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er, No. 18

SLATON, TEXAS

Jan. 31, 1974

Bomb Scare Empties High School Here

High School was closed Tuesday and students returned to school after a half hour out of school after a caller said a bomb would go off at the school.

and fire department personnel rushed to the school and conducted a search of the building. A caller mentioned by the school board had passed out a letter to the Federal Bureau of Investigation in regard to a bomb scare. The letter mentioned that the school board was in a state of emergency and that the school board was in a state of emergency.

anyone convicted of the offense under federal law is subject to \$5,000 fine and five years imprisonment. A young male, speaking calmly and with no trace of

accent, called the school administrative offices about 10:15 a.m. Tuesday. The phone was answered by Mrs. Tim Bourn of the administrative office staff.

She gave the following account of the incident:

"I answered the phone and said 'Good morning, superintendent's office,' and there was a short pause," she related. "Then a male voice, which sounded no older than that of a person in his 20s at the most, said 'At 11 o'clock this morning, a bomb will go off at Slaton High School.' He then hung up before I could say anything."

Mrs. Bourn said the caller's voice was calm, and he did not sound excited. She said she immediately called High School Principal M. W. Kerr, who notified

police. Police advised evacuation of the premises.

School officials and police officers agreed there is little alternative to clearing the building in such cases, even knowing that the great majority of such cases are hoax calls.

Because of the fact that such false calls interfere with the operations of schools and businesses, and cause officers and volunteer firemen and other volunteers needless extra work and concern, penalties for

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1-25	52	28
1-26	65	28
1-27	60	27
1-28	58	20
1-29	62	30
1-30	62	32

making the calls have been made strict and heavy.

Officers said Wednesday they had some promising leads in their investigation to discover who made the bomb call.

Gamble Named To School Board; Election Scheduled For April 6

Joe Gamble, a former school board member, has been appointed to serve on the school board for the next two months, filling the place vacated by the resignation of Rev. Emilio Abeyta.

tion accepted Rev. Abeyta's resignation and appointed Gamble in a called meeting Monday night. The board also officially set the date for the school trustee election April 6, with filing deadline March 6, noting that a drawing would be held for the position of names on the ballot.

Actually, the ballot will be in two parts, one for the election of two trustees for three-year terms, and one for the election of a board member to serve out Abeyta's term, which runs for two more years. Terms of the school board president, Don Kendrick, and Tommy Davis Jr. are scheduled to expire, and of those who file for these positions, the top two vote-getters will be elected.

Persons desiring to file for the trustee seats may do so at the school administrative offices on S. 9th St.

In other action Monday, the board gave permission to the Little Dribblers organization to play basketball games in the school gyms, and this program is expected to get underway about mid-February.

Cigarettes Prove Costly To Man Here

A carton of cigarettes cost a Slaton man \$52.50 last week, and he didn't even get to keep them.

Judge Fred England of city court assessed that fine to the man after he pleaded guilty to a charge of theft under \$5. The man was observed putting the cigarettes under his shirt in Piggly-Wiggly Supermarket.

An 11-year-old boy, Edward Charles Phenix, 610 E. Edwards, was treated and released after the bicycle he was riding was in collision with a car driven by Ray Pequeno Jr., 915 S. 7th, Thursday.

On Saturday, Bernice Jones, 980 S. Collins, was treated and released at Mercy Hospital for head injuries. She told police she was struck by an intruder in her home.

An accident at 8th and Lubbock Monday involved a 1957 pickup driven by James Wade Osburn, 1765 S. 11th, and a 1974 auto driven by Carol Olaughlin of Lubbock. Damage was estimated to total \$200.

Also on Monday, a 1968 car driven by David Perez,

Lions Conference Here Success



ATTEND LIONS CONVENTION --- The Mid-Winter Conference of District 212 Lions Club held in Slaton Saturday, included: J. R. Collins of Perryton, from the High Plains Eye Bank, speaker; Hack Lasater of Slaton, candidate for Governor of the district; J. L. McPherson of Houston, president of the Crippled Children's Camp; Kip Cutshall of Littlefield, 212 District Governor; Bob Mohon, Slaton Lions Club President; and Ed Bucklow of Conroe, candidate for international director from Texas. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

The midwinter conference of Lions clubs from throughout the South Plains and Panhandle was one of the best anywhere in years, visitors to the conference here told Slaton Lions Club officials after the event was hosted in Slaton for the first time ever last weekend.

Principal speaker at the conference, which attracted more than 200 Lions and their wives, was J. R. Collins of Perryton, who spoke on the Hi Plains Eye Bank.

A noon luncheon Saturday divided the full day of activities, which also included programs for the visiting wives of Lions Club members. The women visited homes of Mrs. Harvey Tunnell and Mrs. M. L. Turnbow, and in the afternoon attended a tea hosted by Mrs. Don Kendrick in the Kendrick home.

Visitors to the District 212 conference included Ed Skypala, state secretary of Lions; J. L. McPherson, president of the Lions Crippled Children's Camp; Ed Bucklow of Conroe, candidate for international director; Mrs. Billy Flanagan, executive secretary of the eye bank; Bill and Wilma Leslie of Memphis, eye bank officers; and past district governors C. E. Carruth of Andrews (213), Ed Flood of Amarillo (211) and Jack Riley of Pampa (211).

Kip Cutshall of Littlefield, governor of the district, had praise for the manner in which the Slaton club conducted the host activities, and also commented on the friendliness of Slaton residents.

Plans were discussed for more youth exchanges, kidney foundation, programs for crippled children and blind persons, eye bank and Girlstown, all Lions programs which benefit from the Coaches All-America football game held in Lubbock in June. The 66 clubs of the district are responsible for selling tickets to the game.

A highlight of the session was the nomination of M. H. (Hack) Lasater of Slaton to be district governor next year. No other nominations were made, although he conceivably could have an opponent, since filing deadline is not until Feb. 25. The election of the district governor for next year will take place at the district convention in Plainview June 27.



SAW and experienced the most strange wonderful phenomenon last weekend. The sun disappeared, but oddly, there was dust in the air. Then we noticed little matter apparently falling to earth from above. When you stood out in the open, little spots would appear magically all over your clothing, and although you couldn't see it in the air before it touched you, articles of something or other would appear on your cheeks and hands, with a cool, moist sensation. This phenomenon lasted for almost three days.

You may have guessed by now, we left last weekend, and all of this occurred here, mostly at Austin. Like Chicken we feared the sky was falling when all began to happen, but a man who lived in town told us it was a fairly common occurrence which is called rain.

Actually, it didn't rain much, but it kept for three days, and to us from the far country, it seemed like a flood. We even had any measurable rainfall in parts in several months. (If I had the chance I'd look up the exact date, but just the thought of the task makes me thirsty.)

Austin we attended the winter meeting of the Texas Press Assn., with the theme of the being energy. On the program were officials of the state government and VIPs in the U. S. Congress. These included Gov. Dolph Briscoe, Lt. Gov. William P. Hobby, Secretary of State Mark White, Atty. Gen. John Hill, House Speaker Price Daniel, and Sen. Don Claitor.

I didn't hear all of them, but I caught the speakers I heard, and I was most impressed by Wright, member of Congress from Fort Worth. He's one of the finest I've ever heard, and besides, he has a sense of humor. Briscoe made a good impression but he came across pretty grim.

I also heard Anne Armstrong, counselor to President Nixon, and visited in the state capital with Rep. Pete Laney of Hale Center, a representative, and with Judge Leonidas, justice of the court of criminal appeals. Both Judge Douglas and Rep. Laney were out from a busy schedule to show us just like we were somebody.

I tried to throw in a plug for Pete, here, but he is one of the nicest people I know. A newsman who is stationed in the capitol told me Pete is doing a fine job for a freshman.

I tried to visit Rep. R. B. (Mac) McAlister, but he wasn't in his office. Hadn't he been for some time, apparently, since his name on the wall was for the year 1895.

Heart Fund Drive Set In Slaton

Feb. 17 has been designated as Heart Sunday, climaxing the Heart Fund drive nationally and locally from Feb. 14-17.

Co-ordinating the local campaign will be Kay Smith and Shirley Tucker, with Jo Holt in charge of publicity. There will be a coffee for all group captains at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Smith, 800 South 21st St.

Recently two prominent doctors spoke to local service clubs concerning heart disease and the Heart Fund. They were Dr. William W. Frye, dean of the Texas Tech University Medical School, who spoke to the Rotary Club; and Dr. Joseph R. Sasano Jr., associate chairman of pediatric cardiology at the Tech Medical School, who spoke to the Lions Club.

Slaton should be quite proud of its contributions to the Heart Fund. Last year the citizens of Slaton contributed an average of 20 cents per person, which, although it may not sound impressive, is considerably higher than the national average.



SCOUTS COLLECT PAPERS --- Members of Boy Scout Troop 123 load old newspapers into a trailer parked by Slaton Methodist Church. Scouts have a wire container near that location for deposit of used newspapers, which must be folded in half, like those they are holding, and tied in bundles. The Scouts collect the papers to raise funds for the troop. From left here are Dennis Bednarz, Mike Tumlinson, Tim Hartley, David Baker, David Hartley, Emilio Ramirez and Lyndol Hurst. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Slaton Cage Teams Win

With Billy Thomas scoring 20 points, Slaton's Tigers downed Cooper 60-53 here Tuesday night to bring the Tigers' second-round record to 2-1. Donnie Seale scored 14 for the Pirates.

The Tigerettes continued unbeaten in district action by halting Cooper's girls

Fire Damages Drive-In Here

Fire early Monday caused extensive damage to the interior of Boston Super Dog drive-in on S. 9th St., with the damage estimated at "possibly in excess of \$5,000," by Fire Chief Don Kendrick.

The blaze, brought under control shortly after arrival of firemen, caused heavy damage, mainly in the dining area. Firemen were summoned by a resident from across the street, who had noticed smoke. The fire apparently had been going quite a while before firemen arrived about 7 a.m., Kendrick said. No one was at work, and there were no injuries. Eighteen firemen and two units went to the scene.

The building is owned by F. D. Boston of Brownfield, and manager is Mrs. Jessie Emert. There was no report as to how long the business would be closed.

Slaton Methodist Church Puts Emphasis On Healing, Fasting

The First United Methodist Church in Slaton is in the midst of a program designed to culminate in a special healing service in the church Feb. 12, admittedly an unusual service for contemporary Methodist churches, but one which the Slaton church's minister insists was an important part of the ministry of early-day Methodism.

Rev. Merriel Abbott, pastor of the Slaton church, is laying the groundwork for the healing service by

preaching for four Sunday mornings on various aspects of the healing miracles of Christ -- "with emphasis on the fact that Christ has just as much healing power today as he had when He appeared on earth in physical form."

Rev. Abbott already has preached two of the four Sunday sermons on this theme, which when stressed in traditional churches today ordinarily arouses emotions of churchgoers in a range from enthusiasm to even

some antagonism. In Slaton's First United Methodist Church, the reaction of members to the program coming up and to the messages already given by the minister appear warm and enthusiastic.

Also in preparation for the healing service -- "scheduled on a Tuesday night so those who take part will be the ones sincerely interested in coming" -- the pastor is hosting prayer sessions especially on healing each Tuesday evening at the

parsonage.

"Physical healing is involved here, but we're trying to emphasize that the greatest healing of all is spiritual healing," Rev. Abbott said. "Also we want to make it clear that there are many kinds of healing, and that we certainly are not taking the position that any person with physical needs should ever neglect physicians' care...if a person is sick, he should go to the doctor. But as we go, we should go as a man or

woman of faith."

Another relatively rare practice in present-day Methodist churches, the practice of fasting, is being emphasized also by the Slaton church. This is not directly related to the healing service, the minister said, but is something which many Methodists feel should be practiced regularly, as was done by early-day Methodists.

This Friday at noon Rev. Ed Robb, pastor of St. Luke's Methodist Church in

Lubbock, will speak for about 15 minutes on the validity and importance of fasting to modern-day followers of Jesus. Some of the members of the local church already are fasting on a certain day of the week.

Any interested person is invited to take part in any of the services, and Rev. Abbott issued a special invitation to all to come and hear Rev. Robb, formerly and evangelist, at noon Friday.



HOSTESSES --- Assisting in hospitalities for the Lions Club Ladies Tea were Mrs. Don Kendrick, left, Mmes. Truett Bownds, Jimmy Sikes, Jim Dulin, and Steve Smith. The tea was in the home of Mrs. Kendrick. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Tea, Book Review Honor Visiting Wives Of Lions

The Lionesses who were in town for the Lions District 272 convention were honored with a tea and book review in the home of Lioness Mrs. Don Kendrick Saturday.

Mrs. Willard Childers gave a book review on "Everything But Money", by Sam Levenson.

The table was covered with a white cloth centered with a purple and gold flower arrangement complemented with crystal and silver.

Approximately 20 guests were present with out of town guests coming from Littlefield, Plainview, Lubbock, Morton, Cotton Center and Shallowater.

Local Lionesses assisting

Mrs. Kendrick included Mmes. Steve Smith, Jim Dulin, Jimmy Sikes and Truett Bownds.

SUSIE LEMON TO ATTEND COLLEGE

Betty Susanne (Susie) Lemon, 18, a former Slaton resident has been accepted by Bauder Fashion College of Arlington, subsidiary to U. T. of Arlington. She will be majoring in merchandising and minoring in modeling. She is a graduate of Monterey High School of Lubbock.

She is the daughter of Mrs. W. Joe Warren and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cade of Slaton.



MRS. GARRY DON BURTON
...Cindy Milliken

Burton-Milliken Vows Are Read

Miss Cindy Lee Milliken became the bride of Garry Don Burton, Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. in the Chapel at Fort Polk, La., with Chaplain Jerry Hamperzonian performing the ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Mrs. James Barbee of Slaton and A. C. Milliken of Lubbock. The groom's parents are Mrs. Edsel Speer of Slaton and William Bur-

ton of Earth.

The bride wore a pink double knit dress with lace bodice and long lace sleeves. She carried a bouquet of white carnations and pink rose buds.

Mrs. Burton is a sophomore at Slaton High School and her husband is stationed at Fort Polk, La. training unit.

Engagement Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Culver of 305 N. 18 St., Slaton, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Rebecca Catherine, to Keith Milton Wied of Wilson.

Parents of the bridegroom are Mrs. Dorothy Wied and the late M. G. Wied of Wilson.

Wedding plans have been made for June 29 in the First Baptist Church, in Slaton. Rev. J. L. Cartrite, pastor, will officiate for the double ring ceremony.

The bride is a senior at Slaton High School and the groom is a graduate of Texas Tech, now engaged in farming.



REBECCA CULVER

New Bride Is Honoree

Mrs. Gerald Talkmitt, the former Susan Green, was the honoree at a shower in the home of Mrs. Elza Smith Sunday afternoon. The bride's chosen colors of aqua and white were used in the table decorations.

Assisting Mrs. Smith as hostesses were Mmes. George Gamble, Tim Bourn, Ray Belt, Glen Attnip, Bill Baker, L. O. Lemon, E. D. Gossett, Clinton Eastman, Lora Wicker, Frances Keane, Joe Ross, Pat Patterson, Wade Carter, Jay Gray, Robert Dillon, Coy Evans, Leon Kenney and Dorothy Weid. Also Mmes. Jim Dulin, Ernie Davis, Charles Rudd, Jimmy Fox, John Hudnall, Stan Jaynes, Clarence Heaton, Sammie Parks, William Jones, W. G. Gass, Robert Brake and Jack Haire.

Hostess gifts were a vacuum cleaner and center piece.

FREEDOM FLAME IS EXTINGUISHED

The membership of the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars has voted to extinguish the Freedom Flame located on the City Square for the duration of the energy crisis.

It was felt that any conservation, however small, would contribute to the welfare of our nation.

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Miss Lou Slay Home Is Scene of Nuptial Vows

Miss Lou Slay became bride-elect of David Gene son, was Jan. 26, at 8:45 a.m. in the home of the Rev. C. C. Peoples, Saturday, of Mt. Olive Baptist Church, performed the ceremony.

The bride wore a lace gown and carried a bouquet of flowers. The groom wore a tuxedo. The ceremony was officiated by the Rev. C. C. Peoples.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Slay. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Slay.

The ceremony was attended by many guests. The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.



MRS. DAVID WILLIAMS

Study Club 'Visits' South of the Border

The Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club met Monday, Jan. 21 in the home of Mrs. M. G. Davis.

Mrs. Leroy Holt, program chairman, presented Mrs. Williams is a graduate of Lubbock Opportunity Center. She is currently attending the General Education Center. She is employed by the City Water Department. The groom attended Hillsboro High School and is employed by Western Geophysical Co. The couple plans to go to Tulsa, Okla. to see Oral Roberts University.

Virgie Hunter, who gave a program on Mexico and South America, featuring slides of her extensive journey.

Attending were Mmes. Merriel Abbott, Max Arrants, Bill Ball, Bing Bingham, J. S. Edwards, Jr., Francis Gill, Howard Hoffman, Roy Lynn Kahlich, Weldon Meador, John Morris, Glen Payne, Earl Reasoner, M. M. Schlueter, Cecil Scott, Bill Smith, James Watkins, Rush Wheeler, Holt and Davis.

CARD OF THANKS
Sincere thanks to my relatives and friends for the beautiful cards, visits and phone calls during the time I was in the hospital.
Mrs. W. R. Greer



Don't forget to watch your groundhog Saturday to see if he sees his shadow. That's supposed to mean six more weeks of bad weather, isn't it? If it's no worse than the past six weeks, it shouldn't be too bad. A little rain would be nice though. But after 13 snows last year, I for one am willing to forego the pleasure (?) of building a snowman this year. Some nice easy rain would serve the purpose pretty good.

W-2 forms and tax advertisements remind us again that it is time to start on the income tax return. As goofy as I get over one return, I wonder how those folks who do it for a living ever retain their sanity. And no matter how the return turns out, I never get back as much, or have to pay as little, as I thought I would. It is, I must admit, much nicer in this even to receive than it is to give!

February usually seems like a "nothing" month, with nothing to offer except Valentine's Day. But, let me tell you a few other things that are being celebrated this month: National Freedom Day is Feb. 1; Groundhog Day is Feb. 2; Boy Scout Week is Feb. 7-13; Crime Prevention Week is Feb. 10-16; and Brotherhood Commitment Week is Feb. 17-24. And, February is American Heart Month, Cerebral Palsy Month, and Blood Donor Month. I bet you didn't know so many things would be going on.

The Girl Scouts are preparing for their annual Cookie Sale that begins at the end of this month, Feb. 22 -- March 9. Slaton will have approximately 50 little cookie salesmen, according to Treasure Chance, Unit Cookie chairman for this year. She tells me that the cookies, which will be \$1 per box, are now packaged in a new freezable package. Here's a little recipe from the Girl Scouts, giving you some new ideas in using their cookies:

DATE AND NUT ROLL

18 Scot-Tea cookies, crumbled
3/4 cup chopped dates
14 large marshmallows, cut up
1 cup chopped nuts
1/2 cup whipped cream

Combine all the ingredients; mix well and roll up with 1/2 cup additional Scot-Tea cookie crumbs on the outside. Wrap in waxed paper and put in refrigerator at least 5 hours. Cut in slices and top with whipped cream. Makes 8 servings.

Civic and Culture Club Elects Officers

The Civic and Culture Club met in the home of Mrs. Bruce Pember Wednesday with Mrs. J. D. Barry as co-hostess.

Mrs. R. E. Switzer, president, called the meeting to

order and the group read the club collect.

The following new officers were elected: Mrs. Kenneth Davies, president; Mrs. T. C. Martin, vice-president; Mrs. M. L. German, recording secretary; Mrs. E. R. Legg, treasurer.

Mrs. Joe Brooks gave the program on Ireland, describing the different parts of Ireland and telling of the cities and what they are well known for.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. H. E. Anderson, Jack Cook, B. H.

Grandall, Kenneth Davies, J. A. Elliott, M. L. German, E. R. Legg, T. C. Martin, A. L. Saage, H. T. Scurlock, H. V. Wheeler, Brooks, Switzer, Barry and Pember.



'Ms.' Contest Set Saturday

The Wilson FTA Chapter will present a "Ms. WHS" contest Saturday at 7:30 p.m. in the Wilson High School Auditorium.

Comedy should be the program theme Saturday as more than a dozen local "Ms." parade for the audience.

Donations will be accepted. All proceeds will be used to send all members to the FTA State Convention Feb. 23.

Births

1-29-74 -- Mr. and Mrs. Unice White, 860 S. Collins St., Slaton, a boy, Dwight Jerel, 5 lbs. 9 oz.

Donna Moerbe On Honor Roll

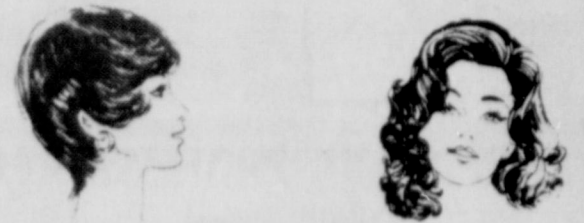
AMARILLO -- Donna G. Moerbe, Slaton sophomore, is among 302 West Texas State University students to make the University honor roll for the 1973 fall semester.

Miss Moerbe, 28, is a Data Processing and Computer Science major.

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John Robinson Wins Derby

John Robinson of Den 1 was first place winner in the Pinewood Derby when pack 123 Cub Scouts met Thursday. The championship race was between first place winners of each den.

The winners in the Webelos were: first place - Benny Keck; second - Jerry

Graves; third - Sidney Mabry.
Den One winners were: first - John Robinson; second - Mark Degan; third - a tie between Chris Adams and Billy Townsend.

Den Two winners: first - James Chance; second - Daron Forehand; third - Brian Rinne.

Den four winners: first - Brent Holt; second - Scott Moore; third - Lee Rogers.

The most original craft was by Benny Keck and the prettiest was made by Richard Beggs.



DERBY WINNERS --- Pinewood Derby winner is John Robinson of Cub Scout Pack 123. Den 1. Four dens entered the competition. Robinson, center, is shown here with the other winners.

BARTLEY TRANSFERS TO CAMERON COLLEGE

Ron Bartley, former all-district football player for the Slaton Tigers who attended his freshman year at Wichita State University, has transferred to Cameron State College in Lawton, Okla., where he will play for new head coach John Linville, who came from Rice.

A pre-law major, Bartley is 5-11, weighs 205, and will run at fullback. He said Linville has brought in 22 major college transfers, including 13 West Texans.

Cameron's spring game will be March 2.

Tops Club

The TX69 Tops Club met Thursday night in the Clubhouse with leader, Donita Johnston, presiding.

Fourteen members weighed in with eight losing eleven pounds.

Mickey Jones won the grab bag prize by losing the most.

Frances Keane read "The Beautiful Art of Forgetting."

Plans are being made for a bake sale, Wednesday, Feb. 13, in Piggly Wiggly's Store.

Thursday night (tonight) is auction time.

VITAMIN A

Deep orange color in vegetables indicates high vitamin A content. Pumpkins, winter squash, sweet potatoes and carrots have 10 or more times the vitamin A value of paler summer squash and corn, says Mrs. Karen Walker, foods and nutrition specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

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Cub Scouts See TV Show

Cub Scout Den 1 went to Admiral Foghorn's show Jan. 21 at KSEL TV.

After the show they went to McDonald's for hamburgers.

Those attending were: Jeffrey Ferguson, Cheryl Ferguson, Chris Adams, Billy Townsend, Mark Degan, Stephen McGinty, John Robinson, Tom Robinson, Bobby Barry, Herbert Hammons and Shawn Brooks.

Leaders are Seba Ferguson and Mary Jane Robinson.

GET RID OF MOTHS

To rid winter clothes and blankets of infested moths, put them in a plastic bag and place bag in the freezer overnight. This kills the moths and their larvae, explains Lynn Bourland, home management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Luncheon Fetes Church Women

United Methodist Women met Monday at noon with a covered dish luncheon in Fellowship Hall. Nineteen members were present with two visitors, Mrs. Nestor Kitten and Mrs. George Privett.

Mrs. Privett talked to the group on Hospital Auxiliary and Mrs. Sammy Hiatt gave the devotional.

Mrs. Truman Ford was presented with a special membership pin for outstanding and faithful service.

Mrs. R. T. Farley gave the benediction.



RECEIVES AWARD -- Laurie Gentry, an eighth grade student at Slaton Junior High School has received an Honorable Mention Award in the Texas Safety Association - Texas Classroom Teachers Association Railroad Highway Grade Crossing Safety Essay Contest. This contest was open to 7th, 8th and 9th grade students in the State of Texas. Mrs. W. V. Childers is Laurie's Language Arts Teacher.

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Plans Made For Convention Feb. 16-17

The Ladies Auxiliary to the VFW #6721 met in regular session Jan. 28 at 7:30 with President Ann Foster presiding. Fifteen members and one guest, Mrs. Leona Schertz, of Brownfield, were present.

Plans were made for the social hour and dinner for the District #7 Convention which will be held in the Slaton Post Home Feb. 16-17.

The Auxiliary joined the Post in applying reflector tapes on bicycles Jan. 19. Tapes were applied to 75

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Engagement Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Etter of Slaton announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kay Lynn, to Bobby Lee Bethune, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bethune of 4326 44th St., Lubbock.

The couple plan to be married March 9 in First Baptist Church in Slaton.

The bride-elect is a senior at Slaton and employed at Furr's. Bethune is employed by Exxon.

Junior High Jottings

By Denise Chapman and Jana Evans

It's nice to be back from a wonderful weekend of dust and wind.

Last week in Mr. Carter's eighth grade Science Class we did graphs on the weather. In Mrs. Wright's History Class we had our chapter test, which some of us didn't do so hot.

We're glad to have two new students, Lisa Smith and Rudy Gonzales. We hate to see Guadalupe Olivarez leave us though.

The question of the week was, "What is an acronym?"

Glenn Cornelius -- Something to do with language.
Peggy Morgan -- Something we have an assignment on.

Cindy Kincer -- Initials that spell a word.
Calvin Roberts -- It requires initials.

Joanne Thomas -- I don't know.
Paula Johnson -- I don't know.

Angela Martin -- Three initials put together to spell a word.

Sharon Stafford -- A word that describes another word. Students remember to bring all newspapers not needed to room 102 for pick-up by the Boy Scouts.

Re: Question of the week: Words which are formed from the first letters on syllables of other words are called acronyms.

The eighth graders questioned should have known -- they had classwork and homework on acronyms last week.

Denver City and Post are leading second-round play in the district with 3-0 records, and DC was the first team to beat Freshness in loop action, stopping the other Tigers 69-65 Tuesday. Freshness, unbeaten in first half, is 1-1 in the second half.

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	11 VFW & Aux., 8 p.m. Volunteer Firemen, 7:30 p.m. American Legion, Act., 7:30 p.m. Lions Club, noon Knights of Columbus, 8:30 p.m. PTA, 7:30 p.m. Basketball, girls, Post, here (Freshman team)	12 LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY Chap. 387, RAM, 7:30 p.m. Cons. 324, R & SM, 7:30 p.m. B of LFAE, 7:30 p.m. VFW Act., 8 p.m. Slaton HD Club, 1:30 p.m. Jr. Civic & Culture, 7:30 p.m. Athenian South Club, 7:30 p.m. Post B-A boys, there, 6:30-8	13 Slaton Ministerial Assoc., 8:30 a.m. Bluebonnet Club, 2:30 p.m. Rainbow Girls, 4:30 p.m. Slaton Garden Club, 3 p.m.	14 Masons, 7:30 p.m. Lodge 1094, AF&M, 7:30 p.m. Rotary Club, noon Tops at Clubhouse, 7 p.m. B of RT Aux., 9:30 a.m. Saddle Pals Riding Club, 8 p.m.	15 Senior Citizens, 9:30 a.m. Boy Scout Troop 125, 7:30 p.m. 15 7.50% INTEREST NOW BEING PAID AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN ON FOUR YEAR CERTIFICATES. \$1,000 MINIMUM.	16 NATIONAL NEGRO HISTORY WEEK FEB. 10-16
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24 ATTEND CHURCH	25 Lions Club, noon Ladies Altar Society, 2 p.m. VFW & Aux., 8 p.m. Am. Legion, Act., 7:30 p.m. Volunteer Firemen, 7:30 p.m.	26 Slaton Art Club, 7:30 p.m.	27 Civic & Culture Club Rainbow Girls, 4:30 p.m. Bluebonnet Club, 2:30 p.m.	28 Rotary Club, noon Tops at Clubhouse, 7 p.m. Masons, 7:30 p.m. Lodge 1094, AF&M, 7:30 p.m.	90 DAY NOTICE ACCOUNTS PAY 5.75% INTEREST, COMPOUNDED QUARTERLY.	7.5% INTEREST NOW BEING PAID AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN ON FOUR YEAR CERTIFICATES. \$1,000 MINIMUM. IT'S EASY TO SAVE AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN -- COME IN TO SEE US!

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DALTON WOOD, Publisher

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Friday. The girl's score was 88-55. Donna Shelton was high scorer with 19 points. Joy Basinger had 15 points. Mary Ellen Flores had 11; and Eva Rodriguez scored 8.

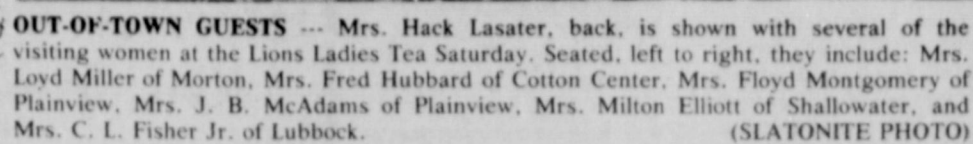
The boys' score was 76-64. Jerry Winterrowd was high scorer with 17 points. Gregg Lester had 16 points. Larry Koslan, Mark Bevers, and Kendon Wheeler all made 9 points each.

Both high school teams lost to Meadow last Tuesday. The girls' score was 68-33. Kelly Chaffin had 12 points, and Mary Ellen Flores made 10.

The boys' score was

Both high school basketball teams lost to Smyer last

The third and fourth grades went to see "The Vanishing Wilderness" at Showplace 4 in Lubbock last Friday. Mrs. Anne Chaffin, third grade teacher, and Mrs. Diana Watts, fourth grade teacher, accompanied the students. Mrs. Margie Cheak drove the bus.



Brenda & Sue Crowson

and Tim of Plainview spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Walker and Lester.

Monday -- school out.

Wednesday--Ham, sweet potatoes, celery sticks, hot rolls, milk and fruit jello.

Thursday -- Turkey and dressing, cranberry sauce, English peas, hot rolls, milk, butter and chocolate pudding.

Friday--Hamburger, vegetable salad, onions, pickles, ranch style beans, orange juice, milk and oatmeal crispy.

Mandi Lee and Becky Verkamp, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lee and Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Verkamp, presented an FHA slide program at Jayton Monday afternoon. Mandi is president of the local chapter and vice president of the Area, and Becky is the vice president of the local chapter.

Thursday (today) the FFA and FHA will have their annual party. They plan to go skating and eat out.

BASKETBALL GAMES
Last Friday night the high school teams played at Smyer. All three teams lost their games.

Tuesday WHS played Southland.

Friday they play at Meadow at 5:30. This will be the last game for the girls.

The Junior High Girls team won second place in the New Home tournament last weekend.

Monday, Jan. 28, the Jr. High played Meadow.

Next Monday, Feb. 4, they play Sundown there at 5:30.

The B teams will be in the Wilson basketball tournament next weekend (Feb. 7, 8 and 9).

Jan. 31 -- Mrs. Carl Herzog.

Feb. 1 -- Angelina Flores
and Monroe Talkmitt.

Feb. 2 -- Steven Brieger,
B. C. Corley, Gary Herzog,
Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Moore.
Feb. 3 -- Mr. and Mrs.

Felix Munoz, Kenneth Corley, Rita Rios, Myrtle Stabeno.

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Feb. 6 -- Audrey Bishop.

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Cooper News

BY: JERI BOYD & CORLIS WIMMER



DRAMA CLASS

On Feb. 7 and 9, the Cooper Drama Class will present the musical, "You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown." The two performances will be at 8 p.m. in the Cooper Auditorium. Admission will be \$1 for adults, 75 cents for students and 50 cents for children under 12.

The play is based on the characters of Charles Schulz's comic strip, "Peanuts." There will be several scenes, with song and dances. The cast includes: Larry Boucher as Charlie Brown, Pam Griffin as Lucy, Mark Hurst as Linus, Donald Kitten as Schroeder, Diana Trimble as Patty, and Bill East as Snoopy. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Brown are co-directors and Don Dorsett is the assistant director.

This show should be great entertainment for the whole family and everyone needs to make plans now to attend.

BASKETBALL

Last Friday the varsity girls returned home from Dimmitt with a victory of 56-45. Marilyn Payton led the scoring with 30 points followed by Brenda Ward with 18. This brings the girls record to 15-8.

The boys traveled to Denver City Friday. They fell to the Mustangs by a score of 63-49. Donne Seale led the scoring for the Pirates with 29 points.

Both teams played Slaton Tuesday and both teams travel to LCHS tonight.

FRESHMAN TOURNEY

Last weekend Cooper hosted a Freshman tournament. In the girls bracket, Slaton received first place, Tahoka was second, and Frenship was third; Cooper won consolation. In the boys bracket, Roosevelt was first, Tahoka was second, and Post was third. Slaton won consolation.

NHS

The National Honor society held a meeting last

St. Joseph's
paper
clips

Sausage, sausage and more sausage is the menu for the annual sausage festival, Feb. 17. Two meals will be served: 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. and 4 - 7 p.m. Prices are adults, \$3; children 6-12, \$1; and children under 6 are free. Homemade bread and pies are also featured on the menu. Stuffing begins the 14th.

Combined with the sausage supper will be an open house at St. Joseph School. All guests and visitors at the supper are invited to "look us over." Classrooms will be open with student displays and faculty personnel will be present. Many of the schools varied facilities will be featured. Material concerning the school's programs and objectives will be available. Come visit with us and see what we offer for both the Catholic and non-Catholic student.

This open house is a part of St. Joseph's program for National Catholic School Week, Feb. 17-24. This year's theme is "Different Where It Counts."

An additional open house will be held Thursday evening for families and friends unable to attend on Sunday.

The "Bee" is about to sting, according to Michelle Adamek, seventh grader, who is referring to the Spelling Bee to be held Friday. The school winner will then participate in the Lubbock County Spelling Bee March 16.

Walking away with the first place trophy at the Christ the King tournament last weekend was the girls basketball team, coached by Barbara Elliott.

The boys team under the direction of Michael Lewis took the consolation prize.

Library News

Storytime Hour will be held at the Slaton Branch library Saturday, Feb. 2, from 10 to 11 a.m. All children are invited to attend.

Storytime Hour was held Jan. 5 when filmstrips on "Let's find the Pollution Solution" were shown to several children. The following strips were also viewed: "The Cloudmaker," "The Day the Litter Talked", and "21 Maple Street".

The library recently received a tape cassette player for Storytime Hour, from Lubbock City-County libraries, with five filmstrips on pollution.

The Friends Club sponsors these programs free for all children.

The Slaton Branch has been receiving many new books, many on the best seller list. A few of the newest arriving are: "Masterman," "The Double Cross

System"; Sampson, "The Sovereign State of ITT"; Wicker, "Facing the Lion's Den"; "Speak to Me of Love"; Lurie, "The Running of Richard Nixon"; Holt, "On the Night of the Seventh Moon"; "The Best of Life", from Life Magazine.

The following circulation information and services are given for the public's consideration: Most books circulate for three weeks; reference books, periodicals are available for use in the library; adult recordings circulate for one week; framed art prints circulate for two months, with a renewal period of two months, if not reserved; adult fines for overdue are 5 cents per day, children's fines are 2 cents per day, not counting days the library is closed; inter-library loan services for materials not in library's collection; books held for persons upon request, except best sellers;

current and back issues of many magazines and newspapers; and library tours available.

Out of county patrons may check out on their borrower's card from their local library.

Library hours are 11:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. weekdays, and 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturdays.

stage band a year ago. Judging was made on the basis of tapes judges by the bands.

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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

By Bill Bughin
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN, Tex. — Interest in the Constitutional Convention is at a high level, according to Price Daniel Jr., presiding officer of the historic session.

Daniel pointed to a statewide poll showing a large majority favor constitutional revision now. A Common Cause poll indicated 67 per cent of a sampling of 370 Texans feel the constitution should be rewritten and 63 per cent think the legislature, sitting as a convention, will improve it.

The convention ended its third week ahead of a proposed 90-day schedule, Daniel

concluded.

A \$1.8 million budget was adopted, and a vote scheduled this week on the Bill of Rights and Preamble — a week ahead of the proposed agenda for floor consideration of any committee reports.

Committees are plowing ahead with their schedules, hearing witnesses and beginning to consider contents of their reports.

Daniel estimated 75 to 100 calls a day are being received on the convention's toll-free Wats line, offering suggestions and asking questions.

Concluded the presiding

officer:

"Based on progress thus far, the increased public interest and participation and the continuing excellent attitude and spirit of cooperation among the delegates, I am more confident than ever that we will complete our deliberations within the 90-day suggested period, that our end product will be a new constitution of which we can all be proud, and that the new constitution will be approved by the voters of this state."

OPINION REVERSAL URGED — Legislators who had a big hand in writing the new open records act told Atty. Gen. John Hill they had no intention of using it to close police arrest and offense records.

Hill took under advisement arguments of news media representatives and others protesting his recent opinions which held the records confidential.

Witnesses at a quasi-judicial

hearing scheduled by Hill to discuss the hearing here noted that police records traditionally have been open to the press.

Daniel said the 1973 open records act contains a specific provision that no records regarded as open by agency policy at the time the law was passed will be closed by its terms.

The attorney general allowed 30 days for filing of additional briefs. He will then review — and possibly revise — the controversial opinion.

SPEED LIMIT RESULT IN DOUBT — It's too early to tell whether the new 55 mph speed limit will save lives or cause more accidents, according to Jim Arnold of the Office of Traffic Safety.

Arnold said it is possible motorists may get bored and negligent at the lower speed.

He said many drivers also will ignore the new limit, while others try hard to obey it, creating a difference in speeds which could be dangerous.

DEMOCRATS ADOPT PLANS — Texas Democrats adopted delegate selection and party-participation plans to assure representation at the national Demo num-convention in Kansas City, Mo., during December.

After weeks of controversy, the State Democratic Executive Committee, in effect, officially recognized that minorities (of at least 20 per cent) are entitled to proportional representation from the precinct conventions.

COURTS SPEAK — A three-judge federal court here held single-member House of Representatives districts must be provided for seven counties.

Counties are Jefferson, Tarrant, McLennan, Travis, Nueces, El Paso and Lubbock. Multi-member districts in Galveston and Hidalgo counties were not declared unconstitutional. Filing deadline for House candidates in the counties has been extended until February 18.

Texas Supreme Court held

the city of Denton must pay damages to a woman whose home was flooded when a city employee left her faucets on.

The high court also upheld a Fort Worth intermediate court in a decision that a fired employee of a company must go through grievance committee proceedings before taking his complaint to court.

The Court of Criminal Appeals affirmed a 75 year prison sentence assessed an Odesa couple in the death of a man "picked up" by the woman, a prostitute.

The Third Court of Civil Appeals in effect held the act regulating coin operated machines unconstitutional.

An Austin district judge held the Railroad Commission has jurisdiction in a suit over diversion of 330 million cubic feet of gas from Lo-Vaca Gathering Company to North Texas distributors.

AG OPINIONS — In a new open records decision, Atty. Gen. John Hill held University of Texas correspondence on women faculty salaries is not a public record, but a computer printout of UT salaries is.

In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:

Persons under 16 can get marriage licenses only on legal waiver of the age requirement by a district court on proof of good cause.

There is no basis for testing constitutionality of a proposed surcharge on traffic fines to fund the state driver education program, since there is no legal authorization for it.

A respondent is not entitled to a jury in contempt proceedings brought under the uniform reciprocal enforcement of support act.

An appropriation to the Texas Water Rights Commission for allocations to Neches River Conservation District is valid.

A state-chartered savings and loan association may designate or earmark all or any portion of its permanent reserve fund stock as a part of its federal insurance reserve account.

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"Pre-plant irrigation time is here again," W. Y. Reece, District Conservationist of the Soil Conservation Service, Lubbock, said this week. He said soil profile borings made by the SCS on many farms indicate one of the largest volume of irrigation water is needed to fill the plant root zone that will be required this year.

"Plants such as cotton and grain sorghum secure their water needs from approximately 4 foot depth. Soil boring shows this depth to have much less than 50% of available water now in this zone. Soils hold 2" of water per foot of depth that is available to the plants and will need a pre-plant irrigation application of from 5" to 6" of water."

Another factor to be considered by the irrigation farmer is the available supply of irrigation water and the amount of time it requires to irrigate, Reece stated. He pegged the minimum amount of irrigation water needed to pre-plant irrigate a tract of land at three gallons per minute per acre. A producer with 160-acres of land to pre-plant irrigate would need a minimum of 480 to 500 gallons per minute to get this job done before planting season.

CARD OF THANKS

Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the cards, floral offerings, the food and other kindnesses, we are deeply grateful. Our special thanks to Dr. Payne and nurses at the hospital. May God bless each of you.

The family of Mrs. G. A. Taylor, Sr.

CARD OF THANKS

In this small way, may we say we sincerely appreciate every kindness shown during my long stay in the hospital. Also for each prayer, visit, flower, gift and card, and for the delicious food brought to our home — we say thank you.

May God bless each of you.

Opal and Red Walston

PRAISE THE LORD

(The following is a theme turned in to an English class at Slaton High School.)

POWER!

By JUANELL WOOD
The power of living faith in Jesus Christ leads me to a life of miracles! Some may be small miracles, but they are miracles just the same. I am born anew in Christ and live my life for Him.

An every day miracle is my life. I praise God every morning for letting me live

just one more day -- one more day to tell others of His sweet love and His unfailing forgiveness. I have often wondered why He let me live my life for so long -- 14 years to be exact -- without giving Him any credit or even thinking about Him except on Sunday mornings.

God is the author of my life now and I wait expectantly for whatever task, be it joyous, difficult, or seemingly impossible, that He may want me to do. I believe, as many other Christians do, that He placed me on this earth for a special purpose. I have my own distinct personality and way of thinking and if I do not walk the path that has my name on it, it will remain untrodden. No one else in the entirety of the universe can take my place. I may not be the prettiest or

wittiest girl in this earth, in fact far from it, but I am me and I feel assured that God knows what He is doing and knows that I am best suited for whatever He has in mind. He has not told me yet what I am to do but I know without a shadow of a doubt that He will.

Another glorious miracle is that He helps me even in my tiniest problems. I remember last July on a hot sultry day, my friend and I were playing tennis. The gusty wind and loose dirt combined irritated her left eye because she wore contacts. She decided to take it out and wash it off, so we walked over to a water faucet in the park. We waited until the wind had died down some, then she washed it. Just as she was about to put it back into her eye, a gust of wind caught it and blew it away. We searched the grass on our hands and knees for at least thirty minutes and still did not find it. Finally, chiding myself for my stupidity, I asked God to help me. I leaned back, shut my eyes, and said, "In the name of Jesus, I WILL find that contact." I opened my eyes and instantly I saw it!

The power of faith is limitless; anything can be done if only one has faith in God. Matthew 17:20, "Nothing shall be impossible to you," and John 15:7 says, "If ye abide in Me, and My Words abide in you, ye shall ask what ye will, and it shall be done unto you." Also, Jesus promised, "If ye ask anything in My name, I will do it." (John 14:14.)

According to the scriptures, I have a legal right

to say that my prayers have been answered even before I see or hear the physical results.

The Lord Jesus also helps me with my big problems. I have been a team member on several lay witness missions and many times I run into family problems in the home where I am staying. Lay Witness Missions are simply when normal people like myself go to different churches by invitation from the lay witness coordinator and tell what Jesus Christ has done in their lives. The missions usually begin on Friday night and come to a close on Sunday afternoon to allow time for the team members to return to their homes before dark if possible.

Last summer I went to a lay witness mission and stayed with a family who had many problems. The daughter, who was 13 years old, was dating a 23-year-old man behind her parents' backs. The father had a serious drinking problem which had caused marital problems and neither parent attended church. I asked God to guide me in helping these precious people and He did. We read together from the Bible and I just let them say whatever they wanted to. On Sunday morning the entire family came to church and at the end of the service, knelt at the altar and began a new life. The blessing they received from God was, in my mind, no greater than the blessing I received from the great privilege of leading them to salvation.

I must admit though, that my faith is not always as strong and confident as it could be. The devil watches me like a lion, eager to devour my soul and take me to the realms of a living hell on earth and an eternal hell after I die. The temptations I face in normal every day life are strong, but I ask

MYRTLE HAGLER

Services will be at 2 p.m. today (Thursday) at the First Baptist Church of Slaton for Mrs. Myrtle Hagler, 78, who died at 7:30 a.m. Tuesday in Shady Oaks Nursing Home in Abilene.

Services are being directed by North's Funeral Home of Abilene. Burial will be in Englewood Cemetery.

Mrs. Hagler was born in Okla. and moved with her family to O'Donnell. She married Richard T. Hagler, a farmer in Slaton. He died in 1967.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Betty Campbell and Miss Etta Hagler, both of Abilene; one brother, Albert Johnson of Amherst; four sisters, Mrs. Wileta Comer of Phoenix, Ariz., Mrs. Leola Edwards of Kennewick, Wash., Mrs. Edith McDaniel of Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. Juanita Tillman of Monte Vista, Colo.; 16 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

Grandsons will be pallbearers.

J. L. OSBOURN

Graveside services for James L. "Roy" Osbourn, 62, who died Wednesday in Santa Fe Hospital in Albuquerque, N. M., were held in Englewood Cemetery at 4:30 p.m. Saturday. Officiating was the Rev.

God for guidance and He never fails me. The soul-damning temptations are getting easier and easier to resist as I walk a closer walk with God on the narrow straight path to heaven.

Praise the Lord!

Obituaries

Clinton Eastman, pastor of Westview Baptist Church. Burial was under direction of Englund.

He was a retired Santa Fe Railway pipe fitter and sheet metal worker.

He moved from San Bernardino, Calif., to Slaton in March, 1971. He was born in Syracuse, Kan.

Survivors are his wife, Donnie; two sons, Melvin L. of San Bernardino, Calif., and James W. of Slaton; a daughter, Mrs. Guy Land of Flagler, Colo.; three sisters, Mrs. Jennie Nelms of Lubbock, Mrs. Dorothy Snider of Shawnee, Okla., and Mrs. Velma Lowe of Hobbs, N. M.; and 10 grandchildren.

MARY COX

Services were held at 10 a.m. Saturday in Sanders Memorial Chapel for Mrs. Mary (C. C.) Cox, 82, who died Wednesday after an illness of five weeks. Dr. J. O. Haynes, a retired Methodist minister, officiated with burial in City of Lubbock Cemetery.

A resident of Lubbock since 1955, Mrs. Cox previously had lived in Slaton and Hereford. She was a member of The First United Methodist Church of Lubbock.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Clifton Neil of Tulsa, Okla.; a daughter, Mrs. Virginia Cocanougher of 1512-B 16 St.; a brother, Wesley Anthony of Dimmitt; two sisters, Mrs. Lenis Beyers of Amarillo and Mrs. Addie Sasser of Tahoka; eight grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

MRS. JESSE MEDANO

Services for Mrs. Jesse Medano of 917 33rd St. Lubbock, were held at 2 p.m. Monday in Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in Slaton with the Rev. Lorenzo Hernandez officiating. Burial was in Peaceful Gardens Cemetery in Woodrow.

Mrs. Medano died in Mercy Hospital after a lengthy illness. She had lived in Lubbock for eight years.

Survivors include her husband; three sons, Manuel T. and Marcelino both of Slaton and Rev. Lorenzo Hernandez of Patterson, N. J.; a sister, Mrs. Antonia Torres of San Marcos; three brothers, Rutilo Torres of Slaton, Alex Torres of Waco and Adon Torres of Lubbock.

book, and eight grandchildren.

MRS. BERTHA ZIPP

Services were held Wednesday in St. George Church in Seattle, Wash., for Bertha Zipp, 83 who died Monday after a one day illness.

Survivors are two brothers, Herman Schillings

and Otto Schillings, Slaton; three sisters, Louise Steffens and Emma Bollinger of Hereford. Rosary was said.

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Jesus went forth, and saw a great multitude, moved with compassion toward them. (Matthew 14:14-15) The dividing line of the world is not East-West, North-South. North of the 30th parallel, concentrated most of the world's wealth, technology and Christian churches. South of the 30th parallel, "The Third World" of Africa, Asia, and Latin America where millions live lives of quiet despair and North of the parallel the living standard is sixteen times higher. Can this gap be closed between the haves and the have-nots?

Our response to a hungry world must be compassion, which demands personal involvement.

Two Nobel prize winners recently declared: "at our disposal all the necessary technology to end hunger from the world, but it is not going to happen because we do not know how to change people." The church is committed to a single purpose: God's power can change people, institutions, governments. Can we help release that changing power in the world and rearrange our personal priorities to help close the gap while there is yet time?

PRAYER: O Lord, forgive me for the sin of indifference, my preoccupation with the unimportant. Make of Your answer. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY: We need to be free from "compassion fatigue."

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Solomon did not ask for FAME or POWER. He knew that humble submission to God brings the happiness. His prayer was for a heart of UNDERSTANDING and a mind to see the difference right and wrong. All the world's problems are resolved easily if this were the aim of everyone.

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Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you: not as the world giveth, give I unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid.

Ye have heard how I said unto you, I go away, and come again unto you. If ye loved me, ye would rejoice, because I said, I go unto the Father: for my Father is greater than I.

And now I have told you before it comes to pass, that when it comes to pass, ye might believe.

Hereafter I will not talk much with you, for the prince of this world cometh, and hath nothing in me.

But that the world may know that I love the Father, and as the Father gave me commandment, even so I do. Arise, let us go hence.

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ROTC NEWS

MARY BOTELLO
about women's lib -- full swing in the program as the girls themselves working weapons and learning leadership along with this. This is the first year, since the JROTC was established in 1968, for the girls to work with weapons.

First the task of taking weapons apart seemed to be a little bit of a challenge, but the more they did, the more they learned. Now the girls are learning the more different weapons and how to use them.

are also learning the positions of firing. There is a standing position, kneeling and position. Sounds difficult, but it does, but it doesn't seem to think they are enjoying themselves very much. They are learning something new.

find it challenging. They are determined to let the boys know down as failures. The boys have experience with the as they learned it. But even though the first year for they are learning and what the girls would be impossible to accomplish in the time of the course, they find interesting to learn.

are also very in the program as they eagerly prepare military ball on Feb. 14. The inspection in all sorts of preparation being made for the there are invitations to ride and sent out, and to be decided menu to be planned for that special night.

Cadets have non-several students for beau and queen. The queen is Cavett, Debra Dob and Debra Petty.

ies for king are Craig Andy Holt and David. Cadets voted by ballot in each class king and queen announced and at the military ball. The military ball is set for 10 a.m. Feb. 9 at 10 hall. The Continental performed at a school assembly, will in the cadets and jests, providing four



WILLIE THOMAS
New Pest Named

Flapping his arms and flitting in and out of classrooms qualifies Willie "Butterfly" Thomas to compete for "Pest of the Year."

Recommended by many faculty members and fellow students, Willie seems to deserve this honor. Coach Kerr said, "He's always in the halls and I'm fixin' to put a board on him if he doesn't watch it."

Mrs. Fondy sighed, "He's always flying in the clouds." His friends had plenty to say about him. One of them remarked, "Willie always seems to create chaos in the band hall first period. He always crashes his cymbals in the trombone players' ears and every time 'Blues in the Band' is played he starts dancing and singing." Another replied, "You can hear him every day repeating his favorite quotes like, 'Where are we' or 'Lynne, it's time to play!'"

Another friend confided that during third period he is always walking up and down the halls and sixth period he is always pestering his annual staff companions, including the teacher. Even though Willie is popular and smart, he has a good chance of being chosen as "Pest of the Year", with his big mouth wide open!

New Racetrack
That new racetrack is really impressive. It cost \$44 million to build; the grandstand is ten stories high; has 800 windows; 10 bars and 5 restaurants. Imagine all this - just for someone to get their rent money!

hours of good listening and dancing music. After the excitement of the military ball, the entire unit will buckle down and begin preparing themselves for the big inspection coming up March 14. A lot of hard work and preparation will take place before the inspection because the cadets and officers and the entire unit are determined to receive an honor rating this year.

Tigers Carry 1-1 Record

By KELLY COPELAND
The Slaton Tigers ended their second half record at 1-1 at Tahoka Friday as they whipped the hosts 58-52. Phil Whaley hit 12 points for the winners.

Slaton started the second half on a sour note last Tuesday losing to the district leaders, Frenship, by 84-68. In that encounter Whaley led Slaton scorers with 16 points.

The Tigers ended the first half of district action with a 3-3 record with wins over Cooper, Tahoka, and Roosevelt. In first half play the Tigers lost to Frenship, Denver City and Post.

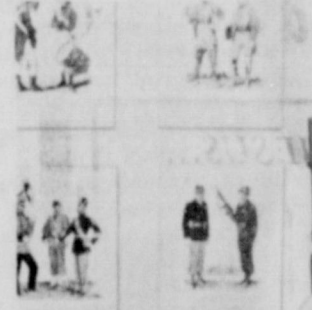
Coach Gary Mosier reported that contest against Tahoka was the worst game the fish have played so far, as the first-year Tigers were shooting cold and weren't hustling. Leading scorers for Slaton were Mike Tulinson with 8 points and Joe Scott with 4.

School Calendar

FEBRUARY

- 1 -- Roosevelt game there; freshmen Mac Roer Tour.
- 4 -- Assembly at 11:30.
- 5 -- Post game there (girls); Olton boys.
- 7 -- Drug assembly at 9 a.m.
- 8 -- Denver City here, boys game.
- 9 -- ROTC ball at 8:30 p.m.; Catholic Hall.
- 11-15 -- San Antonio livestock show FFA.
- 12 -- Post game there, boys; Assembly at 11:30.
- 13 -- Assembly G.M. Preview of Progress, 10:00.
- 16 -- FFA banquet.
- 21-22 -- Football clinic.
- 22 -- ICT and DE banquet.
- 25 -- March 1 -- Houston Livestock Show.
- 25 -- Assembly at 11:30.
- 27 -- Assembly at 2:30.
- 28-Mar. 1 -- Stanford golf tournament.

President's Patent
Abraham Lincoln was the only President to receive a patent. He got it for inventing a buoying device to lift ships over tricky shoals.



THESE JROTC "women libbers" are learning the basic fundamentals and sections of their weapons.

FROSH DOWN POST, BOW TO TAHOKA

After making a great showing by whipping Post two weeks ago, Slaton freshmen played a week later and went down to their worst defeat of the season, bowing 38-22 to Tahoka.

Jones Scores High For J.V.

The JV basketballers went to New Deal to play Frenship and Crosbyton in the tourney. Unfortunately, Slaton was defeated by the sly Frenship team by a score of 49-38 and also by Crosbyton.

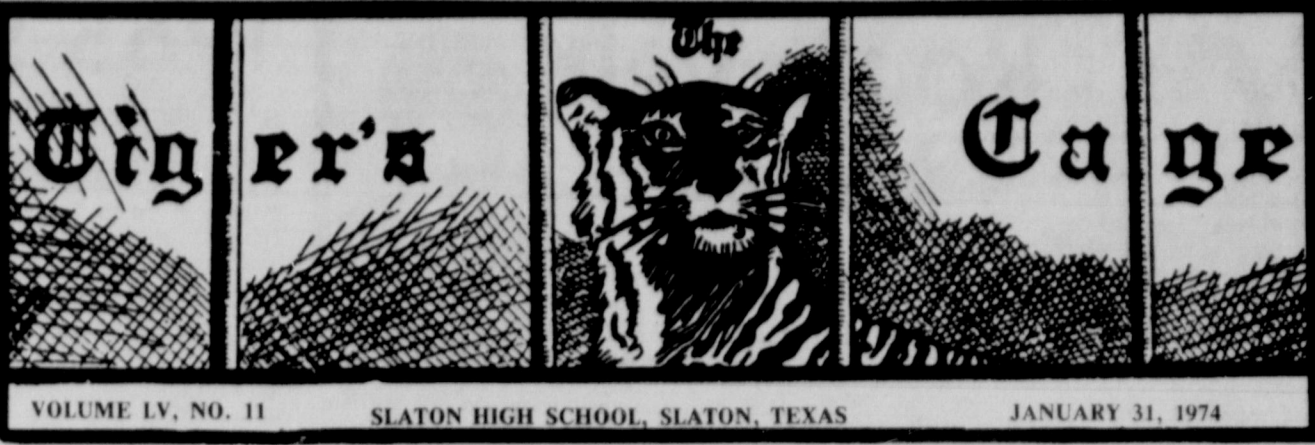
Gary Jones was the high point basketballer of the game against Frenship.

HERO Banquet Set April 5

Ever stop to wonder what the word HERO means? After seeing it appear in the paper several times it tends to arouse a person's curiosity. HERO is the short name for Home Economics Cooperative Education.

The class has been very busy this year. Last semester they had a long unit on job success which included relationships toward work, ethics, policies of companies, and desirable personal qualities. Now the class is hearing about that controversial subject called income tax. They have studied the history of income taxes and how to make out the forms to obtain a refund or to pay more taxes than were held out.

The organization is trying to raise money to pay for an employee - employer banquet. The banquet has been scheduled for April 5. The members are already making plans for a program, menu, wearing apparel, and other necessary parts of the banquet.



Varsity Girls Down Post, 53-47

By DIANNA DUNLAP
The Slaton Tigerettes trounced the Tahoka Bulldogs 81-32 Friday night. Rosemary Scott led the score with 32 points of her own.

The Slaton varsity lost to Canyon 44-35. They played a tough ballgame but somehow were unable to check the Eagles' surge. After losing this tilt, Slaton had a comeback against Post 53-47. Rosemary Scott scored 24 points that led the way in this game.

The Tigerettes victoriously completed their first round of district ball games. They started off their second round with a win against Frenship, 79-39. Scott was high scorer with 26 and Jan Davis was right behind tossing in 24 points. The defense did an outstanding job guarding the Frenship Kittens.

Holland, Montgomery, Wright Top J.V.'s
The Tigerettes played an

outstanding game against Tahoka Friday night. The final outcome was a Slaton victory of 70-18. Terri Holland led the winners scoring 30 points.

After a disappointing loss to Canyon, 47-33, Slaton came back strong to win the Slaton JV tournament. They slaughtered Abernathy 74-41 with Terri Holland putting in 34 points. Their second game was against Floydada which they won 60-26 with Debra Montgomery scoring 25 points.

To win the championship trophy, Slaton bested Roosevelt 58-33 with Montgomery putting in 26 points.

Slaton wrapped up another district game by smearing Frenship 89-22. Teresa Wright was high point, scoring 37 points for the victors. Besides an outstanding forward offense, the guards played a strong defense holding the Frenship Kittens to only 22 points.

Senior Interviews

IRENE HINOJOSA
"When I fell off a chair and I was wearing a dress," was Irene Hinojosa's reply when asked her most embarrassing moment.

If you happen to see a middle-sized girl with long brown hair, brown eyes and medium-size square glasses around the halls, it's bound to be Irene.

Irene is the 18-year-old daughter of Manuel and Manuela Escamilla. She was born July 6, 1955, in Del Rio, Texas.

Her achievements during high school are two years of pep squad, two years FFA, serving as an officer her senior year, one year FASC.

and an officer in FASC.

Her advice to freshmen is to get all required subjects before the senior year. Her hobbies are bike riding, tennis and swimming.

Irene's pet peeve is people that think they know it all, even though they don't.

Plans for the future are to work for a year then go to Brigham Young University.

Favorites include: food, hamburger and french fries; car, Pinto; colors, blue and green; group, Chicago; teacher, Coach Mize; class, Homemaking; songs, "Hello, It's Me" and "You've Got a Friend"; singer, Al Wilson; actor, Ryan O'Neal; pastime, riding around; weakness, keeping mouth shut; and her ambition, to go to BYU, and find a man and get married.

JERRY MONTGOMERY
"When me and two other guys sang a special in a church that consisted of 250 members, we started laughing during the song and didn't stop laughing until we finished the song," was Jerry's answer when asked his most embarrassing moment.

Jerry Lynn Montgomery is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Montgomery, of 1005 S. 20th Street, Slaton. He was born Jan. 16, 1956, has brown eyes, brown hair, is 5 feet 7 inches tall, and weighs 150 lbs.

His pet peeve is Coach

From the Ag Pen...

By CLAY MITCHELL
The Slaton FFA livestock judging teams went to Midland Jan. 22, and the second team came home with a third place team trophy. There were approximately 40 teams.

The second team consists of Johnny Denzer, Joe Alspaugh and Phil Payne. Johnny Denzer was first high individual. Clay Mitchell was fourth high and Joe Alspaugh was fifth.

Members on the first team are J. Ray Basinger, C. V. Siler, Clay Mitchell and Craig Mann. They traveled to Hereford Jan. 26 and captured a second place team trophy. Sixty teams competed and Basinger was fourth high individual and Mitchell was fifth.

The team will compete Bales, and his advice to freshmen is to finish high school, "and bring a more religious atmosphere into school which we failed to do." His achievements during high school are basketball, 3 years; tennis, 3 years; Cadet of the Month in ROTC; and parliamentary, ICT. His hobbies are all sports, and playing guitar and banjo.

Plans for the future include attending Texas Tech and majoring in business management, while his ambition is to be a very rich helicopter pilot. Favorite pastime is being with Jo Edna, and his weakness is money.



next at the Houston Fat Stock Show contest in March.

NEWS QUICKIES

One-Act Play
The members of the one-act play cast are as follows: Frana Gass, Cindy Patterson, Becky Mathis, Craig Mann, Mira Heatley and Keith Bumpass.

Annals
Annual staff members will be selling annals from Jan. 31 to Feb. 5. Persons will pay their second payment to the staff member who received their first payment. The second payment is to be \$3 if ordered plain or \$3.50 with initials. All payments must be made in full; otherwise the order will be cancelled, and there will be no refund.

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Roosevelt News

by
Lynda Hall
and Sandra Patschke

BASKETBALL

On Jan. 21 the junior high and freshman boys basketball teams faced the teams from Cooper on the home court. The 7th graders lost 15-19 with Solo Fuentes scoring 6 points for Roosevelt. The 8th also lost to Cooper, 20-31, with Darren Mann scoring high with 8. The freshman boys downed the Pirates 54-28 with Danny Trammel high for Roosevelt with 16.

The 7th, 8th and 9th girls traveled to Cooper to face the girls teams on the Pirates court. The 7th girls lost 25-30, with Debbie Beck scoring 15 for Roosevelt. The 8th graders downed

Cooper 28-15 with Nancy Adams scoring 10. The freshman girls were defeated 36-39 by Cooper, with Connie Jordan scoring 26 points for Roosevelt.

Tuesday night, the varsity boys and junior varsity boys played Denver City on the home court. The varsity boys were defeated 49-51 with Joseph Brown scoring 16. The JV boys were downed 22-42, with Lowell Bridges scoring 18 for the Eagles. The RHS varsity girls downed Ropesville 59-57 with Annie Tillman scoring 38 points for Roosevelt.

Friday the JV boys were defeated 38-64 by Post on the Post courts. Lowell Bridges was high with 16 for RHS. Post won over the varsity boys 63-65. Raymond Frizzell had 16 points for RHS, before being hospitalized in Post overnight for injuries received during the game. The Ea-

gles played the last portion of the game with only three players. The Post varsity girls won the girls game 78-48. Annie Tillman led RHS with 20 points.

NEW DEAL TOURNEY

The Roosevelt JV girls drew a bye in the first rounds of the New Deal cage tourney Jan. 24-26. They downed Frenship 35-22 to go into the championship playoffs against New Deal. High scorer for RHS was Brenda Reynolds with 17.

The RHS JV girls were downed in the finals Saturday night by New Deal 36-33, to bring home the second place trophy of the tourney. Brenda Reynolds scored 17 points again for RHS.

COOPER TOURNEY

Thursday, the RHS freshman girls downed Abernathy 41-40 at the Cooper

1965 State Champs To Be Honored

The 1965 Roosevelt Girls Class A State Basketball champions will be honored at the state basketball playoffs in Austin Saturday, Feb. 23, during the half-time of the game to be played at 1:30 p.m.

The Champs took first place in the Roosevelt tourney, Idalou tourney and New Deal tourney and had a record of 40 wins and no losses.

Members of the championship team and their present locations are as follows:

Marcy Reasoner Henderson is single and a bank teller in Lubbock.

Gail Herrick Mullican is married. Her husband operates a grocery store and

freshman tournament. Connie Jordan scored 21 points, assisted by Cassie Adams and LeAnn Isenburg with 10 points each. The RHS freshman boys downed Abernathy 53-46 with Danny Trammel scoring 19.

Friday, the RHS freshman girls lost to Slaton 24-62 with Becky Dickey scoring 12 points, the freshman boys won over Post 39-38 with David Taylor scoring 16 points.

Saturday, the freshman girls were downed 23-42 by Frenship. LeAnn Isenburg scored 9 points. The boys downed Tahoka 51-44 to win the first place trophy of the Cooper freshman tourney. David Taylor scored 18 points for RHS in that game.

FTA NEWS

The Roosevelt Future Teachers of America chose Tony Vasquez, a sophomore, as January Boy of the Month, and Vicki James as Girl of the Month.

The state convention will be held in Dallas Feb. 21-23. Damon Fikes and Patti Smith will be attending as voting delegates. Thirteen other Roosevelt FTA members are also planning to attend the convention which will cost \$37 per person to attend.

YOUNG HOMEMAKERS

The Young Homemakers and Young Farmers hosted

they live in McMinnville, Tenn.

Coyleen Schmidt Vales is married and lives in Albuquerque, N.M.

Donna Rowe Roach is married and her husband is a Texas Tech student. They live in Lubbock and have two children. Donna received an honorable mention all-district award.

Brenda Herring Trammel is married. Her husband works for Coca Cola and they live in Lubbock.

Ruby Brown Walker is married and her husband is an insurance salesman. They live in Lubbock and have two children.

Kathy Morgan Rush is married. Her husband is vice president of a bank and she is an elementary teacher and formerly taught at Roosevelt. They live in Lubbock.

Susan Bridges Rhew is married. They are house parents at Central Texas College at Killeen.

Vicky Dunagan Liston is married, has two children. They live in Oklahoma City.

Gwen Renfro Thornton is married, and they also live in Oklahoma City.

Sharon Parker Menks is married. Her husband is assistant manager of Whites Auto. They live in Greenville, Miss. and have two children.

Dee Gregory is single and

a program entitled "Marriage Enrichment" presented by Dr. Clemons, pastor of the Second Baptist Church of Lubbock, Monday in the new homemaking department.

Next Young Homemaker meeting will be Feb. 12 at 9:30 a.m. in the clubhouse.

TO GIVE AWAY

The Joe Hall family has six female German Shepherd puppies to give away.

BEGIN THIRD YEAR

This issue marks the beginning of our third year as your Roosevelt reporters. We will continue to strive to gather news of happenings from all of the different communities composing the Roosevelt school district as well as happenings in the Roosevelt school system. Call your news to Sandra Patschke, 842-3545, or Lynda Hall, 744-1153.



TEACHER OF MONTH
MRS. KAY MALEY

Mrs. Kay Maley has been selected by the FTA as January's Teacher of the Month. Mrs. Maley teaches English II, Speech I and Speech II.

She is a sponsor for the speech club, FTA and for the UIL activities. Mrs. Maley taught at Post High School last year and she said that what she liked about Roosevelt was the students.

LUNCH MENU

Monday -- Taco with cheese, English peas, lettuce-tomato salad, peanut butter pie, rolls, butter and milk.

Tuesday -- Bean chulupas, mashed potatoes, spinach, crunchy chess pie, rolls, butter and milk.

Wednesday -- Chicken salad on lettuce leaf, chilled tomato, carrots, brownie, sliced bread, butter and milk.

Thursday -- barbecued franks, squash, crowder peas, orange juice, apple cobbler, rolls, butter and milk.

Friday -- Italian spaghetti, tossed salad, English peas, peanut butter candy, rolls, butter and milk.



SLATON FEED AND SEED -- Coy Evans, center left, president of the Chamber of Commerce, presents the "First Dollar" Award to H. R. "Shorty" Donaldson, of Slaton Feed. Watching the presentation is Tom Roy, left, Chamber manager, and Ernie Davis, vice president. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

is basketball coach at Lorenzo. She was all-state, all-district and all-star.

Alice Woolley Tomerlin is married. They are owners and operators of apartments in Irving. She also received awards of all-state, all-district and all-star.

Vicki Kinard Stice is married. She is an elementary teacher in Post and has one child. She was all-district.

Linda Lusk Mayne Jr. is married, has one child, and lives in Lubbock.

Janet Kinard Brokenbeck is married, has one child and lives in Alpine.

Dee Ann Donley Dubeley is married. Her husband is in the service. They have one child and live in England.

Marvin Williams, coach of the 1965 champs, has been superintendent of Roosevelt schools for 31 years.

Williams, Marcy Henderson, Donna Roach, Brenda Trammel, Kathy Rush, Vicky Liston, Dee Gregory, Alice Tomerlin, Vicki Stice, Linda Mayne and Janet Brokenbeck will attend the celebration.

BARKLEY ENROLLS AT LUBBOCK CHRISTIAN

Randy Barkley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Barkley of 1535 W. Lynn, has enrolled at Lubbock Christian College for the spring semester as a junior Biology major.

Barkley is a 1971 graduate of Slaton High School. At LCC he is a member of the Royal Blue Band and the Chamber Orchestra.

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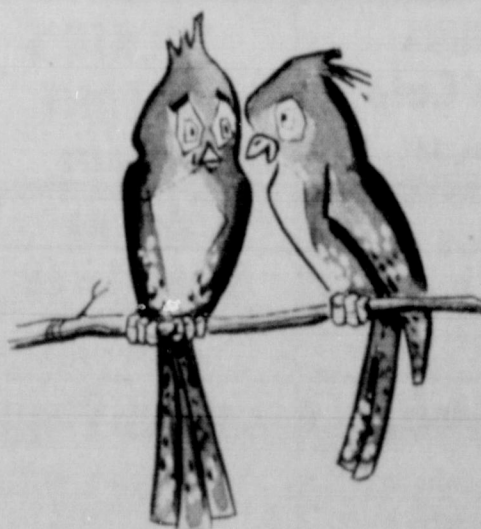


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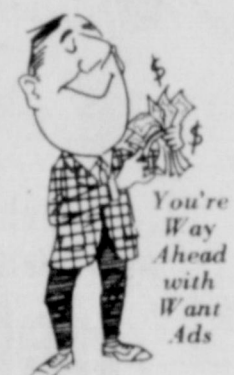
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[election]

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No. 14,409
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IN THE COUNTY COURT OF LUBBOCK COUNTY TEXAS

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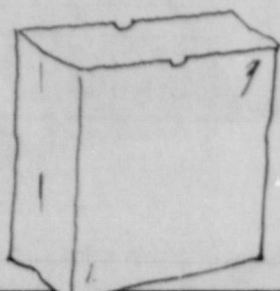
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