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Ministerial Alliance Appeals For Aid To Needy Families

Slaton's Ministerial Alliance made an appeal this week to the residents of Slaton to give their support to the campaign currently underway in the city to feed and clothe the needy families. A concentrated drive will be held in the city Saturday.

The campaign was started by Stinson Behlen of Slaton, who told the Alliance that he had made an investigation of conditions in the community and discovered about 29 families leading a meager life.

He reported that response received from the citizens of the community last week enabled him and his helpers to clothe and feed 147 people.

Sufficient Clothes Donated
Though plenty of clothes were donated by the townspeople, his group was able to collect only enough food to feed these people for a few days.

"The problem is there," Behlen said, "and it is no reflection on any citizen or mayor or commissioner, but is a fact that must be acted upon and a solution to the problem must be found and will be found."

The member ministers of the Ministerial Alliance voted Monday to appoint one member or family from each of their congregations to work with Behlen on the collection and distribution of food to the families.

Needs Listed
He estimated, at the request of the Alliance, the needs of the families to be for staple foods such as evaporated milk, powdered milk,

beans, flour, shortening, baking powder, soap, rice, sugar, kerosene and potatoes.

To fill the needs of the families for about 90 days would cost an estimated \$500, he told the ministers.

Ten Widowed Families
Of the 29 families who need help, about 10 are widowed families with no income at all. This situation has arisen in most of these families because the mother must stay home with her children and is unable to work.

Also there are five old-age families with no pensions who, he said, are being kept up by their neighbors.

Behlen can be contacted at 810 S. 8th St. or by calling him at 920-J. The other members of the group who are assisting in the work are Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McCann, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McCook, Cliff Weaver and the Rev. A. Lopez.

Headquarters at Mexican Mission
The Mexican Mission at the corner of 7th and Jeans St. has been designated as a central headquarters for the work. The Mission will be open all day Saturday to accept the donations.

The work is being done without regard to religious denomination, or race and, according to Behlen, there is no formal organization directing the work. He told the Ministerial Alliance that he hoped to work toward organizing a relief program on a permanent basis in the community later on.

More workers are needed to help with the collection and distribution of the food and clothing.



JIM SHELBY LEADS HIS CALF out of the arena following the judging of the light weight class of fat calves in the 15th annual Lubbock County Fat Stock Show Saturday in Tiger Football Stadium. Jim's calf won sixth place. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Shelby of Slaton, Jim is a member of the Slaton Chapter of the Future Farmers of America.

(SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)

Frenship FFA, Roosevelt 4-H Club Take County Stock Show Honors

Future Farmer chapters from Frenship and Monterey High Schools and 4-H Club members from Roosevelt and Lubbock High Schools carried off the honors in the 15th Annual Lubbock County Stock Show here Saturday.

Frenship FFA boys took first place among FFA Chapters with a total of 106 points. Second place went to Monterey with 103 points.

The Roosevelt 4-H Club scored 45 points and the Lubbock 4-H Club amassed 33 points to win

first and second respectively in 4-H competition.

While Slaton didn't enter any grand champions, local youngsters took six places in the meet. Jim Shelby of the Slaton FFA took sixth place in the lightweight class of Fat Calves. James Kitten, Slaton FFA member, took sixth place in the heavyweight class of Hampshire Fat Hogs.

Fifth and Sixth Places
James Kitten won fifth place and Leroy Kitten took sixth place in the lightweight class of Hampshire Fat Hogs. Both youngsters are FFA members.

Ronald Mangum, Slaton FFA member, took a sixth place in the heavyweight class of Duroc Jersey Fat Hogs. Joe Jones won a sixth place in the lightweight class of Chester White Fat Hogs. Jones is a 4-H Club member.

The FFA Showmanship Award went to Sammy McWhorter, Frenship FFA, and Don Meador, Roosevelt 4-H Club, took the 4-H Showmanship honor.

Grand Champion ribbons went to Lyle Lester, Lubbock 4-H Club, for his steer. Royce Newsom, Monterey FFA, took a grand champion award for his Poland China. Other grand champion awards went to Jay Stanton Shallowater FFA, for his lamb, and to Morgan Howard, Monterey FFA, for his gilt.

Reserve Champions
Reserve champion honors were awarded to Don Baker, Monterey FFA, lambs; Sammy McWhorter, Frenship FFA, swine; and James Dunn, Shallowater FFA, cattle.

Two classes of hogs were added to the show after it got underway—lightweight Chester White Hogs and heavyweight Chester White Hogs.

Prizes for the two added classes were the same as in other classes, six prizes beginning with \$6 for first and decreasing to \$1 for sixth place.

Total Entries
A total of 275 head of livestock was shown in the show. A breakdown on this figure shows that 194 hogs, 60 sheep, and 21 calves were exhibited.

Co-general superintendents of the show were James Shearer and Truett Babb. Assistant superintendents and narrator at the show was Alton Brazell. Phil Brewer was secretary of the show.

J. R. Bridges was superintendent of calves; A. J. Kitten was superintendent of sheep, Carlton Hatchett was superintendent of fat swine, and John Powers was superintendent of gilts.

Other Assistants
Other agriculture teachers and county agents staff members assisting included D. W. Sherrill, Lubbock County Agent; Lee Suther, and Cecil Lewis, assistant Lub-



(SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)

STYLE SHOW PREVIEW—This dress is one of the many new spring fashions which will be shown at the spring style show at 8 p. m., March 9 in the High School Auditorium. The show is being sponsored by the First Presbyterian Church of Slaton to raise money for an Educational Building Fund. Patsy Hogue, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hogue of Slaton is wearing one of the garments which she will model in the show. She is a model for Webb's Dry Goods.

Style Show Will Display Latest Spring Fashions

Models of all ages this week were being fitted in the new spring fashions which they will wear in the Pre-Easter Style Show at 8 p. m., March 9 in the Slaton High School Auditorium.

The show is sponsored by the First Presbyterian Church of Slaton.

Proceeds from the show will go into an Educational Building Fund. Clothing stores participating in the event have announced their models as follows: Webb's, Mrs. Elbert Wilson, Miss Patsy Hogue, Mrs. Alex Webb and children, Jack and Jan.

Knott and Muse, Mrs. Roy Murphy, Mrs. Roy Parks, Mrs. Haskell Lassater, Mrs. Coy Cochran, Joe Bob Jones, Elbert Dee Walston, and Misses Pamela Maxey, Billie Palmer, Glenna Jones, Dianne Kenney, Areta Privett, Joan and Kathy Claiborne and Becky Carpenter.

Rona's, Misses Gail Huser, Shirley Kitten, Marilyn McSween, Donna Hatchett, and Cherie Arrants. McWilliams Dry Goods, Mrs. Dan Liles, Mrs. Otis Neill, and Misses Suzanne Neill, Pamela Henry, and Candada Lee.

C. R. Anthony, Misses Deborah Scott, Ann Haddock, Marilyn Boyce, and Patsy Smith.

O. Z. Ball & Co., Joe Walker Jr., Bill Caldwell, Russell Cummings, Richard Edwards, and Ronald Bagby.

Mrs. Pat Terry is rehearsing five dance pupils in three numbers and Miss Jan Bagby is arranging a program of songs and other music and will play for the models.

Dance numbers will be presented by Carol Sue Meurer, Gail and June Johnson, and Carol Sue Walston and Robin Davis.

Mrs. Pat Terry, dance instructor for the youngsters, will play piano accompaniment for the dancers.

A vocal trio composed of Peggy Kenney, Mary Lee Buxkemper, and Glenda Lou Kitten will also be a feature of the show. The trio will be accompanied at the piano by Neutie Nan Watson.

Jerry Hitt of Southland, Patsy Pettigrew and Don Edwards will play musical selections at the piano.

Material for the script was being assembled this week by Mrs. Byron Johnson and Mrs. D. W. Walston Jr., co-chairman of arrangements for the show. The script for the show will be written from "a

Canadian River Water Contract Election Set In Slaton Tuesday

Slaton Youngster Named Alternate In County Bee

James Cole, 14, an eighth grade student at Slaton Junior High School placed second in the Lubbock County Spelling Bee held Saturday at the O. L. Slaton Junior High School in Lubbock.

He will go to the Lubbock Avallanche-Journal Spelling Bee March 17, as alternate, should anything happen to make it possible for the county winner, John Julian, 13, of Lubbock to attend.

The March 17 contest will again be held in the O. L. Slaton Junior High School.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Taylor and daughter, Betty, of Littlefield visited Sunday with Mrs. Taylor's brother, Delma Hodge, and family.

Qualified voters of Slaton will go to the polls Tuesday, March 13, to decide whether the City Commission on behalf of the city will be authorized to enter into a water contract with the Canadian River Municipal Water Authority.

The office of Chamber of Commerce will serve as the voting place. Phil Brewer will serve as election judge; H. V. Jarman, assistant judge; Mrs. Dan Liles, clerk; and Mrs. P. A. Minor, clerk.

Water Needs
The water needs of Slaton were recently surveyed by engineers and the participation of Slaton in the Water Authority evaluated. Participation in the authority will necessitate an increase in revenue of approximately 40% from the water and sewer system.

The city could handle this problem in one of two ways—by placing a small increase on water prices and approximately 75 cents monthly on each sewer user or by placing all the increase on water users.

The commissioners have stated that it is believed the revenues can be adjusted sometime in the next two or three years. Rates in the city are expected to climb in the years ahead whether the Canadian River Contract is approved or not.

Slaton's Water Supply
Slaton's water supply is thought to be adequate for the next four or five years. After that time it is strictly a guess as to the availability of supply and cost. The local cost, say the commissioner, has steadily increased for the past ten years and is anticipated to increase even faster from now on due to irrigation.

After the first six years of operation, Canadian River Water would become cheaper each year due to retirement of the bonded indebtedness and after 35 years when all bonds have been paid, water would be sold to member cities at rates to meet only maintenance and operating expenses of the Authority.

If contract confirmation is voted by member cities a dam and distribution facilities will be built to assure each member city an adequate water supply for at least 50 years.

Citizen's Reactions
In order to get a reaction from the citizens of the community a number of residents were picked at random and called for their reactions to the contract election.

The statements of the residents follow: J. S. Edwards, a banker, "I'm for anything that would tend to give us a chance to increase our water supply"; J. E. Rucker, a railroad man, "As a whole I think it is a fine thing—the time is getting close when we will need the water—I would favor the proposition now"; Joe Walker Jr., a farmer, "If there was ever a country in the world that needed water we do—its our life's blood—I think it will pass with Slaton voters";

A Businessman
Ray Belt, a businessman, "I'm for it one hundred per cent, it is the only thing that can keep progress moving around here—we are going to have it"; B. E. Ayers, an industrialist, "If it will give us water out here I'm for it, whether it will last enough years to pay for itself is something we will just have to wait and see about";

Mrs. B. E. Johnson, a housewife, "As far as I'm concerned as long as they use it to give us more water I'm in favor of it"; Bruce M. Pember, an insurance man, "If this country doesn't get some water there's not much future here without it."

Three Slaton Youngsters
KCB-TV in Lubbock will host three Slaton youngsters: Stephany Johnson, Nancy Anderson and Roger Cummings Friday at 6 p. m. on "Hospitality Time." The youngsters will be interviewed about the Presbyterian-sponsored Style Show which will be held here Friday night in the High School Auditorium.

Calendar Of Coming Events
THURSDAY, MARCH 8
Rotary Club, noon, Clubhouse.
Public Schools Week assembly, 11:30 a. m., Junior High Auditorium.

Social Security representative, 9 a. m., Red Cross room, City Hall.
Pony League meeting, 7:45 p. m., West Ward Auditorium.

FRIDAY, MARCH 9
Pre-Easter Style Show, 8 p. m., High School Auditorium.

SUNDAY, MARCH 11
Methodist Evening Fellowship, 6 p. m., Worship Service, 7:45 p. m., First Methodist Church.

MONDAY, MARCH 12
City Commission, 7:30 p. m., City Hall.
American Legion birthday dinner, 7:30 p. m., Clubhouse.

Organizational meeting for Junior Chamber of Commerce, 8 p. m., VFW Hall.
Men's Breakfast, Fellowship Hall, 6:30 a. m., First Methodist Church.

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TUESDAY, MARCH 13
Lions Club, noon, Clubhouse.
Football banquet, 7:30 p. m., Clubhouse.

Farmers and Businessmen's meeting, 7:30 p. m., O. L. Slaton Junior High School, Lubbock.
Clubhouse rules meeting, 7:30 p. m., City Hall Auditorium.

Canadian River Municipal Water Authority, election, all day, Chamber of Commerce office, City Hall.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14
Vesper Services, 7:30 p. m., Grace Lutheran Church.

THURSDAY, MARCH 15
Rotary Club, noon, Clubhouse.
LA to B of RJ, 4 p. m., American Legion Hall.

Howard Hoffman Elected to Head District Scout Group Committee

Howard Hoffman of Slaton was appointed chairman of the organization and extension committee of the Longhorn District of the Boy Scouts of America when the organization met at the Clubhouse March 1.

The monthly dinner and business meeting of the district was the first time Slaton has played host to the meeting since the Lubbock County organization was divided into two districts.

Also appointed was Ray Wilson as the first Longhorn field commissioner ever to be selected from the Slaton area.

The district committee meets each month to negotiate the business of the district. The next meeting will be held in Lubbock sometime in March.

Present at the meeting Thursday were H. P. Clifton, district chairman; George Gilkerson, and Weldon Gibbs, co-vice chairmen; Jimmie Lumus, Camp and Activities; Walter Breedlove, Health and Safety; Ray Mowery, Advancement; Guy Eagan, Finance; Oscar Sherrill, Leadership Training; and Joe Harter, Public Relations.

Slaton residents who attended the meeting included Hoffman, Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hagerman, Alex Webb, Charles Marriott, Arthur Dennis, and Howard Carleson.

Hagerman is a member of the area advisory committee for the area scout council. Webb is an Executive Board member at large. Dennis and Carleson were at the meeting as representatives of the Slaton American Legion.



Howard Hoffman

Cotton Problems To Be Discussed Tuesday Night

Farmers and businessmen from Lubbock County will meet Tuesday night at 7:30 p. m. in the auditorium of O. L. Slaton Junior High School, Avenue Q and 32nd Street, Lubbock, to discuss the problems faced by cotton and cotton producers.

W. O. Fortenberry, president of the Plains Cotton Council, and Roy Davis, director of the Council, will report on the progress of the council and report on recent trips to Washington as to the status of legislation affecting cotton.

Also on the agenda will be the way in which Lubbock County will help finance the Plains Cotton Council.

A farmer and businessman from each community will be elected Tuesday night to membership in the Plains Cotton Council, according to D. W. Sherrill, Lubbock County Agent.

Sherrill stated that it was of utmost importance to both the farmer and businessman of each community in Lubbock County that they attend.

Mike Brumbelow To Speak Tuesday At Football Feed

Mike Brumbelow, coach and athletic director at Texas Western College in El Paso will be the guest speaker at the Slaton High School Football Banquet Tuesday night. The banquet, an annual affair, will be held at the Clubhouse at 7:30 p. m. Tickets can be purchased from the members of the Touchdown Club for \$2.50 each.

Ladies of the Grace Lutheran Church will serve the banquet.

Pony League Meeting Held Thursday Night

A meeting was planned Thursday night at the West Ward Auditorium for the organization of a Pony League in Slaton.

Tom Claiborne of Slaton had urged all interested persons in the community to attend the meeting for the election of officers and to lay the ground-work to get the league started.

The meeting was to start at 7:30 p. m.

Denton Minister To Preach Sunday

The Rev. Hoyt Bowles of Denton will preach the morning service at the First Presbyterian Church in Slaton on Sunday. The worship service will begin at 11 a. m.

Rev. Bowles is a representative of the Presbyterian Synod of the State of Texas.

Clubhouse Rules Listed As Submitted to Local Clubs

A civic group met Friday, March 2, to draw up a tentative set of rules for the County Club House of Slaton. A public meeting has been set for Tuesday, March 13, at 7:30 p. m. at the City Hall Auditorium to vote on these rules.

The meeting is open to all interested citizens of the community.

Following is a list of the tentative rules drawn up by the group.

1. Post the hours that the custodian is on duty in the Clubhouse or on the grounds in or around the County Park in Slaton.

2. Post the hours that the Clubhouse can be used—the Clubhouse will be available from 8 a. m. to 10 p. m.

3. Reservations for the following year shall be started November 1.

4. When an individual or representative of a group asks for a Clubhouse reservation and this reservation time taken, the custodian shall inform said individual who has reserved the Clubhouse for that date and time. Thus if the second party cares to do so, they may ask the first party to inform them if they cancel their reservation.

5. That the Clubhouse can be used for card parties of no less than eight tables upon the condition that there shall be no wager-

ing or betting of any money at any card games in this building.

6. The building must be cleaned immediately after using. Dishes, glassware, and all cooking utensils must be washed and placed exactly as found. Clean the stove refrigerator, sink, and cabinets as you would in your own home. Garbage must be removed from the building and put into garbage containers outside the building. If you plan to hire a janitor, arrangements must be made with the custodian.

7. If you plan to decorate the Clubhouse at a time different than your reservation time, permission must be obtained from the custodian as another group may have the Clubhouse when you plan to decorate or remove decorations.

8. Do not come into the building until your reservation time starts—you must be out of the building when your reservation time is up.

9. The Clubhouse cannot be reserved or used by any denomination for worship service or for any commercial parties wherein advertising or selling of a product is the purpose of the meeting, or for dancing.

10. No furniture or equipment belonging to the Clubhouse can leave the building.

11. A fee of \$5 for Saturday afternoon, \$10 for Sunday, and \$3.50 for use of the Clubhouse after 10 p. m., but not later than midnight, will be charged.

12. Reservation dates may be canceled by the custodian for failure to observe the above rules.

Dr. T. L. Talbert left last Saturday to go to Monett, Mo. to attend funeral services for his brother-in-law, Nick Humy. Mr. Humy was buried Sunday in Monett. Dr. Talbert returned home Monday.

OPPORTUNITY FOR YOUTHS

A wonderful opportunity for youngsters exists in the Army Reserve.

The Army's all-important mission is to uphold the interests of the United State whether we be in a shooting war, a cold war, or in peace. During times of peace the Army's main job is to deter aggression. That can be done only by maintaining a reserve that is both numerically strong and technically trained.

There always exists a chance that any young man will be required to serve in Uncle Sam's Army. There are very few men alive today, regardless of age, who have not served in some war or in preparedness for same.

It has now become a patriotic duty of every young man to prepare himself to defend his country. Some young men do this by enlisting in some branch of the armed services. Some defer military service so that they may complete their education, by joining a ROTC unit. Others keep in touch with the latest developments, and in trim, by joining the national guard.

Now comes a wonderful opportunity for youngsters to continue their education and at the same time serve their country in the Reserve forces.

Actually it is a matter of self preservation. Uncle Sam discovered in World War II that untrained men were the first casualties. They had not learned to defend themselves. So, from a selfish standpoint, it behooves every young man to keep himself in fighting trim—to familiarize himself with wartime procedures, to know the latest in weapons and warfare techniques.

Now, thanks to the Reserve Forces Act of 1955 a young man of high school age can enlist in the reserves, be paid for the time he serves, train only one night a week, go to camp for two weeks in the summer, and receive credit against his military obligation for the time spent in Reserve training. After graduation from high school he serves six months' active duty receiving his basic training, following which he is ready to enter college without further interruption.

What better deal could a young man have than that now offered in the U. S. Army Reserve?

THE SMALL AUTOMOBILE

Earlier in the year a New York Times reporter drove a pocket-size, two-door four-passenger German car from New York to Miami Beach and back for \$27.45 worth of gas and a \$2.50 oil change and lubrication.

The car cost \$1,200. Its aircooled engine has 36 horsepower. It will do 75 miles an hour, gripping the road like a fly on the ceiling. It looks like a bug going backwards, but it gets 35 miles on a gallon. At Miami beach it parked in places fit for bicycles and made U-turns on its own half of the streets. Five men can pick it up and hide it in the bushes for the night.

Sooner or later the American market may stop buying the 140-inch wheelbase with the two-foot hangover at each end, and the 300 horsepower engine. It may wake up to something like that little car that gets people places at 60 miles an hour, 35 miles to the gallon.

It would certainly make parking easier.

POLES APART

"As like as the two Poles" is an expression commonly heard. Actually no two places could be more different as the American expedition which has just flown over the South Pole can testify. Theirs is the third flight ever made over the South Pole. Admiral Richard F. Byrd, head of the present expedition, flew over it in 1929 and 1946.

The South Pole is again reported as being perfectly flat and on a plateau 10,000 feet high. When this last flight was made it was covered with a deep powdery snow into which a flag and other objects dropped from the plane sank out of sight.

The North Pole, on the other hand, is on an ice cake in the Arctic Ocean. To land on it would be quite a feat as it is difficult even from measurements to be sure of its exact location.

We really should say, "As different as the two Poles."



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STRENGTH FOR THE WEEK

Jesus, the Understanding Friend
By Mrs. Bryan Ross

The white wreath hung on the door. Inside, a middle-aged couple sat grief-stricken over the passing of a pilot son who died in flaming wreckage. Among those who came to express sympathy was another couple who had gone through a similar experience. They, too, had recently lost a son. Immediately, there seemed to develop among the two couples a strong band of understanding, a mutual feeling of "togetherness." Many evenings in following weeks the four were together. Somehow it meant something to be with those who understood and shared in a fellowship of suffering.

Don't we all long for a kinship in our need? "There is a friend that sticketh closer than a brother"—even Jesus. He is the one we can trust to share in the deepest

feeling of our souls. "For we have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin." (Heb. 4:15) That's it! He has been where we are now. He, too, walked life's road and faced problems similar to ours. The compassionate Jesus "suffers with" us in our human frailties and weaknesses.

He was like us, and yet so unlike us in that He lives without sin. Without one black mark he made a perfect score. He found the right answers to all life's problems. That's why he can help us today to live victorious Christian lives. The world may not consider us as "conquerors", but if we have the inner peace of Jesus deep in our souls, we have won.

Let us invite this friend into our hearts again and again to fellowship with us. With His presence with us we feel a new confidence and strength in meeting life's deepest needs.

"Far in that he himself hath suffered being tempted, he is able to succour them that are tempted." (Heb. 2:18)

—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gray spent Sunday in Oilton visiting friends and relatives.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Reynolds last week end were Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Reynolds of Midland and Jerry Reynolds of Abilene. Jerry is attending McMurry College in Abilene.

Slaton Implement To Offer Liberal Credit Terms

International Harvester Company has announced new and more liberal credit terms for the sale of tractors and farm machinery, according to Tip Kendrick of the Slaton Implement Company.

The new, liberalized terms involve both lower down payments and longer periods for deferred payments by farmer purchasers.

Under the new terms, it is now possible for farmers to buy new McCormick farm equipment in most areas of the United States with as little as 20% down and the balance of the purchase price can be paid off in a period running as long as three years.

The liberalized terms, Mr. Kendrick said, have been adopted to indicate the confidence of the Harvester Company and its dealers in the fundamental soundness of American agriculture and the fine credit record made by farmers over many years. The new terms are specifically intended to make it possible for farmers to buy new machines which they need to accomplish cost reductions in 1956.

Linda Robison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Robison, underwent a tonsillectomy at Mercy Hospital last Saturday morning.

FREE AIR at Self's Service Station

Said the school teacher, "Now suppose a man working on a river bank had fallen in. He couldn't swim and his wife hearing his screams, rushes to the bank. Now why did she rush to the bank?" Replied the smart little boy, "To draw his insurance money."

One good thing about it, most of the world's hot-heads must depend for transportation on cold feet.

An old-timer is one who remembers when we counted our blessings instead of our calories.

Some girls today don't care if a man fits the bill so long as he foots it.

"When we were first married we got along fine. But as we left the church—"

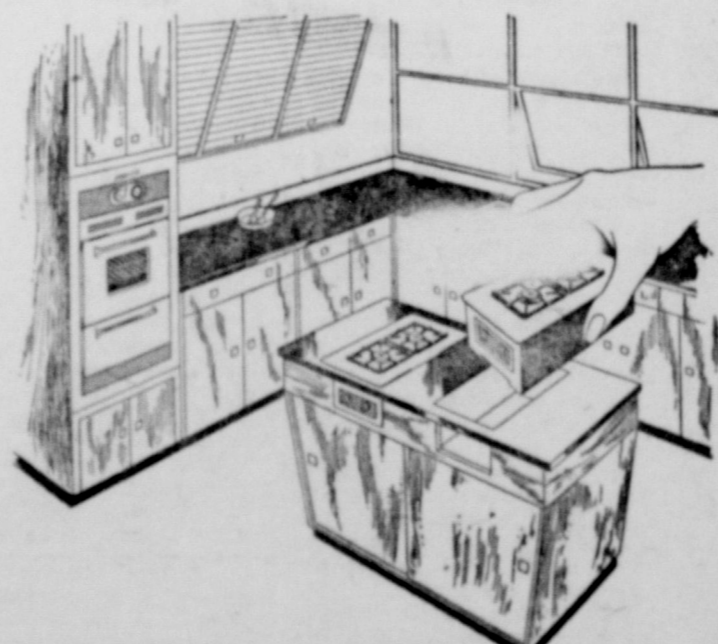
You can't stop people from thinking—but you can start them.

Television is the wonderful invention which lets you watch a 20 year old, two-bit movie for \$250.

You'll find it easier to support that car of yours if you have it serviced with those top quality Magnolia products... you'll see the savings in lower maintenance costs.

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Illustrated above is the Roper built-in automatic gas range. This range is approved by the American Gas Association testing laboratories. The Roper features the new thermostatically controlled top surface unit.

Sunday School Attendance
Totals 1,566 for Mar. 4

Attendance at church schools in Slaton Sunday, Mar. 4, totaled 1,566 in the 12 churches which reported.

Churches reporting and their attendance was as follows:

First Christian	71
Church of God	65
First Methodist	276
First Baptist	408
Church of the Nazarene	72
Westview Baptist	218
First Presbyterian	27
Grace Lutheran	102
First Baptist Mission	111
Assembly of God	79
Pentecostal Holiness	75
Bible Baptist	62

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Mystery Farm of the week



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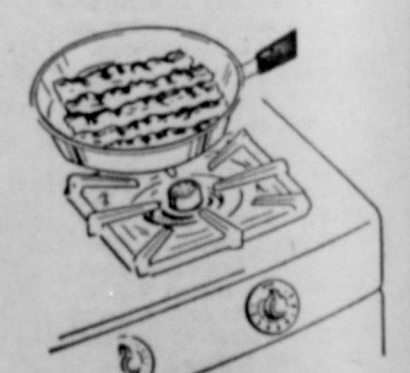
We now have Adams hard faced, heat treated
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Bulks
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Thermostatically controlled top burner
Clock controlled oven
Instant on and instant off heat

The new thermostatically controlled gas top surface units are now available on most of the 1956 built-in automatic gas ranges. This new gas unit makes ordinary cooking utensils automatic.

Enjoy the convenience of automatic clock controlled oven roasting and baking.
No range is more automatic than the modern built-in automatic gas range.
And, the instant on and instant off heat gives you exacting control over cooking.



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Illustrated above is the thermostatically controlled gas top surface unit that makes ordinary cooking utensils automatic.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Murphy and Mike visited Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Woodard and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nabors in Lubbock Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bryant of Muleshoe spent the week end visiting Mrs. Bryant's sister, Mrs. Bert McDonald, and Mr. McDonald.

Men's Breakfast Hosts First Christian Men

The men of the First Christian Church were guests at the Men's Breakfast at the First Methodist Church of Slaton Monday. The breakfast is held each Monday at 6:30 a. m. About 26 men were present.

Next week the male employees of Southwestern Public Service Company in Slaton will be guests at the breakfast.

The meal is open to all men of the community, according to the Rev. J. B. Sharp, pastor of the Church.

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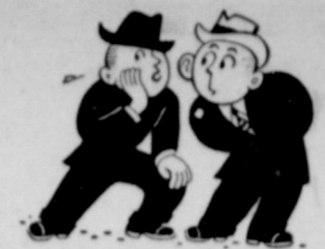
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"Campus Corner"

By Beverly Bland

Beginning with this issue of The Slatonite, this column will be devoted to news events about the Slaton Schools. The column is written by your's truly, Beverly Bland, editor of the Tiger's Cage, the Slaton High School newspaper. Don Wright, Bill Caldwell, and John M. Gilbert, traveled to Midland to attend the Texas Association of Student Councils. The theme of the meeting was "Life—A Matter of Choice." The purpose of the meeting was to discuss a better function of student council.

Caldwell and Wright were elected by the Slaton High School Student Council to represent Slaton. They returned Saturday.

Monday night at 9:30, the Slaton High School Band, under the direction of Bill Townsend, was heard over radio station KFYO in Lubbock. Numbers that the band played included "Bills Across the Gridiron," march; "Allerseelen," a tone poem by Strauss; "Procession of the Sardar," from "The Caucasian," sketches by Ippolitov Ivanov; "La Donna," Spanish March; and "Alma Mater."

March 7 at 6 p. m., Mrs. G. K. Haile, Mrs. J. H. Dodson, and John M. Gilbert were seen on KCBQ-TV. They discussed homemaking, health, and safety as taught in Slaton Schools.

Tomorrow from 10 to 10:15 a. m., Mrs. T. C. Martin, Mrs. Mary Gilmore, J. D. Perkins, M. E. Granville, and Mrs. M. G. Davis will be heard over radio station KSEL.

Their topic of discussion will pertain to what schools will do to celebrate Public Schools Week.

The date for the junior-senior banquet has been set for April 24, at the Caprock Hotel in Lubbock. "The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come" is the name of this year's speech play. The members of the cast of characters are Bobby Sokoll, Douglas Corley, Martha Ailred, Sue Corley, Barbara Felty, Viola Walton, Peggy Sue Kenney, John Foster, Roland German, Sandra Wells, Medwin Gattis, Betty Johnson, and DuAnne Duncan.

The speech class is directed by Mrs. Mary Gilmore.

The agricultural classes have moved some buildings behind the High School which may used for chicken houses.

Twirp season is in full swing at Slaton High School.

School will be out Friday, March 9, for the District Teacher's meeting at Midland.

Girl's tennis will be coached this year by Mrs. Audean Nowell.

Those going out for tennis are Sharon Smith, Beverly Bland, Suzanne Neil, Dorothy Heaton, Neutie Nan Watson, Pat Smith, Betty Fondy, Kay Sain, Callie White, Sonny Mudget, Betty Joyce Green, and Linda Crumbly.

Phil Brewer will coach the following boys who are going out for tennis Robert Heaton and Dal Stanley.

Mrs. Annie Bruster has been a patient in Mercy Hospital for two weeks.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Alcorn last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Delmar King and two boys of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Henderson and family of Lubbock.



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Local Firm in Contest to Pick Checker of Year

Cleveland may help to crown a new queen of American industry, the "Checker of the Year," the outstanding checker among the nation's thousands of checkers. It was announced today by Ray Belt, Piggly Wiggly Super Market, who is participating with super markets throughout the nation in local contests to select regional and national winners.

Customers and employees of Piggly Wiggly Super Markets will help select the local checker of the year—with prizes ranging as high as an all expense trip to Europe.

The competition will be no beauty contest, Belt emphasized. Nominations will be made on such practical considerations as courtesy and good customer relations, accuracy,

Ray Boyd Identifies February Mystery Farm

We finally have a winner on the identity of the "Mystery Farm" which appeared in the February 24 issue of The Slatonite. He is Ray Boyd who lives near Slaton. He identified the farm as the L. A. Cox farm located on Route 2, Slaton.

If Boyd will come by The Slatonite office he will be presented with two free passes to the Slaton Theatre and a one-year subscription to the paper.

The farm owner will be presented with an aerial photo of his farm from the Slaton Farm Store.

efficiency and speed, good house-keeping, pride of job and desire to improve. The competition honors the primary contact super markets have with their customers, the checkers who handle billions of consumer food dollars annually, with errors of less than three one hundredths of one per cent.

The competition to choose Slaton's checker of the year starts March 9th and will last through March 17th. Entry blanks for customers are at the checkout stand in all the company's stores. Piggly Wiggly Super Market has set up

its own prizes for the local winner. The checker will win about \$5,000. in prizes, with the top prize an all expense trip to Europe, with the objective of the Third International Congress of Food Distribution in Rome in Mid-June.

Final selection of the "Checker of the Year" will be made in Cleveland, Ohio, May 6th to 9th, at the 19th Annual Convention of Super Market Institute. Ten regional finalists will be selected for their appearance at Cleveland, and will take part in an impressive presentation at this meeting, which

will bring together thousands of top executives in the food industry.

At Cleveland, a board of judges will rate each of the entries in a series of tests on personality, speed and accuracy in checking out a standard order. The winner will be crowned "Checker of the Year" in

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a special evening ceremony Second and third prize winners will be selected at that time.

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Methodist Evening Program Plans TWIRP Observance

Evening Fellowship at the First Methodist Church this Sunday has been designated as "TWIRP" night. The High School group will do the entertaining during the supper hour. Supper will be served and prepared by the youth division of the Church.

Classes last week at the Evening Fellowship had an attendance of 262, according to the Rev. J. B. Sharp, pastor of the church. Classes meet each Sunday from 6 to 6:45 p. m.

"The Case Against Pouting Christians" will be the sermon topic at the Sunday night worship service. The text will be taken from Luke 15:28.

"Micah" will be the subject of discussion in "Eight Bible Characters," a class taught by the Rev. H. F. Treptow.

"Eight Great Religious Books" taught by Mr. and Mrs. Don Crow will study "The Imitation of Christ."

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Sumrall will discuss "Sources of Family Strength" in the class they are teaching, "Family Religious Life and Applied Religion." "The Best Years of Your Life" taught by Mrs. Virgie Hunter will discuss "New Attack on Old Diseases," "Cancer?" and "Blood Pressure."

The Rev. Elmer Crabtree will discuss "Jesus' Teachings on Possessions" in his class, "The Life and Teachings of Jesus."

Mrs. George Evans returned home Monday night after spending a few days in Kansas City, Kans. visiting her son, Harry Evans, and family.

Mrs. W. E. Smart is still a patient in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock where she is receiving treatment after surgery. Her condition is reported to be fine.

Slaton Tech Student Attends Leadership Meet at Cloudcroft

Kay Porter of Slaton recently attended a meeting of Texas Tech student leaders in a conference at Cloudcroft, New Mexico.

Miss Porter attended the meeting as a representative of the Major-Minor Club at the college. The conference was held to discuss the problems of student organizations on the Tech campus.

Conference speakers included Dr. E. N. Jones, Tech president, and Dr. D. M. Wiggins, former Tech president.

The third annual retreat was sponsored by Tech's Board of Student Organizations. Representatives of about 70 campus clubs attended the two-day meet.

Bob Clodfelter To Attend Annual Cotton Meeting

Bob Clodfelter of the Union Compress and Warehouse Company of Slaton, will attend the 19th annual meeting of the National Cotton Compress and Cotton Warehouse Association to be held April 12-13 in Galveston.

Meeting at the Galvez Hotel in Galveston, the delegates will discuss the extent to which the cotton compress and warehouse industry through mechanization can expect to increase efficiency in face of rising costs of labor in supplies, in handling and storing the record supply of cotton.

Delegates from throughout the Cotton Belt are expected to attend the two-day meeting, according to Harris F. Underwood, president of the association.

Chief highlight of the convention will be an exposition of baling and fire-fighting equipment, to be held in the Exhibition Hall of the Galveston Pleasure Pier.

WANT ADS GET RESULTS

Crow Chevrolet Celebrates 20th Year in Business

"Doc" Crow Chevrolet Co. this week was celebrating its 20th anniversary of business in Slaton. The local dealer went into business in 1937 under the name Crow-Harral Chevrolet.

In 1937 there were about five employees working for the firm. The annual wages amounted to about \$3,000. Today they employ 17 persons with an annual payroll of about \$46,000.

The going was not without hardships in the early days of the firm. Fire completely gutted the building where the business was housed. The building has since been repaired and now houses O. D. Kenney Auto Parts.

The firm moved into its present quarters at 120 N. 9th St. in 1938 following the fire.

In 1932 Harral sold out his interest in the business to Crow and in 1933 Don Crow bought an interest from his father and now manages the firm.

The dealership offers its customers a complete line of Chevrolet cars, trucks, parts and service.

One of the few dealers in this section of the state to receive a 25 year service plaque, Crow sold more cars and trucks than its competitors in 1935.

Don Crow recently attended a Post Graduate School of Modern Merchandising and Management in Detroit, Michigan.

One of the employees of the automobile dealer, Scott Durham, has been with the organization since it first opened its doors for business. Durham works in the shop as a lubrication man.

Ministers Discuss Proposed County Clubhouse Rules

The members of the Ministerial Alliance met Tuesday morning to discuss the proposed rules for the County Clubhouse. The group voted approval of all but one of the rules and proposed that one other regulation be added to the list.

The rule that the ministers took exception to was governing card parties in the Clubhouse. According to the Rev. Marshall Stewart, secretary-treasurer of the Alliance the ministers have checked with an attorney and found that there is a county regulation which makes it illegal to play cards in any county building.

In place of the rule the ministers would place a rule stating "There shall be no card playing (County regulation prohibits this practice)."

The Alliance also voted to propose another rule for the Clubhouse as follows, "There will be no consumption of alcoholic beverages on the premises."

The ministers also suggested at their meeting Tuesday that Southland, Wilson, and all surrounding communities be included in the use of the Clubhouse.

Rotarians Told Cotton Program To Hurt Growers

Seven per cent of the West Texas Cotton Allotment was taken away and given to East Texas growers this year," said Wilmer Smith, president of the Board of the Plains Co-op Oil Mill. "Cotton" was the subject of this talk at the Slaton Rotary Club recently. Jay Grey, manager of the Slaton Co-op Gin, was in charge of the program.

The speaker explained how the proposed "Soil Bank" plan would work. Encouragement for the cotton farmers was given in the fact that the Plains Cotton Growers Association was organized the past month for the purpose of protecting the cotton interests. Mr. Smith is a member of this organization and a cotton farmer from near Slaton.

"Each time a farmer receives a dollar it travels to seven different people before arriving at a bank where it lies dormant," said Mr. Smith.

A few of the things that farmers themselves can do to improve the cotton situation are: To overcome prejudice against West Texas cotton by raising a longer, stouter staple; find out more what the spinners want and then work toward their interests.

"As for competition of other growers, we can compete with any in the United States, but the low labor costs in Mexico and other parts of the world cannot be met by our farmers," said Mr. Smith. Visitors were Rufus W. Grisham, Lubbock; Jack Spratt, Lubbock; Bill Sewell, Lubbock; Hubert Phillips, Ralls; Wilmer Smith, New Home; Earl Ray, Lubbock; Marvin Petty, Lubbock.

WANT ADS GET RESULTS

Tigerettes Lose In Regional Play

By Beverly Bland

The Slaton Tigerettes were nudged out in the regional tournament at Lubbock Saturday, March 3 by the Tulla Hornets by a slim victory of 46-44.

In the first period of play the Slaton sextette scored well and at one time had a 9 to 1 margin. At the half-time the score board showed Slaton 21-Tulla 19.

The third quarter usually shows a lead for the Tigerettes, but Tulla pulled ahead and at the end of the third the Hornets were leading 34 to 29. Slaton never recovered but they were picking up fast in the last seconds of play.

Barbara McCoy, Callie White, and Carrall Ann Mann fouled off and left Alma Winn, Beverly Bland, and Ova Sue Wilson of Slaton's defense. Total fouls for the teams were Slaton 29 and Tulla 19.

Linda Smith looped 14 points for high point man and Martha Allred had 11. Sue Corley was third with 10 points. Bobbie Fely hit the highest per cent of free throws with nine.

Meeting to Start Jaycee Chapter Scheduled Here

Don Crow, temporary chairman of the newly formed Jaycee chapter in Slaton reports that enthusiasm among the young men of the city is running high for the formation of a Jaycee chapter here.

A heavy attendance is expected by Crow at the organizational meeting, open to all young men, March 12 at 8 p. m. at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Hall in Slaton.

Items of business at the meeting will include election of officers, establishment of a dues rate, drafting a by-laws and constitution, preparation of an application for affiliation with the state and national organizations, as well as discussion of a membership drive and arrangements for a charter night.

Any person desiring more information or who needs transportation to the meeting may contact Carl Williams by phoning 282.

Crow, temporary chairman, pointed out that the meeting was open to all interested persons. The Jaycees are an organization for young men between the ages of 21 and 35 to provide leadership training for young men by giving them the responsibility of civic leadership.

Motorists Have Until April 15 To Get Stickers

Slaton motorists who have not already had their cars inspected for mechanical safety have until April 15 to do so.

Under the provisions of state law, according to Col. Homer Garrison Jr., Director of Texas Department of Public Safety, Texas Highway Patrolmen will be instructed to begin issuing tickets on April 16 to operators of vehicles which do bear the 1936 inspection sticker.

The inspection involves the inspection of foot brakes, head lights, tail lights, stop lights, horn and windshield wiper. The motor number of the car will also be checked and recorded.

The local inspection stations reported this week that residents were bringing in their cars in a fairly steady stream, but that a last minute rush was anticipated of those who will wait until near deadline.

The Slaton inspectors include Carroll's Service Station, Slaton Motor Company, Williams Buick Company, Slaton Implement Company and "Doc" Crow Chevrolet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Addington of Lubbock visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hall.

Mrs. B. N. Billingsley of Lubbock visited Tuesday night with her niece, Mrs. W. E. Kidd, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Keys spent the week end in Amarillo visiting their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Brown.

Mrs. J. D. Norris returned home from West Texas Hospital last week where she had been for 10 days recovering from surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Brewer spent the week end in Clovis, N. Mex. visiting Mrs. Brewer's grandmother, Mrs. Shea. Mrs. Shea returned to Slaton with them and will visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. W. Pike, and family.

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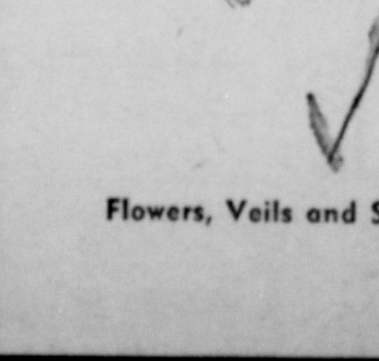
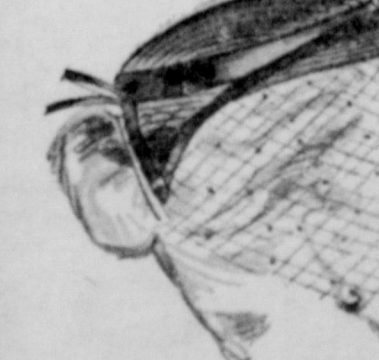
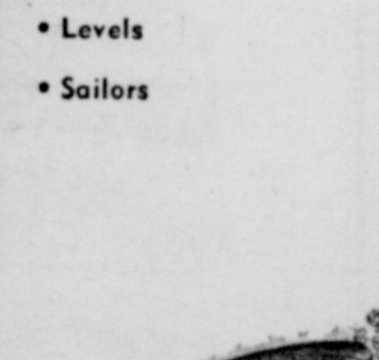
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SLATON ORATOR—Thomas L. Clinton, head of the 19th Congressional District Americanism Committee for the American Legion awards the first place medal to Tracy Crawford for winning a county-wide speaking contest held in Lubbock Saturday. Tracy is a senior at Slaton High School. Looking on are left to right, third place winner Bennie Compton of Big Spring High School and Harold Hammett, second place winner from Monterey High School in Lubbock.

Tracy Crawford Takes Honors in Oratorical Meet

Tracy Crawford, a senior at Slaton High School, placed first in the American Legion Oratorical Contest for the 19th Congressional District of Texas Saturday.

He was awarded a medal by Thomas L. Clinton, 19th District Americanism chairman for the American Legion, following the contest Saturday afternoon.

The contest Saturday was held in Allen Brothers Post 148 in Lubbock and was the quarter finals of the state contest which were held at the Odessa Senior High School at Odessa March 6. Tracy did not place in that contest.

Tracy was sponsored in the Lubbock contest by the Luke Powers Post 438 of Slaton. His oration was entitled "The Constitution of the United States."

Bob Gilbert of Ft. Worth visited Tuesday night with his father, J. M. Gilbert, and family.

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Local High School Student Wins Sorghum Grain Yield Contest

Stiles Belcher, 18-year-old Slaton High School Senior recently took first place in the Lubbock County 4-H Club Sorghum Grain Yield Contest.

He raised 1,475 pounds per acre of 7078 milo on dry-land farming to take the first place honors in the contest.

The contest was conducted under the direction of the Lubbock County Agent's office. Club members produced grain sorghum on a five-acre plot.

Belcher also recently won first place in the Lubbock County Cotton contest and fourth place in the district contest. He won these prizes for raising 992 pounds of dry-land cotton on five acres.

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Belcher is a nine-year member of the 4-H Club and had entered the Cotton contest in previous years. In 1952 he took second place in the contest.

He is a 4-H Club council member, Junior 4-H Club leader for the area, and is helping to coach the 4-H rifle team. He has also served as president of the local 4-H Club for two years and as secretary for one year.



Stiles Belcher

Slaton Youngster Injured Last Week In Pickup Accident

Boyd Duckett son of Mrs. J. E. Vannoy of Slaton was released from Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Monday after treatment for internal injuries suffered in an automobile accident last week.

Duckett and Johnny Johnson of Lubbock were riding in a pickup when it overturned near College Ave. Gin in Lubbock.

The Johnson boy received a broken leg in the accident and is still in Methodist Hospital, according to Mrs. J. B. Butler of Slaton.

Tigerettes to Attend State Finals in Austin

Even though they will not be active participants the Slaton High School Tigerettes will be at the state basketball finals Saturday. The girls were defeated in regional play March 3 at Lubbock by Tulla.

Four automobiles took the girls to Austin Thursday morning so they would be present at the state tournament when it starts Friday. Coach Willard Hedges accompanied the group.

They will return Sunday.

Lions Entertained By Local Quartet

A quartet composed of Bill Baker, the Rev. Herb Smith, Mrs. Grady Taylor, and Bill Mosley entertained the Lions Club at its regular luncheon meeting Tuesday at the Clubhouse.

The quartet sang several spiritual songs.

Guests at the meeting included Richard Perry, Joe Smith, Mrs. Bill Baker, Mrs. Grady Taylor, Hubert Taylor, Dean Walker, and Claude Cravens.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Haddock last Monday were Mrs. Bode Adams and Mrs. Wayne Tenley of Lubbock and Mrs. John Ewyer of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Porter and baby moved from Slaton last week. They are now living in Maryneal. Mr. Porter is employed as a telegraph operator for the Santa Fe.

Mr. and Mrs. Delma Hodge visited their daughter, Sue, in Lubbock on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hickman and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Kenney and daughter, Cynthia Ann, spent the week end visiting relatives in Baird. Dr. and Mrs. Jack Nesbit of Snyder also visited there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kendrick of Ralls visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kendrick.

Plans Discussed For Purchase of Right-of-Way

The procedure to follow on the purchase of right-of-way with the \$1,897,000 bond issue approved last December was discussed by a citizen's committee which met with the Lubbock County Commissioners Tuesday.

The commissioners outlined a resolution to select a right-of-way agent to be employed by the county to appraise land and estimate the amount of damages to property in the paths of the right-of-way for the state and federal highway which will be constructed in the county.

The citizens committee will take the purchase and damage figures submitted by the agent and turn them over to the commissioners for final action.

Charles R. Bacon is chairman of the citizen's committee. Other members of the committee are Bruce Pember, John Pugh, Alton Abbott, Jim Crook, and Dick Stapleton.

The proposal to hire the agent will be submitted to the County Commissioners Court Monday for final action.

Construction projects that are ready for immediate action as soon as the court establishes its set procedure include the construction of the four lane highway from the circle at Lubbock to U. S. Highway 84, and construction of four lanes on U. S. Highway 84 to Slaton, according to S. C. McCarty, Texas Highway Department engineer.

Public Schools Week Features Many Activities

Slaton was in the midst of Public School Week observance this week as schools invited parents to drop in and see what their children were doing. Special assemblies and exhibits were being held in the various schools throughout the week of March 5-10.

On Wednesday an assembly program depicting the growth of education in the schools in Texas was presented in the Slaton High School Auditorium.

Another assembly program was planned for Thursday in the Junior High School. The assembly program was to be centered around the theme of education and was a cooperative program worked out by students in the sixth, seventh and eighth grades.

Signing of the Declaration of Independence took place in Independence Hall, Philadelphia.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hawkins spent last Thursday in San Angelo visiting Mrs. Hawkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hawkins.

Mrs. M. W. Williford of Henrietta spent last week visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gilbert, and baby.

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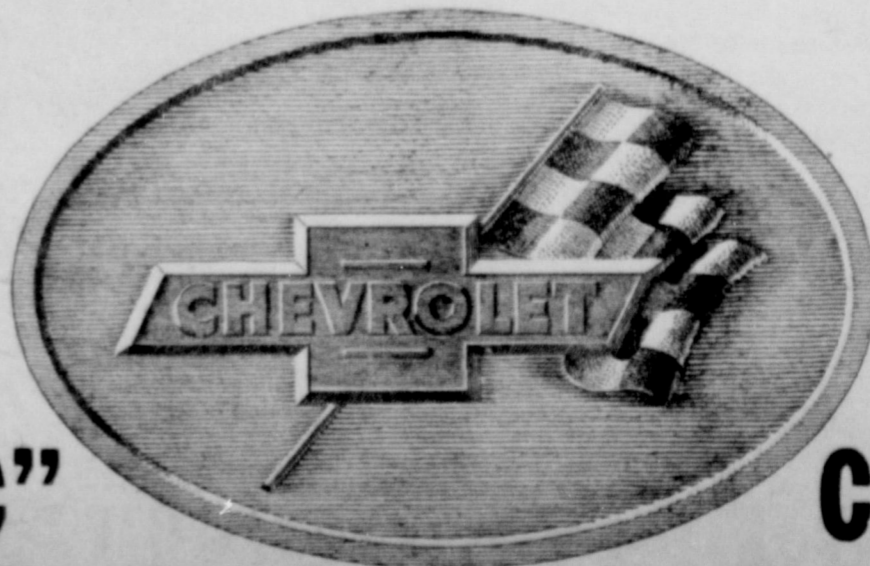
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Charlie Walton and Dick Cheatham spent Saturday and Sunday fishing at the Paint Creek Reservoir near Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Judge Smith, Mrs. G. A. Taylor and Elton Smith went to Lake Stamford last week on a fishing trip.

Robert Brake and D. W. Walston spent the week end fishing at a lake near Haskell.

Gordon Davis spent the week end at Possum Kingdom. T. V. Walker and Marvin Sutt of Lubbock accompanied him.

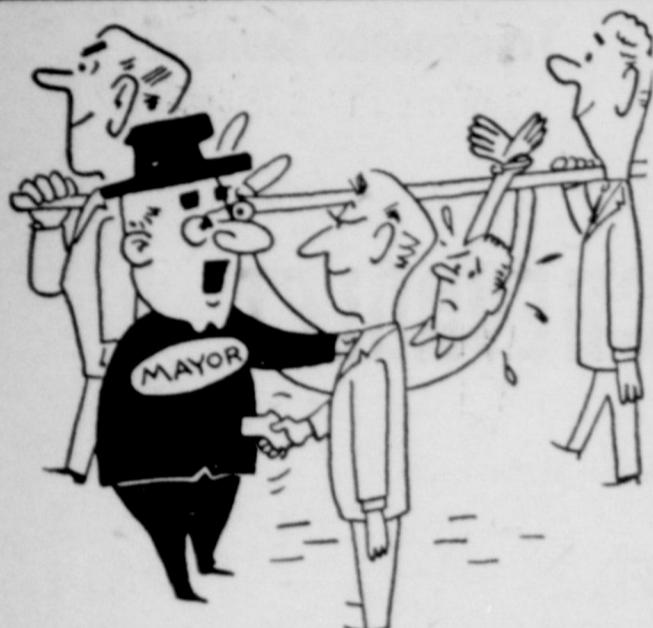
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THE RAY KITTEN FARM appeared in last week's issue of The Slatonite as the "Mystery Farm." The 320 acre farm is located about four miles southwest of Slaton.

"Mystery Farm" Owned by Ray Kitten Family

Ray Kitten is the "Mystery Farm" owner of the week. His farm appeared in last week's issue of The Slatonite.

Located about four miles southwest of Slaton, the farm was purchased in 1916 by Henry Kitten who came to this area from Nebraska and was first broken in 1917.

In 1936 Ray Kitten purchased the land from his father, Henry Kitten.

Since that time he has made many improvements to the out-buildings and two years ago built the home which now stands on the farm.

His wife whom he married in 1931 is the former Lorena Steffens. They have four children: one son, Kenneth Ray, who attends St. Joseph's Catholic School; and three daughters, Mrs. Paul Mosser of Slaton, Mrs. Jake Reissig of Sla-

ton, and Shirley Kay, a freshman in Slaton High School.

The couple are members of St. Joseph's Catholic Church. He is also a member of the Knights of Columbus, Farm Bureau, and a director for the Co-op Gin in Slaton.

Mrs. Kitten is a member of the Catholic Daughters and the Altar Society.

Her hobby is sewing and he likes to go deer hunting, but mostly just to get outdoors.

Cotton and Grain Sorghums are the chief crops raised on the 320 acre farm. The land is all irrigated except for about 10 acres. Two eight inch wells provide water for irrigation.

Southland Seniors To Present Class Play Friday Night

The Southland High School Seniors will present their class play, "Mountain Gal," March 9 at 7:30 p. m. in the Southland Auditorium.

Optometric Society Pays Tribute to Ben Franklin

The South Plains Optometric Society will pay tribute to Benjamin Franklin during Save Your Vision Week, March 4 to 10, for his invention of bifocal spectacles.

The 250th anniversary of the birth of Franklin is being observed in 1956 throughout the United States and many other countries, under the sponsorship of the Benjamin Franklin Institute of Philadelphia.

"Twenty-five million Americans who wear bifocal or trifocal glasses owe a debt of gratitude to Benjamin Franklin for his invention," Dr. Carl L. Dean, President, said. "Except for Franklin's invention

almost everyone over 50 would have to change from one pair of glasses to another to see clearly at both near and far.

"Franklin had two pair of glasses—one for reading and one for seeing beyond arm's length. He cut the lenses and had half of each inserted in the same frame."

Franklin invented bifocal spectacles at the age of 78, when he was ambassador to France. One of the advantages of bifocals, Franklin said, was that he could understand French better, because he could see the facial expressions of those who talked to him across the dinner table.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Sanner spent the week end at Pine Lodge, N. Mex. visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Francis. The Sanners' daughter, Mrs. M. B. Francis, and family of El Paso were also visiting there.

Dr. and Mrs. John C. Locke and daughter, Cindy, of Temple left Monday after spending several days visiting Mrs. Locke's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Reasoner, Sue and Alan spent Sunday in Floydada visiting Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rimmer.



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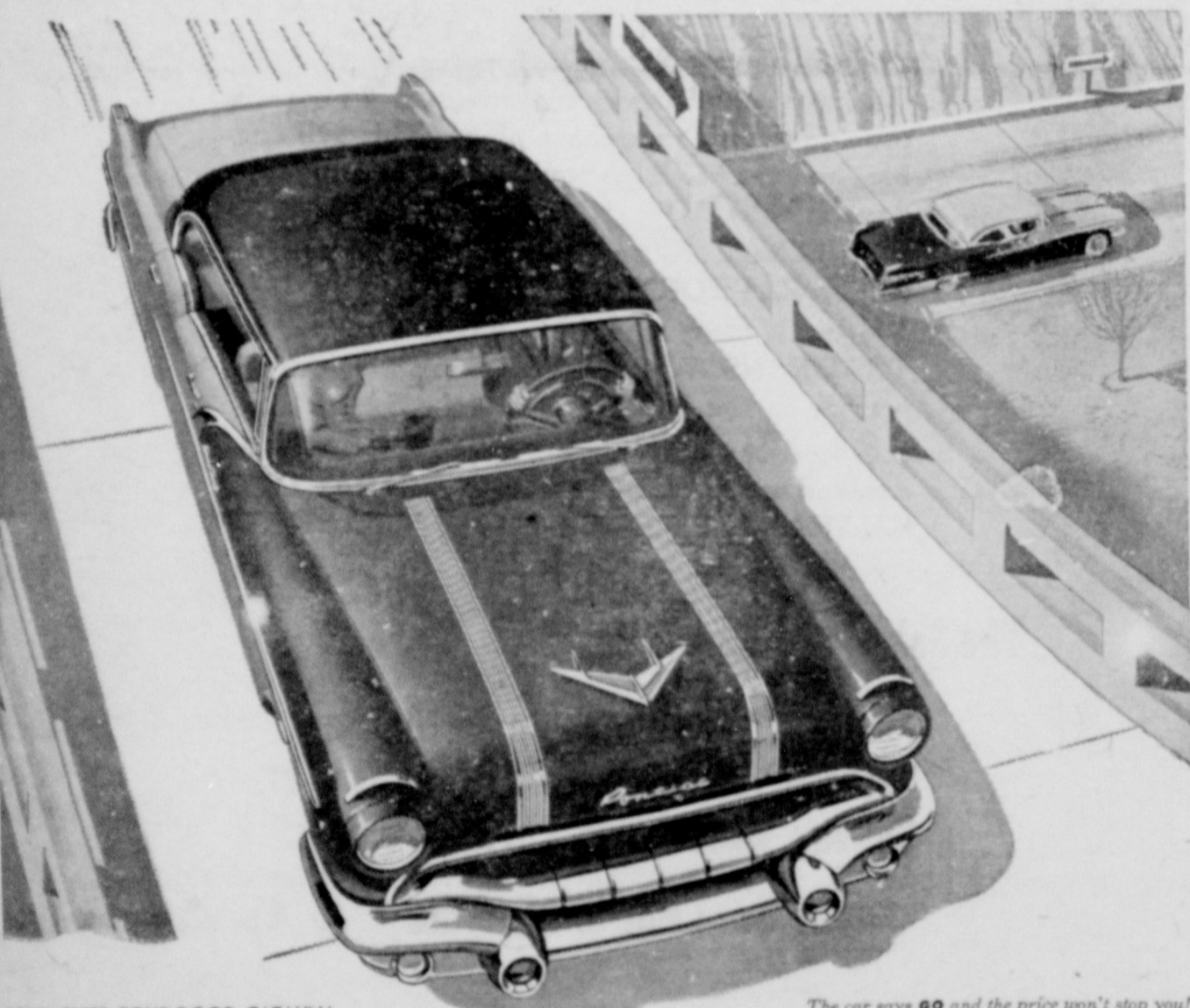


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WILSON NEWS

By ANN DAVIDSON

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Nieman and Mrs. Katie Nieman visited Mrs. Gus Nieman of Idalou on Wednesday.

The WSCS of the Methodist Church met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Carl Martin for their monthly social. Games were directed by Mrs. Rinney and Mrs. Grover Coleman. Refreshments of coffee, punch and pie were served to 14 members.

The Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Heinemeier attended a pastors conference in Lariat on Tuesday.

Luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Church and family Sunday were Mrs. W. C. Church of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Church and family of Olton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holder and children and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gatzki and children spent Sunday afternoon at Lake Thomas.

The T. E. L. Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. H. C. Fountain for their monthly social. Roll call was answered with their favorite author. Mrs. Pat Swann brought the devotion. Mrs. Pearl Davidson, class teacher, reviewed the book "Daughter of Nazareth." A refreshment plate was served to 10 members.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ehlers and family and Mrs. Katy Nieman visited Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Ernest and family of Lakeview on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Price went to Stephenville over the week end to get their daughter, Kay, who has been visiting her grandparents for the last two weeks.

Misses Dorothy Knipling and Ann Davidson visited Miss Knipling.

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ling's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Knipling, of Sagertown over the week end.

Visitors in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. H. F. Scott and Mark Wednesday night were his parents from Midland.

Mrs. W. C. Church of Slaton spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Church and family.

Mrs. H. C. Fountain is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tunnell, of Tahoka.

Mrs. Willie Nieman of Lakeview celebrated her birthday last Sunday. Thirty guests were on hand to wish her happy birthday.

The MYF of the Methodist Church attended special services at the Methodist Church in Slaton Sunday night.

Ross Williamson, who is ill in the Slaton hospital with pneumonia, is reported to be improving.

Sixteen members of the Wilson High FFA attended an area meeting in Odessa Saturday.

The Luther League of St. John's Lutheran Church met Sunday night and decided to have a work shop at the parsonage Friday night to repair the old church hymnals. They also decided to have Youth services one Sunday next month.

W. A. Tadlock returned home Monday after having undergone surgery in the Slaton hospital last week.

Wednesday night the members of the Methodist church met for a family supper. Games and a time of fellowship were enjoyed after the meal. Forty-five members were present.

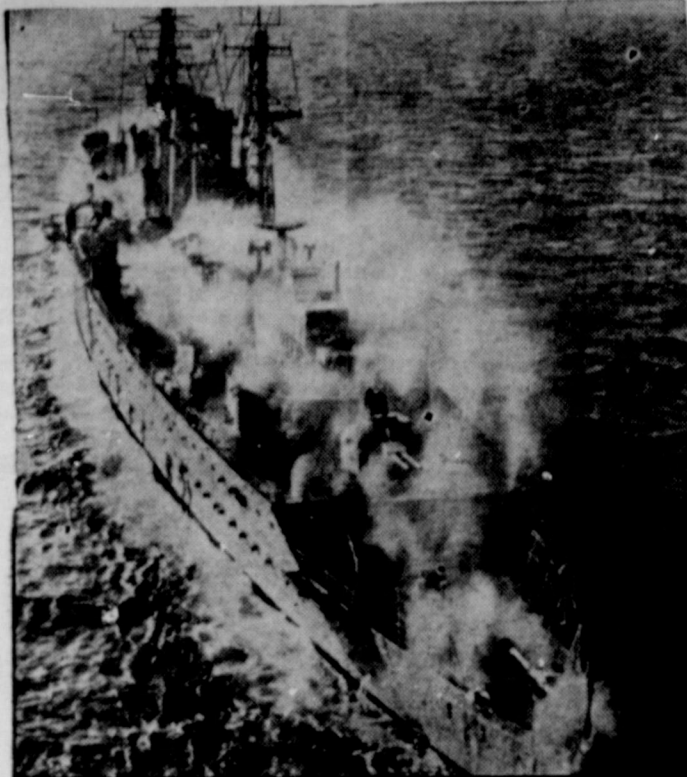
Stanley White spent the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. White. He is a student at McMurry College in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin visited Sunday in Lubbock with their son, T. A. Martin, and family.

Mrs. Tom Keane, Mrs. G. E. Taylor and Mrs. Bert McDonald visited Mrs. Julia Sears in Lubbock Monday.

Factors other than farm income have been keeping farm land values high during the past two years. Despite the declining farm income, farm land values, since 1933, have climbed steadily to a new record-high peak.

It takes 50 railroad cars to transport the New York City telephone directories from the printer in Chicago to the Eastern metropolises.



"SMOKE SCREEN" FOR THE ATOM AGE—HMS Cumberland appears to be on fire as the British cruiser steams through exercises off the island of Malta in the Mediterranean. "Smoke" is actually mist from a special sprinkling system which keeps the entire ship wet down. Purpose of the spray is to wash away atomic fallout in event of an atomic attack.

-Want Ads Get Results-

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Praytor and Mrs. Hysmith of Lubbock visited Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Loke.

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Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Loke were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith and two children and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jernigan and two children of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lester and Mrs. W. P. Lester of Post spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting Mrs. Ivah White, Mrs. Ella Stiles and Mr. and Mrs. Bill White and children.

If the farm shop is cluttered and crowded, it is probably a hazardous place to work. Now is the time to give the shop a spring house-cleaning.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Owens, Marsha and David Lee of Littlefield visited last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Martin and children. Mrs. Owens is Mrs. Martin's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Martin and children visited recently in the home of Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Owens, in Littlefield.

Mrs. Woody Carpenter of Lubbock visited last Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Cecil Long, and family. Mrs. Gladys Jones, who lives southeast of Slaton, spent Sunday with Mrs. Long.

WANT ADS GET RESULTS

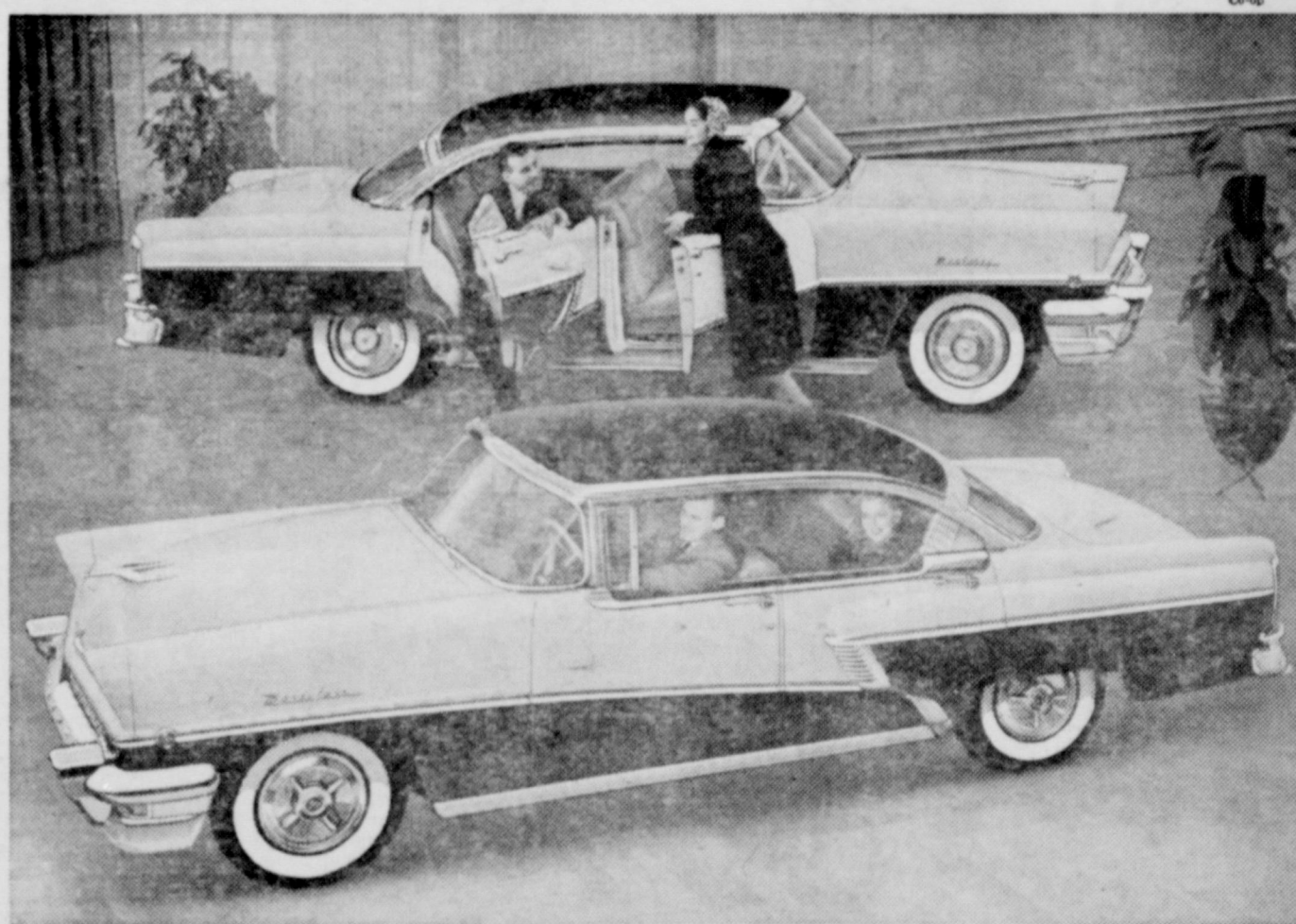
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Kirksey Services Held Wednesday

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon for Robert L. Kirksey, 63, a resident of Slaton since 1926. He died in Baylor Hospital at Dallas Monday.

Services were held in the First Methodist Church of Slaton with the Rev. J. B. Sharp, pastor, officiating. The Rev. W. F. Pargason

of Lubbock assisted at the services.

Burial was in Englewood Cemetery under the direction of Williams Funeral Home.

Kirksey had been a fireman for the Santa Fe Railroad prior to his retirement about five years ago. His wife has been dead for about 10 years.

He is survived by four sons, Williams R., Crestline, California, C. C. of Slaton, Byron, El Paso, and James, Fort Worth; two brothers, E. J., Needham, Alabama, and Matt, Lorenzo; three sisters, Mrs. Bob Taylor and Mrs. Martha Neeley, both of Gilbertown, Ala-

Services Held Wednesday for James V. Jolly

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday morning for James Vernon Jolly, 70, a 17-year resident of Slaton. Jolly died here earlier in the week after having

been in ill health for about three months. Services were conducted in the First Methodist Church of Slaton with the Rev. J. B. Sharp, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Tahoka Cemetery under the direction of Williams Funeral Home of Slaton.

He is survived by his wife, Alice; eight daughters, Mrs. May Baker and Mrs. Pearl Decker, both of Wil-

lows, California, Mrs. Lela Bell Thurman of Duncan, Oklahoma, Mrs. Mildred Taylor of Cleburne, Texas, Mrs. Dorothy Fay Edwards, Slaton, Mrs. Ivy Dimple Shelton, Carlsbad, N. M., Mrs. Bobby June

Howell, Lubbock and Mrs. Laverne Churchill, Fallbrook, California.

Six sons, Lesley, Slaton, Wesley and Allen, both of Tahoka, Ray, Lubbock, Roy, Downey, California, and Vernon, Phillips.

Grandchildren acted as pallbearers.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Martens last week end were Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Morrell and children of Sweetwater, Mrs. N. J. Allen of Denton and W. L. Sloan and Jim of Amarillo. Mrs. Allen is Mrs. Martens' grandmother, Mr. Sloan is her father and Jim is her brother.

News Of Slaton Men In Service



Waymon Muse

Takes Basic Training

Waymon Muse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Foster, enlisted in the U. S. Navy and left Slaton Tuesday, Feb. 21. He is at the Recruiting Naval Training Center at Great Lakes, Ill.

In a letter to his parents, he wrote that he was liking real well and had been elected athletic director of his company. He plans to organize a track team.

Following his basic training, he hopes to attend school and continue in his studies of electronics.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Chambers and children left Friday afternoon to go to Littlefield to be with Mrs. Chambers' sister, Mrs. A. L. Spruill. Mrs. Spruill underwent major surgery in the Medical Arts Clinic in Littlefield Saturday morning. Her condition is reported to be satisfactory.

Help Offered Via Television On Tax Forms

Need help on your 1955 income tax return? It's upcoming on March 10 from 5 to 5:30 p. m. via station KDUB-TV, when J. T. Logan, regional analyst for Internal Revenue Service, does a simple, line-by-line explanation of the all to familiarize tax form 1040.

John R. Robinson of Internal Revenue Service in Lubbock, suggests that taxpaying televisioners have their pencils, paper and forms no 1040 ready and hear Logan prove that "you can do it yourself and do it now."

Maxine Moore spent from Friday until Monday in Mercy Hospital with a throat infection.

The Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Crabtree attended funeral services for Mrs. Crabtree's nephew, L. V. Dunigan, in Corsicana last Friday.

Mrs. Alan Lynch of Sulphur Springs spent the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Edmondson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vickers spent Saturday night and Sunday in San Angelo visiting Mrs. Vickers' parents, the Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Epps, and Mr. Vickers' brother, Gene Vickers and family.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Moore last week end were Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bullard, Clinton Wayne, Glenn and Jack.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mudgett this week end were Mrs. W. O. Eddin of Sudan and L. L. Blake of Dallas. Mrs. Mudgett and Mrs. Eddin are sisters.

Linda Gayle Whitfill of Loney is spending this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin.

Mrs. Jerry Mudgett spent week visiting her son, Wiley Mudgett, and family in Sudan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Strange and Bill spent last week end in Eastland visiting Mr. Strange's mother, Mrs. W. C. Strange.

J. D. Brown and son, Gregg, of Wink spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nelson. Gregory will stay for several days before returning home.

Dr. and Mrs. M. Jay McSween and children spent the week end in Austin visiting Dr. and Mrs. Jay McSween Sr. Dr. McSween also attended a medical meet-



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One Year Ago in Slaton
Taken From March 11, 1955

Guests in the J. B. Clack home Monday and Tuesday were Mrs. Clack's mother, Mrs. Tom Gris, son of Sherman and her sister, Mrs. Guy Pyron, and Mr. Pyron of Abilene.

R. S. Boyd, Magnolia consignee of Slaton, was elected president of Slaton Rotary Club at the club's regular meeting last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Alderson visited Sunday with Mrs. Alderson's mother, Mrs. S. L. Shelton, in Tahoka.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper are

visiting their son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cooper, in Midland.

W. D. Cooper left Friday to go to Chicago to do some special work for the Santa Fe.

Jerry Wayne Goebel of Lubbock spent the week end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Culver.


Viola Walton, 16 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Walton, has been entered in the princess contest of the South Plains Jr. Fat Stock Show.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Neill returned recently from a weeks visit to Tyler to visit relatives.

Mrs. Fred Stottlemire entered Lubbock Methodist Hospital Wednesday for surgery.

Choral Club, under the direction of Mrs. M. G. Davis, will go to Snyder on March 12 for the West Texas Music Festival.

Miss Jo Ann Havens became the bride of Carl Ray Williams March 4 when the double ring ceremony was read in the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rucker.



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Five Years Ago in Slaton
Taken From March 9, 1951

Bobby Ray Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Thompson recently finished recruit training at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif., and is now available to assignment to the fleet.

Mrs. Kirby Scudder was taken home from Mercy Hospital Monday after spending several days there with the flu.

The formal opening of the First Baptist Church educational building will be held March 18 and a crowd of approximately 600 people are expected to attend.

Lubbock County 10th annual stock show will be held here tomorrow and all entries must be in by 10 a. m.

Payne's Department Store will have their formal opening tomorrow. The new store has three de-

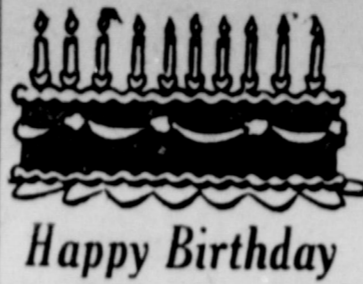
partments: ready-to-wear, men's wear and piece goods.

Miss Doris Quisenberry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Quisenberry of Post, and Troy Lavelle Bruster were united in marriage Feb. 18 in the Slaton Church of Christ with Andy Burk officiating.

Mary Diane Haire, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howton Haire of Southland, and Bobby Ray Conner, son of Mrs. Ray Conner of Slaton were married Feb. 25, in the home of the bride's parents.

Rev. J. T. Bolding is in Houston this week conducting a revival at the Broadway Baptist Temple. He will return home March 12.

Mrs. Arthur Voigt and Linda Sue are here from Corpus Christi visiting Mrs. Ben Catching and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sikes.



Happy Birthday

Ten Years Ago in Slaton
Taken From March 8, 1946

Mr. and Mrs. Vasker Browning are attending Mardi Gras in New Orleans and plan to return via Ft. Worth for the stock show.

Seaman 2-C John Butler of Slaton has received his discharge from the navy.

"Almost Summer" the senior play will be given March 22 with those in the cast as follows: Don Crow, Betty Dickson, Thurman Reynolds, Bobby Conner, Martha Cudd, R. J. Schuette, Don Appling, Beebe Brown, Mary Tom Kirk, Martha Gunter and Tommy Davis.

Honoring her new daughter-in-law, Mrs. Joe L. Ward, a recent bride, Mrs. E. H. Ward entertained with a coffee Saturday, March 2, from 9 until 11 a. m. at the Clubhouse.

Mrs. Cecil Long entertained for the daughter, Sandra, on her sixth birthday Wednesday afternoon when a party was held in their home.

Mrs. Wade Thompson who has been seriously ill in the hospital is at home now and getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. David Pinkston and little daughter, Carolyn, of Brownfield, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pinkston.

James Hogue was recently elected president of the Good Citizenship Club of East Ward.

In step with the post war expansion program, Johnson-Hoffman Hardware Company announce the formal opening of their store tomorrow. The owners of the new business are Vern Johnson and Howard Hoffman.

Mrs. Fannie Patterson, accompanied by her son, O. E. Patterson, Mrs. Patterson and Otis Neil of Olton, returned home Sunday after spending six days in Houston visiting Mrs. Fannie Patterson's daughter, Mrs. J. D. Lawson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe U. Smith and daughter, Verilyn, visited over the week end with his brother, Jesse Smith, and family at Graham.

Richard Perry arrived home Monday morning to spend two weeks on leave from Sandia Base in Albuquerque, N. Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy James and Mary Beth of Hobbs, N. Mex. spent the week end visiting Mrs. James' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Odum.

Mrs. D. R. Reed of Dallas arrived last Thursday to visit for a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Keith Price, and family.

MARCH 9: Mike Cain, Ray Miller, R. L. Kirksey, Dub Williams, A. A. Traweck, Wayne Kahlich, Linda Nell Kahlich and Mrs. Hugo Heinrich.

MARCH 10: Mrs. Robert E. Ayers, Mrs. James Buckner, Mark Edwin Meador, Cade Davidson and Clara McPherson.

MARCH 11: T. E. McClanahan and Mrs. Harrison Keys.

MARCH 12: Peggy Ann Kirksey, Tommie Karen McCall, Irene Tomlinson, Mrs. A. D. Adams, Richard son, Mrs. A. D. Adams, Richard Edwards and Jack Leinfelder.

MARCH 13: Marvin Kitten, Mrs. C. R. Potthast, JoAnn Blair, Alton Kenney, Sue Reasoner, L. J. Kahlich, A. R. Wild and Luke Kahlich.

MARCH 14: Cary Schwertner, J. E. Dillard, Mrs. W. P. Layne and A. A. Wimmer.

MARCH 15: Paul Mossor, Mrs. C. C. Thornton, W. D. Adk ns, Juan Bedner, John Dodson, Hern Pettigrew, Lisa Parise, Seattle, Wash., and Claude Myers.

CARD OF THANKS

We the family of Mrs. D. J. Hanes, wish to express our gratitude to you, our friends, for your many acts of kindness extended to us during the illness and death of our mother and wife. To each one who came and helped to care for mother, for all the food sent to our home, for all the flowers, for all the cards of sympathy, and for each word of comfort and cheer given to us, we are truly grateful.

May God bless each of you for your kindness to us.

—D. J. Hanes and Family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sinclair and children, Susan and Tommy, of Lubbock visited in Slaton one day last week.

Profit-Sharing Plan Adopted by C. R. Anthony Co.

C. R. Anthony Company, by action of its stockholders in an annual meeting at Oklahoma City February 28, adopted a profit-sharing plan and a stock issue for the benefit of its qualifying employees, Hobart Trimpa, manager for the company at Slaton announced this week.

Based upon 20% of the company's annual profits after taxes, with certain deductions for costs and capital requirements, the profit-sharing plan provides that one-half of the profits to be shared shall be paid out annually direct to qualifying employees below the level of store manager.

The other half will be paid annually to a trustee to provide retirement and other deferred benefits for all qualifying employees.

Employees become eligible to share after one year's service and will contribute no money to the plan.

The employee's Stock Issue Plan will make it possible for every employee to acquire for cash or upon installment basis up to 25 shares of the company's capital stock. Employees' payments on uncompleted installment purchases will be refunded with interest.

These are benefits provided in addition to those heretofore secured for the employees by the company.

C. R. Anthony Company, with headquarters at Oklahoma City,

owns and operates in 18 states a chain of 238 department stores, employs over 7,000 employees annually, and has an annual payroll of approximately \$5,500,000.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Montgomery and children spent the week end visiting Mrs. Montgomery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Mosely, in Jacksboro.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McCain and son, Gilbert, of Odessa visited recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Middleton. Mrs. McCain is the daughter of the Middletons.

Rev. J. B. Sharp Speaks at Rotary Club Luncheon

The Rev. J. B. Sharp, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Slaton, spoke on "The Principles of Rotary" at the Rotary Club luncheon Thursday.

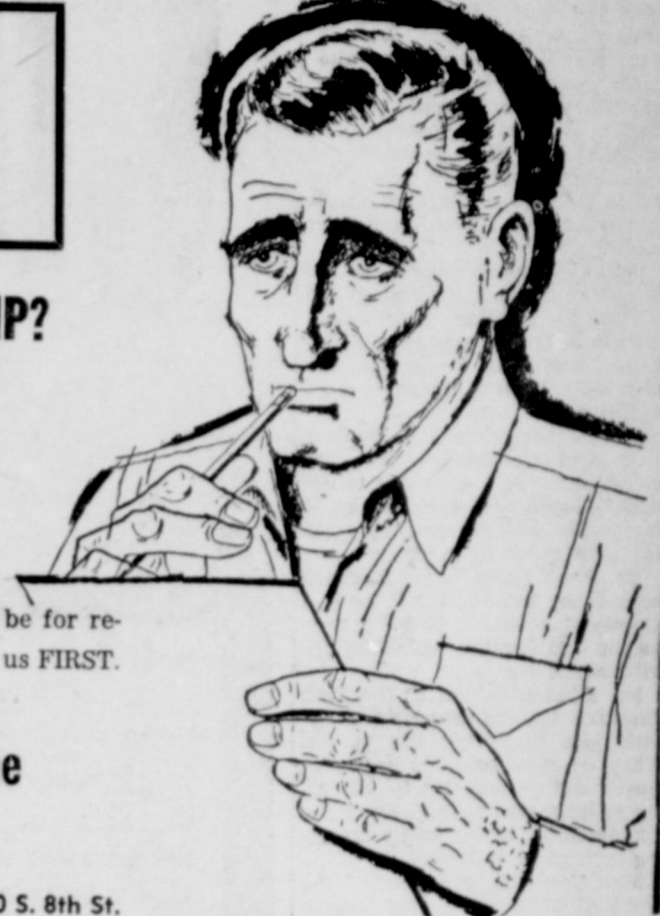
Slaton High School's representative in the National American Legion Oratorical Contest, Tracy Crawford gave his oration "The

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Constitution of The United States." Guests at the meeting were Dick Wood of Post, George Gilkerson of Lubbock and Calvin Hazlewood of Dublin.

The Rev. and Mrs. Buford Batin of Lubbock visited one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Parkhill and Zella.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. George left last Friday to go to Salt Lake City, Utah on business and pleasure. They returned home today.



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Letter Thanks Townspople for Aid to Needy

(Ed's Note: This letter came to us after press time last week, telling of the appreciation of the needy people in Slaton for the acts of various townspople in taking time out to help and offer encouragement to those who are in need of it. Though several specific people are credited and thanked for their assistance in the letter, we are sure there are many more who have given of their time, who though not mentioned in the letter, are just as deserving of the thanks of these people.)

The people of Slaton have taken the needs of the Mexican people and others in Slaton into their hearts.

Following the cold spell some of these people came to my home and I want to mention their names and say to them I express my gratitude for helping my people who have really been living under hard conditions.

"The Slatonite" came to my door with good clothes and groceries and some cover. I gave that to the needy people who said thanks to the people who thought of us and did such great help for us.

Mr. Fred Davidson of Lubbock came to my home and took me to a grocery store where he got groceries for five families which we distributed in his car.

Mr. Stinson Behlen of the First Christian Church asked me to go with him and visit the people. When we came back his heart was moved and he said that he was going to work among the people and I know many other people are going to help in this case.

Mrs. Ray Belt, president of the WMU of Westview Baptist Church came to my home with other ladies and she bring clothes and groceries for the needy people and she need our co-operation and the expression of this Christian lady showed me that she had the needy people in her heart.

We have also some other people who help the needy people and I thank all of these people for their help to the Mexican families.

—A. Lopez

Mrs. Sam Phillips and her grandson, Sammy T. Phillips III, of Lubbock returned home Monday from Topeka, Kans. where they visited for a week with Mrs. Phillips' daughter, Mrs. Jack Thompson, Mr. Thompson and Craig.

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March 5th through 10th



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THIRD PRIZE: All expense trip to Miami, Florida, for two, luggage, and wardrobe.

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- O'cello No. 2
SPONGE ... 25c
- Lucky Strike No. 1/2 Can
TUNA ... 29c
- Aunt Ellen's 9 Oz. Box
PI-DO ... 17c
- 1/2 Gal.
PUREX ... 33c
- Vel-Vita No. 2 1/2 Can
PEACHES ... 29c
- Santa Rosa 46 Oz. Can
PINEAPPLE JUICE ... 25c
- Campbell's Chicken Noodle
SOUP ... 17c
- Daricraft Tall Can
MILK ... 2 for 25c
- Damask 80 Ct. Box
PAPER NAPKINS ... 10c
- St. Joseph 10c Box
ASPIRIN ... 7 1/2c
- Lux Reg. Size Bar
SOAP ... 3 for 25c
- Lux Bath Bar
SOAP ... 2 for 25c
- Lifbuoy 4 Bar Deal
SOAP ... 29c
- Lifbuoy Bath Bar
SOAP ... 2 for 25c

Decker's Iawana 1/2 or Whole Lb.

PICNICS 29c

Swift Premium Lb.

Sliced Bacon 43c

Kraft's 5 Oz. Jar Ass't. Flavors
CHEESE SPREAD ... 27c

U. S. Choice Beef
LOIN STEAK ... 69c

E & R Pure Pork 2 Lb.
SAUSAGE ... 79c

U. S. Choice Beef
T-BONE STEAK ... 89c

Prater, Frosted 3 to 5 Lb.
Turkey Fryers ... lb. 59c

U. S. Choice Beef
CHUCK ROAST ... 43c

Libby's 6 Oz. Can
GRAPE JUICE ... 19c

Morton 24 Oz. Apple, Peach, Cherry
FRUIT PIES ... 49c

Ore-Ida 12 Oz. Pkg.
POTATO PATTIE ... 15c

Morton 8 Oz. Beef, Chicken, Turkey
MEAT PIES ... 25c

Dole 6 Oz. Can

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Bolfing 10 Oz. Pkg.

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BABO ... 19c

Jerry's Old Pine Tree Pt.
PINE OIL ... 39c

Easy Off 8 Oz. Jar
OVEN CLEANER ... 69c

Peter Pan 18 Oz. Ref. Jar
PEANUT BUTTER ... 59c

White Karo, Qt.
SYRUP ... 45c

Heinz in Glass
BABY FOOD ... 11c

Kounty Kist 12 Oz. Can
CORN ... 15c

Hunt's No. 300 Can
NEW POTATOES ... 10c

Large Box
RINSO BLUE ... 31c

2 Large Boxes
SURF DEAL ... 47c

Armour's 16 Oz. Can
CORNED BEEF HASH ... 31c

Armour's No. 1/2 Can
VIENNA SAUSAGE ... 19c

Delsey 5c Off, 4 Roll Pkg.
TOILET TISSUE ... 48c

Large Box With Dish Cloth
BREEZE ... 31c

Libby's 14 Oz. Can
DEEP BROWN BEANS ... 14c

Lux, 20c Off Qt. Can
LIQUID DETERGENT ... 79c



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**Tunnells Honored
By Children at
Sunday Luncheon**

The children of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tunnell were hosts at a 1 p. m. luncheon Sunday, March 4, at the Clubhouse honoring their parents and celebrating their father's 80th birthday.

The table was centered with an arrangement of red roses. The birthday cake was also decorated with red roses.

All the immediate family was present except one grandson, Herbert H. Woodson of Cambridge, Mass., and his wife, and two granddaughters, Mrs. Harvey A. Cook Jr. and Mrs. Gordon Dalley, Captain and Mrs. Cook and their two sons are stationed in Ramstein, Germany. Mr. and Mrs. Dalley reside in La Mesa, Calif.

All Children Present

Children and their families present were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Tunnell, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Self of Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. June Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tunnell of Lubbock; and Mrs. Ted Attaway of Sanderson. Mr. Attaway was unable to attend.

Grandchildren present were Carol Ann and Marvin Self, Charles and John Scott Roberts, Roy Lee Tunnell, Douglas Attaway and Mr. and Mrs. Billie Weschki.

Other relatives present were Mr. and Mrs. H. D. White, Stamford; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Copeland, Mrs. Hugh Sandlin and Kay, all of Cooper; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tunnell of Tahoka.

Others Attending

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Barkley, Barbara, Clifford and Neal of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. John Kearney, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Wood of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tunnell of Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Hilton White and Mr. and Mrs. George Culwell of Slaton. Miss Kay Bradshaw of Cooper was a guest.

Mr. Tunnell was born March 5, 1876 in Comanche. He and Mrs. Tunnell moved to Slaton Oct. 26, 1918, where he was engaged in farming for a number of years. He was an active worker in the Methodist Church until recent years.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kayser last week were Mr. Kayser's brother, H. R. Kayser, and family. They have just returned from a tour of duty with the army in Germany.

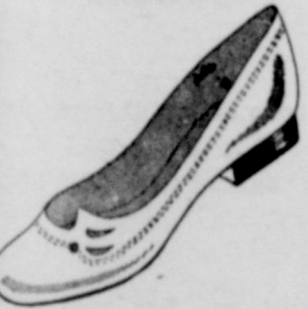
**Mary Martha Class
Meets in Talbert
Home Thursday**

For their monthly class meeting and social, the Mary Martha Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. T. L. Talbert Thursday, March 1, at 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. M. B. Ford, the president, presided over the short business meeting. Mrs. James Cole led the opening prayer. The devotion, with scriptures read from the Psalms, was on "Prayer" and was given by Mrs. Floyd Childress.

Following a social hour directed by Mrs. Glenavon Hill, refreshments were served to Mesdames Hill, O. B. Landmon, Bob Brasfield, Ford, Childress, J. B. Clack, Cole, Edward Caldwell, Joe Belote, J. J. Maxey and one guest, Mrs. A. D. Burreas of Rt. 2, Abernathy.

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**Janice Schwartz Becomes
Bride Of Cecil Smith Jr.**



Mrs. Cecil V. Smith Jr.

Miss Janice Wynell Schwartz became the bride of Cecil Vester Smith Jr. of Post when vows were exchanged Saturday, March 3, at 3:30 p. m., in the pastor's study of the First Baptist Church.

The Rev. J. T. Bolding, pastor of the church, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Schwartz of 735 So. 7th, and Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Smith of Post.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a suit dress of white French knot cotton. She wore white and ivory accessories. Her corsage was of camellias.

Miss Georgia Mae Hays of Posey served as maid of honor and wore a beige suit with blue accessories and a pink carnation corsage. Best man was Horace Tyree of Lubbock.

The bride was a senior student of Slaton High School. The groom is a graduate of Post High School and is associated with K and K Groceries in Post where they will make their home.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. W. N. Woodard, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie J. Woodard and Jessica Ann, Mrs. Bill Woodard and Linda all of San Angelo; Mrs. C. V. Smith and Kenneth Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Little and family all of Post; and Miss Mildred Herrin of Lubbock.



(SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
WOMEN'S COUNCIL
MEETS AT CHURCH**

Mrs. Virgie Hunter, president, opened the meeting of the Women's Council of the First Presbyterian Church with prayer when the group met Monday, March 5, at the church.

Mrs. Sherrill Boyd brought the devotion. Mrs. Hunter brought the program entitled "Never at Home." Four were present.

**Helen Ann Norris Elected
FHA Area 1 President**

About 55 Slaton young women attended the Future Homemakers of America Area 1 meeting in Amarillo Saturday, March 2, and shared in the honors when one of the local chapter members, Helen Ann Norris, was chosen as Area 1 president.

Mrs. Charles Walton of Slaton was presented an honorary degree by Patsy Hyatt of Amarillo president of the convention. Mrs. Cleo Hensley, McLean, and Mrs. Lowell Wells of Leaveland, and Mrs. Walton had previously been selected as State FHA mothers and were recognized at the meeting.

FHA Girl of Month

Helen Ann has been active in FHA work since entering high school and has been selected as "FHA Girl of the Month" on a previous occasion. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Norris, 840 S. 10th.

Other officers elected were: Barbara Britton, Stinnett, vice president; Mary Hudson, Childress, recording secretary; Sheree Bon Jour, Amarillo, corresponding secretary; Martha Harcor, Childress, treasurer; La Rue Elliott, Lubbock, parliamentarian.

Mayla Atkinson, Canyon, public relations officer; Kay Bigham, Lubbock, historian; Ruby Pegram, Petersburg, civil defense chairman; Sharon Couch, Anton, song leader; Carolana Pinson, Canadian, state officer; and Carolyn Vaughn, Childress, state nominating committee.

Highlights of Program

Highlights of the day's program were the talent show numbers, a talk on "American Homes—America's Future" by the Rev. W. E. Everheart, Westminster Presbyterian Church of Amarillo, and the installation service. Kathy White, state recording secretary of Lubbock, was installing officer.

Those attending from Slaton were Mrs. G. K. Halle and Mrs. James Hays, the chapter sponsors, and Greta Brookshire, Shirley Kitten, Betty Haliburton, Catherine Smith, Pam Maxey, Della Scoggins, Dorothy Heaton, Peggy Ray, Shirley Love, Kay Sain, Shirley Forson, Pat Smith, Jeanette Barrrell, Billy Parmer, Gail Huser, Linda Buxkemper, Mary Ann Klattenhoff, Karen Cooper, Beverly Kercheval, Martha Gravell, Kay Castleberry, Mary Jane Lovelady, Beth Lowry, Sandra Long, Veneta Green, Judy Thomas, Marilyn Boyce, Charlotte Muse, Barbara Wilke, Pauline Martin, Barbara Patterson, Betty Clark, Fay Nell Wiley, Pauline Miller, Viola Walton, Burdine Becker, Mary Lee Buxkemper, Helen Norris, Martha McCormick, Dixie Clark, Eunice Wiley and June Lytle.

Mothers who accompanied the girls were Mesdames F. D. Lowry, C. J. Martin, E. A. Kercheval, Mack Klattenhoff, W. J. Thomas, C. H. Walton, Jim Sain, E. L. Norris, Grady Patterson, and J. J. Maxey.



Helen Ann Norris

**GS Troop 6 Plans
Investiture Rites
For Thursday**

"Through the Looking Glass to Good Grooming" was the title of the booklet given to the members of Girl Scout Troop 6 at their meeting Thursday, March 1, at the Scout Hall.

Mrs. Alton Meeks, who presented the booklets, also gave each girl a record sheet to keep a record of the amount of sleep, of drinking water and of their good grooming habits for two weeks.

The hostess, Susan Lovelady, served ice cream sticks to those present. The leaders are Mrs. Meeks, Mrs. W. L. Roche, and Mrs. P. E. Rakes.

Plans were made for an investiture ceremony to be at the Scout Hall Thursday, March 8. According to Mrs. Meeks all of the parents and scouts' friends are urged to attend.

**Mrs. W. Williams
Complimented
At Stork Shower**

Group 1 of the Christian Service Group of the Church of Christ was hostess at a stork shower honoring Mrs. Webber Williams at 3 p. m., Friday, March 2, in the home of Mrs. B. B. Green.

The Easter theme was used in the centerpiece with plate favors of tiny Easter baskets being used also. Hot spiced tea and cake was served to the guests who were members of Group 2 of the Christian Service Group, the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Harold Wilson. Hostesses were Mesdames Othel Chambers, Ben Davis, O. D. Dial, J. E. McMeekan, Green, Bessie Reed, Hobart Trimpa, Joe Green, Coy Biggs, Arlona Barnes, Marinel Hester, Wayne Biggs and Miss Minnie Lou Stanley.

A NEVER ENDING TASK IN WEST TEXAS—Although Mrs. E. L. Norris looks very happy, housewives become very disheartened this time of year. Mrs. Norris says she loves Slaton and likes to live here even if the sand does blow some.

**Slaton Women Give Their
Favorite Tested Recipes**

Mrs. E. L. Norris found the following recipe in some papers her daughter brought home from the homemaking department of high school. They are particularly fond of this dish.

Busy Day Dinner

- 2 lbs. round steak, cut in 1/2 in. cubes
- 3 tbsp. flour
- 1/2 cup chopped onion
- 1 clove garlic, chopped
- 1 four oz. can mushrooms and broth
- 1 eight oz. can tomato sauce
- 1 tsp. salt
- 1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce
- 2 tbsp. shortening
- 1/2 cup chopped celery

Method: Brown meat in hot shortening in pressure sauce pan. Add the remaining ingredients, cover and heat to 15 lbs. pressure. Cook for 10 minutes. Reduce pressure according to type saucepan being used. Mrs. Norris serves this with the mixture placed inside a rice ring. It is a complete meal served with a green salad and garlic bread.

Lived Here 15 Years

Mr. and Mrs. Norris have lived in Slaton for 15 years having moved here from Lubbock. Mr. Norris is an engineer for the Santa Fe Railway. Johnnie Barker, Mrs. Norris' name before her marriage, was reared near DeLeon and after graduating from high school she went to Lamesa where she lived with an aunt and worked in a store. This is where she met "Curley" and they were married.

The Norrises have one daughter, Helen Ann, who is 16 years old and a junior in high school. She is vice president of the local FHA chapter. Her mother and father are also interested in this work as they are chapter parents. Mrs. Norris says they are always busy with some activity. She was planning a trip to Amarillo to attend and Area 1 meeting at the time of the interview. Helen Ann

**Christian Service
Group Meets in
Meador Home**

Christian Service Group of the Church of Christ met at 3 p. m. Thursday, March 1, in the home of Mrs. Gerald Meador near Posey.

Each member brought a can of vegetables for an orphans home which comes by gathering articles which comes by gathering articles for this purpose. A short business meeting was held.

Refreshments were served to 20 members, including one new member, Mrs. Charles Brake.

MEET YOUR TEACHERS



Willard Hedges

Mrs. W. V. Childers

Clinton M. McPherson

Willard Hedges has taught in Slaton four years, teaching biology and sports. He is a P. E. teacher and coaches track, football, and girls' basketball. He taught two years at Hale Center and four years at Muleshoe before coming to Slaton.

He attended West Texas State College and received a B. S. degree from there in 1946. While there he played football for four years and was football captain in 1945-1946.

He and his wife, Renalda, have a six year old son, Nickey.

Coach Hedges is proud of the girls basketball team this year as they were undefeated in conference play and won bi-district.

Mrs. W. V. Childers has been teaching part-time in Slaton schools all year and is teaching full time the second semester. She has had 12 years teaching experience with nine of those years in the local high school.

She is a graduate of West Texas State College and received a B. A. degree in 1940. At the present she is teaching world history in high school and the 6th grade in Junior High.

Mrs. Childers' husband is employed by the Santa Fe. They have two children: David, who is 14 and in the 8th grade, and Laura Kate, who is four years old.

Reviewing books and preparing programs are two hobbies Mrs. Childers enjoys a great deal.

C. M. McPherson, who is a math teacher in Slaton High School, received his first degree in 1938 when he was awarded an A. A. degree at Gainesville junior college. He has a B. S. in Chemical Engineering which he received from Texas Tech in 1947 and a Master of Education, with a minor in chemistry and physics, which he received in 1951 from the same school. Mr. McPherson has completed his course work on a Doctorate in Education with a minor in Psychology, but has not been awarded the degree.

He has taught in Slaton schools for five years and teaches Algebra, Geometry and Chemistry. He is also the senior class sponsor. He is a member of the local and state teachers organizations.

Mr. McPherson is married and his wife, Clara, teaches in the Home Economic Division at Texas Tech. They have two sons: Mark and Kim.

**New Study Begun
By WSCS on
Monday, March 5**

Woman's Society of Christian Service met Monday, March 5, at 3 p. m., in the chapel of the First Methodist Church with 22 present.

Mrs. C. A. Womack led the opening prayer. A devotion on "Truth" was given by Mrs. Joe Walker Jr. with scriptures read from Deuteronomy, John and the Psalms.

Psalms 43:3 was read by Mrs. J. H. Brewer, as she introduced the new study "Five Spiritual Classics." She was assisted by Mrs. H. T. Scurlock and Mrs. Don Crow.

Mrs. R. H. Todd Sr. gave a lesson on "Confessions of St. Augustine" and a discussion of his life.

**KAY PORTER DELEGATE
AT CLOUDCROFT RETREAT**

Kay Porter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Porter and student at Texas Tech, was one of 66 student leaders from that school who attended a retreat at Cloudcroft, N. Mex. this past week end.

Kay was a delegate from the Major and Minor Club. The group left Saturday morning, March 3, and returned Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Smith and two children of Beaumont visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kunkel and Wanda Jane. Mrs. Smith is Mr. Kunkel's sister. The Smiths were en route to Denver, Colo. where they will make their home.

**BIRTHDAY
DINNER FOR
LEGIONNAIRES**

Celebrating the American Legion birthday, a dinner will be held at 7:30 p. m., Monday, March 12, in the Clubhouse. Hostesses for the annual celebration will be the American Legion Auxiliary.

Mrs. George Green, president of the Auxiliary, urges all Legionnaires to come and bring their wives. She says a good program has been planned.

**PHOOEY ON THE
GOOD OLD DAYS**



Someone is always telling us about the good old days. They don't have to tell us, we can remember cutting wood, carrying out ashes, carrying in water, bathing in a washtub and listening to a gramophone. That's for the birds—strictly from hunger.

WE LIKE TODAY'S GOOD DAYS

We like to relax in a good stratolounger and watch a good show on TV while we wiggle our toes in soft, attractive carpet.

We like the good strong chairs with comfortable seats that we have with today's dinette suites instead of the worn out cane bottom chairs of the so-called good old days.

We like the luxurious feel of foam rubber cushions instead of stiff tight seats of the old daveno.

We like to turn a switch and have a lot of light from a beautiful lamp instead of trimming a wick, then straining to see by the light of a smoking coal oil lamp.

We like to open a valve or push a button and have instant cooking heat instead of having to build a fire with kindling or corn cobs, then waiting ages for the stove to warm up.

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Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Jaynes and children visited last week in Snyder with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis and children.

Mrs. B. W. Loggins of Terrell arrived last Friday for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Havens.

Connie Hodges, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hodges, spent one day last week visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dixon, in Post.

Film of Texas Big Bend Shown at Jr. Civic-Culture

At the Junior Civic and Culture Club meeting Tuesday, March 6, at 8 p. m., roll call was answered by naming a favorite Texas plant. The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. J. J. Maxey.

The program, on Texas plants and wildlife, was given by Mrs. W. T. Davis and Mrs. R. W. Cudd. A film was shown showing plants and life in the Big Bend country. Those present were Miss Ger-

Society

The Slaton, Tex., Slatonite Friday, March 9, 1956

Brownie Troop 8 Appears on TV Friday, March 2

Gertrude King, Mesdames Joe Belote, Don Britt, Edward Caldwell, Ray Conner, Cudd, Davis, Virgie Hunter, J. Floyd Jordan, W. K. Fry, Yates Key, Melvin Kunkel, C. E. McCoy.

Mesdames R. M. Shepard, J. C. Smith Jr., Lee Varley, W. C. Williams, W. A. Wilke and J. A. Wright.

For their TV debut, Brownie Troop 8 appeared on KDUB-TV Friday, March 2, at 1 p. m., as guests of Mrs. J. J. Willingham, mistress of ceremony for "Club Hour."

The twenty-four girls and their leaders who appeared, went to Lubbock by bus with Carl Lewis as their driver. This troop is sponsored by the Volunteer Fire Department.

The girls gave the Brownie Promise and sang "The Brownie Smile Song," "Tennessee Wig-Wok" and "Love and Marriage" accompanied by Mrs. Virgie Hunter. This program was a salute to Brownies and Girl Scouts of this area.

Those appearing on the program were Nan Saage, Karen Martens, Sharon Self, Rosa Walston, Barbara McCook, Anita Sue Chambers, Doris Faye Price, Jan Scott, Robin Davis, Glenna Payne, Joyce Clark, Kathleen Clark, Cindy Clark, Cathy Ayers, Judy Edwards, Carolyn Brasfield, Nancy Williams, Sherlyn Mann, Dee Chapple, Toni Cress, Sherree Belt, Linda Dodson, Nancy Smith and Martha Belcher.

The leaders are Mrs. Roy Saage, Mrs. Cecil Scott, Mrs. Clark Self and Mrs. Leon Walston.

Mrs. Joe Childress of Lovington, N. Mex. visited last Sunday in the home of her brother, W. H. Gilliland, and family.

Pvt. Jackie Pearson arrived home last Friday to spend a two-week leave. He is stationed at Ft. Huachuca, Ariz. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Pearson.

Athenians Hear Rev. Sharp on World Religions

Members of the Athenian Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Stan Jaynes at 7:30 p. m., Tuesday, March 6, for their religious program of the year.

The Rev. J. B. Sharp, pastor of the First Methodist Church was the guest speaker and spoke on "World Religions." Roll call was answered by "What my religion means to me."

Those attending were Mesdames Dick Cheatham, M. G. Davis, J. E. Eckert Jr., George Harlan, Wayne Kenney, C. M. McPherson, Weldon Meador, L. A. Reasoner, Jim Porter, H. F. Martens, Ray Bowman and R. B. Lain.

J. C. Jones and Roy Saage left last Saturday to go fishing at Possum Kingdom Lake. They returned home Wednesday.

Visiting Sunday in the George Green home was their son, Bill Green, and family of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Oatus Stone of Modesto, Calif. visited on Wednesday of last week with Mr. Stone's sister, Mrs. George Green, and family.

BRIDAL SHOWER COMPLIMENTS MRS. O. THOMAS

Mrs. Oscar Thomas, the former Gertrude Neugebauer, was complimented with a miscellaneous bridal shower at 3 p. m. Monday, March 5, in the Clubhouse.

The tea table was laid with a lace cloth centered with an arrangement of daffodils and greenery, flanked with white candles.

Mrs. Joyce Johnston presided at the refreshment table and Carol Knott registered guests.

Blankets and sheets were presented by the hostesses.

Out-of-town guests were from Lubbock, Tahoka, Post and Parkston, S. D. Those from Parkston were Mrs. George Shoetz and Tommy, Delbert and Rueben Neugebauer and Miss Agnes Wenzel.

Hostesses were Mesdames L. B. Hambright, Haywood Basinger, Clay Johnston, Fern Wicker, Bill Winterrowd, Malcolm Limmer, Noe, William Lester, I. J. Duff, Gilbert Stienhauser, Curtis Brieger, Walter Stienhauser, Elmer Gindrof, R. L. Halliburton and Roy Collins.



46TH BIRTHDAY CAKE—Bobby Jones, scout master of Slaton's cub scouts, is shown holding the birthday cake as they celebrated Cub Scouts' 46th birthday. Others in the picture are left to right backrow, Mrs. C. L. Newcomb, den mother, Alex Webb, assistant scout master, Jones, Mrs. R. G. Hodges and Mrs. J. W. Hennington, den mothers; front row, left to right, Mrs. Benny Moeller and Mrs. J. C. Strange, also den mothers.

Daughters Musical Program Presented By Mrs. Don Crow

A musical program was given at the Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club meeting at 8 p. m., Monday, March 5, when they met in the home of Mrs. Joe Teague III.

Roll call was answered with a Hit Parade favorite from the years 1935 to 1955. Mrs. Don Crow playing recordings and discussed the stories behind the songs.

Those attending were Mesdames R. E. Ayers, Carter Caldwell, Thomas Claiborne, Bob Conner, Crow, Robert H. Davis, Howard Hoffman, LeRoy Holt, H. R. King, John Morris, Glen Payne, Earl Reasoner, Cecil Scott, Bill Smith, Teague, R. H. Todd Jr., Joe Walker Jr. and Alex Webb.

Facial Expressions Studied by Girl Scout Troop 2

As the members of Girl Scout Troop 2 worked on their play badges Friday, March 2, they used pictures to illustrate changes in facial expressions by adding lines in different places.

The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Byron Johnson with Annie Clark, assistant patrol leader, presiding in the absence of the patrol leader, Gereta Clack. Sheel-ah McCormick collected dues in the absence of Linda Hogue, treasurer.

At the close of the meeting, Mrs. Johnson showed slides of their vacation.

Those attending were Sheel-ah McCormick, Steffie Johnson, Dora Tucker, Linda Shelton, Annie Clark, Marilyn Gilmore, Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. W. A. Shleton, co-leader.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Holt are leaving Monday to spend a month vacation in Phoenix, Ariz.

St. Patrick's Day Party Held by Lydia Class

Mrs. H. T. Scurlock, Mrs. W. J. Thomas and Mrs. Troy Moore were co-hostesses when the Lydia Class of the First Methodist Church met in Mrs. Scurlock's home for their monthly social and business meeting Thursday, March 1.

Mrs. A. A. Webb presided at the business meeting. A St. Patrick's Day theme was carried out in program, games and refreshments.

Mrs. J. S. Edwards Jr. told the story of St. Patrick.

Irish games were led by Mrs. Scurlock and Mrs. Kyle Hancock.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames M. M. Schluter, B. R. Underwood, B. H. Guest, Roy Saage, Bill Wright, Webb, Edwards, C. E. Smith, Douglas Wilson, Wesley Hancock, Kyle Hancock, Miss Gertrude King and one guest, Mrs. Frank Thompson of Abernathy, a former member.

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JOLLY QUILTING CLUB LUNCHEON HELD TUESDAY

Mrs. W. A. Cook was hostess when the Jolly Quilting Club met in her home Tuesday, March 6, for a covered dish luncheon and a quilting party. Two quilts were completed.

Members attending were Mesdames W. R. Greer, Clyde McGinley, Ford Stansell, E. E. Culver, H. H. Edmondson, Jess Burton, J. F. Richey, D. W. Polk and a new member, Mrs. A. E. Clack.

Guests were Mesdames H. B. Booher, C. E. Jarman, Susie Boyle, R. C. Sanner and E. E. Wilson.

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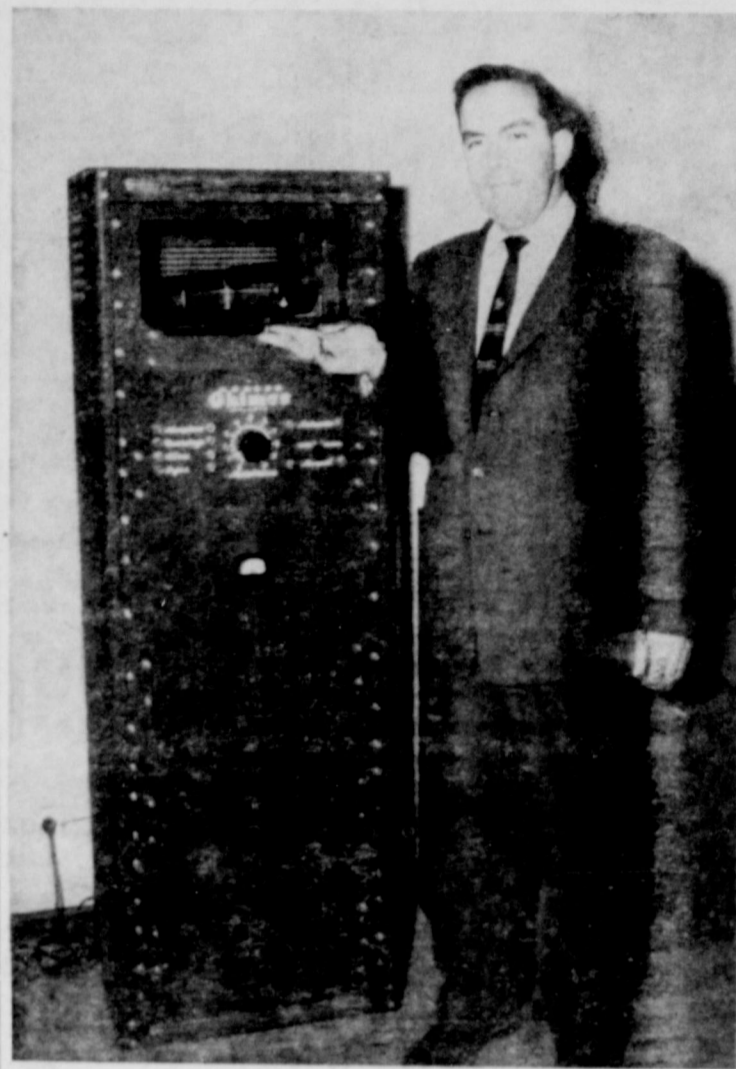
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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. O'Neal of Clovis, N. Mex. and Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Santer of Tucuman, N. Mex. left Wednesday morning after visiting for several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Pearson. The O'Neals are Mrs. Pearson's parents, and the Santers are her aunt and uncle.

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Throughout the world the followers of many denominations follow the practice of ceasing all work and saying a silent prayer at the designated hour of 6 p. m.

The music in the local church is produced by means of a Norton Chimes System, located in the pastor's office. The system consists of an amplifier system connected to speakers in the tower of the church. It is not limited to recorded music only, but can also broadcast the sounds emitted by the church organ, chimes, or microphone. In case of disaster, it would be possible to broadcast warnings, and information to the residents of the city over the system. The chimes are set by an automatic timing device which turns them on each day at 6 p. m. It can also be operated manually. During the Christmas season, carols were broadcast daily over the city.

The complete system was presented to the church by William R. and Laura F. Wilson of 225 S. 10th St. in Slaton. According to Wilson, "I had a desire to give something to the church here and decided on the chimes system." Many systems of similar design to the one here, were tried out by Mr. and Mrs. Wilson before they selected the one they thought was most suited to the local church.

The chimes system was given in memory of Minnie DeBerry Wilson, who passed away in 1937.

Wilson is chairman of the building and finance committee of the First Methodist Church, a position he has held for 35 years. He served on the committee at the time of the construction of the first building on the church's property.

The chimes system, according to the Rev. J. B. Sharp, is kept under lock and key at all times. In one church in a small town, several youngsters entered the room, and placed a few of their favorite Rhythm and Blues records on the amplifier. "The residents of the town awoke at 12 midnight to the strains of "Shake Rattle and Roll," Sharp said.

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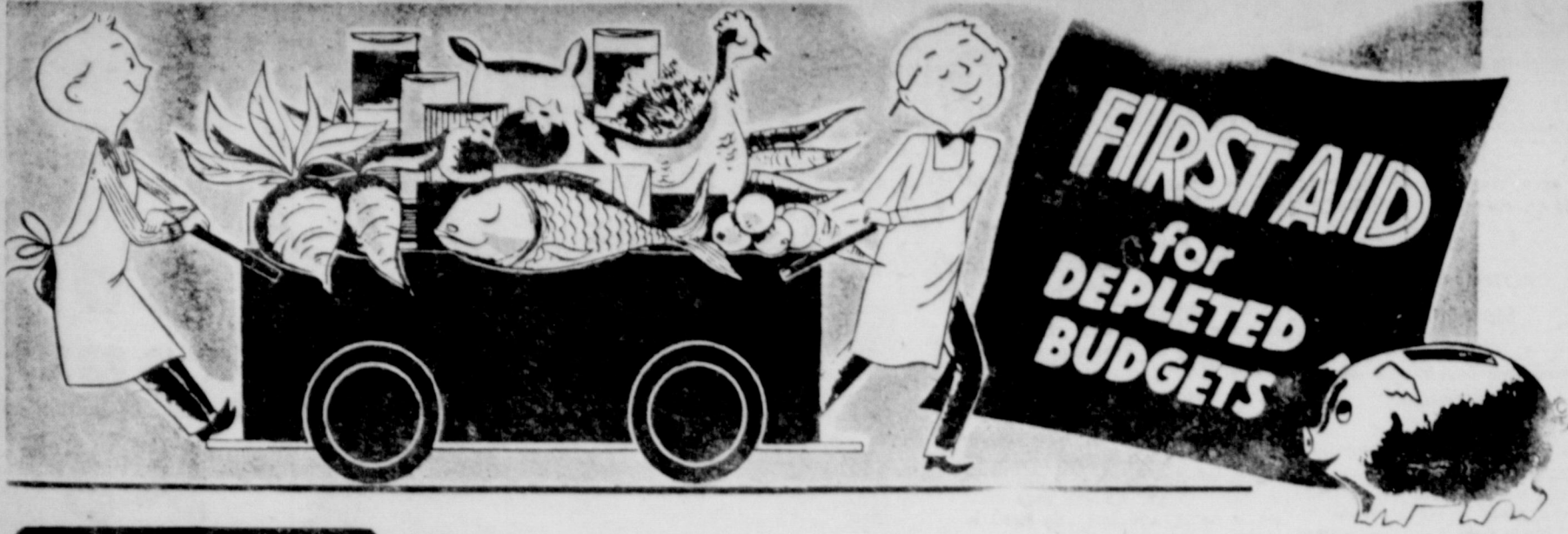
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"Cotton and You" To Be Presented Sunday Evening



THE SLATON JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL team is shown here with two of the trophies the team collected during the past season. The team finished up first in district. They are left to right in the front row, Danny Winn, Billy Dickson, and Frank Chapple. In the second row, left to right, are Johnny Owens, James Cole, Bill Barry, Gary Ward, and Giles Smith. Left to right in the back row are Coach M. W. Kerr, Randy Sanders, Grady Henson, and Charles White.

Junior High Cagers Finish Undefeated Season

Coach M. W. Kerr's Junior High Basketball team finished the season with a record of 18 wins and no losses to win the District Championship. The team amassed a total of 697 points to their opponents 434 during the season. The youngsters also took championship honors in the Slaton Invitational Tournament held in the Slaton Gym January 19-21. The season's scoring is as follows: Slaton—26, Post—25; Slaton—39, Ralls—21; Slaton—44, Ralls—27; Slaton—54, Southland—8; Slaton—38, Post—36; Slaton—48, Shallowater—32; Slaton—34, Shallowater—16; Slaton—48, Roosevelt—16; Slaton—27, Cooper—20; Slaton—26, Roosevelt—16; Slaton—43, Roosevelt—39; Slaton—44, O'Donnell—32; Slaton—46, Frenship—18; Slaton—27, New Deal—24; Slaton—40, Idalou—20; Slaton—29, Wilson—20; Slaton—30, Idalou—12.

NEW ARRIVALS IN SLATON

- Born March 3 to Mr. and Mrs. J. Maxey McKeller, Box 201, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 5 lbs. 10 ozs.
- Born March 5 to Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Reynolds, Rt. 5, Tahoka, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 8 lbs. 12 ozs.
- Born March 5 to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pequeno, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 7 lbs. 13 ozs.

"Cotton and You," a documentary feature on the world cotton situation as it relates to West Texas, will be presented Sunday evening at 6 o'clock on Channel 13. Local spokesmen for the American Farm Bureau, Farmers Union and Plains Cotton Growers, will discuss the pending Soil Bank change in cotton loan basis from midding 3/4 inch cotton, and the new versus rigid price support. Representatives George M. and W. R. Poage of Texas will comment on provisions of the pending Federal farm bill in a recorded interview from Washington. Newsreel films from Texas, Mississippi, and Georgia will serve as a background for presentation of the economic situation of the world cotton industry and its possible effects on the South Plains economy. K. Lanse Turner, director of the Cotton Research Committee in Texas, will discuss cotton marketing problems related to West Texas production. This round-up on the cotton problem will be presented as a 30 minute feature on "Plains Parade" Sunday at 6 p. m. on Channel 13.

Born March 5 to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Kitten, Rt. 2, Slaton, in Mary's Hospital in Lubbock, a boy weighing 8 lbs. 8 ozs. Born March 6 to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Winterrowd, Box 94, Southland, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 7 lbs. 8 ozs. Born March 7 to Mr. and Mrs. Webber Williams, 620 S. 6th, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 7 lbs., 11 ozs.

J. D. Barrys in Dallas
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Barry left last Friday to go to Dallas to visit with Mrs. Barry's sister, Mrs. Grever C. Weaver, who was injured in a car wreck. Mrs. Weaver is reported to be in a critical condition in Methodist Hospital in Dallas. Her home is at Cedar Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jones spent Sunday in Brownfield visiting Mr. Jones's mother, Mrs. O. L. Jones. Mr. Jones's brother, Oscar L. Jones, and family of Ft. Worth were also visiting there.

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