

The Slaton Slatonite

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Alcorn Transfer Opened Office

O. N. Alcorn has opened an office at 100 Texas Avenue for his transfer and storage business. He has formerly been officing at the Dawson Service Station.

Mrs. O. N. Alcorn will move her hemstitching machine to this office and will be in the office during the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Alcorn invite their friends to visit them at their new location.

Boy Scout Troop 31 Reorganized

Troop No. 31, Boy Scouts, of Slaton, has been reorganized and Dan W. Liles is the new Scoutmaster. This troop has been inactive for several weeks, but with its reorganization it is expected to grow steadily.

There are now two active Scout troops in this city. Troop No. 37 is in charge of Scoutmaster R. D. Griffin, and is doing splendid work under his leadership. Both Slaton troops are affiliated with the South Plains Area Council, which embraces fifteen counties of this section.

Retail Merchants Annual Banquet

The Slaton Retail Merchants Association held their annual banquet and election of directors at the Club House. It was stated that this was one of the finest meetings that has been held since the organization was started. A. J. Payne, president, acted as toastmaster. The invocation was given by the Rev. I. A. Smith, pastor of the M. E. Church South. The secretary, Mrs. Lee Green, gave a full account of the work for the past year, and stressed the fact that the work was growing and becoming voluminous. This can readily be seen from the report, where 1532 statements had been sent out, 300 tracers, 1048 written reports, with the collection of \$953 on old accounts and checks to the amount of \$1,773.

This would indicate the growth of the association. The program numbers were of the finest. Royce Pember played some very fine selections on the piano. "I'm a Dreamer," "Fisher's Hornpipe," "Indian Love Call," "Mamma Will Be Gone," and "Give Me Your Smile" were included among the numbers. Royce was heartily encored.

Judge R. A. Baldwin chose a very happy and applicable theme for his address, "All for One, One for All." The Judge urged specifically that "we all pull together," and above all not to get discouraged and give up the ship. He asked the question "Where would you go if you left here." He suggested that merchants should in their business consider two viewpoints: (1) Selling to the Public, (2) How the Public purchases. Very many of the troubles passed through his office and he was fully aware of the situations that confront the merchant. But above all he stressed the "pulling together with a firm look to the future."

C. C. Hoffman had as his subject "Effective Advertising." C. C. suggested that merchants should know what they are advertising, and know where the buyers are located, that advertising served as a reminder, and created the desire, if properly worded and prices were in line. He considered that 50 per cent advertising in newspapers was the best form. Above all to tell the truth in the advertising displayed.

William R. Sewell, talked on "The Problems of the Merchant." While never having been directly associated in the merchandising line, he urged the merchants to make known their position to the public. In so far as possible to teach the value of keeping their money in local channels and circulation, instead of taking it to other places where it will be of no use to the upbuilding of Slaton.

L. A. Wilson sang "Oh, How I Miss You Tonight," accompanied by Mrs. Wilson on the piano. His encore was the selection "I'm Drifting Back To Dreamland." Miss Frances Adams, with the assistance of her class, gave

BLACKLEG TAKES TOLL IN NOLAN COUNTY HERD

Blackleg is assuming the proportions of an epidemic among some Nolan county herds, according to a report from Sweetwater. The following report, dealing with appearance of the disease was published in the Sweetwater Daily Reporter.

An epidemic of blackleg last week caused the death of a dozen or more head of cattle on Nolan county ranges and apparently is still spreading in several herds. Unless checked within a short time the situation may become serious, cattlemen declared Monday morning.

Even in the herds vaccinated against the disease, several cattle were lost and the entire herds will be re-vaccinated. The blackleg started in the northern part of the county but has spread to the southern portion, it is said.

Calves up to 18 months old are susceptible to the disease, especially following the recent severe cold weather in which they lost a great deal of weight.

Carcasses of calves killed by the blackleg are burned to destroy the germ.

You Hear It Said "They Don't Read Newspaper Ads"

True enough, you will hear it said every day or so "why should I advertise? No body reads the ads." This statement was easily disproved last week. If you think it wasn't just ask Key Ely, manager of the M System market.

It doesn't make much difference who made the error, it was made in the M System ad last week. In the ad Steak was advertised at 20 cents per pound. The ad should have read Roast, 20 cents per pound.

Bright and early Monday morning Ely stopped "the Devil" and called his hand on the mistake. When the thing was traced down it was found that "the Devil's" typewriter wrote it steak instead of roast and then in the final windup the proof-reader took it for granted that "the Devil's" typewriter was correct without referring to the original copy.

At any rate Key said there was no harm done and that he wanted us to know that the people sure read the ads in our paper, and if you wanted everyone to tell you about your ad just let a mistake be made in it.

Slaton To Have Basket Tourney Feb. 28, Mar. 1

Plans are being perfected here for the annual all-South Plains basketball tournament, dates for which have been set for Friday and Saturday, Feb. 28 and Mar. 1, at the high school gymnasium here.

A large number of teams from all parts of the territory are expected.

Mrs. A. C. Benton and daughter, Miss Edda Belle, were Lubbock visitors Wednesday morning.

a one act play, entitled "Klep a Maniac," which was greatly enjoyed. Those of the cast were Myrtle Teague, Betty E. Pack, Mildred Swafford, Mildred Rucker, Crystelle Scudder, Oleta Colson and Ruth Coleman.

L. A. Wilson, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, was called upon for a short talk. Mr. Wilson stressed the idea of always patronizing the home institutions, thereby keeping the funds in Slaton and in circulation, his statement, that the effect was very hurtful to the community when trading was done elsewhere. He further stated that had this condition been lived up to, Slaton would at this time have at least been able to show a growth of a thousand or more than the new estimated population.

The election of five directors was part of the program. Those selected as the new directors, were R. P. Burks, H. G. Sanders, P. G. Stokes, C. A. Porter and T. E. Roderick. Those retiring are A. J. Payne, J. W. Hood, A. Kessel, Fred Schmidt, and A. L. Brannon.

LUBBOCK SHRINE CLUB HOLDS BANQUET

Lubbock has the distinction of having organized the first Shrine Club in Texas, some twelve years ago. This get together meeting is the beginning of many more functions of this nature that they anticipate for the members and their ladies and sweethearts. The banquet was held at the Hotel Lubbock. Mayor Harley D. Woods gave the address of welcome, and George Dupree acted as toastmaster. The talks by the various members were short and snappy. Much stress was given the matter of fellowship, and the wonderful work the Shriners are doing through their organization in supplying hospitals for children, who are admitted regardless of race or creed.

George Stapleton of Amarillo, recorder of the Shrine bodies was present and reviewed the work being done. More than a hundred were present, the entertainment by various artists during the dinner was very pleasing.

Those attending from Slaton were W. H. Smith, J. P. Hord, Claude Anderson, R. P. Burks, Kerby Brown, T. E. Roderick and L. B. Lienhard.

General Committee To Consider Plans On Beautification

A general committee composed of representatives of various organizations of Slaton will meet Friday night at 7:30 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce offices in the city hall to consider ways and means of further beautifying grounds of Slaton municipal and school buildings. The meeting has been called by the Slaton Chamber of Commerce, and about fifteen people are expected to attend.

The following organizations and groups of people have been asked to co-operate in the movement, and each group has been asked to have a representative at Friday night's meeting: High School, East Ward and West Ward P. T. A.s; Rotary Club, City Commission, American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary; Board of School Trustees; Civic and Culture Club, Retail Merchants' association, Chamber of Commerce, and the faculties of the high school and of the two ward schools.

The movement was recently suggested by the Civic and Culture Club, with the request that the Chamber of Commerce take the initiative in calling the first meeting of the general committee.

Slaton Boy At Home After Navy Service

Willard Donald, son of Mrs. W. Donald, arrived in Slaton last Sunday after an absence of four years.

Young Donald left Slaton for Dallas where he enlisted in the U. S. Navy service on January 26, 1926. He was sent to Norfolk, Virginia, where he was put into training for two months before being allowed to go on the ship.

Norfolk was the home port for every ship he was aboard during his four years of service. However, he would be gone from there on a trip for several months at a time.

Among the ships which young Donald was on during his service included the Wright, the Teal, the Utah and the Borie.

His first trip was to the Virgin Islands to carry food supplies and medical needs. And among other ports visited during his service were South America, Panama, Central America, Cuba, and Haiti. Europe and Asiatic stations were visited in a trip around the world.

Donald was stationed at Newport, R. I. for several months this past summer.

He states that he enjoyed his four years in the navy service, but he is very glad to return to Slaton and see homefolks and friends again. He further stated that he does not know at present just what kind of work he will enter. He was connected with the radio service while aboard the ships.

Jim Owens and family, of Mosca, California, are here visiting the former's brother, Paul Owens and family.

Wilson To Be Hosts To Zone Meet Feb. 26

The District Zone Meeting of the Methodist church will meet Wednesday, February 26th, in an all day session at Wilson, Texas, according to an announcement by Mrs. H. W. Ragsdale, who is Zone leader, for this district.

The program for this meeting will be published at a later date.

All church members are urged to make arrangements to attend this meeting.

Farmers' Auction Sale Next Monday

The first free farmers' auction sale to be held here this season will begin at 10 o'clock next Monday morning on the east side of the public square, with C. Johnson, widely known auctioneer, of Slaton, in charge. The sale has been arranged for the benefit of farmers of this section who may wish to dispose of or purchase various kinds of farm equipment. Expenses of the sale will be made for selling any farm equipment which farmers may wish to dispose of, it has been announced.

Baptists To Hear Stamford Pastor

Rev. W. C. Moffett, of Stamford, now in his sixth year as pastor of the First Baptist church of that city, will speak here at the First Baptist church at morning and evening hours Sunday, according to members of the pulpit committee of the church.

At the two services last Sunday, Rev. A. F. Johnson, pastor of the First Baptist church, Borger, was the speaker.

Poultry Expert Expected Here

We have been advised by Bernie E. Payne local manager of the Panhandle Lumber Company's yard, that Mr. R. B. Galloway, poultry expert of this company, is expected to visit this vicinity and do considerable work, although the exact date of Mr. Galloway's appearance is yet uncertain, due to the arranging of his schedule to include the large number of demands being made upon his time. His routing will in a great measure depend largely upon the number of requests made to the local yard for his services. Mr. Galloway's work is conducted as a part of the program being sponsored by the Panhandle Lumber Co. for the development of diversified farming in the Panhandle-Plains country. Requests for his assistance on poultry problems will be gladly received by the local manager.

Paul Owens Is Kansas Visitor

Paul Owens, local watch inspector for the Santa Fe railroad, is in Topeka, Kansas, this week on business in connection with the company.

Mr. Owens left the first of the week and is expected to return home today.

Edmondson Is In Eastern Markets

H. H. Edmondson, manager of the E. & A. Dry Goods company, left last Friday afternoon for the eastern markets where he goes to buy a complete stock of the new offerings for summer.

Mr. Edmondson's first stop was to be at Chicago where he will meet representatives from the large wholesale houses of New York from whom he will select merchandise of the very latest creations. He will return via St. Louis, the shoe center of the United States, where he will buy shoes.

Mr. Edmondson is expected home the latter part of this week and he will have some startling announcements to make through the advertising columns of this paper next week as he is a strong believer in printer's ink to get him business.

G. W. McKenzie Rites Held At Mesa Church

Through the courtesy of J. S. McDonald of this city, we are in receipt of a clipping from a California paper, giving an account of the death and burial of George W. McKenzie, who formerly lived in Slaton and was employed by the Santa Fe in the capacity of locomotive engineer. Mr. McKenzie was a brother-in-law of Mrs. J. S. McDonald, by a former marriage.

Final tribute was paid on Monday to George W. McKenzie of Wilson Street whose accidental death on Thursday last came as a great shock to the community.

Mr. McKenzie, who was employed by the Techt Company at Huntington Beach, had gone down into an empty gas tank to clean it out and apparently failed to pull the safety valve. A fellow worker, Phillip Davis, went down to rescue him, who was not only unsuccessful but almost lost his own life in the attempt.

Services were held Monday morning at the Community church the Rev. A. F. Hasse officiating, assisted by the Rev. Charles Fuller and the Rev. Brigham of Placentia. The Rev. D. F. Barnette of El Monte who read the marriage service at Mr. McKenzie's wedding only a year ago was also present and spoke on the life of the dead man.

A quartette of choir members, Messdames Grow S. Brown, and E. L. Bennett and Messrs. E. A. Spaulding and E. L. Bennett, sang two hymns. Mrs. P. M. Thompson at the organ. Pallbearers were Charles Prather, Walter Prather, D. T. Cole, H. B. McMurtrie, D. J. Dodge, E. L. Bennett.

The flowers sent by loving friends more than filled two cars on the way to the Forest Lawn cemetery at Glendale where interment was made. Grooms and Reisenberg were in charge of arrangements.

Beside his widow Mrs. Ruth McKenzie, a brother Joe of Los Angeles survives the deceased.

George W. McKenzie was born in Oklahoma forty-one years ago. He came to California in 1923, and has owned property in Costa Mesa for several years. In June 1928 he married and came to Costa Mesa a year later with his wife. He was an active worker of the Community church and was a member of the choir.

Funeral Services Suicide Victim Held Here Wed.

Funeral service for Chester L. Alexander, suicide victim, were conducted from the First Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon, February 12th, at three o'clock with the Rev. James Rayburn in charge.

Suicide was successful for Alexander following a fight of almost two days for his life. The victim shot himself with a .38 revolver about 1:30 o'clock Sunday morning at the family residence. The bullet entered the forehead, lodging at the base of the brain.

Alexander was employed as shipping clerk for Hestand-Kimbell Grocer Co. He had been connected with this firm for the past five years.

At the time of his death he was 30 years of age and is survived by his widow, three children, Helen, 10; Chester, 7; Robert, 4; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Alexander and a brother, Olen; two sisters, Mildred Ray; and Mrs. Horace Belew, of Lubbock and another sister, Miss Virgil Alexander, a teacher in the Sweetwater schools.

The deceased had been a resident of Lubbock County for the past seven years. His parents reside in the Slide community. He was a member of the local Volunteer Fire Department.

The Firemen served as pallbearers. They included E. V. Woolever, Ed Childress, E. L. Sumner, Charlie Marriott, G. E. Welch, Luke Shelby, Bill Layne, Harvey Austin, Pierce Youngblood, L. B. Hagerman and E. L. Hicks.

Interment was made in the Eaglewood cemetery.

Mrs. W. B. Smith Class Hostess

The Loyal Workers class of the Methodist Sunday school was entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. W. B. Smith, 310 South 6th Street, with Mrs. H. F. Johnson as joint hostess.

This was the regular quarterly social meeting of the class and games and contests were enjoyed during the afternoon. Miss Hazel Mansker was present and favored the class with a reading.

Thirteen members attended including Mesdames Pete Cartwright, C. A. Porter, C. L. Suit, T. D. Johnson, H. H. Johnson, W. P. Shelton, J. R. Hartsfield, Alton Young, Ray Conner, J. R. Johnson, C. T. Lokey and E. B. Edwards. The guests were Mrs. Cecil Sellers, Mrs. I. A. Smith, Mrs. Bernice Payne and Miss Hazel Mansker.

Baptist W. M. S. Will Meet Mon.

The Baptist W. M. S. will meet Monday afternoon, February 17th, at three o'clock at the Slaton Clubhouse.

The following program will be given:

- Subject—The Home Land—Our Heritage
Hymn—My Country 'Tis of Thee
Prayer
Devotional—Ezra 1:1-4; Psalms 122—Mrs. Armes
Roger Williams—Mrs. W. B. Montague
John Clark—Mrs. A. Dennis
Abraham, the Great Pioneer—Mrs. W. T. Driver
Baptists in the Struggle for Liberty—Mrs. W. H. Weaver
Great Awakening—Mrs. C. V. Young
The Second Awakening—Mrs. Burns
Home Missions, 1845-1929, Lest We Forget—Mrs. E. C. Foster
Watchword—"Lest We Forget"
Prayer

Mrs. Gillies Hostess To Wed. Study Club

The Wednesday Study Club met on February 5th with Mrs. J. A. Gillies as hostess.

Members answered roll call with the name of their favorite author. Mrs. S. A. Peavy led an interesting program on the Short Story, giving the Life of Edna Ferber and discussing in a clever manner "The Gay Old Dog". She was assisted on the program by Mrs. L. L. Stone and Mrs. Fred England. Mrs. Stone gave the resume of the Life of Zona Gale and ably interpreted "The Neighbors." Mrs. England reviewed the Life of Fannie Harst and told in a pleasing way "Humoresque."

At the close of the program the hostess served dainty refreshments in two courses to fifteen members and one guest.

W. M. S. Growing In Interest & Attendance

On February tenth the Womens' Missionary Society of the First Methodist church met with Mrs. J. F. Merrill, president, presiding.

After the usual order of business, the delegates to the Missionary Council that meets in Amarillo on March thirteenth to the eighteenth, were elected, Mrs. S. H. Adams and Mrs. T. D. Johnson, as delegates and Mrs. R. H. Todd and Mrs. Fred Whitehead, as alternates. Others have planned to attend. This is an opportunity that seldom comes our way.

Mrs. R. A. Metcalfe has organized the primary children's division of work with twenty-four members. Mrs. J. E. Eckert has charge of the Junior division and Mrs. Fred Tudor the Intermediates.

Mrs. Laura Rhodes led the Bible lesson.

An all day Zone meeting will be held in Wilson, February twenty-sixth. Mrs. H. W. Ragsdale is Zone leader and Mrs. J. A. Hightower was elected delegate.

Our Society is growing in interest and attendance. However, there are others in this church that should work with the Society.

Guest Day Meet Enjoyed By S. S. Class

The Ruth Wesley Sunday school class of the Methodist church met last Thursday afternoon at the Slaton clubhouse in a "Great Day" meeting.

The president, Mrs. Carl Clark, led a short devotional program.

The George Washington theme was beautifully carried out in the decorations. Games were enjoyed during the afternoon and Miss Hazel Mansker gave two readings.

The hostesses, Mrs. D. E. Kemp, Mrs. Forney Henry, Mrs. R. C. Darwin, and Mrs. W. L. Jones, served a delicious refreshment plate to the sixteen guests and nineteen members present.

Birthday Dinner Greatly Enjoyed

Mrs. I. N. Allison was honored Sunday with a surprise Birthday Dinner given by her daughters, Elma and Ruby.

A very delicious dinner was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Patterson and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Preston, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Warren, Mr. and Mrs. John Stephen and son, Clarence, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Allison and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stephen and daughter, Reta Fred.

The most traveled highway in Texas is that between Fort Worth and Dallas. A recent count showed 6,570 vehicles pass over it daily.

Miss T. Kirby Is Honoree At Surprise Party

Miss Tommie Kirby was the honoree at a Surprise Birthday Party Friday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kirby.

Bridge was enjoyed during the evening. After which a delicious salad and sweet course was served to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sellers, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Garland, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Lamar, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Slater, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kirby, Dr. M. C. Overton, Joe Carr, A. J. Butler, and Dick Farmsworth.

Miss Kirby was the recipient of numerous lovely gifts.

Political Calendar All Set For 1930

The political calendar for the year follows:

- January 31—Last day for payment of poll tax or to otherwise qualify by obtaining voting credentials.
June 2—Last day for candidates for State offices and district offices, in districts containing more than one county, to file requests to have their names placed on the ballot.
June 8—Meeting of State executive committee.
June 14—Last day for county and precinct candidates and district candidates, in districts composed of only one county, to file requests to have name placed on ballots.
June 16—County executive committee meets to determine the order of names on ballot and estimate expenses of election.
June 23—Last day for candidates to pay assessments for their share of expenses incident to holding election.
June 26 to July 1—Candidates must

file their first report of campaign expenses not more than 30 nor less than 25 days prior to date of the primary.
June 26 to July 1—Time for voters who are absent from county to appear before a notary public and request ballot.
July 14—Primary committee meet to prepare ballot.
July 14 to 16—Candidates must file second statement of campaign expenses.
July 16 to 23—Time for voters who intend to be absent from county on date of election to appear before clerk and vote on absentee ballot.
July 22—Four days prior to day of election all voters living in a city of 10,000 inhabitants or more, who have moved their residence within the city or from without the city to the city must report to the tax collector.
July 24—Day upon which county clerk shall send absentee votes to the presiding judges of the respective voting precincts.
July 26—Primary election day polls open at 8 a.m. and close at 7 p.m. Precinct conventions are held to elect delegates to county convention.
August 2—County executive committee meets to canvass results. The county conventions are held.
August 5—Last day for candidates to file third report of expense.
August 11—State executive committee meets to canvass returns.
August 23—Date of second primary. District convention meets to canvass returns for district candidates.
Sept. 1—Meeting of State executive committee.
Sept. 2—Meeting of State convention.
November 4—General election.
November 14—Candidates should file report of expenses with the county judge.

Telling Them Dear Editor: "Is there anything that broadens one more than travel?" —Rebus. (Ans.: You might try chocolate nut fudge sundaes.—Ed.)



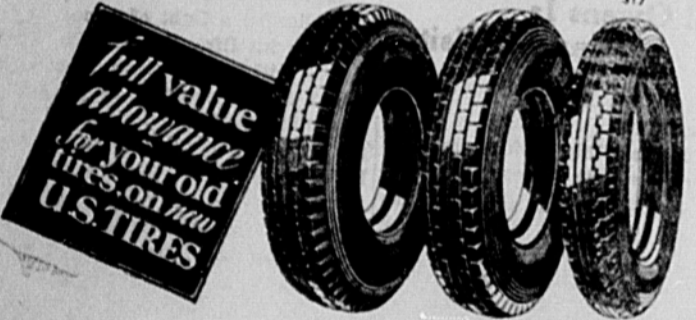
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COFFEE COFFEE YOUR DOLLARS WILL do wonders at Saunders-A visit will prove it Cletus Nesbitt, Mgr. Prices for Saturday

Table listing various grocery items and prices: Onions (Spanish, Sweet, Lb. 3 1/2c), TOMATOES (WAPCO—NO. 2, HAPPY VALE—NO. 2, WAPCO—BLACKEYED—MED. CAN, VAN CAMPS—MED. CAN, GALLON), BEANS (12 1/2), PEAS (.09), KRAUT (.10), PEACHES (.59), PEARS (.31), APRICOTS (.31), QUAKER CORN MEAL (.10), QUAKER HOMINY GRIT (.10), QUAKER MILK MACARONI—SPAGHETTI (7 1/2), QUAKER PUFFED WHEAT (.13), MOTHERS OATS (.29), POST BRAN (.11), KRUMBLES (.11), Grapefruit (Texas—Seedless, 80 Size—Each), SOAP (CRYSTAL WHITE, SOAP—BAR, PALMOLIVE), FLOUR (Enn's Best, 48 Lb., 1.5), CALUMET (1 LB.—CAN), SODA (ARM & HAMMER), Sugar Cured Bacon (Sliced, Per Pound, 35).

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Shaw Top & Tire Shop

GUNMAN'S BLUFF

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ALLMENT
...marries Luke
...banker, after
...to her every
...world. After
...her for some
...pay an obli-
...declaring
...have a cent of
...discloses to
...her brother,
...shot, had left
...Maddison had
...Margaret had
...for revenge. She
...not know that Rex had
...Maddison's name to a
...check. Maddison leaves her
...vanders about London, try-
...understand what happen-
...he meets Lewing, an un-
...rid character who has pre-
...brought him a message
...Gunner Haynes, a famous
...dean crook. Danton Morell,
...and of Margaret's and of her
...er, Rex, saw Gunner Haynes
...light when Maddison was
...him, and is afraid of him
...is now in prison, and De-
...Bird of Scotland Yard.
...as "The Sparrow," has
...making inquiries about Rex
...re's affairs.
...is something mysterious
...Gunner Haynes, and an even
...er mystery as to who it was
...killed Lewing while he is
...ng with Maddison and seri-
...wounds Maddison himself.
...recovers consciousness two
...later in a hospital with no-
...to indicate his identity. He
...heavy beard and the hospi-
...tals call him "Smith." Mar-
...t sees a photograph of the
...terious "Smith" in a news-
...or but does not recognize it.
...ntime, she gets a telegram
...Paris, signed "Luke," say-
...he will not come back and will
...ly evidence for a divorce.
...ake Maddison, in the hospi-
...knowing nothing of this, de-
...that he will keep on calling
...self Smith and see what hap-

GO ON WITH THE STORY
...friend of yours wishes to see
...she said. "He says he knows
...is frowned.
...friend?" he repeated. "I'm sure
...mistaken me for somebody else."
...he particularly asked for you.
...id the man who was stabbed; of
...I didn't tell him your name
...Smith, because it isn't."
...man who came in he had never
...before. His shabbiness was re-
...by a collar of such surprising
...ness that Luke guessed it had
...bought for the occasion, as also
...he violent necktie. He was a man
...a very small face, sharp-fea-
...his heavily lidded eyes glanced
...ly left and right before he came
...hily to the bed.
...right, sister." His voice was
...and husky. (Luke remembered
...Lewing's voice was that way, and
...sured if this was a relative).
...this your friend?" asked the
...man nodded.
...hat's him all right, miss."
...a nurse disappeared, and the man
...over the bed. He smelt musty
...recovery, as though his clothes
...been stored in a damp place
...e says that you didn't squeak he's
...to make things right for you."
...didn't what?" asked Luke.
...squeak. Don't be funny! When
...come out, see him." He slipped a
...piece of paper under the pillow.
...Luke heard a well-remembered
...s. "There's a fever there for you,
...says he'll look after you."
...od bless him!" said Luke soberly.
...if ever there was a man who
...had looking after, it's me!"
...a left the hospital on a sunny af-
...noon, and could walk out without
...stanes, for he had carried no bag-
...s. He was strong enough to walk,
...he had taken on appreciable
...ment of exercise on the terrace of
...hospital; but he had lost weight.
...his clothes hung loosely upon
...The mysterious man had told
...to go to Mrs. Fraser, at 39 Ginnett
...is pushed open the door; a crack-
...had changed, and after a while
...was emerged through a door leading
...the door a sharp-featured
...man with heavy hair, who greeted
...with all the superficial unfriend-
...ness that he discovered was the
...neighborhood.

"I am Mrs. Fraser," she said.
"I was told to call and see you," he
began, when she interrupted him
quickly.
"Are you the man from the hospital
—Smith?"
Luke smiled and nodded. She lifted
the flap of the counter.
"Come in, will you?" Her tone was
respectful, almost fawning. "I thought
you wasn't coming out till tomorrow."
She led the way into a frowsy little
parlor and closed the door communi-
cating with the shop carefully.
"It's lucky I had the room done up
for you today," she said. "I'm a rare
one for getting things done in time.
Will you come this way, Mr. What's-
your-name?"
Curiosity impelled him to follow her.
At the first sight of that dingy shop
he had been tempted to turn back, to
find a new foothold to life; but now
he went after the woman almost gaily.
For that was the ineradicable weak-
ness of Luke Maddison; a consuming
curiosity as to what would happen
next.
At some time or other there had
been built a small annex to the house;
the floors were firmer, the doors
seemed heavier. She opened one of
these and showed him into a room, the
comfort of which was rather stagger-
ing. He expected to see something
particularly uninviting, and it is pos-
sible that, had this been the case, he
would have declined the lodging and
gone elsewhere. But the bed was
neat, the sheets spotless; the furni-
ture, though plain, was ample, and a
small fire burned in the grate. "To
air the room," she explained, almost
apologetically, and led him to under-
stand that this luxury was imperma-
nent.
Danty looked at Margaret in horri-
fied amazement. His consternation
was almost comic.
"You've given back all the money
he gave you?" he stammered.
"Why shouldn't I? I have enough
to live on," she said. "Mr. Stiles, as
trustee of the fund, is making me a
sufficient allowance."

the game shrewdly.
"When do you expect to leave for
Ronda?"
"In two days' time," she said quick-
ly—so quickly that he realized she had
worked it out to the hour. "As soon
as I am certain that Luke is in Ron-
da I shall go to him."
"Exactly what will you say to him?"
He could not resist asking this ques-
tion, though he realized even as he
spoke the words that he was guilty of
a tactical error.
He saw her stiffen; that cold look
came back to the beautiful eyes.
"That is entirely a matter between
Luke and me," she said. "I have
made this mess, I am afraid, and I
must get out of it."
In his desperation he blundered
again.
"You owe something to Rex's mem-
ory," he said. "I don't know what
you're feeling about Luke, but there's
a fact that can't be blinked. Luke
could have saved your brother's life;
instead, when he found he was ruined,
he hounded him still further into the
mire. His god is money—"
"Yet he gave me everything," she
said quietly; "and when I refused him
money, he went away without a word.
Don't you realize, Danton, that had he
gone to his lawyer, had he gone to the
courts—had he done anything—I must
have given him the money back, not
because I would not have dared to
face a public inquiry. He may have
been mean, he may have been terribly
cruel, but I cannot right one wrong
with another. That is the considera-
tion which made me give back the
money to Mr. Stiles," she went on in
a voice less tense, more agreeable, al-
most friendly. "We shall have to
thresh out this business of Rex—it's
very ugly and hateful, and I can't
think of it calmly even now. Luke
may have some explanation; there
may be a very excellent reason why
he refused any further help to poor
Rex. At any rate, it's my job to find
the truth."
He was almost livid with a fury he
could hardly disguise. His lips curled
in a sneer.



He could only gaze at her, dumb-
founded. All his fine schemes had
been blown away as a feather of steam
is blown by a gale. She saved him the
trouble of speaking and gave him time
to recover himself, for she went on:
"Luke has never been in Paris since
he went away—some interested per-
son must have sent that wire. I al-
most feel as though I willed it to be
sent, to give me some excuse for the
terrible way I treated Luke." She
smiled. "I should be awfully uncom-
fortable if I thought my money made
any difference to you in your scheme,
Danton. Happily, you're a rich man."
Danty nodded slowly. He had that
morning received a warning letter
from his banker, for he had been
spending money and losing large sums
at his favorite gaming house in the
faith that his financial position would
soon be unassailable.
With an effort he recovered his bal-
ance and forced his voice into a tone
of indifference.
"I'm not sure that you're wise. Did
you consult your lawyer?"
She shook her head.
"In matters of conscience one does
not consult lawyers," she said quiet-
ly.
It was difficult enough even to make
intelligent conversation. Her attitude
was a dead wall built across his easy
path, and at the moment it seemed un-
scalable. He had to play for time
now; his native cunning told him that
so long as he had her on his side there
was no reason why he should lose
hope. He had dreamed of hundreds of
thousands; he had been certain of tens
of thousands; there was still an odd
thousand or two for the picking and
possibly a greater haul if he played

"It seems to me that the result of
your reconciliation—I suppose that's
what it is coming to—will be to leave
me in the lurch and put me wrong
with anybody. Financially it may ruin
me. Luke had a big influence in the
City, and even now the mere sugges-
tion that I was antagonistic to him is
making a big difference."
To his surprise she laughed.
"Danton," she said, almost gaily,
"you're making me feel a pig! You
don't imagine I would allow a friend
of Rex's to suffer because of the help
he tried to give me?"
Danton Morell was puzzled. Why
was she so cheerful? And then he re-
membered—she would be in Ronda
in a few days, would be united with her
husband. The thought made him
wince; he was beginning to understand
how big a place this girl had made for
herself in his life. It was not like
Danton Morell to allow any woman a
foothold in the cold thing he called a
heart; but insensibly, and for some
reason which he could not understand,
she whom he had intended as a dupe
had become a factor. It was almost
unbelievable.
And with this came another realiza-
tion that momentarily left him aghast.
She was in love with her husband!
He had opened his lips to speak
when there came a discreet knock at
the door and the maid entered.
"There's a gentleman wishes to see
you, madam—a Mr. Haynes."
Had Margaret been looking at him,
she would have seen Danty's face go
pale.
"He says he knows Mr. Maddison
slightly," the girl went on, "and he
wants particularly to see you."
Danty glared at her.

"You didn't tell him I was here, did
you?" he began, and saw the look of
astonishment in Margaret's face.
"Do you know him?"
He nodded, and glanced significantly
at the girl.
"Just wait a moment outside, will
you?" said Margaret, and, when the
maid had gone and the door was
closed: "Who is he?"
"He's a man I don't wish to see, and
a man I don't think you ought to see.
He's a criminal, the fellow who was
arrested that night at the Carlton. If
you take my advice you'll send him
away."
She hesitated.
"If he knows Luke—" she began.
"He doesn't—that's just a trick to
see you. He'll probably want money,
and he's a pretty dangerous man."
"Then you'd better be here when he
comes," she said, and saw by his con-
sternation that this was not an ac-
ceptable suggestion. "I'd better see
him," she said. "Will you wait in the
little drawing room?"
Margaret in that mood he could not
combat; he agreed sulkily to her sug-
gestion, and was in the little draw-
ing room when he heard the quick step of
the Gunner pass the closed door.
Margaret was unprepared for the
type that came into the drawing room.
The tanned, hawk face had a strength
and a certain refinement which she
had not expected.
"Are you Mrs. Maddison?" drawled
the visitor, and she inclined her head
slightly. "My name's Haynes—the
police know me as Gunner Haynes.
I'm a jewel thief among other things,"
he said.
His tone was as calm as though he
were announcing himself the member
of an honorable guild.
"I met your husband once; he tried
to do me a service—I should like to
do him one, Mrs. Maddison."
Again she nodded.
"M. Danton Morell is a friend of
yours, isn't he?" he asked.
"Yes," she said coldly. "Why?"
She saw his lips twitch.
"I was wondering . . . Mrs. Mad-

dison, would you think I was imper-
tent if I asked you why your hus-
band left you?"
Her steady eyes met his.
"Do you think you would be?" she
asked quietly, and saw that faint
smile of his.
Continued Next Week
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a money back guarantee.
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Formerly all the boys hoped to be
president of the United States, but
they don't consider that job pays
enough now.

Free bridges are to be constructed
over the Red River between Denison,
Texas, and Durant, Oklahoma, Gaines-
ville, Texas, and Mariette, Oklahoma
and Ringgold, Texas and Terral, Okla.
Among the parents who do not
know their own children, are the farm-
ers of the tariff bill when they see
it as the senate has dressed it up.

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TWO GREAT JUDGES

William Howard Taft ends a lifetime of public service in his retirement from the Supreme Court bench, and the name of Charles Evans Hughes is added to the roster of great Americans who have filled the post which may regard as greater than even that of President, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States.

Thirty different men have been Presidents. Only eleven have been Chief Justice, including Mr. Hughes. Mr. Taft is the only man in our history who has filled both posts. He brought to the Supreme Bench a record such as few men in America have made. He made a career of public service. After serving his native city as a public attorney and a judge, he became, successively, Solicitor General of the United States, United States Circuit Judge, Governor-General of the Philippines, Secretary of War, Provincial Governor of Cuba, then President of the United States, and after eight years as a Professor at Yale University, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court.

Mr. Taft was fortunate in being independent of financial considerations. Mr. Hughes, who succeeds him, has had to make his own way in the world. Mr. Taft had the happy faculty of holding himself aloof from partisan strife and even his political opponents never displayed toward him the bitterness which others in similar situations have aroused. Mr. Hughes has been more of a storm-center, but none has ever challenged his devotion to his country's interests nor questioned his ability as one of the really great lawyers and jurists of America. His service as Secretary of State and as a Justice of the Court which he now heads have been stepping stones toward his present exalted post. As the Chief Justice of the United States he is above and removed from party strife and there will be few, if any, who will concede that in naming him as the successor to Jay, Marshall, Chase, Fuller, and the other illustrious Americans who were his predecessors, President Hoover has made the best possible choice.

FARMERS MUST PULL TOGETHER

There are many different opinions on the subject of farm cooperatives as there are individual farmer members of them, almost. They range all the way from unstinted praise to bitter denunciation. Some will tell you they are good things for the farmer, others that they are ruining the farmer.

These differences of opinion are largely a matter of the point of view. That the cooperative movement does tend to impair the historic and cherished individualism of the farmer is true. For a cooperative to succeed all of its members must submit to standardization of their output, as to varieties, grades, time of harvesting and shipping and the like.

There is a type of mentality to which even such beneficial regulation of individual action is galling.

To that kind of farmers the Federal Farm Board program will appear ridiculous if not actually an invasion

policy of the Federal Government to give aid only to farmers organized into cooperative selling associations. There is no reason to doubt that the policy will be carried out until, in the course of a very few years, all of the products of the farm, except a few limited specialties, will be handled all the way from grower to consumer by farmer-owned cooperatives.

That is going to put great power in the hands of the organized farmers and leave the bitter-enders in an unpleasant position. Sooner or later the ultra-individualistic type of farmer will vanish, and agriculture all over the country will assume the aspect of other business, in which team-work is the essential element of success.

Doubtless the country will not have so many picturesque and hot-tempered "characters" on its farms, but doubtless, also, its farms will provide a better living and a larger surplus for their owners than most of them do now.

THE RACKETEER AND THE FARMER

The newest development in the field of crime is the so-called "racketeer." The racketeer is a man or a gang of men who prey upon small business men by demanding tribute for "protection." If the merchant approached declines to pay, something happens to his store some night; a bomb blows out the front window or his groceries are drenched with kerosene or some similar outrage makes him see the light. The next time the racketeer comes around, he pays.

The problem of the racketeer does not concern the big cities alone. One of the favorite hunting grounds of the racketeer is among the dealers in food-stuffs. It has been said that every crate of poultry, every can of milk, every bushel of garden produce that goes into New York or Chicago pays tribute to the racketeers. That may be exaggerated, but there is enough truth in it to make it hurt.

Everything that makes his food cost the city man more than he ought to pay is bad for the grower of food-stuffs. The producer gets a small enough percentage of what the consumer pays, as it is. The effort of the Federal Farm Board to reduce this "spread" and put a larger part of the consumer's dollar into the farmer's pocket will have to take the racketeer into account as well as the more or less legitimate middleman. With farmers owning their own marketing machinery, the ultimate retail distribution will still be through individual local dealers, especially in the fruit, vegetable, poultry and egg trades.

There is little doubt that, except for the racketeers, most food supplies can be, and eventually will be, sold in the larger cities for lower average prices than now prevail while at the same time the grower gets higher prices.

Uncle Si Tinklepaugh says he went into a place that called itself a "shoppe" the other day, and found out what the extra "pe" stood for. They meant "prices excessive."

One of the things we'd like to know is what has become of the automobile salesman who used to refer to every car as a "job."

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hlavaty, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Piwonka, and Mrs. G. W. Nesbitt returned Tuesday night from Caldwell, Texas, where they attended the funeral of Mrs. C. N. Schoppe, Saturday morning.

Some people fear our cities will be destroyed by bombs, but the danger of destruction from bombs who won't work appears to be greater.

Slaton Men Attend C. Of C. Meetings In Nearby Cities

Slaton has been represented at two Chamber of Commerce meetings in nearby towns during the past week.

On last Friday night, B. E. Payne and L. A. Wilson attended the membership meeting of the O'Donnell Chamber of Commerce, and on Tuesday night of this week, George G. Green, A. J. Payne, J. A. Elliott and L. A. Wilson represented Slaton at the annual banquet of the Plainview Chamber of Commerce, in Plainview. In each instance, an enjoyable program was given, and the Slaton men reported a pleasant visit in each of the two towns.

Sid Anderson transacted business in Lubbock Wednesday.

"Uncle" George Marriott accompanied the Lucille Elmore Company, Santa Fe entertainers, to Clovis, New Mexico, the first of this week where he enjoyed another performance by the company.

A Simple Autumn Dinner

Try this simple autumn dinner menu:
Deviled Eggs in Tomato Sauce
Mashed Potatoes
String Beans
Salad
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A Joke on the Cop

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AT THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Sabbath school meets at 10 a.m.
Morning worship at 11 a.m.
Y. P. S. C. E. at 5 p.m.
Evening service at 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer meeting at 7:30 p.m.

There will be a special service at the Presbyterian church Saturday evening, 7:30 p.m.

At this service we are to have with us George W. Fender, of Dallas, the Synodical Executive of the State, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Robson of Lubbock; Mr. Robison is the Field Worker in the Home Missions, Mrs. Aldredge of Amarillo, the president of the Presbyterian.

The program recommends itself to every one.

The pastor will preach at both services next Sunday. The public has a cordial welcome at all of these services.

James Rayburn, Pastor.

Miss Mae Murfee, County Superintendent, was a Slaton visitor Thursday, having visited the McClung school, and reporting nice progress being made on the new auditorium. Also that McClung and Posey will plant trees this Spring.

Miss Murfee also visited the West Ward school while in the city.

The children show wonderful self-reliance, except when they want some spending money.

The American people are said to be money mad, but more are mad because they can't get it.

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Shower
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 They adjourned by singing "Mammy Moon," one of their Campfire songs. The next joint meeting will be a hike to the canyon next month.

Young People's Class Meets Sunday Evening
 The Church of Christ Young People's Class will meet Sunday evening at 6:45 o'clock.
 The subject is "The Patriarchal Period" continued, with the following program:
 Leader—Levoy Campbell
 Song leader—Carl Self
 Scripture reader—Modine Wiseman
 Scripture—Gen. 37: 12-28
 Everyone that can attend are urged to be present, as the lessons are very interesting.

Mrs. L. T. Garland Needle Club Hostess
 The Blue Bonnet Needle Club was entertained by Mrs. L. T. Garland Wednesday afternoon at her home on West Lynn Street. After the business session a very enjoyable afternoon was spent in sewing and conversation. Delicious refreshments were served.
 The next meeting will be with Mrs. T. A. Kirby, on West Panhandle Ave. At this time regular election of officers for the ensuing year will be held.

HOSPITAL NEWS
 Jan. 29th-Feb. 3th
 Mrs. S. R. Stitt admitted Jan. 29th for treatments, released. Mrs. Elmo Searcy admitted Feb. 1st, major operation, released. Doing fine. Joe Brennen, of Amarillo, admitted Feb. 1st, pneumonia. Doing fine. William J. Klattenhoff Jr. admitted Feb. 2, minor operation, released. Doing fine. Mrs. J. C. Powers admitted Feb. 3rd, minor operation, released. Doing fine. C. L. Alexander, accident case, admitted Feb. 9th, died Feb. 11. Senorita Pounse, of Post, admitted Feb. 9th, double pneumonia and obstetrical case. Miss Dale Cooper admitted Feb. 10th, for treatment.
 Miss Effie Hamilton, of Wilson, admitted Feb. 10th, major operation. Master Kenneth Young, of Southland, admitted Feb. 11th, major operation. Mrs. F. W. Smith admitted Feb. 12th, major operation.
 T. V. Savage, of Posey, admitted Feb. 13th for treatments. R. L. Thompson, admitted Feb. 13th, for minor operation. Those receiving weekly treatments: Mrs. Paul Owens, Mrs. S. R. Stitt and Mrs. H. S. Riggs.

ACUFF NEWS NOTES
 Acuff won the loving cup in the Basketball County tournament of Class B, held at the Tech gym Friday and Saturday. They had a close game with Bledsoe, their last contestant. We feel proud of their victory, also their coach, J. W. Mallard. If our boys win next year they will have the cup for "keeps," having been the County winners last year.
 Our girls' team has played some good games this year and their tournament will begin the last of this week and finish next Friday and Saturday.

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 A chartered training school for nurses is conducted in connection with the sanitarium.

A number of our farmers are pretty well through with their listing.
 E. N. Cummins is Levelland breaking sod, on the farm he has purchased there. Mr. Cummins expects to move to Levelland this fall.
 A correction is necessary regarding the report of twins in the Clark Askew family. Mr. and Mrs. Askew have one little girl born to them. Not two.
 Mr. and Mrs. Herman Reynolds have a new baby in their home. Born Sunday, Feb. 9th.
 Mr. F. A. Hawkins markets his whole milk daily at Slaton. Mr. Floyd Pearson, of near Lorenzo, also markets his milk at Slaton. Looks

like we need a milk route out this way.
 We are urged by the "high ups" in marketing Associations to cut the acreage of cotton as well as plant a better staple, if we expect any better price. But it does not look like our people are going to cut the acreage. Tractors are being purchased. Every little corner of pasture land is being plowed up for planting. This is a Farm Bureau community too.

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Fire Girls Entertained Fri.
 Bob-Son-Gee Campfire girls given a delightful Masquerade and Dance on Friday evening, Feb. 7th, by their guardian, Mrs. Anderson and their assistant, Mrs. C. L. Pack, Miss Sanders and Miss Hazel Mangum.
 Games were played. The interesting was a suitcase game, whose sides and then one from the suitcase, ran to the end of the room, opened the suitcase, which contained wearing apparel and put the garments on. The girl who took the things off, put them in the suitcase and gave it to the girl on their side. Virginia's side won by about two minutes.
 The girls also enjoyed dancing to music from the radio.

the Call that came at Midnight

An icy gust of February wind ruffled down the dark stairway, and the pages of the telephone book on the landing, and its chill breath easily caught Robert McBain's thin mustache.
 McBain glared angrily into the telephone shivered, sneezed. "Listen!" he interrupted impatiently, "there's really not much we can do about it until morning, is there? Suppose you ring then!"
 He rattled the receiver on the hook and plodded back upstairs to the bedroom.
 "Calling me at midnight!" snapped. "That's nerve for you. And . . . and now . . . warning twitches assailed McBain's nostrils and again . . .
 . . . and now," he finished wearily, "I guess I'll have a cold for the rest of the winter."
 Beneath comfortable covers, his wife stirred sympathetically. "I've always said," she began drowsily, "that we needed
 Yes, I know!" broke in her husband. "An extension telephone in here. And mark my words, tomorrow we'll have one, to be sure!"



He rattled the receiver on the book

Manager, Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., City.
 I'd like to know how to get more value out of my telephone service. Please send me free, a copy of your booklet, "Modern Telephone Service for the Home."
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 Address _____

telephones where you need to save time, patience, inconvenience—sometimes, strange as it may seem, prevent colds. Few know that the extra cost of one or two "extensions" is less than that of the telephone they now have. A wisely-placed "extension" or two, and perhaps a rearrangement of the equipment already have, an expert telephone man can often double the usefulness of the telephone in your home.

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| COFFEE | Maxwell House 3 Pound Can | 1.09 |
| SYRUP | Farmer Boy-Ribbon Cane-Gallon | .73 |
| LARD | Cream O Cotton 16 Pound Pail | 1.95 |
| FLOUR | Gold Crown 48 Pound Sack | 1.57 |
| SALMON | Brookdale Tall Can | .15 |
| SPINACH | Hunts Supreme No. 2 Can | .14 |
| COCOA | Hersheys One Pound | .28 |
| HOMINY | Van Camps Medium Can | 07 1/2 |
| KRAUT | Van Camps Medium Can | .09 |
| CORN | Libby's Country Gentlemen No. 2 Can-2 For | .25 |
| GREEN BEANS | Happy Vale No. 2 Can | 12 1/2 |
| PEAS | Harts Early June No. 2 Can | .17 |
| CORN FLAKES | Kelloggs Per Package | .11 |
| PEACHES | Hunts Staple-No. 2 1-2 Can Packed in Heavy Syrup | .22 |
| PINEAPPLE | Hunts Supreme Crushed No. 1 Flat Can | 12 1/2 |
| BORAX | Washing Powder Large Package | .18 |
| JELLO | The Nation's Desert 3 Package | .25 |

Market Specials

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| PORK ROAST | Shoulder Per Pound | .20 |
| CHEESE | Longhorn Per Pound | .28 |
| PORK SAUSAGE | Fresh Per Pound | .20 |
| STEW MEAT | Per Pound | .17 |



Scene from Florenz Ziegfeld's "Glorifying the American Girl" A Paramount Picture with Mary Eaton

Ziegfeld Picture Lavish In Beauty; Scores Great Hit

Ziegfeld's "Glorifying the American Girl" will open at the Palace Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 16, 17 and 18, in all the gorgeous splendor that one would expect from any production, stage or screen, bearing the magic name of Florenz Ziegfeld.

With many of its spectacle scenes reproduced in full colors by the improved Technicolor Process, with scores of stunningly beautiful girls in the singing and dancing ensembles, with lavish settings, with comedy, drama and a heart-gripping story this moving panorama of womanly pulchritude moves across the all-talking silver screen in a continual parade of highly absorbing amusement.

Mary Eaton, dancing star of Ziegfeld shows on Broadway, and lately the leading woman in "The Cocoanuts" with the Four Marx Brothers on the talking screen, is the ambitious young dancer who finally makes good and becomes a glorified beauty with Ziegfeld following a series of glamorous experiences. She is adequately supported by Dan Healy, Edward Crandall, Olive Shea, Kaye Renard and Sarah Edwards—all of them well-known Broadway performers.

In a special revue scene—a show within the big show—audiences are treated to the inimitable performances of Eddie Cantor, who appears in a hilarious skit; Helen Morgan, who sings a typical blues song; and Rudy Vallee, who croons in the best Vallee manner, accompanied by his band.

It is all too gorgeous to attempt a description in this limited space. But it is a safe bet that anyone who sees and hears "Glorifying the American Girl," will be a Ziegfeld fan from then on. It is a perfectly marvelous entertainment.

New Hope News.

Sunday School Report: Collection \$1.68, Chapters 124. Number Present 58. Visitors 1.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Eoff and children were visitors in the A. M. Campbell home Saturday.

Mrs. J. N. Townsend and daughter spent Thursday afternoon in the H. B. Phillips home.

Mrs. C. W. Falkenberg visited school Friday and called on Mrs. Townsend after school.

The following ladies attended the Short Course: Mesdames O. A. Mathews, F. G. Grawunder, A. P. Timms, L. E. Simms, Annie Hazlip and Miss Zeldia Parkhill.

A. Z. MacDougal and wife visited E. D. Harvey and family Sunday.

J. C. Thomas from Carlisle filled his appointment here morning and evening Sunday. The morning subject was "Faithfulness" and the evening subject was "The Parable of the Talents."

A. Z. MacDougal, former Church clerk, resigned since he has moved from the community and Joe Schramm was elected to take his place.

L. C. Boyd Jr. and wife have moved out on Mrs. S. A. Wylies farm where he will farm another year.

Mrs. Annie Hazlip entertained the following friends Sunday in honor of her daughter's birthday, Mr. and

Mrs. E. T. Bryant and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Timms and son George Seale, Mrs. Kelly Henry and son, Miss Inez Agee, Miss Rona Schramm and Claude Cooper of Slaton.

Mrs. J. A. Cooksey assisted Mrs. J. A. Taylor in canning a beef Tuesday. Mrs. C. Z. Fine spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lilly and family at Slaton.

Thetis Taylor and Glen Richardson went to Lubbock Sunday afternoon to visit Lewis Richardson and family.

J. D. Havens was at J. O. Hurleys selling cows Friday.

Ross Prather and family, J. A. Cooksey and family and Ivy Griffin visited in the J. A. Taylor home Sunday.

Our basketball girls won their share of the games during the tournament. Miss Inez Agee, their coach, has worked faithfully with them.

Mrs. J. A. Taylor canned beef for Mrs. Martha Ehle Friday of last week.

Clay Richardson and family, Cecil Richardson and family, went to Lovie Motes Friday night to a radio party.

Theresa Taylor spent Sunday with Myrel Carter.

S. D. Stewart, Mrs. C. Z. Fine, Mrs. Annie Hazlip and son Joe attended the Farmers' Banquet.

Miss Fay Kerley spent the week end with her uncle and aunt at Lubbock.

About half of our 4-H boys and girls went to Lubbock Tuesday night to take part in the program.

Lee Hays spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Eoff.

A. O. Graydon and wife were calling on folks here last week.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Bailey are having the measles.

J. C. Thomas and little daughter, Raymond Wylie and wife were dinner guests in the S. D. Pate home Sunday.

Mrs. F. G. Grawunder went to Posey Thursday to attend the Lutheran Aid which met in the home of Mrs. Paul Stolle.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Eoff spent Sunday with H. B. Phillis and family.

C. W. Fakenberg and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Grawunder and family.

J. V. Lemmons and family went to New Hope Sunday to visit Arthur Shrader and family.

Cecil Richardson and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clay Richardson.

Allene Cooksey, Thetis and Theresa Taylor visited Mrs. Heffner of Lubbock Tuesday night.

Willys-Overland Maintains Network Of Service Stations

All Employees Schooled In Efficient Methods By Factory Instructors.

With its nationwide network of dealers, distributors and authorized service stations, the Willys-Overland Company has one of the largest and most efficient organizations in the automobile industry serving the four major price classes. Every station is equipped to render service on cars from the lowest price class, represented by the Whippet Four, to the luxury car class, in which the Willys-Knight Great Six dominates. To facilitate the handling of re-

placement parts, hundreds of parts distributing stations are operated through the factory branches and distributors. These distributing stations are located at strategic points, thus guarding against unnecessary delay when replacement parts are needed.

The vast Willys-Overland dealer organization, with modern, fully equipped service stations in every section, has proved a great aid to tourists who find they are never more than a short distance from some factory representative.

All employees in the service departments of Willys-Overland's dealer organization are thoroughly schooled in the type of workmanship necessary to render expert service to motor car owners. Special training courses have been worked out by the service department at the factory in Toledo, Ohio, and are made part of the working equipment of the dealer organization.

Traveling service men conduct schools for the service and sales departments in all parts of the country and give special courses to salesmen in order that they may be thoroughly versed in the mechanical features of the cars they represent. These educational aids are furthered by the distribution of charts and other material, which maintains the Willys-Overland service sections operating on a highly efficient basis.

"Health Again, All Thanks To Famed Konjola"

Stomach Ailment Of Seven Years Standing Quickly Yields To Power Of New Medicine.



MRS. MARY BRANDON

"For seven years I was the helpless victim of stomach trouble of the worst sort," said Mrs. Mary Brandon, 5889 Maffit street, St. Louis. "It did not matter what I ate, belching and often vomiting spells followed the simplest meal. The gas so pressed against my heart that I became short of breath and faint. Sour hot liquids seared my throat until the heartburn was often frightful. I grew weak and lost weight and strength. No medicine I tried helped me.

"Day by day and week by week after I began with Konjola, my system improved. The gas no longer forms in my stomach now and the bloated sensation has passed. I have an excellent appetite and can eat a hearty meal without the least discomfort. The pains of heartburn are a thing of the past. I have gained weight and energy

Run-Down

"About seven years ago, I was all run-down, worn-out and never felt good," says Mrs. Harry Cantrell, of Cape Girardeau, Mo. "A chair would be more welcome any time than my work."

"I was so tired when I would arise in the morning. Instead of being rested, I felt terrible.

"At last, mother told me to take Cardui, and I did. After the first bottle, I could tell a difference, and when I had taken five bottles the tired feeling was all gone. I felt like a different person, thanks to Cardui. I hope that other mothers will try Cardui. I have been wonderfully benefited by it."

Try Cardui for your troubles.



and my friends remark upon the change in my appearance. I can never express my gratitude for the relief which this great medicine brought me."

Konjola is sold in Slaton at the Red Cross Pharmacy and by all the best druggists in all town throughout this entire section.

News Of Union

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Patterson and family visited Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sedgwick and family, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. O'dell and family of Lubbock spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Larson.

Miss Ruth Johnson of Slaton was the Sunday guest of Miss Louise Young.

Miss Ruth Johnson, Mr. Wright Johnson, and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McRae were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Peterson, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris entertained the young people of the community with a party Saturday night. There was a large crowd there and every one seemed to have had a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett Jones and son of Slaton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Berry Sunday afternoon.

There was a small attendance at the Sunday School Sunday morning on account of the disagreeable weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rigger of Slaton were the guests of Mrs. Rigger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Eklund, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cade, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cade, and Mr. V. L. Cade returned the latter part of last week from Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Myers went to Lubbock Saturday to see the Girls' Basketball Tournament, which was the ending of the Class C Tournament.

BIG BUILDING PROGRAM FOR YEAR OF 1930

According to Secretary Lamont, we are to have a record year for building as respects public works and construction by public utilities. It is expected that \$7,000,000,000 will be spent in these two fields. These vast projects will call for heavy orders for raw material and equipment. The steel industry should thrive.

The United States is outgrowing an age of old fashioned development and growing into one of modern construc-

tion. The period since the war has developed many new ideas for saving labor, saving space, providing comfort and efficient work.

The federal, state, and local governments, and all forms of public service and industrial business need this new equipment. Business benefits so much by these new features that it can well afford to spend billions on modernization. The Southwestern Bell Telephone has increased its budget by \$12,000,000 over 1929, this means an expenditure of approximately \$52,000,000 for 1930. This covers the southwestern. The Nation's Road Builders prepare for a \$2,000,000,000 Highway Program. The Gas companies have prepared a budget that is estimated close to \$500,000,000, which is an increase of 6 per cent over 1929, and an additional \$50,000,000 to maintain existing service facilities.

The Santa Fe has a mammoth appropriation for 1930.

The Texas Utilities anticipate the expenditure of large sums in this territory, in extensions and betterment.

All this augurs well for the country at large and the South Plains in particular. The prospects are very inviting to the home owner and prospect, as well as the farmer now located here, and those that wish to make this section their home, for we have a most wonderful soil, the climatic conditions are second to none. The Santa Fe covers this section with

NEW SPRING CLOTHES

Just received a big shipment of tailor-made suits and are offering a very low price.

Come in and let us suit you out to foot. We sell everything that wears. Just received new spring Hats, Shoes, Neckwear, Underwear. In fact everything that men wear. DRESS and work. Priced right. Quality guaranteed.

O. Z. BALL & Co.

"Pay Less and Dress Better"

Advertisement for the "Hollywood Revue of 1929" at the Lindsey Lubbock. The ad features a large illustration of a woman in a showgirl costume and a crowd of people. Text includes: "Lindsey Lubbock 4 DAYS Starting Sunday Feb. 16th", "Hollywood Revue of 1929", "25 FAMOUS STARS", "Chorus of 200 Beautiful Girls—The Stage And Screen's Best Voices", "See And Hear These Famous Stars—John Gilbert—Joan Crawford—Mary Davies—William Haines—Norma Shearer—Buster Keaton—And 19 Others", "Also Talking Comedy And Sound News 4-Days Starting Sunday".

S. R. Cade Is Laid To Rest Near Old Home

S. R. Cade was laid to rest at Cross Plains, Texas, February 4th, 1930, at 4 p.m. near his old home and vicinity in which he lived for many years.

He was born in 1866 in Mississippi following the Civil War. His father came to Texas in 1869 after losing his slaves and suffering financial difficulties. He came to Galveston by water thence by rail to Weatherford, then to Palo Pinto by ox-wagon. The family settled in Erath county for ten years. In 1879 they moved to Eastland county settling about eight miles northeast of Cross Plains, this being the frontier of Texas, where hardships, loneliness and bad men were plentiful. Cattle raising was the chief industry in those days, there being open range for all stockmen. The overland trail was the only means to market their stock Fort Worth being the first trading point, at a distance of 140 miles, supplies were hauled from there by ox-teams.

Mr. Cade bought land near the old home place in 1892. He married Miss Ida Bell Baker and there they made their home for several years. Later he bought land near Cross Plains. He reared a family of eight children, four boys and four girls, all are now married with the exception of one.

In 1914 he bought and improved a nice home in the old Scott and Robertson pasture, south of Slaton.

Mr. Cade was a lover of out-of-door life, and was especially fond of fishing and big game hunting, making it possible to go on a fishing trip each summer with Mrs. Cade and the children. When the deer season opened in the Fall, his friends recall hearing him state that he did not let work interfere with his hunting. The evidence of those hunting trips are many sets of mounted deer horns which he had bagged from time to time, and in the Fall of '26 while hunting in the Davis Mountains, he had the pleasure of bagging a black bear.

He was a man that lived a clean life, always ready to accommodate a friend or neighbor. He was a friend to everyone, "to know him was to love him."

Mr. Cade was 64 years of age and besides his family he leaves an aged Mother, 88 years of age, four sisters and three brothers.

He was buried by the Masons of Cross Plains, among whom he learned Masonry. The pallbearers were all neighbors and friends of long standing.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. S. R. Cade, four sons, and four daughters, Mrs. Jim Barr of Cross Plains, Mrs. Lou Davidson and A. M. Cade of Wilson, H. N., R. M. and V. L. Cade all of Slaton, Mrs. C. J. Russell and Miss Corine Cade of Nimrod; three brothers and four sisters, C. H. Cade of

Jayton, Robert and S. C. Cade of Nimrod, Mrs. Rosie Beal and Mrs. R. L. Kent of Sweetwater, Mrs. R. L. Brooks of Rising Star and Mrs. E. E. Booth of Farwell.

The active pallbearers were John Barr, Ches Barr, Charlie Barr, Davis Montgomery, John Boothe, S. F. Bond, all of Cross Plains, B. W. Webb of Burkett and Will Armstrong of Nimrod. Honorary pallbearers included Sam Webb, Ton Bruse, W. A. McGowen, Sam Barr, Jim Swan, A. Ogilvy, Charlie McDermitt, Jeff Clark, Tom Anderson, Ben Pearce, John Lee, Cliff Westerman, all of Cross Plains, Ed Lane of Rising Star, Sam Erwin, J. B. Shook and Lias Kent of Nimrod.

Was Almost In Despair, She Says

Lubbock Carpenter's Wife In Miserable Health For Over Year—Gains Daily On Orgatone

"I was almost in despair and did not know which way to turn for relief when some friends told me about Orgatone and I honestly believe the medicine has done me more real good than anything else I have ever tried," said Mrs. C. A. Anderson, wife of a well known carpenter and residing at 1416 Eighth Street, Lubbock, Texas, while in the drug store.

"About a year ago," continued Mrs. Anderson, "I started having pains in my back and this seemed to be the beginning of serious trouble for me. I soon got so I couldn't eat without suffering severe pains in the pit of my stomach. Gas would form causing intense pains in my back, and some times I would have awful headaches. I kept getting worse until almost everything disagreed with me and I could not rest at night. I tried everything, but kept going down until it looked like nothing would ever reach my case. I was so nervous and restless at night I could hardly sleep at all. I would lay awake half the night and get up in the morning feeling about half alive.

"A number of my friends advised me to try Orgatone and, oh, I'm so glad now I did, for as I said, it has done me a world of good. I began to feel better with my first dose, it seem-

ed to soothe and strengthen me. My stomach and my appetite has improved until now I can eat just anything other people can. My suffering is all gone and my back doesn't bother me like it did. My sleep is sound and restful and I wake up in the morning feeling fine and full of vigor. I can do my house work with ease now and I can't say too much in praise of Orgatone for its wonderful work in my case."

Genuine Orgatone may be bought in Slaton at the Teague Drug Store.

Backache

If functional Bladder Irritation disturbs your sleep, or causes Burning or Itching Sensation, Backache, Leg Pains, or muscular aches, making you feel tired, depressed, and discouraged, why not try the Cystex 48 Hour Test? Don't give up. Get Cystex today. Put it to the test. See for yourself how quickly it works and what it does. Money back if it doesn't bring quick improvement, and satisfy you completely. Try Cystex today. Only 60c. Catching Drug Store.

No. 2.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Overtures were made this week by Congressman Marvin Jones, of Texas, to secure a more liberal interpretation of the service connection features of the veterans Act now in force. This information was obtained from reliable sources which stated that the Texan was working in conjunction with other members who have been vitally interested in Veteran Legislation.

The reason for the move is given that at the present time World War Veterans are unable to secure hospitalization and compensation because

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of the time limits of the existing laws with regard to service connection. The result has been, it was pointed out, that many tubercular, mental, heart and constitutional diseased veterans are not getting treatment or compensation.

When questioned as to his activities along these lines Congressman Jones stated that he has on file numerous cases of veterans who because of the existing laws are unable to obtain proper care or compensation. He added that in many instances these veterans, because of their disability, are unable to earn their own livelihood and need assistance from the government.

A whitish yellow western sky after sunset-brings rain in the night or following day.

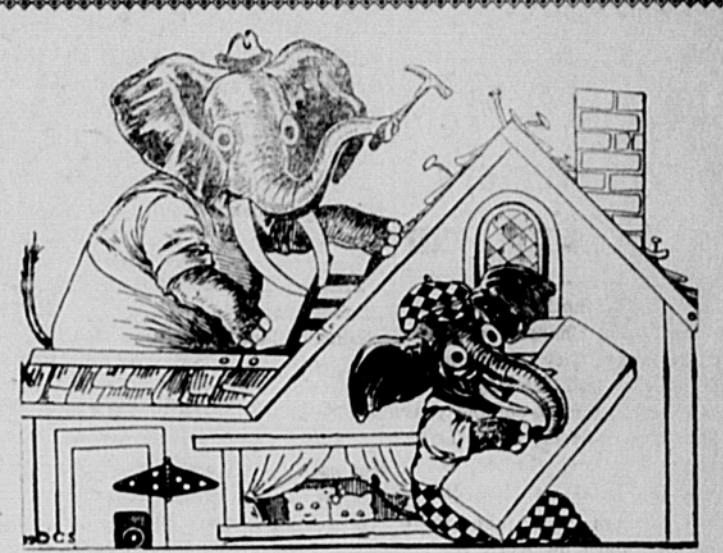
If it rains and the sun in shining at the same time, the devil is whipping his wife and it will surely rain tomorrow.

If it clears off during the night, it will rain again shortly.

Sun drawing water, sure sign of rain.

When a heavy cloud comes up in the southwest and seems to settle back, look out for a storm.

The Union Store
THE BIGGEST LITTLE STORE ON THE PLAINS
Groceries, Gas, Tires and Tubes.
A Good Place to Trade.



Building Business

If you are in the Building Business come in and see and PRICE our BUILDER'S Hardware and you will BUY it.

We have built our business by carrying the BEST hardware we can get and selling it for as LOW a PRICE as can be put on good goods.

Our Hardware's Best; it stands the TEST

SLATON HARDWARE CO.
Slaton, Texas

If Your Gas Bill Spoke

Perhaps it would justify its existence in the following language:

"I kept a family of four warm and comfortable for 30 days.

I cooked three meals a day for four persons for 30 days—90 meals in all.

I kept on hand a supply of hot water for washing, shaving and baths for four weeks.

I boiled clothes once a week for four weeks.

I saved, as compared to other fuels, at least two hours a day in the kitchen for 30 days—60 in all.

I saved in cleaning and laundry bills and damage to furnishings by the smoke and soot that would have resulted from the use of other fuels.

I saved the time and trouble of ordering fuel, storing and handling, cleaning stoves, making fires and emptying ashes.

I was ready to serve you at any time, night or day, heat was needed.

And now I am ready and anxious to serve you again and to retain your everlasting goodwill."

WEST TEXAS GAS CO.

ANNOUNCEMENT!
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THIS NEW PRICE MAKES THE WHIPPET THE LOWEST PRICED OF ALL 4-DOOR SEDANS
It is Willys-Overland's 1930 contribution to economical transportation, an impressive reduction on a great car with a great future.....
1930 Whippet
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...work of the best...
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...Tommy...
...a house...
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Political Announcements

The Slatonite has been authorized to announce the following persons as candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary July 26, 1930.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2—
J. T. PINKSTON, of Slaton.
(Re-election)

For Tax Collector—
A. J. CLARK, of Lubbock.
(Re-election)

For County Tax Assessor—
A. B. ELLIS
(Re-election)

For County Superintendent of School—
MAE MURFEE
(Re-election)

**C. of C. and BCD
Elect Directors
Coming Year**

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce and Board of City Development, held at the city hall Monday night, five new directors for the coming year were elected, as follows: E. R. Legg, R. D. Hickman, P. G. Stokes, B. E. Payne and Dr. M. C. Overton, Jr.

These five men will take their places on the board on April 16, replacing five whose terms will expire at that time. The five directors who will retire in April, are: J. W. Hood, R. P. Burks, M. W. Uzzell, A. J. Payne and O. Z. Ball.

Officers of the board will be elected later.

**Retail Mer. Ass'n.
Will Meet Mon. Nite**

The Retail Merchants Association will meet Monday evening, February 17th, at the secretary's office, according to Mrs. Lee Green, secretary.

All newly elected and retiring directors are requested to be present at 7:30 o'clock.

**Slaton Basketeers
Beat Ropesvillers**

The Slaton High Tigers and the Tigris sextet defeated the two cage teams from Ropesville High School here last Friday night in a dual engagement at the high school gymnasium. The Tigers won, 53 to 23, and the girls, 32 to 20. It was the second time this season that the Slaton teams have taken victories from the Ropesville cagers.

**4th Annual Lawn
Contest Planned**

Slaton's fourth annual "Pretty Lawn Contest" will be held this year, according to announcement made yesterday by officials of the Chamber of Commerce. Full details of the contest will be announced within a short time, but it is believed now the rules and general plan of the contest will be virtually the same as last year.

Officers of the Slaton Chamber have expressed the hope that Slaton

**RUPTURE
EXPERT HERE**

C. F. Redlich, Minneapolis, Minn., nationally famous Rupture Appliance Expert, will demonstrate without charge his unequalled method at

**LUBBOCK
Sun.-Mon., Feb. 23-24**

at the Lubbock Hotel from 10 A.M. to 3 p.m.

Mr. C. F. Redlich says: The "Perfect Retention Shields" hold the rupture perfectly, no matter what position the body assumes or how heavy a weight you lift. They give instant relief and contract the opening in a remarkably short time.

The secret of their success is in their simplicity. An expertly adjusted device seals the opening without discomfort or detention from work. It is practically everlasting, sanitary, comfortable and actually holds ruptures which heretofore were considered uncontrollable.

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Doctor J. W. Seaver, for many years in charge of the Physical Education of the students of Yale College, has recorded 75 per cent cures with this system.

Mr. Redlich is internationally known and speaks English, German and Spanish.

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(Feb. 14-21st)**

residents will proceed with plans to enter the contest by starting immediately on improvements for their lawns. Shade trees, flowers, shrubs, and grass should have attention during the next few weeks. It is hoped a large number of trees will be put out by homeowners here.

Since the lawn contest was started in 1927, rapid improvement in the appearance of Slaton has been seen, even the stranger and visitor to the city commenting frequently upon Slaton's remarkable development in civic beautification, according to Chamber of Commerce leaders in the work.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Z. B. Dally, pastor.
January 16. All regular services will be held, 9.45 a.m. Bible school, 11.00 a.m. preaching and communion, 6:30 p.m. Christian Endeavor 7:30. Brother Jasper Bogue will begin an Evangelistic meeting. The general public is invited to attend all these meetings. In spite of the sand storm, we had good audiences last Sunday with four additions.

FOR RENT—Three room furnished apartment. Inquire 230-So. 10th Street. 28-1tp.

SHADE TREES: Chinese elms 8 by 12 foot size, 75c. Also few Evergreens. Plant Now. 850 West Crosby Street. 28-2tp.

20,000 ACRE RANCH FOR \$50,000. (Half Deeded, Half Leased) Not sandy, well watered, grassed and fenced. Owner wants to sell this to buy good 640 near Slaton, at actual value. No inflation goes.—D. E. Shambaugh, Clovis, New Mexico. 28-3tc.

WANTED—Scrap Iron—Will pay 10c per hundred delivered at Slaton—Slaton Auto Salvage Co., Slaton, Tex. 28-1tp.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of showing our appreciation to our friends, for their kindness and help during the illness and death of our dear husband and father. Also for the beautiful floral offerings. May God's richest blessings rest upon each of you.
Mrs. S. R. Cade and Children.

CARD OF THANKS

To our friends, the Fire Boy's, W. B. Hestand and the employees of the Wholesale Grocery Co. The personnel of Mercy Hospital, the good neighbors who served dinner for us, and for the many beautiful floral offerings, for you all we express our appreciation and thanks for the kindly ministrations, in the loss of our husband and son.
Mrs. Lorene Alexander and Children.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Alexander and Family.

We Clean Clothes and KEEP the smell. Phone 16, O. Z. Ball & Co. 28-1tc.

FOR SALE OR RENT—6-room modern residence on Garza St. Apply to J. H. Brewer. 10-1fc

TAKE NOTICE HOME OWNERS! We are prepared to install a complete set of standard plumbing fixtures in your home on terms of 10 per cent down and the balance in equal installments of from 5 to 24 months time 19-1fc
WOOLEVER PLUMBING CO.

LAND TO TRADE—One farm of 147 acres, with 100 acres in cultivation and fenced, located between Rottan and Hamlin, within two miles of Royston, Fisher County. 160 acres located 11 miles South-west of Bledsoe, will trade this place clear for Slaton property.
For Rent, one six room modern house, located at 850—South 12th street, near the High school.
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