God our Maker. He alone can forgive and reassure. Through the church God has committed the provision and proclamation of His forgiveness and redeeming love. Without a church relation no one is securely related to God.

Worship Together This Week.

Wilson
St. Paul Lutheran Church Rev. G. W. Heinemeier
First Baptist Church Wilson Rev. F. E. Scott
Our Lady Of Guadalupe Church 700 S. 4th.
St. Joseph's Catholic Church* Mgr. T. D. O'Brien 19th. & Lubbock
Gordon Church Of Christ Marion J. Crump, Minister
Acuff Church Of Christ Brooks Terry, Minister

St. Paul Lutheran Church Mo. Synod, Wilson Rev. R. F. Kamrath
First Nazarene Church 635 W. Scurry Rev. Charles Stuart
Westview Baptist Church 830 S. 15th. Rev. Dwight Lusk
First Methodist Church 305 W. Lubbock Rev. Rollo Davidson
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Tuesday Dec. 12
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Potato Salad
Apple Sauce

Wednesday Dec. 13
Viennas Sausage with To-
matoes and Spaghetti
Sauce
Black Eyed Peas

Carrot Sticks
Corn Bread
Cake and Fruit

Thursday Dec. 14
Meat Patties with Gravy
Buttered Rice
English Peas
Hot Rolls, Honey and Butter

Friday Dec. 15
Tuna Sandwiches
Cheese & Pimento Sand-
wiches
Potato Chips
Jack Horner Pie
Peanut Butter & Crackers
Fruit



Adventures In Art

by Betty Burke
Conversational Pieces for
Christmas - - -
The holiday season is here! Traditional Christmas deco-
rations have been transformed
into new and exciting conver-
sational pieces this year. One
might say that everything but
the kitchen sink is being turned
into something decorative to
greet the coming of old St. Nick.
I have still to find a way to
make a sink interesting or un-
usual, but I did manage to find
an old lamp base and a milk-
glass light globe, and one of
my co-workers put them to-
gether to form a base for a
centerpiece. He inserted one
of the new light bulbs that
looks like a flickering candle
(these do not get hot, even after
burning all night), and around
this base, I placed maple leaves,
sprigs of evergreen, china
berries, clusters of castor bean
pods, and bits of shrubbery.
I sprayed the arrangement with
gold paint, and sprinkled it with

gold glitter.
Since the beginning of the
holiday season, I have observed
a huge star made from tincans,
a bird cage planter filled with
Christmas balls and evergreen,
which had been shaped from coat
hangers, a yucca plant that
had been sprayed with blue
"snow", then decorated with
shiny butterflies, wreaths made
from plastic pom-poms (simi-
lar to the ones poodles are
made from), a tiny feminine

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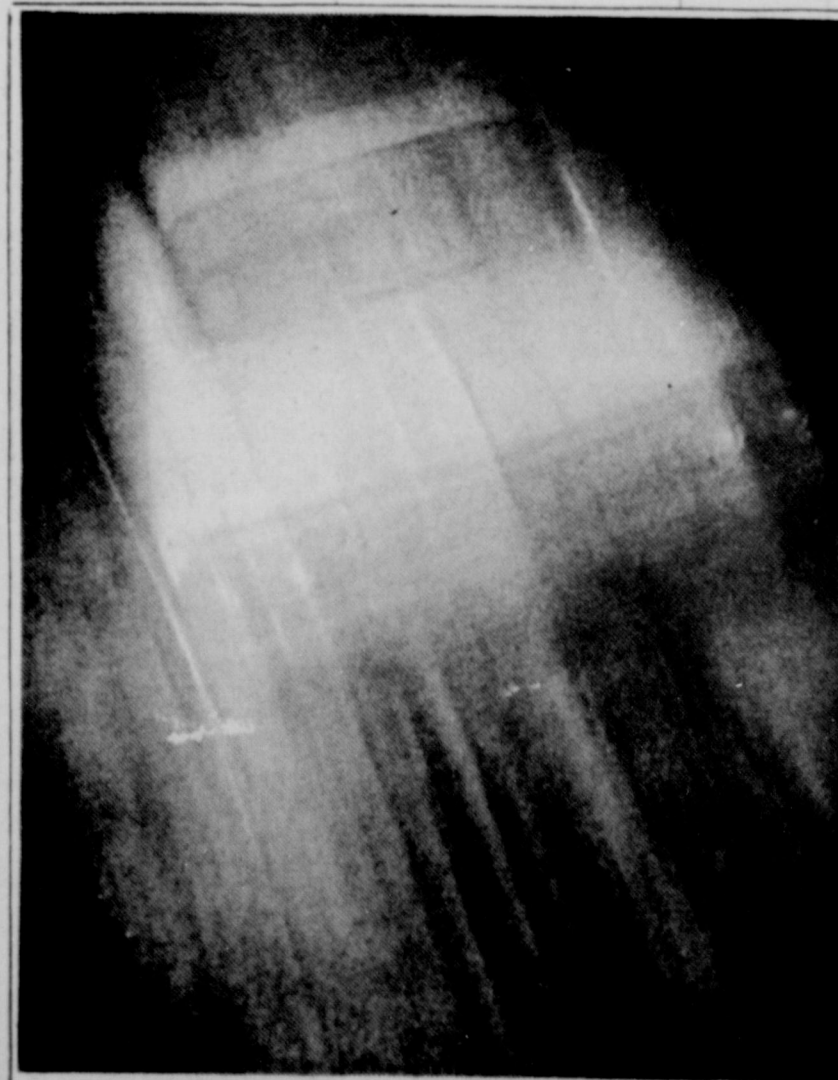
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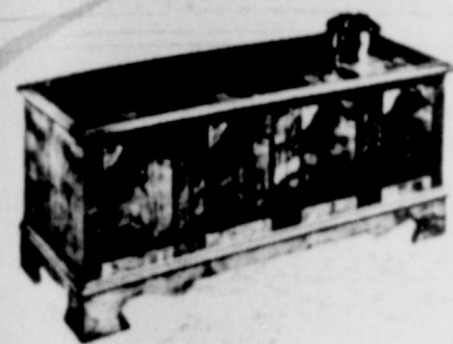
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Musical Program To Be Held

A Christmas musical program will be presented at Westview Baptist Church on December 17th at 7:00 p.m. The program will consist of many lovely, musical songs of the happy Christmas season to be rendered by the Junior Girls Choir and the Adult and Youth Choir. A Verse Choir, composed of Junior boys, will also

participate. The theme of this program is "Good Tidings Of Great Joy." Everyone is cordially invited to attend and enjoy an hour of inspiration. The program is arranged and directed by Mrs. Dwight J. Lusk.

"Self-life is not so vile a sin as self-neglective."

Firemen's Ladies Auxiliary Meet For Project

The Firemen's Ladies Auxiliary met last night at 8:00 p.m. at the Fire Station. It was a regular meeting. The women made plans for their Christmas party. Their project for Christmas this year is to take groceries to the needy. The hostesses for the meeting were Jo Ann Williams and Janice Kendrick. Their next meeting will be January 1st.

Personnel Director: What previous experience have you had and what work have you done?

Applicant: "I was a secretary. All I had to do was look like a girl, think like a boy, act like a lady, and work like a dog."

Church Report

Attendance at church schools in Slaton, Sunday, December 3, totaled 1502 in the 11 churches which reported.

- Churches reporting and their attendance was as follows:
- First Christian Church . . . 61
 - Church of God 33
 - Grace Lutheran 87
 - First Methodist 264
 - Church of the Nazarene . . . 53
 - Pentecostal Holiness 66
 - First Baptist 376
 - Westview Baptist 213
 - Church of Christ 227
 - Presbyterian 67
 - Trinity Methodist 55

Whenever we hear an old man lambasting the youth of today we wonder what kind of child he was.



Miss Eblen To Be Bride Of Robert Pinkert

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Eblen announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Mary Lucy to Robert Bernard Pinkert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pinkert of Levelland. The marriage will take place January 6, at 10:00 a.m. at St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

Happy Birthday

December 9 - Mrs. Glen Akin, Alex. Webb, Mrs. Bob Merrill, Russ L. Irler, Mae Lela Wyatt.

December 10 - Mrs. Andrew Kitten, Mrs. Joe W. Tate, Mrs. I. P. Fulkerson, Jo Ann Thomas, Mrs. M. M. Tunlinson, Jan McCoy, Weldon Brookshire, Mrs. C. C. Wicker, Pamela Trimble, Charla Taylor.

December 11 - M. H. Lasater, Dale Schwartzner, St. Lawrence, Albert Jones, Joe Hargrove, Linda Kay Shafer.

December 12 - R. A. Thompson Jr., Otis Neill, Walter Heinrich.

December 13 - Glen Akin, Gladys Kitten, Dillard Dunn, Jimmy Tomason, Debbie Ann Moore, Mrs. Frank Law.

December 14 - Mrs. James Foster, Joe Cain, Mrs. Julius Stok, Mike Davis, Mar. Ruth Green, Clinton Martin, Charles Hamilton, Marvin Harris.

Card Of Thanks

We want to thank each and every one who sent flowers, brought food and expressed sympathy in other ways during the death of our dear loved one. We especially want to give our thanks to Dr. McQueen and Dr. Locke. We want to express our thanks also to the nurses at the North Hospital for their help during our time of need.

The Family of John J. Wells, Sr.

We wish to thank all our friends and neighbors for the many thoughtful words and expressions of sympathy during the death of our dear loved one. We sincerely appreciate the flowers, food, thoughtfulness and the friendship of each one during our time of grief. May God bless each of you.

The Jack Brookshire Family

To those who expressed their sympathy in so many beautiful and practical ways during our recent bereavement, we extend our heartfelt thanks.

Relatives of Neta Massey

Mrs. Haire Hostess For Centurettes Meeting

The Centurettes Club met in the home of Mrs. Jackie Haire at 7:30 p.m. Monday. It was a regular business meeting. Beth Castleberry gave the program, entitled "Christmas Ideals." They make plans for their Christmas party which will be December 11, at 7:00 p.m. at the Club-house. Their next regular meeting will be December 18.

AIRBORNE MISSILE LAUNCHER is being studied by the Department of Defense. The proposed aircraft would stay on patrol for two days or more without refueling and provide a mobile, hard-to-hit launching pad comparable to our Polaris submarines.

Mrs. Talkmitt Guest At League

The St. Paul Lutheran Women's Missionary League of Wilson held its monthly meeting at 8:00 p.m. Dec. 3 in the parish hall.

Mrs. George Dillingor led the group in its opening devotion. The topic a special Advent scripture searching session, was led by Rev. Robert Kamrath.

Guest Visitor, Mrs. Raymond Talkmitt, was welcomed, she was invited to become a member and accepted.

The plans for the Secret 1st Christmas Party were announced. It will be held in the parish hall, Dec. 17 at 6:45 p.m.

Members attending the meeting were: Mesdames: M. G.

Liberal, Kansas, Daily Times: "The plight of the unemployed American, although not a happy one by American standards, is a typical comparison with that of the Russian who is unemployed. . . . Waves of Russian workers in jobs are awarded about four rubles per hour of labor, the equivalent of 480 per month at the rate of exchange at that time, according to latest international labor data. . . . It is estimated that all necessities of life are 15 per cent cheaper in the United States, even the unemployed person in this country is about as well off as the full-time employed average Russian worker."

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Cotton Bowl Football CONTEST

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Here's Johnny Hennington, winner of the Cotton Bowl Football Contest, who has chosen cash instead of an expense-paid trip to the big game in Dallas on New Year's. He led H. H. White by one-half contest most of the way through the contest and then put the icing on the cake by tying for the contest in its final week.

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The Slaton Slatonite Society Clubs

Chili Supper Held For Girl Scouts

Opening event of a financial drive for funds by the Slaton troops of Girl Scouts of America was a "Chili Supper" held Thursday from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the West Ward School Cafeteria. The supper consisted of chili, cobbler and a drink.

General chairman of the Girl Scout Fund Drive campaign is Bernie Greenfield, president, Slaton, chapter of Lion's International. Members of the Fund Drive committee, working under chairman Greenfield, include Mrs. Earl Tomlinson, assistant chairman, Mrs. J. F. Eckert, Mrs. Bill Green, Mrs. Earl Knoll, Mrs. H. H. Morrison, Mrs. Kenneth Goldman, Mrs. W. A. Heinrich and Mrs. Lloyd Morgan.

Attend Union Rally

The following members of the Training Union of Westview Baptist Church attended the Lubbock Association of the Training Union Rally, known as MOBILIZATION NIGHT, December 4th at the First Baptist Church of Lubbock.

CARD OF THANKS

We are sincerely grateful to friends and neighbors for their many kind acts of generosity during our suffering. Our appreciation cannot be adequately expressed. Family of Mrs. L. T. Garland (Clark)



MR. AND MRS. HENRY C. MAXEY SR.

50th Wedding Anniversary Celebrated

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Maxey will be honored in observing their 50th wedding anniversary. An open house will be held December 10 from 2 to 4 p.m. in the County Club. All of their friends are invited to call.

Their sons and daughters will be hosts. They are Mr. J. J. Maxey, and Mrs. Richard Crush of Slaton, H. C. Maxey Jr., from Lubbock; Bruce Maxey from

Amarillo; and Bob White, from Weatherford, Oklahoma. Mr. and Mrs. Maxey were married at Alpha, Texas on December 7, 1911. They moved to Plainview area in 1917 and to Slaton in 1925.

Mr. Maxey was in the dairy business and also the cafe business before retiring here in Slaton. Also planning to attend are their ten grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Sorority Hold Meeting

The Kappa Kappa Iota Teachers Sorority had their November meeting in the home of Mrs. Mary Gilmore. Thanksgiving decorations adorned the lovely dinner table and a salad supper was served.

Mrs. Evelyn Boyd, Vice-President, discussed her overseas psychological warfare work during World War II.

The enjoyable evening was climaxed by the initiation of the pledges including Madames Beryl Gunter, Shirley Cuykendall, Elizabeth Martin, Anita Perkins, Nadine Coomer, Roberta Myers, and Miss Mary Nell Carpenter. Old members present were Madames Edith Brooks, Opal Townsend, Evelyn Boyd, Sandra Jackson, Ginger Jekel and Misses Catherine Thomas, Alice Armstrong, Sandra Patterson, and the Hostesses Madames Mary Gilmore and Helen Kerr.

Anita Feagin And Leo Henzler Are Wed

St. Joseph's Catholic Church was the scene of a wedding ceremony that united in matrimony Miss Anita Carolyn Feagin and Leo Andrew Henzler Jr. at 4 p.m. Thursday. Single ring cases were read by Rt. Rev. Msgr. Thomas O'Brien.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Z. L. Feagin of Wilson, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Henzler Sr. of 713 S. 15th St. in Slaton.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, she wore a formal gown of ivory satin, fastened with a fitted bodice of chiffon lace over satin, featuring a half-inch line and long, thin, tapering to point points over her back. The bouffant skirt fell over soft pleats formed in the waistline. Her shoes consisted of white illusions, laced to ivory layers from a royal crown of ivory satin also featuring appliques, chiefly in medallions meeting the lace bodice of her gown. She carried a white cylindrical orchid surrounded by treasured carnations, and a bouquet of a white prayer book.

Miss Judy Adams, maid of honor, also wore an identical dress of blue blue French tapestry brocade with beaded length sleeves and matching gloves; her head piece consisted of a circlet but of tapestry brocade matching her dress. She carried a bouquet of French leaved carnations.

Bridegroom Attendants: The Adamek of Slaton served as best men. Charles W. Henzler and Gerald Heinrich were ushers.

Wedding music was given by the St. Joseph's Choir. A reception immediately followed the Mass was held in St. Joseph's Hall. The tables were decorated with ivory and pink gladiolus, white and pink gladiolus were used as



MRS. LEO HENZLER

centerpieces. With crystal chandeliers, bread cake and wine was served.

The bride attended Wilson High School. The groom is a

graduate of Slaton High School and is self employed at Hamrick Implement.

The couple will live at 430 S. 7th St. in Slaton.

Lutheran Church Women Christmas Workshop

On the evening of November 29th, the Educational Building looked like a Christmas Fairyland when the members of the church held their 1st Christmas Workshop. A program on Advent was given by Rev. W. W. Wilke, Mrs. Leonard Wilke, Mrs. Floyd Forrester and Mrs. Jean Clark.

Then about 60 women including visitors from Wilson and Lubbock viewed the Advent table that consisted of various advent logs, wreaths, calendars and a manger scene made in wax, Swans.

There was a large table of homemade articles to be used during the Christmas season such as tablecloths, aprons, quilts, sweaters, pot holders, Christmas stockings and many other useful and practical articles.

The Greeting and wrapping packages table was very interesting. There were all kinds of beautiful candles and Mrs. Alvin Becker showed us how to wrap a bulky gift.

We also had a table with beautiful homemade centerpieces, toothpick and pine trees. There were candy trees and houses and ornaments made of costume jewelry and Christmas wreaths made out of all kinds of materials.

The refreshment table was centered with a real-to-eat Christmas tree flanked by red tapers in crystal holders. Approximately 35 different kinds of goodies that the women made were on the table to eat. Recipes of all of these were given to the women.

The Christmas tree was decorated as an old fashioned tree with food cookies, apples, popcorn and cranberry strings.

Chairmen of the workshop were Madames: Edmund Wilke, James Riney, C. M. McPherson, Alvin Becker, Walter Voigt, Fred Kahlich, Robert Schneider, R. M. McMillan, Alton Russell, and Wallace Becker.

The first Presbyterian Church is holding a Congregational Dinner and Christmas party on Wednesday evening, December 13th in the Educational building. Each family will bring a covered dish. The meat course will be prepared by the committee, and a collection will be taken to pay for its cost.

Following the dinner, which begins at 6:30, there will be a Christmas carol service around the tree. Children in the Sunday school will sing special carols, and the whole group will take part in singing others.

The tree will be decorated by the young people of the church, and they will also take part in reading passages from the Scriptures.

Each person is also asked to bring a white gift—some kind of canned food that will be given to the needy. Gifts will be wrapped in white, and they will make up the presents under the tree.

Every family in the congregation is invited and urged to come to this festive evening.

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Monthly News

DECEMBER, 1961

PREPARE NOW TO ENJOY CHRISTMAS. This month you will probably tire yourself with all the busy activities and gift shopping needed to properly celebrate the Holidays.

HOW TO HAVE A HEALTHIER CHRISTMAS. Of course we will be available to supply any needed medicines Christmas week and every other week, but we know you will have more fun buying gifts than medicines. So

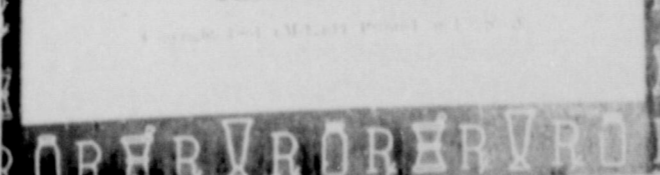
GIVE YOURSELF THIS GIFT NOW. Let your physician check your body to make certain it can withstand any invading virus or sickness attack. And . . . if he suggests your taking any medication or vitamins for additional energy, follow his advice.

1961 WILL SOON BE OVER. Please accept our grateful thanks for your friendship and patronage. We will never forget that our pharmacy's chief purpose is to dependably provide the medicines, health-aids and sickroom needs to guard your health.

MAY YOU ENJOY THE HOLIDAYS. And . . . be sure to visit the Church or Temple of your choice . . . where you will receive the spiritual help we all need to truly be happy the coming New Year.

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NOTICE . . . New 20" mower. Special price \$37.50 at Bourn Cycle Shop. tfn-49

FOUND . . . Pair of prescription - ground colored glasses in white frame. Call for them at 345 Texas Avenue. ltx-8

Wanted

WANTED -- If you have good lien notes for sale, contact B. B. Castleberry at VA 8-4731, Slaton Savings and Loan Association. tfc-28

WANTED...We operate a van truck for moving locally. Call VA8-4487. Pick-up and delivery service. tfc-31

WANTED . . . Ironing to do in my home. \$1.50 per dozen pieces. Mrs. Bulter 900 West Crosby St. VA 8-5266 2TP-8

STOP

SHIMMY-ROAD WANDERING TIRE WEAR and Steering trouble. Front end alignment man on duty. Hoyts Body & Raditor Shop 140 N. 9th St. VA 8-3287

WANTED . . . Experienced Waitresses wanted at Bruce's Cafe. Apply in person.

Misc

HAVE YOUR prescriptions filled at TEAGUE DRUG STORE by a registered pharmacist. tfc-31

RADIATOR HOT-OR-LEAKING? We boil out, rod out repair, AND RECORE ALL MAKES AND MODELS. Hoyts Body & Raditor Shop 140 N. 9th St. VA 8-3287

For Rent

FOR RENT: Floor sander, floor polisher. Lasater-Hoffman Hardware. TFC-31

FOR RENT . . . 3 room unfurnished house, Call VA 8-3898 or VA 8-3675 320 W. Edwards. Bobbie Mosely pump for washer. TFC-7

FOR RENT 400 S. 5th St. 3 bedroom modern 70.00 a month unfurnished
FOR RENT 430 S. 7th St. 3 room house modern \$35.00 unfurnished.
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FOR RENT . . . Just redecorated, extra large bedroom. Private bath, walk-in closet and outside entrance. 420 W. Lubbock. TFC-42

FOR RENT . . . Bedroom, private entrance, 335 N. 6th St. or Call VA 8-3456. If no answer, see Mrs. Brookshire at Teague Drug. TFC-31

FOR RENT: 1 bedroom house unfurnished. \$40 per month. 113 E. Scurry. Call VA 8-4962. tfn-44.

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FOR RENT . . . 3 room furnished house Call Mrs. R. L. Henry VA - 4581. ITP-8

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FOR RENT . . . Nice and clean, 5 room house, 2 bedroom across the street from Carroll Station on N. 9th. St. VA-8-4695 or see Chris Schnell. ZTP-6

FOR RENT . . . One - Two room furnished apartment. VA-8-3597 B. H. Bollinger. TFC-6

FOR RENT . . . 2 bedroom and 3 bedroom house, den, hardwood floors, cabinet storage, garage attached, plumbed for washer. Inquire at 1350 S. 10th St. ITP-8

FOR RENT . . . 6 room and 2 bath . . . 1405 S. 13th St. or call VA 8-3912. Mrs. W. R. Mabry ITP-8

FOR RENT . . . Shop building. See A. S. Goldman at 1030 S. 9th St. Slop drinkers need not apply. ITP-8

FOR RENT - Two bedroom house, furnished. \$30 a month, you pay the bills. Call Bob Kern at VA 8-3541 or va 8-3924 or come by PEMBER Insurance Agency. tfc-5

RENTALS

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SECTION 2: That the polling places and officers for said election shall be as follows:
Ward Number 1: Polling Place - Junior High School, Slaton, Texas; Election Officers - Wayne Liles, Presiding Judge; Mrs. Don Britt, Judge; Mrs. E. A. Nelson, Clerk; Mrs. Wayne Liles, Clerk.

SECTION 3: That the ballots for said election shall be prepared in sufficient number and in conformity with Chapter 6 V.A.T.C.S. Election Code, as amended, and that printed on such ballots shall appear the following:
"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF \$50,000 STREET IMPROVEMENT BONDS AND THE LEVY OF A TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

SECTION 4: That a copy of this resolution and order, signed by the Mayor of the City and attested by the City Clerk shall serve as proper notice of said election.

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order, at the top of which shall appear the words "NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR ISSUANCE OF BONDS." Said notice shall be posted at the City Hall, public place in each voting precinct of said City, not less than ten full days prior to the date of the election, and shall be published on day in each of two weeks in a newspaper of circulation in the City and published in said first of said publication

made not less than ten full days prior to the date of said election.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 27th day of November, 1961.

L. O. Lemon
Mayor, City of Slaton, Texas

ATTEST:
J. J. Maxey
City Clerk, City of Slaton, Texas

THIS NOTICE of election is given by the Mayor of the City of Slaton, Texas, and is hereby confirmed by the City Clerk of the City of Slaton, Texas, authority of law.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF THE CITY OF SLATON, TEXAS, this day of November, 1961.

L. O. Lemon
Mayor, City of Slaton, Texas

ATTEST:
J. J. Maxey
City Clerk, City of Slaton, Texas (City Seal)

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The Slatonite FARM PAGE

Planting Dates Directly Affect Yield

Lubbock Experiment Station conducted tests both at the station in Lubbock and at the High Plains Research Station at Halfway in Hale County in 1960. Four varieties of cotton—Blightmaster, Gregg, Lankart 57, and Paymaster 101—were planted on six different dates at Lubbock, and on five different dates at Halfway. The dates ranged from April 20 through June 30. All plantings were at the rate of 25 pounds per acre of chemically delinted seed.

In a Progress Report prepared by J. D. Bilbro, Jr., and Lavon L. Ray, geneticists on the station staff who conducted the tests, it is pointed out that there were significant differences at both locations in yield and quality of lint produced, particularly among plantings made after June 3. Planting Date Differences. There also were significant differences in varieties in relation to planting date, but those

differences were on dates beyond the first three, which were April 20, May 15, and June 1. Other planting dates at the Lubbock station were June 9, June 21, and June 30. Dates at Halfway were two to three days later in each instance, except that the June 10 planting was prevented by heavy rain, leaving only five dates there.

All plots were harvested with mechanical strippers, and grades and staple length were determined by USDA's Lubbock classing office. Lint values on a gross basis, were based on loan card values for 1960 Choice A cotton.

The report shows that the 10-day average soil temperature at the 8-inch depth reached the recommended minimum level of 60 degrees on April 16 at Lubbock, and on April 29 at Halfway.

In the tests at Lubbock, on the first three planting dates—April 20, May 15, and June 1—Paymaster 101 and Gregg were significantly higher than Blightmaster in average yield, and Paymaster 101 was higher than the other three varieties in average gross lint value per acre.

Change With Planting Date

But variety performance changed with planting dates. For instance, in the April 20 planting, Blightmaster outyielded Paymaster 101, but the reverse was true in the May 15 planting. Also, gross lint value of Lankart 57 was higher than the other varieties in the April 20 planting, but lower in the June 1 planting.

It is emphasized that the findings point up the importance of varietal selection for different planting dates, and also illustrates the importance of considering gross lint values instead of yields in making a selection.

Average loan card values were fairly consistent for the first four planting dates, with Paymaster 101 holding an edge over others that varied some with planting date. The June 30 planting showed Gregg slightly in the lead for value.

Lint Percentage And Grade. Average lint percentages were different among all planting dates and varieties. The April 20 planting produced the highest turnout, and as would probably be expected, June 30 planting was the lowest, reflecting the large number of immature bolls in the sample. Paymaster 101 was out in front of the other varieties in average lint percentage.

For staple length, Blightmaster and Lankart were best, averaging 31.5 and 31.8 thirty-seconds, respectively for the six planting dates. Paymaster showed the highest grade average. Grades dropped lower on all varieties as planting date was advanced beyond June 9, but staple length was not significantly different among planting dates.

Micronaire values were higher for the April 20 planting than for plantings made after June 1, with Gregg leading in micronaire value.

Findings At Halfway. In tests at the research foundation at Halfway, excessive rainfall and seedling diseases significantly reduced stands and yields. The test area was under water for several days in July, and highest yield in the test, 643 pounds per acre, was produced by Gregg variety in the April 22 planting. It was explained that all yields were considerably lower than could be expected in an average year.

In the tests at Halfway, gross lint values for the first three plantings were not significantly different, and also the last two plantings were relatively the same. And, the report says that despite the fact that Gregg produced the most lint, there were no significant differences in average gross lint values among varieties. Loan card values followed the same pattern, with no significant variety differences.

Lint Percentage And Length. As was true in the Lubbock tests, lint percentages at Halfway decreased as the planting date advanced, and were extremely low for plantings on June 21 and June 30. Paymaster 101 had a higher average gin turnout than other varieties.

Staple length for the first two plantings compared favorably with those in the Lubbock test, but the June 21 and June 30 plantings were graded as "wast." Lankart 57 had the highest average staple length, but also as in the Lubbock tests, Paymaster had the highest average grade.

Micronaire values were low for all varieties in all planting

dates, with Gregg ahead of other varieties in that category.

The report points out that, at Halfway as in the Lubbock tests, the amount of mature cotton produced became much lower as planting date was advanced. At Halfway, the June 22 and June 30 dates did not produce any open bolls before frost, and of course, reduced yield and fiber quality.

Gross Lint Value. By the way of suggestion and recommendation, the report observes that "given a choice, the average producer will plant cotton on his allotted acreage in preference to other crops up to about June 1. It is after that date that the choice of crops to plant becomes difficult."

But "in order for the producer to make the most profitable decision he must estimate as accurately as possible the net returns he can expect from various crops when planted at certain times." The report then sets out an example to show how the gross lint values may be used as an aid in making such a decision.

For instance, based on data in the report from the Lubbock tests, a gross return of \$180 per acre could reasonably be expected from a June 9 or 13 planting of cotton in a favorable year like 1960. The producer might estimate his production costs for a cotton crop planted at the time mentioned as \$50 per acre. This would leave a net return of \$130 per acre. From that, he then can estimate his net return from another crop planted on or after June 10, such as grain sorghum, and compare value of that crop with the calculated net for cotton.

TAX-MAN SAM SEZ:

Congress passes our tax laws for a number of reasons. The income tax law was obviously passed to produce revenue to operate our government. The gambling tax stamp law was passed (at least in part) for the purpose of making the gamblers' names a matter of public record. Of course, gambling is illegal under the state and local laws in most states (except Nevada). When the gamblers pay \$50 and buy a gambling tax stamp they can accept bets without the Internal Revenue Service bothering them (unless they fail to pay the excise tax on their gambling receipts). Every year the public record maintained by IRS shows that there are a number of gamblers who buy the gambling tax stamp.

Personnel Changes On State Soil Board Announced

Harvey D. Davis, assistant executive director of the Texas State Soil Conservation Board since 1954, on December 1 became the Board's executive director. He succeeds A. C. Spencer who resigned to enter private business.

Davis was succeeded in his former position by O. F. Armstrong who has been serving as field planning engineer for the State Board.

The new executive director is a native of Williamson county and grew up on a farm near Taylor. He holds two degrees from the University of Houston, the BBA and MBA. Prior to his employment by the State Board, he taught for five years at Blinn Junior College.

Lynn Pittard, assistant soil and water conservation specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and who works closely with the State Board on the development of educational programs in the fields of soil and water conservation, said Davis is

well known in the state and we are looking forward to working with him.

Texas county agricultural agents work with the local soil conservation district boards in planning and developing educational programs on the local level, Pittard said.

Davis said we will continue to assist the soil conservation districts in every possible way in order to get more conservation work done on the farms and ranches of Texas.

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Available to sell cotton for ANY producer, regardless of where he lives, what he gins or what kind of cotton he has. Most independent ginners are available to help you place your cotton for us to sell, but ANY ginner can help you if you wish. IF YOUR ginner doesn't have the particulars as yet, have him contact us.

Remind you once again to consider our method of selling cotton before your cotton is sold for too small an amount over the loan. We have advised previously what prices we think you should probably sell and what prices you should get for your cotton. When your cotton is sold for a little over the loan, you are selling your equity in this cotton and this equity could be worth a good deal more next spring. Also on ANY cotton you plan to put into the loan, we think we can make you more money, and even if we shouldn't it hasn't cost you anything because we do not make a charge unless we sell your cotton for a profit.

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JOE GALEY

Group Investigates Tourist Advertising

HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS From The State Capitol

AUSTIN, Tex.—More than 600 "Texans for Tourists" attended Gov. Price Daniel's conference on Tourism.

They took a long look at sources and resources that can be used to promote national advertising of the state's visitable virtues.

While here, they decided to set up a non-profit organization called the Texas Tourist Council Tentatively scheduled for January 10, "or during the next session" of the Legislature.

Texas Tourist Council will seek the reverse effect of another group who tried to exploit the state -- the carpet-

bagger. It was the influence of the latter that caused the Legislature to prohibit the use of state funds for advertising Texas' attractions 86 years ago.

Governor Daniel said, "Now the march of time has come full circle . . . we find ourselves engaged in a vigorous economic competition which might be called, in a friendly way,

another 'war between the states'."

He referred to the battle for tourists -- third largest industry in the nation; the 13th in Texas.

Texas Tourist Council will seek \$300,000 a year from the Legislature, for advertising tourist attractions. Texas law now requires that state funds

be matched by business and industry. So some system of financial subscription will have to be devised.

BANKERS ASKED FOR IDEAS--Governor Daniel sent a letter to the Texas Bankers Association asking the bankers to present a proposal for protecting the rights of bank depositors.

He recommended that newspaper ads be published by the banks to locate owners (or heirs) of accounts inactive for more than seven years.

Governor Daniel added that proper notice to the state of an escheatable property would be "an incidental result of this protection."

He said the subject will be submitted very soon to a special session of the Legislature and asked the TBA to present its own proposal before December 20.

"The reason for the urgency is the known fact that a sizeable number of national banks are transferring these dormant deposits to the profits of the banks without advertising for the lost owners," he wrote.

"I believe most Texas bankers will agree that this is a practice which should be stopped for the protection of the good name of the banking profession in Texas, as well as for the protection of the rights of missing owners and the rights

of the State if no owners exist."

WILSON ANNOUNCES--Attorney General Will Wilson has announced as a candidate for governor.

The 49-year-old Dallas native said he has remained loyal to his party, but is "an independent Democrat who wears no man's collar and is not a captive candidate of any faction or interest group."

of Austin and Jim Markgraf of Scurry, to help the Texas Legislature Council study coordination of state health and welfare agencies.

Study was requested by the 57th Legislature in view of the fact that 90 per cent of every state dollar expended is for highways, education, public health and welfare.

All but the health and welfare agencies are centrally co-

ordinated.

LABOR-- The Highway Commission proved the \$15,000,000 for safety features Farm to Market

group Wednesday night. About \$13,000 per year goes into operation of the swimming pool.

The incident which led to all the furor, city officials said, involved a Slaton resident of Mexican descent -- an American citizen, however, not a Mexican citizen, they added.

The person was refused entrance to the swimming pool, operated by the Board of City Development out of tax funds, last August.

The Department of Labor, which has jurisdiction over the Mexican bracero program, notified Slaton officials to change the ruling.

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EDITORIALS

Railroads Must Struggle With Laws Of The Past

A. Livingston, a nationally syndicated writer on business and financial affairs, recently devoted a column to the dilemma of the railroads. But he made it plain the basic problem is of a very recent nature. To quote him: "The railroads are overburdened with taxes, unaffordable rights of way, regulation, and government-financed turnpikes and air-ports. . . It is becoming clear to everyone that (1) the railroads no longer have a monopoly on transportation, and (2) public attitudes toward them are worse than ever. They're atavistic and obsolete."

It sums the matter up with both accuracy and succinctness. Most of the regulatory laws were written, and regulatory agencies laid down, in an age which is long gone. So far as commercial transportation is concerned it was, figuratively speaking, a prehistoric age. There were no airplanes at all. Commercial service was a vehicle was next to nonexistent. There were few private automobiles. So, if you wanted to travel somewhere or ship goods, you turned to the rails.

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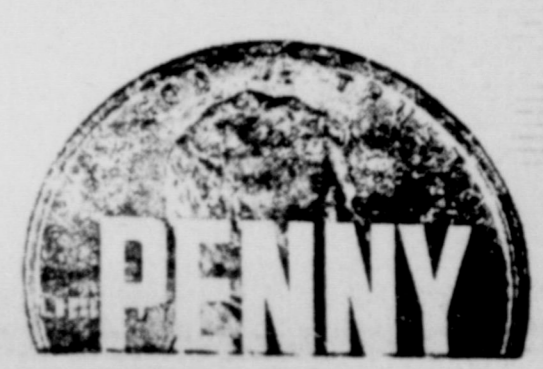
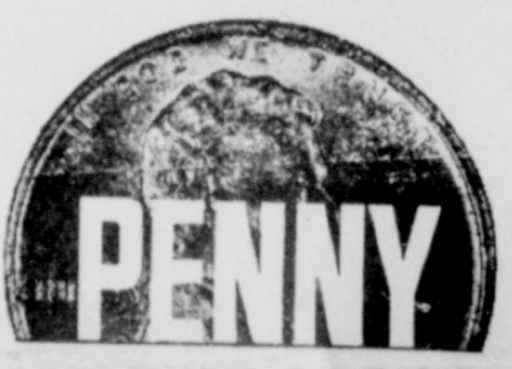
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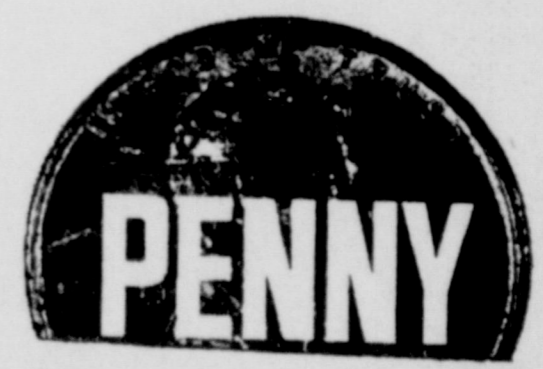
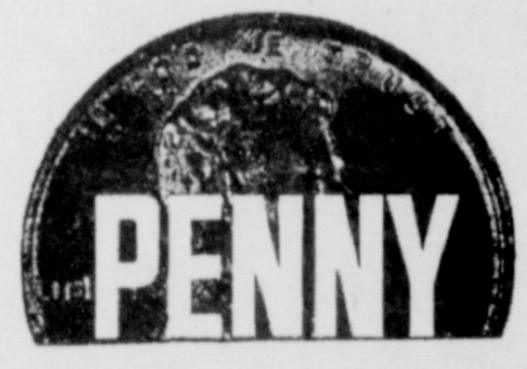


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Federal Utility Projects Have Sold Too Cheaply

On occasion in the past, the attitudes of this newspaper toward federal utility projects in opposition to private utilities has been questioned. Some of the accusations have included the fact that private utility companies were big advertisers and therefore "purchased" the attitude of the paper.

Perhaps we can be absolved this week, however, since the federal government itself agreed with us.

The government's General Accounting Office, which is the watchdog of the nation's fiscal affairs, made the statement that the Interior Department has been selling electricity from three federal projects--too cheaply!

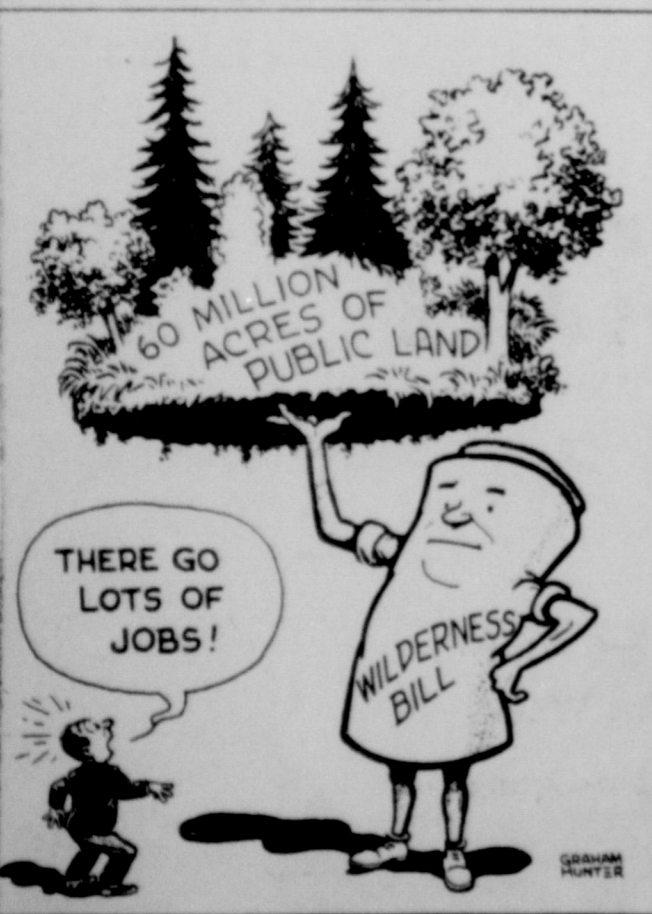
The report, made to Congress, recommends that the President direct the Secretary of the Interior to revise the rates charged and submit them to the Federal Power Commission for approval. Significantly, in a report made back in 1958 the FPC said that the rates from these projects should be higher.

So much for a specific case. It is also true that the rates charged by all public power systems are too low, if the criteria applying to private enterprise are used. For instance, government power systems commonly pay nothing at all in taxes, or relatively small sums in lieu of taxes to local government, while the investor-owned utilities pay out 25 per cent of all their revenues in taxes. Government systems get financing money at interest rates far below the market. A salient example is the REA - co - ops, which can borrow from the government at 2 per cent, even though the Treasury has to pay more--twice as much at times--on its own borrowings.

Government systems often get other valuable favors -- and expensive ones from the taxpayer point of view. These include such special privileges as mail franking, and accounting techniques of a less rigid nature than those imposed on comparable private enterprise.

"Cheap power", socialized-variety, comes mighty high!

OUT OF REACH



Having dined in a restaurant with her husband, a woman missed her gloves when she was on her way out. Murmuring something to her husband, she turned back to the table to find them on the floor. Just then a waiter came up. "Pardon me, madam," he said, "but the customer who



From James Hill's column, "Just Talk" in the Knox County News:

On Turkeys and Hunts HOPE everyone who hasn't had a car accident in Knox County has eaten all their Thanksgiving turkey and is still with us.

I tried hard Monday to remember how many turkey dinners we have consumed in the last ten or twelve days, and I believe it has been eight! for the ones who keep saying that I'm full of something, well, I agree with you wholeheartedly -- it's turkey!

HUNTING -- After a most successful (?) quail hunt Friday and Saturday, I've finally come to the conclusion that seasons won't deter me in the least the way I hunt. Reason?

Friday I shot a rattlesnake and a field lark and my hunting companions got another snake and a sparrow.

Time before this hunt, I shot three hawks, a sparrow, and two beer cans.

I can hardly wait till quail season is over so I can sally forth on another hunt?

For some time I have deemed a successful hunt anytime I can go on a dove or quail hunt and bring home a sparrow or snake.

As far as I know, it is open season on all of them.

Formby's Armor Taken from Joe Harrison's column, "The Editor's Corner" in the Texas Spur:

It would appear by the headlines that Marshall Formby, former Dickens County judge and prospective candidate for governor of the State of Texas, has not been "blessed" by the political machine of Gov. Price Daniel.

A barbecue and appreciation get together, first slated for a National Guard Armory in Plainview, was moved from that site following a ruling from Austin that barred political and religious gatherings in such a building.

Being a former newspaper man, Marshall took the ruling and turned the ensuing publicity into a nice headline--as he should have.

The overall effect may cause Austin some embarrassment since Gov. Daniel is said to have lead a political meeting at the same building less than three years ago.

Stay in there Marshall, the folks at home are behind you.

Only One Billion Times From Marvin Tomme's "Snapped Shots" in the Ralls Banner:

Almost every day you read about the billions of dollars the government spends or is in debt. This year's program cost the taxpayers \$88 billion. I don't have the slightest idea how much a billion dollars is having never had that amount in my bank account at one time. The other day I read an article that explained the size of a billion dollars in a language I could understand. It was described this way: Suppose a business were begun at the time Christ was born. Each and every day thereafter it lost \$1,000. To date the loss would be only \$175 million. Not for another 178 years would it reach a billion. Put that in your pipe and think on it for awhile.

Sudden thought: People who live in glass houses--don't much.

I've heard many and varied definitions of liberals and conservatives, but here's another: A liberal is a guy who thinks the world owes him a living--a conservative knows the world owes him a living, but he also knows he will have to work like the devil to collect.

These days most youngsters are less concerned about the

future than they are about a present.

From Douglas Meador's Trail Dust in The Macador Tribune:

Accepting the possible thesis that secret good is as prevalent as secret evil, society becomes tolerable but with something less than enthusiastic acceptance.

To elevate the importance of a non-drinker's sobriety is to point the direction water flows in a river; the deaf does not pause to listen to a song.

One of the most interesting parts of a weather bureau report is the explanation of the previous day's forecast that failed so miserably. These gems of fiction are sometimes so confusing as to cause the listener to wonder if a rose by any other name would smell.

The U. S. government's diverging policies toward aiding foreign and domestic railroads were highlighted by J. Handy Wright, vice president of the Association of American Railroads. In a recent speech. He charged the government with "reverse myopia" in supplying great sums of money to help foreign railroads while failing to provide even a simple equality of treatment for our own lines. Grants and loans for the foreign rails, he said, have totaled more than \$1.2 billion since World War II.

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Old Friends

had a pleasant visit for a few minutes last week with Gerald Stokes, class of 1945. Gerald and his family were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stokes. Gerald has a very interesting vocation that he is following now, using his training in journalism and fields to write fiction. The Stokes family is living at Sucursala, Apto. #93, Mich., Mexico.

Bill Eads, class of 1932, was a visitor last week. Evelyn works at the Texas Employment Service and is living at 3105-45th Street, Lubbock.

W. T. Ward, class of 1934, was in town last week. W. T. has been working as an engineer at KDUB T. V. W. T. and his wife Joyce Bain, class of 1936) are living at 1st Street, Lubbock.

The following have paid their \$2.00 dues for this year. T. A. Worley, and Pauline Maxey, Elton and Esoleta, Harold Wilson, Clark and Irene Self, Self Jr., B. B. Castleberry, Joe Maxine Walker, Bruce Gentry, Howard man, Robert and Betty Heaton, Troy Doris Pickens and Charles Marriott. You are in the unlisted number and are interested in making your organization go. You may see Elton Smith, Mrs. Jack or J. J. Maxey and pay your dues for this year. We need to get started for our reunion in 1962.

Thanks to Audean Nowell for getting the list of the class of 1926. This year six classes complete. Keep them

New Record Forecast For Slaton And Area

As proof that cotton is economic king on the southern Texas Plains--if in fact any proof is needed--production from the 1961 crop in a 23-county area surrounding Lubbock is estimated at a new record high of 2,285,000 bales--slightly more than 48 percent of all the cotton produced in Texas.

Adding adjacent areas, all in Northwest Texas, from Abilene and Vernon on the east, and Ballinger-San Angelo on the south, cotton production this year rises to an estimated 3,100,000 bales, which is approximately two-thirds of the state's total, placed at 4,750,000 bales by USDA's crop reporting service.

Production in the 23-county Plains area is slightly less than 16 percent (more than one-seventh) of the nation's indicated production, placed at 14,538,000 bales as of November 1 by the reporting service. The U. S. estimate was up 204,000 bales from a month earlier, most of which was accounted for by Texas producers. The Texas crop was up 200,000 bales over the previous month. Other states showing increases were Arkansas up 90,000 bales, Mississippi up 40,000 bales, and lesser increases indicated in South Carolina, Georgia and Alabama. The increases were partly offset by light to moderate decreases in other states.

Weather Interrupts Harvest
A major question in all circles concerned with cotton shortly past mid-November was the effect of continued bad weather that had held harvest of the bumper crop at almost a complete standstill for two weeks or more. Use of artificial defoliants and/or desiccants had been fairly heavy prior to the season's first killing freeze on November 3, and big volume stripper harvest was getting under way when the weather closed in almost simultaneously with the first freeze, and except in a few localized areas there has been little or no chance for harvest operations. The weather has remained cold, with some damage had been done to the crop, particularly in grade, with late cotton slow to open. It was expected, however, that any damage would be relatively light unless the weather remained closed in for too long

a period of time.

U. S. classing offices at Lubbock, Lamesa and Brownfield had classed approximately three-quarters of a million bales at the end of the third week in November and had caught up with the harvest, with considerably less than one-third of the anticipated crop accounted for. Harvest ranged from 80 to 90 percent complete in some portions of the southern end of the area to only three to five percent in areas north of Lubbock.

New Record Is Forecast
Estimates on the 23-county Plains crop was made by the Lubbock Cotton Exchange and Plains Cotton Growers. The 2,285,000-bale forecast was 31,000 bales above the previous month's estimate, and would be the largest area crop in history, more than a quarter million bales above the previous high production of 2,025,000 bales in lush 1958.

There were some indications, in fact, that with reasonable cooperation by the weather, the crop might exceed the estimate, but weather uncertainties left uncertainties around the estimate.

Five of the 23 counties in

the area accounted for more than a million bales of the estimated production. Lubbock County led the list with an anticipated 270,000 bales, then came Hale with 215,000 bales, Lam's with 210,000, Hockley with 200,000, and Dawson with 190,000. Total of the five would be 1,055,000 bales. That would leave 1,200,000 for the other 18 counties, which would include

Lynn, Terry, and probably Floyd all above the 100,000 mark.

21 Percent of Nation's Crop
It is interesting to note that the 3,100,000-bale anticipated crop in the approximately 50 counties of northwest Texas would be nearly two-thirds of the total Texas crop, and slightly more than 21 percent of the nation's production. It also is interesting to note that the 23 counties on the High Plains will produce approxi-

mately three-fourths -- 375 million -- would go mainly to the producers in the 23-county area surrounding Lubbock.

And, as Wellington Abbey, of The Cotton Digest of Houston, puts it, "the amazing part of this half a billion dollar figure is that it is new wealth, produced and collected in about a nine-month period." And he might have added, it's a volume of wealth that is annually re-

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New Record--

newable.
Only Half Of The Story
Mr. Abbey does add that "the amazing wealth of this area is only half told by the value of its annual cotton crop." After pointing out that "these Plains are a cotton empire of their own unparalleled in the United States and the world by any other cotton growing nations," he goes on to say that this area raises nearly as much grain of all kinds, and many other crops, and cattle, and produce; much oil and gas."
And, also a well known fact, one well said by Mr. Abbey, "If it were not for acreage allotments for cotton, and the soil bank, this area could provide twice the cotton acreage it now employs," and "while it is hard to comprehend, these Plains could grow more cotton than Texas is now producing, could provide more cotton than the entire U. S. is exporting, and two-thirds of what the U. S. could consume in any one season."

The Slaton Slatonite Sports



Bowling

SLATON CITY LEAGUE

	W	L
Quality Cleaners	36	16
Citizens State Bank	32	20
Triangle Mfg.	31	21
Wilson Lumber & Supply	31	21
Slaton Coop	30	22
Carries Truck Shop	29	23
Palace Barber	27	25
Arrants Meat	24	28
Slaton Savings & Loan	21	31
Hestand Grocery	21	31
Mackey	20	32
Gatzkeign	10	42

Police Dept.	19	29
Bill Ware		
Pharmacy	13 1/2	34 1/2
Slatonite	13	35

EARLY BIRD LEAGUE

Don Juans	38	14
Lucky Strikes	33	19
The Owls	32	20
R&G Art Shop	29	23
Scott & Wright	29	23
Jim-Dan-Dy Cleaners	29	23
Pay Less	25 1/2	26 1/2
The Undertakers	25 1/2	26 1/2
The Four Aces	22	20
Piggly-Wiggly	20	32
The Amateurs	17	35
The Ball-Wiewits	14	38

GUY'S & GALS

Lamb Chops	38	14
Night Hawks	35	17
Smith Bros.		
Farms	29	23
Four Squares	27	25
Tucker Butane	27	25
Bowl Pullers	27	25
Lion's Club	26	26
Slaton Hardware	24	28
Milbre's Flower	24	28
Flying Pins	19	33
Conners Garage	18	34
Self's Service	18	34

THURSDAY MORNING

	W	L
Team #1	35	13
Team #5	29	19
Team #3	21	27
Team #4	21	27
Team #6	19	29
Team #2	19	29

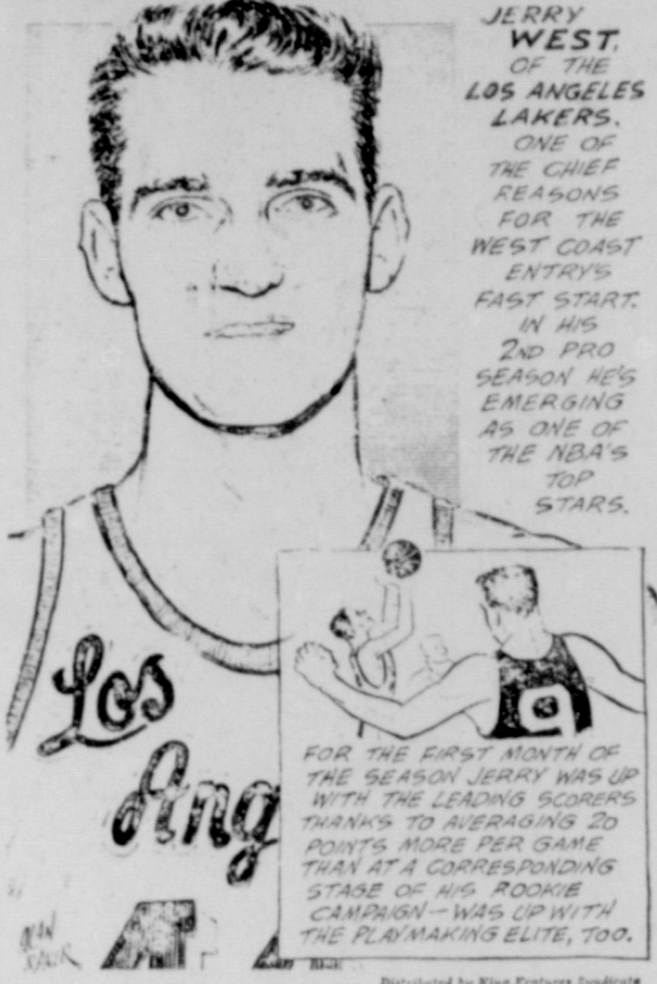
INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

Teague Drug	32	16
Slaton Gas & Equipment	30	18
Slaton Coop Gin	29	19
L & H Hardware	28	20
Piggly Wiggly	27	21
Five Mixers	26	22
Hopper Electric	26	22
Hackberry Coop		
Gin	22	22
Liles Sheet Metal	19	29
Santa Fe Diesels	18	30
Arps Bros	16	32
Slaton Bowl	15	33

TOWN & COUNTRY

	W	L
Smoothies	31	21
Dents	31	21
West Butane	30	22
Forrest Lumberjacks	28	24
Brewer Ins.	27 1/2	24 1/2
Jaycee's	27	25
Slaton Co-op		
Gin	26 1/2	25 1/2
Becker Humble	26 1/2	27 1/2
Spradley's	24	28
Slaton Motor Co.	24	28
Bownds Body Shop	21 1/2	30 1/2
M&S Implement	15	37

GO, WEST, YOUNG MAN - By Alan Maver



JERRY WEST OF THE LOS ANGELES LAKERS. ONE OF THE CHIEF REASONS FOR THE WEST COAST ENTRY'S FAST START. IN HIS 2ND PRO SEASON HE'S EMERGING AS ONE OF THE NBA'S TOP STARS.

FOR THE FIRST MONTH OF THE SEASON JERRY WAS UP WITH THE LEADING SCORERS THANKS TO AVERAGING 20 POINTS MORE PER GAME THAN AT A CORRESPONDING STAGE OF HIS ROOKIE CAMPAIGN - WAS UP WITH THE PLAYMAKING ELITE, TOO.

MERCY BOWL FIRST ON L

By WALTER L. JOHNS
Central Press Sports Editor

THE SPIRIT of giving, generally reserved for the Christmas season, will prevail on Thanksgiving morning in the huge Los Angeles Coliseum where the first of the 15 Bowl games will be played before a hoped-for audience of 100,000.

It is the Mercy Bowl, so appropriately named because it is for the benefit of the families of 17 football players, and the survivors, of a tragic air crash in Ohio a year ago, a crash which wiped out a football team, left two score others injured in hospitals and brought staggering expenses for burial, hospitalization and medical care.

The California State Polytechnic team had played Bowling Green State U. at Bowling Green, O., that afternoon of October 29 and was soundly thumped by a 50 to 6 score.

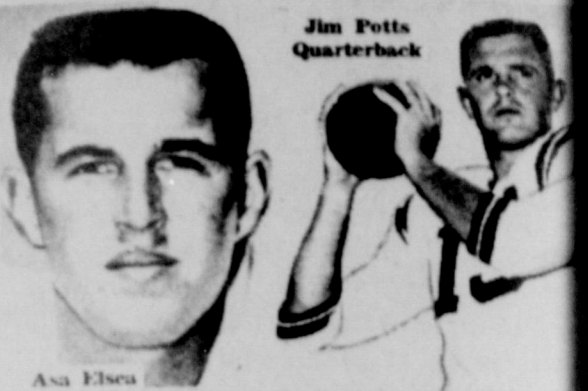
The team took off from the Toledo, O., airport that same evening in a chartered plane but the plane crashed, in fog and rain, killing 17 players, injuring more than 20 others.

There were no insurance benefits, for the airline which owned the doomed plane was of a non-listed kind.

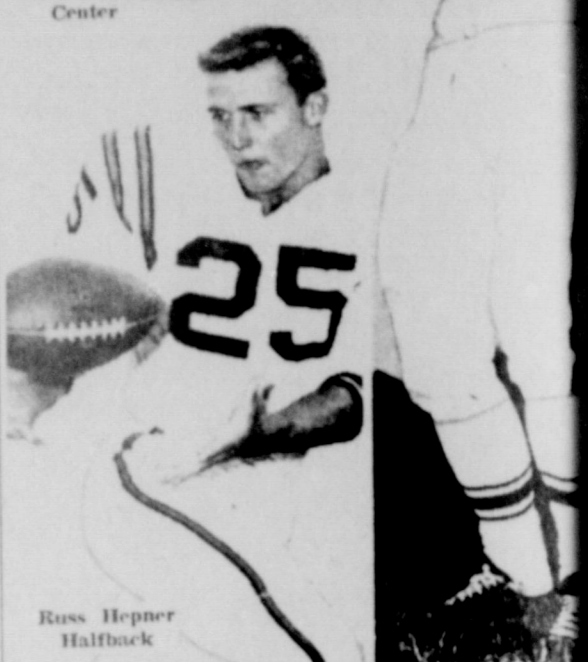
PLANS for a post-season game last year to help out failed to materialize but a Mercy Bowl classic was set for this year.

The host team would be the champion of the California Collegiate Athletic Conference, in which league the Cal Poly team played, and the winner is Fresno State, undefeated at this writing. Bowling Green consented to participate and the Falcons are one of the stronger teams of the Mid-American Conference.

The game will pit two very successful coaches and two fine teams against each other.



Jim Potts Quarterback



Russ Hepner Halfback

ERRAND OF MERCY Three of the stars of the Bowling State University team of Bowling Green, O., who met Fresno State team in the Mercy Bowl Thanksgiving game in the Los Angeles Coliseum, are pictured. Russ is the leading ground gainer and pass receiver; Jim has a .364 average in passing and Asa Elsea is the point maker. The game is being played to raise money for those involved in that tragic plane crash in October, when 17 California State Polytechnic players were killed after a game with Bowling Green.

FRANK WATSON'S SPORTS TEST

By FRANK WATSON
Central Press Sports Writer

QUESTIONS

1-Billy Wade, the Bear quarterback, played for the Rams. True or false?

2-What team is J. C. Carver a top player on?

3-Les Richter is an outstanding quarterback. True or false?

HOORHEE?

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Just Follow the Signs in Odessa - Post - Lubbock

WOODEN ISSUE--

for a purpose -- that being to demonstrate the fact that problems will not be solved at the grass roots level, unless mutually agreed upon. They will be credited by the government at its discretion.

We could crusade for twenty years against the injustice of government intervention in the various phases of private enterprise and hear only from many that "if the government wants to help then why not let them?"

This situation is precisely why they should not help. Intervention in the form of help from the government is a two-edged coin and the "help" irrevocably goes to "control."

Should farmers be unable to obtain credit during the next harvest, then just what would the government "help" amount to?

Human beings, if they are to retain a degree of human compassion and integrity must solve the problems dealing with human nature themselves. What kindness lies in the heart of the person who is forced to give?

And what virtue is there in being black-balled to the absolution of a problem, when it remove the problem at all?

When we realize that our government has no specific purpose, and commits definite injustice when it transgresses its purposes, then we will have adjusted.

When we realize that the government is powerful regardless of the wishes of the people, then we will begin to improve our situation.

When we attain less government, and more human dignity, then will feel that we are climbing. But not before.

C.E.C.

Slaton Invited To Have Special Day At Fort Worth Exposition

Fort Worth, December 4. Slaton has received an invitation to have a special day at the 1961 Southeastern Livestock and Fat Stock Show, held here January 26 through February 4.

The Fort Worth Stock Show promoter, said by having a "special day" at the show exposition, the city will give special recognition to the show itself throughout a wide area.

The exposition provides a block reservation of the rodeo, with a spot reserved for the rodeo. The local band is invited to give a concert on the Stock Show grounds and be the show's main attraction.

The Fort Worth Rodeo spotlights television stars. The rodeo promoter (Ike Cartwright) and the Stock Show promoter (Boss Cartwright) will appear in person at the rodeo performance.

The livestock department will have more than 10,000 entries. The rodeo also is invited to give a concert on the Stock Show grounds and be the show's main attraction.

entry on the special day, or both. Many cities and organizations make annual trips to the Fort Worth Stock Show, the nation's oldest major livestock show and site of the world's original indoor rodeo.

NOTICE

A public hearing will be held in the City Auditorium in the City Hall at Slaton, Texas, at 10 a.m., on December 20, 1961, for discussing the improvements of the following highway project:

U. S. Highway 84, from 1.5 miles Northwest of Slaton around Slaton to Lynn County line.

Highway Engineers will be present to explain the location and improvements and to answer any questions concerning the project.

All persons interested in this project are invited to attend the meeting.

Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Conroy Bain returned Sunday night from a trip to San Juan, Puerto Rico. They came back by Houston, where they visited relatives.

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- STEREO & HI-FI** You don't have to have an ear for music to appreciate the fine tone qualities of a good record.
- CEDAR CHEST** by Lane well designed - practical - beautiful. The Gift that starts the home.
- BEDDING** A good boxspring & mattress for the rest your life needs.
- CHAIRS** for everyone in the family and every room in the house and you don't have to know what size they wear.
- SMOKERS** Snuffer type that stops those long smouldering snipes instantly. or Ash trays big enough to hold a whole days litter.
- DINETTES** Four six or eight chair suites. Foam padded seats, may not make the turkey taste any better but sure will make the extra weight more comfortable.
- CARPET** Home means more with carpet on the floor. The floor show of the decade can be yours, with more warmth, more comfort, more luxury & less care.
- MIRRORS** A mirror from our stock can end your search for the unusual, gift. Give mirrors either wall or full length door mirrors - they reflect your thoughtfulness.
- ROCKERS** For the small fry we have a good selection of small rockers in Modern or Maple.
- TOY CHEST** Sturdy, roomy and large enough you won't stumble over them.
- DAVO-CHEST** The seat raises to reveal a storage space underneath and the kids have their own sofa upholstered in washable vinyl.
- TABLE & CHAIR SET** Let the kids open this Christmas morning and have lunch on a table made just their size with folding chairs their size too. Maybe there will be less spills.
- T. V. TRAYS** We don't know anyone who has T. V. Trays who do not use them.
- VANITY BENCH** Brass frame with colorful cushions in either a bench or stool. These will add a lot to my ladies boudoir or bathroom.
- HASSOCKS** Complete rest requires a foot rest & our hassocks have no other use - except possibly an extra seat when too many people drop in.
- ROCKERS** To relax from the tension of every day cares give a chair with motion and our president recommends a rocker.

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SCHEDULE OF COMING EVENTS

November 28
 Congratulations goes to Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Duckworth of Lubbock, a girl 8 lb. and 4 oz. named Rhonda Yvonne.
 Congratulations goes to Mr. and Mrs. John Whit of Slaton, a boy 5 lb. and 5 oz., named Johnny Lee.
 November 30
 Mr. and Mrs. Richard George Lamb of Lubbock, a boy 8 lb. and 6 oz. named Randolph George.
 December 1
 Congratulations goes to Mr. and Mrs. Pedro A. Saucedo of Lubbock, a boy 8 lb. and 7 oz., named Genaro.
 December 2
 Rev. and Mrs. Glenn P. Purnett of Wilson are the proud parents of a boy, 6 lb. and 4 oz. named James David.
 December 3
 Mr. and Mrs. Don Weston Alsbaugh of Slaton are the proud parents of a boy 7 lb. and 3 oz. named Wesley Don.
 December 4
 Congratulations goes to Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Ray Barnes of Slaton, a girl, 6 lb. and 6 oz., named Verla Kaylea.
 Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Valdez of Slaton are the proud parents of a boy, 6 lb. and 13 1/2 oz. named Johnny.
 December 5
 Mr. and Mrs. Larry White of Slaton are the proud parents of a boy 10 lb. and 10 oz. named Kenneth George.

Thursday -- Rotary, Club House, Noon, Ladies Auxiliary to the V.F.W., V.F.W. Hall 7:30 p.m., Masonic Lodge, Masonic Hall, Abernathy Tournament, boys and girls.
 Friday -- Senior Citizen, Club House, 10:00 a.m., Abernathy Tournament.
 Saturday -- Visit Shut-in Friends, Abernathy Tournament.
 Sunday -- Attend church of your choice; Singing, Church of God 2 to 4 p.m., Monday -- City Commission City Hall, 7 p.m., American Legion, Legion Hall 7:30 p.m., Knight of Columbus, St. Joseph's Hall 8 p.m., Tuesday -- Eastern Star, Masonic Hall, 7:30 p.m., Vota Vita Class, Jaycee Board Member Meeting 8 p.m., A.A. meets in basement of First Christian Church, Dec. 12, Slaton vs Frenship-Here 7 p.m., Wednesday -- V.F.W., V.F.W. Hall 7:30 p.m.

TAX-MAN SAM SEZ:
 For the past several years the Internal Revenue Service has given taxpayers a choice of three different tax forms, the 1040, the 1040-W and the 1040-A. The 1040 was a four-page form that could be used by any taxpayer. It fits 60 million different individual situations. The 1040-W was a two-page affair that could be used by taxpayers for any amount of salary or wage income. The 1040-A is the little card form that can be used by salary and wage earners up to \$10,000. Internal Revenue has abolished the 1040-W form but to take its place they have revised the old four-page Form 1040 to a two-page form the same as last year's Form 1040-W. The additional schedules that were included in the basic Form 1040 last year will be available to taxpayers needing these forms as a separate schedule like the Schedule C for business and the Schedule F for farm. The 1040-A form remains. If you used a 1040-A form last year the Internal Revenue Service will be sending you another 1040-A with your name already punched into the card for you to use to prepare your return.

Nikita Khrushchev almost turned around and went back when he picked up a New York sports paper which headlined, "Reds out of the race. Pirates are out to scalp the Yanks."

Young lady motorist--It's snowing and sleeting and I'd like to buy some chains for my tires.
 Clerk--I'm sorry--we keep only groceries.
 Motorist--How annoying! They told me this was a chain store.

Fur, Fin & Campfire

WHEN YOU'RE OUT THE HUNT.
 ONCE THEY'RE SHOT AT, THEY'LL STAY ON THE GROUND, UNLESS YOU CORNER THEM OR HAVE A SCOTCH BIRD DOG TO BAIT THEM OUT OF HIDING.



THEY'LL BACK-TRACK IF THEY SPOT YOU ONLY A FEW FEET OFF. VETERAN HUNTERS SAY THE BEST METHOD IS TO FORCE THEM, THROUGH A DRIVE, TO A CLEARING WHERE THEY WON'T RUN, BUT WILL TAKE OFF.



WHEN THEY TAKE OFF AT THE END OF A FISH, THEY'LL FLY BACK TO THE BRUSH, THEN GO BACK TO THEIR ORIGINAL PLACE IN THE FIELD.

THE COCK PHEASANT IS SMART. HE SENDS UP A HEN IF THERE'S SHOOTING IN THE AREA. TO SEE WHAT HAPPENS, BEFORE HE'LL TAKE OFF.

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BRAUNSWEIGER CHUBS 8 Oz. Chub 15¢

Kraft's Red Rind, Low Calorie, BACON SQUARES Lb. 29¢

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Lean Northern Pork, Half or Whole Loin, PORK LOINS Lb. 49¢

FISHSTICKS 4 - 8 Oz. Pkg. \$1.00

Pinkney's Pure Pork, PORK SAUSAGE Lb. 29¢

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CATSUP Stockton 12 Oz. 15¢

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- CHEER Regular Box
- DASH Giant Box
- DUZ Queen Size Box
- SALVO 24 Count Box 13c
- IVORY LIQUID 22 Oz. 7c Off
- JOY LIQUID 12 Oz. 4c
- TOILET SOAP IVORY Camaj, 19c Off Net, 4 - 8c
- TOILET SOAP 2c
- TOILET SOAP 2c
- TOILET SOAP 2c
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