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Jan. 3, 1974

Bowman Will Speak At Chamber Banquet

Dee Bowman, popular former radio announcer here who now is minister of Auburn Street Church of Christ in Lubbock, will be principal speaker at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet scheduled in junior high cafeteria at 7:30 p.m. Monday.

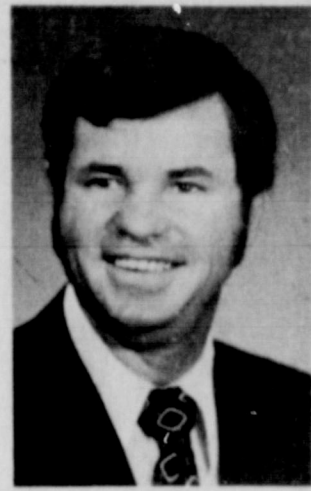
Tickets to the banquet are \$4.50 per plate, and may be obtained from the chamber office or from any chamber director.

J. C. McClesky will be master of ceremonies for the banquet, which will be highlighted by announcement of the woman and man of the year, the boss of the year, and the outstanding club of the year.

Wayne Edwards is banquet chairman, with the Women's Division of the chamber in charge of decorations. The meal will be catered by the junior high cafeteria staff. Mrs. Greg Deering will play dinner music.

Outgoing president J. W.

Holt will hand over the reins of leadership to the new president, Coy Evans. Mrs. Curtis Aycock will announce the woman of the year award; McClesky will announce the outstanding club winner; boss of the year will be introduced by Mrs. Pete Williams; and man of the year will be



DEE BOWMAN

announced by T. J. Wallace.

Bowman was born in Estelline and reared at Morton, Texas. He received his education in Morton and at Texas Tech.

He began singing early with his three brothers, participating in his first real show at age six. His career of professional entertainment began at age 10.

As a high school senior, he started working part time in radio. In the same year he did his first major record to be released nationwide for RCA.

His first album a year later was called "The Bowman Brothers With The Modern Touch." He worked for some time as vocalist with the Norman Petty Trio.

With his brothers, he released the first hit record for Columbia called "Hey Punkin." This was followed

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Gins Turn Out 111,096 Bales

Twelve cotton gins in Slaton and the surrounding area had turned out 111,096 bales of cotton this season by early this week, as the finest farming year in memory of most area observers was drawing to a close. The total number of bales ginned was about 9,000 more than the previous count made more than two weeks ago.

Some gins still are busy, however, and quite a bit of

cotton, most of it harvested in ricks, remained to be ginned.

Slaton Co-Op Gin alone has processed 29,000 bales this season. Other gins and totals reported this week:

Acuff Co-Op 15,414; Union Co-Op 9500; Wilson Co-Op 9350; Hackberry Co-Op 8825; McClung Co-Op 7565; Posey Gin 5840; Farmers Gin 5700; Basinger Gin 3200; Wayside Gin 7635; Gatzki Gin 3917; and

Moses Gin 5150.

WEATHER		
Courtesy of Pioneer Natural Gas Co.		
Date	Hi	Low
12-27		
12-28		
12-29		
12-30		
12-31	30	16
1-1	22	8
1-2	25	2

Slaton Girls Beat McCamey To Win Tourney

The Fourth Annual West Texas Girls Invitational Basketball Tournament in Slaton was a busy four days for 22 teams which participated in this tourney which has grown into the biggest of girls tournaments around

these parts. And Slaton's Tigerettes won the championship of their own tourney again after faltering one year. Coach Gay Benson's girls came from behind to win 59-47 over McCamey in the action-filled finale Saturday night.

Rosemary Scott led Slaton scoring with 30 points in the final game, while tough LeeAnn Waddell of McCamey, the most valuable forward of the tournament, scored 37 points in the game.

Slaton's Kay Stephens was named most valuable guard of the tournament, and Slaton placed three other players on the all-tournament team, Jan Davis and Miss Scott at forwards and Becky Culver at guard.

Other members of the all-tournament team included guards Dale Mitchell of Coahoma, Irene Luna of McCamey, Teresa Grantham of Tulia, Jan Hall of Post, Sabrina Huse of Greenwood; and forwards

Karen Arp of Ropesville, Denise Payne of Tulia, Teresa Beale of Coahoma, Melanie King of Post. Rebecca Cranford of Greenwood won the free shot trophy.

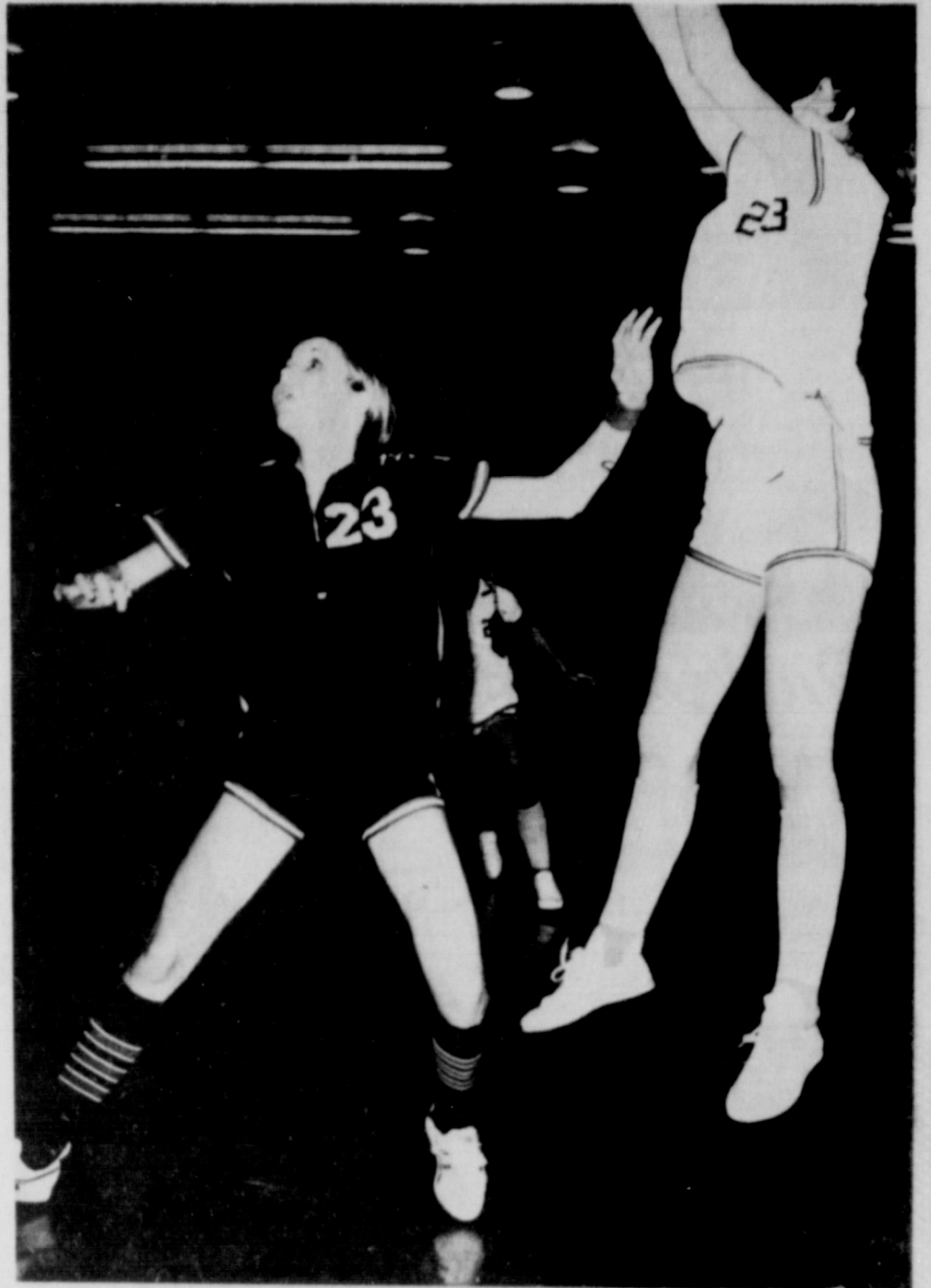
Third place in the tournament went to Coahoma, which beat Tulia 52-50 for this honor. Post won consolation honors, beating Frenship 69-40. Greenwood was seventh, topping Christ the King 45-35.

Slaton scored first in the final game as Doris Meurer hit two free throws, and the Tigerettes went on to a 16-12 lead at the end of the first period. But McCamey came back strong in the second quarter to tie it 20-all on a goal by Waddell. Scott of Slaton hit a field goal to put the home team ahead 22-20, but McCamey tied it up again. Rosemary again hit a shot which put Slaton out front, and again Waddell matched this to make it 24-all. Waddell hit a free throw and field goal to put McCamey ahead 27-24, and the visitors held a 27-26 lead at halftime.

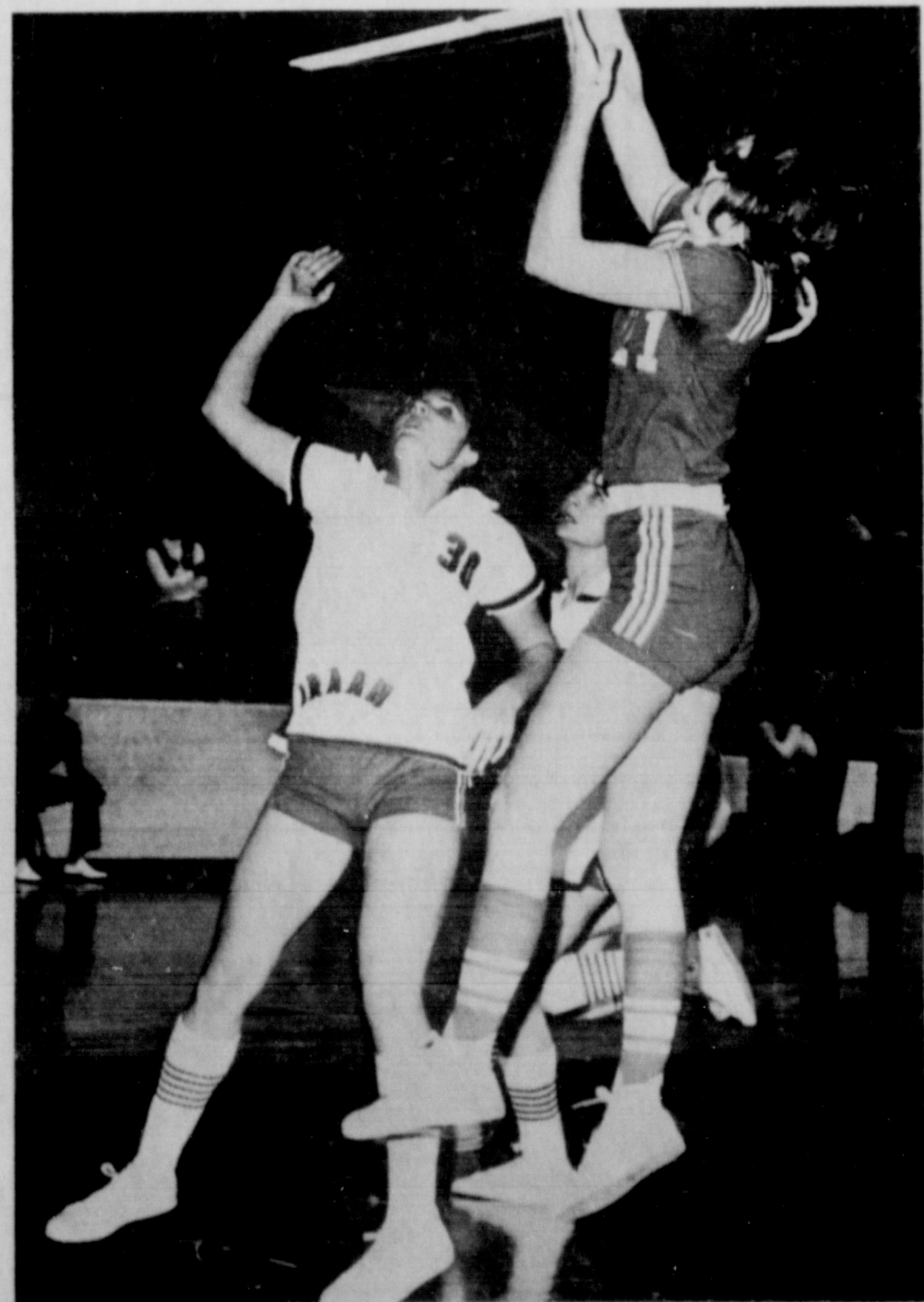
Slaton regained the lead at 31-29 with 4:36 left in the third period. At 1:34, Slaton took a 39-34 margin, then when a technical foul was called on the McCamey coach, Scott hit two free throws to widen the gap to 41-34. It was 47-38 at the end of the third quarter. Scott's two free throws at 1:20 made it 55-46, and Meurer's two free throws with just 47 seconds left clinched it for Slaton.

In the third place game, Coahoma took a big 31-19 halftime lead, but Tulia tied it at 47-47 in the fourth with just over four minutes left. Coahoma came back to win it 52-50, however.

Enroute to the climactic finals, McCamey beat Roosevelt 72-42, Abernathy 79-41 and then Tulia in the semis, 52-48. Slaton advanced by beating CTK 62-20, Tahoka 80-41, and Coahoma 57-36.



MOST VALUABLE PLAYERS --- This action shot from the final game of the West Texas Girls Invitational Basketball Tournament here last week caught both the most valuable guard of the tournament, Kay Stephens of Slaton, and the most valuable forward, LeeAnn Waddell of McCamey, who has jumped so high her hands are out of the picture. Miss Waddell scored 37 points, but Slaton won the game and the tournament. (SLATONITE PHOTO)



ACTION ABOVE --- Something was going on up there as players from Iran and Coahoma were caught in this action from the West Texas Girls tournament here. Coahoma won this game 70-43 in the quarterfinals. (SLATONITE PHOTO)



LEAVING TIME --- Ansil O'Neal, retiring manager of Pioneer Natural Gas Co. in Slaton, was presented with a ring pole and equipment from the company as a party held in O'Neal's honor Monday afternoon. He's seen here with Dillon Patterson, new manager of Pioneer here. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

WOODWORK



by dalton

THERE WAS no Woodwork last week. A big crowd of angry readers formed in front of the newspaper office last Thursday, demanding to know why it wasn't in the paper.

Well, maybe that's a bit of exaggeration. Usually, only a couple of people inquired about it, and they didn't seem too upset. They were my daughters, who usually have to read the paper Thursday morning before I'll let them have their eggs and toast.

In any way, I didn't want to detract from Roger Benson's annual report of what all is going to happen to us throughout this year. It probably is a good thing most of us don't know in advance what is going to happen.

Actually, more people appreciate their local paper than we realized, especially with all shortages that are on us now. One wise man came in to renew with some kind of agreement about how he'd heard there was going to be a shortage of toilet tissue.

FROM TEXAS A&M comes the tip that "if you received a pot plant for Christmas, give it a little special care and it will give you sure in return." Since my tastes lean more toward the practical than the aesthetic, I wondered what it is that this pot plant is going to do for you if you take care of it.

After reading the article, I concluded that it will do is continue to set there and look pretty for a longer period of time than it would be neglected. I guess that's okay. It's better to admire something like that than some of the things people worship.

I didn't get a pot plant for Christmas. I did get a pot, though, from all that candy and pie and stuff. Around our house, we're trying to eat up all the fudge, divinity, loaf, chocolate cake and stuff left over from Christmas just as fast as we can, so we can hurry and get back on our diets.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL teacher was describing how Lot's wife looked back and turned into a pillar of salt, when little Jimmy interrupted. "My mother looked back once she she was driving," he announced emphatically, "and she turned into a telephone pole."



WONDERFUL, HUH? --- Curtis Wilke of Wilson holds a "Wonderful West Texas" sticker so does visiting Brazilian Flavio Carsalade, 16, but Flavio may have some doubts about this wonderful label. In his home country, it's summer, with 100-plus temperatures, while the temperature here was 7 degrees at the time this photo was made Tuesday. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Brazilian Visitor Finds Wilson Real Cool Place

A Brazilian youngster visiting in Wilson for the next couple of months has found the town and area quite a contrast to his home.

Flavio Carsalade, 16, comes from Belo Horizonte, Brazil, a city of a million and half residents, where he lives with his family in a 22nd story apartment. Flavio's family includes his mother and father, an attorney, a 13-year-old sister and a 3-year-old brother.

In Wilson, a town of about 400, Flavio finds not only the size of the town, but the climate quite different. In Brazil, school is now out for the summer, and temperatures generally range from 100 to 120 degrees. Early Wednesday it was 5 degrees in Wilson.

Flavio, who speaks good English, although his native tongue is Portuguese, is staying in the home of Curtis Wilke, Wilson Lions Club president, under the Lions Club Exchange program. Right now the Wilkes have five other teenagers at home: Carl, 19; Clyde, 18; Craig, 16; Cheryl, 15 and Calvin, 13.

Flavio will be in the university next school year in Brazil. He also works in advertising layout for a company printing phone directories.

Man Charged In Theft Case

A suspect has been charged in the \$1,500 theft of cash from Red Barn Chemical here in Slaton on Dec. 11. Slaton Police reported this week. They did not name the suspect, as he has not yet been apprehended, but a bulletin has been issued for his arrest.

A 1974 pickup driven by Lennis William Jones III of Rule and a 1967 pickup driven by Jatonne Maner of Lubbock collided on U.S. 84 bypass Christmas Eve, with

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Luncheon Fetes Club Members

The Civic and Culture Club met in the home of Mrs. Kenneth Davies for a covered dish Christmas Luncheon on Dec. 18 with Mrs. R. H. Todd and Mrs. Raymond Johnson as co-hostesses.

After the luncheon, Mrs. R. E. Switzer conducted a short business meeting. The Club voted to give a donation to Mercy Hospital. Mrs. M. L. German gave

some short Christmas stories from "The Guideposts Christmas Treasury."

A gift exchange was held for the following members: Mmes. H. E. Anderson, J. D. Barry, J. B. Brooks, B. H. Crandall, J. A. Elliott, R. C. Hall, E. R. Legg, T. C. Martin, Bruce Pember, A. L. Sooge, H. T. Scurlock, German, Switzer, Johnson, Todd and Davies.

Engagement is Announced

Mrs. Jack Oakes of Spearman and Raymond M. Lester of Amarillo, announce the engagement of their daughter, Cynthia Dawn, to David Thompson of Amarillo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Thompson, Slaton.

Miss Lester is a 1972 graduate of Tascosa high school and attended West Texas State University at Canyon. She is employed by Ruth Calvin, realtor.

Thompson has a degree from West Texas State University and is a drafts-

man in the signal department for Santa Fe Railroad in Amarillo.

The wedding will take place Feb. 2 at 7 p.m. in St. Paul United Methodist Church in Amarillo.

RAILSBACK FAMILY GATHERS FOR HOLIDAYS

The family of Mrs. Dora Railsback gathered in her home during the Christmas holidays for the first time in several years. Attending were family members from Gonzalas, Topeka, Kan., and Costa Mesa, Calif., as well as local relatives.

Guests included eleven great-grandchildren, 16 grandchildren, her three daughters, and two son-in-laws.

Afternoon visitors included Mr. and Mrs. Troy Railsback of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. George Railsback, and Gerry Railsback.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Opal Walston who underwent surgery about four weeks ago, is in room 244 Methodist Hospital, Lubbock and is now improving and will be receiving visitors.



CYNTHIA DAWN LESTER

Births

12-27-73--Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sepeda, Box 1163, Tahoka, a boy, Martin L., 7 lbs. 10 oz.

12-28-73--Mr. and Mrs. Rejino Madrid, 1019 First Pl. Lubbock, a boy, Rejino, 6 lbs. 9 1/2 oz.

12-29-73--Mr. and Mrs. Billy Fred Weaver of Wilson, a daughter, 8 lbs., West Texas Hospital. The father is a farmer. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Creswell of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gatzki of Wilson.

12-30-73--Mr. and Mrs. Glen Dale Bell, Slaton, a daughter, 7 lbs. 2 1/2 oz. born in St. Mary's Hospital, Lubbock.

1-1-74--Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dabila of Box 372, Slaton, a daughter, 7 lbs. 7 oz. born at University Hospital, Lubbock. The father is employed as a stock-checker at United Super Market.

NOTICE

The ladies Aux. of the VFW Post 6721 will meet in regular session Monday night Jan. 14 at 7:30.



Mrs. Rick Poe

Poe - McSween Nuptials Read

Miss Nancy Gay McSween became the bride of Rick Eugene Poe Saturday in First United Methodist Church of Raton, N. M. Rev. Melvin Prather performed the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mrs. M. J. McSween, Jr. and the late Dr. McSween of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Ward E. Poe of Denver, Colo.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, M. J. McSween, III, wore a formal length princess a-line gown of white peau de soie fashioned with long petal point sleeves. Peau de ange lace formed the scoop neckline and was accented with pearls. An overlay of lace extended down the front of her dress to the hemline. A detachable watteau train flowed from under a lace yoke in the back and extended into chapel length. The head piece was a camelot cap of lace with veil of silk illusion.

Miss Vera Garcia of Raton served as maid of honor, with Steve Cochran of Denver serving as best man.

Lela Whited of Raton, played traditional wedding music, accompanied by Bob Garcia, soloist.

Mrs. Poe is a graduate of Slaton High School, attended Stephen F. Austin State University and was

graduated from the University of Texas in Austin with a BS degree in Home Economics Education. She is a teacher in Rotan Public School.

Her husband graduated from South High School of Denver, Colo., and attended Texas Tech in Lubbock. He served four years as an electronics technician in U. S. Coast guard.

The couple will on 1044 S. 4 St. Raton.

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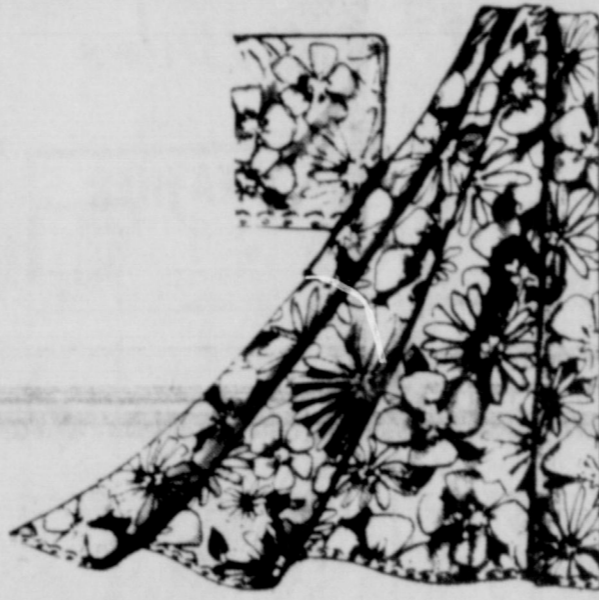
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Slack Engagement Told

William D. Martin announces the engagement of his daughter, Janice, to Kenneth Slack, son of Mrs. P. J. Slack. Martin is a 1973 graduate of Slaton High School and is presently attending Lubbock School of Business Administration. He attended Abilene High School and attended the Institute of Radio Broadcasting in Dallas. He is currently employed by the Company of Fort Worth.



MARY MARTIN

FOOT NOTES

Tickets are on sale now for the Chamber of Commerce banquet Monday night. They may be purchased from any of the directors, or the Chamber office. Tickets are priced at \$4.50 each. The program will begin at 7:30 p.m. at the junior high school cafeteria, and guest speaker will be Dee Bowman.

Awards will be given for Boss of the Year, Man and Woman of the Year, Boy and Girl of the Year, Club of the Year, and others, as Coy Evans is given the gavel as new president of the C of C.

"For the Beauty of the Earth" will be the theme of decorations for the banquet, to be done by members of the Women's Chamber of Commerce.

You will want to remember that the kids don't have to go to school until 9 a.m. Monday if you live in Slaton. You will also be on daylight savings time, which will mean that your kids are going to school 15 minutes earlier than they used to, if you forgot to turn the clock back. I give this alternative, because I've not remembered to re-set my clock at the correct time yet. It usually occurs on Saturday night, so in the past, I have made it a habit to get to church one hour late in the spring and one hour early in the fall.

The last time, we slept late, (according to the old time) rushed around and got there just in time to be the only folks at church. So we went back home and let everyone finish getting dressed and eat breakfast, and were nearly late the second time around.

I hope, after this change, that we keep the same time for a while.

TIME FOR NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS...again! I must admit that I forgot last year's resolutions before the week was out. So I can just get out last year's list and start again, and I will be working on one of my resolutions: Don't waste time making useless lists!

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A statewide tollfree telephone line which enables Texans all over the state to ask questions and offer suggestions on constitutional Convention.

The telephone number is 1-800-292-9600.

The information center will continue to operate 24 hours a day. It will be manned by staff during the daytime and calls at night will be recorded for answers later.

Talkmitt-Green Vows Set Here Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Green of Slaton announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Susan, to Gerald Talkmitt of Lubbock. The vows will be recited Saturday evening at 7:30 in the Chapel of First Baptist Church in Slaton.

Talkmitt is the son of Mrs. Laura Talkmitt and the late Byron Talkmitt of Lamesa.

Miss Green is a 1972 graduate of Slaton High School, and is a sophomore pre-med student at Texas Tech.

Talkmitt is employed by Cow-Lake Automotive in Lubbock.

Friends of the couple are invited to attend the service.



BIG WINNERS -- Mrs. Linda Wilson and her sister, Pam Martindale, both of Slaton, were the lucky winners Christmas Eve of the \$1,000 in Lucky Bucks from Lubbock Radio Station KLLL. The two women worked together on their contest entries since the contest started in early December, and had six of their entries in the jackpot drawing. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

- September 21, 1620, the Pilgrims landed at Plymouth, Massachusetts.
- Continental Naval Fleet was established, December 17, 1791.
- Washington retired from the army, December 23, 1783.
- September 24, 1814, was the date of the Treaty of Ghent, ending the War of 1812.
- December 25, 1776, George Washington lead his troops across the Delaware River for a surprise attack on the British.
- President Wilson ordered the federal government on December 28, 1917, to take over the operation of all the railroads in the United States until the end of the war.
- December 27, 1932, was the date Radio City Music Hall opened in New York City.

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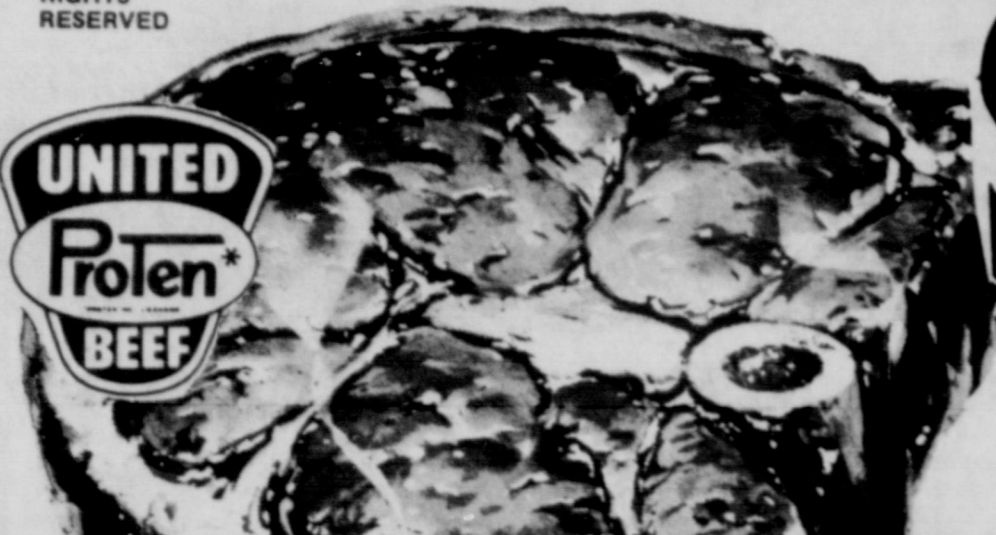
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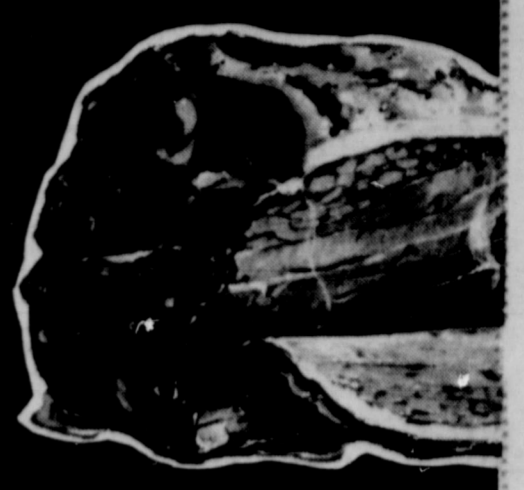
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WILSON NEWS

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VISITORS

All the children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Houchin were guests of the Houchins for Christmas dinner Dec. 23.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Skinner of Lamesa; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hunter of Southland; Mr. and Mrs. Keith Nichols and Kris of Knott; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Houchin, Daron Dee and Hap of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Houchin, Tamera, Tonya, Trisha, and Todd; Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Corley, and Kenneth; Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Paddock, Barry and Lisa of Ft. Worth; Janet

Gossett of Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. Troy Brown and Dean, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Brown all of Hale Center.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sanders spent the holidays in Austin with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Donelson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Crowson and family spent the Christmas holidays in Sulphur Springs and Hurst visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Crowson and Brian of Temple City, Calif. visited 10 days with Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Koslan and family and Mrs. Geneva Crowson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Gilliland and family spent the holidays in Washington with Mrs. Gilliland's parents and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McDonald visited relatives in East Texas over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. John Turner and family of Arizona and Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Moore and family spent the holidays in Commerce with relatives.

Visiting Mrs. Anton Ahrens over Christmas was Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ahrens and Cathy of Olton, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ahrens, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Ahrens and James both families of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gardner and Denis of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Green and Christy of Kanas, and Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Sander.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Klos visited Mrs. Ahren last Wednesday.

Guests at Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gumm's for Christmas

mas Day were Mr. H. C. Martin of Hillsburg, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Martin and Karen; Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Kaatz and Sue of Lubbock; Dan Pinkert of Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Martin of Clovis, N. M.; and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Woolver of Braham.

Visiting Mrs. R. A. Kahlich Christmas Eve were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kahlich and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Kitten and family and Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Kitten and family.

Visitors with Rev. and Mrs. E. K. Shepherd over Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shepherd and sons of Hurst; Mr. and Mrs. James Shepherd and children of Grensboro; Mr. and Mrs. David Shepherd and daughter of Nashville, Tenn.

Rev. and Mrs. E. K. Shepherd had Open House for the people of the community Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crispin spent the Christmas holidays in Ralls visiting his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Rodgers and Mrs. Edith Crispin of Post.

Mitchell, Tracy, and Jayson Bartley spent a week during Christmas vacation in Dallas with their father, Floyd Bartley and Mr. and Mrs. Sears Bartley of Grand Prairie.

Ann. Cathy Coleman of Mississippi spent Christmas with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Coleman, Chris and Kim.

ST. PAUL'S

The community is welcomed to come and look at St. Paul's Christmas Tree. It is a tree decorated with Crismons or symbols of Christ. It was made by the ladies of the Church.

SCHOOL NEWS

School resumed today and report cards were given out.

BASKETBALL

The High School Basketball teams will play at Lorenzo Jan. 3, the first game will begin at 5:30.

Tuesday, Jan. 8 the High School teams will play Smyer here, the first game starts at 5:30. This is a district game for the girls.

The Jr. High teams will play St. Joseph's Monday, Jan. 7, here at 6:00.



Dan Pinkert - Karen Martin Wedding

Miss Karen Denise Martin and Dan Pinkert, were married Dec. 27 in a double ring ceremony in Lubbock.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. John E. Martin of Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Pinkert of Slaton.

Mrs. Pinkert is a graduate of Wilson High School and her husband is a Slaton graduate.

The couple will reside in Slaton until March, when they will move to Fayetteville, N. C. where Pinkert will be stationed in the Army as a paratrooper.

Water District Election Is Set For Jan. 8

The 1974 elections for the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 will be conducted Jan. 8.

Director from Precinct 1, Ray Kitten, is an unopposed candidate for re-election. Kitten is from Slaton.

A qualified voter in the District's election is any person possessing a valid voter registration certificate and residing within the delineation of the District and within the county where a vote will be taken.

The election judge at each of the polling places will have maps depicting the Commissioner's Precincts within each county included in the District's boundaries.

Orville Maeker of Wilson is the candidate from Commissioner's Precinct 1 for Lynn County. Freddie Kieth of New Home is the County Committeeman candidate for Commissioner's Precinct 4.

Polling places include: Polling Place No. 3; Community House, Slaton; Presiding Judge: Wayne Liles, Slaton. Wilson Co-Op Gin, Wilson, and the New Home Co-Op Gin, New Home. Judges will be Mrs. W. C. Maeker, Wilson, and Roger Blakney, Wilson.

CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Koslan of Wilson celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Thursday evening with a reception in St. Joseph's Hall in Slaton.

Koslan and the former Ruby Lee Moerbe were married in 1949 in Thorndale by the Rev. F. H. Stelzer. They lived in the Austin area until 1963 when they moved to Rt. 2, Post. They are presently engaged in farming there.

Hosting the event were the Koslan's five children, Mr. and Mrs. David Koslan, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Crowson, Mike, Larry and Bonnie Koslan, assisted by friends.

Several members of the original wedding party were present for the reception, which included Mrs. Florence Riewe, Mrs. Merlene Tag, Johnny Moerbe and Harvey Tag. An informal supper and dance followed the reception. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Linda Mears Is Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd L. Mears of Wilson announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda Zan, to Albert Vincent Johnson, son of Mrs. Lulu Johnson of Honolulu, Hawaii.



LINDA MEARS

The couple plans to marry March 23.

Miss Mears is a 1971 graduate of Wilson High School and is currently a junior at Texas Tech University majoring in Geography. She is a member of Gamma Theta Upsilon National Geography Honorary.

Johnson is a graduate of Farrington High School in Honolulu, Hawaii. He received his Bachelor of Arts Degree in Mathematics from Texas Tech University in 1971 and Masters of Business Administration Degree in Statistics in 1973. He is also a member of Sigma Iota Epsilon National Professional Management Honorary, and plans to work towards a Doctor's Degree in Business Administration, and is currently employed by Texas Tech University.

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BIRTHDAY CALENDAR

Jan. 4 -- Mrs. Leonard Brieger, Angle Flores, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Maeker.

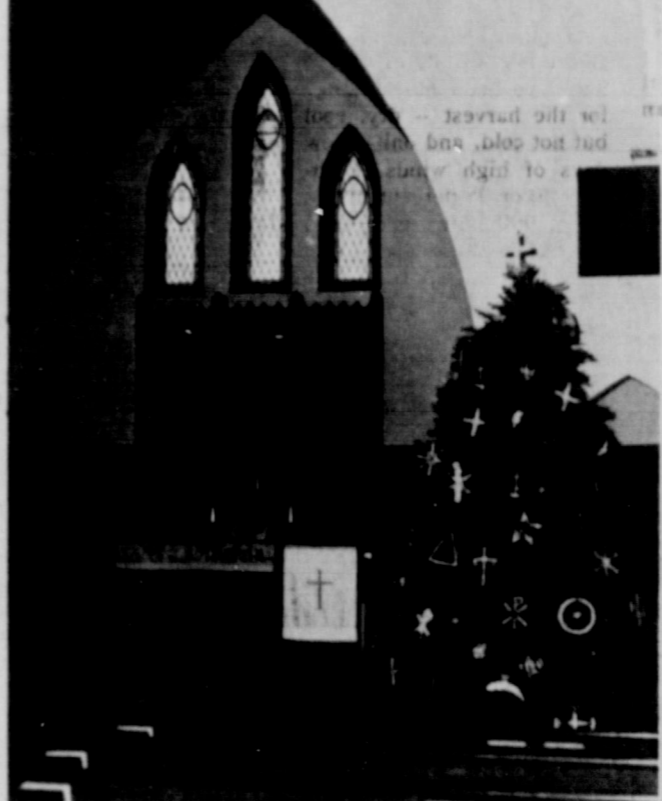
Jan. 5 -- Mary Delgado.

Jan. 6 -- Tammy Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Bednarz.

Jan. 7 -- Mr. and Mrs. Arlis Ehlers, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lambright, Mrs. Donald Herzog.

Jan. 8 -- Elrel Mears, Kay Herzog, Greg Weid, Loyd Hagens.

Jan. 9 -- Juanita Arellano, Jayson Bartley.



CHRISTMON TREE -- The ladies of St. Paul's Lutheran Church of Wilson worked many hours, starting during the summer, to make the decorations for the church "Christmon Tree." Each decoration is a religious symbol and most of the work is done in pearls and beads. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

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More than 800 Texans discovered the odds last year, and arrest records for the first six months of 1973 indicate the total will go above 900 this year.

Those are just for the category of throwing glass, wire, and cans and other litter and for the related one of leaving refuse on the highway.

There are more than 8,600 arrests a year for the broader Department of Public Safety classification of "miscellaneous" violations, of which about 2,000 are for spillage from motor vehicles.

Col. Wilson E. Speir, director of the Public Safety Department, said recently that littering is just as much

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BASKETBALL
Roosevelt varsity were defeated 42-72 in round of the Girls Invitational I...
Tournament held Dec. 26, 27, 28...
Anne Tillman was high scorer...
Roosevelt with 21 points...
The next day's game...
Roosevelt girls lost to...
39-41. Rhonda...
was high scorer...
Roosevelt varsity...
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Roosevelt News

by Lynda Hall and Sandra Putschko

BASKETBALL
Roosevelt varsity were defeated by 42-72 in their round of the West Girls Invitational Basketball Tournament held at Dec. 26, 27, 28 and Anne Tillman was high scorer with 21 points. The next day's play, event girls lost to Cross 39-41. Rhonda West was high scorer for Eagles with 17 points. Roosevelt varsity boys led Christ The King 8 at the CTK gym night. Leading the to victory was Jo-Brown with 21 points scored by Glen Campbell 12 points and Scott ey with 10 points.

Roosevelt and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eblen, Sr. of Slaton. The FTA boy of the month was Scott Mann, freshmen, and not Scott Carney as previously reported.

HOLIDAYS

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walter for Christmas dinner were sons, Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Walter of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Walter of

Slaton and their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stancek of Corpus Christie, Mrs. Duane Walter's father and sister's family Mr. Kurt Hamf of Neoshe Missouri, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wilkins and daughter Mel-

ina of Odessa. Mrs. W. H. Walter attended a Wilkins reunion last Saturday in Seagraves. Three brothers and four sisters and families gathered there.



The 1973 cotton year on the High Plains, in retrospect, has to be seen as a "once in a lifetime" year.

Winter moisture which played havoc with the harvest of the 1972 crop (2,242,850 bales of 480 pounds net weight) left underground moisture content that proved a Godsend for the crop of 1973. Most dry land areas got timely rains for planting and some 90 percent or more of the entire crop was put in the ground during the optimum planting period of May 5 to May 20. And it came up growing.

Then, in June and July, when it is almost an unwritten law that 150,000 acres or more of cotton will be lost to hail and sand on the Plains, good fortune continued. Less cotton was lost to the elements in these two months of 1973 than any year in a long time. Firm acreage figures won't be available for several more months, but of an

estimated 2,750,000 acres planted, something over 2,700,000 acres remained for harvest, it is thought.

August provided the only departure from a season-long success story. In August the crop needed more moisture than was forthcoming. And even that situation was relieved in time to prevent drastic damage, generally speaking, to yields.

Then came the Fall. It didn't freeze officially until November 28, making the 1974 growing season one of the longest on record, which provided one of the most mature, if not THE most mature crops ever produced on the Plains. Micronaire, a measurement of maturity, on the first 1,200,000 bales averaged 4.26 according to the first seasonal quality report of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. It is now almost a certainty that the entire crop will average well above the record average micronaire of 3.7 established in 1964 and equaled again in 1969 and 1970. Grades, too, have been amazingly good, with over 78 percent classed as white cotton so far.

October, November and December (to date), could not have been much better for the harvest - dry, cool but not cold, and only a few days of high winds. Probably 80 or 85 percent of the 2,725,000 bales projected for PCG's 25 counties was off the stalk as of December 21. About 1,850,000 bales had gone through USDA Classing Offices at Lubbock, Brownfield, Levelland, and Lamesa, there's another 50,000 bale carryover at the four offices, maybe 100,000 bales "in the pipeline" between gins, compresses and classing offices, and a wild guess at the amount of cotton in ricks waiting to be ginned over the Plains

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Matsler - Adams Wedding Held In Lubbock Church

Miss Karen Jo Adams became the bride of Jimmy Matsler Monday at 7 p.m. in the First Baptist Church, Lubbock, with the Dr. Jaroy Weber officiating.

Cecil Fowler, Buffalo Springs Lake and J. L. Matsler of Lubbock.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white wedding dress with empire waist with lace overlay to waist, lace sleeves and cuffs, long train

on veil. The floor length dress featured a high neckline. She carried a bouquet of white roses.

Serving her sister as maid of honor was Miss Mary Jan Adams. Bridesmaids were Nancy Adams, sister of the bride, and Mrs.

James Dickey. The bridesmaids' floor length dresses were red crepe with white lace yokes.

Best man was James Sharp. Groomsmen were Jeff Matsler, brother of the groom, and Mike Trammel. Pianoist was Julia Morris. Soloist was Vicki Matsler, sister of the groom.

Candlelighters were Cassie Adams, cousin of the bride and Richard Adams, brother of the bride.

Ushers were Hosea Brown, Ronnie Sharp, David

Sides, David Vasquez and Meredith Elston.

The bride and groom are both graduates of Roosevelt and are students at Texas Tech. Mrs. Matsler is a freshman biology major and her husband is a sophomore majoring in journalism and English.

The couple will reside at Buffalo Springs Lake.



MRS. JIMMY MATSLER
Karen Jo Adams

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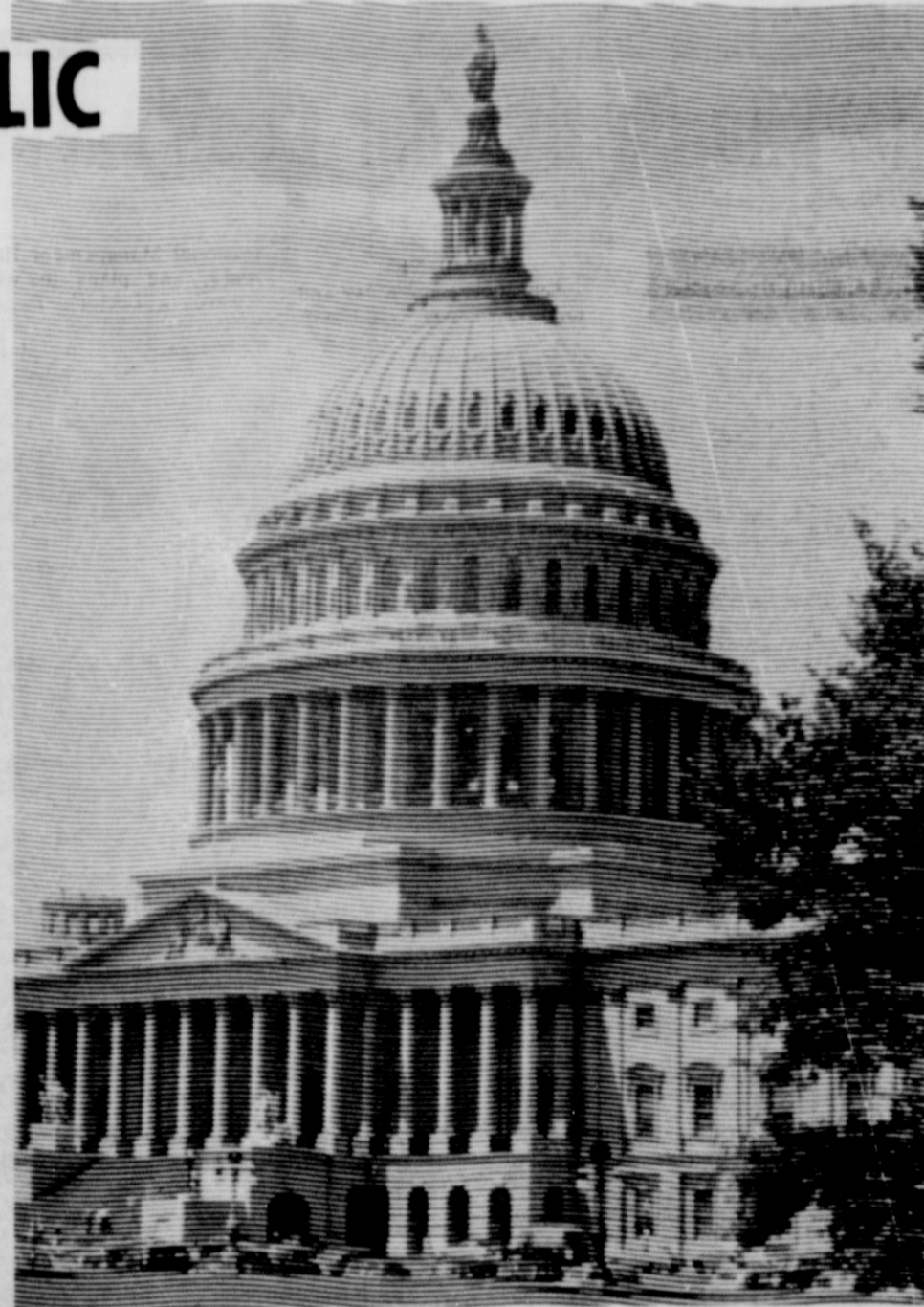
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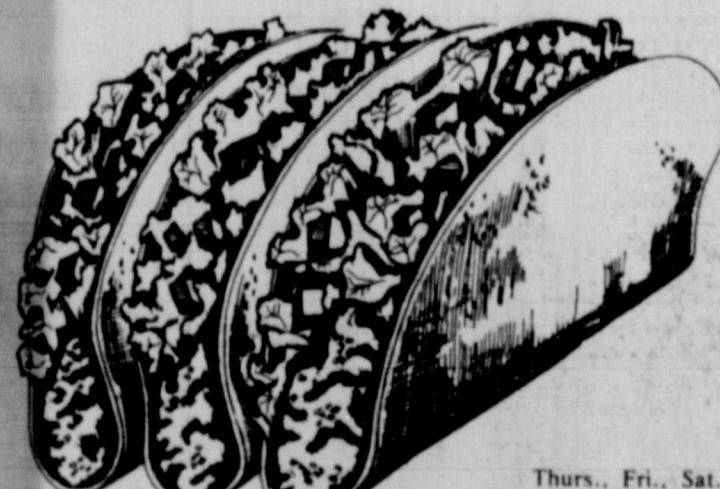
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BOWMAN

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His emcee work started in conjunction with the radio, at one time he was a partner and general manager of KCAS Radio in Slaton. During the past 10 years Bowman has appeared with many noteworthy personalities in politics, religion and sports.

Bowman presently is preaching for the Auburn Street Church of Christ in Lubbock. For the past 12 years he has worked with small congregations who cannot afford to employ a full-time minister.

He is married to the former Norma Jean Fullington of Burlington, Oklahoma. They have two children; Russell Jay and Denise Dawn.

POLICE

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damage estimated at \$375. Also on Christmas Eve, Vincent Ariaz, 430 E. Powers, said someone had forced entry to his home through a locked door and stolen various articles, mostly Christmas presents from under the tree. Included among the stolen items were watches valued at \$75 and \$80, a trumpet, a wallet, key chain and other articles.

The family of J. E. Vickers, Sr. wish to express our heartfelt thanks for the visits, food, beautiful cards, flowers and your prayers in our time of sorrow. Your kindness helped us through this difficult time. We shall long remember and be grateful.

Mrs. J. E. Vickers, Sr. J. E. Vickers, Jr. S. S. Vickers S. R. Vickers E. T. Vickers Mrs. Alan Lincoln

DEATHS

MRS. A. WILKE

Services for Mrs. A. Wilke, 89, who died at 1 a.m., Sunday in Mercy Hospital following a lengthy illness, was held at 4 p.m. Monday in the Grace Lutheran Church with the Rev. Delmas Luedke, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Englewood Cemetery under direction of Englund. She had been a resident of the area since 1921, moving here with her husband from Bell County. She had resided in Slaton since 1952.

She was a charter member of the Grace Lutheran Church, and had been quite active in church.

Survivors include three sons, Edmund of Southland, Marcus of Kingsland and Walter of Gladstone, N. M.; four daughters, Mrs. Gertrude Gindorf of Wilson, Mrs. Bertha Betts of Morton, Mrs. Freda Mueller of Artesia, N. M., and Mrs. Myrtle Stabeno of Wilson; a sister, Mrs. Emma Becker of Santa Anna, Calif.; 17 grandchildren; 48 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

B. C. BROOKS

Graveside services for Bill Clifton Brooks, 61, of Houston, were held in Forrest Lawn Cemetery, Houston, at 2 p.m. Thursday. Brooks died at 7 a.m. Tuesday in a Houston Nursing home from injuries suffered in a traffic accident.

A native of Slaton, Brooks was a veteran of World War II.

He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Christine Strange of Houston.



OFF TO THE GATOR BOWL --- Bill Ball of O. Z. Ball and Co., right, hands out Bowl tickets to Roger Evans, winner of a trip to the bowl game in a contest sponsored by the Slaton Chamber of Commerce. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

W. H. GRIFFIN

Services for William Henry Griffin, 75, were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Childress Church of Christ with J. R. Chism, minister, officiating.

Griffin died at 11:55 p.m. Sunday in Childress General Hospital after a two-week illness. Burial was in Childress Cemetery under direction of Newberry Funeral Home.

Griffin, a native of Paris, Texas, was a longtime resident of Childress County. He was a retired farmer and served on the White's Creek and River Camp School boards.

Survivors include a son, Cecil of Slaton; three daughters, Mrs. Don Beard-en, Mrs. Franklin Smother-mon and Mrs. Bill Peery, all of Childress; two sisters, Mrs. Emma Young of Wellington, and Mrs. Viola Hassell of Childress; seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

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The family of Emery Pike would like to say how much we appreciate Dr. Payne. We want to thank the nurses and all the personnel of Mercy Hospital.

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Mrs. Emery Pike Winona Brewer Amy, Leslie and Jo Mr. and Mrs. Barton Pike Brian and Crystal

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our thanks and gratitude to the many wonderful friends for the words of encouragement and many kindnesses you have shown to us after Dwayne's accident.

Thank you for your prayers, visits, cards, flowers, gifts and food.

Especially we want to thank Rev. Ascher, Dr. Hartman and his assistants, the nurses at Methodist Hospital, W. D. Killian Jr. and to the ones who helped sit with Dwayne.

May God bless each and every one of you.

Dwayne, August, Norine Michael and Sandra Patschke

CARD OF THANKS

Our heartfelt thanks go to all who extended sympathy and help in the recent death of our husband and father. For the beautiful service, cards, floral offerings, food and other kindnesses, we are deeply grateful.

The family of W. L. "Bill" Housour

CARD OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks to all our wonderful friends and relatives for the many prayers and kindnesses you have shown to us during my operation and convalescence. Thanks to H. R. Ramirez and all the Santa Fe employees who contributed to help me in any expenses I had.

Thanks to everyone and may God bless you all.

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medium saucepan heat 3 table-
spoons butter or margarine. Add
onion and saute 2 minutes. Add 1
can (15 oz.) tomato sauce, 2 table-
spoons parsley flakes, 1 teaspoon
oregano leaves, 1/2 teaspoon salt,
1/2 teaspoon garlic powder and 1/4
teaspoon ground black pepper.
Bring to boiling point. Reduce
heat; cover and simmer for 10
minutes. Combine 1 pound cream
ed cottage and 1 cup shredded
mild Cheddar cheese; set aside.
Arrange 3 of the noodles in the
bottom of a greased 10 x 6 x 2-
inch baking dish. Spread with
half of the cheese mixture. Top
with 1/2 of the tomato sauce. Place
3 more noodles over the sauce;
top with 8 ounces mozzarella
cheese, sliced, and 1/2 of the to-
mato sauce. Cover with layers of
the remaining 3 noodles, sauce and
cheese mixture. Cover with foil,
and bake in a preheated moder-
ate oven (375°F.) for 40 minutes
or until hot. Mix 1/2 cup soft
bread crumbs with 2 tablespoons
melted butter or margarine and 2
tablespoons parsley flakes. Slice
one large tomato. Sprinkle bread
crumb mixture over tomato slices.
Uncover casserole. Arrange to-
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covered for 5 minutes longer or
until tomatoes are hot. Yields 8
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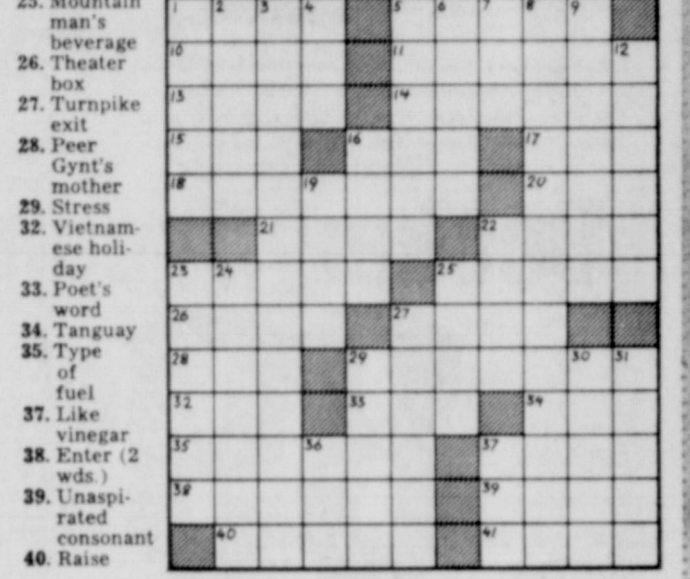
WHEREAS, in Cause No.
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Judicial District, styled:
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pendent School District,"
said Southland Independent
School District, as Petition-
er, has initiated and filed
such action as a proceeding
in rem in accordance with
the provisions of Article
717m, V.A.T.C.S., as a
class action against the
taxpayers, property owners,
and citizens of Southland
Independent School District
of Garza, Lynn and Lubbock
Counties, Texas, including
non-residents owning prop-
erty or subject to taxation
therein and all other persons
interested in or affected by
the issuance of securities of
the Petitioner (as are more
particularly described in the
Petition of the said South-
land Independent School
District on file in the
aforementioned cause)
wherein the Petitioner,
among other things, alleged
its capacity to institute and
maintain these proceedings
and among other prayers for
relief, prayed the Court for
a Declaratory Judgment as
to its authority as an
"issuer" to issue securities
and provide for the payment
and security thereof as set
forth in the Petition, and as
to the legality and validity
of all proceedings taken and
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the first Monday after the
expiration of Forty-two (42)
days from the date of this
order, and show cause why
the prayers of the Petition
of the said Southland Inde-
pendent School District
should not be granted and
the maintenance tax and
bond election held on April
28, 1973, and the right,
power and authority of the
Board of Trustees, said
school district to levy a
maintenance tax and issue
bonds authorized at said
election be validated and
confirmed as therein prayed.
The Clerk of this Court is
hereby ordered to cause a
copy of this order to be
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general circulation in Lub-
bock County, Texas, the
Post Dispatch, a newspaper
of general circulation in
Garza County, Texas, and
the Lynn County News, a
newspaper of general cir-
culation in Lynn County,
Texas, all newspapers being
published in the counties
wherein the Petitioner is
situated, once in each of
said newspapers for four (4)
consecutive calendar weeks,
on a business day of each
week, the first publication
to be made no less than
twenty-eight (28) days prior
to the date set for hearing.
Signed and entered this
the 4th day of December,
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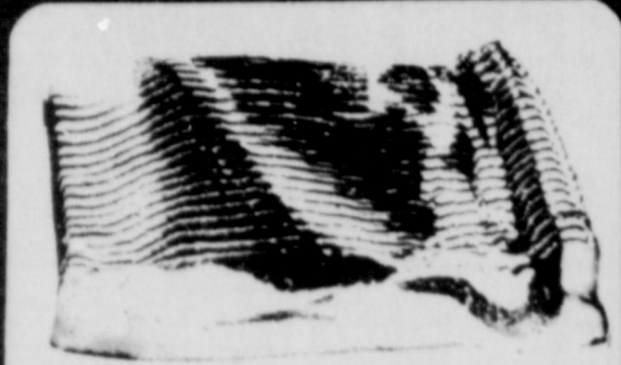
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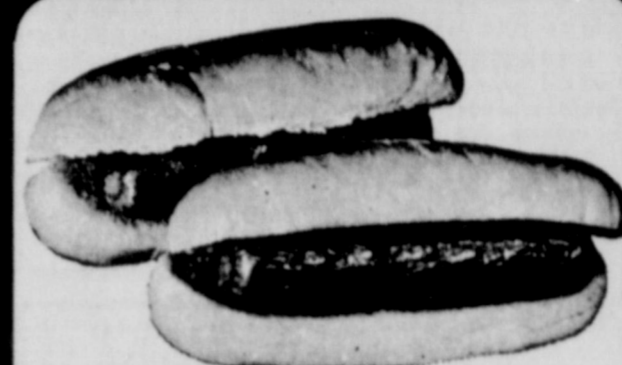
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Pork Chops Lb. **99c**
Pilgrim Pride
Chicken Gizzards Lb. **89c**
Blue Morrow
Burritos Lb. **79c**

Piggly Wiggly
Fresh Bacon Lb. **\$1.29**



All Purpose Russet
Potatoes
88c
10 Lb. Bag

Cello
Fresh Carrots
Fresh
Celery Stalks
Fresh
Tangerines

Fresh Cranberries 29c
Distinctive
Yellow Onions Lb. **12c**



Powdered Detergent
Tide
\$1.19
84-oz. Box

Piggly Wiggly, Pink, Yellow, or Green
Liquid Detergent 3 Qt. **\$1.00**
Piggly Wiggly, 2 Ply 375 Sheets
Bath Tissue 4 2-Roll Pkgs. **\$1.00**
Piggly Wiggly, Assorted Colors, 1 Ply
Paper Towels 3 175-Sheet Rolls **\$1.00**
Ranch Style
Blackeyed Peas 5 15-oz. Cans **\$1.00**
Vets. Reg. or Liver
Dog Food 8 15-oz. Cans **\$1.00**
Mix or Match
Piggly Wiggly Vegetables
Cut or French Green Beans Golden Corn Peas & Carrots
7 8-oz. Cans \$1.00

Bartlett
Hunt's Pears
3 \$1
14 1/2-oz. Cans



Piggly Wiggly
Biscuits
10 \$1
Sweetmilk or Buttermilk
10-Ct. Cans

Piggly Wiggly, California
Whole Tomatoes 4 16-oz. Cans **\$1.00**
Piggly Wiggly
Peas & Carrots 4 16-oz. Cans **\$1.00**
Snap-E-Tom
Tomato Juice 4 10-oz. Cans **\$1.00**
Carol Ann, Assorted Flavors
Creame Cookies 3 13-oz. Pkgs. **\$1.00**
Piggly Wiggly Chic. / Rice, Cr. / Chic. Cr. / Mushroom or Chicken
Noodle Soup 6 10 1/2-oz. Cans **\$1.00**
Carol Ann, Saltine
Crackers 3 1-lb. Boxes **\$1.00**

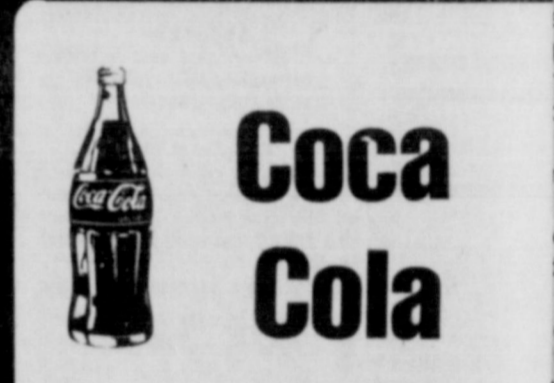
Piggly Wiggly, Cream Style or Whole Kernel
Golden Corn
4 88c
16-oz. Cans



Piggly Wiggly, Cut
Green Beans
4 88c
16-oz. Cans

Piggly Wiggly, Regular, Stick
Margarine Lb. **35c**
Bell
Yogurt 3 8-oz. Ctns. **\$1.00**
Assorted Flavors, Liquid
Sego Diet Food 4 10-oz. Cans **\$1.00**
Piggly Wiggly
Frozen Waffles 8 5-oz. Pkgs. **\$1.00**
Piggly Wiggly, Broccoli Spears or Frozen
Chopped Broccoli 4 10-oz. Pkgs. **\$1.00**
Piggly Wiggly, Fordhook, Speckled or Frozen
Baby Limas 4 10-oz. Pkgs. **\$1.00**

Simplot, Potatoes
Hash Browns
2 39c
Lb. Bag



Coca Cola
6 \$1
32 oz. Btls.
Plus Deposit

Piggly Wiggly, Frozen
Cut Corn 4 10-oz. Pkgs. **\$1.00**
Piggly Wiggly, Frozen
Cauliflower 4 10-oz. Pkgs. **\$1.00**
Piggly Wiggly, Cut or French, Frozen
Green Beans 4 9-oz. Pkgs. **\$1.00**
Carol Ann
Snack Crackers 3 11-oz. Boxes **\$1.00**
Piggly Wiggly, Tortilla or
Corn Chips 3 8-oz. Pkgs. **\$1.00**
Piggly Wiggly, Ginger Ale or Sparkling Water
Party Drinks 5 28-oz. N.R. Btls. **\$1.00**

Sparetime, All Varieties
Pot Pies
6 \$1
6-oz. Pkgs.

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