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## st Texas Roundup

Cotton has been coming in fast this week as the majority of the pullers have been busy during the warm weather. The number of bales ginned up to Wednesday night were 5,561 bales. Since the heavy frost some of the farmers are using mechanical pickers and it will not be long until the majority of the crop will be harvested.

Cotton seed was selling for \$80 per ton.

—Colorado Record

Readers of The Canyon News are asked to assist the publishers.

We want to know how you would improve the weekly paper if YOU were the publishers!

This request is issued in all seriousness. We are asking for advice, so just take a little time off to write a letter to The News. Please write—do not call or see any of the staff with your suggestions. Please sign your names to letters.

—Canyon News

Canyon's new water well is complete and was under the test pump for a week. It has been accepted from the drillers.

The new well at 525 feet will produce about 450 gallons per minute. It is not quite as strong as the Munson well which was drilled by the city two years ago. However, it is adequate to take care of present needs.

—Canyon News

According to this week's survey of gins, Hockley county kicked over the traces this week with the season's high week record of 18,970 bales which is more than double of that ginned in any previous week of the season.

—Hockley Co. Herald

Santa Claus is coming to Level-land!

At least, the visit of the portly Old Saint is included in the tentative plans of a joint committee from the Chamber of Commerce and the Jaycees, according to an announcement yesterday by Sam Billingsley, manager of the Chamber of Commerce.

—Hockley Co. Herald

Chamber of Commerce Manager Sam Billingsley informed The Herald yesterday that he had just received a wire from Norman J. Hockenbury of the Hockenbury System in Harrisburg, Penn., that their representative would arrive in Levelland Monday morning, Nov. 22, to start their survey work here to determine hotel needs of this city.

—Hockley Co. Herald

Some work has been accomplished during the week just past in securing further options on land to be covered by the proposed lake to be built by Texas Electric Service Company on Morgan creek. Out of a total of 31 land owners 25 of them have signed options, leaving six to sign.

A committee, appointed by the Jaycees at a meeting held some few weeks ago, composed of Del Barber, Harry Ratliff, Chas. C. Thompson and Frank Kelley report that four of the six are expected to sign just as soon as a few details have been worked out.

—Lorenzo Tribune

We have one new combination multiple key combination adding machine and cash drawer at the Slatonite. It's a real value.

## THIS WEEK'S SMILES

"Our sweaters," said the clerk, "come in three sizes—small, medium, and movie star."

—Wood Wind

The dollar does not go as far as it used to, but what it lacks in distance it makes up for in speed.

—Air University Dispatch

## Two Slaton Tigers Make All-District Football Team

Tom Smith, Co-Captain and senior fullback and Carl (Pete) Williams, junior tackle of the Slaton Tigers, were named all-district football players of the south half of district 4-A at a meeting of representatives Wednesday, Nov. 17 at O'Donnell.

Johnny Melcher senior guard of Slaton made the second team all-district.

Laurence Morgan, senior halfback and Alvis Collins, left end were given honorable mention.

The first team all-district is as follows: Ends: Fluit of Post and Carter of Tahoka; Tackles: Williams of Slaton and Rains of O'Donnell; Guards: Storie of Post and Davis of Seagraves; Center: Smith of Post; Quarterback: Palmer of O'Donnell; Halfbacks: Malouf of Post and Farr of Tahoka; Fullback: Smith of Slaton.

The second team is as follows: Ends: McNeely of Post and Pearson of O'Donnell; Tackles: Peirce of Post and Crowell of Tahoka; Guards: Dale of Seagraves and Melcher of Slaton; Center: Maxwell of O'Donnell; Quarterback: Boyd of Tahoka; Halfbacks: Jackson of Seagraves and Grogan of O'Donnell; Fullback: Boucher of Post.

## Local Firm Is Westinghouse Dealer Here

The Davis Motor Co., located next door south of the Slaton Implement Co., on South Ninth St., has been appointed as-dealers for Westinghouse Electric Appliances. In their advertisement in this issue of the Slatonite they list a large stock of these nationally advertised appliances and offer them for Christmas buying. They offer a lay-away plan which enables their customers to buy now while the selection is complete. They have everything from electric irons to laundromats, including heating pads, roaster ovens, and radios.

The public is invited to call and inspect their new building and look over the large stock.

The Davis Motor Co. are Oldsmobile Dealers for this territory, and now have a complete Oldsmobile service department, with experienced and expert mechanics. They also repair other makes of cars.

## Mahon Speaks At Lions Meeting

Congressman George Mahon, who has appeared before a large number of civic organizations and clubs over the South Plains in the last few months, was the guest speaker at the Lions Club last Tuesday night at their regular meeting. As usual he presented a forceful and interesting program.

## 14 ARRESTS MADE

According to the Docket at the City Hall there have been the following arrests made since Nov. 11th: One drunk, one assault, ten gambling, one permitting gambling and one filed in County Court for carrying a pistol.

Mrs. M. M. Gabriel of Corpus Christi is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. E. Ayers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Buchanan of Pueblo, Colo., are visiting this week in the home of Mr. Buchanan's aunt, Mrs. E. R. Childress, of 300 S. 6th St.

Dr. and Mrs. M. J. McSweeney and children are spending Thanksgiving in Austin with Dr. McSweeney's father.

Mrs. J. D. Barry is visiting relatives in Dallas this week.

Golden Hued Dirlylte Service for 6 with chest, \$58.50 at the Slaton Decorator and Gift Shop.

Remington Rand and Underwood new portable typewriters for sale at the Slatonite. Several models to choose from, make your selections now for Christmas.



IRMA LOU GREGORY



BOBBIE ANN DEMENT

## High School Girls Are Honored By Students

Slaton High School students were unable to decide between two "most popular" girls when the election was held recently. The student body voted twice and each time Joyce Sexton and Bobbie Ann Dement tied for first place, so the honor was given to both.

Joyce Sexton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Sexton of 520 West Lynn, is a Senior and has attended Slaton school three years. She was chosen as class favorite in her Sophomore year. She is an active member of the Choral Club.

Bobbie Ann Dement, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Dement of 1215 South Ninth St., is a Junior and has spent her entire school life in Slaton, entering at the age of seven. Bobbie Ann is a cheer leader in the Pep Squad, a member of the Choral Club, and of the Rainbow for Girls.

Irma Lou Gregory, who was crowned Queen of the 1948 Hallowe'en Carnival, is the daughter of Mrs. Celeste Gregory of 315 S. 5th St. She has been a student in the Slaton schools for eight years and is a member of the Senior class, President of the Sub-Deb Club, Worthy Advisor of the Rainbow for Girls, and Business Manager on the High School Annual Staff.



JOYCE SEXTON

## Union Services To Be Held Wed.

Special union Thanksgiving Services were scheduled to be held at the Methodist Church beginning Wednesday evening, Nov. 24, at 7:30. The Baptist, Methodist, Presbyterian, and First Christian Churches were co-operating in this service.

Rev. O. B. Herring is to read the Scripture, Rev. W. F. Ferguson will lead in prayer, and Rev. Geo. Hodges is to deliver the sermon. Mrs. L. A. Harral will lead the choir.

Slaton people are urged to attend.

## SLATON MASONS ATTEND SHRINE CONVENTION

Messrs. Merle Nelson and W. T. Brown, of the Slaton Masonic Lodge, are attending the National Shrine Convention which is being held in Waco this week.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Childress Sunday was Mrs. Childress' uncle, G. W. Buchanan of Dallas.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Pember for Thanksgiving day are Mr. and Mrs. Royce Pember and children of Portales, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Pember.

A Hearty Thanksgiving to our many Friends and Customers. J. C. Champion Jewelry.

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## Business Places To Close Tomorrow

According to Mrs. Lee Green, manager of the Slaton Retail Merchants Association, most every business house in Slaton will be closed tomorrow, Thanksgiving Day.

Outside of the observation of Thanksgiving by the Association of Slaton Churches there are no other planned programs for the day and it looks like Slaton will be a quiet place on the national holiday.

## MRS. J. E. BUCHANAN UNDERGOES SURGERY

Mrs. J. E. Buchanan of 235 S. 11th St., underwent major surgery in Lubbock Memorial Hospital on Monday morning, and at last report was very seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Hack Laster are spending the Thanksgiving holiday with relatives in Andrews.

Miss Wilda Hannah, who is attending Texas Tech, will spend the Thanksgiving Holidays with Miss Sarah Nicodemus in San Antonio.

Mr. W. L. Jobe was seriously ill with pneumonia in Mercy Hospital the first of the week.

Miss Barbara Wolfskill of Houston, and a former resident of Slaton will arrive in Slaton to spend the Thanksgiving Holidays with friends.

California Ivy Pottery, open stock, also Lexington Rose, Slaton Decorator and Gift Shop.

## Turkey Hunts Was Popular Feature

The last of a series of five Turkey Hunt Contests appeared in last week's Slatonite. Mrs. Charles Brake was the winner in the contest that ended last week.

There were a great many very attractive and original answers turned in and a lot of interest shown in the contest in which five turkeys were given away and a large number of passes to the Theatre as well as some subscriptions to the Slatonite.

The merchants who took part in the contest reported that they are all pleased with the results and that the contest caused considerable interest in pre-holiday buying.

Those who took part were Paynes, Fondy's Shoe Shop, Dickson Hatchery, Slaton Implement Co., Home Furniture Co., Teague Drug Store, Cudd Implement Co., Slaton Motor Co., Bain Auto Store, McWilliams Dry Goods, Carrington Jewelry, Slaton Bakery, White Auto Store, Southwestern Public Service Co., Carroll's Service Station, Slaton Pharmacy, Self's Service Station, Layne Plumbing and Electric, Berkley and Haddock, Slaton Theatre, and The Slatonite.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Woolton and Miss Cora Sealy are spending the day Thanksgiving in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan J. Williams of Post.

A Hearty Thanksgiving to our many Friends and Customers. J. C. Champion Jewelry.

You'll laff your head off at "Ye Village Skewl of Long Ago," to be given by the Lions Club on December 10 at the Slaton High Skewl Auditorium.

## Slatonite Gives Thanks Along With Other Americans

This week millions of Americans are giving thought to expressing their grateful appreciation to the Giver of every good and perfect gift for another year of comparative peace and plenty. Many years have passed since the first Thanksgiving Day, and many changes have been made in our government, and in our way of living, but the faith in God on which our forefathers founded this nation is still the faith which conquers fear and can guide us to personal and world peace.

The Slatonite hereby expresses heartfelt thanks to all those whose patronage has helped us to publish the paper throughout the past year. The co-operation of the business people of the town and our readers is gratefully acknowledged and appreciated.

Charles Becker, who has just finished his boot training in the Navy at San Diego, Calif., arrived at his home in Southland Sunday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Becker.

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## Clever Magician To Give Startling Performance Here

"There goes the Princess floating right out over the footlights." Yes, you and your hundreds of friends and neighbors in the city of Slaton will say just that when you see the startling performance of Dr. Gaffney, America's Cleverest Magician and his company at the Slaton High School auditorium on Dec. 6, 8 p. m.

Dr. Gaffney possesses that rich ability, tried by many and mastered by only one or two of each generation, whereby he can cause the princess to float right before your eyes without visible support—her support apparently being some mystic power with which few folks have communication—More than that Dr. Gaffney places her pet Fox Terrier on her breast so she will be protected from any evil spirits while out of this realm of the real and as she travels in the realm of the mystic.

Many magicians have some sort of "floating lady" trick but Dr. Gaffney is the man who has mastered the technique they try to emulate.

The smooth and scholarly presentation of Dr. Gaffney is said to be most delightful and as he carries his audience from one climax to another it will seem that he takes all within hearing on a personally conducted tour of the realm of the ancient mystics.

Dr. Gaffney uses assistants from the audience. And, in at least one routine the boy chosen to assist the great master goes home with the rabbit that came from the thin air above his head and presented to him by the Dr.

"The Rotary club feels fortunate, indeed," declares Bruce Pember, president, "to have been able to secure the performance of Dr. Gaffney and company for an appearance at the High School auditorium. We feel certain that everyone will enjoy the two-hour revue of this artist, who possesses rare skill and ability and that his show will hold the audience spellbound."

Proceeds from the performance of Dr. Gaffney will be used for Slaton Youth activities. Tickets on sale from any Rotarian, Palace Barber Shop, Fitzgerald Drug, Teague Drug, Moyer Bros.

## Basketball Is To Start Jan. 4th

Basketball schedules for the five teams in the south half of District 4-A were drawn up at a meeting of school representatives in O'Donnell last Wednesday night.

Also at the meeting was the selection of an all-district football team, formal declaration of Post as champions of this half of the district in football, and decisions on the awarding of trophies to the south half football and basketball champion.

Lee Vardy, jr., superintendent of schools here, was named to continue as chairman of this half of the district, a position he filled during the football season.

The high school Tigers will open their conference slate at home on Jan. 4 against the defending champion Tahoka Bulldogs. Other home games will be on Jan. 25 with Post, co-favorite to win the south half title this year; on Feb. 1 against Seagraves and on Feb. 4 with O'Donnell, the other team named as a possible champion. All of these games will be on Tuesday and Friday nights.

Road games will be played at Seagraves on Jan. 7; O'Donnell on Jan. 18; Tahoka on Jan. 28 and Post on Feb. 11.

Practice began this week for aspirants to the cage team, with Coach Bill Barnett handling the "A" team group and Coach Clarence Tillery handling the "B" team. At most district contests, a game for each team will be held.

Cage prospects here are light with most regulars of last season graduated, plus the small facilities offered by the local gymnasium.

Several non-conference games will be played, with dates announced at a later date. Plans also include at least two tournaments.

Typewriters for rent at the Slatonite.

Give brass and copper for Xmas, unusual pieces, Slaton Decorator and Gift Shop.



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**POSEY ITEMS**

R. L. BOYD

Only two classes met Sunday, the Young People's and the Young Married group. Some of the officials were sick and others were visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Strickland went to Ballinger Friday night on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Gentry were visiting relatives at Levelland Sunday.

Melvin and Earl Johnson each bagged a deer in Gillispie county and Billie Boyd was reported to have two. Another member of the Fred Stolle party was said to have one.

The house where Mr. and Mrs. Roland J. Schuette are living is being steeced. The farm is owned by Bob Vivial of Schulenburg.

The cotton harvest is believed to be over three-fourths completed. The sand storm Thursday blew some dirt in the open cotton.

Jack Creel of Lubbock was visiting here one day this past week.

Raymond Boyd went to look at an irrigated farm near Abernathy the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Birdwell are moving to Wolforth about the first of December.

W. C. Guetersloh has an irrigation well large enough to water several acres.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Johnson are parents of a daughter born Saturday at Lubbock.

Paul D. Bennett, who works the Godsey farm here, says that he has about completed his cotton harvest in Lamb county.

**Southland News**

MRS. FLOY KING

Our six-man football team was beaten Friday night by Wilson. The Outsiders team beat Wilson's Outsiders Tuesday night. The last game of football here this season will be played Tuesday night. Southland's football captain has gone deer hunting and was not here to play in the last games.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Davies left Sunday for Perrin, Texas to visit their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis, and children. Mrs. J. C. Harris accompanied them as far as Jacksboro to visit her brother and family.

Coonie Shelton, his sister and her husband all visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kellum in Arkansas recently. The Kellums moved from here about two months ago.

Mr. Carl Wortes was suffering with ear trouble last week. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wortes of Lorenzo, visited them Sunday.

J. Martin Basinger returned Sunday from Mason Co., where he and his father, Heywood Basinger, and several friends were deer hunting. His father stayed for a longer hunt.

Mrs. G. D. Ellis' mother, Mrs. Spikes of Lubbock, fell last Tuesday, spraining or breaking her wrist. She is reported as doing reasonably well.

Glenda and Calvin Grantham received word Sunday that their grandmother of Mineral Wells was very ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leake visited her mother, Mrs. R. R. Jones, Sunday. Other visitors in the Jones home were Mrs. Gladys Hafer of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones, and Mrs. H. Basinger and children.

Miss Maurine Lester, who is employed in Lubbock, spent the week end here with her parents, the William Lesters.

Mrs. G. W. Davis and daughter, Maxine, visited relatives at Cleburne last week.

R. M. 3-C Leon King left Tuesday night for Long Beach, Calif., and the navy.

Rev. P. D. Fullingim's mother, Mrs. W. P. Fullingim, and Mrs. Lutie Ellis of Lorenzo visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Johnston and boys visited in Waco recently.

Funeral services for Mrs. D. A. Blair of Littlefield were held here Tuesday, at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Blair had lived and reared her family in Southland, but moved to Littlefield about five years ago. She was buried in Southland cemetery beside her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Chilcutt of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Winterrowd, over the week end.

Visiting the Paul Eddie Winter-

rowd family Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lightfoot of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansel Hallman are visiting H. D. Hallman and wife in Austin.

Glenda Grantham, Southland 4-H Club girl, attended the luncheon given Saturday night at the Hilton Hotel in Lubbock. The luncheon was for councils of sixteen districts, to honor Mrs. B. M. Harris of Hale county for outstanding service in district 4-H club work. Dr. D. M. Wiggins of Texas Tech, was principal speaker. Glenda also spoke by transcription over KFYO Monday at 6:15 a. m.

**Deep Sea Diving**

If a diver could descend six miles into the ocean he would have to withstand six tons of pressure against every square inch of his body.

**Red Cross Certificates**

Last year the Red Cross awarded 470,390 water safety certificates for life-saving and swimming courses completed.

**London Museum To Move**

Arrangements have been completed to house the London museum in part of Kensington palace for a period of 15 years. The return of the museum to the historic building with which it was first associated was made possible by King George VI.

Large and regular size wire baskets at the Slatonite.

We have some real values in new Portable typewriters at the SLATONITE.

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Slaton, Texas

November 24, 1948

Dear Customer:

With the arrival of Thanksgiving and the Holiday season it is fitting, we believe, to stop and give consideration to the things that make this season of the year particularly enjoyable, among them the privilege of living and being able to do business in a free country and with people such as you here in the great independant South Plains region.

We are particularly thankful for the good friends and customers we have made, for without such folks as you we could not have prospered. We have done our best to fill your needs in home furnishings. We are striving daily to better our services to you and will continue to do so as long as we are in business.

We hope you have a very pleasant Thanksgiving.

Yours truly,

BLAND TOMLINSON

**Wassail Bowl For Auld Lang Syne**

The Wassail bowl goes around in Scotland—and elsewhere—at New Year's time.

The origin of the custom is really lost in antiquity; Saxon ancestors probably quaffed their ale from the polished skulls of defeated enemies, and the Rowena legend must be classified as "presumably fiction."

Rowena is reported to have offered her father's guest—Prince Vortigren—a bowl of wine with the salutation "Lord King, wass-hael," literally, "To Your Health." Draining the bowl with one draught, Vortigren fell in love with Rowena and they lived happily ever after.

Anyway, in time the bowl itself became an ornament of graceful design—decorated with branches of greenery which formed a canopy over the bowl. The mixture within warm and included ale, sugar, sweetened wine was added by hosts who could afford it, apples floated on top of the decoction, sometimes called "lamb's wool" or the "old man's beard." The poorer classes carried a bowl decorated with ribbons around the neighborhood, begging that it be filled, so they, too, might enjoy the Wassail.



The custom of making short calls of New Year's Day was in full swing throughout America about 1900. Newspapers carried columns of "at home" notices specifying the hours during which visitors would be received. A succession of "open houses" and punch bowls sometimes minimized the courtesy accorded to hostesses—receptions were often "crashed" by bibulous strangers; hence, the publicly announced "open house" custom has fallen into decline and, New Year's calls now being exchanged only by intimates, the Wassail bowl goes "round in private."

**Mistletoe Distinct As Yule Decoration**

Mistletoe, that distinctive Christmas green so common in many parts of America, is usually thought of as merely good holiday decoration or as a creator of open season on ladies fair for otherwise bashful swains.

Mistletoe did not always hold this position in our lives. The Druids called it "all-heal," and thought it held many miraculous virtues. The Scandinavians dedicated it to their goddess of love, Friga. Probably this goddess of love is responsible for the custom of kissing under the mistletoe.



The power to heal, to protect against sickness, to perform magic deeds—all these and more are the qualities ascribed to this plant in legends, traditions and even in ancient histories and literature.

Mistletoe is a parasite, which infests branches of various trees of both hardwood and conifers, but mainly on hardwoods. One species is found exclusively, however, on conifers.

Among the Celts and others mistletoe which grew from the oak was considered to have peculiar magical virtues not possessed by that from any other trees. Some even considered it so rare as to be only cut with a gold knife.

Another old tradition is that the mistletoe supplied the wood for the holy cross, as previous to that time it was a forest tree but after the crucifixion was condemned to exist only as a dwarf parasite.

Mistletoe was taken over into the Christian tradition in due course dedicated to the Christ Child. An old rhyme reads:

The mistletoe bough  
At our Christmas board  
Shall hang to the honor  
Of Christ our Lord.

**Overcoming "Pip"**

Tongue of a chicken with the trouble commonly known as "pip" is so sore that the bird has difficulty in eating. Using a sharp instrument such as a darning needle, remove the scale at the tip of the bird's tongue. Rapid recovery usually follows this treatment.

**Famous Law Salt**

When John Ruskin criticized one of Whistler's paintings, the famous artist sued and won damages of one farthing (half a cent). According to the World Book encyclopedia, Whistler had the coin made into a watch charm and wore it proudly.

**News Summary Featured Weekly**

**"YOUR HANDICAP MAY BE YOUR BEST FRIEND."**—A handicap may be a springboard to success! Read how a girl once crippled with infantile paralysis became a great ballerina. How a blind girl became an expert masseuse. Read how you may overcome misfortune in the American Weekly that great Magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

**"MY FAITH."**—Sir C. V. Ram-an, one of India's greatest scientists adds his name to the list of distinguished personalities who have found that religion aids those searching for scientific truths. Don't miss his inspiring message of faith in the American Weekly that great Magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

**H. D. CLUB MEMBERS DISPLAY HOBBIES**

Each member displayed her hobby when the Slaton Home Demonstration Club met November 7th in the Slaton Club house.

There were seven 4-H Club girls and eleven members present. The next meeting will be on December 1st at the home of Mrs. Earnest Stokes. This will be a Christmas party and gifts will be exchanged.

Thanksgiving Day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wilson are their daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Waldrep of Hereford, and Dr. and Mrs. Travis Ferguson and children of Albuquerque, N. M. Dr. and Mrs. Ferguson will also visit with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Ferguson.

New Remington Rand hand operated and electric adding machines for sale at the Slatonite. Will trade for used office equipment.

**When to Use Eggs**  
When meat can be served generously in meals it can provide adequate amino acids for growth. But when little meat is used, the protein may not be adequate in all amino acids, and it is a wise precaution to call on eggs as a supplement.

—WANT ADS GET RESULTS—

**Good Luck Stone**

In nature, Jade takes two main forms—jadeite, called true or imperial jade, and the tougher though not quite so hard nephrite, which is considered less valuable. Colors vary from deep green or black to pure milk-white or cream tinted, with rarer finds of yellow, red, mauve and mottled. When polished, jade takes a silky, oil-smooth finish, and is rated by experts inferior if dry to the touch. Carved into a thousand and one shapes, of valuable or cheap quality, jade through the centuries often has been assigned magical properties for bringing happiness and good luck to its possessors. It has been used in knives and axes, and also worn proudly by queens in

The dumbest scholars in the world will be on display at "Ye Village Skewl of Long Ago," to be given at the Slaton High Skewl on Friday, December 10th.



Mary Lee Taylor's Pumpkin Pie  
Nov. 13, 1948

1/2 cup brown sugar 1 1/2 cups pumpkin, cooked or canned  
1 tablespoon flour 1/2 cup Fat Milk  
1/2 teaspoon salt 1/2 cup Fat Milk  
2 1/2 teaspoons 2 slightly beaten egg  
pumpkin pie spice\* 2 tablespoons dark molasses

Turn on oven; set at very hot (450° F.). Mix brown sugar, flour, salt and spice. Stir in pumpkin, milk, egg and molasses. Pour into deep 9-inch pie pan lined with unbaked pastry. Bake 15 minutes, then reduce heat to slow (325° F.) and bake about 40 minutes, or until firm.

\*A mixture of 1 teasp. cinnamon, 1/4 teasp. cloves and 1/2 teasp. each of nutmeg and ginger can replace pumpkin pie spice.

**You Will Need:**  
PET MILK TALL CAN 15c  
Pumpkin Pie 2 OZ. 15c  
SPICE PKG. 19c  
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CHUCK, POUND  
HAMS 59c  
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# PIGGLY WIGGLY

## Green And White Predominate In Setting For Bridal Shower

Green and white, the colors chosen by Glenna Sue Liles, bride-elect of Wayne Kenney, were used to create a lovely setting for the bridal shower which was given last Friday evening at the Slaton Club House. Mrs. J. H. Teague, Jr. greeted guests and introduced them to the receiving line, composed of Mrs. Dan Liles, mother of the honoree, Miss Liles, Mrs. O. D. Kenney, mother of the groom-to-be, Miss Vysta Ward, Mrs. Wayne Liles, and Mrs. J. W. Jefferson of Galveston. Receiving hours were from 7:30 until 9:30.

Guests were registered in the bride's book by Mrs. John Fondy, jr., and Miss Betty Jo Gentry. The registry table was lighted by a large green and white planter lamp with trailing ivy, a gift to the bride-elect.

The serving table was covered with a white cutwork Madeira cloth and centered with white gladioli flanked by tall green tapers and lacy fern outlining the silver service. Mrs. Fred England and Mrs. Fred Schmidt poured coffee.

A ruffled green crepe paper parasol was suspended over the gift-laden tables and seven-pronged candelabra with green candles lighted the scene from the top of the piano, at which Misses Paula Maxey, Barbara Sue Stephens, Vysta Ward, Betty Jo Gentry and Mrs. Fondy played and sang love songs throughout the evening.

Fifty-nine guests were registered in the bride's book.

Other hostesses assisting in hospitalities were Mesdames Joe Tate, E. H. Ward, E. A. Gentry, Fred Stephens, C. C. Young, H. V. Jarman, H. G. Stokes, Max Arrants, Milton Fields, R. H. Davis, Arthur Dennis, Roy Holt, J. J. Maxey, Dick Adkins, E. E. Culver, Carl Lewis,

## Former Slaton Girl Marries At Tahoka

Miss Velma Fay Gentry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Gentry, former Slaton residents, was married at 6:00 p. m., Thursday to Mr. Stanley Ratliff of Tahoka. The marriage vows were spoken in the home of the bride's parents in Tahoka, with close relatives and friends present.

The bride was a student in Slaton High School until her parents moved to Tahoka last March. The groom is employed as a floor finisher in Tahoka, where they will make their home.

Slaton people attending the wedding were, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Gentry, and Mrs. Grady Elder and daughter, Nanna Lou.

## SANTA FE CLUB HAS MEETING AND PARTY

The Santa Fe Women's Club met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. C. Powers in regular session. Mrs. R. J. Hurst was co-hostess.

Following the meeting, two pink and blue showers were given honoring Mrs. George Jenkins and Mrs. Henry Hathaway of Seattle, Wash., who was represented by proxy. Corsages of pink and blue baby rattles and fern were pinned on the honorees. Mrs. Gus Clevenger opened the packages for Mrs. Hathaway, who is her stepdaughter.

Thirty guests were present.

W. H. Dawson, R. L. Smith, jr., C. W. Wilks, and H. C. Burrus of Lubbock.

# Society - Clubs

## Wilma Faulkner And J. W. Henry, III, Margaret Kyle Is Bride Of L.C. Mead Of Beville



**BAND SWEETHEART**  
Blue eyed and golden blonde Miss Phyllis Leach, who is a 17-year-old senior of Slaton High school, was elected band sweetheart for 1948. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Leach, 245 S. 17th St. Miss Leach, who is the band drummer in the band and who takes voice lessons, is vice-president of the Sub-Deb social club, secretary-treasurer of the senior class, member of the Choral club.

In a double ring ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, Miss Wilma Fay Faulkner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Faulkner of 700 S. 9th St., and John Williams Henry, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henry, jr., were united in marriage. The vows were spoken at 8:00 o'clock Saturday evening, Nov. 20, with Rev. W. F. Ferguson of the First Baptist Church officiating before a background centerpiece of peach gladioli, fern and tall white candles flanked by large baskets of gladioli.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor length dress of beige crepe, trimmed in gold, with wine accessories. She carried a small bouquet of orchids on a white Bible. For something old, she wore a 65 year-old pin belonging to Mrs. Jerry Mudgett; something borrowed was the bridegroom's mother's pearls and a friend's white Bible; something blue was garters, and a penny in her shoe for luck.

Miss Wilma Jean DeBusk, maid of honor, wore rose wool crepe with black accessories and a white carnation corsage.

Billie Tom Taylor served the groom as best man.

Miss Dorothy Davis and Mrs. Bennie Moeller furnished soft wedding music during the ceremony.

**Reception Is Held**  
Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held for the bridal party. The serving table was centered with a three-tiered wedding cake which was served by Mrs. Moeller, while Miss DeBusk poured coffee.

**Wedding Trip To Mexico**  
For their wedding trip to El Paso, Mexico, and other points, the bride wore a blue-gray suit with wine accessories and an orchid corsage. On their return, the young couple will be at home in the Meador apartments on Ninth Street.

Mrs. Henry is a graduate of Slaton High School, attended McMurry College in Abilene one year and is a member of the Sub-Deb Club. She is employed as receptionist in the McSweeney Clinic. The groom is also a graduate of Slaton High School, spent two years in the U. S. Army and is employed by Kirk's Taxi.

J. L. Mann, father of Mrs. Eula Greer and Mrs. Irma Johnson of Slaton, is reported very much improved. He has been seriously ill with pneumonia in a Lubbock Hospital.

## Margaret Kyle Is Bride Of L.C. Mead Of Beville

Miss Margaret Ann Kyle, daughter of Mrs. Lillian Kyle, and Mr. Lloyd Carrol Mead, son of Mr. D. C. Mead of Premont, Texas, were married at 6:00 p. m., on November 20 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Williams.

J. Lloyd Moyer, minister of the Church of Christ, performed the double ring ceremony, by candlelight, before an archway of pink gladioli and fern.

The bride, given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. Chester Williams, wore a two-piece dusk gray dress with contrasting accessories. She carried a white Bible topped with a white orchid arranged with silver and white streamers.

Mrs. Dwayne Walters, matron of honor, wore a black crepe dress with matching accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

Mr. Marvin Tidwell of Beville, served as best man.

At the reception which followed the ceremony the three-tiered wedding cake was served by Mrs. Walters, and Mrs. William Horsburgh presided at the punch bowl. Miss Vera Beth Williams registered the guests.

Chosen colors of the bride, pink and white, were used in decorations and refreshments. Floral arrangements of white mums, pink gladioli and pink and white carnations were used in the living room and dining room.

**Out-Of-Town Guests**  
Out-of-town guests were the groom's father, Mr. D. C. Mead, and his sister, Mrs. William Horsburgh and little daughter of Cheyenne, Wyoming, Mrs. Lee Taylor Stinson and daughter of Hebronville, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Tidwell of Beville.

Mr. and Mrs. Mead will make their home in Beville, where he is employed by the Texas Oil Co.

**KITCHEN SHOWER IS COURTESY TO MISS LILES**  
Miss Glenna Liles, bride-elect of Wayne Kenney, was honored Saturday afternoon, Nov. 13, with a kitchen shower in the home of Mrs. John Fondy, jr. Refreshments were served to Misses Nancy Teague, Betty Gentry, Mary Evelyn Cook, Vysta Ward, Mrs. Avan Holder, and the honoree.

**LOYAL WORKERS CLASS ENJOYS LUNCHEON**  
The Loyal Workers class of the Methodist church met at the parsonage Thursday, Nov. 18, with a Thanksgiving luncheon. Mrs. O. B. Herring was hostess, with co-hostesses as follows: Mesdames Clay Oates, H. H. White, Jess Hennington, S. P. Ferguson, and W. L. Holloman.

The devotional, taken from Psalms, on the theme, "Thanksgiving and the Home," was brought by Mrs. Bruce Pember.

"Our Pilgrims Thanksgiving and Today's Blessings We Enjoy Through God's Hand," was discussed by Mrs. Ferguson.

A short business meeting followed and a free will offering was taken. Twenty-nine members enjoyed the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. James Perkins and daughter Harriett are spending the Thanksgiving Holidays with relatives in Deport, Texas.

## Tea Shower Is Courtesy To Margaret Kyle

The home of Mrs. Henry Eidson was the scene of a tea shower given Saturday afternoon, Nov. 13, as a courtesy to Miss Margaret Ann Kyle, bride-elect of Lloyd Mead of Beville.

Receiving hours were from 3:30 until 5:30. Mrs. Eidson greeted guests and introduced them to the receiving line composed of Mrs. Lillian Kyle, mother of the bride-elect, Margaret Ann, Mrs. W. N. Williams and Mrs. Dwayne Walters.

Purple and white mums were used throughout the receiving rooms.

Mrs. Frank Drewry assisted in the dining room, where refreshments were served from a lace covered table decorated with white mums and crystal. Mrs. Jack Clark, Mrs. C. R. Bain and Miss Dorothy Knight alternated at the punch bowl.

Gifts were displayed on satin covered tables and Miss Ann Singleton registered guests in the bride's book. Fifty friends called.

## DINNER PARTY HONORS BRIDE AND GROOM

Mrs. E. H. Ward entertained in her home with a dinner Monday evening, November 22, honoring Glenna Liles and Wayne Kenney prior to their wedding, which is being held Thanksgiving Day morning.

The centerpiece for the table was a floral arrangement on a reflector bearing a miniature bride and groom, and with the inscription, "Glenna and Wayne" in blue lettering.

Music was furnished throughout the dinner hour by Miss Micky Ward.

Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. John Fondy, jr., Miss Betty Gentry and Clay Oates, jr., Miss Vysta Ward and Lindol Beard, and the honorees.

Mrs. B. A. Hanna is visiting her daughter, Gwendolyn in Dallas.

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Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Drewry, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Eidson and Miss Knight.



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Our son and brother was twenty one years of age and was buried in Slaton on November 13th at 2:00 p. m.

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**Some Indiana History**  
Research on Indiana by Dr. Wm. O. Lynch, professor emeritus of history, Indiana university, for the World Book encyclopedia, has revealed one of the first automobiles in the United States was demonstrated by Elwood Haynes near Kokomo on July 4, 1894. A bicycle chain was used to connect the engine with the rear wheels. Other facts disclosed by Dr. Lynch: Furs from Indiana were worn by ladies of the French court in the 1600's and were shaped into beaver hats for the lords and princes of Europe. The first newspaper in Indiana was the Indiana Gazette, published in Vincennes in 1804. Other early papers had colorful names like the Coon Skinner, The Grubbing Hoe of Truth, and the Round Ax of Freedom.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Ramsey and their two young sons of Amarillo are expected to visit Mrs. Ramsey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Meador.

If you like corn you'll get a bag full at "Ye Village Skewl of Long Ago," to be given at the Slaton High Skewl Auditorium on December 10th by the Lions Club.

**Use of DDT**  
Spraying DDT oil solution on walls, woodwork, the undersides of chairs, tables, and shelves will control roaches, ants, silverfish, book lice, and other household pests. In using DDT however, one should avoid contact of oil solutions with the skin and also avoid inhaling the spray, using old gloves and a mask for protection.

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You'll get lock jaw laughing when you see "Ye Village Skewl of Long Ago," at the Slaton High Skewl Auditorium, Dec. 10th.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

**To Dunk or Not To Dunk?**

Dunking doughnuts is Sober Hopkins' favorite morning pastime... and for a long time Ma Hopkins has been trying to break him of the habit. Feels it sets a bad example for the children.

So one morning she puts a heavy frosting of chocolate on the doughnuts... figuring that will stop him. She thinks it over for a while and says, "Smile! And she puts the missus on the lovely mocha flavor!

I guess there'll always be two schools of thought: to dunk or not

to dunk. But from where I sit, it's a matter of personal choice and taste—like some folks prefer beer to cider, ale to beer. And the less we criticize those differences of taste, the better.

In fact, Ma Hopkins got so curious about the flavor of chocolate-covered doughnuts dunked in coffee, that she tried it herself. Now—you've guessed it—she's a daily dunker, too!

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**THE SLATONITE**

**Plan New Youth Club Building**

At a meeting of the local Girl Scout Council last Friday, Nov. 19, plans for a new Slaton Youth Club Building, to be used by the entire youth of Slaton, were extensively discussed.

President of the Council, Melvin Tudor, directed that each civic organization in Slaton be consulted and requested to furnish at least one representative on a committee for investigation of possible locations, sources of building materials and labor, and sources of funds for the construction of this Slaton Youth Center.

The proposed program of action was outlined to the group by Rev. Lloyd Moyer, and the general problems involved were discussed. A committee for action on architectural plans and construction was appointed by the chairman. The report of this committee is scheduled to be heard at the next meeting of the group shortly after the first of the year.

**M. L. ELDER CELEBRATES HIS 80TH BIRTHDAY**

A birthday dinner was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Clark Friday, Nov. 19, for Mrs. Clark's father, M. L. Elder, who celebrated his 80th birthday.

Baked hen with all the trimmings, was served to twenty-five guests. Out of town guests were: A daughter, Mrs. E. E. Maxey of Marlow, Okla., a brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Elder of Littlefield; a sister, Mrs. Bettie Culwell of Spade, and Monroe Williams of Seagraves.

Slaton guests were: Grady Elder, Nobel Elder, Nanna Lou Elder, David Ray Elder, Mrs. W. J. Schilling, Mary Ann and Patricia Schilling, Tom and Mary Elder, Jack Jo Ann, and Cindy Clark, J. W. Corky, and Linda Martindale, T. J. Kendrick, and Marjorie Baxley. Little Cindy Clark and Linda Martindale are great-granddaughters of Mr. Elder. All enjoyed the day and Mr. Elder received many nice gifts.

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**Local CROP Program Feeds Children**



Farm commodities now being contributed in this state to the Christian Rural Overseas program (CROP) will be distributed overseas on the basis of need alone, with much of it going to children such as those shown above, according to John D. Metzler, national CROP chairman.

These five Chinese orphans recently were picked up on the streets by CROP's sponsoring church agencies, and are now being nursed back to health, although their ribs still stick out like ridges on a washboard. Children, widows, the aged, and those in pre-tubercular centers are among those who benefit most by CROP contributions—which are distributed in 43 different countries.

More than a score of states, including this one, will have assembled trains of food for CROP by late November or December. The effort is nationwide and is sponsored by Catholic Rural Life, Church World Service, and Lutheran World Relief.

**Special Services To Be Held Nov. 25**

Thanksgiving Day services are held each year by The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ Scientist, in Boston, Mass., and its branches throughout the world. The order of service includes the reading of a Lesson-Sermon on the topic of "Thanksgiving," and opportunity is afforded for testimonies of gratitude to be expressed appropriate to the occasion. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

The Gold Text is: "Offer unto God thanksgiving; and pay thy vows unto the most High" (Psalms 50:14).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And let the peace of God rule in your hearts, to the which also ye are called in one body; and be ye thankful" (Colossians 3:15).

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: "The rich in spirit help the poor in one grand brotherhood, all having the same Principle, or Father; and blessed is that man who seeth his brother's need and supplieth it, seeking his own in another's good" (page 515.)

Two drawer and one drawer steel letter size filing cabinets at the Slatonite.

**About Folks**

Dick Taylor says that the Shreveport Times is the best paper in the world.

Many of the farmers are having trouble getting help and some of them are dragging their cotton. Charley Austin has a cotton picking machine that he is using.

Homer Crews said that he has ginned less than half as much cotton up to now as he did by this time last year. He expects to compress less than 10000 bales this season.

R. O. Hayes said that if his son studied as hard on his music lesson the last two weeks as he did on the Slatonite Turkey contest that he would be a great musician by now.

Johnny Sims at the West Texas Gas Company said this week that he does not look for any shortage of gas this winter as a considerable additional supply has been secured by the Company.

Christmas buying has started in a limited way but it is expected

to take a big leap forward soon after Thanksgiving.

Clay Oates, who underwent an operation last week is reported to be getting along nicely.

Hunters who have returned from South Texas say that the deer and turkey are not as fat as in previous years due to the drouth in that section of the country.

Chief of Police Ernest Ward, and E. A. Gentry of the police force say that business has been good in their line for the past two weeks.

Robert Huser and Ralph Dickson say that the prospects for a big demand for poultry, is evidenced for the coming spring. There

**Water Transport of Oil**

Transporting oil by water began in the 1860's, when the first Pennsylvania wells began flowing. Oil was moved on flatboats which were steered by poles and floated with the current from the upper reaches of the Allegheny river to the Pittsburgh area. Since then, with the creative dredging of deeper channels, water transport of oil has become an outstanding factor in its distribution.

**River of Milk**

Someone has taken the trouble to figure that the annual U. S. milk supply would fill a river 3,000 miles long, 49 feet wide, and two and one-half feet deep.

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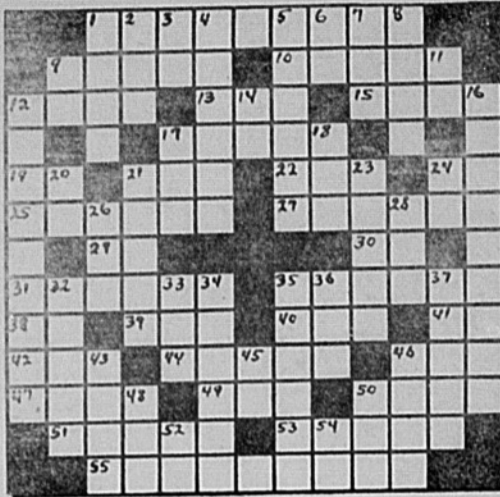
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**Wild Flower Destruction**  
In our more populous areas wild flowers are disappearing rapidly. Much of our wild flower destruction is due to advancing civilization, which is beyond our control, but there is one tremendous source of loss that each person can help minimize, and that is the toll taken by "nature lovers".

**Luigi Galvani (1737-1798)**  
Luigi Galvani was an Italian physician who experimented with frog legs in 1780. He discovered what he termed animal electricity. Some thought he had solved the mystery of life. What he actually discovered was the revelation that electricity is a current, that it follows.

**Corpuscle or Electron?**  
Back in the 1890's the physicists were arguing heatedly over whether it should be "corpuscle" or "electron" for the smallest particle of negative electricity, also a vital component of the atom itself. Dr. G. Johnston Stoney, Irish mathematician, finally won the decision. Hence, modern-day electron, electronics and electronic age.

### CROSSWORD By A. C. Gordon



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| <p><b>ACROSS</b></p> <p>1—The "top man" in a republic<br/>9—Vain of embellishment<br/>10—Designs<br/>12—Part of the day<br/>13—Possess<br/>15—Measured duration<br/>17—The things a candidate for public office needs to win<br/>19—Parent<br/>21—A cavity<br/>22—The president of an assembly has to do this for attention<br/>24—Personal pronoun<br/>25—Language peculiar to a people (pl.)<br/>27—Picturesque<br/>29—Royal Law (abbrev.)<br/>30—Measure of area<br/>31—Part of the human limbs (pl.)<br/>35—Soluble mineral salt<br/>38—Symbol for tantalum<br/>39—Compass direction<br/>40—United States Senate (abbrev.)<br/>41—American Officeholders (abbrev.)<br/>42—To subsidize</p> | <p><b>Government</b></p> <p>44—To force air with violence through the nose<br/>46—Mineral element<br/>47—Female deer (pl.)<br/>49—In the time past<br/>50—Ventilates<br/>51—Animal<br/>53—Appraised<br/>55—United by treaty into a league</p> | <p><b>DOWN</b></p> <p>1—Scheme<br/>2—What the candidate did for election<br/>3—Either (abbrev.)<br/>4—Ornices (colloq.)<br/>5—Eaters<br/>6—Man's nickname<br/>7—Snare<br/>8—Animal appendage<br/>9—Italian river<br/>11—Chemical symbol for samarium<br/>12—Proposed a candidate for office<br/>14—Weight (abbrev.)<br/>16—The act of choosing men for public office (pl.)<br/>17—Force</p> | <p>18—Baglike part of a plant<br/>20—Newspaper announcement<br/>21—Receive the votes of the people<br/>23—The highest parts<br/>24—Note of the musical scale<br/>26—To irritate<br/>28—National Recovery Administration (abbrev.)<br/>32—A native viceroy of India<br/>33—Suffix used to denote feminine nouns<br/>34—A legislative body<br/>35—Dawn of the day<br/>36—Abbreviation for landing craft<br/>37—Scottish landed proprietor<br/>43—A kind of meat<br/>45—Officer of the guard (abbrev.)<br/>46—Secured<br/>48—Scottish "so"<br/>50—Consumed<br/>52—Standard Deviation (abbrev.)<br/>54—Toward</p> |
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**Leader in Wine**  
France, for years, has led the world in wine production. During the 1920s the average production was about 1.5 billion gallons. The 1945 output totaled only about 630 million gallons. French wine production costs are reported to have more than doubled.

**Chemical Research in USSR**  
Chemical research in progress in the USSR now is influenced not only by that country's immediate needs, but also by large scale projects of long duration in which traditions of the Russian school of chemistry play an important role. Various inducements, such as honors, prizes and contests are being widely employed among Russian technologists and scientists to aid in the industrial program of development.

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**JUST TALK**

by  
**A.M.J.**

There is a lot of stress laid these days on personality and there is no doubt that one's ability to get along with other folks is one of the greatest assets in a successful life.

There are folks, like Irvin Heinrich who always seems to be in a good humor, there are others who seem to have little or no interest in the other fellow and some who are seemingly sore at the world.

It's a pleasure to see folks like Irvin, J. L. Alred, Dick Taylor, Cecil Scott and a lot of other fellows around town for life always seems to be a nice juicy apple to them, however I'd like to see how long they would stay in such a happy state of mind if they were in the newspaper business, or, perhaps I'm just an old grouch and have neglected to cultivate my smile.

Every year it seems to me that the wind gets colder and that the thermometer fails to register how cold it really is at the beginning of winter. When I come down to work in the mornings with icicles hanging from the end of my nose and wrapped up in gloves, overcoat, muffler, and find Ed Blair out in front of Anthony's in his shirt sleeves sweeping off the sidewalk, I feel like a sissy. It should be against the law for folks to do such things and I'm going to endeavor to get a city ordinance passed requiring everyone to put on long handles.

As one of the business men of Slaton I would be glad to give a modest amount toward giving prizes to folks who decorate their homes for Christmas. The Holiday season used to be observed here in this way and the cheerful lighting and Holiday decorations added greatly to the enjoyment of the season. This is meant as a suggestion to the Chamber of Commerce. They have made a start by

making plans to put up some lights and decorations at the North and South city limits and now if the merchants and home owners will help Slaton would look mighty pretty.

I've had several folks including Mr. Gilbert Self and O. D. McClintock compliment me on my howl for better traffic regulations on 9th Street and on Texas Ave.

Every town has its traffic troubles on account of the big trucks that block the streets, hog the highways and seems to be able to break all of the traffic rules while the man in the small automobile gets a traffic ticket and a fine if he does not stick out his hand at the time he turns a corner. Too many regulations are worse than none and I still claim that one takes one's life in his hands when he drives on the highway, but I'd like to see something done all over the country about the way truck drivers are allowed to do about as they please.

"No nation can play God to the world with any final result except self-destruction," declares Bruce Barton in The Reader's Digest for December. "If the President has the courage to say this—and to implement it with a realistic foreign policy—he will win America's gratitude and the surprised respect of every other nation."

Alarmed at the extent of the United States' promises to other countries, "with no program for fulfillment," Barton says that millions of people abroad have been led to believe that America is pledged to solve all their problems. Because America is unable to do so she has become "one of the most unpopular nations in the world."

Europeans are increasingly tak-

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ing the attitude that their problems are our responsibility, even more than theirs. Some contend that the Marshall Plan is set up not in the interests of Europe, but because the U. S. must give away \$10 billion of goods and money a year to maintain full employment and prevent a depression at home. "They expect to be on our relief rolls for years," Barton says.

The assumption that "we do not want anything from other nations" is branded by the author as a hypocritical lie. Among the things we do want are closer economic cooperation among European countries, so they may be less dependent upon American aid; stabilized currencies; our share of the Middle East's oil, and raw materials we cannot produce at home.

The United States Navy, knowing its super battleships to be useless in atomic war and fearing its relegation to a secondary role is attempting to usurp the functions of the Air Force. The Navy's plan for expansion, comprising a fleet of giant aircraft carriers, involves vast and needless expense to American taxpayers and jeopardizes America's chances of victory in any future war. So charged William Bradford Huie in the Reader's Digest for December. Mr. Huie, widely known authority on air power and naval history, is

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author of several books. Congress is convinced that our Air Force, not our Navy, shall constitute our first line of defense in the atomic age, Huie says. This conviction was overwhelmingly demonstrated by Congress' recent historic vote in support of Air Secretary Symington's 70-group air program.

The Navy, however, has not accepted the people's verdict as expressed through Congress. Huie contends, but plans to spend \$6 billion in 1949, at least \$8 billion annually by 1951. "The result is a conflict not merely between the

Navy and the Air Force, but between the Navy bureaucracy and the American people."

A large part of the Navy's billions will be earmarked, unless Americans unite in protest, for super carriers costing over \$100 million each. These ships, the author is convinced, are highly vulnerable to enemy airplanes and thus far less effective, as bases for attack, than the ring of island bases we already have.

Mrs. J. H. Brewer spent last week end in Wichita Falls visiting her sister.

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**Total Spending Rising**  
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**Homogenized Milk Sauce**  
White sauce made with homogenized milk will be thicker than one made with unhomogenized milk.

**British Production**  
During the first quarter of 1948, Great Britain's industries produced 19 per cent more than before the war, while production in France exceeded the 1938 volume by 15 per cent. Specially notable progress has been made in the British steel industry. During the first quarter of this year, the annual rate of steel production was a third higher than in the corresponding quarter of last year and 43 per cent higher than in 1938.

**Make Wash Day A Little Easier**

Here are some hints from Gladys Draden, assistant home management specialist of the Extension Service at Texas A. & M. College, for making the washday job a little easier.

Hang the clothes on lines located near the laundry area to save steps and time . . . and save your energy by placing the clothes basket on a laundry cart or the youngster's wagon. An apron with large pockets or a bag hanging on the line will keep the clothespins in easy reach.

Hang the cup towels, pillow cases, and towels one-third over the line so you don't get dog-eared corners. The same goes for sheets and table cloths, except they should be doubled with the hems together.

By grouping the napkins and handkerchiefs together and hanging them over the line like other flat pieces, quite a bit of space can be saved. But don't hang them by one corner. They'll get dog-eared that way. Pin the shirts up by the tails, and hang the dresses, gowns, and pajama tops by their shoulder seams. Trousers, shorts, and pajama bottoms should be hung by the waist . . . and to make ironing easier, try using pants stretchers.

Hang the slips by the underarm section . . . and fold all the flat clothes as they are taken from the line to reduce wrinkles as they are put in the child's wagon or the laundry cart, says Miss Draden.

**Exodus from Farms**

People will continue to move from the farms into town in future years, predicts the U. S. department of agriculture. With better machinery, crops and livestock, it takes fewer farmers to do more farming.

**CAMERA TOPICS**

by T. T. Holden



Radical cropping to concentrate emphasis on eyes made this owl portrait by Lynwood Chace, shot at 1/10,000 sec. a winner in the 1947 Graflex Contest.

**SHAPE YOUR PICTURES TO THE SUBJECT**

Many photographers seem under the impression that because film and photographic papers come in certain standard sizes, a good picture must be in the shape dictated by the dimensions of the paper. Salons invariably receive almost all entries on 11 x 14 paper while 8 x 10 has become the standard for news pictures and magazine work.

Why shouldn't a picture be 4 x 10 if that is the shape indicated by the subject, or 8 x 8? It seems much more sensible to use the paper size that will do a given job than to waste space on areas that contribute nothing to a picture.

Recently we discussed the contribution which cropping made to fine pictures. The use of a certain paper size would carry cropping to its logical conclusion—and would often save much laborious handwork to remove unwanted objects, darken corners and improve the over-all effect.

Look through any picture maga-

zine and you will seldom find photographs printed in the sizes popularized by the standard printing papers. Editors know that by varying the sizes and shapes of pictures they cannot only increase the overall impact but also frequently improve individual pictures. Why shouldn't we practice the same thing in our albums and display prints? Take any page of prints in your album and mask them off into shapes that best suit the content of the picture. Doesn't it do something for the pictures? Doesn't it liven up the whole page more than row upon row of the same size prints can?

Don't be afraid to be original in photography. There are almost no standards or patterns that you have to follow. The opportunities to experiment make the hobby more fun and ingenuity usually results in much greater satisfaction than you can ever find in the well-beaten ruts of tradition.

**Cumulus Clouds**

Cumulus clouds, rounded white masses which often resemble a flock of sheep drifting across the sky, are usually a sign of good weather. But during the warmer part of the year and most of the time in the tropics, cumulus may sometimes build up into great towers of cloud which become cumulonimbus, or thunderheads, discharging showers of rain and sometimes hail.

**First Aid Stations**

Almost 2,000 highway first aid stations and more than 10,000 mobile first aid units are maintained and operated by Red Cross trained volunteers.

**Oregon's State Parks**

Oregon's territorial centennial visitors during 1948 have a choice of visiting more than 160 state park areas, making up what is credited with being one of the most extensive state park systems in the nation. Located in every section of the state, they offer choice seascapes, high waterfalls, deep forests and scenery of unsurpassed appeal. These areas are operated without entrance fees.

**To Liquefy Honey**

Place a container of honey in a bowl of warm water—not warmer than the hand can bear—until all crystals are melted. See that the honey container does not rest on the bottom of the water container.

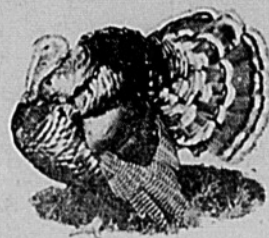
Protection against lightning for livestock can be provided by grounding wire fences every 100 yards. Metal posts placed at least three feet in the ground provide good grounding for fences. It should be remembered that metal buildings or roofs afford no protection from lightning unless they are adequately grounded.

**New Insecticide Reported Safe**  
New and effective insecticide that combines high insecticidal efficiency, low toxicity to warm-blooded animals and safety to plants has recently been developed. Toxicological tests show that bis-trichloroethane, the active ingredient, is one of the safest to animals of all the new insecticides. It has a fast knock-down or paralytic action against flies and mosquitoes, according to national patent council.

**Pruning blueberries**  
It costs from \$100 to \$150 a year to keep an acre of blueberries pruned properly if the labor must be hired for the job. Pruning is important because the berries grow on the previous season's wood and some of the old wood must be cut out to get a good crop of new vigorous shoots. Cutting away the old wood allows the bush to produce bigger berries.

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owners for the right of way on roads all over this part of the South Plains. Ben was one of the most persistent workers on getting the paved farm-to-market roads in this area and his work will benefit the people of the South Plains as long as there are good roads in this section. The people of precinct 2 and the residents of Lubbock County owe Ben Mansker a debt of gratitude, he went far beyond his grade of duty to do good work.

**Russian Autos**

New Soviet automobiles have gone on sale in Moscow. A small four-door sedan, larger than our Crosley and smaller than the pre-war Willys sedan, is being sold for 10,800 rubles (\$2,000). The model, which is called the Moskovitch, has been coming off the production line for more than a year, but has been sold only to Stalin prize winners, Soviet scientists and other persons favored by the state.

**Mixture for Dairy Cows**

Equal parts of steamed bonemeal or dicalcium phosphate and iodized salt placed in a covered box on pasture make a satisfactory mineral mixture for dairy cows.

**The Hawk Family**

That most hawks are beneficial, feeding mostly on rodents and insects, has been substantiated by examination of thousands of hawk stomachs. There are three main groups of hawks: the Buteos, Falcons and Accipiters. Hawks in the Buteo group (broad wings and fan-like tails) are commonly called chicken hawks or hen hawks, and have suffered most at the hands of gunners who think they destroy poultry and game birds.

**Bear Hunting in Idaho**

Best possibilities for successful bear hunting in Idaho is in the Idaho primitive area, especially in the Chamberlain basin region.

**Can Pecans Early For Best Results**

Whether they are canned, frozen or in the shell, pecans go nicely with cold evenings by the fireside. Waiting too long before putting them away might give the pecans a chance to get rancid. So for best results, store them before January.

Freshly shelled pecans may be packaged in cellophane bags, tin cans, freezer jars, or heavily waxed cartons. Seal the container and store at 0 degrees F. in a home freezer or a commercial locker. No heating is necessary when freezing pecans.

If you're canning pecans, they should be shelled, sorted, and cleaned of all the little bits of shell. Put pecans in a slow oven for a pre-heating treatment, but make sure they don't scorch. When done, pack the pecans to within an inch of the top of hot, dry jars, and drop in a piece of crumpled parchment paper to absorb the moisture.

Semi-seal the jars and put them in the pressure cooker. Adjust the lid and clamp. Leave the pet-cock open for seven minutes, or until you see the steam coming out. Close the cooker lid and raise the pressure to five pounds. Release it immediately to bring out the moisture, and, at the same time, create a vacuum inside the jar.

Take the jars out of the pressure cooker and complete the sealing job. Wipe them dry and allow to cool before storing them on the pantry shelf. Now they're ready for eating.

**Historic Hawaiian Building**

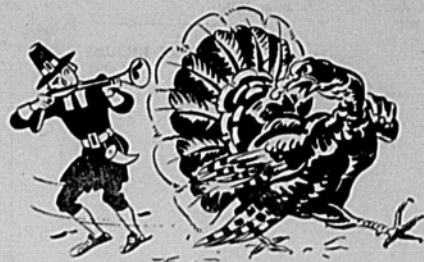
Oldest frame building still standing in Hawaii is the American mission home in Honolulu which was built in 1821. The building now houses pictures of the early American missionary groups who brought Christianity to the islands.

**Barn-Dried Hay**

Barn-dried hay and wilted grass silage at ordinary levels of roughage feeding usually provide enough vitamin D to prevent rickets in calves, but artificially dried hay may not provide enough.

"Old Line State" Maryland's historic nickname, "the Old Line State" derives from that long disputed northern boundary, "the Mason and Dixon line." Every fifth stone of that line, which was established in 1763, is a "crown stone", with the arms of Calvert on the south side and those of Penn on the north.

London Museum To Move Arrangements have been completed to house the London museum in part of Kensington palace for a period of 15 years. The return of the museum to the historic building with which it was first associated was made possible by King George VI.



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Mrs. H. R. McKee, formerly of Slaton, but now living in Los Angeles, Calif., is to spend a week end in Lubbock and Slaton. Mrs. O. O. Crow spent last week visiting with her sister in Wichita Falls while Mr. Crow was on a deer hunting trip in Mason Co.

**Michigan Forest Fires**  
Careless smokers started 373 fires that burned 15,477 acres of Michigan forest land last year. Second high on the list of forest fires in Michigan last year were railroad locomotives. Handicapped by poor coal because of troubles in the mining industry, the railroads were blamed for starting 439 fires that burned 2,517 acres. Camp fires ranked third.

**U. S. Naval Academy**  
U. S. naval academy, at Annapolis, Md., was founded in 1845. From its founding the academy has been separated from the city of Annapolis by a high wall. It was originally designed for the dual purpose of keeping the midshipmen in and outsiders out, but in recent years the navy has adopted a more liberal policy toward visitors.

**Hitch-Hiking**  
Twenty-three states and the District of Columbia have, up to the present time, enacted laws against the practice of soliciting rides from passenger car owners by thumbing or oral pleas. Nineteen states permit hitch-hiking, while six have either no laws covering the practice or regulations which leave the matter up to county and municipal authorities.

Americans consumed almost 22 billion dollars worth of food, liquor and tobacco in 1949. Alcoholic beverages accounted for 3.6 billion dollars of this total and 1.9 billion was spent for tobacco.

**HINTS ON MAKING GOOD DOG PHOTO**

**Few Simple Rules to "Catch" Family Pet At His Best Are Listed**

By remembering a few simple rules of grooming, background and pose, the home photographer has a good chance of getting pictures of his family pet which will hold much of interest in years to come, states the Gaines Dog Research Center, New York City. Photographs of puppies and dogs rate with pictures of babies for having the greatest appeal and human interest. In spite of the fact that many amateur photographers are quite expert, they are frequently disappointed in the results when they attempt a picture of their pet dog or puppy. These rules by the Center should help.

One of the first considerations is that the dog be looking his best. Long-coated dogs should be thoroughly combed and brushed so that the coat will stand out and



A homely, lovable rascal

show its full beauty. Dogs with white patches or all white coats should be snowy clean. If cold weather makes bathing the dog risky, rubbing talcum powder into the white portions of the coat will make it presentable for photographic purposes. Smooth-haired dogs will look glossy and well-kept if they are brushed and then a little brilliantine rubbed on by hand.

The background against which the dog is posed can make or break a picture. Black, tan, brown and reddish dogs photograph dark and a dog of any of these colors should be placed against a light background. A sheet thumbtacked against the side of a house, barn or garage makes a good light background. White or spotted dogs need a solid dark background such as a brick wall or a thick hedge. Particular care must be taken with spotted dogs not to place them against a dappled background, as they will blend with it.

One of the best ways to get a standing picture of a dog is to place him in a three-quarters view facing the camera. This pose gives a full view of the dog's head and expression without obscuring the outlines of the body. For close-up shots of the head it is important that the dog's facial expression be bright and alert. The easiest way to capture an appealing expression is for the photographer to have an assistant who can attract the dog's attention by making a noise or holding a bit of food. Breeds having a collar or ruff of fur around the neck—such as Collies, Chows, sled dog breeds—make nice pictures when faced directly into the camera, as this pose shows their coat to the best advantage. Puppies are so active that they are almost impossible to pose, but often an amusing photograph results when a pup is given a bone, ball or other toy and his picture is snapped while he is absorbed with his plaything.

Prizes totalling \$1,125 are being offered by the Gaines Dog Research Center in a dog photo contest it is sponsoring as part of the observance of the 1948 National Dog Week this fall. For complete information and rules drop a postcard to the Center at 250 Park Avenue, New York 17, N. Y.

**"Ham" Radio Expands**  
In the early days of "ham" radio an amateur was lucky if he could talk with a fellow-enthusiast blocks away. Now it is quite possible, through the exercise of perseverance and patience, to talk to amateurs located in the remotest corners of the world.

**Vitamin Factory**  
Rumen of the cow is really a vitamin factory. Bacteria in the rumen work on the often low-vitamin feeds and manufacture B-complex vitamins.



**'PILGRIM'** — George Tobias, who starred in the NBC "Cavalcade of America" Thanksgiving program, "Us Pilgrims," last year, will return in a requested repeat broadcast of the drama Nov. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lott of Waldron, Ark., were visiting in Slaton last week. They came to see their new nephew, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Riggs, jr., and to visit in the home of Mr. Lott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lott.

**Bells Will Tighten**  
U. S. agriculture department's American will eat in 1950 as compared with last year: Meat—143-145 pounds against 154 pounds; fresh fruit—143 pounds against 146 pounds; vegetables—257 pounds against 250 pounds; sugar—100 pounds against 93.5 pounds; milk and cream—386 pounds against 393 pounds.

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# Slaton Homemakers Plan For Thanksgiving

## HOW TO PREPARE YOUR THANKSGIVING TURKEY

Select a bird with no bruises or discolorations, plump in breast, thighs and back, flexible in breast bone.

### Start The Day Before

1. Pluck and singe your turkey clean; wipe inside and outside with damp cloth.

2. Make stock to use in stuffing and gravy by cooking turkey neck, gizzard, liver and heart with 2 cups of cold water, a stalk of celery with a few leaves, a bay leaf, onion slice, salt and pepper. Cover tightly and simmer gently; remove liver after ten minutes; continue cooking 1 1/2 hours or until tender. Strain stock and save for gravy and to moisten stuffing. Mince gizzard with heart and neck meat; crumble liver. Set aside.

3. Prepare your favorite stuffing. Rub turkey lightly inside with salt. Stuff loosely with stuffing; sew up and truss, being sure to skewer the neck skin over opening tight to the back bone.

4. Rub outside of turkey lightly with salt; then with soft butter or margarine. Wrap loosely in waxed paper; store in refrigerator overnight. Your turkey is all ready for the oven next morning.

### Mrs. Stokes' Favorite Dressing

1 qt. crumbled cornbread  
1 qt. crumbled stale lightbread  
1 chopped onion  
1 c. chopped celery  
3 beaten eggs  
1 pt. oysters  
Black Pepper and Salt  
Sufficient turkey stock to moisten well. Bake 30 minutes in moderate oven.

Mrs. Brewer is planning her Thanksgiving dinner for Friday as her son, Phil, student at A. & M. College, will come home after attending the A. & M. football game J. H., jr., whose wife and son are visiting her parents in Florida will also be at home for Thanksgiving. She plans to serve the usual Turkey Day menu.

## Thanksgiving Dinner



- Broiled Grapefruit
- Roasted Stuffed Turkey
- Gilbert Gravy Cranberry Sauce
- Glazed Sweet Potatoes
- Creamed Onions
- Celery Curis Stuffed Olives
- Parker House Rolls
- Pumpkin Chiffon Pie
- Coffee

## FAVORITE RECIPES

Mrs. Ray C. Ayers gave us this "tried and sure to jell" recipe for Cranberry Sauce:

### Cranberry Sauce

1 qt. Cranberries  
2 cups sugar  
2 cups boiling water

Place berries in boiling water. Cook 6 to 8 minutes. Press through colander to remove skins. Add sugar and bring to rolling boil. Boil 5 to 7 minutes.

### Pumpkin Chiffon Pie

1 9-inch pie shell, or  
18 small tart shells

### Filling

Soften: 1 envelope plain gelatine in 1/4 c. cold water. Combine in double boiler:

1 1/2 c. canned pumpkin  
1/2 c. milk  
3 egg yolks (beaten)  
1 c. brown sugar  
1/2 tsp. salt; 1/2 tsp. ginger  
1 tsp. cinnamon  
1/4 tsp. each allspice, cloves

Cook until mixture thickens, stirring constantly. Stir in softened gelatine until dissolved. Chill until mixture begins to congeal.

Whip until stiff: 3 egg whites. Add: 2 tbsp. sugar. Fold into pumpkin mixture and pour into baked shell. Chill, garnish with whipped cream and nuts.

### Onions In Squash

Boil small white onions, adding a little sugar to the water, drain them well and to a little of the water they were cooked in, add 2 tsp. honey and small piece of butter. Put onions in a pan with this mixture and cook over low heat until glazed. Service in little acorn or Italian squashes, split, hollowed out and baked until tender with small lump of butter in the hollow.



MRS. EDWIN HADDOCK

Mrs. Haddock believes in being old-fashioned on Thanksgiving, serving the traditional turkey, dressing and cranberry sauce, and being thankful for our blessings of the past year.



MRS. KIRBY L. SCUDDER

Mrs. Scudder reports that she and Mr. Scudder plan to spend a quiet day at home Thanksgiving as their children will not be coming home for the day. She says it is a family tradition with them to have boiled custard with their turkey day menu.

**Storing Potatoes**  
Potatoes kept in storages built and operated according to recommendations of agricultural engineering research show shrinkage losses from one to 10 per cent less than other types of houses. At least 10 million bushels annually of late-crop potatoes are now stored in buildings of improved design, and the annual savings in shrinkage alone approximates \$122,000. Heavy losses from freezing and decay are prevented, and the potatoes for table use have higher nutritive value.

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**Capillary Water**  
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**"Bug Catchers" Unsuccessful**  
Mechanical "bug catchers" do not catch enough of the right kind of insects to do any good in control of cotton insect pests, according to an entomologist, who reports that the machines collected large numbers of insects but the many beneficial insects offset the good that should have resulted from collection of injurious species.

**Mosquito Fighters**  
War-time research has produced a host of new and highly potent insecticides for mosquito control, many of them actually or potentially dangerous to man and other forms of life, and most of them inadequately tested. Before these powerful chemicals are used they should be carefully studied by research workers to determine whether they are safe to use, in the opinion of Dr. W. H. Martin, of Rutgers university.

**English Channel Swimmers**  
Frederick Cavill, English-born, followed Capt. Mathew Webb in 1877 in trying to swim the English channel. Cavill came within 50 yards of the English shore, in 12 hours and 15 minutes, only to lose when watching boatmen refused to send small craft to guide him the rest of the way through shallow waters.

**Dessication Under the Elms**  
In a single hot summer day, as much as 50 barrels of water may evaporate from the surface of the leaves of a large elm tree, says Dr. Curtis May, shade tree specialist of the U. S. department of agriculture.

**Win Texas 4-H State Championships**

TEXAS' 4-H State winners in the 1948 Dress Revue, Food Preparation, Girls' Record and Home Improvement programs, who each received an all-expense trip to the 27th National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, and brief outlines of their records follow:

In recognition of what she has learned in 4-H Club work about all phases of homemaking, Lois Wilson, 16, of Morton, has been named State winner in the 1948 National 4-H Girls' Record program. She helped raise 1,250 fowl and sell eggs, and canned 2,023 quarts of fruit and vegetables from the family garden. To beautify her home she repaired the fence, cared for the lawn and planted flowers. Lois makes all her own clothes. She has served her club as secretary, president, and is junior leader. Lois has been awarded an all-expense trip to the National 4-H Club Congress, Chicago, provided by Montgomery Ward.

If you visited her home in Moore, you would readily see why Shirley Moore, 15, has been named State winner in the 1948 National 4-H Home Improvement program. Shirley has remodeled a narrow clothes closet into a linen closet, put new linoleum on the floor, varnished and covered a rocking chair, and sawed the posts off her bed to make it Hollywood style. Shirley helped upholster a studio couch and chairs for the living room. She also helped in painting the bathroom and kitchen. In recognition of her achievements, The Sears-Roebuck Foundation is providing Shirley with an all-expense trip to the National 4-H Club Congress, Chicago.

Preparing tasty, nutritious home meals is an art, well mastered by Donna Hendry, 16, Blackwell, who has been named State winner in the 1948 National 4-H Food Preparation program. Donna has prepared and served 4,889 meals and 2,217 separate dishes during her eight years as a 4-H member. She has also completed 63 projects, canned 2,245 quarts of food, raised 1,330 chickens, and 57 hogs, calves, and sheep. She has held every office in her club and was also county president. She is now an assistant leader. The income from her 4-H projects amounts to \$4,366. As a recognition of her 4-H achievements, Donna was awarded

All of these activities are conducted under the direction of the Extension Service of the State Agricultural College and USDA cooperating.

**Paprika**  
Paprika may be used to decorate lettuce by placing the lettuce in a bowl of water where it has been sprinkled. Tiny flecks will stick to the lettuce.

**Rust Remover**  
Lemon juice can be used to remove rust from linoleum.



Lois Wilson



Shirley Moore



Donna Hendry



Jolene Campbell

an all-expense trip to the National 4-H Club Congress, Chicago, provided by Serval, Inc.

For the skill and knowledge shown in the planning, selecting, constructing and assembling a wool dress with a topper which won first place in the state 1948 4-H Dress Revue, Jolene Campbell, 16, of Colorado City won a trip to the National 4-H Club Congress, Chicago. Her winning outfit is a winter green wool one-piece dress. For her topper she chose a plaid which repeats this winter-green with red and off white. It is double breasted with self-covered buttons and features a flaring back. Her accessories include a green cloth bag trimmed in gold, gold colored gloves, a brown felt hat and brown calf shoes. The cost of her complete outfit was \$21.00 including all accessories. State winners who participate in the National 4-H Dress Revue at Chicago will each receive a \$25.00 U. S. Savings Bond from Simplicity Pattern Company, which also provided the National Club Congress trips.



For no particular reason we publish the above illustration assuming that most folks enjoy looking at innocence and at the picture of a pretty

bathing suit or dressed in a movie model sweater. The above children's names are not available but just the same, "Aren't they cute."

**Old Pajamas**  
Do not throw away adult's old pajamas. There is usually enough good material left in them to make pajamas for children.

**Patients per Nurse**  
Average ratio of patients per nurse in psychiatric hospitals in 1940 was 124 mentally ill for each professional nurse.

**Home-Made Tea Cart**  
A tea cart for clearing the table may be made by putting an old washstand or small table on wheels.

**Dressed-Down Steer**  
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