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Legion To Elect Officers Monday

Next Monday night July 22nd at 8:00 P. M., regular meeting night for Luther Powers Post No. 438 of the American Legion at the Slaton Legion Hall. The election of officers for the coming year will be held at that time. Every member is requested to be present and take an active part in the election of officers and help get the Post off to a good start.

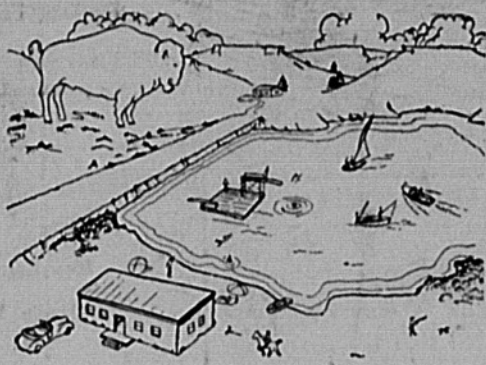
It's Boiling Hot

Have you noticed that the weather has been rather warm lately? Read what Mr. G. H. Orr's records show and you'll simply burn down.

Last Sunday, according to Mr. Orr, who usually underestimates, the thermometer blew the top for 108, last Tuesday it was 103 and the recordings have been doing things up brown every day since.

The hot winds are reported to be doing more damage to the crops than the lack of moisture and the farmers are moaning and groaning again.

Pictorial Map Of Buffalo Lakes Made By Briggs Robertson, Jr.



In checking through the Slatonite file of cuts the above illustration was brought to light, which is reproduced from a drawing of Buffalo Lakes made by the late Briggs Robertson, Jr. Robertson, who spent most of his life in this vicinity, no doubt knew Buffalo Lakes and their environs and legends as well or better than most people.

Briggs, Jr., was the son of the late Briggs Robertson, pioneer resident who owned and operated the well-known Robertson Ranch.

The artist was a war casualty having been reported as missing in action in a plane crash in the Pacific. His talents were outstanding and we are publishing the above drawing in his memory.

RAILROAD MAN KILLED

Mr. and Mrs. "Hack" Lasater, returned this week from Cleburne, Texas, where they went to attend the funeral of Mrs. Lasater's brother-in-law, Dorsey Collins, who was killed in an automobile accident at Burleson, Texas, Thursday, July 11th.

Mr. Collins was an employe of the Santa Fe railroad.

Regional Roundup

THE CROSS PLAINS REVIEW declares women never infringe on the profession of an auctioneer. "Imagine a woman getting up and announcing: "Now, gentlemen, all I want is an offer—"

BAIRD boosters are working to make the Ace Hickman-donated city park one of the finest in Texas.

LORENZO'S City Secretary Mitchell, uses the municipal fire truck each noon to ride home to lunch. "It keeps the batteries up," he explains.

PLAINVIEW farmers are planting black eye peas this month, keeping local seed dealers up to midnight in allotting seed for what appears to be a bumper harvest prospect.

CANADIAN announces a quarter-million dollar business building boom.

THE SCURRY COUTY TIMES Snyder, Texas, featured the Colorado River Dam project last week, which will supply ample water to that city as well as Colorado City, Big Spring, Odessa and Midland.

PLAINVIEW had a little voting trouble. Of 54 contested ballots, 25 did not apply for a ballot and one was dead these past 8 months.

HASKELL hits more oil. A gusher, and 600 barrel producer in the West Extension of Lawson Pool have yielded 2,000 barrels daily as the estimate of the No. 1, M. A. Smith well.

STAMFORD welcomed the largest crowd in the city's history for the annual July Fourth Rodeo celebration.

4-H CLUB GIRLS, 50 strong, met in Crosbyton last week for an all-day session.

O'DONNELL, following a wave of accidents, has cracked down on wild driving.

AL HINDS, Paducah Prattle columnist, was asked if he liked bathing beauties. Al replied, "Darned if I know, I ain't never bathed any."

PERRYTON elevators are bulging with more than 2,000,000 bushels of wheat already delivered.

A TUCUMCARI, N. M., American reporter called for the mail last week at 7:30 A. M. Opening the postoffice box, he dragged out a cat with assorted envelopes. The editor swears his reporter is a so-er man and not accustomed to see-

Former Slaton Resident Dies

Word has been received here of the unexpected death of M. G. (Greer) Whittaker in San Angelo, which occurred Saturday when he suffered a heart attack. Whittaker was a brother-in-law of Harmon Thompson of Slaton, and is well known here as he worked for quite some time at the Slaton Motor Co. He has been away from Slaton for a good many years, but is remembered here by a wide circle of friends and acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Thompson, Mayor Lee Wootton and Harry G. Stokes all attended the funeral from Slaton.

SLATON BATTALION TO SELECT RIFLE TEAM

Company C, (Slaton) 39th Infantry Battalion will spend next Sunday, 21 July on the Rifle Range to select their Rifle Team to represent the Company in State competition on August 11, at Camp Mabry, and at Dallas on August 28. Captain Moore, states that he has some of the best Riflemen in the state in his local company, and expects his ex-marines, soldiers, sailors, and coast guardsmen to show some of the former champions of the 39th Bn., just how a Bull's Eye should be hit. All men of Company C, are ordered to be at local headquarters, City Hall, Sunday morning, 8 a. m., August 21.

Ex-servicemen are especially invited to enlist in the local guard unit, which is composed mostly of World War II veterans. Anyone 16 years old or over, interested in joining is invited to see Lt. Colonel Walter F. Smith, Director of Recruiting and Publicity, for the Northwest Texas area, office in the balcony Moore-Lee Furniture Mart, Slaton, Texas.

The following letter was received by Lt. Moore of Lubbock:

"On behalf of McDermott Post No. 118, American Legion, we wish to thank you for the services of the Texas State Guard in escorting General Wainwright to and from the Speaker's platform.

"We also wish to compliment your organization, on behalf of this Post, on the fine appearance of the detachment of the Texas State Guard marching in the parade"

Respectfully,
J. B. Henry
Post Commander
Floydada, Texas

ing pink elephants.

MEMPHIS taxpayers gave an overwhelming approval to airport bonds 234 to 18 last week. Its city council is proceeding with light plant plans, as Olan Wynn brought in the first cotton bloom of the year.

CLARENDON led the Panhandle in Fourth of July visitors for a gala show and rodeo.

PERRYTON has had 81 structures started since Jan. 1, totaling a cost of nearly one million dollars.

PANHANDLE has halted parking in the center of the streets to speed up traffic and curtail accidents.

Navy to Fight in Desert



PHOENIX, ARIZ. — (Soundphoto) — With water stored in huge dams for irrigation and power sources rapidly diminishing in an unusually long drought period, the U.S. Navy has come to the rescue by providing a giant steam-electric generating train for use of the Salt River Valley Water Users Association. Designed and used to provide emergency power in bombed-out areas, it will now enable Arizona farmers to pump water for their crops. Photo shows Lt. Comm. Robert H. Moore of the Navy delivering papers to Lin B. Orme, President of the Valley Association. The Navy boasts the \$2,500,000 plant is fitted handier and more compactly than a submarine.

Motors On Pumps At City Water Works Are Repaired; Now In Use

The City officials say that the two motors on the pumps at the city water works, which were burned out Thursday of last week when lightning struck a line, have both now been repaired and put back in use again. One motor was repaired and put back in use on Saturday, but the repair on the other was not completed until Tuesday and put back in use again on Wednesday.

Deprived of the use of two motors and the consequent inability to pump two wells, reduced the reserve water supply in the underground storage reservoir to such a degree that the other wells were not able to supply the actual needs of the city. Hence, the water supply in Slaton has been critically low, and in some parts of the city and in some instances, there was no water available at all. Both of

SCHOOL FOR COLORED IS BEING ENLARGED

The repair and complete remodeling of the school building for the colored of Slaton Independent School district is progressing on schedule, according to school officials, and they hope to have the building entirely finished by the time school starts this fall.

The building has been enlarged from a two-room to a three-room school and the building is stuccoed on the outside and painted on the inside. It represents a modern, well-equipped, and completely up-to-date school building, and will no doubt do much to raise the standard of educational facilities for the colored children of Slaton.

Seaman 2/c Elmer Trimble, Jr., who is stationed at Great Lakes, Ill., arrived home Wednesday morning to visit his grandmother, Bartlett, who is quite ill in Mercy Hospital.

"The Postman Always Rings Twice." Palace, July, 27-29.

Fortunate Miss



SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. — (Soundphoto) — One of the lethal souvenirs of the war, a live torpedo, was found near the Golden Gate Bridge and traffic over the bridge was halted temporarily while it was disarmed. An unidentified "beachcomber" found the live torpedo, armed with a detonating head, resting on the sand in a foot of water. The warhead is shown here just before it was blown up by Navy Ordnance experts, who said it was a Japanese torpedo probably fired from an enemy submarine in the early days of the war.

Former Texan Elected New Lions President

Clifford D. Pierce of Memphis, Tennessee, is the new president of the International Association of Lions Clubs. He was unanimously advanced from the first vice-presidency to the presidency at the annual convention of the Association which closed July 19, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Pierce succeeds retiring president Dr. Ramiro Colalazo of Havana, Cuba.

In 1930 Pierce became a member of the Memphis Club, which club is one of the first 27 of the Association. He has been secretary and president of his club and has served continuously as a member of its board of directors. He has been zone chairman, deputy district governor, governor of the Lions of Tennessee, and vice-chairman of the board of governors of Lions International. He was elected a director of the International Association at the annual convention held in Toronto, Canada, in July, 1942 and since that time has held the offices of third vice-president, second vice-president and first vice-president of the Association.

Lion Pierce was born on a farm near Somerville, Tennessee, and lived in Weatherford, Texas, from 1900 to 1905. With his family he returned to Tennessee where he attended school and was graduated from Fayette County High School, Somerville, in 1917.

He is a Kappa Alpha, a Scottish Rite Mason, a Shriner and a Methodist.

Plans Made For Panhandle-South Plains Fair

Work has started on the 29th Annual Panhandle South Plains Fair, the first to be held since 1941. Fair officials announced recently. Tentative date of the Fair, which will be held at the Fairgrounds in Lubbock, is October 7-12.

In preparing for the first Panhandle South Plains Fair since before the war, officials announced that the Fairgrounds are being reconditioned, and the buildings are being painted and renovated so that everything will be in top condition when the Fair gets underway. They also disclosed that a carnival, a rodeo and midget auto races have already been lined up for appearances every day of the Fair.

Local Election Interest Light

With the State and County election only one week off the local interest in politics has been very light and the interest of those who are running for offices has been slight in the local field.

In previous years at this stage of the game those seeking offices appeared on the streets and some made talks, but this year the office seekers have been few and to date not one single good old fashioned political speech has been made in Slaton.

Those who keep a finger on the local pulse predict one of the lightest votes in years for state and county elections.

Wilson Is High Scoring Team Of Softball League For Season

The schedule for the remainder of this round robin of the softball league is as follows: Thursday, July 18, Vibrators play the Oilers; Haraware meets Wilson, Friday, July 19, Bakery versus Posey; Lardware meets Wilson, Monday, July 22, Southland plays Oilers; Santa Fe versus Vibrators.

On Monday of this week the Bakery played the Oilers, and the Hardware met the Santa Fe. The scores for these games were not learned On Tuesday the Oilers defeated the Vibrators 9 to 8, and Wilson defeated the Hardware 15 to 4.

The official standing of the team of the league for the entire season is as follows:

Wilson	16½	2	.892
Southland	14	5	.737
Posey	12½	6	.613
Santa Fe	10	7	.589
Hardware	8	9	.470
Vibrators	6	12	.333
Bakery	3	15	.167
Oilers	3	15	.167

BIRTHS

Catherine Courtney is the name of the daughter born to Capt. and Mrs. E. G. Abington, Wednesday, July 17, at Ft. Monmouth, N. J. Mrs. Abington was formerly Virginia Sanders.

(As we have no dependable source to secure reports on births we have to depend upon our readers and subscribers for this news. Please Phone 20 or drop a card to the Slatonite.)

Population Of Slaton Is Now Almost Double That Of 1940

The estimated population of Slaton is now over 6,000 as compared with the 1940 census figures of 3,500, which means that the population has almost doubled in the last six years. The estimates population is based on figures secured in the recent city-wide survey to secure information for the publication of the new city directory. Assuming that there are 200 business houses represented in the directory list, and using the universally accepted method of estimating that each household is represented by four persons, this gives the estimated census at more than 6,000.

The persons securing the desired information for the city directory called at each house, and returned more than once if they found no one at home, but it is almost impossible to contact each family. If for any reason, you were not contacted in the recent effort to secure accurate information for the directory, please phone or come by the Slatonite office and give the information desired in order that the directory may be completed as soon as possible.

MRS. FINNEY'S MOTHER BURIED AT SAN MARCOS

Mrs. J. R. Brumley, of Falfurrist, Texas, passed away Sunday, July 14. Funeral service and burial were in San Marcos, Tuesday, 16.

She was buried beside her husband, who passed on several years ago. Mrs. Brumley had been in bad health for several years. She was 78 years of age, the mother of Mrs. W. W. Finney of this city.



OUR BOYS WITH THE COLORS

James N. Allred, EM-3/c, of Boston, Mass., telephoned his parents Sunday evening that he was being discharged from the Navy on July 22. He will visit friends in New York City and Atlantic City before returning home.

Edward Louis Reissig, S-1/c, of 740 South 21 Street was discharged July 9, from the Navy at Terminal Island, San Pedro, Cal. He served three months overseas, and at the NAAS base, Vernalis, Cal., and at the NAS, Alameda, Cal. He served aboard the USS Toucan-AM-387. He was awarded the Asiatic-Pacific theatre medal, the American theatre medal, and the Victory medal.

He attended Price Memorial college before entering the armed services, and had been employed as railroad office clerk. He plans to enter school, and then to go into aviation.

See "The Postman Always Rings Twice."

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Texas Gains Corporations

Texas gained 336 new corporations in May, with all but 13 capitalized below \$100,000, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.
Only 77 charters were issued in May, 1945, and 228 were issued in April, 1946. Those firms handling oil, real estate, or transportation equipment or service registered outstanding gains during May.

FREIGHT SHIPMENTS SHOW MARKED DECLINE

Freight shipments in Texas in May were 30 per cent less than those in May, 1945, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.
Shipments for the southwestern district, totaling 241,730 carloads, declined 8 per cent under April loadings of 261,786.
Grain and grain products carload shipments were 36 per cent less in May over May, 1945, but showed a slight increase of 3 per cent over April.
Forest products and coal shipments were smaller in May as compared with May of last year.

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REPORT ON EXPORTS FROM TEXAS CITIES

Exports from Texas cities in April totaled 807,688,688 pounds, a decline of about 33 per cent from March according to the Bureau of Business Research, the University of Texas, in their first post-war release on exports.
Of this total, Galveston shipped 490,188, 476 pounds, Texas City 120,683,055, and Houston 196,817,157. Texas City gained 30 per cent from March to April, while Galveston decreased 36 per cent and Houston 43 per cent for the same period.
Shipments of wheat were 165,468,540 pounds in April compared with 583,385,920 for March for the three ports. Rice shipped from Galveston and Houston amounted to 29,518,341 pounds in April, which was a little more than half the total exported in March.
Lubricating oils, carbon black, sulphur and scrap iron are among the most important commodities shipped from Texas ports. Export of lubricating oil increased from 5,764,168 in March to 18,692,762 in April, all shipments being made from Galveston and Houston.

WARNING ISSUED ON INCREASE OF RABIES

With a sharp increase in the number of persons being bitten by rabid animals in East Texas, and similar occurrences reported in other sections of the state, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, recently warned all Texans to be on the alert for symptoms of this

disease when around domestic or wild animals.
The 2,166 animal heads received for examination by the State Health Department during the past year have shown 687 positives, including incidence among cats, dogs, horses, rabbits, rats, squirrels, skunks, guinea pigs, coyotes, gophers, racoons, hogs, sheep, and prairie dogs.
Rabies is transmitted to man through a bite or having a cut exposed to the saliva of a rabid animal. Bites through clothing are not as dangerous as bites on exposed surfaces, because the saliva is wiped off as the tooth passes through the cloth.

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Flying Farmers To Meet July 20

The program for the meeting of Texas Flying Farmers scheduled for Sweetwater on July 20, as announced by the organization's secretary-treasurer, Ama Lee James, ranch woman of Spofford, includes business sessions devoted to discussion of aviation in relation to agriculture, talks by leaders in aeronautical engineering and an air show.

President Clayton Beard, Tahoka, will preside. Willis Davis, mayor of Sweetwater, will welcome

the group to the city and R. L. Fields, vice-president of the Texas Flying Farmers Wharton, will give the response.

"Businessmen and Farmers in the Air" will be the subject of the principal luncheon address given by L. A. Wilke, manager of the Sweetwater Board of City Development.

Dr. Howard W. Earlow, dean of the Texas A. and M. College School of Engineering, is slated to discuss the opportunities for flight training under the GI Bill of Rights. Flight training has been approved by the Veterans Administration and 63 veterans are now taking the course at Texas A.

and M. At the close of the afternoon business session the meeting will adjourn to Avenger Field, where planes from Goodfellow Field, San Angelo will stage an air show. A number of new civilian aircraft will be on exhibit and the Flying Farmers will be guests at a barbecue sponsored by the Sweetwater Board of City Development.

District Agent P. D. Hanna will represent the Texas Extension Service at the meeting.



ALLAN SHIVERS IS ONLY VET IN RACE

Senator Allan Shivers, of Port Arthur, candidate for lieutenant governor, is the only war veteran seeking that office. Exempt from military service, he joined the army as a volunteer and served two years in Africa, France, Italy and Germany. A member of the Texas Senate 12 years, he is asking to be promoted to lieutenant governor on the basis of his service to his country and state.

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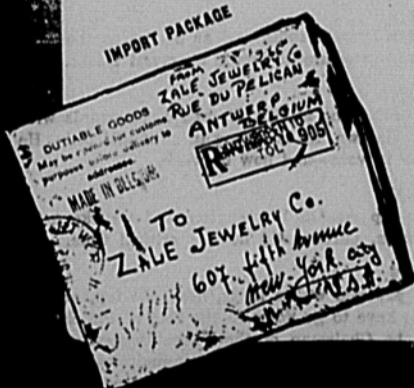


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DETROIT, MICH. — (Soundphoto) — Johnny Zaccagnini, 11, Yvonne Leo, 11, Emma Zaccagnini, 10, Donald Spockeck, 11, Joey Frazee, 10, and Beverly Olmsted, 10, are shown cutting the grass at 18598 Cardoni to raise money for an eye operation for a playmate of theirs, Ruth Erickson, 10, who is threatened with permanent blindness unless a cataract is removed from her right eye. These children have organized the "Secret Six" club to earn as much money as they can before August. They don't want Ruthie to know of this though, for it's to be a surprise.

Learn to like what doesn't cost much — reading, conversation, and music.

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Fields, trees, woods, brooks, fishing, rowing, hiking.

Learn to like people, even though some of them may be as different from you as a Chinese.

Learn to like to work and enjoy the satisfaction of doing a job as well as it can be done.

The song of the birds, the companionship of dogs, and laughter and gaiety of children.

Gardening, carpentering, putting around the house, the lawn, and the automobile.

Learn to like the sunrise and sun set, the beating of rain on the roof and windows, and the gentle fall of snow on a winter day.

Learn to keep your wants simple. Refuse to be owned and anchored by things and the opinions of others.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Sanders and daughters Ann and Jane of Morton visited here over the weekend.

V. D. Payne, of Payne's Ready-to-wear, returned from Abilene where he visited his son, V. D. Payne Jr. and his family. Mr. Payne spent most of his time at the Payne summer camp on Lytle Lake near Abilene and reports good fishing.

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Until she was 76 years old, Ann Mary Roberston Moses, shown above as pictured in the July issue of Cosmopolitan magazine, knew no more about art than any of the chickens on her New York State farm. When her fingers became too stiff for needlework, a friend suggested she paint pictures. Today, at 85, Grandma Moses is recognized as one of the outstanding painters of primitives in the world. She has had 28 exhibits of her work in the United States and two in South America.

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JUST TALK

by A.M.J.



Just to prove how contrary some folks can be T. O. Porter came into the office last week and reported that he will reduce the rent on the Porter Apartments approximately 5 per cent beginning the 1st of August.

Such action is discouraging to folks like me who are searching the news and peeping into all the dark corners trying to find instances where prices have been raised skyward in order to howl to high heaven and get blood pressure to the danger point.

It is always taken for granted that men go to the bathing beaches in order to see bathing beauties strolling around in bathing suits and the boys in the armed forces worked up quite a reputation with their pin up gals, but boys if you want to see women pictured in every imaginable pose of semi-nudity just pick up a woman's magazine, they are sticking their legs out at you, demonstrating hose, uplifts, down drafts and squeeze-em-ins, they are taking baths, putting on or taking off articles of underwear and holding bath towels up in front of them or in the most careless way, and it will be noticed that most of them are not doing these things in privacy, but have a girl friend sitting around in various stages of disrobing.

All of these gals are slim, slinky and have what the women's magazines call "Allure." After going over several of these publications I am beginning to believe the women who are subscribing to Glamour, The Woman, Mademoiselle and others enjoy thinking themselves similar to the illustrations and such magazines, no doubt, have considerable influence on the ladies for I have noticed that even the

overstuffed ones have improved their appeal and one hardly ever sees one that is not using some kind of aid to make her look like what she "ain't."

Mrs. Leona Lamb, Mrs. G. W. Dial, Mrs. W. L. Schroeder and Mrs. J. C. Watkins, who made the listings of names over Slaton for the city directory, that will be published as soon as possible, reported that folks in all parts of Slaton complained about the lack of street markers over the town.

The Slatonite has been howling for years about the inconvenience of finding ones way in Slaton and I have personally appealed to every one I know who is in a position to have something done about it but to date I have been wasting a lot of much needed breath. If it is the money that is needed I for one would be glad to make a donation for the purpose, that is unless it should be decided to put up solid gold markers or some studded with diamonds.

Some weeks ago when Harry Stokes and Travis Reynolds came into the office to give me a squeeze on a donation for the soft ball activities I gave up with a terrible groan for as I told them, I thought at the time that folks would soon tire of the games and the interest would die as it did when the soft ball grounds were built, at considerable expense, down near the Railroad tracks near the depot

LAFF - A - DAY



"I'd like to see that wood—but I've got my good clothes on!"

and as it did when they constructed a soft ball ground out where the Football stadium is now.

In this estimate, I am fully prepared to admit that I was wrong for the soft ball games are attracting more people to Slaton than any other activity has since I have lived here. Personally I am not what could be classified as a base ball or soft ball fan, in fact I had never seen but one or two soft ball games until I went out to one through curiosity, last week. To my surprise I really enjoyed three of the four games last Friday night when the Vibrators and the Posey teams went at it I had to give up when the Vibrators all went blind at the same time. Just to ease my conscience I would like to make an apology for having felt as I did about the soft ball games and to say that I hope folks will continue to attend them and that the inter-

est keeps up. It is rather interesting to note that there are so many children at the soft ball games. They do not seem to be watching the activities much but I found out that they know a lot more about the game than one would suppose.

At one of the games two little girls sat next to me on the top tier of seats, I say they sat next to me, but one could hardly call it sitting for they squirmed around most of the time with their backs to the ball game and hanging by about a half an inch to the seats with their legs dangling down. After a while one of them proudly announced to me that her Daddy is Bill Mosley and that he is an umpire. During the time that she watched the game she explained to her little sister what was going on and she did a better job of it than

I could have done and I kept a close watch at all times.

Our six year old peach trees that are about to bear fruit for the first time are not going to live up to what the nursery catalogue said they would be.

Extra large, very sweet and juicy is not going to describe the peaches that are on my trees unless they get a lot fatter than they are now. One tree has a ton of peach seeds covered with wrinkles, there is no more juice in them than there is in a rubber ball and if they get big they'll have to start growing mighty soon. My faith in nursery catalogues is waning and I am going to read them like I would fiction from now on and I'll not fill out the order for six peach trees, four ever blooming plum trees and a purple nux vomica all for \$3.98 post paid.



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Mrs. Judge Smith Is W M U Hostess

The W. M. U. of the Baptist church met Monday evening in the country home of Mrs. Judge Smith for their Royal Service Program. Co-hostesses were Mesdames J. C. Smith, Jr., Elton Smith and George Harlan.

Mrs. I. C. Tucker was leader of the program "Missionary Education, a Christian Imperative." Devotional was brought by Mrs. J. B. Butler. Others having part on the program were Mesdames E. R. Burns, Carter Shaw, Fred Stephens, Clarence Wells, C. W. Wilks and Clifford Young. Mrs. C. W. Wilks was dressed to represent 1880 and she and Mrs. Clarence Wells discussed the sunbeams, then and now after which some sunbeams sang.

Mrs. James Haliburton and Joe Neil Sparkman sang special numbers.

Refreshments of punch and cake were served to the 43 present from a lace covered table, centered with a large bowl of multicolored snap dragons.

SUB-DEBS ENTERTAINED BY GLENNA SUE LILES

Members of the Sub-Deb Club were honored with a breakfast by Glenna Sue Liles Friday morning July 12. Served buffet style, the breakfast consisted of cheese toast cantaloupe, coffee, muffins and cokes.

Those attending and wearing pajamas were Mrs. Bentley, Peggy Tudor, Billie Taylor, Mary Harrah, Joyce Pember, Dorothy Davis, Nancy Teague, DeEtta Pohl, Phyllis and Frances Hunter, Jolene Tate, Glenna Sue and Mrs. Liles.

MRS. R. C. SANNER IS BLUEBONNET HOSTESS

The Blue Bonnet Club met in the home of Mrs. R. C. Sanner on Wednesday, July 10 with 15 members answering roll call with their favorite scripture. The president, Mrs. Legg was in charge.

The picnic for August was discussed, to decide the exact date at the next meeting with Mrs. A. L. Clifton 345-S-11th street, Wednesday morning July 24. Roll call will be answered with your favorite radio program.

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Allred-Maddox Rites Read

Miss Annie Faye Allred, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Allred, was married to Homer D. Maddox of Lubbock in the First Presbyterian Church there Saturday, July 13, with the pastor, Rev. Brown Welch reading the ceremony.

The bride wore a navy two piece dress of eyelet embroidery and a blue hat of flowers with a shoulder length veil. Her other accessories were black and her corsage was of red roses.

Wedding attendants were James Maddox, of Plainview, brother of the bridegroom, and Miriam Long of Los Angeles, sister of the bridegroom.

A reception was held immediately after the ceremony in the home of the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. O. C. Collins in Plainview.

After a short visit in the home of the bride's parents in Slaton the couple will live in Lubbock, where the groom is employed by the Wooten Grocer Company.

Out-of-town guests attending the wedding were the bride's parents of Slaton and Mrs. James Maddox of Plainview.

The bride is a 1946 graduate of the Slaton High school and has been employed at the Baker Company in Lubbock.

The bridegroom is a veteran, having served three and a half years with the infantry in the Pacific theatre.

LOCAL WOMEN ATTEND WMU MEET AT LORENZO

Mrs. Dudley Berry, Mrs. T. V. Ellis, and Mrs. Guy Brown, represented the local W. M. U. at the associational quarterly meeting held in Lorenzo Tuesday. This was an all-day meeting. The meeting adjourned in the afternoon and went to the home of Mrs. Leemon, who had just passed away.

MRS. ZETTA ARES GIVEN INFORMAL COFFEE

Mrs. Zetta Ares, from Los Vegas, New Mexico, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. S. Edwards, Jr., was honored at a coffee in the home of Mrs. Howard Swanner, Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Those present were Mesdames Ares, J. S. Edwards, Pete Pearson, Bill Sewell, L. C. Odom, C. L. Pack, J. R. McAttee, H. Crawford, Vasker Browning, Allen Ferrell, Jno. Simms, Marvin Abernathy, Max Arrants, Wade Thompson, Ed Haddock and Oree Glasscock.

Society - Clubs

Series Of Pre-Nuptial Parties Given For Mary Ann Schmidt

Complimenting Miss Mary Ann Schmidt, bride-elect of Milton Fields, Mrs. Wade Thompson entertained with a luncheon Friday afternoon in her home on 555 West Garza Street.

The centerpiece on the dining table was of Shasta Daisies and miniature Bridesmaids served as place cards. Garden flowers were in profusion throughout the house.

The guest list included the bride-elect, her mother, Mrs. Fred Schmidt, and a sister, Lena Frances, Wilda Ruth Hanna, Ura Jon Skelton, Mrs. W. R. Lovett, Mrs. George Marriott, Mrs. V. B. Browning, Mrs. Charles Marriott and Miss Cleo Joyce Marr from Albuquerque.

Miss Schmidt was presented with two lovely wedding gifts.

Coffee is given

Continuing a series of parties given in Slaton and Lubbock for Mary Ann Schmidt, an informal coffee was given Tuesday morning July 9, in the ranch home of Mrs. Gus Robertson.

The serving table was covered with a pink organdy cloth and held a low bowl of garden flowers. Mrs. W. R. Lovett poured and Mrs. Sug Robertson and Mrs. W. R. Sewell assisted in the dining room.

Guests were Mrs. Howard Hampton and her two guests, Mrs. Washington and Mrs. Golding, Mrs. K. C. Scott, Mrs. A. L. Brannon, Mrs. H. G. Sanders, Mrs. Lovett, Mrs. Luther Sadler, Mrs. W. R. Sewell, Mrs. Sug Robertson, Mrs. Fred Schmidt, Mary Ann and Lena Frances Schmidt.

MISS MARION WILSON, SUB-DEB HOSTESS

Sub-Deb club held their regular meeting in the home of Miss Marion Wilson, Wednesday, July 10. Plans were discussed for a trip to Buffalo Lakes July 16. Chaperones were to be Mrs. Curtis Dowell and Mrs. Ala Bentley.

After the business meeting, refreshments were served to Nadine Hart, Dorothy Davis, Bobbie Hancock, Martha Gunter, Joyce Pember, Glenna Liles, Marion Wilson, Peggy Tudor, Daunita Dowell, Nancy Teague, Wilma Faulkner, Billie Taylor, Frances Hunter and Mrs. Bentley.

MRS. ROBERT L. GREEN HONORED AT DINNER

Honoring Mrs. Robert L. Green, a recent bride, a dinner was given in the home of Mrs. C. F. Smith, Wednesday, July 10, at 7:30, in the evening. Hostesses assisting Mrs. Smith were Mesdame Wiley Martin, Mildred Lokey, Paul Brasfield, V. Ellis, and Martha Gunter.

The dinner table was covered with an imported linen cloth, and the center piece was an arrangement of daisies.

Guest list included Mrs. R. D. Hickman and Nina Ray, Mrs. Harold Williams, Mrs. Earl D. Eblen, Mrs. Joe Walker, Mrs. Ray Conner, Mrs. A. R. Keyes and the honoree, Mrs. Green.

The hostesses presented Mrs. Green a bed spread and pottery was given the honoree by the guests.

WESLEYAN GUILD MEETS WITH MRS. CONNER

The Wesleyan Service Guild met in the home of Mrs. Theo Conner, 345 West Garza, Friday evening, July 12th.

Mrs. Lou Walton, president, presided during the meeting. The Guild voted to share expenses with the Mrs. S. H. Adams W.S.C.S. circle in order that two delegates from Slaton might attend the Methodist Training School in Amarillo.

Mrs. Clarice Layne led the devotional. Mrs. Edwyna Kirk and Mildred Lokey reviewed the third and fourth chapters of the mission study "The Cross over Africa." Mrs. Elton Wyatt will review the last two chapters at the next meeting which will be Thursday evening August 15, at the First Methodist Church.

Refreshments of delicious homemade ice cream and angel food cake were served to Mesdames Vinta Zuma Shepard, Erlene Saage, Ollie Ruth Chenoweth, Jessie Layne, Lou Walton, Mildred Lokey and Miss Gertrude King. Guests were Mrs. J. H. Brewer, Mrs. Ida Champion and Mrs. W. C. Wiggs of Dallas.

FAREWELL PARTY GIVEN MR. AND MRS. SAVELL

A party was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Reed July 9 honoring Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Savell who are leaving Slaton and perhaps will make their home in Colorado Springs, Colo., after an extended trip to Colorado, Kentucky, and California. Mr. and Mrs. Savells received about three dozen lovely handkerchiefs and a few other gifts. The hostesses, Mrs. Reed, Mrs. Grover Jones, and Mrs. Dale Clary served refreshments to the following friends, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wilson and daughter Lavinia, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Meyers and two children Claud and Beverly, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Roberts, Mrs. Mollie Roberts and two children Delmer Ray and Elmerice.

BAPTIST SS CLASS HAS REGULAR MEETING

The Home Makers S S Class met in the home of Mrs. A. P. Wilson Thursday, July 11 for their regular business and social meeting. Mrs. Fannie Patterson presided. Opening prayer was given by Mrs. J. R. Robertson. Mrs. Arthur gave a reading during the social hour. Closing prayer was given by Mrs. E. M. Lott. Refreshments were served to the following, Mesdames; J. W. Ward, C. W. Wilks, Fannie Patterson, L. S. Jeffcoat, C. B. Martin, L. Jobe, D. W. Haliburton, L. T. Arthur, Robertson, W. T. Slaughter, J. I. Savells, Wilson, Joe Teague, Jr., Lott. Next meeting will be a covered dish luncheon at Mrs. C. W. Wilks.

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Rom. 1:16 1 Cor. 9:16 Gal. 1:8

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Herbert Hoover said, "If the hungry in Europe and Asia were obliged to live for the few months on what they now have in Europe and Asia, 300,000,000 five hundred million to six hundred million of them will surely die!" Of 800,000,000 hungry in Europe and Asia, 300,000,000 living on 900 calories a day, an amount regarded by doctors as to bring death within thirty days. The remainder of the 800,000,000 people have 2,000 calories a day. The average American consumes 3,300 calories a day and a large amount of it goes out the back door to the garbage pit.

Examine these figures: Hungary, population 8,100,000. In-

fant mortality rate 42%; 160,000 destitute orphans, less than 25% in children's homes. In November, 1945, 70% of all babies were stillborn.

"Thousands of abandoned children roam about the streets begging, and infant criminality has attained undreamed of proportions."

"More than 60,000 children under ages of three will die during these days, for not a drop of milk to drink can be found, and their mothers, underfed themselves, cannot feed them."

These and others found daily in newspapers are only figures. Our minds cannot grasp the untold misery, suffering and degradation involved. If we had stood on our door steps this morning and had seen the yard and street filled with bony, filthy, dead, and dying bodies of human being, into whom the God of Heaven had breathed the breath of life, we would do all we could to save them.

We would sell all we had to give to those who had not. We would not turn our deaf ear to that mother's pitiful plea for her starving child for whom she and the father cannot work, nor buy, nor beg, nor steal. For there is no food to work for, no food to buy, beg or to steal. America is the hope of the

world. What about American Christians?

Do we believe the New Testament? All of it? When it says, "Give and it shall be given you?" Do we believe we shall reap what we sow? Do we believe that if we "seek first the kingdom of heaven" all these things shall be added unto us? Do we follow Him in serving others, in our compassion, in our love.

Oh that we would embrace the compassionate love which Jesus had for those in need. He was constantly ministering, and he and his apostles kept a treasure out of their few earthly possessions for the care of poor. Would Christ gluttonously clamor for all the food he could find while others starved? Would he sit lackadaisically by and let thousands perish for want of food while he became fatter every day? No. He lived the Golden Rule; he emptied himself for the sake of others; he sacrificed his own comforts that others might have; he was cut to the heart by sorrows and miseries of others; in short he loved, not in words, but in deed and in truth. Christians, if we have the love which will guide us to his presence we will sacrifice now as never before. The Christian is his brother's keeper.

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Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Walker this week are Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ridley and daughter, Betty Ann of Jasper, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Cox and daughter Sue of Stevenson, Alabama.

Mr. Cox is a nephew of Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Ridley is Mrs. Walker's niece.

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(Pd. Pol. Adv.)

CITY ORDINANCE NO. 105 STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF LUBBOCK CITY OF SLATON

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE CONNECTION OF ALL HOUSES, FOR HUMAN OCCUPANCY, TO THE SANITARY SEWER LINE WHERE THE PROPERTY LINE OF SUCH HOUSES ARE LOCATED WITHIN 150 FEET OF THE CITY SANITARY SEWER MAIN, SETTING RATES FOR SEWER CHARGES, FIXING PENALTY FOR NON PAYMENT OF SEWER SERVICE CHARGE, PROVIDING FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF CHEMICAL TOILETS OR CONCRETE VAULT TOILETS WHERE PROPERTY LINE OF HOUSE IS IN EXCESS OF 150 FEET OF CITY SANITARY SEWER LINE, FIXING MINIMUM STRUCTURAL REQUIREMENTS FOR SUCH TOILETS, DESIGNATING ALL EXISTING PRIVIES, THAT DO NOT COME UP TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS ORDINANCE, AS PUBLIC NUISANCES AND FIXING PENALTY FOR NON COMPLIANCE OF ANY SECTION OF THIS ORDINANCE.

Be it ordained by the City Commission of the City of Slaton, Texas:

Section I

That on or before October 1, 1946, every owner of every building intended for human habitancy or occupancy, and located on any lot within the city, corporate limits the property line of which extends within 150 feet of any sanitary sewer line, and every person in any way responsible for such building, whether agent or occupant, is hereby required to

equip such building with sanitary water flush closets and connect same with the city sewer, under the supervision of the City Water Department.

It shall thereafter be the duty of such property owners, agents and/or occupants of such buildings, to maintain said water closets and the connection thereof with the sewer in good working condition, free from all defects and obstructions.

Thereafter, should any additional sewer line be built or extended, the said owners, agents and/or occupants of any such building on any lots the property line of which is within 150 feet of such new or extended sewer line shall, within 60 days from the date of completion of such sewer, construct or cause to be constructed water closets on said property and connect same with sewer.

Section II

On and after Sept. 1, 1946, the owner, agent and/or occupant of every building containing any water closet connection with the City sanitary sewer shall pay the city for such connection and use, monthly, as follows:

- a. For each private residence \$1.00
b. For each business house with one toilet 1.50
c. For each additional toilet in excess of one for each business house .50
d. For each cafe 2.00
e. For each hotel 3.00
f. For each laundry 3.00
g. For each wash rack 2.00
h. For each depot 3.00
i. For each school while in session 3.00
j. For each apartment

building with two connections 2.00
k. For each toilet in excess of two in each apartment building .50
All payments due the City under the provision of this ordinance shall be paid in the same time and manner as provided in City Ordinance No. 63, passed by the City Commission August 23, 1929; all penalties provided in said ordinance for failure of any person to make prompt payment shall apply, and the deposit required by said ordinance No. 63 shall secure all payments due the City under the provisions of this ordinance.

Section III

That on and after October 1, 1946, every owner of every building within the city corporate limits intended for human habitancy or occupancy and located on any lot the property lines of which are all in excess of 150 feet from any city sanitary sewer line and not equipped with sanitary flush water closet, and every person responsible for such building, whether agent or occupant, shall construct or cause to be constructed on such lot either a chemical toilet or concrete vault toilet or sanitary pit privy; the minimum structural requirements and specifications of every such pit privy shall be as follows:

- a. It shall be constructed in such manner that human excreta shall not fall upon the surface of the ground, but shall fall into a pit or excavated chamber with a minimum inside width of three feet, a minimum inside length of four feet and a minimum depth from the ground surface of four feet.
b. Such pit shall be provided with box capping, fitted closely to the side of the pit, so as to exclude from the pit at all times all flies, fowls or small animals.
c. Over the pit shall be placed a fly-tight seat, which shall be ventilated with a flue extending from the pit to eight inches above the roof of the building and be screened with wire of 16 meshes per inch.
d. Self-closing lids shall be provided for each unit.
e. Such pit privies shall be kept in a clean condition at all times; shall be used only for the deposit

of human excreta, and not for the deposit of wash water, garbage, trash or any other matter.

Section IV

All privies existing or maintained within the corporate limits of the City of Slaton after this ordinance becomes effective which do not conform to the minimum requirements of this ordinance as to the construction and maintenance shall be, and are hereby declared to be a nuisance and a menace to public health, and the City of Slaton shall have the authority to abate such nuisances in accordance with local and general law.

Section V

That any and all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with ordinance be, and are hereby, repealed. Should any part of this ordinance be held invalid such invalidity shall not affect the remaining parts.

Section VI

Any person, firm or corporation who shall violate, or fail or refuse to comply with any provision of this ordinance shall upon conviction thereof, be punished by fine not exceeding Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars.

Passed and approved 1st. reading this 24th. day of June 1946.

Passed and approved 2nd. reading this 8th. day of July 1946.

Attest

J. J. MAXEY Secretary
L. B. WOOTTON Mayor City of Slaton, Texas

DOGS CONTRIBUTE TO FAMINE RELIEF

Pet Food Manufacture Cut Back to 80 Per Cent of 1945

America's dogs, like the American people, are doing their bit toward the alleviation of famine conditions abroad, reports the Gaines Dog Research Center, New York City.

As a step in meeting America's commitments of food supplies for overseas shipments, this country's pet food manufacturers have been cut back in their production to 80 per cent of what they put out last year. This means that Fido will get only four-fifths of his favorite prepared dog food he received during 1945. He had looked forward to larger portions of food with the return of peace, and is naturally disappointed in receiving even less than he did in the midst of war. But Fido is not growling—he is taking it like a good sport.

Reduction in the volume of prepared dog foods this year comes as a setback to the dog-owning housewife as well. For years, and particularly during the war years, she has been depending on dry dog foods for meeting the nutritional requirements of her household pet. Keeping a dog on meal-type food involves no more effort than giving him a drink of water. One merely measures out the required amount and adds warm water, milk, soup or gravy in the consistency preferred by the pet. No muss, no waste of leftovers, and—of course—no fussing in the kitchen and no special cooking of dog dishes.

The established popularity of dry dog foods, by the way, is already a source of deep concern for manufacturers of canned dog foods—when they come back. And for these reasons: without benefit of fresh meat or canned food for years America's dogs have emerged from the war in better health than ever before. Dry dog foods are easily mixed with table scraps, and there are no leftovers to be kept under refrigeration. An entire month's supply takes less shelf space than a week's supply of the canned dog foods, and more and more dog-owners are beginning to balk at paying the same rate for moisture as for the solid part of food.

The Gaines Dog Research Center offers the following feeding suggestions as particularly applicable for the duration of the famine emergency:

- 1. Maintain a regular feeding schedule. Unless feeding regularity is maintained, a dog is likely to "go off feed."
2. Use wholesome table leftovers, carefully selected extenders. Avoid feeders or fish bones and any with sharp edges.
3. If your dog does up his plate within a reasonable time, prepare a smaller portion the next time. Also cut

MANY GIRLS TAKING INTEREST IN 4-H CLUB

Although 1946 marks only the second year that Texas 4-H Club girls have participated in national contests, girls in nearly two-thirds of the Texas counties with home demonstration work are competing for national honors this year.

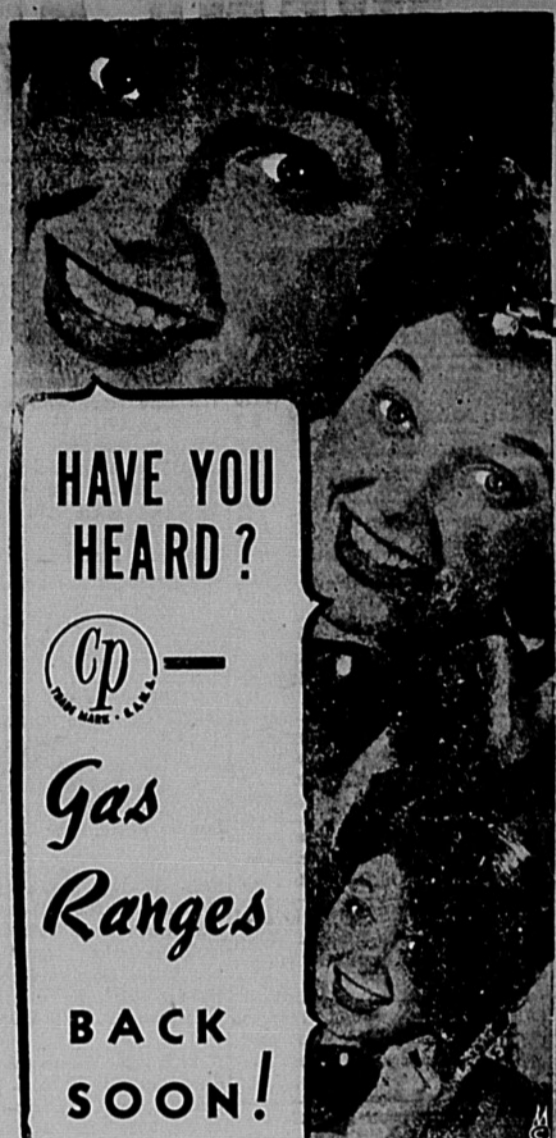
In all, 124 county entries have been received by 4-H Club specialists of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service. Forty-four counties have entrants in three contests, including the Girl's Records Contests, forty-three have entered two, and the remaining counties are competing in only one contest.

The Girls' Records Contest drew the most entries—94, while the Dress Revue is second in popularity with 70 counties submitting contestants. Next in popularity is the gardens contest with 32 counties. Other entries include: Food preparation 14 counties; clothing achievement and canning achievement, 16 each; farm safety, 10; Dairy foods, home ground beautification and poultry, 3 each; better electric methods, frozen foods, and leadership, one each.

Where participating counties were concerned, District 2 led the state with 16, closely followed by Extension districts 5 and 11 with 15 each.

Lorene Stevens and Alice Wheatley, 4-H Club specialists, said the number of individual girls entering the contests would not be known until fall. The girls are competing for a number of awards including trips to the National 4-H Club Congress, saving bonds, cash scholarships and medals.

Winners in the dress revue contest will be determined during the Texas 4-H Round-up to be held at Texas A. and M. College, College Station, August 27-30.



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Candidate For County Attorney LUBBOCK COUNTY



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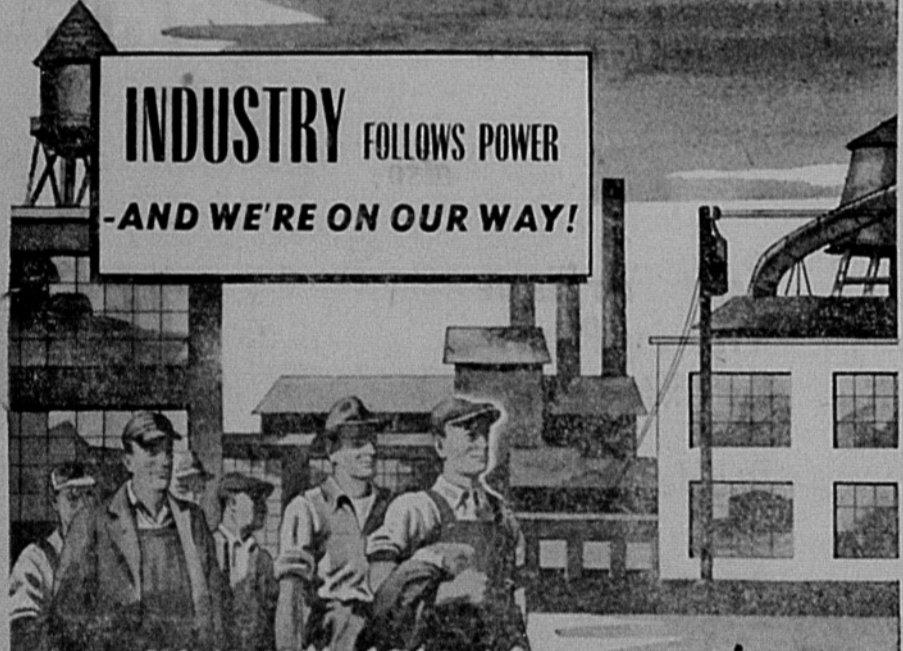
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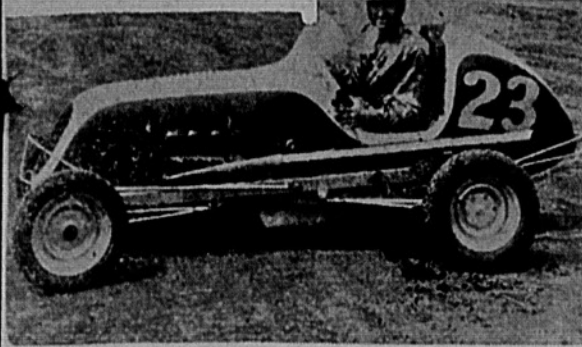
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CUTIES •• By E. Simms Campbell



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family, and son, Homer of Lubbock. The F. E. Parkers were in Lubbock Sunday afternoon, for the ball game.

Charles Moore, who is employed in Clovis, N. M., visited his parents here, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Hendrix and son Jimmy have returned from Phoenix Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Truelock and children, spent the week end with her brother Frank Fletcher and family of Wilson.

Manuel Reyes visited home folks Saturday. Juan Reyes was called to Mexico, last week to see a sick daughter of his.

Drew Ann Harlan of Littlefield, visited the Edd Martins last week.

Curley Taunton has bought the Morris store and the Morris' are moving back to Lubbock.

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SOUTHLAND

Mrs. Floy King had good services at the Methodist Church Sunday. I. J. Dafford in Rev. Brooks place Sunday. Rev. Brooks is in a meeting at Valleyview.

Don't forget the Church of Christ meeting begins the 19th. Two attended the ice cream at the Baptist church Wednesday evening, even though there was a bad looking cloud. Bobby Leonard Lewis Hale of Drasco, was visiting the Pastor, were visitors present. Thursday night at Slaton, the Wilson team defeated our boys 4 to 3. It was a real game.

When the small daughter of H. Gillilands was on the 1st Sunday.

Cummings of Lubbock and Cummings visited their moth-

ere Sunday.

Mrs. J. J. Bartlett was brought home from Slaton Hospital, Saturday morning but had to be returned Sunday afternoon. She was resting very well Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Marsh and two daughters, went to Colorado City, Texas, to visit his uncle and family Sunday.

Mr. C. T. Anderson received word the last of the week, that his brother, E. L. Anderson of Hartshorne Okla., had been killed. He was riding his horse and a car hit them.

The Arville Ferguson family visited the George Sartains of Slaton Sunday.

Visiting the Edd Liskies Sunday was his brother A. E. and family of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gregory left for their home Saturday, after visiting her parents the J. I. Bartletts.

Mrs. Bill Parker is spending a month with her sister, Mrs. F. E. Parker and husband.

Roy Lee Wood of Abilene, spent last week with his grandparents the W. M. Weavers.

Those visiting the W. W. Gillilands over the week end, was their daughter, Mrs. Dave Draper and



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Slaton, Texas

July 18th. through July 31st.

Evangelist Robert Simmons, of Beaumont, Texas, will do the preaching. Come, hear this man proclaim the gospel of Christ. His motto is— "To know nothing among you save Christ and him crucified." Bring your Bibles, pencil and paper, take notes on what is said. If you find it to be the truth, obey it.

SERVICES BEGIN EACH EVENING AT 8:45 O'CLOCK

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POSEY ITEMS

Mrs. Sally Erwin of Louisville, Ky., is visiting her brother, Mr. J. C. Pennington, whom she had not seen in 44 years. She will also visit other relatives and intends to make a stay of about a month.

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LOS ANGELES, CAL.—(Sound-photo)—"I will not raise my prices because I have faith in my Country, trust in God, and respect for the President of the United States."

school board says that repairs will soon be made to the school house and that the teacherage may be repainted.

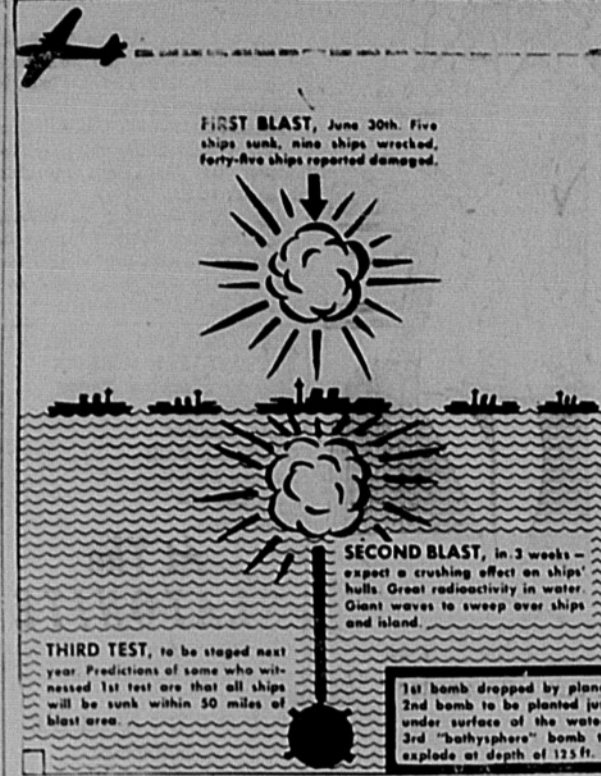
Pvt. James H. Johnson who took his basic training at Camp McClellan, Alabama, has reported to Camp Stoneman, Pittsburg, Calif. after spending about a ten day furlough with his parents.

The eight day Methodist meeting is scheduled to start Sunday, July 28.

Mrs. Jaynes Cloninger and children of Amarillo are spending a few days visiting relatives.

The Posey-Wilson soft ball game which was scheduled to be replayed Saturday night July 12, was cancelled as some of the Wilson players were playing in the Lubbock Tournament.

World Awaits Second Test of Atomic Bomb



By WALTER A. SHEAD WNU Correspondent.

ABOARD USS APPALACHIAN OPERATIONS CROSSROADS. — Second or Baker test of the atomic bomb in Bikini lagoon, now tentatively set for July 25, will be like dynamiting fish in a pond.

Lacking will be the glamour of the army air force and precision bombing as the whole thing will be a navy show. The bomb will be submerged some 75 feet beneath the surface in about 30 fathoms of water, 180 feet, and detonated in the midst of the target fleet, which is being regrouped to meet new conditions of the test.

This second test also will lack the drama of the bomb burst and the atomic cloud, which is characteristic of atomic bombs exploded in air. What is likely to happen is that the intense heat will generate steam in the water and the terrific force will expend a part of its energy in a waterspout with a cloud of steam and vapor shooting into the air.

Content of this test is to measure force of atomic energy upon the hull structure of naval ships spaced at various distances from the center of the explosion.

Subs to Submerge. There will not be the visible damage which was inflicted wholly upon the topsides or superstructures as in the first blast. Since there is to be no ship placed directly above the point of blast, the prediction is being made freely that no capital ships will be sunk, although lighter craft may be capsized.

Naval scientists predict that force of the underwater blast will create waves of sufficient height, possibly 10 or more feet which will sweep over low-lying Bikini Island, although this was also forecast in the first blast and did not materialize.

Meantime, endless arguments proceed as to the degree of damage to the ships, the location of the bomb burst, whether the drop from the plane was a "near miss," probable loss of life had the ships been manned with full complement, and comparative efficiency of this first Bikini bomb as compared to the bombs at Alamogordo, Hiroshima and Nagasaki.

Precision Bombing. When it is considered that this bomb was dropped from a height of something like six miles and hit within a 1,000-yard circle, this reporter would consider that pretty good precision bombing.

Adm. T. A. Solberg of the bureau of ships, however, declared that insofar as he could judge, every ship damaged by the bomb, with the exception of the Independence, could be put into fighting shape within two or three months.

For the Independence, battered and ripped apart by explosions of her own torpedoes, her ammunition and aviation gasoline and burning for almost two days, it would take

about nine months to put her in shape.

Also all ships damaged, with the single exception of the Independence, towed away and anchored far out in the lagoon, likely could have pulled away under their own steam, had they been manned with crews.

Study Effects. In the meantime, Bikini lagoon has been turned into a vast laboratory of science, chief interest being the effect of the bomb and its subsequent radiological rays upon the live animals placed aboard the ships at various locations likely to be occupied by the men aboard.

Amazingly, only about 10 per cent of the animals were killed by the force of the blast. Some are burned and sick and others may become ill from effects of radioactivity. As a matter of fact, a few already have been destroyed by medical doctors, who are studying this phase of atomic energy in an effort to determine how this radioactivity can be used in medicine in treatment of disease.

Persons or animals which receive these powerful rays into their systems are variously affected and the boarding teams upon these ships are preceded by a trained man carrying a "Geiger counter," a small box-like apparatus which registers radioactivity by a ticking noise.

Advertisement for Firestone tires. Text: 'NOW IN STOCK! Come In and See THE NEW Firestone DELUXE CHAMPION The Safest, Longest Wearing Tire Ever Built!' Includes an image of a tire and a list of benefits: 'Up to 55% Stronger', 'Up to 60% More Non-Skid Angles', 'Up to 32% Longer Mileage'.

Advertisement for Firestone White Tire Coating. Text: 'Firestone WHITE TIRE COATING Superior Quality'. Includes an image of a can of coating and a large image of a tire.

Advertisement for car seat covers. Text: 'Beautiful SEAT COVERS 6.95 UP (couple)'. Includes an image of a car seat cover and the text: 'Protect your car's upholstery and add smart good looks to its interior. These are quality covers made of fine materials, precision tailored to fit perfectly. Shop early.'

Advertisement for Irish Mail motorcycle. Text: 'AGAIN AVAILABLE! Safe, Speedy IRISH MAIL 17.95'. Includes an image of the motorcycle and the text: 'All-steel. Bright fire engine red with cream trim. Rubber tires. Adjustable seat and handle. Buy on Our Budget Plan'.

Advertisement for Tucker's Home and Auto Supply. Text: 'TUCKER'S HOME AND AUTO SUPPLY 107 North 9th St. Phone 377'. Includes an image of a picnic jug and the text: 'Check These Steering Wheel SPINNER 75c, First Aid KIT 98c, Door MIRROR 1.59, Auto COMPASS 2.79, PICNIC JUG 3.95'.

Advertisement for Grover Sellers. Text: 'FOR A FINER TEXAS GROVER SELLERS YOUR NEXT GOVERNOR'. Includes a portrait of Grover Sellers and the text: 'He will uphold the constitution in full — including segregation of Negroes and Whites in public schools. FARMER • TEACHER • LAWYER • JUDGE ATTORNEY GENERAL EXPERIENCE COUNTS'.

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Arkansas May Be Second Target Ship Target ship, or vessel nearest center of the blast, for the second atomic bomb test may be the overage battleship Arkansas, it has been indicated by reliable sources although no definite announcement has been made by Adm. W. H. P. Blandy, commander of operations crossroads and the joint task force. The carrier Saratoga was first slated to be second target ship. An interesting sidelight on fate of the Saratoga, which suffered only negligible damage in the first test, is that her commander, Capt. Donald MacMahon, knowing that she was slated for the second target ship made a wager with a friend in Washington, before bringing the ship to Bikini, that he would take her back to the East coast under her own power. It looks now that he has better than a 50-50 chance of winning his bet.

SHIVERS FEELS SURE OF ELECTION

There will be no run-off in the nomination of the lieutenant governor, says Allan Shivers, Candidate for that office. Shivers said during the past week he became convinced that he would receive a majority vote on primary day because "the people are insisting that political offices be filled by qualified and competent men."

During the past week Shivers, dean of the Texas Senate, urged a program of state economy and refused to enter into a controversy being conducted by two opponents over which has and can do the most for the veterans. Shivers is the only war veteran in the race.

Texas Peach Crop Is Very Large

The Texas peach crop is estimated at 2,613,000 bushels despite June hails in some areas which cut down the yield.

The estimated yield in the early peach producing areas is 39 million bushels and the U. S. Crop is expected to total 81,005,000 bushels, only one percent under the all-time high sent to market in 1945.

B. F. Vance, state director of the USDA Production Marketing Administration, said steady movement of fresh peaches from trees to kitchen was necessary if the big crop is to be put to best use.

He urged housewives to take full advantage of supplies now on the market and to can, dry and quick-freeze them for use later. Commercially canned fruits will not meet consumer demand for the coming year, he said.

Potatoes, tomatoes and onions are also plentiful on the market at the present time.

THIS WEEK'S LESSON

"Life" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, July 21.

The Golden Text is: "I shall not die, but live, and declare the works of the Lord . . . God is the Lord, which hath shewed us light" (Psalms 118:17,27).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? the Lord is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?" (Psalms 27:1).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy; "Because Life is God, Life must be eternal, self-existent. Life is the everlasting I AM, the Being who was and is and shall be, whom nothing can erase" (page 289).

FREE AIR

Cecil Self—Editor

Howdy Folks: There's no place like home, especially if you haven't the money to go out.

Of course you do have to take into consideration the fact that the novelty of married life does wear off.

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But this we can do . . . we can give our children a Strength that will always conquer fear . . . a Truth that will always answer mysteries . . . a Comfort that will always heal sorrow. We can bring our children to the Friend who walks hand in hand with men . . . who loves and leads forever.

Parents! The Church is your servant in teaching your children the Truth and Faith that will become their most treasured possessions. And the Church is the servant of Christ in bringing you and your little ones to Him.

THE CHURCH FOR ALL . . . ALL FOR THE CHURCH

The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend and support the church of his choice. They are: (1) For his own sake. (2) For his children's sake. (3) For the sake of his community and nation. (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to church on Sunday.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Porter have gone to Brownwood, for their children who have been visiting relatives there.



A. A. Gartman For Commissioner Of This Precinct

A man for better roads, for better school bus routes, to help our children get to school in good or wet weather.

Mrs. F. Dayton Eckert and sons, Pete and Tommie of Chicago, Ill., are visiting in the home of Mr. Eckert's mother, Mrs. J. E. Eckert, 130 S. 6th St.

MRS. O. R. PATTERSON POSEY H'D HOSTESS "With a bumper peach crop this year everyone will want to use fresh peaches in the diet many ways."

Shower Honors Miss Schmidt

Miss Wilda Hannah and Mrs. David Todd of Morton, complimented Miss Mary Ann Schmidt with a miscellaneous shower, Wednesday, July 10, in the home of Miss Hannah.

PERSONALS Mrs. Robert Roach of Amarillo, and Patsy Blair of Albuquerque, New Mexico, arrived Tuesday, to spend several days with the R. D. Hickman family.

To All Who Suffer Gas Pains-Distress After A Good Meal! Try Hot Water and A Little Neutracid

Gown of Month Spun rayon dinner dress with chalk beading edging the low round neck and midriff, which may be bare or covered, was selected as best by group of prominent men who served as the jury for July Cosmopolitan magazine's male-tested fashions at the Stork Club.

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