

Santa Fe Headquarters Announce New Lines

The following has just been received by the Slatonite from the Santa Fe offices at Topeka, Kansas. It is indeed important and interesting news for West Texas:

Topeka, Kansas, Jan., 20, 1925.

The first construction work which the Santa Fe Railway announces definitely will be carried out this year, calls for a new line extending from Doud, Texas, on the Seagraves branch, west through Hockley and Cochran counties to a point near the New Mexico boundary, a distance of about 65 miles. Plans are being made to proceed with the work at once, according to officials here and in Chicago.

From Doud, which is seven miles southwest of Lubbock, the seat of Lubbock County, the new line will extend in a generally westerly direction via Levelland, the seat of Hockley County, and via approximately the center of Cochran County to the neighborhood of the western line of the state. It is about 70 miles from Lubbock to the proposed terminus where another town to add to the steady growth of west Texas is bound to spring up.

Construction of this line will open up nearly one million acres of territory now without railroad facilities. Practically all of the land is good for grazing and general farming. It has been used up to the present time entirely for livestock purposes, being occupied by large ranches. These tracts are being rapidly broken up and sold as farms which are well adapted to raising cotton and the grain sorghums, also wheat and corn.

EARL KENDRICK SUFFERS BADLY BURNED ARM

As the result of an explosion of a gasoline stove, or possibly the ignition of gasoline near the stove, in a small lunch room belonging to his brother, Hubert, Earl Kendrick suffered a badly burned arm last Sunday morning. Several boys were in the lunch room, which is on Ninth street, when the explosion took place, and it seems the door leading to the street had been fastened, probably accidentally, and the occupants had to make their escape through a window. This delay, we understand, was the cause of young Kendrick's receiving such severe burns, and narrowly escaping more serious injuries.

The fixtures of the lunch room were badly damaged, together with some of the walls, but good work on the part of the fire boys saved damage to adjoining places of business which were separated from the lunch room only by thin partitions.

NEW CHEVROLET TOURING CAR ATTRACTS ATTENTION

The first appearance in Slaton of the new 1925 model Chevrolet, which was a touring car, attracted considerable attention to car-owners and prospective car-owners. The car was put on display in the show room of the Slaton Chevrolet Company the latter part of last week, and may yet be seen by passersby, and those who are interested in motor vehicles.

Mr. Smith, manager of the Slaton Chevrolet Company, states that prior to the time he received this new Chevrolet, he received more than 180 inquiries regarding these new model cars.

Those who are interested in motor transportation should avail themselves of the opportunity to see the new Chevrolet now in the local sales room. Your attention is called to the large advertisement of the Slaton Chevrolet Company, appearing elsewhere in this issue of the Slatonite.

PARENTS ASKED TO VISIT WEST WARD SCHOOL

Parents of pupils attending West Ward School, if you are interested in the welfare of your boys and girls, come to the West Ward Auditorium, Thursday, January 29th, at 3:30 p. m. The Rev. Mr. Owen will have a message for you which will be worth while. Be present, and give your community one hour of your time. Any one interested in Slaton Schools will be welcome.

Miss May Pitman of Clovis spent the week end visiting her grandfather S. S. Smith here.

LOCKWOOD FINISHED 100 HOUR DRIVE SUCCESSFULLY

L. F. Piwonka, local Maxwell and Chrysler dealer, accompanied by his family, drove to Sweetwater last Saturday afternoon to witness the finish of the 100-hour endurance run, made by Daredevil Lockwood in a Maxwell touring car.

At the finish of the drive, Lockwood who made the entire run without eating or sleeping, was completely exhausted, and immediately fell asleep, using as his first bed a Maxwell enclosed car, which Mr. Piwonka now has on display at Green's Garage. He slept three hours, then was awakened for exercise and food.

The Maxwell, which made the long non-stop trip is still running at the time of this writing, and it is the intention of dealers in this district to drive it 15,000 miles after receiving it from Lockwood Saturday evening, each of the fifteen dealers driving 1,000 miles each. This is to be a motor non-stop drive. After the 100 hour drive, according to Mr. Piwonka, there were two quarts of oil left in the crank case, out of the six that were put in at the start. During the 100 hours the car traveled 2,525.9 miles, making an average of more than 25 miles per hour.

Many citizens of Slaton and vicinity guessed at the number of miles Lockwood would travel, using coupons from local papers. The three guessing nearest were: V. G. Broning, 2535; J. T. Martindale, 2542.3; T. H. Carter, 2564. For these guesses a \$50 credit each was given on the purchase of a Maxwell or Chrysler car.

Stockholders of the Slaton State Have Yearly Meet

Stockholders of the Slaton State Bank met in regular annual session on the 13th of January, when the usual annual routine of business of that institution was discussed and transacted, among which was the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year. They are as follows:

R. J. Murray, president; J. K. Wood, active vice-president; W. E. Olive, cashier; Carl George, asst. cashier; W. E. Smart, director; W. S. Posey, director.

Encouraging to the stockholders was the fact that this bank has shown a continual growth since the last annual meeting, resources having reached near the \$900,000 figure. And at this meeting the usual semi-annual 5 per cent dividend was declared and paid.

Messrs. R. J. Murray and J. K. Wood, president and active vice-president, respectively, of this institution, expressed themselves as being overwhelmingly pleased with the increasing volume of business of the Slaton State, which, to no little extent, indicates the constant and substantial growth of Slaton and surrounding territory.

During the present fiscal year the same efficient and accommodating force of the Slaton State will be maintained, each of whom is always ready and anxious to serve their patrons, and the public in general, courteously and to the very best of their ability.

GREEN'S GARAGE HAS NEW GASOLINE STATION

This week Green's Garage installed a new 580 gallon underground gasoline tank, equipped with the very latest gas pump, and are now serving their customers with the well-known Texhoma gasoline and other products.

CUSTER TELL'S US.

That on the afternoon and night of February 3rd, he will have at the Custer Theatre the Chesterfield Minstrels, 20 people, including five black-face comedians, the greatest fun makers in the south; Monday and Tuesday of next week, Zane Grey's popular thriller, "Border Legion;" Friday of this week, "Lorna Doone," the world's sweetest love story; Saturday, the 24, a William Fox production, "Winner Take All."

LOCAL MAN SAYS "STOP MY AD!"

Last week Mr. J. W. Massingill, a local dairy manager, brought advertising copy to the Slatonite office. He wanted only a classified ad, but ordered it to appear for four consecutive weeks. He was advertising milk and cream at stated prices. Mr. Massingill expected, of course, to get desired results from the advertisement, but he never expected maximum results with only one issue.

But Tuesday afternoon he came to our office, and told us to discontinue that advertisement, for the reason that by Sunday following the first appearance of the ad in print, he had all the orders he could care for, and stated that any further order would necessitate disappointing prospective customers.

This was gratifying to the management of the Slatonite, of course, and will also be pleasing news to those who may wonder whether or not the Slatonite is a good advertising medium.

So if you have a message you wish to convey to the population of Slaton and surrounding territory, you are invited to use the columns of

THE SLATONITE
"Your Newspaper"

SATTERWHITE DISPLAYS WISDOM

AUSTIN, Jan. 19.—Supporters of Speaker Lee Satterwhite and J. W. Hall, in the recent speakership fight who stood solidly against the T. K. Irwin forces, are chairmen and constitute the bulk of the memberships of every important committee of the House of Representatives.

Generally, the committees are constructive. An outstanding innovation was made in the appropriations committee. No a member of the committee is from a district in which there is a state institution which is asking for appropriations. In doing this Satterwhite believes he has eliminated committee swapping, one of the evils of the pork barrel system.

Heretofore the committee, in some administrations has been practically composed of legislators selfishly interested in obtaining funds for their constituencies. Chairman Eugene Blount is from Nacogdoches, in which there is a normal college, which has but small askings for appropriations. The revenue and taxation committee is made up in the main of men who have no particularly large industries in their districts likely to be interested in appropriations bill. Teer, anti-klanman, heads the state affairs committee.

- Chairmen Named**
- Appropriations—Blount.
 - Education—Chitwood.
 - Revenue and taxation—Hall.
 - State Affairs—Teer.
 - Highways, and Motor Traffic—Williamson.
 - Penitentiaries—King.
 - Insurance—Dunn of Falls.
 - Judiciary—Bobbitt.
 - Agriculture—Bryant.
 - Eleemosynary—Wallace.
 - Liquor Traffic—Kittrel.
 - Criminal Jurisprudence—Storey.

Rural representatives seem to be in the majority on revenue and taxation, and Hall has a committee which will be in accord with him. His vice chairman, True Strong, was his ardent supporter. Perdue, Fields and Wallace have a record for advocacy of taxation which would not effect the farmer. Blount is also on this committee.

The State affairs is made up largely of anti-klanmen. Hall, Dale, King, Runge, Shearer are among the most prominent of them. Jacks of Dallas, from a klan county, is one of the minority.

Appropriations will be held to the lowest limit compatible with efficiency. Wallace, Hall, Stevens, Hagaman, Dale, King, Parish, Gray, Simpson.

WEST WARD SCHOOL P. T. A. TO OPEN CAFETERIA

The Parent Teachers Association of the West Ward School will open a Cafeteria on Jan., 29th and parents as well as everyone else are urged to take part and bring lunch.

Watch for posters.

Mark Lichfield, for the past several years with the Toler Motor Co., of Sweetwater, as salesman of the Maxwell and Chrysler cars, has accepted a position with L. F. Piwonka, local distributor. They have cars on display at both the Slaton Service Station and Green's Garage.

MISS KING'S PARENTS CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING

On the evening of January 13th, Mr. and Mrs. Henry King, of Plainview, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in their home at that place. Mr. and Mrs. King are the parents of Miss Irma Wildering King, proprietor of Mi-Lady's Shop, of Slaton, who helped greatly in making this occasion a happy one for those present.

The following is taken from a lengthy and well-prepared story of the wedding, which appeared in last week's issue of the Plainview News:

In response to invitations beautifully embossed in gold, a number of relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry King, Sr., 610 west Seventh street, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock for the celebration of their golden wedding anniversary.

The entire reception suite was effectively decorated for the occasion in color of gold. In the living room an arch of smilax was built banked with baskets of yellow roses. All the lights of the chandeliers wore golden hoods which cast a soft radiance over the pretty scene.

Mrs. Henry King, Jr., in a very effective manner sang "I Love You Truly."

At the appointed hour to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Mrs. Henry King Jr., accompanied by their eldest daughter, Mrs. Marcus King Dalton as matron of honor, Henry King, Jr., as best man, and their two youngest granddaughters, Marcie and Jane King, as flower girl and ring bearer, they marched into the living room and under the arch then renewed their vows of 50 years ago in a beautiful and impressive double ring ceremony, conducted by a former beloved pastor, Dr. W. H. Wynn, pastor Forest Ave. Baptist church, Dallas. Immediately after the ceremony Mrs. King, as love's sweetest offering, handed her bride's bouquet to her daughter, Irma Wildering King, who planned the entire program of this celebration.

In the reception each guest inscribed their names in gold ink in the beautiful bride's book which was presided over by the bride's best friend, Mrs. Myra Shook.

The bride was beautifully gowned in a handsome brown velvet dress embroidered in gold.

Many beautiful gifts in gold showed the esteem and love in which both are held.

Amid showers of congratulations, the guest departed and thus Mr. and Mrs. King has written a page in Life's memory book in golden letters.

are all considered to be retrainers.

An analysis of the assignments show that recurrence of the names of Blount, Bobbitt, Young, King, Dale, Hall, Sanford and Chitwood throughout. Hardly was there any important committee named upon which some of those names do not occur. Satterwhite even shut out his opponents from the vice chairmanships. A speaker of the House he has its machinery entirely under the control of his own friends.

Dist. Court To Hear More Than 200 Cases

ZANE GREY'S NOVEL, "THE BORDER LEGION"

The new Paramount picture, "The Border Legion," a screen version of Zane Grey's immensely popular novel by the name, will be shown next Monday and Tuesday at Custer Theatre.

Antonio Moreno and Helene Chadwick are featured, and Rockliffe Fellowes, Charles Ogle and Gibson Gowland have prominent supporting roles. William Howard directed the picture, his first work under the Paramount banner.

The story is a typical Zane Grey Western thriller, an appealing tale of romance and adventure in the old days when a man was judged by his ability to handle his six-guns.

Here's a real 'he-man' story in more ways than one, for Miss Chadwick is the only woman member of the cast. "The Border Legion" is one of the best selling stories by the author of the natural-color picture, "Wanderer of the Wasteland," etc., and has made a great picture.

GATES DRY GOODS CO. NOT TO CHANGE FIRM NAME

L. R. Cypert, manager for the Gates Dry Goods Company, Inc., informs us that the business will continue under the same firm name as in the past and will not be known as "The Crosbyton Dry Goods Company," as was mistakenly announced last week, when the Crosbyton firm purchased the business from Mr. Gates. Mr. Gates, the former owner, will be associated with the firm for some time yet, so we are informed.

Baptist Pastor Host At a Huge Banquet Friday

Last Friday evening at the Santa Fe Reading Room, Rev. and Mrs. Jno. P. Hardesty gave a banquet honoring the Active Board of Deacons and other officials of the Baptist Church here.

It celebrated the 23rd wedding anniversary of Rev. and Mrs. Hardesty, and also their birthdays, as all these dates come close together. For several years it has been their custom to have this event coming in the month of January, and each year it has proved more enjoyable than the year before. On this recent occasion covers were laid for thirty people, all of them attending except a few who were prevented by illness in the family or other unavoidable circumstances. The tables were arranged in the shape of an "H" representing the first letter in the name of the pastor. In the center of the tables were beautiful red roses adding to the attractiveness of the table, and giving color and beauty to the whole scene.

When the guests were led into the banquet hall a prayer of thanksgiving was offered by Dr. E. C. Foster. During the delightful experience of partaking heartily of the appetizing arrays of various forms of physical nourishment, toasts and short speeches were rendered by many of those present. A toast to Bro. Hardesty in behalf of the Board of Deacons was given by G. J. Catching. Bro. Hardesty gave a hearty response to this with a toast to the Board of Deacons and other loyal workers. Mrs. E. C. Foster gave a toast to Mrs. Hardesty in behalf of the wives of the Deacons, and the other women of the Church. Mrs. Hardesty responded with a word of appreciation to the wives of the Deacons and all the others who are a part of the great body of women in the Church here. J. W. Hood paid a glowing tribute to the work accomplished by the Pastor and wife on this field since their coming here four years ago.

At this juncture, gifts were presented to Rev. and Mrs. Hardesty—expressions of appreciation and good wishes on the part of Baptist men and women and other friends of these good people. The gifts consisted of forty dollars in cash to Rev. Hardesty, and a beautiful dress to Mrs. Hardesty.

The menu of the banquet consisted of Baked Turkey and Dressing, Creamed Peas, Creamed Potatoes,

The Civil cases to come up at the coming term of District Court, which convenes next Monday, morning, number approximately two hundred and twenty-five.

It is very probable that with the number of indictments that will be returned by the Grand Jury during the early part of the term, will run the number of cases that will come up for hearing at the January term to about three hundred twenty-five or three hundred fifty. This number of course includes all cases on dockets, both civil and criminal.

Altho a special term of District Court was held thru October, November, and the early part of December by Judge Parks N. Dalton, special Judge, the number of cases now number those of the summer term and considerably more in number were on the docket twelve months ago.

The first week of the term devoted to empanelling the Grand Jury, the early part of the week, a remainder of the week will be devoted to trial of non-jury cases, setting of the docket for the balance of the term.

Judge Parks N. Dalton, newly elected District Attorney will see a goodly portion of the term being devoted for the trial of Criminal cases which are increasing in number rapidly. It is probable that the last and fourth weeks of the term will be utilized in the trial of criminal matters.

BIG OPENING AT THE SLATON SERVICE STATION

Saturday, January 24th will be the formal opening day of the Slaton Service Station under the new ownership and management in the personnel of Messrs Humble and Hardy. The Slaton Service Station is exclusive distributor in Slaton of the Texaco products, handling the famous Texaco Voltile gasoline.

With each purchase of 5 gallons of this gasoline Saturday, Messrs Humble and Hardy will give a sealed half-gallon can of Texaco Motor Oil. Gasoline will be sold at the regular price, and the oil is a gift to auto owners. Read the advertisement of the Slaton Service Station elsewhere in this issue.

RETAIL MERCHANT ASSOCIATION

A number of business men met at the city hall on last Friday night, and completed their organization, electing their President, and Board of Directors. There was considerable interest and the general belief of the business men as a whole, that through the workings and efficiency of this organization, much good would result in the way of over coming that much abused false statements, misrepresentation and bad checks.

The Board of Directors elected, were authorized to proceed at once, in the matter of fully completing all necessary plans for this Organization.

The Board of Directors held their first meeting, Monday evening at the First State Bank, and proceeded to organize themselves into an official body and made all necessary plans for putting into action, the retail credit association. Secretary and officers will be named later.

BUCK JONES A "PUG" IN "WINNER TAKE ALL"

A crashing, smashing 18 round championship prize fight with the crowd going wild at the finish is only one of the many features of "Winner Take All," the new prize fight and night life picture of a thousand punches which William Fox presents for the pleasure of the audiences at the Custer Theatre, Saturday. Buck Jones steps out in this one; and cleaves way up the ladder of fame, the "busted" jobless cowboy champion rung and the

Fruit Salad, Lettuce, and other delicacies.

MEMBER OF THE RETAIL MERCHANT ASSOCIATION

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Slaton, Texas

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J. E. NELMS
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A Modern Fireproof Building
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General Medicine
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General Medicine
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| Heavy Hens, per pound | \$.15 |
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| Leghorn Hens | .10 |
| Spring, under 2 lbs., | .20 |
| Stags | .08 |
| Old Cox | .04 |
| Turkeys, No. 1, | .20 |
| Hides, Green, | .04 |

We are not in position to guarantee our prices for any definite time. Not that the market is liable to decline but restrictions on shipping live poultry is pretty rigid out of the State and might become more so any time.

Kelly Produce Com'y.
SLATON, TEXAS

FINE CLOCK GIVEN TO MR. I. W. HOWARD

Monday afternoon of last week, I. W. Howard of Slaton was awarded the nice clock which for the past several weeks has been in the display window of the Catching Drug Store.

During the past few weeks that firm gave little clock dials, each indicating a different time of day. The large eight day clock was wound and started, and the fellow holding the nearest corresponding dial when the clock stopped was awarded the handsome time piece, which cost Mr. Catching something upwards of \$40 wholesale. The clock stopped at 9:27, and Mr. Howard held the dial which read 9:25, the nearest which was reported.



BILLIE BILDIT'S EOG

"It's pride that prompts the manufacturer to stitch his trademark in a suit of clothes."

Pride and Faith
—in our own lumber and materials prompted us to identify them by the Trade Mark:

Billie Bildit
—As you know few lumber dealers identify themselves with their materials satisfactorily. We are proud for you to know ours.

C. C. Hicks came in Monday from Denison, Texas, and is connected with his brother, R. R. Hicks, in the general merchandise business.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran McWilliams were called to Lipton, Okla., to attend the funeral of Mr. McWilliams uncle Bud Fisher.

Mrs. O. L. Culler of Southland was here Monday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Yeats spent Sunday in Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barton livin' twelve miles west of Slaton were here Monday shopping. Mrs. Sherwood, mother of Mrs. P. J. Siler who has been visiting here from Guthrie is visiting another daughter in Stamford.

Coke Oliver spent the week end in Amarillo.

DR. J. L. ROBBINS
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J. W. Hood, Mgr. Phone 1

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Sla-Tex Motor Co.
LEO HUBBARD, Mgr.

VISITS AGED FATHER

A. L. Brannon, hardware dealer of Slaton, returned Sunday from Marlow, Oklahoma, where he spent several days, visiting his father, A. G. Brannon. Mr. Brannon is in his ninetieth year, is in good health, and is exceptionally active for a man of his age. Both son and father, of course, enjoyed the visit to the fullest extent. Mr. Brannon, drove through in his Chrysler car.

SOUSARES BUYS THE BUSY BEE CAFE

Last week a deal was made whereby J. F. Sousares bought the interest of his partner, C. G. Roper, in the Busy Bee Cafe, and "Jimmy" now becomes the sole owner and manager of this popular eating house. Mr. Roper states that he will probably locate in Plainview, his former home.

GOOD POSITION

Beatrice Baker, 48, a month; Edwin Coffey, Cathryn Tibbets, 18, at Winn, 19, at \$135; and vens, 19, earns \$175. Hilar positions every Draughton's to insure you ary. Write for Special now. Draughton's College, Wichita Falls, Texas.

OUR APPRECIATION!

—To the people of Slaton, surrounding country, and neighboring towns:

We have sold our store in Slaton to the Crosbyton Dry Goods Company, Inc., who will continue the business under the same firm name, Gates Dry Goods Company.

In retiring from this business, we wish to thank those who helped to make our three years of business in Slaton a success. We trust our dealings have been as pleasant to you as they were to us, and we trust our many customers will continue to favor the new ownership with the same loyal patronage we have been enjoying.

You will find the new management and sales force to be very efficient, and always ready to serve you in any way they can.

Again thanking you, we are
Yours very truly,

Gates Dry Goods Co., Inc.
By F. V. GATES



THE BEST BANK FOR YOU

The prestige that an account with the Slaton State Bank gives cannot be measured in dollars and cents.

Not only in service but in interest earned for your money—in efficient handling of your account—in the savings accumulated will you be amply repaid for banking with us.

Are You a Savings Depositor?
If not, why not become one today?

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CARL GEORGE, Asst. Cashier

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Step toward progress in the organization now under way of a Retail Merchants' Credit Association. In the State there are now 70 of these local organizations, and all are giving good service, according to a recent statement sent out by the Retail Merchants' Credit Association of Texas. We suggest that the business men of the town could make no better move at this time than to perfect and keep in operation this association. It will doubtless prove helpful in many ways. It will be at your service when you open a new account, when an account becomes slow and you wonder why, when a stranger asks you to cash a check, when you need help to collect an account, when you have lost the address of a customer, when you want to know about advertising proposition, when you want to know about a collecting agent, when you want to know about an applicant for a position, and, if operated as intended, in many other ways. Let's give the Retail Merchants' Credit Association our interest and financial support.

The editor of the Slatonite is probably an easy mark, and gets "stung" now and then, but when we do a costly end of a deal it is usually for more than a quarter. Last week a peddler accosted us at four o'clock in an effort to sell us a bit comb. Let's rid Slaton of so many of these nuisances. There are hundreds of business houses in Slaton where a fellow can buy a comb, and probably for less than a quarter.

Trying to run a business without advertising is like running a car without oil. It may start all right but it will begin to squeak before you finish the trip.—Andy Gump.

Girls should apply the red paint on their cheeks more carefully, so they won't look healthier on one side than the other.

Each one of Lubbock County's big snows, mean much more than a big coal bill and a few bad colds. It means money in the banks next fall.

That man who has no sidewalks
Sometimes feels a little cheap.
But he has to wield no shovel
When the snow is piled up deep.

No one can feel more like life is a total failure than the fellow who has to be towed to a garage in a brand new car, or to have to see his car in public after a wreck.

PNEUMONIA A SEASONAL DISEASE

Pneumonia is a seasonal disease, with the morbidity increasing with the beginning of the wet and cold season, and with the mortality in cities being 50 percent higher than in

SLATON C. OF C. HAS ADVERTISING LITERATURE

This week the Slatonite job printing department delivered to the Slaton Chamber of Commerce neatly printed folders, numbering up into the thousands. These folders contain some very interesting and useful information relative to Slaton and surrounding territory. Pictures on the folder beautifully portray such as the new \$125,000 High School building, Methodist church building, street scenes, cotton gins and compressing plant, Santa Fe yards, etc.

This literature will be distributed in various ways and to those who may be considering casting their lots in or near Slaton. Information regarding Slaton, the heart of transportation, may be had by writing J. J. Ross, secretary of the Slaton C. of C.

FINE HIGH SCHOOL IS NOW COMPLETE

After several months of continuous work, carpenters, electricians, plasterers, painters, pipe-fitters, decorators, and other skilled men are this week finishing their respective tasks on Slaton's \$125,000 high school building. The work, in every respect, has been done faithfully and well, and Contractors Harter & Wheeler, of Enid, Oklahoma, are to be commended on their splendid services to our citizenship. They have erected a building of which every citizen in this school district may justly be proud. If you have not visited the new high school building, we suggest that you do so, that you may better appreciate Slaton's educational facilities.

CANDY KITCHEN MOVING

This week the Slaton Candy Kitchen, of which Messrs. Hawthorne and Murray are proprietors, is being moved from the Twaddle building to the building recently purchased by A. Kessel, and formerly occupied by the Texas Dry Goods Store. The building is being rearranged on the interior, and will doubtless prove a very convenient location for the Kitchen.

country communities. Pneumonia attacks are more frequent following attacks of other diseases which have lowered bodily resistance to infection, such as measles, whooping cough, influenza, and scarlet fever. Predisposing causes are exposure, fatigue, over-work, bad housing, bad ventilation, loss of sleep, and insufficient nourishment.

Man is the source of pneumonia infection and the whole people must be educated to the fact. The old popular belief that this disease is not contagious is incorrect. Epidemics of pneumonia in families and communities will continue until everyone begins to think of pneumonia as he thinks of whooping cough and measles, that is—as an infection that is spread from man to man through the secretions of the mouth and nose. Any patient having pneumonia should be isolated to prevent the spread to others of this malady. This is best done by quarantine as in cases of other highly infectious diseases. Take no chances. Keep yourself physically fit and use precautionary measures in avoiding attacks from communicable diseases.—State Board of Health.

1924 Breaks Record Of Marriages Here

The year 1924 broke all marriage license records in Lubbock County according to Deputy County Clerk Irma Pryor, Wednesday. A total of 387 wedding permits were issued from the County Clerk's office throughout the past twelve months, beating the 1923 record, the largest ever seen here before last year, by 174 licenses. The month of December, 1924, was the largest individual month in Lubbock County's history, 69 licenses being issued during that month.

BRIDGE and "42"

Mrs. Jack Bradford proved to be a most charming hostess on Wednesday afternoon when she entertained a congenial group of friends at bridge and "42". The home was made lovelier by cut flowers. A happy afternoon was terminated by hostess serving lovely refreshments to Mesdames: K. C. Scott, F. V. Gates, Gerald Smith, R. G. Pittman, C. A. Bruner, A. E. Whitehead, Harry Stokes, J. K. Rogers, A. L. Robertson, J. F. Anton, W. H. McKirahan, R. W. Ragsdale, H. W. Ragsdale, R. A. Baldwin, S. A. Peavy, C. L. Hilman, J. H. Brewer, and J. A. Klasner. Miss Muff Robertson was a tea hour guest.

Miss Katherine, one of the teachers in the Slaton school took very sick one day recently and was taken to an Austin sanitarium.

WILL BUILD BRICK ON LOT IN NEW TOWN

E. R. and O. Z. Ball, well known tailors and gents' furnishers, have recently purchased a business lot in the new town of Anton, according to O. Z., and will soon begin the erection of a brick building there, to be occupied by E. R. with a tailoring and gents' furnishing business.

A. L. Sandifer and wife of Lamesa have returned to their home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Yeats here last week.

ERECTING GIN AT POSEY

This week T. W. Covington, former public weigher, of Slaton, is placing material on the ground at Posey, between Slaton and Lubbock, and will soon begin the erection of a cotton gin, according to information received at the Slatonite office.

HAD NICE SNOW

The Slatonite wants its out-of-State readers to know that all Lubbock County enjoyed a nice moist snow last Saturday night and Sunday morning. The snow fell regularly and continuously for a long period, and furnished the south plains with a nice sheet of moisture.

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NEW bodies—of even greater beauty and comfort. Open bodies are longer and have new windshield with very low bottom panel, rubber weather stripped. All models have cowl lights and new instrument board refined and cut away for more leg room. The new radiator is of more beautiful design, made of non-rusting airplane metal. All closed models have new and exceptionally beautiful Fisher bodies with the new VV type closed body one piece windshield and automatic windshield wiper.

NEW finish—all models are now finished in Duco, the new finish that retains its color and lustre almost indefinitely and withstands very much harder usage. Here, again, is a quality feature hitherto not found in other low-priced cars. The new Chevrolet open models and coach are finished in rich dark blue—on the sedan is used a beautiful aquamarine blue for lower panels and hood, upper panels in black—coupe with lower panels and hood in sage green, upper panels in black.

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Church Services

THE BATTLE OF ARMAGEDDON

There is and has been considerable discussion concerning the last great battle between good and evil,—sometimes called "The Battle of Armageddon". Next Sunday at 11 A. M., at the Methodist Church the subject will be "The Battle of Armageddon."

At 7:15 P. M., subject—"George Eliot's Romola—It's Religious Teachings."

Each sermon will be interesting and instructive. Come out and hear them. We give you a real welcome.

B. W. DODSON, Pastor.

P. T. A. PROGRAM JANUARY 20. Father's Meeting.

Chorus.
Reading—Miss Whitaker.
Adolescence in the Modern Home—Mr. Sone.
Reading—Miss Wilkes.
Thrift Education—R. J. Murray.
Music Selected.
Refreshments.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Our regular Council meeting was held at Mrs. B. H. Irwin, Monday evening at 2:30. On account of bad weather some of our members were unable to come.

Mrs. Irwin read the scripture reading, our secretary called the roll and read the minutes. All dues were paid up to date.

After all business new and old was transacted our new president all pepped up with her new plans told us of our Big Easter Sale. With the Co-operation of every one we are going to have a bigger and better Fair of Slaton. If any one wants to place orders with us we will be glad to take them, we intend to have everything.

Our meeting for some time will be at Mrs. A. A. Bradfords on Monday 2:30. —Reporter.

SUNBEAM PROGRAM January 25, 1925.

Scripture Reading—Marie Wilson.
Reading—Daurice Rust.
Bible Story—Joe Montgomery.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS JAN. 19TH.

The Womans Missionary Society met January 19th at the home of Mrs. S. H. Adams.

Opening Song—"From All The Dark Places."

Prayer—Mrs. W. R. Wilson.
World Sisterhood—Mrs. Adams.
Missionary News—Mrs. Fred Tudor.
Leaflet—Mrs. T. D. Johnson.
Bible Lesson—Mesadams, Proctor, Olive and Odum.

Noted Bible Women—(Tues.)
Song—"What a Friend We Have In Jesus."

Closed by Prayer—Mrs. Proctor.
The programme was very interesting. When you miss these programs by the Missionary Ladies you miss something worth while.

Next Monday's Bible Lesson will be Romans III.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School, 10:00 A. M.—Paul Owens, Supt.

Sunbeams at 3 P. M. All B. Y. P. U.s at 6:15 P. M.

7:15 P. M. Sermon by the Pastor, Welcome, everybody.
JNO. P. HARDESTY, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

9:45 Sunday School—W. H. McKirahan, Supt.

11:00—Morning Worship.
4:00 P. M.—Junior Endeavor.
6:00 P. M.—Senior Endeavor.
7:00 P. M.—Evening Service.
J. A. Owen, Pastor.

INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U. Program.

Spark Plug Group on duty. Subject: "What is My Part?"
1. At Home—Ruby Catching.
2. At School—Esta Lee Rice.
3. At the Gate, first and Second Speakers—C. W. Wilks.
4. Third Man—Minter Uzzell.
5. At Church—Rena Mae Rhodes.
6. As a Citizen—Thurman Porter.

SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM Sunday January 25, 6:15 o'clock.

Introduction—W. A. Martin.
1. Curious Requirements and Customs—Eunice Florence.
2. Our Scattered Forces—Bernice Hollingsworth.
3. Delighted Place to Live—Kathleen Bailey.
4. Why Revolutions recur—Lorenda Bradford.
5. After Four Centuries of Roman Rule—Audrey Preston.
6. Southern Baptist Missions in Mexico—Thelma Garland.
7. The Gateway of the World—Louise Lanham.
Song—No. 45.

W. A. PROGRAM

Circle Two of the W. A. will meet with Mrs. J. W. McDonald, Tuesday, Jan. 27th in Royal Service.

The following program will be rendered.

"For Christ's sake and the Gospel."
Leader—Mrs. Wooten.
"The Birth of the Church"—Mrs. Uzzell.
"Dark Days"—Mrs. Brooks.
"The Reformation"—Mrs. Young.
"The Monk of Wittenburg"—Mrs. Anderson.
"Our Hero—Heritage"—Mrs. E. R. Burns.
"At the Turn of the Years"—Mrs. Hollingsworth.

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LIAM AUGUSTUS MILLER

Augustus Miller, the suburban sketched was at Athens near the close of the 19th century. He has blue eyes and red hair truly a Scotch Irish descent. To little jocularly, he is never a resourceful and full of wit. He is a little, yet "delivering the act and he inspires action and fight as he goes.

He left the sticks and ticks of East Texas at the early age of four and he led on the Llanos near the breaks of the upper Canadian river. Here, he was yppered by narrow bounds he beset to grow a life and character of a man. His young playfellows found him a worthy chieftain and the adventures he carries bear testimony to his daring escapades as he chased the antelope and jackrabbits in the plican burros over the canyons and d wire fences of Oldham County. Le dit Augustus finished the courses in high school with distinction and entered college at Planview, Texas.

In an easy manner of the North Plains he costed on the gridiron and diafor more he enlisted under the stripes and began intensive bit co that he might clip the scalp of the Bill. The Armistice of November 11th, cut short his martial ambitions. He entered Canyon Nobly for he might, in time, "teach eas to shoot."

ying to coach, he organized and captained in his home town amateur teams in baseball and football, known as the Vega Outlaws. The game was applicable only in the fact that this organization of fine young fellows ran wild on the fields, defeating practically every amateur and college team in their section of the state. Such success gained an enviable reputation and various calls from ambitious schools that were striving for athletic prominence came to the young coach. The Slaton Superintendent, who is somewhat of a fan, felt that the best was not too good for his boys and because of former acquaintance was able to interest Mr. Miller in the Tigers of Slaton.

The story up to the present is well known. Mr. Miller teaches History and with his fine bunch of athletes is also making history. Gentlemanly conduct and true sportsmanship is taught persistently. Victories and championships are being chalked up. The results of his work with the young citizens of Slaton must appear in another chapter as time will unfold the plans of campaign outlined by this young general.

Monday afternoon, January 19, 1925

Slaton High School Teachers met for their weekly faculty discussions. Much time was given to working out a schedule for the bells during the day. It was agreed:

1. That the rest period of five minutes in the morning should be given over to regular work.
2. That the warning bell be discontinued.
3. That pupils should be held for dismissal bell, and that no pupils should be allowed to go to their lockers for wraps, et cetera, before the dismissal bell. Also, after the study bell in the morning no pupils are to be permitted to make a trip or trips to their lockers to put away wraps and so forth.
4. That every teacher be at the school building by 8:30 o'clock in the morning.
5. That we try out the plan of allowing only three minutes for pupils and teachers to change rooms between periods.

A long discussion resulted only in again carrying a motion to give Thursday and Friday, January 22 and 23, for term examinations, allowing only two periods for each test and following the schedule in determining the time of the test.

After some hour and a half of decoration the meeting adjourned, sine

Prin. W. V. LEMENS, Chairman.
JACK D. WESTER, Secretary.

KET BALL PLAYER INJURED

Kendrick, one of the boys on Slaton Tiger Basket Ball team, returned about the arm and face very morning in a fire. His place was hard to fill, and he will be missed very much by his team mates.

REGULATION.

During the vacation which was ours because of the holidays, a considerable amount of work was going on in and around our one-time high school building. It was moving time. All hands were called out to see that our "belongings" were properly transferred to the new building. Not least importance, if less noticeable than other upheavals, was the re-organizing of the library. Books were labeled here, plastered and numbered there; "lick and stick" was the cry that arose from the ranks. Not so much as a pamphlet escaped the onslaught.

Now that the work is over, we hope that our books will be safe from pencil marks, "dog-ears", and the parasite who borrows but never returns. The following "rules and regulations" should be carefully studied by each pupil so that we may co-operate with the teachers in making ours the best school library to be found on the South Plains. Especially should the librarians acquaint themselves with this new system in its several phases.

Rules and Regulations.

1. No book may be taken from the library except some librarian check it out, indicating upon the file-card the name of the consignee and the date of return.
 2. Only one book, in addition to a classic being studied in class, may be taken at a time.
 3. Books may be kept for fourteen days unless they are books needed for class study, which books are to be returned upon demand. Books may be renewed at the end of this period for another interval of like duration.
 4. Pupils keeping books over time will be subject to a fine of Five Cents a day.
 5. Reference books and periodicals are not to be taken from the library except by special request of the instructor requiring certain research work, and then for periods of only one hour.
 6. A pupil will be expected to replace any book that is lost or defaced while in his possession.
 7. Marking books and turning down pages will not be tolerated.
 8. The above rules shall be considered applicable to both pupils and teachers.
 9. Any recommended citizen of Slaton or the immediate vicinity may borrow the library books by meeting the above regulations and paying, in addition, the regular library fee each year.
- Note: Teachers wishing to use classics in their work should, when possible, notify librarians of such intentions at least ten days in advance.
- These rules may be found in each book. We urge that no one fail to read and observe them to the letter.

FACULTY MINUTES

In the regular meeting of the teachers of Slaton High School, January 12, 1925, the following observations were agreed to:

1. That a teacher should not hesitate to enter a room before another teacher left it.
2. That the teachers of each floor should in some way determine the lockers for their respective pupils.
3. That the study hall at the sixth period should be kept by Principal W. V. Lemens, alternating with Dilbert Bivens until further arrangements are made.
4. That report cards be handed out after mid-term examinations.
5. That seating of study hall be considered at next meeting.
6. That seats in study hall should not be allowed against the wall.

A motion was carried that new pupils and pupils who have been absent over-much be allowed to try mid-term examinations and, having made a mark of 70 or higher, be allowed to take the work for which they present themselves. Later this motion was amended to read "having made a mark of 65 or higher."

A motion that term examinations be given Thursday and Friday, January 22 and 23, carried. Also, it was agreed that pupils who are exempted from the examinations should be excused from attendance.

As the hour was late, a motion for adjournment was welcomed.

Prin. W. V. LEMENS, Chairman.
JACK D. WESTER, Secretary.

Mr. Wester: Anybody would run after they saw you.
Elizabeth L: They wouldn't be able to run after they saw you.

WHO'S WHO, AND WHY

It is the purpose of the Tigers Cage to conduct a column for the next few weeks to be known as Who's Who and Why. In it will be given a brief review of those pupils who have distinguished themselves in some way or another. Those who have done something for the honor of the school, those leaders to whom the whole student body turns for guidance, will be especially considered.

Opal Tate, Freshman

Some people believe that an opal brings bad luck, but we of Slaton High disagree with them. We have an Opal, but she has been a great honor to us in the past, and promises to be even more of one in the future.

Opal entered the Junior essay contest for the first time, last year. She chose as her subject: "How I Spent Last Saturday." It must have been a very eventful day, for a month after the contest she received the scholarship to Texas "U" and the bronze Medal offered to the winner of third place, Junior essay.

"I had no idea of winning," Opal said, "You see, I want to be an author and I love to write, so I entered the contest."

Opal is fourteen years old and has gone to school in Slaton ever since she was in the second grade. She plans to finish here, but is undecided as to what College she will attend. If she continues as she has started she will probably bring much honor to herself and her school.

Raymon Kendricks, Sophomore

If anybody deserves a place in Who's Who, it is Raymon Kendricks, better known as "Dick", right half, and captain of the football squad for the season of '24. He has played football on the Slaton team for the past two years, bringing praise to his school and himself by his star playing and good sportsmanship. Dick is quiet, but he has a smile for everybody all the time. There are few like him, or who have as many friends.

All football fans know his fine record, so it is unnecessary to repeat it here. He was a captain and the whole team was proud of him. Raymon has not re-entered school this term, and everyone is sorry. At present he is with the Big State Garage. We are sure that whatever he chooses to do in the future will be as big a success as his football career.

Four years from now Miss Cary's Fish will be telling the Freshmen of '27 about Dick Kendricks. They will look in scorn at the star halves of that future date and murmur:

"Huh, maybe you think that was a thrilling play! Well, take it from me, little one, you better keep your mouth shut when you don't know anything. You didn't see Dick Kendricks play. Star? He was a whole constellation!" And they will speak truthfully, for Raymon is indeed a star of stars.

Howard Hoffman, Junior

Howard Hoffman, the pride of Slaton High, is the pride of his class and his friends. He is one of Mr. Wester's Juniors. Howard began violin from Miss Bailey four years ago. Since then he has advanced considerably, until his talent is spoken of as extraordinary for a boy of his age.

In April, 1923, he appeared in recital with Miss Thelma Smith, reader. It was then that people began to take notice of the slender lad who could sway the audience so with his music. Last year his remarkable playing won for him the distinction of making the highest grade given at the music festival in Amarillo. (Miss Bailey is training Howard to enter the contest again this year.)

Everyone believes that the future holds much for Howard. Whatever he does along musical lines we shall be proud that he received his start at Slaton High.

Evelyn Hefner, Senior

Evelyn Hefner's High School career has been one in which Basketball was ever prominent. For four years she has played a good steady game, never brilliant, but "bringing home the bacon" quicker than grandstand playing ever does. Miss Hefner's experience as a forward on Post City's team has given her an insight into the ways of forwards, making her one of the best guards ever seen. For the past three years she has played this position on Slaton's team, making good every time. She was the only letter-girl brought over from last year. Her popularity has given her the position of

DIRECTIONS FOR LIBRARIANS

1. Strict account should be made to the Chief Librarian of books damaged and bought, and of all fines collected.
2. New books presented to or bought for the library should be carefully labeled and numbered before they are placed on the shelf. This will be the task of the Chief librarian.
3. When books are returned they should be examined. If they have been abused, fines should be collected.
4. Care should be taken that a tardy return is not overlooked.
5. The proper file-card should be placed in a book and a line drawn through the name last written upon the card.
6. A list of those owing fines should be displayed at the end of each month in the library. If fines are not then paid, the faculty should be consulted.
7. Librarians should acquaint themselves with the following "Key."

Key to English Shelves.

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| E 1 | Old English Literature |
| E 1 b | Beowulf |
| E 1 c | Chaucer |
| E 2 S | Shakespeare |
| E S 1 S | "Julius Caesar," "Merchant of Venice," "Macbeth" |
| E S 25 | "Hamlet," "Othello," "King Lear," etc. |
| E 4 | After Shakespeare |
| E 4 b | Bunyan |
| E 4 p | Pope |
| E 4 d | Dryden |
| E 4 m | Milton |
| E 5 RP | Romantic Poets |
| E 5 RPg | Goldsmith |
| E 5 RPc | Coleridge |
| E 5 RPsc | Scott |
| E 6 N | Novels |
| E 6 N sc | Scott |
| E 6 N e | Eliot |
| E 7 N | Novels |
| E 7 N st | Stevenson |
| E 7 N | Hughes, Blackmore |
| E 1 T | Tennyson |
| E 1 B | Browning |
| E 2 D | Dickens |
| E 3 E | Essay |
| E 3 E 1 | Lamb |
| E 3 E d | DeQuincy |
| E 3 E b | Bacon |
| E 3 E c | Carlyle |
| E 4 E | Essays |
| E 4 E r | Ruskin |
| E 4 E a | Addison |
| E 4 E m | Macaulay |
| E 5 P | Miscellaneous Poetry |
| E 6 C | Foreign Classic |
| E 7 R | Reference Books |
| E 7 R g | Grammar, Compositions, etc. |
| E 7 R l | Histories of Literature |
| E 1 K | Kipling |
| E 2 A | Anthologies (Harvard Classics) |
| E 3 A | Anthologies (Manly's, etc.) |
| E 4 O | Oratory |
| E 5 SS | Short Stories |
| ***** | |
| A 6 F | Franklin |
| A 6 C | Cooper |
| A 7 I | Irving |
| A 7 H | Hawthorne |
| A 1 E | Emerson |
| A 1 L | Longfellow |
| A 2 P | Poe |
| A 3 A | American Anthologies |
| A 4 M | Mark Twain, etc. |
| A 5 R | Reference Books |
| A 6 R | Reading Shelf |
| A 7 R | Non-approved Books. |

TIGERS TO HAVE SWEATERS

Tuesday afternoon the boys met and decided to order Sweaters. They are to have white sweaters with purple "S" and a tiger's head in them, with the help of Miss Whitaker and her pupils, combined with the football men, a play will be staged to pay for the Sweaters. The boys are trying to buy their own sweaters without asking for outside aid. If you want to show your appreciation to the Coach and boys, come out and patronize their play. The name of the play is "Home Came Ted." It will be the best play ever staged in Slaton, so save up your nickels and dimes, and come to their play.

TENNIS HO!

The girls are going to have courts on one corner of the school ground. We believe we will have State Champions in both girl and boys teams this year. So watch their smoke.

captain on this year's team. A better sport could not have been chosen.

Miss Hefner states that she is planning to attend W. T. S. T. C. next year. After that she intends to teach the third or fourth grades until Prince Charming comes along. Well, all we have to say is that whoever he is, he is getting a mighty fine girl of whom Slaton High is justly proud.

TIGERS HITTING ON ALL FOUR

The Tigers have grown very wild in the last week, and took two little towns to a cleaning. Estocado was the first town to get a defeat by the Tigers in the New Gym. This game was a game of real thrill, and neither team had won until the game was over. The boys showed that they were real men, coached by a real Coach. The boys were overjoyed and they felt lucky so they called the Lorenzo boys to the new Gym Saturday night and cleaned their plow. The boys have only played two games in the new Gym, and have taken both teams to a good cleaning. The boys are not going to take another defeat, so come out and help them keep up their new resolution.

The Tigresses are Firing-up so watch their Smoke.

The girls who have only been defeated one time took up arms under a new Coach and started out for the Championship. They defeated their Estacado girl friends to a sweet tune of 23 to 15, and are snorting for new victims.

The girls have been working under a great handicap, and their only defeat was caused by this, Miss Bailey who has been coach is pretty sick but will soon be back with the girls.

SENIORS FORWARD FISH MAIL

The Senior class feels that it owes the noble Fish an apology. One day last month a letter was presented by the Fish to the senior class, Seniors, who, naturally believing the "epistle" was meant for them opened and read it. We were seriously considering the contents when one among our many bright pupils discovered that the letter was addressed to the "Seniors of '24". We sincerely beg the pardon of our friends, the Fish, and in respect for your wishes, are sending the note on to the rightful owners, the Seniors of '24, whom we are certain will give it due consideration.

Hoping that the sincerity of our action will not be questioned we remain,
At your service,
"Seniors of '25."

FACULTY DINNER

Wednesday, January 21st, the High School Faculty was delighted to be the guests of the H. E. girls who gave a well prepared and orderly served lunch.

Miss Matthes deserves much credit for the practical work she is doing in preparing real home builders of the future.

JOKES

Mr. Lemens: Alton, name an organ of the body.
Alton: The tooth.
Mr. Lemens: What kind of an organ is it?
Alton: A grind organ.

Lonnie: I certainly was moved by what Mr. Sone said today.
Walter: Why, what, did he say?
Lonnie: He said, Lonnie leave the room.

Mr. Bivens: I have some of the funniest pictures you ever saw.
Faye: That so, where did you have them taken?
Sun is light, feathers are light, therefore feathers are sun.

STAFF

Editor-in-Chief Eunice Florence
Editor Ross McDonald
Society Virginia Montague
Sports Charlie Splawn
Jokes Louise Lanham
Art Edmona Lovett
Chapel Joe Hestand
Faculty Advisor W. V. Lemens

CLASS REPORTERS

Seniors Aline Tucker
Junior I Maudie Pearl Mabry
Junior II Edward Markham
Sophomore I Idella Jones
Sophomore II Aline Bassinger
Freshman I Harry McDonald
Freshman II La Verne Manira
Freshman III Mary Anton
East Ward Maurice Hardesty
West Ward R. A. Brinker
Faculty Meeting J. D. Wester
Glee Club Wilson McKirahan
Orchestra Irvin Jones

Mid-Term Examinations.

Thursday and Friday will be the longest days in the first part of the present school term to some students. On those days the final examinations will occur. Beginning Thursday morning with first period classes the examinations will continue throughout the remainder of the week.

To some these examinations mean nothing whatever because it is planned to give exemption if an average of ninety per cent or above has been made. This gives ambitious pupils something to work for because everyone knows how quickly certain things slip from the memory.

It has been deemed necessary by some of the teachers to issue warning to students as to the penalty if anyone should be caught using unfair methods in these examinations. It is to be hoped that no one will commit an act which would require the penalty. Everyone should play square, not only with his teacher and fellow pupils but with himself. He cheats no one but himself when unfair methods are employed. Students may also remember that giving help to anyone is just as unfair as receiving the help of the other fellow. Let's all help to make these coming examinations a fair test of the knowledge of everyone concerned.

Tuesday afternoon, January 13th, 1925, the teachers of Slaton High School were called together by Superintendent C. L. Sone. The subject of locker-assignments was discussed but left unfinished. Teachers were urged to shut off radiators before opening windows, thereby co-operating with the janitor in keeping the building well heated. It was suggested that each room should be ventilated by the teacher in charge.

After some encouraging comment, the meeting was adjourned by the superintendent.

Prin. W. V. LEMENS, Chairman.
JACK D. WESTER, Secretary.

COULD YOU IMAGINE?

Mr. Wester with black hair.
Mr. Sone with a moustouche.
Miss May with red hair.
Chas. E. Smith with a squeaky voice.
Kirby Manly six feet tall.
Mr. Lemens a poet.
Miss Bailey with boyish bob.
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Mr. Miller a fiddler.
Wilbur Napps a toe dancer.
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Civic and Culture Club Has Celebration

A very unusual and interesting meeting was held by the Civic and Culture Club on the afternoon of January 10th, when its membership gathered at the home of Miss Ora Kuykendall to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the Club.

After several matters of business were disposed of, the biennial election of officers took place. The recommendations of the nominating committee were accepted and the following officers were elected for the next two years: President, Mrs. Ferris Frye; First Vice President, Mrs. J. W. Wallace, Record, Sec.; Mrs. W. A. Smart Corresponding Sec.; Miss Ora Kuykendall, Treasurer, Mrs. Ben White. With Mrs. E. L. Blundell, the first president of the club, acting as leader, a history of the organization was given by the charter members now in the club. Mrs. Blundell, who moved away during the first year of the club's existence, told of the wonderful improvement which she has observed during the past year since her return into the club. She remarked upon the lack of apology by club members and upon the excellent preparation, which each member makes for her part on the program and especially did she comment upon the custom of talking without the use of papers.

Mrs. Ed Tonn told of the organization, as a Home Economics Club studying the text "Household Discoveries" as a university extension course. During the first year the club launched into civic work and so changed their name to "The Home Economic and Civic Improvement Club".

In January 1918, feeling that they were graduated from the study of "Household Discoveries" and desiring a more suitable name for the club, it was voted to adopt the name of "The Woman's Civic and Culture Club" and it was under that name that the organization was federated with the State Federation of Women's Clubs in that same year.

The study was then divided into topics upon current events, art and civics. Also during these years, a great amount of red cross work was done.

From 1920-'22, selected courses of study from the Mentor magazine were followed. Then for the club year 1922-'23 a course in Sociology was taken from the extension department of the U. T. S. T. College.

During last club year we studied the "Recent English Novel" under the direction of the State University and during the present year we are following last years course by the study of "The Contemporary American Novel," which Mrs. Tonn thinks is proving one of the most interesting subjects undertaken.

Mrs. R. A. Baldwin recalled the various topics discussed by her on club programs during the past ten years which showed the wide range of subjects which the members have studied.

Mrs. J. W. Wallace told something of what the club had meant to her and how it had greatly aided her in over-coming stage fright and timidity and that now she is able to think quicker and more accurately. She explained that it had meant for her social adjustment and had aided greatly in her self development.

A brief history of the club with the names of its various presidents, its first roll-call and a mention of the sweet spirit that has always been manifested among its membership was given by Mrs. R. G. Shankle.

Mrs. W. E. Smart recalled many of the good movements fostered by the club during the past ten years. They have been along cultural, social and civic lines. She told of the financial success of a play given during our first year, of a tin can pick-up which recalled to our minds the many car loads of cans that were collected and paid for and how it cleaned up the town. And it was during this same year that the club worked for one clean-up day each month with a wagon to collect trash.

The club established its present custom of a reception for all teachers in the schools and of an annual party with husbands as guests.

To stimulate the beautification of home yards and gardens in 1918, prizes were offered for the best, and a few trees were placed upon the school grounds.

Thru the efforts of the club a course in Home Economics was placed in the public schools in 1919 and was greatly aided by the club.

These women have brought much talent to the town thru Lyceum courses and concerts.

In 1922, the Club members aided greatly in getting the bond voted for the City Hall, with the understanding that if the bond carried the women were to have a rest room located in that building.

Various parties and entertainments have been given during these years.

"Money raised and donations made" was discussed by Mrs. S. H. Adams, who named the different movements which the club had aided financially and of undertakings which they had completely financed.

This program recalled many interesting incidents to the older members in the club and very instructive to those newer women who have not known the history of the club.

Miss Kuykendall proved herself a most charming and lovable hostess.

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State Labor To Meet At Amarillo

May 25 to 28, inclusive, have been fixed as the date for the annual convention of the Texas State Federation of Labor at Amarillo. This action was taken by the State executive board and announced to affiliated organizations by Executive Secretary George H. Slater in an official letter embodying his January report.

The executive board has named Vick W. Dyer of Waco as fourth vice president of the federation, to succeed L. M. Andler of Houston, who resigned to accept a city office.

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This week and next, the Sla-Tex Motor Company, of which Leo. Hubbard, is manager, agents for the Dodge Brothers motor cars, are moving their shop, cars, and entire equipment to the new Talley and Ragsdale Building across the street from the telephone office, and in a few days will be all-set for the big business year toward which Mr. Hubbard is looking.

In this new building there is ample display room for new cars, large shop room, which is being equipped to do a general auto repair business, and a well-arranged and roomy office.

The Sla-Tex Motor Company is installing two large gas pumps, and will handle the Gulf and Texhoma gasoline and other products.

Garner Suginer and Homer Altman of Floydada spent the week end with the formers mother, Mrs. W. R. Ivey of this city.

BIRTHS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henry Jr., (Deacon) are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby daughter in their home born Friday January 9th.

A little bit of sunshine intered the home of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Everline Wednesday, January 7th to make her future home and they have named her Nancy Nell.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McKinzie are the proud parents of a son born January 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harmon, of Southland are intertaining a little Miss in their home since January the 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McReynolds are the happy parents of a little daughter who has come to bless their home she arriving January 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones are wearing sunshine faces over the arrival of a beautiful little Miss who has come to make Slaton her future home. They have named her Geraldine.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Ricks visited in Lubbock Tuesday.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, men preferred.—C. S. Davis. 1tp.

FURNITURE—At the right prices.—Elrod's. 1tc.

A set of five 31x4 Kelley Springfield Cord Tires, and Tubes for only \$60.00.—Green's Garage.

FOR SALE—All pot plants and canary birds. See or phone Mrs. R. G. Shankle. 10-2tc

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FOR SALE—Our home, modern 7-rooms, bath, garage, 1 1-2 block west new High School building. Phone 160.—W. W. Walker. 6-tfc

The place to buy your Furniture is at Elrod's—next door to Slatonite, Twaddle building. 1tc.

NOTICE

We have opened a millinery business in Slaton at the home of Mrs. H. M. Donnell, near the Christian church, where we will be located until about the 15th, when we hope to have a location in the business district. We handle the well-known Fisk line of hats. We will be glad to have you call and see us.—Mesdames. H. M. Donnell and W. D. Sipe. 8-3c

FOR RENT—One bed room close in See Mrs. M. B. Tate on Lynn St. 9-2tc

Trade your old Furniture for New, at Elrod's. 1tc.

If you havent seen Roosevelt Co., New Mexico, then you had better make a little run over here and look her over. I want to sell 480 acres of best Cotton and Corn land, 40 miles, South Portales, on State Highway, Star Mail R. One mile school, two miles P. O. Deep tight soil. Two good wells. House, Farm, good fence. Good neighborhood. Price \$10.00 per acre. \$1200.00 Cash, balance to suit. Four sections of good grass adjoining this can be leased cheap.

This is a tip-top Farm, and a bargain. My reason for selling is that it doesn't join my main ranch. I made \$35.00 per acre this year on Corn and Cotton. Come and see it. J. C. Ainsworth, Milnesand, N. M. 9-2tp.

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NOTICE—The one that picked-up my Bridle in frofnt of Chick's Market, return and get reward.—H. A. Johnson, the Pound man. 1tc.

FOR RENT—Furnished Bed Room, with heat.—Mrs. W. Donald.

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MR. AND MRS. ANDERSON ENTERTAIN "42" CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Anderson entertained the "42" Club last Thursday evening with a quail supper. The quail were killed by Mr. Anderson while away on a recent hunting trip. The guests after eating all the good things Mrs. Anderson had prepared enjoyed the rest of the evening playing "42". Those present report the evening a very enjoyable one.

SANTA FE OFFICIALS HERE

A number of Santa Fe officials, from the general offices were in Slaton Wednesday and Wednesday night, transacting business for the road. Among those spending the night here were: E. B. Caraway, fuel supervisor; Frank W. Edwards, E. E. Machavice, mechanical superintendent; A. M. Hove, assistant editor of "The Earth." C. F. Wooley, claim agent; W. C. Sherman, R. F. E.; H. Grear, electrical engineer.

BOY SCOUTS

Meeting called by Rev. J. A. Owens. Six Juniors and Fourteen Seniors were present. The Scouts told of their adventure out on camps. Boys come and join also come to the meeting. We are going on a hike Saturday at 9:00 o'clock at Rev. J. A. Owens.

WANTED--To Buy 2 acres of land within a mile of Slaton, preferably on a highway.--Phone 242-W. 1tp.

WANDA WAYNE COMEDY COMPANY GREAT SUCCESS

The Wanda Wayne Comedy Company, playing here Saturday night for the Santa Fe Employees, proved to be a wonderful success.

Bob Lee proved up to his title as mirth maker as well as Wanda Wayne as stunt artist, as their were each very clever and brought uncores.

The Hewitts were right in there when it come to the dancing act and they poured it on the floor while Mrs. Cook poured it on the piano. She had just what it took to make things hum in the way of a piano. The show was good from beginning to end and every one enjoyed it to the fullest extent. People who missed it, just won't know what they did miss.

A. M. HOVE VISITS SLATON WEDNESDAY

Among the out-of-town visitors to Slaton yesterday, attending the agricultural meeting, was A. M. Hove, assistant editor of "The Earth," a magazine published by the Santa Fe Railway, at Topeka, Kansas. Mr. Hove, however, has headquarters at Amarillo, and is quite well known in this section. While in our city Mr. Hove paid the Slatonite a visit. He sees a still brighter future for West Texas, and is doing no little himself, in our estimation, to bring about this condition. In The Earth, which has an extremely wide circulation, Mr. Hove continually features West Texas' possibilities.

PUBLIC SALE OF IMPOUNDED STOCK.

The City of Slaton will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the city pound gates on 8th St., between the hours of 2 and 4 p. m., Tuesday, Jan., 27th, 1925, the following described impounded livestock; in accordance with the law and ordinance governing such matters: 1 old bay horse, sore on left hind leg, no brands; 1 old bay horse, 2 white hind feet; no brand; 1 bay horse about 3 years old, no brand; 1 bay mare about 5 years old, white spots on left side; 1 brown mare 4 or 5 years old, branded "7" on left side; 1 bay horse colt by her side.

H. A. JOHNSON, Poundkeeper.

"NOTICE TO THOSE DESIRING APPOINTED NOTARY PUBLIC

All persons desiring to be appointed Notary Public of Lubbock County, send your names at once to, Herbert Stubbs, County Clerk, Lubbock, Texas, who will send the list to Austin, Texas on February 1st 1925, said appointees to qualify June 1st this year." Herbert Stubbs, o. Clerk.

W. E. Olive, cashier of the Slaton State Bank, is spending a few days in South Texas, on an outing trip.

J. I. Stewart and wife of Lubbock, are moving to Slaton, and expect to make their home near here. Mr. Stewart is connected with the Santa Fe.

Alex DeLong was called to Henrietta last Saturday on account of the serious illness of his brother-in-law, Mr. Davis. Mr. DeLong returned to Slaton Tuesday and reports his relative doing better.

L. F. Piwonka and family and Mark Lichfield drove to Lubbock Tuesday evening to see Daredevil Lockwood at the Palace Theatre.

We have for sale a few full blood Tamworth Pigs, the Breakfast Bacon Breed. Ages about eight to ten weeks. V RANCH, Phone 29.--A. L. Robertson, Mgr. 11-2tp
W. J. Campbell of Abilene was in Slaton Wednesday.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SAFETY SERMON

Sunday, January 25th will be safty day at the Presbyterian church. The subject for the morning sermon will be "The Narrow Door" and the subject for the evening will be "Safety First."

The evening service will be held primarily for the employees of the Santa Fe Railroad, and the sermon is to be preached at their special request.

We trust that every man in the employe of the Santa Fe who is not on duty will be present for this service.

There will be special music both morning and evening. Regardless of weather conditions we go on with our services.

Rev. J. A. Owen, Minister.

I. O. O. F. MEETS

On Tuesday night the Slaton Odd Fellows met in regular session, and the meeting was visited by a number of Lubbock members. Work was conferred on candidates in the second degree.

EAST WARD SCHOOL NOTES

We have begun on a new lap of our school work and everyone seems to be smiling for most everyone passed. There have been quite a few changes the past week, and a large number have been transferred to make room for the ever increasing number of children.

Our P. T. A. meets this week and we hope all the mothers will try to be present. A very interesting program has been arranged and we are sure every one will enjoy the afternoon together.

The snow was enjoyed by everyone. It went a little too soon for some of the children but they enjoyed it while it was here.

In our faculty meeting on Tuesday we organized a faculty Basket Ball team with Miss Buzbee as Captain. We're planning to play a number of games this spring.

Miss Hardesty's third grade children will sell Candy on Friday to help buy some play ground equipment.

IN MEMORIAM

Mrs. Mollie Keith, wife of H. D. Keith, was born September 1st, 1893, in Ellis county, Texas. Her parents were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robinson. She was married to H. D. Keith July 12, 1909, at Brady, Texas. To this union were born seven children, four boys and three girls, all of whom survive with the father, to mourn their loss. Mrs. Keith died in the Robinson community, Jan. 19th., and was buried Jan. 20th, in the local cemetery in Slaton, funeral services being held at the home by Rev. Jno. P. Hardesty, Baptist pastor. All the family have been down with sickness and only the oldest child, a daughter 13, was permitted to attend the burial. The neighbors have been very kind to assist in every way possible in the way of waiting on them and whatever else in the way of sympathy they could show. Mr. Keith expressed his and the family's appreciation and gratitude for the kindness of his neighbors during these trials.

In Slaton its the Slaton Slatonite.

The Texas Dry Goods Store Talk of the Town Sale STARTS SATURDAY, January 24 and Continues 14 Days

We would like for you to be present each day of the sale. Something special every day in way of prices.

DOORS WILL OPEN ON THE BIG SALE 8:30 A. M.

10 PER CENT OFF ON ALL STETSONS

—Until recently we have been crowded up in a small frame building—without room to carry big stocks or to display our goods. We are now pleased to announce to the people of Slaton and surrounding territory that we have purchased and moved into the large well arranged brick building on Texas Ave., recently occupied by Milady's Shop. This arrangement enables us to carry much larger and more complete stocks of merchandise.

In order that we might meet more of the Slaton and trade territory people and get better acquainted with them we are now launching TALK OF THE TOWN SALE, STARTING ON SAT.,

JAN. 24 Continuing for 14 Days

Starting Saturday and continuing. 14 days during this sale won't you visit our store first, and look our stocks and prices over. We are sure that the prices we are offering our merchandise for will convince you of the real money saving awaiting you here. You will find our line complete with new winter merchandise, and in this sale is where quality and prices meet. We are going to give the people of this section the greatest sensation they have experienced this buying season. We have slashed prices regardless of cost. We do not insist on buying until you have been thoroughly convinced by comparison of the bargain feast we are offering you.

Purina Chows

FOR HORSES, COWS AND POULTRY

—Now is the time to get busy with your hens and prepare for your spring chicks. The Purina feeds will produce more eggs and stronger, healthier chicks than any other feed.

Mrs. Banks and Mrs. Milliman who are experts in the feed and care of poultry are here to help introduce Purina Chows, and will be glad to give you any information, you may wish, and assist in culling your flock.

Give your work stock a square deal by feeding Purina-Molene, a completely balanced ration, that will keep them working, and in good condition for less money. Figure with us on your requirements, either by the ton or in car loads.

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Fresh Fish and Oysters each Thursday

Fresh Milk all the time.

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