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Water Supply Is At Maximum With Equipment Now On Hand

The city officials appreciate the co-operation they have received from the residents of Slaton in the matter of watering lawns. If people will continue their grand co-operation as long as the extremely hot and dry weather continues, they believe that the water will not become more acute. With the co-operation in the matter of watering lawns the water supply will then be adequate for the hospitals and sick people, so that they will not suffer. Everything is being done that can be done in regard to providing an adequate supply of water for Slaton. All equipment that can be secured is in working condition, and the pumps are operating to capacity. The city officials have made all night checks on the pumps and machinery, by staying to check the output, and find that they are operating to a maximum efficiency with wells and materials available.

Pumps and pipes which were ordered four or five months ago still have not been delivered, and the delay is due to scarcity at the manufacturing centers. No doubt these materials will be delivered, but it may be some time yet before such delivery is made. The manufacturing and delivery of such supplies has not been speeded up since the end of the war as had been hoped, hence this delay.

VFW HOLDS REGULAR MEETING LAST WEEK

The 89th member of the local VFP POST was obligated when a regular meeting was held Wednesday night. A membership goal of at least 100 was set for the next meeting. Tentative plans were formulated for establishing a club-room for recreational purposes.

Local Democrats Choose Delegates

At a meeting of the precinct Democratic Committee last Saturday at the City Hall, resolutions were passed and delegates chosen for the County Convention called to meet in Lubbock tomorrow, Saturday August 3rd beginning at 2:00 p. m. in the District Court room in Lubbock.

The following were chosen as delegates for Districts 8, 9 and 10:
Precinct No. 8, J. H. Brewer, Chairman, Judge C. Smith, Mrs. Judge C. Smith, R. C. Ayers, Ben Mankser, Mrs. Ben Mankser, Mrs. J. H. Brewer.
Precinct No. 9, E. N. Pickens, Chairman, W. F. Martin, Mrs. W. F. Martin, Charles H. Whalen, B. A. Hanna, Mrs. B. A. Hanna.
Precinct No. 10, W. L. Meurer, Chairman, R. D. Hickman, John Berkley, Mrs. John Berkley, K. L. Scudder, Mrs. Lee Green, A. M. Jackson, E. H. Ward, L. A. Harral, F. A. Drewry, Wm. R. Sewell, B. B. Castleberry, Rev. W. F. Ferguson, Rev. Luther Kirk, S. G. Wilson.

The following resolutions were passed by the local convention when it met:

RESOLUTION NO. 1
RESOLVED that the Democrats Precinct No. 8-9-10 of Lubbock County, Texas, endorse the National Democratic Administration, and its policies, foreign and domestic;
THAT we endorse our President, Harry S. Truman and commend him for carrying through the principles and ideals of the greatest Democrat of all times, Franklin D. Roosevelt;

THAT we express our appreciation and gratitude to our Soldiers, Sailors and Marines for their great service to our Country, and

We instruct our delegates to the County Convention to select delegates to the State Convention, only those who will work and vote for said principles and ideals;

THAT we instruct our delegates to vote as a unit on all matters coming before the Convention.

RESOLUTION NO. 2
BE IT RESOLVED that we as Texas Democrats resent the interference of all Un-Democratic pressure groups who seek to control the affairs of our State to promote and advance their own selfish purposes at the expense of the public welfare.

PALACE THEATRE HAS NEW PROJECTION LENS

New Kolmogran lenses have been added to the Palace theatre projection equipment. These new lenses, the best on the market, have been carefully designed to produce increased illumination with a quality of image outstanding in contrast, definition, and flatness of field and freedom from color fringes. Technicolor films are especially improved with the use of these lens.

These lenses added to the RCA sound system already in use makes the Palace booth one of the best-equipped projection rooms in this area. New items are being added as they are available.

Bryant Dodson, a projectionist, of many years experience, is now in charge of the Palace and State projection rooms, and he assures the theatre customers that they will always see a good show.

Lions Club Has Music Program

The Lions club had a well-attended meeting Thursday evening of last week. The club was entertained with some good singing by a quartette composed of Bill Mosley, Eulas and Betty Gentry, and Mr. Pate. The club is sponsoring a Stamps Quartette program at the high school auditorium Friday night at 8:15, and a large crowd is expected.



Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Waldrep of 1526 Hill St. Lubbock are the parents of a daughter, Sandy Lynn, born July 25, at 6 a. m. She weighed 6 lbs. 6 oz.

Mrs. L. B. Johnson, formerly of Slaton, but now living in Clovis, has been visiting Mrs. George Anderson, Mrs. T. P. Keane and other friends.

Coming— "Dragonwyck"—soon

Mrs. F. D. Young Claimed By Death

Mrs. F. D. Young, 81, who has lived on the South Plains since 1898 and was the second woman to live in Lynn county, died at her home here at 7:15 a. m. Monday, July 29.

Mrs. Young lived in Lubbock, on the site where Lubbock Memorial Hospital now is located, and in Lynn county before moving to Slaton.

She was born April 16, 1865, in McNarra county, Tennessee.

Funeral services were conducted at 3:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at First Baptist church, with Rev. J. T. Clinton of Lubbock and Rev. Burial was in Slaton cemetery, W. F. Ferguson, pastor, officiating. Under the direction of Williams Funeral home.

Mrs. Young's husband died in 1925. A daughter, Mrs. Esther White, also preceded her in death.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Jessie Standefor and Mrs. Alice Joplin, both of Slaton, route 1; a son, Clifford Young, of Slaton route 2, and 14 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Grandchildren were pallbearers, they were: Howard M. White, Harold Lee Joplin, Bobby W. Joplin, R. C. Standefor, G. L. Nelson and Orbin Houchin.

Mrs. Young lived at 1005 West Dayton, in the home she and her husband built and had lived in one year, when he passed away.

Relatives out of town and friends were from Wilson, Lubbock, Lamasa, Abilene and Big Spring.

THE WEATHER

Sunday July 28 was the hottest day of all the July days ever recorded by G. H. Orr who has kept records here for more than fifteen years. The mercury blew the top at 111. The coolest day of July was July 1st when it registered 65. It has been hovering around 104 and 105 for the last few days. There was 18-32 of an inch of rain fell here during the month of July.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. McClintock who have been visiting in Virginia and North Carolina returned home Wednesday.

Miss Lorene McClintock, who has been in Chicago met them at Nashville, Tenn., and returned home with them.

A Yank in Paris, '46 Version



Edmund R. Malo, Lynn, Mass., (right) boards a boat at the Boston docks for Paris where he has been enrolled for a 3-year art course under the Veterans Administration's educational program. Bidding Malo bon voyage is Alan C. Frazer, VA director of public relations for the New England branch area. The veteran is one of the first to leave for a foreign school.

WAS IT 1912, 1913 OR WAS IT IN 1920?

Our illustration in last week's paper was very definitely identified by three different women but they did not agree. Mrs. Lee Green said it was a 4th of July Celebration in 1920, Mrs. J. M. Carter said it was of Circus Day in 1913 and Mrs. Gus Robertson said it was June 15th of 1912.

Mrs. Robertson got a magnifying glass and said that if our print had been plainer she could have been sure but even as it was she believed she could recognize Mr. Gus Robertson and his father in the crowd.

We had many comments on the photograph from people who have lived here only a short time and all of them called attention to the clothing styles in the picture. Folks in those days did strut their stuff and we would like to definitely identify the picture with three well informed women such as the above mentioned not in agreement we would be taking our lives in our hands to be more definite.

"Well Groomed Bride" — soon.

Services Held Twice Daily At M. E. Church



DR. L. N. LIPSCOMB

Large interested crowds continue in attendance at both the morning and evening services of the evangelistic campaign at the Slaton First Methodist church, according to the pastor, Rev. Luther Kirk. The inspiring sermons are under the able direction of Dr. L. N. Lipscomb, superintendent of the Lubbock District.

Rev. W. M. Culwell, pastor of the McCullah Methodist church of Pampa is directing the singing and the work with the young people.

Both of these men are able evangelists, and the public is cordially invited to come out and hear them and to participate in the inspiring services.

The campaign started Sunday and will continue through August 11. Services are held twice daily, 10 a. m. and 8 p. m.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT IS PLANNED FOR CITY

If you are interested in a city-wide tennis tournament please contact Max Arrants at the Chamber of Commerce. Arrangements will be made for tournaments for men, women, and children who would like to play in such a tournament if there is a sufficient number of entrants.

LOCAL SCHOOLS WILL OPEN SEPTEMBER 9

At the school board meeting on Monday night of this week, it was decided that the opening date of the white schools be set for the second Monday in September, 9, according to Ray Mack, president of the board.

School usually opens the first Monday in September, but since the school buildings are undergoing general repair and renovation, it will require a week longer than was expected to finish the job.

The remodelling and enlargement of the school for the colored has been finished, and that school will begin on September 2.

Southland Wins Championship In Tri-county Softball League

The first Tri-county Softball League is over and Southland is the champion. The play-offs have been the center of attention of the many fans for about a week. In these play-offs, Wilson defeated Posey in two straight games, and Southland also defeated the Santa Fe in two straight games, leaving these two teams to play each other. Southland went into final victory by defeating Wilson in two games, 14-8 and 7-2.

The Four-county League began Thursday. The teams comprising this league and their managers are as follows: Southland, L. K. Anderson; Wilson, Bill McLaughlin; Robertson, Red Pochee; Posey, Raymond Gentry; Acuff, Aycock; Slaton Motor, Bill Sledge and Allan Meurer; Ray Ayers, J. J. Maxey and G. E. Taylor; and Santa Fe Jack Waldrep and T. C. Reynolds.

Max Arrants reports that some of the largest crowds attended the play-off games that Slaton has had in a long time. Much enthusiasm and loyal support was evidenced throughout this first softball league season.

Perry L. Moss Passes Away

Funeral services were held in Lubbock Monday July, 29 at 4:30 p. m. for Perry L. Moss who passed away Sunday. Services were conducted from the First Methodist Church, with Rev. Hall, officiating.

Mr. Moss had lived in Lubbock since 1942. Prior to that time he lived in Slaton over 30 years. He worked for the Santa Fe 42 years and was a member of the B. of R. T. and O. R. C.

Survivors are his wife, two daughters, Jean of Lubbock, and Mrs. Paul Deaton of Austin; one son, Perry Moss Jr.; one brother, Ben Moss, of Clovis, New Mexico and a sister in Waco. One son, Frank, was killed in a mission over Rabaul in 1943.

Pallbearers were Don Shelby, Jim Shelby, Duck Shelby, Dick Adkins, Frank Holden, Clarence Holt, Roy Holt, and Walter Schilling.



Over the Wire

Even under the ever increasing difficulties of building conditions with a two by four as hard to find as a dodo egg there is considerable building activity going on in Slaton. The City Hall is getting a facial in the way of a new paint job on the interior and will soon be span and spick, the sidewalks on the West side of the square are being repaired and if it ever rains the public can stand about the roaring torrent in the gutter and wait until it subsides or wade knee deep to their automobiles. Higginbotham Bartlett has increased the size, and repaired their sheds, and the Butler Monument Company has enlarged their building.

R. C. Ayers & Son, have installed considerable machinery in their new buildings and expect to put more prepared feeds on the market than ever before. Merchants in Slaton are complaining about the drought but are selling all of the merchandise they can get and are shorter on many items than they have been since the war started.

Two new automobile agencies are reported to be ready to launch into business in Slaton as soon as cars are available, one will be housed in a new building on Texas Avenue when building materials are available.

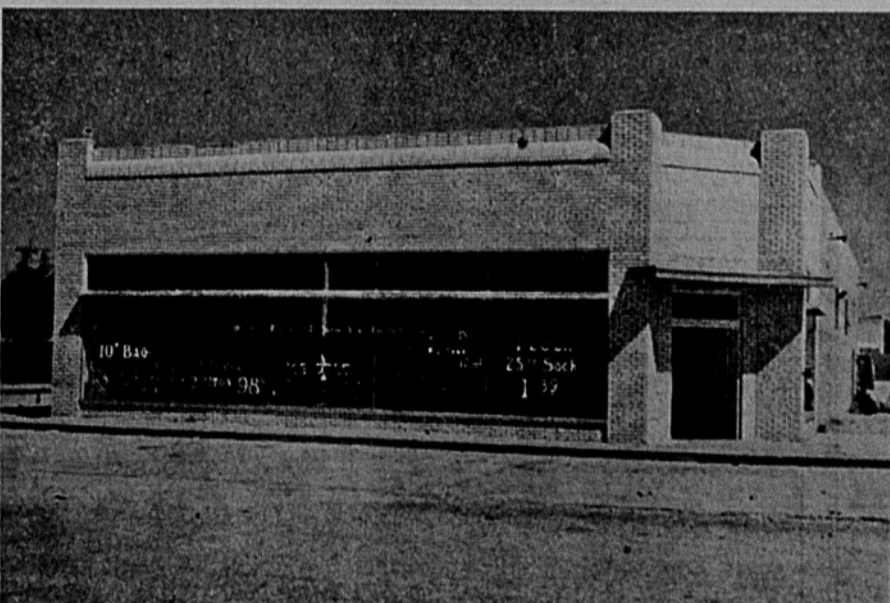
Mayor Wootton reports that further work on the water supply system has been halted on account of the impossibility of securing water pumps of sufficient size to handle the water if it can be found.

Although there was no early records given at the election returns concerning the Public Weighers race in this precinct the count was J. W. Martindale 623, Otis Gunter 540.

Along with a record high temperature for July the Southwestern Public Service Company reports a record sale of ice for the month of July compared with July sales of past years. 453 tons of ice were sold during the last month.

Two new doctors are located in Slaton, Dr. Glen B. Payne, a nephew of Dr. W. E. Payne who will be associated with Dr. W. E. and Dr. Elbert Loveless who is opening his office in the Citizens State Bank building.

SLATON'S NEWEST AND LARGEST STORE IN FORMAL OPENING TODAY AND SATURDAY



NEW HOME OF BERKLEY AND HADDOCK

With the formal opening today and tomorrow of Berkley & Haddock Food Store's new building on the corner of Garza and 10th Street the people of this area are being invited to visit one of the largest and most attractive stores that has been built in Slaton in many years. Berkley and Haddock established their business in Slaton seven years ago in the building from which they moved and both Mr. Haddock and Mr. Berkley have worked hard and faithfully to give the people of this area the best that the market affords. Mr. Berkley is an experienced market man and Mr. Had-

dock a groceryman both having worked in the lines since their school days. The Berkley and Haddock Food Store was popular from its beginning and for the past few years they have been crowded both for display and storage space but in their new building, that was planned on lines that have proven the best for food stores, the new building is as near perfect in arrangement and conveniences as it can be made.

The owners expressed their regret that they have not received all of the new fixtures that they have placed orders for but due to

the delay in production they will not be available until later.

Mr. Berkley and Mr. Haddock have been planning for months on the formal opening of the store and have been securing special values to attract visitors and many of these items are available today and tomorrow.

Mr. Haddock says, "We're all dressed up and want you to come see us". Mr. Berkley said "don't forget to see what a nice meat market we have and stop and see how much delicious meat we have for you on our formal opening days."

CONTROL IS PROBLEM

Congress Battle Rages In Face of Atom Test



'TASK BAKER'—Radio impulses sent out from the USS Cumberland Sound, indicated in top drawing (1) were to detonate the underwater 'A' bomb for the 'Task Baker,' second of the Bikini experiments. The bomb was suspended from a special barge (2). As indicated by the arrows (3) a number of 'drone' ships were directed into the lagoon to test the effects of radio-activated water.

By WALTER A. SHEAD
WNU Washington Correspondent.

HONOLULU, OPERATIONS CROSSROAD. — While army and navy officials in charge of Joint Task Force 1 at the Bikini atomic bomb tests are interested in the squabble now going on in the congress as between civilian and military control of atomic energy, their single interest here is to complete successfully the important experiments on the possible damage which an atom bomb can do to a fleet at sea.

In the meantime, Adm. W. H. P. Blundy, commander of Operations Crossroads, has intimated that weather conditions may force a week's delay in the underwater test in Bikini lagoon scheduled for July 25, which would make "Baker-day" Aug. 1 or thereafter. As has been pointed out, the weather for this second test need not be as perfect as for the first test when the bomb was dropped from a B-29, but it

must be clear enough for aerial observation and photography.

The press ship USS Appalachian has completed her trip to Pearl Harbor for minor repairs and now is anchored with the rest of the maintenance fleet in Bikini lagoon, ready to pull out and cruise outside to the seaward side of the island when the time is ripe for the second test.

Few Remain. Only approximately 23 correspondents are left aboard the ship, since most of them returned to the States immediately after the first test.

The pattern for the underwater test has been completed with the battleship Arkansas, which was barely blistered by the first test, and the carrier Saratoga, also undamaged as a result of the first bomb, almost equidistant and nearest to the proposed bomb burst.

A little to the east are the battleship New York and the cruiser Salt Lake City. Both suffered negligible damage in the first blast. Then to the west of the two center ships are the cruiser Pensacola and the carrier Independence. The old Independence is merely a hulk in the water with her insides torn out and her topsides blasted away as result of the bomb and her own internal explosions. The Pensacola is undamaged below decks, but her superstructure is pretty well battered up as a result of the first tests, with both stacks blown away.

Farther out in the circle are the battleships Pennsylvania and Nevada, the Jap ship Nagato and the German pocket battleship Prinz Eugen. Just forward of the Arkansas and the Saratoga are several submarines which are submerged at various depths with the double-hulled Pilotfish almost as close to the center of the burst as the Arkansas. Lighter ships make up the balance of the target array.

Opinions Vary. The effect of the bomb on these submarines is awaited with interest and in the meantime the discussion goes on as between those who predict this underwater blast will sink several capital ships including the submarines, and those who declare the damage will be negligible.

'Eccentric' Bomb Explains Wide Miss

Over on Kwajalein where the army air force section of the task force is holding forth, Maj. Gen. William E. Kepner, deputy commander for air, still is seeking to find an answer to the questions of reporters as to why Major Swanson and his crew missed the Nevada or bulls-eye of the first test by something like 2,500 feet. This reporter does not believe the miss was that far, since my calculations

Oceanographers, who have made such elaborate plans to measure effects of the bomb, will come into their own at this second test. There was little for them to measure as result of the first test since the bomb made no appreciable waves and did no damage to the ocean bed, beaches or the island.

However, this second test is expected to create high waves in the lagoon, anywhere from 10 feet up. There are 81 officers and men in this section of the task force, most of whom have been in the vicinity of Bikini since last March recording data on the physical oceanography, biology, geology and fisheries of the atoll and surrounding waters.

Measurements of wave motion in terms of time, height and distance, their effect on the sea bottom and on the beaches, fall into three classes—supersonic echo sounding

devices, and aerial and surface photography, plus maximum water height recorders on Bikini island and water level meters on several other islands of the atoll.

There are supersonic echo sounders or fathometers on 16 ships in the target array which will record large waves through the rise and fall of the ships, while 11 supersonic echo sounders on buoys will record passage of shorter waves. Mechanical pressure recorders laid 500 yards apart on the bottom of the lagoon are capable of recording wave height in range from 4 to 200 feet.

Animals Still Dying. The after-effects of this radio activity is impressive as seen from the effects on the live animals placed aboard the ships, some of which still are dying despite treatment, three weeks after they were exposed to the first bomb.

As the first task force awaits on the eve of this second test one cannot help but conjecture upon the possible effects of this unpredictable and still unknown terrific nuclear force which can decimate entire cities and depopulate nations as has been amply demonstrated at Hiroshima and Nagasaki. The first test proved beyond any doubt that the bomb was not as effective in the open space at sea as it is when detonated over heavily-populated areas on land... that used against naval bases on land it could render a fleet at sea impotent, but that it would put out of commission a good many ships if they were in close formation and that loss of life aboard these ships would be terrific.

What effect this atomic energy will have on the future of the American navy as to ship construction and operations now, however, lies in the laps of the military evaluation board and the President's atomic energy commission, both of which are making a study for future guidance.

We can only hope that medical scientists and other scientists here for observation will glean from peace-time application which can bring benefits, and not destruction, from this new war-born source of energy.

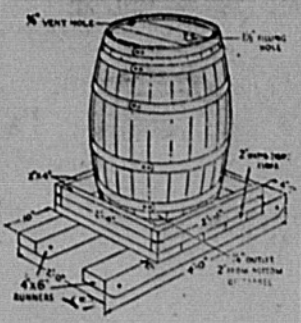
indicate the bomb fell astern and a little to port of the Nevada about 600 yards away or approximately 1,800 feet.

At any rate, General Kepner now comes up with an answer, according to his latest conference, that the bomb was an "eccentric" and that the drop was in the category known as a "wobbler." In other words that the bomb veered and did not fall true.



Sanitary Hog Fountain

RESEARCH at state universities has indicated that gains by hogs on summer pasture is in direct proportion to the amount of fresh water available for consumption. Water under pressure will simplify the supply problems. With water under pressure, a barrel of water such as the one shown will furnish all of the water needed for an average number of hogs.



A tight barrel in good condition is placed on a water-tight platform and surrounded by a 4-inch ledge. The box thus formed is large enough to permit the barrel to fit inside snugly. Bore a hole in the side of the barrel 1 inch below the top of the ledge to maintain a water level at that height.

If water is available under pressure, it can be piped directly into the barrel. An automatic level float at the end of the water pipe will control the level of water in the barrel and will insure a supply at all times.

Apparently the shorter the dress the higher the price. But it just goes to prove that sightseeing costs money.



THANKS TO THE VOTERS OF THE 72nd JUDICIAL DISTRICT

I want to express my sincere appreciation to you for electing me your District Attorney. I am deeply grateful to my friends for their loyalty. I will do my best to justify your confidence and support.

LLOYD CROSLIN

HELPS BUILD UP RESISTANCE against MONTHLY PAIN



Also A Fine Stomachic Tonic Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound does more than just relieve monthly pain when caused by female functional monthly disturbances. It also relieves weak, tired, nervous, cranky feelings—of such days—when due to this cause. Pinkham's Compound has a soothing effect on one of woman's most important organs. Taken thruout the month—Pinkham's Compound helps build up resistance against such distress. It's also a very effective stomachic tonic. Thousands Upon Thousands of Girls and Women Helped—There are no opiates in Pinkham's Compound. It's made from Mother Nature's own wholesome roots and herbs plus Vitamin B. It HELPS NATURE. Thousands upon thousands of women have reported remarkable benefits. If you suffer like this—we urge you to give Pinkham's Compound a fair and honest trial. As all druggists.

Lydia E. Pinkham's VEGETABLE COMPOUND

UNION NEWS

MRS. M. D. GAMBLE Brother Lewis from Wayland College preached at the Baptist church last Sunday morning and night. His subject was "Open thy heart's door and let the Lord come in." Brother Clinton of Lubbock will preach next Sunday.

The community was made sad Monday when the word was received that Mrs. F. D. Young had passed away at her home in Slaton.

She lived in this community before moving to Slaton and had a number of friends and was loved by all who knew her. Her family was one of the first in this country.

Mr. Clarence Kitten is visiting in San Antonio this week. Mrs. J. G. Hampton is visiting her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Cade near Lubbock.

Mrs. C. C. Nelson and son, Roy Neal of Eastland were here this week to attend the funeral of her grandmother Young.

Several enjoyed the weiner roast at Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Whites one night last week. Mr. Harold Joplin is visiting home folks this week and here for the funeral of his grandmother Mrs. F. D. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cade and children were guests of his brother and family Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Cade, Sunday.

Arthur and Madline Hlavaty returned home to San Antonio after spending the summer at Union with their sister, Mrs. Victor Heinrich, and other brothers and sisters. They were given a farewell dance at the Legion Hall.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY MEETS

The local American Legion Auxiliary, Unit No. 438, met in the suburban home of the president, Mrs. Arthur Dennis, Thursday, July 25, at 3 p. m. Reports were heard from Mrs. J. D. Holt, treasurer, and Mrs. J. M. Carter, secretary.

Mrs. Fred Tudor, Child Welfare Chairman, reported the mailing of a box of food and clothing to French war orphans in Paris who have been assigned to the Auxiliary Units of the 19th District for support.

A social hour was enjoyed Others present were Mesdames D. W. Liles, Carter Shaw, J. S. Waldrep, George Green and Arthur Bentley.

The next meeting will be Thursday, August 8, at 3 p. m., in the home of Mrs. Arthur Bentley, 320 W. Garza. Officer election will be concluded, and delegates to the state Legion Auxiliary Convention to be held in Galveston, on September 3, 4, 5, and 6, will be selected.

The girls who don't get married this summer will be looking for a Fall guy.

turned home to San Antonio after spending the summer at Union with their sister, Mrs. Victor Heinrich, and other brothers and sisters. They were given a farewell dance at the Legion Hall.

GLEN B. PAYNE M. D. associated with PAYNE CLINIC 105 East Lubbock St.



I want to thank all of the people of Lubbock County. You have done me a great honor and I will serve you all to the best of my ability.

JOHN STEELE

THANK YOU FRIENDS For your continued support of me as your STATE REPRESENTATIVE I will do my best to deserve your confidence PRESTON SMITH

LUBBOCK SUPPER CLUB BAILEY IRELAND'S orchestra FEATURING 'PEE WEE' LYNN AND HIS PIANO FRIDAY - SATURDAY - SUNDAY AIR CONDITIONED • DINE AND DANCE

THANKS A LOT I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the voters of Lubbock County for their support of my candidacy in the recent Democratic Primary. I pledge myself to continue to serve the good people of Lubbock County to the best of my ability as County Clerk. Again, may I say thank you? Louis F. Moore Paid Political Advertising

GLASSES Believing that it is a great American privilege to be able to buy what we choose, where we choose, and at a price which we can afford to pay—Lee Optical Co., offer you Glasses of the finest quality at a price within the reach of all. Single Vision \$14.50 COMPLETE Kryptok Bifocals \$18.50 COMPLETE DR. FRED FERIS, In Charge LEE OPTICAL CO. We duplicate broken lenses No waiting or appointment necessary —LOCATED AT— ZALE'S JEWELRY 1110 TEXAS

A WORD OF THANKS I want to thank my many friends who expressed their confidence in me by voting for me in Saturday's election. I am deeply grateful for your loyalty and support in my candidacy for commissioner of Precinct 2. BOYCE WICKER Paid Political Advertising

I take this means to express my thanks and deep gratitude to all of my friends in the loyal support given me in last Saturday's Primary. And to wish my successor in the office of County Attorney of Lubbock county, a most successful term in this office. Thanks again friends, Syrian E. (Sy) Marbut (Paid Political Adv.)

S. J. R. No. 5
A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to appropriate Seventy-five Thousand (\$75,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to pay claims incurred by John Tarleton Agricultural College for the construction of a building on campus of such college pursuant to deficiency authorization of the Governor of Texas on August 31, 1937.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new section, as follows:

"The Legislature is authorized to appropriate so much money as may be necessary, not to exceed Seventy-five Thousand (\$75,000.00) Dollars, to pay claims incurred by John Tarleton Agricultural College for the construction of a building on the campus of such college pursuant to deficiency authorization by the Governor of Texas on August 31, 1937."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at the next general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A.D., 1946, at which all ballots shall have been printed thereon:

"FOR THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATURE TO PAY FOR BUILDING CONSTRUCTED FOR JOHN TARLETON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE;" and

"AGAINST THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATURE TO PAY FOR BUILDING CONSTRUCTED FOR JOHN TARLETON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE."

Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of the state.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury of the state, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

H. J. R. NO. 10
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an Amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto Section 62 providing a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund for the appointive officers and employees of the State; limiting the amount contributed by the State to such Fund; providing for investment of Fund with certain exceptions; prohibiting recipients of benefits hereunder from receiving other direct aid from the State; authorizing counties to provide and administer such a Fund for appointive county officers and employees after favorable vote in a county election for such purpose; limiting the amount contributed by the county to such Fund; providing for investment of Fund with certain exceptions; prohibiting recipients of benefits from receiving other direct aid from the State; and providing for an election, necessary form of ballot, and publication on the question of adoption of this Amendment.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Section 62, which shall read as follows:

"Sec. 62 (a). The Legislature shall have the right to levy taxes to provide a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund for the appointive officers and employees of the State; provided that the amount contributed by the State to such Fund shall equal the amount paid for the same purpose from the income of each such person, and shall not exceed at any time five per centum (5%) of the compensation paid to each person by the State, and shall in no one year exceed the sum of One Hundred and Eighty Dollars (\$180) for any such person.

"All funds provided from the compensation of such person, or by the State of Texas, for such Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund, as are received by the Treasury of the State of Texas, shall be invested in bonds of the United States, the State of Texas, or Counties or cities of this State, or in bonds issued by any agency of the United States Government, the payment of the principal of and interest on which is guaranteed by the United States, provided that a sufficient amount of said funds shall be kept on hand to meet the immediate payment of the amount likely to become due each year out of said Fund, such amount of funds to be kept on hand to be determined by the agency which may be provided by law to administer said Fund; and provided that the recipients of benefits from said Fund shall not be eligible for any other pension retirement funds or direct aid from the State of Texas, unless the Funds, the creation of which is provided for herein, contributed by the State, is released to the State of Texas as a condition to receiving such other pension aid.

"(b). Each county shall have the right to provide for and administer a Retirement, Disability

and Death Compensation Fund for the appointive officers and employees of the county; provided same is authorized by a majority vote of the qualified voters of such county and after such election has been advertised by being published in at least one newspaper of general circulation in said county once each week for four consecutive weeks; provided that the amount contributed by the county to such Fund shall equal the amount paid for the same purpose from the income of each such person, and shall not exceed at any time five per centum (5%) of the compensation paid to each such person by the county, and shall in no one year exceed the sum of One Hundred and Eighty Dollars (\$180) for any such person.

"All funds provided from the compensation of each such person, or by the county, for such Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund, as are received by the county, shall be invested in bonds of the United States, the State of Texas, or Counties or cities of this State, or in bonds issued by any agency of the United States Government, the payment of the principal of and interest on which is guaranteed by the United States, provided that a sufficient amount of said funds shall be kept on hand to meet the immediate payment of the amount likely to become due each year out of said Funds, such amount of funds to be kept on hand to be determined by the agency which may be provided by law to administer said Fund; and provided that the recipients of benefits from said Fund shall not be eligible for any other pension retirement funds or direct aid from the State, unless the Fund, the creation of which is provided for herein, contributed by the county, is released to the State of Texas as a condition to receiving such other pension aid."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this State at an election to be held throughout the State in November, 1946, (being the 5th day thereof *) at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation System for the officers and employees of the State of Texas and authorizing counties to provide such system for the appointive officers and employees of the counties of the State of Texas;" and

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation System for the officers and employees of the State of Texas and authorizing counties to provide such system for the appointive officers and employees of the counties of the State of Texas."

Each voter shall scratch one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving

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LIPTON'S TEA 1-4 lb. 27c	CLOROX BLEACH Qt. 19c
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Dry Salt Bacon lb. 47c	WAX PAPER 125 ft. Roll 18c
Round Cheese lb. 49c	TOMMY TUCKER CARROTS Chipped—Gallon Can 34c
Treet 39c	DATES Pitted—7oz. Pkg. 25c
CHOICE CUT Beef Roast lb. 37c	
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SOUTHLAND
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Rev. R. B. Walden, Methodist pastor, will do the preaching for the revival which begins August 2. George Bahlman will lead the singing. Prayer meetings will begin at 8:00 each evening. The revival will continue for ten days. Last Sunday there were 68 at Sunday School and about 75 at church.

The softball teams have entered the finals with Southland and Wilson in the lead. The games Friday night were won by Southland over Wilson 14-8.

The meeting closed Sunday night at the Church of Christ conducted by Ollie D. and Oran Dial. There were two additions.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Johnson visited the J. L. Whites Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Smallwood and Dorothy Sue have been staying with Arthur Smallwood who is in an Abilene hospital.

Several from here have been attending the Baptist Revival at Pleasant Valley. The new pastor, Rev. Tutters, a 19-year-old Howard Payne student has been doing the preaching.

Rev. Emmett Brooks and family left Monday for Harmony where he will conduct the funeral of his grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Berg and four children of Denver, Colorado, arrived Thursday to visit her sister, Mrs. S. M. Truelock, and other relatives here and at Post, Wednesday they left for New Mexico to visit her father. Mrs. Truelock accompanied them.

Miss. Joan Draper of Hereford, formerly of Southland, and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Diaper and family of Slaton visited the W. W. Gilliland's Sunday.

Herbert Dunn is now manager of the Duff Food Store. Temmie Scott Goulsby is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Dunn and attending the meeting at the Church of Christ.

They brought Mrs. J. P. Bartlett home from the hospital, and her condition still remains serious. August Becker, jr., is now out of the service and this makes all the Becker boys home from service. There were three brothers, - all in the navy.

Those attending the fortieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Wood were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Martin, Mrs. Nellie Mathis and Caroline Sue Kasinger for dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kellum visited them in the afternoon.

Miss Glynon Hafner of Vernon is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Heywood Basinger, Mr. and Mrs. John Leake, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Myers and children went to Spur Sunday to visit her parents. The two boys remained with their grandparents for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Shropshire of Post visited Mr. and Mrs. Arville Ferguson Wednesday and attended the meeting at the Church of Christ.

E. L. Howard who is stationed at Philadelphia, was through Southland Friday and stopped to visit his aunts, Mrs. D. D. Pennell and Mrs. A. A. Ferguson and families.

Manuel Truelock is temporarily at Guam. He was hoping to get leave to come home this month, but was ordered to sea again.

Social Security Man To Be Here
Elliott Adams, manager of the Social Security Board Field Office will be in Slaton at the U. S. Post Office, at 4:00 p. m., Wednesday, August 7, for the purpose of answering any questions you may have on Social Security; discussing possible benefits; and of taking applications for Social Security account number cards.

Delay in filing a claim for old-age and survivors insurance benefits can cost the claimant money. Upon the death of the insured wage earner, his widow and children or his dependent parents are eligible for monthly or lump sum insurance payments if they meet certain requirements. If the wage earner has no family, then a lump sum may be paid to the person who paid funeral expenses. Delay in filing claims may result in the loss of several monthly checks, especially among survivors who have not been informed about their rights.

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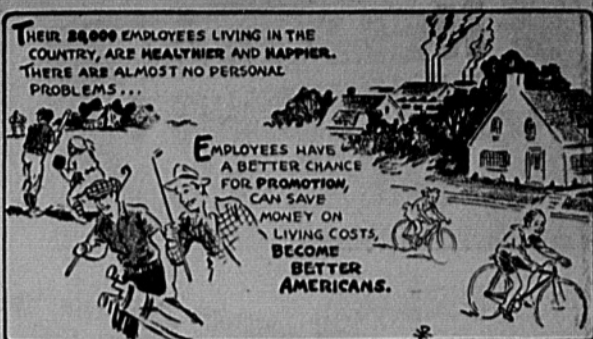
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"Americans gesticulate more with their legs than hands." — Russian journalist Ilya Ehrenburg, after visiting us.

"Farming today is one of the most hazardous of all occupations." — Drs. Young and Ghormley of Mayo clinic, re. accidents on farms.

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Tea In Neugebauer Home Honors Mrs. Milton Jochetz

In the country home of Mrs. Joel Neugebauer, a tea and miscellaneous shower was given Wednesday afternoon complimenting Mrs. Milton Jochetz, the former Wanda Jean Vaughn of Lubbock.

Miss Bernice Neugebauer greeted guests at the door and presented them to Mrs. Neugebauer, Mrs. Vaughn, the honoree, Mrs. Walter Jochetz, and Mrs. Douglas Wilson, aunt of the bridegroom.

Guests were directed to the dining room by Mrs. Grady Wilson.

Refreshments were served from a lace covered table with a crystal service. Mrs. Bill Wright and Mrs. Gordon Burrell alternated at the punch bowl. A white theme was carried out in the centerpiece with an arrangement of shasta daisies and crystal holders with white tapers. Lettered in white on the mirror over the sideboard was "Jean and Milton" and the wedding date.

The many gifts were displayed by Miss Evelyn Longe and Miss Frances Meissner presided at the white leather brides' book. Garden flowers were in profusion throughout the house.

Miss Virginia Saage softly played the piano selections during

the calling hours from 3:30 to 5:00. Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames Elbert Wilson, Joe Rhoads, Charlie Walton, Clifford Young, Ed Myers, Gordon Burrell, Joel Neugebauer, Bill Wright, Grady Wilson, and Misses Bernice Neugebauer, Frances Meissner, and Evelyn Longe.

QUILTING CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. J. W. WARD

Members of the Jolly Quilting Club met in the home of Mrs. J. W. Ward Tuesday, July 23, to piece and quilt a gift quilt.

Those present were Mesdames Lou Wheatley, Fred Stottlemire, T. E. McClanahan, H. H. Edmondson, C. C. Wicker, Ben Mansker, Stella Shelton, Jess Burton, Jack Cooper, C. E. Jarman, R. C. Sanner, W. T. Slaughter, E. E. Wilson, E. M. Lott, I. C. Tucker and Farrel Singletary.

Next meeting will be August 27, with Mrs. T. E. McClanahan.

MRS. CLIFTON HOSTESS TO BLUE BONNET CLUB

The Blue Bonnet Club met in the home of Mrs. A. L. Clifton Wednesday, June 24, with 14 members present. Mrs. Dan Liles presided in the absence of Mrs. E. R. Legg.

Roll call was answered with the favorite radio program. The club voted to send \$10.00 to Father Flannigan's Boys Town.

The annual club picnic will be held at Mackenzie Park on August 12 at 7:30 p. m. Members and guests are asked to meet at the swimming pool in the Park.

The next club meeting will be held with Mrs. H. S. Crews as hostess, at Mrs. H. C. Crews' home at 635 North Ninth street, September 11, 3:00 p. m. Roll call will be answered with Highlights of Your Vacation.

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Society - Clubs

MRS. HOMER MADDOX HONORED AT SHOWER

A miscellaneous bridal shower for Mrs. Homer Maddox, the former Miss Annie Allred, was given at the Club House Tuesday, July 24, from 2 to 4 p. m.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Bill Layne, who presented them to the guest of honor, her mother, Mrs. James Allred, and her grandmother, Mrs. W. J. Simpkins, of Plainview.

Music was furnished by Misses Vesta Ward, Jolene Tate, Glenn Liles, and Jean Holt.

HOLT FAMILY HOLD REUNION AT HICO

Mrs. J. S. Waldrep and son Billy, have returned from Hico where they attended the Holt reunion. It was the first reunion held since Holt Waldrep passed away in 1941.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Holt of Kansas City Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Holt, Jr., all of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Holt, Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Scott, Denison; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Scott, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Potte, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Polnac, Walnut Springs.

The reunion was held on the Bosque River where Mrs. Waldrep lived when a child and a number of old friends in and around that part of the country were there.

MARY ANN WILSON'S ENGAGEMENT REVEALED

Mr. and Mrs. Silas G. Wilson of Slaton are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Ann, to Billy R. Waldrep, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack S. Waldrep also of Slaton.

The wedding will take place the 30th of August, in the morning, at the first Methodist church.



LOOKING FORWARD - This olive green short evening dress is draped in the soft lines that will show up this autumn. Betty Bennett, of NBC's "Reveille Roundup," wears it and holds out the double strands of material that form a sort of necklace on the surplice front. The sleeves have deep armholes. Contrasting to the olive green of the dress are the flesh pink flowers in her hair. The dress is designed by Adrian.

JANIS KAY BAGBY HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. J. W. Bagby entertained at her home at 755 South 9th St. Friday, July 26, honoring her daughter, Janis Kay, on her 9th birthday. Games were played and punch and cake served at the home after which the guests went to the County Park where other games were played and additional refreshments served.

The following guests were present: Fay Ely, Delma Sue Hodge, Patricia Wells, Janice Greer, Jonel Lamb, Johannah Clevenger, Karen Devers, Janet Pearson, Donna Pearson, Viola Mae Walton, Betty Sue Bartley, Ann Eblin, Loran Gilliland, Donnie Bill Pohl, Tracy Crawford, Leo Henzler, Jr., Bert Lively and Bobbie Anderson of Winters, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Robertson are moving this week to Fieldton, Texas. They have lived in Posey for four years.

Mary Ellen Champion is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ray Conner. Bobby Ray Conner left recently for San Angelo after a short visit with his mother, Mrs. Ray Conner.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Smith and daughter Joyce, have been visiting in Coleman.

Miss Thelma Burns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burns, received her discharge and arrived home Sunday from San Diego, where she has been stationed for 15 months. She was an Ensign in the Navy Nurses Corps.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Thornton and daughters, Sandra Carol Ann and Jerry Sue of Amarillo spent last weekend in Slaton with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Thornton of Lamesa spent last weekend with Mrs. L. B. Thornton and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Curry of Sweetwater spent last weekend with Mrs. Jim Allen.

Mrs. J. D. Raymond and Jeanette and Mrs. Raymond's mother, Mrs. Hicks, are leaving this week to join Mr. Raymond in Canadian, where they have purchased a home.

Mrs. Mary K. Blanton of Amarillo visited old friends in Slaton this week.

Mrs. M. M. Gabriel of Corpus Christi is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ayers. Mrs. Gabriel is Mrs. Ayer's mother.

Mr. J. J. Niehoff who has been in the Veteran's Hospital in Amarillo came home Wednesday and his condition is about the same.

Mrs. Bob Ethridge and Mrs. Stafford visited in Lubbock Wednesday.

Mrs. Bill McDavid and two children Terry and Gene of Waco are visiting Mrs. McDavid's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brewer.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Johnson and son Andy and Mrs. Beulah Taylor of Lubbock visited relatives in Slaton Sunday.

Mrs. L. B. Thornton and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Thornton visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Thornton of Lamesa last Friday.

Mrs. L. B. Thornton and Shirley Ann Thornton spent Sunday night and Monday in Lubbock with Mrs. Beulah Taylor and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mundy and two daughters of El Paso will be weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max Arrants this week.

Mrs. Ray Conner will leave Saturday for Colorado Springs and Manitou.

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Tech Shows Big Student Increase

Enrollment for the second summer term at Texah Tech totals 1,994, a drop from 2,304 students registered the first term but higher than any other summer total previous to this year. Veterans enrolled total 1,297. Prior to the summer term ending July 16 the high enrollment was 1,947, recorded in 1945.

WEEK'S LESSON

"Love is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, August 4.

The Golden Text is: "Be perfect, be of good comfort, be of one mind, live in peace; and the God of love and peace shall be with you" (II Corinthians 13:11).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And this commandment have we from him, That he who loveth God love his brother also" (I John 4:21).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "It should be thoroughly understood that all men have one Mind, one God and Father, one Life, Truth, and Love. Mankind will become perfect in proportion as this fact becomes apparent, war will cease and the true brotherhood of man will be established" (page 467).

CHICK CHATS

by Robert Huser
of
Huser's Hatchery

DISEASE MAY STEM FROM POOR FEEDING

Chickens which feed on a ration lacking one or more of the essential food elements not only produce fewer eggs but may develop a nutritional deficiency disease. Good flock health requires a balanced diet which includes adequate amounts of minerals, vitamins, proteins, carbohydrates and fats.

PLENTY OF MASH

A bird which consumes plenty of mash is getting nearly all of the nutrients needed to meet bodily requirements. Thus it is extremely important that enough mash be made available in the feeders. Grains supply ample carbohydrates and fats, but sometimes chickens may overeat at the grain hopper and as a result do not consume enough mash to balance out the diet with other essential food elements, lacking in grain.

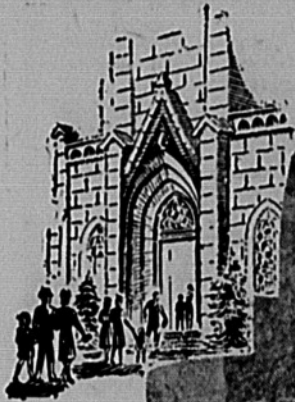
Protein deficiency causes retarded growth and feather development in chicks as well as low egg production in adult birds.

Two of the most common deficiency diseases—rickets and slipped tendon—result from inadequate consumption of vitamins or minerals, or a combination of both.

Feeding, Parasites, Crowding

A bird which develops symptoms of a nutritional deficiency disease may have reached this condition in one of several ways. Incorrect feeding methods often discourage or prevent birds from getting the food they need. Birds heavily infected with parasites do not utilize feed efficiently, and often fail to eat enough. A crowded poultry house may cause poor feeding for some chickens.

To avoid these diseases, you should feed your birds carefully and watch closely the rate of consumption. When appetites lag use any of the recognized methods of improving the appetites and encouraging full feed. Provide plenty of feeding space. Keep the birds as free as possible of infectious diseases and parasites by keeping the house and equipment sanitary. Give the flock plenty of mash or otherwise make sure that every required food element is present in the ration the birds receive.



Looking for Gold?



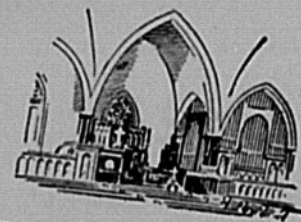
Certainly! Everyone is looking for gold . . . gold of one sort or another!

Many people are looking for the gold that *glitters in the hand* . . . WEALTH. Those who haven't found it believe it is life's most wonderful possession. Those who have found it have often learned otherwise.

Some wiser people are looking for the gold that *glitters in the heart* . . . HAPPINESS. Those who haven't found it believe it the most perfect treasure in life. Those who have found it tell us that the glitter of happiness is never free of the tarnish of sorrow.

The gold we need most is the *gold that doesn't glitter*. Christ called it TREASURE IN HEAVEN. It is the everlasting richness in life that comes with unselfishness, sacrifice, love, devotion to others, faith in God.

The Church is a gold-mine of spiritual opportunity . . . a treasure-house of sacred truth. Its worship and its teaching enrich human life. The Church will lead you to God! And God will lead you to the unfailling Gold!



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JUST TALK

by A.M.J.



Slaton is the only town that I have ever heard of that gives curb fire extinguishing service. Last week when the city garbage man accidentally dumped a load of hot ashes in his truck the contraption caught fire. Instead of waiting for the fire apparatus to come to the scene the driver drove the truck to the fire station and if the fire department had not acted with SPEED the fire station would have caught on fire. Due to the fact that there was not enough water pressure at the time to make the water come from a fire hose the fire chief used the garden hose that is used to nourish the canna in front of the station and saved the fire department from disgrace.

Along this line it is reported by the Mayor, who is on the spot in Slaton concerning the water, and who gets a snappy look when the question is brought up, says that a big department store in Lubbock locked all of the rest rooms in the building one day last week because there was no water coming through the water mains.

Several of our neighbors have been giving me the raspberry because they caught me sneaking out to the hydrant in the front yard lately to get a drink of water, but I would like to say that it does not embarrass me at all to go to the front yard hydrant for drinking water when the hydrants in the house fail to give service. If any of the folks in Slaton lived in Waco before that city built their present big lake they will remember the water that came from the Brazos river. It was the color of tea, the temperature of blood and tasted like something one would like to forget. While we may not have as much water as we would like to have, what we do have is clear, cool and refreshing and I for one am mighty glad to get it.

It is now a close contest between me, my neighbors and the June bugs to see which is going to get the most of our peaches. One thing about June bugs they are accommodating. They gang up on one peach and if one has the patience and will take the chance of one of them turning out to be a bumble bee, you can take a bucket, a stick and some water and coal oil mixed and knock the June bugs into the water and coal oil but one has to be a sleepy jack to get to the bugs who take to the biggest peaches on the top limbs of the trees.

So far we have gathered two quarts of June bugs, two dozen peaches and one bumble bee, we got to eat three peaches and lost the others to neighbors who caught us while we were hunting the ripe ones. The one I got sure did taste good.

We had a terrible struggle last week getting the Slatonite to you folks. Between the office seeker's wanting advertising right up to the last minute, the linotype dropping in here and there in words that needed no l's and the rock crusher refusing to print the paper except in spirits and jerks we almost quit and went home. Our editor feeling for the boys at the Post Office finally won out and we got the Slatonite to them about midnight. We would dislike very much to see the dismembered heads of the Post Office employees lying around in the gutter because they did not have the Slatonite

for the subscribers. Men have been killed for less than this in days gone by in this country.

Mrs. Ray Ayers gave me the following very sentimental poetry. Her husband has just returned from Corpus Christi and it is evident that she has heard some wonderful stories along this line.

O, Lord give me grace to catch a fish
So large that even I
In talking of it afterwards
May never need to lie!

A question I would like to ask you
And a truthful answer wish—
"Are all fishermen liars,
Or do only liars fish?"
Since a question you have asked,
And the truth is what you wish—
"All men are liars
And some of them fish!"
Contributed.

Henry Edison has also recently returned from Corpus, his face is what would be called "cerise" if it were a woman's dress, he rides his office chair as if it were a twelve foot boat riding the breakers and when he gets to talking he holds out his arm and measures off distances.

Personally I do not believe the habit of exaggeration is any more prevalent among fishermen than it is among gardeners, poultry raisers or among people who tell of the smart things their children or pets do, however I believe the fishermen have more imagination than most of the others.

Last Sunday I met Charlie Austin at the Post Office and Charlie complained that he had slept too late. It was eight o'clock when he woke up and he usually got up about seven. This information was very enlightening to me and most encouraging. It has been my dream for many years to be a gentleman farmer but the idea of getting up at four in the morning has always

FREE AIR

Cecil Self—Editor

Howdy Folks; The chief difference between the movies and real life is that in the movies they get married after all their troubles are over.

At that, the movies would be better off if they shot less film and more actors

And "screening" a picture doesn't take the trash out.

We shouldn't be so harsh on the movie actors, though, in view of the fact that we had stage ambitions once.

We got as far as having our leg in a cast, anyhow.

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SELF

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LAFF-A-DAY



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been a dark cloud in my dreams. Now Charlie has proven to me that a man can get rich at farming and sleep until seven or eight o'clock. All that I have to do is to sell the Slatonite for three times what it is worth and buy a farm at four times what it is worth, move out and get an easy rocking chair and count either my dollars or the bugs that would eat my crop. It's a dream that is almost complete.

Whether we like it or not the cost of operating the City Government has gone up just the same as the cost of living and operations in every other line of work however if we pay more in the form of a sewer charge or what ever you want to call it, we should get more in the way of city service.

We are no worse off, and in many cases better off, than a

great many towns over the state in the way of water. Sure, we do not have enough but some of the larger cities are rationing water and we have not yet reached that point. It is a condition that may never be remedied completely for as a town grows the public services must be enlarged and improved. Slaton has grown and will probably continue to grow if we work together but we need a great many things to make Slaton a better town in which to live. As I have said before, street markers would be a great improvement. They should not be very expensive and as Slaton is one of the most complicated small towns in the United States, street markers would be a great help. If some of the sewer service money could be spent to mark the streets where

THANKS

To the people of Precinct No. 2 for the nice vote they gave me in the first primary July 27.

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Texas Traffic Deaths Increasing

Texas traffic deaths jumped 47 per cent in the first six months of this year compared to the same period last year, N. K. Woerner, chief statistician of the Department of Public Safety, announced today.

The six-month toll was: Killed, 874; Injured, 30,346; Economic loss; \$26,141,075.

This compared with 594 killed and 20,790 injured in the previous period.

"The increase continues to be greater with each succeeding month," Woerner pointed out.

Most dangerous today are highways and the small towns through which motorists are prone to pass at high speed. Highway fatalities are up 66 per cent. Towns of 2,500 or less population recorded a gain of 70 per cent.

Most such towns have little or no traffic policing, and enforcement on the highways is grossly inadequate because the Texas Highway Patrol's 125 cars are limited to 100 miles a day by depleted funds, Woerner said.

In the cities, with increasing emphasis on safety programs and scattered additions to police personnel, the increase was only 22 per cent.

The pedestrian continues to be the number one target of death in city traffic, Woerner pointed out. For the entire state, 217 pedestrians were killed in the half-year, and a 1946 total of 485 was predicted.

the sewers are, I for one will not gripe too loud about paying the bill.



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POSEY ITEMS

R. L. Boyd
The Methodist revival opened Sunday morning at which time Rev. W. R. Fleming, of Lubbock preached. His uncle, Rev. J. P. Fleming of Terrell, who arrived Monday morning, had charge of services. The meeting is scheduled to last for one week. Prayer meeting was held by different age groups.

Have your prescriptions filled at **TEAGUE'S DRUG STORE** by registered pharmacist.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Birdwell had as their week end guests Mr. and Mrs. Dan Carpenter of Hollis, Oklahoma, and two nieces of Royce City, the Misses Annie and Mittie Jane Campbell.
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gentry and W. T. Gentry have been visiting relatives in Grayson and Ellis counties.
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Joplin of Clovis, N. M., are visiting relatives and friends near Posey.
Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Lewis and Mrs. T. J. Wardlow and children of Post visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sain Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gentry left Sunday to visit relatives in Kansas.
A. S. Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carroll, and son, Johnnie, of Paducah, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Carroll.
Mrs. S. N. Gentry spent the latter part of the week taking special treatment at Lubbock Memorial Hospital.
Mr. and Mrs. James Vannoy visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stolle Sunday afternoon.
The Posey Wild Cat softball team was one of the four teams in the play off, but were eliminated in two games with Wilson. The Wild Cats are planning to enter the new league but with a slightly different team as some players wish to make trips.
Saturday afternoon, a precinct election was held to elect delegates to the county convention which is to be held at Lubbock August 3rd. F. H. Stahl was elected secretary. The delegates agreed on were: S. N. Gentry, T. A. Johnson and L. B. Kitten. Alternates were F. H. Stahl and L. H. Drolmer. The eleven persons present voted that the delegates were to vote as a unit next Saturday at 2 p. m., at the Lubbock courthouse.
A total of 96 votes, including 4 absentee ballots, were cast Saturday in the primary election. S. N. Maeker, James Gentry, Jim Sain, and W. were some Posey residents who sent the final game of the play off between Southland and Wilson. The Southland team won by a score of 8-2.

A small boy, the son of the brother of Mrs. W. M. Cox, was drowned Sunday afternoon in a tank at the Cox residence. The child's parents, who live at Tucumcari, N. M., were visiting the W. M. Cox family.
A new house is being built at Posey, the owner of which now lives at Lubbock.
The Cates family are also building structure which is to be used as a garage.
The Jack Blackburn family, former residents of Posey, who moved to California, are now living in the state of Colorado.
Mr. and Mrs. Emrick Kolodziejczyk, who have been living on the I. J. Kempf farm are now living in Slaton. The former service man has been employed by the Citizen's State Bank in Slaton for several months.
Some interest is being shown in forming an older men's soft-ball team. George Hayes who suggested the idea says that the team would seek games with like teams.
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I am deeply grateful to my many friends among the voters of Slaton for your loyalty and support in Saturday's election of my candidacy to the office of Public Weigher. I sincerely appreciate your efforts in my behalf.
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Thanks to the people of Precinct 2
for the splendid support you gave me last Saturday for County Commissioner. I certainly appreciate you putting me in the run-off. I earnestly solicit your continued support on August 24th for County Commissioner of Precinct 2.
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was the winner at 400, shot the highest score ever shot on that range. Moore was second in that match.

At the Lubbock match, Brooks shot 392 out of a possible 400, and Moore shot 390 out of 400. Dwain Bradley of Lubbock shot 399 out of

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TO THE VOTERS OF LUBBOCK COUNTY:

I am deeply grateful for the nice lead you gave me in the first Primary.

To you who voted for me, I earnestly request your continued support in the August Primary. To you who did not, I respectfully solicit your consideration.

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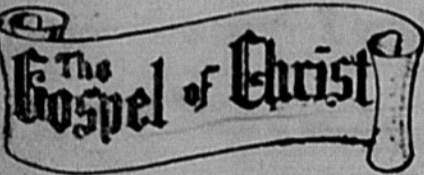
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WHY SEND FOR PETER?

Rom. 1:16 1 Cor. 9:16 Gal. 1:8

Did you know that God cannot save you unless you turn to Him? For in the scriptures we find that every case that God has promised salvation to any one there must be a conversion before any one can become beneficiaries of the blessing. We find in the New Testament many examples of conversion: In Act. 10:1-8 is recorded the conversion of Cornelius, a soldier, an officer, over a hundred men, stationed at Caesarea. Cornelius was a man who gave alms to the poor and feared God; he was a devote man and prayed to God. Act. 10:2. Act. 10:3, an angel appeared unto him and told him to send for Peter and it would be told him what he must do to be saved. Act. 10:6.

On the fourth day after the angels' appearing unto Cornelius, Peter was sent by God to Caesarea, from Joppa, and preached to Cornelius Jesus. Act. 10:34-48.

If anyone can be saved by simply being a good moral man,

why did the angel tell Cornelius to send for Peter? Cornelius was a devout man and we find many in this world like that. Cornelius and his household spent much time in prayer to God. Some will call on people today to pray for salvation, but God has said that those "that turneth away his ear from hearing the law, ever his prayer is an abomination" Prov. 28:9. "We know that God heareth not sinners but if any man be a worshipper of God and do his will, him he heareth" Jno. 9:31. "For the eyes of the Lord are over the righteous and his ears are open to their prayers" 1 Pet. 3:12. If a man can be saved through his prayers why did Cornelius send for Peter?

If any man can be saved by experience of grace, why send for Peter? Cornelius could have given an experience that could not be matched by anyone today. If the Holy Spirit that was poured out on these people had come to save them, why send

for Peter? If the Holy Spirit came to show that they were saved already, why send for Peter?

How were they saved? They believed, Act. 10:43. They repented, Act. 11:18. They were baptized, Act. 10:43.

God's plan never changes. walk through the sorrowing centuries, twenty-five hundred years from blooming Eden to Trembling Sinai, and God's plan was to hear God, never doubt Him, do what He says, pass from shaking Sinai to bleeding Calvary, one thousand five hundred years. Continue in the walk from Calvary until time shall cease; His plan never changes.

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