

This Week



By Arthur Brisbane
A NEW PLAN.
SINGING AND HEALTH.

H. G. Wells has a plan for management and government of this earth, with one board of directors running the whole thing.

Religions, says Wells, have run their course. Christianity, which began with "the completest communism," has become the completest capitalism. "Take all thou hast and give to the poor," has been changed to "get all thou canst, and Devil take the hindmost."

Buddhism began in complete renunciation. Buddha let the hungry tigers eat his body. Now vilest superstition replaces Buddha's teachings—and so it goes.

Mr. Wells' plan is interesting, like those of Plato, in his "Republic," Moore in his "Utopia," and Karl Marx, in his book that became the foundation of modern socialism.

Each one would work as well as the other, that is to say, not at all. Yet each is useful, for it makes men think, and that is important.

The human race is an individual on a bigger scale, and it is in its infancy. It is useless to contemplate a baby two years old and plan to make a man of it in six months.

You must observe how and at what rate your race or individual can grow, then do what you can to direct and promote good growth.

The most important work now is to encourage thought and distribute knowledge. And the greatest agency is the public school.

"Give light, and the people will find their own way." Give good public schools and you give light.

Madame Reggio, opera singer, climbed the 1,358 steps of New York's Woolworth building in 13 minutes and 4 seconds, beating previous records.

Thirty-eight years old, weight 104 pounds, the lady earned \$3,000 by the climb, and did a useful thing by impressing the health value of singing. Nothing develops the lungs as singing does. Sing at your work and avoid consumption. Teach your children to sing. Imitate the British, who always sing, whether they can sing or not.

Farmers in the Little Karoo and other parts of Cape Province are disturbed by the worst drought in South Africa's recorded history. No rain has fallen in four years, fertile lands turn to deserts, farm houses are falling into ruins, the last green leaf has disappeared.

Pays To Advertise, W. R. Hodge Learns

W. R. Hodge, who lives on the east side of town, recently lost a mule. He hunted for miles around, but was unable to locate his mule.

Then he happened to drop into the Slatonite office. He wasn't sure about the value of advertising for his lost property, but after a little sales talk, he agreed to advertise.

The result was that he learned that the mule had been found, and the man who found him refused to take a reward, and refused to take payment for the keep of the mule while he had had him.

This little experience made a believer of Mr. Hodge, so much so that he subscribed to the Slatonite the next time he came near the office.

A BILLION PENCILS COLLEGE STATION.—Approximately one billion pencils, having a total value of about \$50,000,000, are manufactured annually from American wood, data in the office of the Texas Forest Service, A. & M. College of Texas, discloses. The first pencil factory in the United States was established in 1861.

High School Band To Give a Concert

Next Friday night at the high school auditorium the high school band will give a public free entertainment, beginning at 8:30, according to announcement made by Ernest Pogus, director of the band.

This will be the final rehearsal prior to leaving for Fort Worth, and at this time the band will be dedicated as the official Slaton band, and will represent this city in Fort Worth. The general public is urged to attend the concert.

Late A. G. Taggart Honored at Rotary Meet Last Friday

Honoring the memory of the late A. G. Taggart, member of the Slaton Rotary club, who died at Pecos, Texas, June 3, a memorial program was observed at the luncheon meeting of Slaton Rotarians last Friday. Rev. B. G. Holloway, Baptist pastor here, made a short talk in which he spoke in the highest terms of the deceased Rotarian, Mr. Taggart. When his talk was concluded, he led in prayer while the entire club membership stood. A memorial song was then sung by the members, led by L. A. Wilson, and with A. J. Payne at the piano.

A vacant chair stood at the place where Mr. Taggart usually sat at the club meetings, and this chair was draped with crepe. President Sam E. Staggs said the loss of Rotarian Taggart was the first such occurrence in the history of the Slaton club, organized about three years ago.

A committee was appointed to prepare resolutions of respect and regret to be published, to be furnished Mrs. Taggart and to be spread on the club's record books. This committee is composed of Ben G. Holloway, Roy A. Baldwin, and J. W. Hood.

Debate Box Bill

The regular program arranged for Friday's meeting was a debate on the question, "Should Congress Pass the Box Bill?" John W. Hood and W. P. Florence spoke for the affirmative, and Oskar Korn and Minter Uzzell were slated for the negative. In the absence of Mr. Korn, R. A. Baldwin was a negative speaker.

The affirmative argument maintained that if a limit is placed on immigration to the United States from other foreign countries, Mexico, Canada and other nations of the Western hemisphere should be limited likewise. The Box bill seeks to limit such immigration. The affirmative speakers declared that the United States does not need these immigrants from Mexico, Central America and other nearby countries and that frequently their presence in this country has a demoralizing effect on this country, socially, morally and otherwise.

It was pointed out by the affirmative that the unemployment situation in the United States would be improved if limits are placed on the numbers of people who may enter this country each year from nearby foreign nations.

On the other hand, the negative speakers insisted that immigrants from Mexico and Central America are needed in this country to perform classes of labor which native citizens of the United States will not do. Especially is this true in Texas, it was declared. The matter is not a social, political or religious question, the negative contended, but is purely an economic one which, if the Box bill passes, would resolve itself into a real catastrophe for Texans, more especially.

Furthermore, the negative declared that the United States should not cut herself off from the rest of the world and refuse admittance to people who would help develop this country. It is a question of equity and justice, according to the negative contention, regardless of the need felt in this country for the help which the immigrants can render.

Visitors at Friday's meeting were: George Samson and John Herd, Post; Warren P. Knox, Tom A. White and R. D. Irwin, Lubbock; Hec Dawson, Ben Holloway, Jr., Rev. M. S. Leveridge and B. A. Tolver, of Slaton.

Allen J. Payne, club secretary, announced that the club's attendance average for the month of May was 90.49 per cent.

Slaton To Be 17 Years Old Next Friday, June 15

Slaton will be seventeen years old next Friday, but she will not have a birthday party in honor of the event.

On June 15, 1911, a city charter was granted to the little village which sprang into existence after the Panhandle and Santa Fe railroad officials looked over the vast areas of the great South Plains region and picked this spot as a division point for the plains.

While there will be no official program for the day to celebrate the occasion, a large number of citizens will apprise the remainder of West Texas of the growth of this city and the progressiveness of its citizens by sending a large delegation to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention which will be held in Fort Worth the first three days of next week.

Just prior to the birthday Slaton will send out the sixth of a series of good-will parties to neighboring communities to the Wilson community, ten miles south.

Old-Timers Here

Slaton yet has a number of the old-timers who were present at her birth. Among them, including some who came here so soon after that they are almost contemporaneous, are the following: W. P. Florence, Joe Teague, Sr., M. F. Klattenhoff, Frank Simnacher, J. S. Edwards, H. D. Talley, A. L. Hoffman, G. L. Sledge, C. C. Hoffman, Jr., R. A. Baldwin, J. H. Proctor, W. E. Olive, J. M. Simmons, R. H. Tudor, Fred B. Tudor, E. P. Nix, E. N. Twaddle, A. E. Whitehead, A. L. Brannon, F. V., R. T., P. O. and L. M. Williams, U. L. George, Dr. S. H. Adams, C. V. Young, S. S. Forrest, Jesse Brasfield, E. S. Brooks, J. E. Eckert, T. O. Petty, A. L. Robertson, Mrs. A. B. Robertson, L. W. Smith, J. F. Berry, C. D. Yates, Paul P. Murray, J. W. Wallace, Mrs. Ed Tonn, F. M. Vermillion, Bob Allen, A. C. Benton, Arthur Wild, Mrs. P. H. Whalen, C. B. Beal, R. G. Shankle, J. T. Overby, W. G. Reese and Mrs. Annie F. Higbee.

Trip To Wilson Is Slated Thursday

On Thursday night, instead of Friday night as the usual custom is, a good-will trip to Wilson, ten miles south of Slaton, is to be made by Slaton people, according to Chamber of Commerce officials. The change to Thursday night was decided upon after considering how busy Slaton people will be on Friday and Saturday getting ready to leave Sunday morning for Fort Worth to attend the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention. Other trips are to come on Friday nights as usual, it is stated.

J. T. Williams, prominent Willcox merchant and civic leader there, said the meeting would be held at the high school auditorium, and that Wilson people would be glad to welcome the visitors from Slaton.

Ice cream will be carried along by the Slaton delegation, and the Slaton band is planning to go. It is hoped all members of the French harp band will be ready, also.

Those who will make the trip, taking their cars to transport band members and others without means of transportation, are asked to be ready to leave from the city hall lawn by 7:45 Thursday evening. Committeemen said more than 100 should go from Slaton to Wilson Thursday night.

Condition of Oscar Killian Now Better

Oscar Killian, manager of the Jones Dry Goods here, has returned from Lubbock, where he had been receiving surgical treatment for two or three weeks. While Mr. Killian has not yet regained his normal strength, and has to report at the hospital daily for examination and treatment, his condition is much improved, and he is now physically able to care for the affairs of his business here.

He has been suffering from mastoid trouble.

MELVIN.—A new and up-to-date theatre has been opened up here.

Rainfall Follows Year's Hottest Day

Rainfall Saturday and Sunday brought the total for the month of June thus far to one and one-sixteenth inches, according to measurement made by G. H. Orr, local weather observer.

Saturday night's precipitation amounted to three-eighths of an inch, and Sunday evening's rain was one-sixteenth of an inch.

Friday was the hottest day of the year, the thermometer soaring to register a mark of 102 in the shade.

Movie With Home Talent Scheduled For Next Friday

Despite the fact that threatening weather prevailed practically all day last Sunday, a large crowd gathered at the rim of the canyon on the northeast road and watched the making of real motion pictures with an entire cast of local kiddies. The scenes were a part of the local kiddies' comedy entitled "Us Kids."

Hundreds of people lined the roadside and the sides of adjacent hills and watched the local movie stars go through their paces. Not knowing what the story was all about, a lot of people could get no sense or reason from what they saw. But the scenes made according to regular movie plot and scenario will be cut and titled, so a real story will develop, and if the films made by Jack Holman in more than fifty cities in Texas can be taken as a criterion, the finished film will be a pleasant surprise to those who see it at the Palace theatre next Friday matinee and night.

The story concerns a little girl that had everything. She is big-hearted and entertains the kiddies of the city with a big free theatre party, then the scene shifts to a big picnic she has arranged for the kiddies. This takes place in the canyon. Seems two little boys are in love with the heroine, one is a sort of a tough character; the other a model young fellow, and a Boy Scout to boot. The tough boy is angered at the attentions of the other fellow and decides to play Indian and take his gang of warriors to the canyon and break up the picnic. But he does not know that the scouts are encamped a short distance away from the site of the picnic. The Indians swoop down upon the defenseless girls, but a small boy is sent to the scout camp for aid. As usual, the scouts arrive in the nick of time and the day is saved. Needless to say that the hero's percentage rises accordingly.

In addition to the kiddie story, which will be more than one reel in length, scenes of all the high school students, children of the east ward school and the Catholic school also appear in the film. Almost a hundred interesting scenes made in the business and residence sections of the city, entitled "Ye Old Home Town." In all more than two reels of locally-made pictures will be shown with hundreds of local people appearing on the screen. The film will be shown the one day only, Friday, and at the matinee a special price of ten cents for all kiddies under sixteen will prevail.

The Parent-Teacher associations of the city will derive a benefit from the showing. Mrs. L. C. Odom and Mrs. L. W. Smith have charge of the ticket sales. They ask that you purchase your tickets from the kiddies if possible, as they will derive a greater amount from the tickets that are sold by them.

No Beer Complaints Received By Officers

Beer-making proclivities of the dusky-hued residents of the "flats" have had a temporary quietus placed upon them by local officers.

At any rate, there have been no complaints reported to city officials, and there have been no arrests made recently. This is probably partly due to the fact that Mayor W. G. Reese and Judge Phillips served notice that light fines were a thing of the past for repeated offenses.

LOVINGTON, N. M.—The highway between this city and Tatum is attracting much tourist traffic.

Cars Needed For Band As Slaton Makes Ready To Attend Meeting West Texas Chamber of Commerce

Contract For Deep Water Well Is Let To Kansas Company

Contract for the drilling of the city's deep water well was let last Friday by the city commission to the Well Works Manufacturing company of Garden City, Kans., at a stipulated price of \$5,502.

The contract provides for the well to have a 36-inch hole, with 18-inch casing. It is to be a gravel-treated well 206 feet in depth, of which a depth of 101 feet is to be fitted with perforated casing.

Work will begin next Friday, June 15, and will probably be finished by August 15, according to estimate made by Dennis B. Doty, general manager of the company receiving the contract.

The well will give the city a minimum daily capacity of one thousand gallons per minute. City officials are very optimistic over the new well, declaring that indications from the test well recently drilled show that the water is in a stratum of much greater thickness than either of the two present wells, and is of better quality in softness.

Masonic Blue Lodge To Install Officers

Installation of newly-elected officers of the Slaton Blue Lodge No. 1094, A. F. & A. M., will be held the night of Monday, June 25, according to announcement made.

The new officers are: T. R. Cobb, worthy master; W. V. Crews, senior warden; J. W. Bagby, junior warden; J. T. Lokey, treasurer; J. L. Sweet, secretary; W. G. Reese, tiler; E. Barton, senior deacon; A. M. Cade, junior deacon; R. W. Ragsdale, senior steward; E. H. Ward, junior steward; and Rev. M. S. Leveridge, chaplain.

New Home Visited By 85 Slatonites

Two hundred people of the New Home community, about twenty miles southwest of Slaton, gathered at the high school auditorium there last Friday night to greet 85 good-will visitors from Slaton, making one of the trips arranged and sponsored by the Slaton Chamber of Commerce.

Music was furnished by the Slaton band, the French harp band, and Alfred Redwine. James F. Merrill, Jr., gave a reading. Community singing and several addresses were enjoyed, and the meeting was declared to have resulted in bringing about closer and more friendly relations between Slaton and New Home citizens.

P. W. Goad, prominent New Home citizen, gave the address of welcome, assuring the Slaton party that all New Home citizens extended a cordial greeting to them. He said his community is a neighbor of Slaton and that the feeling of neighborliness would prevail more strongly after Friday night's meeting.

Slaton men making talks included: J. W. Hood, president of the Chamber of Commerce; C. L. Sone, Slaton school head; and S. E. Staggs, president of the Rotary club.

Ice cream was served at the close of the program, being furnished by the Slaton delegation.

Slaton People Leave For Firemen's Meet

Slaton will be well represented at the annual convention of the State Firemen's association which will be held in Denton for three days beginning today (Tuesday).

Chief Ed R. Childress, Ernest Sumner and his wife, L. B. Hagerman, J. B. Lowery and Pierce Youngblood left Sunday for the meeting; and today J. T. Lokey and E. Barton were to leave for the convention.

CROWELL.—Grady Halbert will represent Crowell in the 1928 "My Home Town" contest at Fort Worth.

Delegation To Leave Next Sunday At 5 a. m.

Eight or ten more cars must be secured to make the trip to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention at Fort Worth, or there will not be sufficient means of transportation for the members of the Slaton band. This announcement was made late Monday by the Chamber of Commerce committee in charge, headed by L. R. Cyfert.

The committee appeals to Slaton people to volunteer a sufficient number of cars at once, in order that transportation for the band members will be guaranteed. Unless some who have said they couldn't go decide that they will go, the required number of cars will not be reached, according to the committee.

Sunday morning at 5 o'clock has been agreed upon as the time of starting from Slaton on the Fort Worth trip. It is planned to reach Fort Worth late that evening, going via Abilene, Cisco and Mineral Wells and stopping at two or three points Sunday afternoon to allow the band to play a few numbers. The convention opens Monday morning and lasts three days. On the return trip, the Slaton party will leave Fort Worth Thursday morning, coming via Mineral Wells, Breckenridge, Albany, Anson, Snyder, and thence homeward. Stops will be made along that route, also, according to plans announced.

Slaton Band Busy

The Slaton band has been very busy for the past two or three weeks, preparing for the convention trip. Entrance to the one-year class of the seventh annual West Texas band contest has been made, and the band is now working on the contest music. The remainder of this week will be devoted to rehearsals, marching, etc., according to Director Ernest Pogus.

When the West Texas parade is held at the convention Tuesday, the Slaton band will represent Slaton in the line of march. Other bands from the South Plains to be in the parade include: Tahoka, Post, Plainview, Floydada and Lubbock. All the bands from the South Plains will be grouped in the parade feature which is being arranged for the "South Plains of Texas" regional delegation, according to L. A. Wilson, of Slaton, who has been named chairman of the South Plains group.

Miss Louise Lanham, daughter of Mrs. J. S. Lanham, has been chosen as Slaton's sponsor at the convention, and she will attend as "Miss Slaton," taking part in the pageant to be staged at T. C. U. stadium Monday evening. She will also represent Slaton on the South Plains float which will be in the West Texas parade on Tuesday.

Worland McAtee Speaker

Worland McAtee, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McAtee, will be Slaton's "My Home Town" contest speaker at the convention. He was selected several weeks ago and has been working hard on preparing his speech on Slaton.

With such perfect arrangements completed to date, except the shortage in the number of cars needed for the trip, committeemen said Monday that Slaton will have excellent opportunities to make a grand showing at the convention. This causes the committee to be doubly anxious that the matter of transportation be settled without delay. Anyone who will volunteer to take or send a car is requested to report to the Chamber of Commerce office or to L. R. Cyfert.

A. Kessel has been delegated the responsibility of having a sufficient number of banners painted to provide the cars in the caravan with a Slaton banner for the trip. All individuals will be given "South Plains of Texas" arm bands and Slaton ribbons to be worn on lapels. Registration badges entitling the holders to many special features during the convention are available at the Chamber of Commerce office. These are \$2.50 each, and were sent here to prevent Slaton people having trouble in getting their registration badges after arrival in Fort Worth.

36th Division To Go To San Antonio On Special Train

SAN ANTONIO.—Plans for a special train and for auto caravans to carry some 2,500 former members of the Thirty-sixth division from Oklahoma to their annual reunion at San Antonio in connection with the tenth national convention of the American legion, October 8 to 12, are well under way.

Jim Kendrick, of San Antonio, member of the reunion arrangements committee for the division, has just returned from conferences at Oklahoma City with representatives of the division. Governor Henry S. Johnson, of Oklahoma; Adjutant General Barrett, and the various unit commanders of the Forty-fifth division have all been invited to attend the convention as the guests of the Thirty-sixth division.

Oklahoma's contingent in the division during the World war days is now included in the Forty-fifth division.

Arrangements have already been made to care for the Oklahoma delegation at St. Mary's university, where Mr. Kendrick is director of athletics.

Bobcats Afraid To Attack Human Beings

When you hear a bobcat yowling in the woods outside your tent at night, the eerie sound may send shivers up your back, but there's absolutely no real danger, comforts David Newell, the artist-naturalist, in the May issue of "Child Life Magazine."

"You have probably read stories," he writes, "of fierce, dangerous wildcats jumping down from a limb on top of a grown man. Now just between you and me and the old owl these stories are not true. Bobcats are afraid of humans and will run away whenever they think there is a man around. Of course, a bobcat is a dangerous fighter when it is cornered, but then, even a squirrel will fight for its life if it is attacked."

According to this writer, bobcats are found in many different parts of the country, from the southern swamps up to the north woods, and on out through the western mountains. "Some folks," he continues, "call them wildcats and some other folks call them 'catamounts.' A scientist calls a bobcat a 'bay lynx.' But we know that they are all bobcats just the same, and it's a good name, too, for anybody can see what funny little bobtails they have. Like their large cousin, the Canada lynx, these pretty brownish gray bobcats have tufted ears and long side whiskers. The kittens are spotted, just like baby pumas, or fawns, but unlike them, bobcat kittens never lose their spots."

LEFORS.—The town of Lefors, has taken on new life with production of fifty barrels of oil an hour by the townsite well.

No "Silent Drama" In Five Years—Lasky

LONDON.—"In five years there will be no silent motion pictures," Jesse L. Lasky, American producer, said upon his arrival at Southampton aboard the Leviathan. Mr. Lasky, who was accompanied by Mrs. Lasky, said the object of his visit was to study the latest ramifications of the British films.

"The development of talking pictures is now advancing by leaps and bounds," he said. "The actual process has been developed and perfected and we are now able to synchronize the voice and picture so perfectly as to include dialogue. By January 1 of next year 1,000 theaters in the United States will be equipped with sound-synchronizing machines."

When Mr. Lasky was asked what is to become of all the present stars when they are called upon to use their voices he said:

"Already nearly every star in Hollywood is busily studying diction. Ideal voices for the films are those which are natural."

Mr. Lasky predicted that the advent of talking pictures would undoubtedly mean a great deal to the young British actors and actresses, as they undoubtedly had the most ideal voices.

Nevada People Eat More Candy, Report

WASHINGTON.—That Americans like candy and are eating more of it has been disclosed by a study of the industry just completed by the commerce department. In Nevada, the study found the heaviest per capita intake, nearly thirteen pounds a year, and the people of Montana, Illinois, Delaware, North Dakota, Vermont and California all are eating more than twelve pounds per capita.

The tremendous quantities involved are shown by the fact that in 1926 sales of so-called "penny goods" ran to 221,000,000 pounds of material, and \$34,000,000 in value. The nickel and dime candy, chocolate and peanut bars amounted to 407,000,000 pounds and \$100,000,000. The balance of 1926 sales of candy, included in packages and bulk, brought the year's total value of candy consumed to \$324,000,000. Very little American candy goes to foreigners. In 1926 candy exports were but \$3,000,000.

RISEING STAR.—A vocational agriculture teacher will be employed here jointly by the chamber of commerce and school board.

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Last of British Wartime Airships To Be Destroyed

PULHAM, England.—Britain's veteran airship, R-33, last survivor of war-time air cruisers, is being broken up at Pulham airdrome. She had not been in the air in two years when she made a flight before visiting premiers from British dominions, and in view of the air ministry there is no further useful work for her to do.

The R-33 will always be remembered in Britain for her famous flight three years ago. Torn from her moorings at Pulham by a heavy gale, with only a skeleton crew aboard, she weathered a heavy storm that blew her to Holland and returned to her base, despite broken nose.

Her successful navigation through this thirty-six-hour ordeal was acclaimed by air experts all over the world. No dirigible has been used more for experimental purposes. She was used for tests for new mooring masts, landing, night launching of air-

planes, launching airplanes and wind pressure.

When, after a period of inactivity, the British government decided to resume airship building the R-33 was selected to undergo the most exhaustive series of aero-dynamic tests ever planned, and from these the air ministry experts obtained valuable data that has influenced the design of the R-100 and R-101, dirigibles now under construction.

Copied from the design of a captured Zeppelin that came down in England during the World War, the R-33 was completed in 1919. She was the first airship equipped with sleeping bunks, dining room and chef, and created history by producing the first aerial newspaper.

Gretna Green Lives Up To Reputation As Place Of Marriages

GRETNA GREEN, Scotland.—Whereas the vicar of Middlesex village is making open complaint that there has not been a marriage in his parish for more than a year, Gretna

Green, famous for song and story as the mecca of runaway couples enjoying traditional popularity as a center. Nine marriages have taken place at Gretna Green blacksmith's forge within one week this season.

With the passing of the marriage act in 1856, which made it compulsory for one of the contracting parties to have been resident in Scotland for twenty one days before the ceremony a death blow was dealt to the indulgent custom of the little Scottish village of uniting young couples fleeing from parents disapproval at any hour

of the day or night" and no question asked." Although the act did not put an end to swift and unconsidered elopements. Gretna Green has continued to hold its reputation for marriages, on the new legal basis.

The village is on the high road to Scotland, but lies out of the way of the main railway traffic. It is a picturesque Old World Village, just over the border of Scotland.

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31x4	-----	\$14.45
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30x5 Reg	-----	\$23.70
30x5 H. D.	-----	\$31.45
32x6 H. D.	-----	\$51.00
34x7	-----	\$72.25
40x8	-----	\$110.00

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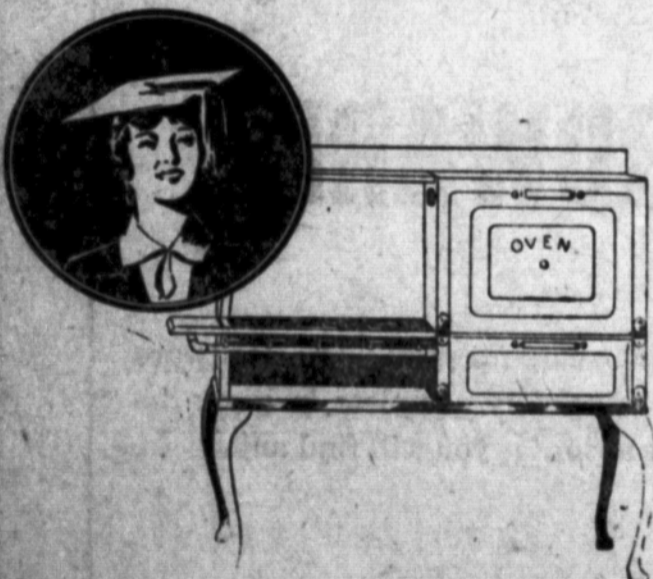
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29x4:75	-----	\$10.50
30x5:00	-----	\$11.80
31x5:00	-----	\$12.35
30x5:25	-----	\$13.65
31x5:25	-----	\$14.20

	Formerly Priced	Sale Price
29x4:40	-----	\$10.15
29x4:40 H. D.	-----	\$12.40
30x4:50	-----	\$11.15
30x5:00	-----	\$14.45
30x6:00	-----	\$19.20
30x5:25	-----	\$16.85
31x5:25	-----	\$17.40
33x6:00	-----	\$21.00
33x6:00 H. D.	-----	\$24.20

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Students From Warm Climates Don Heavy Coats As Tech Opens

LUBBOCK. — More than 800 students have already enrolled in the third summer session of Texas Technological college, and this number will be considerably augmented as enrollment still continues. E. L. Dohoney, registrar, estimates that the registration for both summer terms will run well above 1,000. This is a fifty per cent increase over the attendance of last summer.

There is a notable increase of transfers from other institutions who have come to Texas Technological college to pursue graduate study during the summer months on account of the cool and pleasant climate of the South Plains. With a light northerly blowing on opening day students from the lower altitudes wore coats with fur collars and went about shivering with the temperature below 40.

Flees From Wife One Day After Marriage

PARIS.—One day of marriage was enough for Vicomte Bertier de Sauvigny, and a Paris court has given the Vicomtesse, who is Dutch, a divorce. It is still considering, however, how much to give the vicomte out of his wife's fortune, which is estimated at several million dollars.

He was her fourth husband, succeeding the son of the late Sultan Abdul-Hamed and the Briton, Lord Douglas. The vicomte, his wife told the court, disappeared the day after their wedding in London two years ago.

Wayland College Has Summer Term Record

PLAINVIEW. — When the cards were counted at Wayland Baptist college Monday morning it was found that 138 students had enrolled for the summer term of the college which began on that day. This sets a record for summer school attendance and is indeed a very big showing for the college, according to President G. W. McDonald.

This surprising interest on the part of the young people of the section of Wayland college predicated an increased enrollment for the Plainview institution this autumn, Mr. McDonald believes. Many of these students are new to Wayland.

STRATFORD.—Thousands of acres of pasture land is being plowed up to be planted in wheat next fall.

Two of Three Live After Niagara Leap

NIAGARA FALLS.—Frank Russell, veteran showman, cut loose the rope which sent Mrs. Anna Taylor, forty-three-year old widow and school teacher, over Niagara Falls in a barrel, October 24, 1901. For a time Russell had to go in hiding. After Mrs. Taylor emerged hysterical but much alive, Russell became a popular hero. When removed from the barrel Mrs. Taylor had a three-inch cut in her scalp back of her right ear. How she got it she does not know. She admits losing consciousness in passing over the falls.

Bobby Leach went over the falls in a steel barrel in 1911 and afterward spent weeks in the hospital with several broken ribs. Charles Stevens tried it in an elaborate barrel in 1920. His body was never recovered.

Winners Freshman Crop Judging Named

COLLEGE STATION.—Winners of this year's freshmen crops judging contest, conducted by the agronomy department, A. & M. College of Texas, have been announced in the order of their rating as follows: J. H. Taylor, Dublin; J. J. Willingham, College Station; Frank Domy, Palestine; G. W. Arnold, Troup; A. B. Smith, Jasper.

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Russian Towns Have Names Changed Often

LENINGRAD.—"Lucky is the Russian who knows the name of his own village," is a new Soviet proverb. While Leningrad will remain Leningrad, all the other cities, villages, streets, factories, ships, horses and brands of cigarettes, soap and sausage whose names memorializing departed Czars were changed into those of ante-mortem Bolshevik heroes now must be changed again if the latter are out of the grace of the All-Union Communist party (Bolshevik).

Trotsky, Zimoviev and Kanenev were honored with everything from cities to gritty lead pencils. Rakovsky had a town but so recent that it never got on the maps and now never will. A popular brand of cigarettes in the Ukraine was "Tut Komintern," meaning "Here! Komintern," the first word being from the initials of Ukraine tobacco trust and the last being the Soviet argot for Communist Internationale.

The box was graced with a picture of President Zimoviev. The name and

picture were changed to "Tut Parol," meaning "Here is the password," the last word being formed from "Pak-haronian," all of which means, "Here is buried an active worker in the Leningrad opposition," Zimoviev in his heyday having been president of the Leningrad Soviet.

The horned toad found sealed in a cornerstone, and still alive after 31 years' imprisonment, was taken to New York. It probably would feel quite at home in some of our modern apartments!

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CHANNING.—Natural gas is to be in use here by next fall.



Seems as though "Paw" is out in the garage all the time since he lined it with Sheetrock and made it cozy and comfortable. Working in his shop all the time—and the old car never ran as well as it does now.

SHEETROCK—the fireproof wall-board, is easy to apply—saws and nails like lumber—big broad sheets that cover the space quickly (standard building sizes). Stop and look at a sample, or telephone—

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Food For Thought

Record of Judge Mullican
Judge Mullican's Record of Affirmed Cases on Appeal is 81 39-81 per cent.

Record of Judge Nordyke
Judge Nordyke's Record of Affirmed Cases on Appeal is 47 1-17 per cent.

Think, Voter, Think!

Lubbock County owes no one a "JOB," but it should demand of every official, "ABILITY."
Your District Court is of far more concern to you than is your Governor.
Your Governor cannot deprive you of life or liberty, but your District Court can.
Your Governor does not handle your business transactions, or protect you in your property rights, but your District Court does.

Below is given the official record of Clark M. Mullican, Judge of the 99th District Court, and the official record of Charles Nordyke, County Judge, to June 1st, 1928, for your comparison. Judge Nordyke is running for District Judge against Judge Mullican.

OFFICIAL RECORD OF JUDGE MULLICAN:

TERMS OF COURT:
Counties of Lynn, Garza, Terry, Dawson, Gains, Yoakum, Hockley, Cochran and Crosby from Feb. 1, 1923, to Aug. 1, 1925, 82 weeks of court
Counties of Hockley, Cochran and Crosby from Aug. 1, 1925, to March 1, 1927, 28 weeks of court
Total number weeks in other counties 110 weeks of court
County of Lubbock from Feb. 1, 1923 to June 1, 1928 123 weeks of court
Total number of weeks of court 233
Total number working days of court 1398

CASES HANDLED:
Number of cases tried by jury 246
Number of cases tried without jury 1409
Number of cases otherwise disposed of 1315

TOTAL of all cases handled 2970
Number cases that consumed one week each 27
Number cases that consumed three weeks each (Ross and Good) 2
These 29 cases consumed 33 weeks.
Average number cases disposed of per day during 1,398 days 2 1-8
Average number cases disposed of per week 12 1/2
Average number jury cases disposed of per week 11-68
NOTE: All criminal cases in District Court are tried by juries, even pleas of guilty.

APPEALS:
Number civil cases affirmed 39
Number civil cases reversed 7
Percentage of affirmed cases 84 18-23
Number criminal cases affirmed 27
Number criminal cases reversed 8
Percentage of affirmed cases 77 1-7
TOTAL percentage of all cases affirmed 81 39-81
Out of 11 cases that reached the Supreme Court and were passed upon, two were reversed and nine affirmed.

NOTE: Five other cases were appealed but are not counted in this record because of the following disposition:
Appeals dismissed in 2 civil cases.
In 3 criminal cases the defendants were pardoned by the Ferguson's before appeal ever heard.
Number civil cases now on appeal 14
Number criminal cases now on appeal 3
NOTE: The average District Judge has a record of 62 per cent of affirmed cases.
The 81 39-81 per cent record of Judge Mullican is one rarely equaled by any District Judge in Texas over an equal period of time.

COURT DOCKET:
Number of civil cases now on the docket 175
Number of criminal cases now on the docket 46
Average number of cases filed per week 6
NOTE: Dallas County, with five Civil District Courts and two Criminal District Courts, is about 5,000 cases behind, and it takes about two years to get a trial. No such condition exists in Lubbock County.

TERMS OF OFFICE:
A District Judge is elected for a term of FOUR Years. Judge Mullican was appointed to 72nd District Court by Governor Pat M. Neff in 1923.
He was elected by nearly 2 to 1 vote in 1924.
He was appointed to 99th District-Court by Governor Dan Moody in 1927.
NOTE: Judge Mullican served three years as District Judge by appointment of Two Governors, and two years by election, a total of five years. He has never yet served one full term of four years. He is running for that now, and tenders to you the above record. No District Judge in our State has a better one, either in volume of business or final results.
Judge Mullican received his academic work in Texas Christian University and the University of Texas. He graduated from the three-year law course of the Law Department of the University of Texas in 1912. He has been 16 years a practicing attorney and District Judge.
Official duties will not permit Judge Mullican to personally visit the voters. He tenders this record as his messenger to you.

OFFICIAL RECORD OF JUDGE NORDYKE:

TERMS OF COURT:
Lubbock County from Jan. 1, 1925, to June 1, 1928, 164 weeks of Court.

CASES HANDLED:
Number criminal trials by jury 14
Number criminal trials without jury 14
Number criminal cases otherwise disposed of 616
TOTAL criminal cases handled 644
Number civil trials by jury 47
Number civil trials without jury 59
Number civil cases otherwise disposed of 836
TOTAL civil cases handled 942
Total number tried by jury 61
Total number tried without jury 73
Total number otherwise disposed of 1452
TOTAL of all cases handled 1586

NOTE: Criminal cases in the County Court can be tried either with or without juries.
Pleas of guilty are taken without juries and without trial in the County Court.

APPEALS:
Number civil cases affirmed 7
Number civil cases reversed 8
Percentage of affirmed cases 46 2-3
Number criminal cases affirmed 1
Number criminal cases reversed 1
Percentage of affirmed cases 50
Total percentage of affirmed cases 47 1-17
Number civil cases now on appeal 3
Number criminal cases now on appeal 1

NOTE: There were 10 other civil cases appealed to appellate court, but as no record was ever sent up to the appellate court in these cases there was nothing to pass on and therefore the appellate court either (1) Dismissed the appeal, or (2) Declared it had no jurisdiction, or (3) Affirmed the county court judgment WITHOUT REFERENCE TO THE MERITS OF THE CASE, and so stated in their order as the records now show. In other words, there was nothing for the appellate court to pass on in these 10 cases.

JUVENILE RECORD:
Number cases tried 16
Number cases found guilty 16
Number juveniles sent to reformatory 7
Number turned loose 9

NOTE: Twenty-two boys from eleven to sixteen were recently arrested for numerous petty thefts. Three of the 22 were tried and sent to reformatory. The others were turned loose. In the newspapers Judge Nordyke said, "They have been loafing and lounging around the town for some time. Their petty offenses will eventually grow into greater crimes if they are not squelched now. The ones that have been let off time and time again will have to be punished. The youths think that they will be let off every time as they have in the past. Some of them hold officers in contempt and derision, considering court activity only a kangaroo affair and a necessary preliminary to be gone through with before they are released."
Moral lectures and tears have availed little, and have not restored to owners their stolen automobiles, chickens, milk, newspapers, lawn hose, etc. Voters should inquire of the candidates for County Judge what their attitude is going to be toward these young thieves.

Judge Nordyke passed the bar examination at Austin, November 11, 1923, about six months before he was elected County Judge, after attending a law school at Lebanon, Tennessee, where the only requirement is a nine months' course. From that day to this he has never tried a case in any court. He was elected County Judge in July, 1924. His business is teaching business college. He has never practiced law.

Having never practiced law, and having no legal experience, training or ability, Judge Nordyke is no better qualified to sit in a real trial in a real court than any other layman or business man who has served a term or two as County Judge.

As a business man or woman, and interested in the future welfare of yourself and your community, would you trust your legal affairs to a lawyer and judge like Mullican, or to one like Nordyke. Be fair to yourself, your citizenship and your county. Rise to the responsibility of citizenship and vote for the man whom you know is better qualified for the office.

Think, Voter, Think!

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POLITICS A-POPPIN'

Although newspapers have been full of politics for the past several months, real political news that will have an historical effect upon our government began today in Kansas City, when the Republican National convention opened activities toward the selection of a presidential nominee.

Political writings prior to today have been surmises, propaganda, guesses, and estimates. Before the close of the convention how much of these writings is true will be determined.

The last significant move made prior to the convention which will likely have an effect on the proceedings is the aligning of the anti-Hoover forces to bring about the defeat of the man who has aided both Democratic and Republican presidents with valuable work as a member of the cabinet.

On what specific grounds these forces oppose Hoover has never been made known, other than the fact that a man who had served in a Democratic cabinet could not be a Republican presidential nominee.

This newspaper is non-partisan, yet it would appear that this view taken by many of the "stand-pat" Republicans is very short-sighted, especially so when it is considered that the anti-Hoover forces will not likely be able to concentrate on one of their many "favorite sons."

It appears to be another case of too many cooks spoiling the broth.

TOUCHE!

They were only an elderly farmer and a young poultryman from south Jersey, a flat, sandy region, utterly lacking in the heroic usually associated with such romantic sections as the Old South and the Far West. Yet they knew an "affair of honor" when they experienced it and carried it through with more innate dignity than such affairs have inspired in their principals for a century, either here or abroad.

Modern duels have been a joke these many years. One is reminded of the latest to stir the fashionable world, that between two students at Oxford, who fought at dawn with swords until one received a scratch on the shoulder and their seconds closed in and stopped the sanguinary encounter. Very likely they will be gossiping of this episode—those who gossip—long after the names of Charles Siewert, sixty-five, and William Ruscom, twenty, of Cologne, N. J., have ceased to perfume the zephyrs that sigh among the scrub pines of their pre-bellian habitat. But Charles and William have shown the way to all the knights who still shake their plumage in the murky atmosphere of an industrial age.

You probably read the report—how Charles warned William's girl against him, and William, meeting his detractor, on the White House pike, offered to knock his ancient block off.

"I guess you can do it," said Charles with a smile. "You look like you could fight. But I'll tell you. Let's fight a duel! That'd give me more of a chance."

So it was arranged. Charles picked shotguns and they met on the same spot that evening. No seconds to interfere. They made their own rules, which were that they should stand back to back, march fifty paces in opposite directions, wheel and fire. They did so. Ruscom turned first. He missed one barrel and missed. Then two explosions rent the air and he fell, a load of birdshot in his chest and face. He is now in Atlantic City hospital, with, they say, a good chance of recovery, and Charles has explained the whole thing to the state police.

Better sporting, eh, what? Of course, this dueling must cease, but—well—now still take off his hat to men, and the farmers are the backbone of our country, sir.—New York Herald-Tribune.

Chicago now has a court of justice devoted exclusively to dogs. Will looking at the judge be construed as contempt of court?

It costs \$100 for the average baby to be born, according to figures recently compiled. The storks seem to have bigger bills nowadays.

**Topics of the Town
—and—
News of its People**

Ben Mansker is visiting his brother, R. M., at Odessa.

Miss Ruth Whittaker of San Angelo is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Lee Tudor and son, Melvin, are visiting relatives in East Texas.

Roscoe E. Parks, candidate for sheriff, was in Slaton Tuesday, meeting voters.

Mrs. G. R. Miller and daughter, Rose Marie, returned from Lubbock Friday.

E. E. Phillips is in the Lubbock sanitarium receiving treatment for mastoid trouble.

Judge J. H. Phillips has been ill at his home, 250 South Fourth street, since last Friday.

C. V. Head, architect, returned Saturday from business visits in Amarillo and Quitaque.

Mrs. B. R. Miles, of Luling, Texas, is visiting here with her daughter, Mrs. N. A. Stuart.

Vaughn E. Wilson of Lubbock, candidate for county attorney, visited friends in Slaton Monday.

Mayor W. G. Reese and his daughter, Kathleen, will leave today for Fort Worth to visit friends.

J. W. Buchanan returned Sunday from a two weeks' outing, spent at Mineral Wells, and points near there.

H. H. Edmonson, manager of the McNeil Dry Goods company, here, was a business visitor in Amarillo Monday.

H. V. Jarman and family visited during the week-end with Mrs. Jarman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Stone, at Anton.

Willie Neiman, of Wilson, is driving a new model Ford roadster, delivered to him late last week by the Slaton Motor company, Ford dealers here.

Mrs. E. C. Foster expects to leave Wednesday for visits with relatives at Dalhart, and Trinidad, Colorado. She will be away for two or three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Patterson and little son have just returned from a week's fishing trip on the Concho river, near San Angelo. En route they visited relatives at Sweetwater.

Mrs. Joe Kuykendall and daughter, Eloise, former residents of Slaton, are visiting Mrs. Kuykendall's brother, Harry Burrus. The Kuykendalls now live in Marysville, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Swint are now enjoying their annual vacation. This week, they are at Marlin. They expect to visit at Galveston and other points before returning to Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weinsaple, of Muenster, Texas, are visiting here with their relatives, W. L. Meuer, and family. Mrs. Weinsaple is a sister of Mr. Meuer.

Jack Walker, who has been employed at the City bakery, has purchased the Ben Tom cafe from E. S. Brooks. He took charge of the business last Saturday.

N. F. Young was called to Nashville, Kans., late last week on account of the serious illness of his two-year-old son, who, with his mother, is visiting relatives there.

Miss Ann McAtee, who has been teaching music in the public schools at Houston, arrived here Thursday, and will spend the summer with her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McAtee, and family.

Wade Robertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Robertson, returned Sunday from Lubbock, where he had been confined in a sanitarium for several days. Wade underwent an appendicitis operation, and says he is regaining his strength rapidly.

Mrs. Roland Anderson returned Saturday, after having been in the Lubbock sanitarium for two or three weeks, receiving treatment. For a while her condition was considered quite serious, but she is now reported as improving.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Cobb and son, M. L., recently of Austin, arrived here late last week and are visiting with their son and brother, Thomas R. Cobb, and wife. M. L. Cobb has been attending the state university at Austin, and recently received his law degree. He expressed intentions of locating near here.

R. P. Burks, Jr., of Abilene, and Vance Burks, recently of Dallas, arrived here early this week on a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Burks. Vance Burks is a student of S. M. U., Dallas, and will spend most of the summer with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Edwards and their son, J. S., Jr., returned late last week, after spending more than a month on a fishing camp near San Angelo. They were accompanied on their return by Howard Swanner and family, who had joined them a few days before.

Mrs. R. P. Burks, Jr., left Monday for her home at Abilene, after visiting with her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Burks. Mrs. Q. C. Stanberry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burks, whose home is at Midlothian, accompanied her to Abilene, but expects to return here next Monday.

Mrs. A. G. Taggart, widow of the late A. G. Taggart, returned Sunday from Pecos, where funeral services for Mr. Taggart were held last week. Mrs. Taggart was accompanied home by her father, T. B. Pruett, two sisters, Mrs. Tina Adams and Mrs. Charles Jordan, and her brother-in-law, Mr. Jordan.

Mrs. M. A. Pember, delegate to the convention of Federated Women's clubs of Texas, returned Thursday, after attending the graduation exercises at Texas university, where her son, Bruce Pember, received his degree. Mrs. Lee Green, another delegate from Slaton to the convention, went to Houston. She is on her vacation.

Bruce Pember returned Thursday from Austin, where he had been attending Texas university, and completed a course in civil engineering. He is now connected with the engineering department of the Slaton division of the Santa Fe. His mother, Mrs. M. A. Pember, attended the graduation exercises at Austin, returning home in company with her son.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Montagu and son, Nick, and daughter, Miss Virginia, have returned from a trip to the eastern states. Following the close of school at Texas university, Miss Montagu joined the remainder of the family in Florida, and the party continued to New York and Niagara Falls, returning by way of Chicago.

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I bear light shade for the leaves when laid
In their noonday dreams.
From my wings are shaken the dews that waken
The sweet buds every one,
When rocked to rest on their mother's breast,
As she dances about the sun.
I wield the flail of the lashing hail,
And whiten the green plains under;
And then again I dissolve it in rain,
And laugh as I pass in thunder.
—Percy Bysshe Shelley.

**Apelachi Camp Fire
Girls Have Picnic**

The Apelachi group of Camp Fire Girls and Mrs. Lokey entertained the parents of the Camp Fire group with a picnic and supper at Two Draw lake at Post City Friday.

The mothers and children left Slaton at 1 p. m. and after a very warm drive arrived at the lake for a good time.

A number of kodak pictures were taken and then all the children splashed into the water for a swim, where they stayed most of the evening. Some of the smaller children fished.

About 7:30 the fathers arrived just in time for a "big feast." A long table was spread and loaded with everything good to eat and lemonade and iced tea to drink. All returned home at a very late hour, declaring they had had a wonderful time.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Teague, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Teague, Jr., and children, L. T. Garland and children, F. H. Drewery and children, J. L. Lokey and children, John T. Lokey and Theresa, Pauline Owens, Beatrice Payne and Doyle Hendrix. The guests included Mrs. C. T. Lokey and son, Billie; Maxine Odom, Mae Beth Tomlinson of Cisco, Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. Bullock and daughter of Post City.

The Camp Fire Girls will meet Friday evening at 8:30 at Mrs. Lokey's residence.

The McNary-Haugen bill is the thirteenth bill vetoed by President Coolidge in the present session. No doubt many wish he had been superstitious enough to stop at twelve.

**Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.
Thirty-second Dividend**

The regular quarterly dividend of one dollar and seventy-five cents per share on Preferred Stock will be paid on Monday, July 2, 1928, to stockholders of record at the close of business on Wednesday, June 20, 1928.

R. A. NICKERSON, Treasurer.

**Vanity Fair Beauty
Shop Changes Hands**

Mrs. Lena McElroy, of Lubbock, has taken over the Vanity Fair Beauty parlor on Ninth street. Prior to coming here Mrs. McElroy was with the Lubbock Beauty Shoppe. At present Mrs. Ethel Kline, also of Lubbock, is in charge of the marcelling, while Mrs. McElroy is directing the permanent waving.

**Doty Gets Contract
For Well By Chance**

How chance enabled Dennis B. Doty, manager of the Well Works Construction company of Garden City, Kans., to land the contract to dig the water well authorized by the city commission was told yesterday by Mayor W. G. Reese.

Doty was returning to Kansas from

Sweetwater, where he had just completed drilling a well, when he decided to stop at Slaton and get acquainted with E. Barton, city water superintendent, in order to smooth the way for future business dealings.

Doty was unable to find Barton, but accidentally learned that the city was intending to drill a well for water. The result was that he put in the successful bid.

**AMERICAN TELEPHONE &
TELEGRAPH CO.
Bell System
155th Dividend**

The regular quarterly dividend of Two Dollars and Twenty-Five Cents (\$2.25) per share will be paid on Monday, July 16, 1928, to stockholders of record at the close of business on June 20, 1928.

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9c to 23c

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June 16 we will feature on all Girls' Silk Dresses at—

\$4.75

Flat Crepe and Crepe de Chine.

Children's Unionalls

On Saturday, June 16, we will feature Hickory Striped Unionalls for children at, a pair

79c

Overalls

June 16 we will feature Boys' Union Made Overalls, guaranteed not to rip, at—

98c Pair

Children's Shoes

For Children's Day, June 16, we will feature a complete line of Still Better all leather shoes for children at—

98c to \$2.98

Children's Hosiery

For Children's Day, Saturday, June 16, we will feature a full line of Weartex Hosiery, including all the new colors for infants and larger children, at—

22c to 75c Pair

CHILDREN'S DAY



Children's Suits

For Children's Day, June 16, we will have on display small children's suits, dresses, also creepers. Featured at the low Acorn Store Prices—

85c to \$1.29

Children's Underwear

On Saturday we will feature a complete line of Children's summer underwear at—

39c to 69c Suit

Also Boy's Dress Shirts, age 8, 12 and 19; size 12 to 14 1/2

\$1.69



Stationery

On June 16, Children's Day, we will feature Box Stationery at two boxes for—

25c

Child's Wear

Watch our windows all this week. We will have special display of Children's Wear.



Children's Garters

On Children's Day, Saturday, June 16, we will feature sock garters for children at

9c and 14c Pair

Pop Guns

Saturday, June 16, we will feature Pop Guns for Boys at

19c, 39c and 59c

Also Marbles at—
1c Each

CHILDREN'S DAY

Saturday JUNE 16th



Children's Bathing Suits

On Saturday, June 16, we will feature Children's Bathing Suits at—

\$2.98 and \$3.98

Also Bathing Caps in a large range of colors. Featured at

25c - 49c - 59c

Children's Hats

June 16, you will see at the Acorn Store a large variety of Children's Dress Hats, featured at—

95c to \$1.95

Also Harvest Hats at—

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Tell your friends about

**Children's Day,
Saturday, June 16**

and invite them to come along with you.

Free Balloons For All the Kiddies

Be here on June 16 and see
Mother Goose in person.
FREE BALLOONS



A NATION-WIDE CHAIN DEPARTMENT STORE
ALWAYS DEPENDABLE MERCHANDISE



FREE BALLOONS

For All the

KIDDIES

on

Saturday, June 16

South Plains Auto Club Is Organized

LUBBOCK.—The South Plains Auto club, affiliated with the American Auto association, is being organized by T. E. Milligan, who has had a number of years of successful organization work with the AAA in California, Louisiana and other states.

All members of the South Plains club will also be members of the national auto association which has over 600 clubs and is the strongest, oldest and largest organization of motorists in the world.

The club has but one purpose, "To Serve the Auto Owner," Milligan declares.

Service stations and branch offices will be located in every county seat town in the 15 counties in all other large points.

The fifteen counties in the area covered by the South Plains club are as follows: Bailey, Lamb, Hale, Floyd, Cochran, Hockley, Lubbock, Crosby, Yoakum, Terry, Lynn, Garza, Gaines, Dawson and Borden.

Service stations that include garages, filling stations and hotels will be designated as AAA headquarters and will render special services to all members free. Branch offices will give touring information, road maps, conditions of roads, detours, and other such data free to members.

A number of road signs and danger signs before curves and turns will be put up by the South Plains Auto club. The club will assist in locating stolen cars of members, and will help advertise the South Plains to motorists, in order to attract more tourists.

Among free services offered by garages are: Towing in, changing tires and carrying gas for a radius of five miles without extra charge for the service, starting cold and frozen motors and making other minor adjustments without cost.

Each member will also get a \$5,000 accident insurance policy which will cover accidents while driving.

ROARING SPRINGS. — Roaring Springs is co-operating in plans for the annual West Texas Old Settlers reunion to be held near Crosbyton August 15 and 16.

Announcements

The Slatonite has been authorized to announce the following persons as candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July, 1928. Voters of Slaton and Lubbock county are requested to give careful consideration to those whose names are listed as follows:

For District Judge, 22 & Judicial District:

CLARE M. MULLICAN, of Lubbock (for re-election)
CHAS. NORBYKE, of Lubbock.

For County Judge:

D. E. KEMP, of Slaton.
GEORGE W. FOSTER, of Lubbock
ROBERT H. BEAN, of Lubbock

For County Attorney:

BENJAMIN KUCERA, of Lubbock.
VAUGHN E. WILSON (of Lubbock)

For Sheriff:

H. L. (Bud) JOHNSTON, of Lubbock (for re-election)
WADE HARDY, of Lubbock
C. A. HOLCOMB, of Lubbock
ROSCOE PARKS, of Lubbock.

For County Clerk:

AMOS H. HOWARD, of Lubbock (for re-election to 2nd term)

For County Treasurer:

VIRGINIA FANN, of Lubbock.
MISS ANNIE FORD, of Lubbock.

For Tax Collector:

A. J. CLARK, of Lubbock.

For Tax Assessor:

R. C. (ROLLIE) BURNS, of Lubbock (For Re-Election)
CHAS. B. METCALFE, of Lubbock.
A. B. ELLIS, of Lubbock.

For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 2:

J. H. PHILLIPS

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 2:

J. T. FINKSTON, of Slaton (Re-election)

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2:

I. E. MADDEN (for re-election)
J. G. HARPER

Preacher Gives His Reasons For Cussing

CHICAGO. — "Why shouldn't a preacher swear?" was the subject of a statement received in Chicago church circles today from the Rev. Granville M. Calhoun, D. D., of the Milwaukee Kingsley Methodist Episcopal church.

Rev. Granville listed ten reasons why he swore. They were:

"It is a fine mark of manliness.

"It indicates how clearly my mind operates.

"It makes my conversation so pleasing to everybody.

"It leaves no doubt in any one's mind as to my good breeding.

"It impresses people that I have more than an ordinary education.

"It is an unmistakable sign of culture and refinement.

"It makes me a very desirable personality among women and children and in respectable society.

"It is my way of honoring God who said 'Thou shalt not take the name of thy God in vain.'

Dr. Calhoun's shafts of sarcasm toward profanity are said to have made cussing experts sign a pledge for clean language.

Newspaper's Highest Privilege Is To Tell Truth, Speaker Says

CHICAGO.—It is the highest privilege of a newspaper to be at all times a purveyor of truth, and whatever stands in the way of its successful pursuit of that calling is inimical to the public welfare, Charles H. Dennis, editor of the Chicago Daily News, said in an address at the dedication of the Victor Fremont Lawson tower of the Chicago Theological seminary.

The dedication of the tower erected in memory of the late owner and publisher of the News was a part of the Congregational convention here, and other speakers included Col. Robert R. McCormick of the Chicago Tribune and Dr. Ozora S. Davis, president of the seminary.

One of Mr. Lawson's first great achievements and one of his most outstanding and far-reaching, Mr. Dennis said, was to help in directing the organization of the Associated Press, a step he took because he foresaw the evils in any system of private monopoly of news and wire service.

Vernon Man With Pember Insurance Co.

J. J. Meazell, formerly of Vernon, has arrived here and taken charge of the Pember Life Insurance agency. Mr. Meazell represents the Southwestern Life Insurance company of Dallas.

Here's a Fish Story From Two Draw Lake

POST.—Charlie Morrow, keeper of Two Draw lake, claims he has two pet blackbirds, which have caused quite a bit of attraction at the lake the past few weeks. The birds have formed the habit of wading around the edge of the lake and catching minnows, and in doing so have encountered large bass, which were after the minnows also. Unfortunately the bass strike for the minnows at the same time the birds peck after them, and the force of the large bass strike sends the birds fluttering out on the banks.

Charlie says the bass are so large that they do not have to strike the birds, but the force of their strike is tremendous enough to knock not only the small birds out of the water, but make it dangerous for small children to wade around the edges of the lake. Now you tell one!

To Broadcast Cowboy Songs Next Friday

SAN ANTONIO.—Cowboy songs, in their old, traditional music, will feature a radio program to be broadcast by Station WOAI on Friday night, June 15, in the interest of the tenth national convention of the American legion, to be held in San Antonio October 8 to 12.

The broadcasting will be done on a wave length of 280.2 meters and on 1,070 kilocycles between 9 and 10 p. m. (Central Standard Time)

The songs include: "A Home on the Range," "The Texas Cowboy's Last Song," "Sam Bass," "Rounded Up in Glory," "Come All Ye Jolly Cowboys," "The Old Chisholm Trail," "O Bury Me Not On the Lone Prairie" and "Old Paint."

Girls To Meet To Name Sewing Circle

Girls of Mrs. W. R. Lovett's Sunday School class met at the home of Mrs. Lovett last Thursday to select a name for a newly organized sewing circle, but a desirable name was not proposed, and no action was taken.

The girls will meet again next Thursday, at the home of Mrs. Alton Young to name the circle. New members and visitors are invited.

An entirely unknown mountain range in Siberia, bigger than the Caucasian mountains, has been discovered by Russian explorers.

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Governor and Mrs. Moody Guests At Fort Worth Meet

FORT WORTH. — Governor and Mrs. Dan Moody will be guests of Fort Worth during the tenth annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, June 18, 19 and 20. Announcement to this effect was made through governor's advice that he was cancelling all other dates for the Fort Worth event. Several receptions are being planned for the sponsors at which Mrs. Moody will be an honored guest.

Numerous other distinguished guests are expected to attend the convention. Among these a number of Texas congressmen and their wives will be present on Congressman's day. These law makers will be introduced at the general session on Tuesday morning with Congressman Fritz Lanham of Fort Worth presiding over that phase of the program. He will be host to all visiting law makers.

Advices Inspection Of Car Before Trip

A service station inspection of the car before starting off on a vacation tour constitutes the best assurance of a pleasant and untroubled trip, it is pointed out by R. A. Armstrong, service manager of the Oakland Motor Car company.

"Of course it is very probable that any Oakland or Pontiac six or any other car for that matter which has received fairly regular attention will serve perfectly during the vacation journey," said Mr. Armstrong. "Cars are built today so that they give more consistent service with less attention than formerly was necessary.

"But, just as a matter of precau-

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tion, it is well to visit your service station before a prolonged tour. If nothing else, have the car tightened up, thoroughly oiled and greased. Fill the crank-case with fresh oil, check the lubricant in the transmission and differential. Sustained driving during warm weather is the most severe test of lubrication and this detail above all should not be neglected."

RALLS. — The Ralls Chamber of Commerce has been reorganized and new officers elected.

BEAR TAKING WAYS MIDDLETOWN, N. Y.—When two workmen here, who were working in the woods went to get their dinner pails hidden in the brush, nearby, they found a big black bear helping himself to their lunch. When the men approached the animal disappeared in the timber, having cleaned out the pail.

O'DONNELL.—O'Donnell will have a new water system in operation by August 15.

ANNOUNCING
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Tonics, Amusement Accessories, Such as Kodaks, Phonographs, Flashlights, Etc.
Fountain Service Unsurpassed
Make Our Store Your "Cooling-Off" Headquarters. We are here to serve you.
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—The most up-to-date Cold Drink Fountain and Confectionery in Slaton is BY THE POST OFFICE.
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Judge Mullican Opens Campaign With Statement

Following is the statement authorized for publication in the Slatonite by Judge Clark M. Mullican of Lubbock, judge of the 99th district court, candidate to succeed himself, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

To the citizens of Lubbock county: This formally announces my candidacy to succeed myself as judge of the 99th judicial district, supplementing my informal announcement of January 8. As judge of your district court, I have given you five years of the best legal service that is in me. I can only promise you the same service in the future.

When I was appointed by Governor Neff in 1923, my friends asked me to make the district court of Lubbock county a forum where the best legal talent in Texas might appear, and afterwards remember the court with honor and respect. This, I have done. I have taken pride in so conducting trials that the higher courts would affirm my cases, and thus bring to an end litigation. I know that the conscientiousness of government is the enforcement of its laws. If the courts fail, nothing but anarchy and ruin can follow. This is the history of government and the downfall of nations. Patriotic students of government tremble at the present wave of doubt and suspicion of our courts. This wave has originated at the polls where petty politics, and the failure of the voters to think for themselves, have placed within the judiciary men lacking in legal learning and strength of will to follow the law and the rules of equity, regardless of sentiment or political effect.

In another part of this paper is an ad entitled "Food for Thought," urging the voters to "Think." It is the official record of my opponent, Judge Noydyke and myself. It is compiled and copied from the records of the courts we each have presided over during the periods of our incumbency. It has been compiled and published in order that the voters may correctly inform themselves. In order that this may be done, it is urged that this ad be clipped from the paper and preserved and discussed. The facts and figures therein are matters of record open to the investigation of citizens at all times. These facts and figures are also in my possession, along with many others not now published, which I shall be glad to serve you with.

Official duties and lack of time will not permit me to make an active, intensive campaign. The compilation of records being published is my messenger to you, and is a fair appeal to thought and reason with the idea of attempting to keep the judiciary on a high plane and above petty politics.

Very truly yours,
CLARK M. MULLICAN,
Judge 99th District Court.

Addition To Acorn Store Nearly Ready

During the latter part of this week, the newly-constructed addition to the Acorn store will be ready for occupancy, according to B. A. Toliver, manager of the store.

Only the installation of the fixtures is delaying the occupancy, Mr. Toliver said. M. O. Napp is the contractor for the addition, which is 40 by 50 feet in size. The building is owned by Talley and Ragdale.

The close of 1927, found 63,731,000 miles of telephone wire in service in the United States, 56,823,000 of which was Bell owned and 6,681,000 owned by connected companies.

New Ford Truck Is Bought By the City

A new model light Ford truck has been received after purchase by the city of Slaton, and the truck is now being used by the water department, according to statement by Mayor W. G. Reese.

The Ford arrived in Slaton Thursday night, having been shipped with a carload of cars to Lubbock, and then brought to Slaton.

Texas Avenuers Win Two To Hold City League Top

By extending a winning streak to six games by victories Thursday and Monday over the West Side and Texas Utilities teams, the Texas Avenue nine gained a commanding lead in the first half of the city league baseball schedule.

Thursday's game between the Texas Avenue and West Side teams was featured by continual heckling of the umpire. Sug Robertson, who hurled for the Avenuers, was credited with a no-hit game, the two runs made by West Side being due to Johnson's wild heave past second. Garland, pitcher for the West Siders, was touched for eight hits, and his teammates made three errors. The final score of the contest was 5 to 2.

Roadmen Beat Shopmen
In Friday's game between the two Santa Fe teams, the roadmen and the G. R. M. shopmen, the roadmen gleaned ten runs in the third inning on five hits, including two home runs, three errors and two hit batmen. The final score was 14 to 6. Pierce and N. Deavers clouted circuit drives. Clark, hurler for the roadmen, was nicked for nine hits, but his teammates' clouting kept him out of hot water.

Monday's game between the Texas Avenue and Texas Utilities clubs resulted in a 9 to 5 victory for the Avenuers. Baggett, who started on the mound for the Avenue club, was wild, and was relieved by Petty, who held the Utilities men in check. Mocc pitched good ball for the Utilities, but was given ragged support. Both teams fielded poorly.

The Schedule.
This Tuesday afternoon the North Siders and West Siders will battle; Wednesday the Texas Avenuers engage the Santa Fe roadmen; Thursday the G. R. M. team will take on the North Siders; Monday the Texas Utilities will battle the West Siders; Tuesday the Texas Avenuers and the G. R. M. team will clash; the following Wednesday the West Side and Santa Fe teams will battle the last game of the first half of the schedule.

The standing of the teams at present is:

TEAM	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Texas Avenue	8	7	1	.875
Santa Fe	6	4	2	.666
West Side	5	3	2	.609
Texas Utilities	7	3	4	.428
G. R. M.	7	2	5	.285
North Side	5	1	4	.200

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TYPEWRITERS—For sale, trade or rent.—G. W. Bowns. 27-tf

FOR SALE—Three lots in West Park Addition, south fronts. Worth the money: L. B. Wootton. 42-tf

JUNE CLEAN-UP of spring and summer merchandise, at the biggest bargain prices ever heard of, opens at 9:30 Friday morning. Cypert Dry Goods. 1c

ACREAGE—Two 11-acre tracts, one 20-acre tract, located within one-half mile of town; has gas tap made to each tract. Owner will make good terms. See J. T. Overby, Agent. 46-2c

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Actual Movies Made Right Here in Slaton.
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All Our High School Students
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A story that starts with a free theatre party, then the scene shifts to the Canyon, to the "Hang Out" of the Hostile Indians—here we see a Boy Scout encampment, a peaceful picnic party, and, at the most unlooked for time, here come the "Hostile Indians"—the attack—the Scouts to the rescue—the battle—and—Oh! what's the use to tell you any more? Come and see for yourself what home-made movies can do.

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APPRECIATION
We wish to express to Dr. W. E. Payne, of Slaton, our sincere appreciation for his professional services rendered recently when Volunteer Fireman Alexander suffered the misfortune of having his foot crushed while on duty. This service, which Dr. Payne rendered without charge, as he has done on former occasions, is greatly appreciated by all of us.
Slaton Volunteer Fire Dept.
By E. R. Childress, Chief.

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