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Quiet Election Day Looms For Voters

With only two local races on the ballot, Saturday is expected to be one of the quietest election days in Slaton in some time.

Only 48 absentee ballots had been cast for the May 2 primary elections when the absentee box closed here Tuesday at Kertan Studio. This compares to 108 in the 1968 primary. A deputy at Lubbock reported a total in the county of only 549.

The only two local races on the ballot are for state representative, District 76, Place 2,

and for county school superintendent.

State Rep. Elmer Tarbox has opposition from Horace McQueen in the race for the representative post for Lubbock, Hockley and Terry counties. County School Supt. Roy Boyd is opposed by Mrs. Vaudaline Thomas.

Slaton has two candidates who are unopposed -- County Commissioner Max Arrants, and Arvin Stafford, seeking the JP post for the area precinct.

County officials are looking for a light voter turnout, with only three races on the ballot. The county commissioner race in Precinct 4 has incumbent Alton Brazell running against three opponents -- H. D. White, Paulina Jacobs and Robert Porter.

Polling places in Slaton: Box 36 (Clubhouse) for voters residing north of Lubbock street and west of 9th street; Box 37 (West Ward) for voters residing south of Lubbock street and west of 9th; and box 38 (S.F.

Austin School) for voters residing east of 9th street.

Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Precinct conventions are scheduled for 2 p.m., and will be held at the voting box sites. The precinct conventions elect delegates to the county conventions, scheduled the following Saturday, which in turn name delegates to the Sept. 15 state convention.

Republican precinct conventions are also scheduled Saturday. The Republicans have no candidates for local offices, but there is a race between County GOP Chairman Joe M. Greenlee and challenger James Swann.

Pre-School Registration

Parents are requested to take their children who are six or seven years of age to the West Ward School Cafeteria at 1:30 p.m. Friday. Preschool registration has been set for 1:30 to 2:30 p.m.

A brief orientation about school procedures and policies will be given and then children will be assigned tentatively to teachers and classrooms where they may become acquainted with school life.

J. C. McClesky, superintendent of schools, will give a general review and explanation of the policies of Slaton Independent School District; T.C. Martin, West Ward principal, will explain how the school policies apply to students in West Ward School; and Mrs. Grace Dodson, school nurse, will explain her role of nurse in the primary grades.

Also on the program will be Mrs. Maybell Kern, supervisor and coordinator, who will discuss the supervision of the curriculum in the primary grades; and an outline and discussion of the curriculum for first grade students will be given by Mrs. Melba Holland, first grade teacher.

First grade students, now attending school, will be dismissed at 12 noon for the day. Parents of these children are requested to have children walk home or come after them at noon. This request applies to parents of first grade children that ride a bus.



AT STATE MEET--Three Slaton High students have qualified for University Interscholastic League contests in Austin after the first or second at the region meet in Odessa Saturday. Left to right: Cynthia Akin, sophomore, who won first in typing; Jimmy

Rogers, senior, who was second in pole vaulting in the track competition; and Clifford Kitten, senior, who was second in the shorthand competition.

(SLATONITE PHOTOS)

AND TRIP TO STATE MEET

Three SHS Students Earn Region Honors

Three Slaton High School students have earned the honor of competing in the state University Interscholastic League contests to be held in Austin Saturday, May 9.

Cynthia Akin, Clifford Kitten and Jimmy Rogers qualified for state at the regional meet held in Odessa Saturday. Cynthia won first in typing, Clifford was second in shorthand, and Jimmy was second in the pole vault.

Cynthia, a sophomore at SHS, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Akin. Her score at the regional meet was 149.07 which means 52 words per minute with one error. She had won the district contest with a score of 143.31. This is the second year in a row that SHS has had a student compete on the state level in typing. Debbie Busby placed second at state last year. Cynthia and Clifford will each be competing against seven other contestants from across the state.

Named "Who's Who" in Algebra I last year, Cynthia is a straight A student. She has been cheerleader both years at SHS and has recently been re-elected for another year. She was a member of the varsity basketball team this year, student council representative and is secretary - treasurer of her class. She and Marilyn Meeks were presented the Girl's Athletic Scholastic Achievement Award at the athletic banquet this year for having the highest grade average on the varsity basketball team. Her typing teacher is Mrs. Buford Duff. Slaton's outstanding track (See THREE, Page 2)

One Dies, Four Hurt in Crash

Melquides Espinosa, 21, lifetime resident of Southland, was killed and four were injured in a two-car crash at the intersection of U.S. 84 and a county dirt road near Southland about 3 p.m. Sunday.

Espinosa was pronounced dead at the scene. He was a passenger in an auto driven by his father, Gabriel Espinosa. The elder Espinosa was treated for minor injuries at Mercy Hospital and was released.

The other injured were identified as the driver of the other (See CRASH, Page 2)

Legion Baseball Meeting Set Tuesday

An organizational meeting for the American Legion baseball program has been set for Tuesday night, with all interested boys and parents invited and urged to attend.

The meeting was announced by Ed McCoy, one of the coaches last year, and is scheduled for 8 p.m. at Slaton High School. Adults interested in the program are also invited to attend.

We've Won, Fighting Not Over, In Vietnam, Says Slaton Soldier

BY LAVON NIEMAN

Fighting on the war fields of Vietnam is somewhat different than being a "fighting Tiger" on the Slaton High School football squad, according to Johnny Lakey, just back from Vietnam.

Johnny had been in Vietnam since last September but his tour ended abruptly when he was shot in the left shoulder. He was wounded March 6 while on patrol in South Vietnam. He said his company had taken a village and he was walking along thinking no enemy was in firing range, when a bullet caught him in the shoulder.

"Twenty minutes after I was injured, a helicopter picked me up," he said. He was taken to the 67th Evacuation Hospital and after three days was sent to Japan to the 249th General Hospital.

After staying there three weeks, Johnny was sent to Fort Hood for three weeks and then arrived home Saturday. He is living with his mother, Mrs. Barbara Lakey, at 1140 S. 6th

St. He will report to the hospital at Fort Hood monthly until he completely recovers from his injury, and then he will receive a discharge. His plans are to enter Texas Tech and major in education. He said he would like to teach biology or chemistry.

The big six-foot, four-inch

soldier weighs about 200 pounds and is 21 years old. He was presented the Purple Heart award. He served with Company D, Third Battalion Infantry, 173 Airborne Brigade while in Vietnam.

When asked what he thought about the war, Lakey said he thinks "it is over... all but the fighting -- because the South

Vietnamese people are for us. We may fight another year or two, but we've already won the people", he said.

A specialist 4th class, Johnny is a 1968 graduate of Slaton High School and was a standout football player.

Needless to say, Slaton is thankful and proud to have Johnny home!



JOHNNY'S HOME--Mrs. Barbara Lakey is a happy mother knowing that her son, Johnny, is home and is going to be all right after being injured in Vietnam on March 6. He will have to wear the cast from four to six more months. Lakey is a 1968 graduate of Slaton High School and former Tiger griddier. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Open House Set Tonight at New Wilson School

"Open house" will be held at Wilson's new elementary school building this evening, 7:30 to 8:30, with entertainment also scheduled in the high school auditorium at 8:30 p.m.

Supt. Glen Mitchell invited all Wilson School District patrons and other interested citizens of the area to attend the open house.

The new \$180,000 facility includes nine classrooms, a media center, library, band hall, superintendent and principal offices, a combined school - city tax office, a physical education gymnasium, and a conference room. The library and offices are carpeted and the building is air conditioned.

Students moved into the new building April 14. Voters in the Wilson district approved a \$200,000 bond issue last year for the project.

Following the open house, an assembly will be held in the high school auditorium with a special entertainment provided by the Wilson High stage band, under the direction of Coy Cook.

Car Lot To Be Aired Monday

Slaton City Commission will hold a regular meeting Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the Municipal Building.

Included on the agenda is discussion of a zoning question on Division Street. The city zoning board approved location of a "car lot" in the 700 block of W. Division, former site of a drive-in grocery.

A group of citizens objected at the zoning hearing and later appealed the decision to the city commission. Surrounding property owners have been invited to the commission meeting. Bill Adams Olds-Pontiac requested approval of the site for a car lot.



PLAN OPEN HOUSE--Supt. Glen Mitchell and elementary principal Dale Sides were making plans earlier this week for an "open house" of the new elementary building and for an "open house" of the Wilson schools. Open house is set for 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. today at the \$180,000 facility. Entertainment follows in the auditorium. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Weather

(From Pioneer Nat. Gas Co.)

DATE	HIGH	LOW
April 29	75 est.	62
April 28	88	54
April 27	88	58
April 26	92	48
April 25	92	54
April 24	88	52
April 23	88	54

Blue Star Day Comes Friday!

"Blue Star" specials will be featured in Slaton stores and firms as Fabulous Friday comes again May 1.

A new feature of the "first-Friday" dollar promotion is the give-away of Blue Star shoppers, 16 years of age and older, a dollar free at any "Blue Star" store eligible for \$25, \$15 and \$10 in value at the participating firms.

The drawing for the three winners will be held at 10 a.m. You do not have to be present to win.

The drawing will be held at KCAS station. Merchants should take their drawing forms to the station Friday evening no later than 9 a.m. Saturday.

Merchants are offering many red-hot specials for the Fabulous Friday dollar day. Check today's Slatonite for many of the specials being advertised this month!



Story-Time Hour Set Saturday

First grade students from West Ward school toured the Slaton Branch Library Tuesday and Wednesday of this week and the special program for them included a movie on the care of books. Mrs. R. C. Hall Jr., Mrs. Tim Bourn, Mrs. Paul Buchanan and Mrs. Ted Melugin are in charge of the programs for students.

This coming Saturday, May 2, is the date set for Story-time hour which is held between 10-11 a.m. for pre-school and elementary age students. Stories will be read and film strips shown to those in attendance. Mrs. Hall is the

chairman of Story-time. Friends of the Library will be set up at the Citizens State Bank tomorrow (Friday) as part of their membership drive to recruit new members and/or renew last year's members. If you would like to become a booster for the Friends Club, you may join at any time. The drive, launched this month, is headed by Tommy Wallace and Carroll McDonald. Proceeds from the drive will be used to purchase necessary items at the library such as additional bookcases.

The Friends recently purchased a large storage chest,

a film strip projector and record player. Donations to the Friends membership drive thus far include: Bill Ball, Swain Rodgers, M. D. Gear, J. H. Teague, T. J. Wallace, Leroy Holt, Anonymous, \$1. Mrs. Bruce Pember, Mrs. Vera Drewry, Mrs. R. E. Switzer;

Also, Mrs. Ellis Schmidt, Mrs. Harry Stokes, Mrs. E. R. Legg, Mrs. B. H. Crandall, Rev. Bruce Parks, Ted Melugin and Mrs. R. C. Hall Jr. Funds have been given individually, through a family and contributed by an organization.

Mrs. Melugin, local librarian, reported that reproductions of the original oil painting are being circulated quite a bit. Reserves may be made on the 19 prints which arrived last Tuesday from the Lubbock City - County Library. They may be checked out for a period of two months and then renewed if no other reservations have been made. Additional art prints are available at the Lubbock library.

Adult records will soon be available for circulation at the local branch. Several new books arrived from Lubbock last Wednesday.

The children's summer reading program will begin June 1 and continue through August 15th. This year's program will be called, "Paddle to the Sea", about an Indian boy in a canoe. Students reading twenty books will be placed on the honor roll.

Miss Lane Is Honored With Bridal Shower

A miscellaneous bridal shower, honoring Miss Linda Lane, bride-elect of Benny Magouirk, was held last Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Dudley Berry.

The honoree's chosen colors of yellow and white were used in the decorations. The serving table was covered with a lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of white baby's breath and yellow iris. Glass appointments were used in serving.

Guests were registered by Miss Shirley Magouirk and Mrs. C. E. Hogue and Mrs. Fred Stephens presided at the refreshment table. Special guests were Mrs. Walter Lane of Olney, mother of the honoree; and Mrs. C. M. Magouirk, mother of the bride-groom elect.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. L. W. Lewis, Truett Fulcher, Joe Belote, Ray Brown, C. V. Siler, Claude Craven, W. V. Smith, Willard Childers, L. M. Cole, J. E. Todd, George Privett, M. H. Laaster, Wade Thompson, Wayne Liles, Fred England, Hogue, Stephens and Berry.

Hostess gift was an electrical appliance. Miss Lane and Magouirk plan to marry May 23.



MRS. GORDAN DENNIS RAMSEY, JR. ... Miss Nelda Jean Kinder

Ramsey-Kinder Vow Read In Arlington

ARLINGTON (Special)--Miss Nelda Jean Kinder and Gordan Dennis Ramsey, Jr. were united in marriage Saturday at 7 p.m. in the Woods Chapel Baptist Church in Arlington. The Rev. Ed Planché officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Alvin D. Kinder, former Slaton residents and now of Arlington, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordan D. Ramsey of Denton. The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a princess-style gown of satin and lace accented with seed pearls and slim beneath a chapel train.

Mrs. Wayne Scott of Lubbock, sister of the bride, served as matron of honor. Mrs. Gary Potter of Slaton, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid.

Wayne Scott of Lubbock was best man and Chris Walker was groomsmen.

Mrs. Wanda Stansell and daughters, June and Gwen, all of Fluvanna, presented the music. They sang "The Twelfth of Never", and "The Wedding Prayer".

Jerry and Danny Montgomery

Rev. Baldwin Speaks To Club

The Rev. Darold Baldwin, pastor of Wilson's First Baptist Church, brought the message for the Senior Citizens at the Slaton Club House last Friday. He spoke on "Faith".

The business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Fannie Patterson, president. Chaplain F. B. Sexton gave the opening prayer and the singing was led by Mrs. Alvin White with Mrs. Annie Bell Tucker playing the piano.

Rev. Baldwin gave thanks for the meal with his closing prayer. Two visitors and 26 members had lunch together and then played games.

The club was delighted to have Mrs. George Evans back after her stay in the hospital and nursing home in Lubbock.

Slaton served as matron. Ushers were Don Kinder, brothers of the groom, and Gary Ramsey, brother of the bride.

Georgia Kinder, sister of the bride, registered the bride, registered the bride, registered the bride.

Carolyn O'Kellay, Chris Walker served as matron of honor and punch at the reception.

Flower girl and ring bearer were Cheryl and David Childs.

The couple will be married at 707 E. Sanford, Arlington.

The bride is a 1967 graduate of Slaton High School employed by LTV in Dallas.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Abilene High School attended North Texas State University and is now employed by Trinity Concrete in Slaton.

Engagement Announcements

Mr. and Mrs. Duke of Rt. 4, Lubbock announced the engagement and marriage of their daughter, Deborah Jan, to Frank of Mr. and Mrs. Ar Slaton.

Miss Moore is a graduate of Cooper High School attended Commercial of Lubbock. She is employed as secretary O & A Express Company.

Wolf was also a graduate of Cooper High School is employed in Mesquite.

The wedding is 7 p.m. on June 27th at Joseph's Catholic Church.

IN SAN ANGELO Mrs. Harvey Tumbler at the Cactus Hotel, Angelo Saturday to see for the Concho Falls Guild.

One ounce of gold drawn in the form of tinuous wire thread of 43 miles.

Public Invited To See Irises In Bloom

Mrs. Barbara Jones, who has quite a "green thumb" when it comes to growing beautiful flowers, informed us this week that her irises are now in bloom and anyone who is interested in just looking and enjoying them is invited to go to her house and look. She said be sure and go into the back yard and see the ones there as the larger part of them are in the back yard. Her address is 935 West Dickens.

Teachers Attend State Meeting

Mmes. Melba Holland and Ruth Fleming were delegates to the Delta State Convention of Kappa Kappa Iota, national teachers' sorority. The convention was held in Dallas April 17-19.

Approximately 150 delegates and members from all over the state attended. The national president, Margaret G. Lowman, was present to install the new state officers.

Salad Supper Set for May 12

The Roosevelt Young Homemakers met Tuesday morning at the Roosevelt Club House. Mrs. Bill Sides gave a devotional, "Wanted, A Man". The program was given by Mrs. Bill Harris. She explained a new way to put in a zipper.

Hostesses were Mmes. Lonnie Adams and Willie Carr. Two new members, Mmes. Wilbur Kevill and Dewayne Kelson, were welcomed into the chapter, and guests were Mmes. Mike Sherrod and Ronnie Shelton.

The chapter's next meeting will be May 12 when the group will have a salad supper.

CRASH-- (Continued from Page 1)

man of the year, Jimmy Rogers, bested his pole vault of 13 feet at the district meet to win second at the regional meet Saturday. He pole vaulted 13 feet, 6 inches to win second.

Although not qualifying for regional, Jimmy also racked up points at track meets this year in hurdling and the broad jump. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Rogers. His track coach is Gene Franklin.

Jimmy tied with Terry Mosser for the Boy's Athletic Scholastic Achievement Award this year. He is a senior and plans to attend Southwestern Oklahoma College of Pharmacy at Weatherford after graduation.

Jimmy has run track and played football all four years in high school. He also played basketball one year, is a member of the National Honor Society, ROTC, Student Council and was elected class favorite his junior year.

Entering UIL contests was nothing new for Clifford Kitten, a senior. He entered slide rule three years and typing his sophomore year. He had planned to enter slide rule again this year, but it was scheduled the same time as shorthand at the district meet.

Clifford placed second at regional recording 98.87% accuracy. The first place winner was from Snyder and recorded an accuracy of 99.11. His shorthand teacher is Mrs. M. W. Kerr.

Clifford was named Lubbock County's 4-H Club Gold Star Boy last year. He served on the County 4-H Council, as a junior 4-H leader, president of Slaton 4-H, SHS band, and National Honor Society.

A straight A student, Clifford was named to Who's Who in geometry his sophomore year and typing II his junior year. He is an accomplished pianist and organist and serves as organist at St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Kitten.

Foreign Trade Selling American farm products abroad is a 350-year-old business. It began when a few barrels of Virginia tobacco were unloaded in Britain from the ship Elizabeth.

Planning Continues Civic Center For City

Plans for a proposed "civic center" in Slaton are still being formulated by a study group, with presentation to civic organizations and the public scheduled when the "blueprints" have been drawn.

A group of eight interested citizens went to Hereford the past week to tour facilities in that city and learn some of the details in erecting and maintaining such a structure.

Making that trip were three

THREE-- (Continued from Page 1)

car, Esequiel Saldívar Jr., 18, of Post, and his passengers, Mary Rodriguez, 16, and Beatrice Diaz, 18, both of Slaton. The girls were reported in good condition Sunday night in Mercy Hospital.

Highway patrolmen Gene Posey of Post and Jim Dulin of Slaton said Saldívar was traveling southeast on U.S. 84 and Espinosa was driving east on the county road when the collision occurred.

Espinosa's death raised the South Plains traffic death toll to 33, compared to 39 at this time last year.

Services for Espinosa were held at 5 p.m. Tuesday in Slaton's Our Lady of Guadalupe Church. Burial was in Englewood Cemetery under the direction of Hudman Funeral Home of Post.

Survivors other than his father are his mother, also a Southland resident; two sisters, Mrs. Emma Lozano of Cotton Center and Mrs. Margaret Lopez of Lubbock; and two brothers, Mack and Gabriel, also of the family home in Southland.

ITEM: Many meat cuts are under 250 calories for a 3 1/2-ounce serving. A variety of cuts of beef, pork, lamb and veal provide satisfying portions at economical energy intakes. The sirloin steak provides only 208 calories and the pork loin 227. Leg of lamb is especially low at 195 calories per serving. All are high in protein.

not considering a bold center would have events which are crowded for space and pave the way for meetings and events not considered with facilities. It would be a versatile building, that a stock show could one week and an art exhibit the next.

The committee has numerous events scheduled in such a center, such things as the Merchant Barbecue, Chamber banquet, graduation exercises, large school functions, the junior - senior and prom, stock shows, cultural conferences, seminars, small conventions.

There has been some indicated in cultural things such as art shows, den club events, exhibits, or even a theater group. A possibility of bringing potential stage shows to

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Stanley Ratliff
 When a doctor was the name of Mrs. Velma Ratliff graduated, but a Mr. Ratliff came along and her mind.
 They were married in 1948 and completed her senior at Tahoka. Mrs. Ratliff was born in Slaton on Oct. 1929, to the proud Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Her father was em- Pioneer Natural Gas for many years.
 She has three child- daughter Rebecca who at Slaton High School, bert, who is a sopho- another son Ronald, grader at Slaton Jun-

HELLO WORLD

4-25-70-- Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dee Nelson, 1235 So. 8th St., Slaton, a boy, Joe Bob, 1 lbs., 4 ozs. (deceased)
 4-25-70-- Mr. and Mrs. Juan Martinez, Rt. 6, Lubbock, a girl, Betty, 6 lbs., 13 ozs.
 4-27-70-- Mr. and Mrs. Cayetano C. Ramirez, Rt. 1, Lorenzo, a boy, Samuel, 7 lbs., 3 ozs.

ior High. Mrs. Ratliff's husband is employed at Smith Ford as parts manager.

Mrs. Ratliff is employed at the Slatonite as typesetter. She has been working there for three and a half years. Before this she was employed at the Slaton Journal, another newspaper here before the Slatonite.

Mrs. Ratliff and her husband recently took a trip to Puerto Rico. There they visit the grave of Ponce de Leon. Mrs. Ratliff said that she would love to travel to Mississippi, Virginia, and Tennessee for their next vacation. She would also like to visit foreign countries, but she does not enjoy the plane trips.

A great person that Mrs. Ratliff would like to meet is Dean Martin since she loves to hear him sing. She thinks that the majority of teenagers are okay. Some changes she would make in the United States government are higher pay for older retired people and have people on welfare investigated more closely.

Her feelings toward the war in Vietnam are varied. In one way she thinks we should pull out, but in another, if the Communists take over Vietnam, we in the United States could be next. She stated that she did not think that there would ever be a woman president.

Mrs. Ratliff is happily married and would not change any part of what she has done.

Garden Club Sees Slides

Mrs. Clyde Doherty was hostess for the Slaton Garden Club Tuesday night in her home. Mrs. Delma Freeman of Austin, daughter of Mrs. M. L. Turnbough, showed slides of Texas Hill Country and this area for the program.

The business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Yates Key. Refreshments were served to Mmes. Ed Moseley, Harley Martin, T. A. Worley, Ella Schmid, Key, Turnbough and the two guests, Mmes. B. B. Castleberry and Freeman.

Slaton Pianists To Audition

Mildred Lokey's piano students have registered as candidates for membership in the National Fraternity of Student Musicians, sponsored by the National Guild of Piano Teachers of which Mrs. Lokey is a member. This group of young pianists will play in the National Piano Playing Auditions, in various sections and strive for Pledges, Local, District, State, National or even International honors which the Mother organization will confer according to the number of standard classic, romantic and modern pieces chosen from the Masters of pianoforte literature each student can creditably perform in the presence of an imported examiner of note from another state.

The auditions are held in Lubbock for this area. This group will play at Lubbock Music Center, 1722 Broadway, May 4th.

From coast to coast over 60,000 enthusiastic piano pupils of the nation will participate in this annual national piano-playing event being held in 600 music centers of the country and every entrant worth his salt will be certificated, given a gold or bronze embossed pin, a year's Membership in the National Fraternity of Student Musicians and Piano Hobbyists of the World.

Began at Hardin - Simmons University, Abilene, in 1929, national headquarters are still maintained in Texas.

The names of the entrants are: Deborah Kay Atkins, Karen Fleming, Cynara Gipson, Petra Lynn Gipson and Marrene Goode, Marjean Goode, Lisa Hall, Susan McCain, Deborah Rodriguez, Clarice Schwertner, Marilyn Walker, Cindy Walker, Shell Wallace and Sheryl Wallace.

Gift Tea Honors Bride

A gift tea in the home of Mrs. R. W. Cudd Tuesday evening was a post nuptial courtesy for Mrs. Donald Simmons, formerly Miss Melody Cooper. Hostesses for the event included Mmes. Cleo Reasoner, Connie Locke, James Hill, Wayne Lamb, Jimmie Jean Edwards, Joe Ross, Mary Dawson, Opal Young, Clyde Doherty and Raymond Standefer.

Also, Mmes. Allie Grace Bentley, Phillip Dawson, Judy Holt, Paul Melton, Joe Miles, Elza Smith, Cudd and Merle King.

A white cutwork cloth covered the tea table, appointed in silver. Blue candles burned in silver holders flanking an arrangement of white daisies and pale blue carnations in a silver container.

Background music was provided by Miss Cindy Locke at the organ.

A vacuum cleaner was a gift from the hostesses.

Three Seniors Are Honorees

Mrs. Harley Martin and her daughter, Tyra, honored three Slaton High graduating seniors with a luncheon Saturday from 11:30 to 1:30, in the den of their home, tables were set for 16 guests. Each table was decorated with girl graduates. Place cards were an apple with a graduation cap. This motif was carried throughout the decor.

Honorees were Dianne Kenney, Debra Robison and Gwenda Stricklin. Special guests were their mothers, Mmes. Wayne Kenney, Wayne Perkins and Elsford Stricklin.

Other seniors attending were Dee Dee Carter, Mary Frances Browning, and their mothers, Mrs. Robert Carter and Mrs. V. G. Browning.

The guest list also included Mrs. J. Martin Basinger and Laura Lynn, and Mrs. Ed Moseley and Nedra.

The three honorees were presented a book entitled "After the Tassel is Removed", which is especially written for seniors as a guideline after graduation. The other girls were presented books entitled "Bits of Wisdom".

After the luncheon each one told of her most embarrassing moment while attending high school.

Slaton YH Plan Supper May 26

The Slaton Young Homemakers met Tuesday evening in the homemaking department at Slaton High School to hear a program presented by a representative of Texas Agricultural Products.

Mrs. Jim Thompson gave the invocation to open the session. During the business meeting, plans were made for a "progressive supper" which is scheduled May 26.

Mrs. Arvin Stafford and Mrs. Jim Parker, hostesses for the evening, served refreshments to Mmes. Dick Hardesty, Joe Crabtree, Thompson, and the club advisor, Mrs. Peggy Raub.

Nursing Home News

BY BOBBIE GREER

Several ladies joined our residents for an activity and crafts meeting during the past week. Showing a lot of enthusiasm and willing to help with the program were Helen Dunn, Jeff Dowell, Georgia Biggs, Tommy Dooley, Mary Louise Ruiz, Bobbie Hogue and Lois Chambers. Mrs. Chambers played the piano for us Friday. We started making burlap pictures with wool yarn and yard stick holders out of burlap.

We had a staff meeting Tuesday with almost all the staff present.

Last Wednesday Virgie Hunter played the piano for us. Rev. Delmas Luedke, pastor of Grace Lutheran Church, brought our Sunday message. We appreciate his interest in the home.

Mrs. Lutie Geer received word that her grandson and his family lost their home and belongings in a fire the other night. The Bobby Baxleys live at Sulphur Springs.

Mrs. Eunice Loe has moved into the home. We are glad to have her and hope she will be happy with us.

Lydia Butler, Dora Scudder and Chester Hill are still in the hospital. We hope to have them back soon.

I have certainly enjoyed getting the information for the features on our residents. Really this is a wonderful experience for me to talk to the residents about their life. They have a great memorable experiences.

Mrs. Anderson Hostess To Civic Club

The Civic and Culture Club met recently in the home of Mrs. H. E. Anderson with Mrs. R. E. Switzer assisting as hostess.

Mrs. H. V. Wheeler presided for a short business session during which reports were heard from the civic committee and delegates to the County Federation of Women's Clubs. Members voted to make a donation to the Boy Scouts in memory of the late L.B. Hagerman. Mrs. E. R. Legg brought the program on "Use of Leisure Time".

A refreshment plate was served to Mmes. Jack Cook, R. C. Hall, Arthur Saage, R. L. Smith, H. T. Seurlock, Bruce Pember, B. H. Crandall, R. H. Todd, Walter Jochetz, Fred Schmidt, M. L. German, Kenneth Davies, Legg and Wheeler.

New officers will be installed at the May 27 meeting which will be a "Dutch" lunch in Lubbock. This will be the final meeting until September.

Slaton Nursing Home Personalities

featuring...CHARLIE GRIFFIN



A native of Mississippi, Charlie Griffin was born Aug. 13, 1882. He had three brothers, two sisters and three half sisters. His parents were Mr. and Mrs. Jess Griffin. His mother died and his father remarried.

When Charlie was nine years old, he and his family moved to Oklahoma, then when he was about 18 years old, they moved by wagon to Paris, Tex. From there they moved to Lake Creek, Tex. where Charlie met and married Erin Hendrix in 1906.

In 1915, the family moved to Slaton and rented a farm for three years from his wife's uncle. They later bought the farm. He said they worked hard so they would have enough income to live comfortably when they grew old. "We did quite well for ourselves and accumulated quite a bit of land through the years", he said.

His wife died in 1957 in a car accident. He lived by himself until moving to Slaton Nursing Home. He also has a sister living at the home, Anne Peterson.

His children are Finas Griffin, John Griffin and Enid Allen, all of Union, Clester of Lorenzo, Iris Griffin of Abilene

and Floy Gaddy of El Paso. Two other children, Chester and Minard, are deceased.

"Charlie is a very nice person and our home is honored to have him living here", one of the employees at the home said.

Mrs. Lamb Elected Prexy

Members of the VFW Auxiliary 6721 elected officers when they met Monday night. Mrs. Leona Lamb was elected president. Other officers elected are Faye Harris, senior vice-president; Evelyn Dunlap, junior vice-president; Geraldine Mann, treasurer; Julia Kellum, chaplain; Norine Nelson, conductor; Roberta Reed, guard; Bernice Kahlich, third year trustee. Installation of officers will be held May 11.

Nineteen members attended the meeting. During the business session, with Louise Underwood presiding, the group voted to donate a flag to the Little League. It will be presented May 4 at 7:30 p.m. by Chaplain Francis Clements.

The group's next regular meeting will be May 11 at 8 p.m. when the auxiliary will serve a covered dish meal.

Following the meeting, auxiliary members joined the post who served dinner.

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FROM VIETNAM--Johnny Lakey of Slaton, wounded in action in Vietnam, is home operating and awaiting his discharge. Lakey was hit in the shoulder by a sniper's bullet last month. A former football standout at Slaton High, he graduated in 1968.

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AT COOPER 'Fighting Heart' Awards Presented

BY KENNETH PETERSON

Dale Wimmer and Suzie Kahlich received the "Fighting Heart" awards at the third annual Cooper High School All-Sports Banquet, held at the

Young Demos Receive Charter

The Business & Professional Young Democrats of Lubbock County were presented their charter Tuesday night by Gus Mutscher, speaker of the House. The group met at 8:30 p.m. in the Lubbock National Bank conference room.

Beverly Kercheval is treasurer for the organization. She reported that all state representatives from this area were present and many other state and country officials.

If anyone would like to join the organization, they may contact Miss Kercheval. Active members are from age 21-35 and associate members of any age may join.

LCC Cafeteria last Saturday night.

Suzie is a junior and was a starting guard on the basketball team this year. "She was always hustling and gave her best at every game," her coach said. Suzie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kahlich of Rt. 1, Slaton.

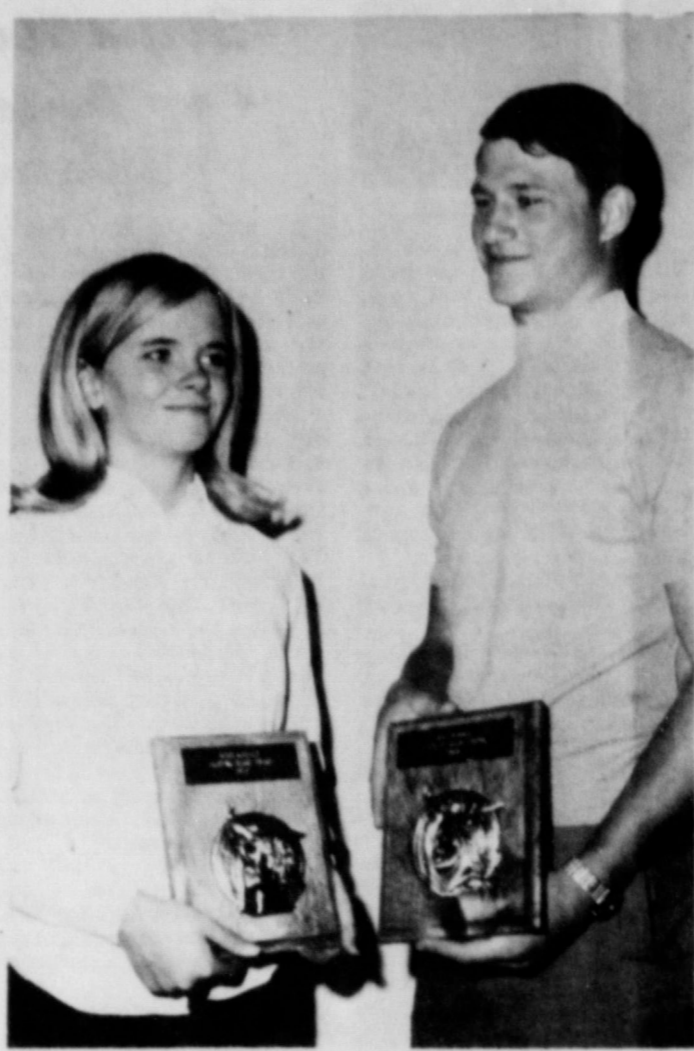
Dale is a senior at Cooper and participated in football, basketball, and track this past year. He was all-district line-backer this year and was a starter on the basketball team. He also threw discus in track and won district in this event. "Dale was an outstanding athlete with a lot of determination and hustle," his coach said. Dale is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wimmer, also of Rt. 1, Slaton.

The all-district performers of each sport were recognized at the banquet and presented a plaque by the coaches.

Texas Tech assistant back-field coach, Tom Wilson, was the guest speaker.

Ink Stains
The history of inks can be traced back at least four thousand years. It is known that the Egyptians of that time wrote on papyrus with a substance that was made by adding powdered coloring matter to a solution of gum or glue in water or oil.

Three Tribes
The Cherokee, Iroquois, and Muskegon Indians are the only tribes in North America known to have hunted with blowguns.



HONORED ATHLETES--Suzie Kahlich and Dale Wimmer were recipients of the "Fighting Heart" awards given at the Cooper High School All-Sports Banquet held Saturday night. They are shown with the plaques they were awarded. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Slaton Rated 'Above Average' On Fire Defense

Slaton's fire protection is "above average" for towns of comparable size, it was reported to the Slaton Lions Club Monday by Joe Hackler, an inspector for the Fire Prevention & Engineering Bureau.

An evaluation of the city's fire "defenses" was made recently, with the main purpose of the survey to determine how well the town is set up to combat a "major" fire.

The survey includes all factors of the fire department--administration, training, reports and equipment, in addition to the alarm system, the water system, and the police support. An evaluation of the city's structural conditions is also made.

Hackler was complimentary of the administration of the Volunteer Fire Department under the leadership of Fire Chief Don Kendrick. He did recommend some additional equipment to upgrade the department's fire-fighting facilities.

Glen Akin presided at the club's regular weekly luncheon meeting at the Community Clubhouse. He announced that Lions Clubs of the area have started publicity on the Coaches' All-

Noted Educator Guest Speaker For Rotarians

Dr. C. L. Kay, executive vice president of Lubbock Christian College, reported on a tour of U.S. military bases in Europe and showed slides of the trip when he appeared as guest speaker at the Slaton Rotary Club meeting last week.

Kay, as a member of the Defense Orientation Conference, has made several tours of the U.S. commands overseas. The tour of the European command included a visit to NATO (North Atlantic Treaty Organization) headquarters in Belgium.

Melvin Bruster was program chairman for the Thursday luncheon meeting of the club, and Troy Bruster introduced the speaker. Kay has been widely recognized for his "Americanism" talks.

J. S. Edwards presided at the meeting and reminded members of the District Rotary Conference being held in Plainview. Several members announced plans to attend the conference on Friday and Saturday.

Several guests and visiting Rotarians were introduced at the club meeting.

Edwards announced that Bentley Page had undergone serious surgery in Lubbock, and members signed a club bulletin to send as a "get well" card.

America Football Game to be held in Lubbock June 27. Tickets are on sale and can be purchased at the Tech Athletic Ticket Office, or by mail. The Slaton club has already purchased an advance block of tickets for local fans.

Earl Bartley announced that plans for the club's "Miss America Pageant", with an all-male cast, are underway and the show is scheduled for May 23.

'Eagles on the Wing' (From Southland High School)



PEARL FLORES

A member of the pep squad all four years in high school is Pearl Flores, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Flores. She was born in Slaton February 17, 1948. She was also cast in both the junior and senior plays.

Some of Pearl's favorites are: song, "Someday 'We'll Be Together'"; singer, "Sunny and the Sunlines"; subject, English; color, yellow; food, Mexican food; car, Firebird. Her pet peeve is people who don't mind their own business and who try to boss someone else. She is undecided about her plans following graduation.



LARRY BEVERS

Larry Bevers, son of Mrs. W. S. Bevers, born July 9, 1952, attended Southland High School. He was a member of the pep squad and was cast in both the junior and senior plays. He was also cast in both the junior and senior plays.

He played football all four years in high school, track all four years, basketball all four years, and was a member of the pep squad. He is undecided about his plans following graduation.

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'THE AUSTINITES'

Last Sunday David Davis went to Arena Park Raceway in Amarillo to see the races.

Cid Maberry visited his grandmother in Stamford Saturday.

Sarah and Beth Foote had as their guests for a swimming party in their private pool, Debbie Schakleford, Danny Evans and Kathy Thornbury.

Tim Bourn, Mrs. Hunter and her guest, Mrs. Henry Ford of Matador, went to the catfish dinner at the First Christian Church Saturday evening.

Christi Poer and Rita Travis visited Buckner's Children's Home in Lubbock Tuesday.

Margie Gonzales fished at White River Sunday.

We are happy to report we have some very active athletes in Mrs. Ball's room: Barry Copeland playing for the Giants; Jim Gray--Yankees; Brent Wilkins and Dwight Kuykendall for the Cardinals; and Johnny Aguilar and Rodney Gordy for the Tigers. Tim Gaydos and Cardell Fields play for the Dodgers and Edward Bailey and Noe Pena are on the Angel Team.

Sylvia Estrada visited in Post during the weekend.

Darrell Bunch spent Sunday at White River.

Charlotte White made a trip to Abilene and Brownwood over the week end. Also over the weekend, Judy Cofield went to San Antonio and enjoyed the Fiesta there.

Scott and Sharon Stafford and their family enjoyed a picnic at Mackenzie Park Sunday.

Scott Hudson bowled in

Odessa Saturday.

Virginia, Paul and Joe Gatica checked out of school Monday to go to Ohio.

Yolanda Vidales and Joe went to San Antonio over the weekend to visit her grandfather, who was ill.

The fourth grades in Mrs. Hill's and Miss Dutton's rooms toured Border's Dairy Plant Friday.

Joe Bob Underwood and his older sister rode scrambler cars in Lubbock last week end.

The Tigers and Yankees had a practice game Friday. The score was 9 to 9.

Mark Kuykendall went to Amarillo Sunday evening to see the second annual Coca-Cola Cavalcade of funny cars. He also went to Palo Duro Canyon.

Debbie Sikes, Tanja Johns, Teresa Casey, Gary Castleberry, Michael Caython and Roxanne Schuette attended the movies in Lubbock Saturday.

Mitzi Caython and Tommy Johnson also attended.

Howard Henry and Tommy Johnson went to Floydada Sunday to visit the R.A. Camp.

Gloria Garcia visited her grandmother in Lubbock Sunday.

This week the boys and girls are playing softball; the boys are playing against the girls.

Sandra Haynes fished at Buffalo Lake Sunday.

Debra Castle accompanied her father on business to Snyder Saturday.

Lorenzo Hernandez visited his uncle in Lubbock Sunday.

Mrs. Hunter says "every age has its charm". What is more gratifying than to have a certain little fifth grade boy bring her a big mess of fish? His father, when he was a little boy, supplied her with duck occasionally. Would you like to guess who the hunter-fisherman are?

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Cub Scout Cake Sale Tonight

A cake sale, sponsored by the Cub Scouts, is scheduled at 7:30 p.m. tonight (Thursday) at Junior High School, with the cake-baking being a joint Father-Son effort. Cakes will be auctioned off and a spokesman for the group stated that the public is cordially invited to attend and lend their moral, as well as financial, support in this Cub Scout project.



behind the Badge

(From Slaton Police Department)

A few months ago, the world witnessed one of history's greatest days when two American Astronauts walked on the moon. Why, if we can achieve such a scientific miracle, can we not win the battle against crime?

It helps very little to observe that a society which can spend billions of dollars to place two men in a flawless landing on the moon should be able to enforce its own laws, protect its people, and deal with delinquents and criminals.

One need not remember beyond the past three years to recall the absence of order in the streets of our great cities, and one need only to reflect upon the statistics compiled by the Federal Bureau of Investigation in its Uniform Crime Report for 1968 which reported that an estimated 4,400,000 serious crimes had been committed in the cities and towns of the United States. We must realize that if we are not a lawless society, we are at least a non-law observing society.

Many people offer reasons for this condition, but one man has voiced an opinion which, to me, makes more sense than any of the others. On February 1, 1968 in the Law Enforcement Bulletin, Director J. Edgar Hoover said: "Man cannot live in our complex society today

without a system of laws. The system is doomed unless the laws are enforced, and the enforcement officer is ineffective unless his efforts to maintain the peace and protect life and property are supported by the government and the people."

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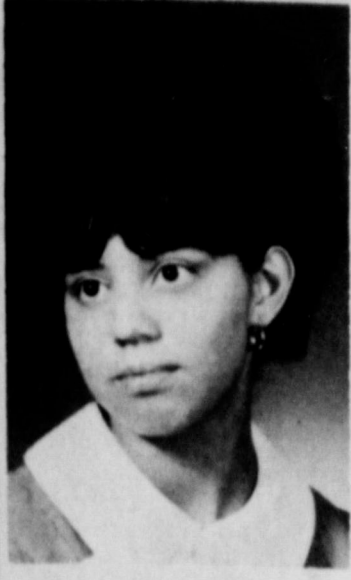
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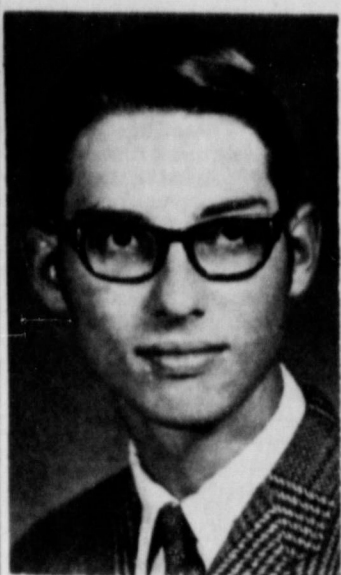
Spotlight on SHS Seniors



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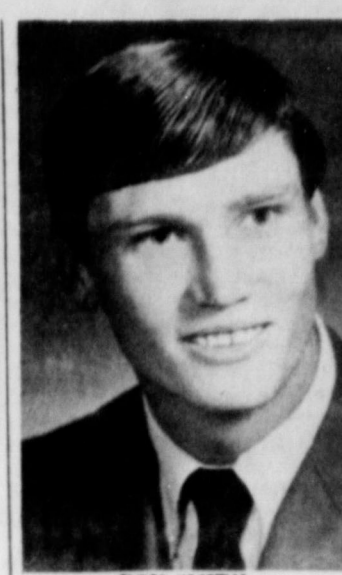
LARRY HEINRICH
A familiar face in the halls of SHS is 5-foot 9-inch Larry Heinrich.



BARBARA BRUSH
Barbara Brush, 18, is what one might call a TV star since she has appeared twice on the drivers education program, "Learn and Live."



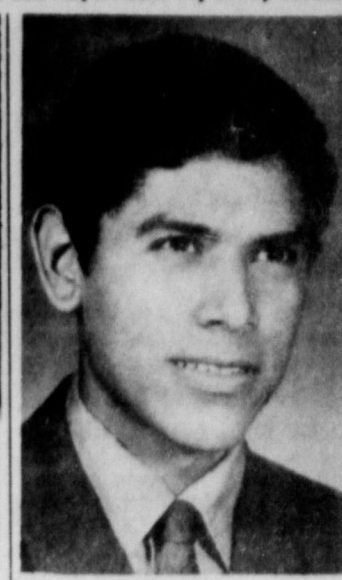
PENNY JOHNSTON
If a person ever needs someone with artistic ability, the girl to get is Penny Johnston.



DON SMITH
A 5-foot 11-inch green-eyed and brown-haired senior whose interests are girls, football, and water skiing is Don Smith.



RUBY FLORES
Black-eyed, black-haired Ruby Flores was born in Lubbock and has grown to be 5 feet 2 inches tall and weighs 104 pounds.



ERNEST YBARRA
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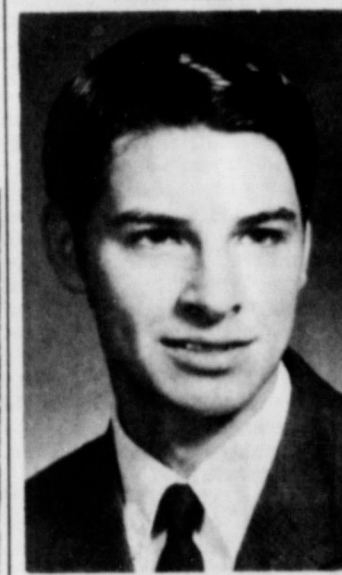
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FOR 1970 COTTON CROP

Spread of CCC Loan Values Will Be Less

The spread between Commodity Credit Corporation loan values for 1970 crop cotton stapling an inch or less and cotton stapling more than an inch will be considerably less than in 1969.

The 1970 schedule of premiums and discounts, released last week by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, shows smaller discounts for the shorter cottons, especially in the lower grades, and smaller premiums for the medium and longer staples, particularly in the higher grades.

The schedule lists the points that will be added to or taken from the base loan rate to determine the value of the various qualities of cotton placed in the government loan from the 1970 crop. The loan rate for 1970, basis Middling-inch at average location, has been set at 20.25

cents per pound.

The "location differentials" that will be applied to the loan rate for each area to reflect differences in freight rates has not been announced, and physical prices for the Lubbock area cannot be calculated until the freight adjustment is known. For the past several years the base rate for Lubbock area cotton has been 20.20 cents per pound, .05 cents below the national average. A Washington source informed Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock, that USDA is working on location differentials and will have them out "in a week or two."

The new schedule shows that Middling 15/16 inch cotton entering the loan this year will be discounted 220 points (2.2 cents per pound), as compared to a discount of 245 points applied in 1969, representing a gain in

loan value for this quality of \$1.25 per 500 pound bale.

An even greater increase in value is accorded short staple cotton in the lower qualities. For example Strict Low Middling Spotted 15/16 inch cotton was discounted 640 points last year but will only be dropped 560 points below the base in 1970 for a loan value increase of \$4.00 per bale.

Middling 1-1/16 inch cotton under the 1970 schedule will receive a premium of 315 points, down from last year's 360 point premium, a drop of \$2.25 per bale. The premium for Good Middling 1-1/16 inch dropped \$4.50 a bale below last year.

Premiums and discounts for micronaire in 1970 are little changed from 1969. The premium for the most desirable micronaire categories was re-

Acuff Co-Op Pays \$146,148 In Dividends

Acuff Co-Op Gin and Butane Cooperative held its annual membership meeting Monday night and announced the distribution of \$146,148 in dividends.

Stockholders elected J. E. Mimms to the board of directors and re-elected R. D. McAllister.

Officers named to the board were J. A. Sherred, president; B. A. Darby, vice president; McAllister, secretary; and directors are Mimms, D. D. Davis and Max Burnett, Charlie Hunter is the manager and treasurer, and G. L. Ragland is assistant secretary.

About 110 stockholders attended the annual meeting Monday night. The audit was presented by Edwin E. Merriman & Co. A breakdown of the allocations showed \$125,000 paid by the gin; \$20,000 by the butane department; \$964.14 on fertilizer, and \$184.62 on soybeans.

Net margin for allocations on the gin department was listed at \$50,833, and net margin on the butane department was \$29,716. Assets totalled \$63,237.

duced five points except that for cotton 2,6 and below, which remained at 390 points.

Premiums and discounts used to value cotton entering the loan are normally based on spot market quotations for the nine months prior to the announcement. And the narrowing this year is the result of market premiums paid above loan values for the shorter staple, lower grade cottons in 1969. Also, the medium and longer staples in 1969 failed to attract premiums equal to those of recent years.

However, in 1967 USDA officials arbitrarily raised the discounts for short staple cotton above the discounts justified by market quotations "to encourage production of the longer staple, more desirable types and qualities of cotton." At that time 83 percent of the "surplus" cotton in government hands was of the shorter staples.

Today, of almost 2 million bales offered for sale by CCC, only 1,150 bales, less than 1 percent of the total, staple be-

Farmers Attack Nematode Problem

F. W. Hancock, who farms 1300 acres northeast of Slaton, is one of the growing number of area farmers who are fumigating cotton land to control nematodes.

Hancock first got concerned when nematodes "ate my crop up" on 14 irrigated acres near one of his eight small irrigation wells in 1968. Since only 250 of Hancock's 600 acres of cotton land are irrigated, the nematodes had hit where it would hurt the most.

For last year's crop, 1969, Hancock treated the 14 problem

acres with a nematicide that is knifed or chiseled into the row before planting. This kills and drives nematodes away from the seed zone long enough to give cotton a healthy head start.

At harvest time, Hancock ginned 1.4 bales per acre—a bale per acre more than in 1968 and "not bad for the kind of year we had."

Hancock figures he'll continue fumigating that particular acreage. "I'm afraid not to," he says. "It looks like when you have nematodes, you've just got to keep after them."



The outlook for cotton legislation continues to be clouded by differences of opinion on several issues between the Administration and the Cotton Subcommittee of the House Committee on Agriculture.

Donald Johnson, Executive Vice President of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., who just returned from Washington, reports that Subcommittee members are now considerably closer to agreement with the Administration, "but there is still some negotiating to be done before full accord is reached."

The Administration wrote the most recent draft of a bill, labeled "Print Number 6." The Subcommittee has read it through and suggested several revisions, having to do with "numbers" and minor language changes in various sections of the bill rather than with its basic provisions. It is thought now that USDA policy makers and Administration officials will review the Subcommittee's revisions and in light of these may well have other suggestions of their own.

Still to be resolved is the level of the loan, the maximum acreage that producers can be required to "set aside" from production, the fate of acreage allotment leasing, release and reapportionment of acreage and other features of lesser importance.

As of April 17, according to Johnson, it appears that the best that can be hoped for is that a bill might reach the House floor by May 1. The Subcommittee hopes to send something up to the full committee by April 22, and it is known that full committee Chairman Bob Poage (D-Tex.), will push it through the committee as fast as possible.

The full committee has already voted on dairy and wool

low an inch.

For the years 1960 through 1966, when the huge supply of short staple cotton was being accumulated by CCC, the loan value spread between Middling 15/16 and Middling 1-1/16 inch cotton averaged about 350 points. Spot market quotations stayed within about 40 points of this spread through 1965, widened to about 110 points in 1966, jumped to over 1,000 points in 1967, then narrowed in 1968 to 715 points.

For the first eight months of the 1969 marketing year, August 1 through March, the difference between Middling 15/16 and Middling 1-1/16 inch cotton averaged 520 points. In the last quoted month, March, the spread was only 450 points.

sections of the bill and on a small land retirement program. The Committee has under consideration a wheat and feed grain bill and is expected to vote on these at any time.

U.S. cotton producers should shoot for production of an absolute minimum of 10.75 million bales of cotton in 1969-70 according to Donnell Echols of Lamesa, President of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock based cotton producer organization.

The cotton carryover at the end of this marketing year July 31 is still expected to be around 6 million bales, about half a million less than last summer and the lowest level since the early 1950's.

Prospects for combined domestic mill use and exports in 1969-70 total only about 10.75 million bales, 2.5 million for export and around 8.25 million for domestic consumption.

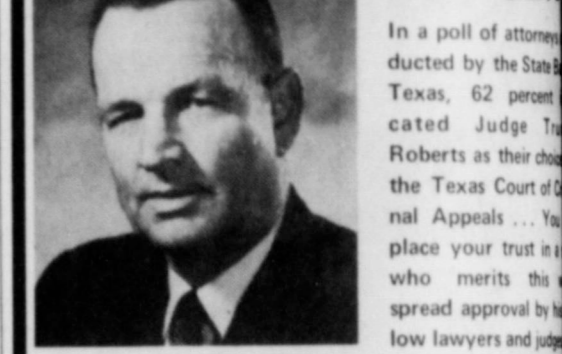
So Echols points out that U.S. producers must produce at least 10-3/4 million bales this crop year just to maintain the current carryover. And most in the industry are agreed that a 6 million bale carryover is not enough to provide cotton's customers both here and abroad with an adequate supply of all cotton qualities.

"Obviously every farmer's planting decisions must first take into consideration the immediate profit and loss prospect," Echols concludes, "but we also need to look beyond this year or even next year, because if we don't produce the cotton to supply our customers, cotton will have no future at all."



F. W. HANCOCK is one area farmer who decided to do something about the nematodes which "ate up" 14 acres of his land. He put down a dematicide last year and saw a bale and a quarter per acre where he'd made "just a year before. He has 600 acres of cotton now but is able to irrigate only 250 acres from...

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WILSON NEWS

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WHS Band Wins Sweepstakes

The Mustang Band participated in the Concert and Sight Reading Contests last week in Dimmitt, and came home with 1st Ratings in both divisions. They placed 1st in Marching contests last November, so this gave them the Sweepstakes. This is the second time in a row that the 59 member band, under the direction of Coy Cook, has won Sweepstakes.

VBS AT BAPTIST
Vacation Bible School at First Baptist Church will begin with Preparation day, May 30, when all the children will bring a horned toad to race. The school will be held June 1-5 and all children in the community are invited to attend.

50TH ANNIVERSARY
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kieschnick will be honored Sunday



SWEEPSTAKES WINNERS---The Wilson High School Band captured the coveted sweepstakes award last week with "firsts" in concert and sightreading contests at a district meet in Dimmitt. It was the second year in a row for the sweepstakes honors for the Mustang band, directed by Coy Cook. Left to right are Jan Gatzki, band reporter; Karen Hobbs, secretary; Cook; Joe Crews, president, and Betty Shaw, treasurer. Steve Meador, vice president, was not available for the photo. (SLATONITE PHOTO)



Wilson High band members in the picture above are shown fixing Coy Cook's picture. As you notice in the posed picture, the band director's hair was of place. Joining in the fun are, left to right, Jan Gatzki, Karen Hobbs, Joe Crews and Betty Shaw. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

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Seven FFA teams from Slaton were entered in the annual Texas Tech FFA area judging contest Saturday.
The poultry and dairy products teams qualified for the state contest to be held at College Station Saturday, May 2.
Following are the results of the Slaton teams: Poultry -- third in area and district; Land -- third in area; Meats -- fourth in district; Cotton classing -- third in area (overall) and district; Dairy cattle -- fourth in district; dairy products -- fifth in district.
Curtis Woolever, a freshman,

was the only Slaton entrant to win an individual ribbon at Lubbock. He placed fifth in the land judging contest.
It is calculated that hydrogen comprises 90% of all matter and over 99% of matter in interstellar space.
Greatest meteor shower on record occurred on November 12-13, 1833. It consisted of some 240,000 meteors.
Teeth of the Tyrannosaurus rex were six inches long and serrated.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of Wilson Co-op Gins was held Saturday, at WHS. The barbecue supper was served in the new gymnasium to a large crowd of people. Jake Mueller was responsible for the fine barbecue served.
The business meeting was held later in the auditorium and Gilbert Steinhauser was elected new director replacing Weldon Bailey. Other directors include Melvin Wuensche, W. R. Steen, James Savell, Orville Maeker, A. J. Gickhorn and M. G. Weid. About \$250 worth of cotton prizes were given away in drawings, and R. A. Lamb won the \$50 gift certificate.
Approximately \$130,000 in dividends were distributed to members of the Co-op by gin manager, Floyd Wilson.

BAPTIST NEWS

Sunday visitors of First Baptist Church included Mrs. Gladys Holden, Big Springs; Mrs. Dixie Briggs and Dlyn, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. George Keene, Lubbock; Mrs. Black, Lubbock; Mrs. L. R. McCornick Sr., Lubbock; and Mrs. Upshaw, Roby.

A Baptist Youth Rally for young people of the Lubbock area will be held at First Baptist Church, Idalou, Saturday, May 2 at 8 p.m.

Monday will be Ladies Night at the FBC Brotherhood meeting at the regular time. Vernon Stokes, minister of music of Southeast Baptist in Lubbock will have the program for the evening.

SCHOOL CALENDAR
MONDAY night the seniors were honored with a Masquerade Banquet at First Baptist Church.

TUESDAY, WHS girls qualifying for regional, participated in the track meet at Jayton. The Band Banquet was held Tuesday night in the school cafeteria.

THURSDAY Open House will be held at Wilson Public School, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to come and see the school facilities and view work done by the students.

FRIDAY the Junior and Senior Banquet will be held in Lubbock at the Glockenspiel, MAY 5 - FFA Party

LL BEGINS PRACTICE
Wilson Little League and Pee Wee Leagues began practice last week with a large turnout of boys. In the Pee Wee League, Don Caraway is managing the Indians and Carlos McClesky has the Weather Doctors. Billy Weaver will manage the Little League Orioles and Chuck Spiels will have the Cardinals. First play for the Wilson teams will be May 12, with Pee Wee games starting at 6:30 and Little League at 8 p.m.

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THREE GIRLS RECEIVE STATE FHA HONORS

Six girls from Wilson High School attended the Future Homemakers of America Convention held in Dallas last weekend.

Two of the girls attending received their state FHA Degree. This is the highest achievement of the FHA. Katy Wuensche and Corlis Moerbe were presented red roses and certificates at ceremonies Friday afternoon.

They have accomplished goals in the area of school, community, church, home, chapter as well as personal goals to help them grow personally. They also worked on state and national programs of work. When completed, their degrees represented between 130 to 150 typewritten pages.

"Katy and Corlis are the first

to receive their degrees in recent years and deserve the admiration and respect of their school and community", the home economics teacher said.

Suzi McCormick was also honored at the convention. In March, she competed in Area II FHA for area pianist and was selected to represent Area II at the state convention.

On Thursday, after competing with other area winners, she was chosen as FHA state pianist for Texas. As state pianist, Suzi will travel to the National FHA Convention in New York this summer to compete for

National FHA pianist honors.

"Suzi has also accomplished much and has spent many hours of hard work in her quest for state pianist and should also be commended by her school and community", her teacher said.

Glynda Moore, Linda Mears and Brenda Kirbie were delegates to the state convention. They are working on their state degrees and hope to complete them by March of next year. These girls would appreciate it if community officials would think of them when planning their activities.

LESS THAN HALF OF VOTERS EXPECTED AT POLLS MAY 2

AUSTIN (TPA) -- Experts on moods of the voters think that fewer than half the 4,100,000 Texans who registered to vote will take part in the primaries, Saturday.

Precinct conventions, also slated for both parties Saturday, haven't produced a ripple of controversy.

Since there is no contest for the governorship in the Democratic primary for the first time since primaries were begun, less attention is being given to statewide races. The Texas Election Bureau is estimating that 1,800,000 Democrats will vote.

Main attention has been going to two contested races. Lloyd Bentsen Jr. of Houston is trying to oust Sen. Ralph Yarborough, State Rep. Bob Armstrong of Austin and Fred Williams of Houston are trying to defeat Land Commissioner Jerry Sadler.

The Yarborough - Bentsen race has proceeded at a fairly cool level.

Little attention has been paid to the effort of David Brown of Sherman to defeat Atty. Gen.

Remember When? During a railroad rate war in the mid-1880's, the fare from Kansas City to Los Angeles dropped to just one dollar.

Winners Named

Approximately 1,600 youths from throughout West Texas competed in 10 major divisions Saturday at Texas Tech's 43rd annual Vocational Agriculture Judging Contests.

Derrell Talkmitt of Wilson was one of the participants with the highest scores. His high score came in the poultry division. Other Wilson winners were: Crops -- overall individuals, 2, David Wied; overall team, 3, Wilson; seed identification -- 1, David Wied; seed identification team, 3, Wilson.

Poultry--overall individuals, 1, Derrell Talkmitt; overall team, 3, Wilson; egg grading team, 5, Wilson; individual, 1, Talkmitt. Grading poultry, 1, Randy Cooper; team, 4, Wilson, judging teams 3, Wilson.

Cotton -- stapling, individuals, 2, Doyle Talkmitt; stapling, teams, 2, Wilson.

Livestock -- beef cattle, teams, 3, Wilson.



MARY MASON

Winner Of Betty Crocker Award

Mary Mason, a senior at Wilson High School, was recognized at the Wilson FHA Mother - Daughter Banquet held recently, as winner of Wilson's Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow.

On Dec. 3 of last year seniors from schools in the United States were given an examination over knowledge of home making skills and each girl's opinion as to why the homemaker of tomorrow has a great challenge.

The girl scoring the highest on the local examination is entered in state and then national competition.

Mary is active in FHA and band. She was Lions Queen for 1969 and plans to attend Abilene Christian College after graduation.

WILSON MENUS

WILSON SCHOOL MENU
May 4 - May 8

Monday: Swiss Steak, Green Beans, Pickled Beets, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk, Buttered Rice.

Tuesday: Roast w/gravy, Cream Potatoes, Cole Slaw, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk, Cookies.

Wednesday: Bar-B-Que, Pickles, Veg Salad, Orange Juice, Buns, Milk, Fruit Jello.

Thursday: Salmon Croquette, Buttered Corn, Spinach, Corn Bread, Butter, Milk, Peanut Butter Cake.

Friday: Hamburger or Fishburger, Veg Salad, Orange Juice, Buns, Milk, Chips, Peach Cobbler.

Lubbock Farmer Re-Elected Cotton Institute President

Howard Alford, Lubbock, was re-elected president of the Cotton Producers Institute (CPI) during the Board of Trustees meeting in Dallas April 16.

Also re-elected were E. Hervey Evans, Jr., Laurinburg, N. C., vice president; C. R. Sayre, Greenwood, Miss., secretary; and William L. Lanier, Macon, Ga., treasurer.

The Board also heard progress reports from committees and research and promotion personnel.

Ernest Stewart of the promotion staff reported that the fabric development program, which was started from scratch two years ago, "is making real headway."

Wilson Sets Open House For New School Facility

The Wilson School board met in regular session Monday, April 20. Items of business included adopting a policy concerning school sponsored dances, renewing the tax-assessor collector's contract, setting the date for open house of the new school, and studying a complaint by Mexican - American parents of discrimination against their children.

The board adopted a policy stating that there will not be dances held on school premises. However, the board did give its approval to a Junior - Senior Prom. The policy states that it will be permissible for there to be a school sponsored Junior-Senior Prom following the banquet. The Prom cannot be held at the school. The board gave the administration the responsibility to establish any needed rules for the prom.

In other action Mrs. Wanda Stegemoller was given a new contract as tax-assessor collector for another year. The board also set Thursday, April 30th as Open House for the public to visit the Elementary, Junior and Senior High schools.

A complaint by Mexican - American parents was presented by Superintendent Glen Mitchell.

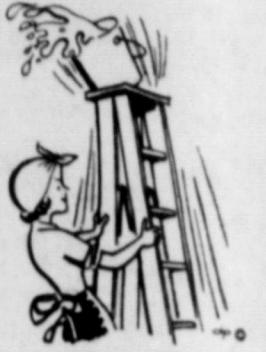
The parents want an end to segregated classes in the elementary school and an equal ratio of the two races in all classes where there is more than one section.

Mitchell explained that HEW is to give a ruling next week concerning the legality of the present plan. If the HEW ruling favors the Mexican - American request then classes will be divided equally beginning next

fall.

In a called meeting, the results of the meeting, Tommy Bedard, R. McCormick Jr., in as board member year terms, The Hon. Roy L. Kallich, James Savell, and Reuben Sander. Other members are and Curtis Wilke.

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- ★ Big Thicket National Park
- ★ Amistad Dam Recreation Bill
- ★ Cold War G. I. Bill to aid Veterans
- ★ He is in favor of an Excess War Profits Tax instead of surcharge on Income Tax. He voted AGAINST the 10% surcharge.
- ★ He has ALWAYS supported GOOD farm legislation and is in favor of the Coalition Farm Bill as agreed upon by 32 different major farm organizations & commodity groups.

AGRICULTURE

Senator Yarborough has been a working co-sponsor or active supporter of all major agricultural bills appropriations and soil conservation measures to pass Congress since '55.

He co-authored the Agriculture Act of '65, the Agriculture Stabilization Act of '69, the Great Plains Conservation program extension, and as a member of the Appropriations subcommittee on Agriculture, exercises a strong role over money measures that affect the Texas farmer, rancher & consumer.

He supports soil conservation program Farmers Home Administration, Agricultural Research and the REA.

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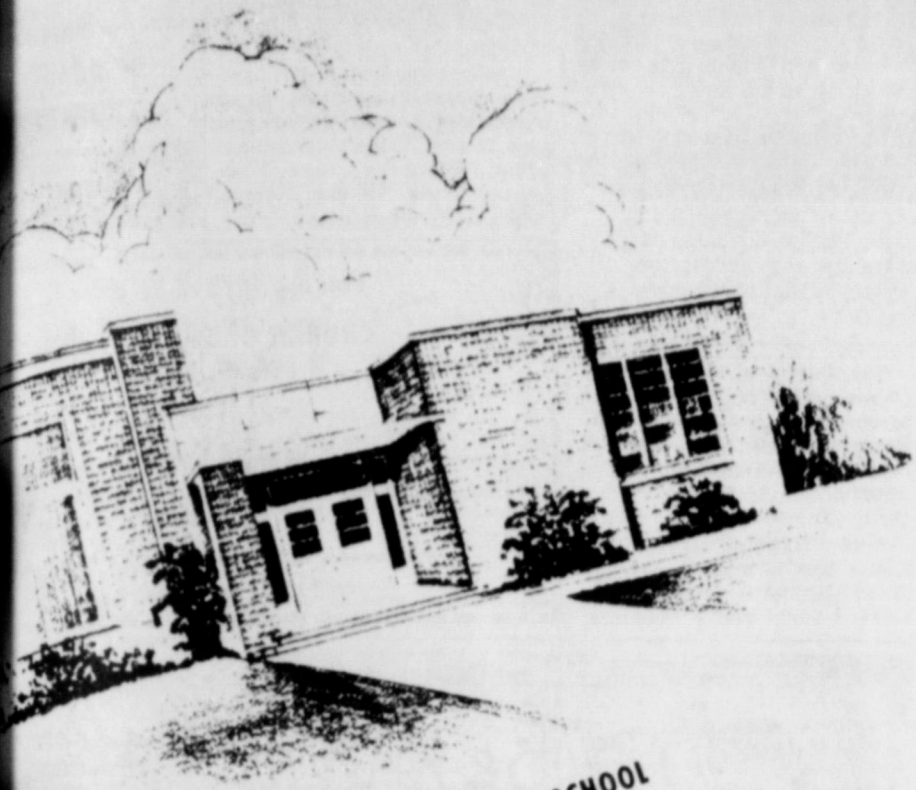
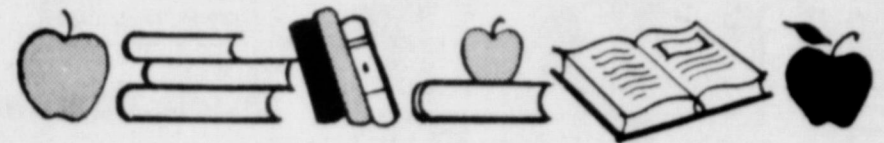
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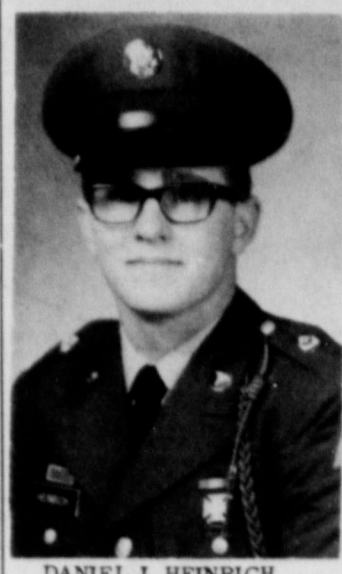
Members of the Wesleyan Service Guild of First United Methodist Church met at 7:30 p.m. last Thursday in the home of Mrs. F. A. Drewry with Mrs. C. E. Smith assisting as hostesses.

Opening prayer was offered by Mrs. S. J. Hitt, and Mrs. Douglas Wilson, who presided for the business meeting, also gave a report of the Wesleyan Service Guild conference held recently at Abernathy. Attending this conference were three guild members from Slaton, Mrs. Ray Conner, Miss Gertrude King and Mrs. Wilson.

A program on "Call to Prayer and Self Denial" was led by Mrs. W. P. Layne. She was assisted by Mrs. H. H. White and Miss King.

During the social hour which followed, refreshments were served to 11 guild members.

★★ Slaton Man ★★ Silver Star Nominee



DANIEL J. HEINRICH

Spl/5 Daniel J. Heinrich, serving with the armed forces in South Vietnam, has been nominated for the Silver Star for outstanding performance when their Landing Zone Jay came under heavy enemy mortar and ground attack March 29, 1970. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Heinrich.

Dan has been in Vietnam for 20 months and is scheduled to be discharged from the Army in mid May.

He has received the Bronze Star, the Air Medal for Combat Assaults and the Combat Medical Badge.

He enlisted in the Army Oct. 1967, after graduating from Slaton High School. 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, Dan served with the 4th Armored Division in Nuremberg, Germany.

Flag Will Be Presented

In observance of Loyalty Day, members of the Slaton Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 6721 will present a United States flag to the Slaton Nursing Home Friday at 10 a.m. A unit from Slaton's Junior ROTC will assist with the presentation.

The public is cordially invited to attend, according to chairman Travis Mann and Louise Underwood of the auxiliary.

Scout Camporee To Be Conducted Near Southland

About 150 Scouts and leaders are expected to gather for the spring camporee this weekend southeast of Slaton, with several new and exciting features on the program.

First, the troop adult leaders will not camp with the boys but will turn the entire operation over to the junior leaders. Next, all scouts will back-pack their total equipment needs, personal and patrol, over to the campsites from the central headquarters area.

In addition, no canned or bottled foods will be permitted in the sites, rather meal needs will be of the variety that need preparation, not just opening.

Two trails will challenge the scouts Saturday. Each patrol will participate on the trails, one in the morning and the other in the afternoon. Some of the traditional skills will have to be done but also some "stations" have been designed to test the thinking and logic of the patrols.

The outstanding troop, based on its patrols, will be awarded the first prize camporee flag. This flag is a one-of-a-kind award. Other trophies will be presented ribbons signifying their abilities.

Bud Englund is serving as camporee chairman with R.C. Hall and Alex Webb giving him assistance. The Alpha Phi Omega fraternity of Texas Tech will serve as judges for the trails Saturday.

A landslide in April, 1958 caused a wave 1,800 feet in height to surge along the shore of Lituya Bay, Alaska.



QUARTET TO SING---The "Soul Winners Quartet" pictured above was organized in February and has already sung at meetings in Lubbock, Levelland, Plainview, Slaton and Ralls. They plan to travel to Pearl Texas Friday to attend the annual Pearl Singing. All members of the Church of God, they are, left to right, Danny Boyd, Raymond Lee Tomlin, Jimmie Boyd and Sharon Tomlin. The pianist is Pete Gaylor.

Tommy Ray, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sims, has been in intensive care for several days. The report received Wednesday morning was that he had not improved.

Fred England returned home Friday after being a patient in Methodist Hospital where he underwent surgery.

Mrs. Carroll McDonald is a patient in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital.

Mt. Aso crater in Kyushu, Japan measures 71 miles in circumference and is the world's largest volcano crater.

The father of Rev. Johnnie Moore suffered a cerebral hemorrhage early this week. He is a patient in a Muleshoe hospital and reportedly improving.

Four national forests in Texas have a total net acreage of 658,023 and cover part of eleven East Texas counties.

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CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for 'Today's Answer' and 'ACROSS' words.

Home Manufactured Stones advertisement for West Texas Monuments, featuring a car and contact information for Searcy O. Henry.

Be A Junior Millionaire advertisement for Slaton Savings and Loan Association, featuring a cartoon character and a ladder.

Blue Star Specials advertisement for Teague Drug, listing perfume, bath oil, and hair spray with prices.

Church listings advertisement titled 'Attend The Church of Your Choice Sunday' and 'The Message' by John 7:46, listing various churches and their addresses.

Go Ahead advertisement for electric air conditioning, featuring a man in a uniform and text about proven dependability and power.

Area Churches advertisement listing various churches and their addresses, including Wilson Baptist, Bible Baptist, and others.

Vertical text on the right edge of the page, including 'FA', 'RENT', 'Furnished', 'KENDRICK INSURANCE AGENCY', 'PAY BY THE', 'You Are Invited To Attend CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE', 'Be A Junior Millionaire', 'Slaton Savings and Loan Association', 'Attend The Church of Your Choice Sunday', 'The Message', 'These Church Listings Presented as a Public Service By The Above Firms', 'Area Churches', 'OWN and MARRI', '28-3214'.

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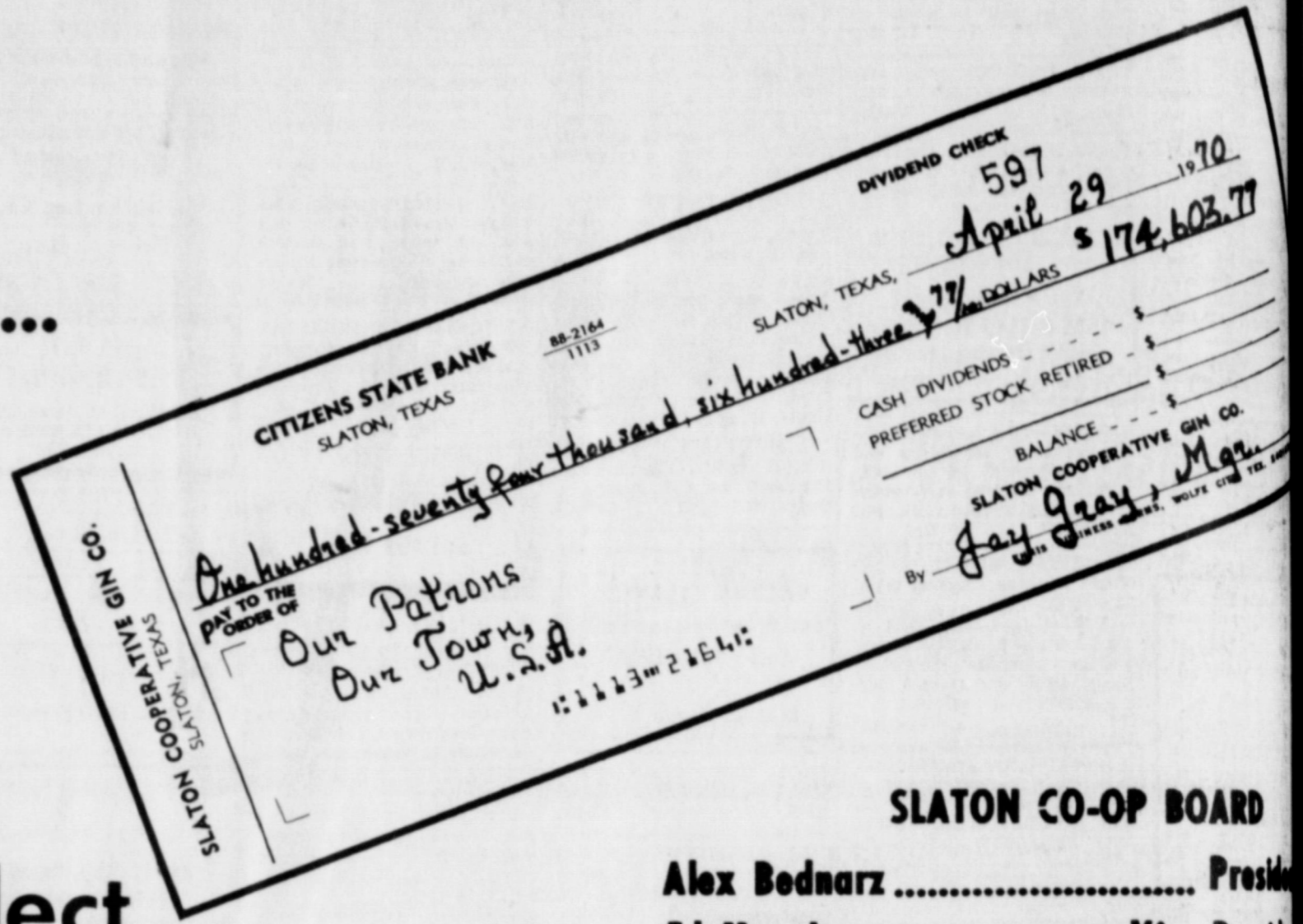
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- Jay Gray Manager

Statement of Condition

BALANCE SHEET
March 31, 1970

ASSETS		
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash	\$ 100 585 30	
Accounts Receivable-Customers	12 394 60	
Accounts Receivable-Regionals	62 088 52	
Inventories	56 182 40	
Prepaid Expenses and Other	4 596 24	\$ 235 847 06
FIXED ASSETS		
Land	\$ 69 366 35	
Depreciable Assets (Book Value)	413 398 10	482 764 45
OTHER ASSETS		
Stocks in Other Cooperatives		341 504 65
TOTAL ASSETS		\$1 060 116 16
LIABILITIES		
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Accounts Payable	\$ 27 714 40	
Note Payable-Current	52 510 64	
Accrued Expenses and Other	24 983 65	\$ 105 208 69
TERM LIABILITIES		
Notes Payable		35 835 01
Total Liabilities		\$ 141 043 70
CAPITAL STOCK AND PATRONS' EQUITIES		
Common Stock	\$ 315 00	
Preferred Stock and Patrons' Equities	744 153 69	
Net Margins	174 603 77	
Total Capital Stock and Patrons' Equities		\$ 919 072 46
TOTAL LIABILITIES, CAPITAL STOCK AND PATRONS' EQUITIES		\$1 060 116 16

STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND MARGINS
For the Year Ended March 31, 1970

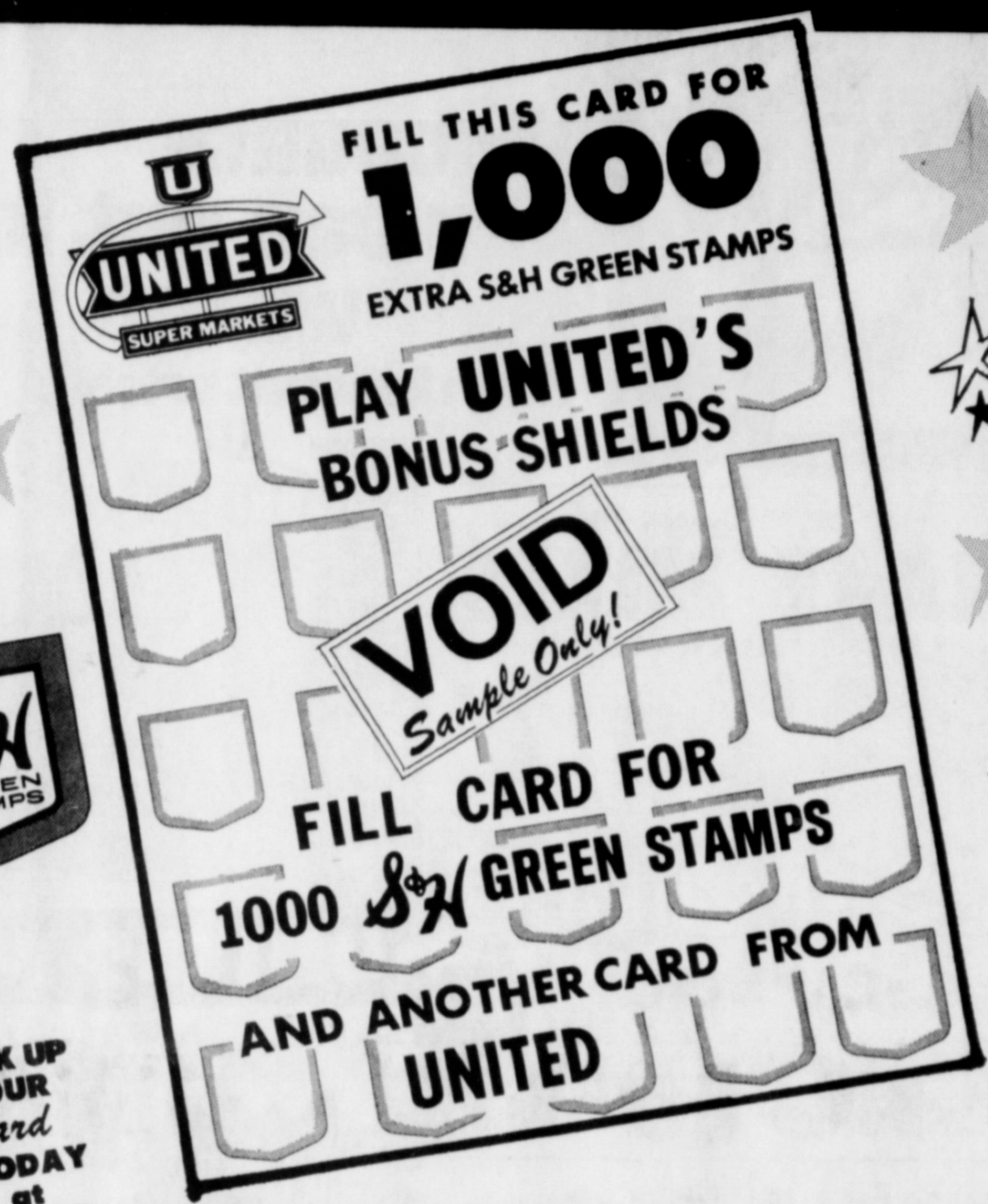
INCOME:		
Ginning Revenues-15,769 B/C	\$197 803 02	
Margins on Bagging and Ties	54 742 80	
Regional Patronage Dividends	68 524 92	
Freight Allowance	6 705 59	
Truck Income (Margins)	36 793 04	
Other Income	16 013 44	
Margins on Trading	140 672 85	
GROSS INCOME		\$521 255 66
EXPENSES:		
Salaries and Wages	\$115 188 00	
Repairs and Supplies	36 897 30	
Depreciation	77 599 11	
Fuel and Utilities	28 596 85	
Insurance	14 206 72	
Ad Valorem Taxes	6 817 49	
Payroll Taxes	4 904 73	
Office Supplies and Expenses	3 360 00	
Advertising and Promotion	3 654 55	
Interest	8 486 66	
Truck Expense	39 263 66	
Other Expense	7 676 82	
TOTAL EXPENSES		346 651 89
NET MARGINS FOR ALLOCATION		\$174 603 77

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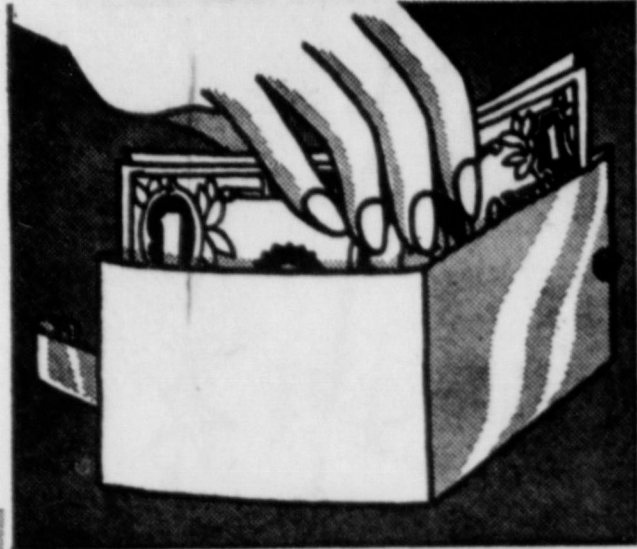


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lb. 98¢

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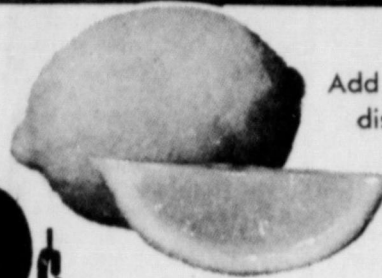
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SOUTHLAND NEWS

MRS. TOMMY WILKE

Youth Dies In 2-Car Accident

Hi there! Here is a little "jewel" for today. "He only is advancing in life whose heart is getting softer, his blood warmer, his brain quicker, and his spirit entering into living peace."

year. They are Breonne Winterrowd, head cheerleader, Laura Bevers and Margie Perez. The best of luck to each of you!

and Breonne, spent Sunday in Amarillo visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Winterrowd.

YOUTH DIES Our little community suffered another tragedy on Sunday afternoon when Max Espinosa was killed in a two-car wreck right on the highway here at Southland. Max has lived here for many years and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Espinosa and was only 21 years of age at the time of his death.

Guests in our home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Becker, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Zieschang and Mr. and Mrs. R.M. McMinn.



The Name TARBOX Stands For Honesty and Integrity in The House of Representatives

Let's Re-elect Elmer Tarbox At The Democratic Primary, May 2nd

Here is a man who has matched promises with performance! Elmer Tarbox has compiled a record of service to citizens of the state and in particular to those in Hockley, Terry, and Lubbock Counties.

Re-elect Elmer Tarbox State Representative ★ District 76--Place 2 (Hockley, Terry, & Lubbock Counties)

Pd. Pol. Adv.

MOVING TO N.Y. Patsy Gindorf was given a "going-away" party on Sunday by a group of her friends.

86th BIRTHDAY Congratulations to Mrs. Mary Stolle who celebrated her 86th birthday on Sunday. Her sons and daughters and their families were hosts to a bar-b-q dinner for 31 members of the family which was held in the Educational Building of Grace Lutheran Church at Slaton.



ROBERT BECKER Another hometown boy makes good! Robert Becker, Brownfield High School Ag teacher, will be one of eight individuals honored at the Region 1 Conservation Awards Banquet scheduled at 7 p.m., May 7.

WON'T CLOG PIPES, KILL GRASS

Residues From Canadian River Water Here Have Crystal-Like Appearance

When the Slaton resident opened up his evaporative air conditioner this Spring to get it in shape for the hot months ahead, he noticed right away that something was definitely different.

In the bottom of his air conditioning unit was a thick coating of a whitish substance quite unlike the hard residue he had become accustomed to scraping out as part of the yearly chore.

At first, he was at a loss to explain the presence of this unusual deposit. Then, it came to him.

"It's that Canadian River water," he thought to himself with some measure of disdain, remembering the first murky rushes of water from his bathtub faucet on more than a few mornings since the city first began quenching its thirst from the gigantic Lake Meredith project on the Canadian more than a year ago.

His concern began to grow even more when he thought of what this "dirty," salty water might do to his struggling lawn and shrubbery.

LAMESA IS USING Canadian River water and city well water as we here in Slaton are. We were unable to come up with some facts on our own water system, but would like to report some of the information as given by Bob Goolsby, sanitary engineer for the South Plains Health Unit in Lamesa.

Basically, the main two differences in the two waters are that lake water is softer -- 240 parts calcium carbonate per million compared to 550 parts per million for well water-- and lake water contains considerably more chloride.

These minerals, he explained further, are dissolved (present as ions) and consist mainly of sulphates, chlorides, calcium, magnesium, sodium, bicarbonates and others in less amounts such as fluoride and nitrates.

Alex Webb, Slaton city secretary, says the majority of Slaton's water supply comes from the Canadian River project. In December, January and February all the water came from Lake Meredith, but in the summer months, 20% or below comes from area wells, he reported.

IT IS THE SOFTER, lighter texture of the residue found this year that the blessings lie for it is far less likely to clog pipes with hard layers in water pipes and eventually clog the pipes with the flow of water -- accounting for the coloring present when faucets are first turned on.

When Canadian River Municipal Water Authority took over control of the \$84 million Lake Meredith project ceremonies at Stanford Dam July 1968, it was a dramatic occasion marking the completion of a quest which commenced more than 20 years ago.



LOOKS LIKE CRYSTALS--Although the residue from Canadian River water may cause the repetition of the many times during the next month, authorities say the substance will not clog pipes or damage shrubs. It is advised to install new pads, although, unless you want the substance in your home.

District Legion Meeting Slated At Big Spring

Legionnaires and Auxiliary members from the 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th and 21st districts, comprising the Fourth Division of The American Legion, will assemble in Big Spring Saturday and Sunday for the annual spring convention.

Ellis P. Schmid of Slaton will speak on rehabilitation during the Saturday program. The business session will be directed by Dept. Vice Cmdr. R. L. Brodeur of El Paso.

The joint session of the Birth of military aviation in the U.S. occurred in Texas in 1910 when the whole U.S. Air Force arrived at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio: one man, one plane.

Largest crystal ball Warner 106-lb. sphenoidal quartz displayed at U.S. National Museum in Washington, D.C.

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RE-ELECT ROY BOYD

The following Members of Slaton High School Class of 1934 endorse Roy Boyd's Re-election:

- Joe Delaney Robert Lee Hagler Chris Kirksey Laura Wilson
Charles E. Marriott Jim Shelby Auda Wilson Marie Kercheval
Claude S. Leavens John C. Champion Paul R. Mercer J. P. Haliburton

INDIVIDUAL PORTIONS OF THIS AD PAID FOR BY ALL THE MEMBERS OF THE SLATON HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1934.

(Pd. Pol. Adv.)

Might As Well Get Used To It... Time Change In Effect 6 Months

Most of the nation advanced their clocks and watches to Daylight Saving Time early Sunday morning -- or late Saturday night -- and the annual change continues to confuse millions.

Clocks were to be set ahead one hour at 2 a.m. Sunday in 47 states, and are to remain advanced until Oct. 25.

Reports in Slaton revealed a few church goers barely made it to church on time Sunday, thinking they were getting up in time for Sunday School.

Michigan, Arizona and Hawaii do not observe the time change.

Great Britain adopted daylight time as an economy measure during World War I and the United States adopted it in 1918. It was short-lived, though, as Congress repealed the law in 1919, but many cities continued to use daylight saving time.

After World War II began, daylight saving was again used in the U.S., depending on the wishes of individual states or cities.

According to some researchers, Benjamin Franklin originated the concept of DST in 1784 while he was serving as U. S. Ambassador to France. It is thought he awoke early one morning in Paris, saw daylight, and thought of moving clocks ahead one hour in order to conserve and lengthen the working day.

His concept first was utilized 200 years later during World War I to save fuel for lighting and heating.

If you haven't changed your timepieces yet, you are running an hour behind.

In 1966, Congress established a uniform daylight time to be observed from the last Sunday in April to the last Sunday in October. The law also said a state could remain on standard time if its legislature voted to do so.

This will be the third year Texas will observe DST since the new law was passed. However, Texas was under DST during World War II.



The Missing Day In Time

Did you know that the space program is busy proving that what has been called "myth" in the Bible is true? Harold Hill, president of the Curtis Engine Company in Baltimore, Md., and a consultant in the space program, relates the following development:

over power them.

So Joshua asked the Lord to make the sun stand still That's right! "The sun stood still and the moon stayed and hastened not to go down about a whole day!"

"I think one of the most amazing things that God has for us today happened to our astronauts and space scientists at Green Belt, Md. They were checking the position of the sun, moon, and planets out in space, where they would be 100 years and 1,000 years from now. We have to know this so we don't send a satellite up and have it bump into something later on in its orbits. We have to lay out the whole orbit in terms of the satellite, and where the planets will be so the whole thing will not bog down!

The space men said, "There is the missing day!" Well, they checked the computers going back into the time it was written and found it was close but not close enough. The elapsed time that was missing back in Joshua's day was 23 hours and 20 minutes -- not a whole day. They read the Bible and there it said, "about (approximately) a day." JOSHUA 10: 12-13.

These little words in the Bible are important. But they were still in trouble because if you cannot account for 40 minutes you will be in trouble 1,000 years from now. Forty minutes had to be found because it can be multiplied many times over in orbits.

Well, this religious fellow also remembered somewhere in the Bible where it said the sun went backwards. The space men told him he was out of his mind. But they got out the Bible and read those words in II Kings, chapter 20, Hezekiah, on his death-bed, was visited by the prophet Isaiah who told him that he was not going to die. Hezekiah did not believe him and asked for a sign as proof.

Isaiah said, "do you want the sun to go ahead ten degrees?" Hezekiah said, "It's nothing for the sun to go ahead ten degrees, but let the shadow return backward ten degrees." Isaiah spoke to the Lord and the Lord brought the shadow ten degrees backward! II King 20:10-11.

Ten degrees is exactly 40 minutes! Twenty-three hours and 20 minutes in Joshua, plus 40 minutes in II Kings, make the missing 24 hours the space travelers had to log in the logbook as being the missing day in the universe! Isn't that amazing? Our God is rubbing their noses in His TRUTH!

LONGVIEW NEWSPAPER

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editorially speaking

ON LOYALTY DAY .. MAY 1

Stand Up and Be Counted

trans of Foreign Wars of the United States, 70 years old, has always been in the front line in any battle against threats to our domestic and foreign security. It traces its beginning to a small group of American War veterans who met in September, 1899, in Columbus, Ohio, to discuss the problem of the men who had just fought to free Cuba from the rule of Spain. Today, Cuba is again being threatened, but more dangerously -- Communism.

It is against the threat of Communism that the V.F.W., Commander Nelson of Post #6721 Slaton, points out the weapons utilized by the V.F.W. in its Loyalty Day observance on May 1. Commander Nelson said that plans have already been made for this year's program.

Loyalty Day was started nearly 40 years ago by V.F.W. members in New York City in a counter-demonstration of the Communist Party, Commander Nelson explained.

Other V.F.W. Posts across the country adopted the practice and in 1958, President Eisenhower signed a bill making Loyalty Day a national observance, the bill reads in part: "The first day of May is to be set aside as a special day for the reaffirmation of loyalty to the United States of America -- for the recognition of our heritage of American freedom -- and calling upon officials of the government to display the flag of the United States on all government buildings on Loyalty Day -- and inviting people of the United States to observe Loyalty Day in schools and other suitable places with appropriate ceremonies."

Commander Nelson urges residents of Slaton to join with the V.F.W. on Loyalty Day in showing they're proud to be Americans.

"Nowadays, when there is so much disloyal sentiment being expressed in our country, it is most important than ever for patriotic Americans to stand up and be counted," he said. "A good time to 'stand up' would be on Loyalty Day, May 1."

Just For Today

Today I will live through the next day and not tackle my whole life problem.

Today I will improve my mind, do something useful, I will read that requires effort, thought and action.

Today I will be agreeable, I will speak in a well modulated voice, be courteous and considerate.

Today I will not find fault with my relative or colleague, I will not try to

change or improve anyone but myself.

Just for today I will have a program, I might not follow it exactly, but I will have it. I will save myself from two enemies - hurry and indecision.

Just for today I will exercise my character in three ways. I will do a good turn and keep it a secret, if anyone finds out, it won't count. Just for today I will do two things I don't want to do, just for exercise.

Just for today I will be unafraid. Especially will I be unafraid to enjoy what is beautiful and believe that as I give to the world, the world will give to me. - ANON

Time To Turn Back The Clock ?

It's getting to be more of a common-sense all the time to be told that we are trying to "turn back the clock" when we stand up for a solid, time-tested principle.

Time back-tracking would be good for all.

The Chamber of Commerce of the United States observes that before jumping to conclusions it would be well to consider how Grandpa probably would have reacted to suggestions that he give up savings like these:

Respect for the flag, now replaced by the kind of acts and utterances that were once punished as treason.

Safety on the streets, so far gone that we may soon arm ourselves to go to church, like the Pilgrim Fathers.

Discipline in the schools and order on campuses.

Modesty in entertainment, instead of the lewdness and filth, to which we are subjected.

Inspiration in literature, instead of

chastisements for our "mass guilt."

Courtesy in salesmanship -- the indifferent, snippy attitude of today's store clerks "is threatening to become the significant failure of American enterprise," according to Jack I. Strauss, R. H. Macy and Co.

Pride in craftsmanship, now given way to the mediocrity, featherbedding and fee-gouging prevalent in so many trades.

The right to work, which is denied in many places to all but union members.

The right to spend one's earnings, instead of being forced to turn over an average 35 per cent to tax collectors.

All in all, Grandpa may have preferred it like it was. And if the present social ailments get much worse, so may we. It's time to revive some old scruples, to rediscover the virtues of honest work, thrift, respect for authority and personal and community responsibilities.

If that requires turning back the clock, then, let's start turning.

They ran the computer measurement back and forth over the centuries and it came to a halt. The computer stopped and put up a red signal, which meant that there was something wrong either with the info fed into it or with the results as compared to the standards. They called in the service department to check it out and they said, "It's perfect." The IBM head of operations said, "What's wrong?" The IBM said, "What's wrong?" Well we have found there is a day missing in space in elapsed time. They scratched their heads and tore their hair. There was no answer.

The religious fellow on the team said, "You know one time I was in Sunday School and they talked about the sun standing still." They didn't believe him, but they didn't have any other answer so they said, "Show us." So he got a Bible and went back to the book of Joshua where they found a pretty ridiculous statement for anybody who had "common sense." There they found the Lord saying to Joshua, "Fear them not, I have delivered them into thy hand; there shall not a man of them stand before thee." Joshua was concerned because he was surrounded by the enemy and if darkness fell they would

Calendar of Coming Events MAY 1970

SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE	HOME IMPROVEMENT MONTH SAVINGS AT SLATON S&L ARE INSURED UP TO \$25,000 BY THE FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOAN INSURANCE CORP.	YOU WILL BE SURPRISED HOW FAST YOUR ACCOUNT WILL GROW IF EACH PAY CHECK PART OF EACH PAY CHECK.	PLUS THE EXTRA VALUE OF 54¢ GREEN STAMPS!	IT'S CONVENIENT TO SAVE AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN -- ASK ABOUT THE METHOD BEST SUITED FOR YOU.	1. LOYALTY DAY FABULOUS FRIDAY Pre-school registration--1:30 Senior Citizens--9:30 a.m. Boy Scout Troop 125 Girls Regional Track Meet	2. ELECTION DAY Precinct conventions Story Time at library ROTC Ball
4. Goodwill is Good News WOODWILL WEEK--MAY 3-9	4. Lions Club--noon Little League--1st game Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m. U.T.U.--7:30 p.m. American Legion A.C.--7:30 p.m. Cooper Young Hinkers--7:30 p.m. Catholic Daughters--8 p.m.	5. Ladies Golf Assn.--9 a.m. Boy Scout Troop 125--6:30 p.m. Athletic Study Club--7:30 p.m. Jr. Civic & Culture--7:30 p.m. Lad. Soc of B of L.F.&E.--7:15 p.m. B of L.F.&E.--7:30 p.m.	6. ROTC awards ceremony Slaton Home Demonstration Club--1:30 p.m.	7. Health Clinic--9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Rotary Club--noon Kappa Kappa Kots B of RT Assn.--9:30 a.m. Sla-Ton Tops--7 p.m.	8. V-E DAY proclaimed 1945 Western Day & parade Senior Citizens--9:30 a.m. Boy Scout Troop 125	9. UIL contests at Austin County & senatorial district conventions
11. WOMEN'S DAY SUNDAY MAY 10th	11. Lions Club--noon Boy Scout Troop 125--6:30 p.m. Minor & Tee Wee games start Rainbow Girls--7 p.m. West Ward PTA--7:30 p.m. Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m. American Legion A.C.--7:30 p.m. City Commissioners--7:30 p.m. Knights of Columbus--7:30 p.m.	12. Ladies Golf Assn.--9 a.m. Chamber of Commerce directors R.R. Retirement--10 a.m. TARA--2:30 p.m. School board--7:30 p.m. Rosedale Young Hinkers--social supper	13. Ministerial Alliance--9:30 a.m. Bluebonnet Club--2:30 p.m. Slaton Garden Club--3 p.m.	14. Rotary Club--noon Slaton Tops--7 p.m. Lodge 1094, A.F.A.M.--7:30 p.m. Masons--7:30 p.m.	15. MAY 15 ARMED FORCES DAY Senior Citizens--9:30 a.m. Boy Scout Troop 125 Lions Queen Contest in Lubbock	16. Lions Dist. 273 Convention \$ 3/4% INTEREST NOW BEING PAID AT SLATON S&L ON ONE TO TWO-YEAR CERTIFICATES, \$1,000 MINIMUM.
18. ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE	18. Lions Club--noon Boy Scout Troop 125--6:30 p.m. Babe Ruth baseball--1st game Past Matrons Club--7 p.m. Daughters of Pioneers--7:30 p.m. Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m. Scottish Rite--7:30 p.m. American Legion A.C.--7:30 p.m.	19. Ladies Golf Assn.--9 a.m. Lad. Soc of B of L.F.&E.--7:15 p.m. B of L.F.&E.--7:30 p.m. Athletic--7:30 p.m. Jr. Civic & Culture--7:30 p.m. Chapter 297, R.A.M.--7:30 p.m. Council 294, R.A.M.--7:30 p.m.	20. Slaton Home Demonstration Club--1:30 p.m. \$ 3/4% INTEREST PAID AT SLATON S&L ON TWO TO FIVE-YEAR CERTIFICATES OF \$5,000.	21. Health Clinic--9 a.m. B of RT Auxiliary--9:30 a.m. Slaton Tops--7 p.m. W.I.L.S. graduation American Legion & Auxiliary--7:30 p.m. Friends of Library--8 p.m.	22. Wilson High graduation Last day of school at Wilson S/HS graduation Senior Citizens--9:30 a.m. Boy Scout Troop 125 Southland Graduation	23. PASSBOOK SAVINGS ACCOUNTS PAY 5% INTEREST, COMPOUNDED QUARTERLY.
25. ATTEND CHURCH	25. Slaton High Graduation Lions Club--noon Ladies Altar Society--2 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 125--6:30 p.m. Rainbow Girls--7 p.m. City Commissioners--7:30 p.m. Volunteer Firemen--7:30 p.m. American Legion A.C.--7:30 p.m. VFW & Auxiliary--8 p.m.	26. 1945 American Civil War Ende Ladies Golf Assn.--9 a.m. Rosedale Young Hinkers--9 a.m. Slaton Art Club--7:30 p.m. Slaton Young Hinkers--7:30 p.m. OES, No. 995--8 p.m.	27. Bluebonnet Club--2:30 p.m. Civic & Culture Club \$ 3/4% INTEREST NOW BEING PAID AT SLATON S&L ON ONE TO TWO-YEAR CERTIFICATES, \$1,000 MINIMUM.	28. Last day of school for Slaton & Cooper Rotary Club--noon Cub Scout Pack 128 Slaton Tops--7 p.m. Lodge 1094--7:30 p.m. Masons--7:30 p.m.	29. Last day of school for Roosevelt Senior Citizens--9:30 a.m. Boy Scout Troop 125 SAVINGS GROW FASTER THAN YOU THINK... AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN.	30. MEMORIAL DAY

POSEY NEWS

MRS. P. C. KITCHENS

Some Planting Early At Posey

Greetings from our little community! We're back to normal West Texas weather with strong winds for this time of year. A few farmers have ventured out to plant some maize and cotton, but the majority is waiting around until the middle of May to do their overall planting.

BAR-B-Q DINNER
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lob-

stein gave a lovely barbecue dinner for their many friends and relatives. Those present included Pastor and Mrs. Leeland Diekhoff, Bradley and Dawn; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Minssen; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schroeder; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lester; Deborah, Linda and Carla; Mr. and Mrs. William Ehlo, Carrie, Carla and Craig; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ehlo,

Deborah, Sandra, Mark and Nancy; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stolle and Ewell; and Mr. and Mrs. William Ehlo Sr.

Mrs. Anna B. Gentry had a host of relatives as her guests over the weekend. They were Mrs. Bill Karon; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gentry and children; Tammy Lynn Elliott, a great-grandchild of Mrs. Gentry's who was with the Charles Gentrys;

Mrs. Ruth Johnson and Brenda; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Swann and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Mangum.

AT SISTER'S FUNERAL
P. C. Kitchens attended funeral services for his sister, Mrs. Valma Patterson at Parsons, Kan., Monday. Mrs. Patterson passed away Saturday morning at her home near Parsons.

Dale Kitchens ministered to the North Side Assembly of God Church in Lubbock Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mert Gentry visited the Bert Darlands of Morton and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Carroll of Elida, N.M. recently. They also visited the Assembly of God Church in Slaton Sunday to hear an old-time friend of

theirs, the Rev. A. C. Bates, who has been an ordained minister for the past 52 years. Robert Boyce and Leo Wittkamp made a trip to Buchanan Dam this week to do some fishing.

Jim Anne Foerster recently joined the Girl Scouts and accompanied her troop to the Tech Museum Saturday, and later enjoyed a picnic. Included in the group was Mrs. R. C. Hall, scout leader, and several other girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Menzel and children attended the wedding of their nephew, Allen Menzel at Thorndale Saturday. They spent the weekend at Thorndale and Mr. Menzel went fishing while there and caught a six-pound catfish.

Now's the Time

April is Cancer Control Month. One out of four Americans will eventually develop cancer. Isn't that a reason to support the American Cancer Society right now, during Crusade month?

Mrs. Jerry Oats is hospitalized at Mercy Hospital at this time, but is expected to be home soon.

Mrs. Clay Oats' brother is recovering from major surgery at Austin, and Mrs. Oats plans to return home soon.

That sticker, "Jesus Saves" on the rear window of your car does no good when you go over the speed limit! Trust to see you.

Cancer Drive Continues

"The rising expectation in cancer research could be hampered by lack of support. We aren't going to let that happen!"

Mrs. Johnnie Moore, chairman of the American Cancer Society's April 1970 Crusade in Slaton explained, "This is a crisis situation. The Federal Government is holding the line on its research support. The American Cancer Society is being deluged with grant requests, worthwhile research that can't be pursued because of lack of funds."

"Each year the cost of research in progress rises by more than eight percent, the

way the cost of living. That means we must at least that much more just to keep going."

The American Cancer Society has allocated more than \$1 million to cancer research in 1970. Grants are made to individual research institutes, universities and hospitals doing pilot studies providing opportunities for young investigators, and specializing or concentrating in cancer research.

"We cannot afford to let these people to whom they need a stable support to continue."

The questions researchers answer are many, but just a few:

*What is the relationship between viruses and cancer?

*How can the body's natural mechanism be taught to fight cancer?

*What can be done to come resistance which cells build up against cancer developed at such early age?

High on the priority list is the search for a final cure for leukemia. Leukemia, the cancer of the blood, has been made through research whole new branch of treatment -- chemotherapy emerged in the last few decades. Today, the leukemia patients are being treated, but there is a need for more research. The American Cancer Society invests more than \$100 million annually just in cancer-related research.

"Research has already reduced the cure for types of cancer, and modern treatment. Research has shown that cancers can be prevented. Research has to go ahead means the support of in Slaton," Mrs. Moore

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- It would make the grass a good deal greener for most of us older citizens, too.

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Kahlich Ends Missile Course

REDSTONE ARSENAL (AHTNC) - Private First Class David M. Kahlich, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. L. J. of Rt. 1, Slaton, completed light air defense missile maintenance technician recently at the U.S. Army and Munitions School, Arsenal, Ala.

During the 25-week he was familiarized with characteristics, principles, functions, shooting techniques, maintenance procedures and inspections in the light defense missile system.

Pvt. Kahlich entered in April 1969. He is a graduate of Cooper High and attended Texas Tech wife, Brenda, is resident of Huntsville, Ala.

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Spotlight on SHS Seniors

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JUDY EBLEN
"Don't believe half of what they tell you," replied Judy Eblen when asked her advice to other girls about boys. Judy has dark hair and brown eyes and stands 5 feet 6 inches tall.

Some of Judy's favorites include: car - 442, food-seafood, teacher-Mrs. Maxine Walker, band - Uniques, color - blue, and pastime-water skiing. Her advice to freshmen is to do the best you can and have lots of fun because it goes by in a hurry.

When asked her most embarrassing moment, she replied, "Just ask anyone in last year's fifth period American history class."

Being very active in SHS, Judy has participated in tennis four years, band four years, cheerleader two years, Junior Play, FHA four years, fourth vice - president of FHA two years, secretary of FHA two years, basketball two years, and National Honor Society two years.

Judy plans to attend Texas Tech after graduating.

LONNIE KUSS
Lonnie Kuss was born in Slaton July 18, 1952. He has blue eyes and blonde hair and stands 5 feet 10 inches tall.

Lonnie lists his favorites as: car, SS396; color, metallic blue; teachers, Coach Jackie Stewart and William Carnes; subject, trig and physics; movie, "Butch Cassidy and the Sun Dance Kid"; actor, Paul Newman; and actress, Katherine Ross.

During high school, Lonnie participated in Interscholastic League Slide Rule four years, stage band two years, Boys State '69, Who's Who in English III and Art, National Honor Society two years, Junior Play, and band four years.

Lonnie claims his pet peeve is people who brag about what they can do; but when the time really comes, they can't do it. For his most embarrassing moment, he says one will have to ask James Stephens.

To improve SHS, Lonnie would have all sports getting equal recognition. This is no more important than the other.

After graduation Lonnie plans to attend Texas Tech and major in the field of engineering.

LINDA THOMAS
Linda Thomas was born in Slaton on Nov. 19, 1961. She has brown eyes and stands 5 feet 4 inches high.

Mrs. Saleta Duff and Coach Weldon Mize are Linda's favorite teachers. The song she prefers to hear is "I Don't Want Nobody to Give Me Nothing." Jerry Butler rates as Linda's favorite singer. Talking to Andrew is Linda's pastime; and, of course, her favorite food is "soul food."

If one asks Linda about her most embarrassing moment, she will reply, "When I ran over Louie's car." Her pet peeve is people who think they've got what it takes. Her advice to "fish" is "to keep pushing!"

Linda's achievements in SHS are: Pep Squad two years, Pep Squad vice-president this year, Interscholastic League Number Sense Contest her junior year, Tiger's Cage staff her junior year, and Choir this year.

After graduation Linda plans to attend WTSU.

DICKIE JONES
A familiar face around SHS is that of Dickie Jones, a 5-foot 11-inch, blue-eyed, brown-haired senior. Dickie was born April 23, 1952, in Albuquerque, N.Mex. His favorites include: group, Creedence Clearwater Revival; song, "Honky Tonk Women"; and pastime, skiing, camping, or just messing around.

When asked what car he would choose if he could have any one in the world, he replied, "A metallic blue, Shelby GT, 500".

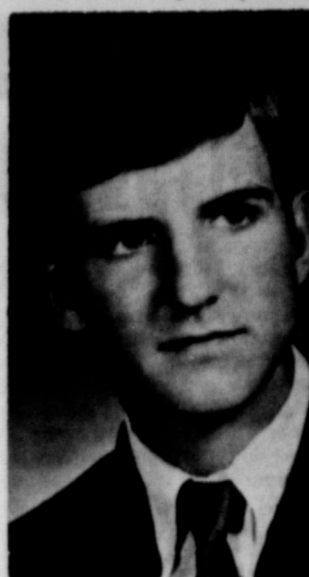
Dickie's advice to freshmen is to have fun all through high school, but avoid Coach Kerr and his board. His pet peeve is people who think they are better than everybody else.

When asked his most embarrassing moment, he asked, "Which one?"

Dickie plans to attend Texas Tech after graduation.



LINDA THOMAS



DICKIE JONES



DIANNE KENNEY
Dianne Kenney is a 17-year-old brown-eyed senior who likes to finish what she has started.

Dianne's idea of the "perfect" boy is one who is cute but doesn't know it. When asked what her most embarrassing moment was, she replied, "Only Barbara knows."

Dianne lists her favorites as: color, blue; car, Cougar; subjects, bookkeeping and civics; band, Paul Revere and the Raiders; song, "Tracy"; and food, Mexican.

Throughout her years in Slaton High School her most difficult subject has been shorthand. Her advice to freshmen is to keep their gum hid in Mrs. Velma Figley's English class. Dianne's pet peeve is freshmen who try to step all over you.

Dianne's plans after graduation are to attend West Texas State and major in elementary education. Her school activities include band four years; FHA three years; FTA her senior year, World State Citizen her junior year, Senior Class secretary - treasurer, and National Honor Society two years.

JAN GRIFFITH
"People who try to be something they aren't" is the pet peeve of Jan Griffith. Jan was born on Oct. 7, 1952, in Kansas City, Mo.

Her achievements are basketball four years, volleyball three years, Tiger's Cage staff, Tiger's Lair staff, National Honor Society, Junior Play, and Second Team All-District her junior year.

She lists her favorites as boy, Leslie; car, SS 396; color, blue; food, steak; teachers, Coach Eugene Franklin and Mrs. Peggy Raub; and subject, civics.

Her advice to freshmen is to "Grow up!"

Armadillo, once found only in the Mexican border region, have immigrated as far north and east as Oklahoma and Mississippi.



JAMES STEPHENS

RONNIE HOWARD
"Being with a certain person" happens to be the favorite pastime of Ronnie Howard, a senior at SHS. He stands 5 feet 10 inches tall with brown hair and blue eyes. Ronnie was born in Lubbock April 15, 1952.

Ronnie's years at SHS have brought many accomplishments. Some of those accomplishments include: athletics four years, band four years, track one year, and Western Day King Candidate as a junior.

Ronnie advises freshmen to study hard and never give up on anything they should decide to do.

He hates pop tests and has declared that falling down in the gym during a game is his most embarrassing moment.

Ronnie plans to attend Wayland Baptist College after graduation.

There are no words in the national anthems of Bahrain and Qatar.

PAT EDWARDS
A 5-foot 10 1/2 inch, brown-haired, blue-eyed boy, whose favorite saying is "Baldudash" is Pat Edwards.

Pat was born on March 27, 1952, in Slaton.

Pat lists his other favorites as: car - Ford XL, color - red, food - sirloin steak, band - Slaton High School Band, song - "Grandioso," subjects - band and physics, and teachers - Bill Townsend and Bill Carnes.

His pet peeve is people who make good grades by cheating and then act like they didn't cheat.

Pat's achievements in high school are as follows: band four years, stage band four years, UIL slide rule contestant four years, Who's Who three years, National Honor Society and office.

Pat's advice to freshmen is "Don't cheat to make your grades, study!"

After graduating, Pat plans to attend Texas Tech.

JAMES STEPHENS
James Stephens was born Jan. 17, 1952, and grew up to be a 6-foot 1 1/2 inch senior with hazel eyes and light brown hair.

James' favorites include: teacher, Jackie Stewart; subject, English IV; food, Mexican; car, Grand Prix; song, "Son No Time Left for You"; and band, Creedence Clearwater Revival.

Riding around and going to The Britany just happens to be James' pastime. His advice to "fish" is, don't goof off and say I'll do better next year. Try hard and be all you can all four years of high school and always have pride in SHS.

After graduation James will attend Texas Tech for two years and then go to pharmacy school in Weatherford, Oklahoma.

His achievements in SHS are as follows: band four years, band treasurer, basketball two years, National Honor Society two years, and stage band one year.



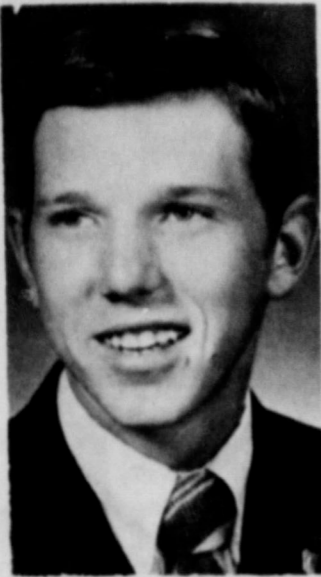
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COOPER NEWS

By BRENDA, CIMDA & LINDA

Track Team Wins Regional

Well, the CHS Pirates took it again this year with 50 points at the Regional Class A Track meet held last weekend at Lubbock. The team had the support this year of a local daily, quoting the article in part, "The Pirates will be favored to make its 2nd straight Regional title this weekend, but they'll face plenty of competition. Expected to battle the Pirates for the championship hardware will be '69 runnerup Clarendon, Eldorado, Sunray, Kress and Rankin."

The Pirates broke a number of records in Friday's preliminaries, and broke two of those in Saturday's contest. Members of the 440 relay team won first place, as did the mile relay team. Emmett Cardenas won 3rd place in the 880-yard run. The students at CHS are proud of the team and its victory. Congratulations!

DATES TO CIRCLE
May 4 - Choir Skating Party at Skate Ranch
May 4 - Petition for Student Council and Class Officers (Elections May 15)
May 4 - Young Homemakers meeting, 7:30 p.m. Home-making department
May 5 - FFA Parent/Son Banquet, Cafeteria, 8 p.m.
May 6 - Senior Class Meeting, Bell & Howell
May 9 - STATE TRACK MEET AUSTIN

T-SHIRT SALE
Members of the annual staff are selling CHS Shirts in an effort to raise money for the annual, which will soon be coming.

STUDENT COUNCIL
The Student Council met last week and voted on a number of issues including a suggestion by Roni Kitten that two freshmen cheerleaders be selected for the B Team; with a sophomore, two juniors and two seniors leading the cheering section for the varsity squad. This was approved and May 11-15 designated for student body elections.
The student council is also sponsoring a week of "fun and laughs". Each day the students will dress up and the final day climaxing the week will include contests and various events all day. This date is tentatively set for May 18.

Cooper FFA Judging Teams Enter State Contest At Texas A & M

The Cooper FFA cotton team placed 8th at Texas Tech and 3rd in district competition with 24 teams entered in the Tech Judging contest held recently on the college campus. Members of the cotton team are Manuel Mendez, Jay Wimmer and Kenneth Ehler. Randy Hagens was 9th high individual and 8th in the wool grading contest. Other team

members are Don Pooley and Santiago Saenz. The team placed 6th in the Tech contest, 1st in district, and 1st in area competition where 20 teams were entered.

The dairy products contest had 53 teams entered with Cooper's team placing 3rd in district and 7th in area. Jerry McKee was 6th high individual, and Kelly Vinson and Bobby Caudle completed the team.

In the meats division with 51 teams entered, Cooper's team placed 1st in meat grading and 3rd in overall contest. Members are Melvin McKee, Jerry Knox, Eddy Garrison and Keith Vardeman. Keith was 2nd high individual and 3rd high in meat judging.

The poultry contest had 50 teams entered, and Cooper's Doyle Bukemper, Tommy Cammack, Johnny Padillo and Cary Pate placed 5th in district and 7th in area.

Those on the dairy cattle team from Cooper were Leslie Riggins, Benny Gray and Jimmy Burkett. The land team had Cliff Cooper, Leslie Cain and Jim Green as its members. Cliff tied for 5th high individual at Tech.

The livestock team placed 3rd in district, members being Gary Schaffner, Larry Thompson and Steve Thompson.

A total of 155 schools were represented at Tech for the Area I, II, IV and VII FFA judging contests.

The dairy products, meat and poultry teams from Cooper will leave tomorrow (Friday) for the State FFA judging contest at Texas A&M University.

The majority of the teams are under the instruction of Sammy Allen and Charles Hutchins, student teachers from Tech who plan to graduate this spring.

Gary Schaffner was named Star Lone Star Farmer and will participate in area competition May 9. This award is given to the ag student whose record book is in acceptable order, and who has undertaken the



COOPER HIGH SCHOOL TRACK TEAM... AGAIN REGIONAL WINNERS!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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Vivian Parker
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Manuel Medrano

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Glenn Lloyd Edmunds
Raymond Dickey
Dampier Weaver
Debbie Stafford
Mrs. R. R. Gentry
Melinda Mann
Doug Williams
David Davis

MAY 2
Mrs. Cecil Scott
Wayne Perkins
James Cate
Marcia Hightower
H. T. Scurlock

MAY 3
Rev. R. E. Coker
Ann Sinclair
Tommy Fikes
Dawn Cromer
Carla Seary
Dorothy Fay Dickey
Melissa Holloman

MAY 4
Lee Wooten
Charmaine Jones
Gilbert L. Brown
Claudia Bond

E. A. Harris Jr.
MAY 5
O. L. Doyle
Laurie Gentry
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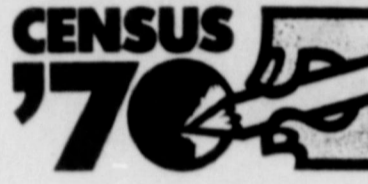
MAY 6
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Bruce Jones

largest number of projects. The Cooper FFA annual ag banquet is scheduled May 5 in the school cafeteria. Guest speaker will be Burl Huffman, former assistant coach at Texas Tech.

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Little League Sports Monday

The 1970 Little League season gets underway at 7 p.m. with the first week of the major league first-pitch ceremony. The first game will match the de-
 mption Indians against the major league. The first week of the major league first-pitch ceremony will be held at 8 p.m. the rest of the week.

These minor and pee wee games will be held on Monday, May 11. The first pitch is at 8 p.m. The rest of the week games will be held at 8 p.m.

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NICK FARRELL

FARRELL TO McMURRY

Coach Buddy Fornes of McMurry College, Abilene, announced this week that Nick Farrell of Slaton has accepted a one-year scholarship with the Indians as a grid prospect.

Farrell has been a gridder three years for the Slaton Tigers, and the senior athlete also participated in track. Slaton coach Ernie Davis, himself a former McMurry gridder, said he was "very happy" to learn of the scholarship offer.

Nick is a member of the student council, annual staff, junior ROTC and the Future Teachers Association. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis A. Farrell.

Farrell is the second Tiger athlete to sign with McMurry. Allen McDonald signed a letter of intent with the college soon after football season ended.

Hottest spot on earth is Al Aziziyah, Libya where a temperature of 136.4 degrees F. in the shade was recorded in 1922.

BARKLEY ABOARD SHIP IN PACIFIC

USS RAZORBACK April 20 -- Navy Petty Officer First Class Hollis L. Barkley, son of Mrs. Verna Barkley of 730 South 7th St., Slaton, Tex., is serving aboard the attack submarine USS Razorback in the Western Pacific with the Seventh Fleet.

Field Day Friday For SJHS Students

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SIXTH GRADE BOYS
 Bicycle -- Ricky Lopes, Steve Leake, Robert Gallardo, John Maldonado; 1-man sack race -- Charlie Haynes, Bill McCleskey, Joe Corona, Breck Hudson; 2-man sack race -- Lanny Lavender and Jim Tumlinson, Manzellia Barnes and Charlie Haynes, Breck Hudson and Bill McCleskey, J. T. Basinger and Danny Kenney;

50-yard dash -- Rudy Escobar, Robert Gallardo, Hudson, Charlie Haynes; broadjump -- McCleskey, Tumlinson, Clarence Hammons and Lavender; 100-yard dash -- Escobar, Hudson, Paul Freeman, Ricky Lopez and John Maldonado; softball throw -- Paul Freeman, Manzellia Barnes, Rudy Guerra, Hudson;

400-yard shuttle relay -- Freeman, Haynes, E. Gipson, Hammons; F. Gonzales, F. Martin; R. Gallardo, J. Maldonado; J. Hernandez, R. Lopez, R. Guerra, F. Maldonado; M. Barnes, D. Kenney, E. Debroe and H. D. Jones.

SEVENTH GRADE BOYS
 Bicycle -- Paul Sumrall, Rudy Escobar, Carter Lankford, Doyce Field; 1-man sack -- Bobby Hightower, Jeb Hensarling, David Evans, Robert Davila; 100-yard dash -- A. C. Barnes, Charles Haynes, Simon Gonzales, Ronnie Smith; 2-man sack -- Clay Mitchell and Dan Pinkert, Lewis Martinez and Kenneth Scott, Robert Davila and Carlo Tamez.

75-yard dash -- Smith, Haynes, Barnes, Clarence Trotty; broadjump -- Smith, Corneli; Drones, Evans, Chris Williams; softball throw -- Drones, S. Gonzales, L. Rubio, Trotty; 400 shuttle relay -- Trotty, Haynes, Barnes, Drones; Gonzales, Smith, Hightower, Craig Nieman, Ray Conner, Kieth Bumpass, Williams, Tony Leake; L. Valderaz, M. Hernandez, R. Davila, O. Martinez.

EIGHTH GRADE BOYS
 Bicycle -- Joyce Johnson, Jan Davis, Cindy Walker, Teresa Gentry; 1-man sack race -- Beverly Gossett, Davis, Elaine Boyle, Mildred Maxwell; 100-yard dash -- Sheree Perdue, Kay Stephens, Johnson, Becky Culver; 2-man sack -- Stephens

and Boyle, Davis and Frana Gass, Perdue and Pam Howard, Susan Hopper and Keri Kern. 75-yard dash -- Johnson, Walker, Culver, Stephens; softball throw -- Debra Dobbins, Walker, Davis and Howard; broadjump -- Walker, Culver, Gentry, Boyle; 400 shuttle relay -- Perdue, LuAnn Fondy, Gass, L. Cheney, Davis, Stephens, P. Melton, Howard, Johnson, C. Walker, C. Scott, D. Dobbins, Culver, Hopper, K. Price and Kern.

EIGHTH GRADE GIRLS
 Bicycle -- Eddie Jones, Tommy Garcia, Benny Lopez, Danny McAnear; 1-man sack -- Lupe Ruiz, Willie Thomas, D. McAnear, Johnny Leake; 100-yard dash -- Steve Bourn, Isaiah Whaley, Thomas, Ray L. Basinger; 2-man sack -- Whaley and E. Jones, Bourn and Greg Parks, Joe Alspaugh and Ricky Becker, Ray Basinger and Craig Mann;

75-yard dash -- Bourn, R. Basinger, Whaley, Tommy Garcia; broadjump -- Whaley, Ray Pequeno, Parks, McAnear; softball throw -- Whaley, Raymond Gonzales, David Magallanas, Jessie Gonzales; 400 shuttle relay -- T. Garcia, K. Walker, J. Gonzales, B. Lopez; Bourn, R. Basinger, J. Basinger, L. Smith; J. Leake, Alspaugh, Becker and Parks.

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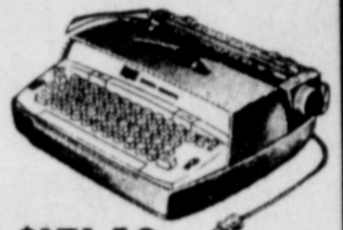
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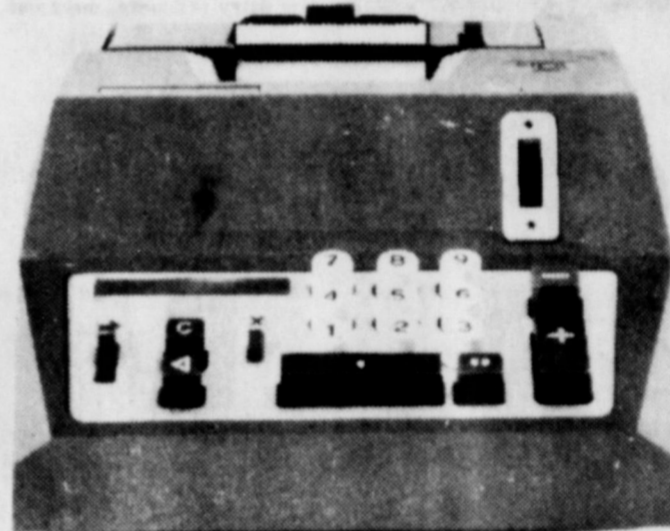
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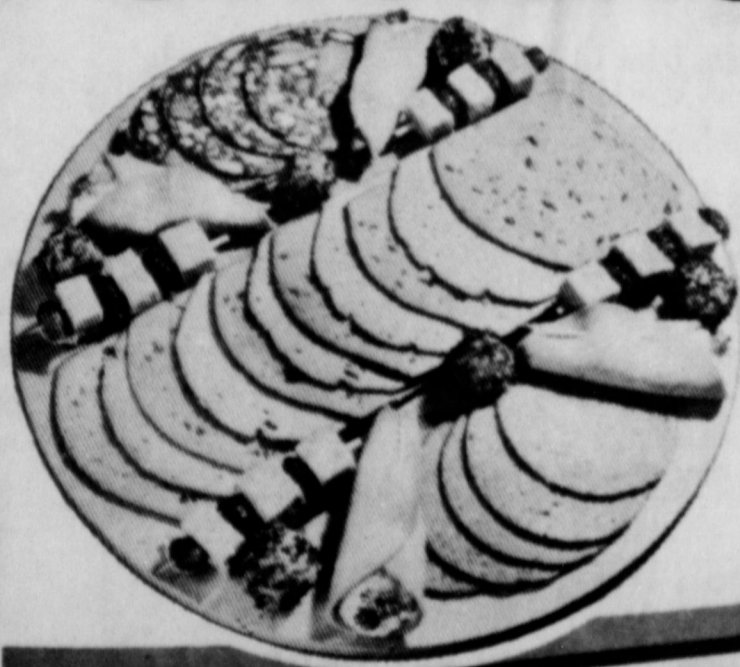


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