

Fair Booster Trip Was Postponed

The auto trip, which was scheduled for today by Slaton business men, to be made over Slaton's trade territory, for the purpose of advertising the Slaton Community Fair, was postponed on account of roads traversing parts of the route having been reported as almost impassable, according to Secretary-Manager of the Fair, J. J. Ross.

Mr. Ross states the trip will be made Tuesday of next week if weather and road conditions permit, and the same itinerary will be carried out as was arranged for today's trip.

All arrangements have been made for one of the most successful fairs Slaton has ever had, according to Mr. Ross, who adds that farmers are giving splendid co-operation, which is always necessary for the success of a fair, and there is no doubt but that Slaton Community Fair will go over this year in big shape.

Custer in Dallas; Sends Back Keaton Film

Jeff Custer has been in Dallas this week, transacting business with film corporations, and while there he is sending back what is very probably the funniest film of the season.

Word received by the Slatonite from Mr. Custer gives positive evidence that this film, "Seven Chances," is, beyond doubt, the best of Buster's Keaton's productions.

Read the large advertisement of "Seven Chances" appearing elsewhere in this issue of the Slatonite, then see the picture Friday and Saturday at the Custer Theatre.

Oil Mill Ready in Thirty Days

J. D. Leverett, who is superintending the construction of the Dean & Webb Cotton Seed Oil mill in Slaton, informs The Slatonite that the mill will be ready for operation within the next thirty days, or in plenty of time for handling the seed of the coming cotton crop.

The mill is being constructed with sufficient power and floor space for eight presses, but there are only four presses being installed at present, Mr. Leverett states. These, however, have a capacity for handling eighty tons of seed daily, and there will be storage capacity of five thousand tons.

Last Thursday night the seed house, in its incompleteness, was partially damaged by wind, but the damage was not great, and was soon overcome, Mr. Leverett says.

First Christian Church To Erect New Building

Committees from the membership of the First Christian church of Slaton are conducting a campaign for the raising of funds to be used in the erection of a church building, which is to be located on their lots near the Mayben blacksmith shop. Excavation for the foundation of the building is expected to begin the latter part of this week.

Those in charge of the fund-raising campaign are meeting with hearty encouragement and assistance, and it is expected that sufficient funds will be subscribed without burdens having been placed upon anyone.

Sewer Extension Work Nearing Completion

James J. Powers, resident engineer for the Gantt-Baker company, engineers, who has had supervision of the sewer extension work in Slaton, reports that the sewer work will be completed and ready for final test the latter part of this week.

Rain Didn't Hurt Cotton Crop County Agent Reports

Mr. D. F. Eaton, county agent, today stated to a representative of the Avalanche that he did not believe the recent continued rains would materially damage the yield of the cotton, however, he said there would probably be some damage from rot to the bolls. The rain has benefited in that it has checked the ravages of the leaf worm. The worms were commencing to do serious damage in sections south of here, but as yet have done no great damage here.—Lubbock Avalanche.

TENTATIVE ROUTE OF SANTA FE FROM POST TO FORT WORTH



Proposed 250 mile branch of the Santa Fe from Post to Fort Worth, surveys for which are being made by crews working eastward from Post. While the route has not been definitely fixed reports are that the engineers are headed for Stamford in Jones County, and the finally selected route would not be much different from the one shown here. The route provides the shortest way to the Plains from Fort Worth, but request for a permit to build will not be sent to the Interstate Commerce Commission until the survey is further advanced.—

(Photo, Courtesy of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram.)

LUBBOCK OFFICERS RECOVER ELROD'S STOLEN FURNITURE

The furniture, valued at \$145, which last week was bought from J. W. Elrod through misrepresentation, and was the following night carried out of Slaton, was recovered Tuesday by members of the Lubbock police force, and turned back to Mr. Elrod.

The furniture was found in a Lubbock rooming house, according to reports, and a woman there pleaded guilty to charges of obtaining it through false statements, together with a man charged with being an accomplice.

Reports are to the effect that the couple are being held over awaiting action of the grand jury.

It is also said that this couple was wanted at Brownfield and Plainview for similar stunts, and that the goods were hauled in a Ford touring car.



CLAUDE MILLER

Claude Miller, Assistant Secretary-Manager of the Oak Cliff-Dallas Commercial Association, who has accepted the secretaryship of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Miller will take up his work here next Monday.

(Photo Courtesy of the Dallas News)

Will Move Furniture To Robertson Building

Monday of next week the Elrod new and second-hand furniture business will be moved from its present location south of The Slatonite office to the Robertson building in the compartment formerly occupied by the Payne Dry Goods, according to an announcement of J. W. Elrod, the manager.

The move is to be made, Mr. Elrod states, for the purpose of getting more floor space, thereby enabling him to carry a large stock of furniture, and to have it better displayed for the convenience of his customers.

In the service department of this business, C. H. Elrod, an experienced furniture man, has been added. He will have charge of all repairing, laying of linoleum, etc.

Slaton's Dream of Direct Rail Line To Fort Worth To Be Realized

Slaton's dream of a direct railroad connection to Fort Worth and Dallas is about to be realized. This is a goal which the people of this city and section have striven for these past few years, and now their efforts are about to be rewarded and their hopes realized.

In the past Slaton has appointed committees, sent out propaganda, made pilgrimage over the proposed route and to Fort Worth, working in cooperation with other committees to see the realization of this gigantic enterprise which will mean so much to Slaton and the entire Plains country.

W. B. Storey of Chicago, president of the Santa Fe lines, last week officially announced that his company has two surveying crews in the field working eastward out of Post. Their object is to ascertain the most feasible route, and when that is determined the work of getting right of way will begin, to be followed by the actual work of constructing the line.

The big part that Slaton will play in this enterprise is that our city will be the real western terminal of the road, since here is located the shops, roundhouse and other division point facilities.

The road will intersect the Sweetwater to Amarillo line probably just below Post City, in order to avoid the difficulty of climbing the cap rock a second time, and for the further reason that this route will necessitate crossing but one canyon on the east, whereas a more northern route would necessitate crossing two canyons. But the point of intersection will have nothing to do with the western terminals, for it is certain that the Santa Fe will not construct another division point between Slaton and Sweetwater.

This means that Slaton will become a passenger division point, whereas she is now only a division point for freight traffic. This further will mean increasing the Slaton facilities for the new line, a larger payroll and increased commercial and industrial activity.

The Santa Fe has long had big things in store for Slaton, and Slaton has always been friendly to the Santa Fe and its every interest. This is Santa Fe territory, and Slaton has fought to keep it Santa Fe territory.

The time has come when every citizen of Slaton must do his duty. The time is here for cooperation. Only men and women of vision, broadmindedness and moved by a spirit of civic pride can find in this big movement the opportunity for accomplishment.

Last Friday the Fort Worth Record had the following to say editorially regarding the new road:

ANOTHER TRUNK RAILROAD LOOMS

The prospect of still another trunk line railroad looms, as W. B. Storey, president of the Santa Fe, acknowledges that the Santa Fe is running

two surveys for a railroad to be built from Post City to Fort Worth. Post City is a Santa Fe station on the Plains, 40 miles south of Lubbock.

It is too early to know the details of the railroad strategy by which the great systems are playing for the prize of carrying traffic between Fort Worth and the Plains. The sequence of events is as follows:

1. The Texas Panhandle & Gulf railroad, which has some big system behind it, applied to the Interstate Commerce Commission for permission to construct a railroad 450 miles from Fort Worth to Tucuman, crossing the Plains from the eastern to the western cap rock.

2. The Denver road, opposing the construction of the Texas Panhandle & Gulf, asked the Interstate Commerce Commission for permission to construct a branch line from Childress to Plainview and Lubbock, the two leading shipping points on the Santa Fe's north-south line on the Plains. If the Texas Panhandle & Gulf is approved by the commission, the Denver's competing application will fail.

3. As it becomes more and more likely that the Texas Panhandle & Gulf on October 1 would show the Interstate Commerce Commission that it had \$3,000,000 in hand, and hence would get its construction permit, the report was spread that the Denver road would extend its Stamford-Spur line from Spur to Plainview and Lubbock, and would build from Stamford directly east into Fort Worth over the old Stamford & Eastern survey.

4. Now the Santa Fe announces that it is running two surveys from Post City towards Fort Worth. The proposed Santa Fe line would be only a few miles south of the Denver's Fort Worth-Stamford-Lubbock proposal. If this latest Santa Fe application were granted, the Denver would hardly be allowed to build to Stamford and extend to Lubbock from Spur.

There are plenty of interpretations that can be put upon the Santa Fe's latest move. The only certain thing that can be said, however, is this:

The construction of the Texas Panhandle & Gulf is certain to result in the building of at least one more new trunk line railroad between Fort Worth and the Plains. That is, we are not going to have one road, but two.

This confirms the far-seeing wisdom of those interests in Fort Worth, who, month in and month out, against every form of discouragement that could be brought against them, have fought for the construction of the Texas Panhandle & Gulf.

The Fort Worth Record is proud to be ranked among those who have led in championing the Texas Panhandle & Gulf.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Ayres of the Jones Dry Goods, Inc., visited Sunday with relatives and friends at Lockney.

FOREIGN ADVERTISERS BELIEVE IN SLATONITE

The Slatonite's claim of furnishing the best advertising medium of this section is backed by the judgement of some of the country's leading advertisers.

In this issue of the Slatonite, for instance, there will be found large advertisements of the Santa Fe Railway System, The Ford Motor Company of Detroit; Firestone Tire & Rubber Company, The Tri-State Exposition, to be held soon in Amarillo; The State Fair of Texas, Johnson & Savage, real estate dealers of California, and others from many sections of the United States. Next issue of the Slatonite will have others.

National advertisers select with the greatest of care their advertising mediums, endeavoring to reach the greatest number of people with their messages for the amount of money spent. Hence the Slatonite proudly boasts of the fact that it is lined up with some of the leading advertisers and business institutions of the nation.

Your message, printed in the Slatonite, will get to the crowd.

YEAR'S HEAVIEST RAIN FALLS SUNDAY EVENING

Following right on the heels of a heavy and general rain last Thursday evening and night, what is estimated to be the heaviest downpour of the year came Sunday just after dark, when all Lubbock county, and practically all the Panhandle country was drenched as it hadn't been drenched for months.

Some property damage was reported, with a little damage, probably to growing crops, as it was the heaviest rain for a single period to be recorded during the year.

The heaviest rain in the county fell probably at Lubbock. However, this end of the county received probably more than two inches with more than three inches being reported from some sections.

The Lubbock postoffice building was wrecked by sheer weight of water that was impounded on the roof during the downpour, the gutters failing to carry the water away in time to save the roof, a large supporting beam being broken like so many straws and several thousand pounds of water was loosed in the building.

The entire Panhandle country now has splendid seasons, and with a few weeks' dry, sunny weather, bountiful and probably record-breaking cotton and feed crops will be harvested.

Mott & Cauble Are Enlarging Lunch Room

The lunch room on Ninth street, which belongs to Messrs. Mott & Cauble, is being enlarged and rearranged, the partition having been taken out of the building, doubling the size of this popular eating place.

Repainting, refurnishing, etc., is in progress there, and when completed Dad's Place, as it will be known, will be very attractive and inviting.

School Children Asked To Help Keep Down Accidents

Parents, automobile drivers and school children of Slaton have been issued a warning by Chief of Police Sam Selmen, relative to the traffic regulations in the school zones. The recent opening of schools in Slaton is the fact which brought this statement in an effort to make our streets safer for children.

As all Slaton school grounds are in what are known as "safety zones," auto drivers are requested while driving on the streets adjacent to the schools to keep their cars under full control, and be prepared to stop on short notice. The speed limit on all streets of Slaton is fifteen miles per hour, and this all auto drivers should respect.

Especially are auto drivers asked to use every precaution to avoid hurting children going to and returning from school—give the children the advantage of doubt and of the right of way.

None of our streets are meant as race courses. Fifteen miles per hour is your limit, and delivery boys are asked to take due notice, city officials state, for in the past they have been the most frequent offenders with reference to school zones.

To the school children going and returning from school, we suggest and implore you to keep to the sidewalks whenever and wherever possible. Keep out of the streets and when you have to cross a street, before doing so, first stop and look in each direction for oncoming automobiles. If a car or cars are approaching, stop and let them pass before attempting to cross. Do not take any chances.

It is suggested to parents and teachers that they from time to time admonish the children of the importance of observing the above suggestions, and city officials should have the cooperation of all in handling the traffic situation in our city.

Buster Keaton's Next "7 Chances"

David Belasco sold his great stage success, "Seven Chances," to Buster Keaton and Buster's first moving picture version of a stage play is said to be seven times as funny as the original "Seven Chances."

"Seven Chances," written for Belasco by Roi Cooper Megrue, and produced with tremendous success in New York, was adapted to the screen by Jean Haves, Clyde Bruckman and Joe Mitchell. It is coming to the Custer Theatre Friday and Saturday of this week.

It looks as if hereafter Buster will continue to make film versions of stage plays, for Buster's scenarioists have transformed "Seven Chances" into the funniest scenario ever submitted to the comedy star.

Should Clean Slaton for Community Fair

Secretary-Manager J. J. Ross of the Slaton Community fair, asks The Slatonite to call attention to the fact that all citizens of our town should thoroughly clean their premises, streets and alleys preparatory to the coming fair.

Let's make it a regular clean-up week, Mr. Ross suggests, and have Slaton made beautiful for the inspection of visitors.

Dam Breaks on Slaton Country Club Lake

The recent heavy rains washed out the spillway and broke the dam of the Slaton Country club lake, according to reports, allowing most all the water in the lake to drain, carrying with it the big supply of fish with which the lake was stocked. Loss to the stockholders in the Country club is reported heavy as a result of this flood.

W. T. Willis Establishes Roofing Headquarters

W. T. Willis, local agent for a nationally known roofing material, has established headquarters at the Panhandle Lumber company's offices, according to his advertisement appearing in this issue of The Slatonite. The motto of the roofing company is "100 per cent satisfaction to the customers," and Mr. Willis invites inquiry from anyone who has roof troubles.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—320 acres of irrigated land, at half its value. Will take first vendors lien notes in Texas as part payment. Good seven-room house with bath. Good well improved farm. All good land. Lots of water. Cotton this year will make bale to the acre. Never a crop failure or a crop shortage. This farm can be made to pay out once a year by farming half the land. Principal crops alfalfa and cotton. Price \$50 per acre. Write for particulars. Dudley & Johnson, Box 197, Roswell, New Mexico. 42-3c

FOR SALE—Six-room house with bath and sleeping porch, located on lot with Catholic church, known as Catholic rectory. Phone 288-W. Inquire M. G. French. 42-2tc

FOR RENT—Nice bed rooms, with furnace heat. Phone 135, or see Mrs. W. Donald. 43

TO TRADE—Princeton, Collin county property for Slaton property. Good house and 1 acre of land with necessary sidewalks, centrally located. Apply to J. F. Berry, Box 206, Slaton, Texas. 44-2tp

FOR SALE—Grey wicker baby carriage. See Mrs. Geo. O. Holt, one block west of park. 44-1tpd

SCHOOL GIRL wants to help with housework for board and room. Apply this office. 44-1tpd

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms, apply to F. J. Darwin, Phone 314-W. 44-1f

FOR RENT—5-room house and 7-room house, close in. Inquire at Higbee Hotel. 44

WANTED—Girl to assist in general housework. Phone 146. 44-1tc

Sam Hoffman Here on Official Duty

Sam Hoffman, deputy sheriff of Bailey County, was in Slaton this week on business connected with the Sheriff's department. He was accompanied by his nephew, J. E. Carroll, while here Mr. Hoffman visited for a short while with his brother, Dave Hoffman, and also called at the Slatonite office and ordered the paper sent to his address.

Big Prizes Offered by South Plains Fair

Lubbock, Sept. 9.—The premiums offered in the livestock department of the Panhandle South Plains Fair, which will be held here September 30, October 1, 2 and 3, have been continually raised in the past five years until this year they are on an average higher than those offered by any sectional or regional fair in Texas.

"We are going to have the largest number of entries in this department this year that we have ever had before, on account of the heavy premiums offered," Ray C. Mowery, superintendent of the livestock department stated Monday.

"For example," Mowery continued, "we offer thirty dollars, twenty, ten and five for winners in the Hereford division." Comparing these premiums with three of the best fairs in West Texas, it tops the highest; our second money tops the next highest, and first money doubles that of the other fair. The comparison runs similar to this throughout the entire department.

"In the swine division, our first equals the best of the three fairs, tops another and doubles the third. Pure stock breeders in the Panhandle and South Plains have been aware of the raising of the premiums offered in the livestock department and each year other large breeders are added to our entry list.

"This year we expect to have one of the biggest livestock shows to be found among the regional fairs of Texas.

The two-millionth Chevrolet built September 8th, establishes a new record in automotive history. The Chevrolet Motor company is the first maker of selective gear shift cars to attain this production.

"Passing the two-million production mark emphasizes Chevrolet's progress," said W. S. Knudsen, president of the company. "The present record should not be the last as the company expects to produce close to a half-million cars during 1925, which will exceed by a wide margin the 1923 Chevrolet peak production." When the first "Baby Grand" touring model was turned out at the Flint plant in 1913 Chevrolet production for that year totaled only 5987, which today would represent less than three days' work. The original plant would be lost today among the huge buildings of the organization.

TRY SLATONITE WANT-ADS.

Many Sick People Have Pellagra and Don't Know It

Dr. W. C. Rountree, M. D., Texarkana, Texas.
Dear Doctor: I had Pellagra six years. I was very nervous, had stomach trouble, lost weight, hands blistered and peeled off, very despondent and thought that I would lose my mind. I took over 700 hypodermics and got worse all the time. I heard of Dr. Rountree's Pellagra Treatment, took three treatments and am now sound and well. The last treatment was 18 months ago and I have had no recurring symptoms.

MRS. W. W. POWELL,
Route 7, Sulphur Springs, Texas.
Dr. W. C. Rountree,
Texarkana, Texas.
Dear Doctor: I had been having stomach trouble and losing weight; my skin had turned brown. I had a general weakness all over my body, felt tired all the time and could not sleep well at night. I had changed my diet often, trying to get rest, as I was very nervous. One of my neighbors had Pellagra and told me possibly I had it. I did not believe at that time that I did have, but I tried one of your treatments and got immediate relief. My nervousness was at once relieved; my stomach cured and I am now a well man. I only took two ten dollar treatments, which cured me.

W. W. FLETCHER, Carrollton, Texas.
If you are suffering from any of the symptoms mentioned in the above testimonials write for booklet, The Story of Pellagra, and FREE Diagnosis.
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AT THE METHODIST CHURCH
Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor, subject, "The Temptation of Christ."
Sunday school at 10 a. m., C. L. Sone, superintendent. Let's make it over 300 next Sunday.
No preaching at night.
Come and be with us.
B. W. DODSON, Pastor.

Negro, Dan Henderson Gets Forty-five Years

Dan Henderson, the negro, who last winter carped so much excitement in Slaton, with his pilfering and acts of theft, was Wednesday sentenced to 45 years in the penitentiary, receiving 10 year sentences on three charges and a 15 year sentence on another.

Henderson has been indicted, charged with an attack upon a white woman in Slaton, when he entered a home, but it is not known whether or not this case will be tried on this charge, due to the heavy penalties imposed upon him for the burglary charges.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible study, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Bro. Kimmel is home from Oklahoma, where he conducted two very successful meetings. Fifty were added to the church. He will fill his place in the pulpit both morning and evening hours.
Everybody is invited.
—Reporter.

Owners of horses and blooded stock are large users of Liquid Borozone. It heals wounds, festering sores, barbed wire cuts by a mild power that leaves no disfiguring scars. Price 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by CITY DRUG STORE, John Dabney & Son, Props.

Little Margaret Puett is reported as being on the sick list this week.

G. M. Ayres, manager* for the Jones Dry Goods store, was in Lubbock this week doing jury duty.

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Prices That Will Move Them Out As Quickly as Possible!

Here is a chance to buy seasonable merchandise at very low prices. Space prevents us from listing all the bargains here, but come expecting the biggest saving in apparel in Slaton.

Good grade, full cut Blue Overall.....\$1.19	Boys' Overalls, double knee, 79c
Our best union-made Overalls, regular \$1.95 value, for only\$1.59	
Pool's Unionalls for Boys:	Men's \$9.00 Dress Shoes, special at.....\$7.45
\$3.00 value\$2.25	Men's Unionalls.....
\$2.25 value\$1.75	\$2.75 value\$2.25
\$3.25 value\$2.50	\$3.10 value\$2.65
Good grade Khaki Pants, regular \$1.75 value, for\$1.39	Men's Dress Shoes, No. 5595, regular \$6.50 value for\$4.50
Derrick Work Shirts, most places \$2.50, special here89c	Men's Drss Shoes, No. 370a, \$5.00 value, at \$3.95
Boy Scout Pants, \$2.50 value, special for.....\$1.95	Men's Oxfords, No. 8862, regular \$8.00, special at\$6.85

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Good 9-4 Brown Sheeting at.....	37 1-2c
9-4 Pepperell Bleached Sheeting	49c
10-4 Bleached Pepperell Sheeting	52c
Good quality Brown Domestic	12 1-2c
Beautiful assortment of 32-inch Ginghams.....	19c
500 yards Outing, both light and dark	19c
Extra quality Mattress Tick	22 1-2c
8 ounce Feather Ticking, 40c value at	35c
40-inch all-silk Crepe, \$2.95 value, for	\$2.59
All colors in satin-face Crepe, \$3.50 values,	\$2.98
Just received, a beautiful lot of 54-inch woolen and flannel in new fall colors. Moderately priced	
Beautiful colors in Satin, regular \$2.50, special at	\$1.75

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A chartered Training School is conducted by Miss Anne D. Logan, R. N., Superintendent. Bright, healthy young women who desire to enter may address Miss Logan.

"AND SHE WAS DEAD"

Many of us are dead in trespasses and sins and have not yet found it out. Oh, we have gone through certain forms and ceremonies, and Satan has persuaded us we are not alright, but friends, are you hungry for the Word of God? Are you satisfied with things as they are? Do you get all the spiritual food you want? Are you at peace with the great in your you at peace with the great God you that your worship is at all acceptable to Him? Do you get all you have need of through His Son, Jesus? Are you able, through this matchless Son, to bring comfort, assurance and peace to others? Do you know there is no real peace or salvation in or through any other? Do you enjoy His Word when you read it? Do you understand it, and let it be a real lamp unto your feet and a light unto your pathway? Do you obey it when it corrects you? Do you know God is sure to send his Son, Jesus, back to this earth where He was shamed and humiliated, to also receive glory and homage as every knee bows and every tongue confesses His right to rule and judge? Where will you be then? What will be your portion in that day?

O, yes, there are scoffers here today, who walk after their own lust, and in subtle ways, deny these things, but thanks be unto God, His Word will stand. Let us quit trying to change His Word and try changing some of our ways. How it will pay us to do this!

The Bible classes at the city hall are what will help you to answer the above questions. Come and meet with us and then search your Bibles, not monthly or weekly, but daily and study for yourself. He commands it, and we can't lightly ignore these very vital things.

The following are the topics for the closing lessons:

Thursday night, Mr. Page, "The Resurrection of the Body."

Friday afternoon, Mrs. Page, "The Book of Ephesians."

Friday night, Mr. Page, "The Resurrection of the Body."

Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Page, "The Book of Galatians."

Saturday night, Mr. Page, "Faith, the 11th of Hebrews (illustrated)."

Sunday morning, Mrs. Page, "The

N. C. GENTRY

N. C. Gentry, aged 71 years, died at his home in Slaton last Thursday and his remains were buried in Inglewood cemetery Friday afternoon, following funeral services at the local Methodist church which were conducted by Rev. B. W. Dodson.

Mr. Gentry was born in Tennessee September 15, 1874 to Miss Susanna Boyce. To this union there were born nine children, five of whom, besides his wife, survive him. They are Messrs. S. N. Gentry, M. P. Gentry and W. T. Gentry, all of the Posey community; Mesdames Nan Hastings, of Allief, Texas, and Lillie Morgan, of Milford, Texas.

Early in life Mr. Gentry became a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, and had lived the life of a true and devoted Christian.

Funeral services and burial were attended by relatives and a host of mourning friends.

NOTICEABLE IMPROVEMENTS

Recent painting, varnishing and decorating generally on the interior of the Liberty cafe, on Texas avenue, has added noticeable attractiveness to that place of business.

A. L. Duff of Seminole, was here Sunday and Monday on a visit with his old time friend, F. H. Lanham.

Five Kingdoms.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. Page, "The Apostasy."

Sunday night, Mr. Page, "The Millennium, or 1000 Years Reign of Christ."

A very unique Bible demonstration will be given Thursday night by a little 9-year-old girl. Come to the city hall at 7:45 and hear this child tell the history from God's Holy Word from the story of creation to the flood, in an easy, interesting and accurate way. It will make you see how to teach your children in a new and more successful way and also help the older ones, especially Sunday school workers. You can't afford to miss this, and especially are the boys and girls invited to come and hear.

MRS. A. L. PAGE.

LAMBETH WILL MAKE BALE TO THE ACRE

E. G. Lambeth, who lives on the R. F. Carr place, twomiles east of Slaton, was in town Monday transacting some business. Mr. Lambeth has a hundred acres in cotton this year which he says, if present prospects do not make a change for the worse, will make from one-half to a bale to the acre, quite a lot of it having all indications of turning out a full bale to the acre.

Mr. Lambeth has about thirty-six acres of feed and will make plenty of feed to tide him over to another harvest time.

BOURLAND HAS LOCATION FOR PIANO BUSINESS

G. W. Bourland, local piano dealer, has moved his business into a corner of the Chrysler sales rooms, in the Talley & Ragsdale building, west of Toliver's. He has on display the different styles of pianos, and expects to be well stocked with musical instruments during the fall months.

BRANNON ADDS TO FORCE

A. L. Brannon, north side hardware dealer, has secured the services of Gus Lundblad of Georgetown, Texas, who will arrive in Slaton this week and assume duties as salesman for that institution Monday, according to Mr. Brannon.

The promising good business this fall called for the addition to his force, Mr. Brannon says, and speaking of the hardware business in Slaton he is very optimistic.

The Brannon hardware handles the McCormick-Deering and P. & O. lines of farm machinery, and sales, especially on row binders are reported as being exceptionally good, which indicates big harvests in this section, and points to the fact that farmers of this community are raising bumper feed crops.

Miss Clara Dabney left Tuesday for Abilene, where she will enter school in Draughon's Business college.

If It's Jewelry
JOSEPH L. SPECK
Watchmaking,
Engraving
and Jewelry
Slaton, Texas

Have Your Coal Bin FILLED NOW
While the Supply is Plentiful and Prices are not Prohibitive

WE HAVE BOTH NUT AND LUMP
COAL
Panhandle Lumber Co.
SLATON, TEXAS

WRAP Yourself Around
— A BIG FAT —
HAMBURGER
And top it off with an icy-cold drink. Or, maybe you would like a big bowl of Chili. TOBACCOS, CANDY, CIGARS. I've got a nice little place right across the street from the Big State Garage. All you fellows come to see us.
MOTT & CAUBLE
(Dad's Place)

Welcome Fair Visitors TO SLATON
Sept. 24, 25 and 26

AND TO THE
Busy Bee Cafe
The Better Place to Eat



FREE
Foot Comfort Demonstration
Saturday, Sept. 26

Foot troubles are universal. Government records show that 7 out of every 10 adult people have some form of foot trouble. You are probably a victim of foot trouble yourself. It may be only a corn, a callous, a bunion or some more serious trouble such as weak and broken-down arches. You might not know the nature of your trouble but you do know that your feet ache, pain, and get all tired out on the slightest provocation.

Foot Comfort Expert Here

Come to our Foot Comfort Department on the above date and get a Free Demonstration. There's no charge for this valuable service. This work is in charge of a Special Demonstrator from The Scholl Mfg. Co. This is an opportunity that every foot sufferer should grasp.

FREE PEDO-GRAPH PICTURE

In a few seconds' time, without removing the hose, he can make a photographic print of your foot that positively shows if you do have foot troubles and to what stage the trouble has progressed. This service is absolutely free and places you under no obligation whatever.

FREE SAMPLES

Do you want to know how to stop corns hurting instantly? Come in and get a sample of Dr. Scholl's Zino-pads. They remove the cause of corns—friction and pressure. Thin, antiseptic, healing.

GATES DRY GOODS CO.
"The House of Quality"

Firestone

Tire Prices Are LOW—CRUDE RUBBER HIGHEST IN YEARS

Buy Now and Save Money!

The unprecedented demand for Firestone quality and mileage has more than doubled the sales of Gum-Dipped Cords to car owners so far this year, enabling us—because of this tremendous volume—to keep prices low.

Experienced car owners insist on tires that deliver the greatest mileage at the lowest cost per mile, because such tires last longer—make the restricted rubber supply go further—reduce crude rubber costs—and help maintain the present low tire prices.

Gum-Dipping, the

MOST MILES PER DOLLAR

Firestone extra process, is also one of the biggest and most important economy factors in tire performance. This method of treating cord fabric, developed by Firestone tire chemists and engineers, insulates every fiber of every cord with rubber, and gives the sidewalls the extra strength to withstand the extra flexing strain—insuring maximum safety, comfort and economy.

Buy now—make sure of economical transportation by obtaining these outstanding Firestone superiorities at present low prices.



Slaton Motor Company

AMERICANS SHOULD PRODUCE THEIR OWN RUBBER... *Non-Resistant*

CONTENTED CITIZENS ARE A TOWN'S BEST ASSET

Visitors Form Opinion of Community by Judging the Happiness of Those Living in It

Passing along a street near the railroad station the other day, the writer observed two gentlemen who obviously were visitors in Slaton. Coming a little closer to them, we couldn't help but overhear one of them remark:

"This looks like a good town. Business seems to be thriving. Good buildings. Good stores. And everybody who passes us or of whom we inquire for information—seems to be so wonderfully CONTENTED. Wonder why it is?"

Made an Impression

That statement set us to thinking. Coming from a stranger within our midst, it impressed us all the more. Evidently those two strangers had fortunately encountered people who were truly proud of our fair town and glad for the opportunity of letting others know it. And yet, we know there are amongst us those who—for no particular reason at all—grumble about opportunity here, about our environment and boast about what excellent chances there are for us elsewhere.

Is that fair to Slaton? If, for a moment, your truthfully thought Slaton was retarding instead of bettering your conditions—would you hesitate to pack up and seek other ports? You would not. So why not—for your own peace of mind—be CONTENT with the opportunities Slaton is giving you?

Be a Booster

Speak a good word for it. Keep smiling a sincere, friendly smile and always be ready to extend a cheery welcome to the stranger within our gates. Best of all, extend a helping hand to your neighbor. You'll make him CONTENT with his surroundings and his contentment means happiness for you. And both of you will soon be SLATON BOOSTERS.

The business and professional interests of Slaton drive home this lesson forcibly in the fourth broadside of their educational campaign. Read it. It's on another page of this issue.

(A fifth broadside by these same interests will be published in this paper October 15. Watch for it!)

Did You Ever Stop To Think

That newspaper advertising has stood the test of time.

That it possesses unusual merits as a business getter.

That it pleases the people in its appearance, appropriateness and service.

That quality goods well advertised, appeal to the good sense of all the people because of their practical economy.

That the people know that business concerns that advertise keep step with progress.

That stores that keep step with progress, carry merchandise that is in popular demand.

That as these stores progress in popularity, newspaper advertising plays a big part in their progress.

That newspaper advertising helps in increasing good-will for a business.

Advertising creates a buying confidence; a confidence which means that buyers get a dollar's worth for a dollar spent.—E. R. Waite, Secretary, Shawnee, Oklahoma, Board of Commerce.

Farm Product Prices Show Very Favorable

Prices of farm products are more uniformly favorable than at any time within the past five years, according to the monthly crop report of the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation, issued September 1. "More than two-thirds of the important farm products are selling higher than a year ago and the general average price is about 12 per cent higher than last year and the highest at this season since 1920," declares the research department of the foundation.

Monthly crop reports are made to the foundation by 3675 field observers in all parts of the United States.

Reports from the Texas field observers show that the economic status or general morale of farmers in the state was represented by the index number, 79 per cent on September 1, compared with 78.2 per cent on August 1. For the country as a whole, the index number on September 1 was 83.2 per cent compared with 82.9 per cent on August 1.

A summary of the reports of Texas observers on cotton yields in the state shows that an average of 122 pounds of lint per acre may be expected for the state as a whole. For the entire South, observers' estimates indicated an average production of 151 pounds of lint cotton per acre, compared with

Home-Made Device Is Success in Worm Poisoning

In many areas of north Texas and the eastern coast section, following recent rains, the damage from leaf worm is becoming severe. In a large part of this area it will probably be profitable to poison for a period of three or four weeks yet, if necessary.

Many farmers are inquiring where dusting machines may be obtained. The ready supply of such machines is limited and in most cases, before a machine can be shipped the damage will have been done; hence, the method being used by McLennan county farmers as advised by County Agent Eudaly should be of extreme interest.

A cultivator without shovels, is fitted up with a 2x4 placed crosswise behind the seat, of such length as to cover five rows. Lengths of 2x4 running backward from the tongue are used to raise this the necessary height above the cotton. At intervals on the cross-piece, so as to hang directly over each row, are hung bags of cheese-cloth filled with calcium arsenate. The necessary shaking of the bags is secured by rope wrapped about the tires of the wheels at two-foot intervals. In sandy soil it may be necessary to tie two-inch blocks of wood on the tires in place of this rope.

If the cotton is large, the quantity of poison applied is increased by driving the team fast, while in small cot-

Fire Badly Damages City Pumping Plant

During the electric storm and rain last Thursday evening, fire, caused, it is thought, by a bolt of lightning, almost completely destroyed the pump house, belonging to the city of Slaton, just northwest of town.

Firemen made a run to the plant and it was thought the fire was com-

pletely extinguished, but later in the night it was discovered the plant was again ablaze, and before the department arrived the building was almost completely destroyed.

ton the team may be slowed down. The McLennan county farmers are reported as having full success in poisoning by this method.

We are attempting to keep in touch with supplies of poison and if farmers are unable to locate same, they should communicate with the Experiment Station Entomologist, or with the Extension Service Entomologist, both of College Station, Texas.

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READ THE ADS

Let us do Your FAMILY WASHING

We call for your Dirty Clothes, linens, etc., and Deliver them promptly—Prices Low

SLATON STEAM LAUNDRY



HOME OF THE SLATON STATE BANK

Absolute Protection

—for jewelry, insurance policies, wills, bonds, mortgages and heirlooms of priceless value—is afforded by our safety vaults.

—A few cents a month—a negligible rate of insurance—puts them at your service.

THE SLATON STATE BANK

MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM.

American Beauty Flour

Fresh Groceries
and Meats

—THE—
Model Grocery

NOTICE, AUTO OWNERS

In the future all traffic and parking ordinances of the City of Slaton will be rigidly enforced, and drivers of motor vehicles are hereby warned to carefully observe these ordinances while operating vehicles on the streets of Slaton. Anyone found guilty of violating these ordinances will be fined according to offense.

SAM SELMON, Chief of Police
45-1st City of Slaton, Texas.

OFF TO SIMMONS

Flake Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Young, left Sunday for Abilene, where he has entered school in Simmons University. This is Flake's third year in Simmons. Others entering this institution from Slaton are Misses Allene Tucker, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Tucker, and Venita Bowen, daughter of Mr. W. O. Bowen, of the Santa Fe.

Frank Smith and family came in the latter part of last week from Mart, Texas, and will probably make their future home in this section.

156.8 pounds per acre actually produced last year.

"The cotton crop is being grown on about 46,000,000 acres this year so that a final crop of between 13,500,000 and 14,000,000 bales is in prospect," reports the foundation.

The Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation report further points out that corn, wheat, cotton, lambs, wool, chickens, apples and flax are selling above the general price level. Beef cattle, veal calves, milk cows, hay and rye are not selling as much above the 1913 level as the average, and horses are selling considerably lower than in 1913.

When Serving Our BREAD, Slice Plenty

If you do not slice plenty of our bread before sitting down to a meal, you will surely have to get up and slice more. It's so good the family cannot resist it.

Fresh Pastries Every Day.

City Bakery

H. C. Maxey Dairy

Pure Jersey Milk—Delivered Twice Daily
from Tubercular tested cows

It's Pure and Wholesome

California

Grocery and Filling Station business on a good corner in a rapidly growing section of Southern California, includes merchandise, store building, dwelling, filling station, barber shop and everything, value \$10,000; will trade for section or half section of improved land, must be free of blue weed, South Plains country of Texas.

Johnson & Savage

766 1-2 Third St., San Bernardino, Calif.

Ten Santa Fe Years

How the Santa Fe has grown in ten years and what that growth means to Santa Fe patrons. Better service at reasonable rates, due to efficiency of operation and millions spent for improvements.

That Santa Fe freight moves promptly, that Santa Fe journeys are enjoyable—doesn't just happen.

Wise economies, 284 million dollars spent between 1914 and 1924 on track and equipment, and the co-operation of patrons and employes—these have helped to build up a great transportation machine which is at your instant service for a most reasonable charge. And this in the face of heavy increase in costs of operation without corresponding increase in rates.

In these ten years the Santa Fe and the Southwest have grown together. The Santa Fe's growth has been not only in mileage and facilities, but also in ability to serve patrons better.

This decade has been a period of expansion. In it the Santa Fe's operated mileage has increased 922 miles. Each locomotive now hauls 54 per cent more. Nearly 14,000 more Santa Fe freight cars are available. There has been an increase of 15 per cent in passengers carried one mile and 79 per cent in revenue tons carried one mile.

Other important items have grown, too. Such as expense of maintenance of the railroad, which increased 121 per cent, or \$1,700 a mile. Maintenance of locomotives showed an upward trend of 137 per cent, or \$6,141 each. Passenger cars 85 per cent, or \$999 a car. Freight cars 155 per cent, or \$161 per car. All operating expenses combined jumped 114 per cent. Taxes advanced for each mile of track 196 per cent, or \$993. Total taxes in 1924 were \$17,730,961 or \$1,499 per mile.

Yet Santa Fe freight rates have gone up only 28 per cent and passenger fares only 47 per cent.

Freight loading carried by each car has increased 3.12 tons, or 14 per cent. Freight loading carried by each freight train has increased 226 tons, or 54 per cent. These are gratifying marks of progress.

The Santa Fe hopes to keep on growing and to keep on giving satisfactory service.

W. B. STOREY, President
The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway System

Star

this time, while the beginning of the utilization of electric power followed a few years later.

In the period from 1890 to 1924 the primary horse-power used on farms practically doubled while the area in crops increased only about 50 per cent. It is interesting to note that while the amount of animal power has increased but slightly during this period, the amount of mechanical power used has increased from less than two million horsepower in 1890 to about twenty-eight million in 1924.

Power on the Farm Helps Farm Living

W. M. Jardine, secretary of agriculture, in a recent discussion of power on the farm, pointed out that farm conditions in this country are constantly improving, says the Texas Public Service Information Bureau.

The substitution of power for human effort has undoubtedly had a marked influence upon progress in all civilized countries, particularly in the United States," says Mr. Jardine. The standard of living on farms in the United States is as high as anywhere in the world. If this standard is to be maintained or improved the equipment on our farms must be made as efficient as it is mechanically and economically possible to make it, and in considering new and increased uses of power it must be borne in mind that the farm organization is peculiar. Each farm is a home and an independent manufacturing establishment combined.

While great progress has been made in increasing the efficiency of farm workers, not all of the labor and power problems of agriculture have been solved. Agriculture today is passing through an important transition period in relation to its power.

The use of mechanical power in agriculture began about 1870. It progressed but slightly until 1890, when the use of steam engines for threshing began to increase rapidly. The use of gas engines also commenced at about

Cars

The Radio on the Farm

Much attention is being given to radio for the rural dweller from the standpoint of simplicity of operation and reception.

Like all new inventions, radio is going through a state of progression to eliminate complicated mechanical operating devices and make it more enjoyable for the everyday operator, according to Mr. F. B. Traverse of the Magnavox Radio company. He says: "Radio engineers are constantly at work perfecting as nearly as possible every feature of radio and are making great strides in broadcasting and receiving equipment, particularly along the lines of rural reception and better reception during hot weather. Many improvements have already been made in the receiving equipment to simplify operation, so that a farmer coming in from the fields or a tired business man can with a turn of the wrist get the

STATE PRESS AGREES WITH REPORTER ON PROPOSITION OF OVERADVERTISING

There are some people who seem entirely taken with the idea of advertising Lamesa, who, if they took half as much interest in advertising their own interest, would make a greater success of their own affairs. Every city or county at some period of its existence needs advertising, but there is a sane way and an insane way of doing so. Religion is the greatest thing in the world, but a person can carry it to such an extent that it becomes actual sin. We knew a man one time who put out about enough water in August to last his hogs about two days and went off to a big meeting and did not return for over a week, and when he got home every hog on the place had perished for water and he had no hogs, and the suffering inflicted on those dumb brutes was a crime. We need more farmers. But we do not need farmers who can not help themselves. When a farmer is brought here who can not run himself some one must do it. Very few people here are able

to take care of such cases. You have neither done the farmer good nor the country if you bring him here and he puts out every dollar he has to get here and then can't stay.—Lamesa Reporter.

State Press: You are right, Mr. Editor; there is such a thing as over-advertising. It is hard to convince a community of this, because the booster spirit is so prevalent in the normal town that any citizen who doesn't radiate propaganda and exaggeration falls quickly under the odium of being a "knocker." But it is a mistake to advertise goods or opportunities that can not be materialized. Thus when a town is on a boom the home folk feel that they are performing the duties of patriotism by yelling their city's virtues from the housetops and attracting newcomers from all points of the compass. A certain amount of this is all right, but there is a point of saturation that is soon reached. No community can take care of all the workers in the country, and when it gets a little too fulsome in its claims of prosperity it is liable to reap a greater influx of those who desire to share in it than it can accommodate. The result is a flareback; hundreds come to dip their fingers in the pot of gold only to find that the pot was full of fingers long before they came. Then the community realizes that it had talked just a little too much—like the country merchant who was approached once by a customer who wanted to buy some apples. The storekeeper informed him that he did not have any. "What? No apples?" asked the customer in surprise. "Naw," said the storekeeper, "I advertised 'em in the paper a while back and sold all out in no time. Then I

For skin eruptions, rash, chafed skin, prickly heat, chigger bites and stings of poisonous insects, Ballard's Snow Liniment is an effective applica-

tion. It heals quickly. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by CITY DRUG STORE, John Dabney & Son, Props.

Fall Term Starts Sept. 1st

Enroll to start in on that date and get the discount. Call or come to see us. We issue "Life Scholarships" and GUARANTEE you a position when you finish your course.

LUBBOCK BUSINESS COLLEGE

Box 865 Lubbock, Texas. Phone 335

WHY PAY RENT?

I am building two more 5-room houses with bath, modern, will take \$100 down and balance \$35 and interest per month. These houses are in a good location, east front. Don't ask for these terms if you cannot give good reference.

One new 5-room house with bath; modern; built-in kitchen cabinet, screened-in back porch, sidewalks; two blocks of town.

One 4-room house, one block from new high school, east front.

One 4-room house; 4 blocks from town.

These places are priced to sell. Will take small payment down, balance like rent; would consider a car or vacant lots in first payment.

Maxwell car, almost new, for sale or trade.

RAMA GRIGG, at Rockwell Bros. Slaton, Texas

Green's

station he desires."

According to Mr. Traverse, any rural dweller can install a receiving set and without any help whatsoever from the outside, operate it to advantage. This is encouraging news for the farmer, for radio furnishes a great link in the chain of attractions that will help keep the young people at home, no matter if they live on far removed farms or near great cities.

Acuff To Have M. E. Church Building

Rev. C. A. Norcross, of Lorenzo, who is pastor of the Acuff Methodist church, working on the Roberson circuit, accompanied by N. C. Dickson of Acuff, was in Slaton last Saturday on a mission to raise funds for the building of a church at Acuff for the Methodist people of that community.

This is only one of many progressive steps taken by citizens of the Acuff community during the past few years, and they are to be commended for their upward-climbing ambitions.

Miss Eula Roper of Plainview came in the latter part of last week on a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. F. Souzars, and her brother, C. G. Roper.

Advertising PAYS

You May Have Pellagra!!

MANY SICK PEOPLE HAVE PELLAGRA AND DON'T KNOW IT READ WHAT THESE TWO TEXAS LADIES SAY

W. C. Rountree, M. D., Texarkana, Texas.

Dear Doctor: I was very nervous, had hurting in my stomach all the time, could not eat or sleep, lost weight, skin turned brown, feet burned, mouth sore, swimming in the head, dizzy headaches, shortness of breath, constipation and general weakness. I tried many different kinds of medicine and many doctors, but got no relief until I took your Pellagra Treatment. In one month I was sound and well. I now do all my housework and have gained 27 pounds. I had Pellagra and didn't know it.

MRS. EDNA MURPHY, De Kalb, Texas, April 1, 1925.

W. C. Rountree, M. D., Texarkana, Texas.

Dear Doctor: My normal weight was 150 pounds. I lost weight until I only weighed 115 pounds. I had all the symptoms of Pellagra—stomach trouble, hands sunburned, diarrhoea, very nervous, had crying spells and thought I would lose my mind. I took your Pellagra Treatment in 1923 and it entirely relieved me. I have had no trouble since and I now weigh 175 pounds.

MRS. L. H. YOUNG, Yantis, Texas, April 1, 1925.

If you are suffering from any of the symptoms mentioned in the above testimonials write for booklet, "The Story of Pellagra," and FREE Diagnosis. W. C. ROUNTREE, M. D., 45-1tp Texarkana, Texas.

Garage

got some more and they were gone inside of a day. I kept on getting new barrels in, but somehow or other just couldn't succeed in keeping any. So I just naturally got mad and made up my mind I wouldn't bother with no apples any more. I can't run my store proper if people are all the time keeping my stock tore up."

The Long Winter Nights

You will Spend More time in the Home.

You will enjoy the comforts of a NEW LIVING ROOM SUITE



KROEHLER MADE

A BIGGER AND BETTER ASSORTMENT OF

Linoleum and Boss Floor Covering to select from. We can lay a room up to 12 feet wide in one piece without a seam.

The Dreamland Mattress



As good as the best—not so costly. One thousand layers of Soft White Cotton, woven into a bed of everlasting comfort, carrying 20-year guarantee.

McKirahan Furniture Company

Ask for Gold Bond Saving Stamps

Drayton's Business College

A Good Position—a big salary is what counts on the road to success. We quickly train you for a good position in a bank, wholesale house, mercantile establishment, and the like, and secure position for you. Coupon will bring SPECIAL information. Mail it today.

Name Address

NOTICE TO THE Farmers and Public THE LOCATION FOR THE Public Cotton Yard

Will be west of the Davis Gin, on the west side of the Lubbock highway.

I will appreciate your business.

I. E. MADDEN, Elected Weigher.

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS DALLAS Oct. 10-25

- Race Meet, Oct. 10-17
- All-Star Rodeo, Oct. 18-25
- Live Stock Show
- Agricultural Display Magnificent
- Foremost Poultry Show
- Automobile Show
- State-Wide Display By Texas Manufacturers
- Six Big Football Games
- All-College Circus
- R. O. T. C. Contests
- World's Greatest Amusement
- LOW RAILROAD AND INTERURBAN RATES

In the New Auditorium The Messrs. Schubert present "SKY HIGH" the magnificent Broadway Musical Comedy direct from New York with WILHELM HOWARD and Company of 108 Six Little Dippers—Lancashire Lassies London Johnnies "jazz-inious" "spit" "multitudinous" Personal Direction Mr. J. J. Schubert



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NEWSPAPER COURTESY

Figuring cotton at \$100.00 a bale, Slaton has a Santa Fe payroll that annually equals more than 8000 bales of cotton.

The recent meeting of the Board of Equalization for Slaton shows that this city has property valuations of nearly two and three quarter millions of dollars. These figures represent new building activities and the normal increase in property values. Slaton is growing.

Last Sunday's Dallas News contains a cartoon showing a boy walking up the steps to enter High School, and the cartoon is labeled, "Steps he will never regret." The steps of progress are the steps that take our boys and girls into the public schools—and those steps lead upward, just as our course of study constantly leads his mind and thoughts upward to higher opportunities and nobler aspirations and broader fields to endeavor.

Someone has said that there are today one million criminals in the United States—that one out of every 100 citizens is a criminal. As we read in the daily press reports of the doings of grand juries in various sections of the country, and the number of indictments that are being found, we are inclined to believe that the figures are not exaggerated. We note, for instance, and as a sample, that the other day at Denton a special grand jury returned 81 indictments, and the grand jury meets there several times a year. What the year's total is we do not know, but it is a big per cent of the county's population. Nor is Denton county a remarkable exception, but rather typical. There is one man's size problem in this United States, in this state of Texas and in this county of Lubbock, and that is the problem of crime.

THE GOVERNOR'S RACE

The political pot in Texas, insofar as the office of governor is concerned, is beginning to boil. It is nearly a year to next primary day and considerably more than a year before the next general election.

The governor's office pays \$4000 a year and certain perquisites, such as use of the mansion. Many who want a job and are not making that much money because they have not the ability to do so, will want and ask for the job. The man best fitted for the office will not get it unless he happens to be the best hand shaker in the crowd of candidates. And the best fitted man will not be the best hand shaker, for, being fitted to hold the office and serve the people ably must mean that he has spent so much of his life in preparation and achievement that he has had little time to practice the art of being "well met," and learned the niceties of handshaking and flattery to practice on Tom, Dick and Harry.

The chances are a thousand to one that Ma Ferguson will endeavor to keep Jim in the office another two years. Lynch Davidson of Houston has already announced, as has Mrs. Edith Wilmons of Dallas. Certain friends of Lee Satterwhite of Amarillo are urging him to run and Tom Blanton of Abilene is "prominently mentioned" by one country newspaper editor in Texas. That makes four already, and there will be others.

The fact that a man has made a great success in managing his own affairs and thereby proves himself a man of capability in running the very large and important affairs of the state of Texas, does not seem to appeal to many voters—as certainly it should appeal to them and be the deciding factor. The favorite is generally a person of very mediocre ability, so mediocre that in private life he is a failure. There have been very few persons in the governor's chair in Texas since the civil war that have been private successes, and no private failure is a public success.

Personally, we are very strong for the ladies, but we cannot work up a bit of enthusiasm for women governors—such as we have seen. Dallas county elected Mrs. Wilmons to one term in the legislature and rejected her for the second term. We take it, therefore, that her home county is not willing to recommend her for governor, and certainly her record as a lawmaker has nothing in it to show

THE LINE TO FORT WORTH

The construction by the Santa Fe of a railroad line from Fort Worth to the Plains now seems to be a certainty. In fact preparations are under way, according to what appear to be dependable indications, to start construction just as soon as the route is determined, right of way secured and legal matters gotten out of the way.

It can properly and without exaggeration be said that the line will run from Slaton to Fort Worth, since at this end Slaton will be the western terminus insofar as division point, shops, round house, etc., are concerned. The construction of this road is bound to necessitate the enlargement of railroad facilities at Slaton, and in all probability Slaton will become a passenger division point.

The people of this section have long felt the need of a direct outlet to the Fort Worth and Dallas markets, and those cities have long suffered by reason of no direct connections with the Plains country, since a very small portion of the livestock, cotton and grains from this region go to North Texas markets. Much of it goes to Wichita, Kansas, and to Kansas City, Missouri, and a considerable bulk of it goes to California.

The proposed route will leave the main line running from Amarillo through Slaton to Sweetwater and Coleman and the Gulf at a point between Post and Justiceburg, bear south to Stamford or Haskell, thence to Throckmorton, then through Young county and then bear southward again into Fort Worth. The route is not definitely settled so far as the public knows, and the surveyors have not yet finished their work, and while it is understood that more than one route is under investigation, it is quite certain that the road will be built in general along the route stated above.

This route opens up much new and virgin territory that is rapidly becoming in need of railway facilities. Much of it is fertile, agricultural land. Some of it is rough and will prove very expensive to cross, but the immediate benefits to be derived by the company from the construction of this road will be the tapping of the great plains region with its wonderful productivity and the furnishing of a shorter haul to Texas markets.

Slaton citizens are, of course, vitally interested in this project. They have worked for it many years, and much newspaper publicity has been given to the matter. The announcement a few days ago by W. B. Storey, president of the Santa Fe, that his company had a long time contemplated the construction of this line indicates that the propaganda conducted by Slaton and other towns along the route a few years ago possibly brought the desire and the feasibility of the road more forcibly to the attention of Santa Fe officials and perhaps hastened the decision to commence construction as early as possible.

COL. WILLIAM MITCHELL

Col. William Mitchell of the United States air service, now stationed at San Antonio, Texas, is in the limelight, it would seem, to remain there for some indefinite period.

He has committed a crime—a military crime. He criticized the national air policy and pointed out what he calls criminal inefficiency on the part of those responsible for the conduct of affairs. Now, criticism in military circles of one's superior officers is a military crime. It does not matter whether the criticism be true or false; it does not matter whether the criticism is constructive or destructive; it does not matter whether Col. Mitchell's suggestions have merit or lack merit, the fact remains that he has dared to criticize his superior officers, and that subjects him to court martial. He will be tried. It will be necessary to try him in order to maintain the dignity and effectiveness of military discipline. When he is tried, the probable result will be his dismissal from the military service of the United States.

The investigation read about in the newspapers has nothing to do with the merits or demerits of the questions involved in Col. Mitchell's criticism. It involves the sole issue of determining whether or not, as a fact, Col. Mitchell uttered the statements the reports credit him with. To obviate the trouble of determining that question as a basis for the investigation, Col. Mitchell has formally and officially admitted the fact of making the statements—publicly. In other words, he pleads guilty, and is proud of the fact. It therefore seems inevitable that Col. Mitchell will go.

And in his going is his opportunity. The nation, rank and file, and no doubt many of his fellow officers who dare not open their mouths, believe Col. Mitchell is in the right and that he is rendering a real service to the country. It seems certain that the disclosures he has made will receive attention at the hands of congress when that body convenes in December.

Military law is rigid and inflexible.

Recently numerous reports have come to us of houses in Slaton being broken into and articles stolen. Sometimes several houses in one night are pilfered. Our advice to the citizens of Slaton is first to lock your house at night, and secondly, get you a good automatic. The fellow who pulls a rag over his face and burglarizes private residences and stores at night will kill you nine times out of ten if you come upon him in the dark while engaged in his nefarious work, provided he gets the drop on you. We are opposed to our good citizens taking chances with burglars, and we favor the automatic route of home

It must maintain discipline, even at the cost of efficiency. Criticism must not come from within or from the ranks lower down. Col. Mitchell knows this, and therefore the stand he has taken must have been known in advance by him that it would cost him his position in the air service. He says he welcomes an investigation; that the mere fact of his making the charges of inefficiency, extravagance and neglect are incidental and minor considerations to the truthfulness of the charges he makes, and in that the country agrees with him. Mitchell, so far as the nation is concerned, is not on trial, but the national air service is on trial, and, like a wise defendant, has nothing to say, except that one of the higher-ups has ventured a general denial.

But when a Shenandoah goes up, carrying human lives and some of the best men in the service meets a storm which drives her to pieces, drops her to the earth in three pieces, taking a toll of fourteen lives, all because of inefficiency in her construction; and when a PN-9 is sent to Hawaii without sufficient gasoline to get her there, and likewise carries some of the best men in the service, who, because of inefficiency of the higher-ups, floats nine days lost on the surface of the Pacific, with watch boats stationed 200 miles apart when they should have been, under the circumstance that the trip was more or less an experiment, stationed 25 miles apart, the chances are that the people will not take lightly the charges which Col. Mitchell has made, at the sacrifice of his own head, but in that sacrifice and because of it, good will come, and the American people will not be unable to find adequate means of rewarding a man who had the knowledge and the courage to render a service that many cannot as yet fully understand and appreciate.

PIEDMONT GARAGE HAS INDEPENDANT AGENCY
Recently the Piedmont Garage, of which Messrs. Waynick and Seudder are proprietors, obtained an independent agency for the Overland cars. This concern, as results of this change, no longer handles the cars as dealers will be steady, his mind calm and his aim sure, and the gun loaded. dealings with Overland manufacturers.

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SLATON, TEXAS

COLD CHECKING

The art of raising money on a worthless piece of paper called a check is rapidly becoming a national pastime, and Slaton, like other communities, wishing to be in the fashion, has her share of the losses.

The other day a Texas grand jury, after considering worthless check cases for several days, finally had something to say on the subject, and it would be well for every merchant in the land to know what that grand jury had to say.

Boiled down, the sentiment of the grand jury was: "If you sting me once it is your fault; if you sting me the second time it is my fault." That is not exactly the way they put it up to the merchants of that county, but that is exactly what it amounted to.

The blame for so many check artists and so many worthless checks is with the merchants themselves. That is what the grand jury said. They spoke the truth. Did you ever see a merchant, with a sort of sad pride display a few dozen cold checks in his window? Lots of them do. Does the display arouse your sympathy? It does not. For you know, and the merchant ought to know, that just so long as he takes strangers' checks his display will steadily grow, and to meet his loss an extra charge will be made for the goods which those buy who actually pay for them. In the case of the cold check artist, as in all other cases, the final cost is absorbed by the ultimate consumer.

This question of law and order, and of law enforcement, is not alone a problem for the criminal on the one hand and the law enforcement officers on the other. It is a problem that calls for the cooperation of the honest. And in the case of cold checking, unless and until the merchants themselves exercise a little more judgment and precaution in cashing strangers' checks and giving up merchandise for them, the officers will remain quite helpless. The checking of crime is, after all, very much a question to be solved by each individual. Mr. Merchant, when you have been fleeced by a cold checker, and you rush out in frantic haste to hunt up an officer and berate your misfortune, and the said officer in a good old motherly way offers you sympathy, he is offering you something you scarcely deserve, and in addition to that you are sending him on a wild goose chase after dollars that you will not see again—nine times out of ten.

It is a question of whether you would prefer to keep your goods on the shelves a little longer or increase the size of your cold check display.

Better Passengers Are Needed To Avoid Accidents

Washington, D. C., Sept. 12.—Passengers of motor vehicles are given a large share of the blame for the high automobile accident rate in an American Automobile Association statement recently in which the need for better motor car passengers is featured equally with the need for better drivers.

Many accidents have their origin in the thoughts and actions of the members of the motor party, the A. A. A. holds, and the result is the automobile driver is often handicapped by the inexperience of the persons he transports.

The A. A. A. believes the time has come to motorize the automobile passenger.

"This job must supplement the job of motorizing the automobile driver," explains President Thos. P. Henry. "It goes without saying that the man

Rising Young Star Fond of Cooking

Claiborne Foster, that clever little lady who makes Barry Connors' play "Applesauce," the outstanding comedy success of the year, is an extraordinary young woman. She is generally recognized as one of the rising young stars of the American stage and her services and company are always in demand but such is her nature that she shuns the "bright lights" and leads a simple and unostentatious life wherever she may be. She is essentially a home girl, being passionately fond of cooking, an art at which she is very adept, and much of her leisure time is spent in the modest little kitchenette of her apartment. When not playing in some production, Miss Foster may be found at her home a short distance from New York city, where she revels in the joys of cooking for the whole family and her friends and spends her vacations doing the work of the ordinary housewife.



There are two dishes which are regarded with more favor by Miss Foster, than are any others. These are Bronk shrimps and chicken en casserole. She uses the simplest of formulas but insists upon the purest of ingredients, using pure butter, and evaporated milk. The recipes that she uses are:

Bronk Shrimps.
 1 cups shrimps, Yolks 2 eggs
 Canned or fresh 1/2 cup evaporated
 4 tbsp. fat 1/2 milk
 1/2 tsp. salt 1/4 cup water
 Few grains cay- 1 tsp. flour
 enne 2 tsp. lemon juice

Clean the shrimps, and cook in half the fat for 2 minutes; add seasoning and lemon; cook 2 minutes longer. Remove shrimps and make a white sauce of the remaining fat, flour and milk; when thickened add yolks of eggs slightly beaten, stirring in quickly and cooking two minutes; add the shrimps.

Chicken en Casserole.
 1 tender chicken 1 cup evaporated
 for roasting milk
 2 tsp. butter 1 tsp. chopped
 2 tsp. hard parsley

Salt and pepper 2 cups chopped
 1 pint hot water mushrooms
 Clean chicken, split down back, and lay breast upward in casserole. Spread fat over breast, dust with salt and pepper, add hot water, cover closely and cook in hot oven one hour. When nearly tender put in evaporated milk, mushrooms and parsley. Cover again, and cook 20 minutes longer. Serve hot in casserole.

at the wheel must acquire the motor sense of decency and safety, but there has been a regrettable tendency to overlook the hazards created by the people who sit in the tonneau.

Mr. Henry cites one accident where the driver's attention was distracted by a passenger's request to look at a remarkable bit of scenery while the car was in motion. Another incident revealed the driver becoming involved in traffic because he felt obliged to reply to a passenger's specific and rather complicated inquiry.

One of the most striking instances of passenger influence revealed in the A. A. A. statement is the case of a fatal accident which occurred as a direct result of the passengers insisting upon singing while driving backward in the evening. The passengers raised their voices above the sound of the bell signal at the railroad crossing.

According to Mr. Henry, the passenger is morally obligated to assist the driver in handling the car with safety. The idea that it's all up to the driver, he says, is frequently the basis of a fatality.

"Many accidents have their origin in the actions of members of the motor party," declares Mr. Henry, "and even the thoughts of the passengers have their effect upon the driver." It is a serious handicap to the operator of the car, and unless he is extremely skillful he is apt to get lost in the environment of his passengers' society and forget his responsibility.

Tri-State Exposition Offers Entertainment

That the Tri-State Exposition this year will far surpass previous showings is revealed by a check-up of entries made in the various departments and a survey of the entertainment features.

To date 24 counties have made booth reservations in the agricultural hall and interest in the dairy and other

BIG MUSICAL COMEDY HIT DIRECT FROM BROADWAY STATE FAIR OFFERING

"Sky High," in New Fair Park Auditorium, Dallas, Oct. 10-25. Said to Have World's Greatest Chorus.

Declared by New York reviewers to have the greatest singing and dancing chorus ever seen on Broadway "Sky High," the magnificent Shubert musical comedy success, headed by the comedian Willie Howard and with the original company of 108, is to be offered in the new Fair Park Auditorium, at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 10-25.

"It's going to cost \$100,000 to bring the attraction to the State Fair, but directors of the institution, convinced that Texas folk appreciate the best, and with the desire that the magnificent new theatre be dedicated with an attraction in keeping, contracted with the Shuberts for the entire "Sky High" production, just as it has been running all season on Broadway," says Secretary A. H. Stratton of the Fair Association.

"Robert Benchley, famous New York critic, has more than once declared that the name of the Shuberts attached to any such offering is a guarantee of its goodness.

"The State Fair contract calls for the full personnel of the "Sky High" company, as listed in the Broadway programs, to be sent to Dallas by special train, and, it will be produced at the State Fair under the personal direction of J. J. Shubert.

"Allan Dale, veteran theatrical critic of the New York American, coined a word for description when he first saw "Sky High," and it summed up, accurately, what he declared was one of the jolliest, speediest, brightest musical comedies New York had witnessed in many a day. He also declared that the Shuberts had assembled a collection of talented artists; an ensemble of furious, fiery dancers, against a background of enlivening, intoxicating music.

"Another reviewer said that Willie Howard, the comedian, was master of the reveals, and that many a case of incipient and advanced hysteria was directly traceable to his merry quips. His song, "Let It Rain," is now heard at all cabarets and music halls in the East.

"Other principals in the notable cast include Vanessa, dancer of grace and gaiety; John Quinlan, golden-voiced tenor, who is endowed with a magnificent physique in addition; little Ann Mulburn, the "personality girl"; Florenz Ames, eccentric comedian and many more.

"The Six Little Dippers, the Lancashire Lassies and the London Johnnies are components of the great chorus, which was the talk of the afternoon, and which go to make up what still another critic termed a "really superb production."

"Sky High" will be offered in the auditorium each evening during the State Fair, according to announcement, with matinees on Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday.

TRIANGLE RANCH GIRL IN STATE FAIR RODEO SHOW

Bea Kirnan of the Triangle Ranch, located near Wichita Falls, is to be an entrant in the rodeo events at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 18-25, inclusive, the last eight days of the 1925 State Fair. Miss Kirnan is declared to be one of the most fearless "cowgirls" in the country. In addition she is a finished trick rider. She carries a string of six beautiful horses, including "King," her favorite.

cattle departments is equally as great. In addition to the 24 county exhibits there will be showing from Oklahoma Agricultural Department; the United States Forest Service and the West Texas State Teachers College.

In the Merchants and Industrial Arts Building all spaces with the exception of two or three have been sold and the exhibits in the domestic science, arts and similar divisions the displays promise to far overshadow those of former years.

State-wide interest is shown in the cattle division with many noted dairy herds being entered. The swine show also is attracting many exhibitors.

In the way of entertainment the Fair will offer far more than in any year it has been held. A football

game between Clarendon College and the West Texas State Teachers College of Canyon; four days of horse racing; three days of fast automobile racing; a carnival; bandconcert; and daily big time vaudeville acts in front of the grand stand are features of the week.

Twenty bands have entered the contest that offers cash awards to winners in four classes and special concerts will be given daily by the Chicago Cadet Band.

One of the special features of the Exposition, and one in which sectional rivalry will be brought out to the full is the popularity contest to choose queen of the fair. To the young lady thus honored will be awarded a large sedan and many other valuable prizes

Many have already entered and those still wishing to do so are requested to send in their names at once.

Each county is entitled to nominate a contestant and the plan of selecting the queen has been adapted by the management in place of that of naming queens and duchesses to a royal court.

In all contests competent judges have been selected. Texas A. and M. College and the aggie schools of New Mexico and Oklahoma will furnish the majority of judges in the agricultural and livestock departments.

President U. N. Oliver of the Tri-State Exposition reports wonderful country and ideal prospects on every hand to make of this year's fair one that will stand out in the South.

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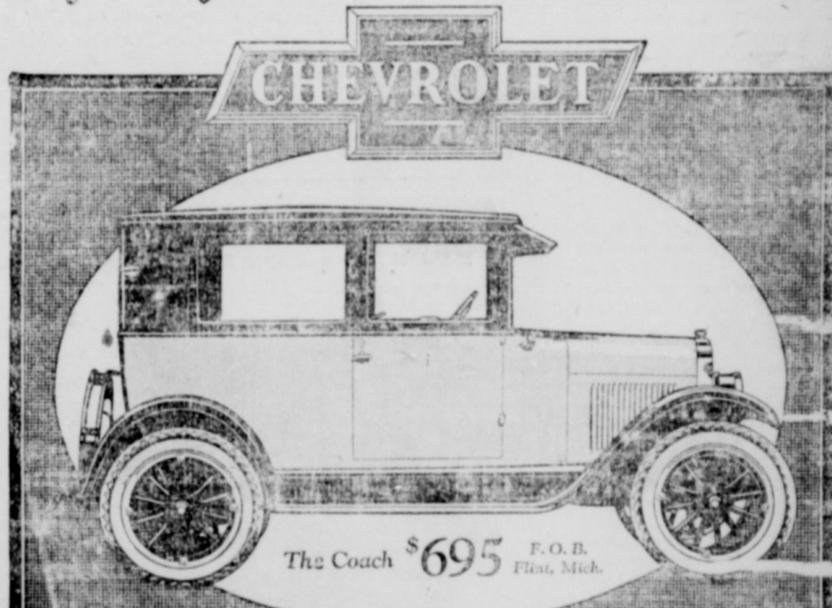
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SOCIETY

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—M. A. Kelly.

Belated Birthday Party

The Masons of Slaton visited Brother A. I. Kuykendall at his home Tuesday evening. They had intended to visit him on his 80th birthday, which was July 10th, but on account of Brother Kuykendall being in California on that date the party was postponed. Brother Kuykendall is the oldest member of Slaton lodge, is one of the charter members of this lodge, and it was through his untiring efforts in 1916 that the lodge built its first building in Slaton, what is now the Teague Drug store building. A large number of the members of the lodge gathered at their hall and repaired to Brother Kuykendall's residence, where they took him by surprise. He was presented with a large bouquet of beautiful flowers from the gardens of Coke Oliver, and after visiting with him for about ten minutes the impression was given that the flowers and the visit was all, when two of the members came in with a full leather rocking chair with the lodge emblem in gold leaf on the back of the rocker, and in fitting words the rocker was presented to him by J. H. Smith, who was the first Master of Slaton lodge, and one who worked with him in 1916 in the construction of the lodge building. Brother Kuykendall was deeply touched by this show of love for him, and received the rocker with a few well-chosen words, after which the lodge members left, wishing him many happy years to live and enjoy the gift and companionship of his friends.

Civic and Culture Club

Mrs. J. W. Wallace, newly elected president of the Civic and Culture club, opened the new club year Sept. 12 at the home of Mrs. R. Shankle. After the president's message other officers were presented. Mrs. R. A. Baldwin gave the response promising the president the support of the entire membership. Mrs. B. F. Smith introduced the study for the year, "The West Through Lit and Travelog, with a talk on what is going on in the West today. Mrs. Ed Tonn gave the reading, "Out Where the West Begins." At the close of the lesson Mrs. Beall of Fort Worth, who is the guest for a few days of her sister, Mrs. Henry W. Ragsdale, gave a very interesting and instructive talk about the "Mission Inn in Riverside, California." Mrs. Beall has just made a tour of the Pacific coast. The hostess then served an ice course to the club and the following guests, Mrs. Bealle, Mrs. H. W. Ragsdale and Miss Bailey.

Honoring Mrs. E. H. Beall

Mrs. E. H. Beall of Fort Worth was the inspiration of a bridge party given by Mrs. R. A. Baldwin on last Friday afternoon. Garden flowers were used very effectively throughout the rooms, and at the close of the games a two-course spread was served. Mrs. Baldwin's guests for the afternoon were Mrs. Beall, Mrs. H. W. Ragsdale, Mrs. Richard Ragsdale, Mrs. J. W. Walters, Mrs. J. A. Klaser, Mrs. J. F. Anton, Mrs. J. H. Brewer and Mrs. W. B. Hestand. On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. J. W. Walters entertained honoring Mrs. G. W. Harris of Chicago, who has been her guest for a few days. The afternoon was very pleasantly spent in playing the popular game of bridge and at its close Mrs. Walters was assisted in serving a two-course lunch by Mrs. A. A. Baldwin and Mrs. J. H. Klaser. Those who were invited for the afternoon were Mrs. Harris, Mrs. E. H. Beall of Fort Worth, Mrs. H. W. Ragsdale, Mrs. R. A. Baldwin, Mrs. J. F. Anton, Mrs. S. A. Peavy, Mrs. J. H. Klaser, Mrs. Ed Johnston, Mrs. C. A. Pack, Mrs. F. S. Hewes, Mrs. Richard Ragsdale, Mrs. G. R. Miller, Mrs. J. K. Rogers and Mrs. W. H. McKirahan.

Mrs. Wisely accompanied her two daughters, Misses Helen and Thelma, as far as Sweetwater on their way to their second year's work in "Our Lady of Victory."

Miss Audrey Phillips returned to Lubbock Tuesday after a few days visit with Miss Frances Blundell.

Mr. Zeph Fogerson and his sister, Mrs. B. Foster, left Sunday morning early to drive to Silverton in response to message of their grandmother's death, but owing to heavy rains and road conditions decided to return home. Beyond Abernathy the roads were almost impassable. Mrs. Betty Fogerson died in Paducah and the burial took place in Silverton Sunday afternoon.

On Friday afternoon Miss Blundell invited the younger crowd to her home to a shower for one of our fall brides. This wedding of Miss Genevieve Tate to Mr. Truman Campbell of Sulphur Springs, the inspiration of this affair, will be solemnized sometimes in November, but before the girls scatter to the different schools they wanted to shower their gifts of love to Miss Tate. Many beautiful gifts were either brought or sent and in years to come this day will have many reminders as the bride finds use for them. Late in the afternoon the guests were served iced watermelon. The guest list included Ann McAtee, Frances Adams, Edith Smith, Margaret Smith and guest, Miss Smith of Amarillo; Stella May Lanham, Lucile and Lillian Henry, Mable Ross, Audrey Phillips of Lubbock, Florence Hanna, Mable Miller, Maggie George, Aline Tacker, Joe Hestend, Clara Dabney, Muff Robertson, Fay Tucker, Julia and Eunice Florence, Lillian Rhaton, Thresa Anderson, Mrs. Bagby, Mrs. J. J. Ross, Mrs. McAtee, Mrs. Swanner and Mrs. Brackeen.

Club Notes

The Wednesday Study club will meet with Mrs. L. L. Stone instead of Mrs. J. K. Wood as previously announced.

The Thursday Bridge will not meet this week on account of the Bible Study conducted at city hall.

The 20th Century and Self Culture club will meet on Friday, Sept. 18, at 3:30 in the West Ward school auditorium. Please bring your dues.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Stokes and Mrs. H. G. Stokes and daughter left for Abilene Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. G. L. returned Monday, while Mrs. H. G. Stokes and daughter remained for a longer visit. Mr. H. G. Stokes left Tuesday for Dallas on business and stop in Abilene and accompanied Mrs. Stokes home.

Mrs. W. B. Hestand and daughter, Miss Joe, left Saturday for a few days' visit in White Wright and from there will go to Denton where Miss Joe will enter C. I. A.

Miss Mable Miller will succeed Miss Blundell as librarian. Miss Blundell will leave in a few days to enroll as student in Abilene Christian college.

Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Adams and Miss Frances left for Fort Worth on Monday noon where Miss Frances will enter T. W. C.

Mrs. L. C. Whitney was called to Manhattan, Kansas, by the illness of a brother-in-law.

Mrs. G. W. Harris left Wednesday to join her husband at Lubbock enroute to their home in Chicago. Mrs. Harris has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Walters the past few days.

The Presbyterian auxiliary met in business session at the church on Monday afternoon when many plans for the winter's work were discussed. This was the first meeting for several months and much enthusiasm was felt. The attendance was splendid. Next Monday our lesson will be from our missionary paper. It is desired that all Presbyterian ladies attend.

Mr. Wm. Forshon has accepted a position with the Santa Fe at Plainview.

Mrs. Wm. Bowen spent a few days in Melrose, New Mexico, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Hewes are moving into their new home. They recently bought the Boles home in south part of town.

Mr. R. A. Baldwin spent a few days in Fort Worth last week on business.

Mr. Wm. Sewell left Saturday for Eastland where he will enter high school.

Mr. A. E. Whitehead is in Portales and Artesia, New Mexico, on business.

Misses Frances Blundell and Edith Smith are spending a few days in Amarillo with Miss Blundell's sister, Mrs. Nail.

Mrs. Chas. Yates spent a few days with her sister in Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Money have gone to Lamesa to make their home.

Mrs. Schrewsbury and daughter of Elk Falls, Kansas, stopped for a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith and family on their way home from spending the summer in California.

Notice

The Presbyterian ladies have opened their McCall Magazine campaign again and will appreciate any subscriptions or renewals given them. Please phone Mrs. S. A. Peavy, 18, or Mrs. W. H. McKirahan, 128.

EAST TEXAS PLANS BIG THINGS IN STATE FAIR AGRICULTURAL DISPLAY

Exhibit Space Already Assigned to Thirty-One Counties—West Texas Leads in Early Applications.

Although East Texas counties are in larger number than ever before this early, and are admittedly planning big things in an exhibit way, West Texas still leads in the number of reservations already made for display space in the State Fair of Texas Agricultural Show, at Dallas, Oct. 10-25.

Up to August 29, space had been assigned to thirty-one counties, of which seventeen were located in West Texas and five in the eastern portion of the state.

It is expected that a number of Texas railroads will also make comprehensive displays, independent of the exhibits by the counties traversed by their lines. Inquiries have been received from the agricultural departments of several roads, according to Superintendent J. A. Moore of the State Fair Agricultural division.

Counties assigned exhibit space among the thirty-one referred to, include the following: Foard, Donley, Lynn, Lamb, Haskell, Hale, Hartley, Lubbock, Farmer, Crosby, Randall, Dawson, Deaf Smith, Dallam, Floyd, Garza, Midland and Mitchell, in West Texas; Smith, Harrison, Gregg, Henderson, Anderson and Wood in East Texas; Collin, Hill and Eastland in North, Central and West-Central, and Colorado in Southern Texas. Early returns of contracts from Atascosa and Brazoria are expected, and Franklin county has already announced that it will have a big display, in connection with the visit to the State Fair of nearly a thousand of its boy and girl farm club members.

Entries for county exhibits will close Oct. 9 and all exhibits must be in place not later than 10 a. m., Saturday, Oct. 10. Forty-eight county premiums are offered this year, ranging from \$350 for first to \$50 each for the last thirty.

VICTOR HERBERT'S LAST WALTZ TO BE STATE FAIR OFFERING

After the recent death of Victor Herbert, America's greatest composer, the manuscript of a waltz song entitled "Give Your Heart in June," was found among his effects. It is declared to be a beautiful thing, typical of the master musician, and has been made a part of the score of "Sky High," the big Shubert musical comedy offering to be given in the new Fair Park Auditorium, State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 10-25.

TEXAS STEER IS CHAMPION AT MISSOURI STATE FAIR

A steer entered in the herd of C. M. Largent & Co., of Merkel, Texas, has been declared grand champion at the Missouri state fair, held at Sedalia, during the middle of August. The Largent herd will be seen in the State Fair of Texas live stock show, Dallas, Oct. 10-25.

State Fair Auto Show. More than thirty firms have already been assigned space in the 1925 State Fair automobile show at Dallas, Oct. 10-25.

S. S. CLASS MEETS

The Paylathia class of the Baptist Sunday school met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. B. Hanna, with a good number present. They were very enjoyably entertained in their regular business and social meeting.

The lesson for the afternoon was ably led by the teacher, Mrs. Jno. P. Hardesty, and many other matters of importance pertaining to the class were discussed, after which our worthy hostess, Mrs. Hanna, assisted by Mrs. B. A. Toliver, served lovely refreshments of ice cream and cake.

Our next regular social meeting will be held Wednesday afternoon after the second Sunday in October, at the home of Mrs. R. A. Keys, with Mrs. L. A. Wilson assistant hostess. —Reporter.

BILL WHITE IS NEW FIRE TRUCK DRIVER

W. A. Martin, formerly driver of the city fire truck, has resigned that position, and is now on the sales force of the Slaton Chevrolet company. Bill White, of the Slaton Motor Company, is now serving the city as driver.

J. A. New, of Canadian, came in Monday on a few days' visit with his friend, Gus Goettsche, of the Post-office Confectionery.

The Church of Christ will meet at the West Ward school building next Sunday morning and night.

READ THE ADS

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—48 1-3 acres improved land, one mile of depot, \$70 an acre, address Mrs. Haney, 202 Olive, Compton, Calif. 45-2tc

TO TRADE—Princeton, Collin county property for Slaton property. Good house and 1 acre of land with necessary sidewalks, centrally located. Apply to J. F. Berry, Box 206, Slaton, Texas. 44-2tp

Figure with us on your floor coverings. We fit linoleums exactly. J. W. Elrod, Furniture. 45-1tc

FOR SALE—One residence lot, one block from square. Address R. Hollis, Box 11, Sweetwater, Texas. 45-2tc

FOR RENT—Three furnished and two unfurnished rooms. Mrs. C. C. Easterling. 45

FOR RENT—Two nice furnished bedrooms. Call at Palace of Sweets. 45-1tp

WANTED—Three furnished light housekeeping rooms, with conveniences, close to school and business. Permanent if suited. 45-1t

WANTED—Two ladies or girls to board during school term. See Mrs. Calthrop, at Cowert house. 45-2p

FOR RENT—Two well furnished rooms. G. L. Sledge, Slaton Second-hand Store. 45-2tf

WANTED TO RENT—Furnished house with conveniences for winter. Will room and board owner if desired. Call this office. 45

Let us fit your linoleum. We have an expert. J. W. Elrod, Furniture. 45-1tc

WANTED—Waitress. Apply Harvey House. 45-1tc

FOR RENT—Two-room house. Phone 135. 45tf

For skin eruptions, rash, chafed skin, prickly heat, chigger bites and stings of poisonous insects, Ballard's Snow Liniment is an effective application. It heals quickly. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by CITY DRUG STORE, John Dabney & Son, Props.

WANTED—Girl to do general housework. Phone 315-J. 45-1tc

Mrs. W. E. Ragsdale underwent an operation Monday at a Lubbock Sanitarium. Last reports were to the effect that Mrs. Ragsdale was recovering nicely.

P. V. Burns and family, of Charles City, Iowa, are here on a visit with Mrs. Burns' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Payne.

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One '24 Touring, new paint, completely overhauled, new top, balloon tires...\$325

Remember the Guarantee

SLATON MOTOR CO.

Large advertisement for Nyal products featuring a '2 for 1 Sale' and a grid of various household and medicinal items with their respective prices.

CATCHING DRUG STORE

You have just Three Days in which to take advantage of this Sale. THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY. Come early while supplies last.

West Texas News Summary.

Industrial Happenings of Interest Over This Great State of Ours

Ballinger—Within a short time the cotton rush will be on in Rannels county and there will be busy times here for the next sixty days or longer. The gins are humming and the daily receipts of cotton are increasing on the local market. Up to date more than thirty bales have been marketed.

Muleshoe—A fleet of seven trucks have been provided for the schools here for the purpose of conveying the children to and from school, rain or shine, regardless of weather. Muleshoe has a population of 1000 and is located in the heart of the great Plains district.

Moran—The Moran Luncheon club met recently with more than sixty members and visitors present. The Moran band rendered several selections before the luncheon, at which J. F. Scott of Haileyville, Okla., was the principal speaker.

Amarillo—In session last week at Fort Worth, the Texas department of the American Legion selected Amarillo as the place for the 1926 convention. Amarillo put up a stiff fight, eliminating Houston, her strongest competitor.

Plainview—Agricultural exhibits of Hale county will be shown this year at the Amarillo Tri-State Fair and Exposition; the Texas-Oklahoma Fair at Wichita Falls, and the State Fair of Texas at Dallas. Col. R. P. Smyth, Sam T. Sealing and Maury Hopkins, secretary of the Board of City Development, will have charge of the exhibits.

Childress—The Fort Worth & Denver City Railway company is erecting the second large steel storage tank in Childress. The tank is being built on a concrete and steel support with a diameter of 24 feet and more than 60 feet to the top of the cover. The capacity of the tank will be 150,000 gallons of fuel oil for locomotives.

Brady—A. H. Broad was re-elected president of the Brady Chamber of Commerce at a meeting of the directors recently held, and Wm. D. Cargill was re-elected secretary. Considerable time was given to the hearing and discussing of plans for the developing and building of Brady and McCulloch county.

Artesia, N. M.—Plans are under way here for two additional municipal improvements. Plans for the installation of a modern street lighting system also a paving program were submitted to the city council at a meeting recently held.

Comanche—More than 5000 people here heard the address of R. Q. Lee, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, on diversified and intensive farming. An informal reception for Mr. Lee was held and numerous farmers discussed with him the program he is advocating. Following the speaking a watermelon feast was held on the courthouse lawn and several hundred melons furnished by the local Chamber of Commerce and Lions' club were served.

Quanah—Contract has been let for the remodeling of the Tribune-Chief building here. After a 35-foot brick extension, two linotypes and three job presses will be put into the building. A concrete floor is to be laid, the walls plastered, a metal ceiling put in and the old iron front will be replaced by a modern brick front with plate glass.

Littlefield—Water mains are now being rapidly laid on the streets of Littlefield. The two wells furnishing the water supply have been completed and pumps installed. The Chamber of Commerce is now discussing ways and means for a sewerage system and the paving of the main street of the town.

Miss Beryl McCarty, of Muleshoe, visited early this week with Miss Melva Bourland of this city.

PENCILS AND TABLETS, EVERYWHERE

It used to be when a school child needed a pencil or writing tablet he would go to the drug store, where they handle a complete layout of school supplies—pencils, tablets, ink, pens, pen staffs, notebooks, loose leaves, binders, carbons and the like. It was conceded that the druggist had much money invested in his general line of school supplies, and deserved the five cents of the business.

But now it's different. Probably an average of every other business door, or maybe more than that, is heavily stocked with pencils and tablets, hence nobody makes a profit to speak of, and more merchants necessarily are forced to carry over large stocks of these two items.

PHILOSOPHER'S COLUMN

When a man once realizes that each flying moment is a material part of his life, and that each minute should be wholesomely used, he has then learn the important lesson of economy of time, and from that moment properly dates his career of greatest success and of usefulness.

The most sacred thing in the world, from the standpoint of any individual, is his private beliefs respecting those things which concern himself alone. Whatever his beliefs may be on such things are not so important. Sincerity in believing is the great requisite.

My conception of right and wrong is applicable only to myself. I err to judge others according to my standards.

Extravagance is a habit, and like all habits, it grows and grows and grows. And extravagance in money matters is not the only extravagance.

The whole purpose of education should be to enable the individual to see facts, circumstances and events in their true relations, and to make the important and non-essential subordinate to that which is important and necessary.

Abstract principles are the sums of concrete experiences.

Generally speaking, we speak not what we know, but what we think.

The most serious question in the world is the question of right living, but to live right does not necessarily involve conforming to the standards of your neighbor.

Ignorance is the parent of the twins Crime Disease.

The most genuine, bouyant feeling of self respect comes from a knowledge of having successfully resisted some baneful temptation.

If no man could do as he pleased until he chose to please everybody else, there would be nothing left for him to do but to die.

The Floyd County Hesperian, at Floydada, of which Homer Steen is the editor and publisher, has just moved into its new, large brick home. In the construction of a larger building, and the addition of more equipment, the Hesperian is merely keeping pace with the development of that splendid town. Editor Steen will always be found keeping pace with the others along progressive lines. Speaking of the move, he has the following to say: "Moving day is in vogue at the Hesperian. The scissors and paste pot were hauled to the new building on South Main Street this morning and it is thought the change to the new home will be completed soon. The chair and typewriter will be conveyed as soon as convenience permits.

No time is being lost in moving, the Hesperian making it's regular edition to-day. With the exception, perhaps, of a short delay in a few orders in the job department, all matters pending will be disposed of on regular schedule. Several thousand dollars have been spent by the Hesperian in the out-lay of the new plant in an effort to keep pace with the progress and development of Floyd county and to better prepare to supply the class of work merited by progressive patrons.

BOY SCOUTS

The boy who was to have charge of the meeting did not appear, so Mr. Callaway let the boys select the games they wished to play. The entire time was devoted to play on account of not having a definite program. Next Monday, September 21, there will be a definite program and the meeting will progress better. Be there with your scout song book and a good peppy feeling. The program begins at 7 o'clock sharp. Be there early. —Scribe.

GETS BIG SHIPMENT OF HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS

This week the Slaton Supply company is unloading a solid carload of furniture, together with a car of stoves and ranges, according to Manager F. H. Lanham.

Guy P. Bourland has returned to Slaton and has accepted a position with O. Z. Hall & Co., the tailors. Mr. Bourland was formerly connected with this firm.

James Burton, son of Mrs. Frances Burton, has returned from California. James expects to enter the Technological college at Lubbock.

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Singer Sewing Machines are built to give many years of satisfactory service.

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Every Singer user is a Singer Booster. Ask one or ask a dozen and the answer is always the same, "GET A SINGER."

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Remember that you can BUY a New Singer cheaper than you can RENT an OLD one... Think it over.

WHOSE NAME HAD YOU RATHER HAVE ON A CHECK, THAT OF SOME UNKNOWN PERSON WHO MIGHT NOT MAKE HIS WORD GOOD, OR THAT OF THE MOST RELIABLE MAN IN TOWN? THE SAME ARGUMENT HOLDS GOOD FOR SEWING MACHINES. WHEN YOU FIND THE NAME "SINGER" ON A SEWING MACHINE IT IS A GUARANTEE THAT THAT MACHINE IS THE BEST THAT CAN BE MADE.

H. H. CRAIN, —Agent for Slaton Territory. Office at the Busy Bee Cafe.

Buster Keaton Is \$1,800,000 Star

Because he considers "Seven Chances," Buster Keaton's new Metro-Goldwyn comedy, which is coming to the Custer Theatre Friday and Saturday of this week, the funniest film ever made, Joseph M. Schenck has just signed a new two year contract with Keaton, calling for the making of six feature comedies at an approximate cost of \$300,000 each.

Mr. Schenck has known Buster since the latter was a tiny member of "The Three Keatons," a vaudeville act consisting of Joe and Myra Keaton, Buster's parents, and Buster himself, an act which Schenck booked for many years before entering picture production.

Buster appeared with Roscoe Arbuckle in nine comedies and made such a tremendous hit that it was decided to send him out "on his own." Before being elevated to head his company in the two-reel field, he was co-starred with William Crane in "The Saphead" which made a big hit and established him as one of the screen's best sellers.

CREW OF SEA PLANE MAY GET CONGRESSIONAL MEDALS

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 11.—Possibility that Commander Rodgers and the men who handled the PN-9-1 in her Hawaiian flight may receive congressional medals of honor was seen here Friday.

It was recalled that at a banquet given in San Diego shortly before the flight project was undertaken, Congressman Phill D. Swing, in a speech said that men who accomplished such a feat as a non stop air cruise to Honolulu should be rewarded by national recognition and that it was his purpose to introduce a bill which would make this possible in the forthcoming session of congress.

In view of the rescue of the PN-9-1 and the heroism of her crew, it is regarded as likely that Swing will carry through his original intentions.

Food Supply of Ship Sufficient

HONOLULU, Sept. 11.—The food

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 10 a. m., Paul Owens, superintendent.

Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor. All B. Y. P. U. s at 7 p. m.

Preaching at 8 p. m. by the pastor. Sunbeams meet Monday at 3 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday, 8 p. m. Study 6th chapter in "The People Called Baptists."

You are invited to attend all the services. Come to a good Sunday school. Feel at home at the church services. Be at the prayer meeting. Young people invited to the various B. Y. P. U. meetings for seniors, intermediates and juniors, all of them meeting as above stated.

JNO. P. HARDESTY, Pastor.

HARRIS INFANT DIES

An infant of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Harris, who live a short distance southeast of Slaton, died Monday morning, and the body was buried Tuesday in Inglewood cemetery. Foster Undertaking company directed the funeral.

G. C. Johnson and family left Sunday for their home at Grand Prairie, after a visit here with Mr. Johnson's sister, Mrs. F. H. Lanham, and family.

TRY SLATONITE WANT-ADS.

supply with which the men of the sea-plane PN-9-1 started their long period of insulation consisted of sandwiches canned beans, hard tack and prepared chocolate.

Initial flight arrangements had provided 18 meat sandwiches for each man to be used in meals of three each. Three pints of soup, to be taken in half pint portions, and three pints of coffee, to be rationed out similarly, were in the plane.

Two dozen lumps of sugar and six oranges, together with a liberal water supply, concluded the diet as mapped out by navy experts.

Some of this food had been unused when the plane was forced to alight on the water September 1. The beans, hard tack and chocolate tablets were in the emergency kits and it was chiefly on these foods that the fliers existed.

SEARS-ROEBUCK BROADCASTS TALK TO HOUSEWIVES

A Home-makers' Program is announced by the Sears-Robuck Agricultural Foundation at Dallas as the latest addition to the Radio Farmers' Democracy programs broadcast over Station WFAA, the Dallas News and Dallas Journal. Each Friday afternoon from 3:30 to 4:00, housewives with radio receivers may tune in to hear one half hour of entertainment and practical housewife talks.

The program is planned especially for farm women of the southwest, but the features should interest all ladies. Recipes, labor-saving hints for the household, health talks and sewing suggestions are broadcast by authorities. Home-makers in "listen-land" are invited to send in practical ideas for these programs.

CATCHING DRUG INAUGURATES BIG TWO FOR ONE SALE

Elsewhere in this issue of the Slatonite will be found a large advertisement of the Catching Drug Store, in which is announced a big two-for-one sale of Nyal drugs and drug sundries. The sale will be conducted for three days, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week, at which time purchasers of any of the items appearing in the advertisement will receive two of an item for the price of one.

This is the second annual Nyal sale of this nature, the first having been put on last fall, with very pleasing results, according to G. J. Catching, proprietor of the Catching Drug Store, Slaton's exclusive Nyal agent.

The purpose of the sale, Mr. Catching states, is only to better advertise the Nyal products.

M. Calthorp was among those who this week ordered The Slatonite sent to their address for another year.

A cross, sickly baby suffering from digestive troubles and looseness of the bowels needs McGee's Baby Elixir. It checks the bowels, eases the stomach and restores healthy conditions. Price 35c and 60c. Sold by CITY DRUG STORE, John Dabney & Son, Props.

IS LOVE BLIND?
"I'll say it is" says
BUSTER KEATON
in
Seven Chances

AND you'll say this is the most comical love story ever invented to keep happy audiences howling with merriment. A fortune at stake unless he can get a bride by midnight! What a situation for a man who's but a beginner at Cupid's game. You won't stop laughing 'till the very end!

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Custer Theatre
Friday and Saturday, September 18th and 19th

25,000 School Children Will Attend West Texas Fair

Abilene, Sept. 15.—Plans are maturing this week for opening the West Texas Fair here on Monday, September 21. It runs one week. No expense has been spared to make it the largest and best exhibition ever promoted here. Three new buildings have been erected and the grandstand enlarged, at a cost of \$40,000. The entertainment features, the premiums to be paid, and the program as a whole approximate a cost of \$50,000. The people of the city are getting ready to extend the "glad hand" of fellowship to all visitors who come.

The high points of the program include a historical pageant, with all of the educational institutions of Abilene participating, on Monday night, September 21. An estimate indicates an attendance of 25,000 school children on Public School day, September 22. There will be two football games on that day; Abilene Hi will play San Angelo Hi, and Wintert Hi will play Anson Hi. Wednesday and Friday, automobile racing days, will see three of the world's fastest drivers on the local track, with many others.

An account of sixteen years of breeding experiments with blackberries and raspberries at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station has been written by H. Ness, station botanist, and is published in Bulletin No. 326, which is available for free distribution. In this bulletin may be found descriptions of the behavior of sundry seedlings, hybrids and compound hybrids of various berries. The experiments leading to the development of the Nessberry, an outgrowth of a cross between a raspberry and a dewberry, are described in most interesting fashion. The horticultural characters of the Nessberry are described and methods are given for the successful propagation of this valuable addition to the berry field.

The future of the dirigible is uncertain in so far as America is concerned. But there should be no uncertainty concerning the use of helium. It should be employed by every lighter-than-air vessel that takes to the skies. Had it not been used to fill the reservoirs of the Shenandoah, every man who went westward on that ill-starred flight would be dead today.—Daily Oklahoman.

Four one-day good will and trade trips will be made in the next three weeks by the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Lubbock to boost and advertise the Panhandle South Plains Fair, which will open for its twelfth annual session, September 30, on the opening day of the Texas Technological college, when over a thousand students will be in Lubbock to enroll in the new college and when several thousand West Texas business men from all parts of the section will be here to witness the ceremonies of the formal opening of the new educational monument.

The third annual meeting of the Texas Association of Sanitariums will be held in Waco, October 7-10, under the joint auspices of that city and Baylor University with the state board of health. Dr. A. H. Flickwir, city health officer, Houston, is president of the association and Dr. W. A. Bulce, Baylor University, is chairman of the program committee. A tentative program has been arranged, and copies will soon be ready to be mailed to health workers throughout the state.

Representatives of the American Public Health association and the United States Public Health service will be some of the out-of-state visitors present for the conference. City officials, and especially city health officers and sanitary inspectors are urged to attend the meeting.

Stray Bits of Wisdom.
Childhood is like a mirror, which reflects in after life the images first presented to it.—Samuel Smiles.

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Business Houses Closed for Commercial Meet

Rotan, Sept. 8.—R. Q. Lee, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, spoke here recently to one of the largest gatherings ever held in Rotan. All business houses were closed and numbers of the farmers of Rotan territory heard Mr. Lee, who had to speak from a truck on the streets to accommodate the crowd. Mr. Lee's farm program, if carried out, will be of great benefit to the Fisher county farmers as well as other sections. The farmers' chances are four to one when he gives the slogan "The Cow, Sow and Hen" on the farm with King Cotton.

WHY BIRTHS SHOULD BE REGISTERED

Birth registration is necessary to prove legal age; for inheritance of property; for claims of widows and orphans; for settlement of insurance and pensions; for right to serve on jury; for military service; for right to vote; for entrance to school; for right to marry; for legal dependency; for driving automobiles; for tax income; for determining legal protection under the law, and for determining court jurisdiction.

Birth registration is also necessary to prove American citizenship; for passports to other countries; for re-admission to the United States after residence abroad; for exemption from military service in foreign countries; for right to hold certain offices; for right of admission to certain professions; for collecting compensation from government, and for admission to school in foreign countries.

If you do not know whether your baby is registered, write your state board of health at Austin for this information, giving full name of baby, place and date of birth. Any child born in Texas can still be registered on application of parents.

CHILD CAN'T ENTER SCHOOL

The importance of birth registration was emphasized recently by a letter received by the state board of health from Honolulu by a former Texas resident, who stated that it would be impossible for his child to enter school there until a certified copy of its birth certificate was presented. Many of the states are also requiring birth certificates as entrance requirements to public schools, and the child born in Texas and unregistered, may later in life, where his parents have moved to some other state, find himself barred from school, because no public record was kept of his birth.

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LAST WARNING ISSUED CITY OFFICIALS SAY

The fact that the City of Slaton has ample traffic laws is widely known to owners and drivers of automobiles, and they have, in the past been sufficiently warned to abide by these laws, according to city officials, who now make the announcement that in the future these laws must be observed or fines and sentences will positively result.

When cars are parked in the middle of the street, according to Chief Sam Selmon, they must be parked square across the street, and upon leaving must be driven forward, with the traffic, and not backed out as has been the practice of some.

The habit of turning, other than at corners, and the habit of cutting corners must be stopped, Selmon states, his notice to automobile drivers appearing elsewhere in this issue of the Slatonite. All city executive officers have been instructed to enforce these laws, and drivers of motor vehicles should carefully observe them, saving the embarrassment of facing charges for violation of city ordinances.

STOP THAT ITCHING

Sufferers from skin diseases such as Itch, Eczema, Tetter, Poison Oak, Ringworm, Old Sores or Sores on Children may find relief from the use of a jar of BLUE STAR REMEDY or their money will be refunded. The first application relieves that terrible itching. Will not stain clothing and has a pleasant odor.

CITY DRUG STORE

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER EXECUTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,)
County of Lubbock)

In the County Court of Lubbock County, Texas.

The Slaton State Bank, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. J. M. Davis and S. W. Guist, defendants.

Whereas, by virtue of an execution levied out of the county court of Lubbock county, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 21st day of July A. D. 1925, in favor of the said The Slaton State Bank of Slaton, Texas, a corporation, No. 1410 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1925, at 3 o'clock p. m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the county of Lubbock, state of Texas, and belonging to the said J. M. Davis, to-wit: An undivided one-half interest of the defendant J. M. Davis in and to lot No. nine (9) in block No. eighty (80) in the South Slaton Addition to the town of Slaton, Lubbock county, Texas, and also an undivided one-half interest belonging to the said defendant J. M. Davis in and to lot No. seven (7) in block No. sixty-one (61) in the West Park Addition to the town of Slaton, Lubbock

county, Texas, as said lots are respectively shown and designated on the official plats of said South Slaton Addition to said town of Slaton, and the West Park Addition to said town of Slaton, Texas, of record in the office of the county clerk of said Lubbock county, Texas; and on the sixth day of October, A. D. 1925, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. on said day, at the courthouse door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of said J. M. Davis in and to the said above described property.

H. L. JOHNSTON,
Sheriff Lubbock County, Texas.
By O. R. Patterson Deputy. 44-31c

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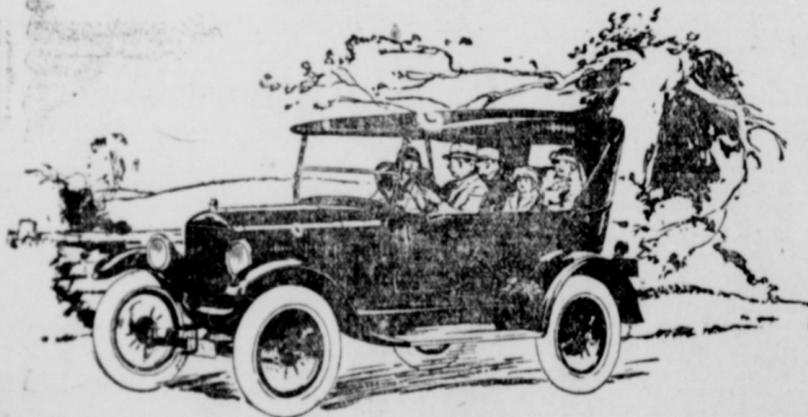
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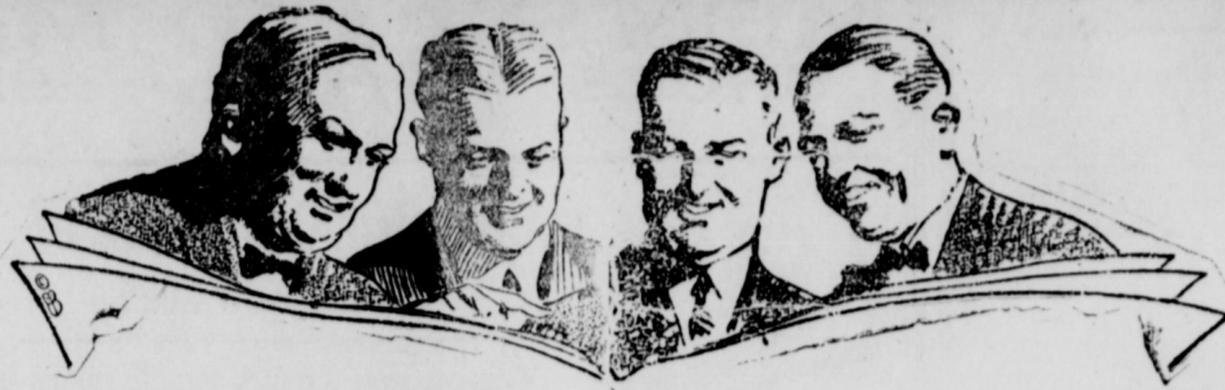


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---Thomas Heywood

Every citizen of Slaton should possess it. For, are not the Prosperity, Progress and General Welfare of a great Community best reflected in the CONTENTED DISPOSITIONS OF ITS RESIDENTS?

Put yourself in the place of the visitor within our gates. If he’s of the type who judge as they pass—and most of them do—he’ll formulate his opinion of us and our town by the welcome he receives, the friendliness he observes about him, the neighborliness of our citizens—the state of CONTENTMENT we show.

So go about with a friendly smile—one that you really mean. Speak a kind word for Slaton whenever the opportunity presents itself. Do a kind deed for your neighbor now and then and he’ll do as much for you. Make the visitor feel at home by imparting what information you can with a cheerfulness that bespeaks your CONTENTMENT in living in this great community.

Surely, you have every reason in the world to be CONTENT here. Your interests, both commercial and social, are here. Our resources are just beginning to be developed. And yours are the countless opportunities to make this a better place in which to live and enjoy life to its fullest extent.

We, the undersigned professional and business interests, believe that the happy, CONTENTED citizen is a better Advertisement for Slaton than the biggest billboard on earth could be.

Heed this advice and—BE ONE

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For the Progress and Building
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MILLER VARIETY STORE
“Big Values for Little Money”

STURGES & KERBY
We Specialize in Children’s Wear
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Slaton Chamber of Commerce

O. Z. BALL & COMPANY
“Pay Less and Dress Better”
North Side Phone 16

TEXAS DRY GOODS
L. Susser, Proprietor
Dry Goods, Shoes, Ladies’ Ready-to-Wear
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Real Estate, Loans, Insurance

THE TOGGERY
Everything for the Man or Boy
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“The House of Service”

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The Best Picture Programs
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ELROD FURNITURE STORE
Phone 321
On Texas Avenue
New and Second-Hand Furniture

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Pure Drugs—Drug Sundries
Cold Drinks

THE “M” SYSTEM STORE
The More You Spend with Us
the More You Save

BIG STATE GARAGE
United States Tires and Tubes
Gas—Oils—Accessories
General Repairing

**Music and Reading
Mark Rotary Meet**

Although the attendance at last Friday's Rotary luncheon was rather small, on account of several Rotarians necessarily being out of town, yet the entertainment was unusually good, and heartily enjoyed by all.

Jack Callaway had charge of the program, and artists from the Slaton school faculty very generously furnished the entertainment. Misses Jeannette Ramsey and Grace Bailey, music teachers, favored Rotarians and visitors with splendid musical selections, and Miss Margaret Whitaker, teacher of expression, gave a very interesting reading.

Visitors were Misses Ramsey, Whitaker and Bailey; Revs. F. G. Callaway and B. W. Dodson.

A brief sketch of the recent district conference, Rotary International, held at Vernon, was given by President Harry McKirahan.

The program Friday of this week will be conducted by Sam Ball.

**Local Postal Clerks
Enjoy Big Picnic**

On Monday of last week, Labor Day, Slaton postal employees enjoyed a big picnic and barbecue held on Silver Falls Lake, near Crosbyton. It was an occasion of an annual district meeting of postal employes.

Those attending from Slaton were Roy E. Brown and C. E. Nesbitt, clerks; Foster Carrall, carrier for route No. 1; Bill Klattenhoff, carrier for route No. 2, and J. S. Bates, carrier for route No. 3.

The boys reported a splendid trip and very enjoyable feed.

WHEN GOVERNMENT SAVES

"Far from hurting business, the government's economy policy has been of the utmost advantage to business," says the New York Sun. "It has already resulted in a reduction of several hundred million dollars a year in federal taxes; it promises to bring about a tax reduction of 200,000,000 or \$200,000,000 more next year.

"When the government saves money it does not mean that the money is not spent. What it does mean is that, instead of being spent by officials to keep unnecessary bureaucrats in unproductive jobs, the money is left in the hands of the man who earns it, and he may decide himself how it shall be spent."

The president will find the people behind him in his determination to administer national affairs in an economical and business like manner. State officials can follow the lead of the president.

TRY SLATONITE WANT-ADS.



"Thrift is the most effective weapon that can be used against Old Man H. C. L. today."

TO REDUCE THE COST

of existing we should work hard and practice thrift on every hand.

The sensible management of our individual resources will make the dollars last longer.

Careful investment of your money in a home is a thrifty move that you will never regret.

Our building materials are desirable and reasonable. Our service satisfies.

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OUR AIM - TO HELP IMPROVE THE PANHANDLE
J. W. Hood, Mgr. Phone 1

THOMAS FLOYD ANDERSON

Thomas Floyd Anderson, born February 13, 1908, died September 16, 1925, age 17 years, 6 months and 27 days.

His remains were laid to rest in Inglewood cemetery last Friday afternoon, following funeral services at the Baptist church, conducted by Rev. Jno. P. Hardesty, which was attended by relatives and a host of mourning friends and classmates.

At the funeral the senior class of the Slaton high school, of which Thomas Floyd was a member, had seats in a group, while members of the high school football squad and Coach Miller acted as pallbearers. Floral offerings from schoolmates and other friends were numerous.

Thomas Floyd was buried by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Anderson, who live just west of Slaton, four brothers and three sisters: J. W., J. D., Marion and L. C., Mrs. Charlie Jones, Misses Jessie and Louine.

ELLA MAE HARDY

Ella Mae Hardy, aged 5 years, 11 months and 2 days, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hardy, of Slaton, died Sunday morning, September 13th, and her remains were buried in Inglewood cemetery Sunday afternoon, following funeral services at the family home conducted by Rev. Jno. P. Hardesty, pastor of the local Baptist church.

Foster Undertaking company had charge of the funeral arrangements.

**Two Lubbock County
Cabbages Weigh Over
Twenty-four Pounds**

W. H. Massey, who lives eight miles south of Lubbock, brought two cabbages into town yesterday which weighed 24 pounds together. "I've heard a lot of people say that vegetables can't be grown in Lubbock county," Massey said, "and I want to exhibit these at the Panhandle South Plains Fair to show the many visitors who will see the exposition that this county can raise almost any product,

**Well-Filled Batteries
Save Big Expense**

When the engine, or any of the other mechanical parts of your car go wrong, there are a variety of ways in which the motorist may be warned of trouble. The battery, however, is an electro-chemical apparatus, and its danger signals are neither so obvious nor so numerous as those which the engine may send out.

Harry Green of Green's garage Prest-O-Lite battery dealer, says that it is not at all unusual for battery to go "crazy with the heat," if its owner fails to take a few reasonable and simple precautions, especially during the warm months of the year. Overheating, says Harry, need not happen to a battery at all. How to avoid this trouble, and the annoyances and expense that may go with it, is only a matter of a little attention to the car's power storehouse.

Failure to keep all the cells properly filled with distilled water will shorten the life of a battery quicker than anything else. While the acid in the solution always remains (unless it is spilled or sprayed out with gasses), there is continuous evaporation of the water, which evaporation increases with heat. This is why batteries require more frequent filling in summer.

**Additional Pharmacist
at City Drug Store**

C. H. George, who recently moved to Slaton with his family from Little Rock, Arkansas, has accepted a position with the City Drug store as pharmacist. Mr. George is an old timer at the drug and prescription business, and is a valuable addition to the City Drug store force.

farm or garden.

Massey stated that he would show a complete exhibit in the individual entries of his farm products at the fair. He believes that he has a number of products which will take the blue ribbon.—Plains Journal.

**County Tax Values
Show Increase
Over Past Year**

Lubbock, Sept. 14.—Taxable values in Lubbock county as shown by assessments made by County Tax Assessor R. C. Burns, including county and state taxes, increased \$2,490,175 for 1925 over the values for 1924, figures just compiled by the assessor show.

In 1924 the taxable values in the county as shown by county and state assessments, amounted to \$15,508,565, while for 1925, these taxable values amounted to 17,998,740.

"While these figures represent great progress in development in the county, they do not show as great an increase as I anticipate next year, due to the fact that many big business houses, industrial plants, farm improvements, including granaries, homes and dairy plants, which were not built in time to be assessed this year will be included in the assessments next year," Mr. Burns said.

Frank Sousares of Bryan, Texas, here on a visit to his sons, J. F. and G. F. Sousares, of the Busy Bee cafe. Mr. Sousares was accompanied here by his son-in-law, James Navies, and his brother, Joe, who are here on a prospecting trip.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method to thank our friends and all those good people who tried to make our burden lighter. How we pray, dear people, that this will never be your lot. We want to thank every one that sent the pretty flowers and for every kind word. We couldn't have asked for anything to have been done better than the loving hands did for the last time for our darling son and brother. MR. AND MRS. W. J. ANDERSON AND CHILDREN.

FOR RENT—Nice bed rooms, with furnace heat. Phone 135, or see Mrs. W. Donald. 43

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Owners of horses and blooded stock are large users of Liquid Borozone. It heals wounds, festering sores, barbed wire cuts by a mild power that leaves no disfiguring scars. Price 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by CITY DRUG STORE, John Dabney & Son, Props.

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Good Tools
save time
and work.**

You need not be afraid of the wearing qualities of the tools you buy at our store. They are made of the finest quality of steel and they hold their edge.

As fast as new ideas are accepted by the trade as practical, we place them in our stock. It will pay you to look around and examine these labor savers. They are worth more money than we ask for them. Come in. We are glad to show you our good goods.

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A. L. Brannon, Hardware

**New Fall
CLOTHES**

Now on Display
WE SELL
EVERYTHING THAT MEN WEAR
See our line before you buy, and we will save you money.

The Place Where Style, Quality and Price Meet.

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JUST TO REMIND YOU

THAT right now is an ideal time to put in those concrete or cement walks. And a cement floor in the cellar, too. You've wanted, and planned on having these improvements for a long time. For best results, get at the task before frost and the wet rainy season.

THAT remodeling or repair work should be started now so it can be finished before cold weather sets in. How about fixing those cellar steps, putting in a new porch floor and fixing the barn or garage doors? If you want to add a new room or fix up the attic, do it now!

THAT it would be wise to give your roofs a very careful inspection now. If you find any bad places, you should repair or reroof before the fall rains set in. Don't put it off. Look at your roof today!

THAT the best place to buy materials for all such repairs and improvements is at our lumber yard. Our lumber, shingles, millwork, cement, etc., are strictly high grade. Quality considered, you can't buy cheaper anywhere.

THAT we want to serve you. Phone or come in for prices and other information.

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