

oters to Decide City Sales Tax Issue Oct. 26

Welcome Slaton Exes I

BY SPEEDY NIEMAN

Election on a bare percent city sales tax for the City of Slaton will be held Saturday, Oct. 26, it was decided by action of the City Commission Monday night.

The action came as expected, after commissioners announced at their first regular session this month that more revenue was needed and that it would have to come from a city sales tax or higher water rates.

Commissioners looked over a proposed budget Monday night that was about \$30,000 short, even though it was termed by City Sec. Gerald Kendrick as containing only "bare essentials."

Nevertheless, the commission had to cut out some items to come up with a balanced budget to submit to the state comptroller. A public hearing on the budget was set for Oct. 14 at 7:30 p.m.

Expenditures totaled \$499,114.55 for the 1968-69 budget, compared to \$494,979 last year. In view of the fact the city had to add on \$84,000 for the Canadian River project this year, the increase was minimal.

In other business Monday night, the commission passed on first reading an ordinance on pawn shops, set the public hearing on the budget, aired a zoning violation with a property owner, and agreed to include autos on the tax roll.

Mayor Jonas Cain announced at the last regular meeting that it would be a matter of giving citizens a choice -- a sales tax or higher water rates. City Atty. Carroll Smith said passage of the Sales tax was "vital to maintaining solvency of city operations."

The commission has studied several possible water rates. One would raise the minimum charge from \$3.50 to \$5.25, along with slight increases for heavier water users. Another has a \$4.75 minimum and larger increases for more usage.

Estimated revenue from a one percent city sales tax might approach \$60,000 a year in Slaton. The Texas Municipal League reports an average of \$8.10 per capita in other cities across the state.

Mayor Cain, citing the need for additional revenues, listed some of the reasons as being the Canadian River payment requirements, a drop of water department income this year due to large amount of rain, added police protection, and due to extra expenses, funds have not been set aside for maintenance of streets and equipment, and replacement of equipment.

The water department has normally been transferring \$40,000 a year to the general fund for bond payments. The water and sewer bond payment in 1968 required \$61,000 and will require \$54,000 this coming year.

Due to the rains in 1968 water income dropped and the usual \$40,000 transfer would not be made. Cain pointed out that the public requested more police protection, which required the addition of three people and one vehicle.

The Slaton Slatonite

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The WEATHER		
	HIGH	LOW
Sept. 25	85 est.	48
Sept. 24	75	58
Sept. 23	92	68
Sept. 22	91	66
Sept. 21	94	63
Sept. 20	96	67
Sept. 19	100	57

AT ROTARY CLUB

Housing Project Report Is Given

A housing project for low-income families--first initiated here by a City of Slaton resolution on Dec. 14, 1964--is currently scheduled for completion in March, 1969, it was reported at a Rotary Club meeting last Thursday.

Harry Anderson, chairman of Slaton Housing Authority, told Rotarians the construction was now about 45 percent complete. He said applications for rentals will probably be accepted after the first of the year.

Approval of funds totaling \$903,560 to construct the 70 low-rent units in Slaton was given by the Public Housing Authority in October, 1965. The local housing authority will have a 40-year loan on the project with payment guaranteed by the federal government. The government makes payment only if the local authority is unable to do so.

Located in southeast Slaton--between Jean and Edwards and between 2nd and 7th streets--the 35 duplexes were approved in two categories.

Of the 40 units designed for the elderly (62 and over), there will be 36 one-bedroom units and four two-bedroom units. Of the 30 units for non-elderly, 20 will be two-bedroom units and 10 will have three bedrooms. Rent will be based on the number in the family and the income, according to a government formula.

The primary purpose of Public Housing is "to make available to families of modest economic means, and low-income elderly persons, decent, safe and sanitary low-rent housing which they can afford in no other way."

Slaton Housing Authority is directed and operated by a board of five commissioners. Earl F. Wilson was hired as executive director by the board. Serving with Anderson on the board was Bruce Pember, vice chairman; T. A. Worley, Bo Becker, and T. J. Wallace.

GROUP BRINGS SUIT AGAINST CITY, SCHOOL

Restraining Order Blocks Tax Rolls



HOMECOMING CANDIDATES--With Friday set for the Slaton homecoming this year, Mr. and Miss Flame candidates pictured above have been chosen at SHS. The winners will light the fire at the bonfire Thursday night at 8 p.m. They are, left to right, Debbie Donaldson, Wayne Fagin, Janet Williams, Morris Dixon, Jackie Clark and Buddy Pettigrew. One of the girls will also be crowned homecoming queen Friday at the pep rally. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

A simmering controversy over a tax equalization and revaluation program by Slaton School District and the City of Slaton came to a boil here the past week when a group of taxpayers won a temporary restraining order blocking adoption of the tax rolls.

3 Cent Sales Tax In Effect October 2

Retail buyers in the Slaton area and over Texas will pay sales tax on purchases as low as 16 cents, instead of the present first penny at 25 cents, with the new 3-cent state sales tax that goes into effect Oct. 2.

A bulletin Friday from the state comptroller's office affirmed that the new 3-cent tax, that replaces the present 2-cent charge, would go into effect on Oct. 2 instead of Oct. 1, as announced in July when the tax was boosted in a special session of the Texas legislature.

Items covered by the sales tax will not be changed under the new law. Food items will still be exempt from the taxes, as will tobaccos and liquors, these latter items carrying separate state taxes.

Under the new schedule, buyers will pay a 1-cent tax on purchases from 16 cents to 49 cents, two cents from 50 to 83 cents and three cents from 84 cents to \$1.16.

The increase is the first since the Texas sales tax of two cents was made effective in 1961, the first time for a Texas sales tax.

property owners' petition was filed in the court Saturday morning.

The suit was brought by Nestor Kitten and others, including some 135 persons or estates whose properties are included in the district and the city. Most of the group were farmland owners.

Named as defendants are the Slaton School District, the Board of Equalization of the school district, Buford Duff, tax assessor collector; The City of Slaton, the Board of Equalization of the city, and Gerald Kendrick, city tax assessor collector.

A hearing was ordered for Sept. 30 at 1:30 p.m. in the 140th District Court room.

Another temporary restraining order had previously been issued by Judge Robert H. Benn in district court, it arose from a suit brought by Claude S. Cravens, and blocked adoption of the tax rolls only in connection with the Cravens' property in question. Hearing on this suit is set for 10 a.m. on Oct. 1.

The petition by Kitten and others alleges some 22 improper, illegal and unequal actions by the school and city and the appointed equalization boards.

The petition complains of the hiring of a firm of appraisal experts and the contracting for the appraisal of the property in the jurisdiction of the city and school without prior approval of the comptroller of Texas or the attorney general of Texas, alleging the contract and the expenditure of \$12,500 to be illegal for these reasons.

The property owners also allege that automobiles, pickups and trucks registered to owners in the bounds of the governmental bodies were omitted from

(See TAX SUIT, Page 3)

Tigers Host Snyder In Homecoming Grid Battle

With a taste of victory and taste of defeat on their District 3-AAA grid menu, Slaton's fighting Tigers hope to order up another triumph for a Homecoming crowd here Friday night when the Snyder Tigers provide the opposition. Kickoff time is 7:30 p.m.

Both teams are 1-1 in district action, and the Snyder crew will be favored by most observers after belting Lake View by 48-0 last week. Slaton scored a 26-7 win over the same team in its opener. Snyder lost in its opener, 21-0, to Lubbock Dunbar.

Coach Ernie Davis announced some changes in the starting lineups this week in an effort to rest some key offensive gridgers. The Tiger mentor, who said depth would be a problem at the outset of the season, pointed to Lamesa's two-platoon system as a factor in the one-sided loss to the Tors last week.

Lamesa scored 21 points in the last 7 minutes of the game last Friday. Davis said the Tigers were in shape, but it takes more out of a boy when he has to go both ways.

Davis hopes to go primarily with only four boys playing both ways this week. "It may weaken us some defensively, but we hope it will pay off overall," the coach said.

Slated for double-duty act. (See TIGERS, Page 8)

Bonfire, Pep Rally Launch Homecoming

A huge bonfire will kick off homecoming activities Thursday night at 8 p.m. The bonfire will be held in the parking lot by Tiger Stadium.

Candidates for Mr. and Miss Flame were elected at Slaton High Monday and the winners will be named at the bonfire. The senior class selected the senior candidates and the winners will be chosen by popular vote of SHS students. Candidates are Debbie Donaldson, Janet Williams and Jackie Clark for Miss Flame and Wayne Fagin, Morris Dixon and Buddy Pettigrew for Mr. Flame.

Dee Bowman, manager of KCAS Radio, will be the speaker at the bonfire. Following the bonfire there will be a "snake dance" to downtown where another pep rally will be held on the City Hall lawn.

Due to Class AAA Inter-scholastic rules, the crowning of the homecoming and football queen will not be on the field before the football game. The presentation has been set to take place during the pep rally at 3:10 p.m. Friday in the SHS gym.

Queen candidates are the same as Miss Flame candidates, but the queen and Miss Flame will not necessarily be the same girl, because the queen is elected by the football boys. The queen and her court will be driven around the field about 7:30 Friday night. A car will be furnished by Smith-Ford, and Terry Mosser will be the driver.

NEW CARS ON DISPLAY

Slaton auto dealers will hold premier showings of their new cars this weekend, with the curtain being unveiled today on all the new models.

Look inside today's Slatonite for pictures and details on the new models, and announcement ads from the dealers and auto companies.

Then, be sure to go by Slaton Motors (Oldsmobile - Pontiac), Smith Ford (Ford-Lincoln - Mercury) and the local Chevrolet dealer to see the new cars on display in the showrooms. Free refreshments and free registration for prizes are also planned at the premier showings.

Glen Akin Jr., a sophomore student at Slaton High School, showed the reserve grand champion sow at the Panhandle South Plains Fair this year. Glen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen D. Akin, R. 1, Slaton. This was his first big win and he came home from the fair Monday with two blue ribbons, two purple ribbons and his big award for reserve grand champion will be sent to him later.

In the Berkshire Division, Paul Johnson, vocational ag teacher at SHS, showed the first place Senior Spring Boar Pig. Akin's gilt was judged first in the Junior Spring Sow Pig division and was judged the Junior Champion Sow.

Gary Cook, another Slaton FFA member, showed a Berkshire sow that placed third in the junior division and ninth in the open division.

Valton Miesker of Wilson had the champion barrow. The Cooper FFA Chapter placed third in the educational booth judging.



RIBBON WINNER--Glen Akin is proudly looking at four ribbons his sow won at the Panhandle South Plains Fair this year. The ribbon for reserve grand champion will be sent to him in a few days. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Showerers Recorded Here

Area farmers, reporting more inches of rain this year, are about to "call rope" on the moisture.

A downpour in Slaton Tuesday night, 4.0 of an inch, but the shower was of the farm areas as it moved east and southeast.

A shower came on the heels of the rain Monday night and rainfall up to 2.5 inches in some areas.

Reports Saturday ranged from 1.5 inches in Slaton up to almost 2.5 inches south and southwest of town. In the southwest of Slaton, reports ranged about 32 inches of rain this year. Average rainfall here is about 17 inches.

It was reported Saturday, and light hail fell in Slaton for a short time. The hail damage was reported in the area, but it was believed to be light.

Front dropped the reading to 48 degrees Wednesday morning, according to Natural Gas. The temperature was 100 degrees last Thursday for the day, but the maximum reading was 100.

Forecasters to show good prospects, but dry spell would be welcomed by farmers.

QUESTIONS, ANSWERS CITY SALES TAX

One of a series of questions and answers on the one-cent municipal sales tax by the Slatonite prior to the sales tax election in Slaton on Saturday, Oct. 26. We believe that this series of questions and answers on the issues involved, and many of the questions to be posed at the election, will be helpful to voters. (The Editor.)

Q: Are items subject to the one-cent sales tax?

A: The one-cent sales tax is applicable to those sales not taxed under the State Use Tax Act.

Q: Do the city sales tax apply to sales at the wholesale level?

A: No. The city sales tax apply to sales at the retail level. Goods sold for resale are not taxable.

Q: Are there many items which are exempt from the city sales tax?

A: The same items that are exempt from the State Sales and Use Tax Act, in addition to the items considered "necessary" are exempt from the city sales tax. These include: water, telephone and telegraph, medicine and eyeglasses, cement, machinery, automobiles, cigarettes, cigarets, alcoholic beverages, meals, and hospital care for patients and products used in the manufacture of an object which is not subject to this tax, and some of the items which are tax deductible.

Q: Are city sales tax payments deductible on Federal Income Tax reports?

A: Yes, city sales tax payments are deductible on Federal Income Tax reports.

Gifts Needed For Christmas

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 6721 met Monday at 8 p.m. with eight members present. Mrs. Travis Mann, president, conducted the business meeting.

Mrs. Bo Becker, chairman of the committee to take Christmas gifts to patients at the Big Spring State Hospital, said she will be taking the gifts on Saturday, Sept. 28. She reported that only 20 members have responded to the project and encourages the other members and any interested citizen who would like to take part in it to call here at 828-3951.

The auxiliary is still seeking names and addresses of boys who are serving in Vietnam and names should be given to Mrs. G. L. Hartley.

The group voted to purchase gifts for the Slaton Rest Home at Christmas time again this year.

A steak dinner was served by the VFW Post following the meeting.

Roosevelt YH Will Make 'Ditty' Bags

The Roosevelt Young Homemakers met Tuesday in the Roosevelt Club house with 10 members and two guests, Mrs. Buck White and Mrs. Randy Peoples, attending. The guests are student teachers from Texas Tech.

Following the business meeting, the group toured the Idalou State Bank.

The group will meet at 4 p.m. today (Thursday) in the Roosevelt Home Economics department to make "ditty" bags. These bags will be filled with articles by the Future Homemakers at school, and upon completion will be given to the Red Cross to send to men in Vietnam.

The next regular meeting is scheduled at 9 a.m. Oct. 8 at the Roosevelt club house.

St. Joseph HSA To Up-Date Textbooks

Members of St. Joseph's Home-School Association met at 8 p.m. last Monday in the school cafeteria to meet members of the faculty.

Sister M. Angelica, principal, introduced Sister Michael, first grade teacher; Miss Jerene Verkamp, second grade; Sister Lucia, third and fourth grades; Sister Isabelle Marie, fifth and sixth grades; and J. M. Evans who teaches social studies and serves as coach for boys in grades three through eight. Sister Angelica teaches seventh and eighth grades.

A number of fund-raising projects were under discussion, but were tabled until the next meeting so that further information can be obtained.

The organization's goal for the coming year will be to update old textbooks, beginning with the readers, and then the science, math and English textbooks.

Following the business, open house was held in all the classrooms. Some 55 members attended. Mrs. Eugene Bedmarz is reporter for the association.

New Officers For HD Club

Members of the Slaton Home Demonstration Club met last Wednesday at the club house with Mrs. Wilfred Kitten presiding in the absence of Mrs. Alton Meeks who is attending the T.H.D.A. State Convention.

It was suggested that the club assist the Red Cross in filling "ditty" bags, and members voted to fill two.

Items were collected for the Christmas box which will be sent to the Big Spring State Hospital.

Members were reminded to get their entries in to the South Plains Fair, representing the local club at the home demonstration booth will be Mrs. Don Wendel and Mrs. J. M. Breland.

Officers nominated and elected for 1969 are Mrs. Wilfred Kitten, president; Mrs. E. E. Bishop, vice-president; Mrs. Don Wendel, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. George Pool, council delegate.

Mrs. Mildred Patterson, county home demonstration agent, presented a program on "Color in the Home." She emphasized the effect that color has on the personality of each individual.

Mrs. Kitten and Mrs. Wendel served refreshments to Mrs. Milt Ardrey, E. G. Butler, Ray Brown, R. A. Hardesty, Elford Stricklin, B. B. Green, Jerry Melton, Bishop and Pool; and three new members, Mrs. Terry Bishop, Mrs. George Jameson and Mrs. Helen Martin. Mrs. Patterson was a guest.

A program planning meeting is scheduled tomorrow (Friday) at the Pre-Precinct 1 club house. All members are urged to attend.

The First Aid classes will begin at 7 p.m. next Tuesday at SWPS Reddy Room. Earl Malone of the Lubbock Fire Department will serve as instructor for the classes.

Mrs. McCarver Returns From California

Mrs. Ira McCarver returned Monday from a 10-day visit in California with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McCallum of Los Angeles, and her son, Eddie Ray at San Diego. She attended Eddie's graduation from Marine boot camp, and then visited a cousin, Robby Edmondson, who is also stationed at San Diego.

While there, Mrs. McCarver boarded Robby's ship, the Kitty Hawk, an aircraft carrier, which is in port at San Diego.

Eddie was transferred following his graduation to Camp Pendleton where he will receive several weeks of special training. He will then receive a 20-day leave.



OFFICERS---Buddy Pettigrew, left, was elected recently as president of the class at SHS. Other officers are Janet Williams, secretary and Randal Partain, (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Pack 128 Gets Award

Dr. John Brand, district chairman of the Mackenzie Trail of Boy Scouts, will present the Summertime Pack Award to Cub Scout Pack 128 when the pack meets tonight at 7:30 p.m. in the Scout Hut for its regular monthly meeting.

All Cub Scouts, Webelos and parents of the pack are encouraged to be present, according to R. M. McMinn, Cub Scout master.

ITEM: If you want a king-size bed and you have a mini-sized door, check on a latex foam rubber mattress. It's light enough to be rolled, folded or flipped for easy delivery, and firm enough to give even sleeping comfort.

pay a reasonable tax on their property upon a fair and equitable and uniform tax roll, being prepared upon a fair and equitable and uniform tax roll, and upon a fair and equitable assessment on their property. The petition also said the suit was not brought for the purpose of avoiding payment of taxes.

Among visitors to the HemisFair last week were Mrs. Jo Delaney and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vickers of Slaton. They also visited Aquarena Springs at San Marcos before driving to Clovis, N.M. where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Delaney and Leslie.

NOTICE

Order of the Eastern Star of the Slaton Chapter 585 is having a "Friendship" meeting at 6:30 p.m. Nov. 30 at the Slaton club house.

A spokesman for the group stated that all local members are urged to attend and bring a salad.

Cheerleaders Elected At SJHS

Newly elected cheerleaders at Slaton Junior High School are Cathy Riney and Brenda Harrell, eighth grade; Kathy Price and Frana Gass, seventh grade; and Rhonda Biggs, sixth grade.

These girls will be leading the yells at the seventh and eighth grade football games this season.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- SEPTEMBER 26
- Timothy Daniels
- Elbert Wilson
- Carter Lankeford
- SEPTEMBER 27
- Skeet Peterson
- Jimmy Ross
- Bobby Rust
- Mrs. Anna B. Gentry
- R. C. Hall Jr.
- SEPTEMBER 28
- Melvin Wall
- Skipper Tumlinson
- Jay Wimmer
- Frances M. Rylant
- Roy Jim Davis
- Naomi Reynolds
- Ray Cook
- Clifton Tumlinson
- C. L. Hatch
- Dewayne Preston
- SEPTEMBER 29
- Ted Swanner
- Gwynne Garner
- Roger D. Lindsey
- Shirley Harmon
- Grady Montgomery
- SEPTEMBER 30
- Debbie Heinrich
- Billy Earl Tune
- Vicki Davis
- Ramona Key
- Delmer Hightower
- David Blisard
- OCTOBER 1
- Mrs. Lynn Perdue
- A. A. "Shorty" Cooper
- Mrs. Ronnie Dunn
- Mrs. A. C. Burk
- OCTOBER 2
- Thomas Paul Melton
- Don Patterson
- Laura Campbell
- Mrs. Truman Ford
- H. L. Sandlin
- Mrs. W. P. Shelton
- Jacque Nabors

Health Clinic Slated Here

The Well Child Conference and Immunization Clinic will be held in Slaton next Thursday. It is held monthly on the first Thursday.

The immunization will be from 1:30 - 3 and is for those not under the care of a physician. There is no charge.

The conference will be in Triumph Baptist Church at E. Geneva and S. Johnson St. at 10 a.m. and is by invitation only.

Library Sets Longer Hours

Next Tuesday, Oct. 1, the Slaton Branch Library will begin staying open new and longer hours, according to Mrs. Floy Miller, librarian from the Lubbock City-County Library.

The new hours will be 12 noon to 7 p.m., Monday through Friday, and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturdays, providing 40 hours for Slaton and area citizens to take advantage of the many books available at the library.

Mrs. Hugh Forehand is librarian for the branch here. The bookmobile will be in Slaton on Oct. 7 and 21 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Plans are being made for a Story Time at the library Saturday, Oct. 5, beginning at 10 a.m.

SCHOOL MENUS

- Sept. 30-Oct. 4
- MONDAY
- Beef noodle casserole
- Buttered W.K. corn
- Green peas
- Bran muffins & butter
- Berry cobbler
- 1/2 pint milk
- TUESDAY
- Baked meal patties with gravy
- Mashed potatoes
- Waldorf salad
- Hot rolls & butter
- Devil's food cake
- 1/2 pint milk
- WEDNESDAY
- Braised beef with rice
- Buttered green beans
- Carrot sticks
- Yeast biscuits & butter
- Fruit cup
- 1/2 pint milk
- THURSDAY
- Macaroni & cheese with bacon strip
- Blackeyed peas
- Buttered carrots
- Corn bread & butter
- Jello with topping
- 1/2 pint milk
- FRIDAY
- Hogie on buttered bun
- Potatoe salad
- Tomato wedges
- Frozen strawberries over plain cake
- 1/2 pint milk

bers present so there was no quorum and no jurisdiction;

The property owners also allege that the value set on improvements on property was set on the replacement value for some persons, while some property owners were allowed to use a cost value and use a depreciation on improvements, and by this increase the tax burden on the plaintiffs unequally.

The property owners also allege that the City of Slaton and the tax assessor and collector of the city and the city board of equalization denied access to public records of the City of Slaton to the plaintiffs and their attorney. The plaintiffs allege that this access to records is vitally necessary to the exercise of their rights as citizens and for proper investigation of the tax rolls. Such denial effectively prohibited their making comparative examination, of the tax roll and was apparently motivated solely by an effort to conceal from honorable and open examination, an illegal and fraudulent tax roll, the plaintiffs allege.

The plaintiffs petition also stated that they are willing to

Miss Beverly Mosser of Temple City, Calif., left this week after visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Louis Mosser, and other relatives and friends. Weekend visitors in Mrs. Mosser's home were her son, Mr. and Mrs. James Mosser and children of Denver City.

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WELCOME SLATON EXES!!

Bland's Furniture

Oldsmobile Introduces Restyled 88's, 98's

LANSING -- Oldsmobile, for 1969, is introducing completely restyled 88's and 98's, a longer and sleeker Toronado with a major change in rear end appearance, and power-train improvements designed for greater economy and performance in F-85 models.

"These styling and engineering advancements, as attractive as they are, compete for the customer's attention this year with a wide range of new safety-related product improvements," Harold N. Metzger, the division's general manager and a vice president of General Motors, announced today.

He said they included side impact bars inside the doors of 88's and 98's, a more uniform rate of energy absorption in all Oldsmobile steering columns, head restraints as standard

equipment, larger rear view mirrors, and a sloping interior header bar from roof to windshield to reduce the likelihood of head injury in case of accident.

"Styling changes in every 1969 Oldsmobile," he continued, "enhance their traditional appearance of top quality and emphatically designate series identification. Interior appointments are designed to stress luxury and elegance to a previously unmatched degree."

"From a marketing standpoint," Metzger said, "Oldsmobile has further simplified its medium price class lineup. All cars in the '88' family are Delta 88's. These cars with wheelbases increased to 124 inches are richly designed, longer looking and have more trunk room. They include the

Delta 88, the Delta 88 Custom, and a newly-created top-of-the-line hardtop coupe, the Delta 88 Royale.

"This elegant new 88 has a distinctive backlight, chromed front fender side louvers, identifying hood ornamentation, a vinyl top as standard equipment, and several other distinguishing features including its own exclusive exterior paint striping," he explained.

"The new 1969 Oldsmobile 98's also have been completely restyled," Metzger said. "Wheelbases have been increased to 127 inches. They are longer looking cars with longer hood, longer rear deck, and greater luggage capacity. The new 98 hardtop coupe particularly exemplifies these qualities. The increasingly popular 98 Luxury Sedan has been ex-

panded to two models for 1969. Previously available only in a 4-door pillar version, Oldsmobile in '69 is offering a companion car, identified as the 98 Luxury Hardtop Sedan."

An optional feature in this automobile is a divided front bench seat with independent controls for driver and passenger positioning, representing a significant comfort improvement for front seat passengers.

"The 1969 Toronado, lengthened 3 1/2 inches, displays a dramatically redesigned rear end. It is extremely clean-tailored and involves a new deck and rear quarters."

"The Toronado interior is richer and the Toronado ride has been further improved to better absorb road irregularities without any sacrifice in handling," he added. Other product improvements include a more conveniently located ash tray for the driver, and a rotary latch on the glove box door. Optional on this car is the electrically heated rear window defogging system which Oldsmobile introduced last spring.

"The new Oldsmobile F-85's, including the Cutlass, Cutlass Supreme, 4-4-2 and Vista Cru-

ser models, have undergone just the right degree of change -- front, rear and interior -- to achieve a sportier look combined with the high quality detail for which the young family of today is shopping," Metzger said.

Oldsmobile's high-performing 4-4-2 becomes even more distinctive in 1969, aided in part by a special rally hood paint scheme replacing the previous side rally stripes.

Among major engineering advancements by Oldsmobile in 1969 is the expansion, on many F-85 models, of the power train philosophy introduced on full-size Oldsmobiles in 1968. This has been accomplished by combining an all-new 3-speed automatic transmission with a lower 2.56-to-1 axle ratio, resulting in performance and fuel economy gains.

This new Turbo Hydra-Matic 350 transmission, functionally the same as the Turbo Hydra-Matic 400 available in full-size Oldsmobiles, is smaller and lighter to meet the torque requirements of the 350 cu. in. engine.

Front vent windows are eliminated on all 88's, 98's and F-85 hardtop coupes and convertibles. An upper ventilation system like that first introduced on the Toronado in 1966, has air outlets in the ends of the instrument panel. It provides quiet draft-free ventilation.

In the area of safety-related product improvements, Oldsmobile 88's and 98's are equipped with side impact bars along the inside of car doors to reduce the hazard of side impacts.

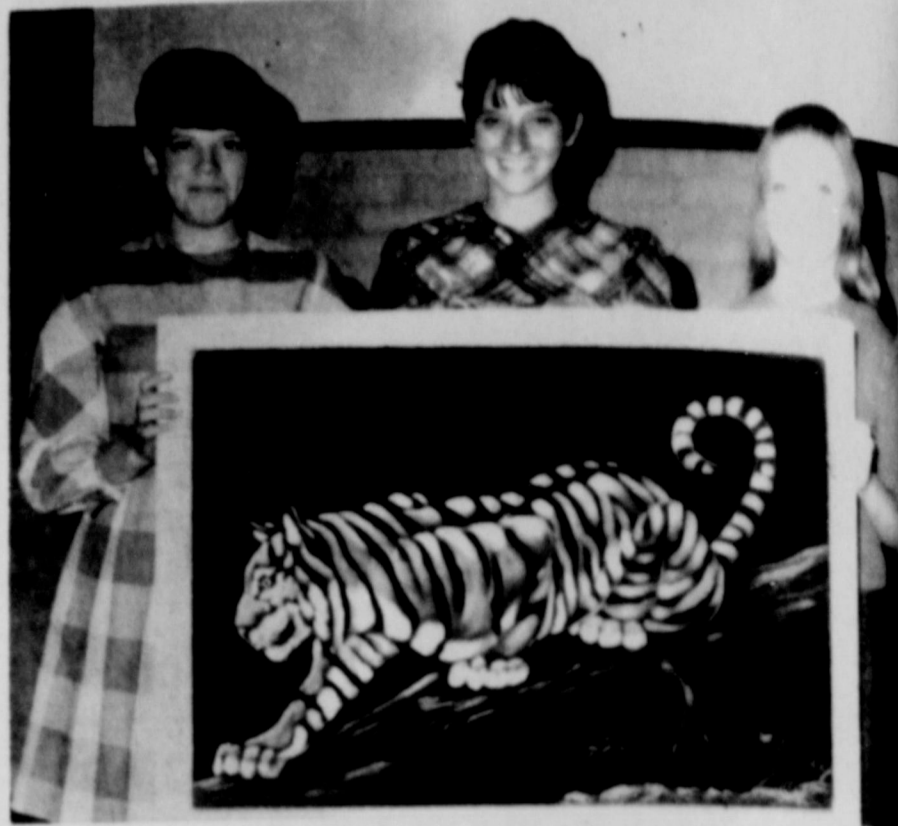
Another new safety improvement for 1969 is the redesigned energy-absorbing feature built into the steering column. Instead of the 'Japanese-lantern' type of collapse used in 1968, the new device uses ball bearings between tubes. In an accident situation, one tube is forced farther inside the other to provide a more uniform rate of energy absorption.

"The ignition lock on all Oldsmobiles is located in the steering column just below the steering wheel," Metzger said. "It is more accessible, especially for a belted driver, its purpose is to act as a car theft deterrent when the driver takes the key with him." He explained that the new device locks the ignition, steering wheel and transmission shift mechanism. Fiberglass-belted tires for significantly improved tread wear and traction are available for all 1969 Oldsmobiles. On the new 88's and 98's, the standard wheel and tire size has been increased to 15 inches.

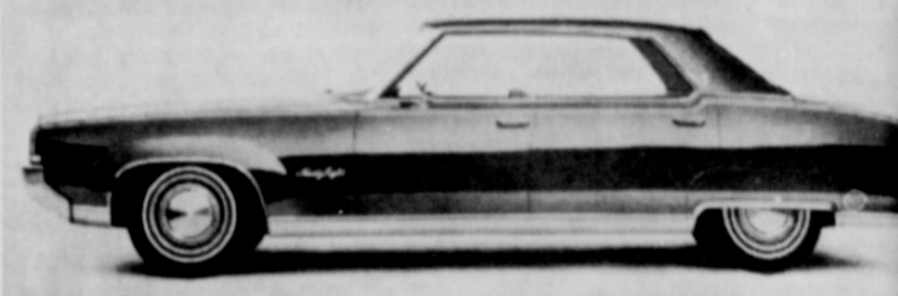
A new, single-piston disc brake, optional on all the 1969's, replaces the former 4-piston design.

Oldsmobile's 1969 engine lineup consists of three basic V-8's of 350-cu.-in., 400-cu.-in. and 455-cu.-in. displacement, and a 250-cu.-in. L-6. A 4-barrel V-8 tailored for peak performance at higher engine speeds is newly optional on all of the 88's.

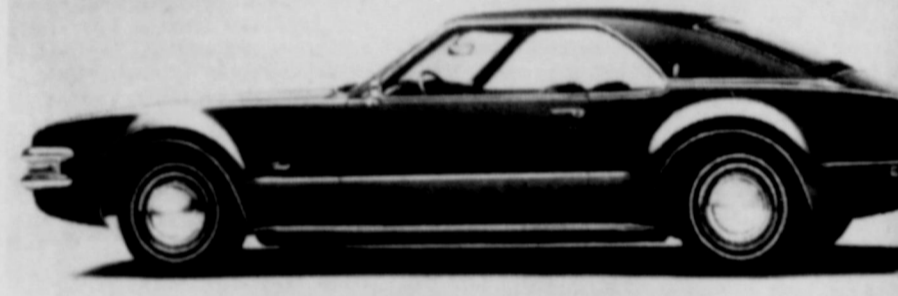
On all 2-barrel engines in 1969, major improvements in choke operation result in better cold starts, improved fuel economy and reduced exhaust emissions. The new choke system, operated by a more powerful



PEP SQUAD OFFICERS--Pictured above are the newly elected officers of the High School Pep Squad which has 75 members. George Geer, president; Janice vice-president; and Jeri Mason, secretary are shown with a favorite painting hangs in Miss Gay Ivey's office at the school.



The all-new '98' Luxury Hardtop Sedan, companion model to the '88' Luxury Sedan, will incorporate the new 127-inch wheelbase which is



For 1969, Oldsmobile's famed front wheel drive Toronado has been lengthened 3 1/2 inches and displays a dramatically redesigned rear appearance involving a new deck and new rear quarters. Inside,

the Toronado is richer looking than ever. Toronado's ride has been further improved with a unique option on the new Toronado is a fully heated rear window defogging

vacuum diaphragm, more precisely matches engine requirements.

A swing tailgate, hinged to open either as a door or as a loading platform, is optional on 1969 Oldsmobile Vista Cruisers and Cutlass station wagons. Fuel tank capacity in all wagons has been increased to 23 gallons for greater cruising range.

The 1969 Oldsmobile lineup consists of 10 series and 30 models.



1968 ROOSEVELT EAGLES SCHEDULE

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Roosevelt 27 Whiteface 6
Roosevelt 6 Cooper 25
Sept. 27--Ropesville
Oct. 4--At Post
Oct. 11--Lorenzo
Oct. 19--At Crosbyton
Oct. 25--Petersburg
Nov. 1--At Ralls
Nov. 8--Spur
Nov. 15--At New Deal

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE	IT'S CONVENIENT TO SAVE AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN --ASK ABOUT THE METHOD THAT WOULD BE BEST FOR YOU.	1 Ladies Golf Assn.--9 a.m., Lions Club--noon, SJS vs Abernathy there--6:30 p.m., First Aid Clinic--7 p.m., Rotary Club, La. Sec. of B of LFAE--7:15 p.m., J.F. Civic & Culture--7:30 p.m., Abilene--7:30 p.m., School Board--7:30 p.m., Ladies City Golf Tourney--7:30 p.m., Book Sale begins--7-7 p.m.	2 Slaton Home Demo Club--1:30 p.m.	3 B of RT Assn.--10 a.m., Health Clinic--9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Rotary Club--noon, Freshmen vs Abernathy, here--5:30 p.m., Jr. Varsity vs Abernathy, here--7 p.m., Sla-Ton Tops--7 p.m., Kappa Kappa Iota--7 p.m.	4 Senior Citizens--9:30 a.m., American Legion Exec. mtg.--7:30 p.m., Slaton vs Danbury, here--7:30 p.m., Tiger Paws--following game there vs Southland--8 p.m., Wilson at Mesquite--8 p.m., Roosevelt at Post--8 p.m., Friendship at Cooper--7:30 p.m., Club Supper--5:30, Mehl.	5 Story Time at library--10 a.m.
6 National Pharmacy Week--Oct. 6-12, Fire Prevention Week--Oct. 6-12, National Newspaper Week--Oct. 6-12, National 4-H Week--Oct. 6-12	7 Bookmobile in Slaton--11 a.m.-5 p.m., Boy Scouts, Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m., American Leg. Act.--7:30 p.m., Catholic Daughters--8 p.m., Daughters of Pioneers--8 p.m.	8 Ladies Golf Assn.--9 a.m., Room, Young Winkers--9 a.m., B.B. International Club--10 a.m., Lions Club--noon, Mercy Hosp. Assn.--5:30 p.m., SJS vs Post, there--5:30 p.m., First Aid Clinic--7 p.m., OHS, No. 585--7:30 p.m., B of RR Trainees--7:30 p.m., Slaton Lodge No. 1094, AF&AM Chapter of Commerce--7:30 p.m.	9 Bluebonnet Club--2:30 p.m., State Garden Club--3 p.m.	10 Rotary Club--noon, Freshmen vs Floydada, here--5:30 p.m., Jr. Varsity vs Floydada, here--7 p.m., Sla-Ton Tops--7 p.m., Macon--7:30 p.m.	11 Senior Citizens--9:30 a.m., Slaton vs Beechey, there--7:30 p.m., Lorenzo at Roosevelt--7:30 p.m., Southland at Wattersville--4 p.m., Cooper at Wilson--8 p.m.	12
ATTEND CHURCH	13 ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE	14 Rainbow Girls--7 p.m., Boy Scouts, Knights of Columbus, West Ward PTA--7:30 p.m., American Legion Act.--7:30 p.m., City Commissioners--7:30 p.m., Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m., V & Auxiliary--8 p.m.	15 Ladies Golf Assn.--9 a.m., Lions Club--noon, Candy Stripper cupping ceremony--7 p.m., First Aid Clinic--7 p.m., La. Sec. of B of LFAE--7:15 p.m., Abilene--7:30 p.m., J.F. Civic & Culture--7:30 p.m., B of LFAE--7:30 p.m., Slaton Club, 367, R.A.M.--7:30 p.m., Slaton Conv. 354, R.A.M.--7:30 p.m.	16 Slaton Ministerial Alliance--5:30 a.m., Slaton Home Demo, Club--1:30 p.m., Westview Baptist Youth Revival--Oct. 16-20	17 B of RT Assn.--10 a.m., Health Clinic--9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Rotary Club--noon, Jr. Varsity vs Danbury, there--5:30 p.m., SJS vs Littlefield, there--5:30 p.m., Sla-Ton Tops--7 p.m., American Legion & Assn.--7:30 p.m., Friends of Library--4 p.m.	18 FABULOUS FRIDAY
20 Read your BIBLE daily and GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY	21 Bookmobile in Slaton--11 a.m.-5 p.m., Boy Scouts, Past Matrons Club--7 p.m., Scottish Rite--7:30 p.m., American Legion Act.--7:30 p.m., Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m., Daughters of Pioneers--8 p.m.	22 National Flower Week--Oct. 22-28, Room, Young Winkers--9 a.m., Ladies Golf Assn.--9 a.m., Lions Club--noon, SJS vs Post here--5:30 p.m., Tiger Paws--following game First Aid Clinic--7 p.m., Slaton Young Homemakers--7:30 p.m., OHS, No. 585--7:30 p.m., Slaton Lodge 1094, AF&AM--7:30 p.m.	23 Bluebonnet Club--2:30 p.m., Civic & Culture Club	24 UNITED NATIONS DAY	25 Senior Citizens--9:30 a.m., Slaton vs Beechey, here--7:30 p.m., Tiger Paws--following game Wilson at New Home--7:30 p.m., Petersburg at Ross--7:30 p.m., Cooper at Longview--7:30 p.m., Loop at Southland--8 p.m.	26 LIBERAL DIVIDENDS WHERE SAVINGS NEVER LOSE
27 NAVY DAY OCT. 27, 1968	28 Altar Society--8 p.m., Boy Scouts, Rainbow Girls--7 p.m., American Legion Act.--7:30 p.m., City Commissioners--7:30 p.m., Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m., VFW & Auxiliary--8 p.m.	29 Ladies Golf Assn.--9 a.m., Lions Club--noon, SJS vs. Frontstp--here--5:30 p.m., Tiger Paws following game First Aid Clinic--7 p.m., Slaton APT Club--7:30 p.m.	30 DOES YOUR COMMITTEE NEED A PLACE TO MEET? CALL VAS-4557 AND ASK ABOUT THE S & L COMMITTEE ROOM.	31 Bluebonnet Club--noon, Freshmen at Frontstp--5:30 p.m., Jr. Varsity at Loveland--7 p.m., Sla-Ton Tops--7 p.m., Macon--7:30 p.m., Club Supper Park 125--7:30 p.m.	26	26

Book Sale Begins Tuesday At Library

Around 2,000 books will go on sale at the Slaton Branch Library Tuesday, Oct. 1. The sale will be sponsored by The Friends of the Library.

According to Greeley Sanders, president of the organization, the books will probably be on sale over a week in order to give everyone an opportunity to go buy and price books you want. The books will be open from noon to 5 p.m. weekdays and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday.

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distinctive features unite with major ornamentation changes and engineering improvements in Thunderbird's three 1969 models. Two-door Landau models provide a more formal appearance and more privacy for back seat passengers by eliminating rear quarter windows and adding wider rear roof pillars. Thunderbird also offers a new grille and taillamp design and an improved braking system. New options include an electrically-powered sun roof, an electrically-heated back window and a "headlights on" warning light.

The car also contains more hip, shoulder and rear leg room as well as more room to enter the rear seat passenger compartment.

New Mustang engines include a new 4.1-litre (250-c.i.d., six-cylinder, new 351-c.i.d. V-8s with two- and four-barrel carburetors, and the 428-c.i.d. four barrel V-8 with and without Ram-Air induction.

FAIRLANE
Fairlane's 16 models for 1969 include the Fairlane, Fairlane 500, Torino, Torino GT and the hot new one—the Cobra.

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Wilson Man's Mother Dies
Mrs. Carrie Naoma Wall, 85, of Rt. 3, Post, a resident of Garza County since 1916, died Saturday afternoon at Methodist Hospital, Lubbock. She was the mother of J. D. Wall of Rt. 1, Wilson. Services were held at 3 p.m. Monday in the Post First Baptist Church with the Rev. Duane Morrison of Central Baptist Church and the Rev. Frankie Jones of the Slide Baptist Church officiating. Burial was in Terrace Cemetery at Post under direction of White Funeral Home of Tahoka. Other survivors include three daughters, two sons, four sisters, two brothers, six grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

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FFA WINNERS--Dale Kitchens, who was elected president of the Lubbock District Future Farmers of America, is looking at two ribbons Gary Cook won on his sow pig at the Panhandle South Plains Fair Monday. This is Dale's third year to serve as an officer in this district which is made up of 21 high schools. Paul Johnson, Slaton Ag teacher, will serve as district advisor. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

O'Neal to Head Scout Campaign

Ansil O'Neal of Slaton has been appointed local chairman for the Boy Scout annual Sustaining Membership Enrollment campaign to be launched on October 15, according to Bill Knight of Lubbock, finance chairman for the Mackenzie Trail District.

The chairman pointed out that this campaign will represent the second year of a new method of securing funds for the operation of the Scout Council. Previously an annual finance campaign was held in the fall of the year. Under the current plan, the financial supporters of the

council are enrolled as annual Sustaining Members, and support Scouting in a financial way much the same as others give of their time and effort on behalf of the Scouting program.

Funds raised through the membership effort will be used to underwrite the budget of the South Plains Council, Boy Scouts of America, a 20-county area in West Texas.

The South Plains Council uses the funds secured to provide essential services to local Scout groups.

ROOSEVELT NEWS

KATHY WALTER

The LaPetite FHA annual Candlelight Ceremony was held last Wednesday in the auditorium. The meeting was designed to welcome incoming freshmen into the Future Homemakers organization.

Special guests were the Kadebeth FHA's and their honorary grandmothers. Each freshman attending received a red rose.

FHA and FFA freshmen initiation is beginning this week and will last through next week. To all the freshmen, we say "Good luck," and remember to keep smiling for those upper classmen.

8th GRADE OFFICERS
The eighth grade elected class officers at their first meeting. They are Ricky Hudson, president; Mackey Paxton, vice president; Donna Morris, secretary; Donna Davidson, treasurer; and Sandra Lindsey, Ricky Hightower, Louis Ferguson, Barbara Gage, Patty Bentley and Scott Holland, reporters.

Working at the Women's Building at the South Plains Fair last week were Mrs. Cleve Woolley, superintendent; Mrs. W. H. Walter, Mrs. James Walter, Mrs. Ray Dickey and Kathy Walter.

FFA SALE
The Roosevelt FFA Chapter has begun their sausage sale, their annual money-making project. Any FFA member may sell the sausage, and the entire community is urged to back this project of the FFA's. The sale will continue throughout the year.

The FFA will loan their new trailer to people who are going on a trip of more than fifty miles with their stock. The Chapter also decided to purchase a smaller trailer to loan members of the community taking their stock to market.

FOOTBALL
The Varsity football team

dropped their second game of the season to Cooper. Good luck against Ropesville Friday night at Roosevelt, Team!

The seventh and eighth grade teams lost their first outings of the season by 6-0 and 20-0, respectively. The outstanding players for the 7th grade were Noe Gonzales and Joseph Brown. Outstanding eighth graders were Joseph Dickson, Rickey Hightower and Wayne Cogburn. They played Slaton.

The "B" team lost to Slaton last Saturday morning in a 42-0 decision.

The Freshmen took a decisive 13-0 win over Slaton last Thursday night. Hosea Brown and Don Jackson made the points, with David Hammett adding the PAT. Armando Gonzales and Jerry Burleson were outstanding defensive players.

Congratulations to the Senior Class for showing the most spirit during "Crush Cooper" week, and its climax on color day. John Alexander and Mrs. Jon Waggoner were named the most spirited among the faculty. Kathy Walter's car was named the best decorated.

AT BIRTHDAY
Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Walter, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Walter, Kevin and Pamela, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walter and Kathy, and Miss Frieda Walter attended a birthday celebration for Bernhard Ernst at New

Home last Sunday. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stagemoeller, Karrie and Troy, Mrs. Olga Stagemoeller and Elizabeth Arnett, as well as Mr. and Mrs. Ernst, Carl, Alton and Sharon.

NEW ARRIVAL
Congratulations to Pvt. and Mrs. Bobby Burns on the birth of a son Sept. 18. Burns is stationed at Fort Hood. Mrs. Robert Burns is visiting them this week.

AT DEMO MEET
Jimmie Davis attended the State Democratic Convention in Austin last week. He was gone Sept. 2-11. While there, he helped draw up the Texas Democratic platform, elected state party officials, and united behind the democratic candidate for president, H.H. Humphrey.

The Lawrence Wards are spending two weeks vacationing in the Big Bend area. Mr. Ward is minister of the Acuff Church of Christ.

You folks in the Roosevelt-Acuff area, be sure and let me know what is happening around YOUR place! Rt. 2, Box 226 or 842-3470 are the ways of contributing your news!

Mr. and Mrs. Weidon Self, Pattie and Beth spent the weekend in Combona, Texas where they were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Self.

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30-DAY TOUR WITH REVIVALS IN ARGENTINA

Rev. Parks to South America



READY TO WITNESS--Rev. Bruce Parks is pointing to the spot in South America where he will be preaching in a pair of week-long revivals. He will leave on the month-long journey Monday. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

On Sept. 30 Rev. Bruce Parks, pastor of the First United Methodist Church here, will leave on a 30-day trip that will take him to many areas of South America. During the 30 days he will hold two different week-long revivals in Argentina.

Rev. Parks accepted the invitation from the General Board of Evangelism and General Board of Missions of the United Methodist Church after being encouraged from his local church. The Board of Missions of the Slaton church and local members have contributed money for the trip.

Twenty-one ministers and one layman from the United States will make the trip. Their intention on this mission is to preach the love of God in warm-hearted sermons on Christian experience, and the living Christ in one's heart in daily life.

En route the group will tour South America mission stations viewing the United Methodist work there and studying problems facing the contemporary missionary. They will attempt to understand the role of the new missionary in order to prepare themselves for the two one-week missions they are to hold.

Following a two-day training session in Miami, the group will fly to Panama City. They will make stops in Lima, Peru; La Paz, Bolivia; Santiago, Chile; Montevideo, Uruguay and arrive in Buenos Aires, Argentina on Friday, October 11. The missionaries will travel in teams of two by bus, train or plane from Buenos Aires to their assignments. They will work in churches where membership is 1,000 or more, to churches of only 50 members. They will serve in important industrial centers, in plantation country, and in rural centers which have been places of much poverty and strife.

In 1963 Rev. Parks witnessed to Spanish-speaking people in the Rio Grande Valley. At times it was necessary for him to use an interpreter, and he said "sometimes the interpreter did a better job than I did". He will be using an interpreter on this trip also and is hoping for another good one.

Discussing his trip this

week, Rev. Parks said, "I am made aware that there are international tensions that need to be taken in account in Christian missions today. Anti-North American feeling is a fact throughout Latin America and Christian humility requires us to recognize real irritants that have helped to produce this. The Argentina press, for instance, has recently devoted its lead articles to the increasing tendency for local industrial firms to be swallowed up by great international combines, predominately the U. S.

"This, of course, hurts the region's ability to determine for itself its own economic life. The gap between our profession of democratic ideas and our history with regard to racial and social injustices are often sharply criticized even by our staunchest friends. Therefore, it is my intention to show something of Christian humility to bridge the gap and to know nothing among them 'Save Jesus Christ and Him crucified'."

Rev. Parks says he intends to visit some Rotary Clubs in South America and to bring his story home to Rotary Clubs around Slaton.

Realizing the altitudes in parts of South America are higher than on our continent, we asked him if he thought he was in "good shape" for the trip. He reminded us that he has been running one and a half miles every morning in the Slaton City-County Park to get in shape. It seems like he does more walking than riding as we see him walking at a fast pace through town every day. He said "I hope I'm prepared to cope with whatever comes along."

The group will be traveling by plane most of the time. Rev. Parks will leave Lubbock Monday, Sept. 30 for Miami, Fla. His itinerary includes the following places, listing addresses where he can receive mail if it is marked

"Hold" so it will not be returned before he gets there:

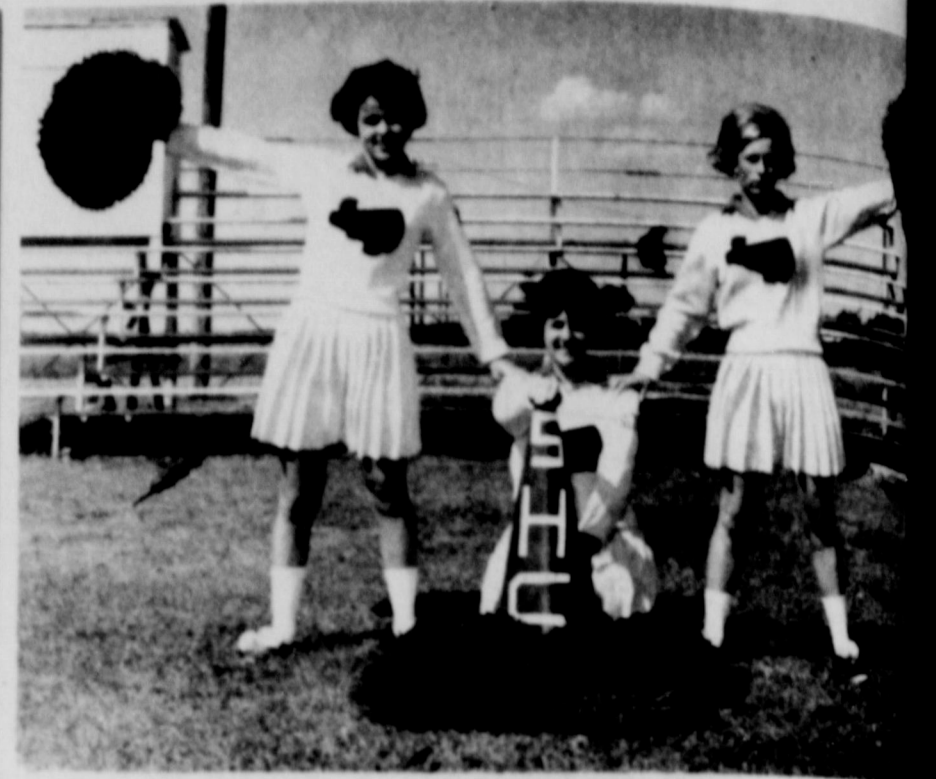
Oct. 1-- Miami to Panama City, Hotel Internacional, Plaza 5 de Mayo, Panama Republic of Panama; Oct. 4-- Panama to Lima, Hotel Alcazar, Apartado 957, Lima, Peru; Oct. 6-- Lima to La Paz; Oct. 8-- La Paz to Santiago, Hotel Panamericano, Teatinos at Herfano Sts., Santiago, Chile; Oct. 10-- Santiago to Montevideo.

Oct. 11-- Montevideo to Buenos Aires, City Hotel, 160 Bolivar, Buenos Aires, Argentina; Oct. 27-- Buenos Aires to Rio de Janeiro, Copacabana Palace, Avenida Atlantica 1702, Copacabana Beach, Rio de Janeiro Brazil; Oct. 29-- Rio de Janeiro to Miami and HOME... tired but thrilled.

Bob Noblett Named Director At Westview

A new music and youth director at First Baptist Church at Westview Baptist Church, according to Rev. Clinton Eastman, pastor.

Bob Noblett, 32, will serve at the church on a part time basis, being here on Wednesday nights and Sundays. He is a music and education major from Wayland Baptist College and will soon complete his degree.



EAGLE CHEERLEADERS---Leading the yells for the Southland Eagles this year are Wilke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Wilke; Dayneen Dunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dunn; and Laura Bevers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Spence Bevers. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Revival In Progress At Local Church



DONNELL HOLLER

The evangelistic team of Donnell-Holler, scheduled for a weekend revival at Assembly of God Church, has elected to remain for the rest of the week and will continue services through Sunday night.

The Misses Donnell and Holler of Oklahoma City have been around the world in missionary evangelism. Miss Holler has unique musical skills and offers special children's programs.

A special feature Friday night will be a gospel magic skit, "The Road of Life." Part of the program will include a ventriloquist dummy.

The Sunday night service at 7 p.m. will feature a dramatization of "That One Lost Sheep."

Weekday services are held at 7:30 p.m. and Rev. John Pratt, pastor, extends a special invitation to the public to attend.

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Services Held For Slatonite's Father Monday

William F. Ratliff, 82, father of Stanley Ratliff of Slaton, died at 4:45 p.m. Saturday in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, following a long illness.

He was a resident of O'Donnell from 1927 until 1944 when he moved to a farm west of Brownfield where he lived until his retirement.

Services were conducted in the Brownfield First Christian Church at 2 p.m. Monday with the Rev. Jack Garrett, pastor, officiating. Burial was in O'Donnell Cemetery directed by Brownfield Funeral Home.

Survivors other than his son of Slaton include his wife, three sons, three daughters, two brothers, five sisters, 17 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. L.C. Holt Dies Wednesday

Mrs. L. C. Holt, 89, died early Wednesday in Mercy Hospital following a month's illness. She resided at 605 So. 8th St.

A member of the First Methodist Church, Mrs. Holt and her late husband moved here in 1928 from Delta County. Services have been set for 10 a. m. Friday in the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Bruce Parks, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Englewood Cemetery under direction of Englands.

Survivors include a son, L.C. Holt of Levelland; six grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren.

WELCOME SLATON EXES!

'Good News' Coming To Slaton Sunday

Westview Baptist Church has proclaimed Sunday, Sept. 29 as "Youth Day" at its church. The youth of the church will be giving testimonies, filling the choir and various offices of the church in the morning service. Following the evening service there will be a fellowship for all the church youth. At the evening worship hour, "Good News", a religious musical, will be presented by the Monterey Baptist choir under the direction of John Glover. Glover will bring 50 young people with him to present the program.

Glover said "This is religion in the modern beat. 'Good News' will be presented at the tempo of modern music featuring hippies and closing with a devout note. There will be scenes depicting the birth, life, death, crucifixion, and resurrection of Jesus Christ".

All young people are invited to attend and bring a friend, according to Rev. Clinton Eastman, pastor.

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Southland Wins, Homecoming Slated

The Southland Eagles captured their second victory of the season at Smyer Friday night, rolling to a 52-6 triumph.

The Eagles will be seeking their third straight football victory in a Homecoming game Friday night, with Colton Center providing the opposition.

A barbecue is scheduled for exes, starting at 6:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. A business meeting will be held after the game, and the Ex-Student Queen will be named. A football queen is to be crowned at the game.

Stanley Abshire and Darrell Wilke sparked Southland to the one-sided win last week. Abshire scored three touchdowns and Wilke two.

The Eagles were off and flying in the first period with 28 points. Abshire took scoring passes of 18 and 22 yards from Wilke to start the rout. Wilke then connected with Joe E. Basinger on a pass-and-run play covering 60 yards.

Abshire then stepped to the launching pad and hit Wilke on a 60-yard scoring play. Larry Bevers and Larry Lockridge tacked on extra points in the first half.

In the second half, Abshire dashed 15 yards for another touchdown, then tossed to Wilke again for a 10-yard scoring play. Bevers wound up the touchdown parade with a 1-yard plunge to paydirt. Abshire and Tommy Taylor added two-point



TIGER POWER--The Tiger duo provides a big punch in the Slaton grid attack. Leading the way for senior fullback Richard Washington is tackle Randall Choate, also a senior. They run into some more Tigers when Slaton hosts Snyder Friday night in a Homecoming contest. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

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Texas--Tech	Texas	Texas	Texas	Texas	Tech	
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COOPER DOWNS ROOSEVELT IN 25-6 FOOTBALL CONTEST

The Cooper Pirates kept their grid record clean Friday night at Roosevelt, posting a convincing 25-6 victory over the Roosevelt Eagles.

The Pirates rolled up 396 yards rushing and used the passing arm of Jack White to roll by the Eagles.

Cooper scored first on defense when Emmett Cardenas intercepted a Roosevelt pass and returned it 42 yards for a score.

Cardenas scored on a pass again in the second stanza, but this time it came from teammate White on a 63-yard play. Rick Smith rambled 20 yards for the third touchdown, then he wound up the scoring in the final period with a one-yard plunge.

Junior Brown claimed Roosevelt's lone touchdown on an 18-yard run.

Cooper is home this week to host the Anton Bulldogs in a non-district game. Roosevelt is scheduled at home again against Ropesville.

Junior High Teams Lose

Slaton's Junior High football teams lost close battles with Tahoka here Tuesday afternoon in Tiger Stadium.

The Tiger 8th graders lost a 13-6 decision in the nightcap, after the 7th graders were blanked in a 6-0 game. It was the first loss for both teams.

Tahoka took a 7-0 lead in the 8th-grade game on a 4-yard run around end in the second quarter. Slaton narrowed the gap to 7-6 at halftime when halfback Steve Nieman passed to Steve Ethridge on a 45-yard scoring play. The try for two points failed.

Tahoka scored early in the third period on a long run, and the two teams battled in the middle of the field the remainder of the game. Curt Woolver and Kenny Schuette were outstanding on defense for Slaton.

The 7th graders had battled to a 0-0 score most of the game, then a Tahoka back broke on a long run with just 13 seconds left in the game.

TIGERS---

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ion are tackle Roy King, guard Randall Choate, end Randall Partain, and fullback - safety Richard Washington.

Ronnie Howard is slated to sub for Ronnie Romines at defensive guard; Don Smith will move in as linebacker in place of quarterback Jimmy Williams, and Robert Englund is slated to go on offense in place of end Brent Lamb.

The offensive lineup would find Englund and Partain at ends, King and Choate at tackles, Brice Hill and John Petty at guards, Romines at center, and Williams, Washington, Nicky Farrell and Larry Moore in the backfield.

The defensive crew would include Partain and Lamb at ends, King and Allen McDonald at tackles, Howard and Choate at guards, Pettigrew and Smith at linebackers, Morris Dixon and Hobby Chapple as halfbacks, and Washington at safety.

Davis expects all his gridgers to be ready for action Friday. Romines sustained a broken finger in the Lamesa game, but the big center's right hand is okay. Washington

Junior Varsity Tigers Trim

The Slaton High junior varsity Tigers rolled to a victory over Roosevelt here Saturday night.

The competition is to be tougher when back Estacado JV comes at 5:30 p.m. today in a battle.

Quarterback Terry scored one touchdown for another, and Bruce Schuette runs to lead the score for Roosevelt.

Fullback Alan Van back Glen Alan Jr. Jimmy Rogers scored other touchdowns, but a pass from Mosser yard scoring play. Returns by Schuette set up short scores.

Coach Gene Frazer fine defensive play in by Louis Scott, Troy Thomas and Slaton's freshman lost a 13-0 decision Roosevelt freshman at Roosevelt Tiger freshmen took this Thursday second game of the

Tie For First In Grid Game

Larry Gamble and Kelly Sparkman missed eight games in the weekly Slatonite Football Contest the past week, but everyone else missed even more in a week of upsets and ties.

Gamble and Mrs. Sparkman also tied on tie-breaker game --Gamble one point over the 34 of the Slaton - Lamesa game, and Mrs. Sparkman one point under. The two will divide first and second - place money, getting \$7.50 each.

Several entrants missed nine games, but W. A. Sikes Jr. was right on the nose on the total score of 34. He wins the \$2 cash prize for third place. Others who came close with nine misses were Steve Mosser and Charles Didway of Post.

Three tie games tripped all the entrants, since ties count as misses unless both teams are marked. Judges graded 115 entries last week.

Join in the fun and try your luck at football predictions this week. Turn to the contest page inside, follow the easy rules, and turn in your entry!

Ladies Tourney Set For Oct. 1

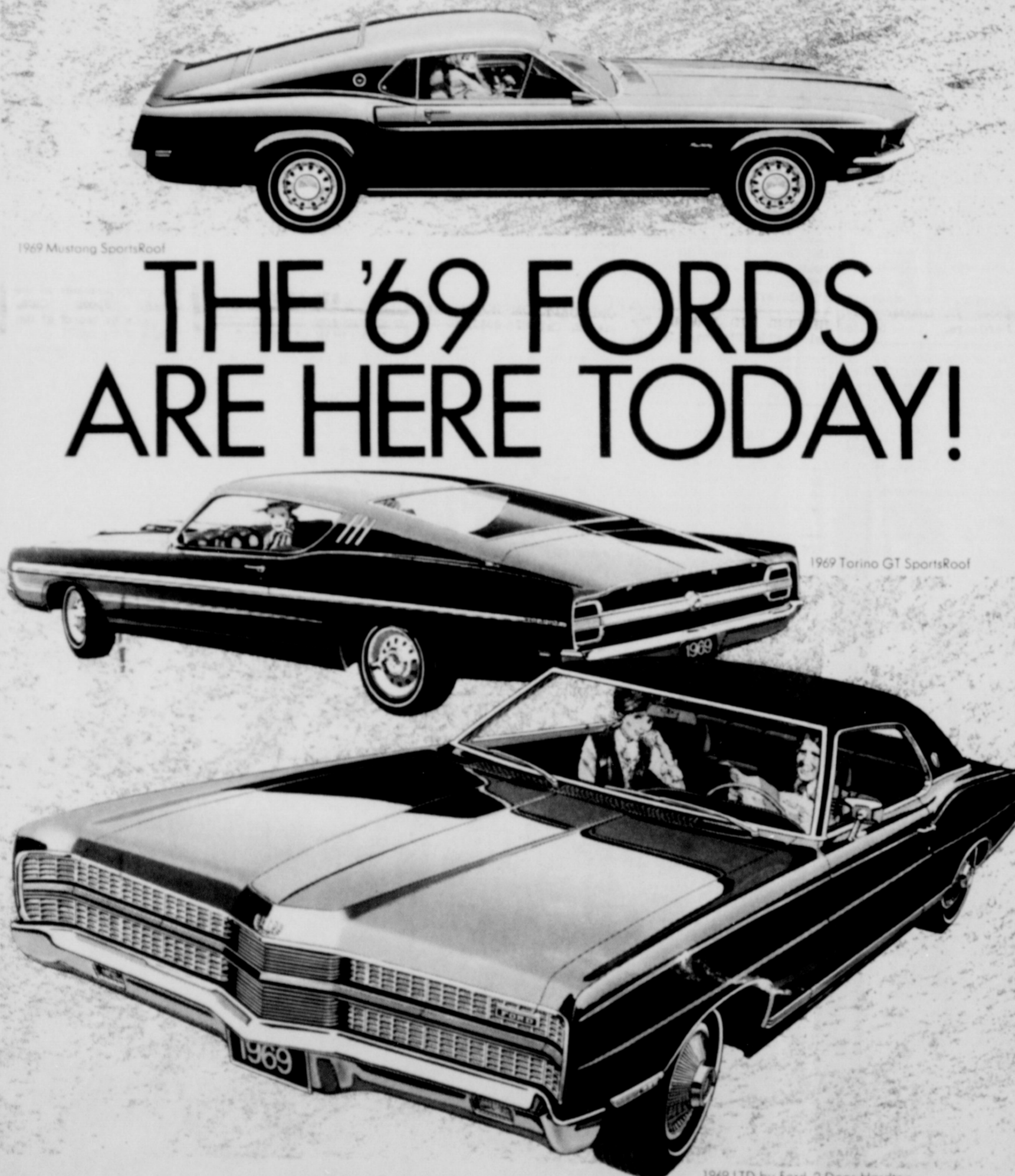
The second annual Ladies City Golf Tournament has been set for Tuesday, Oct. 1. The fee for entering the tournament is \$3.00 and entries should be in by 6 p.m. Sept. 30. It will be a handicap tourney.

Play will begin at 9:30 that morning after coffee and donuts are served at 9 a.m.

"Tiger Pawz" Open After Football Games

"Tiger Pawz" will be open to all Slaton High School students Friday night following the football game with Snyder. The fellowship is being sponsored by local pastors and is being held in the old SWPS building on the south side of the square.

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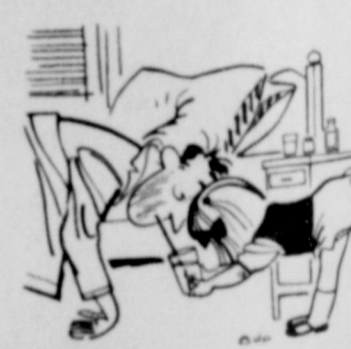


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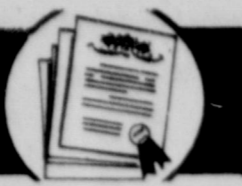
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ORDINANCE NO. 319
AN ORDINANCE ORDERING A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY OF SLATON, TEXAS, ON THE QUESTION OF THE ADOPTION OF A ONE PERCENT (1%) LOCAL SALES AND USE TAX WITHIN THE CITY; DESIGNATING THE DAY OF THE ELECTION AND THE POLLING PLACE; APPOINTING ELECTION OFFICIALS THEREFOR; PROVIDING THAT ALL DULY QUALIFIED RESIDENT ELECTORS SHALL BE QUALIFIED TO VOTE; PRESCRIBING FORM OF BALLOT; PROVIDING FOR NOTICE OF ELECTION; CONTAINING OTHER PROVISIONS RELATING TO SAID ELECTION; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, Article 1066c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes (Acts 1967, 60th Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 36, Page 62) authorizes the governing body of any city, town or village in Texas to call an election for the purpose of adopting a local sales and use tax within such city, town or village; Now Therefore, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SLATON, TEXAS, A MUNICIPALITY:

Section 1: That a special election shall be held in and throughout the City of Slaton, Texas, on the 26th day of October, 1968, at which election there shall be submitted to the resident qualified voters of said City of Slaton, for their action thereupon, the following propositions:

"FOR adoption of a one percent (1%) local sales and use tax within the City."

"AGAINST adoption of a one percent (1%) local sales and use tax within the City."

Section 2: That said election shall be held at one polling place for all qualified voters of said City of Slaton, and the polling place and presiding officers for said election shall be, to-wit:

Polling Place
Presiding Officers
Slaton Municipal Building
Presiding Officers
Charles H. Whalen, Presiding Judge
August Kitten,
Alternate Presiding Judge
The Presiding Judge at such election shall appoint two clerks.

Section 3: That said election shall be held in accordance with the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas, and all duly qualified resident electors of the City of Slaton, Texas,

shall be qualified to vote.
Section 4: That the ballots of said election shall conform to the requirements of Section 2, Subsection G, of Article 1066c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes (Acts 1967, 60th Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 36, Page 62), and to the requirements of Chapter 6 of the Election Code of the State of Texas, as amended and the language to be printed thereon

shall include the following:
OFFICIAL BALLOT INSTRUCTIONS: Place an "X" in the square beside the statement indicating the way you wish to vote.

FOR adoption of a one percent (1%) local sales and use tax within the City.

AGAINST adoption of a one percent (1%) sales and use tax within the City.

Section 5: That election judges and clerks are directed to comply with Article 6.06, Election Code of the State of Texas, as amended (Section 2 of House

Bill 181, Acts 1967, 60th Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 452, Pages 1026, 1028), which provides that a square shall be placed beside each proposition in which the voter is instructed to place an "X" or other clear mark to indicate the way he wishes to vote; but which also provides that failure of a voter to mark his ballot in strict conformity with the directions on the ballot shall not invalidate the ballot, and the ballot shall be counted if the intention of the voter is clearly ascertainable, except where the law expressly prohibits the counting of the ballot. It is specifically provided that the election officers shall not re-

fuse to count a ballot because of the voter's having marked his ballot by scratching out the statement of proposition for which he does not wish to vote.

Section 6: That notice of the election hereby ordered and called shall be given: (a) by publication on the same day of two successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published within said City of Slaton, Texas, the date of the first publication to be at least 21 days prior to the date set herein for such election; and (b) by posting of such notice at the polling place in the City of Slaton, not less than twenty (20) days prior to the date set herein for such election. It is

hereby found and determined that the Slaton Slatonite is a newspaper published within the City of Slaton, Texas, and is a newspaper of general circulation within said City of Slaton.

Section 7: If any of the provisions of the Ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision of application, and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are declared to be severable.

Section 8: Whereas, the immediate operation of the provisions of this Ordinance is

necessary for the preservation of the public health, public safety, and general welfare, and EMERGENCY is hereby declared to exist, and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the City Commission of the City of Slaton, and publication as required by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this 23rd day of September, 1968.

The City of Slaton, Texas, a municipality
BY: J. Cain, Mayor
ATTEST: Gerald Kendrick, Secretary (Seal)

PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the Municipal Commission of the City of Slaton, Texas, is holding a public hearing on the proposed Ordinance for the year 1968-69. All persons having an interest therein are invited to appear.

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Tornadoes Twist By Tigers In Final Period, 34-0

Tigers were in the three quarters Friday night, but whirled to three downs in the final period as the one-sided 34-0 hand Slaton's first season.

Lamesa scored 7 first downs in the first 25-yard scoring drive as the Tors a 7-0 Lamesa moved to a 34-0 lead in the third quarter.

The drive still seemed to be a game, but two touchdowns helped Lamesa score in the first 14 seconds of the game.

Only 14 seconds after the two scoring drives, a pass interception and a fumble killed the Tornado drive.

Lamesa never gave up the game's depth because of the contest. And, Lamesa defense shut Slaton out most of the first quarter, taking on the Tiger 16 in the Lamesa 18 yard interception.

The drive, Slaton's 8 first downs and 85 yards rushing.

At the end of the night, the game contained Slaton's punch of Richard and Jimmy Williamson, who rush-ers in the opening held to 45 yards.

Lamesa picked up 43 yards-- but a miscalculation on his part while trying to pass the ball to the firing line, and a better fate, when he hit one pass-- a Randall Partain, Lamesa when Slaton's responsibility against Lamesa. At least two passes were on the ground.

Lamesa had a terrific rush and, at the same time, the receivers' depth finally paid off in the final period, struggling for a 13-0 Tiger's second half.

Lamesa

capitalized on the break and moved down the field with two key pass plays, then quarterback Terry Kinard plunged over from the one on third down.

There was 6:22 left in the game and the manpower of the Tornadoes begin to make its presence known. Lamesa got the Tigers in a hole, and took over on the Slaton 36 after a short punt. With new running backs in the game, the Tors moved the distance in six plays to up the margin to 27-0.

And, just 14 seconds later, the score went to 34-0. On the first play following the kickoff, Williams faded back from the 20, trying to elude tacklers and get off a pass, but he dropped the ball and Lamesa recovered on the Tiger 1. Reserve quarterback Larry Harris plunged over as the score quickly reached one-sided proportions.

The Tiger defenders had a difficult time trying to hang on to Lamesa halfbacks Aaron Manuel and Bonnie Williams, who chalked up much of the Tornado rushing yardage. But the Tiger defenders did a great job until the roof fell in the final stanza.

Ronnie Romines led the Tiger defensive line, with Roy King, Randall Choate, Buddy Pettigrew, Randall Partain, Allen McDonald, Brent Lamb and Williams all turning in good jobs.

Slaton took the opening kickoff and had to punt after picking up five yards. The teams exchanged punts before Lamesa cranked up a scoring drive of 56 yards. The payoff came on a 3rd and 7 situation, when Kinard drilled a pass to split end Steve Burdett on a slant-in pattern for a 25-yard scoring play.

Slaton took the ensuing kickoff.

off and put on its best sustained drive of the night. Starting from the Tiger 16, Williams swept end for 12 yards. Washington got 4, then Larry Moore rambled for 10 yards to the Slaton 42.

Washington and Williams picked up more yardage for a first on the Lamesa 45. Nicky Farrell was stopped for no gain, then Williams kept around right end for 13 yards to the Tornado 32.

Washington hit for 4 and Moore added 9 for a first down on the 19. However, Washington was stopped for a 1-yard gain; Williams only got back to the line on a left end sweep, and a pass to Farrell was off the fingertips. A 4th-down pass was intercepted on the Lamesa 5 to kill the scoring threat.

The teams battled back and forth with no sustained drives for the remainder of the first half.

Slaton took the kickoff to start the third period, and after failing to make a first down, a booming 43-yard punt by Morris Dixon took the right bounce for the Tigers. The ball hit a Tornado on the leg, and Wayne Fagin pounced on the ball on the Lamesa 22.

Still trailing by just 7-0, the "break" appeared to be just what the Tigers needed. Washington hit for 4, but Williams and Washington missed connections on a handoff on the next play, and Lamesa recovered the fumble to change the complexion of the game again.

Lamesa used up much of the third period in driving 78 yards in its second touchdown. It took 13 plays before Manuel literally dived over the Tiger line for a 4th and 1 situation. The kick was wide of the mark, and the Tigers were down, 0-13, with 3:29 left in the third period.

Helped along by a 15-yard face-mask penalty against Slaton, the Tors moved in for a touchdown on the last play of the third period, but a clipping penalty nullified the score. When a Tornado said a few words to the referee, another 15 yards put Lamesa further back. Dixon then intercepted a pass to stop that drive.

Three plays later, however, Washington fumbled and Lamesa claimed the ball on the Tiger 43. The Tiger line held, but Kinard hit passes of 12 and 15 yards to Burdett to keep the Tors moving. The second pass gave Lamesa a



SLATON HIGH TIGERS...1968--Slaton High School was elevated to Class AAA this fall, and here's the first football team to compete in District 3-AAA under the guidance of Coach Ernie Davis. Left to right, front--Eddie Scott, Morris Dixon, Ed Cristan, Tony Maldonado, Ronnie Howard, Wayne Fagin, Hobby Chapple; middle--Brice Hill, Don Smith, Nicky Farrell, Louie Scott, John Petty, Buddy Pettigrew, Robert Englund, Ronnie Romines; back--Richard Washington, Dennis Rushing, Larry Moore, Randall Choate, Randall Partain, Brent Lamb, Jimmy Williams, Allen McDonald, Roy King. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Snyder Rebuilds, Looks For Good Season

by Buck Sitton
 spt. a. editor., Snyder Daily News

With 17 graduating seniors gone from a team that finished 4-6 last year, the Snyder Tigers are facing a major rebuilding job this season.

Coach Wayne Tyrone, in his second year at the Black and Gold helm, says that inexperience all along the forward wall will create serious problems for the Bengals. He and assistants Bill Bundy and Cecil Redford are hoping that several juniors and untested sophomores can eventually develop into capable front-line performers.

Right now, the Tigers must be considered at least a year away from serious title considerations.

It's true there are a few veteran backs around, but their experience is more than offset by the vacant spots up front. Only 11 lettermen return to the Tiger lair, including just two first string defensive linemen.

The only offensive regulars are David McGinnis (180) and Steve Holder (165). Both alternated at the quarterback spot last season as juniors.

"We're planning to switch McGinnis to fullback while Lee

McNair, a 170-pound junior, will be battling Holder for the starting berth at quarterback," declared Tyrone. Holder is capable of running with the ball while passing is McNair's strong point.

"We'll probably throw the ball more this year," said the coach, "and we'll operate from a pro set with a flanker back and a split end."

The Bengal coaching staff is hoping Willis Harrison, a 160-pound junior, can replace one of the departed seniors at split end. He has only B team experience. Joe Greer, a 165-pound senior, who won a numeral as a reserve back last season, may win the starting assignment at tight end.

Merce Hernandez, a 170-pound junior, who saw considerable action in the defensive backfield last year as a sophomore, could develop into a capable ball totter along with let-

termen Efrain Cervantez (145), Mitch Rambin (175), and Ricky Glasscock (170). Rambin and Cervantez both are seniors and both started some of the games last year. But, then, both were hampered by injuries.

Glasscock, a junior, saw action primarily on defensive in 1967, and is being groomed for reserve duty at fullback this season.

Two other lettermen can be counted on for help in the line. Robert Sadler, a 170-pound senior, started the first few games last year when the regular pivotman was out with an injury. He should nail down the starting berth this year. Thomas McDorman at 140 is light, but is sufficiently aggressive to see plenty of reserve duty in the trenches.

Help at the end posts could come from Larry Greene, a 160-pound junior, who was outstanding on the B-team last year.

Other B-teamers who could develop into capable replacements up front are tackles Ray Ellis, 185, and Ted Floyd, 190. Both are juniors.

This year's roster includes 10 seniors, 23 juniors and about seven sophomores who could be of substantial help. About 65 candidates in the top three grades reported for the first two-day drills.

If the untested underclassmen reach their full potential and the team develops a healthy fighting spirit, the Bengals could pull a few surprises. Right now, most serious observers around here would be willing to settle for a 5-5 campaign, which, after all, would be an improvement.

ITEM: Size and shape of the room or area to be carpeted should dictate rug choice. They will help determine whether the choice should be wall-to-wall carpeting, a room-size rug, room-fit rug, or area rugs.

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STATISTICS

	Slaton	Lamesa
First Downs	8	18
Rushing yds.	125	218
Lost rushing	43	23
Net rushing	85	195
Passing yds.	0	93
Total yds.	85	288
Passes comp.	0-7	6-13
Passes inter.	1	1
Fumbles lost	3	1
Punts, avg.	7-35	3-26.3
Penalties	5-55	7-82

Score by quarters:
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Oil Adds \$948,000 To County Economy

Oil and gas wells provide approximately \$948,000 a year of Lubbock County's economic output, according to statistics released this week by Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association.

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ITEM: Make chemicals work for you in both home and garden. But use pesticide chemicals carefully—and only when needed.

ITEM: There will be more usable space under the sink if the drain is at the back or in the corner of the sink.

Based on most recent U. S. Bureau of Mines production figures, the Association compilation showed that Lubbock County produced crude oil valued at \$948,000 in 1966 and natural gas worth \$2,000.

Texas oil production in 1967, responding to demands for more domestic crude as a result of the Israeli - Arab conflict, totaled 1,050,000,000 barrels, a statewide increase over 1966 of about 5 percent. Production last year varied widely among state Railroad Commission districts, however, ranging from 3.5 percent below 1966 to 15 percent above.

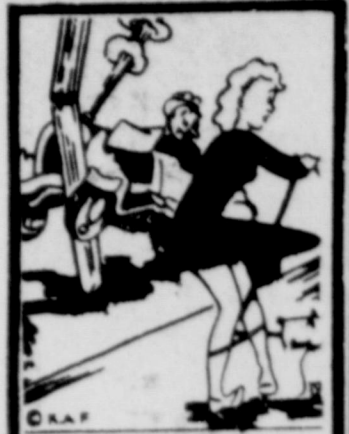
Production from Lubbock County last summer helped prevent any oil scarcity for U.S. consumers at a time when one-third of the world's supply was cut off," said Corbin J. Robertson, Houston, Association president. "We must keep in mind, however, that it may be difficult for Texas fields to sustain production in future emergencies if the discovery of new reserves continues to lag due to lack of exploratory drilling."

The annual study showed that Lubbock County ranked 164th among Texas counties in total value of its production of some 318,000 barrels of oil and 15 million cubic feet of natural gas.

Texas oil men, according to Rinehart's yearbook, drilled 9 wells in the county risking some \$657,000. Seventy - eight percent of them were dry holes, costing about \$509,000.

County landowners and others with mineral interests cashed royalty checks totaling about \$118,000 during the year. Likewise, the county's flow of oil and gas generates \$44,000 a year in production taxes paid by producers and royalty owners to the state treasury.

Reports from the Texas Employment Commission show some 455 persons directly employed by the oil and gas industry in the county, with an annual payroll of \$11.7 million.



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WILSON NEWS

MRS. TED MELUGIN

Officers, Favorites Chosen

Kenneth Baker, principal at Wilson high and junior high, has announced the following students named as class officers and class favorites for the new school term.

Seniors: Curtis Bishop, president; Delton Moore, vice-president; Clinton Martin, secretary; Jimmie Lane, reporter; Teresa Holder and Clinton Martin, favorites.

Juniors: Steven Brieger, president; Don Steen, vice-president; LaVern Maeker, secretary; Betty Shaw, treasurer; Joe Crews, reporter; Ronald Warsaw, song leader; LaVern Maeker and Joe Crews, favorites.

Sophomores: Dennis Maeker, president; Woody Follis, vice-president; Susan Lane, secretary; Sharon Herzog, treasurer; Troy Melugin, reporter; Susan Lane and Steven Bednarz, favorites.

Freshmen: Mark Gatzki, president; Darrow Talkmitt, vice-president; LaNeil Martin, secretary - treasurer; Mark Koslan, reporter; Sherry Edwards and Mark Gatzki, favorites.

8th Grade: Tony Bishop, president; Rene Kahlich, vice-president; John Fields, secretary; Terie Steen, treasurer; Danny Crosson, reporter; Terie Steen and John Fields, favorites.

7th Grade: Stan Meador, president; Brenda Crosson, vice-president; David Gatzki, secretary; Chris Coleman, treasurer; Terry Mears, reporter; Karen Martin and Ismael Moreno, favorites.

Dale Sides, elementary principal, reports the following favorites in the elementary grades: 1st Grade: Jackie Fox and Randy Hobbs; 2nd Grade: Tamie Kahlich and Calvin Wilke; 3rd Grade: Kathy Hagens and Kirt Burkett; 4th Grade: Carlton Henderson and Kelly Crews; 5th Grade: Kim Coleman and Timmy James; and 6th Grade: Mandi Lee and Mike Bednarz.

NHS OFFICERS
Kathy Christopher, president; Ronnie Baker, vice-president; Janie Young, secretary; and Mac Young, treasurer.

FHA OFFICERS
Kathy Christopher, president; Pat Fields, first v.p.; Susan Lane, second v.p.; Mary Koslan, third v.p.; Gloria Foster, fourth v.p.; Eureda Lehman, fifth v.p.; Teresa Holder, secretary; Marsha Kitten, treasurer; Jimmie Lane, parliamentarian; Sherry Herzog, historian - photographer; Susi McCormick, pianist.

FFA OFFICERS
Mac Young, president; Curtis Bishop, vice-president; Delton Moore, parliamentarian; Troy Melugin, reporter; Don Steen, sentinel; Clinton Martin, treasurer; and Dennis Maeker, secretary.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Yates Key and family on the passing of her niece in Lubbock last week.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Melugin Sunday were her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hacker and Ellon of Lubbock. They later visited with Mrs. Ellon Hacker in Lubbock. Also visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Penny and Michael of Lubbock.

PURCHASE SONICATOR
Each Monday night the Quarterback Club meets in the school cafeteria to view films of the games. Refreshments are served to members and guests.

New officers are Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Clary, presidents; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ray Steen, vice-presidents; and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Moore, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Moore reports that the club is purchasing an electric sonicator for use by the football boys who receive minor injuries. The sonicator may also be used as a service to the community, for arthritis sufferers, etc. She reported that a total of \$172 has been collected, and additional contributions will be appreciated. Donations may be given or mailed to any officer of the club.

Mrs. Moore also stated that new members are welcome and do not have to be a parent of a football player. Dues for membership are \$2 for individuals or \$5 per family per year. Films of basketball games will be shown later in the season.

The Mustang Band marched in the opening day parade at the South Plains Fair Monday morning in Lubbock. Monday was also school day and students were dismissed with free tickets at 2:30 p.m.

Junior high football was played here Thursday night with the Wilson team winning their first game of the season against First Home. They play at 5:30 p.m. tonight at Sundown.

WINNER
Frank Schneider of Wilson was recipient of \$50 given by the Slaton Chamber of Commerce for bringing in the third bale of cotton in the area and the first bale for Wilson. The cotton was ginned at Wilson Co-Op Gin.

Scott Decker and Ray Wilmoth are residing in Wilson and commuting to the Church of Christ Sunset School of Preaching in Lubbock.

NEW ARRIVAL
Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Williams of Monahan on the adoption of a new son, Dan Spears, born Aug. 29, weighing 5 lbs., 12 1/2 ozs. They also have an adopted daughter, D'Lyn.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Williams of Wilson, and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T. Watson Spears of Tahoka.

Whether inexpensive or costly, table glassware should be given the best of care. Protect and cushion glasses by lining the shelves with thick paper, plastic or a rubber covering.

Griffins Plan Trip To Galveston

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Griffins of Slaton will represent Lubbock County in the 28th Annual State-Wide Conservation Districts Convention to be held in Galveston, Texas, Oct. 15-17, at the Moody Center.

There are 336 districts in Texas representing and Water Conservation Districts. Each district is governmental agency State governed by a Board of elected members.

People scheduled in program include Governor Barnes, Senator A. State Representative Scher, State Representative Charlie Jungblut, "Dick" Longmire, District, National Conservation District, Nicholas, Marion, Water Conservation District, and A. L. Black, President of the Association of Water Conservation Districts.

Wilson Meets

Sept. 30-Oct. 1 Monday: Tuna, Cream Potatoes, Peas, Orange Juice, Butter, Milk, Sugar cookies.

Tuesday: Curry Cheese, Pinto Beans, relish, Corn Bread, Milk, Purple Potatoes.

Wednesday: Ham, Creamed Potatoes, ad, Hot Rolls, Jello w/orange juice.

Thursday: Enchiladas, Beans, Cabbage, Hot Rolls, Butter, Ple Betty.

Friday: Bologna Sandwich, Lettuce Salad, Port & Beans, Ice, Sliced Bread, Buttered Rice.

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Chevrolet To Unveil 1969 Line Thursday, Sept. 26

choice of engines... Turbo Hydra-Matic offered on larger displacement V-8's, this gives a virtual across-the-board availability of this highly advanced transmission, Estes said.

Chevrolet also introduces a new heavy duty, three-speed fully synchronized manual transmission. Others in the wide transmission selection are the standard three-speed, optional four-speed, Powerglide two-speed automatic and Chevrolet's pace setting Torque-Drive "clutchless" transmission for four and six cylinder equipped Chevy Novas and the six cylinder Camaro.

Safety and security advances on the 1969 Chevrolets range from an improved energy-absorbing steering column, contoured windshield headers and front seat head restraints to an anti-theft ignition, steering and transmission lock mounted on the steering column.

Estes said there is also an all-new outside and inside look for Chevrolet's sporty Camaro in 1969, plus exterior and interior styling improvements in Chevelle, Nova and Corvette and continued Corvair individuality.

Use of computer selection to get the best spring combination for each individual car increases Chevrolet vehicle quality in 1969. Each customer order is analyzed with high speed data processing equipment, to determine the front and rear weight of all equipment and the proper springs to carry it. The result is carefully tailored, more consistent trim heights which insure a good ride as well as correct appearance.

Other quality improvements include stronger V-8 engine construction for greater durability, smoother, quieter engine drivelines to help reduce noise and vibration, a new air cleaner snorkel design that makes six cylinder engines quieter and new accessory drive systems of V-8 engines which give improved durability and quieter operation. Frame and sound isolation improvements

give better ride.

Advanced, power-assisted front wheel disc brakes are available for any Chevrolet, Chevelle, Nova or Camaro and are standard on SS-equipped models. Finned front wheel drum brakes and heavier duty linings at all four wheels are standard on all regular models in Chevelle, Nova and Camaro lines.

Chevrolet station wagons in 1969 are regrouped into a single line on two wheelbases for easier customer choice. A new rear design makes them "walk-in wagons." Using Chevrolet's new dual-action tailgate with a stop built into the bumper, a passenger can step easily in an upright position into the passenger compartment, turn and sit in Chevrolet's rear-facing third seat. The dual-action gate is offered on all wagons.

There is sporty SS equipment for every coupe and convertible model of the big Chevrolet, Chevelle, Nova and Camaro. Besides a big V-8 engine and power disc brakes, special identification and suspension are included.

SS cars in Chevelle, Nova and Camaro lines also have a special hood and wide oval tires on seven-inch wide wheels -- one inch wider than in 1968. White lettered tires are included on Chevelle and Camaro SS cars.

An exclusive headlight washing system is among the newest of Chevrolet's more than 400 options and accessories for 1969. It is standard on Corvettes, included on Caprice and Camaro models with concealed headlights, and optional on nearly all other models.

When the wiper-washer control is held depressed by the driver, the headlights (outer lights only on four headlight systems) are washed by jets of windshield washer fluid. This removes accumulations of road dirt, giving improved illumination.

Chevrolet's exclusive "liquid tire chain" dispensing system gives increased rear trac-

tion on ice-surfaced roads. Activated by a button on the instrument panel, dispensers mounted at the top of rear wheel housings spray the chemical against tires. The four-ounce dispenser cans are replaced when empty through the trunk compartment.

Chevrolet air conditioning is improved for 1969 with greater air-flow through larger ducts and added passenger compartment outlets. An improved AM-FM stereo radio combination has all controls mounted on the radio.

Peer door locking is offered in 1969 on Chevelle models as well as on the big Chevrolet. Chevrolet's exclusive light monitoring system that tells when front and rear lights and signals are operating is again offered on Chevrolet, Chevelle and Camaro and is standard on Corvette.

Chevrolet offers 15 exterior colors for 1969, nearly all new. There are up to six two-tone combinations, five vinyl top colors and three convertible top colors.

Regular Chevrolet - The all-new look emphasizes its "big car" personality. Length is extended more than one inch to 215.9 inches, making it the longest Chevrolet ever built.

A new one-piece bumper surrounds a precision molded grille and recessed headlights in a protective chrome loop. Horizontal bars accent grille width.

Side sheet metal sculpturing gives subtle emphasis to elliptical wheel openings. Distinctive rectangular taillights are mounted in the rear bumper.

Besides the larger 327 cubic inch base V-8 and new 350 and 396 V-8's, a new 427 cubic inch V-8 developing 335 horsepower is introduced to fulfill higher performance requirements. It replaces the 396 cubic inch, 325 horsepower engine offered in 1968. Turbo Hydra-Matic transmission is offered with every engine in 1969.

Full door glass styling without ventpanes -- offering bet-

ter visibility and quieter traveling without wind noise -- is standard on all models. Astro Ventilation, introduced on 1968 Caprice, is also standard. Larger ducts and new high level outlets, combined with built-in pillar pressure relief valves, nearly double the inner air flow rate.

A new concave rear window with "frameless" lower edge allowing rear deck to flow through to package shelf is a distinctive feature of the Caprice Coupe and Impala Custom Coupe, which have an exclusive roofline. Caprice models have a special grille and offer concealed headlights.

A color-matched insert molding identifies Caprice models and offers side protection. The popular raised vinyl side moldings continue on Impala models in black plus four added colors.

The "Electro-Clear" rear window defroster, optional on Caprice Coupe and Impala Custom Coupe, clears fog and frost by means of conductive ceramic strips .3 inches wide fused on the rear window glass.

Added double-cushion body mounts, more rigid body construction, added insulation and quieter operating engines combine with the computer-selected springs for a quieter, more comfortable ride in the 1969 Chevrolet.

Optional on Caprice and Impala models is new variable-ratio power steering. It gives more responsive maneuverability in turns and parking.

ular intermediate size car has a new front end styling with horizontal bars extending across the full width of a richer looking grille that encircles the headlights.

The side features new trim, ornamentation, side marker lights and modified rear quarter caps. The rear is restyled with distinctive vertically mounted taillights. Full door-glass styling is introduced to the Chevelle line in 1969 on sport coupe and convertible models. Improved Astro Ventilation is standard with this feature.

Chevelle again offers exclusive separate body frame

Quiet luxury found in '69 Chevrolet Impala Custom Coupe



Sparkling with new styling refinements are the 1969 Chevrolets. New grille design, new placement of front lights and rectangular rear taillights are a few of the many changes to be found in the Impala Custom Coupe as shown above. Again Chevrolet offers an array of comfort and convenience options that personalize a car to the individual taste. The new Chevrolet line of passenger cars will be on display September 26.

Steering is faster, requiring fewer wheel turns without any increase in steering effort or change in the straight-ahead road "feel".

The interior includes a new instrument panel with all controls and instruments grouped closer in front of the driver. Heater controls are moved to the driver's left. Rich fabrics and vinyls give added luxury.

Sporty, SS 427 equipment can be ordered on Impala coupes and convertibles. With the 427 cubic inch V-8 come distinctive features including power disc brakes and wide-oval red stripe tires.

Chevrolet introduces 1969.

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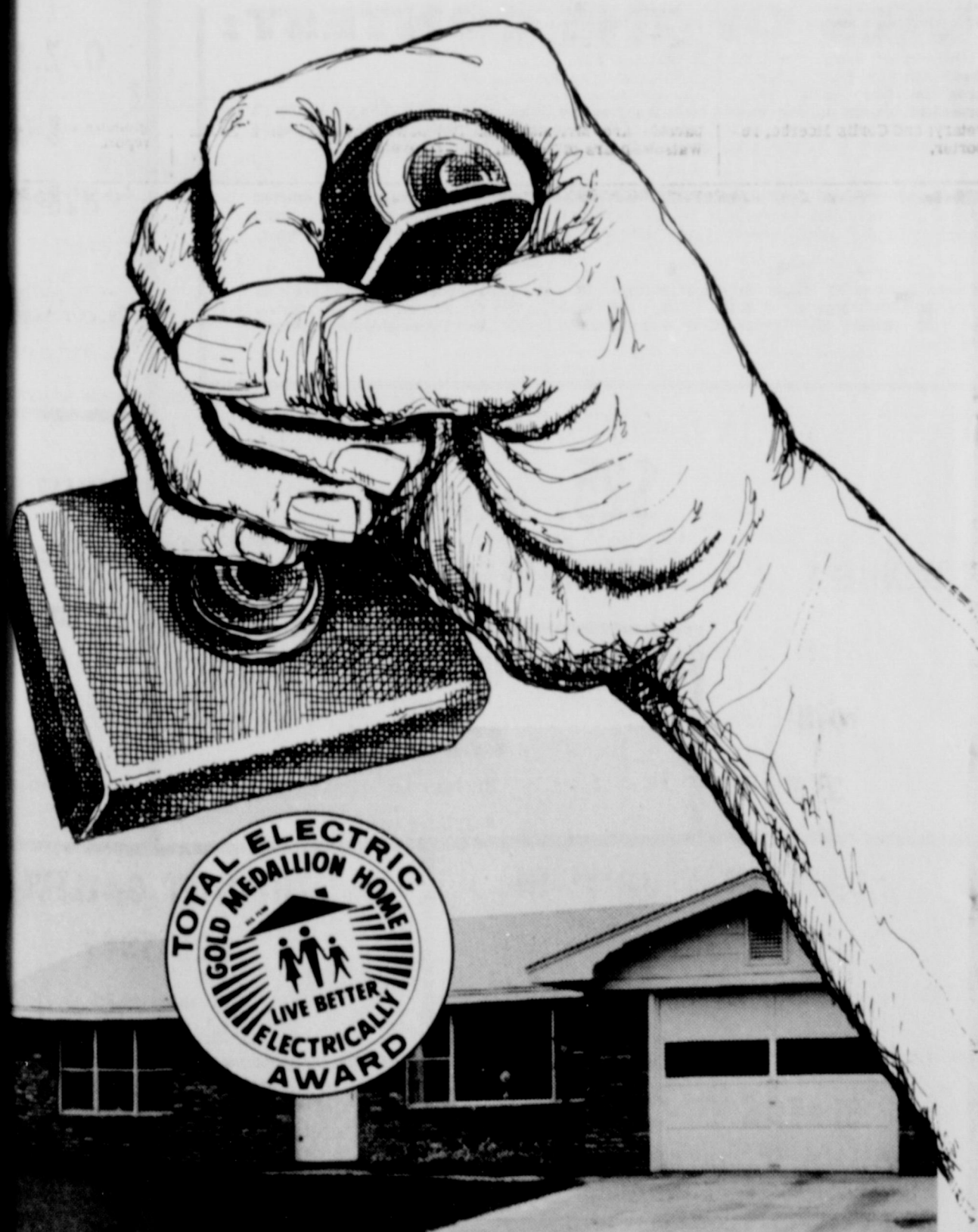
There is no joy in the land of our competitors today. But let us ask you this. Should we have made Caprice shorter instead of the longest Chevrolet ever built? Or adorned it with flashy nicknacks to make it look less expensive? Just because competition doesn't, should we not have offered you washers to clean your headlights, new variable-ratio power steering, liquid tire chain you can apply to your rear wheels at the touch of a button? Should we have given you less power, instead of the largest standard V8 in its field? Some people think so. Our competitors.



'69 Camaro SS Sport Coupe, plus RS equipment

Camaro. Who needs to say "announcing" or "new". The Huger. And just look how it all hangs together. No gingerbread anywhere. We've improved the interior, too. Quieted the ride. Made the Astro Ventilation ventilate better. The power range is very impressive.

Standard V8 is 210 hp. SS engines available up to 325 hp. For added SS appeal: sport striping; power disc brakes; wide oval, road-hugging tires. Your Chevrolet dealer offers this advice: Go on, you other sportsters. Gnash your gears and look tough. Maybe it will help. **Putting you first, keeps us first.**



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Styling From Ground Up, Safety Are Part of Pontiac Story

Pontiac Reveals 1969 Firebird, LeMans



Both the 1969 Pontiac Firebird and the LeMans models combine sports car design and big car luxury. The Firebird, represented above by the hardtop coupe, is also available in a convertible model. A choice of five engines and now a three-speed Turbo Hydra-matic transmission option make the Firebird one of America's most popular sports cars. The LeMans convertible, along with the two-door sports coupe, two-door hardtop coupe, four-door hardtop and station wagon feature new interior fabrics and colors, draft free ventilation and additional padding for safety and comfort.

Styling from the ground up, the new 1969 Pontiac models feature a host of new styling and safety features. Highlights include a new look to equipment, a new traditional split roof lines and the new windows from the Executive and Bonneville adding picture quality. The new models, offered in four series, go on sale September 26.

A major shift in its styling, Pontiac Motor unveils a new generation of new goals for the 1969 models. A concealed radio is first in the industry; precision engineering establish the new America's most advanced automobile.

The Model J, the GP classic proportions of a kind body that exclusive 118-inch wheelbase. The Model J will be a one body style - coupe, it will go on the first time on September 26.

The Grand Prix's host in addition to the radio antenna are an heated rear window, a driver's compartment enclosed absorbing material protection and the new in the industry. Intermediates from Pontiac Division blend with exact engineering safety.

The line-up of Tempest, S, Le Mans and Le Mans reveals a new front end assembly designed in panels and the abstract windows on hard-

top coupes and convertibles. In addition, there is a new two-way tailgate for station wagons, an ignition-steering gearshift lock, tow Ram Air options for GTO customers and the three-speed Turbo Hydra-matic has been made available on all models.

These new models are styled and engineered to further accelerate the surge which is carrying them to new sales records," John Z. DeLoe, a General Motors Vice President and Pontiac general manager said.

Fifteen Pontiac intermediate models are offered in four series.

The 1969 Pontiac Firebirds take on added distinction as a personal sports car with fresh styling for a longer, lower appearance, the availability of the Turbo Hydra-matic transmission for all models and other engineering refinements for safety and comfort.

Firebird exterior styling is highlighted by front bumper extensions made of a new tough plastic material which is body color while wider bucket seats and a new instrument panel are features of the interiors.

For the first time a three-speed automatic transmission, the Turbo Hydra-matic, will be available for all overhead camshaft six-cylinder engines and 350 cubic-inch V-8's.

Available in a two-door hardtop coupe and convertible, the new Firebirds also go on sale Sep. 26.

The Bonneville series has been given specific treatment in 1969 and features a separate and distinct grille, a rear bumper with a rubber-like pad and a 428 cubic-inch V-8 engine as standard equipment.

The 1969 Pontiac interiors present a pleasant and safer environment with molded instrument panels of a sweeping one-piece design with heavy

energy-absorbing padding, a new instrumentation arrangement and complete upper level ventilation.

The front of the new Pontiacs is striking in appearance and functional in design.

A center section of a rubber-like plastic material, called Endura, splits both the grille and the bumper setting a dominant theme. It is painted in body color. Parking lamps are below the massive bumper at the outboard ends of the valance panel and dual horizontal headlamps complete the wide clean look.

Bonnevilles have a die cast grille separate and distinct from the other models.

The new side appearance emphasizes full length side peak line and new roof lines.

A major advance in Pontiacs built-in safety is a steel beam within each door which will provide greater protection against passenger compartment penetration in case of a side collision.

The safeguard, which is standard on the new Pontiacs, includes a box-like steel beam positioned horizontally within each door plus additional door-pillar reinforcements.

POSEY NEWS

MRS. P. C. KITCHENS

Greetings! This past week has been more beautiful fall weather. Saturday we received showers again and some of the farms near the canyon received some damaging hail Friday evening. Cotton has begun to open. Some of the farmers have harvested their maize.

Mrs. Nettie Hyatt's guests over the weekend were Mrs. Ethel Cornwell and daughter of Fort Worth, and Rev. B. A. Hyatt and family of Levelland. Andrew Loke and family visited the Joe Lokes Sunday afternoon.

BIRTHDAY
Skeeter Stolle was honored with a birthday dinner at the Fred Stolle home recently with a host of friends. Those who helped make Skeeter's birthday a happy one were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ehlo, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lobstein, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Johnson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ehlo and Pastor Jimmy Leuders.

Those visiting the Fred Stolle Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stolle and Otto Bachman and son of Vernon.

Robert Stolle is home from M.D. Anderson Hospital but will return to the hospital in November for further treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Loke Loke and children were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Maeker Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Rudd and children visited with the Charles Rudd family Saturday evening. Guests of the Benny Rudds Sunday afternoon were the Sammy Gentry family.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Oats were Clay Neal Oats and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Oats, Mrs. J. P. Oats, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller of Cooper (East Texas), Mr. and Mrs. Jay Oats and Commie, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Simpson, Suzann and Jimmy of Amarillo, Mrs. Jerry Oats and Jimmy Simpson are Tech students.

Robert Boyce and Mr. and Mrs. Mert Gentry visited the

Calvin Willis family last week at Burnet. They also visited the B. O. Bailey family at San Angelo before returning home.

Joe Wischkaemper of Austin has been visiting with the A. F. Wischkaempers this week Mrs. Wischkaemper and son, Phillip, and Joe visited relatives over the weekend at Shamrock and Wellington.

Guests of the Fred Meyers Sunday afternoon were Mrs. Nettie Hyatt and brother, Lee Murchison, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dorsett of Lubbock.

Earl Foerster went with the Canyon Gin group fishing at Allegro near Port Aransas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Wimmer and family visited H. A. Wimmer of Hermleigh over the weekend. They attended the Sons of Hermann Sausage dinner Sunday at Hermleigh while they were there.

The Cecil Memzel family visited the Melvin Menzel family at Wilson Sunday.

Mrs. Heddie Kelly spent the weekend in Amarillo at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Oliphant Jr. She also visited with Margaret Kelly who was there from Chicago.

Guests of the P. C. Kitchens Saturday were Mrs. Buelah Kitchens and son, Billy.

"A woman looked into a patent medicine booklet to see if she was sick. She was!"
She you next week.

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Purpose of Water, Inc. Outlined

By Cliff Chamberlain

Water, Inc. is an organization comprised of a wide cross-section of people who recognize the need for additional water supplies. Not only additional water for the Water, Inc. region, but in most areas of Central and South Texas, as well as the Valley Region.

People - representing every segment of the regional economy - created Water, Inc. to be a spokesman for our region. A supplement to the dwindling water supply is necessary to the economic well-being of the region. This supplemental water is a matter of utmost urgency.

This story must be told and action must be initiated now, so that water can be provided before a critical economic situation occurs. The benefits of water import to the whole state and to the nation must be explored, and information concerning these benefits must be made available.

The strength of Water, Inc. is measured by the number of people it represents. Supplemental water sources for our region

can be developed only if a need for the water can be demonstrated. Water, Inc. wants you to add your voice to those who have already recognized that economic well-being depends upon a dependable supply of adequate amounts of water.

We are looking East for our water. The surplus flood waters of the Mississippi River now appear as the most practicable source. We believe that this water can be brought

into our region at a cost we can afford to pay.

Everyone along the import route would benefit. From the flood water gathering point and into East Texas, flood control, navigation, new industrial and recreational opportunities will be opened. Along the canal route, recreation, tourism and industrial benefits will accrue.

Also, it is easy to visualize a canal of fresh water large enough to support navigation

accessible to the Dallas-Ft. Worth area. All these benefits can be a reality. Adequate water supplies in our region will allow us to maintain and expand our economy by attracting new industry, creating new jobs and by providing opportunities for new crops and agricultural expansion. Water importation is a positive program necessary to the nation's economic welfare. For this to be a reality, we need your help.

Every agency of the local, State and Federal government involved in water resource development must be made aware of the need for water imports. They must be assured of the public support for such a project, and understand the benefits to be derived. The legal implications must be explored, legislation developed and implemented. Technical data compiled and research undertaken. A political entity must be created - a political subdivision of the state - to contract for the water as it is delivered. These are only a few of the problems in which Water, Inc. is to be involved.

from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK

DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

- Fort Orange changed its name to Albany, New York, September 20, 1664. George B. Simpson was granted patent for the first electric hotplate, September 20, 1859.
- First daily paper in the U.S., "Packet and Advertiser" was published, September 21, 1784.
- Gene Tunney defeated Jack Dempsey to win the world's heavyweight boxing championship, September 22, 1926.
- The planet Neptune was discovered, September 23, 1846.
- Civil War broke out in China, September 24, 1924.
- President Zachary Taylor was born, September 24, 1784.
- Vasco Nunez Balboa discovered the Pacific, September 25, 1513. Nazis forced Quisling government on Norway, September 25, 1940.
- Thomas Jefferson was appointed first Secretary of State, September 26, 1789.

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Never driven a car like this before, that's because never been a car like this Pontiac Grand Prix before. It's got its own 118" wheelbase. So new, it's got its aircraft-type interior. A new steering wheel with a material rim. With a Wide-Track on big tires. With hidden radio antenna we're daring everybody to find.

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There's also The Great One. Our GTO, the one that started it all. Complete with baseball-bat-proof bumper, fully padded instrument panel, distinctive Redline tires, along with specially designed suspension. Plus an assortment of V-8's that'll make your break from dull driving just about as pleasing as any you've ever made.

And don't forget our luxurious Bonneville. With a standard, 360-hp, 428-cubic-inch V-8, a long, long 125" wheelbase, a new upper-level ventilation system, color-keyed energy absorbing bumper at both front and rear... plus the kind of interiors you'd like to install at home. Bonneville. Who needs more?



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LETTERS to EDITOR

September 21
Editor
Slatonite
Slaton, Texas

Dear Sir:
The Slaton-Lamesa football game has come and gone. Truly, a new era is dawning, who ever thought 40 years ago that Lamesa and Slaton could ever get on the same football field, play a hard game, and after it, walk over, shake hands, pat each other on the back, and then go their separate ways.

There was much reminiscing last week around the coffee shops and other conversations throughout the community about the good old days of the 1920's and 30's with the Slaton Tigers.

Our Tornado special train that would run to Slaton, "The reception committee" that would be waiting for us, and then your "hospitality committee" that would not only see us back to the train, but, on the train.

Yes, the renewal of the rivalry of our two schools brought back a lot of fond memories to us Friday night, as I'm sure it did for the many people of Slaton.

The people of Lamesa welcome you into our district, and although our rivalry will probably never reach the "fever point" it did in the past, we are looking forward to it.

G. R. White,
Constable and L.H.S. Ex

Dear Lavon,
All my life I have wondered what a ghost "writer" was but after reading that article about the lady who had a dead plant come to life, I think now I know what they mean by the "ghost" as that sure sounded ghostly to me. Enjoyed the article very much.
Pat Whitehead
Lamesa, Texas

Danny Heinrich To Vietnam

Pfc. E3 Daniel J. Heinrich, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Heinrich, has been home on a 30 day leave recently and is now stationed in South Viet Nam with the armed forces. He is a medic on a helicopter assigned to the 45th Medical Co. (AA) Air Ambulance, stationed at Long Bien, about 20 miles from Saigon.

Danny enlisted in the Army Oct., 1967 after graduating from Slaton High School in May. He took his basic training at Fort Polk, La., and his advanced medical training at Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio.

Prior to his assignment in Vietnam, Danny served with the 4th Armored Division in Nuremberg, Germany. His address is Pfc. Daniel J. Heinrich, RA 15 795 483, 45th Medical Co. (AA), APO San Francisco, Calif. 96491.

Sept. 20, 1968
85 East 19th St.
San Angelo, Tex. 76901

Dear Lavon and Speedy,
I want you to know that even though we had to move to San Angelo, Texas, our hearts are still with everyone in Slaton.

We are real proud of the Slaton Tigers and the game they won from the Lakeview Chiefs. I can hear the victory bell ringing!

We noticed where Calvin Wayne Klaus had subscribed to The Slatonite for two years. We have missed him. My son, Larry G. Nall, just left Hawaii and Calvin Wayne will meet his ship, U.S.S. Coral Sea, when it arrives in Japan. I think such a wonderful getting together is the most I wouldn't take anything for my, I should say ours, four sons for being patriotic for their service for their country. Two have completed their duty namely William Claud Nall and Carlton Nall, and my prayers are with all our boys who are fighting for us. God bless all of them.

Let the people of Slaton know that we love them and miss them.

God bless the ones that have lost their loved ones and our sympathy is extended to them. Don't let our subscription run out, please!

Sincerely,
Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Klaus.

Mrs. Anna Mae Vannoy of Lamesa spent the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Butler, Visiting the Butlers last week were Mr. and Mrs. John Morris of Perryton, Mrs. Morris and Mrs. Butler are twin sisters.

George Jones underwent surgery Tuesday in West Texas Hospital in Lubbock and is a patient there.

Daniel Heinrich

Guests in the home of Mrs. M. E. Morris last week were her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Gary of Sand, two sisters, Mrs. G. E. White of Lubbock and Mrs. Hill Guinn of San Angelo, and a brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Lewis of Rule.

Mrs. Harvey Tunnell is a patient in Highland Hospital in Lubbock. She underwent surgery there last week.

Wilson Lumber Co.



WEBELOS CAMPERS---This group of Webelos from Cub Scout Pack 128 enjoyed a Camp Out at Camp Post Friday and Saturday. Pictured with them are three Boy Scouts, Brad Robison, Jay Burks and Steve Lavender. Adult campers were R. M. McMinn and Wayne (Doc) Perkins. Webelos are Lanny Lavender, Elland Wood, Lanny Brown, Terry Bradford, Jeffery Jones, John Van Meter, Brent Wilkins, Michael Taylor, Paul Gentry and Gary West. Pack 128 will hold its regular monthly pack meeting tonight at 7:30 p.m.

TAX MAN SAM SEZ:

If your tax return is selected for audit, there is no reason for panic -- on the other hand, there is no reason for you to be enraged or feel "picked on."

Internal Revenue audits several million returns each year after the computer has corrected the math and taken umbrage at a number of careless errors. The Internal Revenue Agent is a well-trained, professional em-

ployee.

A part of his training is to be fair. He has the same responsibility for seeing that you get extra deductions that you missed as he does for seeing that the government gets all the tax due from you. A large part of the tax audits result in the taxpayer verifying his questioned items and receiving no

change in his tax liability. 7% of those audited receive a refund, due to the tax credits or deductions. So--gather your nerves, view your return with a businesslike attitude, you don't agree with things, exercise your rights.

Island On Wheels

Guam may be just a tiny island in the Pacific, but it's big enough to hold more than 20,000 automobiles. Guam had 20,268 cars registered on January 1, 1968--more cars, in fact, than 37 countries in the free world.

Mexican Find

Mexico City is developing an "archeological park" around ancient ruins excavated during the construction of the Olympic Village. Four temples and numerous small tombs have been discovered and are believed to date from a culture which flourished from 600 to 200 B.C. Restoration will be partially completed by the time of the Olympics.

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