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Contract Let For Reservoir and Water Mains Construction

Mayor Lee Wootton reported last Monday afternoon with Shook-Owens Construction Company of Lubbock to construct a reservoir at the site of the new water well in the Southwest part of Slaton and to connect the new water supply to the City water mains at a point near the Mercy Hospital, and to install a number of short lines over the City water circuit.

The new construction is to be of cast iron pipe and is to be completed within 100 days from the time the contract was let. The amount of the contract is \$38,588.25. This does not include the installation of pumps to get the water to the city mains; the pumps are on order and will be installed by the time the construction work is finished on the line.

It is estimated that the new well will be connected to the lines well in time to meet the needs of water users at the present time. When the occasion demands more wells can be drilled at that same site.

One well on the Northeast of town on the City property is to be cleaned out and drilled deeper and the pump put in good working

order and Mayor Wootton believes that the water problem should be solved for some time. The pressure will be much better when the new supply is connected and everything will be done to get the work done as soon as possible. The fact that the contract calls for 100 days does not mean that the entire time will be consumed but that 100 days will give ample time to do it barring long periods of unfavorable weather.

The City commissioners considered a number of bids and gave the contract to Shook-Owens Construction Company because it was the lowest and because they have equipment and supplies on hand to complete most of the work.

FAREWELL ASSEMBLY TO BE HELD BY SENIORS ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 7

The Senior Farewell assembly will be held at the high school auditorium, Wednesday, May 7, at 12:40 p. m. The class day program will consist of Class History, Bobby Hoover; Class Prophecy, Billie Marie Taylor, Peggy Jean Abernathy, and Joy Holoman; and Class Will, Jack Thompson.

Roy German, president of the Senior Class, will present class gifts, and acceptance will be by C. S. Harris, acting Superintendent.

Helen Ruth Ferguson will sing a solo, and the program will close with the group singing the school song.

M. E. Revival To Close May 4

The revival, which is in progress at the First Methodist Church, continues to attract large and enthusiastic audiences, according to Rev. Luther Kirk, local pastor. Rev. Howard Hollowell of Midland, who is in charge of the evangelistic services, is a forceful and inspiring speaker.

Services are being held twice daily, at 10 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The general public is invited to attend these services. The revival will continue two more days, closing Sunday evening, May 4.

LOCAL MAN FEATURES HOME-GROWN BLANKETS

Judge C. Smith of Slaton was "forced" into the sheep business, made the best of it, and started something.

Jason O. Gordon, who was Lubbock County agricultural agent when all this began, says that Smith became interested in sheep several years ago and started feeding out lambs. He did all right for a while, and then along came a dry year and a feed shortage and Smith decided he better get out of the sheep business. So he sold his sheep.

That is, he sold all but five old ewes which the buyer wouldn't take, because he said "they would be dead before they reached the market."

After figuring awhile, Smith couldn't see but one thing to do. He turned around, bought a ram from the same buyer, took his six head of sheep home and got back in the sheep business.

Things came along nicely and Smith built his flock back up to 30 ewes. Then Mrs. Smith decided she wanted to be a partner in the sheep business. She voted against selling the wool clip, and Smith hasn't sold a pound of wool since. They ship it to a wool manufacturer and have fancy blankets made, which are very handy things to have when winter comes to Slaton. Now the Smiths have blankets all over the place; so have all their married children; and Mrs. Smith has one of her bigger problems solved—Christmas presents for friends and relatives.

Jason Gordon, who told this story, didn't say whether he recommended a flock of sheep for home-grown blankets, but he did say that the Smiths get a lot of fun out of their sheep business. Keeps the weeds down on the farm, too.



Whosit? A three month's subscription to the Slatonite will be given to the first person who correctly identifies the individuals in the above group of former high school students. Now that graduation time is approaching, memories turn back to previous graduations, and the typical speculations as to who graduated when, was it last year? It couldn't possibly be two or three years ago! Maybe it was even longer ago than that! Anyway, it will be interesting to attempt to identify the above individuals, or will it? Watch next week's paper for winner if any.

Over the Wire



Berkley and Haddock have installed one of the newest and most complete self-service dairy cases that are available. The dairy products are all in sight and easily reached. The case is electrically cooled, and though not closed the cool air does not escape from the case but circulates back through it.

W. R. Meador has bought the lot and building adjoining his property on the south, and has improved the lot with the addition of a white picket fence. He says that he expects to make the lot attractive with flowers and shrubs. He will move his picture framing equipment and materials to the building.

Pete Pearson and J. S. Edwards Jr., both of whom have recently made fishing trips to Possum Kingdom, report that fishing has been good, what they consider good however, might not be many fish.

An audit of the City books has been almost completed and details will be printed in next Mayor Lee Wootton's report the City's finances are not too flush and will likely be in the red before the water and sewer projects are finished but we'll have something worth the money when the work is finished.

According to many merchants there are more hot checks being written than at any time since before the war. One Slaton merchant has a forged check for over \$100.00 and he has turned it over to the authorities. It is also reported that more folks are slow on paying their debts.

Earl D. Eblen, who has leased the Slaton Airport, says he expects to announce its formal opening in the near future and will extend an invitation to the public to come out and inspect the new field. Only a few men have had the courage to come out in straw hats this season. Usually they are more in evidence by this time of the year.

O. D. McClintock expects to give all of the girl graduates of the 1947 class a Miniature Cedar Chest. There will be approximately twenty three young ladies who will graduate this season. About forty two graduates will get their diplomas this year.

What with Mother's Day, Graduation, June Brides and Cotton Week about upon us the gift departments will soon get a big rush. The Graduation announcements have arrived and many have been sent out.

Mrs. John Stephens is seriously ill in a Lubbock Hospital. Her brother, Newt Allison of Trenton, is at her bedside.

NEW BUSINESS FOR SLATON OPENS MAY 1

Thursday, May 1, will see the opening of a new business in Slaton, that of the Kertan Studio at 125 North Ninth Street. Mrs. E. A. Kercheval and Mrs. C. L. Tanner are the owners and operators of the studio.

This studio will contribute \$1.00 to the senior class of the Slaton high school for each order received between May 1 and May 17. Mesdames Kercheval and Tanner invite the public to come in and visit them at their new place of business.

C. S. Harris Goes to Turkey As School Supt.

Acting Superintendent C. S. Harris was elected Superintendent of the Turkey School system at a meeting of the school board there Monday night. Mr. Harris has been high school principal in Slaton for the past two years, and acting superintendent since the resignation of Mr. Kavanaugh, who accepted a teaching position at A. & M.

Mr. Harris has a two-year contract at Turkey, and will assume the duties of his new position July 1. Mrs. Harris was elected high school English teacher in the school system.

EIGHT CHARGED WITH LAW VIOLATIONS DURING PAST WEEK IN SLATON

Eight individuals were taken into custody over the week-end for violations of the law. Five charges were filed in City Court, and three in Justice Court, according to Chief of Police Ernest Ward.

Two were charged with drunkenness, two with affray, and one with disturbance of the peace in City Court. Three were charged with highway violations in Justice Court.

EIGHTH GRADE BANQUET WILL BE HELD MAY 9

The Eighth grade of Slaton school system will hold its annual banquet Friday evening, May 9, at the Slaton Club House, at 7 p. m. with Mrs. Legate and Miss Adams, sponsors, in charge.

The program consists of "Reverie," a piano solo by Barbara Stevens; "Gypsy Love Song," by Barbara Joehetz; piano duet by Everett Hodge and Lyle Berry; and Class Prophecy by Pansy Sloan. Bobby Roy Norris will be toastmaster, and Supt. C. S. Harris will give the invocation.

The class officers are Bobby Roy Norris, president; Alvis Collins, vice-president; Don Kendrick, secretary; and Bobby Taylor, treasurer. The class colors are white and blue, and the motto "Ever Forward."

PERSONALS

Miss Margie Taylor, daughter of Mrs. L. B. Taylor and granddaughter of Mrs. L. B. Thornton of Slaton is seriously ill in West Texas Hospital, Lubbock. The Taylors formerly lived in Slaton.

Last Rites for John M. Hannah Held April 28

Funeral services for John M. Hannah, age 55, were held Monday afternoon at 2:30 in the First Methodist Church, Rev. A. B. Haynes, pastor of the Canyon Presbyterian Church officiating, assisted by Rev. W. F. Ferguson and Rev. Luther Kirk.

The deceased passed away at 4:30 a. m. Sunday in Mercy Hospital after a short illness. He had been in failing health for some time.

A native of Alabama, Hannah came here from Ardmore, Okla., where he was employed by the Santa Fe, and had lived in Slaton for 30 years. He was prominent in Slaton civic affairs as well as in the American Legion and the Masonic lodge.

Survivors include his widow; a daughter, Wilda Ruth Hannah, who is a teacher in the Slaton schools; a brother, J. W. Hannah of Brownsville; three sisters, Mrs. G. B. Brown of Ardmore, Okla.; Mrs. H. S. Testerman of Marietta, Okla.; and Mrs. J. F. Wellborn of Longview.

Interment was in Englewood cemetery under the direction of Williams Funeral Home. Pallbearers were L. B. Hagerman, Fred Schmidt, B. A. Hanna, Travis Reynolds, B. H. Bollinger and A. L. Clifton.

J. L. MILLER HAS RESIGNED AS DRIVER OF CITY FIRE TRUCK

J. L. Miller, driver of the fire truck for the Slaton Fire Department, who resides at the Fire Station, has resigned to move to Lubbock, and his successor has not been named as yet, according to city officials.

Levelland Team Wins Over Slaton

A good crowd witnessed the Slaton Oil Belt base ball team battle Levelland last Sunday afternoon at the Slaton ball grounds just west of the Tiger Football Stadium.

The local team lost by a close score of 2 to 4. McCoy, manager of the Slaton aggregation said that he was pleased with the attendance as the weather was not warm enough to be pleasant for outdoor sports.

The next home game will be played in Slaton on May 11. Faulkner and Presler were the Slaton pitchers with Tillery as the outstanding performer for Slaton, knocking out one home run. He made both scores for Slaton.

More Food and Clothing Needed For Panhandle Tornado Victims

Authentic reports from the Tornado stricken parts of the Texas Panhandle and Oklahoma, say there is a more acute need for clothing, household necessities and food now, than there was immediately after the disaster and the people of Slaton are being asked to supply a part of them.

The campaign started last week has brought fair results but there is not enough to make a shipment yet. There is, according to request from the stricken area, a need for childrens clothing as well as for good usable clothing of all kinds and anyone who has things of this kind to offer should donate them now. A collection of the materials is being made at the Slatonite office and if you have anything to give please wrap it carefully or put it in a shipping box of some kind and bring it to the Slatonite. It is hoped that there will be enough to make a shipment by the end of next week.

Bids for 44.55 miles of road work in Hockley County will be opened in County Judge Z. O. Lincoln's office in the County Courthouse in Levelland at 10 a. m. tomorrow.

Members of the city council, at a special meeting held last week, passed on a special water rate to become effective May 1 on water which is to be used for irrigation purposes. The new rate is \$3.50 for 10,000 gallons and all over that will be charged at 30 cents.

Approximately thirty Senior Girl Scouts, under the direction of Scout leaders, Mrs. A. M. Brown, Mrs. W. L. Stell, Miss Bernice Baze, and Miss Juanita Nixon, will leave at 7:30 a. m. Saturday for Pecos where they will attend a conference of Senior Girl Scout Troops in the Permian Basin Girl Scout area.

In an effort to clean up Colorado City the Jaycees are receiving complete cooperation from all clubs and civic organizations. The fire whistle blew at 9:30, Monday morning, April 28th, as a signal for all able bodied citizens of Colorado City to 'man your brooms, rakes, hoes, and etc.' The Jaycees requested that all clubs and civic organizations meet at the Legion Hut at 9:30 for the parade.

Hereford voters will go to the polls next Tuesday to ballot four city bond issues, totalling \$391,000. The proposed issues are: Water Improvements, \$122,000; Sewer Improvements \$96,000; Street Paving \$133,000; Park Improvement, \$50,000.

With pre-season prospects the brightest for a cotton crop in many years, acreage in Crosby County will probably jump above the 100,000 mark for the first time since the beginning of the cotton program in 1947. The big cotton crop will be planted at the expense of grain sorghums and other feed stuff, observers here believe, but the high price and excellent underground season indicate that many farmers will turn their acreage over to this crop.

TOGA JOKER — Senator Ford of NBC's "Can You Top This?"— clad in a toga — reads a Roman scroll in search of an ancient gag. He won his title when, as an after-dinner speaker, he followed and eclipsed a real-life legislator.

West Texas Roundup



The Cottle-King Livestock and Rodeo Association is featuring another highlight program, when on Sunday afternoon, May 4, at 2 p. m. the World Champion Calf Roper, Toots Mansfield, will be pitted against the Nation's Top Jack Pot Roper, Walton Poage, of Rankin, Texas, at the local Livestock Arena. Open Jackpot roping will follow the match.

B. Lennis Smith and B. F. Hobson were appointed to see that seats are to be constructed on the entire west side of the arena to take care of spectators.

—The Paducah Post

Garza County 4-H Club boys, in a meeting Saturday at the Post High School building, elected a committee to work with the Post Stampede and Rodeo Association in assisting with the care of cow-girl sponsors' and contestants' horses during the rodeo June 11-14 inclusive. The committee consists of Gene Carpenter, Carter Gene White and E. P. Wicker, Jr.

Construction will get under way next week on another new building on Post's rapidly growing Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Dodd, who Tuesday assuming management of the Post Bus Station, have announced their plans for a new bus station on lots 19 and 20, block 78, on the north side of Main directly across from the Algerita Hotel.

—The Post Dispatch

Construction of the last half mile of road base and permanent drainage on the eight mile strip of farm-to-market road which was begun several months ago, got underway the first of the week when equipment started moving dirt along the roadway through the townsite.

The road connects with federal highway 380 one block east of the Santa Fe railway, runs parallel with railway for about two miles, and then follows the old Post-Ralls route to Yellowhouse River.

—The Post Dispatch

4-H and FFA boys of Lynn county exhibited their livestock at the annual show held in Tahoka last Saturday. A large crowd of people viewed the exhibits, which were declared to be excellent, although smaller in number than at previous shows.

—The Lynn County News

A representative of the News on last Friday drove over the new farm-to-market road now under construction, running east from Wilson to the Garza county line and the spur running north six miles from a point in this road to the Lubbock-Post highway some three miles southeast of Slaton.

—The Lynn County News

Two bids for a postal sub-station in the east part of Canyon have been sent to Washington where the post office department is considering the bids.

When an inspection was made recently by the post office department regarding free delivery, it was pointed out that a sub-station could be established if a proper bid was made by citizens of the east part of Canyon.

—The Canyon News

Election of a new district commander headed the business agenda of the annual spring convention of the 19th District of the American Legion here Sunday afternoon.

Snyder's Will Layne American Legion Post No. 181, for the first time in eight years, was host Saturday night and Sunday to the 19th District, composed of 34 towns and cities.

—The Scurry County Times

Jr.-Sr. Banquet Tonight Has an Hawaiian Setting

The Junior-Senior banquet of the Slaton High school will be held tonight at the Slaton Club House, with the Juniors acting as hosts for the occasion under the guidance of Miss Mary Leslie Culwell, Jr., sponsor.

The setting will be an Hawaiian Paradise, with a menu of food typical of these tropical islands. The program will consist of "Aloha" sung by Jimmy Cherry; "Hawaiian Lela" by Roy German; "My Little Grass Shack" by the Junior chorus; "Fair Hawaii" by Evelyn Brown; "The Royal Palm" by Bobby Hoover; "Blue Hawaii" by Betty Gentry; "At the Crossroads of the Pacific" by Acting Superintendent Harris; and "Farewell to Thee" dedicated to the Seniors.

MRS. R. A. HENDERSON WILL OBSERVE HER 90TH BIRTHDAY MAY 6

Mrs. R. A. Henderson of 640 South Twelfth Street will celebrate her 90th birthday Tuesday, May 6. She has been a resident of Slaton for the past 27 years.

Grandma Henderson was honored on Mothers Day last year as the oldest mother in Slaton. No doubt she will have that distinction again this year.



Marilyn is the name of the daughter born to Dr. and Mrs. M. Jay McSween Jr. April 26. She weighed 7 lbs. 5 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Cook are the parents of a son Randy Carl, born April 17th.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Melcher of Lubbock, April 20, a daughter, Kathryn Anne, weight 7 lbs. 7 oz.

Alan Bradley is the name of the son born to Mr. and Mrs. John E. Key, Saturday April 26. He weighs 7 lbs. 6 oz.

HENRY KITTEN FUNERAL HELD SATURDAY

Funeral services were held Saturday, April 26 at St. Joseph's Church for Henry Kitten, age 86 who died last Thursday. Pallbearers were his grandsons, Arvel, Andrew, Wilfred, Joe and Clarence Kitten and Edward Schilling.

Survivors include three brothers, seven sons, four daughters, fifty-four grandchildren and nineteen great grandchildren.

Burial was in Englewood Cemetery under direction of Williams Funeral Home.

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CHICK CHATS
by Robert Huser of Huser's Hatchery

SOME TIPS ON FEED AND WATER
Chicks can be fed anytime after they are 24 hours of age with safety, and since most baby birds are at least this old when they go into the brooder house, feeding may commence at once on their arrival.
Before the chicks arrive the poultryman should see that he has an ample supply of a reliable chick starter on hand. This feed should be placed on egg flats or paper plates during the first day or two to encourage early feeding. Thereafter the birds should be able to feed at the hoppers.

Provide Green Feeds
If it is available, provide the chicks with fresh green feed such as alfalfa clover, blue grass or kale, cutting it into short lengths of 1/2 inch or thereabouts. These feeds are rich in the nutrients which often are found lacking in some poultrymen's feeding programs. As the chicks grow older, they can be turned onto grassy range.
When chicks are about five weeks old, scratch grains can be fed, gradually changing at six to seven weeks to a good growing mash. Never make a sudden change in feeding methods.
Fine grit and oyster shell can be made available to chicks after the first several days. At six weeks larger sizes of grit and shell may be used.
Allot eight feet of hopper space for each 100 chicks at the start, and increase this to about 16 feet at the end of three weeks.

Constant Supply of Water
Perhaps the most important thing to be said about watering the little birds is this: make sure that they have an adequate supply of clean, fresh water before them at all times. If the chill is taken off the water before it is placed in the founts during the first several days, consumption will be increased.
Water should be supplied in quart-size founts during the early period of brooding. At the start there should be four quarts of water for each 100 birds per day. This should be doubled when chicks are three weeks of age. Larger size waterers may be used at this time.
Frequently baby chicks die of thirst before learning to drink or where to find water. Thus, it is a good idea to dip the beak of each bird in the water as the chicks are placed in the brooder house.

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PHILLIPS PETROLEUM DECLARES DIVIDENDS
Net profit for the first quarter of 1947, after provision for all charges reserves, and taxes, was \$8,210,354.00, or \$1.25 per share. The increase in earnings over the previous year is attributable to increased sales of practically all products sold by the Company and to increased prices for crude oil, natural gas, and finished products.

WESTERN MARKET NEWS
As of April 26
Weak spots showed up all through the farm markets the past few days; but many items strengthened, and only hogs, feeds and corn registered sharp declines, according to Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Butcher hogs dropped \$1.25 to \$2.50 per hundred for the week, and sows \$1.50 to \$3.00. Closing bulk of good and choice butchers sold at \$22.50 at Texas markets; and \$23 to \$23.50 at other southwest terminals. Sows turned mostly at \$18 to \$22.50.
Cattle moved higher at Houston and San Antonio; and vealers and calves gained at Oklahoma City. Other southwest cattle prices receded to slightly lower levels last week. Common to medium steers and yearlings cleared at \$13.50 to \$17.50 at Houston; and \$14 to \$19.50 at Fort Worth. Medium to low good kinds moved at \$19 to \$21 at San Antonio; \$18 to \$23 at Oklahoma City; and mostly \$19 to \$22 at Wichita. Numerous loads of good and choice steers cashed at \$23.75 to \$24 at Denver.

Hens held firm last week, and fryers advanced to 35 cents per pound at Dallas. Eggs weakened at some points. Egg prices averaged 38 cents per dozen at San Antonio; 39 at Oklahoma City; 40 at Fort Smith, Amarillo, and Fort Worth; 41 at Denver, El Paso, and New Orleans; 42 at Houston; and 43 at Shreveport.
Indifferent trading last week left most grains little changed. Liberal offerings of corn stepped prices down several cents however; and oats also appeared in plentiful supply. Corn closed Friday at \$1.90 to \$1.91 per bushel in Fort Worth and Galveston; and oats \$1.03 to \$1.05. Sorghums ranged from \$3.17 to \$3.20 a hundred.

Sharp early-week rise in cotton markets encouraged spot selling, as demand picked up for some grades. After a midweek slump, prices closed Friday \$2.75 to \$4.25 per bale higher than a week earlier.
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FREE AIR
CECIL SELF, Editor

Howdy Folks: Auto accidents are on the increase. Almost daily we read of tragic cases on the highway.

Such accounts of suffering dampen our ardor as far as writing humor is concerned.

Many drivers are in such a hurry to get into the next county, they keep right on going into the next world.

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Chief Topics

Santa Fe's net railway operating income for March, 1947 was \$3,513,508, according to a statement released by President F. G. Gurley today. March, 1946 results were distorted by inclusion of retroactive wage adjustment applying to January and February 1946. Net income for the first quarter of 1947 was \$9,840,366 compared with \$11,898,247 in first quarter of 1946.

Comparative figures for the month and three months periods for three years follows:
March gross, 1947, \$34,189,560; 1946, \$33,162,313; 1945, \$47,343,780.
March net railway operating income, 1947, \$3,513,508; 1946, \$1,353,282; 1945, \$5,080,678.
March net income, 1947, \$2,932,969; 1946, \$1,360,925; 1945, \$4,511,902.

Three months gross, 1947, \$101,051,926; 1946, \$100,575,682; 1945, \$134,002,001.

Three months net railway operating income, 1947, \$11,564,477; 1946, \$13,078,118; 1945, \$14,441,333.
Three months net income, 1947, \$9,840,366; 1946, \$11,898,247; 1945, \$12,799,394.

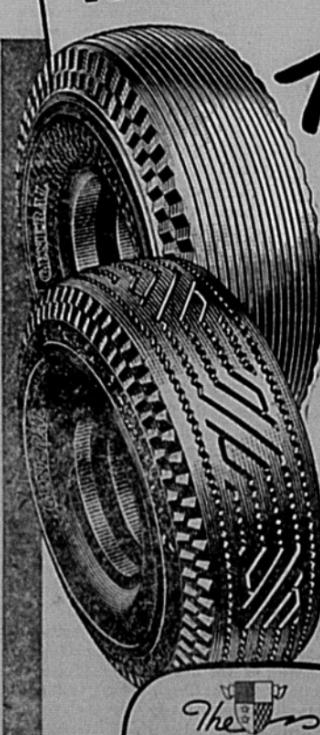
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 Cannibal: One who loves his fellow man... with gravy, that is.
 Sloopician: A garbage man with a college education.
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OTTO RINNE OBSERVES BIRTHDAY APRIL 27

Friends and relatives gathered at the home of Otto Rinne of the Morgan community Tuesday, April 27, to honor Mr. Rinne on his 64th birthday. He is a long-time resident of this community, having come to this part of West Texas 33 years ago.

Among those gathered to help him celebrate his birthday were seven of his 12 children: Miss Rose Rinne; H. B. Rinne and family; O. H. Rinne and family; A. A. Rinne and family; Mrs. D. E. Seaberry and family; all of Wilson; Mrs. H. D. White and family of Slaton; and Mrs. W. E. Wooley and family of Portales, New Mex.

Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jones, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Robertson and family; A. A. Robertson and family, E. D. Hart and family, A. A. Gartman and family, H. O. Robertson and family of Brownfield; and Albert Livingston of Pleasant Valley.

WOULD HAVE EACH STATE ADOPT AN OFFICIAL DOG

America's dog-loving folks are urged to seek adoption of an official dog for each of the 48 states by Harry Miller, director of the Gaines Dog Research Center, New York City.

Practically every state now has its official bird or official flower, Mr. Miller said. Certainly, he thinks, the dog as mankind's closest animal companion throughout the ages, deserves every bit as much recognition.

Mr. Miller stated he anticipated the early organization of committees for an official dog in several states, and that his organization would give these groups every possible aid in achieving their objective. Adoption of an official dog in any state would have to come about either through action of the state's legislative body, by a governor's proclamation, or by popular vote of the people of the state.

SLATON TIGERS WHIP TAHOKA BLACK CATS 11 TO 6 LAST SUNDAY

The Slaton Mexican Tigers defeated the Tahoka Black Cats 11 to 6 in a game last Sunday afternoon on the home field of the Tigers.

The winning Slaton line-up consisted of R. Flores, A. Lovato, F. Chaves, G. Hernandez, V. Guajardo, L. Garivais, P. Hernandez, E. Valles, G. Chaves, D. Lucero, J. Garcia, A. Aria.

The Slaton Tigers will play the Littlefield Back Aces next Sunday afternoon at 3:30 p. m. at Slaton, according to Gavino Martinez, manager of the Slaton team.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all our friends who have been so kind and considerate to us during the illness and death of our father, Henry Kitten. The many beautiful floral offerings, spiritual bouquets, thoughtful deeds and expressions of sympathy were all deeply appreciated.

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The honor roll for the fifth six weeks, announced today by Dean John W. Stomont, shows the record number of 98 students making the scholar lists.

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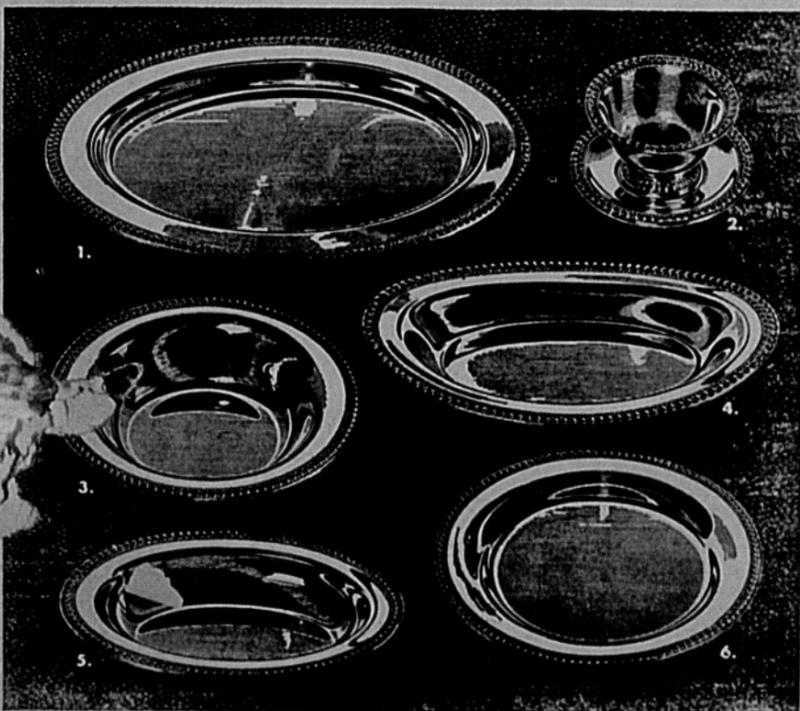
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- MAY 2**
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Acuff vs Lubbock Barber College
- MAY 5**
Sears vs State Guard
Southland vs Pleasant Valley
- MAY 6**
Wilson vs Sears
Drive-In Food vs Ayers Feed
- MAY 8**
Santa Fe vs Lubbock Barber Col.
Acuff vs State Guard
- MAY 9**
Southland vs Ayers Feed
Drive-In vs Santa Fe
- MAY 12**
Pleasant Valley vs Sears
Wilson vs Acuff
- MAY 13**
Lub. Barber Col. vs State Guard
Southland vs Wilson
- MAY 15**
Drive-In vs Pleasant Valley
Ayers Feed vs Lub. Barber Col.
- MAY 16**
Santa Fe vs State Guard
Acuff vs Sears
- MAY 19**
Southland vs Santa Fe
Drive-In vs Acuff
- MAY 20**
Pleasant Valley vs State Guard
Ayers Feed vs Wilson
- MAY 22**
Lubbock Barber College vs Sears
Southland vs Acuff
- MAY 23**
Drive-In vs Lub. Barber College
Pleasant Valley vs Wilson
- MAY 26**
Ayers Feed vs State Guard
Santa Fe vs Sears
- MAY 27**
Southland vs Lub. Barber College
Drive-In vs Sears
- MAY 29**
Pleasant Valley vs Santa Fe
Ayers Feed vs Acuff
- MAY 30**
Wilson vs State Guard
Southland vs Sears
- JUNE 2**
Drive-In vs State Guard
Pleasant Valley vs Acuff
- JUNE 3**
Ayers Feed vs Santa Fe
Wilson vs Lubbock Barber College
- JUNE 5**
Southland vs State Guard
Drive-In vs Wilson
- JUNE 6**
Pleasant V. vs Lub. Barber Col.
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CUTIES •• By E. Simms Campbell



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- JUNE 9**
Santa Fe vs Acuff
Southland vs Drive-In
- JUNE 10**
Pleasant Valley vs Ayers Feed
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- JUNE 12**
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Sears vs State Guard
- JUNE 13**
Southland vs Pleasant Valley
Drive-In vs Ayers
- JUNE 16**
Wilson vs Sears
Santa Fe vs Lub. Barber College
- JUNE 17**
Acuff vs State Guard
Southland vs Ayers Feed
- JUNE 19**
Drive-In vs Santa Fe
Pleasant Valley vs Sears
- JUNE 20**
Wilson vs Acuff
Lub. Barber Col. vs State Guard
- JUNE 23**
Southland vs Wilson
Drive-In vs Pleasant Valley
- JUNE 24**
Ayers Feed vs Lub. Barber Col.
Santa Fe vs State Guard
- JUNE 26**
Acuff vs Sears
Southland vs Santa Fe
- JUNE 27**
Drive-In vs Acuff
Pleasant Valley vs State Guard
- JUNE 30**
Ayers Feed vs Wilson
Lubbock Barber College vs Sears
- JULY 1**
Southland vs Acuff
Drive-In vs Lub. Barber College
- JULY 3**
Pleasant Valley vs Wilson
Ayers Feed vs State Guard
- JULY 7**
Santa Fe vs Sears
Southland vs Lub. Barber College
- JULY 8**
Drive-In vs Sears
Pleasant Valley vs Santa Fe
- JULY 10**
Ayers Feed vs Acuff
Wilson vs State Guard
- JULY 11**
Southland vs Sears
Drive-In vs State Guard
- JULY 14**
Pleasant Valley vs Acuff
Ayers Feed vs Santa Fe
- JULY 15**
Wilson vs Lub. Barber College
Southland vs State Guard
- JULY 17**
Drive-In vs Wilson
Pleasant V. vs Lub. Barber Col.
- JULY 18**
Ayers vs Sears
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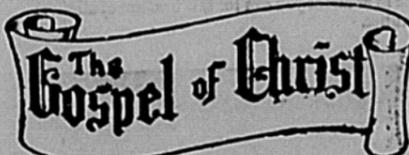
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Subject — NEW TESTAMENT CONVERSION

What is conversion? Conversion is not a convulsion; it does not take place in a nightmare. Webster defines the verb "convert" as "to turn or to change." Now for a Bible definition: "Repent ye therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out." (Acts 3:19.) In supplying the words "turn again" for "converted," as they appear in the Revised Version, we have the expression: "Repent ye therefore, and turn again, that your sins may be blotted out." Hence conversion is a turning; a turning from the service of sin to the service of Christ.

Just what part of the sinner is converted or changed? Unquestionably every part that has been alienated from God through sin. First, the sinner is away from God as respecting his heart. (Jeremiah 17:9.) The heart of the sinner is the workshop where all evil thoughts and deeds originate. (Matthew 15:19.) Hence the heart of the sinner must be converted, or changed. But how? By faith (Acts 15:9; Romans 10:10.) Thus by a change of heart we mean a change of affections... a change that destroys the love

of sin and establishes the love of God in the heart of the sinner. But a change of heart alone is not the whole process of conversion.

Second, the sinner is away from God as respecting his life; he is alienated by "wicked works." (Colossians 1:21.) But how is the sinner's life converted or changed? By repentance (Acts 3:19.) Repentance is a change of will. (Matthew 21:28-29.) But a change of life is not the entire conversion.

Therefore, thirdly, the sinner is away from God as respecting his relationship to the world and to God. He must be brought into a new relationship with God, Christ and the Holy Spirit. This change of state brings a man into the kingdom of God (Colossians 1:13.) But what brings about this change (Read Galatians 3:27.) The apostle here affirms that baptism is that act which puts one into Christ. The word "into" is a preposition that denotes action out of one state into another... from the without to the within. Previous to baptism one is out of Christ, after baptism he is in Christ. There are no degrees in

a state; one is either in or out of Christ, just as he is either married or unmarried, or just as he is a citizen or an alien. By this translation by baptism null and void without being repented, who are converted shall we do... pent and be... of you." (Acts 2:38.) the change of relation... baptism and the change... pentance are null and void... out a change of heart... (Hebrews 11:6.) Thus we see that baptism is the dividing line between the world and the church of Jesus Christ. Some would declare that it is non-essential. The act of baptism is initiatory; it inducts who is turned or converted heart and life, into the kingdom of God.

Obviously, we have been... to see from this study that... Testament conversion involve change of heart by faith change of life by repentance and a change of state or relationship by baptism.

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JUST TALK
by A.M.J.



Saw Homer Crews last week and I hardly recognized him. In fact at first glance I thought that perhaps some big shot Santa Fe official was visting Slaton again. Homer was dressed up, had a vivacious gleam in his eye and was stepping along at a fast slip. He was getting a check cashed when I saw him and on close questioning I found that he was going on a trip with the Rainbow girls. There is no telling how much money he spent on that trip and I'll bet he had more fun than any of them.

A. F. Pierce came into the office this week to renew his subscription to the Slatonite and he said that having to live in town was just like being in jail to him after having spent his youth in the wide open spaces. Too much talking and hullabaloo in town said Mr. Pierce and he wants to get back to where he can hear himself think.

It is what one has become used to. I cannot imagine J. D. Holt, Max Arrants or Nat Heaton on a farm for J. D. would work himself to a shadow and wear out a tractor or a team of mules in one season. Max Arrants would be talking to himself in six weeks and Nat Heaton would be making speeches to the birds and bees if he could not get an audience otherwise.

Mr. Pierce might feel as if he is in town but a lot of other folks would go haywire out in the country and I'm probably one of them and I'm not too sure that I'm not going that way here in town.

It seems to me that if women were not so vain about their feet that they would not have so many corns, bunions and broken down arches. If a woman uses her feet at all for walking in the high stilted heels, and thin soled things they call shoes, she soon plays out. Most every where I have visited I have found the closets filled with women's shoes. Evidently most women buy so many shoes they have to store them in the guest room, in the pantry and in the electric refrigerator. Right now Mrs. Lee Wootton, my wife and Mrs. Ray Hickman are almost crippled and have more shoes than most centipedes have legs, they are buying every kind of foot device, corrective shoes and arch support that are on the market and still

have to rush home as soon as possible to get their shoes off. The trouble is that womens shoes are the craziest kinds of wearing apparel of the age and some day all the women are going to have feet so warped that they cannot walk at all or they are going to get some sense and force the shoe manufacturers to make shoes that do not warp their feet into things resembling a soup bone.

Slaton is fast getting in step with the times and the future for our town looks better than it ever has to me. Many new business institutions have opened and more are planning on doing so, many services are available here that were not available before the war, competition is greater but business is better and the old town is keeping more of its trade at home than it has done in many years and barring a depression over the entire nation, Slaton along with most of the other towns in this area should be prosperous for a long time.

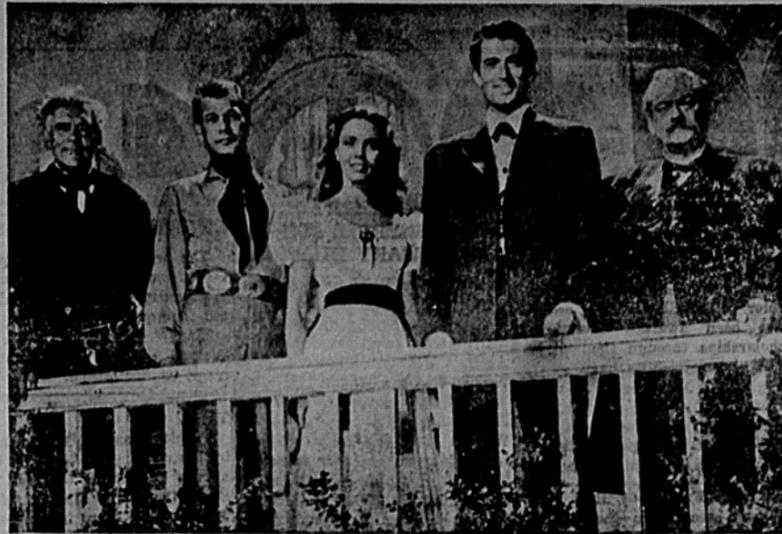
The Jackson weather predictions: exclusively a Slatonite feature . . .

The rains have been a little slow in coming but they are almost here and I believe that we are due for another year like 1941 when the boll worms caused such a dusting of poison. One farmer, Harold Wilson came in the office a couple of weeks ago and said he hopes we do have just such a year although he had to wear hip boots or ride a horse through three feet of water for six weeks, to get to his house.

The chances for a freeze are about over but its going to be a cool spring and early summer. When the rains do stop about July it's going to be hot and I look for Slaton to have the biggest weed crop in years.

Flattery is a perfume to be smelled not swallowed.

—Oliver Deacon



Five important members of the all-star cast in David O. Selznick's epic, "Duel in the Sun," due Wednesday Thursday and Friday at the Palace Theatre. Reading left to right: Walter Huston, Joseph Cotten, Jennifer Jones, Gregory Peck and Lionel Barrymore.

Instructor: If I take a potato and divide it into two parts, then four parts, and each of the four parts into two parts, what would I have?"

Student: "Potato salad."
—Howard Crimmon

Mama: "I'm so glad, twins, you are sitting quietly and not disturbing daddy while he naps."

Twins: Yes'm. We're really watching, though, to see his cigarette burn his fingers."
—Auburn Plainsman

Girl to boyfriend: "I didn't say it was a small diamond. I just said it looked like it was all paid for."

A beauty parlor in one of our cities has the following sign in the window: "Don't whistle at a girl leaving here. It may be your grandmother."
—Miss. Spectator

E. A. ADAMS OF SSA TO BE AT P. O. IN SLATON WED., MAY 7

Elliott W. Adams manager of the Lubbock office of the Social Security Administration, will be in Slaton, at the Post Office at 4:00 p. m., May 7, 1947, to take claims for benefits under the Federal old-age and survivors insurance program and to supply information on the system.

The Federal social security program, which applies to workers in industry and commerce, provides for the payment of monthly benefits when the qualified employee reaches age 65 and retires, for eligible members of the worker's family, and for the survivors of insured workers who die at any age.

For Birth Announcements See the Slatonite.

As the professor read the roll there was a response to every name. When a silence answered the name of Smith, the instructor queried. "My word, hasn't Mr. Smith any friends here?"
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Open House and Exhibition of Paintings Featured by Slaton Art Club in Tuesday Meeting

Mesdames M. L. Turnbow, W. H. Dawson, and Mrs. J. C. Hennington were hostesses at a luncheon given at the Club House Tuesday, April 28, honoring Mrs. D. L. Kent, who is leaving to make her home in San Angelo. Members of the Slaton Art Club were guests.

Lubbock guests included Mesdames T. K. Martin, J. H. Rhea, F. A. Kleinschmidt, and Hall. Slaton guests were the honoree, Mrs. Kent, Mesdames Hammer Dawson, S. H. Adams, J. R. McAtee, Jack Smith, Harvey Tunnell, J. D. Barry, Margaret Bradshaw, C. L. Tanner, and Claude Anderson. Miss Claudia Anderson played piano selections during the luncheon. Each member gave a toast to Mrs. Kent and, Mrs. J. D. Barry presented a gift to Mrs. Kent on behalf of the club.

The Art Club members spent the afternoon hanging their pictures in preparation of the open house exhibit sponsored by the Club from 7:30 to 9:30 in the evening.

Fifty-three pictures were exhibited, and popular vote and votes by the club members were recorded and the pictures were divided into two groups: originals and copies. There were seventeen on exhibition. Out-of-club exhibit included paintings by Dr. Don Hatchett and Ann McAtee Hamilton of Houston and cartoons by Bob Cook, Slaton High School student.

Popular votes on originals gave first place to Mrs. Turnbow's "My Home State", a bluebonnet picture in oils. Second place went to "Magnolias" in oils by Mrs. Bradshaw.

"Palm Springs" by Aunt Carrie Marriott and "Flower Arrangement" by Mrs. Esther Orton of Raymondville tied for third place. Mrs. McAtee's "Fruit Basket" in oils and Mrs. Barry's "Post Lake" in oils tied for fourth place.

The popular vote on copies awarded first place to Aunt Carrie Marriott's abstract "Roses" in pastel. Mrs. Dawson's "House Beside the Road," a water color, won second. Mrs. Jack Smith's oil, "Snow Scene" and Mrs. Tanner's "Roses" tied for third. "New Hampshire Hills," an oil by Mrs. Turnbow, and Mrs. Marriott's "White Parrots" in pastel tied for fourth place.

The club members also voted on the pictures exhibited, and they awarded first place in landscapes to Mrs. Turnbow's "My Home State." Second place went to Mrs. Claude Anderson's "Sandias at Sunset," an oil painting. Mrs. Turnbow's "Hill Country" and Mrs. Barry's "Post Lake" tied for third place.

The club vote gave first place to Mrs. Dawson's "House Beside the Road" in the copies class. Mrs. Jack Smith's "Snow Scene" won second.

The club members voted Mrs. Orton's "Flower Arrangement" first in still life originals. Mrs. Turnbow's "American Beauties" in oils won second place, and Mrs. Bradshaw's "Magnolias" won third.

Mrs. Marriott's "Rose" in pastel won first place in still life copies according to club vote, and Mrs.

SCHOLARSHIPS GIVEN TO TWO SLATONITES

Mrs. L. K. Hart, teacher of American History in the Slaton High school, and Fanny Lou Shaw, senior in the Slaton High school, have been awarded Sweetbriar scholarships through the support of local people. Miss Shaw is the daughter of Mrs. Carter Shaw.

Further support for higher awards is available to these candidates from local people at any Sweetbriar Shop. The current pro-

Tanner's "Basket of Roses" in oils won second. In the portrait division, Mrs. Harvey Tunnell won first and second place in the recorded vote by club members.

In the copies of animal pictures club voting awarded first place to "Horses" by Mrs. McAtee; second place to Mrs. Orton's "Bird Dogs" and third place to Mrs. Jack Smith's "Kitten." All of these were in oils.

Music for the tea was furnished by Mrs. B. B. Castleberry, who played selections accompanied by Mrs. Webber Williams. Misses Claudia Anderson, Leonita Tunnell played piano selections. Mrs. S. H. Adams poured during the tea hours and Mrs. Turnbow and Mrs. Marriott greeted the guests at the door. About 75 guests viewed the exhibit.

RAINBOW ORDER FOR GIRLS OBSERVES 25TH ANNIVERSARY IN APRIL

Order of the Rainbow for Girls, with 43 active members, celebrated the 25th anniversary of the Order with special activities throughout April, which is designated each year as Rainbow Month.

The Order of the Rainbow for Girls was founded by Reverend William Mark Sexson, of McAlester, Oklahoma, and now is established in 42 states and Australia, Alaska, Canada, Canal Zone, Cuba, Hawaii, and Mexico. It has become recognized as one of the great youth movements of the world. Of the 48 states, Texas ranks first with 120 Assemblies; California, second with 115; Oklahoma, third with 114; Washington, fourth with 113.

Rainbow has 1,404 regularly constituted Assemblies with an active membership of 130,000 teen-age girls and a majority membership (girls past 20) of 500,000.

Among the activities of the local Assembly in the 25th Anniversary celebration was one church attendance in a body at the Baptist Church and a Silver Tea in the home of Mrs. L. A. Herral. The offering from the tea was sent to the Masonic Home in Fort Worth,

WOMEN OF CHURCH OF CHRIST HAVE QUILTING

The women of the Church of Christ met at the Club House on Wednesday of last week, and quilted four quilts.

Mrs. W. E. Smart and Mrs. E. N. Pickens served a turkey dinner to about twenty guests.

Texas.

The local assembly is sponsored by Slaton Chapter No. 585, Order of the Eastern Star. Mrs. C. T. Scroggins is the Mother Advisor. The advisory board is composed of seven Eastern Stars and Masons. They are Mr. J. W. Chenoweth, Chairman; Mrs. Billie Miles, Secretary; Mrs. C. T. Scroggins; Mrs. Mamie McCain; Mrs. Fannie Patterson; Mrs. J. B. Caldwell; and Mr. Joe Miles.

All Master Masons in good standing and members of the Order of the Eastern Star in good standing may attend the meetings of the Rainbow.

Pam Henry is ill of pneumonia in Mercy Hospital.

ELEMENTARY P-TA TO HOLD INSTALLATION FOR OFFICERS MAY 12

The Slaton Elementary Parent Teachers Association will have installation of new officers at a tea to be given Monday, May 12, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon at the Slaton Club House.

The newly-elected officers who will be installed at that time are Mrs. Euell Morgan, president; Mrs. M. C. Hodge, first vice-president; Mrs. Gordon Burrell, second vice-president; Mrs. M. L. German, secretary; Mrs. E. L. Norris, treasurer; Mrs. Leon Kenney, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Carl Hyatt, program chairman; and Mrs. Delma Hodge, publication chairman.

WIN ONE CLASS MEETS APRIL 25 AT CHURCH

The Win One Class of the First Methodist Church met Friday, April 25, at 3 p. m. in the basement of the church. Mrs. George Taylor was hostess. Roll call was answered with scripture verses.

Mrs. J. T. Pinkston gave the opening prayer, and Mrs. George Taylor gave the devotional. After the business session Mrs. Joe Walker, Sr., directed a Bible quiz and games. Mrs. P. H. Appling gave the closing prayer.

Refreshments consisting of a salad plate was served to 12 members and one guest.

WCSA MEETS IN S. H. ADAMS HOME MONDAY

The Women's Society of Christian Service met Monday, April 28, in the home of Mrs. S. H. Adams with Mrs. W. S. Parks and Mrs. R. H. Todd, Sr., as hostesses. Mrs. J. E. Eckert poured during the tea hour.

Mrs. Bruce Pember gave the devotional. The program theme was "One Hundred Years of Methodism in China." Mrs. F. B. Seaman was program leader. Mrs. C. Wilkinson and Mrs. Chas. H. Walton assisted in giving a play concerning Methodist missions in China.

Mrs. L. A. Herral closed a meeting by singing "Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone."

Mrs. Todd presided over a short business session. About 25 were present.

SUZANNAH S S CLASS HAS COVERED DISH LUNCHEON MEETING

The Suzannah Sunday School class of the First Methodist Church had a covered dish luncheon in the home of Mrs. L. A. Herral Thursday, April 24. Mrs. W. R. Lovett, chairman, presided over the business session.

Those present were Mesdames C. S. Wilkinson, W. A. Womack, S. H. Adams, O. D. McClintock, Lee Green, R. H. Todd, Sr., and W. P. Layne, Miss Zelda Parkhill, and

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Personals

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Reverend W. F. Ferguson left last Monday night for Grand Prairie to perform the funeral services for Mrs. W. T. Williams. Rev. Ferguson was pastor of the Grand Prairie Baptist Church from 1922 to Aug. 1924. He expected to return today.

F. D. Bostick, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident some time ago, is getting along nicely. He will be confined to the hospital for a week or two yet.

Mrs. R. H. Bailey has returned from a visit to Baltimore, Md., New York City, and Washington. D. C. She visited her son, Capt. Elton W. Schmid who is stationed at Baltimore. He returned home with her for a two week's visit. En route home they visited Mrs. Bailey's other son, Q/C Ellis Bailey's other son, O/C Ellis Schmid, at Columbus, Ga.

Mrs. C. M. Lee, who has been very ill in Mercy Hospital for the past two weeks, returned to her home last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sledge, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wadley and Miss Billie Sledge are leaving for a trip to Gilmer and Ore City in East Texas.

J. R. Thornton of Lamesa, formerly of Slaton, is convalescing at the home of his mother, Mrs. L. B. Thornton, following an operation.

Mrs. J. B. Huckabay spent the week-end in Farwell with her mother, Mrs. Hattie Gerles.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Tucker spent last week visiting their daughter, Mrs. F. O. Bagby of Jal, New Mex. Misses Bobbie and Ollie Ray Tucker of Lubbock also visited their sister, Mrs. Bagby. They all went through Carlsbad Caverns Sunday.

Dr. Oleta Kirkland, former resident of Slaton, now of Amarillo is here spending a week with her brother, Dr. J. D. Snider, and assisting him in his clinic.

LUBBOCK POET READS OWN COMPOSITIONS AT CIVIC & CULTURE CLUB

The reading of her own poems by Mrs. J. M. Wallace of Lubbock highlighted the program on poetry at the Civic and Culture Club meeting Saturday, April 26, in the home of Mrs. Richard Ragsdale, with Mrs. Lee Green as hostess.

Mrs. Wallace was a charter member of the Club. Her original poems selected for this reading had been published in National poetry magazines.

Twenty members and two guests, Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Greer Whitaker of San Angelo, were present.

CHILD STUDY FORUM HEARS DR. M. HARVEY
The Child Study Forum met Wednesday, April 23, in the basement of the Methodist church. Dr. Marshall Harvey gave an interesting and enlightening lecture on the care of the pre-school child's feet. A round table discussion followed.

A social hour preceded the lecture with Mesdames H. E. Wollard, W. T. Davis, Pat Patterson, and Cecil Self as hostesses.

At a business meeting after the lecture plans were made to adopt a constitution and by-laws for the Forum, also for the election of officers for the ensuing year.

The play school hour was suspended for this week because of the Methodist Revival which is now in progress. It will be held at the usual hour and place Wednesday, May 7. Assistants at the play school will be Mesdames J. G. West, Howard Hoffman, W. T. Davis, and Cecil Self.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Foerster and two children of Shallowater spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Lula Caldwell.

Joe Tate is able to be up again after having been confined to his bed for three weeks.

Mrs. Lee Westerman is at home after several days in a Lubbock Hospital.

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There is a precaution to take in grazing poultry, too. Martin explains that too much green feed in the ration of laying hens may cause discolored yolks and watery whites in eggs. But if the birds are started gradually on the green feed, and offered more each day, no harm will result. Martin says poultrymen may begin by turning birds on pasture for 30 minutes to an hour before roosting time, and lengthen the period each day until they stay on pasture all afternoon.

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Featured Weekly**

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In a report received by the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, USDA's Agricultural Research Administration states that research on meat processing shows that ham spoilage can be reduced by rapid and thorough chilling of the meat to a temperature of 35 degrees Fahrenheit, promptly after slaughter. This quick chilling is then followed up by an initial curing temperature not exceeding 38 degrees, keeping the hams cold enough to prevent growth of spoilage bacteria until the curing mixture can take over and hold the bacteria in check.

Artery-pumping, another USDA research development, aids quick curing of hams, which also cuts down spoilage. The curing mixture is forced into the arteries and reaches all parts of the ham more quickly. The new process has cut down time required for curing a ham from 40 to 20 days or less—definitely a practical business advantage. USDA believes that from a "practical standpoint" ham spoilage problems on a commercial scale are solved.

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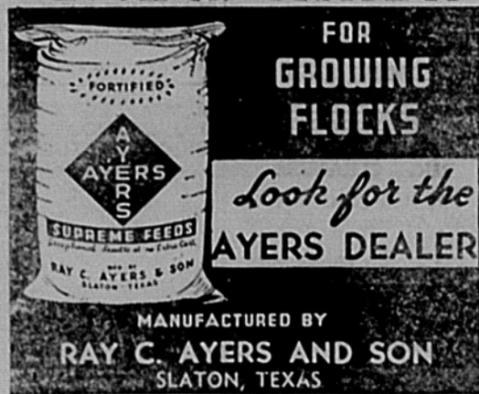
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ing covered plates of fish, and a pitcher of cool, sparkling beer. And we finished them off in front of our own fire.

From where I sit, that's one of the things that makes our town so nice a place to live in: a spirit of share and share alike. That plate of fish and glass of beer weren't just great eating, they were symbols of the thoughtfulness that makes for better living!

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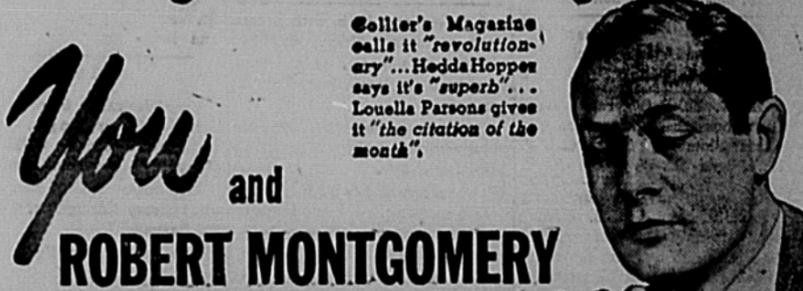


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SOUTHLAND

MRS. FLOY KING

There was a double header ball game in Southland Sunday evening. Southland played and beat Pleasant Valley two games. The first game was 10 and 5; the second 7 to 6. Southland has entered the Slaton League and their first game was Thursday night at Slaton.

Mr. Troy Moore and Lewis Quisenberry of Dallas are here visiting the Robertsons and Quisenberrys.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Winterrowd have returned from New Jersey with their son Billy, who has been in the occupation zone in Germany for about a year.

The Methodist people organized a Bible Study course Sunday night. Rev. Rutledge will teach the men and women's class, Mrs. Walter Kellum the young married peoples class, Mrs. Douglas Livingston the youth class. Meeting time will be at 7:00 p. m. each Sunday.

There is a Sunday School study course at the Baptist Church. Rev. Burnett of Dallas, will have charge of the adults; Mr. Ogle, the young people; Mrs. J. L. Gary, the junior and primary class.

Mrs. Sam Ellis gave a shower honoring Mrs. J. R. King, last Thursday.

Rev. O. J. Harmonson preached at the Baptist Church Sunday morning.

The fishing fever is still raging around Southland. Mr. and Mrs. Will Basinger have returned home

German Workers Protest Food Shortages



DUSSELDORF, GERMANY — (Soundphoto) — Part of the huge crowd of German workers who left their jobs in protest against the food shortage in the British occupation zone, are shown during a mass demonstration on one of the city's main thoroughfares. Two of the signs carried by the strikers and shown here read "We want bread." Following the walkout of the zone's 250,000 miners, labor leaders declared that the strike was almost 100-per cent complete.

and are sporting a new Buick.

John Taylor, Hubert Taylor, Ray Dick, Earl Lancaster, Blondie Ellis and Mr. Cooper returned Saturday from several days fishing trip.

Heywood and Alfred Basinger and Wilbur Wood are fishing now. Mrs. Billingsley was on the sick list last week.

Mr. J. P. Hewlett, Hub Haire, Horace Wheeler, Kenneth Davies, Don Pennell, Elmer Hitt and

Herman Dabbs, all went to Austin last week on business.

Dean Roberson and Lee Davis of Post were among these men going to Austin.

Rev. and Mrs. Tom Rutledge, Mrs. Delmer Trimble, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Wheeler and boys attended the Methodist Youth Rally in Lubbock last Monday night.

Mrs. W. M. Fletcher of Plainview spent part of last week with her daughter, Mrs. Marvin True-lock and family. She returned to her home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry (Babe) King and Elaine visited the Leon Kings Saturday. They accompanied them back to spend the week end with their parents.

Miss Mary Lynn Morris of Dallas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morris.

Dr. and Mrs. Surman of Post had dinner with the Douglas Livingstons Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Howard of Post are spending the week here with their daughters, Mrs. A. Ferguson and Mrs. D. D. Pennell and their families. Their sister, Mrs. Adarholm of Amarillo is also visiting them.

The April average attendance at the Baptist Sunday School was 98.

Mr. Frank Fletcher who was employed in Texas City at the time of the explosion, was between two presses when the building collapsed but didn't get a scratch. He is now employed in Galveston.

The small child of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Field is on the sick list.

The P-T-A will meet Tuesday night, May 6, at the High School auditorium. There will be a negro minstrel put on by some of the boys.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Deon had as their guest over the week end a daughter, Doris and family of New Mexico.

ALL-STAR CAST IN "DUEL IN THE SUN" AT PALACE MAY 7-9

Greatest casting news of many years is the parade of dramatic stars which David O. Selznick has selected from Hollywood's Hall of Fame for his brilliant Technicolor production "Duel in the Sun," coming Wednesday to the Palace Theater.

Jennifer Jones, Academy Award-winner who rose to screen fame in sensitive, restrained roles, now gives full vent to her dramatic talent in the powerful emotional role of Pearl Chavez, half-breed Indian girl.

For the first time in his years of screen triumph, Gregory Peck plays the villain, Lewt McCandles, a lawless, hard-living, rough-riding cowpuncher.

Joseph Cotten, screen favorite, plays the upright Harvard-bred lawyer who looks with disdain upon his brother Lewt's wild ways and vies with him for the affections of Miss Jones.

The dynamic role of power-mad Senator McCandles, lord of a cattle empire, is played brilliantly by the venerable Lionel Barrymore and the renowned actress of stage and screen, Lillian Gish, portrays his wife—aristocratic, gentle but bitterly unhappy in the charged atmosphere of unruly 1880 Texas.

Herbert Marshall, with a deep sense of understanding, plays the role of Pearl's father, an ex-aristocrat who tries his luck at gambling in love and cards and fails at both.

The shouting foe of evil spirits the "Sinkiller" is portrayed by a master of the drama, Walter Huston.

Tilly Losch, famed Viennese dancer "goes primitive" as Pearl's Indian mother, who swirls in delirious dance on the top of an 102-

foot rectangular bar.

The glittering array of top-notch movie favorites continues with the names of Harry Carey, Otto Kruger, Charles Bickford, Butterfly McQueen, Scott McKay and an import from the Broadway stage, Joan Tetzel.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pearson visited her mother at Clovis, New Mexico, over the week-end.

Mrs. C. M. Fields flew to Dallas recently to visit Mr. Field's parents for a week or ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Short, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Berkley, Mrs. B. C. Woods, and Mrs. J. L. Parks met Mrs. Douglas Edwards at Hereford Sunday. The occasion was the birthday of Eddie Mathis.

Mesdames W. P. Layne, C. S. Wilkinson, Elton Wyatt, H. H. White, R. E. McCain, S. S. Forrest, A. L. Clifton, and Sug Robertson, Miss Zaida Parkhill attended a Vacation Bible School Institute held at Asbury Methodist Church in Lubbock last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Davis visited his sister in Abilene the past week-end.

Mrs. W. R. Wilson left Tuesday for Louisville, Kentucky, to attend the Kentucky Derby. She was accompanied by Mrs. Reed Loflin of Lubbock and Mrs. Roy Abell of Ralls. They plan to be away about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Geer have as their guests this past week-end their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Geer of Killen. Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Geer were married April 9, and this is their first visit to Slaton since their marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Kavanaugh left Sunday for College Station, where he will assume his duties as instructor in psychology in A. & M. College.

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The Golden Text is: "Behold, happy is the man whom God correcteth: therefore despise not thou the chastening of the Almighty" (Job 5:17).

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Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men, teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly, in this present world" (Titus 2:11, 12).

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: "Through the wholesome chastisements of Love, we helped onward in the march toward righteousness, peace, and purity, which are the landmarks of Science" (page 323).

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POSEY ITEMS

R. L. BOYD

Rev. W. R. Fleming preached Sunday morning from the 1st chapter of Acts, verse 1-11. He will hold the summer revival probably in August. The Methodist pastor has changed his plans and may remain another year at Tech. Rev. J. M. Morrisson held services Sunday evening.

The Wayland College Volunteer Band of Plainview, will send a group to have a program for Saturday night, May 17th and services on Sunday, May 18th. There will be a basket dinner that day.

Oscar Lee Johnson is reported to have landed somewhere on the West Coast and is expected home on a furlough about the first of May. He has been in the army for almost a year and a half, most of the time being spent in southern Korea.

Augustine Stolle of Portales, N. M., visited the Fred Stolle family Thursday night. He was enroute home from Vernon where he had been to see his mother who has been sick.

Among those who made good catches of fish in the Canyon have been Weldon Gebert and O. E. Patterson. Several others reported little difficulty in obtaining their limit of crappie.

Mr. D. L. Connor says that he has already started his flower garden. The several types of dahlias which he raises have attracted the attention of many flower fanciers. The Posey blacksmith also has a strawberry garden.

Mrs. Hazelwood who lives in Lubbock has been re-elected to teach next year.

Because of the cool weather and the light frost of April 26th, most farmers have decided to wait for warmer weather before planting much cotton.

M. P. Gentry who has spent several days lately in a hospital was present at Sunday School. He was presented with a gift by several residents while he was sick.

The finance committee of the Posey community church has not yet purchased a building site. Two lots which had been considered have been sold.

Mrs. Pauline Schormborne and son Joe, of San Antonio have recently visited her mother Mrs. Wittkamp, brother L. A., and sister Sophia. Joe, is a war veteran having seen service in Africa, Sicily, Italy and France. He escaped injury, but his brother was wounded by the Japanese in the Far East.

C. E. Birdwell has been working for a dairy farmer a few miles southeast of Lubbock.

The new radio station will also have a short wave hook-up.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Johnson visited Mrs. A. J. Boyd Sunday afternoon. Other visitors were Mrs. Laura M. Boyd and Mrs. S. E. Melton of Lubbock.

Rev. C. F. Schutte says that the Ladies Aid Society of the Immanuel church received ninety pounds of clothing and shoes for the Lutheran World Relief. The pastor says that on Sunday, May 4, an offering will be taken up by the church for the relief of tornado victims of the northeast Panhandle

of Texas and the northwest portion of Oklahoma. The schedule of the new pastor is for Service at Posey on the 1st and 2nd and 3rd Sundays. He preaches at Littlefield on the afternoons of the first two Sundays of the month and is there on 4th Sundays for both morning and afternoon services.

The social that the Sunshine Club gave Friday night was in the form of a tacky party. The costumes and the refreshments carried out this theme. Different kinds of prizes were awarded.

S. N. Gentry and George Hayes, Methodist stewards, attended the Quarterly Conference at Mc Clung last Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Johnson and daughters of Lubbock visited in the T. A. Johnson home last Friday.

Rev. Bill Fleming was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Birdwell.

A. L. Havis and son, Melvin, of Lubbock have finished a new building, a car and tractor shed, on the Havis farm.

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Fair officials also announced the contract had been let for construction of a judging arena and sales measuring 90 by 100 feet. The new structure will be similar to cattle and hog buildings already on the exposition grounds. Expectations are that it will be ready for use next fall.

The rubber balloon parade will include fifty giant inflated figures, some of them standing as high as 14 feet and being 50 feet long. About 200 men will be required to handle them.

Fair officials expect between 75,000 and 100,000 people to witness the parade.

Some people are so progressive they don't wait until the first of April to make fools of themselves.

Ill. Wes. Argus

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The size eggs a hen lays is largely a matter of inheritance. Insurance against small egg production is buying baby chicks from stock known to have individual ability to lay large eggs.

Marketing eggs at least once a week will help reduce the loss in quality due to thin egg whites.

A windbreak of native Texas trees around farm buildings gives protection to livestock and poultry in the winter, and plenty of good shade in the summer.

A garden fence will do double duty when pole beans are planted against it.

When a garden is watered, a deep and thorough soaking, as by a fairly heavy rain, is better than more frequently light sprinklings.

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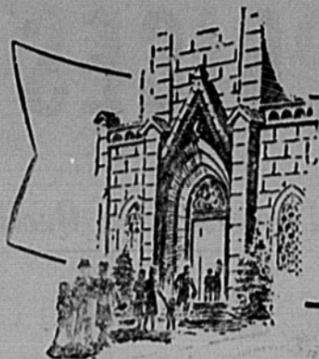
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