

Tax Nets 28 in '70

percent city sales tax netted government \$60,028 for the week disclosed this week after its check for the final quarter (October, November, December) in the amount of \$16,531,711, Tuesday by City Sec. Alex... the largest amount received since the tax started in April, 1968 was the \$15,673 received in the quarter of 1970. The tax is for one percent, this that taxable sales amounted to \$1,567,371,711 in Slaton during the last quarter of 1970 over the same period for one percent tax was approved officials estimated the annual revenue between \$45,000 and \$65,000. The tax last April showed a 15 percent increase over the \$60,028 of 1970. During 1970, the returns were: first -- \$14,704; second -- \$16,531. Each quarter since over the previous year.

Hospital Crisis Revealed in Slaton

Mercy Hospital, a vital part of Slaton since 1929, may soon close its doors unless citizens of the community and area come to its rescue. "The Sisters of Mercy no longer have the resources for updating the hospital facility, nor the personnel to make a long range commitment to the community," a spokesman said this week. At the same time, hospital officials asked two citizens' groups here Monday and Tuesday to "explore the possi-

ilities of the community assuming operation of the hospital, with the idea of the Sisters on the staff remaining as long as possible." An evaluation team from the Sisters of Mercy headquarters in St. Louis, Mo., recently studied the situation here. A spokesman said the problem was primarily twofold -- no funds to make required remodeling at the hospital, and a shortage of young nuns to staff hospitals. Discussing the crisis with

the local groups were Sister Mary Adele, director of health care services, and Charles Thoele, director of personnel -- both from the central office for Sisters of Mercy; Sister Mary George, who works with regional health care programs, along with local hospital officials. The hospital officials met with the Mercy citizens' advisory board Monday night, and met with the Slaton Chamber of Commerce executive committee Tuesday at noon.

C of C president J. C. McClesky said Tuesday the Chamber would probably initiate a citizens' group to make a study of the situation and come up with recommendations. Sister Mercedes, Mercy Hospital administrator, said the evaluation team was requested after the hospital was notified that certain updating of the facility would be required. The State Health Department and the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals has made some specific recom-

mendations. Although no definite deadlines were presented, the hospital officials indicated that a decision -- or at least a plan of action -- must be made within three to six months. From the discussions, the citizens groups were told: (1) something must be done or the hospital will be closed; (2) if the hospital is to remain open, the community must assume responsibility for present and future needs, and (3) the Sisters of Mercy cannot make a

long-range commitment to the community. Immediate financial requirements will be a minimum of \$50,000 -- it was estimated, which includes new fireproof doors, a sprinkler system in certain areas of the hospital, and a fire escape to accommodate litter patients. Not included in the estimate was a plumbing problem in the old building. These recommendations must be met in order to be eligible for Medicare and, as well, receive a license to operate. An official explained that 60 to 75 percent of the revenue now comes from Medicare, so the hospital would probably have to close if it was not eligible for the funds. Thoele pointed out that "we have no quarrel with the recommendations -- they are reasonable and things that need to be accomplished."

Both local groups that met with the hospital officials were quick to express hopes that the hospital can remain here. And, both groups also found many factors to be considered in arriving at a solution. "This is a very painful decision for us," emphasized Sister Mary Adele. She explained that money was not the basic problem -- even if the hospital had reserves to take care of the remodeling, the Sisters could not make a long-range commitment due to a shortage of nuns. The Sister also stressed that the doctor situation is another critical problem for the hospital here. "At present, the community has two physicians practicing, and it would lose one of them, it would be a big blow to the operation of the facility."

"The Sisters' first concern -- as it has been through the years -- is for the health care of the community," Thoele said. He added that this is why the Sisters have suggested the possibility of the community making plans to assume the operation of the facility. "In the final analysis," stated Sister Mary Adele, "it is a question of whether or not the community wants the hospital, and if they are willing to look to the time when it will be operating without the Sisters."

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LUBBOCK COUNTY, SLATON, TEXAS

THURSDAY, April 1, 1971

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City, School Elections Saturday

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Saturday is election day in Slaton, with city voters going to the polls to elect a mayor and two commissioners, while Slaton School District patrons will elect two trustees.

Pre-election talk has been unusually "quiet," even in the two contested races -- that for mayor and the one for city commissioner in Ward 3. A check Wednesday revealed that 44 absentee votes had been cast in the city election, and only 30 in the school election.

The mayor's race -- where three men are seeking the post to be vacated by Dr. David Hughes -- is naturally drawing the most voter interest since it is a citywide decision. Observers are not expecting the balloting to surpass the record turnout of 1,243 posted in the 1969 city election, however.

Vying for the mayor's seat, in order as listed on the ballot, are: Bland Tomlinson, retired furniture store owner; Jonas Cain, retired railroad and former mayor; and Norberto (Bart) Diaz, service station manager and former city policeman.

A new man will also be selected for the commissioner's job in Ward 3, since Floyd Guelker did not seek re-election. Three candidates are in that race, in the northeast part of town. They are Glenn Powers, 39; Henry Bollinger, 79, and R. J. Clark, 66.

Powers has been employed with Santa Fe 21 years and is a native of Slaton, married with three daughters. Bollinger is a retired S-Fe man and a former city commissioner from Ward 3. Clark, a resident here since 1945, went out of S-Fe service in 1958.

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Polling places for the school voting will be the administrative office on S. 9th street.

Officers Named By Rotary Club

Slaton Rotary Club elected new officers Thursday at a regular weekly luncheon meeting in the Clubhouse, naming O. G. Nieman as incoming president.

The new slate of officers, to be installed the first week in July, include: Nieman; Ansil O'Neal, vice president; M. G. Davis, secretary - treasurer; T. J. Wallace and Howard Hoffman, directors. Holdover directors are Rush Wheeler and Wayne Yearout.

Other club leaders named at the meeting were Earl Bartley, bulletin editor; Dee Bowman, song leader; Jonas Cain, sergeant-at-arms, and Mrs. Flora Mae Williams, pianist.

Dee Bowman is the current president of Rotary, and Nieman is vice president. Davis was re-elected as secretary-treasurer.

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UIL Literary Contests Set At SHS Today

The District 4-AA University Interscholastic League literary events competition is scheduled at Slaton High School today beginning at 2:30 p.m.

Students from the eight district schools will compete in the following events: debate, informative speaking, persuasive speaking, poetry interpretation, prose reading, ready-writing, typing, shorthand, science, number sense, slide rule, and spelling.

The debate contests will be held at the First Baptist Church, with all other events set at the high school, it was announced by Principal M. W. Kerr.

For a list of Slaton entries in the literary events, turn to the "Tiger's Cage" page inside today's issue.

The 4-AA track and field meet and tennis tournament will be held at Denver City Friday, and more details can be found on the sports page.



NORBERTO DIAZ



JONAS CAIN



BLAND TOMLINSON

... candidates for mayor



R.J. CLARK



HENRY BOLLINGER



GLENN POWERS

... candidates for Ward 3

Methodist Choir To Present Easter Cantata

An Easter cantata entitled "Easter Song" by John W. Peterson will be presented Sunday at 6 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church.

Bob Kern is director of the cantata and extends a cordial invitation to the public. Soloists will be Mrs. M.C. Davis, Mrs. Wendy Brewer and Ted Swanner. Mrs. J. A. Wright, pianist, and Miss Laura Roark, organist, will accompany the choir.

Babe Ruth Signup Set Here Tonight

Registration for the Babe Ruth League baseball program will be conducted at the junior high cafeteria beginning at 7:30 tonight, it has been announced by J. W. Holt, president of the Slaton program.

The baseball league is for boys in the 13-15 age group. Eligible boys are those born prior to Aug. 1, 1958 and on or before Aug. 1, 1955. Boys should bring their birth certificates to the signup meeting, it was stressed by Ronney Jones, player agent.

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Steve Smith Is New Lion Prexy

Steve Smith was elected as the Slaton Lions Club president for 1971-72 when the annual election of officers was conducted Monday at a weekly luncheon meeting in the Clubhouse.

Smith, a partner in Smith Ford, Inc., will succeed Arvin Stafford when new officers are installed in June.

Other officers elected Monday included J. C. McClesky, 1st vice president; J. W. Holt, 2nd VP; Truett Bownds, 3rd VP; Joe Miles, secretary - treasurer, and directors Curtis Christopher and Jim Sikes.

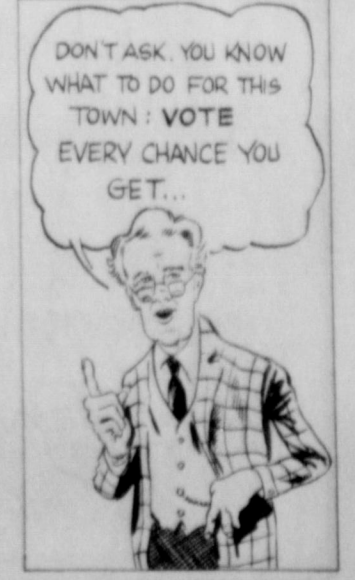
Also named to the board of directors were Wayne Edwards, Lion tamer; and Melvin Kinnison, tall twister. Hold-over directors include Jim Dulin and Don Kendrick.

In other business Monday, Stafford introduced Roger Evans, Slaton Flying Service, as a new member. He also said the board had voted to help sponsor a boy and a girl to Boys State and Girls State programs this summer. The club also donated to the street sign project being conducted by the Women's Division of Slaton Chamber of Commerce.

Weather

(From Pioneer Nat. Gas Co.)

DATE	HI	LOW
Mar. 31	85	50
Mar. 30	78	38
Mar. 29	70	40
Mar. 28	70	48
Mar. 27	98	48
Mar. 26	74	34
Mar. 25	66	34



BAND ROYALTY -- Cindy McWilliams and Terry Cartrite were revealed as SHS Band sweetheart and beau at the annual band banquet held Saturday night. See story on school page inside. (Slatonite Photo)



Speedy Nieman

on Division Street says the makes a mistake must get doing nothing.

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exercise your right and prize Saturday. From the looks the national scene, a lot of been voting or have made some their balloting. At times, we politicians were voted into the by people who wanted them

school elections seem re- this year. We hope citizens enough to make a decision on and go to the polls. Even candidates are unopposed in the there have been rumors of a sign. If you are for the can- ballot, you may want to be

talk around town this week regarding Mercy Hospital, and in the schools.

ment that Mercy Hospital might community support and involve own like a bombshell. No one the hospital closed, but no nation is offered. We may find each our citizens want a hospital months.

important health-care factor, view the hospital as a major employs some 50 persons, in the Sisters on the staff. While making new industry, we want to we have.

been taken the hospital for granted, Mary Adele, from the central Louis, said this week that the try are partly to blame. "The is never become too involved tal, but we have never asked she remarked.

of Mercy have tossed the ball city, now, and we will have to on our action very soon.

topic of conversation is a highly subject. Black students at high school high, have claimed racial in recent weeks -- more spec- election of cheerleaders. ing into the situation and visitors and school officials, the black lens primarily from the cheer- Although blacks have been favorites and hold other re- tions, some of the disappointed made an issue of the cheer-

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A PUBLIC SERVICE MESSAGE

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MRS. RICHARD DOOLEY
... new Judy Schwartz

Dooley, Schwartz Vows Read Saturday

Miss Judy Elaine Schwartz and Richard Michael Dooley were united in marriage Saturday in the First Christian Church in Arlington. Rev. Arthur Digby, pastor, officiated at the double ring ceremony. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Schwartz of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dooley of College Station. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a long gown of white bridal satin, featuring appliqued lace down the front and on the sleeves of illusion. She wore a floor-length veil of silk illusion and carried white shaggy mums around an orchid and lace handkerchief belonging to her grandmother. Miss Linda Woodard, cousin of the bride served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Tim McConnell, San Angelo, Miss Rebecca Ratliff, Austin, Mrs. C. V. Smith Jr., Post, and Mrs. Mike Hillhouse, Beaumont. They wore lime green chiffon gowns, featuring empire waists

with full skirts and full sheer sleeves. They carried green shaggy mums and Baby's Breath.

Rod Surratt of Dallas served as best man. Groomsmen were Dr. Robert Herrin of Fort Worth, Jimmy Dooley of Bryan, Mike Hillhouse of Beaumont, and Anderson Wallace of Dallas. Mrs. Curtis Crowell, organist, played traditional wedding music and accompanied Mrs. Rod Surratt, soloist. Following the reception, the couple left for a wedding trip to Mexico City. They will make their home at 5310 Fleetwood Oaks, #233, Dallas, Tex. Mrs. Dooley is a graduate of the University of Texas at Austin and is associated with a law firm in Dallas. Dooley is a graduate of Texas A&M and the University of Texas Law School. The houseparty was guests for a rehearsal dinner at the Promenade Room in the Holiday Inn of Arlington.

Bridal Shower Honors Miss Glenna Berryhill

Miss Glenna Berryhill, bride-elect of Randell Gamble, was honored with a gift tea Friday evening at the Slaton Club House. In the receiving line with the honoree was her mother, Mrs. John Berryhill of Lubbock, her

Easter Customs Is CCC Program

Mrs. J. D. Barry and Mrs. H. E. Anderson served as co-hostesses for the March 24 meeting of the Civic and Culture Club, as they met in the home of Mrs. Barry.

During a business session, members heard reports from program chairman, Mrs. R. E. Switzer, membership chairman, Mrs. R. C. Hall, and treasurer, Mrs. J. A. Elliott. The club pledged \$5 to the Library fund and the drive for street signs, which is promoted by the Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. H. V. Wheeler presented a program on Easter customs, entitled, "Hats, Bunnies and Eggs". Bunnies were passed as favors.

The next meeting of the club will be in April with Mrs. Sug Robertson in Lubbock.

Members attending included Mmes. Anderson, Barry, Elliott, Hall, Switzer, B. H. Crandall, T. C. Martin, Bruce Pemberton, A. L. Saage, H. T. Scurlock, R. H. Todd, H. V. Wheeler and Walter Jochetz.

Senior Citizens Club Meets

The Senior Citizens met at the clubhouse Friday with 39 members present. Rev. Delmas Luedke, pastor of Grace Lutheran Church was speaker for the day. He read scripture from Matthew 5, and spoke of the many changes that have taken place during the lives of the Senior Citizens.

Mrs. Fannie Patterson presided at the meeting, and Chaplain F. B. Sexton led the group in the Lord's Prayer. Mrs. Alvin White led the singing and Mrs. Anna Bell Tucker played the piano.

maternal grandmother, Mrs. C. R. Teague of Lamesa, mother of the groom, Mrs. George Gamble, his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Fred Walters and his paternal grandmother, Mrs. M. D. Gamble, all of Slaton.

Guests were registered by Miss Marilyn Gamble, sister of the prospective bride-groom. The honoree's chosen colors of mist green and white were carried out in the table decorations. A ruffled white organdy tablecloth underlaid with green was centered with a candleabra arrangement.

Punch, cookies, nuts, and mints were served to approximately 40 guests.

Pianist, Mrs. Mike Williamson, presented background music of wedding selections.

Serving as hostesses were Mmes. Ray Belt, Robert Brake, Dick Cade, M. E. Cagle, Charles Earwood, Clinton Eastman, Jerry Gentry, E. D. Gossett, Jay Gray, John Griffin, Lillie Harper, Meredith Harper, L. Q. Lemon, Ray Maeker, C. E. McCoy, Pat Patterson, Jim Sain and Raymon Wilkins.

Hostess gift was an electric fry pan and presto cooker.

The couple will exchange vows on June 5 at Westview Baptist Church with the Rev. Clinton Eastman officiating.

Mrs. Abernathy Hosts Twelve

The Bluebonnet Club met at the home of Mrs. M. L. Abernathy March 24, with 12 members present. The business meeting was conducted and bridge and canasta was played afterward. The next meeting will be April 14 at the home of Mrs. Neva Burns.

Sla-Ton Tops Club

The Sla-Ton Tops Club met last Thursday night with 11's leader, Margie Green, presiding.

Eleven members weighed in with 10 losing a total of 17-3/4 pounds. One gained 1-1/4 pounds.

A new member, Mary Wilson, was welcomed into the club. Dorothy Price won the grab bag gift by losing the most weight.

Lola Montgomery won the weight and attendance prize for being present and registering a loss in weight.

Plans were made for members to attend an S.R.D. meeting in Amarillo on April 30. After the business meeting, everyone took part in an exercise program.

Anyone interested is invited to meet with the Sla-Ton Tops Club each Thursday at 7 p.m. in the Mercy Hospital dining room.

IN HOSPITAL
Mrs. Milt Ardrey has been a patient in Lubbock's West Texas Hospital since last Friday. She is in room 401 and is undergoing treatment for a back injury.

PERSONAL
Scott Stafford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Stafford, underwent surgery at Mercy Hospital Saturday morning. He is now home and is improving satisfactorily.

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Engagements



EVELYN WILKERSON

WISE - WILKERSON

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilkerson of Big Spring announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Evelyn, to Murry Wise Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Murry Wise Sr. of Tulsa.

The wedding ceremony will be during morning worship service at the Slaton First Baptist Church on May 2. Wise is music and youth director for the church.

PAUL - JOUETT

James A. Jouett of Lubbock announces the approaching marriage of his daughter, Trudy, to Melvin Paul, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Paul of Slaton.

The couple plans to wed April 16 at the First Christian Church here.

The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Slaton High School and is employed by Johnson Manufacturing of Lubbock. The bride-elect is employed by Alamo Beauty Shop in Lubbock as a manicurist.

Wilson Style Show To Benefit Crippled Children

A contribution to the Crippled Children's Campaign is the goal of a group of area women as they prepare for a style show to be presented Thursday, April 8, in the Wilson High School Auditorium.

Mrs. Donald Klaus, project chairman, reported that approximately 25 women and children, and perhaps men,

Taco Supper Honors Couple

The Joe Fondy family entertained Miss Donna Alspaugh and Dubbin Englund with a taco supper in their home March 17. Special guests were parents of the couple, the Bud Englunds and the Bill Alspaughs.

Hostess gift was an electric ice cream freezer.

Athenian Study Club Meets

The Athenian Study Club had its program at the Citizens State Bank Tuesday evening, with Mrs. Roy Page and Mrs. Dee Bowman as hostesses. Decorations for the meeting were in an Easter motif.

Mrs. Earl Bartley presented a program on the "Weight Watchers". The nine members present included Mmes. Bowman, Bartley, Poage, Paul Buchanan, Tommy Davis, R. C. Hall Jr., David Hughes, Stan Jaynes and Joe Miles.

COWEN - STOLLE

Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Stolle, Rt. 1, Post, announce the engagement of their daughter, Carol, to Alvin Cowen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luster Cowen of Sedan, N.M.

The couple plans to exchange wedding vows Saturday, June 12 at Grace Lutheran Church, Slaton.

The bride-elect is a 1966 graduate of Texas Lutheran College and is presently employed by the Amarillo Independent School District. Mr. Cowen was graduated from Eastern New Mexico University in 1967 and is employed by the Atomic Energy Commission, Pantex Plant in Amarillo.

Six Slaton Women Attend County Meeting

The Lubbock County Federated Club Women met at Slide Road Club House in Lubbock Tuesday for a luncheon and book review.

Mrs. J. Sterling Crumpler gave a book review on "No Uncertain Sounds", a biblical story written by Lillian Proctor.

Mrs. C. L. Adams, president, conducted the business meeting. Attending from Slaton were Mmes. Wilfred Kitten, Joe Teague Jr., T. C. Martin, R. C. Hall, B. H. Crandall and Richard Switzer.

PERSONAL
Guests in the home of Mrs. M. E. Morris last week were a daughter and son-in-law of hers, Rev. and Mrs. John L. Gary of Copperas Cove. Weekend guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lyman and children, Marc and Leslie of Dallas.



MRS. EDDIE RAY MC CARVER
... Debbie Morris

McCarver-Morris Read in Duncanville

Miss Debbie Morris of Duncanville and Eddie Morris exchanged double ring wedding vows March 12 in the First Baptist Church at Duncanville.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. T. Duncanville and Mr. and Mrs. Ira McCarver. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a street-length dress with lace sleeves.

A reception for the couple followed the ceremony. After a wedding trip, the couple is residing in Duncanville. The bridegroom attended Slaton schools and years in the Marines, one year of which was spent

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MRS BAIRD'S

Exhibit Set For May 8 at SHS

The Women's Division of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce is making final plans for an Art Exhibit which will be held Saturday, May 8 in the Slaton High School Gym from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mrs. Theresa Martin and Mrs. Betty Moseley are co-chairman for the event.

Mrs. Martin said everyone is invited to enter a picture or pictures in the exhibit. Invitations are being mailed to 500 area artists. Media will be oil, acrylics or water color. Pictures must be dry and framed and the correct information attached to the picture. An entry fee of \$2 for each picture will be charged and artists may enter as many pictures as they desire. Pictures will be accepted from 2 to 9 p.m. on May 7 at the gym. For further information about entering the show, call Mrs. Martin at 996-2218 or Mrs. Moseley at 828-6842.

Mrs. Mary June Holton, a well known Lubbock artist, will be painting all day for the visitors. Also she will display some of her recent paintings. The Slaton C of C will purchase the picture that she will be painting. Dick Cheatham, also a well-known artist from Lubbock, will be the judge for the art show. He will select the cash prize awards and the ribbon pictures of honorable mention.

Donors for the cash prize awards will be: Citizens State Bank -- \$100 for the purchase prize; Slaton Co-op Gins -- \$75 for first prize award; Harold Tucker Butane -- \$50 for second place award; Supreme Feed Mills, Inc. -- \$25 for third place award.

Others serving on the art show committee include Beverly Kercheval, Bernice Harlan, Ada May Kittle, Jewel Jones, Hermine Miller, Mary Ellen Ardrey, Glenna Englund, Kelly Sparkman and president and vice - president of the Women's Division, Patsy Hopper and Ruth Hartman.

'Drug Abuse' Program At Roosevelt

The Roosevelt Young Homemakers and the F.H.A. chapter met Tuesday night in the Roosevelt auditorium with a program presented on F.H.A. Week.

Dwight Ham, a representative of the "Living Room", also presented a program on "Drug Abuse".

Its nine - foot wing - spread makes the condor the largest bird that flies.

Women's Page

Bridal Showers Honor Miss Donna Kay Alspaugh

A miscellaneous bridal shower was given Sunday in the home of Mrs. C. E. McCoy honoring Miss Donna Kay Alspaugh, bride - elect of Dublin, England. The shower was from 3 to 5 p.m.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. C. E. McCoy and presented to Mrs. Bill Alspaugh, mother of the honoree, Miss Alspaugh, Mrs. Bud Englund, mother of the prospective bridegroom, Mrs. Flora Mae Williams, Mrs. Pete Harris, Misses Jenece Robertson, Jaymerie Southard, Peggy Alspaugh, and Diane Jaynes.

The refreshment table was laid with a white imported linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of hot pink snap dragons cascading from a silver candelabra. Cookies, nuts and punch were served.

Hostess gift was a vacuum cleaner, electric coffee pot, electric can opener and several pieces of flatware in stainless steel.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. C. E. McCoy, Stan Jaynes, Jack Clark, Truett Bownds, John Dodson, Ed Moseley, Floyd Guelker, Bert Lamb, Joe Glass, Robert Meeks, Wayne Liles, John Thornbury, Hack Lasater, James Perkins, George Harlan, Fred Stephens, John Davison, Harmon Thompson, Buford Duff, M. G. Davis, Rush Wheeler and Nestor Kitten, Allie Grace Bentley, George Privett, Lynn Perdus and Oscar Hamer.

The couple plans to wed May 22 in the First Baptist Church.

Miss Donna Kay Alspaugh was honored at a bridal luncheon Saturday in the Hemphill - Wells Gold Tea Room in Lubbock. Hostesses for the luncheon were Mmes. Oree Glascock, M. J. McWeen, Dolly Brown and Don Hatchett.

Hostess gift was monogrammed linens.

Guests included the honoree's mother, Mrs. Bill Alspaugh, her grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Alspaugh, mother of the prospective bridegroom, Mrs. Bud Englund, his grandmother, Mrs. Flora Mae Williams, Mrs. Pete Harris, Misses Jenece Robertson, Jaymerie Southard, Peggy Alspaugh, and Diane Jaynes.

Miss Scott Is Shower Honoree

Miss Diana Scott, bride - elect of Robert Field, was honored with a miscellaneous shower on March 17 in the home of Miss Betty Belote.

The refreshment table was centered with an arrangement of pink Poms and a pink bridal umbrella. Cookies and pink punch was served to 30 guests.

Serving as hostesses were Misses Betty Belote, Judy Fondy, Judy Boyd, Melissa Holloman, Janette Gass, Debbie Conner, Debra Greenfield, Glenna Smith and Mrs. Tommy Brunson.

The hostess gift was a portable electric mixer.

PIERCE VISITORS

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Pierce the past several weeks were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dennis and Mr. and Mrs. Lois Rogers of Slaton, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Russell, Miss Brenda Jones and Kevin Jones, all of Union.

Other visitors were Mrs. Tom Russell, of Wilson, who is Mr. Pierce's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Furman Shipman and Miss Greta Shipman, all of Abernathy, brother and sister of Mrs. Pierce, and Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Jeter of Rt. 6, Lubbock.



DONATION PRESENTED--Brownie Troop 341 is pictured above as a member, Sheronda Kootz, presents a \$10 check to Mrs. Tommy Wallace, chairman of the beautification committee of the Chamber of Commerce, to be used for street markers. Several civic clubs and individuals have contributed to the project and more donations are still needed. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

HELLO WORLD



Miss Kuss Honored With Bridal Shower Sunday

Miss Lynette Kuss, bride - elect of Don Settle, was honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower Sunday in the Hubert Schwertner home.

Mrs. Schwertner greeted guests at the door and presented to Mrs. Albert Kuss, mother of the honoree, Miss Kuss, Mrs. Herman Schilling and Mrs. S. H. Threest, grandmothers of the honoree and prospective bride - groom, and Mrs. Grant Miller, aunt of the prospective bridegroom.

The refreshment table was covered with lace over mint green, the bride's chosen color. Centering the table was a bride and groom encircled in a floral frame with spring flowers and ribbons lettered with "Don and Lynette" cascading from it. White tapers completed the centerpiece. Silver appointments were used. Diane Kuss presided at the guest book.

Assisting with hospitalities were Mmes. Alan Jones, Juanita, Clarice, Elaine, Bonnie and Suzanne Schwertner, Rhonda Schilling and Donna Kitten.

Approximately 115 guests registered. Hostess gift was a bar-b-cue grill and an ice cream freezer.

Serving as hostesses were Mmes. Raymond and Clarence Buxkemper; Oskar, Rudy and Hubert Schwertner; Ronnie, Donnie, Herman and Lawrence Schilling; Louie Melcher, Alex Bednarz, Tony Steffens, J. L. and Milton Pivonka.

Others were Alvin, O. F., Ray, Joe L., Norbert, Frank and Nestor Kitten; Leo Moczymba, Edward Brosch, Emil and A. A. Wimmer, Henry Hollinden, Allan Meurer, Theron French, Ike Kubacki, Walter Head, Loyd Horton, A. A. Denzer, Alvin Buxkemper and Misses Rusty and Audrey Kitten.

The couple plans to wed April 16 at 3 p.m. in St. Joseph's Catholic Church and extends an invitation to all their friends. Friends are also invited to a dance at 9 p.m. in St. Joseph's Hall.

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Patschke's Garage Burns

After the August Patschke family left for church early Sunday morning, a neighbor noticed their garage was on fire and called the Lubbock Fire Department. The Patschkes live two miles south of the Roosevelt School on Rt. 2, Slaton. Neighbors of the family assisted the Lubbock Fire Department in putting out the fire, which destroyed the garage, a boat and other items inside the garage.

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Story Time Hour Set For Saturday

Saturday morning, April 3, Storytime Hour will be held between the hours of 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. at the Slaton Branch Library. Mrs. R. C. Hall Jr., chairman, will be in charge of activities. All children are urged to attend the free film strips, stories, games and records. Storytime Hour is held each first Saturday of the month, sponsored by the Friends Club.

A reminder that the deadline for entries in the Book-Jacket contest will be April 6th. Book-Jacket entries may be submitted at the Slaton Branch Library. The contest is sponsored by the Friends Club of Lubbock City - County Libraries, for surrounding students grades 1-9. Details may be given to interested students from local librarian and school teachers.

A few of the new adult books arriving this week at the local library are: "Incredible Mission", "Prime Time" (Life of Edward Murrow), "The Movies As Medium", and several books written by Winston S.

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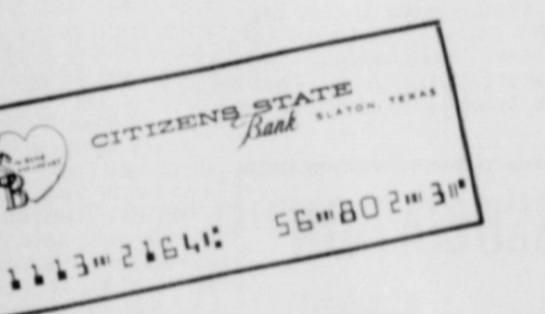
Richard Campbell, All - Fellowship Hall, Campbell spoke to the group and also sang. Several fathers of seniors served the meal. This is an annual event for Slaton seniors.

Home Scene of Meeting

of Mrs. Lois Rogers Monday at 7 p.m. with Mmes. Dudley Berry, C. D. Willis and E. W. Ham assisting as co-hostesses. Mrs. Wade Thompson conducted the meeting after Mrs. Nell Sartain opened the meeting with prayer.

Mrs. Harvey Tunnel brought a devotional taken from Psalms 23, "The Lord is My Shepherd". Refreshments were served to 11 members and Mrs. Tunnel who was a guest.

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COOPER NEWS

BRENDA COOPER

CHS Is A Busy School

NHS HAS TAPPING CEREMONY
The National Honor Society inducted nine new members to the Chapter. A tapping ceremony introduced the new members, followed by refreshments in the homemaking room.



GIRL AND BOYS STATE DELEGATES
CINDY PAYTON AND JAY WIMMER

FHA OBSERVE
The Future Homemakers of America in Texas are joining the 600,000 members across the country in observing National FHA Week March 28-April 3.

Bentancourt led the Pirates to a second place finish, with 93 total points. Rankin finished first with 140 points. Dennis Smith won the 440 dash, and the 440 Relay finished second.

GIRL & BOYS STATE
Cindy Payton and Jay Wimmer have been chosen by the CHS Faculty to attend Girl's and Boys State this year. Cindy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zack Payton of Route 6, Lubbock, Jay is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wimmer of 950 22nd in Slaton.

ORATORICAL CONTEST
Brenda Cooper will represent the Cooper District in the South Plains Co-Op Oratorical Contest. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Cooper of Rt. 6, Lubbock.

Boys State is sponsored by the American Legion, the Department of Texas, and is designed to train boys in the functional aspects of citizenship. The program will be held on the campus of the University of Texas, June 5-12.

ITEM: How does a self-cleaning oven work? A catalytic material is mixed into the porcelain enamel coating of the oven liner panels.

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LETTERS to EDITOR

(EDITOR'S NOTE: We are happy to publish letters to the editor, provided they are signed, are not libelous and are in good taste. Letters are subject to editing, and may be shortened if too lengthy. Names will be withheld on request, but letter must be signed for our files.)

Dear Editor:
As an interested citizen and ex-student of Slaton High School, I found last week's letter written by Don Burrell disgusting. The integration of the Black students has not been overlooked and will not be overlooked.

There is no need for any change in Slaton High School. Black students may be few in numbers, but they are not a minority. Just recently a Black student was elected as the senior class favorite.

Black students have equal representation, but must they have special privileges? Black students have also been active in high school sports activities and have been well treated.

Very truly yours,
Name withheld by request

The following letter was mailed to Congressman George Mahon this week and the writer also asked that it be published as a letter to the editor.

WILSON NEWS

Miss Universe Named Here

Miss Beatrice (alias Billy) Weaver was named Miss-less Universe, Monday night at the first annual Miss-less Universe Contest held in the school auditorium.



Roy Lynn (Roxie) Kahlich, Lubbock Governor, admires the crown of new Miss Universe, Billy (Beatrice) Weaver.

Twenty beauties (?) exhibited their talents and charms before a large crowd. Alternates for the beauty title were JoAnna (John) Henderson and Molly (C.W.) Stone.

Judges for the event included J. C. McCleskey of Slaton, Calloway Huffaker and Bill Griffin of Taboka.

Members of the Future Homemakers of America visited in the First Baptist Church Sunday in observance of the first day of FHA Week.

Very truly yours,
Name withheld by request

children were also present in the service. Bro Baldwin was closing a revival in Close City.

The regular monthly meeting of the Baptist Men will be held Monday night in the Educational Building of First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Klos attended a birthday party for Vance Schuette Sunday night in Slaton.

WILSON SCHOOL LUNCH MENU
April 5-9
Monday: Pig-N-Blanket, Green Beans, Squash, Milk, Peanut Butter on Crackers, Peach Cobbler.

Calendar of Coming Events
APRIL 1971
SUNDAY: ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE
MONDAY: NATIONAL HOBBY MONTH
TUESDAY: PASSBOOK SAVINGS ACCOUNTS PAY \$5 INTEREST, COMPOUNDED QUARTERLY.
WEDNESDAY: IT'S EASY TO SAVE AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN
THURSDAY: 1. FHA Week - Mar. 28-Apr. 3
FRIDAY: 2. DIST. & SLS (Baptist track meet at Denver City)
SATURDAY: 3. City & school elections

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The Austinites

(Written by students at Stephen F. Austin Elementary)

Jimmy Steff and Tracy Anderson for track and field hurdles at the school. Bobby and Bobby participants, was hostess on Friday night. were Dorothy Keford, Brendy Kincer, Judy Kakin and Sharon. ren are having a fitness tests and is fast best marksman puts in lots of the fourth grade. is the winner in test. She is a and will repre- the fourth and ling contest at 4. Kim missed e. All the words ave to be writt- bblers are hav- games April 1. several teams is will use the forms. m's family ex- ate Ranch Sat- andez and Paul their bikes to the

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Program On Radar Given

Sixteen members of Slaton's Explorer Post met Tuesday night in the Municipal Building for its regular weekly meeting.

Jim Dulin with the Texas Department of Public Safety presented a program on radar and took them to the highways to demonstrate how it actually works.

Others attending were two guests and two advisors, Gene Noble and Fred Clark.

Final plans were made for the movie, "Tonka", which the post will be sponsoring Friday and Saturday nights at the SHS Auditorium. The public is invited to attend. Admission will be \$1.00 per person with proceeds to be used for the post to make a trip to Austin this summer.

are unknown. We place calls for VIP'S And we listen in whenever we please. We are efficient, we are alert, We hear the gossip, we pick up dirt. Whenever a call's cut off, We hang up a Victrola-- -- By Gary Castleberry

John Locke's grandmother, Mrs. Will H. Locke and her friend, Pern Jensen of San Antonio, are visiting him and his family this week.

Ricky Davis is another one who is going out for track practice. He went to the track meet at Roosevelt Saturday.

Believe me, the fourth grade children are on the alert. Realizing we needed a new Texas Flag, the children brought cookies and sold them Tuesday. They made \$10.31. These are the boys and girls in Mrs. Grochowski's room. We, at Austin are very appreciative of their efforts and thoughtfulness. We thank the mothers, too, for we have a sneaking ideal they played a big part in the project.

Wanda Thomas is going to visit her grandmother in East Texas during the Easter Holidays.

Jaime Forester is visiting in Mississippi this weekend. Billy Haire will be visiting in Mississippi, too, and Tim Hartly will be going to Abilene for the holidays.

Mrs. Morgan was called to her father's bedside Tuesday when he was suddenly taken ill. He is in a very serious condition.

Laurie Gentry and Gary Castleberry will represent Slaton in the Picture Memory Contest at Friendship May 4th. We may be able to have a team of five.

R.P. Hinson's Funeral Today

R. P. (Percy) Hinson, 66, died at 8:10 p.m. Tuesday in Mercy Hospital where he had been a patient two days. He was born in Clark County, Miss., March 24, 1905 and moved to Lubbock County in November of 1916. He was in the trucking business until his retirement in 1965 due to ill health.

Mr. Hinson was married to Mel Vernie Hudgins in Portales, N.M., on Jan. 14, 1940. He was a member of the Evangelical Methodist Church in Slaton.

Services will be held in the Evangelical Methodist Church Thursday (today) at 4 p.m. with Rev. Linam Prentice, pastor, officiating. Enternent will be in Englewood Cemetery under the direction of Englands.

Survivors include his wife of the home, four brothers, Monroe and J.B. of Slaton, Elmer of Levelland and Ernest of Snyder, one sister, Mrs. Mattie Lee Gartman of Houston.

Shriners Invite Local Scouts To See Circus

Local Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts and Explorers have been invited to attend the Khiva Shrine Circus in Amarillo April 3. The Shriners will furnish the tickets for the boys making the trip.

The Scouts and Explorers, who will provide their own transportation, will meet in the roadside park south of Canyon between 12 and 12:30 for a sack lunch. Joining the boys at the park will be other Scouts and Explorers from Abernathy and Petersburg, along with girls from Girls Town.

After lunch, the group will form a caravan at the Borden Creamery in Canyon at 2 p.m. The caravan will be escorted by the Khiva Shrine Patrol and the Amarillo Police to the three-ring, 46-act circus in Amarillo, which will start at 2:30.

Subscribers

The Slatonite would like to welcome the following new subscribers: B. W. Hobbs, Wilson; Reyes Magallanes, Slaton; M. P. Herman, St. Charles, Mo.; Sammy Joe Wilson, Hereford; Travis Hendrix Jr., Satellite Beach, Fla.; Kenneth Winchester, Wellington, Kan.; Paul Kitchens, Slaton; August Schwertner, Floydada; Mrs. Jack Griffith, Cleburne.

New Police Chief Lists Promotions, Personnel

BY KEN ROMINES

Five days after advancing to Chief of Police in Slaton, Glen Farmer promoted Jeff Creager to Inspector, William Eugene (Gene) Noble to police sergeant, and hired Jim Skelton as a new patrolman.

Both Creager and Noble are officers of long standing in Slaton. Creager has served since Oct. '67, and Noble since Nov. '69. Both have moved steadily up the ranks of the force during their tenure here.

Creager started his law enforcement career in the Security Air Police arm of the Air Force. After his discharge from the Air Force Creager attended the Texas Highway Patrol Academy in Austin and then came to Slaton as a patrolman.

Noble was promoted to sergeant after serving in Slaton for one and a half years. He has had nearly 2 1/2 years service in Athens, Huntsville and Diboll. He also attended Hardin Simmons University in Abilene for two and one half years.

Jim Skelton came to Slaton from Ft. Stockton where he served on the police force for one year. Jim is also a Vietnam veteran.

Tony Chavez, Randy Holley and Fred Clark represent the rest of Slaton's patrolmen, and all are certified by the state. Chavez, the senior patrolman, has completed Unit I of the South Plains Association of Governments' police school and will start Unit II in April.

Chief clerk Martha Elder represents the administrative side of the police force and is backed by Shawna Dickerson, James Johnson, and Mike Green. All of these dispatcher clerks are certified and commissioned by the state so they can help in processing and handling prisoners.

Slaton should be proud of a police force that has so recently been almost completely reorganized, and is already reaching new peaks in efficiency. Farmer noted that the force is working smoother and that he had noticed more im-



SLATON POLICE--Chief Glen Farmer, Sgt. Gene Noble and Chief Clerk Martha Elder organize records for the police department. Shown in the insert is the new Assistant Chief of Police, Jeff Creager, who was promoted March 5. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

provements in morale than at any time since he had joined the force.

Farmer has also noted improvements in appreciation in the city. He recently received a letter from a young Slatonite thanking him for saving a bicycle.

It seems that young Gary Anthony, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anthony, spotted a boy stealing parts from his bicycle in Anthony's backyard. Gary told his mother, who called the police. Chief Farmer and Patrolman Holley found the youth still stripping the bicycle.

Seven-year-old Gary forgot to thank the policeman and decided to write the men a "thank you" note. The printed letter is a tribute to the Slaton Police and it read like this: Dear Policemen Randy and

Chief Farmer, I thank you for saving my bike I learned never to steal nothing I am glad we have such good policemen in Slaton All policemen are good to Slaton and people Love Gary Anthony

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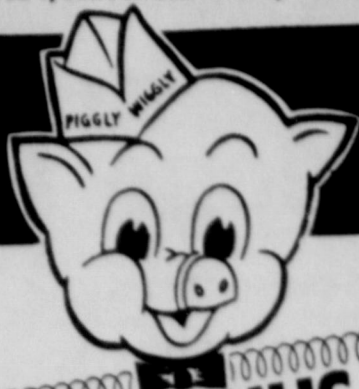
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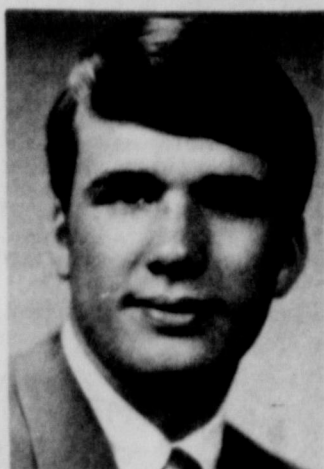
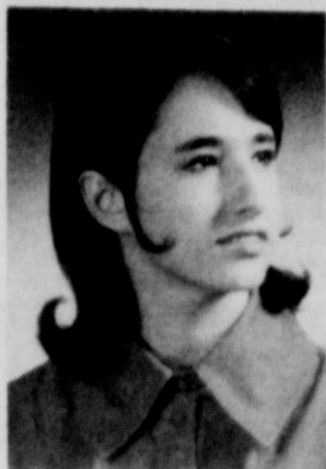
and children went to Ft. Worth this past weekend to visit with Calvin and Greg Wartes and Joyce Cummings.
 Mrs. Mary McKee's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Elam from Montana are here visiting with her.
 E. L. Dunn visited here over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Dunn.
TAYLOR IN HOSPITAL
 Pat Taylor is in Methodist Hospital and underwent surgery on Tuesday morning, March 30, May God grant him a speedy recovery.
 Mrs. Donald Basinger was in the hospital for a week but is at home now. May she continue to improve. Her father, is at present, very ill. May God be with this family in their time of need.
KEEP REPORTING
 Mrs. Betty Sue Pierce, from Kingsland, is here visiting with her family and friends. By the way, she said to tell you to keep on giving me your news, because she enjoys reading about what is going on with the people that she knows. She said that you would probably feel the same way if you moved to another part of the country, so how about it? Shall we keep the news going out to our friends and neighbors, especially those that are living some other place?
FAIR WINNERS
 Several youth from the Southland Community won honors at the Garza County Fair, which was held recently. Here is a list of those winning ribbons: Sue Bevers; seven 1sts, six 2nds and two 3rds in canning; 2nd on brown eggs; 3rd in artificial flower arrangements and cookies; Kerr Award, 2nd place on pickles and relish and 3rd, place on her heavy weight steer. Her steer sold for \$95.00.
 Laura Bevers: six 1sts, five 2nds and three 3rds in canning; 1st in brown eggs, 3rd in cookies, Kerr and Ball Awards, 1st in pickles and relish.
 Kelly Chaffin: 1st in cookies and canning; 2nd in pillowcases and crafts, 3rd in crafts, Maria

Shelton: 1st in cakes and canning, 2nd in canning and 7th place with her lightweight steer, which sold for \$120.00.
 Joe Bevers won 2nd place on brown eggs; Amanda Wheeler won 1st place on crafts and 3rd on cookies; Terry Lester won 1st place on cookies; Donna Shelton won 3rd place on crafts; and Jenny Wheeler won 2nd place on crafts.
 Breonne Winterrowd: 1st in single flower, housewares, crocheted cap and crafts (2), 2nd, in crocheted vest, pants suit and crafts; 3rd in crafts (2). Breonne was High Point winner in the flower division.
 Mark Bevers: Showmanship trophy, Steer, 6th place, jackpot, \$75.00. He also won two 1sts on crafts, 1st on brown eggs, 2nd on antiques and two 2nds on crafts.
 Kendon Wheeler placed 8th of his steer and it sold for \$110.00.
 In the Women's division, Imogene Basinger won 1st on crocheted vest and canning; and 2nd on Art; Joyce Lester won 2nd on her relish and Oreta Bevers won 2nd on her canning. CONGRATULATIONS to all of you!

Mrs. J. B. Gresham of Lake Whitney came to Southland for the Senior Play and to visit with Mrs. Paul Winterrowd, Breonne and Jerry.
 Mrs. Mary Lois McNeely spent the weekend in Ft. Worth with her son, Larry and family.
EASTER HOLIDAY
 This week is 6 weeks' test week at Southland High. After this, just one more six weeks to go. Is it possible? School will turn out on Thursday afternoon of this week and will resume on April 12th. Nice long Holiday, lucky kids!
 Elmer Belk, former Southland school teacher, visited in our school one day last week. Mr. Belk is teaching in Leveland at the present.
ALL-DISTRICT
 Congratulations to Douglas Smallwood for making All-District in basketball and Hearty Cisneros and George Whaley for Honorable Mention in basketball.
 Jerry Winterrowd stepped on a broken bottle last week and cut his foot very badly. Take care, Jerry!
 Southland High School girls won second place in the District Volleyball Tourney at Meadow last Thursday. Congratulations, girls.
 Our boys participated in the Jayton Track Meet last Saturday and they will be going to Sundown this Friday. Good luck!

E. H. Patterson Dies Sunday
 E. H. Patterson, 81, a Slaton resident six years, died about 1 p.m. Sunday in Mercy Hospital following a lengthy illness.
 Services were conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Johnny Cartrite, pastor, officiating. Burial followed in Englewood Cemetery under the direction of Englands.
 Patterson, a Hamilton County native, and his wife Rosie, celebrated their 59th wedding anniversary March 10.
 A retired farmer, Patterson is survived by his wife; two sons, Leo of Baytown and Aaron of Columbus, Neb.; a daughter, Mrs. Don Hatchett of Slaton; eight grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.
Services Held For Mother of Slaton Man
 Mrs. Rosetta Shewmake of Lubbock, 60, died March 24 in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital. She was the mother of Lige Shewmake of Slaton.
 Services were held at 11 a.m. Friday in the W. W. Rix Chapel in Lubbock with graveside services at 3:20 p.m. in Trinity Memorial Park in Big Spring.
 Mrs. Shewmake had lived in Lubbock since 1955, moving there from Big Spring.
 She is also survived by seven other sons, a daughter, a sister, 23 grandchildren, 26 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Oratorical Contest Set For April 5



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MARILYN WALKER

Three area high school students will compete in the finals of the 1971 South Plains Electric Cooperative, Inc. Oratorical Contest to be held April 5 in the Cooperative's Auditorium located at 110 N. Amarillo Road, Lubbock.
 They are Marilyn Walker, a sophomore at Slaton High School who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Walker; Don Wayne Jackson, a junior at Roosevelt High School and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Jackson; and Brenda Cooper, a junior at Cooper High School and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Cooper.
 There will be eight entries in the contest.
 The purpose of the contest is to select two young people from this area to go on an all expense paid tour to Washington, D.C. this summer, with 80 other young people from Texas. Miss Cynthia Akin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Akin of Slaton, has already been selected to make the trip as Miss South Plains Electric Cooperative.
 During the stay in Washington, the Government-in-Action Youth Tour participants will visit the White House, the Capitol, various governmental agencies, the monuments, and many other sites of interest. Nathan Griffin of Cooper was one of the students from this area who made the trip last year.



Time To Spare

Successful retirement is merely a continuation of successful living. Some of your plans will work out the way they should. Others will not. You will have to be flexible. You must be able to adjust, perhaps, to such things as new surroundings, new friends, a new pattern of daily living.

Many young people, for example, fail to see the value of a proper will and accordingly leave unnecessary decisions and problems to their sorrowing survivors.

Some retirees find satisfaction in a part-time job. In most communities, employers are anxious to acquire mature part-time workers—as clerks, cashiers, and in a variety of similar tasks which do not require physical effort.

Approaching retirement with a healthy attitude is just as important as being in a state of good health. Many strong and capable individuals adopt an attitude of bitterness when a company policy forces compulsory retirement because of age. They become so filled with resentment they forget the importance of making the proper adjustment to the new life. They fail to cultivate new friends and new interests away from the shop or the plant. On that first retirement day, they have nowhere to go and nothing to do. When this happens, the period of adjustment takes longer. The individual is slow to recognize that other things need doing, and are worth the doing.
 Retirement is a continuation. It is a change in direction, true enough, but it offers many new and beautiful experiences for those who walk with head high and eyes full open.

CORRECTION

In our story last week on the death of Charles Ralph Kirk, survivors include his wife Lula; one son, O. E. Kirk of Odessa; 3 daughters, Othell Cline of Slaton, Betty Lou Franckle and Mozelle Biles both of Lubbock; three brothers, 22 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.
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week of some difference of weather. At least there's no dust storms and one morning of fog this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Townsend and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Gentry Sunday. Mrs. Willie Burleson, Joe Burleson and Mr. and Mrs. Jacky Burleson and children visited the Gentrys in the afternoon.

BY MRS. P.C. KITCHENS

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Maeker, Rose Mary and Sharon spent four days at Corpus Christi and Houston visiting relatives. R. J. Maeker visited his brother Ed Maeker Sunday. W. A. Wilke spent last week at McAllen.

Mrs. Lillie Harper and son, Glen, attended the funeral of Mrs. Harper's brother-in-law, Bill Owens, that was held at

Henderson Funeral Chapel in Lubbock Saturday. His wife, the former Maud Harper, preceded him in death a few months ago. Mr. Owens was buried at Slaton Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Teferuller and daughter and Warner Boyce visited Mr. and Mrs. Mert Gentry Sunday.

Mrs. L. B. Kitten and daughters, Audrey and Rusty, attended the bridal shower of Lynette Kuss at the Hubert Schwertner home.

John Foerster attended the car races at Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dwayne Kitchens toured Carlsbad Caverns over the weekend.

We're sorry this is all the news we could get this week. Trust you out there will help me next week.

"Some people are like squirrels; They worry too much about Nuttin'".

ITEM: Don't go in circles when you dust. Instead, protect the furniture finish by dusting only with the grain of the wood. Wiping across the grain is apt to cause scratches since the dust contains grit.

BIRTHDAY CALENDAR

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Mrs. Darrell Eckols
Mrs. Steve Smith
APRIL 2
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Calvin Lamb
APRIL 3
Mrs. James Sparkman
Janis Maynard
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Fred Jones
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Rules for the scholarship contest have been mailed to high school principals and newspaper editors or publishers of the Ballinger Ledger, Ballinger, Texas 76821. Announcement of the winner will be made by May 15.

Interested applicants must be in the upper 25 percent of their class, must have demonstrated ability in newspaper journalism and a desire for a newspaper career.

The winner will receive \$200 per year (\$100 per semester) for each of the four years of college, providing satisfactory academic requirements are met.

Eleven West Texas colleges and universities have been designated for scholarship winners by WTPA. These are Abilene Christian College, Angelo State University, Hardin-Simmons University, Howard Payne College, Midwestern University, Sul Ross University, Texas Tech University, University of Texas at El Paso, Texas Christian University, Wayland College and West Texas State University.

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University, Texas Tech University, University of Texas at El Paso, Texas Christian University, Wayland College and West Texas State University.

In its first six months of air-line service the first model of the new generation of wide-bodied jet transport aircraft carried one million passengers on 5,000 flights. The first jet transport, introduced into service in 1958, required one year and 15,000 flights to log one million passengers.

ITEM: Women who do more than one-half the purchasing at supermarkets still buy as impulsively as they did five years ago—but meat is one item seldom purchased on impulse. Some 28 percent of shoppers participating in a recent survey indicated they will visit another supermarket just to buy their meat.

ITEM: Most synthetic knit fabrics are easy-care, machine washable and require little or no ironing—but some knits are best dry-cleaned. Be sure any knit you buy has a label or hangtag which gives care instructions.

Pettie Being Sent to Nevada

DENVER -- Airman Johnnie Pettie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Pettie of Slaton, Tex., has graduated at Lowry AFB, Colo., from the U.S. Air Force supply inventory specialist course.

The airman, trained to inventory supplies by use of electronic data processing machines, is being assigned to Nellis AFB, Nev., for duty with a unit of the Tactical Air Command.

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SPORTS CORNER

TENNIS ROUNDUP

The Tiger Tennis Team met the Brownfield Cubs Tennis Team Monday, Mar. 22, here at the Slaton tennis courts. In boys' singles Terry Mosser won his first match 6-1, and won his second match 8-2. Stanley Heinrich beat his opponent 6-2, 6-2; Bradley Kitten topped his opponent 8-5; and Greg Parks lost his match 6-0.

In boys' doubles Gaylor "Moose" Barkley and Kitten lost their match 7-5, 7-5; Dwayne Mosser and Bruce Jones lost their match 8-4; and D. Mosser and Parks lost to their opponents 8-5.

Terri Sikes lost her match in girls' singles 9-7; and Joyce Heinrich won her match 6-3, 6-1. Dru Ann Beard and Cynthia Akin lost their doubles' match 6-0 and 6-1.

The Slaton Tiger Tennis Team met the Roosevelt Tennis Team Mar. 16 at the Slaton tennis courts.

Volleyball Team Wins 2

The Tigrette volleyball team won matches against Roosevelt and Taboka the past two weeks, while the junior varsity won one and lost one.

Slaton played Roosevelt in the SHS gym on March 23, winning by 15-6, 15-3. Debra Greenfield was high scorer with 11 points. The "B" team won by 15-12, 15-11, 15-11, and Patsy Gamble was high with 16 points.

The Tigettes played Taboka here on March 15. The varsity won by 15-4, 15-3. Karla Kitten led the scoring with 12 points. Other scoring -- Greenfield 6, Goria Gass and Debbie Breedlove, 3 each; Sobelda DeLeon and Judy Boyd, 2 each, and Sue Brake and Greta Stricklin, 1 each.

The JV lost to Taboka by scores of 6-15, 16-14, 13-15. Tyra Biggs led the scoring with 11. Cindy Kenney had 8, Loretta Dillon 5, Gamble 3, and Debbie Milliken 3.

Tigers Fourth At Roosevelt

The Slaton Tiger Track team got off to a bad start Saturday at Roosevelt as they came in fourth place.

Again Donnie Rogers won both the 100- and 220-yard dashes. Alan Fondy placed fourth in the pole vault. Freddie Rainwater placed fourth in the 880-yard dash and Steve Nieman tied for sixth place. The mile relay placed second losing first place by a tenth of a second. Rogers, Randy Davis, James Conwright, and Nieman were the boys on the relay team.

Coach "Doc" Mize said he has better hopes for Friday at district, because the team will be well and eager to run.

Track Team Shows Strength

The Slaton Tigers came home Saturday, Mar. 20, with a second place trophy from the Hale Center Track Meet. Slaton lost to Taboka by a margin of two points. The final total for Slaton was 91 points, and Taboka had 93.

Again, Donnie Rogers won both the 100-yard and the 220-yard dash. He also was the high point man for the AA schools. Joe Johnson got second in the 100-yard dash. Freddie Rainwater took third place in the 880-yard run. Brad Lamb took second in the mile, and Bernard Kitten followed Lamb to come in third. Ron Bartley finished fifth in the 330-yard intermediate hurdles, and Steve Nieman also finished fifth in the 440-yard dash.

The Slaton relay teams finished high in scoring after taking first in the mile relay and second in the 440-yard dash.

Tracking the Tigers

By Ima Tiger

Carroll McDonald kindly informed Ima Tiger that more chit-chat was needed in the bi-weekly sports column. So, in this issue and in the future, more chit-chat shall appear.

Coach "Doc" Mize, head of the Track Team, and all the tracksters had a great track meet at Hale Center placing third with 91 points. Those pitching in and winning points were Steve Nieman, Donnie Rogers, Randy Davis, Ron Bartley, Joe Johnson, and James Conright.

Coach Jackie Stewart is heading the golf team this year. Last weekend a golf tournament was held here with Denver City, Floydada, Friona, Littlefield, Lorenzo, Crosbyton, and Taboka entered. Slaton's golfers are Dan Allen, Mike Lewis, Stanley Miles, Alan Lewis, Paul Martin, Jim Melton, Tom Melton, Mike Peterson, and Phillip Dawson.

Congratulations go to Debbie Breedlove for being picked "Fighting Tigrette 70-71." She was very deserving of this award. Sue Brake received the

free throw award. Her "squat shot" was really great this year. Cynthia Akin, one of the many junior beauties, received the academic award.

Congratulations also go to Alan Fondy and Paul Payne for receiving the "Most Valuable Player Award" in football. Ted Dixon and Glenn Akin won the "Fighting Tiger Award." Lloyd Kitten was the first junior ever to receive the "Most Valuable Player" in basketball. Terry Mosser won the academic award for the Tigets.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chapple received the "Most Loyal Fan Award" Congratulations!

An ex-trackster has two pair of track shoes in excellent condition for sale. For more information, call "Red Eye."

A word to the wise "Never be a quitter" "Nothing was ever achieved without enthusiasm." "The reward of a thing well done is to have done it." Emerson



NEW UNIFORMS---Three members of the Girls' Auxiliary of JROTC are shown modeling their new uniforms purchased recently after a fund-raising project. The uniforms are red, white and blue. Left to right are, Cee Eckert, captain; Sobelda DeLeon, First Sergeant; and Gloria Silva, First Lieutenant. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Girls JROTC Get Uniforms

The Girls' Auxiliary of JROTC have received their uniforms and on drill day, which is every Friday, they will be in navy blue capes with red satin lining and blue A-line skirts. White berets have been ordered for the girls' company. Metal stripes have also been ordered.

The girls had a fund-raising project to buy the uniforms. Instructors are Lt. Col. C. O. Bowen, M. Sgt. L. B. Winters, and Cadet Lt. Col. Mario Avila.

DANNY CHAPMAN
A red-headed, brown-eyed 17-year-old senior boy whose favorite hangout is his car is Danny Chapman.

He is the 5-foot 11-inch son of Mr. and Mrs. X. L. Chapman who live at 855 West Garza. Before moving to Slaton, Danny attended schools in Comanche five years, Sidney three years, and Kermit two years.

His achievements include band four years, stage band three years, All District Band one year, FTA one year and National Honor Society one year.

Some of his favorites are color - blue, food - steak, song - "Indiana Wants Me," group - Crosby, Stills, Nash and Young, pastime - riding around, teacher - Mrs. Barbara Guajardo, and subject - band.

After graduation Danny plans on playing around and working

to vote but old enough to be married nine months.

Carlene lists her high school accomplishments as FHA two years, National Honor Society two years, Choir Librarian, and Choir two years.

After graduating Carlene's plans are - in this order - to go to Commercial College, make a good wife, and have three happy healthy children, and be happy!

JIMMY MAGUIRK
"Tanya" is what (who) Jimmy Magouirk lists as his favorite pastime.

Jimmy has such achievements as DE one year and Tiger's Cage staff one semester. After graduation Jimmy's future plans are to attend Wayland Baptist College.

Jimmy lists his favorites as food - pizza, car - Buick Skylark, song - "Your Song," color - black, group - Bee Gees, and teacher - Mrs. Velma Figley.

Jimmy's pet peeve is one way streets, and his advice to the freshmen is - "None? There's no hope for them, I was one once."

When Jimmy was asked what his basic motive or ambition was out of life, he replied, "To spread the gospel of Christ."

Slaton Hosts Golf Tourney, Wins Fourth

After two days' of golfing, the Slaton Golf Tournament saw Denver City dominating. The Slaton Tigers wound up in fourth place behind Floydada and Friona, both tied for second place. The winning score was D.C.'s 630; Floydada and Friona, 671; and Slaton with 696.

David Vernon of Denver City was the top player and given a medal for the tourney's lowest score of 151.

On the first day of competition, Slaton finished with a 342. Mike Lewis shot an 80; Stanley Miles, 85; Jim Melton, 88; and Tom Melton, 89.

The second day the Tigers got a little cold as they shot a total score of 354. Dan Allen was low for Slaton with an 84; Lewis, 86; T. Melton, 90; and J. Melton, 94.

Mike Lewis was low man for Slaton with a 166 total.

This summer and then attending Hardin Simmons this fall.

His advice to the freshmen is leave the seniors alone and don't take trig. His pet peeves are English and trig.

When asked what makes our school different from any other school, he replied, "Our principal." His brief description of a principal is a pride-loving, oar - swinging, hair-hating, side-burn pulling, all-around nice guy.

Caging The Tigers

BY TIGERS CAGE STAFF

reached a height of 5 feet 11 inches.

For favorites try Coach Jackie Stewart, teacher; ROTC, subject; pizza, food; color, green; car, Boss 302; his favorite song - "The Immigrant Song" by his favorite group, Led Zepplin.

His activities in SHS include football three years, lettered fourth year, and ROTC two years.

When asked his opinion of SHS, he said, "It has a good principal and civics teacher."

He advises freshmen to grow up before becoming a sophomore.

Allen's pet peeve is Jim Melton.

Allen's future plans include going to San Angelo State University.

JIM CARNES
A 5-foot 9-inch senior boy who plans on taking a short rest at the Big Spring Rest Home for the Aged and Infirm and then going to TCU after graduation is Jim Carnes.

He made his first debut Jan. 31, 1953, in Houston, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Carnes who live at 750 S. 9th.

Jim is 18 years old and has brown hair and brown eyes.

Some of his favorites are color - purple, food - Mexican, car - Ford, songs - "Does My Ring Hurt Your Finger?" and "Promises," singers - Merle Haggard and Lynn Anderson, food-Mexican and fried shrimp, pastime-Roy Clay and a quiet night at home, subject - bookkeeping, and teacher - Mrs. Velma Figley.

Carlene's most embarrassing moment was when Roy Clay was waiting for her to come home from a date with someone else. Her pet peeve is two-faced people and people who kid me about being too young

When asked if he preferred girls to wear mini, midi, or maxi length dresses and why, Jim replied, "Mini dresses because they look better. Who wants to date someone that looks like your grandmother?"

THERESA VARDELL
Born on Oct. 22, 1952 was one of this year's seniors, Theresa Ann Vardell. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.W. Vardell. Theresa stands 5 feet 5 inches tall and has brown hair and green eyes.

She lists her favorites as color - gold, food - Mexican, person - Janis Joplin, groups - Three Dog Night and C. C. Revival, car - G.T.X., pastime - riding around with a certain guy, teacher - Bill Shaha, and subject - bookkeeping.

"Don't take shorthand your senior year," is Theresa's advice to freshmen.

Her accomplishments in Slaton High School are FHA (3 years), DE I and II, NHS (2 years), and Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow Award.

After graduation Theresa plans to move to San Angelo. Only K.K. and B.B. know her most embarrassing moment.

She says her hobbies and special interests are shorthand and Post.

"I would put an end to crime," was her reply when asked what she would change in the world today.

CARLENE GREEN
On Nov. 24, 1953, a loud cry issued forth from Mercy Hospital in Slaton, and Carlene Green was born. Carlene is the wife of Roy Clay Green and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Loke.

Carlene has hazel eyes, brown hair, and stands 5 feet 6 inches tall.

Carlene lists her favorites as colors - blue and green, car-Ford, songs - "Does My Ring Hurt Your Finger?" and "Promises," singers - Merle Haggard and Lynn Anderson, food-Mexican and fried shrimp, pastime-Roy Clay and a quiet night at home, subject - bookkeeping, and teacher - Mrs. Velma Figley.

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Bland Tomlinson is a good citizen; he has contributed much to civic work--both in time and money; he is a past president of the Slaton Lions Club and, for considerable time, administered the Lions Club baseball program that resulted in the school district getting a free baseball park.

He has served the City without charge in its citizens' boards program, has served the business community as a director of the Slaton Retail Merchants Association, and has helped promote Slaton as a district director of the Retail Furniture Dealer's Association.

He has always devoted much of his time and money to church and civic work; he has raised a family in Slaton, is a Slaton homeowner, property taxpayer and water user.

Bland pledges to do his dead-level best, if elected, to serve each Slaton citizen, fairly and equally--and to see that the

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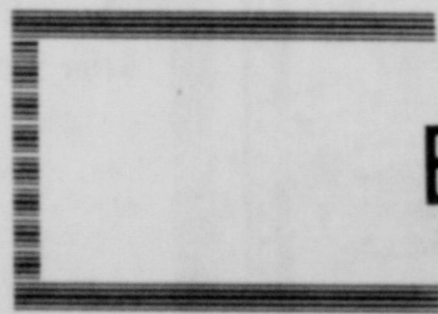
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3. Open Door Policy
4. Full-time Mayor
5. Dynamic Administration
6. Efficiency
7. Fairness to all City Employees
8. Equality of all Citizens in their relations with the City

government of the City of Slaton does likewise, whether that citizen is a Mexican-American, Afro-American, or an Anglo-American.

Bland further pledges to each City employee, if elected, that he will treat them as well as he wanted to be treated when he worked for an employer--and, in turn, he will expect each of them to earn his pay. He will endeavor to see that the proper priority in the spending of City funds be observed so that they will not be frittered away when they should be used to see that each City employee receive a living wage in this day of inflation.

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