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SOCIAL EVENTS OF SLATON AND COMMUNITY DURING PAST WEEK

Mrs. C. F. Anderson Entertains.

Mrs. C. F. Anderson was hostess to the Advanced Dunning class and their efficient teacher, Miss Jeannette Ramsey on Tuesday afternoon at a six o'clock luncheon.

The guests found their places at the table with dainty little handpainted place cards on which were found the staff with "Never B-Flat," "Always B Natural," and "Sometimes B-Sharp."

The luncheon, in four courses was served as follows: Fruit Cocktail, after which an interesting musical contest called "A Spring Morning" was presented to the guests, then the second course of bouillon, and the contest was resumed which ended in the presentation of a box of chocolate candy to Miss Ramsey as the lucky contestant. The next course which consisted of chicken salad, potato chips, olives, hot rolls and butter was followed by the final course of ice cream and cake, the plate also bearing a pretty bouquet of violets.

The eight invited guests lingered as they left to extend an expression of true appreciation to the hostess for the delightful occasion.

Sunbeam Program.

Song, Scripture lesson, Odie Hood. Prayer. Memory verse, Matt. 28:19-20. Regular business of band. April verse, Maxine Maxwell. Special song, Cleo Hollingsworth, Clota Daley, Paulie Owens, Claudia Morgan. The Geography that Came to Olive, John Hardesty. Song from the Chinese, Obel Staggs. Gathering of Love Gifts, Troy Pickens.

Junior B. Y. P. U.

Group 1 in charge. With Robert Moffatt in the Land of the Negro. Introduction by group captain. Playette. Marries Mary Smith, Violet Bean. Fifty-three Years in Africa, Viola Mae Bollinger.

Wednesday Club.

The Wednesday Study Club met with Mrs. L. L. Stone Wednesday, April 18. After a business session and program a delicious luncheon was served. —Reporter.

Mrs. R. G. Shankle Hostess to Civic and Culture Club.

Mrs. R. G. Shankle was hostess to the Civic and Culture Club on last Saturday afternoon at her home in South Slaton. The rooms were beautiful in the decorations of spring flowers and ferns. The program on "Religion, Public Opinion and Politics as an Agency for Social Control," was ably led by Mrs. Frye. Those taking parts were Mesdames Baldwin and Donald, Misses Kuykendall and Ramsey, after which dainty refreshments of cream and cake were served to club members and one guest, Josephine Adams.

Circle No. 1 of the Baptist Woman's Auxiliary met Tuesday afternoon, with eight members present, at the home of Mrs. Guy Nix. A very interesting lesson was studied, after which adjourned to meet Tuesday, April 24th, with Mrs. D. J. Hubbard. —Reporter.

B. Y. P. U. Program for April 20.

Doctrinal meeting. "How Can I Know I Am a Christian?" Song, "Blessed Book." Business. Secretary's report. Bible reading drill. Leader, James Burton. Scripture lesson, Romans 8:13-17; 1 Tim. 1:12-15; 2 Tim. 1:12, Theresa Morgan. Assurance comes by believing the promise, Marion Anderson. Belief on the Lord Jesus Christ, Mrs. Ivy Moore. Do we love other Christians, Miss Ruth Wadley. Solo, Miss Artie Champion. The Holy Spirit helps us to know, Miss Mildred Pierce. Reading, Miss Maurice Hardesty. Our likeness to Christ, Miss Alyce Littlefield. Pian solo, Margie Harris. The promise of God, Miniard Abel.

Death of Infant.

Florence Marie, age 5 months and 15 days, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Thompson, of near Wilson, died Sunday, April 15th. Funeral services were conducted at the Church of Christ here at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon by Eld. J. W. McKinney, pastor. Burial followed in Englewood Cemetery.

The undertaking department of Foster Furniture Co. had charge of the funeral arrangements. The Slatonite joins a host of friends in extending sincere sympathy to all upon whom bereavement has fallen.

Activities About School Buildings

The Idalou high school gave "As a Woman Thinketh" Tuesday night. This play was advertised as a comedy. "Life" is said to be a "tragedy." It is also a comedy as shown by these fine young people from Idalou. The naturalness of their work was remarkable and while a continuous succession of laughable situations arose many splendid thoughts and truths were driven home to the interested hearers.

We came away with a determination to believe in and love our fellows more and more. Each character from Sue, the honest negress to the mother, "who was responsible for her family" threw their personality into the play and made a success.

Their work reflects the merits of their splendid teachers.

Last Wednesday afternoon our boys defeated Lubbock high in a good game of baseball. The Lubbock boys are good sports but they hated to lose out in this game. Friday the 20th, another game is to be played in the Lubbock park. This contest gives the winners the right to play in the district series on 27th and 28th.

Some one is suggesting, and properly so, that our young people of the younger set do not conduct themselves becomingly at public gatherings. As teachers we can advise but our authority does not extend to many of these gatherings. Something must be done. We are now a city, with visitors coming and going and the department of our children is charged up to us, collectively and individually. What are we going to do about it? Now lets do something. Not only is there a laxity of conduct at secular gatherings but there is positive irreverence in the churches before services, between services and after services. We have heard parents, themselves, talking in loud, unrestrained voices and we see children running, bustling and roughing and hear them whistling and at most any time when the services are not actually in progress.

Reverent worship and irreverent conduct do not seem to be in harmony in houses dedicated to God: What are we going to do about it? As school people we are ready for concertive action. We need our clubs, parent-teachers, civic, commercial, etc., we mean, to enter into serious consideration of this serious question. Will you do it?

We have been a little tardy in expressing our thanks for the nice baseball uniforms so generously given by our friends in the town. Our boys are going fine in them and we believe they will finish the season in fine shape. We certainly appreciate the

FIRE DESTROYED HOME LAST FRIDAY MORNING

On last Friday morning about 10 o'clock fire destroyed a residence belonging to N. W. Shaw of Indiana, occupied by B. J. Lusk and Mr. Thompson and families. The entire contents was a total loss, and the building was practically destroyed, though the firemen did excellent work and prevented spread of the fire to nearby property.

RECITAL BY PUPILS OF MISSES WHITAKER AND BAILEY THURSDAY NIGHT

Last night (Thursday) Miss Thelma Smith, pupil of Miss Whitaker, expression teacher, and Howard Hoffman, pupil of Miss Bailey, music teacher, delighted a large audience at the high school auditorium, with seven numbers, as follows:

Minuet (Handel), Gavotte (Rameau), Clown Dance (Brouhoff), Howard Hoffman.

Mandalay (Kipling), At the Photographer's (Ford), Thelma Smith.

Gavotte (Goessec), Howard Hoffman.

Her Husband's Dinner Party (Cooke), Thelma Smith.

Minuet (Bocherrini), Scarf Dance (Chimnade), Howard Hoffman.

The Lion and the Mouse (Klein), Thelma Smith.

Second Mazurka (Wienawski), Howard Hoffman.

The program was closed with a one-act farce entitled "The Mouse Trap," with Thelma Smith portraying Mrs. Prettitpet, and John Bagby as Mr. Briefbag.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation to many friends and neighbors for kindnesses during the illness and after the death of our dear wife and mother, for the numerous floral offerings and expressions of sympathy. Especially do we thank Rev. A. B. Weiss for his expressions of sympathy and comforting words during our sad bereavement.

Sincerely,
M. F. KLATTENHOFF
AND CHILDREN.

CARD OF THANKS.

We take this method of thanking all those who contributed to us in our loss, when everything was destroyed by fire. May God's richest blessings be with each and every one of you as our prayer.

B. J. LUSK AND FAMILY.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NOTES AND ACTIVITIES AS REPORTED

By Sam E. Staggs, Secretary-Mgr.

There will be an open meeting of the Chamber of Commerce tonight, Friday 20th, at the City Hall. A large attendance is desired. Let's have a peppy meeting and getting going on matters that will be a great help to the city and community. The Wednesday Club will serve light refreshments in the rest room, a free will offering to be taken, the proceeds to go toward the further furnishing of this room, and apply on the library fund. All men interested in Slaton's progress, whether members of the Chamber or not, should come out and participate.

Now that the city's Post Office has been moved up to Second Class, we should prepare for free delivery of mails. In order that this can be accomplished, sidewalks should be built, the streets marked and houses numbered. This matter should receive consideration just as early as practicable, other needs considered.

Gates Dry Goods Co. have completed moving into the building recently made vacant by the Foster Furniture Co. Lynch and Egan have leased their old quarters and will open up soon with a complete line of Variety Goods.

A car of telephone poles for the rural lines have been unloaded this week and arrangements are now being made for cross arms and other necessities to string lines on. This work will be completed just as early as possible and the hole material distributed.

Work on the I. O. O. F. building is

temporary suspended awaiting the arrival of lumber from the mills.

We are glad to report that at the meeting of the West Texas Optometrists at Sweetwater recently, that Slaton was designated as their next meeting point, the date of which will be in July. The City Hall Auditorium will bring many meetings of this nature here, and will result in much good advertising being had that will be of material benefit to us.

Lubbock County School Teachers Association will hold their regular meeting here Saturday at the City Hall Auditorium. Teachers from all points of the county will be in attendance.

Lubbock District Methodist Conference will be held in Slaton at the City Hall Auditorium opening Thursday, May 3rd, and continuing over Sunday. In the neighborhood of fifty ministers of this denomination will be in attendance and they should be taken care of in Slaton's usual hospitable manner.

After months of dillydallying the county commissioners have seen fit to allow the contract for the pulling down of the north hill on the canyon, and work should commence early next week. S. C. Marrs has been given this contract and the limit for the completion is set as July 15th.

The drilling contractors are now at work sinking the second water well for the city.

Let's Start a Spring Clean-Up Campaign

Some genius conceived the notion that a Clean-Up Week or Clean-Up Day, if appointed during the spring months, would appeal to the popular psychology at that particular time. It did so, and today such occasions are observed in thousands of communities.

The desire for improvement seems to influence people at this season. If you asked a man to clean up disorder around his place in July, he might evasively postpone the suggestion.

But in spring some lure of outdoors, emphasized by the bright sunshine and soft breezes and cheerful bird songs, seems to put a new spirit into the heart. The man who at other times is indifferent to appearances, will come forth in his overalls and jumper, prepared for heroic deeds with rake, spade, and bonfire.

An incessant stream of visitors are through our town every day, and Slaton is under constant inspection by visitors. These folks form impressions, not so much from superficial appearances of prosperity like costly buildings, as by the degree of neatness and taste shown in the care and improvement of dwellings and their surroundings.

The time is ripe for a Clean-Up Campaign. Let's begin to formulate plans and make a campaign that will rid the city of everything that will mar its civic beauty. A proclamation from the mayor is in order.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Dr. Browne will hold services as usual Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and 7:45 in the evening at the Club House.

Services will be held each evening next week beginning Wednesday, at the Club House, and on the following Sunday will close with two services at the City Hall Auditorium morning and evening.

Dr. Browne is an interesting talker and the general public has a cordial invitation to hear him.

NOTICE.

The public is hereby notified that the traffic ordinances will be rigidly enforced after publication of this notice and you are urged to help us enforce this law.

Also the ordinance requiring building permits before beginning the construction of any kind of building will be rigidly enforced, and if you have built a house of any kind since the ordinance took effect last November, and haven't secured a permit a few days will be given you in which you may secure one before action will be taken.
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A HOME TRADING SERMONETTE

Here is a clever burlesque that is going the rounds. We do not know where it started, but it contains a lot of truth:

A dry goods merchant was starting down town when his wife reminded him of his most important duty during the day. "Now, my dear, be sure and send to the city for that new radio outfit, so we can have it for Sunday. You know our old victrola is getting so that it is not fit to be heard."

Just a few blocks away the merchant who handles victrolas and furniture was sitting at breakfast with his family. The conversation drifted around to the near approach of school.

"And that reminds me, John," said the lady, who sat at the head of the table, "I must be going to the city not later than next week. I must get school clothes and see about a fall suit for myself, and while there perhaps I had better see about the new lace curtains for the front windows."

An hour or two later a leading grocer stepped into the bank to buy a draft which he was going to send to a catalogue house for a swell bedroom suite.

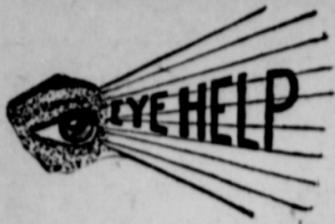
"How's business?" asked the bank-

er. "Oh, not so very good," replied the grocer; "things are dull just now."

Before the banker finished writing the draft a dapper young man with a grip stepped up and asked how everything was. The banker seemed glad to see him. He was a representative of a big printing establishment in another state. He and the banker chatted pleasantly for a few minutes, after which the young man inquired casually of his friend behind the window if he wanted anything. "Well, yes," replied the banker. "I believe I do. Print us 5,000 drafts, 25,000 checks and 5,000 letterheads."

The young man thanked his friend cordially and hustled out.

That night the local business men had a meeting at the town hall to discuss the growth of the mail order evil. All the gentlemen mentioned in the narrative delivered short talks. They agreed that the farmers were guilty of treason to their home merchants when they persisted in buying their goods from mail order houses, and the meeting closed by adopting strong resolutions against trading away from home.



HERE TO STAY

—MILLARD F. SWART, Eye Sight Specialist, has purchased a home in Slaton, and says that he is here to stay, because Slaton has the best future of any town on the South Plains. Dr. Swart's office is with the Slaton Drug Co. He is this week having his examination room made as large again as it was to make room for new instruments that he will buy in Dallas next week.



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LOVE

By W. Ira Walter.

The discussion of love as set forth by Dr. Main and the exceptions taken thereto by Mr. Hall, of the Texas Christian University, are quite interesting from their different viewpoints, but neither of the gentlemen dip very deep into the subject. Dr. Main naturally discussing it from the physical aspect, having to do mostly with a class of people with destroyed hopes or wills frustrated by the obstinate conditions or unfortunate environment, is not in position to pass upon this greatest of all questions; neither is Mr. Hall, whose work and associations tend almost wholly to the idealistic side of life.

This alienist, whose work is almost wholly with the insane, has no opportunity of observing love as may be found in the ideal home of kindred souls. He sees nothing but a few wrecks of this vast world,—wrecks from various causes,—minds unbalanced by indiscretions in youth or in later life, by inordinate desires for fine equipment impossible to satisfy, or by the proper curbing of their unbearable tempers. He takes it for granted that most, if not all, of these unfortunates are the direct result of marriage, while any well-informed man knows there are quite as many from other causes, and religion is not the least of them. His position among humanity is much the same as that of a ragpicker among habdashers, who may be a good judge of rags, but whose judgment as to the merits of cloth would be of very small value. Oftentimes insanity is a direct result from the individual himself, without any outside personal influence, a simple result of senseless jealousy. I do not believe that our insane asylums are filled with wives unbalanced by unhappy conjugal conditions. He might as well go to the penitentiaries and make the same assertion, for the inmates are much the same. The only difference is that the insane want to do right but can not do it, and the convict does not want to do right but could do it. Dr. Main has dealt with the physical so long that he thinks there is nothing else, at least, that is worth while. He sees the gross matter only, and has forgotten, if he ever knew, that there is a creature human. Not an animal with animal tendencies alone, but a beautiful structure, in which there lives a perfect prototype of the Creator, and the only characteristic of this prototype is love, a veritable portion of the Divine Essence. This is our patrimony and through it we claim to be brethren in Christ and children of our Father in Heaven. Love the Lord thy God and thy neighbor as thyself is commanded of all the faithful, who believe that God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, to set their feet aright. But you say that this is religion and you can not understand what it has to do with marriage. It has everything to do with it, for with out it there is no marriage. Any union outside of love is a simple partnership for the carrying on of worldly occupations, whether that be the accumulation of wealth or the rearing of children. Can you imagine a home under the partnership regime, with the Lord sitting snug in his little corner and the maid-of-all-work piled up in an other corner corner, talking of busines in busines tones,—of the hogs, the hens, the cows, and all other sordid conditions, with not a mellow note to indicate that there was a moiety of affection between them? The mother love creates the home, without it there is none; communities are held together by it; and the states and this great country of ours are welded into one great nation by this element of love, the common tie that binds everything that is good or worth while, not only in this world but in that world to come. It is the basic principle upon which civilization rests, it is the fundamental creed of all religions, and there is no social organization without it; therefore, the home can not exist if there is no love manifested. To marry for money

is the most sordid proposition that could be advocated, and smacks keenly of European predilection, the policy of the bankrupted aristocracy of Europe. How many wrecks has there been of America's most beautiful woman-kind because there was an unscrupulous vagabond, if not something far worse, poorer than the proverbial Job's turkey, fair representatives of the "whited sepulchers," wanted to replenish an exhausted exchequer from the wealth of these beautiful but unsophisticated girls of America's aristocracy. They barter their wealth, their health, yea, their very soul, what for? An empty title, a soulless creature, and a disgusting sport, whose life and habits would nauseate the very stomach of hell. This is marrying for prestige on the part of the girl, but mating for wealth by the titled rone.

I do not agree with either Dean Hall or Dr. Main when they assert that love is based on sex attraction. Such a love is not worthy to be assigned to this class; it is the basest sensualism, and at the best belongs to the animals at mating time, whether it walks upon two legs or four. "Love is the power that makes possible the give-and-take of family life," so says Dean Hall. Love does no such thing. Love prevents this "give-and-take" business of married life. If the ties of love are not strong enough to smother such conditions at inception, what shall be these relations when these two have past the pearly gate? In the ideal is ever closely approximated, it must be accomplished by the bridling of the tongue, that unruly member of the household. No man in the sweet days of courtship would dare to be rude to the lady of his choice then where does he receive his license to the "give-and-take" proposition so glibly set forth by the dean. The man who marries for money regardless of other conditions, or for prestige, as shown above, is simply a gambler ready to take his chance to win some easy money.

"All the centuries of Christian history have been a struggle to elevate love from the level of the flesh." Love never dwelt in the flesh, whether in man or beast. It is a manifestation of that element called instinct in the animal and perhaps, both instinct and intelligence in man. It has no part in his carnal composition, regardless that many think that the seat of love is the heart, which is a gross mistake. I doubt that animals have this characteristic, and what is generally termed affection, is nothing more or less than passion. This passion in man or in animal is pure animalism, and has no relation to the holy power called love. I say power because it is the greatest force in nature, and nature means the universe. It is the basic principle of every song and hallelujah in the courts of Heaven, it is the sole characteristic of the Supreme power, it constituted the sole mission of Christ on his way to Calvary, it was the banner of the deciple who suffered martyrdom for the sake of their belief in the love mission of their Savior, and it was the only reason for the Supreme Sacrifice in the late war, in which nearly ten millions of the best of humanity paid the final debt. It was this feeling for the fireside and the loved one in that home, for all humanity at large, for the glory of this great country of ours, and for all the rest of mankind that they might enjoy what ours by birth and heritage, that plunged the flower of our country into that awful whirlpool of carnage, death, and hell indescribable; who on the fields of France said to the invading hordes thus far and no farther, and that furious impact shall be heard throughout the generations to come, reverberating, re-echoing down through the long vistas of time, and the story of Flanders Field shall be like that of William Tell and Arnold Winkelried. Prestige nor money could have accomplished the stopping of that German whore that was endeavoring to prostitute the civilized world. Today we should bow our heads to Love the goddess in our home that instills this into the child, the youth, the mother and the man, and calls it patriotism. She is our mother, the mother that never fails her child, though she sinks out of sight of other friends and life associates, into the depths of the slums, mother will find her and give her the best that she can command; and he can commit no crime that will sever that mother love, though condemned to the gallows by the justice of law, or eaten alive by the contamination of leprosy, Kipling well sings, "I know who will come to me, Mother of mine, mother of mine."

This is love. There is no speculation. There is no seeking for prestige. It is just a small portion of the chief characteristic of the great Divine manifested through the epitome of Himself. It is true that there is a purifying influence in the association where love holds sway, and every man realizes this, regardless how profane he otherwise may be. There is nothing in life that has so profound an influence on mankind as the pure love of a good sweet woman. A true gentleman stands uncovered, with hat in

hand, in deference to her, and at no time does he forget that his mother was a lady.

Shall we make ribald jests when Love's young dream first breaks forth, pure, simple manifestations of that most wondrous power in the universe? Love can not be purchased, nor can it be curbed. It takes us where she listeth, and laughs at locks, at chains, at isolation and at parental authority. The radiance of true love is like the halo of the morning sunrise, and as it progresses becomes as the brilliancy of the noonday sun. Let us "tune in" as the radio enthusiast would say and the fine synchronous fiber of the soul will revel in the beautiful songs of the heavenly hosts that surround the throne of the God of love.

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Washington, April 18.—June is the most important cropweather month, in a greater part of the world, than is any other month, and the coming June will be unusually important to agriculture in a larger part of cultivated lands than usual. Over many sections a shortage of rain is slowly and stealthily creeping upon agriculture, while excessive rains are as surely, but unnoticed, laying the foundations for damaging rains in other sections. Neither great floods nor great drouths will occur in North America this year, nor a great, general failure of crops; but the general crops will be less than in 1922. June will bring only one week of severe storms and is warning of less than usual moisture. That week of storms will center on June 9. In North America, the crest of Rockies will separate the two extremes of wet and dry.

Sec. 5, Slaton and vicinity: South of 39, between 90 and Rockies' crest; highest temperatures near April 20 and 30, lowest 27 and May 1; average warmer than usual; storms and most rain near April 25.

The season of tornadoes is near. Conditions for their most destructive work, as I see them, are favorable to the following dates: Near May 5,



—“There is nothing more cheerful than the song of hammer and saw on a clear, sunshiny day.”

—And if it's YOUR home going up, and it is being built of our uniformly fine quality lumber, ain't it a wonderful feelin'?

—“Billie Bildit” lumber just builds better anyhow.

—Let's start your new home right away.

PANHANDLE LUMBER CO.
OUR AIM - TO HELP IMPROVE THE PANHANDLE

J. W. Hood, Mgr. Phone 1

no strong indications; June 9, stronger indications; June 30, conditions about half way between the two above; July 6, 22 and 31, strong indications of tornadoes; very dangerous from August 1 to 14; the week centering on Sept. 10, dangerous. They cannot be definitely located, but usually come in the southern states earlier in the year than in the northern.

W. T. Hill's Tailor Shop

Telephone 124
is enjoying liberal business, but wants more. Bring your dirty clothes here and see how they look after we're through with them. We make a specialty of dyeing, also. The small charge will certainly meet your approval, too.

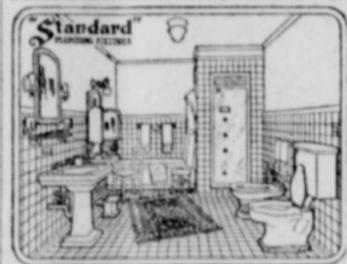
—We have the best quality hay, guaranteed free from Johnson grass.

—We have the best quality coal, guaranteed free from bone, slate and sulphur.

Smith Coal & Grain Co.

Phone 89.

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BETTER SERVICE



WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Does my name down at the bottom of this, mean anything to you? Perhaps, and, then again, perhaps not. It all depends.

If I've never served you or your neighbor, my name means little to you.

But if I have served you, then my name means a definite something.

I am trying to make my name stand for just two things in this community of ours. And those two things are quality plumbing and quality heating.

I want you and your neighbor to know me for the goods I sell and the work I do.

Plumbing and heating are two necessary services. You can't have comfort or convenience, health or happiness without them.

This being true, the plumbing and heating man who observes you must keep in mind your comfort, your convenience, your health, your happiness.

To do this is my mission.
Does my name mean anything to you?



—Free Estimates on Plumbing.

B. C. MORGAN

THE PLUMBER THAT PLUMBS YOUR HOUSE RIGHT.

ATKINS' MARKET

Fresh and cured meats at prices you can afford.
We Appreciate Your Business
Telephone No. 5
North Side Sanitary Grocery Bldg.

C. F. Evans Grady Wilson

“THE HOUSE OF SERVICE”

—Unless we please you we are not pleased. Our guarantee works.

—We are here to clean, repair, alter and press your clothes to your approval, and solicit your patronage.

—Our delivery service is always ready, and we are “as near as your phone.”

—We appreciate your business.

EVANS & WILSON, Tailors
Phone 235 West Side Ninth St.

Ford RUNABOUT
269
F. O. B. DETROIT

A Still Better Runabout
Nothing like the present low price for the Ford Runabout has ever been known. And for a Ford of even greater merit, with slanting windshield, one-man top, additional carrying space in the rear and distinct improvements in chassis construction. Salesmen accept this Ford model as an essential part of their selling equipment; business houses buy it for their representatives and hundreds of thousands of other users will find it a still more attractive purchase than ever. Immediate orders are necessary if you are to get your Ford this Spring. A small down payment and the balance on easy terms.
*Ford prices have never been so low
Ford quality has never been so high*

Slaton Motor Co.
H. G. Stokes, Mgr.

WHEN MAN DRESSES UP—

—What is the right price for good Spring and Summer Clothes? That question is answered when you look at our exceptionally large assortment of samples and note the prices offered at. Do not overlook our Spring and Summer Straw Hats when you buy.

De Long
THE MERCHANT TAILOR

AMARILLO COUNTY OFFICERS TOLD BY GRAND JURY TO PUT THE "LID DOWN TIGHT" SUNDAY

Amarillo, April 17.—"The Lid" will be on in Amarillo! The Sunday Closing Law will be enforced to the letter in this county!

Such was the edict of the Potter County Grand Jury today in instructing County Attorney Henry L. Ford to give the public a warning, after which violations will be presented to the grand jury. The action of the grand jury followed a special charge given by District Judge Henry S. Bishop in mid-term. The charge was given upon the petition of 120 church men and women of this city, sponsored by the Social Service Committee of the Polk Street Methodist Church.

Baseball Games Exempt.

Baseball games and bath houses do not come under the Sunday law, as set forth in the statutes of Texas, but the general selling of goods and working on Sunday will be given special attention.

Grand Jury Urges Action.

The instructions as submitted to County Attorney Ford by the grand jury are given below:

"This grand jury has been specially charged by the Honorable Henry S. Bishop, Judge of the District Court, to investigate the violations of the Sunday closing law, and in acting according to his instructions have found that there is now in Amarillo much of this violation going on, especially among contractors, carpenters, electricians and laborers. We also find that there are a number of domino parlors, some dry goods stores, clothing stores and other retail stores are not observing this law, and are keeping their places of business open.

"As this portion of our laws has not been enforced, we wish to call your attention to Acts 299, 300, 301, 302 and 303 of the Penal Code, and request that this matter be brought to the attention of the general public through the press, and if after one week you still find violations of this law, you should call specific cases to our attention for action.

D. W. OWEN.

"Foreman of the Grand Jury."

Personal Mention.

J. M. Olive, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, is now able to be up, which will be gratifying news to his numerous friends.

When you need furniture see me and save money. I have some good stuff now.—Elrod's Second Hand Furniture.

Mrs. W. L. Sanders has been quite sick this week, but is reported as improved now, which will be gratifying news to friends of the family.

Mrs. Ray Conners and daughter, Theo Maxine of Lamesa, were here last week visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Ida Champion.

If we haven't what you want in the harness line we will make it for you.—WHITAKER & WHITE.

Eva, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Conklin, who underwent an operation recently in the Lubbock Sanitarium, is reported as improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Nix have been quite sick for several days past, but are now much improved.

Now that spring is here let us put a new top on that car.—WHITAKER & WHITE.

Special for Saturday only: Lot of hose at only 15c. Kelley's 5, 10 and 25c Store.

G. C. Barringer left yesterday for Ada, Okla., in response to a message stating that his mother was very ill.

"Day by day in every way" our shoe repairing is getting better and better.—WHITAKER & WHITE.

Mrs. R. A. Baldwin has gone to Clarendon to attend a meeting of the District Federation of Clubs, as a representative of the Civic and Culture Club.

George Wilhelm of Snyder spent Saturday and Sunday here visiting his friend, Roy McCurdy.

Now that spring is here let us put a new top on that car.—WHITAKER & WHITE.

Seat covers will protect the upholstery of a new car, and will make an old car look 100 per cent better. We fit any make or model. Inspect our seat covers and let us quote you prices.—WHITAKER & WHITE.

Miss Alice Whitley, daughter of Mrs. W. W. Stone, has returned from an extended visit to Marlin and Abilene.

If you have anything in furniture repair work see me.—Elrod's Second Hand Furniture.

Dr. Jesse W. Phillips was in Fort Worth this week attending the sessions of the State Dental Association.

See my supply of oil cook stoves before you buy.—Elrod's Second Hand Furniture.

Apply Ballard's Snow Liniment to joints that ache. It relieves bone ache, muscle ache and neuralgic pain. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by Slaton Drug Co.

You can't afford to miss the Wax-Figger Show of Mr. Jarley. Parts played by nearly forty characters. Sponsored by the T. E. L. Class of Baptist Sunday School. Don't fail to see the Chinese Giant, the two-headed girl and the woman who kept a secret.

Rev. and Mrs. F. G. Callaway of O'Donnell visited their son, F. E. Callaway and wife, here this week.

Children who have worms are pale, sickly and peevish. A dose or two of White's Cream Vermifuge will clear them out and restore rosy cheeks and cheerful spirits. Price 35c. Sold by Slaton Drug Co.

R. J. Murray, president of the Slaton State Bank, returned from Temple Wednesday morning, accompanied by Mrs. Murray, who has been undergoing treatment in a sanitarium there for several weeks, and who is much improved in health. Many friends of the family will be glad to learn that she is at home again.

Mrs. N. J. Whipple is still in the Lubbock Sanitarium, where she underwent an operation, but is reported doing nicely, and many friends here hope for her early return home.

Mrs. M. A. Evans, principal of the grammar school, west ward, underwent an operation at a Lubbock sanitarium this week. Her numerous friends here hope for her early and complete restoration to health.

John Hamlett, real estate dealer, is able to be out greeting his friends after a severe attack of erysipelas.

J. W. Lokey, one of Slaton's best known and most highly respected citizens, has been quite ill for the past several weeks. His many warm friends are hoping for his early and complete restoration to his usual good health.

As clear as the purest water is Liquid Borozone, yet it is the most powerful healing remedy for flesh wounds, sores, burns, and scalds that medical science has ever produced. Try it. Price 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by Slaton Drug Co.

Baptist Church Announcements.

Sunday School 10 a. m. Paul Owens, Supt. 300 were present last Sunday. Let's make it 400 next Sunday.

Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor.

Sunbeams and Junior B. Y. P. U. at 3 p. m.

Intermediate 4 p. m.

Senior B. Y. P. U. 7 p. m.

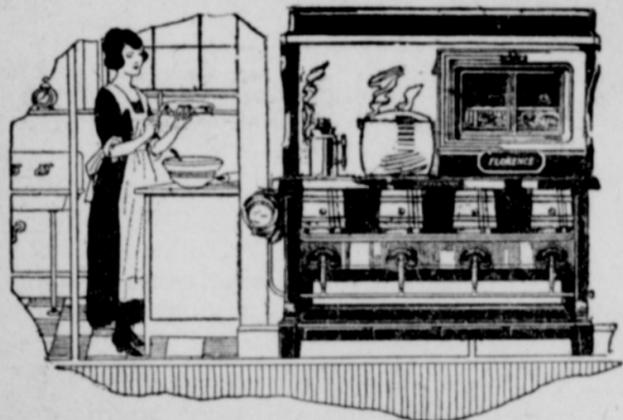
Public cordially invited to all our services. JNO. P. HARDESTY, Pastor.

Statement of the ownership, management, etc. of the Slatonite, published weekly at Slaton, Texas.

Publisher, editor and owner, W. Donald, Slaton, Texas.

Mortgages holding 1 per cent or more, Mergenthaler Linotype Co., New York City.

Duly acknowledged before Cleffie Watson, notary public, April 7, 1923. W. DONALD, Owner.



DON'T HEAT UP THE KITCHEN TO BOIL AN EGG.

—And don't keep an expensive fire going all day when you use it only a couple of hours. Some facts about the Florence way:

1. Blue flame gives intense heat close to the cooking.
2. It is regulated to any degree of cooking heat by turning a lever.
3. It is an ornament to any kitchen.
4. It soon pays for itself in the saving of fuel.
5. It is easily kept clean.
6. The Florence is used in the Domestic Science department of Slaton Public Schools.

A. L. BRANNON HARDWARE

Our Hardware Wears Telephone 55

FLORENCE OIL COOK STOVES

BARGAINS! BARGAINS! LOOK!

—A real old fashioned Dollar Day Sale

SATURDAY, APRIL 21
(One Day Only)

—Anything in our windows for just one dollar. Don't pass this up.

OWENS & RAGSDALE

Jewelers and Optometrists

BARGAINS

BARGAINS

—Our drug service is becoming popular because it satisfies and pleases the people.

—Our line of drug sundries is most complete and our specialties are celebrated proprietary medicines and high class prescription work.

—We respectfully invite a liberal share of the public patronage, and guarantee to please.

CITY DRUG STORE

John Dabney & Son

Slaton, Texas

ACREAGE TRACTS

—Have you seen the fine acreage tracts I am offering? I have several five acre blocks and one fine 25-acre block all located within a few blocks of school and the shops.

—Let me show you these tracts and give you price and terms on them.

M. A. PEMBER

Real Estate Dealer

Slaton, Texas

ARE YOU PREPARED

"Financially" to Die?

—STRONG MEN ARE PAYING THE SUPREME PENALTY DAILY. IF YOU ARE NOT READY BETTER GET THAT LIFE INSURANCE TODAY.

W. E. OLIVE

FARM LOANS AND INSURANCE

SLATON, TEXAS

King Tut's Tomb!

may be filled with treasures but that is no worry of ours. We are looking out for the people of Slaton and their well dressing.

-We have prepared for this spring's buying people with the kind of merchandise that would be fit for King Tut to wear, but we didn't buy it expecting to sell it to him, nor any of his people.

-You should call and inspect our line of new straw hats, shirts, collars, ties, socks, and in fact everything for men.

O. Z. BALL

"Pay Less and Dress Better"
Gents Furnishings and Tailor Shop
Phone 16

THE KASH KIDS



ATTENTION!

-I have taken over the hardware stock of the Slaton Furniture Co. and will be pleased to have you call when in need of hardware, groceries, or stoves. See our Saturday Specials.

"QUALITY and ECONOMY"



For good things to eat in the Bakery Line

try Gustines Bread and Pastry. We your favorcmfwypfl . . . 1234566. fig bake daily. The good rich flavor to suit your favor is baked into every loaf of our bread. If it's not right, Gustine makes it right.

CITY BAKERY

First door west Wilselma Theatre.

BLACKSMITHS

-We have opened a shop on Lynn St. east of Howerton second hand store. Are prepared to do all kinds of blacksmithing and woodwork.

J. M. ONEY & SON

ORTHODONTIA.

Orthodontia from an esthetic standpoint is more important now than ever before, for the world is dotted with people more homely than in previous years. The cause of most of this homeliness is that the foods eaten now do not require mastication sufficient to exercise and develop the jaws enough to accommodate the thirty-two teeth which nature intended we should have. In view of this fact of abnormal development of the jaws the teeth crowd each other, some torted, some protruding and some retruding, therefore the wisdom teeth not having sufficient room are forced to erupt under a muscle, causing pain and inflammation.

The underdeveloped jaws which require Orthodontia in order to be corrected is the source of most of the homeliness in people. If the jaws are undeveloped not only do we have malposed, unsightly teeth, but the chin is underdeveloped, often protruding or retruding and too close to the nose, thereby causing an unbalanced face and impairing the health of the individual, for they cannot masticate their food properly.

Mothers too often think their children's teeth are perfect when they are malposed and by studying the outlines of their faces, front and profile views, they can often recognize this fact.

Children born into this world should be in a position to make the best of it; not allowed to exist through it in a horrible state of deformity.

Infected tonsils, adenoids, lip habit, need of exercise, pacifiers, early extractions, late extractions, finger sucking, and abnormal frenum are the causes for crooked teeth. Teeth can now be straightened at most any age so long as there is no chronic disease of the jaws.

DR. JESSE W. PHILIPS.

The mild cathartic action of Herbine is well liked by ladies. It purifies the system without griping or sickening the stomach. Price 60c. Sold by Slaton Drug Co.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—One new 5-room house; one 10-room house, furnished; one lot, in fruit trees and garden; one jersey cow and jersey heifer; and an electric washing machine. All at bargain. See MRS. IDA CHAMPION.

WANTED: Plain and fancy sewing. Low prices.—MRS. HOLT, 2nd door north of T. J. Abel's residence.

GO TO Slaton Confectionery for all kinds of magazines and fine candy.—WHALEN & BEAL.

RED TOP Cane Seed 4 1-2c lb.—W. F. PORSCH, Box 548, Slaton, Texas.

FOR fancy dressmaking see Mrs. G. A. Bourland, north Christian church.

FOR Sale or Rent: My place in South Slaton for rent or for sale at a bargain. See H. T. BRUEDIGAM, 3 mi. east of Slaton.

THE Old Reliable pure bred Barred Rock eggs, 15 for \$1, at farm 1 mile north depot.—J. M. STEPHENS.

EGGS and Baby Chicks. See MRS. B. C. MORGAN.

S. C. BUFF Minorca eggs \$1.50 per 15; \$8 per 100. 5 miles southeast of Slaton on James farm.—J. R. RAYMOND, Rt. No. 2, box 83.

PURE MEBANE Improved Planting Seed for sale.—McDONALD BROS. Gin, Slaton, Texas.

FOR SALE: Windmill, with tank, sucker rod, cylinder and pipe.—M. A. STEWART, on lot next to Odd Fellows Hall building.

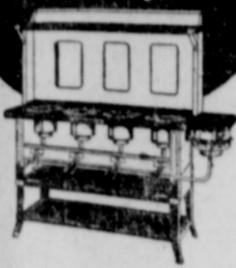
SUDAN Seed 8 1-2c per lb. Four and a half miles southwest of town.—W. F. PORSCH, Slaton, Texas.

DON'T forget the place to get your plants. Slaton Greenhouse, 2 blocks east of East Ward School. Mrs. C. Jacobson, Florist.

Kill Hen House Bugs

and keep them away by painting with Tagline, a lasting tar oil that penetrates cracks and crevices. For insects on poultry feed Martin Blue Bug Remedy. Money back guarantee by Red Cross Drug Co.

Easy to Operate



"My Nesco Perfect is so simple and easy to operate that I allow my eight year old daughter to cook with it."

That is what one owner of a Nesco Perfect Oil Cook Stove voluntarily wrote and it just about tells the story. There is no "knack or trick" about using a

NESCO PERFECT OIL COOK STOVE

It is as simple to operate as a gas stove. Best of all, the flame will remain set so that you can work in other parts of the house when the stove is lighted.

Come in for Demonstration

Sale Still in Progress

—Still have a good assortment to select from, and you can save some real money by taking advantage of these cash offers.

—Why stand over a hot range this summer when one of these Oil Stoves will do the same cooking, without heating up the house, and less expense. These stoves are sold on guarantee to give satisfaction, and a demonstration will convince you.

—Now is the time to get that set of dining chairs at **Ten Per Cent Off For Cash.**

—Large selection to choose from.

—You are losing money if you fail to take advantage of the matchless bargains we offer during this sale.



FOSTER FURNITURE COMPANY

Home Furnishings

Undertakers

"COLONIAL LADIES OF 1880" HERE SATURDAY NIGHT

—One of the best Santa Fe attractions this season was the "Colonial Ladies of 1880," who appeared at the City Hall Auditorium on last Saturday evening before a packed house.

—This company consisted of six people, as follows: Maria Peralta, Spanish songs; Laura Peralta, saxophone; Laura Taylor, Indian songs; Mary Farnes Hopkins, pianist; Lou W. Hines, impersonator; Beth Woodruff Nordwall, soprano soloist. They are all artists in their particular line.

—This was an evening of comedy. The play consisted of a reunion of ladies who lived together as children

in an old country home, the memory of which was still dear to them. With varying sentiment they recalled the persons and objects associated with their years spent in the old home, and their comments were both humorous and serious. They dwelt upon Aunt Jemima and her beau with the Scriptural name, who came on every Wednesday night, but never made a proposal of marriage; and they recalled, one by one, the old fashioned chairs, the gable nooks, the dim attic and the old clock.

—The next and probably the last entertainment of the season, according to George Marriott, librarian for the Santa Fe Reading Room, will be held at the City Hall Auditorium Saturday night, April 27th.

LONE STAR COTTON SEED.

I have a limited amount of Improved Lone Star cotton seed that I will exchange for good gin run seed, one bushel for two.

T. W. COVINGTON.

The Slaton friends of Miss Frances Hoffman are pleased to learn that her name has been placed upon the Texas University honor roll recently prepared by Dean Bell. She is one of only two students in the School of Business Administration who has achieved the best one per cent of scholastic averages.

Beds. All kinds of beds and springs. Elrod's Second Hand Furniture.

Studebaker

The well-built car and the poorly constructed car look very much alike on the salesroom floor. Paint and varnish can cover a multitude of weaknesses in closed car construction.

But you can't ride on the paint.

In a Studebaker Sedan the quality is built into the job. The body will not begin to rattle or squeak after thousands of miles of hard usage.

It will continue to be comfortable and easy riding and will present a fine appearance month after month as when new.

There are closed cars that do not include heaters. Yet, you cannot be comfortable unless you are warm. Every Studebaker Sedan is completely equipped including a heater.

Studebaker's quantity production of cars of quality is responsible for the low price of this Sedan.

MODELS AND PRICES—f. o. b. factories

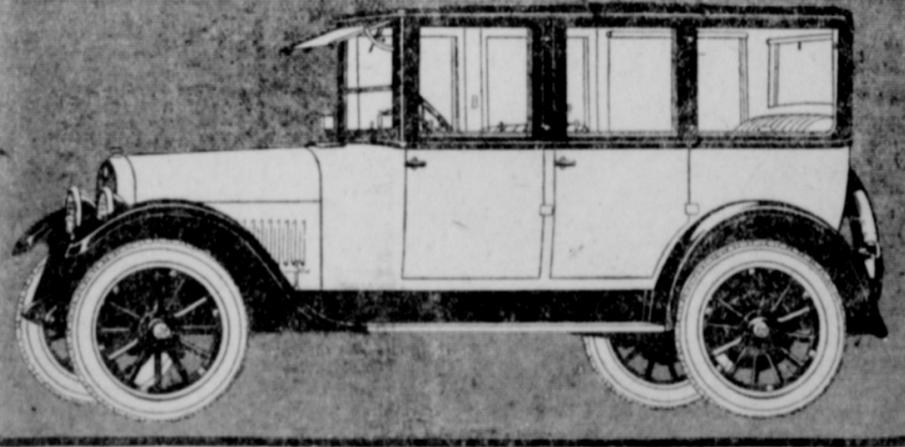
LIGHT-SIX 5-Pass., 112' W. B., 40 H. P.	SPECIAL-SIX 5-Pass., 119' W. B., 50 H. P.	BIG-SIX 7-Pass., 126' W. B., 60 H. P.
Touring.....\$ 975	Touring.....\$1275	Touring.....\$1750
Roadster (3-Pass.).....975	Roadster (2-Pass.).....1250	Speedster (5-Pass.).....1835
Coupe-Roadster (2-Pass.).....1225	Coupe (4-Pass.).....1875	Coupe (5-Pass.).....2550
Sedan.....1550	Sedan.....2050	Sedan.....2750

Terms to meet Your Convenience

BIG STATE GARAGE

"The House by Side of the Road"

Phone 2, Slaton, Texas



THIS IS A STUDEBAKER YEAR

Showing the Newest in Spring Fashions

SATURDAY ONLY AT
PAYNE DRY GOODS CO.

—A complete assortment of Ladies' ready-to-wear. Don't fail to see our display.

McAFEE COMPANY

Exclusive Ladies' Furnishings, Lubbock

Don't Be Fooled

Low Price and High Quality
Don't Go Together, Stick to

CALUMET

The Economy **BAKING POWDER**

Never accept "Just as Good" Brands; it will only mean disappointments and failures on bake-day, which are expensive.

Calumet is a High Grade Baking Powder, Moderate in Price



BEST BY TEST

When you use it you never spoil any of the expensive ingredients used — such as flour, sugar, eggs and milk.

The sale of Calumet is 2½ times as much as that of any other brand.



THE WORLD'S GREATEST BAKING POWDER

The Home Attractive—Music

—A house cannot be called "home" unless music is there. That's how you can always recognize a real home. A piano is the most practical and substantial musical instrument made. If you're not a musician then furnish your home with a Self-Player.

F. E. BOURLAND
The Slaton Piano Man Slaton, Texas

—I have made arrangements with Fincher Bros., Coal and Grain Dealers to take care of telephone and warehouse orders while I am out on deliveries.

—Phone 224 for orders in my line.

Producers Refining Co.
A. E. MAY, Agent

Bargains in Real Estate:

—5-room home within three blocks of city square, located on corner lot, with all modern conveniences. See me for price, etc.

—4-room house located within three blocks of high school building. Will sell this place with a cash payment of \$300 down, balance \$25 per month. Why pay rent?

—354 acres land located within one mile of Baileyboro, Bailey County, Texas, that I can sell on easy terms and will consider some trade in or near Slaton.

—If interested in acreage I have some fifteen or twenty tracts that are in and adjoins Slaton that I can sell on easy terms. See me for Santa Fe lots. There has been a large increase in the value of these lots, BUT NO INCREASE IN PRICE.

J. T. OVERBY, Real Estate

Office Rear Slaton State Bank Phone 134, Slaton, Texas

There's Joy and Comfort in Keeping the Old Home Place Beautiful.

—You can do this with occasional slight repairs, and with a coat of our good paint. We have materials for a new home, too, including every item down to the paper. And you'd be surprised at how little they cost.

Forrest Lumber Company

Telephone 156

SLATON, TEXAS

WILSON.

This vicinity has been visited by another good rain, which brightens the prospect for a good crop.

Mrs. L. Lumsden visited in Amarillo this week.

Mrs. Annie Forrester and daughter, Miss Obera, of Plainview, visited the former's sister, Mrs. Homer Scott, from Friday until Monday.

Ralph Deaver and family spent Sunday afternoon in the Morgan community.

P. E. Bird and O. B. Staggs made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

Miss Annie West is at home again and doing nicely.

The supper given by the Mothers' Club Monday night was well attended. The proceeds go to help pay for the piano at the school building.

Hugo Maeker and wife visited relatives in the Union community Sunday.

J. F. Standifer and family spent Sunday night with Frank Young in the Union community.

Dale Young and wife of O'Donnell spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Young.

Get you school supplies at Teague's

—When you want good sweet bread, call for the—

"BLUE RIBBON BREAD"

HALL & EDGELL BAKERY

Phone 53

Slaton, Texas

Ford

THE UNIVERSAL CAR

ANNOUNCEMENT

OF INTEREST TO

MILLIONS OF FAMILIES

—"I will build a car for the multitude" said Henry Ford in 1903. Read how the fulfillment of that prophecy is now made possible through the

Ford Weekly Purchase Plan

—For many years it has been Henry Ford's personal ambition to make the Ford the universal family car, to put it within the reach of the millions of people who have never been privileged to enjoy the benefits of motor car ownership.

—During the past 15 years over 7,500,000 Ford cars have been placed in the hands of retail customers, more than a million and a half of them within the past 12 months, and yet there are still millions of families who are hopefully looking forward to the day when they can own a Ford. And now the way is open.

—Under the terms of this plan you can select your Ford Car, set aside a small amount each week and you will be surprised how soon you will own it. In the meantime your money will be safely deposited to your credit in one of the local banks where it will draw interest.

—Think it over. Five dollars will start an account. The whole family can participate in it, father, mother, brothers and sisters each doing a little.

—Why not start today. Stop in and talk it over with your local Ford dealer. He will be glad to explain the details of the plan and help you get started toward the ownership of a Ford car.

Ford Motor Company

Detroit, Michigan

SLATON MOTOR COMPANY

H. G. Stokes, Manager

Slaton, Texas

—The Slaton State Bank is acting as depository for payments made in connection with the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan.

SLATON COMMERCIAL COLLEGE

Now open in the new Williams Building.

—Standard courses of study are being taught day and night and every advantage that can be had anywhere is available right here at home.

—Mr. W. Ira Walter, Instructor in charge, is a man of broad experience, thoroughly qualified by education and experience, to give you, because of the limited number in attendance, more than you could possibly get by going away.

—W. Ira Walker, Ph. D. and Psychologist, comes from Iron City College, Pittsburgh, Pa., and lately from Denver, Colo., where he spent ten years in the best schools there. He has not only a theoretical, but a practical knowledge of the business world.

—Diplomas issued and positions secured by the West Texas Commercial College of Sweetwater.

Slaton Commercial College

Alton H. Perry, President

W. Ira Walter, Principal

SLATON MATTRESS FACTORY

Under new management.

E. M. MORRISON, Proprietor

—I have bought the Slaton Mattress Factory and it will be operated at the same location. We are prepared to rebuild your old mattresses, make them like new ones at a price you can afford or will sell you a new one worth the money. All work is called for and delivered, either in town or country. Just call phone 122 and we'll be right out after the work.

TORNADO AND HAIL INSURANCE

—Now is the beginning of the Tornado and Hail season. There is hardly a year but what Slaton territory is visited by one or more disastrous WIND and HAIL storms. INSURANCE is the only human protection against them, and it only costs you a few cents per day to protect your houses, barns, mercantile buildings and their contents. Can you afford to take the risk when it costs so very little to be protected?

"If It's Insurance We Write It"

Stephenson Bros. Insurance Agency

Office Over Postoffice

Ray Stephenson

Telephone 166

Roy Stephenson

—D. & M. Baseball goods, balls, gloves, bats, mits, etc. at Teague's Confectionery.

MICHELIN

Regular Size Cord Tires

You can now buy quality cord tires at less than fabric prices. And you don't have to buy two in changing from fabrics to cords, as Michelin Regular Size Cords can be used opposite fabrics without unbalancing the car.

ONE QUALITY ONLY
—THE BEST—

BIG STATE GARAGE

Leo Hubbard, Mgr.

Phone 2, Slaton

ORDINANCE NO. 21.

An Ordinance Providing for the Amendment of Ordinance No. 14 and Providing for an Amendment Thereto so as to Include Certain Additional Lots and Parts of Blocks Within the Fire Limits.

Be it ordained by the city commission of the town of Slaton, Texas:

That all of the remainder of Blocks number 61 of West Park Addition and 62 of the Original Town of Slaton, Texas, that are not now included in the present fire limits of the city of Slaton, be and are hereby added to said fire limits, and that all the prohibitions and regulations provided for in said Ordinance 14 regulating the kind of buildings to be hereafter erected in said fire limits shall, after the passage and publication hereof apply to and govern the construction of buildings on the said Blocks 61 and 62. That said added territory shall begin at the north corner of Block 62 on Ninth Street, and run in a southerly direction with Lynn Street to Panhandle Avenue, thence across said avenue to the west corner of Block 61, thence down Tenth Street to the southern corner of Block 61 to the line between lots 4 and 5 in said block, thence in a northeasterly direction along the line between said lots 4 and 5 to Panhandle Avenue and across same and continuing in the same direction between lots 4 and 5 in Block 62 to the place of beginning.

Section 2. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication as provided by law.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall not be deemed to be in conflict with any part of said Ordinance 14, but shall be cumulative thereto and shall carry the same penalties as Ordinance 14.

Passed, this 7th day of April, 1923, at Slaton, Texas. (seal)

H. C. JONES, Mayor.

J. W. McKINNEY, City Secy.

Drug and Drug Sundries, toilet articles, confectioneries, hot and cold drinks, cigars, etc. of the best known brands at Teague's Confectionery.

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—We have two well located 4-room houses, east front lots, city. Priced at \$1,000 each. No use to pay rent when you can buy bargains like these. Let us show you.

—We have some genuine bargains in both city property and farm lands. If you want to buy something worth the money. If you want to sell your real estate list it with me.

Plumbing Materials Have Advanced

—Plumbing material advanced 20 per cent last week. We have a car a material bought before this advance. Better get that work done while it lasts.

—We live up to the city ordinance 100 per cent. Read it.

—We will work each job in their turn. Estimates free.

—For quick service phone 55, Brannon's Hardware. After 6 p. m. phone No. 98.

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T. M. Harris

J. D. Haney



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It's spoiling your enjoyment and ruining your health.

When you're suffering from headache, neuralgia, sciatica, earache, toothache, rheumatism or any other pain

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills

bring relief without unpleasant after effects.

Your druggist sells them at pre-war prices—25 doses 25 cents. Economy package, 125 doses \$1.00.

NOTICE

STUDEBAKER and DODGE Owners!

—We are convinced that a large per cent of the motor troubles that come under our observation are due to improper and insufficient lubrication and for this reason we have always given the subject of lubrication a great deal of attention. From the experience and recommendation of some of the largest Automobile Distributors in West Texas we have decided upon the use of

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in our service department and we urge you to call and have your crank case drained and refilled with this excellent oil. —We have recently moved into our new building where we have installed the very latest equipment that money can buy and where we are prepared to give the very best of service.

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—Spring marks a dangerous season of the year, with its ever changing weather conditions. And an empty medicine chest truly shows unpreparedness. Always keep a stock of reliable remedies in the home for any possible contingency.

—We know drugs and will help you fill that medicine chest with worth-while remedies.

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—If you will start today and continue to make regular deposits, you are sure to have an independent old age. It is the regularity more than the amount that counts. —When you have money we want it; when you want money we have it.

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Directors

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—Weeds are robbers that steal the vitality from your crops, shut out the sunshine from tiny shoots and take the nourishment from the ground. Let us supply you with your planting seed and the implements to cultivate it with, so that you will be sure of real results.

Forrest Hardware Co.

Homer Hall, Manager West Side Square, Slaton



SAN JACINTO DAY

—The Battle of San Jacinto that decided the independence of Texas, was a desperate engagement between a Mexican force of 1600 in command of Santa Anna and 783 Texans led by Sam Houston, Apr. 21, 1836. The Mexicans were defeated and utterly routed. The scene of the battle was on the banks of the San Jacinto River, 17 miles from the present city of Houston.

—During this bloody struggle, in which the Texans were far outnumbered by the foe, Sam Houston was wounded, and Santa Anna, the Mexican commander was taken prisoner. Because of the atrocities that were imputed to him, the Texans clamored for his death. But Houston was merciful, and Santa Anna returned to Mexico the following year. San Jacinto Day always will be observed by patriotic Texans who will recall with pride the bravery of that little band of men who won independence for Texas.

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W. C. WRIGHT, Cashier DOROTHY LEVEY, Bookkeeper

IS YOUR DAUGHTER OR SON AMONG THEM?

Several of Slaton's most prominent citizens have recently made remarks about young people who go to the canyons near town on evenings and Sundays unaccompanied by chaperones, mostly girls and boys yet in their teens. These couples have been seen in very compromising positions, and we have heard men tell of things seen there that would be unprintable.

Parents are neglecting their duty when they let these youngsters go out at nights to the canyons and joy riding on the highways unaccompanied.

Ford Weekly Purchase Plan Meeting Approval

"The Ford Weekly Purchase Plan is going to be a boon to many families and permit them to buy a car much quicker than they ever dreamed," said H. G. Stokes, local Ford dealer, in discussing the new plan which is creating such widespread comment and which is being enthusiastically received everywhere.

"In my experience as a Ford dealer, and I believe it is true with every other dealer and salesman as well, I have met many people who expressed their desire to own a Ford, and who frankly told me that somehow they never could get together enough money to make the initial payment on one.

"The result was, of course, that they went on wanting a car and hoping that some day something would turn up whereby they could get a car.

"Now that 'something' has turned up: The Ford Weekly Purchase Plan simplifies it all and makes it easier to come into the ownership of a car.

"It is constructive automobile buying in the simplest and easiest form and presents to countless families all over the country the long wished for opportunity of enjoying motor-car benefits and pleasures.

"Right here in our own town it will be more than welcome. Take the family where, say, the father is not the only wage earner, but where perhaps a son or a daughter or two are at work. The family never has enjoyed a car, yet every member times without number has expressed a desire to own one.

"Under the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan there is no reason at all why such a family should not soon own a Ford car. If each member contributes just a little of his or her earnings each week it will hardly seem any time at all before the whole family will be enjoying a car.

"What is true of the family is true also of the individual who wants a car.

"And one of the most appealing features of the plan is that it is adaptable to the means of practically everyone. The weekly payments, which are deposited to the credit of the customer at the bank, may be fixed to suit the desires of each purchaser. What could be easier than that?"

The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Lubbock county, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once a week, for twenty days, exclusive of the first day of publication, before the return date hereof, in some newspaper of general circulation, published in said county, which has been continuously and regularly published in said county for a period of not less than one year from the date of the first publication hereof, and also cause to be posted, for twenty days, exclusive of the day of posting, before the return day hereof, in three of the most public places in your county, one of which shall be at the courthouse door, and no two in the same city or town, copies of the following notice:

The State of Texas.
To all persons interested in the Estate of Cora Blanch Brasfield, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Jesse Brasfield, Administrator of the Estate of Cora Blanch Brasfield, Deceased, having on the 16th day of April, A. D. 1923, filed in the County Court of Lubbock County, Texas, his application to sell the following described lands belonging to said estate:

"An undivided one-half interest in and to 180 acres of land out of the north part of Survey No. 78, in Block S, in Lubbock County, Texas."

Now therefore, these are to notify all persons interested in said estate, to be and personally appear at the next regular term of the Honorable County Court, to be holden at the courthouse in the city of Lubbock, on the third Monday in May, A. D. 1923, same being the 21st day of said month, and then and there to show cause why such sale should not be made, should they choose to do so.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 16 day of April, A. D. 1923.

HERBERT STUBBS,
Clerk County Court, Lubbock County, Texas.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original citation now in my hands.

H. L. JOHNSTON, Sheriff.
By D. F. OWENS, Deputy.

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and keep them away by painting with Taroline, a lasting tar oil that penetrates cracks and crevices. For insects on poultry feed "Martin's Insecticide." Money back guarantee by Slaton Drug Co.



IT'S SPRING!

And remember, young man, that the birds and flowers are not wearing their last spring's garments. Pep up! Dress up!

—Come in and see our new straw hats; also new Oxfords for men and boys.

—Munsingwear for Ladies just received.

THIS STORE HAS A BIG DUTY

—That's our idea about it. We're not just a private organization to make money.

—We're really here to give the public the best clothes that money can buy, at the lowest possible prices.

—That's our first duty. If we really fulfill it we don't need to worry about profit, that will take care of itself.

—Right now when all prices are moving upwards we're striving to absorb the increases.

—So is Hart Schaffner & Marx. It means a greater value for you.

—It means greater volume for the makers—and for us.

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