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## Establishing Of City Delivery Of Mail Is Expected

Following an inspection tour of Slaton, made last Thursday by Postal Inspector Childers in company with Postmaster J. S. Bates and L. A. Wilson, secretary of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce, it is expected that free city mail delivery will be established in Slaton within a short time, Chamber of Commerce officials say.

The inspector's tour over the city revealed the urgent need of mail delivery in Slaton, it is declared, and a favorable report by the inspector is predicted by local officials. Action by postal authorities at Washington is expected to be based entirely on the inspector's report.

A report on extension of rural route number one out of Slaton, as applied for a few months ago, is also to be given following the inspector's recent visit here. It is hoped the extension will be granted. The Chamber of Commerce urged the postal department at Washington to grant the extension, it was said. This request was made when the original application was sent in, officials stated.

## NEW FIRM HAS GOOD OPENING HERE MONDAY

The Green Parrot, exclusive ladies apparel store, opened on Texas Avenue Monday, and, according to J. M. O'Boyle, who has been here for the past several days establishing the business, the firm enjoyed a very successful and pleasing opening. Many ladies of Slaton and nearby communities attended the opening. Mrs. Loyce Moreland and Miss Thelma Trimble are in charge of the business.

## JOHN CHILDRESS NOW WITH THORNTON & DEAL

Recently John Childress has become associated with Thornton & Deal Machine Shop, located on North Ninth Street. Mr. Childress is well known here, and is reputed to be an expert mechanic. His services were required at Thornton & Deal shop, due to a continued increase in their volume of business, the management stated.

## THORNTON BABY DIED AT LUBBOCK SUNDAY

James Wayne, three and a half months old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thornton, died at the home of its grandparents at Lubbock Sunday morning, Sept. 30. Funeral services were conducted at Baptist Church Sunday afternoon by Rev. B. G. Holloway, interment following in Inglewood Cemetery. Foster Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

## Mrs. Green Chairman In Red Cross Drive

Following a call issued by the National Red Cross for assistance for the storm-swept areas of Porto Rico and Florida, county chairman of the organization, Miss Mae Murfee, has asked Mrs. Lee Green to serve as chairman in Slaton. Mrs. Green states she will gladly accept for the Red Cross any contributions that might be made in her office at the city hall.

## JUNIOR CIVIC AND CULTURE CLUB

The Junior Civic and Culture Club met Saturday, Sept. 29, at the home of Mildred Johnson. The majority of the club members were present and after a short business session an interesting program on "Music" was led by Maggie George.

We were glad to have our club sponsor, Miss Clara Klattenhoff, present, also Miss Jeanette Ramsey, who accompanied Frances Guffin on a violin solo.

The club will meet again Saturday, Oct. 6, with Mrs. H. A. Ferrell as hostess at her apartment on Ninth street.—Club Reporter.

## SURGEON OFFICING WITH STANDEFER AND CANON

Dr. O. R. Goodall, M. D., and surgeon, who until recently was chief surgeon for the Big Lake Oil Company, at Texon, has opened offices here with Drs. Standefer & Canon, specialists, it was announced early this week.

## Davis Gin Plant Has New Machinery

Considerable new cleaning and other machinery has been added during the summer months at the M. G. Davis Gin Company's plant, according to E. R. Legg, the manager, who states his gin is now ready, in every detail, for the coming cotton crop.

Approximately \$5,000 worth of new equipment was added to the plant, Mr. Legg states, declaring the Davis Gin is now in condition to give farmers as good a turnout as can be secured anywhere. In addition to the new machinery being added, he states the entire plant has undergone a complete overhauling during its idle months.

The M. G. Davis Gin turns out both square and round bales, Mr. Legg states, the first round bale to be ginned here this season being brought in by C. A. Driver, and was ginned at this plant.

## Slaton Schools To Have Holiday To Attend Fair

A full holiday will be observed Wednesday of this week by the four public schools of Slaton in order to allow students to attend the Panhandle-South Plains Fair, which is being held at Lubbock. Wednesday has been designated as Children's Day at the fair, and free admission is to be provided school children on that day.

Slaton students will probably attend the fair in large numbers, it is expected. They will be particularly interested in the Slaton school exhibit which has been displayed by school officials in the same booth which the exhibit of last year occupied. The students will also find many interesting agricultural exhibits besides those in the many other departments.

## Rotary Ladies' Night, Teachers' Reception Friday

Next Friday night, October 5, at the Slaton Club House, the Slaton Rotary Club will have a ladies' night program, inviting wives and friends of Rotarians, and also giving a reception for all the teachers in the Slaton public schools.

Sam E. Staggs, Walter E. Olive, P. G. Stokes and T. E. Roderick are in charge of arranging the program.

The ladies' night and teachers' reception as a combined affair has become an annual event here with the Rotary club, and last year was attended by 130 people. A like number is expected this year and preparations are being made to entertain that many people, according to reports by the committee.

## Presbyterians To Have Food Sale Sat.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church here will conduct a food sale Saturday, Oct. 6, it has been announced by officials of their organization. The sale will be held in the Bruner Style Shoppe, it was stated.

## PETTY BOY ALMOST WELL FOLLOWING TETANUS

Thomas L., ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Petty, is now able to be up part of the time, his father stated this morning. Thomas is recovering from a severe attack of tetanus. For a time his recovery seemed doubtful by attending physicians.

## PEMBER RETURNS FROM SANITARIUM MONDAY

M. A. Pember, of the firm of Pember & Staggs, returned Monday from a sanitarium in Lubbock, where he spent several days recovering from an operation. Mr. Pember's condition is reported much improved.

## WEST WARD P.-T. A. TO HAVE FOOD SALE

The West Ward Parent-Teacher Association will conduct a food sale Saturday, Oct. 6, it was announced early this week. The sale will be held at Slaton Hardware Company's store, it was stated.

## Cotton Ginnings Begin to Increase At Slaton Plants

Only a few bales of this season's cotton had been ginned here up to Monday of this week, but an increase in gin receipts was expected during the week as a result of several farmers in this territory starting picking Monday. It is believed, if weather stays favorable, cotton harvesting will get a good start next week.

Several farmers said here Saturday that cotton picking and grain crop harvesting will come on at the same time. Milo maize, kaffir corn, feterrita, hegira and other feed crops have been ripening fast during the past several days of warm sunshine.

A light rain fell in Slaton and through a part of the surrounding territory Tuesday, but it was hoped the moisture would not amount to much and that skies would soon clear again.

Several farmers have asked aid of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce in getting crews of pickers to begin work between Oct. 1 and Oct. 10, officials announced Tuesday. Four different men wanted bale-a-day crews, it was stated, and houses are available for families that can pick that amount of cotton per day. Definite picking prices have not yet been established, it was said, but the price will probably start at about \$1 to \$1.25 per hundred, farmers predicted.

## Hi A. K. Choose Class Uniforms

In a class meeting held last Tuesday afternoon, the Hi Aim Class chose their meeting dates and talked about class uniforms. It was decided that we should have regular class meetings each Wednesday afternoon.

The boys' uniforms are to be blue overalls and white shirts, as blue and white are our class colors. Uniforms for the girls are to be decided upon at next meeting.

Every member of our class is hard at work trying to make a high average for the class as a whole. We hope to have some excellent reports at the end of the first six weeks.—Class Reporter.

## Denton Professor Preparing Material Upholding T. Hall

By way of answering attacks that have been made on Tammany Hall of New York throughout Texas through the press, from the public and in the political arena, Dr. C. D. Judd, director of the department of government and economics at the College of Industrial Arts at Denton, has prepared material for a pamphlet that will be distributed throughout Texas by the State Democratic Central Campaign Committee. Dr. Judd has called his work "The History of Tammany in Questions and Answers—for American Citizens Who Desire to Know the Truth," with the subtitle, "The History of Tammany is Unique, Romantic and Truly American." The pamphlet will contain this foreword by Robert W. Winston, formerly judge of the Superior Court of North Carolina:

"In fact, I venture to say that Tammany Hall made possible Jeffersonian Democracy in America and that the political alliance of Jefferson with a Tammany chief produced results that have changed the political complexion of our country."

"Dr. Judd has done a valuable service in the preparation of this answer to the slanders that have been hurled against one of the foremost Democratic institutions of this country, Jed C. Adams, Democratic National Committeeman from Texas, said, "and I hope that it will be read by every truth-loving Democrat in Texas. Most of the charges that are made against Tammany Hall are veiled, general and are made by persons who are totally ignorant of the subject about which they are attempting to impart information."

A farmer at Woodson sold 41 cows and one bull to an out of town buyer for \$3.50. The cattle were mixed breeds and were bought for stock cattle.

## New Fire Truck, Bought in June, Reaches Slaton

Slaton's new fire truck and pumper, purchased by the city last June, arrived here this week, and was to have been unloaded probably on Tuesday if the apparatus company's service man reached here to supervise the work. The truck was shipped here from Elmira, N. Y.

The new truck, an American La France, has a pumping capacity of 750 gallons per minute, and is reputed to be one of the best types of machines to be had. The machine's cost was \$12,000.

The old fire truck, maintained by the city for the past several years, will be retained, giving Slaton double protection against fire. However, the machine will be taken away by the American La France people to be entirely rebuilt before being returned here for service. This was provided for when the purchase of the new truck was made by city officials, and the expense of rebuilding the old truck will be borne by the company selling the new truck to the city.

While the new fire station is in process of construction, the new truck will be housed in the city hall, where the old one has been. It is expected that a month will be required for repairing the old truck. When it is received here after repairing, the two will be placed in service, and when the new fire station is completed, both of the machines will be housed there permanently.

## Mrs. Blundell Is Hostess to Club

The Civic and Culture Club met at the home of Mrs. E. L. Blundell Saturday, Sept. 22. Mrs. Pember, the president, being absent the vice-president, Mrs. Adams, presided.

The club was called to order promptly at 3 o'clock, and the roll call found nineteen members present.

Following the business session, the regular scheduled program, "The American Home," was rendered under the leadership of Mrs. R. A. Baldwin. Subjects were discussed, as follows:

The Material Side—Mrs. Robertson. Mental and Physical Phases of Homemaking—Mrs. Lanham.

The Home in its Relation to the Community—Mrs. Baldwin. Guests of the club were Mesdames Kimmel, Barton and Green.

The hostess, assisted by her daughter, served a most delightful lunch. The club adjourned to meet October 13 with Mrs. Wallace.

## Community Given Balls To Increase Dairy Industry

A method of placing good dairy bulls over Harrison County and at the same time stimulating interest in the Central East Texas Fair at Marshall has been worked out by the fair secretary and the county agent. Good bulls have been bought by various clubs, firms, chamber of commerce, and the fair association, one bull to be awarded to every community that makes a community exhibit at the fair. Communities have their choice of the bulls according to their winnings in the community exhibit competition. It is planned to have the bulls brought back to the fair each year and rewarded. This scheme is in line with the work of the local Cow Finance Association, which shipped 200 dairy cows into Harrison County recently.

## METHODIST CHURCH CHOIR

Wanted! Some men and their voices to be used in the Methodist Church choir. Several have responded to the call and we appreciate it. But we are not satisfied. We want more men.

The choir met in their regular weekly meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A good attendance was had from the ladies, but the men fell down on the job. Some special numbers for Sunday's service were practiced. You will miss something fine if you do not hear these specials each Sunday.

On Thursday evening we sincerely hope there will be more men out. Come on, men, are you treating the ladies fair? Let us depend on you for the next meeting.—Benny.

## Black Walnuts Grown Here By J. C. Burton

After numerous examples have been given in the past season showing how this section produces the finest kinds of peaches and other fruits, along comes J. C. Burton, of 1150 South Eleventh Street, and displays a collection of fine black walnuts, grown at his home in Slaton.

A half-gallon jar is on exhibit at the Chamber of Commerce office at the city hall, twenty one walnuts filling the jar to capacity. The nuts are yet green, but when they are matured and dried they will be of fine quality, it is declared.

## Percentage Sunday School Attendance Increased Sunday

A canvass of the schools Monday showed a nice increase in Sunday school attendance last Sunday.

East Ward shows 40 per cent; West Ward, 46 per cent, and high school, 50 per cent of the enrollment attending Sunday school.

The entire school shows 46, or a little less than half of the enrollment. In the senior class the per cent was 58, juniors 54, sophomores 51, and freshman 42.

Mrs. Tomlinson's room leads in the elementary grades, with a 70 per cent record; Mrs. Wilhite, in junior high, with 60 per cent, and Miss Cary's room, in senior high, with 65 per cent. Total number of pupils attending Sunday school were 97. Enrollment in schools totals 1,076.

Let us make October a banner month for our Sunday schools.—C. L. Sone.

## Slaton Felines Beat Tahoka For First Win, 26-6

Coming back in the latter half to demonstrate the Tiger grid prowess of old, although held to a 6-0 score in the first half, the Slaton High School eleven battled to a 26 to 6 victory over the Tahoka Bulldogs at Tahoka last Thursday afternoon. The game was played before a large crowd in attendance upon the last day of the Lynn County Fair. A large crowd of Slaton fans attended the game, going in automobile caravan fashion.

The battling was close throughout the first half. In the latter half, however, the Bulldogs were practically spent, allowing the Tigers to make long and consistent gains which carried them four times across the enemy's goal line. The name of Woolver, which has worked magic in Tiger combats during the past three or four years, is again linked with the victory over Tahoka. Gerald Woolver, veteran fullback, ripped through the Bulldogs' line of defense on several occasions. Other members of the squad also alternated in the limelight.

Near the close of the contest, when victory was certain, Coach Paul W. Wright allowed substitutions of several second stringers for the sake of experience the lads would gain. Even those fellows held the Bulldogs within their power.

A summary of the game, according to eyewitnesses, goes about as follows:

Points: Slaton, 217 yards; Tahoka, 330 yards.

Passes: Slaton, attempted 8, completed 3, for 56 yards; Tahoka, attempted 6, completed 3 for 27 yards.

Fumbles: Slaton four, Tahoka one. Goals Kicked: Slaton, two out of four chances; Tahoka, missed only chance.

Penalties: Twenty yards each. First Downs: Slaton, 12; Tahoka, 3. Total Gains: Slaton, 398 yards; Tahoka, (unavailable).

The next league contest facing the Tiger squad is slated for Friday afternoon, October 12, when the Lubbock High School Westerners will meet the Slaton gridsters on Slaton soil. The Westerners are in Class A, while the Tigers are in Class B.

Contracts for twenty blocks of additional pavement has been let by the San Angelo City Commission. An approximate cost of \$1,000 was reported.

## Impromptu Rotary Program Given at Friday Meeting

Contests, various kinds of roll calls for members and other entertainment stunts occupied the program hour of the Slaton Rotary Club at the luncheon held last Friday. The program was arranged by George W. Shanks, Ed B. Carroll and Lloyd A. Wilson.

The first feature was a middle name roll call, conducted by George Shanks, in which each member's name was called and he was asked to tell what his middle name is, why it was selected by his parents, and why he approves or disapproves of it. Several humorous situations occurred as various members explained the mystery of the middle names.

"The First Job I Ever Had," was the subject of eleven different speakers, each one stating what sort of job his first job was, what wage he received, how long the job lasted, what working conditions he labored under, and why he quit it. Floyd Rector, Bill Smith, Jim Elliott, Claude Anderson, Joe Rogers, Sam Staggs, Robert Tudor, Abe Kessel, Walter Olive and Lloyd Wilson were the ones speaking on that subject. The last named speaker conducted this feature.

Another humorous roll call was directed by Ed Carroll. John Hood started the ball rolling by answering with his name and the statement that he was "sawing a piece of his best lumber." Each member followed suit, using Hood's identical expression, except substituting the name of his product for the word lumber. For instance, Lee Tudor's statement was that he was "sawing a piece of his best coal." Several ridiculous statements, in the very nature of the case, were made to provoke merriment.

The final event on the program was an old-fashioned spelling bee, members choosing sides under leadership of Walter Olive and Joe Rogers. Surnames of Rotary club members were used as words. The first man forced to sit down on each side was to buy a small prize for the last man left standing on his side when the spelling was concluded. The men thus winning out were Minter W. Uzell and George W. Shanks. The names of the losers were censored from this report.

Horace Hawkins, manager of the Slaton Cotton Oil Company, was introduced as a new member of the club at Friday's meeting.

Visitors at the luncheon were J. T. Pinkston, Slaton; A. C. Dodson, Las Cruces, N. M., and Charles A. Guy, Harry Myers, Don L. Jones and Roscoe Wilson of Lubbock.

A ladies' night program will be held next Friday night at the Slaton Club House, with all teachers in the Slaton public schools attending as invited guests of the Rotarians. Sam E. Staggs, Walter E. Olive, T. E. Roderick and P. G. Stokes are in charge of arrangements.

## Experiments Show Wide Rows To Be Profitable Plan

Corn in six-foot rows with peas planted in between in Freestone County demonstrations made within nine per cent as much corn as that in the usual three-foot rows this year, and the wide row crop was of a better grade and shelled a larger per cent of good corn. In addition to this there was also a very good crop of peas to be hogged off and turned under, according to the county agent.

A check-up on 70 cotton fertilizer demonstrations shows that many of them are doubling the yield made on unfertilized check plots, with as much as 775 pounds of seed cotton having been gathered at the first picking.

## THIS WEEK'S MEET OF HOME MAKERS POSTPONED

The monthly business and social meeting of the Home Makers' Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church, which was announced for Oct. 3, has been postponed until Wednesday, Oct. 10, it was announced this week. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Kirkpatrick, 740 South Street.

Bounties have been placed on dead rats.

**IN TIME OF HIGH PRICES  
PREPARE FOR LOW**

The cattlemen are doing pretty well now, thank you. But the time of low-price cattle is coming, say the economists. They have no "inside dope" on this. They have only the past to guide them. But it works out this way, they say. The price goes up and cattlemen prepare to reap more profits by increasing their herds. It takes a certain time to bring the increased herds onto the market. When they begin to get there the price goes down. Then the cattlemen cut their herds and the price goes back up.

That see-saw game has been going on for a long time. It is the same with hogs. There is a fairly regular cycle of it. Already economists are hazarding the prediction as to 1929 and 1930 in hog prices. Donald M. Marvin, economist for the Royal Bank of Canada at Montreal, for example, says: "If like cycles continue in the future as in the past, the further advance in the price of hogs is likely to make the farmers increase the spring and fall pig crops of 1929, and hog prices are likely to decline substantially in 1930 and 1931." It is his idea that prices ought to be good in 1929, but that during the fall of that year it would be a good plan to feed fewer hogs than usual.

The beef cycle is a bit more involved and difficult than the hog cycle, and Economist Marvin doesn't attempt to make predictions. It takes longer to bring beef cattle to marketable condition, so that the ranchman has to make his estimates farther ahead. His only safety, it would seem, is to make good times getting-out-of-debt times and carry a balance in bank against possible adversities to come. At the moment beef is high, as the housewife knows to her sorrow. There is no buyers' strike now. But meat on the table is getting less common in a good many households already. The ranchman who guesses best the time to liquidate and prepare for low prices will weather them best. And he has to take the housewife's budget into his consideration in making his guess.—Semi-Weekly Farm News.

**TAXATION AND AGRICULTURE**

We take the following from a bulletin issued by the Department of Agriculture:

"It has been estimated that average taxes per acre of farm land in the United States increased 125 per cent from 1914 to 1922. In 1927 the average tax per farm on all farm property was more than two and a half times as great as in 1914, the increase over the pre-war year being 103 per cent. In Kansas, a fairly typical agricultural State, the ratio of taxes to selling value of farm real estate doubled from 1910 to 1923."

The man in the city who reads the above quotation is very apt to remark: "So have my taxes increased proportionately," and it is very true if he be the owner of a home or other real estate. But the comparison the city man makes is unfair and not applicable. In theory, at least, the expense of Government should be borne in proportion to the capability of its citizens to pay, and under our system of taxation, that is impossible. The city man may pay a tax on his home and not be able to pass it on to someone else, but if he owns revenue-bearing property he adds it to his overhead and arranges for someone else to pay it. Corporations are taxed, and sometimes unfairly; but, as a rule, the consumer pays it in increased prices for what he buys. If his income comes from salary or dividends he pays a small Government income tax and such indirect tax as may be added to what he consumes. Millions are invested in tax-free securities and thus escape bearing a just portion of Government cost.

While assessments on farm lands are low in comparison to the combined assessments in the city, they are unjustly high from a production standpoint and all out of proportion when we consider what the farmer gets out of it. The business man pays a Government tax on his profits after he has deducted all legitimate expense. The farmer pays a tax on his land, stock and equipment whether or not he makes even expenses, and in a greater proportion than any other class of people. The city man demands more and receives more for his money than does the farmer. There is at least some visible evidence of what his money has been used for. He has street paving, fire protection, water and other conveniences. Many farmers never see tangible results from the taxes they pay, unless it be an expensive court house at the county seat. Perhaps he has a good road past his home, but more often he has to travel miles of mud and through ditches to reach the fine highway to which he has contributed. Based on income taxes alone he is not as priced as his city neighbor.

**Same Ration Not  
Practical With  
Dairy Cattle**

While Laura was making a profit above feed cost of \$68.89, Bell, another cow in the same Bexar County herd, was making a profit of \$140.50. Both of these cows were tested for 274 days in the Bexar County Dairy Herd Improvement Association and were fed the same ration except that the amount of feed was regulated by the production of each. Bell milked 6,251 pounds of milk and made 310.5 pounds of butter fat in this time on a feed cost of \$51.99. Her companion, Laura, who was much alike in appearance, produced only 3,233 pounds of milk from which was separated 184.4 pounds of butter fat at a feed cost of \$38.15. It took cow testing to show that Bell made a profit of \$71.61 more than Laura in this period. The cow tester in Bexar County, T. H. Royder, points out that in most herds cows receive the same amount of feed regardless of production. Had this lack of feeding method been followed in this case the difference between the two cows would have been still greater and the profit on the poorer cow would have shrunk to the extent of \$21.39.

Laura, who misappropriated much of her feed to put on flesh, has been removed from the herd.

**U. S. Ahead in  
Use of Electric  
Light and Power**

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The people of the United States use nearly as much electricity as all the rest of the world combined. Behind this remarkable service which is today being extended from the cities to the farms, lies the driving force of private initiative and enterprise which is responsible for the electrical development we enjoy. Millions of in-

vestors have poured their savings into the securities of our electric companies and it is said that this industry is today absorbing more new capital to furnish even greater service, than is being absorbed by any other line of industrial activity.

**DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK?**

By Edson R. Waite, Shawnee, Okla. That the lack of interest on the part of many business men holds back the development of business for many cities.

That whether or not this lack of interest is to continue is up to them.

That where a portion of the business men show a lack of aggressiveness, a tendency to stay in the old rut, and an idea in their heads that business will be good without any effort on their part, they just help to kill all

business. That when they do it they will find many of their fellow citizens getting the habit of going to some other city to trade.

That most of this out-of-town trading is done because of the lack of push and advertising on the part of the home merchants.

That the merchants who sit tight and take only what business that is coming to them usually haven't much coming to them and don't get much.

That the business men that succeed are the ones that are up and doing all the time—reaching out after business and building for the future. In these modern days you can't wait for business, you must go after it. Advertise for it.

A Van Zandt County man, 75, has had a coffin made to suit him, a grave dug and walled with brick and has given instructions that, when he dies, he is to be buried in an upright position.

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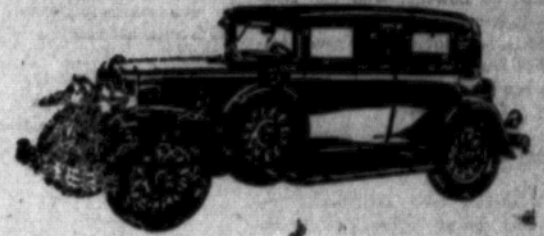
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**GETTING IT BACK**

After a man spends a dollar, there is just one way he can get it back—by dealing some way with the people who got it from him.

That is to say, when you spend a dollar in Slaton you have a chance to get it or a part of it back into your own pocket again. When you spend it in some other town, however, it is gone forever.

Trading with home merchants is just as much a part of self-preservation as working for your salary could be. On the contrary, trading with merchants in other towns is self-destruction for the person doing such buying, and besides that, such a practice destroys the home merchant, but builds up the merchant in the other town, who, incidentally, cares nothing for you or for Slaton except for the money he hopes to get out of us.

The people of Slaton can save themselves and their home city by spending their money in Slaton. Bargains are just as good and as plentiful here as can be found elsewhere. Cheap prices do not mean bargains every time. Quality must be considered, and also it pays to remember who it is you are buying from. That within itself affects the value of the thing purchased. If you have been unable to get what you want in Slaton, the chances are mighty good that the reason lies in the fact that you have been going off somewhere else to buy it, therefore the local merchant has not been able to afford carrying it in stock. If you want to be able to get what you want in Slaton, ask for it in Slaton. Let the merchant know what you want. When his customers want a thing, he will get it and keep it. If there is no demand for it, he cannot afford to carry it. Buy in Slaton.

**PROSPEROUS FARMERS**

According to figures quoted by the Farm and Ranch, Dallas, a survey of 52,757 farms in the Great Lakes dairy section shows the following facts:

Seventeen per cent of these farms have electric lights; 15 per cent use electric power; 20 per cent have radio sets; 25 per cent have power washing machines; 24 per cent have furnace heat; 14 per cent have running water in the barns; 11 per cent have bath tubs and 7 per cent have both hot and cold running water in the house. Over 85 per cent had had homes and out-buildings of substantial construction, with the homes well furnished.

Then, Farm and Ranch proceeds as follows: Where did the money come from to pay for these comforts and luxuries? The report says it came from cows, chickens and hogs; that the semi-monthly cream check was the largest factor in the prosperity of these farmers.

Farm and Ranch ventures to add a guess that 100 per cent of these farmers produce the bulk of the food consumed by the livestock on those farms, and that they rotate their crops and keep the soil up to a high level of productiveness.

The Slatonite would make the observation just here that what farmers have done in the Great Lakes region can be done more easily around Slaton. Cows, chickens and hogs thrive in this climate and the soil around Slaton is perfectly adapted to production of feedstuffs. All of this has been undeniably demonstrated. Water in unlimited quantities is found just a short distance under the earth's crust, and it is wholesome and pure. Piping it to the surface for livestock and for the family's use in the home would be easy. Good markets are already available and these will improve.

Diversified farming is your chance to make a million at Slaton.

John M. Gist, fancy Hereford breeder of Odessa, recently sold 40 head of six months' old bulls to Marfa breeders for \$250 a head. The 40 were of a herd of 100, the balance of which will be groomed for late Fall shows.

The rate of increase in electrical energy in Texas is greater than for the United States. In many parts of Texas towns are being electrified.

**News From Nearby Texas Towns  
Clipped From Other Newspapers and  
Boiled Down for Busy Readers.**

Mrs. John L. Reeves of Snyder was accidentally shot last Wednesday by her six-year-old son. She was rushed to a sanitarium at Lubbock, where, at last reports, her condition was considered very serious. The bullet entered Mrs. Reeves' abdomen, reports stated, penetrating the intestines in fifteen different places. Her little boy was playing with a small caliber rifle when the accident happened.

The West Texas Gas Company expects to furnish Hereford, in Deaf Smith County, with natural gas within the next few weeks. It is being piped there from Canyon.

Several carloads of calves have been shipped during the past few days from Muleshoe to the Fort Worth markets.

Garza County was chosen as winner of county exhibits at the West Texas Fair held at Abilene last week. George Samson, secretary of the Post Chamber of Commerce, was in charge of the exhibit.

Roosevelt County (N. M.) farmers are faced with a labor shortage in harvesting the big crops, states the Portales Valley News. Broom corn harvest there is in full swing, and many farmers are unable to secure laborers to take care of the crop.

Buell Gunn, 10-year-old boy of near Shallowater, died at a sanitarium in Lubbock Saturday as a result of a two-ton truck, loaded with gravel, passing over his body. It is believed the boy was riding on the truck and fell off, resulting in the fatal accident.

The Lubbock News is a new weekly newspaper for Lubbock, the initial issue having been published last Thursday. It is edited by John H. Newton. Woody Wester is the publisher.

Natural gas will be piped into Levelland by early Spring, according to the Hockley County Herald. The West Texas Gas Company has the franchise.

The Fort Worth Panthers, making their annual post-season tour of West Texas, defeated the Littlefield team last Thursday by a score of 10-6.

A new high school building is being erected at McLean, in Gray County.

The need of a creamery of considerable capacity to care for the cream

production around Snyder is being realized by the Chamber of Commerce there, according to the Snyder News, which states that body is working on plans to secure such an institution.

A stock of merchandise of the Post Variety store was badly damaged by fire last week. Loss was estimated at \$2,500. Little insurance was carried.

The city of Colorado has adopted the "stop" sign system, placing the signs at intersections of the principal streets.

Only seven bills of indictment were returned at Floydada during the session of the district court grand jury which adjourned last week. All bills returned charged felony.

**A TRUE HOME**

"In the ever-widening circle of the modern woman's opportunity, she has yet found no greater achievement than that of bringing into the world a well-born child and determining its environment through its long, helpless infancy and pre-school years so that it will have every chance to make the best of life."

Defining woman's sphere of greatest accomplishments in such terms, Mrs. Noyes D. Smith, of Austin, president of the Texas Parent-Teacher Association, in an address before the women's section of the Nineteenth Annual Farmers' Short Course, held at College Station, applied her remarks to the subject of "The Rural Woman's Opportunity."

"Farming is no longer a mode of living," the speaker said. "Farming has become a business. The farmer, like the merchant and the banker in the villages, towns, and cities, is interested in markets, methods of transportation, interest rates, taxes, and the tariff as they affect his business. The wife of the farmer of today has an opportunity to apply in the spending of the family income that knowledge which can be translated into the development of the standard home, the 'good life.' In this way is presented an increasing opportunity to provide the happy surroundings, the proper environment for the rearing of children.

"Such surroundings are necessary for the proper development of children. A well-born child presupposes a knowledge of the laws of health. And the right environment for its most formative years is necessary if the child reaches its fullest development."

**Piggly Wiggly Is  
Celebrating Its  
12th Anniversary**

During this week, when the Piggly Wiggly self-serving grocery system throughout the nation is celebrating their twelfth anniversary, the local Piggly Wiggly store is playing its part to make the occasion one to be long remembered, according to E. N. Pickens, the manager, who states the store is being patronized by many thrifty housewives of Slaton and community.

In celebration of the occasion numerous items of nationally advertised brands of groceries are being placed on the market at very attractive prices, Mr. Pickens stated, and this inducement to customers is, in a good measure, responsible for the splendid trade the store is enjoying, he added.

Piggly Wiggly started in Memphis 12 years ago, as the basis of an idea to properly serve the public with groceries, through a system of self service that eliminated much expense and gave the customer the privilege of selecting what merchandise she required direct from the shelves. From this small beginning Piggly Wiggly has spread until today there are stores serving practically all important centers of population, and plans are being completed for expansion into European countries and South America, according to officials of the organization.

**THE "AGRICULTURAL  
REVOLUTION"**

The use of machinery and power equipment on farms is steadily increasing. The "agricultural revolution" is on in earnest.

In the Northwest, according to a Federal Reserve Bank report, agricultural equipment sales during the first half of 1928 totaled appreciably more than in the same period in 1927.

Such machines as the crawler type tractor and the combine reduce farm costs, increase efficiency and at the same time save labor. A manufacturer reports that tractor sales in Montana for the first four months of this year were larger than for the whole of 1927. Modern industrial methods that use machine power in place of hand power, are becoming the methods of the farms. The result is that we are entering an era of higher standards of living and prosperity for agriculture.

**UNION NEWS**

We are having fine weather at this writing. Health in this community is good this week.

Carl Walters and Oda Smith have returned home from Snyder.

Our school is progressing nicely with good attendance.

Sunday, Sept. 23, was our regular meeting. We had a good attendance. Brother Clinton accepted the pastorate of our church for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and daughter,

who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Usary for two weeks, have gone to Big Spring.

Gayle Smith went to Putnam last week.

Mr. Long, of New Hope, was visiting in this community last week.

W. B. Smith, of Lubbock, was in this community last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pear, of Morgan, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dearing this week.

Plans are being made in this community to attend the fair now in session at Lubbock.

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**TEAGUE'S DRUG STORE**

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

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Jones, who live five miles southwest of Slaton, left Sunday for Dallas, where they carried their daughter, Tommie Ruth, for medical treatment. Their other two daughters, Madeline and Oleta, are remaining here with Mrs. M. O. Napps, during their parents' absence.

W. A. Brooks went to Clovis, N. M., Sunday, where he is connected with a newspaper.

Mrs. J. B. Lowery, who has been in a sanitarium at Lubbock for several weeks, is reported very much improved in health. She expects to return to her home here soon.

W. E. Garren and P. G. Stokes did petty jury duty at Lubbock last week.

J. C. Barton and family attended church services at Lubbock last Sunday.

Miss Mary Katherine Toliver spent the weekend with friends in Levelland.

J. W. Hood and family were in the Lockney vicinity Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Pruitt, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Pruitt, Jr., and Mrs. Tina Adams, of Pecos, expect to arrive here today for visits with their relatives, Mesdames A. G. Taggart, Lillian Butler, and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Jordan.

B. A. Toliver, manager of the Acorn Store, and David Tudor of the Palace Theatre, were in Pyote Sunday.

Rev. B. G. Holloway returned Sunday from Abernathy, where he conducted a two weeks revival meeting at the Baptist church.

Mrs. E. C. Morgan of Amarillo arrived here Monday afternoon for a short visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Petty.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Selmon accompanied the latter's parents to their home in Corsicana last Thursday, Mrs. Selmon remaining there with them.

E. L. Hicks is attending court at Lubbock this week.

L. R. Cyfert returned late last week from Dallas, where he attended the funeral of a friend, Mr. Jenkins, who died at Lubbock. Jenkins was a traveling dry goods salesman, and was well known to merchants here. Cyfert drove through in his car, carrying some of the family of the deceased.

Coch Wright spent the weekend in Amarillo visiting with his wife, who teaches in the public schools there.

Constable Dave Hoffman attended federal court at Amarillo the latter part of last week.

G. C. Hoffman returned last week from Austin, where he accompanied his brother Howard, who has entered State University.

Mayor W. G. Reese and Water Superintendent E. Barton were in Plainview the latter part of last week, looking over some street working machinery.

**Teeth 16 Ins. Long  
Found Near Higgins**

Louis Peterson came into the News office on Wednesday and he had in his hand a pair of the longest teeth we have seen in many a day. Louis and Dr. Goettche had been out in the country in search of anything in the antiquity line that might present itself, and they did not dig in vain.

The two teeth in question measured 16 inches in length, and Louis estimated from the appearance of the teeth that about ten inches had rotted away. In other words, they believe that the teeth were about 26 inches in length when they were in use by the prehistoric monster which made use of them.

There was also what appeared to be a portion of the skull of the animal. This section of the country has produced quite a number of such exhibits as the ones in question. In a bygone age, of which no man knows very much about, there were indeed strange monsters roaming around in what we now know as the Panhandle. Perhaps this was ten thousand years ago, possibly a great deal longer, no one can tell. But Dame Nature has taken care of these relics of the long ago. The people of today may be in the condition of the world of long ago, but they might as well be in the Stone Age.

**AMERICA'S CROSS OF FIRE**

A fire prevention artist aptly pictured a great cross amid a sea of flames. Upon the cross he lettered the word "Carelessness" and called the completed sketch "America's Great Cross." There is a fire every minute of every day somewhere throughout the length and breadth of our land.

If, from above, we could photograph simultaneously all the fires that rage in the course of a year, America would indeed appear as a sea of flames. Two companion crosses, however, should be reared alongside the first one and be labeled "False Economy in Building Construction and False Economy in Fire Protection. These factors, with carelessness, are largely responsible for our shameful annual fire loss which amounted to nearly \$500,000,000 in 1927.

The organizations that are endeavoring to "lift America's great cross from her shoulders" advocate an all-year fire prevention campaign, but special efforts are put forth during Fire Prevention Week, which this year falls on October 7 to 13. An intensive program at that time aims to center public interest upon the things people should practice all year to make America safer against fire.

In the front rank of the organizations enlisted in fire prevention activities is the National Board of Fire Underwriters.

**FORMER RECORDS BROKEN  
BY TECH ENROLLMENT**

LUBBOCK.—With a total of 1,625 who have completed enrollment at Texas Technological College for the opening of the fourth annual session all former records have been shattered. This represents more than a 30 per cent increase over the enrollment for the same period a year ago, and if percentages are maintained will mean that more than 2,500 students will enter the doors of the institution during its fourth year.

Five members of the Texas Legislature were present at the first convocation and marveled at the progress made by Texas Technological College, and promised to do all in their power to secure funds for the erection of additional buildings necessary to accommodate the growing student body.

Cutting their way out with saws smuggled in to them in tobacco tins, two prisoners in the Denton County jail made a rope of their blankets, lowered themselves to the ground from the second floor and escaped.

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**EXCLUDE RELIGION FROM  
POLITICS, SAYS MAGAZINE**

In this campaign there is a great deal of talk about the religious question. Much of it is subterranean, but there also is more open discussion of the subject than ever before.

The old argument about Al Smith is that, inasmuch as he owes allegiance to a foreign potentate—the Pope—in things spiritual, he would not be a proper leader for the United States in things temporal.

We believe that a Catholic might be so devoted to the interests of his church as not to be the best choice of a conglomerate people for leadership in temporal affairs. Such a man might be a good cardinal and a poor governor.

There might also be Methodists or Baptists so devout as to be excellent bishops and pastors of their churches, but not ideal congressmen or senators.

Indeed, so far as the experience of this country goes, everyone has been better off when there has been as complete a severance as possible of church and state. As we look back through history we see few instances in which theocracies—states governed or largely influenced by religion: the Aztecs or the Sublime Porte of Spain or royal France—have been governed according to our ideas of what is good government.

In the case of Al Smith, however, as far as his public record goes—and that goes back almost to his boyhood—there is no evidence that his private religion has ever influenced his public acts adversely to the public welfare.

We feel convinced that in measuring the qualification of Al Smith it is proper to exclude his religion as a reason for voting either for or against him.—Liberty, New York.

**MERCHANTS MEET**

The Retail Merchants' Association met Monday evening in a business meeting at the office of the secretary. A good number of the members were present, and an interesting and enthusiastic meeting was reported.

**CLASSIFIED ADS**

**FOR SALE**—A poultry ranch, five and one-third acres, near Slaton. A two-room house, 12x24 feet, well, windmill and tank. See Dr. Huckabay, at City Drug. 2-tfc

**FOR RENT**—Half of modern duplex at 410 South Ninth Street. Apply at Rockwell Bros. & Co. 9-2-

**FOR SALE**—Three-room house; small cash payment, easy terms. Apply 140 S. Fourth St., or call 496-J. 9-tfc

**FOR RENT**—One five-room modern house; has garage. Also one six-room modern house near high school, with double garage. J. T. Overby. 10-2c

**WANTED**—Middle-aged woman for general housework, and to care for children. Call at 950 West Lynn St. 10-3p

**FOR RENT**—Two furnished rooms, to couple without children. See Dr. J. L. Rice, I. O. F. Bldg., on Ninth Street. 1p

**STRAYED**—Two horse mules, one a buckskin and one black, about eight years old. D. W. Walston, Slaton, Texas. 11-2p

**FOR SALE**—Registered Hampshire male, 18 months old. Also Hampshire registered pigs. R. S. Johnston, Rt. No. 2, Slaton. 11-2p

**WANTED TO BUY**—A two or four-room house. S. S. Forrest. 1c

**FOR RENT**—Three-room apartment, unfurnished. S. S. Forrest. 1c

While using a crutch to propel a boat in Red River, a Grayson County woman claims a twenty-pound gar, swimming up the river, pampered his bill into the bow of the crutch and that she landed the fish.

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