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West Texas Roundup

Two chartered busses to the Post-Snyder football game in Snyder tomorrow night are being sponsored by the Antelope Booster Club. They will leave from the local bus station at 6:15 p. m. Marshall Gibson, club president, has announced. Each bus will take 37 passengers.

Testing equipment is now in operation on Blub and Bull Creeks, and also on the Colorado River where three new electric testing devices are being installed at various points. United States Army Engineers are working with the State Board of Water Engineers to determine the chemical analysis of the body, quality, and quantity of water which at this time looks favorable. The lake will provide 110,000 acre feet of water and this will be quite an improvement over the present quality of Colorado City water.

Only 873 voters in Randall Co., out of a possible 2500, took the time to go to the polls Saturday and vote on the \$750,000 Road Bond issue which was sponsored by the Randall County Farm Bureau.

The bond issue lost by a large majority. There were only 358 votes cast in favor of the bond issue, and 520 votes against the bond issue. With 873 votes cast, it would have required a vote of 582 to carry the bond issue. The law requires a two-thirds majority to pass road bonds.

Recently Judge Tom Garrard, president of the Lynn County Farm Bureau Federation, wired to Senator Tom Conally, Washington asking the Senator to urge the allocation of more freight cars to this area for the moving of the sorghum grain crops now being harvested.

On Tuesday of this week, Judge Garrard received the following telegram from the Senator:

"Telegram received. Have again conferred with officials stressing need for additional cars to move sorghum grain crop. Am assured orders are today being issued to make available to the roads serving your locality some additional cars.—Tom Conally, U. S. S."

Eight more miles, for an approximate total of 30 miles, is being added to new petitions now being prepared and which will be submitted to property owners in Crosby County Road District No. 1 within the next few days, Judge Emzy Pieratt announced this week.

Plans for the future disposition or development of the Hereford Housing Project, Inc., the labor housing camp now located at the former Prisoner of War Camp, are now being considered by the board of directors of the corporation as soon as all details are worked out. Two or three alternate plans will be submitted to the stockholders, a spokesman for the board reported this week.

Cherished dream of the Scurry County Memorial Post No. 3281 of Veterans of Foreign Wars was a long step nearer realization Wednesday when announcement was made that Wolf Park has been purchased from the Wolf estate. Deal was closed between R. M. (Buesby) Hedges for the VFW and attorneys for the Wolf estate. Consideration was \$10,500.

Slatonite Want Ads get results.

KEEP INSURANCE RATES LOW BY PRACTICING FIRE PREVENTION

Dr. Freeman Is The New Superintendent



DR. C. WADE FREEMAN

Dr. C. Wade Freeman of Sulphur Springs resigned the pastorate of the First Baptist Church Sunday morning, October 5, to accept the superintendency of the Department of Evangelism of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, Dr. J. Howard Williams, executive secretary, announced in Dallas today.

Pastor in Sulphur Springs for more than five years and former pastor of the East Dallas Baptist Church, Doctor Freeman will assume his new position on November 1 to succeed Dr. C. E. Matthews, now superintendent of the department of evangelism of the Southern Baptist Convention Home Mission Board.

Slaton FFA Boy Is Award Winner

Five boys from the Plains area of Texas who are outstanding in Future Farmer of America activities in the state have been certified as winners of the Santa Fe railway educational awards by R. Lano Barron, state advisor of the Texas association, Future Farmers of America, at Austin.

They are Robert E. Myers, Jr. and Oliver Lee Thompson of Lubbock, Charles L. Cade of Slaton, Clois Dean Wiseman of Sudan, and Hollis Ellis of Stamford. Cade and Thompson are students at Cooper high school, and are classified as American Farmers. Meyers attends the New Deal high school and also is an American Farmer. Wiseman and Ellis are state officers of the Future Farmers of America Association. Ellis graduated from Sweetwater, Tex., high school where he was a member of the F.F.A. chapter since his graduation has moved to a farm near Stamford.

The Santa Fe awards are cash sums approximating the total expenses incident to attendance by the winners at the National F.F.A. convention held yearly in Kansas City in conjunction with the American Royal Livestock Show. Winners from Sudan, Slaton and Lubbock will receive their awards at a banquet to be held on October 13 at the Hilton Hotel, in Lubbock, which will be attended by F.F.A. members from Area 1, when H. M. Balner, general agricultural agent for the Santa Fe will personally present them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nesbit left this week for San Angelo where they will make their home. Mr. Nesbit has been transferred there by the Panhandle and Santa Fe. Before coming to Slaton, four years ago, the Nesbits were residents of San Angelo. Their son Jack Nesbit is now attending an Optometrist School in Oregon.

Mrs. Tom Turner is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Nelson, in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meurer and Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Kitten and son visited in the home of relatives in Los Angeles over the past week.

Slaton is in position to substantially reduce Fire Insurance rates next year if we do not have any severe fire losses between now and the time the yearly Insurance rates for the state are set by the State Board.

This alone should cause the business men and property owners of the town to be careful but to make the case more important the fact that the problems of rebuilding the actual loss that comes from a fire should case every one in Slaton to stop and consider the chances they are taking.

The Fire Chief especially calls the attention of business men and property owners to the serious risk that is now present in the way of dry grass and weeds and to the fact that the long drought has made everything inflammable and more dangerous than ever.

Faulty electrical wiring is especially dangerous and old wiring should be inspected regularly and at frequent intervals and any new installations of electrical wiring should be done by licensed workmen. While this is Fire Prevention week it does not mean that one should be careful just for this week, but it is brought before you to impress the fact that Fire Prevention should be a constant thought in every ones mind.

Slaton People Urged To Hear Famous Speaker

"One of the most forceful and best educated Christian speakers in America will be in Amarillo next Sunday and George Hodges, minister of the Slaton Presbyterian Church said that every one who can do so, regardless of their church affiliations, should attend the meetings.

The speaker is: Wilbur La Roe, Jr., of Washington, D. C., Moderator of the 159th General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A., who will address meetings of the Presbytery of Amarillo at 4:30 and 7:30 p. m., Sunday, October 12, at the First Presbyterian Church of Amarillo. Mrs. La Roe will address the women of the Presbytery at 4:30 p. m. Afternoon and evening meetings are especially designed for laymen and laywomen of the church, and all Presbyterians of the Texas Panhandle are cordially invited. A buffet supper will be served at 6:30 p. m.

Mr. La Roe is a nationally known lawyer, and is head of the firm of Clark and La Roe of Washington, D. C. He is a former president of the Association of Interstate Commerce Commission Practitioners.

The new Moderator is of French Huguenot and Scotch descent. His characteristics of forcefulness, determination, and high intelligence are strikingly in keeping with the tradition of his ancestors for sound learning and for unswerving loyalty to principles. Born in Westfield, New Jersey, 1889.

The Moderator of the General Assembly is the highest honorary office in the Presbyterian Church in the U. S. A. The Moderator has great prestige and power in the church. Mr. La Roe is one of the very few laymen to be elected to this office during the history of the church.

The problem of the rural parish and its precarious situation in American church life are of chief concern to the Moderator. He recalls, in emphasizing the importance of the rural parish, a saying of Woodrow Wilson, under whom he studied at Princeton University "Let me warn you of danger when the voice of America comes from Washington, rather than from the little Red Schoolhouse in the country," said President Wilson. Mr. La Roe comments, "The voice of our great metropolitan cities is confused. The real America is nourished by its rural areas. The more we nourish our rural areas the more we nourish the real Americanism."

Over the Wire



Rumors of another line of business for Slaton have been going around and considerable speculation on what will happen next in the way of expansion is being manifested.

One old established business concern reported that they took in more this last week than had ever taken in by that store since it had been in business in Slaton, nearly twenty years.

A prominent and old established Lumber Company reports that last week topped their sales for all time so far as he could tell. Slaton is growing and business is good, we have not yet reached the inflation point that many towns have and property values, living costs and the opportunities to do well here are better than in many other over valued towns. Slaton has not built a lot of flimsy houses and when conditions level off Slaton will not have the deflation that occurred here when the depression hit.

Barring unforeseen misfortunes Slaton has a water supply and a water system that will accommodate a town several times the size of Slaton that is with extensions to the water lines as they are needed.

The City and County officials have been bearing down on the unlawful citizens in the flats and have been arresting from ten to fifteen drunks and liquor violators nearly every week. This condition is bad but unless adequate laws are given the law enforcing officers there will likely continue to be violations in places such as the flats.

The fire chief says that there is more dry grass and dead weeds around the town than there has been in many years. The fire trucks have been called out a number of times to put out grass fires and the Fire Chief says that the fire hazards are worse now than at any time in many years. He urged that the back alleys, vacant lots and other places where such growth is rank, be cleaned up and should a grass or brush fire get out of control he says by all means call the fire department before serious damage is done.

Growing Pains Manifest Here

That this area is prosperous and in an excellent condition is demonstrated by the fact that the Citizen's State Bank has approximately \$70,000.00 more money on deposit now than was on hand 90 days ago.

Food stores report the greatest sales in the history of their operations, department stores have been having unprecedented sales and the demand for all kinds of merchandise has reached an all time high.

A number of outside business interests have had scouts in Slaton this week and Slaton is showing growing pains.

Mr. Mike Elliott is in the Plains Hospital at Lubbock.

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SLATONITE

Slaton Tigers to Meet Rochester Team Tonight

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Ceremonies Held For New Officers

Impressive installation ceremonies for the new officers of the Slaton Chapter of De Molay was held last Thursday night at the Masonic Hall with Jimmy Cherry, acting Master Commander, directing the affair.

After the singing of the National anthem the following new officers were sworn in:

Master Commander, Johnny Schmidt, Senior Commander, Harold Culver, Junior Master Commander, Tommy Smith, Senior Deacon, Freddy England, Junior Deacon, Tip Culver, Senior Stewart, Carlton Scroggins, Junior Stewart, Glyndon Dawson, Chaplain, Joe Tucker, Marshall, Bill Layne, Standard Bearer, Jim Porter, Sentinel, Claud L. Ward, Orator, Bobby Cook, Alamoner, Jimmy Cherry, Scribe, Jack Thompson.

The following Preceptors were present: Bobby Taylor, Robert Woodfin, Jerry Lovelady, Sam Burnett, Richard Vardy, Weldon Spears, Norman Newton.

Freddy England gave the Flower Talk, the only De Molay ceremony that is given before the general public.

The Mothers of the De Molay members and members of the Eastern Star served refreshments after the meeting.

The Junior Senior P.T.A. met last night and discussed plans for their cooperation during the school season.

Mrs. Clifford Simmons will go to Amargillo tomorrow to be the guest of her sister Mrs. Hotto.

Just received one two drawer metal letter size filing cabinet at the Slatonite.



Born September 30th at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Harper, a boy. Weight 8 pounds.

Born September 30th at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Williams, a girl. Weight 9 pounds 7 ounces.

Born October 2nd at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Velatin Garza, a boy. Weight 5 pounds, 6 ounces.

Born October 3rd at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kuss, a girl. Weight 7 pounds.

Born October 4th at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Haral Lucas, a girl. Weight 5 pounds, 10 ounces.

Born October 5th at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bednarz, a boy. Weight 9 pounds, 3 ounces.

Born October 5th at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. A. Morgan, a girl. Weight 6 pounds, 13 1/2 ounces.

Born October 6th at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Respondeck, a girl. Weight 6 pounds, 4 ounces.

Born October 7th at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Henry, a girl. Weight 5 pounds, 4 ounces.

Born October 7th at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Cuellar, a girl. Weight 5 pounds, 5 ounces.

Born October 8th at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Chambers, a girl. Weight 6 pounds, 4 ounces.

Born October 8th at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Cardenas, a boy. Weight 6 lbs.

Coach Tillery would make no predictions as to what the outcome might be today when the game is over between the Slaton Tigers and the Rochester Steers.

The opposing team has piled an impressive 171 points in four games against good opponents and if the Slaton boys win they will have to give the best they have. With Tip Culver, who is suffering from a light attack of appendicitis and Ray Walters out of the game the Slaton team is handicapped, but still has enough good reserves to do the job.

The Tahoka team whitewashed the Tigers last week to a tune of 20 to 0 and Coach Tillery said that the Slaton boys did their best but that it was not good enough.

There will be four more home games played in the next five weeks, they are:

Lubbock Cowhands, Amherst, O'Donnel and Snyder.

Legion To Meet Monday Oct. 13

The Luther Powers Post of the American Legion will meet at the Legion Hall next Monday night October 13, at 8:00 p. m. A number of important discussions are to be presented and a Lubbock Ritual team will be present to initiate new members, a large number of which are scheduled to enter the organization.

With a large increase in membership since the return of World War II veterans the Luther Powers Post has become one of the most active organizations in Slaton.

Well Known Artist To Perform Here

John Josey, organist for the First Baptist Church in Amarillo, will give a concert, Wednesday, October 22nd, in the First Baptist Church of Slaton.

Mr. Josey is one of the best known organists and musicians in the Southwest, his organ recitals over the radio are popular with music lovers and those who hear him here will find his performance inspiring.

Rev. W. F. Ferguson is greatly pleased with the new organ and says that the new instrument has greatly improved and musical programs at the Baptist Church.

Children playing with matches cause 26,000 fires every year in the United States.

We have one new Remington Rand 10 col., add and subtract, adding machine for \$160 at the Slatonite. Would accept used adding machine or type writer in trade.

Mission Workers Helping Mexicans

A Sunday School Mission has been started in the Mexican settlement of Slaton by Mrs. A. B. Hayes under the auspices of the Presbyterian Church of Slaton.

The meetings are being held each Wednesday beginning at 4:00 p. m. in the Baptist Church in the Mexican District. While this work is being done at present only among the children it is planned to expand it to the adult Mexicans.

The work is being done under the direction of the Presbyterian Church, but it is not denominational and the help of members of any faith will be welcomed. Those who wish to offer their services should contact the minister of the Presbyterian Church, G. R. Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Crow are in Temple this week.

NEWSPAPER BARGAIN RATES ARE NOW AVAILABLE AT SLATONITE

It is the same old story again this year, the shortage of newspaper has made it necessary for the Star Telegram and Lubbock Avalanche to limit subscriptions to renewals but as in the past these publishing companies are offering special rates to its subscribers.

While the Slatonite is still in position to accept new subscribers the following rates are in effect for a limited time, until he offer is withdrawn by the Star-Telegram and Avalanche. The Slatonite and the Star-Telegram seven days per week, including Sunday \$13.95, you save \$3.05. The Slatonite and the Star-Telegram for six days per week, no Sunday Star-Telegram, \$12.80, you save \$1.40.

The Slatonite and the Lubbock Avalanche, six days per week including Sunday, \$10.50, you save 50 cents.

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 By Robert Huser of Huser's Hatchery
WORMS CURTAIL YIELD, GROWTH

Worms are a hindrance to poultry raisers because they often are responsible for reduced egg yields as well as for prolonging the time required for chickens to reach marketable size. While the effect of worms on poultry is not often easy to detect, the harm done over an extended period may be of considerable importance.

Of the many types of worms known to be poultry parasites, there are but few which are numerically important enough to cause serious trouble. But these few species are found almost everywhere poultry is raised.

The Large Roundworm
 One of the commonest is the large roundworm. This is the worm with which most poultrymen are familiar. It is large—1 1/2 to 4 inches in length—and causes heavy damage when great numbers of them infect a flock. They are prolific breeders, female worms passing several thousand eggs daily. Under favorable conditions a small worm develops in an egg in about two weeks, and when such an egg is eaten by a chicken an adult worm develops after another five to seven weeks. This worm then hatches more eggs which the chicken passes back to the soil through the droppings. Large roundworms, in their development in chickens, cause considerable damage to the intestinal wall. This damage frequently causes birds to become emaciated and stunts their growth. If the infection is severe enough, the bird will die.

The cecal or pinworm is a tiny worm between one-fourth and one half inch in length. It lives in the tips or blind ends of the ceca of chickens and turkeys. While it is not especially harmful to chickens the cecal worm or its egg acts as the carrier of blackhead organisms infecting turkeys and is often responsible for severe losses in turkey flocks. Its life cycle is similar to that of the large roundworm.

Intestinal Capillaria Worm
 The intestinal capillaria worm is a long threadlike worm that may cause chickens to become droopy and emaciated, to develop diarrhea, and if the infection is heavy enough, to cause death losses.

The several types of tapeworms are flattened, ribbon-shaped, segmented worms that are found in the intestines of poultry. They vary considerably in size, carry both sexes in each segment, and do not have either a mouth or intestinal tract. Flies, ants, bugs and grasshoppers serve as intermediate hosts for tapeworm eggs and when one of these insects is eaten by a chicken the tapeworm infection gains a foothold.

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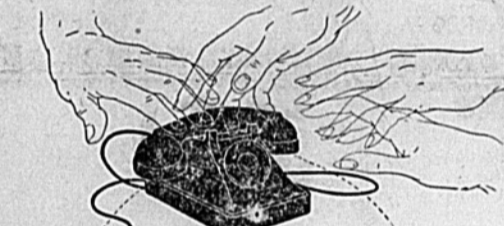
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MARKET NEWS

(USDA)—Southwest farm markets paid mostly firm to higher prices for livestock, grains, and many other products last week, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Hogs scored gains of mainly 50 cents to \$1. San Antonio and Fort Worth established new all time high prices of \$28.25 and \$29.50 respectively. Week's top at Oklahoma City was \$29.75. Wichita \$29.60 and Denver \$30.50.

Cattle closed the week generally strong to 50 cents higher, although Houston and San Antonio netted losses on steers and yearlings. Houston paid a top of \$22 for medium and good caked grass steers. San Antonio bought low to average medium steers at \$20. Fort Worth took good fed steers and yearlings at \$23 to \$27.50. Oklahoma City paid \$27 to \$29 for good and choice steers, and Wichita gave \$20 to \$25 for medium light steers and yearlings. Denver set a new all time high of \$33 for choice steers, while other medium to choice kinds brought \$25 to \$31.

Eggs and poultry sold firm to a little higher in the southwest last week. Seasonally best white graded eggs brought around 55-58 cents per dozen at most places, and mixed colors 50 to 56. Most markets paid 37 to 40 cents per pound for good quality full sized fryers, 24 to 28 for heavy hens, and 10 to 15 for roosters.

Continued good domestic and export demand kept grain markets strong most of the week. The wheat and corn netted gains of 5 to 15 cents, while oats, barley and sorghum grains advanced about 5 cents. No. 1 Hard ordinary wheat closed Friday at \$2.95 per bushel at Texas points; while No. 2 white corn brought \$2.55 to \$2.60.

Slight ups and downs during the week left cotton \$1.25 to \$2.50 lower Friday. Growers in all sections called for more pickers as harvesting conditions were ideal.

Proper methods are a necessary part of the whole plan of quality conservation in eggs from the time they are produced until they are consumed.

Membership in the nation's farmer marketing and purchasing cooperatives went over the five million mark for the first time in the 1945-46 season.

Fire losses in the United States are zooming to an all-time high, and threaten to exceed \$700 million this year.

Treating fruit trees in October with paradichlorobenzene or ethylene dichloride for borers will help stop the heavy damage toll that those insect take in fruit orchards in Texas each year.

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POSEY ITEMS

R. L. BOYD
Visitors in the A. M. Carroll home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carroll of Paducah, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Carroll, of Pep, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Carroll of Lubbock, Mrs. Mattie Bundrich of Italy, Texas, a niece of A. M. Carroll whom he had

not seen in over 30 years arrived Monday.
Glynn Ray is the name chosen for a son born to Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Harper, Jr., September 30.
The Methodist Conference of which the Posey Church is a member held its quarterly meeting Sunday evening at 7:30 at Liberty.
Magnus F. Klattenhoff, J., has been in a Lubbock Hospital for

several days.
L. R. Hart has been employed as an extra clerk at the Gentry Store.
W. E. Lowrance states that the new song books will probably be received before next Sunday.
More cotton pullers have been coming in and some farmers have now been over their fields for the first gathering.
Rev. Charlie J. Schulte of the Posey, Lutheran church has charge of the clothing drive here. The clothes are sent to the Lutheran Relief and then forwarded to needy people who live in Germany.
A small crowd was present at Sunday School and two teachers were absent. Efforts are being made to obtain a speaker when the Methodist preacher is not present.

Joe Grabber is recovering a home from an operation.
Frances Hart is one of the officers recently installed in the Order of Rainbow Girls at Slaton. Since most of the people have been very busy many residents did not attend the South Plains Fair this year.
M. Kattenhoff has recently purchased a new 1947 automobile.
Mrs. A. L. Johnson and daughter attended the fair at Lubbock Wednesday afternoon.
Betty Ross Maeker, a student nurse, was visiting relatives on Friday.
Mrs. Laura Boyd and W. G. Boyd of Wilson visited Mrs. A. J. Boyd Sunday evening.
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JUST TALK

by
A.M.J.

Last week I met Mrs. John Sims on the street and I said "Ow are do" and she said "errible, I dod ay feyer" and I sneezed and she sneezed and I went home and Mrs. Leonard Harral was sitting on our front porch, and was dabbing at her eyes with a frilly handkerchief and she gurgled a greeting through her tears and I sat down and we sneezed a couple of times and she went home and I went way back in a dark corner of our back room and blew and blew and blew. And I am in favor of forming a club of hay fever sufferers with a sneeze as the form of greeting and departure and a drippy handkerchief as the symbol of the club. How many would like to join?

Bug Guinn and I had quite a talk last Sunday in the Post Office about dogs and their intelligence. Bug claims that some dogs have a lot more sense than some folks. He looked at me real hard when he made this remark. Bug told of one of his pointers that had been trained as a retriever as well as bird hunt. One day when he shot a bird and it fell in a very inaccessible spot, even for a dog, he sent old spot after it.

The dog laboriously climbed down the side of a canyon, through the bed of the creek and to the opposite side of the ravine. He found the bird but lost his footing, got a lot of cactus spines in his mouth and dropped the bird. He retrieved the bird and started again only to stumble into some more priely pears. He threw the bird down and climbed back down the canyon wall across the bed and almost back to where Bug and his companion were. He took one look at Bug, tucked his tail and went back and got the bird. Bug claims that the dog had sense and a good memory and that what he did was not because of instinct like some folks say.

Like Bug I believe that dogs have a well developed mind in many ways and that they are capable of thinking, probably not the way we think but in some ways they have a superior way of looking at things if they are not interfered with in too many ways by human beings. There are a lot of things worse than dogs life, and in some ways I'm living it.

There are a lot of people who were pessimists during the depression who are optimists now. Will prices stay as high as they are now or will they go higher and higher as time goes on until it will take a hundred dollar bill to buy a loaf of bread. Perhaps prices are low now compared to what they will be in a few months but I doubt it, for there must be a levelling place somewhere and a slight decline would make it tough on some of the folks who have been paying the prices for real estate and many other things. If you can buy something and pay for it you cannot get hurt much, but if you buy something and have a big debt on your hands you had better look out for it seems to me that the President is going to stop some of high flyers in the stock market.

And what do you think of the meatless Tuesdays and chickenless and eggless Thursdays? It is my opinion that if the Government would insist on the meat packers doubling their prices that

every day would be meatless and that they could send all our cattle and hogs to Russia, Yugoslavia and Poland or wherever they are sending a lot of it now. While I have no doubt that there are a good many hungry people in Europe there are a lot of overfed crooks over there too. My little niece, who has recently returned from a two years stay in Europe, most of which time was spent in England, said that while there might have been a lot of starving people that she did not see any of them and she did a lot of traveling in Germany, Italy and France.

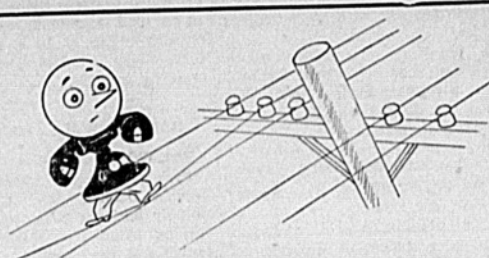
As for myself I don't care about chicken anyway and I do without chicken every Thursday and I can get along without meat on Tuesday, in fact, at the price it has been, I have just about decided to go without it more than just Tuesday, but I do not see that the plan is going to help anyone much except the restaurants that won't have to serve you bread or meat. What are going to eat? Probably grow rabbit ears and gnaw on raw carrots for our meals.

Weather predictions by A. M. J. —Now that the cotton is ready to pick and a lot of pickers are here to pick it I am sure we will have some rain. The grass is all dead, the vegetable gardens dried up and things just wrong for a rain, so get ready for a soaker.

It seems to me that Slaton needs to plan on some kind of Christmas holiday promotion and to plan something worth while. We have not had a single thing in the way of a rodeo, a roping contest or a parade since the war ended. Nearly every other town on the South Plains has done something in this line and Slaton could, if we could get together and encourage folks to come to

Slaton. We have more places for people to buy things, a better picture show and there is more money in the country than there has been in twenty years. The Lions are always roaring about what they would like to do, here is something that could be made really worth while and bring a considerable amount of money not only to the town but to the Lions Club if it were promoted in the right way. Like everyone else I am jumping around in my business like the devil were after me with a hot pitchfork, but I'd be willing to do all I could in my weak way to help promote a real holiday plan. It would take some money to do the thing right but I believe the business men of Slaton would support such a program if it were planned right.

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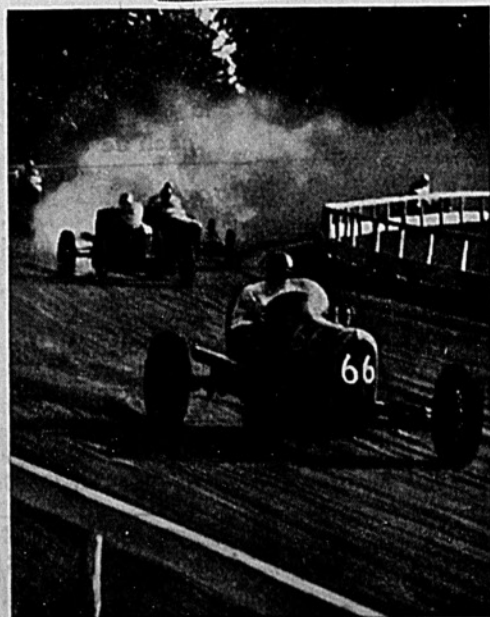
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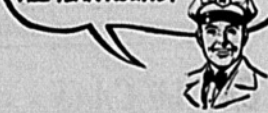
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Texas Tech Notes

LUBBOCK, Oct. 7—Isik Pinhas, Texas Technological College student of textile engineering, has a little difficulty in explaining his nationality.

He was born in Russia, reared in Turkey. But does that make him a Russian or a Turk? No. He's Iranian because his father is Persian. Iran was at one time Persia. Isik admits that this is all "very complicated" to an American.

LUBBOCK, Oct. 7—With the thousands of cars driving through the Texas Tech College campus

daily, the traffic problem has grown to be an out-sized headache for officials and students. But headache pills in the form of more paved streets, additional spacious parking lots and more traffic lights are on their way, it has been announced.

LUBBOCK, Oct. 7—Between 100 and 150 home making teachers and school administrators from high schools in Lubbock and 24 other counties are expected to attend a district conference of home making teachers October 11 at Texas Tech College. The conference is jointly sponsored by the state board for vocational ed-

ucation and the college.

LUBBOCK, Oct. 7—W. L. Stangel, dean of Agriculture at Texas Tech College, is serving as general superintendent of the livestock division at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas. Two other Texas Tech faculty members, L. M. Hargrave and R. C. Mowery, are also working with the fair. Hargrave, associate professor of agricultural education, is assistant superintendent of the junior swine show, and Mowery, animal husbandry professor, will judge the junior breeding pig show.

Texas Tech will exhibit eight head of cattle in this year's show, including three Hereford steers, four Aberdeen Angus steers and an Aberdeen Angus bull. The bull will be entered in the Texas Aberdeen Angus association sale October 16, Dean Stangel stated.

Mustard Potato Salad A Hit for Club Lunches

An attractive platter of potato salad, cold cuts and deviled eggs will make a real hit at that next club luncheon, advises the Rural Home editor of Capper's Farmer, one of the best known farm magazines.

For added zest, make the potato salad with mustard cream dressing.



she writes. You can give it an extra tang, too, with diced raw cucumbers or crumbled fried bacon.

MUSTARD CREAM POTATO SALAD

4 medium potatoes
1/2 c. prepared mustard
1/2 c. evaporated milk
1/4 c. sugar
1/2 c. vinegar
1/2 tsp. salt
1/2 c. onion, chopped
1/2 c. celery, diced
1 tsp. celery salt

Cook potatoes in their jackets until tender. When cold, skin and dice. For dressing combine sugar, mustard, milk, vinegar and salt; beat thoroughly. Toss together lightly potatoes, onion, celery, celery salt and salad dressing to moisten. Chill before serving. Add hard-cooked egg if desired. Serves 6.

Busy Bees

In order to make a honey crop, bees from a good colony must visit up to 520 million flowers during the season.

News Summary Featured Weekly

"How I Stay Young" — By Ina Claire. This glamorous stage star gives you a sensible guide for keeping young. Read this and many other colorful features in the American Weekly, that great magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

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And as Doc says—fun is a personal thing. For the missus it may mean a movie or a good book; for Doc, a mellow and refreshing glass

of beer; and for the kids, parcheesi or the radio. Doesn't mean everybody has to like the same thing—so long as they relax, have fun, together, in the home.

Doc doesn't have much time himself. After a hard day, he'll relax before the fire with a glass of beer—and wait for the phone to ring again. And from where I sit, Doc deserves each well-earned minute of that relaxation.

Joe Marsh

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Chinese Took Fingerprints
Fingerprints found in China were made in 300 B. C. The oldest records of fingerprints in America were carved on the face of a cliff in Nova Scotia.

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Mrs. Tom Layne, son, a n d daughter-in-law of San Antonio visited in the home of Mrs. A. A. Landers over the past week. Also visiting Mrs. Landers was her daughter Miss Edna Landers of Denver who flew down by plane.

Mr. and Mrs. "Duck" Howell of California visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Howell of Slaton over the past week.

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

Here's How If You've Given Up

COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 8 — It looks like skirt lengths are coming down, in spite of all the hemming and hawing that's going on about it.

So, for the girls who have decided to stop the fight and let their hems down, here's what might be some helpful information.

Miss Mary Routh, clothing specialist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, has a n answer to the girls' question: "How am I going to lenthen a skirt without giving it that tell-tale, letdown look?"

If it is a wool skirt that's being let down, and if the fabric is shiny on the underside of the hem, rip the hem and steam-press it on the wrong side of the fabric — that is, if the wool is light weight

or has a raised pattern in the weave. If it is a thick wool, Miss Routh advises steam pressing on the right side.

In steam pressing, cover the fabric with a dry wool press cloth, then with a cotton cloth dampened in warm water. You may use a warm iron, but set it

down, then lift it. Don't slide it back and forth, warns the clothing specialist.

If the shine is still showing after that operation, there's another trick you can try, take a clean brush or a rubber sponge—the kind used for suede shoes—and try riasing the nap of the

wool with it. Conspicuous and stubborn hem-line creases on the wrong side, says Miss Routh. Then turn the goods over on the right side and roll the crease back and forth in your finger to work it out. Then press on the wrong side afterward.

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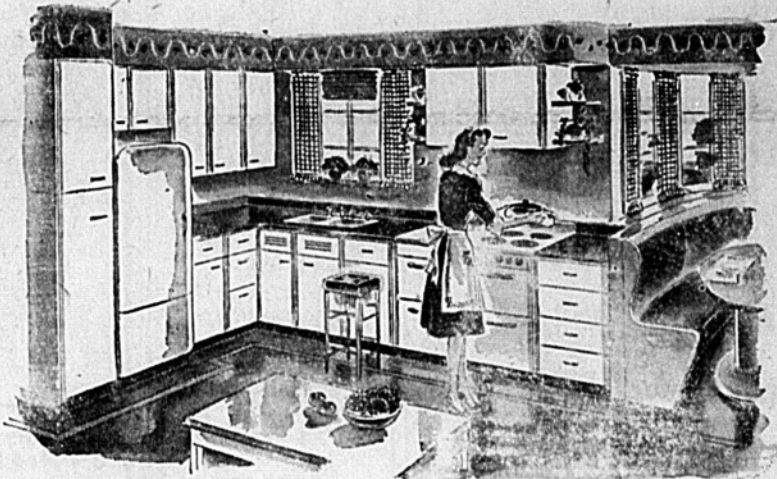
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Crosby Co. Wheat Is Graded High

COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 8 — Crosby County wheat this year had a very low percentage of dockage due to poor milling qualities as compared with most West Texas counties.

The reason, says County Agent W. R. Kimbrough, is that wheat farmers in the county planted most of their acreage to registered and certified wheat varieties. Only four percent of the wheat harvested in Crosby County this year was classed as poor-milling grain.

Plans are being carried out, says Kimbrough, to eliminate all the poor-milling wheat in Crosby county. Over 5,000 bushels of registered and certified Westar wheat were purchased for planting this year, plus 10,000 bushels of certified Tenmarq seed and 1,00 bushels of certified Comanche. These varieties are recommended as good millers. The grain was purchased from elevators and feed companies that are cooperating by stocking good planting seed.

Kimbrough says plans are already made to organize an association to produce certified wheat and to build a seed cleaning and treating station.

SOUTHLAND MRS. FLOY KING

The Southland 6 man football squad will play Petit on the Southland football ground today beginning at about 1:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Elkins of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lindsey last Friday and Saturday and on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Buck Taylor of Spur were visitors in the Taylor home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rathel and children of McAadoo, were visitors in the Harold Trull home last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Moppy of Levelland, Mrs. Moppy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cummings, and Ed Cummings, of Lubbock, visited Mr. and Mrs. Sarge Cummings here last week end.

and Mrs. Joe Childress and their daughter of Slaton visited the W. W. Gillilands last Sunday.

A banquet was served at the lunch room at the Southland School last Tuesday night for the school board and their wives.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrion Weaver and their children spent last week end here with Mr. Weaver's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wood of Abilene spent last Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ruby Wood.

Mrs. W. M. Weaver, who is confined to the Mercy Hospital in Slaton, is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Klaus are visiting in Bay City, Elgin and Taylor, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Duff and Mrs. Harry King and daughter visited relatives in Weinert, Texas over the week end.

The Buddie Carpenters have moved to Fort Worth. Mrs. J. L. Sizemore of Hallie, Mrs. Robert Pernel underwent an operation at the Mercy Hospital, N. M., is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Ogle and family.



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CITY OF SLATON)

Pursuant to an order by the City Commission of the City of Slaton, Texas, notice is hereby given that a special election will be held within and for the City of Slaton, Texas, on the first Tuesday in November, A. D. 1947 same being the 4th. day of November, A. D. 1947 for the purpose of electing one City Commissioner for Ward No. 2 Said Commissioner to serve out the unexpired term of the present Commissioner of Ward No. 2 or until his successor shall have been duly elected and qualified.

Said election shall be held in the City Hall of the City of Slaton, Texas, for one day only by having one election box in the above mentioned ward. Said box will be open on said date from 8 o'clock A. M. until 7 o'clock P. M.

All persons who are qualified electors under the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and who have resided within the corporate limits of the City of Slaton, Texas, for six months next preceding said election and reside in the above mentioned ward are qualified to vote at said election.

The following Judge was appointed to hold said election in Ward No. 2 at the City Hall on said date.

M. J. Nelson, Ward No. 2.
Said Judge will appoint clerks to assist him in holding said election.

Said election shall be held as nearly in accordance with the General Election Laws of the State of Texas governing elections as may be practical.

In testimony whereof, witness my official hand and seal of the City of Slaton, Texas, this the 22nd. day of September, A. D. 1947.

Attest:
J. J. Maxey L. B. Wootton
Secretary Mayor

Snakes' Teeth
A snake's teeth are pointed backward to prevent escape of animals captured for food.

Report On Europe

By GEORGE MAHON

This is being written from the city of Trieste, a town about 300,00 on the shores of the Adriatic sea. I am here in Trieste with a Congressional Subcommittee charged with making a study of our foreign aid program. I had hardly heard of this city prior to the war and that is probably true of most Americans. It is now one of the danger spots of the world.

The place belonged to Austria before World War I and to Italy after World War I. The city and a small bit of land surrounding the city have now been set up as a free state which is to have a governor appointed by the United Nations. The city of Trieste is only five miles from Yugoslavia.

At the conclusion of the war, Yugoslavia and Russia demanded that the city be made a part of Yugoslavia—American and Britain refused to agree as most of the people in the city are Italians, and the Free State was finally agreed upon.

A force of 5,000 American troops and a similar number of British troops occupy the city of Trieste. The city is the dividing line that separates Russia and Yugoslavia from the western world. It may be our first line of defense against Russian aggression. In addition to maintaining our troops here we are spending about \$800,000 per month to help feed the people of the area. A ship load of American wheat arrived recently and there are no signs of starvation here. The Port was heavily bombed during the war. Our government is supporting a program to make the place self-sustaining.

Durng the stay of our Committee in Trieste, Treaty provisions have gone into effect setting up the new state, and Ratification Day has been celebrated. It has been a very precarious time for American and British military forces.

The Commanding General of the Yugoslav Army served notice upon our military headquarters that his army contrary to the provisions of the peace treaty was marching into the city of Trieste at 10 o'clock at night on Ratification Day. Our forces manned the roads to the city with instructions to prevent the entry of the Yugoslav army. The Yugoslavs engaged in some military maneuvers and threats, but when it became apparent that the American and British had called their bluff, they withdrew their forces.

There has been an air of uneasiness throughout the city during our stay here. There have been numerous riots and demonstrations by the Communists. And bombs have been exploded in the streets and a few people have been killed. The Yugoslav army outnumbered the Anglo-American forces in this area, but the presence of American war ships in the harbor and the flight over the city of our four-engine bombers have had a stabilizing influence on the situation.

One of the most spectacular demonstrations was a Communist funeral procession through the streets of the city. The Communists claimed that the anti-Communists were responsible for the killing of a child who belonged to a Communist family. The child's casket was carried down the street on the shoulders of six young men, preceded by 4 huge red flags. The bands played

Why Eat Watermelons
If you have bladder trouble, drink much tea made from watermelon seeds, according to an old superstition. If you have watermelons in your garden, have the woman of the house step over the vine if you want its growth stopped. And if you still garden according to superstition, pick watermelon in the dark of the moon for luck.

Corn Speeds Up
With a two-row picker and facilities for hauling and cribbing corn, yields of 60 to 70 bushels per acre can be harvested with only one and a half to two man hours per acre. Hand picking and scooping would require about nine man hours per acre to harvest a 70 bushel yield.

and hundreds of flowers were carried in the procession. The marching crowd extended for several blocks and was estimated at 15,000 people.

In Trieste we have conferred at length with American and British military officials, where we have found considerable pessimism as to the chance for peace and stability. Trieste is headed for trouble unless the United Nations is able to pursue a firm policy and establish a strong civilian government. We have con-

ferred also with local citizens and officials. The majority of the people in the city of Trieste are Italian, but there are also many Yugoslavs in the area.

Among the 5,000 American troops in Trieste are 137 enlisted

men from Texas. I had a pleasant visit with two of them from West Texas, Max Carpenter of Sundown, and Cecil Drake of Big Spring, Texas. All our troops seemed to be in fine shape and morale appeared to be high.

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Double Bridal Shower Is Held

A double Bridal Shower honoring Mrs. Bobby Hoover and Mrs. Teddy Keese, of Slaton was held last Tuesday, October 7, in the home of Mrs. W. G. Reese, 105 North 6th.

The brides are sisters and the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jones of Meadow, Texas.

The guests were met at the door by Mrs. Reese and introduced to the receiving line, which consisted of Mrs. Lee Jones, Mrs. Bobby L. Hoover, Mrs. A. J. Hoover, Mrs. Teddy Keese and Mrs. Douglas Keese. The Brides table was laid with a lace cloth centered with white Dahlias displayed in a crystal bowl on a reflector. Miss Francis Sikas poured punch and cake and nuts were served.

Roses, Mums, Snapdragons and other fall flowers were used for house decorations. Pink dahlia corsages were worn by all the members of the house party and by the honorees and the grooms mother. The brides gifts were displayed and Miss Cleo Joyce Keese presided at the Brides book where one hundred and twenty-five guests registered.

Hostesses for the shower were Mesdames: W. G. Reese, Herbert Gaither, W. A. Sikes, Deima Hodge A. R. Golding, R. W. Cudd, B. Jones, Jimmie Watkins, Clark Self, W. T. Cherry, Roy Mack, J. Lloyd Moyer, J. C. Burton, Sam Wilson, John Berkley, W. H. Dawson, and R. L. Gregory.

Tobacco Cost High
American Medical association reports that the American people spend two and one-half times as much for tobacco as they spend for physicians' services.

Party Given For Charlotte Liles

Charlotte Sue Liles enjoyed her 5th. birthday with a party given her at her home, 305 S. 11th St. by her mother, Mrs. Wayne Liles. After several games, Charlotte Sue opened her gifts.

Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served the following: Lenda and Jan Smith, Tommie Karen McCall, Jimmie and Jeanie Haliburton, Katie and Judy Wicker, Linda and Cathy Walker, Mike and Stevie Ball, Sandra Wells, Jimmie Garner, Melinda Clifton, Carol Jean Cook, Stevie Edwards, and the honoree. Also Messrs: McCall, L. W. Smith, Haliburton,

Girl Scouts Visit Fire Department

Girl Scout Troop No. 7 visited the Slaton Fire Department last Monday October 6th and were shown the equipment by Mr. O. M. Baxley, who very kindly explained its uses to them.

Reported by Johanna Clevenger

CLIP BOARDS—all sizes AT THE SLATONITE

Joe Wicker, Billie Ball, W. D. Edwards, and Dan Liles. Those sending gifts were: Giles Smith, Barbara Felty, Arnold Alcorn, Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson, and little Joe Jefferson, of Corsicana.

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Diesels on Railroads
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