



PROUD CROWD --- These photos show some of the many Slaton fans who watched Friday and Saturday as

the Tigerettes won the state girls basketball crown at Austin. The man with the Slaton hat in the center of the

photo at right is R. G. Copeland. The others will be recognized by most of Slaton residents.

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The Slaton Slatonite

A MEMBER OF MOST FAMILIES IN THE SLATON TRADE AREA

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EXPRESSIONS of a "Dream Trip": The "dream trip" label was put on the weekend of the Slaton Tigerettes by Coach Benson, who said the whole trip "was like a dream because they were such well-behaved on the trip that it was unreal."

Joe Sparkman, school administrative assistant, and one of the 300 or so Slaton fans down there to see the girls win the title, said he heard the athletic director UIL tell Coach Benson that "Slaton had the best, best-disciplined group" he had ever

written had a few little things to happen (not all of them my own fault) which were not so much nightmarish than dreamy, but these things didn't spoil the enjoyment of being able to write about a championship team. At the very start, the staff of the paper operated on the positive viewpoint that we were going to win the tournament. I left, it was arranged with the staff that I was left behind to be ready to publish an extra in the history of the Slatonite, as we know (although somebody else will come in today and poke an old bone under my nose).

Obviously, if we were to get an extra out by morning after Saturday afternoon's game, I was going to have to fly back with the extra. So I needed a ride down with me, after booking passage on Braniff to Lubbock.

I had several people who were going, and I mumbled something like "Gee, I'm not sure we're all full up," or "I'm leaving tomorrow. Wednesday -- you can't go that far can you?" or "Get lost, Buster," or "don't you (heh, heh) ride your bicycle (heh, heh)?"

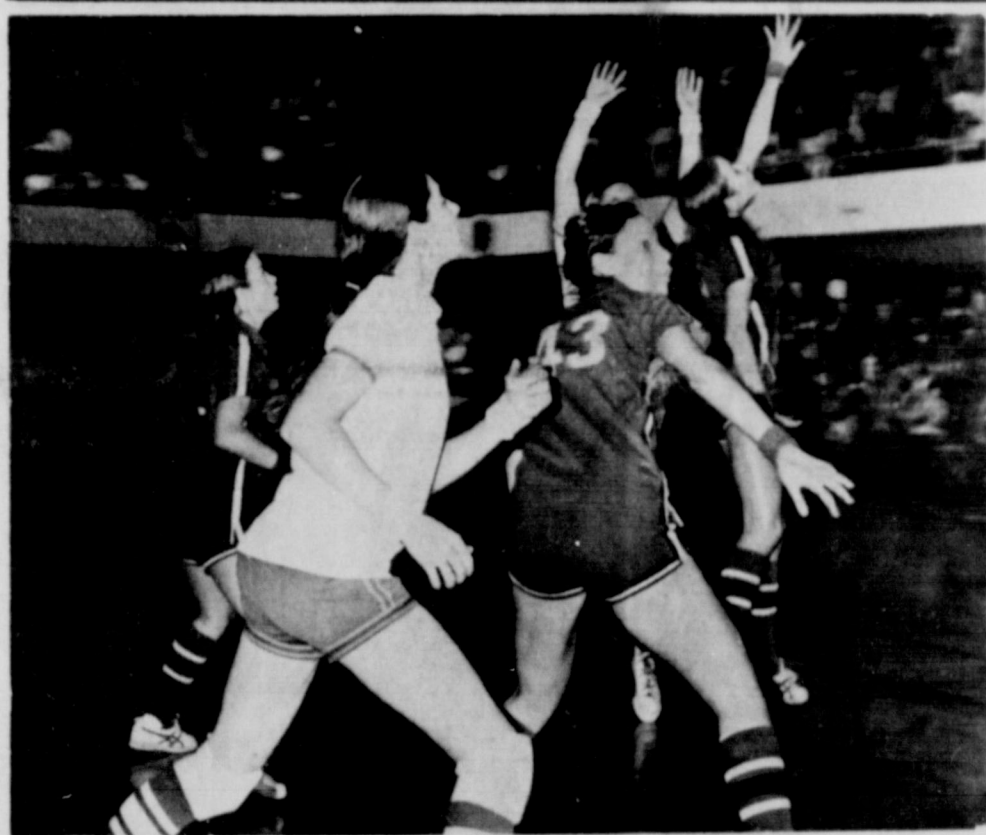
Finally I asked Coy Biggs, and since he's in the office, he couldn't afford to say no. Mrs. Biggs were very gracious to me to ride down with them in their fine car. They even let me drive it, and believe me, I had a fun driving it than riding in the back seat in front, because it's one of those models where the passenger has to do a backward before the car will start.

Since there were only 25 minutes left in the end of the final game and the departure of the airliner, we had a waiting at 3:30 p.m. in front of the gym. We wouldn't have time to check any bags, and you can only carry a small bag in the passenger seat, I took just a typewriter, leaving my luggage and others to bring back. I left the keys to the office, home and one auto in the car, and this caused some problems later, skip those.

It took about 40 minutes to fly to Dallas, and there we had an hour and a half. There was where I wrote the story which appeared in the special issue using the portable typewriter.

On the way from Dallas to Lubbock, my companions were R. L. Warren of Roy Dale McAllister of Acuff and Mrs. King of Lubbock, none of whom I had met before, but all of whom I had pleased that Slaton's girls had just won the state championship.

It was the first time I had ridden on a commercial airplane since Pioneer went out of business in the 50s, but I naturally tried to be nonchalant and very worldly about the thing. This didn't come off too well, but after I settled comfortably in a seat



WILD MUSICAL? --- Like a ballet scene from some wild Broadway show, these Lyford and Slaton basketball players are intent on their work. All three Slaton guards -- LuAnne Fondy, Becky Culver and Kay Stephens -- are in action here. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

State Champion Girls Are Basking In Glory

The Slaton Tigerettes, newly-crowned champions of Class AA girls basketball in Texas, were given the royal treatment this week after bringing home the coveted trophy from Austin. A big crowd was on hand to welcome the girls back from Austin Sunday afternoon, and more praise was heaped on the team during the week. Also, a special edition of the Slatonite honored the team. It was published Saturday night and was in the hands of local boxholders and on

newsstands on Sunday morning. Coach Gay Benson commented Monday at the Slaton Lions Club on the successful tournament climaxed by the Tigerettes' 51-45 victory over Comanche in the finals. "I don't know how they managed to play so relaxed, but they were loose -- the girls played as good a game as they had anytime all year."

Coach Benson explained that she had talked at length with the team about the Slaton girls' responsibility in representing such a large area of Texas, and that the girls expressed a strong desire to be a good representative of the region. Asked to comment on the second half surge by Comanche which saw the Maidens pull up to within three points, Coach Benson said, "I thought the third quarter would never end."

A whooping, cheering crowd, with band members playing their instruments, greeted the bus which returned Sunday with the coach, sponsors, 19 players and managers Keri Kern, Raynie Hardesty and Pam Howard.

Many groups sent messages or gifts to the girls while they were in Austin, and more congratulations poured in this week. At Austin, the group received fruit from Sen. Doc Blanchard and Rep. Pete Laney, legislators representing Slaton in the state government. Coach Benson reiterated what she had said the previous week, that defense -- by both guards and forwards -- is the key to the Tigerettes' success. No word had been received on an all-state team, or all-tournament team, with these selections expected to be announced this weekend. But Guard Kay Stephens was named to play in the North-South All-Star game July 13 at 8 p.m. in Brownwood Coliseum.

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Patrolman Robert Derriel Pack, 21, also formerly of Plainview. Pack has completed 45 hours of law enforcement training in college at Wayland, and formerly worked as a guard

Slaton Man Charged With Burglary Here

A 20-year-old Slaton man has been charged in connection with the strongarm robbery of Clarence O. Stephens, a resident near Slaton who reported last week that three men had entered his home forcibly, held him down and taken

his car and television set. Herbert Trotty, 20, was charged Tuesday by the Criminal District Attorney's office with burglary. No other suspects have been apprehended. The car was located last week, parked near a pool hall in the east section of town. The TV set has not been recovered.

Several wrecks were reported during the week. On Wednesday at the high school parking lot, a 1972 car driven by James Dwight Kuykendall, Rt. 1, Slaton, and a 1972 auto driven by Carlo Jo Winn, 935 W. Crosby, collided, causing an estimated total \$220 damage.

Last Saturday on U.S. 84 bypass, a 1973 truck driven by Donald Rea Nash, Ringwood, Okla., and a 1969 car driven by Roy Clay Green, Lubbock, collided. Damage to the car was put at \$250.

A. L. Schwartz, 755 S. 7th, reported loss of a saw stolen from a pickup at his home last Friday. It was valued at \$35.

Carolina Carmona, 1000 S. 6th, complained that someone had broken a window glass out of her car last Wednesday.

Police Chief Fred Clark and Patrolman Billy Weaver last week attended a criminal investigation school conducted at Texas Tech. Chief Clark also announced hiring of three new patrolmen and one new dispatcher by the department. They are:

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Patrolman Robert Derriel Pack, 21, also formerly of Plainview. Pack has completed 45 hours of law enforcement training in college at Wayland, and formerly worked as a guard

Neill, Mask File For Re-Election

Two city commissioners whose terms are scheduled to expire this year filed for re-election Tuesday. They are Otis Neill, Ward 2, and Eugene Mask, Ward 4. As of Tuesday afternoon, no other candidates had filed for the city election scheduled April 6.

Deadline for filing for the election is next Wednesday, March 6. Candidates may file at the office of the city secretary.

The job pays \$15 per month.

Commissioners were advised at a meeting of the commission Tuesday morning that voting in Ward 2

would be at the city-county clubhouse and voting in Ward 4 would be at Stephen F. Austin School. In other action Tuesday,

the commission voted to charge persons living outside the city limits for dumping at the city dump, but to let city residents

dump free, provided they would show the dump attendant a current water bill proving they are city residents.

Charges to outsiders were established at \$1 for pickup loads, \$2 for dump trucks and farm trailers and other charges up to \$5 for tandem trailers, with fees for some dumping to be left to the discretion of the dump-ground attendant.

Dumpground will be closed on Sundays, leaving Saturday as the primary day for dumping by many residents.

A Mexican-American resident on S. 5th St. appeared before the commission to complain that an ordinance requiring removal of junk cars was not being enforced equably. He asserted that he was compelled to comply with the ordinance last year, and did so, but that an Anglo resident of the same area, served with a citation the same time as the complainant, never had moved his abandoned vehicles.

Chief Fred Clark, who (continued on Page 9)

Public School Week Events Planned Here

Open house is planned at all four Slaton schools during Public Schools week, with a special "Tribute to Walt Disney" program planned Tuesday night at

the high school auditorium. Visitors may go to any Slaton High School classes anytime during the week, school officials said. Junior High and Stephen F. Austin will have open house from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 on Monday, and West Ward open house will be from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Parents and others are invited to eat lunch in the school cafeterias during the week. Principals J. D. Perkins, West Ward; Bing Bingham, SF Austin; Ernie Davis, Junior High; and M. W. Kerr, high school, all cordially invite the public to visit the schools and see what the students and teachers are doing.

Admission to the program at high school Tuesday night will be 25 cents for students and 50 cents for adults. The program is a musical by third graders, with proceeds to be used by West Ward PTA for projects.

J. C. McClesley is superintendent of schools, and there are 144 teachers and aides in the system.

by a window and watched blandly as the other passengers boarded, the stewardess came by, counting passengers. Then she came back to me and asked if she could please see my blue form, or something like that. I started to tell her I didn't have time to play, I had to get home and put out an extra. But I decided she wanted to look at whatever ticket receipts I still had left. She did, and gently informed me that I was in the VIP section of the plane, and would I kindly get back in the other compartment with the peons. So, exposed as country bumpkin, I rose and went back to my own class.

I tried not to be conspicuous after that, although I sure was curious about the signs over four of the fuselage doors reading "Exit Salida". Finally I asked Mrs. King, whom I had not met previously, if the sign referred to the place where you're supposed to spit out. As a conversation opener, this was one of my cleverest gambits ever.

She explained that she understood "salida" to be the Spanish word for exit.

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RECEIVE AWARDS --- These Cub Scouts received awards at the annual Blue and Gold banquet Friday night. Front row, left to right, Gilbert Flores, James Chance, Herbert Hammons, John Robinson and Freddie Gonzales. Back row, Richard Beggs, Mark Degan, Bobby Barry, Scott Moore and Joe Teague.

Carol Green Is Honored

Miss Carol Green, bride-elect of Marshall Lee Lauderdale of Lamesa, was honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Stan H. Jaynes.

Special guests were Mrs. Jack Lauderdale, mother of the groom, Mrs. Bill Green and Mrs. Gerald Talkmitt, mother and sister of the bride. Hostess gift was a vacuum cleaner and the table centerpiece.

Refreshments were served from a table laid with an embroidered cloth and floral centerpiece in the bride's chosen colors of pink and white.

The hostesses included Mmes. John Hudnall, Robert Brake, Tim Bourn, Ernie Davis, Clinton Eastman, Jack Haire, Pat Patterson, Jody Dorsett, W. O. Harrel, Wade Carter, E. D. Gossett,

L. O. Lemon, Elza Smith, Bill Baker, J. E. Gray, George Gamble, Jim Dulin, Joe Ross, Bill Roche, Willard Childers, Tarry Lemons, Oscar Hamer, Kenneth Brush, Tommy Davis, J. T. Earwood, Clarence Heaton, Jaynes, and Mis Jimmy Boyd.

BABE RUTH MEETING PLANNED MARCH 7

There will be a meeting on Thursday, March 7, at Southwestern Public Service Reddy Room at 7:30 p.m. for organization of the Babe Ruth League for the coming year.

All coaches and anyone who is interested in the league are urged to be present.

OUR GIRLS ARE THE GREATEST!



MRS. FREDERICK DRISCOLL III
... Mary Catherine Piwonka

St. Joseph's Church Is Scene of Double Wedding

Miss Mary Catherine Piwonka became the bride of Frederick Alexander Driscoll III at 4 p.m. Saturday in St. Joseph's Catholic Church of



FRANA GASS

Engagement Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gass, 1120 S. 14th St., Slaton, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Frana Jene, to Ron Earl Bartley of Lawton, Okla.

Parents of the bridegroom are Earl Bartley and Carolyn Bartley.

Wedding plans have been made for July 27 at Slaton First Baptist Church at 7 p.m., with Rev. J. L. Cartrite officiating the double ring ceremony.

The bride-elect is a senior at Slaton High School, Bartley graduated from Slaton High School and is now a freshman at Cameron State College.

Study Club Sees Fashions In Flowers

The Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club met Monday evening in the home of Mrs. James Watkins, 1555 W. Crosby.

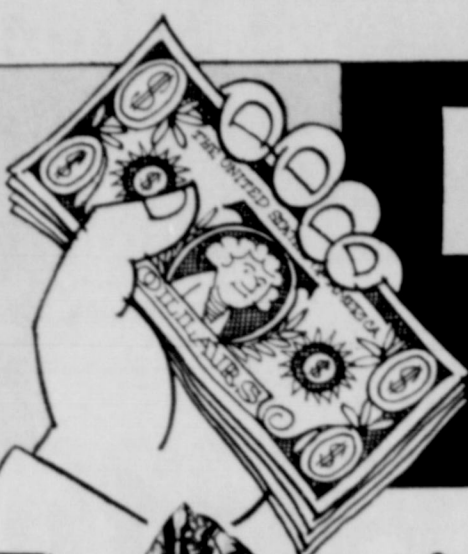
Everything came up roses -- and forsythia -- and baby's breath -- and exotic flowers of various colors in an informative program on flower arrangement given by Mrs. C. E. McCoy and Miss Mitzi Neal of Pauline's Flowers. Mrs. J. S. Edwards Jr. was program chairman.

Attending were Mmes. Merriel Abbott, Bill Ball, Bing Bingham, Frances Gill, LeRoy Holt, Roy Lynn Kahlich, Weldou Meador, John Morris, Glen Payne, Earl Reasoner, M. M. Schlueter, Cecil Scott, Rush Wheeler, Edwards, Watkins, and guest Mrs. Leon Grochowsky.

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MRS. MARSHALL LEE LAUDERDALE
... Carol Joan Green

Double Ring Ceremony Lauderdale-Green

Carol Joan Green, the bride of Marshall Lee Lauderdale, Saturday, Feb. 23, 1974, at the Catholic Church in Slaton. Ushers included Bobby Whitten, minister of Messers, performed the double ceremony.

The couple are Mrs. William Loyd Lauderdale, 515 W. Lynn, Slaton, and Mrs. Jack Lauderdale, 1302 S. Bryan Lamesa.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a long gown of bridal tulle with tacked polyester yoke accented by embroidered Swiss stand-up collar. The gown featured a long train waistline and lower gown trimmed in embroidered lace. The

finger tip veil fell from a small cap covered with satin and pearl lace.

She carried a cascade bouquet of white glads and pink roses.

Mrs. Gerald Talkmitt of Lubbock served as her sister's matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Mike Dorman of Lamesa, Mrs. Dwayne Latham of Seymour, and Mrs. Steve Allen, sister of the groom, of Lamesa.

The attendants wore identical gowns of soft pink polyester with high waist and stand-up gathered ruffle on a vee neckline. Swiss flower applique trimmed the center front mid-riff, and long sleeves gathered at shoulder and wrist. Their hats were light pink with wide brim and pink satin ribbon and back bow. They carried nosegay bouquets of pink glad bubbles.

The candlelighters, Jana and Julie Haire of Slaton, wore gowns identical to the bridesmaids.

Ricky Aslin, of Lamesa, served as best man. Groomsmen were Jack Lauderdale, father of the groom, Loyd Green, brother of the bride, of Temple, and Butch Lauderdale, brother of the groom, of Lamesa.

Ushers included Mike Green and Randy Green, brothers of the bride, Ray Lauderdale, brother of the groom, and Steve Allen, both of Lamesa.

Karlene Eastman, of Winters, was organist, and Susan Norrell, of Slaton, was soloist.

A reception in Fellowship Hall of Westview Church followed the ceremony. Presiding at the table were Mrs. Mike Green and Mrs. Loyd Green. Other members of the house party included Miss Jimmie Boyd, and Mmes. Jack Haire, Robert Brake, John Hudnall, Stan Jaynes, Ed Gossett, Bill Baker, Pat Patterson and Kenneth Brush.

Mrs. Lauderdale graduated from Texas Tech with a B.S. Degree in Clothing and Textiles and is now employed as designer at Dotty Dan of Lamesa. Her husband attended South Plains College at Levelland and is employed as a carpenter by Jack Lauderdale Builders in Lamesa.

The couple will make their home at 1501 S. Ave. L in Lamesa.

FOOT NOTES

Margret Crispin

We got word this week of a proposed kidnapping. Jim Dulin decided he could call out our local editor on the pretense of a "hot news item" and hold him for ransom. Then he'd have his wife call the Slatonite staff, and demand a ransom of \$15 for his return, or... \$20 to dispose of him completely. But, he decided to call the whole thing off... He was afraid no one would care one way or another.

A crowd of 125 attended the annual Blue-Gold Banquet the other night and several parents were quite surprised when they found out they were on the program. Cubmaster Fred Stolle and the Cub Scouts had a good time, anyway!

I understand Mrs. Perkins and her third grade musical company will present another of their great operettas again Tuesday night. It will be in the high school auditorium at 7:30 -- following the open house at West Ward School.

One year ago, according to our files, the area farmers had about 80 percent of their cotton harvested, slowed down by numerous snowfalls. What we wouldn't give right now for one of the big ones!

I can't close without another big "Congratulations, Tigerettes." No. 1 in the State! I'd say that Slaton is definitely "on the map" after that factory. Great going, gals!

Ellison-Ehler Vows Read In California

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth John Ellison are at home in San Mateo, Calif., following their marriage Feb. 16. Ellison and his bride, the former M. Jeanette Ehler, were married at St. Gregory's Catholic Church in San Mateo.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Ervin A. Ehler of Rt. 1, Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. John S. Ellison of Lancaster, Eng-

land. Reverend Robert Stadler officiated. The reception followed at the San Mateo residence of the groom.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white satin gown with an organza overlay. The empire dress was fashioned with a Chantilly lace train and sleeves, a scoop neckline trimmed in pearls and a white shoulder length veil. Her bouquet consisted of white roses, white carnations and baby's breath.

Serving as matron of honor for her sister was Mrs. Gregory L. Willingham of Quemado, N.M. She wore a royal blue velvet gown with an empire waist and a baby blue skirt and sleeves. She carried bachelor buttons, carnations and iris.

Gilbert Small of San Francisco served as best man. Ushers were Donald T. O'Connor of San Francisco, and Howard E. Ehler of Alameda, Calif., brother of the bride.

Mrs. Ellison is a graduate of Idalou High School and Texas Tech University. She is employed as a loan officer for The Bank of California, N.A.

Ellison is an alumnus of Pitman College of London and is employed as an Assistant Vice President for The Bank of California, N.A.

Tops Club

The TX Tops Club met Thursday in the clubhouse with the Leader, Donita Johnston, presiding.

Thirteen members weighed in with seven losing 14 3/4 lbs., and two Kops maintaining.

Roberta Reed won the grab bag prize by losing the most. Margie Green won the weight and attendance dimes.

New officers were elected, including Leader, Nelda Chapman; co-leader, Helen Meeks; secretary, Jolene Fondy; treasurer, Margie Green.

Mrs. Chapman appointed the following to serve another year: weight recorder, Llavona Johnston; assistant weight recorder, Donita Johnston; devotional chairman, Frances Keane; reporter, Helen Meeks; photographer, Margie Green; and program chairman, Roberta Reed.

Frances read "The Beautiful Art of Forgetting" and the second part of "How to be Miserable and Sick Anytime."

Since there are several new members, each one told a little about their families.

Auction will be held next week.

The wedding party was honored with a rehearsal dinner in the Fellowship Hall of Westview Church Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lauderdale, parents of the groom, hosted the occasion.

Rising Share
The number of women holding driver's licenses in the United States was 44 percent of all licensed drivers in 1972, compared to just under 25 percent in 1940.

DIEGEL NAMED MEMBER GOLDEN KEY CLUB
Charles Diegel, Slaton representative of Northwestern National Life Insurance Co. (NWNL), Minneapolis, has been named a member of the firm's Golden Key Club for 1974.

Diegel was awarded membership in the club for outstanding performance in serving the life insurance needs of NWNL customers -- both old and new -- in the Slaton area.

Births
2-18-74 -- Mr. and Mrs. Clifas Anaya, Box 117, Slaton, a girl, Dora Elisa, 8 lbs.
2-18-74 -- Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wayne Burleson, Box 232, Tahoka, a boy, Bruce LaMonte, 6 lbs. 12 1/2 oz.

The average supermarket increased its sales 8 percent in 1972 according to the Super Market Institute.

Library Moves To Center

The Lubbock City-County Library is moving to its new building in the Civic Center, March 6-15. During this period the 19th Street facility will be closed to the public. The City-County Bookmobile will not follow its regular schedule during that period, instead it will be in the north parking lot at the Library on 19th Street and will give limited service from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., March 6-8 and March 11-15.

The new library building, to be known as the George & Helen Mahon Library will be dedicated at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, March 16. The public is invited to attend the dedication and to tour the building after the ceremonies. U. S. Representative and Mrs. Mahon will be present to greet the public after the ceremonies.

Library services will begin at 9 a.m. on March 18 at the Mahon Library and at noon on Tuesday, March 19, at the 19th Street Branch. The Bookmobile will resume its regular schedule on March 18 with a stop at Redbud Shopping Center.

The Slaton Branch will not be affected by the changes.

Storytime hour will be given Saturday morning, March 2, from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Slaton Branch Library. All children are invited to attend for filmstrips and stories. Mrs. R. C. Hall Jr. will be in charge of the activities.

The Friends Club sponsors all storyhours and student tours. The first grade students will tour the library in the spring. They will learn library procedure and receive their first library cards. They will also view filmstrips and have stories read to them. Fourth graders completed their annual tours earlier.

Eighth grade students have been busy studying in the library digging up Texas History to complete their Texas Heritage booklets.

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



PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK -- James Perkins, principal of West Ward, is in charge of Texas Public Schools Week activities in Slaton. Here he looks at a folder of materials related to the event which begins Monday. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

School Week Is For Everyone

"This year, Texas Public Schools Week will include something for everyone -- student, parent, community member and the general public," said J. C. McClesky, school superintendent.

In his announcement this week McClesky stressed the importance of community participation in Texas Public Schools Week which will mark the 120 anniversary of the public school system in Texas. Parents and other interested citizens are encouraged to visit schools in their neighborhoods and areas. During the week, all grades -- elementary through high school will be open for public visitation.

McClesky further stated that teachers and school officials are planning special displays and programs in recognition of Texas Public Schools Week. Parents are not only encouraged to visit the schools, they are invited to have lunch with the children and to visit the classrooms.

"More and more, we are coming to realize that the key to America's future lies in our schools," McClesky said. "We need useful, educated citizens to meet the challenge of the future. We want to stress the importance of citizen participation in Texas Public Schools Week, March 4-8. This is one meaningful way we can all become a part of our education system. It's our responsibility to see to it that this system maintains the highest educational level and that quality education for all students is maintained."

Those desiring more information on Texas Public

Schools Week can contact J. D. Perkins, chairman, at 828-3446.

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NAMES YOUTH CENTER --- Scott Beard, left, earned a new pair of skates by submitting the winning suggestion of a name for the new youth center operated on 20th St. by the Community Recreation Assn. Name of the center will be the Steve Bourn Memorial Center, Roger Evans, president of CRA, announced. Presenting the skates to Scott is Don Conner, vice president of the association. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

Adult Volleyball Tourney Set In March Here

The Slaton Classroom Teachers' annual adult volleyball tourney will be held March 11, 12, 14, and 16, at the high school gym from 6 to 10:30 p.m. This tournament is held each year so that the SCTA may give scholarships to graduating seniors. For this reason, the teachers ask the support of area citizens' attendance at the tournament, and the support of area teams' entrance to the tourney.

Admission prices are 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for students. The concession stand will feature homemade ice cream.

The deadline for entering the tournament is March 5. Any adult men or women's team may enter by sending a \$5 entry fee to Pat Wright, 1380 W. Lynn, Slaton. The fee will be returned upon completion of play. For information concerning the tournament, call 828-5374 or 828-3685 after 5 p.m.

The Classroom Teachers would like to say, "Thank you", to Citizens State Bank and Slaton Co-op Gin for buying the individual trophies which will be presented at this year's volleyball tournament.

Forrest Lumber Employees Honored With Awards

Employees of Forrest Lumber Company and its wholesale Division, Westway Supply, celebrated their first Employee Service Award Program Saturday night in Lubbock at the Koko Palace.

Some of those receiving awards included: Cecil Griffin, Slaton, with 19 years service; Roy Anthony, also of Slaton, with seven years and three months service; and Mrs. Cecil Griffin, with six years and 10 months service.

Sisters of Mercy Attend Workshop

A three-year program plan for community renewal, initiated in 1972 by the Sisters of Mercy of the St. Louis Province, has been advanced substantially here toward its ultimate goal of decision making by consensus.

Eighteen Sisters from Slaton, Amarillo, Laredo and Oklahoma City met Jan. 19-20 at St. Alice's Catechetical Center in Plainview and planned corporate religious reflection workshops throughout a seven-state area.

These Sisters are part of a leadership "core" group participating in an intensive training program in communications, group dynamics and group decision making. Identical planning workshops, involving a total of 76 Sisters of Mercy were conducted simultaneously in New Orleans, St. Louis, and Little Rock.

During February and March, the leadership core group will conduct workshops for 650 Sisters of Mercy of the Province at Centers in Kansas, Arkansas, Louisiana, Missouri, Mississippi, Oklahoma and Texas. The clusterhouse workshop for the Sisters of Mercy in West Texas was conducted in Slaton last Saturday.

The planning workshops dealt with group behavior, the norms by which groups operate and ways to support or change group norms. Reflection on community experience in the light of the Gospels was a focal point of the sessions, as were the values embodied in the church documents and in the spirit of the founders of the Sisters of Mercy, Mother Catherine McAuley.

The ultimate goal of the program is decision-making by consensus on such issues as poverty, service of the poor, education for justice, relevance of the religious life to contemporary society, and styles of community living.

Sister Elena Gonzalez, development team member from St. Louis, explained, "During the years following Vatican II and the challenge

to renewal, we experienced many individual initiatives, which were perhaps good, but which also had the effect of dividing us. This program of renewal is an attempt to pull together and come to a common understanding of things that are important to us and to the Church. It's an ambitious project -- working for agreement among 650 women but we have to work for that. We have to have some basic agreement on what we are and what we ought to be doing, otherwise we cannot act together and we just dissipate our energies."

During the first phase of the three year renewal effort, a development team conducted workshops on basic communication skills in every convent in the St. Louis Province. In the second phase, the leadership core was selected, training programs were conducted and the members are now prepared to assist in workshops throughout the Province.

In the third phase, scheduled for the spring, the leadership core will have the main responsibility for conducting regional workshops. During 1974-75, the aim is to arrive at decisions and policy statements on religious life, which all members of the community will actively support.

The goal of the development team is to train all the Sisters to a level of competence in communications and group decision making which will obviate the need of a special development team.

On April 27 the Provincial Council will call the total province to meet in the corporate reflection centers on the issue of "reconciliation". "Modern man is above all a suffering man -- he is psychologically wounded by lack of hope, by loneliness, by the predicament of rootlessness." As Henri Nouwen states in his book "The Wounded Healer", "We, as human beings who are filled with wounds and suffering, must minister and help heal suffering humanity."



ROOSEVELT'S 1965 CHAMPS -- Seven members of the 1965 state Class A championship basketball team were present as the team from Roosevelt was honored at Austin Saturday during the year's tournament. From left are Marvin Williams, coach of the team, and superintendent Roosevelt schools for 31 years; Linda Lusk Mayne Jr. of Lubbock; Donna Rowe Roach of Lubbock; Brenda Herring Trammel of Lubbock; Susan Bridges Rhew of Killeen; and Janet Kinard Brooks of Alpine. The 1965 team was undefeated. (SLATONITE PHOTO)



MERCY SISTERS DEVELOP PLANS -- The Clusterhouse Workshop of the West Texas Sisters of Mercy dealt with the norms and behaviors of groups at Slaton Saturday. Seated (left to right) are Sister M. Rudolph Goeden, a nurse at Mercy Hospital; and Sister Rachel Cavazos, Directress of Early Childhood Development Center, Plainview. And standing are: Sr. Xavier Price, a pioneer missionary in West Texas; Sister Elena Gonzalez, member of the Province Renewal Team of St. Louis; Sister Jane Mary Briseno, a former member of Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, Slaton, now stationed at Amarillo. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

New City-County Park Planned In East Slaton

The county has purchased a block of land next to the Slaton Housing Authority and will make the area into a new city-county park for residents of that area of town, it was reported this week.

any organization interested in helping on the park beautification would be doing a service by undertaking such a project.

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County Commissioner Max Arrants said landscaping is planned, and that playground equipment would be installed to make the park similar to the one now in operation between Garza and Crosby streets. Arrants observed that trees are needed, and said

Work On Tennis Courts Slated As County Job

Slaton's tennis courts are sporting two new nets and resurfacing of at least three of the four courts is planned, according to County Commissioner Max Arrants.

Arrants said a couple of weeks ago that bids were being sought on the resurfacing of the courts and that they were to be in the architect's office by March 12. Also, he submitted to the county the bill for two

new nets and reels, and the county paid for those.

Members of the high school tennis team, coached by Bill Curry, have begun painting lines on the courts, although they are hoping that the lines will be covered by the resurfacing project soon.

The tennis team opens its season in a tournament at Brownfield this weekend.

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Beyond Our Solar System! The Pioneer 10 spacecraft, launched on March 2, 1972, was the first to fly beyond Mars' orbit and to cross the asteroid belt. It will become the first man-made object to escape the solar system.

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Presbyterian Pastor Honored With Sunday Tea Here

Argie Hunter, hostess of the Sunday tea, presented the Rev. Henry Chisholm, pastor of the Slaton Presbyterian Church, at a luncheon at her home, 845 10th St. Chisholm, formerly of Scotland, lives in Slaton and is pastor of the Presbyterian Church in the Lubbock area. He holds services at the Slaton Presbyterian Church on the Lubbock and Slaton highways. The serving table was laid with a white cloth, silver and crystal appointments, and was centered with a floral arrangement of red carnations and white stock. The hostess and co-hostesses, ladies of the Presbyterian Church, served red punch and white cookies and red punch to 75 guests.

Before the Bahamian assignment he served as pastor in several places in Scotland. He was pastor at Glasgow, Scotland, went to school and grew up there, but received his formal education in London. He attended St. Andrews Seminary in St. Andrews, Scotland.

The Chisholms have three sons, two of school age. Rev. Chisholm's father is a retired minister in Scotland. His mother and father recently visited here.

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It is required in stewards, that a man be found faithful. (1 Corinthians 4:2)

The psalmist said, "The earth is the Lord's and the fulness thereof," and God has made us trustees who will one day have to render an account of our stewardship. Good farming is using the resources of Mother Earth to produce the best possible crops now without impairing its capacity for the future.

As a professor of agriculture, I had a lecture entitled "Old Farming Sayings." I collected scores of them by jotting down what followed when a farmer or farm worker in the course of conversation said, "My father used to say..." Several of these proverbial sayings have contributed to the agricultural tradition handed on from one generation to another and are confirmed in their wisdom by science.

One of these sayings with a non-agricultural overtone is, "One ought to farm today as if one were going to farm forever, and to live today as if one were going to die tomorrow."

Prayer: Creator of all the earth, grant us such a reverence for life as will save us from sinful exploitation of Thy gifts for our selfish ends. May we seek first Thy kingdom and Thy righteousness that one day we may hear Thee say, "Well done, good and faithful servant!" Amen.

Thought for the day: Reverence for God helps us join together the sacred and secular.

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Sons of Herman Honor Pioneers

The Order of the Sons of Hermann in Texas will honor its pioneers with a Founders' Month membership campaign from March 1 through 31, Henry Riemer, grand president of the organization, has announced.

There are 161 lodges and some 73,000 members today in about 100 communities, including Lubbock and Slaton. The organization is well known for its many fraternal activities for men, women and children, including dancing schools and a summer camp for the latter.

MRS. LULA CALDWELL CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Lula Caldwell, who will be 86 this week, is being honored with an open house Sunday, 2:30 to 5:30. The occasion, hosted by her children, will be at her home one mile west of Slaton.

HOMEMAKERS CLASS HAS SOCIAL

Homemakers Class met in the home of Mrs. R. C. Hall, with Mrs. H. E. Woods, co-hostess, at 3 p.m. Wednesday. President Mrs. T. A. Johnson was in charge of the meeting and gave the opening prayer.

Devotional was given by Mrs. Harry Stokes on the Twenty-third Psalm, and "God's Psychiatry" written by Dr. Charles Allen. Closing prayer was led by Mrs. Sam Wilson.

Refreshments were served to Meses. C. R. Bain, Roy Collins, Barbara Jones (teacher), Berdie Godsey, Fannie Castleberry, Hall, Woods, Stokes and Wilson.

Deaths

MRS. L. ADAMS

Services for Mrs. Laurence Adams, 67, formerly of Roosevelt Community, now of Snyder, were held at 10:30 Thursday in Bell-Seale Funeral Chapel. Officiating was the Rev. Ken Adress, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Snyder.

Burial was in Snyder Cemetery.

Mrs. Adams died Tuesday in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

A native of Snyder, Mrs. Adams moved to Lubbock in 1949 and returned to Snyder in 1969. She married Jim A. Adams in 1926. She was a Baptist.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Jim Jr., of Dallas; a sister, Mrs. Florence Henley of Snyder; a brother, Loyce Adams of Snyder; and three grandchildren.

MRS. MATILDA WHITE

Services for Mrs. Matilda White, 97, of Rt. 1, Lubbock, were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Henderson Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Payton Fullingim of Lorenzo, officiating.

Mrs. White died in St. Mary's Hospital. She was a native of Llano County.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Audrey Rainwater, Mrs. Opal Self and Mrs. Tommie Shirley, all of Lubbock; two sons, Hershel and R. B., both of Lubbock; a sister, Mrs. Lilly Taylor of Vernon; 24 grandchildren; and numerous great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Great-grandchildren were pallbearers.

MRS. LOUANN JONES

Services for Mrs. Louann Rackley Jones, 97, of Russellville, Ark., a former Lubbock resident and mother of a Lubbock man, were held in Marr's Hill Cumberland Presbyterian Church near Russellville.

Burial was in Bowden Cemetery in Russellville. Officiating was the Rev. George Estes of N. Little Rock, and the Rev. Redmond Edbanks of Russellville.

Mrs. Jones died Wednesday in a nursing home in Russellville. She was a native of Pottsville, Ark.

She was the widow of the late E. R. Jones and daughter of the late Robert and Eliza Bowden Rackley. She was a member of the Marr's Hill Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include two sons, Carl Jones of Lubbock, and Arley Jones of Pottsville, Ark.; three daughters; 20 grandchildren; 43 great-grandchildren; and 22 great-great-grandchildren.

MRS. LILLIAN GRAY

Mrs. Lillian B. Gray, 91, of Sundown, died Monday in Lubbock Methodist Hospital.

Services were held Wednesday at 2 p.m. in Westview Baptist Church, Slaton, with burial in Englewood Cemetery under the direction of Englund.

Mrs. Gray was a native of Nacogdoches, and she had been a resident of Sundown for the past 20 years.

She lived in Iraan and was a member of Sundown Methodist Church.

Survivors include two sons, J. E. and Marvin, both of Slaton; five daughters, Mrs. W. F. Lancaster of Muleshoe, Mrs. A. D. Adams and Mrs. Floyd Gray, both of Olton, Mrs. S. Y. Joiner of Sundown, Mrs. W. T. Wilson of Iraan; and a sister, Mrs. Martha McKinney of Pecos; 26 grandchildren; 55 great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren.

MARY KRCHA

Services for Mrs. Mary Krcha, 87, were held at 4 p.m. Friday in Grace Lutheran Church with the Rev. Delma Luedke, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Englewood Cemetery under the direction of Englund.

Mrs. Krcha died Wednesday morning in Slaton Nursing Home. She was a resident of this area since 1920. She was a native of Topeka, Kan.

Survivors include a son, Raymond of Lubbock; a daughter, Mrs. E. R. Heinrich of Slaton; and two grandchildren.

MRS. HAWKINS

Services for Mrs. Horace Hawkins, a former Slaton resident, were held at 2 p.m. Friday in Stevens Memorial Chapel in Coleman. Officiating was the Rev. Bill Merritt, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Coleman.

Burial was in Coleman Cemetery.

Mrs. Hawkins died Wednesday in Austin, where she lived.

Survivors included her husband; a sister, Mrs. Vernon Lewis of Coleman; and two brothers, Harold Kinney of Coleman and Howard Kinney of Fort Worth.

FRED KAHLICH

Services for Fred Kahlich, 85, of Slaton were held at 10 a.m. Saturday in Grace Lutheran Church with the Rev. Delmas Luedke, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Englewood Cemetery under the direction of Englund. Kahlich died Wednesday in his home of an apparent heart attack.

A native of Wied, Kahlich moved to this area from Cuero.

Survivors included his wife, Dora; a stepson, Reinhold Mueller of Cuero; four daughters, Mrs. Viola Miller and Mrs. Hermeine Miller, both of Slaton, Mrs. Olevia Hildebrand of Lubbock and Mrs. Irene Goehring of Yorktown; two brothers, Anton and Eddie, both of Cuero; a sister, Mrs. Emil Till of Alice; six grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

JESSE A. WARD

Services for Jesse Allan Ward, 84, were held at 10:30 a.m. Friday in First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Jim Sharp officiating, assisted by the Rev. Charles Hastings.

Masonic graveside rites were held in Terrace Cemetery in Post. Burial was under the direction of Englund. Ward died Tuesday in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Ward had been a resident of this area since 1916. He was a retired farmer and lived in Slaton since 1969. He was a native of Water Valley, Miss.

Survivors include his wife, Pearl of Slaton; two daughters, Mrs. Thelma Dockery of Brownfield and Mrs. Caroline Norbury of Moore, Okla.; six grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

T. J. BISHOP

T. J. Bishop, 62, of Brownfield, died Friday in a Big Spring hospital following a lengthy illness.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday in White Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. E. K. Shepherd, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Wilson, officiating. Burial was in Tahoka Cemetery.

Bishop, a native of Vernon, came to Lynn County in 1922 from Oklahoma. He moved to Brownfield when he retired 18 months ago. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Judy Olds and Mrs. Linda Kay Lindlo, both of Azle; three sisters, Mrs. Pauline Turpin of Artesia, Mrs. Faye Robins of Hermleigh and Mrs. Evelyn Watson of Odessa; four brothers, Jack of Wilson, Ace of Oklahoma, Everett of Houston and Jimmie of Brownfield; and one grandson.

Nephews served as pallbearers.

CARD OF THANKS

Our heartfelt thanks to all for your visits, prayers and comforting words at the loss of our loved one. To all who brought food, sent flowers and memorials, all the nice sympathy cards, and those that helped in any way at our time of sorrow.

To Pastor Luedke for his visits, prayers and comforting words of hope. To Ada Mae and Linda for the beautiful music and songs, Bud Englund for his loving kindness and help.

We will always remember with deep gratitude their loving kindness.

May God bless all.
Mrs. Fred Kahlich
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller
Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Miller
Mr. Mrs. H. H. Hildebrand
Mr. Mrs. Herbert Goehring
Reinhold Mueller

Nursing Home News

By BOBBIE HOGUE

Our residents and visitors had fun at the bingo party held recently. A visitor, Christina Davila, won the bingo grand prize, which was a large box of candy. Prizes were given to all players who had a bingo. After the game, the group was served cookies and strawberry punch.

We welcome back Charlie Griffin, after a stay in Mercy Hospital. We also welcome two new residents, Theima Osburn, from a nursing home in Post, and Nova Szabo of Lubbock.

Several of our residents are settling down now after moving into the new wing. We think our new wing is the "talk of the town." We are looking forward to open house April 7.

Forty-two seems to prove itself popular every day after lunch for Bill DeWess, Alene Line and Bill Parker. Like to play 42? Then drop by sometime and challenge some real good players!

The lawns of the Nursing Home are beginning to be landscaped. Plans are for a very attractive outdoor garden, especially for the residents. We feel this is something our residents can enjoy and take a part in caring for the flowers, etc. in the garden.

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Rev. E. Hardy Cole
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Rev. E. K. Shepherd

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Louis Balderach

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Earl Tumlinson
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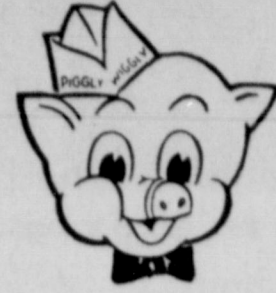
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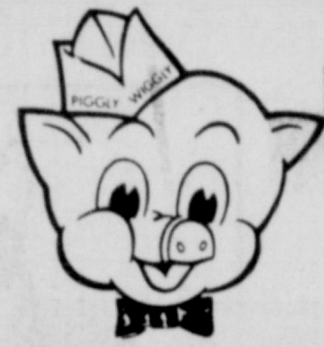
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Million Bales Harvested

South Plains cotton reached the 2 1/2 million mark the past week, according to Paul R. ... in charge of the Cotton Classing Office of the USDA. This is the largest volume crop ever on the South Plains, the previous high in 1962 when 2,275,000 bales were classed.

The counties east and south of Lubbock. Ginning, sampling and classing are expected to continue on a limited scale for some weeks due to the volume of this ricked cotton remaining.

The USDA Classing Office at Lubbock tested and classed samples from 27,000 bales during the week ending Friday, Feb. 15. This brought the total classed for the season to 2,492,000.

Quality of cotton continued excellent and this crop is one of the highest quality crops ever produced on the South Plains.

Grades 31 and 41 continued the predominant grades at Lubbock, making up approximately two-thirds of all cotton classed. Grade 31

made up 14 percent, Grade 41, 53 percent, Grade 32, 10 percent and Grade 42, 8 percent.

Staple length continued to average between 31 and 32. Thirty-five percent had a staple length of 31, 27 percent stapled 32 and 11

percent stapled 33. Micronaire readings continued excellent. Eighty percent of all cotton tested at Lubbock had micronaire readings in the premium range of 3.5 to 4.9 and 5 percent had readings of 5.0 and higher.

The Agricultural Marketing Service of the USDA reported steady trading on the Lubbock market. Prices were \$15 to \$25 per bale higher than at this time last week. Prices ranged from 280 points over the Government Loan for short staple cotton up to 4300 points over the loan for long staple cotton. Typical lots were bringing an average of 36 cents per pound over the loan and were selling in the price range of 45 to 60 cents per pound.

Cottonseed prices were steady and farmers received \$95 to \$110 per ton.



ROOSEVELT FFA OFFICERS --- Shown here are the officers of the Roosevelt chapter of FFA. From left, standing, are J. T. Crumley, advisor; Kenny Perry, Bobby Cate, Gary Stennett, Michael Patschke, Lynn Walling, advisor; seated, Marvin Powe, Gilbert Brown, Tony Thomas and Billy Hale, advisor.



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One ironic development of the energy crisis, officials of the Beltone Crusade for Hearing Conservation report, is that the energy cutbacks along with the resulting reductions in the use of noise producing appliances actually may prove beneficial to hearing health care. The increased usage of noisy household appliances and the development of larger horsepower engines, have combined to make the growing household roar an increasing hazard to the human ear in recent years.

NOTICE

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed proposals addressed to Mr. Bill Tucker, President, Board of Trustees, Lubbock Independent School District, Lubbock, Texas, for construction of an Elementary School at 58th Street and Utica Avenue, Lubbock, Texas, will be received and publicly opened and read aloud in the Assembly Room, Administrative Offices, 1628 19th Street, Lubbock, Texas, as follows:

- Mechanical Work -- 4:00 P.M. (CDT) March 26, 1974.
- Electrical Work -- 4:00 P.M. (CDT) March 26, 1974.
- Kitchen Equipment--4:00 P.M. (CDT) March 26, 1974.
- General Construction Work -- 4:00 P.M. (CDT) March 28, 1974.

Bids received late after times stated above will be returned unopened.

Note: The successful Mechanical and Electrical Bids will be assigned by the Lubbock Independent School District to the General Contractor for incorporation into their proposals. The Kitchen Equipment contract will be awarded separately.

Plans, specifications, and related documents may be examined without charge in the office of the architects, Stiles, Roberts, Messersmith and Johnson, 3307 Avenue X, Lubbock, Texas 79411, and they may be obtained upon deposit of \$50.00, the full amount of which will be returned to the bidder upon return of plans and specifications in good condition within ten days of receipt of bids.

Each bidder must deposit security with his bid in the amount and form specified and subject to the conditions provided in the Instructions to Bidders.

Attention of bidders is called particularly to the employment requirements to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the contract.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within 30 days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

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Rhonda Biggs and Angela Kitten in action against Lyford.

1932 SLATON HIGH GIRLS TEAM WENT TO STATE

Slaton Tigresses went to State in 1932, according to the year book of Mrs. Imogene Harper Wells. The coach was J. G. Wilhite, now of Lubbock. The mascot was Pauline Lokey, a sister of one of the players.

The girls won the Slaton tournament and the Ralls, Brownfield and Lubbock county tournaments, so this sent them to the State A.A.U. meet at Celeste undefeated for the season. There they met with tough luck and went down to defeat with Dimmitt winning the championship.

Starting lineup included Ruby Banks Burton (now of Lubbock), Imogene Harper Wells (now of Slaton), and

Helen Harper Burns (Portales, N.M.), guards; and forwards Mildred Self Chandler (Greenville), Maxie Poteet Turner (California) and Lorena Saage Ballard (Lubbock), who was their star forward.

Other players were Laura Saage Wilson (Slaton), Donnie Sanders Osburn (Slaton), Maurine Mitchell Dean (New Home), Pat Patterson Rice (California), Irene Cook (now deceased), Flora Mae Lokey (also deceased), and Nellie Price (Lubbock), and Inez Watson.

Slaton Tigresses also went to Plainview to play for State in 1931 but were defeated there.



1932 SLATON CHAMPIONS --- In 1932 the Slaton High School Tigresses went to State at Celeste. Starting team, back row, left to right: Helen Harper Burns, Ruby Banks Burton, guards, Maxie Poteet Turner, Lorena Saage Ballard and Mildred Self Chandler, forwards, Imogene Harper Wells, guard, and Coach J. G. Wilhite. Second row, Laura Saage Wilson, Nellie Price, Inez Watson, Little Pauline Lokey (mascot), Flora Mae Lokey (deceased), and Donnie Sanders Osburn. Front row, Maurine Mitchell Dean, Trixie Jackson, Inez Patterson and Irene Cook (deceased). Players still living in Slaton are Mmes. Wells, Wilson and Osburn.

Gasoline Has Life Span Too

Some people may try to beat the energy shortage by storing large amounts of gasoline. But this may create other problems, says Alan J. Fires, County Extension Agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Gasoline stored on a farm or around a house becomes an expensive convenience if

farmers not wishing to plant, Riley explains. "But if this most recent ruling is not changed," he continued, "leased acreage for which we have paid good money will be worthless."

The communication from Washington to the State ASCS office at College Station, in part, says "coverage will be extended only to the historical allotment on each farm. In the case of cotton this would be the basic allotment and would not include acreage leased or re-apportioned."

As now interpreted, this would mean that acreage transferred to a farm on a permanent, purchase basis, would be eligible for disaster payments, but temporary transfers of acreage by lease would not.

It is reported that the decision to exclude temporary allotment transfers from disaster coverage was made to preclude the making of payments on acreage leased or re-apportioned to farms where it is known in advance that planting will be prevented by flooding or other natural disaster.

"But be that as it may," Riley says, "it is no justification for penalizing Plains farmers who wish to obtain the meager protection against disaster that was intended by Congress when the law was written." PCG has also pointed out to Congressmen Poage and Mahon that with 1974's

the storage period is longer than six months.

First, the fuel contains a blend of several parts, one of which is extremely volatile and provide engines with easy starting. It evaporates rapidly. When the storage tank is exposed to the sun or high temperatures, most of this ingredient is lost in about 60 days.

Secondly, gas becomes gummy -- similar to shellac -- after it "ages". This gum may stop up the carburetor and cause engine deposits. It also may cause damage when mixed in small amounts with fresh gasoline.

Furthermore, seasonal changes in grades of gasolines spell trouble if fuel blended for one season is carried over in storage tanks until another season.

For example, winter-grade fuel should not be used during late spring. This gas may cause the engine to skip because of vapor lock. The condition occurs when gasoline boils in the fuel lines, fuel pump or carburetor.

Vapor lock may even cause an engine to cut off. When this happens, the engine must be allowed to cool. Water may be poured on the fuel lines or fuel pump to speed the cooling process.

Summer grade fuel may cause hard starting during cold weather.

greatly increased production costs, some farmers will not be able or willing to plant cotton above their basic allotments without some kind of protection and that the breakdown of acreage leasing will therefore have an adverse effect on total plantings at a time when the government is calling for all-out production.

Caulk And Weatherstrip To Reduce Utility Bills

COLLEGE STATION -- even a well-insulated house can lose heat, one authority warns.

"From 15-30 per cent of a home's heating (or cooling) bills are due to air leaking in or out," Patricia A. Bradshaw, housing and home furnishings specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, noted.

Weatherstripping and caulking problem areas can

reduce this waste, the specialist said.

"By applying these products himself, a homeowner also cuts expenses.

"Weatherstripping goes on doors and windows. It's sold by the foot or in kits with enough weatherstripping and fasteners for one door or window.

"Caulking compound, on the other hand, is applied at joints where different materials meet -- such as brick and siding. Also, around doors and window frames."

Miss Bradshaw advised consumers to carefully compare caulking compounds in order to select the right one for the job.

"Many different caulks are available; however, all types come in handy tubes for application with caulking guns.

"For more information or help in selecting products, consult a reputable dealer.

"For best results, caulk and weatherstrip until a light mist forms on windows during cold weather. This creates the most comfortable living conditions, cuts heating costs and helps conserve national fuel resources," she added.

TV Viewers Save Energy

COLLEGE STATION -- Television viewers "tuned into" the facts can turn their sets into energy savers, one authority reported this week.

Amount of energy a television set consumes depends on type and use, Janice K. Garrett, home management specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, continued.

"A tube-operated, black-and-white set expends more electricity than a solid-state model.

"A color set uses even more."

Despite higher initial costs, solid-state sets save energy and money in the long run, the specialist said.

"Choosing a black-and-white set instead of color also saves money -- and energy. However, advantages of watching programs in color often outweigh these savings."

A model with an "instant-on" feature draws power constantly -- however, even though it uses more energy, it prolongs life of the set.

To save energy with "instant on" sets, Miss Garrett advised owners to unplug these sets only when they won't be used for several days -- such as when the family goes on vacation or weekend trips.

"Another waste involves unwatched television sets.

"Turning any set off will save energy, but only if it's left off awhile. So, don't turn it off for only 30-minutes or so.

"Frequently turning a TV set off and on is hard on it -- especially a tube-operated model. Constant warming and cooling weakens its tubes," she explained.

"And, electricity saved from such actions is minimal -- only a few cents worth a month."

COOPER FFA NEWS

By JIMMY KAHLICH

The Cooper FFA will hold its monthly meeting Monday, March 4, at 7:30 p.m. in the Vo. Ag. building. Also there will be some boys take livestock to the Southwest Livestock Show March 11-13, and to the County Show March 21.

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FROM PLAINS COTTON GROWERS, INC.

LUBBOCK -- Word that leased or other temporarily transferred cotton allotments would not be eligible for disaster payments in 1974 reached area offices of USDA's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) Feb. 5 and sparked an immediate protest from Ray Joe Riley, President of Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. Riley told Congressman Bob Poage of Waco, Chairman of the House Agriculture Committee, "This arbitrary change in the rules is being taken after some growers have made irreversible financial commitments and if allowed to stand is going to create serious and

unnecessary inequities as well as reduce chances for adequate cotton production in 1974." Similar statements have been made by PCG to the office of Congressman George Mahon of Lubbock.

Under the Agricultural Act of 1973, provision is made for farmers who are unable to plant or who lose their crop after planting to receive one-third of the "target price" on an amount of cotton equal to their established 1974 payment yield times their acreage allotment. In 1974 the disaster payment would be one-third of 38 cents or 12.66 cents per pound. Also, if because of conditions beyond the farmer's control his total production falls below 2/3rds of "expected yield" he would be entitled to a payment of 12.66 cents times the difference between total production and expected production. Expected production is defined as payment yield times acreage allotment.

Some producers, expecting to avail themselves of this insurance feature on more than their base allotments, have either leased or plan to lease acreage from

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Annual Blue-Gold Banquet Honors Cub Scouts Here

Fathers of Cub Scouts performed during a skit at the annual Blue and Gold Banquet Friday night at Junior High cafeteria, which pleased and entertained the Scouts and guests present.

Cub Master Fred Stolle, master of ceremonies, presented Mrs. Mary Jane Farley a plaque for her dedication and work with the Scouts. Doug Palmer, representative for McKenzie Trail District, introduced guests. Ellis Schmid, representative of the American Legion, gave a short talk regarding the privilege of helping to sponsor the Scouting program.

Other entertainment included singing by Mrs. LaFonda Townsend and daughters Debbie and Cathy, and Charlotte Moore, accompanied by Miss Martha Elder at the piano.

Pledge to the flag was led by the Webelos at the beginning of the banquet. Webelos leader Isidoro Hirsch and his group demonstrated feats the boys had done to earn their athletic awards, and also gave the closing ceremony.

Boys receiving awards were Gilbert Flores, James Chance, Herbert Hammons, John Robinson, Freddie Gonzales, Richard Beggs, Steven Tabor, Mark Degan, Bobby Barry, Scott Moore and Joe Teague.

Mark Degan, Den 1, was presented the Denner's

Cord, along with Herbert Hammons, assistant. For Den 2, Denner's Cord was presented to Richard Beggs, with assistant Rodney Wallace, who was not present. Also Herman Rogers (who was not present) earned the Denner's Cord for Den 4, with assistant Joe Teague.

Ronald Sanders was accepted into the Webelos.

Each den was responsible for decorating their tables. Food was brought by each family, which included fried chicken, baked beans, hot rolls and all the trimmings. Den leaders are Mmes. Seba Ferguson and Mary

Jane Robinson, for Den 1; Mmes. Vickie Chance and Betty Riney, Den 2; and Mrs. Jo Holt for Den 4.

A meeting will be held March 12 at 7:30 p.m. in the American Legion to re-charter Pack 123.



SEE NOW — Miss LeAnn Heinrich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Heinrich, sausage making through from start to finish last week as members of St. Catholic Church prepared for Sunday's Sausage Festival. A record profit was at the dinner, and will benefit St. Joseph's School. (SLATONITE PHOTO)



Snyder Art Show Set

The Snyder Palette Club will hold its third annual exhibition March 16 and 17 at the Scurry County Coliseum in Snyder. Featured will be paintings and drawings in all media, and small sculpture.

All adult artists residing in this and surrounding areas are eligible to enter.

Juror will be Dr. Emilio Caballero of Canyon.

Hand delivered works should be brought to the Scurry County Coliseum, East Highway, on March 14, between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. Crated works should be shipped to Scurry County Coliseum, East Hwy., Snyder, Texas 79549; and should arrive between Mar. 1-12. Works arriving after March 12 will be returned unopened. All crated works must be sent prepaid.

All entries must be original in design and execution and must have been completed within the last two years and not previously exhibited in Snyder. Pictures and drawings must be framed and securely wired for hanging and not to exceed 50 inches including frame, in any dimension. Sculpture dimensions the same as stated above. Any works not in good taste may be rejected by committee. All work must remain in place and not be withdrawn until 5 p.m. Sunday, March 17. Each artist may submit three entries.

Entry fees are \$3 per entry. A 20 percent commission will be charged on all sales. The exhibit will officially open Saturday, March 16, 1 p.m. to 9 p.m., and open Sunday, March 17, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Awards will be presented Sunday at 3 p.m. For further information call Roslie McGlaun, 573-2915 or LaVerne Lee, 573-2754.

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was present, replied that manpower problems have kept the police department from pursuing enforcement of the junk car ordinance recently. The complainant then said all he was asking was that all other citizens be required to comply with the same law he had to comply with. Commissioners assured him that they would see that the ordinance was enforced on an equal basis.

The commission voted to put up a sign on Division St. warning motorists to stop for pedestrians crossing at crosswalks, and urged that parents of school children impress upon the children the importance of crossing at crosswalks only.

This came as a result of a complaint from a mother that her children had to cross Division to get to school daily, and that while one car might stop for children crossing the street, the next car would zip around the halted car and endanger the children.

One commissioner observed that he had noticed that many of the drivers committing this very act are mothers with children in their cars.

A 20-foot square area containing an abandoned and depleted water well will be given to Bill Davis, owner of property in the corner of which the well is located, the group voted.

Garden, Landscape Clinic Set

A Garden and Landscape Clinic will be held in the evenings Feb. 28 and March 5 and 7. Each session will begin at 7:30 p.m. and last about 2 hours. The meetings will be held in the Merchants building, located on the Panhandle South Plains Fair Grounds. Entrance to the fair grounds may be made through the Broadway Avenue gate.

The clinic is free to anyone interested in gardening and is sponsored by the Lubbock County Extension Agents office.

The meeting on Feb. 28 will be directed by Leon New, Area Irrigation Specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. He will discuss water management for yards and gardens. He will also discuss and display equipment for drip-irrigation and its use with horticulture crops.

The March 5 meeting will concern home landscape. And the March 7 meeting will feature post harvest handling of vegetables and vegetable preservation.

No pre-registration will be required, and participants may attend any one or all of the sessions. Additional information may be obtained from the County Extension Office.

LIONS TO CONDUCT ANNUAL QUEEN CONTEST
Slaton Lions Club will have its annual Queen Contest March 30 in the high school auditorium, it was announced this week.

ATHENIANS MEET

The Athenian Study Club met last Monday in the Chamber of Commerce room with the vice president, Mrs. Ronnie Jones conducting a business meeting. Jackie McElfresh gave a report on the March of Dimes, approximately \$600 was made. The club rules were read and reviewed.

The program was on interior decorating, given by Jamer Southward from Lubbock.

The club went to the Hayloft in February with members and several guests being present.

Members attending the meeting included Miss Jackie McElfresh, Mmes. Jim Bales, J. C. McClesky, Edwin Knight, Coy Evans, Commie Oats, Allen Miles, Dubbin England, Ronnie Jones, Larry Smith, Raymond Wood, Keith White,

VFW Auxiliary News Report

The Ladies VFW Auxiliary 6721, met in regular session Monday night. Opening prayer was given by Chaplain Ruby Wheatly, with Jo Ann Arnold leading the group in the pledge to the flag.

Guests from Lubbock Auxiliary were Peggy Grant, District 7 President, Lovia Williams, Sue Crowder and Maizie Richardson, President of Lubbock VFW Auxiliary 2466.

The Slaton VFW Post and Auxiliary were host over the weekend for the District 7 Convention.

Speaker for the local Post was Mel Stanley, a past State Commander, the Ladies Representative was Jackie Smith, Junior Vice

Bill Curry, Tommy Davis, Truett Bownds and one guest Mrs. Bill Alspaugh.

Barkley Enters Alpha Chi

Randy Barkley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Barkley, 1535 W. Lynn St., Slaton, was among 22 Lubbock Christian College students initiated into Alpha

Chi, a national academic honor society for senior colleges, in special ceremonies Feb. 22 on the LCC campus.

A student must have a grade point average in the upper ten percent of the junior or senior class to be eligible for membership in the Alpha Mu Chapter of Alpha Chi.

Installations were made by Dr. Jim Baker, Dr. Christa Dobbs and Don Williams, LCC faculty-sponsors of the chapter. A buffet dinner in LCC's Chaparral Room followed.

Barkley, a junior biology major, has a grade point average of 4.00 and is a member of the Royal Blue Band and the Orchestra.

Because of the gradual development of most hearing losses, those afflicted frequently are not aware of their condition until the loss has become serious or permanently damaging.

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Roosevelt News

by
Lynda Hall
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The Roosevelt Annual Stock Show was held Feb. 21 in the Slaton Livestock Barn.

In the steer division, Marty Mimms received Grand Champion Award and first place in the All Steers. Mike Ragland showed the Reserve Grand Champion Steer and placed second in the All Steer division.

Third place went to Amy Speed; fourth place, Jeff Matsler; fifth place, Neil Jones; and sixth place went to Rodney Thomas.

Marvin Powe showed both the Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion-Gilt.

In the class 2 Light Weight Duroc Gilts, Marvin Powe placed first and second; Mark Glasier, third; Ricky Morris, fourth; and Raymond Fikes, fifth.

In class 3 Heavy Weight Duroc Gilts, Mike Davis, first; Scooter McClendon, second; Billy Frizzell, third; and Lawrence Bush, fourth.

Class 4 Hampshire Barrows, Marvin Powe, first; Anthony Bessent, second; Scotty Bessent, third; and Roy Sansom, fourth.

Class 5 Spotted and Poland China, Mike Davis, first; Buddy Reynolds, second, third and fourth; and

Jody Reynolds, fifth.

Class 6 Other Breed Gilts, Lawrence Bush, first; Steve Frizzell, second; Mark Glasier, third; Jimmy Butler, fourth; Edward Neddy, 5th; Raymond Fikes, 6th; Jimmy Ainsworth, 7th; and Curtis Brown, 8th.

In the Sheep Division, Tony Thomas received Grand and Reserve Champion.

Fine Wool Division -- Becky Sasser, first; Leann Isenberg, second; Barbara Rose, third; Billy Schulein, fourth and eighth; Eddy Cox, fifth; Tony Thomas sixth; Rhonda Shelton, seventh; Kenny Perry, 9th and 10th.

Crosses -- Tony Thomas, first, second and third; Leann Isenberg, fourth; Becky Sasser, fifth; Barbara Rose, sixth; Eddy Cox, seventh; and Rhonda Shelton, eighth.

Barrow Division -- Tony Thomas showed the Grand Champion Barrow, and Brooks Marshall the Reserve Champion Barrow.

Light Weight Duroc Barrows -- Mike Ragland, first; Tim Thomas, second; Gina Thomas, third; Kent McLeod, fourth and seventh; Rodney Thomas, fifth; Craig Hancock, sixth; and Skeeter

Ainsworth, eighth.

Medium Weight Duroc Barrows -- Rance Puckett, first; Marvin Powe, second; Rodney Thomas, third; Ricky Morris, fourth; Mike Ragland, fifth; Steve Frizzell, sixth; and Dwayne Patschke, seventh.

Heavy Weight Duroc Barrows -- Craig Hancock, first; Brooks Marshall, second; Marvin Powe, third; Mike Davis, fourth; Anthony Bessent, fifth; Tony Thomas, sixth; and Ricky Morris, seventh.

Chester White -- Terry Harris, first; Michael Patschke, second; Joe McClendon, third; Wally Rennels, fourth; Cam Probasco, fifth.

Light Weight Hampshire Barrows -- Buddy Reynolds, first; Scotty Bessent, second; Scooter McClendon, third; and Cary Stennett, fourth.

Heavy Weight Hampshire Barrows -- Tony Thomas, first; Clarence Milam, second; Cary Stennett, third; Michael Patschke, fourth; Billy Frizzell, fifth.

Light Weight Crossbred Barrows -- Raymond Butler, first; Scooter McClendon, second; Clarence Milam, third; Sam Butler, fourth; Pam Probasco, fifth; Steve Frizzell, sixth; and Ricky Morris, seventh.

Heavy Weight Crossbred Barrows -- Tony Thomas, first; Mark Glasier, second; Anthony Bessent, third; Lawrence Bush, fourth; Buddy Reynolds, fifth; Billy Frizzell, sixth; Jody Reynolds, seventh; and Terry Cate, eighth.

All Other Breed Barrows -- Brooks Marshall, first; Michael Patschke, second; Anthony Bessent, third; Roberta Thomas, fourth; Thornton Thomas, fifth; Marvin Powe, sixth; and Craig Hancock, seventh.

In the Shop Projects, Gary Thornton won over all with his dog house.

Wood Projects -- Gary Thornton, first; Raymond Fikes, second; David Holland, third; J. C. Neil, fourth; Marvin Powe, fifth; and Bobby Call, sixth.

Metal Projects -- Bobby Call, first; Jeff Matsler, second; Kenneth Bobo, 3rd; Noel Bills, 4th; Lon Pierce, 5th; and Neil Jones, 6th.

Helping hand out the trophies were the Roosevelt FFA Sweetheart, Donna Miller; FFA Co-Sweetheart, Betti Park; and the Roosevelt 4-H Princess, Sandra



GRAND CHAMPION -- Showing the Grand Champion Steer was Marty Mimms, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mimms. Presenting him the trophy are FFA Sweetheart Donna Miller, 4-H Co-Princess, 4-H Princess Sandra Patschke, and FFA Co-Sweetheart Betti Park.

Patschke, and Co-Princess Lynda Hall.

Tony Thomas and Mike Ragland received the Showmanship awards.

4-H CENTER

Groundbreaking ceremonies were conducted Friday, Feb. 22, for the \$1375 million dollar Texas 4-H Center at Lake Brownwood following a 10:30 a.m. ceremony in downtown Brownwood.

Construction on the center is expected to begin shortly with Herman Bennett Company of Brownwood slated to build the youth facility. Matthews, Cumpton and Associates, architects and engineers of Bryan, designed the center which should be completed in about a year.

The center will feature such programs as youth summer camps, leadership training, citizenship seminars, adult leader training, county 4-H camps and family weekend retreats. It will also be opened to other groups and businesses interested in conducting educational programs.

The site was donated by Brown County Water Improvement District #1.

Representing our area was Mrs. Kathrine Crawford, District Extension Agent, who took the 4-H Council members of District II.

LUNCH MENU

Monday -- Barbecue on bun, blackeyed peas, corn on cob, apple sauce and milk.

Tuesday -- Pizza, mashed potatoes, tossed salad, banana pudding, rolls, butter and milk.

Wednesday -- Fish sticks with tartar sauce, lima beans, beets, orange jello, rolls, butter and milk.

Thursday -- Turkey and dressing, cranberry sauce, green beans, sweet potatoes, peach cobbler, rolls, butter and milk.

Friday -- Barbecued franks, corn, peas, pineapple cake, rolls, butter and milk.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

A slumber party celebrating Susie Probasco's 12th birthday was held Friday, Feb. 22. Guests were Paula Perry, Jan Hall, Beverly Miller, Tanya Evans, Roxanne Wetzel and Janet Cross.

NEW BIRTH

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reynolds on the birth of a son weighing 7 lbs. 8 1/2 oz. at 7:04 p.m. Friday in West Texas Hospital. The father is a farmer.

NEWS BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Max Barnett have returned from visiting with their children, Bill and Becky Jackson, in Kansas.

Mrs. Inez Speed has been released from the hospital where she was a patient with the flu.

Davis May of San Antonio, underwent surgery again Tuesday in University Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Eher have returned from California where they attended the wedding of their daughter, Jeanette.

Carol Woolley has been home visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Woolley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Elbert of Mt. Vernon, formerly of Roosevelt community, are visiting relatives in Lubbock.

TRACK

Roosevelt boys will participate in their first track meet of the season in Idalou this Saturday.

The girls will open their season in Olton, also this Saturday. The Junior High will also participate in that meet.

BOOSTER CLUB

The Booster Club will hold a monthly meeting March 11 at 8 p.m. in the high school. Discussion will be regarding the track meets and the All Sports Banquet.

The Booster Club bake auction last Friday night brought in approximately \$1750.

FTA

The FTA'ers for the month of February were Patti Smith and Daymond Fikes. They are juniors.

The following attended the State FTA Convention in Dallas Feb. 21-23: Mrs. Kay Maley, sponsor, Mrs. Laura Smith, Mrs. Barbara Davis, Mary Brown, Patricia Gartin, Charles Keaton, Patti Smith, Daymond Fikes, Brenda Reynolds, Vicki James, Virginia Franklin, Vicki Jupe, Shelly Smith and Julie Holland.

Real Estate Short Course Is Offered

The Regional Occupational Center will offer Part II and Part III of an approved short course in Fundamentals of Real Estate for persons who wish to meet the educational requirements for the Real Estate Broker's License.

The course will meet 7 to 10 p.m. on Tuesday and



CHAMPION LAMB -- Exhibiting the Grand Champion Lamb was Tony Thomas along with Steve Frizzell, helping him and FFA Co-Sweetheart Betti Park, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thomas.



CHAMPION BARROW -- Tony Thomas showed the Grand Champion Barrow with Sandra Patschke, Princess, presenting the trophy at the livestock show.



SHOP PROJECT -- Exhibiting the Champion Shop Project was Gary Thornton with Lynda Hall, Co-Princess, presenting the trophy.

Wednesday evenings and will begin March 5.

Classes will meet in the First Federal Savings and Loan Association building at 3845 50th Street in Lubbock. The course will last 11 weeks and will end on May 15.

Cost of the course will be \$40 per person per part or \$75 for persons who enroll in both parts, providing at least 15 persons enroll. A textbook will be used and persons taking the course will be expected to purchase a text in addition to the enrollment fee.

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SHOWMANSHIP -- Tony Thomas and Mike Ragland received the showmanship awards. Shown with them are Betti Park, Donna Miller, Lynda Hall and Sandra Patschke.



CHAMPION GILT -- Marvin Powe showed the grand champion gilt and is receiving his trophy from (left to right) Lynda Hall, Sandra Patschke, Betti Park and Donna Miller.



CHAMPION HAMPSHIRE -- Brooks Marshall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dub Marshall, exhibited the champion Hampshire Barrow in the Southwest International Livestock Show in El Paso. Brooks is a freshman at Roosevelt High School.

PHOTO HIGHLIGHTS OF THE STATE TOURNAMENT



YOU GONNA GIVE ME TROUBLE? --- That seems to be the question in the mind of Slaton forward Doris Meurer as she eyes Lyford guard Janet Studebaker in this state tournament game won by Slaton 56-41. (SLATONITE PHOTO)



THE CHAMPS --- These are the champions of Texas Class AA girls basketball. From left, standing, are Coach Gay Benson, Kimmy Cooper, Mildred Maxwell, Patti Melton, Keri Kern, Ann Partain, Jan Davis, LuAnne Fondy, Debra Montgomery, Rhonda Biggs, Dianna Dunlap, Jo Edna Smith, Rosemary Scott, Teresa Wright. Kneeling are Kay Stephens, Angela Kitten, Doris Meurer, Pam Howard, Becky Culver, Susan Hopper, Loretta Wolf, Frana Gass and Raynie Hardesty. (SLATONITE PHOTO)



THE WAY --- Tigerette Guard Kay Stephens grabs the ball with both hands in this state championship game in Austin Saturday. The girl at left is Sissy Comanche, and her sister, Linda, is No. 11. Linda was all-state in 1973 as a Tigerette. (SLATONITE PHOTO)



BALL GOES BYE-BYE --- Diane Trolinger, Lyford's ace forward, lost her balance and lost the ball here, as the basketball shot straight out from her and went out of bounds. LuAnne Fondy (33) and Kay Stephens are coming up on Miss Trolinger, who looks as if she expects to be kicked. (SLATONITE PHOTO)



KEEPING IT UP --- These three Slaton cheerleaders were on hand to lead yells during Slaton's successful bid for the state title. From left are Anne Webb, Lynne Wendel and Anna Jones. (SLATONITE PHOTO)



LOOK WHAT WE WON -- Coach Gay Benson obviously is happy with this trophy indicating that Slaton has won the UIL state championship of Class AA girls basketball. (SLATONITE PHOTO)

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The Slaton Slatonite has been authorized to make the following announcements for Lubbock County, subject to action of Democratic primaries, May 4, 1974.

MAX ARRANTS
County Commissioner--Precinct 2 [re-election]

COY BIGGS
County Commissioner--Precinct 1

ARVIN STAFFORD
Justice of the Peace--Precinct 1 [re-election]

KENT R. HANCE
State Senator - 28th District

LEGAL NOTICE

BID NOTICE

The Lubbock Independent School District will receive sealed bids for the purchase of furniture until 3:00 p.m. DCT, March 14, 1974, in the office of the director of purchasing, 1628 19th St., Lubbock, Texas 79401. Bids will then be opened and read aloud. Bid forms may be obtained upon request in the above office.

Rupert Pearce, Director of Purchasing
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22-2tc

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notification of Election to be held for Wards 2 and 4, City of Slaton for Commissioners. Election date is April 6, 1974. Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Voting place for Ward 4 will be Stephen F. Austin School, with Mrs. Rose Farschon as voting judge. Voting place for Ward 2 will be the County Club House, with Wayne Liles, voting judge. Filing deadline is March 6, 5 p.m. Candidates may file in the office of the City Secretary. 22-2tc

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NEW FEVER INVADES SHS

By CINDY PATTERSON

The Slaton Tigerettes were "off" on their trip to the State Basketball tournaments in Austin. It was reported by the team physician that "Members of the team should be excused from their behavior." He cited symptoms of extreme happiness as: the infected person may appear "dazy" and walk along as if he is in mid-air; loud laughing and talking are very common in most cases.

Coach Kerr is still saying "Pride -- we must have Pride!" And for once the students can really relate to it. The teachers have not conducted a proper class because of all of the excitement of the trip to Austin. The students did not even have a chance to skip school to see the games. The faculty, and the whole town for that matter, was so happy that school let out at 2:30 last Thursday. Slaton residents did everything possible to rake up enough money to make the trip to Austin. Students were seen selling their papers -- assignments from subjects they took last year -- to underclassmen. As for the freshmen, most of them tried to bum money from Junior High kids.

Nothing promotes pride, school spirit and enthusiasm faster than a winning team. Students and townspeople say thanks and congratulations to the SHS Tigerettes and their coach, Mrs. Benson.



Two Comanche guards, Jan goes up for a rebound with Rosemary backing her up. (TC Staff Photo)

Favorites Selected

About their high school years, two seniors are prominent figures. They are Lynne Queen and Greg Berleider, and Greg the Student Council member, who now claim the honors of being Mrs. SHS.

Students have chosen Lynne and Doris as having the best statures. The winners are Willie Thomas and Walker.

The honors go to Phil as the top scorer of basketball, and Jan as the high point player in girls basketball.

Other boys showing barrows were: Russel Heinrich, Terry Bradford, and Loran Roberts.

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From the AG PEN

By CLAY MITCHELL

Four boys, Clay Mitchell, Gary West, Randy Marshall, Eiland Wood, and their sponsor, Don Mitchell, are in Houston this week participating in the stock show.

Two weeks ago Mr. Johnson and his group of boys attended the stock show in San Antonio where they collected several ribbons. The results were: Gaylon Buxkemper, reserve champion poland; Jim Gray, third place poland; Craig Mitchell, first place poland; Jeff Jones, thirteenth place cross; Jim Tumlinson, sixteenth place hampshire.

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JUDGING from the calm expressions, SHS rooters appear confident before the big game. Left to right are Keith Wied, Johnny Denzer, Ray Lynn Basinger, Craig Mann, Dwayne Mosser, Bobby Breedlove and Greg Sokora. (TC Staff Photo)

QUICKIES

TENNIS
Tennis season began a couple of weeks ago as Coach Curry began shaping up the team for upcoming matches and tournaments.

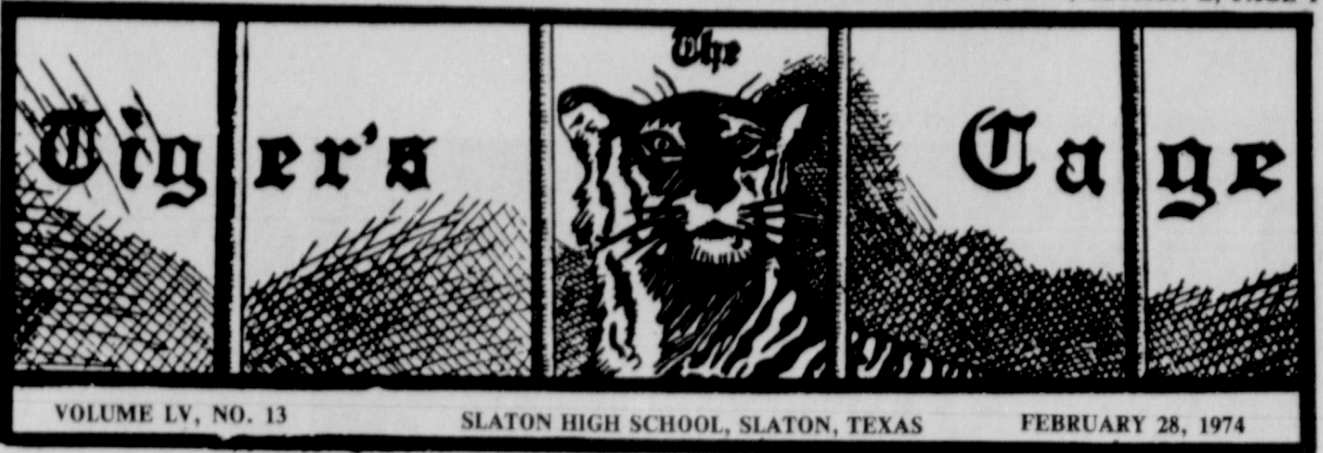
GOLF
The Slaton High golf team begins its season today as it travels to Stamford for a one day tournament.

Who's Who 1974

- English I, Dwana Mosser;
- English II, Donneva Sikes;
- English III, Cindy Patterson; and English IV, Mark Abbott.
- World History, Melissa Locke; American History, Debbie Sikes.
- Speech I, Susan Hopper;
- Speech II, Teresa Gentry;
- French I, Kayla Curry;
- Spanish, Benny Guerra.
- Journalism, Juanell Wood; Shorthand, LuAnne Fondy; Typing, Elaine Boyle; Bookkeeping, Lana Forehand; General Business, Benny Lopez.
- Physics, Pam Coker;
- Chemistry, Matt Kitten;
- Physical Science, Craig Curry;
- Biology, Raynie Hardesty.
- Geometry, Jo Edna Smith; Algebra II, Teresa Wright; Algebra I, Quinton Farley; Trig, Bonnie Dixon.
- Homemaking I, Regina Tumlinson; Homemaking II, Susan Mercer; and Homemaking III, Cynthia Scott.
- Ag. I, Craig Belt; Ag. II, Eiland Wood; Ag. III, Clay Mitchell; and Ag. IV, Joe Alspaugh.



Mrs. Benson seems a bit apprehensive before the whistle blows to get the game underway. AFTER -- "Lizzard" John Wright cheers as Coach Benson is carried off. (TC Staff Photos)



Tigerettes Win State Crown

By KELLY COPELAND

"One for one. That's pretty good." Those were the words of Coach Gay Benson after her Slaton Tigerettes had won the State Class AA basketball crown in their first trip to

the State Tournament in Mrs. Benson's career at Slaton.

After finishing second in the Regional Tournament for the past two years, the Tigerettes made the "big one" and proved to be the

best in the state as they defeated Lyford in the semifinals and then beat Comanche in the finals by a score of 51-45.

In the Championship Game, Jan Davis pumped in 24 points, mostly on short jumpers and hooks underneath the basket, to lead all scorers. Rosemary Scott, Slaton's leading scorer for the year, hit 36 points against Lyford in the semis but managed only 15 against Comanche. Doris Meurer had only 12 points in the game but all of them came at crucial times.

The three forwards played fine games, but it was the guards that excelled in Austin. Kay Stephens, LuAnne Fondy and Becky Culver all played super games as they kept both of the high scoring teams well below their season aver-

ages. Kay Stephens held 1973 all-stater Linda Andrews of Comanche to only 19 points, mostly on long set shots from the top of the key. Team mate LuAnne Fondy did a great job of harassing all three of Comanche's forwards causing them to hit a low percentage of shots and commit turnovers.

Slaton led by six or eight throughout most of the game, but the margin was cut to three, 46-43 with 1:23 remaining. Jan Davis came through in a big way hitting three free-throws to secure the Tigerette victory.

Twenty-two girls made the trip to Austin and 22 very happy girls returned. The Tigerettes ended the year with a 30-4 record with two of the losses coming at the hands of Class AAA champion Canyon.

How Does It Feel To Be Number One?

"How does it feel to be #1?" No matter the exact words were, the consensus of opinion is that "it's great!"

Jan Davis -- It's one of the greatest things that's ever happened to me -- a dream come true.

LuAnne Fondy -- It really hasn't soaked in yet.

Doris Meurer -- Wonderful, wonderful, wonderful, etc.

Rosemary Scott -- It's all right.

Kay Stephens -- Pretty good.

Becky Culver -- "Far Out" -- But, my hand is getting tired of signing my autograph. Ha.

Debra Montgomery -- Exciting.

Frana Gass -- Great -- and somebody help me!!!

Patti Melton -- Good deal.

Teresa Wright -- It's different and it's great, too.

Angela Kitten -- Impossible.

Diana Dunlap -- Great.

Jo Edna Smith -- Best feeling a person can have.

Kimmy Cooper -- Great.

Rhonda Biggs -- Good.

Susan Hopper -- Best feeling ever.

Loretta Wolf -- It's been a lot of hard work but it's great to be number one.

Mildred Maxwell -- Magnificent and glad there is no track.

Pam Howard -- It's really great.

Ann Partain -- It's simply devastating.

Raynie Hardesty -- Makes you feel great, important because everyone is so nice to you.

Keri Kern -- It's cool.

Coach Benson -- As Rosemary says, "Aw, it's all right."

Congratulations to Coach Benson and the Tigerettes. (The Tigers Cage Staff)



KAY AND BECKY grab off a rebound as a Comanche Maiden stands helplessly below. LuAnne alertly waits to assist if the ball comes her way. (TC Staff Photo)

SUSAN MERCER IN FHA DISTRICT RACE

Susan Mercer, first vice president of the Slaton FHA chapter is one of the candidates for first vice president for area 1 of Future Homemakers of America. Voting will take place March 8 and 9.

Debra Montgomery, Susan Mercer, and Jo Edna Smith, accompanied by sponsor Gayle Reese, recently attended an area meeting on "Encounter," which was held at Estacado High School.

This week the FHA girls are selling candy for a money raising project.

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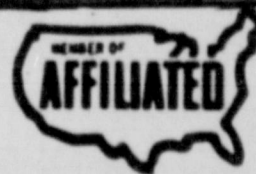
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Cooper News

BY: JERI BOYD & CORLIS WIMMER

DECA
The DE school store had its grand opening Tuesday. The store is selling Cooper Pirate pencils, pens, various assortments of paper, and different types of folders. Mrs. Foy Graves, DE instructor, said that the store was more of a service to the school and more of a teaching device rather than a profit organization. The students had to purchase the articles, decide what to sell them for, and the store will be managed by DE students.

STANFORD MEET
Last Saturday, a group of

vivacious students met in front of the high school at 4 a.m. to travel to the Stanford meet.

Those bringing home honors were Cassie Kitten, 4th in Spelling and Plain Writing; Arthur Wuensche, 8th in Veteran Science; Jon Fehleison, 5th in Veteran Slide Rule; and Scot Pate, 6th in Novice Slide Rule.

TRACK SEASON

Track season has officially begun. With the close of basketball season, track is underway. The boys open their season this Saturday at the Idalou Relays. Preliminaries begin in the morning.

WILSON NEWS



Brenda & Sue Crowson



U.L.L. ONE ACT PLAY
UIL One Act Play competition will be March 29 at Cooper High School.

Wilson will present the one-act play "Good-by To The Clown," written by Ernest Kinoy.

The cast consists of: Perry, a 9-year-old girl, Helen Cedillo; The Clown, Chris Coleman; Peggy's school teacher, Connie Moore; Dr. Benson, the school principal, Clyde Wilke; Peggy's mother, Brenda Crowson; and Uncle George, David Savell.

The director is Mrs. Tom Roy, English teacher at Wilson High School.

42 PARTY, CAKE SALE

The Band is sponsoring a 42 party and cake sale this Friday at 8 p.m. in the school lunchroom. Advance tickets are 50c per person. Tickets may be purchased from any high school, junior high or fifth grade band member.

MERLIN HYPNOTIST

Merlin, the Hypnotist, will be presented Saturday at 8 p.m. in the auditorium. Advance tickets are \$1.50 for adults and \$1 for under 12. At the door, tickets will be \$2 and \$1.50.

The Junior Class is sponsoring this show, and tickets may be purchased from any class member.

FTA TRIP

Fourteen members of the

FTA and their sponsors attended the State FTA meeting in Dallas this past weekend.

They rode a chartered bus with their FTA District to and from Dallas. While in Dallas they stayed at the Baker Hotel.

The general sessions were held in the Dallas Convention Center and Workshops were held in the Baker, Statler Hilton and Adolphus hotels.

Ann Nava and Helen Cedillo served as members of the House of Delegates.

Attending were Helen Cedillo, Chapter President and outgoing District Vice President; Ann Nava, incoming District Parliamentarian; Cheryl Jones, Chapter officer; Sue Crowson, Chapter Vice President; Marilyn Christopher, Norma Ybarra, Margie Gonzales, Kelly Jones, Kim Coleman, Johnny Arellano and Daniel Garces.

Sponsors were Mrs. Tom Roy and James Satterwhite.

TRACK

The girls track team will participate in the Spur relays at Spur Saturday.

FFA TRIP

A number of FFA members and sponsor, Bob Lee, left Monday afternoon for the Houston Stock Show. They will return Sunday.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Chris Coleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Coleman, was dismissed from the hospital after suffering from an inner ear infection.

William Phillips was dismissed from Methodist Hospital Friday after undergoing surgery on his neck.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

- Feb. 28 -- Josie Ramirez, Saundra Gaines.
- March 1 -- Kathy Hagens, Antonio Hernandez.
- March 2 -- Kurt McCleskey, Judy Moczymba.
- March 5 -- Phil Kitten, Carla Wilke.
- March 6 -- Cynthia White.

FHA

The FHA ping pong tournament began Tuesday and continues today (Thursday). There are 18 men's singles, 12 girls singles, and 6 men's doubles teams entered.

First, second and third place trophies will be awarded tonight.

Several people in this community have inquired about the Home Economics Cookbooks sold in the past by Wilson FHA. Mrs. Eva Mitts would be glad to order cookbooks for those desiring them. The cookbooks need to be ordered in lots of 10 to keep the cost down.

Cookbooks available are: Money Saving Cookbook, Casseroles, Salads, Ground Beef and Outdoor Cookery, Quick and Easy Desserts, Foreign Cookbook, Meats, Vegetables, Pies and Pastries, Americana, and the newest one, Poultry. Please contact Mrs. Mitts if you wish to order any of these. Persons are requested to order by March 13.

SCHOOL MENU

Monday -- Pig-N-Blanket, pinto beans, spinach, pudding and milk.

Tuesday -- Vegetable beef stew, beans, potatoes, onions, okra, tomatoes, crackers, milk and cinnamon rolls.

Wednesday -- Turkey and dressing, gravy, green beans, cranberry sauce, jelly with topping, and milk.

Thursday -- Meatballs with spaghetti, potato salad, grapefruit juice, milk, hot rolls and peach cobbler.

Friday -- Hamburger, vegetable salad, onions, pickles, ranch style beans, orange juice buns, milk and buttered rice.

MAC DAVIS TO APPEAR IN LUBBOCK

The country is getting hooked on Mac Davis, appearing in concert Saturday, March 2 at 8 p.m. in Moody Auditorium on the Lubbock Christian College campus.

Reserved seat tickets are now available for purchase at \$4 and \$3 each. They can be picked up at LCC's Information desk, B & B Music Center in Lubbock, both locations of John's Jeans in Lubbock, and Lusky's Western Store.

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<p>10 ATTEND CHURCH</p>	<p>11 VFW & Aux.-8 p.m. Volunteer Firemen-7:30 p.m. American Legion Act-7:30 p.m. Knights of Columbus-8:30 p.m. PTA-7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>12 Chap. 387 RAM-7:30 p.m. Com. 324 R & SM-7:30 p.m. B of LF&E-7:30 p.m. VFW Act-8 p.m. Station HD Club-1:30 p.m. Jr. Civic & Culture-7:30 p.m. Adolescent Study Club-7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>13 Slaton Ministerial Assoc.-8:30 a.m. Bluebonnet Club-2:30 p.m. Rainbow Girls-4:30 p.m. Station Garden club-3 p.m.</p>	<p>14 Masons-7:30 p.m. Lodge 1094, AF&AM-7:30 p.m. Rotary Club-noon. Tops at Clubhouse-7 p.m. Saddle Pats Riding Club-8 p.m.</p>	<p>15 Senior Citizens-9:30 a.m. Boy Scout Troop 125-7:30 p.m.</p> <p>7.50% INTEREST NOW BEING PAID AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN ON FOUR YEAR CERTIFICATES. \$1,000 MINIMUM.</p>	<p>16 NATIONAL POISON PREVENTION WEEK MARCH 17-21</p>
<p>17 St. Patrick's Day</p> <p>UTU - 4 p.m.</p>	<p>18 Post Matrons Club-7 p.m. Scottish Rite-7:30 p.m. Lions Club-noon American Legion Act-7:30 p.m. Volunteer Firemen-7:30 p.m. Alpha Lambda Epsilon-7:30 p.m. Daughters of PSC-7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>19 City Commission-7:30 p.m. VFW Activity-8 p.m. OES, No. 585-8 p.m. Roosevelt Yng. Hookers-9 a.m. Pack 128-7:30 p.m. Slaton Yng. Hookers-7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>20 6.50% INTEREST NOW BEING PAID AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN ON 1-YEAR CERTIFICATES. \$1,000 MINIMUM.</p>	<p>21 Friends of Library-8 p.m. Rotary Club-noon. Tops at Club House-7 p.m. B of RT Aux.-9:30 a.m. American Legion-7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>22 Senior Citizens-9:30 a.m. Boy Scout Troop 125-7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>23 90-DAY NOTICE ACCOUNTS PAY 5.75% INTEREST COMPOUNDED QUARTERLY.</p>
<p>24 ATTEND CHURCH</p> <p>31</p>	<p>25 Lions Club-noon Ladies Altar Society-2 p.m. VFW & Aux.-8 p.m. Am. Legion Act-7:30 p.m. Volunteer Firemen-7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>26 Station Art Club-7:30 p.m.</p> <p>START A SAVINGS ACCOUNT AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN FOR SOMEONE YOU LOVE.</p>	<p>27 Civic & Culture Club Rainbow Girls-4:30 p.m. Bluebonnet Club-2:30 p.m.</p>	<p>28 Rotary Club-noon. Tops at Clubhouse-7 p.m. Masons-7:30 p.m. Lodge 1094, AF&AM-7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>29 Senior Citizens-9:30 a.m. Boy Scout Troop 125-7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>30 7% INTEREST NOW BEING PAID AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN ON FOUR YEAR CERTIFICATES. \$1,000 MINIMUM.</p> <p>IT'S EASY TO SAVE AT SLATON SAVINGS & LOAN - COME IN TO SEE US!</p>



The time has come when only one of us has to call it--heads or tails?

Junior High Jottings

Last Wednesday we had a paid assembly, a vocalist named Alfred Rage. He sang, played guitar and bongo drums, and made up words to songs. Next week will be nine weeks tests week and Texas Public School Week. There will not be a specific schedule from the office for giving exams. Open House at Junior High for Public School Week will be from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday, March 4. All interested persons are invited. All teachers will be present and pupil's work will be on display. Mrs. Childers and Mrs. Carnes will have all the 8th graders' Texas Heritage notebooks on display. Tuesday, Mrs. Charlene Davis and Raymond Wood, counselors, talked to all 8th graders, beginning a high school orientation schedule which will continue until they are all registered for high school classes for next year. At 3:30 p.m., Monday, March 4, classes will be dismissed on all campuses for a meeting of Slaton Classroom Teachers Association in West Ward Cafeteria. Mrs. Gipson, Jr. High, is President-Elect. On March 8, originally supposed to be a Teachers Inservice Day, there will be classes as usual. This will make up for one school day we missed due to flu. There is to be an adult volleyball tournament two weeks from now sponsored by the Slaton Classroom Teachers Association. Some of the Jr. Hi teachers will have a team. Mrs. Childers is chairman of the tournament. Mrs. Lane Davis, school nurse, would like to express appreciation to all parents for their cooperation in getting records of students immunizations to requirements and sending them to school for the records. This has been most successful in Jr. High. There is one other area we would like to mention and bring to attention for their help and that

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