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Prominent Figure In Slaton Has Been Missing Since April

There are many sad things that come to folks, the saddest, it seems are the tragedies that come to the young. Such a tragedy has recently come to Robert, Dorothy and Dona Lou Heaton, the children of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Heaton. Their old and faithful pal, Jim Crow, has disappeared. Whether Jim got lost, lost his head over a good looking girl or met an untimely death is not known but Jim has not been seen or heard from since last April and he is presumed a casualty of some dastardly bullet and the criminal who shot him has made good his escape.

Jim, you may or may not know, was the pet crow of the three Heaton children and their constant companion. Jim accompanied the youngsters to school every morning, either by perching on the handle bars of one of the bicycles or by his own easy method of transportation. He left them at school each day but returned at the same time both in the morning and afternoon and he was there when school was dismissed at noon and in the afternoon. Jim could find each child by name and did so at meal times as Mrs. Heaton instructed him to do so.

Jim was found near Southland Joe Bickerstaff when he was very small, about six years ago, and grew up with the Heaton children. He was very full of mischief and took delight in teasing both cats and dogs. He was not to be trusted very far, either, for he enjoyed absconding with things like fountain pens, toys and anything that glittered. Where his store house was, for his ill gotten gains, has not been found and it may be in some far distant future some one will uncover this hidden trove of children's treasures.

Jim knew a lot of folks in Slaton and most every one who has lived in Slaton in the past 6 years knew him by sight. If Jim Crow is lost, and comes back, a great many folks will be glad to see him, if Jim got lonesome for his own kind and found some Jenny Crow with whom he can make a future home, he has the best wishes of his many friends, but his mischievous antics and his familiar, lazy, low flight figure will be missed by the people of Slaton. Unless some other Jim Crow can be found to take his place, Slaton has lost one of its most unique features and Robert, Dorothy and Dona Lou will have suffered one of the greatest tragedies of their eventful lives.

Wise Co. Settlers To Have Reunion

All former Wise County residents are invited to attend the all day meeting of the Wise County Old Settlers reunion slated for August 20, in MacKenzie Park at Lubbock, Texas. You are asked to bring a well filled basket, and lunch on the ground at noon. An interesting program will follow. A large group is expected for this annual affair.

All patterns in International and Gorham sterling flatware. Champions Jewelry.

Week's Question

Slaton Women Like Preparing Food Sunday Dinners And Cakes Favored

There's an old saying, "A woman's work is never done." Even though the housewife has to work all day schedule, there are things that she doesn't mind doing so much. It is while she is doing these things that she is doing the harder tasks. When the housewife called some of Slaton's housewives, he received these answers to his question, "What are your housework do you like to do most?"

S. T. Wadley, 105 N. 6th— "I like to fix nice things for my family." Mrs. Wadley especially likes to fix desserts and salads. Leon Vaughn, 340 S. 7th— "I like to bake pies and cakes." Vaughn says that her son likes to do the cooking now, but she likes to cook up a good meal for her children when they come home. She specializes in 24-inch chocolate fudge cakes. Mrs. Tudor, 705 W. Garza— "I like to do something, I prefer to cook." Mrs. Tudor is a school teacher and doesn't like to do housework, but she does like to cook a good Sunday dinner for her children when they come home to visit her. Mrs. Sears, 245 W. Scurry— "I like to do the cooking less than any other woman." Mrs. Sears enjoys doing house-

County Votes Dry In Large Turnout 15,239 Votes Cast

According to the election returns from the liquor election last Saturday, the people of Slaton and Lubbock County do not want the legal sale of liquor in this county. In the election, which attracted more voters than the democratic primary of the previous week, 5,480 voted for legal control and 9,759 voted against legal control. This made a total of 15,239 ballots cast in comparison to only 9,825 cast in the democratic primary. Lubbock county has a potential vote of 25,000.

All the ballot boxes in Slaton showed a majority of votes against legalizing the sale of alcoholic beverages. However, there were four boxes in the county that went "wet." The Slaton balloting was as follows: Precinct 28, S. W. Slaton, 136 for, 230 against; Precinct 27, East Slaton, 158 for, 232 against; Precinct 26, N. W. Slaton, 93 for, 203 against.

All the election returns were in by 9:20 p. m. There was quite a bit of strong feeling in the election but there was nothing disorderly about the way the election was carried out. Both sides had advertised their points of view, and the people came out in spite of the rain which came that afternoon, to express in writing, their views on the legal sale of liquor.

Several Men To Enter Service

It is reported that several young men have been notified that they will be called into the armed services in a short while. Among them are men subject to the draft and those who have volunteered for service and some who are reserves. While none of the Doctors in Slaton have reported that they have been called back into the service at least one has been requested to do so by the Armed Services and it was indicated that he would be called at a later date. Some of the young men seem to feel that they might as well join the reserves while others say that they are willing to go if it is necessary but that they will wait until the authorities tell them to join.

Mrs. Sydney M. Black has moved back to Slaton to make her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Brasfield, since the death of her husband August 3.

Mr. Leon McReynolds received his call back to his Naval Carrier Training Unit. He will leave on Saturday, August 12, to report at Albuquerque, New Mexico.

O. L. Clark and family of Ft. Stockton, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Clark over the week end.

Mrs. Roman Verkamp, S. 11th St.— "We are nurses so we don't have much time for housework." Mrs. Verkamp says that if they had more time, they would like to cook up something special and bake cakes. Since they are nurses, they don't have much time except to cook the evening meal and prepare their clothes for the next day.

Mrs. J. F. Richey, 415 W. Panchandle— "It's all work." Mrs. Richey thinks all housework is pretty difficult, but after she had thought for a minute, she decided that the thing she enjoys doing most is sewing and fixing up the house. She was admiring some new curtains she had made as she talked to us on the phone. She added that the thing she disliked to do most was mop and try to keep the dust out of the house.

If this poll is any indication of the way most Slaton women feel about housework, there must be some really good meals prepared in this town. No wonder everyone quits work at 12:00 and goes home for lunch.



WAR IS WAITING—Pvt. Alvin Essary of Tuscaloosa, Ala., sights in on his super rocket-launcher while Pfc. George Crum of Martin, Ky., loads the weapon. Using the shadow of a South Korean hut for concealment, the two men will wait—perhaps seconds, perhaps minutes, or hours—until the next North Korean armored vehicle appears within the sights of their deadly weapon.

Hay Fever Season Causing Distress To Allergy Victims

Fall is fast approaching and bringing with it, the usual seige of hay fever. Hay fever is usually prevalent in this area in late Spring and early Summer and in the Fall. The causes of hay fever are different for the different seasons. In Spring, it is caused by elm trees and bermuda grass; in Fall, by tumble weeds, maize, and cotton lint.

All ages are attacked by the allergy, even children as young as three and four months. The symptoms are much like those of the common cold, but instead of the nose drainage becoming thickened as in the case of colds, it remains thin and watery in cases of hay fever. Hay fever also causes an itchy nose and throat, watery eyes, and continuous drainage of the nose. It is uncomfortable but not dangerous. The fever usually goes away when the pollen dust begins to settle. After your physician has diagnosed your allergy, he can give you shots to alleviate your suffering, however, it is not necessary to take any treatments for hay fever if they are not desired.

Six Teams Compete In Tennis Tourney

At a meeting Friday, August 4, in the Chamber of Commerce office, six teams signed up to compete in the mixed doubles tennis tournament which will get into full swing next week. The following doubles signed up: Brewer and Pember, Brooks and Campbell, Strickland and McGinley, Henderson and Henderson, Dawson and Donaldson, and Strickland and Strickland. The winner will be declared at the end of seven matches. Anyone interested in entering the tournament can still sign up, but he should do so immediately.

Bell County Group Meets At Lubbock

LUBBOCK, TEX., August 7 — All of the former residents of Bell County are invited to attend a reunion at MacKenzie State Park on Sunday, August 13, according to E. I. Hill, president of the Bell County Reunion Association. The committee arranging the reunion expects some 300 persons to attend. Ample space has been arranged for the event at the park, located one mile east of Lubbock. Trees, cool water and seats will be provided at the site of the reunion for the comfort of those attending.

Guest speakers will have a part on the program, which should be interesting to the former Bell County citizens.

Well filled dinner baskets will be the contribution expected of family groups attending the mid-day feast. Hill stated that all former Bell county citizens are urged to attend the event and are asked to spread the word of the reunion to other Bell county citizens.

Mr. H. M. Homesly, 1503 24th, Lubbock, is secretary and treasurer and should be contacted for additional information.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McReynolds have moved back to Slaton after living in Plainview for five years. They plan to make Slaton their permanent home. They are living at 335 W. Division.

Dogwood pattern in Melito China at Champions Jewelry.

New Street Paving Planned By City

At the City Council meeting last week, it was voted to do some more paving in the city. New blocks to be paved, according to City Secretary, J. J. Maxey, are one block on South 15th street between Lubbock and Scurry, and one block on West Dickens between 11th and 12th streets.

As soon as the engineering is done, work will begin on the project. This will make the second project which has been started recently in street paving. Recently completed was the paving of four blocks on South 18th, one block on 17th street between Division and Lubbock, and one block between Division and Lubbock on 16th street.

Touchdown Club To Hold First Meeting Monday Night, 8:00

The Slaton Touchdown Club will have its first meeting of the new season Monday, August 14, at 8:00 p. m. announces the club president, John Berkley. The meeting will take place in the auditorium of the City Hall, and plans will be made for the coming football season. Election of officers will also take place.

Anyone who is interested in football and in the Slaton team, is welcome to attend this meeting and become a member, says Berkley.

Rain Causes Halt In Alley Spraying

Mayor Wootton announces that the spraying of streets and alleys has been temporarily halted because of the rain. It doesn't do any good to spray when the weather is rainy because all the spray is washed off.

The streets have been dusted with the Lubbock fogging machine twice and with the Slaton spraying machine three or four times. The fogging machine is different from the spraying machine in that it sprays everything, or covers a wide territory. The spraying machine only sprays the alleys or streets.

As soon as the weather permits, the spraying will be continued.

Mrs. O. C. Pearson of Carrollton, Texas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Clark. Mrs. Pearson is a sister of Mr. Clark.



SCORCHED EARTH—In South Korea, towering clouds of smoke hung in the air as U. S. security patrols put the torch to clusters of squalid mud and thatch-roof houses. The Yanks were ordered to adopt the "scorched earth" policy when it was discovered that North Korean guerrillas were using abandoned native villages inside American lines as hiding places.

SLATON IS BEST PAVED TOWN FOR ITS SIZE IN WEST TEXAS

Vardy Announces City School Zones Doors Open Sept. 4

Preliminary instructions for school enrollment procedure were issued today by school superintendent Lee Vardy. The procedure will be about the same as it was last year, but a few changes have been made.

The public schools will open their doors Monday, September 4, at 9:00 in the morning. High school students will report to their classes on that day if they registered last May. If the student is new in Slaton High School this year, or if he for some reason did not register in May, he will register on September 4 instead of reporting to classes. Students are requested to bring their book cards with them when they report to school.

Students in the two elementary schools will enroll at 9:00, September 4 also. They will receive their books when they enroll. Elementary students are requested to bring their book cards and their report card issued last year. Students entering the first grade must have a birth certificate, says superintendent Vardy.

The city will be zoned into school districts as it was last year. However, any student living within two blocks of the East Ward zone may attend East Ward School.

The students living within the following boundaries will attend the East Ward School. Anyone living south of Division, east of 4th between Knox and Division. Only children who are in the first, second, third, and fourth grades will attend this school. All pupils in the fifth, sixth, and seventh grades will attend the West Ward School regardless of where they reside. Pupils who are in the first four grades and who do not live within the above boundaries, will attend the West Ward School.

Bus routes will be approximately as they were at the end of last year with changes to be made soon after school starts to accommodate additional students.

Reports For Duty At Pearl Harbor As Marine Guard

PEARL HARBOR, T.H.—Marine Private First Class James R. Lovelady, 17, son of O. T. Lovelady, 445 North 10th Street, Slaton, Texas, recently reported for duty at the Marine Barracks here.

Formerly serving at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, California, as a recruit, Private Lovelady will serve as a guard at his new station. The Marines here are responsible for security of the vast expanse of this historic naval base.

A former student of Slaton High School, he first enlisted in the Marine Corps in February, 1950. Private Lovelady arrived in the Hawaiian Islands in June, 1950.

Luminol Paint, Interior and Exterior, Wayne's Paint Store, 206 Texas Ave. Phone 816.

Two Involved In Quarrel, Shooting

Sam Moore, a Negro, is in jail in Lubbock, charged with assault with intent to murder. He was arrested Sunday, after he shot Willie White, who had threatened him.

According to witnesses, the two men had been arguing while at the home of Mollie Mitchell on Oklahoma street. After squabbling for quite some time, Willie White left the residence and then returned later and threatened Sam Moore. As he stood just outside the door, he was shot by Moore through the screen with a 22 rifle.

White is reported improving in Mercy Hospital, and Moore is attempting to make bond of \$2500. City police, who arrested the assaulter were E. H. Ward, E. A. Gentry, and J. E. Morris.

Other arrests the past week included four for drunkenness, two for affrays, one for vagrancy, four for gaming, and one for unlawful possession of a pistol.

Mothers To Judge Contest Portraits

Friday and Saturday will be busy days for some hundred Slaton mothers as judging for the Marinell Portrait Contest gets under way this week end.

Mothers of the entrants will do the judging by means of ballots. Each mother will choose her favorite five portraits and mark them on the ballot. The number one place receives five points and the other four places receive one less point as they go down the line. The entrant receiving the greatest number of points will be declared the winner. Ballot judges will include one person representing the public, one representing the mothers, and one representing the studio.

The prize winners will be named in the next issue of the Slatonite, and they will be awarded their prizes at an open house at the Marinell Studio Thursday evening, August 17, from 7:00 to 10:30. The public is invited to attend the open house and look at the display of entrant's portraits. Grand prize is a \$75 enlarged portrait, size 16x20, colored in oil. First prize for each division is an 11x14 enlarged photograph, colored in oil; Second prize is an 8x10 enlargement colored in oil; Third prize is an 8x10 enlargement colored in pewterstone.

The contest began June 30 and officially closed on August 6. Entrants in the contest were divided into three age groups, from two months to two years; ages three, four, five, six; and ages seven, eight, nine, and ten.

Local Ropers Lose In Contest With Tahoka Rope Team

The Slaton roping club was defeated last Friday night by the Tahoka club in a tough session. In the final scoring, Slaton came out with a 262.9 second timing and Tahoka finished with a 229.6 seconds timing. According to Mr. K. B. Martin, of the Slaton Club, his team lost a number of seconds by missing loops. For each loop missed, there is a penalty of 60 seconds charged against the team.

The contest attracted about 200 fans and another contest is planned sometime this month. There is a contest held about once or twice a month, and regular roping practice every Monday and Friday. The public is invited to watch the practices, which are free.

Reds Meet Lubbock Team Thursday Nite

The Slaton Reds baseball team met the Arnet-Benson club of Lubbock last night in a single game at Lions park at 8:00 p. m. The Red team is managed by Neill Wells, with the complete roster consisting only of Slaton boys. The public is invited to come out and see this team-play.

STORE CATCHES FIRE

Fire damaged the office of Kessel's 5 & 10 Cent Store about nine-thirty Thursday morning. It was caused by faulty wiring. The damage was light.

Elgin-American compacts, \$1.95 and up at Champions Jewelry.

More And More Property Owners Are Signing Up

Slaton is one of the most progressive towns of its size as far as street paving is concerned. Unlike many towns, which pave the highway and the main street, Slaton has paved every downtown street and most of the residential streets. Nearly every street running north and south on the east side of the highway, and nearly every street running east and west on the west side of the highway is paved or passable in all kinds of weather.

Not only have the people of this city paved the streets, but they have looked forward to the day when the town would enjoy a greater population and have more vehicles on the streets; they have made the streets wide. If it becomes necessary, the boulevards near the downtown section can be removed in order to make more room for cars to pass.

It is hard to look at the city now and realize how it appeared to the traveller less than a half century ago. In 1912, there were only 3,000 feet of business streets that were graded. Only a few residential streets were passable in all weather.

Not only has Slaton been progressive in the past, but they are still working on street paving projects. So far this year, six blocks have been paved or are under construction now.

According to Mr. J. J. Maxey, city secretary, hte city paves the streets when the residents of the block are ready to have them paved. There is no special committee on street improvement in the city government. When one member of the City Council suggests that a street be paved in a certain block, the residents of that block are asked if they would like to have it paved. If they vote in favor of it, the street is paved by the city with the cost of the project being divided among the residents living in that block. Paving is not forced on any citizen in the town like it is in some large cities.

The residents of a particular block may appeal to the city to pave their block and the paving will be done.

Methodist Women Attend Conference On World Missions

Six Slaton Methodist women, members of the W.S.C.S. attended the First Annual School of Missions held on the Texas Technological campus July 31 through August 4. Five members received leadership certificates. About 400 women of the Northwest Texas Conference attended.

The evening speaker of the conference was teacher of the course on Near East, Miss Dorothy McConnell, editor of World Outlook. Miss McConnell is the daughter of Bishop McConnell.

A tea was given honoring the teachers of the conference at the Methodist Student Building Wednesday. Those attending from Slaton were Mrs. Martin Collins, Mrs. R. J. Clark, Mrs. S. W. Clark, Mrs. R. H. Todd, Sr., Mrs. W. P. Layne, and Mrs. S. S. Forrest. Mrs. R. L. Kirk, formerly of Slaton was a teacher of one of the work shops.

Watson Boy Hurt As Struck By Car

Young David Watson, a Slatonite route boy, was injured Wednesday afternoon when an automobile struck the bicycle he was riding. The accident occurred at about 5:00 p. m.

When the automobile hit the bike, the handle bars were jabbed into the arm pit of David's right arm, requiring several stitches to be taken.

According to witnesses, David was in front of Johnson-Hoffman Hardware Co., on his way to the swimming pool, when the car, which pulled out of the Self Service Station, struck him. Evidently neither rider saw the other.

Some women who saw the mishap took him to the doctor.

Mr. Sug Robertson and Mr. George Green went to Crede at Wright's Ranch in Colorado to fish last week.

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West Texas Roundup

A total of 1674 determined voters fought their way through rain, wind, flood and mud to get to the six polling boxes in the county and cast their votes for the first primary election.
 Washed out highways, mud filled driveways, and a steady drizzle of rain which fell throughout the county during the morning failed to dampen the spirit of the election, a spirit that was kindled late last week.
 —Morton Tribune

For the first time in the history of Floydada have the people had an opportunity to secure good entertainment in the form of soloists in the semi-classical and classical field.
 This entertainment is made possible through the Municipal Concert association recently organized.
 —Floyd County Hesperian

A delegation of 10 Postites attended a meeting in Spur yesterday when a route was chosen for the proposed Post-Spur highway to present at a hearing in Austin August 22.
 The highway will be routed from here in a northeasterly direction over the star mail route to a point south of Calgary. It will probably proceed from Calgary over the shortest road on to Spur.
 —Post Dispatch

Complete summer and winter air conditioning for the Youth Center building has been voted by the board of Lamb County Youth, Inc., President Mancill Hall reports.

As gifts continued to pour in Radio Station KVOW announced it would order a duplicate of every record it buys and give it to the Youth Center.
 Laying of tile on the building is expected to be finished next week, when volunteer carpenters will go to work on the roofing and flooring. Hall reported.
 —County Wide News (Littlefield)

Plans are beginning to take shape for Colorado City's 15th annual Frontier Roundup and Rodeo on four consecutive nights, Aug. 16-19.

Committees appointed recently have swung into initial action, cowboy participants have been contacted, and prizes and entrance fees have been announced.
 The rodeo will be sponsored by the local Frontier Roundup Association, headed by Joe Boatright. Producing the show will be the Wood Brothers of Ft. Worth and Weatherford.
 —Colorado City Record

A trades day for Brownfield will be discussed at 3 p. m. tomorrow (Wednesday) at a meeting of the retail trade committee of the Brownfield Chamber of Commerce in the district courtroom. Everyone interested is urged to attend.

John H. Portwood is divisional chairman of the retail trade committee and Lal Copeland is committee chairman. Members of the committee are J. T. Hoy, Frank Wier, Joe W. Johnson, Harold Jones, James B. King, J. B. Knight, Kyle Graves, W. E. Latham, W. T. McPinney, Clarence Lewis and Harry Globe.
 —Brownfield News

"Post City, Texas," the story of a great western colonizing experiment, will be published by the Texas State Historical Association in October. Dr. H. Bailey Carroll, association director and University of Texas history professor, announced.

The book, written by C. D. Eaves and Alan Hutchinson, tells of the town established in West Texas by C. W. Post, the cereal magnate. Post, opponent of socialism and the labor union movement, purchased territory in Garza and surrounding counties and built a town based on his economic philosophy of individual enterprise.
 —Post Dispatch

Hockley County's petition requesting the designation of a water conservation district has been returned to the county unfilled by the State Board of Water Engineers.

But apparently action is being instigated. The board informed Bert Eads, chairman of the county water conservation promotional committee, that "appropriate action" is being taken by the board "on its own motion."
 —Hockley Co. Herald

A new nineteen-opsition telephone switch board, expected to more than double the operational capacity of the local telephone office, was scheduled to go into use Saturday night without a hitch.
 The announcement came from G. D. Shelley, district manager of the Southwestern Associated Telephone company.
 In making the announcement Shelley said the new board would be placed in action without more than a second's break in operations

between the hours of 10 p. m. and midnight Saturday.
 —Levelland Sun-News

THE STATE OF TEXAS)
 COUNTY OF LUBBOCK)
NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION
 Notice is hereby given that the partnership between Neil H. Wright, Jr. and John C. Oldham was dissolved on the 11th day of July, A. D. 1950. All debts due to the said partnership are to be paid, and those due from the same discharged at the Myrick Building in the City of Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas where the business will be continued by the said Neil H. Wright, Jr. under the firm name of The Neil Wright Company.
 WITNESS OUR HANDS this 11th day of July, 1950.
 NEIL H. WRIGHT, JR.
 JOHN C. OLDHAM
 8-11-c

THE STATE OF TEXAS)
 COUNTY OF LUBBOCK)
NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION
 Notice is hereby given that the partnership between W. A. Cantwell, L. L. Anthony and Nellie Miller was dissolved on the 1st day of April, A. D. 1950.
 All debts due to the said partnership are to be paid, and those due from the same discharged at the business of said firm, on the Plainview Cut-Off Highway, in the City of Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas where the business will be continued by the said W. A. Cantwell under the firm name of Airline Oil & Grease Company.
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 W. A. CANTWELL
 L. L. ANTHONY
 NELLIE MILLER
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Family Life Disruptions
 Contrary to popular belief, disruption of family life in the United States is less frequent today than it was 60 years ago. This is because the drop in the number of families broken by the death of either husband or wife has more than counterbalanced the upward trend of divorce.

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DARLIN' MARLIN — Louis Mowbray, well-known game fisherman and curator of the Bermuda Government Aquarium, hauled in this 254-pound blue marlin off St. David's in Bermuda. The 9-foot, 5-inch denizen of the deep probably wouldn't have struck had he known that Mowbray is the world record-holder for bonefish in the six-thread class.

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Regardless of the insect count on your poultry farm, now is a good time to begin spraying. Spray fly breeding areas, such as manure piles and droppings pits, with a good insect killer. Sprays containing DDT or Chlordane are being used with a high percentage of effectiveness. Also spray feed rooms and wherever insects are likely to congregate.

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Birds pestered by insects naturally become uncomfortable, but they can also become diseased. Insects are ideal carriers of disease and many damaging poultry diseases are transmitted to healthy birds in this manner.

The common house fly may be used as an example. This fly acquires its nourishment by sucking up liquid foods. Like other insects it usually breeds in filthy places, but it may also be found around drinking waterers, under poultry houses, and near feeders. Poultry eating flies frequently become infected with worms. Even the house fly, as harmless as it may seem, is known to be an intermediate host for two of the common tapeworms that infest chickens. It carries infection on its feet and mouth.

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Another destructive insect frequently an inhabitant of the poultry premises is the mosquito. The mosquito is a blood sucker and attacks the head of the bird. It may carry the infection of dry pox from an infected bird to a non-infected bird and is the kind of disease carrier known and referred to as a "carrier host." The mosquito begins its life cycle in water puddles, drains, and other places where water stands.

The eradication of the fly and mosquito is mainly a problem of control. Clean all manure and filth where the fly can breed. Also remove old litter and manure away from the poultry raising area. Put it in a cultivated field where birds cannot range over it after it has been scattered. In addition, it's a second policy to disinfect the areas from which manure and litter have been removed.

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COUNTY OF LUBBOCK

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: the heirs and legal representatives of Martha E. Coston, deceased, whose name and residence are unknown, and any and all other persons, including adverse claimants, owning, or having, or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the hereinafter described property delinquent to plaintiff — herein for taxes.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that suit has been brought and is now pending in the Honorable District Court, 99th Judicial District, Lubbock County, Texas, wherein The Slaton Independent School District is plaintiff. The City of Slaton, Texas; The State of Texas and the County of Lubbock, Texas are impleaded party defendants; and J. V. Jolly and the unknown heirs an legal representatives of Martha E. Coston, deceased, are defendants, by the filing by said plaintiff—of a petition on the 28th day of July, 1950 and the file number of said suit being No. 4989 and the nature of which

is a suit to collect delinquent ad valorem taxes on the following described property, to-wit: Lot No. Two (2) in Block No. Forty-five (45) in the South Park Addition to the Town of Slaton, Lubbock County, Texas, together with interest, penalties, costs, charges, and expenses of suit which have accrued and which may legally accrue thereon.

The amount of taxes due each plaintiff, exclusive of interest, penalties and costs is as follows: The Slaton Independent School District, \$132.42. Total \$132.42.

The names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on said property not made party to this suit are NONE.

Plaintiff and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of the amount ad valorem taxes on the property hereinabove described, in addition to the taxes all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law thereon up to and including the day of judgment hereof, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including plaintiff, defendants, and intervenors, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law thereon, may, upon request therefor, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and pleadings answer to all claims and pleadings now on file in said cause by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

You are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance hereof, the same being the 11th day of September, A. D. 1950 (which is the return day of such citation), before the honorable District Court of Lubbock County, Texas, to be held at the court-

house thereof, then and there show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the plaintiff and the taxing units parties hereto and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of the suit.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court in the City of Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas, this 28th day of July, A. D. 1950.

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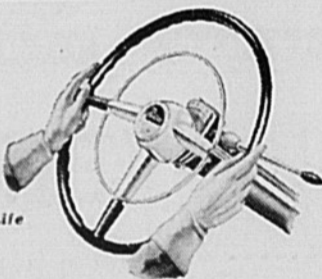


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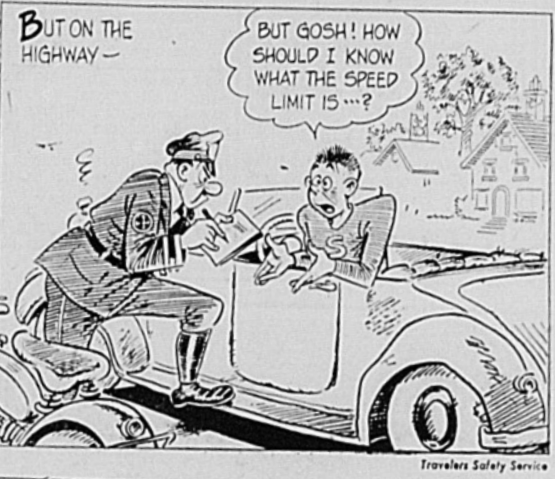
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The Human Race



News Summary
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JUST TALK

by
A.M.J.



George Taylor, who used to eat a skillet full of eggs every morning for breakfast, was in the office last week, and he says that there is little fun left in life for him.

It seems that a skillet full of eggs and a skillet full of bacon, with the slices laid close together and not cut real thin, when eaten early in the morning, causes gas on the stomach, spots before the eyes, flatulence, aching back and a feeling of dizziness. Of course one could take a good grade of patent medicine and eliminate these troubles, but the doctor says that six good meals a day is over doing the proposition and George gets only three eggs for breakfast, one slice of bacon and a couple of bites of toast. The dinner is what makes life rough for George.

"Just think of string beans, cooked in water without bacon, salt or any seasoning at all. Its not worth eating," says George as he spits disgustingly at the gutter, although he missed it a couple of feet when he was talking to me, being a little weak from undernourishment.

"Believe I'd feel a lot better if I could get a square meal," George complained and went home to eat cream of wheat, without salt or cream for supper.

Rev. Herring of the Methodist Church gets up early every week day morning and gets going like a Coon dog on a hot scent. He comes down Texas Avenue with his nose to the wind and every time I see him duck into one of the business houses I wonder what sinner he has trapped.

He comes into the Slatonite at least once each week with printing to be done and he takes a couple of tries at me, one as he comes in and one as he leaves, he even works on one Baptist, at our place, one Presbyterian and one who seems to be open territory.

My wife is a good Methodist. Miss Fairey, who does all of the good writing on the paper lives up to the Baptist standards, and I try to do as my wife, but, do not quite live up to the standards set. Rev. Herring keeps working and some of the other preachers take a try every once in a while. Its folks like us that keep the preachers busy.

Well I'm glad that the City Commissioners have cooked up a traffic ordinance. After looking over the wording of the new regulations I am not very sure just what it is all about but it seems that it is going to be against the law for folks to do a lot of things that they are doing around the town now.

It must be admitted that, even though Slaton is getting to be a big boy now, we have fewer traffic fatalities than most towns our size, and smaller, and certainly less than those towns that are larger.

We have double parking, tripple parking and complete blocking of traffic on some of our streets where the big trucks congregate, but we have only a few accidents. Personally I have gritted a half inch off my teeth from cussing folks in front of the Post Office and those who leave their cars in the middle of Garza street on the north side of the square when they go into stores to do half an hours shopping, but, up to date, I have controlled my desire to wham the parked cars in the rear but I am sure I could not be trusted with a big truck, a tractor or a big road roller, folks I'd really do some crashing.

To me the most confused place in Slaton is the corner of Lubbock street and 9th, where the light mixes you up. Most folks coming from the South drive up to line of West Lubbock street, this blocks those who want to go East on Lubbock and one can almost read the lips of the thwarted drivers. Motorists driving South on 9th street, but who have gotten on the East side of the street, are pretty well blocked and have to duck into traffic whenever there

is a chance, regardless of what color the light may be.

Another place that has gotten tough to negotiate is where Crosby, Lynn and one or two more streets go into a tail spin. Unless one creeps up on that hazard with both eyes open and his head on a swivel, he is going to get chilled. So far I have not seen two cars wham but the talk that most people put out when they make this hazard would do credit to a good mule skinner.

The double talk in the new regulations leaves the city police enough leeway so that they could arrest most all of us and I'd suggest that the city jail be enlarged before all of the regulations be put into effect. Personally I am in favor of the regulations, but I hope we do not get as complicated as Lubbock is, nor that our low accident records be broken.

Don't depend too much upon the law, red or green lights, the light in a woman's eye or on arms sticking out the windows of automobiles, but keep your eye peeled, your ears erect, your reflexes reflecting and your foot on the brake, and your disposition at the boiling point and you'll get along fine in Slaton.

A lot of folks seem to think that conditions are going to be similar to what they were during the last war but personally I think that if we really get going in a war with Russia that supplies will be a lot harder to get, all the work will have to be one by mid-

die aged and old people and by women who do not care to get into actual combat areas.

A lot of women are beating the drum for equal pay for the same kind of work that men do, which is reasonable, but there are a lot of things for which women are not physically fitted to do and that's where the big rub is going to be.

It is said that a lot of folks in Detroit, Washington and Pittsburg are very much worried about the atomic warfare and many of them are anxious to get out of these important industrial centers. Perhaps Russia does have the atomic secret and probably has some atomic bombs, but can they get them over here?

There are a lot of things that make chills run up and down, sideways and in a circling direction over my back or wherever chills are supposed to run including women who scream when they see a mouse, a piece of machinery that squeaks and groans and the sound of a finger nail when it breaks off below the water line, but up to now I have not gotten in the mood to be excited over atomic bombs. It is probably because I am too dumb to understand what the things could be like or because I have no idea as to what could be done in case one went squish, blooie or wham, just plain ignorance I suppose. I'll just take a nap while you folks get your blood pressure up about the atom bomb.

A couple of weeks ago J. D.

Holt, his wife, my wife and I were guardians of the recreation center. J. D. and I were representing the Rotary Club which is responsible for having some one on guard at the center each Saturday night. We all had quite a time listening to the boys throwing chairs at each other, falling on the floor and drinking coca colas. The fact that there were a lot of pieces of paper, bottle caps and watermelon rind scattered around in front of the building seemed to bother Mrs. Holt quite a lot and she gathered up several arm loads and hid them under the steps. I tried to get J. D. to help his wife do the cleaning up, but his back was stiff, his blood pressure up and his teeth hurt just like mind did, so Mrs. Holt did most of the work herself. All during the evening J. D. went through the building and picked up paddles, soft drink bottles and magazines off the floor and he jumped like a bee had sat down on him and pushed, every time one of the chairs collapsed or one of the ping pong paddles crashed against the wall, but I felt pretty much at home having to listen to our rock crusher print the Slatonite every week along with the grinding, wheezing and whistling of other kinds of machinery at my place of business.

Seriously though, I consider the Youth Center one of the best projects ever inaugurated in Slaton. It could be made so much better if some more and better entertainment could be provided those young folks who attend. All of the



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boys and girls who were there the night I sat around were well behaved and just healthily active. I tried to imagine myself that age again and I know that I would have enjoyed being at such a place when I was young and I think that the folks of Slaton should give more attention and help to those who are doing all that a limited expense and cooperation can produce.

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What the farmers and business men can do to avoid sky rocketing labor costs and conditions that make business operations most difficult is a problem that should be given serious consideration now.

Who Is Going To Pay The Bonus

Should the United States become embroiled in another world conflict that would require all of the younger men's services then what are the Senators and the President going to do when it comes time to issue more war bonuses and pay the veterans after such a war ends?

It is very confusing to consider the fact that the Government is spending millions on developing ways to improve the production of cotton, corn, onions, and what have you, and at the same time is putting controls on how much of these things the farmer is allowed to raise.

We all need to get closer together, save more and simplify things more than ever in the history of our nation and it could be done especially with a good example from the men who are guiding our destinies from Washington.

Are Russians Operating Tanks In Korea?

For security reasons it may be necessary, for those who are in position to know, to keep many military facts from the American public but there are some things that make it appear that the military or the diplomatic big guns must think that the average citizen has very little intelligence.

There have been a few hints that a few Russian military advisors are in Korea telling the North Koreans how to fight but nowhere has it been said that the American soldiers and the Russian soldiers are in direct combat.

If this is not so then whose soldiers are operating the hundreds of giant tanks that have been giving our soldiers so much grief? If the big shots think that by ignoring such a pertinent question that the people in the United States are not going to think of it, then they are bigger fools than they think the average citizens in this country are.

If the North Koreans could have learned to operate those big tanks in a few weeks or in a few months time they are better than the average soldier of other nations and a lot better than any one believes they could be.

It's Dog Eat Dog Now!

That the welfare of our nation is the most important thing that should be in our minds at the present time is self evident and whether a world wide war develops or not none of us should let our selfishness overcome our confidence in the United States or to endanger, even to the smallest degree, the war efforts that are now being made.

Just how far we are on the road to another world conflict few people know, or even suspect, but our nation and those who are directing our efforts cannot take chances.

That Slaton is in the best position it has ever been in to make substantial progress and growth could hardly be disputed, and as long as individual efforts do not conflict with the effort that is being made nationally, then improvements should be made.

There are many items that are on the market today in the way of building supplies, transportation vehicles, water and sewer pipe, farming implements, etc. The first persons or concerns who have the money to buy these items will get them, as there are no restrictions yet on them.

To buy such things could be considered hoarding but if the Government does not wish such things to go fast then action should be taken at once. That there is no perfect fairness in anything is an admitted fact and in time of stress the unfairness of distribution to those who have money becomes more apparent.

Laws or no laws there are people who cannot resist the temptation to make outrageous profits and there are people who get so excited when they are denied some articles that they will pay most any amount to get them.

QUOTES

He was young, hands omé, and obviously disconsolate, and we watched him with compassion as he loitered over a stein

of beer at the Whaling Bar. Then, at long last, he voiced the reason for his sorrow. "I wish," he said, addressing the bartender, "that I had enough money to get married; I'd bet every cent of it on my favorite horse!" —Elinor Maxwell, Globe-Democrat, St. Louis, Missouri.

One and all agree that the world is in a ferment. Only time can tell whether the end result will be champagne or vinegar. —The Enquirer, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Peter Lind Hayes's quip: "Incompatibility is what happens when a husband has income and the other woman is patable." —Walter Winchell, The Times, Detroit, Michigan.

Betting is pretty much like liquor. You can make it illegal, but you can't make it unpopular. —Arthur "Bugs" Baer, "Baering Down on the News," The Inquirer, Philadelphia, Pa.

Is there anything longer than the five minutes before the curtain goes up at the theatre, the five minutes during announcements before the main boxing bout, the extended commercial before the radio comedian? —"Topics of the Times," The Times, New York, New York.

I dropped a note to Fred Allen, asking him what he thought about TV. His reply: "Television may bring back radio. School authorities find that children spend so much time watching TV that their marks are getting worse and worse. If the kids grow up to be morons, they will restore the quiz shows to popularity, and quiz shows will bring back radio. As soon as every family in the country has a TV set, there will be nobody on the streets. Half of the people will be in studios participating in programs; the other half will be at home watching." —Jack O'Brian, Journal-American, New York, New York.

Most of the world's troubles seem to be caused by people behaving like human beings. —The Times, Indianapolis, Ind.

But the intellectual despair is excessive. When men have gone so far that they think they no longer believe in anything, they find they are unable to believe their unbelief. They must react and rebound to a renewal of faith when their skepticism is so complete that their skepticism itself is credible. —Walter Lippmann, Herald Tribune, New York, New York.

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF LUBBOCK SHERIFF'S SALE

WHEREAS, on the 30th day of June, 1950, in Cause No. 4906, in the District Court of Lubbock County, Texas, wherein The Slaton Independent School District was Plaintiff and The State of Texas, The County of Lubbock, Texas and The City of Slaton, Texas were, Impleaded Party Defendants, recovered judgment against D. P. Clanton and E. E. Stark, if living, and the heirs and legal representatives thereof if they or either of them are deceased, Defendants, for taxes, penalty, interest, and cost against the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, on the 21st day of July, 1950, by virtue of said judgment and the mandates thereof the Clerk of the above mentioned District Court of said county did cause to be issued an Order of Sale commanding me as Sheriff of said county to seize, levy upon, and sell in the manner and form as required by law the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, by virtue of said judgment and said Order of Sale and the mandates thereof I did on the 21st day of July, 1950, seize and levy upon as the property of the above defendants the following described property, situated in Lubbock County, Texas, to-wit:

(Said description showing the number of acres, original survey, locality in county, and name by which said property is most generally known.)

FIRST TRACT: Lots No. Nine (9) and Ten (10), Block No. One Hundred (100) in the South Slaton Addition to the Town of Slaton, Lubbock County, Texas.

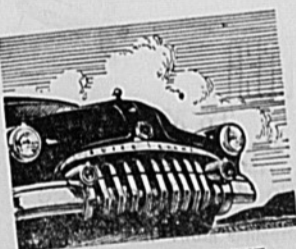
And I will on the first Tuesday in the month of September, 1950, the same being the 5th day of said month, proceed to sell all the right, title, and interest of the Defendants in and to said property at the Court House door of said county in the city or town of Lubbock, between the hours of 10:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m. to the highest bidder for cash, provided, however, that none of said property shall be sold to the owner of said property directly or indirectly or to anyone having an interest therein or to any party other than a taxing unit which is a party to this suit for less than the amount of the adjudged value of said property or the aggregate amount of judgments against said property in said suit, whichever is lower, subject also to the right of the Defendants to redeem same in the time and manner provided by law and subject also to the right of the Defendants to have said property divided and sold in less division than the whole.

DATED at Lubbock, Texas, this 21st day of July, 1950. GRADY HARRIST, Sheriff Lubbock County, Texas. By VERLIE SHEARER, Deputy. 8-11-c

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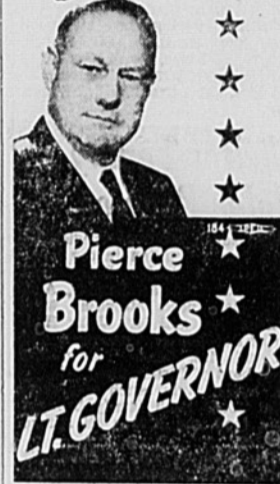
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Lutheran News
There will be no services at either of the Lutheran churches Sunday, according to Rev. Lowell C. Green. Rev. Green is taking a group of Lutheran young people to Fredricksburg to the district convention of Luther League of Texas. The convention will be held in the Holy Ghost Lutheran Church. Young people going to the convention are Robert, Marjorie, and Josephine Becker.

Baptist Bulletin
The revival at the First Baptist Church will close Sunday night. Attendance has been good in spite of the afternoon showers. Inspiring singing and gospel preaching plus a warm welcome will be found at all the services, church officials state. The morning services are at 10:00 and the evening services are at 8:00. If you have not heard this great evangelist, come and hear him Sunday.

A record attendance is expected in the Sunday School on Sunday morning. A concerted effort is being made to have 100 per cent attendance in all classes. Each department is growing a stalk of bananas. The slogan is, "I'll be one of the bunch in Sunday School at the First Baptist Church, Slaton, Texas, on August 13." "And," says the pastor, "You know what happens to a banana when it leaves the bunch!"

Methodist Message
Rev. Herrington is in a revival meeting in Union, but a guest minister will fill the pulpit for the morning service. The evening service will not be held in order that the people may attend the Baptist revival. Other meetings of the church will be held at the usual time.

Presbyterian Preview
Week of August 13.
Sunday School is at 9:45 a. m. There will be no church services in August while the pastor is out of town.

Christian Chronicle
Sunday School meets at 9:45. Morning Worship is at 11:00. Christian Endeavor meets at 6:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rackler and daughter, Patricia, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jones and children, Sherron and Buddie have returned home after a five day visit in Arkansas. While there they visited Mr. and Mrs. Hurman Robertson and Amelia of Barber, Arkansas, formerly of Slaton, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Richardson, Arkansas. They enjoyed fishing at Blue Mountain Dam near Magazine, Arkansas, and the Denison Dam near Denison, Texas.

Printing Center
Chicago today leads all cities in commercial printing and in the printing and publishing of trade catalogs and telephone directories.

Elementary Schools
More children are now enrolled in the elementary schools of the United States than ever before in history.

Named for Louis XVI
Louisville, Kentucky, was named for Louis XVI, the luckless monarch executed during the French revolution.

Society Clubs

FAIREY TALES

By Norma Fairey

Well, in a recent survey taken by Fairey Poll, Inc., I discovered how many people read this column. It seems that the column has a readership of three—myself, when I write it, Mrs. Jackson, when she reads it checking for errors, and one other person, who requests that her name not appear in the paper. For the benefit of these three ardent fans, I am dedicating this installment. It is entitled, How to Enjoy What Your Columnist Writes.

To one opening of the pages, take one quick glance at the first paragraph of the column. This will tell you whether or not the article is interesting. Then add one big smile at the nerve of the columnist trying to entertain you. When the smile has changed to a big guffaw at the many grammatical mistakes made by the columnist, thus showing his ignorance, close the paper and repeat over and over to all your friends the interesting conversation items you read about (not giving any credit to the columnist, of course.)

Speaking of surveys reminds me of people going around from door to door, and that reminds me of door-to-door salesmen. Maybe it's because I'm away from home most of the time, but I haven't had a single salesman knock on my door. I wonder why it is that people don't come around the homes in Slaton, selling fresh fruits and vegetables, cosmetics, and household items. It is a relief not to have to stop in the middle of something you are doing to wrangle with a salesman, and yet when I was a child, I loved to see the vegetable man come around with his wagon and see the women go out to select fruit and vegetables for their meals. Another salesman which I enjoyed seeing as a child was the ice cream man, who came around on a bicycle push cart. When I heard his little bell ringing, I would run to mother for a nickel for sherbet or a popsicle. Perhaps tourists enjoy seeing the French Market in New Orleans because it brings back memories of their youth, when the vegetable man came around with his goods all displayed in the open, where the customers could smell the delicious mixture of fruit aromas.

Family Has Party For Mr. Gartman

Mrs. A. A. Gartman of 400 South 8th Street, entertained her husband with a little get-together on his birthday, Thursday night, August 3. The party celebrants were his children and a sister. They were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rackler and Patricia; Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. Jones and Sherron and Buddie; Miss Myrtle Gartman; Mr. Junior Gartman and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Henson and sons, L. E. and Dwayne. Also Mr. Will Tillery; Mr. Harry Gartman, and Miss Ruth Vandell of San Angelo.

There will be a White House Party held at the V.F.W. Hall on Friday, August 11th starting at 8:00 p. m. for the benefit of the Ladies Society of B. of L.F.&E. Any one interested will be welcome. There are no charges. The demonstrations will be of interest to every member of the family.



MRS. JACK DOYLE THOMPSON, the former Anna Doris Phillips of Slaton, was married Thursday, July 27 at the home of her parents.

Francis Carnes Is Honored With Party

Miss Rhae West, Lois Fay Kidd, and the Sunday School class of the Church of God entertained Francis Carnes Tuesday, August 8, at 8:00 p. m. with a birthday party. He was 21 years old.

Those present were Rhae West, Lois Fay Kidd, Johnnie Talley, Rose Ray, Calvin Brown, James Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Enéts, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Justice; Mrs. Brown, Bonnie Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Haley Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Carnes, and M. J., Mr. and Mrs. Frank West and Ed.

O. E. S. Postpones Initiation Service Robt. Morris Prog.

The O.E.S. had its regular meeting Tuesday, August 8, but the planned program was postponed until the next meeting, so the members could attend the revival at the Baptist Church. The Robert Morrison program, which was scheduled for the Tuesday meeting, will be held at the next regular meeting, August 22. Initiation of new members will also be held at the next meeting.

New Drink Ideas Shown At HDC Meet

The Slaton Home Demonstration Club met at Mrs. Carter Shaw's home Wednesday, August 2. Mrs. Carter Shaw gave a reading, "Long Live Our Electrical Appliances." Mrs. R. C. Hall gave a demonstration on summer drinks. She made Creamy Iced Mocha and Candy Iced Tea, which was served to the members. The hostess, Mrs. Spencer Brewer, served cookies and sandwiches with the drinks. There were eight members present. The next meeting will be August 16, at Mrs. Alton Meeks' home. The program will be a demonstration on insect control by Mrs. Douglas Wilson. There will also be a demonstration on soil and water conservation. The club meets each first and third Wednesday's at 2:30 p. m. New members and visitors are always welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cummings and two sons, Russell and Roger, are on a two weeks vacation trip to Kansas and Chicago. They left Wednesday for Lawrence, Kansas, where they will visit friends and relatives. From there, they will go to Chicago to attend the World's Fair.

Mrs. J. W. Henry of Winters, is visiting the L. L. Lively family. Mrs. Henry is the mother of Mrs. Lively.

Our Aging Population
The number of people 65 and over in the nation has quadrupled since 1900, while the general population has doubled.



SCULPTURED SHEPHERD—Pablo Picasso, who has had more bric-a-bracs and bouquets thrown at him than any other figure in the world of modern art, recently added this surrealist sculpture to his list of imaginative creations. Leaving critics to raise eyebrows, cudgels, or cries of admiration, Picasso has called the work, "The Man With the Sheep."

Reunion Is Held For Children Of Garza Co. Pioneer

A reunion was held Saturday and Sunday for the children of Uncle Charlie Woods and his wife who moved near Southland August 11, 1915. The get-together was held at the home of Mrs. Buford Jones near Gordon community. Seven of the thirteen children were present. They were Mrs. W. C. Briggs and son of Adrian; Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Rowland and son of Tucumcari; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woods and family of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Langley and family of Earth; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stanlee and family of Vernon; Mrs. W. W. Anthony and family of Lubbock.

Unable to attend were sons, Dink of Paducah, P. R. (Son) of Gallup, New Mexico, Charlie of Michigan, and H. E. of Slaton. Daughters unable to attend were Mrs. Clyde Casey of Ft. Worth and Mrs. Dan Ezzell of Phoenix, Arizona.

Shelton Family Holds Reunion

Fifty-seven relatives registered for a family reunion in the home of Mesdames Beulah, Dolly, and Monroe Shelton last Sunday, Aug. 6. Special guests attending were a niece, Mr. and Mrs. John Hudson of Pocahontas, Tennessee, and Mr. and Mrs. James Hudson and three boys of Birmingham, Ala.

A buffet style lunch was served at noon. Each family brought some food and it was all spread together. Mrs. Shelton, who will be 81 years old on August 30, is confined to her bed most of the time. She has lived in the Hackberry Community in Lynn County for 25 years.

Local Club Season To Begin In Sept.

The club season in Slaton will open again in September. Most of the women's clubs are already preparing their club books and having them printed.

Slaton has three active women's civic clubs at the time, but in previous years they have had three or four more. The Civic and Culture Club is being led by Mrs. J. L. Fertig, president. Their first meeting will be on September 9. The Junior Civic and Culture Club is led by Mrs. Don Hatchett and their first meeting of the new season will be on September 5. The Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club is led by Mrs. Robert H. Davis, president. The first meeting scheduled for the club is on September 4.

The Order of Easter Star, which is not classified as a civic club, meets throughout the year but their first Fall meeting will be on September 12. Mrs. Fannie Patterson is Worthy Matron of the Slaton chapter.



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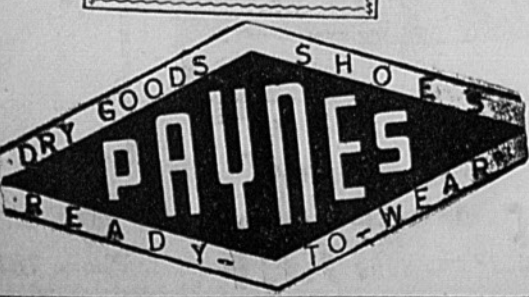
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We would appreciate additional listings.
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FOR RENT: Furnished or unfurnished two room and bath apartment, Raymond Gentry, Posey, or phone 594-J-1. 8-18-p

FOR RENT: Furnished 3 room house. 435 N. 5th. Phone 48-W. Mrs. A. E. McLaury. 8-11-c

FOR RENT: Furnished 2 room apartment to settled couple. 325 So. 5th. Phone 609-J. 8-11-p

FOR RENT: 3 room unfurnished apartment. L. O. Lemon, Palace Barber Shop. 8-11-p

FOR RENT: 2 room modern house, with bath. See Guss' Laundry, 210 South 4th. 8-11-p

FOR RENT: 2 room partly furnished apartment or one furnished bedroom. Outside entrance and next to bath. 435 E. Lubbock. Call 661-W. 8-11-c

FOR RENT: One furnished apartment with bath, also one sleepers room. Phone 556-W or call at 135 West Geneva. 8-11-p

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Miscellaneous 8

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Cotton buyer wanted for Slaton and surrounding territory this fall. Commission or joint account. Write Box 174, Lubbock, Texas. 8-11-p

Mrs. Claudie Adams received a free pair of hose this week at McWilliams Dry Goods. 8-11-c

Help Wanted 2

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Political Announcements
The Slaton Slatonite has been authorized to present the names of the following citizens as candidates for office subject to the action of the Democratic Voters in their Primary Election on Saturday, August 26, 1950.
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Lee de Forest
It was but a step from what was called the "Edison effect" in Edison's lamp bulb to the radio tube. That step was discovered and invented by a young American scientist, Lee de Forest, who introduced the grid to capture speeding electrons and cause them to build up from a feeble to a strong volume of sound in the first radio tube. From this single invention were evolved many variations to be used for amplifying sound transmission.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Conner and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Burton are vacationing in Colorado and other places this week.

Mrs. P. L. Yeager has as her house guest, her niece, Betty. She has been visiting the Yeager's about two weeks and plans to stay until time to start to college. She is from Billings, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Clark visited Mr. Clark's brother Neil at Brownfield.

Mrs. Nellie Taylor, who has been on the sick list for some time, is improving.

LUTHER FAULKNER COMPLETES TRAINING
Eddie Luther Faulkner, seaman apprentice, USN, of Route 1, Slaton, Texas, has completed recruit training at the U. S. Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif.
Faulkner, who entered the Naval service May 10, 1950, is a former student of Cooper High School.

Gypsum
More than 1,000,000 tons of gypsum are mined annually in the Empire state, making New York the second most important producer of gypsum in the country.

Advice to Poultrymen
Disease control authorities urge poultrymen to use care in disposing of manure and to burn or bury all birds that die of contagious ailments. Careless disposal of manure, litter, and dead birds is blamed for many serious outbreaks of poultry disease.

Formosa
It would take almost 200 Formosas to equal the land area of the continent-country of Australia, but the strategic Chinese island, with a population exceeding seven million, currently has almost as many people as the big commonwealth.

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Slaton Women Give Their Favorite Tested Recipes

If you feel on the gay side some time, then bake this cake suggested to us by Mrs. R. C. Patton. She got the recipe from an Army major during the last war. It is easy to mix, "just throw the ingredients in any way," and it makes a quick dessert. It is called "Crazy Cake."

- These are the ingredients:
- 1 cup sugar
 - 1/2 cup Cocoa
 - 1/2 cup sifted flour
 - 1/2 cup shortening
 - 1/2 tsp. salt
 - 1 tsp. soda

- 1 tsp. vanilla
- 1 egg (not necessary to beat it)
- 1/2 cup sweet or sour milk
- 1/2 cup boiling water.

After mixing all the other ingredients together in any order desired, add the boiling water. Mix well until smooth and creamy. Put in baking pan and place in oven with heat at 350 degrees for approximately 25 minutes, or until done. Remove from oven, cool, and serve.

(Editor's note--it really tasted good with chocolate icing.)

Migrating Lemmings
Legend has it that migrating lemmings in the Scandinavian north move to the sea and try to swim it in a vain search for the lost continent of Atlantis. Canadian lemmings are less likely to encounter water on their travels and usually perish of exhaustion or starvation. All types of lemmings, however, change from shy, timid creatures to bold, pugnacious animals on their migration march.

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Color Adds zest
Color is the spice of existence. Without it, life would lose its zest and be hardly worth the candle. Attractive color on the walls and woodwork of our rooms adds immeasurably to the satisfaction we derive from our surroundings.

U. S. Rail Trackage
Approximately 397,900 miles of track, including main track, yard track and sidings, are operated by the railroads of this country.
Pretty boxed stationery personalized or plain at the Slatonite.

Visitors in the home of the H. G. Sanders' Friday, August 4, were Mrs. Courtney Sanders from Mirton, and Mrs. Geroge Lemon and children from Lubbock.
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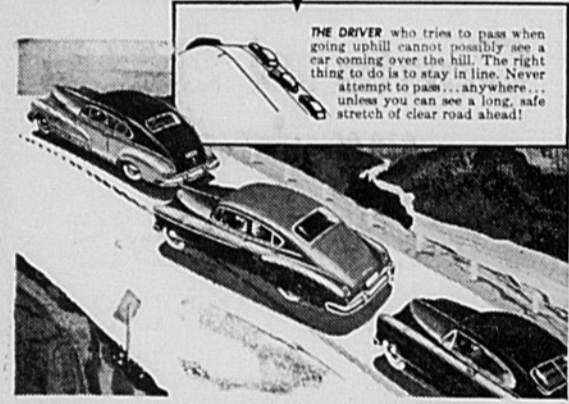
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SPEAKER ENDORSES RAMSEY — Speaker of the House Durwood Manford of Smiley, left, announced this week that he would support Ben Ramsey of San Augustine, right, for Lieutenant Governor. Manford said Ramsey's experience as a House member and as a Senator made him the best qualified man in the race. (Pol. Adv.)



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THE HIRED HAND — During the years when the crowds would flock to any sort of an entertainment, no matter how bad, there was little competition for entertainment and recreation dollars. There was little or no effort to give the customer full value for the admission price. People tired of magazines filled with tripe and poorly written and illogical stories, got fed up with sloppily-produced movies, etc.

Television, too, has had its effect. This is reflected in the closing of so many motion picture houses in the east, in the financial woes of baseball teams operating "on the doorstep" of New York and other big cities in the area. People stayed away in droves from wrestling matches and prize fights, which televise well.

Strangely enough, however, television has caused a big boom in the roller derby. Viewers of the derby on video become avid fans, and have clicked off a merry tune at the turnstiles. It's an ill wind that blows no good. —The Seminole Sentinel.

OFF THE KEY BOARD — Webster defines "hoard" as a store or treasure laid up secretly. That definition, however, does not apply to the current wave of hoarding brought on by the "war scare." Our observation is that those who are hoarding are not making the slightest effort to be secretive about it. Perhaps they would if they'd only stop to think that hoarding hampers efforts to preserve the peace, or, if the worst comes, to win the war. —Brownfield News.

EDITORIAL — It should come as a distant shock to everyone to learn that farming is the third most hazardous occupation in America. Farmers have always known that their job is a hard one, calling for long hours, careful planning, and a keen understanding of the close relationship between nature and science that are necessary to produce enough food each year to feed 150,000,000 citizens—not to mention much of the rest of the world.

However, perhaps even the farmer does not realize how hazardous his job really is. According to the Association of Casualty and Surety Companies, which is cooperating with the President's Conference on Industrial Safety to emphasize the need for greater occupational safety, one farmer in every 15 is temporarily or permanently injured while plowing a field, milking a cow, riding a tractor, or doing any number of other chores.

Last year in America, more than 300,000 farmers suffered disabling injuries on their jobs. 4,400 others weren't so lucky. They were killed by falls, machinery, animals, or other "potential hazards." —The Hockley County Herald.

DRIFTING SANDS — On our trip to Chicago, we had a good chance to observe the roads in the various states we crossed. In our opinion, Indiana had the best and Oklahoma the worst. However, even Oklahoma seemed to be trying to improve their road building technique, and Missouri and Arkansas were improving their

roads both in design and quality. The Indiana roads are wide and the right-of-way is also wide. The Indiana Highway Department keeps the weeds and grass cut off the road side, and farmers along the road keep the grass and hedges trimmed to perfection.

The peacefulness and quietness of an Indiana country side compared to the rush and tumult of Chicago was something to think about. People sitting on the front porch or in the yard in Indiana and Arkansas was in sharp contrasts to the big cities.

They seemed to have found peace and contentment, noticeable absent in the big cities and even here in Texas. —Andrews County News.

HEREFORD BULL — A joke making the rounds is about a new preacher who moved into a small community and started breathing brimstone and fire. One morning he started out on card playing and an old lady down front said, "Amen, Brother." As the sermon progressed, the preacher moved on to dancing, jazz music and smoking — and each new topic drew the loud "Amen" from the little old lady. Almost exhausted, the preacher finally said, "But the worst of all is dipping snuff." Whereupon, the little old lady turned to another woman sitting beside her and whispered: "Sister, he's done quit preachin' and started meddlin'." —The Hereford Brand.

EDITORIAL — There was a time.

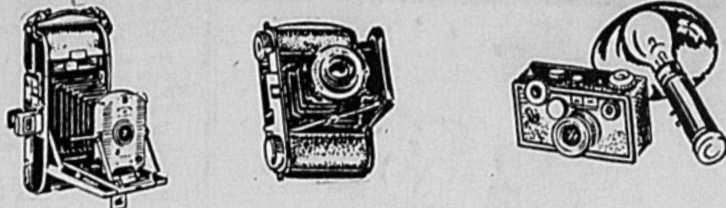
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not so long ago, when the killing of a pedestrian by an automobile was news. The crash of two speeding automobiles, involving the death of two or three persons, got the headlines. Today, however, the public takes the highway fatalities as

a matter of course, assumes that they are, in part, unavoidable and, in almost every instance, acquiesces in the verdict that nobody is especially to blame.

In a recent study of almost a thousand drivers involved in fatal

highway accidents, highway officials found that only twenty-eight served time in jail and only ninety-five paid fines. More than eighty-six per cent of the drivers were not penalized by the courts in any way. —County Wide News.



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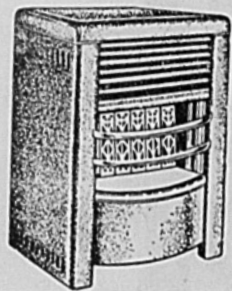
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Posey Items
R. L. BOYD

Seventy votes were polled at Saturday's special election with thirty-five votes being cast for each issue.

Jesse Jones, Ed Maeker, and son Edward, went to Lake Umbarger on a fishing trip Sunday.

S. N. Gentry went to the Ceta Canyon Encampment about the middle of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kurtz of Groom were week end visitors of Mrs. Julius Stahl, F. H. Stahl, and other relatives.

The Methodist Revival started on Sunday evening and is to last for about one week.

Some farmers say that crops look better now than at this date last year except for those fields which were damaged by hail on

July 16.
Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Morrison have moved from Dodsonville to Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hays and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Pennington went to Plainview Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Ed Cox, who was the sister of Mrs. Hays.

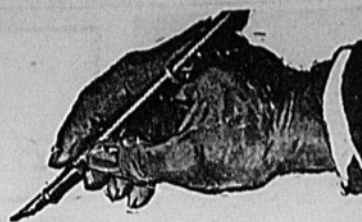
The Women's Society of Christian Service was to meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Monroe Brieger.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson of Hockley County were Saturday visitors of Mrs. S. N. Gentry.

The nine officers and teachers of the Sunday School were present with fifty-five members in attendance.

Two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fincher of Morton were visitors this past week of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Johnson.

Karen Hartness of Pharr has been a visitor of her aunt, Mrs. Laura Boyd for several days.



What They Write

5 August, 1950
Mr. A. M. Jackson, Editor
The Slaton Slatonite
Slaton, Texas.

Dear Mr. Jackson:
In the July 28th issue of the Slatonite, the first page, second column, last paragraph you made the statement as follows:

"May we add this little note. It is hard for small town merchants to compete with large town merchants in price, because the smaller merchant cannot buy in as large quantities and receive as large a discount from the wholesaler, etc."

It is surprising that you would make such a statement. Your statement was evidently based on old chain store propaganda of years gone by. It is true in a few cases they get a little more discount, but only in a FEW cases, but you must consider how much more their overhead is, also. It is a known fact, to any one who has been in the business for 35 years as I have that even though in some

cases the larger merchants COULD sell for less, but do not in order to make the most profit they can. Would you make the same statement about your own merchandise? Even though you possibly paid a few cents more for your merchandise, I personally have found you competitive with merchants in Lubbock and larger towns. Why should you pass judgment on the other merchants in Slaton?

It is true that the assortment of merchandise in Slaton is not as large, but the reasons for that are obvious, as you know in your own selling.

We for one, at Kessel's 5 & 10, are positively selling our merchandise for the same or in many cases for LESS than any other merchant in Lubbock County, and this is a fact. I am sure that any other progressive merchant of Slaton can say the same.

I didn't want to hit you too hard, but for future reference, I want to remind you of the following

facts.
I came into your place to buy a numbering stamp which you did not have in stock, but you priced it to me \$2.00 less than I could buy it in Dallas. So I bought it, but I am still waiting.
I came in and bought a tripartite receipt book from you and Baker's of Lubbock had them at the same price of \$2.75, but I gave you the order and I am still waiting.
So, why do you criticize the other merchants, and put bugs in the ears of our customers and public?
Please publish this in your "Letter to the Editor."

Sincerely,
A. KESSEL
P. S. Another instance I want to tell you about, I went to five different places in Lubbock, including Sears, looking for a girls bicycle, and then I came back to Slaton and found one for \$2.50 less than any place in Lubbock. Sometime you should make a personal check of the prices in Lubbock and then compare them with the prices we have in Slaton, and it would open your eyes. This is not just talk, all of this happened just last week.

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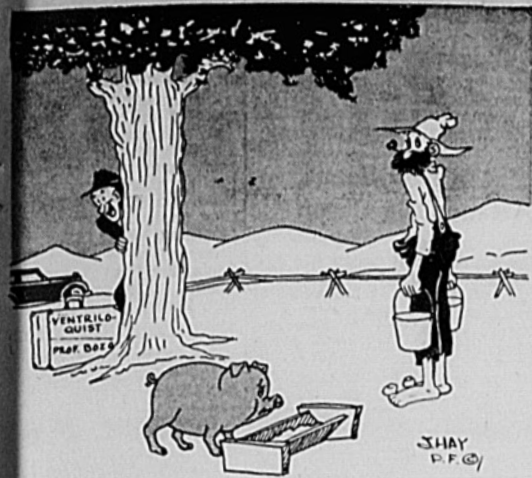
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ORDINANCE NO. 126

An ordinance designated the City of Slaton "Traffic Ordinance" being comprehensive in its scope and generally regulating in the public interest the use of streets and alleys and other public ways in the City of Slaton; defining certain words and phrases used therein; providing compliance by all persons using the public ways; establishing exceptions for emergency vehicles; requiring compliance with and regulating the use of streets and intersections with official traffic control devices and signs; adopting wording and colors for such signs and devices and their use in a traffic control legend for pedestrians and vehicular traffic; making it unlawful to display unauthorized signs, signals or markings, and stating exceptions; and prohibiting the alteration and defacing of such devices; further prescribing regulations for stopping, standing and parking in compliance with officially erected signs and signal devices and curb markings; prohibiting use of streets for the sale, washing and greasing or repair of vehicles; prohibiting driving through funeral processions; placing limitations on turning in and entering into alleys or private driveway; regulating riding of bicycles, motorcycles, coasters, sleds, rollerskates; prohibiting driving motor vehicle while intoxicated, and wanton disregard for safety of others while driving vehicles; establishing speed limit; regulating part of street to be used under varying circumstances; directing use of streets marked into lanes; providing use of signals by vehicle operators; establishing right of way rules and yielding of right of way to emergency vehicles; making it unlawful for other than authorized emergency vehicles to use bells or sirens; establishing miscellaneous rules relating to parked or unattended motor vehicles; obstruction to drivers view; loads extending from vehicles; following fire apparatus; crossing fire hose; discarding glass, nails, etc. in streets; the removal of wrecked vehicles; bicycles to be equipped with lamps; defining the term negligent collision and prescribing

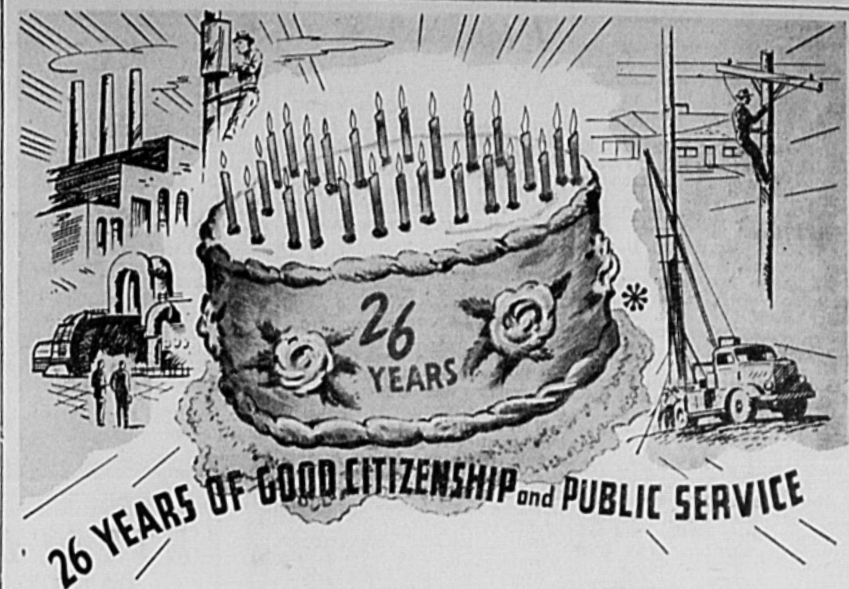
the duty of persons involved in accidents resulting in property damage, personal injury and death, information to be given by persons so involved, including assistance to injured persons, duty upon striking unattended vehicles or fixtures upon streets; and to report accidents; providing coordinated use of intersections by pedestrians and vehicles, establishing right of way rules and requiring due care to avoid collision; establishing safety zones for bus patrons; prohibiting boarding and alighting from moving vehicles, riding on outside of vehicles and driving through safety zones; requiring headlights, brakes, windshield and windshield wipers, rear view mirrors and mufflers on motor vehicles; providing for installation of signal devices and signs and zones by the city commission; designating places for loading and unloading bus passengers; prohibiting unauthorized marking of curbs and streets; establishing parking rules in business districts; providing for the impounding of abandoned vehicles; prohibiting use of bands or orchestras on streets and sidewalks for advertising; prescribing enforcement duties; and further providing for construction of the traffic ordinance consistent with provisions of the uniform traffic laws of Texas; providing penalties and procedure on arrest; savings clause and prescribing duties of city secretary and manner of publication as provided by Chapter 264, Page 463, Acts 1947 of the 50th Legislature and effective date.

Passed and approved the 7th day of July, A. D. 1950. first reading.
Passed and approved the 24th day of July, A. D. 1950. second reading.

ATTEST:
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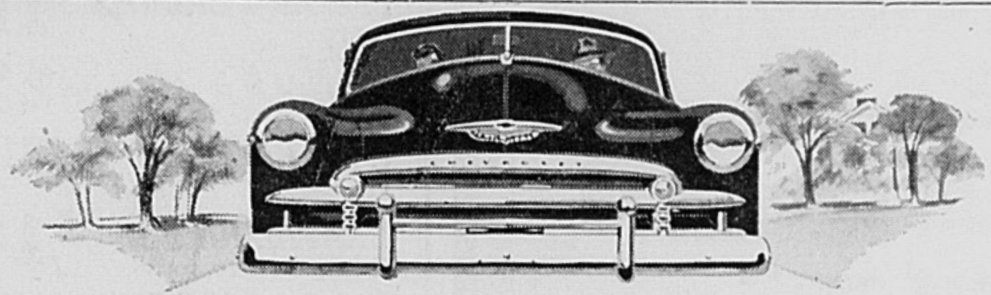
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Union News
MRS. M. D. GAMBLE

The revival meeting at the Baptist Church closed Sunday night with several additions to the church. Baptismal services were held Sunday afternoon at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson and Mrs. E. C. Craddock left this week for California on a vacation and to visit relatives there.

The revival at the Methodist Church is now in progress under the leadership of Rev. O. B. Herring of Slaton. A good attendance and a fine spirit is being manifested in these meetings. Services are being held at 10:30 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. The meeting will run through Sunday, August 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Davis and daughter were guests Sunday in the home of Mrs. Davis's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Pair.

Mr. and Mrs. Eustace Brooks of Houston have been visiting in the home of Mr. Brook's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Womack.

Misses Donna Sue and Diana Mae Cade spent Sunday at Lubbock with their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cade.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gamble attended the ice cream supper and Sunday School social at Mr. Lawrence Pipkins last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Russell have just completed remodeling their kitchen and bath room.

The Sewing Club met last week in the home of Mrs. Melvin Cade.

Gassers Defeat Slaton, 10-3

Denver City's Gassers moved to within two games of league-leading Seagraves last Sunday afternoon by blasting last-place Slaton, 10-3, in an Oil Belt Loop game played here.

The Gassers spotted Slaton a run in the first inning, and then knocked Jack Cornell out of the box in the third stanza with a four-run rally.

That put Denver City ahead, 4-1, and the loop runners-up pecked away at Cornell's reliever, Vinson, for a single marker in the sixth, four in the seventh and one run in the ninth.

Denny Davidson went the route for the winners, striking out six and walking one, although he allowed 11 safeties.

Nuel Landrith was Denver City's leading stickler, getting a single, double, triple and homer in five trips. Doc Keel collected two doubles in four times at bat, and Davidson had a homer and single in four trips.

Melvin Earsley and Dampier Weaver, Slaton's one-two punch, delivered for the Lions again. Earsley had two singles and a double in five times at bat, while Weaver, who went into the game sporting a .450 average, collected two doubles and a single in five times at bat.

Scheduled games for the Lions during next week include an afternoon game Sunday with Sundown and a Thursday night game against Seagraves. Both games are to be played away from home.

Southland News
MRS. FLOY KING

Everyone is invited to attend the Baptist revival beginning here at the local Baptist Church, August 11 through August 20. The time is 10:00 a. m. and at 8:00 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Woods left Wednesday morning by train for Merced, Oregon, to visit their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Woods.

Mr. Wesley Scott was brought home from the hospital Thursday, and is doing very well.

Mrs. Jack Myers was operated on at Crosbyton Hospital Thursday. She and her brother, who underwent an operation in the same hospital on Tuesday before she, is also doing fine.

Mrs. Sam Martin left Thursday evening by bus for a visit in Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster McCoy and Linda moved to Lubbock Tuesday.

Mary Frances King has taken Mrs. McCoy's place running the Southland switch board.

Among those visiting the Don Pennell's Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Barlow and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Barlow and family, Mr. Pilford Parson and Blanch Harris, all of North Carsley, Mr. and Mrs. Bus Pennell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Pennell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Long, all of Post Route, and Mr. and Mrs. Bala Pennell of Southland. Also Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cedarholm of Post.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Ferguson Sunday was his sister and husband, the Ford Shropshire's and baby of Post.

Mr. and Mrs. August Becker visited relatives and friends at Corpus Christi last week.

Troy Bruster was in Mercy Hospital a couple of days last week but is up and out again.

Mrs. G. N. Smallwood attended a shower at Mrs. Paul Lang's residence in Lubbock Thursday night.

August 3, for Miss Madeline Williams, bride to be of Wayne Whited of Lubbock, formerly of Southland. They are to be married on Tuesday night at the Pioneer Park Church of Christ at 7:30. She is the daughter of Mrs. Margaret Williams, 1918 7th Street, Lubbock and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Whited of Lubbock, formerly of Southland.

Sunday being Mrs. A. F. Davis's birthday, her children entertained her at MacKenzie Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Johnson of Slaton visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Basinger Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irby Boyd of Crosbyton were visiting relatives in Southland Sunday.

Lawrence Hershel King visited Calaway Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete King and children, Cliff and Kathy, visited his parents the Harry King's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. King left Saturday on a vacation in New

Mexico and Colorado. Marvin Truelock arrived home Saturday night from Galveston, but Glenda and Calvin stayed for a longer visit with their uncles, Frank and Fred Fletcher and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Quisenberry and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Winterrowd went to Amarillo and the Palo Duro Canyon Sunday.

Wayne Quisenberry visited Donald Sikes in Slaton Sunday.

Slaton Boy Scout Attends Big Camp

Ray Aylsworth, a member of the Slaton Scout Troop has just rejoined his family at Bentonville, Ark., after spending two weeks at Philmont Scout Ranch near Cimmaron, New Mexico. He joined the South Plains Council group at the Ranch. Philmont Ranch consists of 127,000 acres of mountain country,

donated as a National Camp Boy Scouts of America by Waite Phillips, of Tulsa. His former home was left, furnished with collections and trophies of historical interest. The Ranch is stocked with Hereford cattle many forms of wild game, including deer, buffalo, antelope and all kinds of smaller game.

The scouts explored various parts of the ranch, hiking and burro to pack their food and gear. There were groups of scouts from many parts of the U. S., including those from New York, Mass. and Penn. The highest they explored was Clear Creek Mountain, 11,600 feet.

Ray plans to return to Slaton September 1 with his mother, Bobbie Embry and brother, Mrs. Embry is a Slaton teacher.

Mrs. L. B. Wootton has gone to Albuquerque, New Mexico to see her sister.

Funeral Services For Sydney Black

Funeral services were held in Abilene August 3, for Sydney M. (Mack) Black, who died suddenly of a heart attack in San Angelo August 1.

He and his wife, the former Mary Lois Brasfield, had been living in Abilene and San Angelo since their marriage in 1946.

Mr. Black was 25 years old, a graduate of Hardin Simmons University, and was employed with the General Motors Acceptance Corporation as District Representative at the time of his death.

Survivors besides his wife are his mother and one brother, James. Attending the funeral from Slaton were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Brasfield and Beth, Mrs. A. R. Meador, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Meador, Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Sed Meador, and Mr. Charley Yates.



Born August 2 in Mercy Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. George Meeks, a boy weighing 8 lbs., 5 ozs.
Born August 3 in Mercy Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Belesquez, a boy weighing 2 lbs., 15 1/2 ozs.
Born August 4 in Mercy Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rubio, a girl weighing 6 lbs., 15 ozs.
Born August 4 in Mercy Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Milton Jochevz, a girl weighing 8 lbs., 12 ozs.
Born August 6 in Mercy Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. John DeLeon, a girl weighing 8 lbs.
Born August 8 in Mercy Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rodgers, a boy weighing 7 lbs., 3 ozs.

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