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West Texas Roundup

The weather was terrible at the Amarillo Fat Stock Show on Tuesday, but it didn't keep a group of Ralls FFA boys from moving in with thoroughbred steers and hogs to capture a haul of top honors from hundreds of experienced breeders from the Texas Panhandle, parts of Oklahoma and Kansas.

Clay Lynn Davis showed the grand champion Duroc and Bill Gilbreath had the grand champion Poland China; in the Spotted Poland China division, Ralls boys claimed the five first places in a field of 6 prize offerings; Harold Verett placed fifth in the Berkshire class with his entry; reserve champion, pen of 3 pigs (all breeds) was taken by Gilbreath; and Crosby county placed third in the best group of 25 pigs from any one county.

—Ralls Banner

A call has been issued by the Crosby County Water Conservation Association to meet in the Lorenzo High school auditorium, Wednesday, March 10th at 8 p. m. to discuss the water situation in this section.

Cliff Westerman is the active chairman and urges all persons interested in the water situation to be present.

—Lorenzo Tribune

WANTED: Some organization in Canyon which will sponsor the erection of adequate street markers at the various street intersections.

Delbert Lowery reported to the Chamber of Commerce Thursday night that attractive markers are now available. It will cost a little more than \$1,000 to erect all of the street markers which are needed at the intersections.

—Canyon News

Garza County 4-H leaders have proposed a plan whereby a fair association would be formed in Garza County and a building erected for use in county fairs, stock shows and other exhibitions.

The plan calls for the support of each citizen in the county. The fair association would be incorporated and each person contributing money to the project would become a stockholder.

—Post Dispatch

The Colorado Record, last week received a letter from Allan J. Payne, old time Colorado citizen. Mr. Payne expressed his appreciation of the Colorado Record and his special interest in "Yesterday in Colorado City." Mr. Payne says "Yesterday in Colorado City, is the first thing I turn to in reading your good Colorado Record. May you keep it up; and, thanks for so doing."

—Colorado Record

Come late spring or early summer, quite a number of Crosbyton streets should boast new corner street markers, and the houses on these blocks should be numbered with attractive stainless steel numerals.

The street markers for the City became a virtual certainty Wednesday when the Crosbyton Lions Club gave its committee the authority to start buying the necessary materials for the project.

—Crosbyton Review

The Slaton boxing team coached by Clarence Tillery won over the Tahoka boxing team coached by Jim Foust here last Friday night. The Slaton team won eight out of fourteen bouts.

The highlight of the night was the fight between Tahoka's Van Brookshire who won a decision over Slaton's James Mosser.

—Lynn Co. News

Slaton Again In Oil Belt League

At an Oil Belt League meeting held at Levelland Sunday, March 7, it was voted to bring three more clubs into the league making 8 clubs, and coming in was Denver City, Brownfield and Littlefield. The Denver City club will have Eddie Garmon for manager. Littlefield will have Boyd Watkins. Brownfield has not as yet elected their manager.

The League will open the 18th of April and close the 29th of August with the first four clubs playing for the winner of the league.

Slaton will open spring training the 21st of March and will have something that they did not have last year and that is pitching. Lefty Faulkner who got his release from Lamesa of the West Texas-New Mexico League and D. Whistle Banks, a big right hander of the Texas Tech basket ball team will be doing the pitching. With these two boys doing the work on the mound and at this time it looks like Jimmie Donaldson in left field, Clarence Tillery in center field, Charley Pressley in right field, with infield made up of big (Ugly) Max Arrants, Bunky Guinn, J. Gray and Jim Joe Reiger with McCoy doing the catching.

R. J. Fondy Buys Interest In Burns And Fondy Shop

R. J. Fondy has purchased the interest of Jerome Burns in the business firm of Burns and Fondy Shoe and Leather Shop on North 9th St., and will operate the shop in connection with his brother, John Fondy, who specializes in handmade leather craft.

Mr. Fondy has just returned from service in the Army with the 11th Airborne division, stationed in Japan. He has had considerable experience in the shoe business, having worked for a year and a half in the factory of the Nun-Busch Shoe Company in Wisconsin and having had several years experience in shoe repair shop work.

The new firm will be operated under the name of Fondy's Shoe and Leather Shop and will remain at its present location at 109 N. 9th St.

C Of C Elects New Officers For Year

At the regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce and the Board of City Development Tuesday night, March 9, Edwin L. Forrest was elected president; J. J. Maxey, vice president; John Sims, treasurer; and A. C. Strickland, Jr., secretary. These newly elected officials will succeed William R. Sewell, president; J. Howard Hoffman, vice president; J. J. Maxey, treasurer.

Mr. Forrest, a graduate of Texas University and Texas Technological College, was elected after careful consideration of the board. He plans to devote a great deal of his time to the responsibilities that accompany the position which he assumed at Tuesday night's meeting.

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CORRECTION OF ERROR

In the issue of the Slatonite of March 5th through an error it was stated in the Announcement of Waggoner Carr as a candidate for Lubbock County Attorney, that his career had been interrupted by three months service in the armed forces.

This statement should have been three years instead of three months service in the armed forces. The publisher regrets that this error was made.

Watch for further announcements on the Lion's Club show to be held in April.

Tiger Football Schedule To Start On September 10th At Floydada

School Trustees To Be Elected

The Board of Trustees of the Slaton Independent School District has issued a notice of an election to be held on Saturday, April 3, for the purpose of electing two trustees, who will serve for a period of three years. Present trustees whose terms expire are W. H. Dawson and H. G. Stokes. Anyone wishing to present a name for this election may do so by filing the person's name with the Secretary, Mrs. R. H. Bailey, at her office in the City Hall ten days previous to election date.

Charlie F. Austin has been appointed to hold the election, which will be held in the City Hall, the polls opening at 8 o'clock in the morning and closing at 7 p. m., Saturday, April 3.

Haskell Cooper Dies In N. Mex.

Haskell Cooper, 40, of Tatum, N. M., and resident of Slaton for about 32 years, died suddenly in Lovington, N. M., at 10 o'clock Friday morning, apparently from a heart attack.

Funeral services were held for Cooper at Tatum Sunday morning and the body carried overland to Slaton immediately afterwards. A second service was held at 4:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at Slaton First Baptist church with Rev. W. F. Ferguson, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Englewood cemetery under direction of Williams Funeral Home.

Cooper was in the restaurant business in Tatum, having operated a similar business during his residence in Slaton. He is survived by his wife; one daughter, Dolores, 12; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Cooper, Dallas; and two sisters, Mrs. Louis Smith, of Dallas, and Mrs. H. H. Eubanks of Slaton.

Pallbearers were Roscoe Mercer, Henry Clay Maxey, Henry Jarman, Bob McCastin, Travis Melton and Butch Hillen.

Work On City Sewer Line Progresses

Steady progress is being made in the work of extending the sewer line throughout the city. City Secretary J. J. Maxey states that another extension of 710 ft., has been finished along the alley of blocks 62 and 72 S. Slaton, between 13th and 14th Sts., at a total cost of \$549.48. Another extension now under construction and which will probably be completed this week is 647 ft. in blocks 195 and 198, W. Park addition, between Lubbock and Garza Sts. This work is being supervised by the City officials and each extension constitutes a considerable saving to the taxpayers.

Mrs. O. M. Peek of Greenville is visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Houston. Mrs. Peek is a sister of Mr. Houston.

Watch for Lion's Club Program in April.

BUILDINGS BEING SOUGHT FOR GYM AND COMMUNITY UNITS

Superintendent of the Slaton Independent Schools, Lee Vardy and Secretary of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce, Connie Strickland, returned last Tuesday from Childress where they went to inspect buildings that are for sale at the Childress Air base with the idea in view of securing material or buildings that could be used for school purposes here but they found all of the buildings except some very small ones

Coach Clarence Tillery announced the football schedule for the 1948-49 season this week. There will be nine games played with five of them on the Tiger field. Here is the schedule:

Date	School	Place
Sept. 10	Floydada	Floydada
Sept. 17	New Deal	Slaton
Sept. 24	Muleshoe	Slaton
Oct. 1	Tahoka	Slaton
Oct. 8	Lub. Cowhands	Slaton
Oct. 15	Morton	Morton
Oct. 22	Seagraves	Seagraves
Oct. 29	O'Donnell	O'Donnell
Nov. 11	Post	Slaton

Coach Tillery would make no predictions at the present time as to what could be expected of the team next season, however he did say that he expects to have a stronger team than he did during the last one.

Pioneer Citizen Passes Away

Mrs. Etta C. White, 79, of 335 South Ninth St., who was one of the pioneer settlers of Slaton, died at her home here about 6:40 a. m. Monday, after an illness of about three years.

Funeral services were held in the Presbyterian Church at 3 p. m., Tuesday, with Rev. George R. Hodges, officiating. Burial was in Englewood cemetery under the direction of Williams Funeral Home.

She had no immediate relatives. Mrs. Nell Bufkin of Ft. Worth and Mrs. Thelma Harrison of Slaton are nieces, and Louis Primm is a nephew.

Active pallbearers were Messrs. Ed Haddock, Howard Hoffman, Teddy Swanner, Travis Reynolds, Jess Burton and Bruce Pember.

Honorary pallbearers were Messrs. J. W. Shankle, Ben Mansker, J. W. Hood, M. A. Pember, J. S. Edwards, R. D. Hickman, and B. G. Guinn.

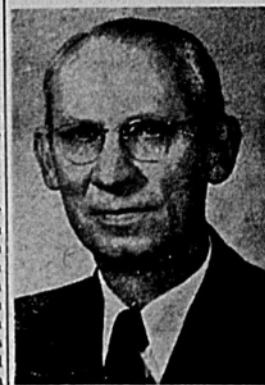
Mrs. White was born in Louisiana and had lived in Slaton since 1916. Her husband, the late Charlie White, was one of the early developers of this city, having been associated with J. S. Edwards in the real estate business here.

"King Of Kings" Is To Be Shown Here

"King of Kings," the movie based on the Life of Christ is being brought to Slaton by the Outreach class, the senior young people of the First Christian Church, and is to be shown at the church on East Panhandle Avenue on the night of Wednesday, March 24, beginning at 7 o'clock. No admission is to be charged and the public is invited to attend and enjoy this truly wonderful picture. The film is a Cecile DeMille production and is 157 minutes long. A free will offering is to be taken to defray expenses of the picture.

Junior Class Plays Are Postponed

Because of the blizzard, the Junior Class plays which were scheduled for Thursday night were postponed one week, and weather permitting, will be given on Thursday night, March 18, at the high school auditorium.



JUDGE DAN BLAIR

Blair Announces For Re-Election

Judge Dan Blair, of the 72nd District Court, announced Saturday that he is a candidate for re-election.

The 72nd Judicial district covers four counties: Lubbock, Crosby, Hockley and Cochran.

Judge Blair has been a resident of Lubbock for the past 20 years and previously served two terms as District Attorney. He is now serving his third term as 72nd District Judge, being unopposed since his first election.

He has seen litigation grow in his district, hand-in-hand with the population growth, until the court handles a tremendous volume of civil business, including that covering oil litigation, as well as actions in the fields of ranching, agriculture and general business.

Judge Blair is a veteran of World Wars I and II. He and Mrs. Blair reside at 2915 Twenty-first St., Lubbock.

Funeral Services Held For Soldier Killed In 1943

Funeral services for Martin Verkamp were held at St. Joseph's Catholic Church Thursday, March 4th, by Reverend T. D. O'Brien at 9 a. m.

Martin Verkamp was killed on Guadalcanal on March 26, 1943, when he was serving with the United States Artillery and the body was returned to Slaton last week for reburial.

He is survived by six brothers and five sisters and by his father, H. J. Verkamp who lives with his son on South 11th Street here in Slaton.

O. O. Crow Attends Funeral Of Brother

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Crow and son, Don John, went to Friona Sunday to attend a double funeral service held for Mr. Crow's brother, A. A. Crow, and George Stowers, who were killed instantly last Friday evening when struck by a Santa Fe passenger train at Friona.

Mr. Crow is survived by his wife; two sons, J. B. Crow of Hot Springs, and Clyde F. Crow of Fort Worth; one daughter of Friona, and 11 brothers and sisters.

SISTER OF SLATON MAN IS CALLED BY DEATH

Mrs. Carl Spray, 59, of Dallas, and well known throughout Hunt county, sister of J. W. Crawford of Slaton, died in a Dallas hospital Monday morning, March 1, following an operation. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at Tidwell with Rev. Weldon Drake, Rev. L. A. Johnson of Dallas and Rev. Casey of Tidwell officiating. Pallbearers were her nephews.

Mrs. Spray was recognized as a leader in church and civic affairs in both Jacobia and Tidwell communities where she had formerly resided. She was a member of the Baptist Church, in the work of which she gave generously of her time and talent. She is survived by her husband, three sons, one brother, and four sisters.

Seventh Annual Stock Show Is To Be Held Here On Saturday, March 20th

School Bonds Are Voted By Large Majority Here

Voting was very light in the school bond election last Saturday, but the bonds were voted by a large majority, the vote being 120 for the bonds and 20 against. Supt. of Schools Lee Vardy reports that plans are being made to start construction as soon as possible. The bonds are being offered for sale, and the architect has been employed.

B. C. Wood Rites Were Held Sunday

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 in the Church of Christ for B. C. (Rick) Wood, 54, who died Thursday night at his home here. Lloyd Moyer, minister, officiated, assisted by Dean Brookshire of Plainview, former minister here. Burial was in Englewood cemetery under the direction of Williams Funeral Home.

Survivors include the wife and a daughter, Mrs. Ernest Short of Slaton; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Wood of San Saba county; and several brothers, including A. B. Wood of Post; and three grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Johnny Berkeley, Ed Haddock, Gerald Gollehon, Buck Gossett, Billy Avent, and James Park.

Mr. Wood had been a resident of Slaton for the past 15 years, having been employed by Berkeley and Haddock, and in recent years, as caretaker of the Church of Christ.

New Equipment Now Operating

Among the post war improvements in business operations one of far reaching value to the services of the Slaton Steam Laundry and Dry Cleaners is a new and improved model flat work ironer that has doubled their capacity and enables them to give much better flat work ironing service.

The new machine is not only much larger than their former flat work ironer but it can be speeded up to nearly twice the speed of the former machine. It is the same kind of equipment that is used in the larger and most modern laundries in the nation and the Abernathy Brothers are greatly pleased with the quality of work that they are now able to turn out.

"We expect to add a number of new machines as soon as they are available," said M. L. Abernathy, who will show you the machine and explain it in detail if you venture into the building.

Lions Club Plans Womanless Wedding

The Amateur Program, which the Lions Club had planned to sponsor, has been postponed due to the inability to line up sufficient talent at this time.

To raise the necessary funds to carry on Civic and Youth projects of the Club, it has been decided to present the "Womanless Wedding," similar to the one presented about a year and a half ago. If no conflicting dates are uncovered, a tentative date of April 16th has been set for this play, which will be presented at the High School Auditorium. There will be numerous prizes in connection with the sale of candy, and in addition, a grand prize which will delight any individual. All who saw this play will agree that it was a scream from start to finish. Future announcements will be made.

Lions Club Play, coming soon.

Plans are about completed for the 7th Annual Lubbock County Stock Show, which is to be held Saturday, March 20th, at the Slaton Athletic Field. The Show is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, the City, business men and the F.F.A. Chapter of Slaton.

Mr. Ray C. Mallory, head of Animal Husbandry Dept., Texas Tech, will judge all classes of livestock, and according to A. C. Strickland, the Show is expected to surpass anything heretofore held in Slaton in number and quality of animals exhibited. Mr. Strickland says that in making contacts over the county he found widespread interest shown in the show, with special interest in the calf scramble which is to climax the day's events.

The catalogue for the show has been prepared, is in the hands of the printers, and will soon be available. Slaton F.F.A. will have charge of the show, which will consist of practically the same classes shown last year. All entries are requested to be in by 10 o'clock on the morning of the 20th. Judging begins at 1 p. m.

Slaton and Tahoka Fighters Tangle Again Here

The Tahoka High School fighters came to Slaton last Thursday night and together with Coach Tillery's pugilists, put on a good show at the City hall for the local fans.

The first three matches were between local boys, with results as follows: Eugene German won over Tommy Swanner; Douglas Lively and Jerry Lovelady fought to a draw, and Freddie England won over Glyndon Dawson.

Tahoka chalked up one KO when James Foster knocked out Elmer Herring.

Other bouts were: Rudy Bownds won over Brownie Williams of Tahoka; John Cartwright won over Joe Brooks, Tahoka; Thomas Talley lost to Robbie Dolman, of Tahoka; Red Pearson won over Richard McNeely, Tahoka; Bobby Glascock lost to Wayne Brasher, Tahoka; George Tubbs won over Bill Short, Tahoka; Horace Cooke won over Thomas Autry, Tahoka; and Paul Mosser won over Bob Tippet, Tahoka.

Easter Revival To Be March 21-28

The First Methodist Church people are preparing for a revival meeting during Easter Week, from Palm Sunday, March 21st to Easter Sunday, March 28th.

On Palm Sunday the choir will sing, "O Wondrous Cross," and the Pastor will baptize the infants whose parents will present them at the Altar of the Church.

During Easter Week, "National Family Week," will be observed. On Good Friday services of the Crucifixion will be had, and on Easter Sunday the invitation and the reception of members will be observed.

Mr. W. M. Culwell will have direction of congregational singing and the young peoples work, while Rev. Cal Wright will do the preaching.

The Methodist people extend an invitation to their friends to attend the services.

Four New Directors Elected In R.M.A.

Mrs. Lee Green, R.M.A. Secretary, reports the annual banquet held Friday night, February 27, was a decided success, both from the standpoint of interesting program and delectable food.

The following business men were elected to serve as directors for the coming year: Travis Reynolds, Earl D. Eblen, W. T. Davis and Milton C. Fields.

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POSEY ITEMS

R. L. BOYD

Rev. J. M. Morrison has been elected a member of the Posey Church building committee in the place of J. H. Stone who has moved away from this community.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gentry and Bud Morgan who live in Central Texas have been visiting relatives here.

At the school trustee election to be held April 3rd two trustees are to be elected. There are four candidates who are in the race: T. A. Johnson, W. C. Guetersloh, J. M. Sain and A. A. Robertson. M. P. Gentry, F. H. Stahl and a clerk will have charge of the election.

The Women's Society of Christian Service met last Monday at 2:00 p. m. with Mrs. Vera Johnson.

Mrs. Bert Darland and two daughters, Donna and Berta Dell, were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Carroll.

Mrs. J. M. Morrison, who died last Tuesday, is survived by her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Carl Miller and Mrs. Norvell Buxkemper and one son, Harold Morrison, who live in this community. She was buried in Slaton Thursday.

W. E. Lawrence says that he has about finished the school census.

J. M. Sain, the Sunday School Superintendent, was absent last Sunday. Mert Gentry had charge of services.

C. M. Boyce and son Robert enlarged the stock of the store that they recently purchased. The new owner says he will add more stock as business demands.

F. B. Tudor has remodelled the gin office and added more scale service.

Burton Townsend has been appointed as a trustee to replace a member who no longer lives here.

Two residents of Posey, Jim Sain and Roy Boyd, won cash prizes at the Horse Sense theatre contest at Slaton recently.

Mrs. Dave Sooter and Truman Burleson, who moved to Hale County two years ago, have sold their farming interests here and have moved to a location near Lubbock.

Mrs. Ella Burleson visited her niece, Mrs. Housour of Slaton last Sunday.

Mrs. V. Boyd, Mrs. Laura and A. P. Boyd and B. Boyd, visited at Wilson Sunday.

Robert Stolle has recently purchased a new Mercury automobile. George Grabber has gone into business in Lubbock.

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SUBJECT: MAN AND SIN

Rom. 1:16 I Cor. 9:16 Gal. 1:18

God so loved the world that He gave His son to save men from sin. Christ came into the world to save men from sin. To this end He lived and to this end He died. The Holy Spirit was sent from heaven to unfold the gospel plan of salvation to men, which is God's power to save them from sin.

With all the three persons of the God-head have done for man, that he might be saved, nothing is availed unless man can be brought to consciousness of sin, led to repentance of sin, and is baptized for remission of sins. There is the human part in redemption as well as the divine.

One tragedy of our age is the general disregard for sin; man has lost his consciousness of guilt and separation from God by this terrible monster. Sin no longer pricks the consciousness of man, causing the heart to pant after God as the hart for the cooling springs of the mountain. Man has forgotten that sin brought death into the world (Rom. 5:12); that sin separates man from God, the source of life (Isaiah 59:12); that sin enslaves man in bondage far worse than that of the Israelites in Egypt, or of the Europeans under Hitler

(John 8:31-36); that sin provokes the wrath of God against disobedience (Rom. 2:3-9; Eph. 5:6); and finally, that sins damns the soul to an eternal separation from God, for which man himself is responsible, and from which he cannot be retrieved beyond death (Ezek. 18:20; Rom. 6:23).

One may ask, "why has this generation lost its consciousness of sin and its blighting effects?" Several answers may be involved. It takes time for reflection and consideration if one is to become conscious of his real condition. Our fast-living machine age, with so many things to do and to be done, does not afford time for such meditation, reading of the scriptures, and self-examination. Modern preaching, which has tended toward what it calls the "Social Gospel," has left sin and the blood of Christ out, thereby robbing its messages of convicting and saving power. Materialism, which denies the immortality of the soul, has contributed to the numbing of the conscience to the destructive power of sin. Evolution as taught in our schools, and the fickle foolishness of the press have added to this condition.

Does the situation look hopeless? Emphatically, No! The Lord declared the Spirit should "convict of sin" (John 16:7-11), which it began doing on Pentecost, and continued to do throughout apostolic times, by preaching of the gospel message. Human nature is the same today as then; the gospel has the same power as then; it is simply a matter of persuading men to listen and reason for sufficient time to give the gospel a chance to do its work. Not only is human nature the same, and does the gospel contain the same power, but the terms of pardon announced by the Spirit are the same: simple, understandable, reasonable. To men convicted of sin by preaching of the word, who asked, "Brethren, what shall we do?" The reply was "Repent ye, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ unto the remission of your sins; and ye shall receive the gift of Holy Spirit" (Acts 2:27-38).

The task just now is that of making men conscious that rebellion against God, transgressing of His laws, failure to do His will, is SIN. To then tell those convicted of sin what to do about it, and persuade them to do it, will be relatively easy.

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Texas Tech Notes

April 23 and 24 have been set as dates for the 18th annual Engineers show and 12th annual Home Economics Open house at Texas Technological College. The spectacular shows, which annually attract thousands of visitors to the college, have been scheduled to coincide with the regional interscholastic league meet, being held on the campus for the third year.

Jimmie Clossin of El Paso, nationally known square dance instructor, will be in charge of the eighth annual country dance school at Texas Technological College March 8-12.

High school seniors in the Lubbock area who expect to study engineering in college next year may take pre-engineering inventory at Texas Tech College April 24 or July 10, it has been announced by Dean of Engineering

O. V. Adams.

Many schools, including Texas Tech, require that entering engineering freshmen have taken the tests before registration, although admission to the schools is not based on the test score, Dean Adams stated. Registration for the tests must be completed three weeks prior to the examination date.

A \$5 fee is charged for administering the examination and the test record may be forwarded to any schools the student designates. Application for the tests should be mailed to Dean Adams.

Vocational agriculture students representing approximately 90 high schools will compete in the 21st annual vocational agriculture judging contest at Texas Technological College April 24. Dean of Agriculture W. L. Stangel announces.

Approximately 680 are expected to compete. Judging is divided into six groups, including: cotton

Men Prefer This



Prize-winning wool topper selected at Cosmopolitan Magazine's Male-Tested Fashion show at the Stork Club is shown above as pictured in the March issue of the magazine. It is by Nardis of Dallas. Jury of notables included Bill Williams, Lanny Ross, John Loder, Oscar Johnson, and Zachary Scott. This was the first televised Male-Tested Fashion Show and was done by the Swift Home Service Club.

classing, poultry, dairy cattle, live-stock, dairy products and crops.

If farmers will spend a few hours per acre now levelling land preparatory to irrigation, they will save many hours work and considerable water later in the summer, according to Dr. A. W. Young, head professor of plant industry at Texas Technological College.

"Since we are becoming more conscious of possible limitations of the water supply on the high plains, every farmer should make the most effective use of his irrigation water and not permit any unnecessary waste by allowing water to run into lake beds or along the road side," Dr. Young declared.

Fifteen members of the original Texas Technological College faculty are still on the staff, with six of the group holding the same positions they held when the college opened in 1925. The first official catalogue listed 47 faculty members, while the current edition names more than 250. The greatest rise in rank was

made by Dr. W. M. Whyburn. He was an associate professor of mathematics on the first faculty and is now college president.

Nine salon photographs produced by Texas Technological College photography students will be sent to the round robin print show sponsored at colleges over the nation by Kappa Alpha Mu, national honorary photography fraternity, it has been announced by Miss Jane Watson, sponsor of Eta chapter at Tech, and instructor in journalism.

MISS KITTEN MAKES HIGH GRADES AT COLORADO BOULDER, COLO., March 8 — University of Colorado coed Alma Kitten of Slaton, Texas was honored this week for achieving a scholastic average of 2.5 or better at the quarterly scholarship dinner given in the Women's Residence Halls here. Forty-one high-point scholars living in the Residence Halls were presented with a plaque in recognition of outstanding scholarship. A three-point average indicates straight A's.

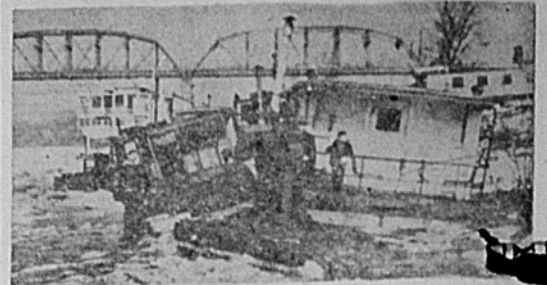
Chevrolets Reach All-Time Peak

DETROIT, March 8 — Latest available registration figures show the number of Chevrolets in operation has reached an all-time peak of 8,834,811 units, T. H. Keating, general sales manager of the company, announced today.

This is one-fourth of all automobiles in the United States and virtually as many as owned in the other countries of the world combined.

The total gives Chevrolet a wide margin of leadership over competitive makes, Keating said. Total registration reveal 24 per cent of passenger cars and 29 per cent of trucks now in use were built by Chevrolet.

RIVER ON RAMPAGE



CINCINNATI, OHIO—(Soundphoto)—The ice-clogged Ohio river rose slowly here and the U.S. Engineers admitted the situation "doesn't look so good." Boats were slowly being pushed against the banks of the river by the rising and expanding ice. View shows several boats tilted and given up for lost.

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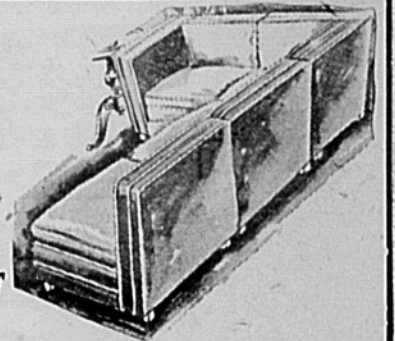
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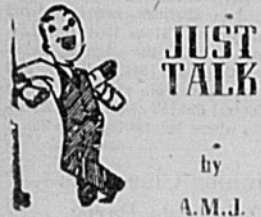
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JUST TALK

by
 A.M.J.

First I'd like to say that we failed to give credit in last week's paper to Mrs. Nora Billingsley for the excellent letter she wrote to us describing the experiences she and her husband had during the last serious Galveston flood.

Mrs. Billingsley has a fine talent for writing and I am sure that if she should bend her efforts in that direction she could become well known in the writing line.

We regret that the omission was made and I am sure that those who read Mrs. Billingsley's description of the storm felt some of the same thrill and excitement that Mr. and Mrs. Billingsley received when they went through the storm.

Howard Swanner says that he does not believe the average person in this part of the country realizes how near the United States is to becoming embroiled in another world war. While we may not get into it immediately Howard says there is a definite danger for it to happen at any minute. I heard one news broadcaster state over the radio that a prominent general in the Army said that the next war would not last over a week and that another one said that it probably would not last over one day, for with all of the latest destructive weapons that have been developed a whole nation could be wiped out before anything could be done to stop the invading air force.

All of this may be just wild imagination on the part of some announcer, or the scare stuff put out by military promoters, but it is entirely possible that atomic

bombs or things even worse could wipe nearly all living beings off the face of the world.

It is a terrible thing to contemplate. Another long drawn out war would almost do as much damage as the atomic bomb only it would take longer to do it and there would be more suffering.

As the unofficial weather prophet of the South Plains I believe I have come as near hitting the weather as the weather men who have all of the gadgets to figure things out. After careful study I have decided that Charley Austin and his long handles is the most dependable weather predictor that I have found. Last week I saw Charley on the street and he said that he had just about worn out two good long handles putting them on and taking them off several times each day and when Charley gets that undecided I am sure we will continue to have variable winds, changing to northerly every once in a while. Light rain or snow followed by warmer weather and muddy automobiles, dirty shoes and shivery people. The real rains have not started yet so girls you'd better not put away your galoshes. You'll need them badly when you go to the Post Office for mail, and whoever it is who puts the gang planks out over the Slaton river on the north side of the square should see that the planks are in good shape and don't bend too much.

And I'd suggest that some one take up a collection to put a new piece of glass in the Post Office door as it gets mighty cold in the Post Office for folks who want to read love letters and for B. G. Guinn who has his private office back in the Southeast corner of the Postal building.

Now that spring is here how about a clean-up campaign not only for digging out the trash and refuse around the homes and business houses but for some spring painting and renovating of the

business houses over town. If some of the business folks would take the example of the Slaton Motor Company, Berkley & Haddock, the Slaton Pharmacy and several other concerns over town we would have a town that looks as good as it really is. Slaton is now at a point where it could become a much more progressive and better looking town than it has ever been. Many new business firms have established themselves here, much new blood is in the veins of the old body and real progress could be made.

There is a town in Arkansas where the business firms of the town formed a corporation and constructed a building large enough to accommodate a large manufacturing plant. Before it was constructed the business firms of the town did not know what kind of manufacturing concern would be interested in coming to their town but they went in debt about \$20,000 and built a building that cost about sixty thousand and now a big factory from Chicago has leased the building for the manufacture of sporting goods and will not only give employment to several hundred people but will also provide enough trade to increase the number of private concerns to open business in the town as well as encourage the previously established concerns to increase and

improve their places of business. Something of this kind could be done in Slaton if we could get together. There are many, many big concerns in the larger cities that are looking for locations where they could cut their expenses. Slaton has many advantages to offer certain kinds of businesses. It would require considerable study and planning to go into such a thing but anything worth while requires close study and careful planning. Big things are being done these days by well organized small communities and it could be

done here. What do you have for supper every night? I'd like to have some suggestions at my house. I've asked Doc Crow and he and his wife seem to eat soft boiled eggs a lot, Leonard Herral on the other side of us says he eats cream on canned fruit. Lee Wootton says he eats breakfast food and I go home and have a dickens of a time finding something that I want to eat. Soft boiled eggs seem mighty slippery to me, canned fruit a very light supper for a hard working man and breakfast food is something that the cattle and horses

won't even eat. What I want is a meal that causes you to rush home with great expectations, the kind of meal that keeps you zippy all day. In fact I'd like to know what other folks eat for breakfast and dinner, or lunch, if you prefer to call the noon meal by that name. Two little shrivelled up pieces of stale bacon and two pieces of

toast is what I get for breakfast, steak and potatoes for dinner and a brain storm for supper, and I'm needing a change. Imported Fruit Trees Early horticultural writers state that seeds, clones and trees of the various fruits, including apples, were imported into the U. S. from France and the Netherlands as early as 1650.



From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Ben's Bride Gets Chickenhearted

Ben Ryder was mighty proud of his young bride when she offered to care for his new flock of baby chicks. "Just like a mother with her brood," he boasts.

Then came market time for fryers—and the crisis! Sue simply wouldn't let Ben near her chickens with an axe. She'd raised them as babies... she'd named them... they were her very own!

Ben poured himself a glass of beer, to think things over sensibly. He hated to lose the price on fryers... but he figured Sue had put up

with his peculiarities, he guessed he could put up with her fondness for the chickens.

So now Ben has the nicest brood of laying hens in town, and from where I sit, one of the most successful marriages, too. All because he "lived-and-let-live"—literally. And whenever he wants fried chicken, he takes his bride over to Andy's Garden Tavern for a crisp wing and a glass of beer.

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Society - Clubs

Cleta Young Is Hostess To Club

The Slaton Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, March 11, with Mrs. Cleta Young as the hostess. Recipes for fruit salad were given in answer to roll call. A demonstration of baked fruit dishes was given by Mrs. R. C. Hall and Mrs. Carter Shaw, club leaders.

Eleven members and one visitor, Mrs. J. J. Riney, attended. A handkerchief shower was given Mrs. C. E. Lilley, a charter member who is moving to Lampasas soon.

The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Hall in serving a lovely refreshment plate, including the foods prepared in the demonstration.

Miss Clara Pratt, County H. D. Agent, will meet with the Club on Friday, March 12, at the Club House.

Ladies Society Honors Mrs. Smith

The South Plains Lodge No. 252 of the Ladies Society of the B. of L. P. & E. honored Mrs. J. A. Smith Tuesday with a luncheon at the Slaton Club House. Mrs. Smith has been appointed Grand Lodge Instructor for West Texas and surrounding country and is leaving Thursday to attend a school of instructions at the Sherman Hotel in Chicago.

The luncheon carried out the St. Patrick motif and the centerpiece was white sinatra daisies. After the luncheon a short program was given by Mrs. Paul Bradford, Mrs. Guy Brown, and Mrs. Clarence Beaton.

Mrs. Robert Lee, president of the Lodge, presented Mrs. Smith a leather brief case from the Lodge. There were 26 members present.

Mrs. H. H. White returned home Saturday, February 28, after having spent two weeks in a hospital in Mineral Wells following surgery.

Mrs. Burton Is Hostess To Club

The Jolly Quilting Club met in the home of Mrs. Mrs. Hartman on Tuesday, March 10, with a covered dish luncheon.

Two quilts were completed for the hostess.

Members present were as follows: Mesdames J. E. Richey, H. E. Bohner, Stella Shelton, Jack Smith, D. E. McLannahan, H. E. Wilson, J. W. Scott, E. M. Dett, and Ben Munsker. Guests present were: Mesdames R. C. Sanner, E. E. Jarman, Fred Stottlemire, Jack Cooper, Clyde McInlinley, Emma Wallace and Miss Farrell Singleberry.

The Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Ioby Smith, March 14th, for a called meeting, to quilt.

O. E. S. Honors Past Matrons And Past Patrons In Special Program

Girl Scouts Show Clever Handwork

The Slaton Girl Scouts are celebrating National Girl Scout Week, March 7-13. An attractive display of their work has been arranged in the window of the Southwestern Public Service Co. All sorts of interesting handcraft, sewing and art work make up the display which is well worth stopping to see.

The troops are all planning special programs for the birthday, March 12.

Slaton has seven troops, with 133 girls registered, and the following leaders: Mrs. Roy E. Mack, whose co-leader is Mrs. C. E. Williams; Mrs. W. L. Pearson, co-leader Mrs. Chas. Foity; Mrs. Magnus Klattenhuff, co-leader Mrs. Gus Clevenger; Mrs. Tom Horn, co-leader Mrs. Delma Hostige; Mrs. Geo. Hodges, co-leader Mrs. Harold Wilson; Mrs. Roy D. Meyers and Mrs. W. D. Cramer.

More helpers are needed in all fields of Girl Scouting.

A special program was given on Tuesday night by the Order of the Eastern Star honoring their Past Matrons and Past Patrons. A (the opening of the program the honorees were conducted to the Star and a welcome song was sung by the Chapter. A short program was then given as a tribute to them.

The five star points presented gifts wrapped in their various colors. These were all placed in a large basket, which was passed from one to another as each presented the gifts wrapped in her color, adding giving the blue, (blue the yellow, (yellow the white, (white the green, and (green the red.

Out-of-town guests attending were Mrs. Allen Mae Stewart, member of the Board of Directors of Grand Chapter Benevolence, who gave information about the home for the aged, Mrs. Pearl Williams of Lubbock, formerly of Slaton, and Mrs. Edith Belle Williams of California, member of the Gate City Chapter in San Bernardino.

In the dining room the Easter motif was carried out in the decorations and refreshments of red punch and varied colored cookies. The luncheon table was centered with a basket of Easter eggs and plate favors were Easter eggs with those of the honorees having their names spelled out on them. The Junior Past Matrons, Miss Myrtle Deague, presided.

Sixteen Past Matrons and Past Patrons were in attendance.

Dr. Sallie Miller Returns To Slaton

Dr. Sallie Miller, who practiced medicine in Slaton for about 12 years several years ago, has been visiting for a short time in the home of Mrs. Geo. Marriott. She has purchased the property at 430 South Ninth St., and as soon as she can move in she will be at home to her old friends there.

The following tribute to Dr. Miller is taken from the official magazine of the Women's Benefit Assn.:

"Owing to illness, a regrettable resignation has had to come into the life of the official and clerical staff at the W.B.A. Headquarters East Slaton, Michigan, in the retirement of Dr. Sallie W. Miller, assistant supreme medical examiner from her important duties. Dr. Miller returned to her native state, Texas, and is now residing at Slaton where a letter can reach her. Dr. Miller was much beloved by her associates, was a friend to many and was honored for her knowledge in medical matters and her keen progressive pursuit of technical information which scientists are daily discovering. Also, Dr. Miller is a capable literary writer and a true artist in oils and water colors. Her clever lectures and demonstration on "The Vitamin Kids" was an original and an informative piece of work which earned for itself some excellent publicity."

Mrs. Neill Attends Anniversary

Mrs. D. J. Neill of 625 S. 11th was in Amarillo last week for the Golden Wedding Anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Loving.

A tea and open house was held Wednesday in the home of another daughter, Mrs. O. T. Stewart, 112 West Sixteenth, Amarillo. Other daughters besides Mrs. Neill and Mrs. Stewart, are Mrs. E. Cleland and Mrs. C. A. Loveless of Amarillo and Mrs. A. G. McGee of San Francisco. All were present except Mrs. McGee. There were also 13 grandchildren present.

Mr. and Mrs. Loving were married in Sherman, and have lived in Amarillo since 1904. Mr. Loving operated the Loving Printing Co., until 1946. Both Mr. and Mrs. Loving are members of the Central Church of Christ in Amarillo where Mr. Loving is an elder.

Junior Class Has Enjoyable Party

The Junior Class of Slaton High School had an enjoyable time last Wednesday night when they went in the school bus to Lubbock, where they had dinner at Las Palmas and afterward attended the show, "Green Dolphin Street."

Others attending were the class sponsors, Mrs. L. K. Hart and Mrs. Yates Key, Supt. and Mrs. Lee Vardy, Principal and Mrs. Freeland and several Junior mothers.

MRS. L. W. SMITH, JR., TALKS TO MOTHER IN ENGLAND

Mrs. L. W. Smith, jr., talked for almost an hour Sunday over short wave radio to her mother, Mrs. R. C. Parkhouse, in London, England. The visit was made possible through the courtesy of Mike Sanders, WSLVQ and Mr. Allen, GHOJ, in London.

Mrs. Geo. Marriott has returned from Christoval and Dallas where she was called by the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. D. I. Skelton. She reports Mrs. Skelton has returned to her home in Christoval after receiving treatment in Dallas and is well on the road to recovery.

Mrs. Cecil Long of 125 North 3rd had the misfortune to receive a broken arm when she slipped and fell on the icy sidewalk last Thursday afternoon.

MRS. C. C. YOUNG HONORS SON'S BIRTHDAY SUNDAY

Mrs. C. C. Young honored her son, George Edward, with a birthday dinner Sunday. Guests for the occasion were Mrs. R. H. Bailey, Clark Self, jr., and Carl Lewis, jr.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bloxom, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Bloxom and children all of Southland, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Rackler and family of Cooper were visitors in the E. D. Bloxom home Sunday near Posey, and Mr. and Mrs. George Hays and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Kitten were recent visitors of the E. D. Bloxoms.

Mrs. Earl Reasoner is spending this week in Lubbock visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wicker.

Marriage Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Vandell are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Scharlene, to O. D. Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Morris, on January 10, at Hobbs, N. M. They are at home at 435 N. 5th.

MRS. HANNA LEAVES TO MEET SON IN CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Bevis Hanna received a cable from her son, T. J. Bevis A. Hanna, jr., on the 24 of February that he was leaving for the States the 26th, after having been stationed in Seoul, Korea, for a year.

Accompanied by Mrs. Dudley Berry and Mrs. Electa Williams, Mrs. Hanna left Thursday night for California where she will meet her son.

TRAINING SCHOOL TO BE HELD FOR WORKERS

A Conference Training School for Vacation Church School workers is to be held at the Methodist Church, March 18 and 19, beginning at 2 p. m., on the 18th and closing about noon of the 19th. Mrs. Uel Crosby of Lubbock will conduct the school and all children's workers are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Greenburg returned to their home in Dallas Sunday after spending last week in Slaton. Mr. Greenburg is one of the new owners of Kessel's Department Store.

Mrs. A. Kessel left Tuesday night for Dallas where she will attend the wedding of her son, Milton, to Miss Rose Fisher, which is to take place Sunday. Mr. Kessel expected to leave for Dallas Friday.

Mrs. J. H. Floyd received word this week that her son, Cpl. Leroy Floyd is on his way home from Germany. He is expected to arrive in the States the last of the week.

Miss Wilda Ruth Hannah spent the week end visiting friends in Lubbock.

Mrs. Harry Nelson, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Turner, returned to her home in Oklahoma City, Sunday.

Mrs. Bruce Pember spent several days this past week in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Verl Woodfin and sons were called to Ballinger on Monday by the death of Mr. Woodfin's father who had been ill since September. Funeral services were held yesterday at 10:30 a. m.

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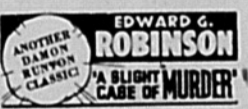
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OCCUPATIONS

NEXT WED. - THUR.



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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

THE STATE OF TEXAS)
COUNTY OF LUBBOCK)

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Sheriff of Lubbock County, Texas, under Article 732B of the Revised Statutes of Texas, I will on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1948, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A. M. and 4:00 o'clock P. M., at the courthouse door in Lubbock County, Texas, offer for sale and sell a public outcry to the highest bidder for cash all right, title and interest of the State of Texas in and to the following described property situated in the City of Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas, to-wit:

All of Lot Ten (10) in Block Seventyseven (77) in the Original Townsite of the City of Lubbock in the County of Lubbock and the State of Texas, which was purchased by the State of Texas at a Sheriff's sale on the 3rd day of May, 1927, at the bid and price of \$39.16. Said property was not redeemed by the owner within the time prescribed by law, and under the laws of Texas it is my duty to again sell said lands, which I, as Sheriff, will do at the place and time designated.

Witness my hand this the 23rd day of February, A. D. 1948.
GRADY HARRIST
Sheriff, Lubbock County,
Texas

By:
Verlie Shearer
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All of Lot Five (5) in Block Seventy-six (76) in the Original Townsite of the City of Lubbock, in the County of Lubbock and the State of Texas, which was purchased by the State of Texas at a Sheriff's sale on the 7th day of June, 1927, at the bid and price of \$99.16. Said property was not redeemed by the owner within the time prescribed by law, and under the laws of Texas it is my duty to again sell said lands, which I, as Sheriff, will do at the place and time designated.

Witness my hand this the 28th day of February, A. D. 1948.
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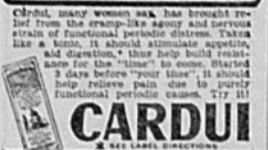
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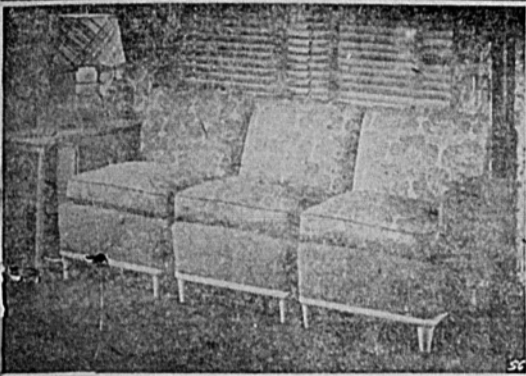
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Mrs. Dave Draper and children of Slaton and Homer Gilliland of Lubbock visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gilliland this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde King and children and Mr. and Mrs. Grady King and boys visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd King, and son, Leslie, of Lubbock, Sunday. Dickie Martin returned from California and Arizona last week. The Franke Leozars moved near Pleasant Valley last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Curley Taunton arrived Thursday from Alabama. After a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Duff, sr., they will be at home on the Duff place.

Mrs. Earl Lancaster now has the mumps.

Mrs. H. A. King and Mary Frances, Mr. and Mrs. Babe King and Elaine visited Sunday with Mrs. Pete King, who is here with her parents until she is able to go back to Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. Heywood Basinger left Tuesday for a two weeks vacation.

Mrs. Herman Whited and son of Odessa are visiting the J. L. Whiteds.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Bartlett of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Bartlett of Ralls visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Bartlett, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wood and children visited the Jess Henningtons in Tatum, N. M., over the week end. Mr. Hennington's mother is very sick.

Mrs. Clifford Weaver received word this week that her mother Mrs. Moore, who lives in East Texas, is very ill.

Visitors in the J. F. Winterrowd home this week were Will Basinger, Mr. and Mrs. Heywood Basinger and children, Clyde, Howard and Billy Anthony of Tokyo, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Eddy Winterrowd and baby of Lubbock.

Mrs. Myrtle Wood of Abilene, spent part of last week here with Mr. and Mrs. Riley Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pennell and children spent the week end in Oklahoma City with his mother and his brother's family.

Mrs. S. A. Fleming accompanied

**News Summary
Featured Weekly**

"Torture in the Big House" — Fear stalked the dark corridors of the state penitentiary until a reporter and a crusading newspaper exposed the brutal prison injustice. Read this startling true-life story in the American Weekly, that great magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

"The Child Bride's Treasured Doll"—Can child brides be happy? Read the amazing story of two fourteen-year-old girls whose artistic parents married them off to strangers, another story in the "Belles of the Bayous" series in the American Weekly, that great magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

Youth Wins Patents

A Utah youth of 16 was discouraged trying to color a glossy photograph. He devoted all his spare time for two years to research. Now he has been granted three patents for photo-coloring chemicals, according to National Patent Council. His color solution is said to obtain exceptionally good results.

Those Welled Shoes

Wet shoes, which account for about one-third of all shoe production, derive their strength and sturdy appearance from the fact that cattlehide leather is used for insole, welt and outsole. Toplifts for women's shoes are made of the same type of leather as the soles of loggers' boots, consisting of tanned cattlehide specially treated to insure maximum durability.

her mother and sister to Phoenix, Arizona, last week, to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Truelock's son from San Diego visited them over the week end.

Johnny Haire, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Hub Haire, is doing fine following a tonsillectomy last week.

Mr. Cedarholm of Amarillo spent the week end here with his wife, who is here in the A. A. Ferguson home caring for her father, Mr. J. P. Howard, until he is able to be moved to his home in Post.

A bridal shower was given in the F. E. Weaver home last week honoring Mrs. Britton, the former Roella Rankin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lilley left Saturday to attend N.R.E.C.A. Convention to be held March 8-9-10 in Chicago.

Patsy Kelly of Dawson County is spending this week visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Blain Tomlinson.

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CALENDAR

SUNDAY:
 Bible Classes 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship ... 10:50 a. m.
Youth Meetings:
 Methodist 6:15 p. m.
 Baptist 6:30 p. m.
 Presbyterian and Christian
 Youth Fellowship ... 6:15 p. m.
Evening Services:
 Church of Christ 7:30 p. m.
 Methodist 7:15 p. m.
 Baptist 7:30 p. m.
 Presbyterian 5:00 p. m.
 First Christian 7:30 p. m.

MONDAY:
 Missionary Programs.

TUESDAY:
 Baptist Choir Practice, 7:30.

WEDNESDAY:
 Methodist Choir Practice, 7:30.
 Baptist Prayer Meeting, 7:30.
 Study Course, First Christian,
 7:30 p. m.

THURSDAY:
 Church of Christ, 7:30.
 Presbyterian Choir Practice,
 7:15.

W.M.S. Meets With Mrs. H. S. Crews

Mrs. H. S. Crews was hostess to the Women's Missionary Society of the First Christian Church on Monday at 3:00 p. m., with ten members and two visitors present.

Mrs. Earl Reasoner, president, conducted the business meeting during which the project for March was chosen to be the clothing of an orphan boy for Easter.

Mrs. Bill Roberts of Lubbock and Mrs. J. L. Larsen of Amarillo were special guests, and Mrs. Roberts made a short talk.

The program was under the leadership of Mrs. J. A. Smith who brought the devotional from the tenth chapter of Luke. She was assisted on the program which was on Benevolences, by Mrs. Reasoner. Meeting closed with a prayer by Mrs. Carl Lewis. Delicious refreshments were served.

Slaton Women Are Dinner Guests At Tahoka

Nine members of the Wesleyan Service Guild of the Methodist Church went to Tahoka Monday night where they were guests of the Tahoka Guild at a seven o'clock dinner. A short program was given and a fellowship hour was enjoyed. Those attending from Slaton were as follows:

Mesdames J. B. Caldwell, Lee Vardy, Lee Green, W. P. Layne, Martin Collins, W. L. Holloman, and Charles E. Smith, and Misses Gertrude King and Lucile Doherty.

METHODIST CIRCLE NO. 1 MET IN SCOTT HOME

Circle No. 1 of the Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. J. C. Scott Monday at 4 p. m., with Mrs. O. D. McClintock as co-hostess and twelve members present.

Mrs. W. E. McCain was leader of the lesson on "Christian Highways in Japan." She was assisted by Mrs. King, Mrs. Stella Shelton, and Miss Zeldia Parkhill.

Mrs. J. T. Pinkston brought the devotional message and Mrs. J. E. Eckert led the closing prayer.

Mrs. Eckert resigned as secretary-treasurer and Mrs. Stella Shelton was elected.

Refreshments of angel food squares, strawberries and coffee were served. The next meeting will be the second Monday in April, with Mrs. R. H. Todd and Mrs. W. E. McCain as co-hostess.

MRS. FRED TUDOR IS HOSTESS TO CIRCLE 2

Circle No. 2 of the Women's Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. Fred Tudor Monday afternoon, March 8.

There were eight members present and one visitor, Harriett Hatch.

The devotional was given by Mrs. G. M. Harlan on the subject, "The Pain Pitched Cries of God."

Alathean Class Honors Teachers

The Alathean Class of the Baptist Sunday School met at the Club House Thursday, March 4th at 7 p. m. A covered dish luncheon was served to 38 members and guests.

A program of special songs was given by Misses Nancy Teague, Anna Doris Phillips, Betty Jo Gentry.

A play, "The Ten Virgins," directed by Mrs. Dudley Berry, was given by the following cast: Mesdames E. E. Culver, Jess Burton, Tomlinson, Ernest Carroll, C. C. Kenney, L. M. Conner, Williams, Sed Meador, L. O. Lemons, and Bill Deaver.

BUSINESS WOMEN'S CIRCLE MET WITH MRS. LASATER

The Business Women's Circle met Monday night in the home of Mrs. Haskell Lasater, with 14 members present. Mrs. Lasater presided over the business session.

Mrs. J. O. McLeod taught a most interesting and inspirational Bible study on, "The Prayers of Moses."

Those present were: Mesdames Allen Crowley, E. C. Burns, Fred Walters, L. O. Lemons, Bland Tomlinson, J. C. Leach, O. M. Singleton, C. C. Young, Jim Elliott, R. H. Bailey, Vern Johnson, Fannie Patterson, McLeod and Lasater, and Mrs. Audean Watson.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Vern Johnson, 330 S. 12th, March 22.

Mrs. W. R. Wilson gave a talk on, "Helping The Christian Japanese," followed by Mrs. Cal C. Wright who spoke on "The Needs of Japan and What the Church Has Contributed in Articles of Clothing and Other Necessities." Closing prayer was by Mrs. Fred Tudor.

The social hour was taken up by sewing linens to supply the Methodist hospital which is sponsored by missionary workers.

HOW TO USE THE BIBLE

When in sorrow, read John 14.
 When men fall you, read Psalm 27.
 When you have sinned, read Psalm 51.
 When you worry, read Matthew 6:19-34.
 Before church service, read Psalm 84.
 When you are in danger, read Psalm 91.
 When you have the blues, read Psalm 34.
 When God seems far away, read Psalm 139.
 When you are discouraged, read Isaiah 40.
 If you want to be fruitful, read John 15.
 When doubts come upon you, try John 7:17.
 When you are lonely or fearful, read Psalm 23.
 When you forget your blessings read Psalm 103.
 For Jesus' idea of a Christian, read Matthew 5.
 For James' idea of religion, read James 1:19-27.
 When your faith needs stirring, read Hebrews 11.
 When you feel down and out, read Romans 8:31-39.
 When you want courage for your task, read Joshua 1.
 When the world seems bigger than God, read Psalm 90.
 When you want rest and peace, read Matthew 11:25-30.
 When you want Christian assurance, Romans 8:1-30.
 For Paul's secret of happiness, read Col. 3:12-17.
 When you leave home for labor or travel, Psalm 121.
 When you grow bitter or critical, read 1 Cor. 13.
 When your prayers grow narrow or selfish, Psalm 67.
 For Paul's idea of Christianity, read 2 Cor. 5:15-19.
 For Paul's rules on how to get along with men, Rom. 12.
 When you think of investments and returns, Mark 10:17-31.
 For a great invitation and a great opportunity, Isaiah 55.
 For Jesus' idea of prayer, Luke 11:1-3, Matt. 6:5-15.
 For the prophet's picture of worship that counts Isaiah 58:1-2.
 For the prophet's idea of religion, Isaiah 1:10-18, Micah 6:6-3.
 Why not follow Psalm 119:11 and hide some of these in your memory?
 If you doubt the ultimate triumph of the Gospel, read Rev. 7:9-17, Rev. 11:15.

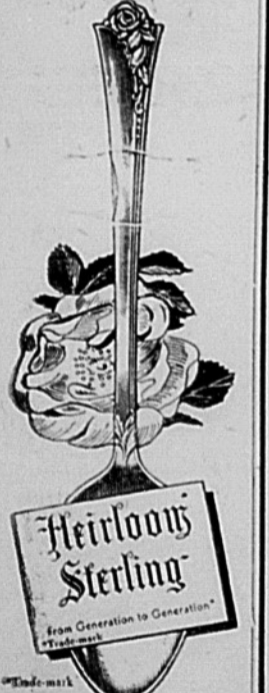
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CIGARETTES CARTON	\$1.69

Flour 50 lbs. ... **\$3.69**
 PILLSBURY 25 lbs. ... **\$1.89**

TOMATOES REGANS, NO. 2 CAN	15c
CATSUP C.I.B., 14 OZ. BOTTLE	27c
MILK PAGE, 2 LARGE CANS	25c
APRICOTS SILVER DALE, LARGE CAN	19c
PEACHES WHITE SWAN, LARGE CAN	27c

SHORTENING \$1.05
 Advance 3 lbs.

CRACKERS OVEN TEST, 2 POUNDS	37c
BATH TISSUE TWO FOR	25c
PUMPKIN WHITE SWAN, LARGE CAN	19c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE TEXAN, 46 OZ. CAN	15c

CHOICE MEATS

BACON WICKLOW, SLICED, LB.	59c
OLEO ALLSWEET, POUND	37c
SHORT RIBS POUND	43c
CHEESE LONGHORN, POUND	65c

Texas Grocery & Market
 VERNON NEWTON, Manager
 WE DELIVER

New Program Is Proving Popular

The new manager of the Slaton and Palace Theatres, G. W. Hill, has arrived from the Valley and has taken over the direction of the two theatres and Andy Stone, who was temporarily placed here to relieve T. H. Duckett, while Mr. Duckett was on a special assignment in Brownsville, will soon return to Tyler where he will re-open a Leon Drive In Theatre that has been closed for the winter months.

Mr. Duckett is now directing the activities of Horse Sense, a quiz program that is being introduced in many theatres over the country.

A large number of theatre managers from over this area were present last Tuesday night at the Slaton Theatre when the Quiz program was staged. Mr. C. D. Leon, the director of all of the Leon Theatres was present and helped hold the program last Tuesday night when the theatre will filled to capacity.

"We are greatly pleased with the reception of the new Horse Sense program," said Mr. Leon, "and especially with the way it has gone over in Slaton. It is both instructive and amusing and we expect it to be popular for many years."

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meeting. Mr. Forrest has been prominent in church work, is a Boy Scout executive in this district.

Mr. J. J. Maxey, who last year served as treasurer for the board, has come up to be vice president. Mr. Maxey has always shown a keen interest in the welfare of the community and has full knowledge of the mechanics of City operation, and procedures of the Board of City Development. Mr. Maxey manifests the same enthusiasm in the Church, and in the Rotary Club.

Mr. John Sims, has been manager of the West Texas Gas Co., in Slaton for the past three years and has always taken a very active part in community affairs.

A. C. Strickland, Jr., was re-elected as secretary, after the interim period, January 1, to March 3, in which he served by election of the retiring officers and directors.

Each new officer has been in the past a staunch supporter of the aims and objectives of the Chamber of Commerce and has had a perfect attendance record.

NEW PARTNERSHIP FORMED FOR REAL ESTATE FIRM

H. A. Heinrich, who is well known in Slaton, having formerly been in the service station business, is now associated with Mr. Bill Meurer in the real estate business, with offices next door to the Drive-Inn Food Market.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend thanks for the beautiful flowers and the many kindnesses and words of sympathy given us by our friends at the death of our beloved husband, father, and brother, H. D. Cooper. May God's blessings be with you.

Mrs. H. D. Cooper and Delores Mae, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Bollinger, Mr. and Mrs. Sam T. Davis of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Ott Earl Patterson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ullshaf of California, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kennedy, Colorado City, Mrs. Pauline Morgan and Patricia Ann, Portales, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dubose.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to offer our sincere thanks and appreciation for the many beautiful floral offerings and words of sympathy during our sorrow in the passing of our loved one.

The D. F. Smith family

Earl and C. B. Reasoner, C. C. Wickler, Dan Liles, and Butch Hillen are on a ten days fishing trip in Old Mexico.

Prizes - Fun - Music, coming soon.

Big Wedding, you are invited.

Over the Wire



More resistance against high prices has been felt lately particularly in high priced home construction said a prominent building material man recently. While there is considerable trading in homes new construction prices are holding back a great many who want to construct better buildings.

The School bond election got one of the highest votes of any election held in a long time. One of the members of the School Board said that it will be many years before Slaton will recover from the mistake the trustees made when they did not take advantage of the WPA help when it was available before the war.

A number of the communities around Slaton are planning on having teams in a bigger and better soft ball league and are looking toward Slaton to provide a good park to play in.

Several new buildings are to be constructed in Slaton in the near future, one will house a new automobile agency.

The new look has hit Slaton and the girls in the Bank, the Public Service Company and other places of business look as if they might take off into a Ballerina dance at any moment. It is a dangerous situation.

The County political pot is beginning to boil and if more candidates announce there is no telling how long the ballot will be. Might be as large as a newspaper.

Lonnie Porter tells of a cat that was taken about ten miles out of town and dumped into a lake but it came back.

A large number of folks have been suffering from a new kind of throat infection that has in some cases proven very serious.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

STATE OF TEXAS)
COUNTY OF LUBBOCK)
CITY OF SLATON)

Pursuant to an order of the Board of Trustees of the Slaton Independent School District, Slaton, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held within the City of Slaton, Texas, on the first Saturday in April, A. D., 1948, the same being the 3rd day of April, A. D., 1948, for the purpose of electing two trustees for the above named School District, and shall serve for a term of three (3) years, and / or until their successors shall have been duly elected and qualified.

Said election shall be held in the City Hall in the City of Slaton, Texas for one day only. The polls shall be opened at 8 o'clock in the forenoon and remain open until seven (7) o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

All persons who are qualified electors under the constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and who have resided within the said School District for six months preceding said election shall be qualified to vote at said election.

Charlie F. Austin having been appointed by the Trustees to hold said election on the above date.

The Judge shall appoint clerks to serve with him at the election. Said election shall be held as nearly in accordance with the General Election Laws of the State of Texas affecting elections as may be practical.

In testimony whereof, witness the official hand and seal of said Slaton Independent School District, this 1st day of March, A. D., 1948.

ROY S. MACK
Pres. Board of Trustees of the Slaton Independent School District, Slaton, Texas.

(SEAL)
W. H. DAWSON
Secretary

CARD OF THANKS

Words we cannot find to express our deep appreciation for the love and kindness shown us in our great loss of husband and father. May God bless you one and all.

Mrs. Rick Wood,
Mrs. Earnest Short and family.

Miss Red Walston's Wedding.

April will be the month of the Lion's Club big show.

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Fine Foods

SPRINGTIME



FOOD NOTES

SPRY 3 Pound Can \$1.14

CHERRIES

R.S.P., No. 2 Can

25c

MOTHERS OATS With Plate Package 39c

Fruits and Vegetables



APPLES

Washington Delicious Pound

15c

ORANGES

California, Pound

10c

GRAPEFRUIT

5c

Texas, Extra Nice, Pound

LEMONS

12c

California, Sunkist, Pound

CARROTS

10c

Large Bunches, Each

LETTUCE

15c

Large Firm Heads, Each

Grapefruit Juice Red & White 46 oz. Can 15c

COFFEE FOLGERS Lb. Can 53c

PEACHES Red and White, No. 2 1/2 Can 27c

KRAUT Red and White, No. 2 1/2 Can 13c

PEAS PICTSWEET, Can 15c

POWDERED SUGAR BOX 11c

New Sudser Made by PUREX trend 38c Two Boxes

SUGAR

10 Pound Bag Pure Cane

85c

TOMATOES 25c

BROWN SUGAR 11c

DOG FOOD 25c

PINEAPPLE JUICE 45c

VEGETABLE SOUP 25c

OCEAN SPRAY 19c

BLACKBERRIES 19c

PORK AND BEANS 25c

PLUM PRESERVES 19c



PET MILK

tall can

13c

Super Suds

VEL

OXYDOL

DUZ

DREFT

35c

LARGE BOX

MEATS

BACON Armours Star, Sliced, Lb. 65c

CHEESE Velveta, 2 Lb. Box 99c

MARGARINE NUCOA, Pound 37c

FISH Boneless Haddock, Pound 49c

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