

# THE SLATON SLATONITE

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## OPEN MEETING CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ON TUESDAY NIGHT

A meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce was held in the offices of R. J. Murray & Co. Wednesday morning, at which time it was arranged to hold an open meeting at the Club House Tuesday night, Sept. 19th, for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year. Every male citizen living in the Slaton territory has a cordial invitation to attend this meeting and is especially urged to be present.

The Slaton Chamber of Commerce has been actively engaged in boosting the Slaton and the great South Plains country for just one year. Much has been accomplished during that time. Its greatest efforts have been to induce farmers to settle up the vast acres of fertile lands in this section, many of whom have located in our vicinity, thereby building up a great farming community. Special attention has also been given to developing the friendship of the farmers of this and adjoining counties, and seeing that they get the highest market price for all the poultry, eggs, butterfat, grain and cotton that they have to sell.

During the past twelve months Slaton has also acquired two new gins, the largest cotton compress in Texas west of Abilene, a modern steam laundry, a modern ice plant, sewer and water system, a better and larger electric power and light plant, a firstclass bakery which enjoys a heavy shipping business, a mattress factory, two additional wholesale produce houses, a new city hall is in course of construction, new school buildings are just being completed at a cost of \$50,000.00, hundreds of new residences have been built and many others are under construction, a score or more new business buildings have gone up and others are under construction.

Slaton was the first district in the county to vote a special bond issue to build hard surfaced roads. They will soon be a reality. This will be followed by street paving in the not far distant future. In fact, Slaton and the surrounding territory has made more progress under the leadership of the Chamber of Commerce and its able officers and directors than at any time before.

The officers and directors are:

B. M. Holland, President.  
H. G. Rowley, Vice President.  
W. E. Olive, Treasurer.  
S. E. Staggs, Secretary-Manager.

Directors in addition to the above-named are: R. J. Murray, C. C. Hoffman, R. A. DeLong, A. E. Whitehead, H. D. Talley, F. M. Culberson, W. H. McKirahan, F. E. Callaway, J. W. Nesbitt, J. R. McAtee, C. F. Anderson.

Slaton needs several other industries, but will get them in due time. Our telephone system is not keeping pace with the progress of the town, still using antiquated instruments, and very little of their outside equipment is better than found in the small villages, and does not reach to all portions of the city.

## Activities About School Buildings

The grade work of the Public Schools of Slaton was begun Monday with all the teachers in their respective places, ready to meet the eager children who came.

Unfortunately, quite a number are out for cotton picking but will be in soon.

After a careful survey it was found that one additional teacher would be needed to care for overflow classes from the second and third grades in the West ward. A room was arranged for their accommodation.

These rooms are to be carefully ceiled with beaverboard and additional heating, lighting and ventilation provided.

Very little confusion has come about in the reorganization of the school and we want to thank the children and their parents for their splendid co-operation in the work.

The children have entered with a fine attitude toward their studies. The teachers are delighted with the prospects of real school work from the first.

By Wednesday the plans of organization had progressed so well that an almost full program was carried out. This speaks very highly for the good work of our teachers.

Many inquiries have been made as to whether we will be able to take any unders. It is impossible to now as so many families from the rural communities have not reported and we have no complete records from which to make a satisfactory estimate. We are insisting that all scholastics enter as soon as possible that we may not delay in giving answer to our waiting friends. Besides a delay works a hardship on the pupil who must come late.

Our Mexican school has opened under the direction of Mrs. Owens. We are expecting this work of Americanization to move rapidly under Mrs. Owens' direction. The citizens of Slaton are pleased with this work. Mrs. Owens is enthused with the missionary spirit that must prevail if the foreigner is to become good, useful citizens of our community.

We are very sorry to lose Miss Bessie Culberson from our teaching force. This was due to unfortunate misunderstandings between the state departments of education in Texas and New Mexico.

We are glad to announce that we have secured the services of a cultured and experienced teacher to take Miss Culberson's place—Miss Sumrall of Tahoka.

The overflow from the second and third grades will be in charge of Mrs. Frank Eldridge who has made a great success in primary work in the Amarillo schools. Mrs. Eldridge taught with the present superintendent at Tulsa.

In spite of the best efforts of the contractors the opening of our high school is deferred until the 25th. We feel sure that we can open at that time and the teachers have been notified accordingly.

Misses Ramsey, Bailey and Whitaker report growing classes and it will be a matter of only a few days until their programs will be full.

Mr. Lemens has had the boys in training for some time and they will soon be ready for preliminary games.

C. L. SONE, Supt.

## NOTICE.

Having sold my interest in the Forrest Hardware, I will appreciate it if you will call and settle your note or account as early as possible, as I hold them for collection. I am compelled to remain in the store until these have all been collected, so please call at once and close these up.

Very truly yours,  
T. A. WORLEY.

## TAHOKA MERCHANT MISSING SINCE SUNDAY MORNING

Tahoka, Sept. 12.—A country wide search is being made in Lynn county for J. E. Stokes, age sixty years, local furniture dealer, who has been missing in Tahoka since early Sunday morning. He left no word as to his intentions before departure. Anyone knowing of his whereabouts is requested to wire J. B. Stokes, Tahoka, Texas.

## BIG RAILROAD STRIKE BROKEN SHOPMEN VOTED FOR PEACE

Chicago, Sept. 13.—The nationwide railroad strike was broken today when the policy committee of the Shopmen's Union voted for peace.

The vote will bring immediate peace on between 40 and 60 of the principal arteries of commerce, according to best information.

B. M. Jewell, head of the striking shopmen, announced tonight that the union's policy committee of 90 had authorized him to negotiate individual peace agreements with the railroads of the country based on the terms of a general settlement plan adopted by the committee. Jewell said:

"We have agreed to the terms of a settlement yielding wherever possible and standing where there was no other avenue open honorably to those we represent.

"All men are to return to work in positions of the class originally held on June 20, 1922, at the same point, according to the statement issued.

"The method of procedure of the policy committee at the meeting is that no men on any railroad, even though included in the settlement at this time, are to return to work until they have received the necessary directions from their respective system federations," the policy committee statement said and added that the negotiations with the roads would be ordered at an early date.

According to officials of the road the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroads are not involved in the plan of settlement.

All men returning to work would do so at the prevailing rate of pay which was fixed by the United States Railroad Labor Board effective on July 1, the day the strike order went into effect, according to Associated Press dispatches.

Seniority was not specifically mentioned in the agreement. Disputes over the "relative standing" of old and new men would be referred to a board of six rail officials and an equal number of representatives of the men. It also provides that the roads should find places for the strikers who have not committed acts of violence, within thirty days after the agreement becomes effective.

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NOTES AND ACTIVITIES AS REPORTED

All Slaton citizens are given a cordial invitation by the school authorities of Wilson to join with them in a celebration Monday, Sept. 18th, at that place in honor of the completion of their new school building. A barbecue, speeches and other entertainments are a part of the program and one of Slaton's best wishers, will outline. Wilson, our close neighbor, welcome you wholeheartedly and it is hoped a large representation from here will be in attendance.

J. P. Edmonson, with his good wife and daughter, formerly of Thornton, Arkansas, has purchased the interest of W. A. Dykes in the Dykes Grocery. Mr. Dykes disposed of his interest in order to devote his whole time to the ice business, and we are glad to report the building going up and the machinery being installed.

H. J. Montgomery, a brother of Joe Montgomery, the Santa Fe conductor, informs the Chamber of Commerce that he is making arrangements for an ice cream factory and bottling works for Slaton, and that it will be in operation by the first of March.

J. L. Cruse, formerly of Taylor, Texas, has purchased the lot on Texas Avenue, just south of the Blue Front Grocery, and will erect a modern brick structure there in the near future.

The compress is now open and doing business, the first run being made Monday, Sept. 11th. Four tenant houses are being erected across the road from the building, same to be occupied by some of their force.

The municipal light plant at Tahoka, with but 128 customers, shows the following net earnings since December: December \$512.53, January \$445.00, March \$451.00, April \$479.00, May \$377.00, June \$369.00, July \$333, August \$293. In addition to the above power has been used for pumping the city's water. It would be well for Slaton to follow in Tahoka's footsteps if possible, and if suitable arrangements can be made to take over the light plant, thereby owning all public utilities.

R. H. McCurdy, superintendent of the compress here, accompanied by S. E. Staggs, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, completed a trip in which all of the cotton shipping points tributary to the compress was covered during the week. While making this tour the secretary had occasion to meet many of the business men in these towns and was given a good welcome at all points. The cities and towns on the South Plains are proud to see Slaton's prosperity and are looking forward to the time when Slaton will be able to supply a great amount of their needs. With a wholesale grocery, together with the laundry, bakery, ice plant, ice cream and bottling plant now located, Slaton will take her place among the best as a supply station, and will be well patronized.

There will be an open meeting of the Chamber of Commerce at the Club House Tuesday night, Sept. 19th. All members are requested to attend. On account of the limited space there, the meeting will be for men only. The future of the Chamber of Commerce will be discussed, and new officers elected for the coming year. Don't overlook this date as this meeting means more to Slaton than any meetings of the past.

## SLATON WOMAN JUMPED FROM TRAIN AND INJURED

Temple, Sept. 9.—A woman identified as Mrs. Bessie Evans, about 25 years old, of Slaton, is in a local hospital suffering from a fractured skull and other injuries received when she is said to have leaped from a west-bound Santa Fe passenger train near Goldthwaite last night.

The woman threw her luggage from the rapidly moving train and leaped through a window, according to the report here. She boarded the train at Belton yesterday afternoon.

Her husband is an employe of the Fe here, being connected with the extra track laying gang.

## STORK SPECIAL.

T. W. Huggins and wife, Sept. 3, girl.  
J. L. Wells and wife, Sept. 3, girl.  
Antone Ahrenee and wife, Sept. 3, boy.  
W. K. Regeon and wife, Sept. 9, boy.  
Ray Work and wife, Sept. 10, girl.  
L. E. Bartlett and wife, Sept. 12, girl.  
Walter Porsch and wife, Sept. 13, boy.

Get your birth announcements at Mack's Variety Store.

"Queen O' the Turf" at the Wilselma Wednesday and Thursday.

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### In Our Ready-to-Wear Section.

—New Fall Dresses, in Silk and Woolen fabrics, featured at **\$9.00 to \$35.00**

### Wool Slip-On Sweaters.

—In great variety, all new colors, priced at from **\$3.00 to \$7.00**

## NEW MILLINERY

—Our Fall Hats have made their debut, and we are now inviting every woman who is interested in new styles to come in and see them.

—Sale of Women's and Girls' Gingham and Percale Dresses **89c and 99c**

### New Ginghams for School Dresses.

Wonderful assortment at **19c**  
"Red Seal" Gingham at **25c**

## JONES DRY GOODS, INC.

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## WE ARE STILL "GOING SOME"

—Business gets better each week. There's a reason. When you get in this store you simply can't resist the temptation to buy at the prices we are offering.

—We certainly appreciate the splendid business we are receiving, too.

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—A bank with an earnest ambition to help its friends make money—to seek its own success through the prosperity of its patrons.

—WE ARE YOUR FRIENDS HERE—

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CARL GEORGE Assistant Cashier

### Directors

R. J. MURRAY, President  
C. C. Hoffman  
B. M. Holland  
A. C. Benton  
W. E. Smart

## CHURCH OF CHRIST NOW HAS A RESIDENT MINISTER

Rev. McKinney of Lamesa, together with his family, has arrived in Slaton to reside in future. Rev. McKinney has accepted the pastorate of the Church of Christ, and will preach here two Sundays in each month.

Now is the time to sell your fryers before they get too large. I will pay you 16c for them next Thursday, the 14th, and 13c for all the hens I can get on that date. Bring them in.—J. W. Elrod's Produce.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The following have been nominated by the Democratic Primary, subject to the general election in November:

**Representative 119th District:**  
HON. R. A. BALDWIN, Slaton.  
**For District Clerk:**  
LOUIE F. MOORE, Lubbock.  
**For Tax Assessor:**  
R. C. (ROLLY) BURNS, Lubbock.  
**For Sheriff:**  
H. L. (BUD) JOHNSTON, Slaton.  
**For County Clerk:**  
H. F. STUBBS, Lubbock.  
**For County Judge:**  
P. F. BROWN, Lubbock.  
**For Tax Collector:**  
S. C. SPIKES, Lubbock.  
**For County Treasurer:**  
J. S. SLOVER, Lubbock.  
**For County Superintendent:**  
E. R. HAYNES, Lubbock.  
**For County Attorney:**  
O. W. McWHORTER, Lubbock.  
**Commissioner Precinct 2:**  
H. D. TALLEY, Slaton.  
**Public Weigher, Precinct 2:**  
T. W. COVINGTON, Slaton.

NOTICE: I will pay you 13c for all the hens you bring me next Thursdays, the 14th, and 16c for fryers.—J. W. Elrod's Produce.

### STORK SPECIAL.

J. L. Wiley and wife, Aug. 26, boy.  
L. L. Lively and wife, Aug. 27, boy.  
C. C. Smith and wife, Sept. 2, girl.

Get your birth announcement cards at Mack's Variety Store.

### BETTER COTTON PROSPECT.

Longer skirts have been decreed by the fashion-makers, and a statistician has figured that the lengthened garment will add fifty million dollars to the growers and manufacturers of cotton. We believe in and rejoice over prosperity, but we do wish it were possible to make the country more prosperous without destroying the scenery.

Forty years of constant use is the best proof of the effectiveness of White's Cream Vermifuge for expelling worms in children or adults. Price 35c. Sold by Slaton Drug Co.

### NOTICE.

The City dumping ground is one mile northeast of roundhouse, at City Sewer Disposal Plant. Any one dumping refuse cans and trash on the 30-acre tract southwest of compress will be prosecuted.

J. S. EDWARDS.  
W. A. ROBERTSON, Owners

### Attention.

Jasper Bogue of Dalhart, who is district missionary of the Christian churches of the Panhandle district, is very anxious to get into touch with all members of the Christian church living in the district in communities where there is not a Christian church and would appreciate it if all such or those knowing of such would write him at Dalhart, Texas.

### AND IT HAD WRITING ON IT.

The man who kicks no the price of printing is usually an incompetent judge. One of our patrons who complained because we charged him \$5.25 for 500 letterheads, paid \$17.50 for one little slip of paper which turned out to be a worthless check.—Anthony (Kansas) Republican.

Now is the time to cull your hens. I want to buy a car of hens and fryers the 14th, next Thursday. Will pay 13c for hens and 16c for fryers.—J. W. Elrod's Produce.

### LOCAL REBEKAHS VISITED TAHOKA THIS WEEK

Messrs. J. L. Hoffman and J. C. Stewart, and Mesdames M. G. Leverett, W. Donald and N. G. Whipple visited Tahoka Tuesday for the purpose of organizing a Rebekah lodge in that city. A largely attended meeting was held, when preliminary arrangements were made for instituting the lodge. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and bananas were served.

### Jeannette Ramsey

Telephone 157

—Teacher of Piano, Harmony, and Dunning System of Improved Music Study for Beginners.

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—Get a can of Gold Plume Coffee—that coffee with the flavor that is guaranteed to please.

—We appreciate our army of satisfied customers. Let us add you to the list.

—We have free delivery service. We will get the goods to you at once. Call 94 for your next order of groceries.

## THE BLUE FRONT GROCERY

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W. C. Wright, Cashier  
R. M. Ellis, Jr., Asst. Cashier  
H. W. Ragsdale  
S. H. Adams  
C. F. Anderson

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I have been appointed receiver for the B. W. Adams Grocery by the district court of Lubbock County. All accounts due this store are payable to me. Please call and let's get them all settled up right away in order that the creditors can get their money.  
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**McGehee Bakery**  
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**RALLS KLAN HELD BARBECUE AND INITIATION NORTHEAST OF SLATON TUESDAY NIGHT**

**It Was Stated That Three Thousand Klansmen Were Present, and Several Hundred Spectators Were on the Outside.**

On last Tuesday night the editor of this paper had the privilege of witnessing a large Klan initiation from a distance, in a pasture about 10 miles northeast of Slaton. It was said that the Ralls Klan had arranged the affair and that Klansmen were present from Lubbock, Crosby, Hale, Bailey, Lynn, Dawson and Garza counties.

It was stated that a class of 300 were initiated, that more than three thousand Klansmen were present, and the crowd of spectators which watched the ceremonies from a distance was estimated at four or five hundred, many of whom were ladies.

Approaching the meeting place we noticed a large cross, electrically lighted, mounted on top of a tall windmill tower. Driving to the entrance white robed figures met each car at the gate and separated the spectators from Klansmen. After learning that we were a newspaper man our white-robed escort said that if we would give our word of honor to not divulge the name of any Klansman we might chance to recognize we would be taken near enough to have a good view of the ceremonies. This we agreed to and was led forward by our ghostly escort to within a short distance of the gathering.

It was one of the wierdest and at the same time one of the most sublime sights we ever had the privilege of viewing. In the light of the great flaming cross of electric lights were gathered an immense throng of white robed men. Parked in a semi-circle were several hundred cars, with more driving up every few minutes, and the roads in every direction filled with cars approaching, the lights of which resembled a great city at night as seen from a distance. To one side we noted a large group of men without robes, and on inquiry was told that they were the candidates to be initiated. Sentinels could be seen posted on every side, their white garments in the moonlight looking very spooky.

Soon after we arrived a low-voiced command was given and the assembled Klansmen grouped themselves in formation before the cross, and our escort led us back a short distance, explaining that the famous Klan oath about which so much has been written, was about to be administered to the candidates. The novices were led forward and took position before the cross, facing two figures in white, one carrying a United State flag, and standing in front of an altar draped with a U. S. flag and on which was an open Bible.

All that came to our ears was a low mumble, and we were unable to distinguish the words. The administration of the oath consumed at least thirty minutes.

At a signal from one of the leaders, our escort moved up nearer the gathering with us, and a robed speaker arose and began to address the assembly. He was very eloquent and explained the purposes of the organization and what it stood for, and cited many instances of good work accomplished by the Klan over the State and Nation. He stated that the criticism of the Klan by good, law-abiding citizens over the country was prompted by ignorance of the personnel and work of the order.

After the ceremonies were completed barbecue was spread for the large assemblage, and coffee was served from a huge kettle that been boiling over a large fire. Robed figures also supplied the ladies and other spectators with barbecue, bread and coffee.

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**Hogville Items.**

Fletcher Henstep and Luke Mathews played a game of checkers Wednesday for the championship of Musket Ridge. Luke won, and the prize was a nice whittling knife, but he says a fellow who plays checkers is too busy to whittle.

Salem Barlow says it appears like an auto cannot be depended on and has to be watched nearly all the time it is in motion. He saw a woman driving one at Tickville Wednesday and says inside of five minutes after she had turned around and begun talking to those on the back seat, the thing ran into a post.

Fletcher Henstep says the reason there is so much unrest in the world is that the people are all the time wanting something they can't get and don't need.

Clab Hancock seems to be losing interest in life. This morning while listening to Luke Mathews his foot went to sleep.

Poke Eazley has been busy all day carrying water to the top of his house to see if the roof leaked.

Raz Barlow reports that while sitting on the bridge across Gimlet creek Monday afternoon he was startled to see a large huge object coming down stream, splashing water several feet in every direction, and it turned out to be one of the biggest catfish in the history of the country. He says the fish seemed to be wild, as it turned around and went back as it saw him. Those who heard Raz tell this are whistling right soft and low as the creek has been dry all summer.

The public is terrible restless. It wants to change brands of rat poison and hair tonic every few weeks.

The Tickville barber says barbers don't have as much opportunity to talk now as they used to for listening to their customers tell how talkative barbers are.

Tobe Mosely says he has lived for many years and one thing is certain and that is, Monday always comes closely on the heels of Sunday.

Had not Miss Peachie Sims given him a rose to wear in his lapel Sidney Hocks would of not worn his coat last Sunday.

Cricket Hicks says if he could keep a pencil, and could ever find any writing paper, and could write a nice hand, and could think of something to say, he would become an author.

Dry weather is affecting live stock in this community. Sim Flinders says the ground is so hard every time his pig tries to root up any potatoes its hind legs fly up.

Sim Flinders reports he has a curiosity at his home in the shape of a boy who can go out and sit under a green apple tree without eating any.

Slim Pickens says jaybirds look so much alike it is hard to tell whether they are the same ones or not.

Tobe Mosely says every town has three classes of people; One that dresses nice and has some money; another that hasn't any money and dresses well on a credit; and one that works hard all the time, and never has anything but a milk cow and a lot of children.

The Hogville town marshal is taking his annual vacation and all law violators are requested to behave until he gets back.

The train came near running into the Hogville depot last Tuesday and would have, according to Raz Barlow, had not the track curved just before it got to it.

**CARD OF THANKS.**

To the citizens of Lubbock County:

The illness of my brother prevented the expression of my gratitude before now.

Words fail to express the thanks of my heart to those who voted for me and so untiringly and continuously worked for my election. I realize that many of my friends who, along with me, contended for the enforcement of law, for the improvement of our educational conditions and worked so assiduously for the development of our beloved county for more than thirty years, as well as a host of friends of more recent years have done their best for me without saying a word to me.

I also feel kindly toward those who voted against me. They are to be commended for their courage and zeal in contending for what they believed to be for the best interests of our people. I feel that they were not really against me but for my opponent and certain principles involved.

It affords me much pleasure to feel

that by re-election you endorse our financial policy and that you appreciate our efforts in conducting the county's affairs in general during the most trying and critical two years we have ever experienced.

It shall be my utmost endeavor to treat every part of our county alike and fairly.

I shall assume the duties and responsibilities for the next two years confident that the citizenship of Lubbock county is standing with me in every laudable and lawful undertaking.

“With malice toward none but charity for all” I am your public servant and you my loyal, consistent, patriotic people.

Yours to serve,  
P. F. BROWN.

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**CHANGES MADE IN OFFICIAL SANTA FE FAMILY HERE**

H. C. Brock, trainmaster for the Santa Fe at this point, has been transferred to the same position at Amarillo, being succeeded by Dan Tahey,



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formerly transportation inspector on the Pecos division of the same road. C. E. Brown has been transferred from Plainview, where he has been filling the position of roadmaster, to Slaton, succeeding L. T. Wallin, who resigned. H. L. Sandlin succeeds Brown at Plainview.

**10-MILE AREA IS BURNED IN LITTLEFIELD PASTURE**

Littlefield, Sept. 9.—While burning fire guards Thursday on the north side of the railway in the Spade pasture, the section gang lost control, the result being one of the worst prairie fires in this section in a long time. There was a strong south wind which rapidly spread the fire north. It burned from the Switch Danforth to the Spade Ranch headquarters, a distance of about 10 miles, coming up to the fence on north sides of the houses.

At least 100 men fought the flames for several hours. The loss of the grass was very serious at this season of the year. The fire did not get out of the Spade pasture, which belongs to W. L. Ellwood.

**NOTICE.**

The City dumping ground is one mile northeast of roundhouse, at City Sewer Disposal Plant. Any one dumping refuse cans and trash on the 30 acre tract southwest of compress will be prosecuted.

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# SOCIETY, CLUB AND CHURCH ACTIVITIES ABOUT SLATON

## Mrs. Johnston Hostess to Civic and Culture Club.

On last Saturday afternoon Mrs. Edw. S. Johnston was hostess to the Civic and Culture Club at her home. This being the first meeting of the club year a very interesting program was led by Miss Ora Kuykendall, after which refreshments were served to the following guests: Mesdames Minor, Ivy, DeLong, Murray, Scott, Conner and Taylor.

## Miscellaneous Shower.

Mrs. W. E. Martin entertained last Friday evening at her home with a miscellaneous shower for Miss Faye Tucker, who left Sunday night to enter Simmons College at Abilene.

The home was made beautiful with attractive crepe paper draperies extending in all angles from the center of the reception room.

Player piano music was one attraction while other diversions were various indoor games, one being "Follow the leader," the end of which came when Miss Faye was led to a large basket which contained an abundance of beautiful and useful gifts, brought and sent to the honoree, thus portraying the high esteem in which she is held in Slaton.

Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served twice during the evening.

With hearty wishes to the honoree for a successful school year the guests departed from the Martin home with memories of a pleasant evening spent.

## B Sharp Club.

The B Sharp Club met last Saturday at the regular hour with Miss Lena Klattenhoff and Mrs. Mildred Lokey hostesses. At the close of the as hostesses. At the close of the business meeting the club was entertained by a delightful swim in the Klattenhoff pool. Delightful refreshments were then served and they adjourned to meet with Miss Eunice McDonald Sept. 30. REPORTER.

## Epworth League.

The members of the Epworth League met Sunday afternoon, Sept. 10th, with Misses Edmona Lovett and Maggie George as leaders. A delightful program was enjoyed. We give all the young people of Slaton a cordial invitation to come and enjoy these programs with us.

The following program will be rendered Sunday, Sept. 17th, at 7:30 p. m. in the auditorium of the Methodist church:

Leader, Willard Donald.  
Opening song, No. 130.  
Scripture reading, Psalm 67, by Leader.  
Reading, Miss Margaret Whitaker.  
Lord's Prayer, League.  
Conference claimant's report, Audrey Marriott and Blanche Abbott.  
Piano solo, Maggie George.  
Sextette, Aileen Tucker, Lucile Rowley, Edmona Lovett, Willard Donald, Walter McAtee, Tip Anderson; Maggie George, pianist.  
Business.  
Roll call.  
Song No. 141.  
Benediction.

## Senior B. Y. P. U. Program.

Subject: "Why should we yield to the right kind of obedience to Christ?"

Leader, Earl Florence.  
Introduction by leader.  
What do we mean by obedience?—Evelyn Stallings.  
The motive that leads to true obedience, Mr. Dean.  
The scriptures show the importance of obeying Christ, Mrs. Ivy Moore.  
Christ has a right to our obedience, Theresa Morgan.  
Obedience to Christ is the fruit of faith in Christ, Julia Florence.  
We love and obey Christ because he is our redeemer, Mrs. L. L. Stone.  
Conclusion, W. V. Lemens.

## Complimentary Dinner at Tucker Home Sunday.

Complimentary to their daughter, Miss Faye, and to Miss Pauline Hardesty, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Tucker served dinner to a large number of guests on last Sunday.

The large dining table was laden with an abundance of good things to eat, which proved that Mr. Tucker is master of the culinary arts. The affair was highly enjoyed by the following: Dr. and Mrs. Tucker, Rev. and Mrs. Jno. P. Hardesty, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Martin, Mrs. Ivy Moore, Misses Marie McDonald, Mauriece, Erma Mae and Pauline Hardesty, Faye and Ailine Tucker, Cleffie Watson; Jno. P. Hardesty, Jr., Beryl Hardesty and Eloise Martin.

## Dinner Party.

Miss Erma Mae Hardesty, assisted by Mrs. Ivy A. Moore, served a six o'clock dinner Tuesday in honor of the birthday of Miss Mauriece Hardesty. Plates were laid for six, and the guests found their places at the table with dainty little place cards. A delightful evening is reported by all present. Miss Mauriece was the recipient of several nice and useful gifts.

## Missionary Society.

The society met at the church at

3 o'clock Monday afternoon. After the opening song and prayer we took up our Bible study, which was the eighth chapter of John. We were glad to receive two new members, Mesdames Ely and Simmons.

Miss Whitaker delighted us with two readings.

Dismissed with prayer.  
Next Monday our program will be from The Voice. Subject: Social Service, Family Life. Leader, Mrs. W. Donald.

## SLATON PEOPLE ATTENDED PLAINVIEW ENCAMPMENT

The following Patriarchs from Slaton Encampment No. 37, with three candidates, met the Amarillo Encampment team at Plainview the 9th, who with their efficient team captain directed some eight or ten novitiates across the River Jordan: L. B. Hagerman, C. A. Luna, J. C. Stewart, M. G. Leverett, E. N. Pickens, Robt. Gentry, T. E. Hildebrand, F. V. Williams, L. M. Williams, A. C. Rhodes, G. L. Sledge, Tom Carter, John Hamlett, Ralph Wynn, and Tom Richardson from Slaton, and D. Parrish from Ralls. C. B. Vick of Slaton and the Messrs. Christian of Lubbock were made Royal Purple Degree members.

The bunch was royally entertained by the Plainview Patriarchs, and when the lodge was closed we were escorted to the Busy Bee Cafe where a two course luncheon was served to about seventy-five Patriarchs. To say that the trip was enjoyed by all is putting it mildly. One of the new Patriarchs was heard to say that it was worth one thousand dollars to him. One or two of the boys are in hiding as they expect some arrests for disturbing the peace at Plainview and we hear that some have left town on suspension.

A large parade was held in Plainview and the Slaton bunch held a parade in Idalou as they passed through that city.

## MANY SLATON YOUNG FOLKS OFF TO COLLEGE THIS FALL

A larger number of young people in Slaton seem to be interested in a higher education now than ever before. Those going away to school are as follows:

Duke Bassinger, S. M. U., Dallas.  
Truman Foster, Wayland College, Plainview.  
Flake Young, Wayland College, Plainview.  
Misses Pauline Hardesty, Faye Tucker, and Audie Meador, Simmons College, Abilene.  
Harvey Austin, Simmons College, Abilene.  
Robert Sledge, John Tarleton College, Stephenville.  
Miss Josephine McHugh, State University, Austin.  
Giron Bradley and Earle Wilson, Clarendon College, Clarendon.  
Miss Ada Belle Darwin, West Texas State Normal, Canyon.  
Misses Mattie and Pauline Lokey, C. I. A., Denton.

## WE THANK YOU.

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our friends in Slaton and Lubbock, the Civic and Culture Club and the Elks Lodge for the many acts of kindness and gifts of flowers during Mrs. Baldwin's recent illness. Your friendship shall not be forgotten.

MR. AND MRS. R. A. BALDWIN.

## Wilson Items

Our school opens Monday, Sept. 18. We expect several good speakers to be present and will have a good barbecue dinner. Come, join the crowd and enjoy yourself.

T. E. Dawson is home from an extended visit to relatives in Wichita Falls and Burkburnett.

Mrs. L. Shambeck returned Tuesday from a two weeks' visit to her parents in Colorado county. Henry Nessel, her brother, accompanied her home and will visit there a few days.

J. J. Carter, J. A. Carter and W. H. Smith of Richland Springs, Texas, and Mrs. A. N. Crane of Brady, visited Mrs. West and children last week end. They returned Monday, except the father, J. J. Carter, who is making a more extended visit.

Mrs. R. C. Forrester and daughter, Obera, have moved to Plainview where Miss Obera will attend school this winter.

Grandma Hughes and son Homer of Brownfield, visited relatives here Saturday night.

Dick Heath and Miss Annie West left Monday for Plainview, where they entered Wayland College.

The B. Y. P. U. social at W. H. Mays Friday night was a jolly affair.

Mrs. L. Lumsden was a Lubbock visitor Friday.

Mrs. W. H. May was called to Lorenzo Tuesday on account of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. B. W. Baker.

Dr. McIntyre, Hawkes' Optician, will be at the Red Cross Pharmacy one day only, Wednesday, Sept. 20th. Have your eye troubles remedied.

## Personal Mention

Jack Henderson, son of Mr. and G. C. Henderson of Plainview, has returned home after a visit to his aunt, Mrs. W. J. Ely here.

Plains Furniture Store, dedicated to the citizens of Slaton and vicinity as the trade at home store.

The South Plains country was visited by a good shower last Saturday night, continuing through part of Sunday. Though not enough moisture has fallen to sow winter wheat, it was very beneficial. A cool wave followed.

Mrs. Dr. Owens returned Sunday from San Antonio after a visit to her mother, Mrs. Gonzales and family, and has resumed her position as teacher of the Mexican school.

Plains Furniture Store—it's new, but experienced. A trial will convince you.

Mrs. R. A. Baldwin returned home yesterday from the Lubbock Sanitarium where she had been for 34 days. She underwent a very serious operation while there, but is now much improved in health, which will be gratifying news to many friends of the family here and elsewhere.

Plains Furniture Store. High quality furniture; plain, everyday prices. If you need a room furnished leave it to the Plains Furniture Co. for quality and prices.

G. A. Van Natta has gone to Floydada where he has accepted a position in a dry goods store.

Highest prices paid for poultry, eggs, and hides especially.—Slaton Produce Co. Phone 13.

The Misses Watson opened their Kindergarten school at the Christian church this week and will continue, beginning Monday, two blocks west of the church.

Mrs. W. B. Montague returned Monday from an extended visit to relatives at McAlester, Okla.

Mrs. C. W. Dowdy and daughter Eidel of Wichita Falls, are here visiting the former's mother, Mrs. J. J. Jordan and family.

Cheap feed and hay at Slaton Produce Co. Phone 13.

B. C. Morgan and family have returned from a three weeks' automobile trip to various points in Texas. They visited relatives at Temple, Houston, and Galveston, and report a delightful outing.

Judge and Mrs. H. L. Davis and daughter, Miss Carrie Jean, of McKinney, were in Slaton Monday and the Judge was a pleasant caller at this office. They were en route home from a three weeks' automobile trip through Northwest Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Clark of Lubbock visited relatives and friends in Slaton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Staggs have returned from a visit to their friends, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Cox at Muleshoe.

Mrs. J. F. Frye is visiting relatives in Plainview this week.

Mrs. George Parschon, daughters Misses Georgia and Pearl and son William, have gone for an extended visit to Houston, Corpus Christi and San Antonio.

W. B. Montague, daughter Miss Virginia, and son Nicholas, returned Saturday from an extended visit to relatives at El Paso.

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If a man has the sense of a six-year-old child he knows that he cannot spend more money than he makes. So why should he give so many checks that he gets them back?

The average Amarillo business man is lacking in backbone. If a bad check is given him, he makes an effort to collect it. Prosecution is the last thing that he will do as he is fearful of losing a customer. If all firms would follow the same ironclad rule of making the checks be backed up with the cash, there would be little trouble in Amarillo from this source. Let us rid Amarillo of the dead

beats. The man that pays his debts must pay the dead beat's debts, too. Keep the record square by making every man give a good check and keeping his bills paid.—The Amarillo Daily News.

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**TO THE PUBLIC.**

I have this day sold my half interest in the Dykes Grocery Co. to Mr. J. P. Edmonson, and the business in the future will be conducted under the firm name of The Texas Grocery. All accounts due the Dykes Grocery Co. are payable to the new firm, and the new firm assumes all indebtedness of Dykes Grocery Co.

I sincerely thank the public for the liberal patronage they have given the Dykes Grocery Co. and hope they will give the new firm a large share of their business.

This 9th day of September, 1922.  
Yours very respectfully,  
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**Theatre Program**

Friday afternoon, the 15th, starting at 3:30, "Go Get 'Em Hutch" serial, episode No. 4, also "Silver Girl," a 3-reel Pathe Playlet featuring Frank Keenan. Two complete shows. On account of Brunk's Comedians I will not show at night.

Monday, Sept. 18. "The Hole in the Wall." This is a Metro picture and a Maxwell Karger production, featuring Alice Lake. Monday is Larry Semon day. Larry is seen this time in "The Simple Life."

Same program Tuesday.

Wednesday, Sept. 20 and Thursday, Sept. 21. This picture is the hit of the season. "Queen O' the Turf," the greatest race horse picture ever shown. Harold Lloyd will be shown this time in "She Loves Me Not."

Friday, Sept. 22. Fifth episode of "Go Get 'Em Hutch" serial. If you haven't started on this serial it isn't too late. Critics say this is the best serial ever produced.

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**Foster's Weekly Weather Bulletin**

Washington, Sept. 14.—October will be one of the most rainy, disagreeable months of the 13, of which its 16th day will be their center. Temperatures will go to such extremes that the three great cold waves of the last three weeks of that month will demand heat in residences and offices three weeks earlier than usual. That means that heat will be in demand along and north of latitude 40 near October 6, and that frosts will be two weeks earlier than usual. The principal reason is that three severe storm periods, centering on October 3, 12 and 27, will constantly keep the atmosphere stirred and prevent warm air from accumulating, the results being the reverse of the early September warm wave. But the humidity—moisture in the atmosphere, will continue east of Rockies; better weather will prevail west of Rockies. October rains are the principal hope for putting the soil in good condition for sowing winter grain, but in large sections it will be cheaper to buy grain now than to produce it in 1923. Hurricane southwest of Liberia near October 20, will drift westward, but I cannot locate its movements.

Section 1: North of latitude 47, between meridian 90 and Rockies' crest; lowest temperatures, Sept. 25, Oct. 1; highest, Sept. 28; average, warmer than usual. Severe storms and increasing rains first week in October.

Sec. 6. South of 36, east of longitude 90; lowest temperatures, 25, and Oct. 1; highest 28, and Oct. 3; average warmer than usual; severe storms and heavy rains first week in October. See hurricane, first paragraph.

Sec. 2. East of 90, north of 47; lowest temperatures, 27, and Oct. 2; highest 25 and 30; average, warmer than usual. Severe storms first week in October and increasing rains.

Sec. 7. North of latitude 43 1-2, west of Rockies' crest; highest temperatures, 20 and 25; lowest, 23 and 27; average, warmer than usual. A little increase in rain first week in October and rough weather.

Sec. 3. Between 39 and 47, and between 90 and Rockies' crest; highest temperatures, 20 and 30, lowest, 25, and Oct. 2; average, near normal. Severe storms and increased rains first week in October.

Sec. 8. South of 43 1-2 to Mexican line, west of Rockies' crest; highest temperatures, 24 and 26; lowest, 29; average, warmer than usual. Some rough weather first week in October and a little increase in rain.

Sec. 4. East of meridian 90, between 39 and 47; lowest temperatures 23 and 29; highest, 20 and 26; average, warmer than usual; severe storms and increased rains, with lower temperatures first week in October.

Sec. 5. South of latitude 39; east of 90; highest temperatures, Sept. 26, Oct. 3; lowest, 23 and 29; average, above. Severe storms, increasing rains first week in October. See hurricane, first paragraph.

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**TO THE VOTERS OF LUBBOCK COUNTY.**

I come to thank all of you who supported me so generously in my campaign for Tax Collector. I appreciate the fact that I received the same number of votes as my opponent, but was unlucky in the drawing.

I desire also to make some other statements by way of correction. It was told just previous to the run off that I had already selected my deputy or deputies to use in the office. This was only campaign "dope," for I had not selected any one nor promised any one. Surely he who is competent to fill this office would use some judgment in this matter. Also in regard to placing guards at Slaton, I wish to say that I have not had one thing to do with it, neither could I have had, because I am only a deputy myself, working for so many dollars a month. So I do not blame you for being influenced by such report, and can only feel thankful for your good support. I wish to remain, yours gratefully,  
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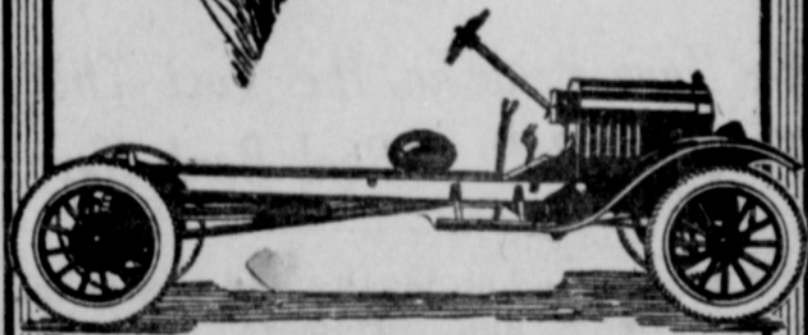
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**Slat's Diary**

Friday: Sum pepul is very disagreeable and fussy and hard to get a long with. I went into the postoffs to by a stamp to paste on a letter and they was a lady cum up to the winder and sed is they enny male fur me. The clerk sed whats yure name. She replied and sed I dont no as it is enny of yure bisness but you can see it on the letter I gess if you care to look.

Saturday: Ma sed if I want to take in the cirkus I better get bisy and ern sum money so I goes out to look for a job. I ast Mr. Green the store keeper did he have any work to get done. He sed nothing doing sunny. I sed that suits me to a tea. But he sed go on ahed out of here. Witch I did.

Sunday: Went out on a plesure ride in the ford and bust a tire and pa had to by a new 1. broke a spring and a axel and pa bot new ones. So tonite pa sed if money is the rute of all evil I am as pure as a driven snow ball.

Monday: I hate stingey fokes like ole man Koke. He watches every ct. last week he wanted to by a statute of venus demilo and he went and tawked for a hr. and a 1-2 trying to get the store keeper to nock off sum on the price because her arms was broke off.

Tuesday: Teecher give me a extra hard problem in arithmetick and when I was unlucky and gessed the rong anser she got sore and told me the only time I ever used my hed was when I was trying on a hat or making a dent in my piller. Went to a party tonite and had to take a bath. Witch is one of ma's new fangled ideas—not mine.

Wednesday: Jane told me a big piece of bood news today. She went to a jipsey fortune teller with told her she was a going to marry the handomest man in town when she grewed up. So everything is rosey for yrs. truely tonite. I have a song in my hart.

Thursday: Et supper down at Ted's house and they had devils-fud cake and when I tuk the 3rd peace his ma sed to me dont you ever get a chance to eat cake at home. I sed to her yes mam, I offen get the chance but very seldum the cake.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS.**

The following have been nominated by the Democratic Primary, subject to the general election in November:

Representative 119th District:  
HON. R. A. BALDWIN, Slaton.

For District Clerk:  
LOUIE F. MOORE, Lubbock.

For Tax Assessor:  
R. C. (ROLLY) BURNS, Lubbock.

For Sheriff:  
H. L. (BUD) JOHNSTON, Slaton.

For County Clerk:  
H. F. STUBBS, Lubbock.

For County Judge:  
P. F. BROWN, Lubbock.

For Tax Collector:  
S. C. SPIKES, Lubbock.

For County Treasurer:  
J. S. SLOVER, Lubbock.

For County Superintendent:  
E. R. HAYNES, Lubbock.

For County Attorney:  
O. W. McWHORTER, Lubbock.

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