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 ter—not your hunting companion.

"Aunt Samantha Rules The Roost" Scheduled By Seniors On April 20

Two hours of hilarious entertainment is on the slate for the families and friends of Slaton High School seniors when they present their annual class play at the High School auditorium, April 20 at 8 p.m. The play, "Aunt Samantha Rules the Roost" by Charles George, is a three act comedy about an eccentric old maid who is a candidate for mayor. Instead of winning the election, Aunt Samantha wins her opponent and finally marries him.

Unfolding this great drama will be Paula Maxey, in the title role of Aunt Samantha Simpkins; Barbara Jochetz as Sophie Simpkins; Bess Ann Parker as Polly Payne; Josephine Shepard as Annie Ambrose; Arlene Tefertiller as Blanche Bowers; Eugene German as Lucian Littlefield; Tommy Swanner as Blair Boswell; A. E. Burris as Frank Fairfield; Henry Fleming as Laurence Lovewell; and Bobby Taylor as Buddy Boskins.

The play is under the direction of class sponsors, Mrs. Yates Key, and E. B. Jenkins. Proceeds of the play will be used by the senior class to help finance their trip at the end of the school year, and also to purchase a gift for the school.

Pfc. Nash Listed Missing In Korea

Word was received Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Nash, 620 S. 7th., that their son, Pfc. James Terrell Nash has been missing in action in Korea since February 12. The last word that Mr. and Mrs. Nash had directly from their son was on February 9.

Pfc. Nash had been overseas since November, serving in the 38th infantry, Second division. He had been in the reserve and was called into active service in September.

A veteran of World War II, Philippine campaign, he was graduated from Seagraves High School and formerly attended Texas Tech.

His wife and baby son live at Seagraves. He has three brothers, Jordan Nash of Lubbock, Harry C. Nash, stationed in Honolulu with the Navy, and Pat Nash who is a student in Slaton High School.

Three Names Listed In School Board Election Tomorrow

School board elections will be held Saturday, April 7 in the office of the Police Chief at the Hall. Names on the ticket are Travis C. Reynolds, running for re-election, Jack Clark and S.A.M. Cooper. Two of those listed will be elected.

Board members whose terms expire this year are Reynolds and Wayne Liles. Other members of the board are J. T. Kendrick, J. C. Smith, Jr., Curtis Dowell, Robert H. Davis, and Joe Walker, Jr.

Charlie Austin will be the election judge and Mrs. B. A. Hanna and Mrs. W. G. Reese will be the clerks.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Sargent and Mrs. J. D. Sargent spent the week end in San Angelo with G. H. Sargent's daughter, Mrs. Roy Treadaway and family. Mrs. Treadaway was formerly Mary Mann Sargent.

STREET PAVING CONTRACT LET

A contract was let this week for seven blocks of paving. The work will start as soon as the contractor can get equipment in operation.

The streets that are to be paved are: four blocks on South 15th Street from Division to Jean Street, two blocks on South 14th Street, from Jean Street to Edwards Street, and one block on South 5th Street, from Scurry to Floyd Street.

Mayor Wootton reported other paving projects are under consideration and that the Commissioners are always eager to work with property owners on streets where there are prospects for paving.

While no actual figures are available it is believed that Slaton has more blocks of paving than any town its size in West Texas, if not in the entire state.

Slaton Officials Re-elected Tues. Despite Write-Ins

The mayor was re-elected here Tuesday despite a last minute write-in campaign in an election that saw a light turnout of only 210 voters.

L. B. Wootton was re-named mayor, receiving 161 votes of the 190 cast. H. M. Englund garnered 22 write-in votes and E. H. Ward got 7.

Wayne Liles was elected to commissioner from ward one, edging out Vern Johnson 39-36 in a closely fought write-in battle. Incumbent J. E. Eckert was unopposed for commissioner from ward three.

Election judges included P. G. Meading, ward one; Merle J. Nelson, ward two; Charlie Whalen, ward three; and A. M. Fry, ward four.

Small Boy Injured In Fall From Auto

Dennis Lee Jenkins, two and one half year old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Jenkins of Post, was injured when he fell from a moving automobile about four miles from Post on the Wilson Highway. He was taken to Mercy Hospital where about eight stitches were required in a gash on his forehead, and also treatment for a slight skull fracture.

Mrs. Jenkins said that the accident happened about 11 o'clock Tuesday morning. The little boy was riding in the back seat alone and the door either came open or he opened it himself and fell out.

His condition was reported to be satisfactory late Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Kitten, of San Antonio, and Misses Alma and Audrey Kitten of Boulder, Colo., were recent visitors in the home of their parents, Mrs. L. B. Kitten and other relatives in Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Wadley spent last week visiting their son, S. M. Wadley and Mrs. Wadley in Lubbock.

FURNITURE CO. OPENING DAY DRAWS CROWD

One of the largest crowds ever to attend an opening in Slaton packed the Home Furniture Company on the Grand Opening of their new store Saturday.

"Some 5,000 persons were estimated to have been here," said Bland Tomlinson, co-owner of the store.

Mrs. W. H. Dawson, of 325 S. 12th St., Slaton, walked off with the top prize—a four-piece bedroom suite, in the drawing held in conjunction with the opening.

Four other prizes were awarded and 1,500 orchids were given away until the supply ran out in the afternoon.

D. J. Gaither, of 1105 S. 14th, Slaton, won the Flor-Ever Floor covering. Other prize winners were:

Louis Dabila, Slaton, winner of the Lane cedar chest.

Mrs. Alta Jenkins, of Rt. 2, Slaton, who received a floor lamp.

D. G. Stalle, of Rt. 1, Post, who won a card table.

Bland Tomlinson, manager of the store, said that he and his force had worked all night and all day on Friday in order to prepare for the opening and that they expected a big crowd, but the response was far greater than they had hoped for.

"We are greatly pleased with what has been accomplished," said Mr. Tomlinson, "and we particularly appreciate the compliments paid us in the Slatonite of Friday, March 30, by our friendly competitors and by the other business men who expressed their views in that paper."

Mr. Tomlinson said that they are now in position to carry all kinds of home furnishings and that they expect to expand as fast as possible.

Health Conditions Good Says Doctor

City health physician W. E. Payne reports that regardless of rumors about flu epidemic in Slaton, the number of cases in this area is not above the average for this time of the year. Those who have been moaning and groaning so loud do not have any new kind of flu but just the regular old brand.

He also reports that there are fewer cases now of polio over the state than last year at this time of the year and that no cases have been reported here.

"Keep surrounding sanitary," said Dr. Payne, "and you will be doing all that is known to keep down polio."

Auto Registrations More Than In 1950

About 1000 more automobiles had been registered at the F. A. Drewry office here early this week, than were registered last year, according to Mr. Drewry. He estimated that approximately 2000 passenger car licenses had been sold, and about 1000 for other vehicles. Quite a few licenses were still being issued.

Dr. Wm. R. Knight, Dr. Beatrice Knight, Susan and Catherine of Houston, spent the week end here with Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Payne. The Drs. Knight went on to Denver to attend a medical meeting this week.

Area Cub Scouts To Inspect The Santa Fe Shops

The month of April has been designated as National Railroad Cub Scout Month, and Slaton, being the only Railroad Terminal on the South Plains, the Officials of the Area Council, have arranged for a Special Train to leave Lubbock at 9:45 a. m. April 14th and arrive at Slaton around 10:15 a. m., and make a tour of the Roundhouse and facilities.

It is expected that there will be Cub Scouts and their leaders from Tulla, Plainview, Hale Center, Abernathy, New Deal, Lubbock, Muleshoe, Sudan, Littlefield, Morton, Levelland, Smyer, Hurlwood, Seminole, Seagraves, Brownfield, Denver City, Ropesville, Lamesa, O'Donnell, Tahoka, New Deal, Grassland, Post, Gordon, Floydada, Ralls, Crosbyton, Lorenzo, Dickens, and Dimmitt.

Some of the Cubs and their leaders, will be unable to make it to Lubbock, to ride the Special but will make the trip to Slaton by car or bus, the ones arriving by car or bus, should arrive in Slaton around 10 a. m., and will be able to see our fair city, for a few minutes, before the arrival of the train, also some of the Cubs and their leaders are planning on arriving in Slaton on train 94, and it sure would be nice if some of our civic minded people would meet train 94 and furnish them with cars to visit over the City, and see that they were returned to the designated point to make the tour of the roundhouse with the people on the Special train. It would also be very helpful if motorists would give these young boys and their leaders much consideration, drive slow and give the pedestrian the right of way at all times.

Mr. Bland Tomlinson is Cub Master in Slaton, and he and Mr. Lewis Hollingsworth, the District Chairman of the Cap Rock District are due much credit in bringing this Organization to Slaton for this event.

It is expected that there will be some where in the neighborhood of 750 to 1000 extra people in Slaton for this occasion. After the tour of the Roundhouse the Cubs and their leaders will move to the City Hall lawn where they will eat their paper sack lunches. The Cub Scouts of Slaton will sell pop on the City Hall lawn for the occasion.

L. B. Hagerman, Executive Board Member of the South Plains area council has been instrumental in the program and is assisting in planning the inspection trip.

C. C. PARK NEW EMPLOYEE AT SLATON PHARMACY

C. C. Park, formerly of Childress, Texas, arrived in Slaton this week with his wife and child and is now employed at the Slaton Pharmacy as a pharmacist.

Mr. Park has had many years experience as a registered pharmacist and in the drug business. He says he is well impressed with Slaton and feels that he is going to be glad to call Slaton home.

Mrs. W. C. Gibson of Leonard, Texas, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper and her sister, Mrs. Emma Wallace.

Pfc. Robert Cooke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cooke, is home on leave from Camp Pendleton, at Ocean Side, Calif., he will return to duty Saturday.

SLATON BANK SOON TO HAVE FACE LIFTING

The Citizens State Bank started a face lifting on their building this week and when it is completed it is expected to make the bank building very glamorous with quite a "come hither look."

According to the plans all of the windows on both the south and the east side will be replaced with glass brick which will not only modernize the outside appearance of the building, but will allow much better lighting for the interior.

Not only will these improvements be made but the new Air-temp cooling system will be put into effect this summer doing away with the old water cooling system that has been in use at the bank for the past three years. Mr. Swanner says that a lot of birds will have to find a new home and folks who used to stand in the doorway to get dripped on by the old water cooler will have to look elsewhere for a light shower.

In keeping with the many improvements that have been, or are being made, in Slaton, Mr. Swanner says the bank is enlarging its facilities and bringing its building up to date. The directors expect to keep the Citizens State Bank in step with the town and the times.

News Of Slaton Men In Service

Sgt. Shirley Gene Butler is now stationed in Tampa, Florida, we learned this week from his mother. His family is with him in Tampa and they are living at 6206 Bayshore Blvd. Mrs. Butler reports that they are getting along fine, and would appreciate a visit from any of the Slaton people who might be touring Florida.

Robert (Bunky) Guinn visited his family and friends here on a three day pass last week. His brother, Bill, drove to Colorado Springs, Colo. to bring him here. Bunky has been accepted for OCS and is now waiting at Camp Carson for his orders. He expects to get a 10 day furlough soon.

Phillip (Pip) Dawson, another Slaton man stationed at Camp Carson, hopes to get a furlough soon and is looking forward to a visit at home.

Dr. J. W. Belote In New Location

Dr. J. W. Belote, Slaton optometrist, has moved his office from the Citizens State Bank Bldg., to 205 W. Garza, in the offices formerly occupied by Dr. B. F. Edwards.

The new office is located one-half block east of the Slaton Theatre.

Dr. Belote is a graduate of the Southern College of Optometry.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Gunter and Della Scoggins spent last week with Mrs. Gunter's mother and father who are in the Hestan Clinic in Houston, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Nesbitt of San Angelo were visitors in Slaton last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Thompson, former Slaton residents, now living in Plainview, visited friends here last week end.



BIRTHS

Born on March 28 to Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Scoggins, 955 S. 10th., in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 8 lbs., 5 ozs.

Born on March 29 to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Scott, Rt. 1, Tahoka, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 8 lbs., 5 ozs.

Born on March 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Warren, Rt. 1, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 6 lbs., 13 ozs.

Born on April 3 to Mr. and Mrs. Jay Oats, Rt. 2, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 8 lbs., 5 ozs.

Born on April 3 to Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wilke, Tahoka, Texas, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 6 lbs., 15 ozs.

Born on April 3 to Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Dobbis, 14 West 9th., Post in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 5 lbs., 12 ozs.

Born on April 3 to Mr. and Mrs. Art Wolf, Rt. 1, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 7 lbs., 9 ozs.

Area Wide Plant Held At City Hall

NEW THEATRE TO BE BUILT

A ten year lease with an option to buy was signed this last week by the City Commissioners with the Meador Construction Company, of Abilene, for a triangle of eleven and two tenths acres of land which is located in a triangle at the cemetery curve on the Lubbock Highway about a quarter of a mile north of the City limits.

The construction of a Drive-In theatre will be started as soon as possible, said the leases R. D. Meador and R. D. Pritchett.

Mr. Meador is from Abilene and Mr. Pritchett is from Colorado City. Mr. Meador is in the contracting business and will build the theatre, Mr. Pritchett is in the picture show business in Colorado City and it is understood that he will be in charge of the show here when it is completed.

Theatre concerns that have been trying to expand their operations have been having some difficulties in their building programs due to the Government restrictions of \$5000 top, for building constructions, but Mr. Meador and Mr. Pritchett say they are in position to stay within the limitations and still provide the town with a first class drive-in theatre. It is expected to be in operation by late spring or early summer.

Members Of Wood Family Made Ill By Gas Poisoning

Several members of the E. W. Wood family narrowly escaped asphyxiation last Friday night when a leak in the bathroom heater filled the house with gas. Mrs. Wood awakened the family during the night complaining of feeling very ill. Before the cause of her illness was discovered, Dick Wood and his wife, visiting here from Gruver, both fainted. Other members of the family opened the doors and windows of the house when they discovered the leaking gas.

A doctor's services were required the next morning, but none of the family was hospitalized as a result of the accident. The only person who suffered no effects from the gas was four year old Ricky Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wood.

Gustavus Home From Convention Of WOW

A. B. Gustavus returned this week from Fort Worth where he attended the Head Camp meeting, Texas jurisdiction of the Woodmen of the World Life Insurance Society, April 2 to 3.

More than 600 delegates representing 73,000 Texas Woodmen attended the meeting. National officers of both societies, Woodmen and the Woodmen Circle, were honored at a luncheon Monday noon. Both of them, Farar Newberry, president of the Woodmen of the World Life Insurance Society, and Mrs. Dora Alexander Talley, president of Supreme Forest, Woodmen Circle, addressed the group at the luncheon.

Separate business sessions were held by the two organizations Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning.

The next Head Camp Meeting of the WOW will be in Beaumont, April 21-22-23, 1953.

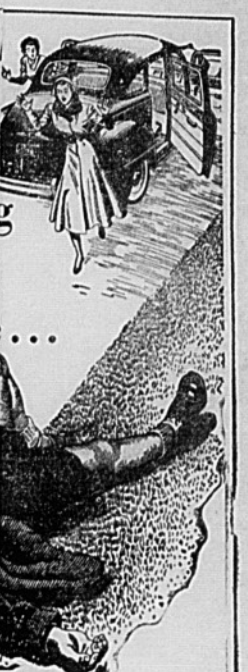
ELEMENTARY P.T.A. TO MEET

The Elementary P.T.A. will meet Monday evening, April 9 at 7:45 in West Ward Auditorium. Mrs. Sug Robertson is to present a program on visual aid. The West Ward visual aid equipment will be used to demonstrate the aids in futher learning processes of both adults and children. The Rhythm Band under the direction of Mrs. Virgie Hunter, will furnish musical entertainment. Mrs. Allen Crowley will have charge of inspiration time.

Wallace Cooper of Midland spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sledge have been on a trip to Belin, N. M., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Claud Young.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Bain and son Mike, were in Carlsbad over the week end visiting her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Hendrick. Mike visited the Carlsbad Caverns on Sunday.



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Jack Cleveland Buried Tuesday

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, April 3, at the Slaton Methodist Church for Jack Cleveland, 26, of Slaton, who was killed in an automobile accident early Sunday morning near Posey, when the car he was driving overturned.

Jack was the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Cleveland and had been a resident of Slaton most of his life. Two passengers in the car, C. W. Atnip and Everet Robertson, both of Slaton, were injured in the accident that demolished the car that was owned by Atnip. Both Atnip and Robertson were taken to a Lubbock hospital after the accident. Atnip with a broken shoulder and Robertson with a fractured rib.

All of the young men are graduates from the Slaton High School and are well known in Slaton. Young Cleveland was married and the father of two children, a boy and a girl.

He is survived by his parents, three sisters and one brother.

WEATHER REPORT

The West Texas Gas Company reports the high temperature for the last week to have been 80 degrees Tuesday, April 3, and the low was 30 degrees, Wednesday, March 28.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gabel and family have moved to Earth where they have purchased a farm. Mr. E. R. Legg will manage the office of Mrs. S. S. Forrest and attend to real estate and farm management, which Mr. Gabel has done for the past ten years.

THIS WEEK'S SMILES

Try overcoming clumsiness with this one. Place your right thumb upon your nose and let your hand dangle downward, fingers spread wide apart. Bend your body slightly forward from your waist.

Then, standing upon your left leg, raise your right knee until it touches the pinky of your outstretched right hand. Try this for several minutes, then reverse the procedure, touching your left knee to your left hand.

Another exercise, which will take a bit of practice before you master it, requires bending one leg to a squatting position while you hold the other leg straight in front of you.

As you bend your knee, bring the heel of the same foot upward. This will help you keep your balance as your body follows your leg downward. The straight leg should be held clear of the floor as you stoop.

Don't overdo this one. — San Diego Tribune.
 Too late! We're in the hospital.

Week's Question

Views On Effectiveness Of Price Controls Told By Local Merchants

Until March 28 price controls had been placed on everything except foods and drugs by the government. Wednesday a new "percentage markup" system of food price controls was ordered by the government. The orders affect about 60 percent of the food on shelves of grocers and about \$20 billion of the business they do each year. According to Price Director Michael DiSalle, the "general impact of the orders will be to reduce food prices in most categories" covered by the order. DiSalle said housewives should not look for big general reductions. He said some price changes will be upward, and the changes up or down will vary with stores across the nation.

For this week's question we asked some of the local merchants "Do you think that price controls will be effective?" and their opinions are printed here:

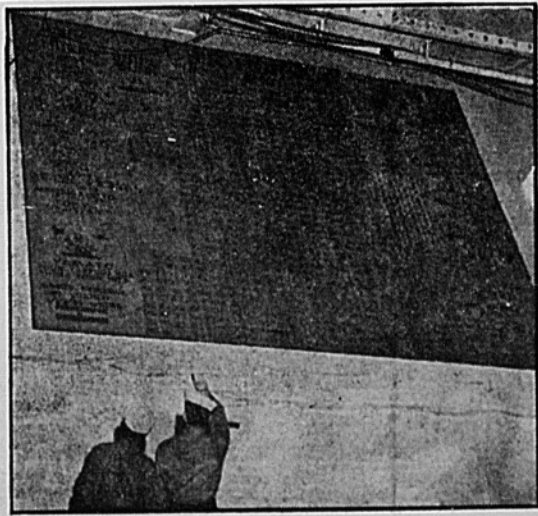
Hack Lasater at Piggly Wiggly's believes that it will be enforced effectively, if the red tape is finally ironed out so that everyone can understand all about it. He thinks that the consumer can help

to control prices to a great extent by refusing to buy merchandise which is unreasonably priced.

Olan Griffith of C. R. Anthony Co. says that price controls will be effective. It is organized now so that it can be enforced, he believes. "New price lists have been released to our stores and we have to stick to them very closely," he said. He believes that the price control is a good thing.

Another local merchant who requested that his name be omitted, says the controls will definitely be enforced, but he doesn't think that it will do any particular good. He feels that the job of controlling prices is too big for the government to cope with. He thinks it would be better for the manufacturers of the various products to make their own ceiling prices.

Oran McWilliams of McWilliams Dry Goods thinks that price controls will not be of any benefit unless conditions become a lot worse than they are at the present time. He says we don't need controls now. "It is just a lot of extra work and trouble for nothing," he said.



ROOM FOR MORE—Sailors in San Francisco, working to get the aircraft carrier Hornet back in action, pause for a minute to admire the flatop's distinguished World War II combat record. Although the record is adorned with symbols representing the destruction of more than 1400 enemy planes and several dozen ships, there remains room on the "scratch sheet" for many more entries.

Some \$1500 in prizes will be awarded to contestants in the Slaton Rodeo April 13, 14, and 15, it was announced this week by rodeo directors.

An area-wide Boy Scout Camporee will be held at Indian Hill, three miles north of Slaton on the Canyon Road, April 21-22, according to information released this week by Howard Golden, chairman of camping and activities of the South Plains area.

Three local Slaton churches, First Methodist, First Christian, and Presbyterian, plan to observe Early morning and Sunrise Easter Services Sunday, with the Presbyterian and Christian Churches together at the Christian Church.

A new \$150,000 Wilson High School was formally dedicated last Friday night in ceremonies held at the auditorium, with Calloway Huffacker, former district attorney of Lynn County, as guest speaker.

Slaton's annual boy scout drive, which has been underway for the past two months, netted approximately \$734. Travis Reynolds, finance officer, said this week.

Sir Walter Scott
Despite his ancestry, Sir Walter Scott, the great Scotch novelist, was unable to save a penny. He died a poor man, his fortune depleted by poor investments and a love of good living.

PALACE THEATRE

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in
"3 Godfathers"

-with-
Pedro Armendavriz

Slaton People Worth Knowing



CLARK SELF, SR.
Clark Self, Sr., a resident of Slaton for 31 years considers himself "one of the old settlers" of the town. He is owner and manager of the Slaton Furniture Company at the corner of Ninth and W. Garza Sts. He has been in the furniture business since 1939.

Mr. Self was born in Italy, Texas. He attended high school here, and is a graduate of Slaton High School. He is a member of the Rotary Club. A deacon in the local Church of Christ, he is the teacher of the high school age class for boys and girls, and active in all phases of church work.

During his leisure, of which he doesn't have too much, Mr. Self likes to fish and play golf.

His family consists of his wife, Irene, and two children, Clark, Jr., 17, a student at Abilene Christian College, and Sharron Ann, four years old.

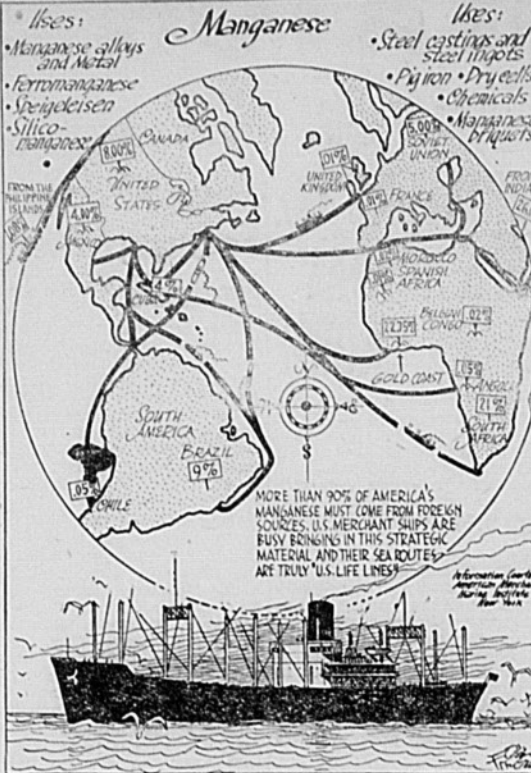
Foot Note
Leather soles have what laboratory technicians call high "creep resistance." This means leather has a marked ability to hold its original shape when under continuous stress such as on the bottom of shoes.

Porcupine Damage
Porcupines, naturalists observe, sometimes return year after year to feed on a given tree. Each annual meal is made above the earlier ones until the growing wound causes the tree to die.

Candy Making
Use a medicine dropper for measuring liquid food coloring when making candy. It makes possible an accurate measurement of the exact number of drops desired.

Has to be Good
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Will Slaton Support Athletics

Is it the fault of the people in Slaton that ball games,
and sports events of all kinds except football, are not patronized
well? Or is it the fault of the people who promote the events?

Past experiences show that rodeos, semi-pro baseball,
boxing and basketball do not pay their way in Slaton, but the
reasons are not very clear.

The organizations that have promoted the ball games
claim that the people do not patronize the games and many men
and women who are baseball minded claim that the games are
not interesting enough, however the same team playing in nearby
towns used to draw good attendance.

For a while the fact that the town did not have a pro-
per place for good games was used as an excuse, but the Lions
park is now as good as any park that was in the oil belt league, so
this excuse does not hold water now.

Just what will be the final outcome of baseball for
Slaton will be decided before long as the folks in Slaton will have
to decide whether they will support it or not.

There is a lot of money invested in the Lions athletic
park and it would be a shame for all of the work and money
that has been put into the park to go to waste.

It gets down to the old point of which came first, the
hen or the egg, or which side is in default, the people who are
promoting some of the athletic activities in Slaton, or is it the
people who should patronize the events, but don't.

There are a number of faithful supporters of amuse-
ments in Slaton, but not enough to make the events worth while,
and it would take a brave organization to back the things that
make such activities worth while in many communities.

There has not been enough people in Slaton to make
semi-pro baseball worth while, but perhaps this is the year that
it will prove successful, that is, if a good team is organized. The
sale of the lighting equipment at the park was considered for a
while by the Lions Club, but after close consideration it was de-
cided that the club should keep the equipment, as there is an
excellent chance that a team will be organized.

It would be a fine thing if a good team could be built
up for Slaton, and if the people here would patronize the games
when they are played here.

Four - Part Inharmony!

Statesmen at Paris resorted the other day to secret
discussion in an effort to lift the Big Four deputies meeting a-
bove the level of a propaganda agency. At any rate, three of the
Big Four did. It remains to be seen what the fourth intended to
accomplish by the move.

Early in this conference the Russians showed how ser-
iously they take such moves. A speech by Mr. Gromyko in an off-
the-record session immediately got through the closed doors and
to the world press.

The conference has not yet got further than the sub-
urbs of nowhere. The British and French indicate a desire to
keep on trying. The United States seems ready to quit.

That attitude may in itself be partly a maneuver to
press the Russians nearer to reasonableness. But it throws some
doubt on the efficacy of American preparations for a conference
which nearly everyone guessed would turn out to be mainly a
propaganda contest.

What is a propaganda opportunity for the Soviet goose
ought to be a propaganda opportunity for the western gander.
—Christian Science Monitor.

The Seal Of Friendship!

Consider the seal. But consider the seal not too closely
or too well unless you are prepared to shoulder a big responsi-
bility. The seal is the lap dog of the seas. It is also damp. And, how-
ever wistful its big brown eyes or comical its capers, it is the only
animal known to be an active protagonist of the welfare state, and
I can prove it.

The fishermen of Biarritz found a young seal called
Oscar playing about the beach one morning. They caught it and
took it to the Biarritz Sea Museum, where the authorities put it in
a large tank and let it amuse the patrons.

M. Henri Debonne, it is reported, was not amused. He
was sorry for the seal. He pleaded eloquently with the museum
authorities. "Give Oscar his freedom," he implored. "Send him
back to the sea, for he is a creature of the wide open vastness of
the deep, and that noise you call a bark is really Oscar's sigh for
liberty." And so forth.

The museum authorities smiled at first. But they did
not smile when they arrived one morning recently after the petit
dejeuner and discovered the petit seal had gone. M. Debonnet, it
transpired, had hidden in the museum and round about midnight
had taken Oscar home to the sea. This was indeed a labor of love,
as anyone who has ever tried to carry a wet seal down the city
streets in the dark will appreciate.

But it was wasted effort. The next morning Oscar bang-
ed on the door of the museum with his flipper. He had walked
back. He would not speak to M. Debonnet, it is reported. As a
sea-going seal he is just a landlubber.

Oscar, of course, had never been "caught" by the fish-
ermen in the first place. He had been waiting on the beach for
them, acting pathetic. He knew, somehow, that there was a soft
billet going up at the museum, with free fish thrown in. A sort
of sixth sense told him.

This is no isolated case. In January, 1939, in Cardigan
Bay, Wales, a local hotel proprietor named George Rees found
himself with a baby white seal on his hands. He took it far out
to sea one morning and dropped it overboard. Next day it was
outside the hotel again, barking. It was given a permanent room
with running cold water.

At Yarmouth, England, fishermen are begging holiday-
makers not to pet baby seals. Not only do the cute things line up,
howling, on the beach when the visitors have gone, but they
catch more fish than the fishermen catch, which may be good for
seals but is bad for fishermen.

These stories, by the way, explain why it is that in the
ancient sagas of the northern isles seals are depicted as half-
human and credited with the ability to be either. In those early
days the incredible was more readily credited than the facts.
Seals used to come up to folks' houses and stay; and clearly it re-
flected much greater credit on oneself to remark offhandedly,
"Oh, that's just a musician friend of mine called Leo Macowskie
—at midnight he plays me to sleep on the bagpipes," than to ad-
mit lamely, "Oh, that's a seal and it won't go away."

Seals are all right in their proper place. But my advice
is: Do not raise your hat to a passing seal unless you are pre-
pared to take what comes. Which will probably be the seal.—The
Christian Science Monitor.

QUOTES!

I like pictures that have a happy ending. The other
day I saw one that didn't have a happy ending. But it didn't mat-
ter—everyone was happy when it ended anyway.—Arthur Godfrey.

As uncomfortable as a ham sandwich in a room filled
with unemployed musicians.—Arthur Godfrey.

I saw a western movie where a cowboy kills three Indians
with one bullet—he uses carbon paper.—Arthur Godfrey.



TOM JAY GOSS, II

Tom Jay Goss, II, of Colorado City and veteran of World War II, has been announced for the office of Commander of the 19th Legion District by the member posts of Zone 7. Goss is the present Commander of Zone 7, comprising Martin, Mitchell, Borden, Scurry and Howard counties. The election is to be held at the convention in Lubbock, April 7-8.

The 38 year old Navy veteran is a past Commander of the Colorado City Legion post and present Judge Advocate and Executive Committeeman. Until recently he headed senior scouting in Colorado City and has served as editor of the Jaycee Echo, prize-winning Junior Chamber of Commerce publication, since October 1948.

Recently named to the Aviation Public Relations committees of the Chamber of Commerce, he is correspondent for several of the state newspapers. He has been employed as a postal clerk in the Colorado City office since 1935 and is secretary of the postal clerk's organization.

Origin of "400"

"A number of the noblest families formed a council of 400 to govern Venice" during the Italian Renaissance. Today, the expression "the 400" is still used to denote the most exclusive members of society.

The current vogue for sandals, consisting of flexible lather soles held to the foot by gold straps, goes back to the ancient Romans. Emperor Nero wore gold sandals, but he made his wife, Empress Poppaea, stick to silver!

CHICK CHATS

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CANNIBALISM IN SPRING FLOCK?

Like people, chickens sometimes develop vices, too. And one of the most prominent ones is CANNIBALISM, the picking habit that frequently breaks out in a flock.

Of course, any number of things have an influence on cannibalism, but it is generally caused by such things as lack of something to do; over-crowding; high temperatures in the brooding room; lack of feeding space; insufficient feed; close confinement; or a deficiency in the ration.

Cannibalism is not necessarily the result of a faulty ration. In fact, it is more likely to develop when chicks are brooded in large groups and are subjected to crowded quarters. Toe-picking, feather-pulling, or cannibalism may show up under such conditions.

Chicks Need Room

As a precaution against cannibalism, and to provide for the general well-being of your flock, make certain that chicks have plenty of room. The amount of room for each chick is important. At the start, house two chicks to 1 sq. ft. of floor space. This enables birds to eat and drink without fighting for a position at the feeder or waterer, a situation which can quickly lead to an outbreak of cannibalism.

Chicks in confinement are more likely to develop cannibalism than those running outside early in life. Consequently, a raiser growing his birds in confinement should be particularly alert for signs of cannibalism.

Darken The House

When cannibalism persists, it is usually advisable to darken the house so that bright light or sunlight will not attract birds to toes or blood-filled pinfeathers. Some raisers paint the windows with red lacquer or paint.

Anti-pick salves are not usually very effective for the control of cannibalism in growing and mature birds, but they may prove helpful when used on chicks. If anti-pick salves are used, they should be used on at least 10 per cent of the chicks in order to be effective. If cannibalism becomes a serious problem in older birds, then debeaking or use of pick-guards is advised.

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LOOK HERE, NAVY—The U. S. Navy may be surprised to learn that it is not the only military group using the Billy Goat for a mascot. Showing their pride in the regimental goat, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers had him lead their parade as they boarded ship recently. They left Southampton, England, for the Caribbean area aboard the liner "Dilwara."

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Sims - Basinger Exchange Vows In Informal Ceremony At Southland



MRS. J. MARTIN BASINGER

Josephine Shepard Named President Of Delta Phi Omega

A regular meeting of the Delta Phi Omega was held in the home of Neta Sanders, March 28. Old and new business was discussed. Officers were elected as follows: President, Josephine Shepard; vice-president, Patsy Hickman; secretary, Ethlyn Young; parliamentarian, Maybelle Pember, and reporter, Geraldine Maxey.

One of the projects of the club for this year was to decorate the club house for the football banquet. A picnic was held March 30 for members of the club and their dates.

The next meeting will be in the home of Johnette Berkley.

Miss Jean Sims, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sims, Rt. 1, Post, became the bride of J. Martin Basinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Basinger, Southland, in the ranch home of her parents, March 30 at 7:30 in the evening. Rev. I. J. Duff, pastor of the Wilson Baptist Church read the service before the fireplace, decorated with arrangements of calla lilies and stock, flanked by candelabra and white tapers.

Recorded wedding music was played preceding and during the ceremony.

The bride wore an informal wedding gown of imported Swiss Organdy over taffeta, fashioned with a bolero jacket, finished with embroidered front edges and small collar tied with a string bow of self material. The bolero topped a white strapless formal with fitted bodice and rounded waist line accenting the smallness of the waist. The immense ballerina skirt

Study Club Meets In Traugott Home

The Athenian Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Jim Traugott, April 3, with all members present. Members exchanged gifts which they had made. Earlier in the year they drew names to determine who each member would make a gift for.

During a business meeting Mrs. Richard Wilkerson was elected president to replace Mrs. George Harlan who has resigned because of illness.

Dorothy Jones and Mrs. Jack Dickson presented a program on "Children's toys to be made at home."

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. J. E. Eckert.

was emphasized by pockets of shirred embroidery and tied with small bows at the neckline. Her short veil of silk illusion was pinned to a small bonnet type cap made of net ruffles trimmed with loops of seed pearls. She carried green cymbidium orchids on a white Bible.

Attending her sister as maid of honor, Miss Zoe Sims wore a dress of aqua marquisette over taffeta, fashioned similar to the bride's. Her bolero, with a portrait neckline framed with upstanding fold of material, was caught with a rose at the centre front. Underneath a strapless, fitted bodice joined an immense ballerina skirt with shirred fullness, accented by hoops worn underneath. Her headdress, a shoulder length veil, was caught up at the sides with fresh flowers.

Pfc. Wayne A. Rogers was best man. Ushers were Don Davis of Lubbock, cousin of the bride, and Tommy Leake, Southland, cousin of the groom.

Following the ceremony a reception was given by the bride's parents, honoring the young couple. The bride's table was decorated with a large assortment of stock in pastel colors, ranunculi and foliage. Misses Emma Lou and Betty Sue Basinger served punch and cake to about 90 guests.

Leaving on a wedding trip after the reception the bride wore a navy blue suit with navy and white accessories.

Mrs. Basinger is a student in Southland High School. The bridegroom is a graduate of Southland High School. He is engaged in farming near Southland.

Society Clubs

Mrs. Robertson And Mrs. Vardy To Take Part In P.T.A. Meeting



MISS VERNA WILSON

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Wilson of Slaton have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Verna, to Pat Appling, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Appling of Levelland. Rev. W. A. Appling, brother of the prospective bridegroom, will officiate for the wedding on May 5. The bride-elect attended Texas Tech and the prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Southern Methodist University. Both are employed in Lubbock.

LOCAL CATHOLIC WOMEN ATTEND SPRING MEETING

Local women who attended the convention of the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women on April 3 were Mrs. C. O. Buxkemper, Mrs. O. F. Kitten, Mrs. Edmond Kitten, Mrs. W. H. Farchon, and Mrs. Nestor Kitten. The meeting is an annual affair. This year it was held in Plainview at St. Alice's Church Hall. The 1952 Spring Convention will be held at the Church of the Holy Family in Nazareth, Texas. Rev. T. D. O'Brien also attended the meeting.

SENIORS TO HAVE SALE

The Senior Class of Slaton High School will hold a bake sale Saturday, April 7, in the Piggy-Wiggy store.

The Fourteenth District Congress of Parents and Teachers will convene at Lockney April 12 for its Annual Conference. The first session will begin at 9:00 o'clock on Thursday morning, and continue until 9:00 o'clock Thursday evening. Included in the days activities will be a Life Membership luncheon at noon, and a courtesy tea at 5:00 in the afternoon. Mrs. H. G. Stinnett, who is President of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers will deliver the theme of the Conference Thursday morning, "Safeguarding Our Freedom Through Responsible Citizenship."

Mrs. Sug Robertson of Slaton, is district chairman of Procedure and By Laws. She will serve on the resolution committee for the conference and as consultant on membership high schools, rural service, Founders Days and procedure. Mrs. P. L. Vardy will serve in the conference committee.

Daughters - Pioneer Hear Discussion By Mrs. M. G. Davis

Mrs. M. G. Davis presented a talk on music, with classical recordings played and discussed, at the meeting of the Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club in the home of Mrs. Earl Reasoner, on April 2. Another guest at the meeting besides Mrs. Davis, was Mrs. A. A. Sparkman of Lubbock. Mrs. Zac Henderson was welcomed into the club as a new member.

In a business session, members of the clubs drew names, and each woman is to make a gift for the person whose name she drew, to be given at the last meeting of the year.

About 21 members were present for the meeting.

WOODMAN CIRCLE MEETS IN MRS. MAHURIN'S HOME

The Slaton Woodman Circle Lodge 1320 met Monday night, April 2, 1951 in the home of Mrs. Merideth Mahurin. The president of the lodge was unable to attend so no business could be transacted as had been planned.

Mrs. W. S. Bradshaw, delegate from Slaton Woodman Circle Lodge 1320, left Saturday night for Fort Worth where she is attending the state convention of the Woodman Circle.

Members attending the meeting were Mesdames James Cole, Roy Hodges, Ira McCarver, Keith Price, James Bollier, J. D. Snider, and Merideth Mahurin.

No immediate plans as to the next meeting place were made, but the next meeting will be April 27, 1951.

BAPTIST Y. W. A. MEETS MONDAY IN NEW BUILDING

The Y.W.A. of the First Baptist Church met at the church Monday evening. After the business meeting the girls who attended the Y.W.A. House Party at Wayland College in Plainview last week end, gave reports on the party.

Plans were made for programs for the coming weeks. After the meeting the girls made fudge.

Members present were Betty Dodson, Betty Sue Clack, Rebecca Bolding, Ruby Jo Lamb, Mary Jo Meeks, Mrs. J. B. Huckabay, and visitors, Luna Lee Bain and Arvella Cheak.

FIREMENS' AUXILIARY HAS REGULAR MEETING

The Firemen's Auxiliary met on Monday evening at the fire station in a regular meeting. Election of officers was held and all officers were re-elected.

After the business meeting the fire boys and their wives played canasta. About 10 were present for the meeting.

Officers of the Auxiliary are President, Mrs. Curtis Dowell; First Vice-President, Mrs. Vilas Tudor; Second Vice-President, Mrs. C. C. Kenney; Secretary, Mrs. Jess Burton; Treasurer, Mrs. Bart Jones, and Reporter, Mrs. Forrest C. Davis.

ALATHEAN CLASS MEETS IN M. L. ABERNATHY HOME

The Alathean Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. M. L. Abernathy Tuesday, at 7:30 p.m., with Mrs. C. R. Bain as co-hostess.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Sam Wilson. Mrs. J. T. Bolding led the prayer. Mrs. F. O. Parker gave a devotional on Faith, taken from First Peter.

After the program Bible games and quizzes were played. Refreshments were served to 9 members and 5 visitors.

The Blue Bonnet Club met on March 28 in the home of Mrs. Stella Shelton. About 12 members were present. The next meeting will be April 11 with Mrs. A. L. Clifton.



MRS. ROBERT LEE MACHA

Neu - Macha Vows Read In Formal Service April 2

Miss Marie Elizabeth Neu, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Neu of 330 S. 8th, was married to Robert Lee Macha, son of Mrs. Adolphie Macha of Rt. 1 Lubbock, in St. Joseph's Catholic Church at 8 o'clock Monday morning. Rev. T. D. O'Brien read the double ring vows before an altar decorated with assorted colors of stock and pink and white geranium. Lighted candles were in the background.

Joerita Kitten, organist, accompanied the choir as they sang traditional wedding music.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white skinner satin with a high stand up collar and a fitted bodice with long sleeves coming to a point over the hands. Her skirt fell into a cathedral length train. Her fingertip veil of illusion was attached to a bonnet decorated with orange blossoms. She carried an arrangement of white rose buds and lily of the valley.

Miss Rita Neu, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a dress of mauve organza made with a low neckline and large collar and a full skirt. She carried a bouquet of assorted sweetpeas. Bridesmaids were Charlene Simek, cousin of the bridegroom, and Alice Neu, sister of the bride. They wore dresses similar to that of the maid of honor in gray and lilac. Their headdresses were of spring flowers and they carried sweetpeas.

Felix Macha of Lubbock, brother of the groom, was best man. Ushers were Johnny Mosser, Hugo Mosser, Alvin Simek, of Lubbock, and Herbert Neu, Mary Louise Herrick of Fort Worth, niece of the bride, was flower girl. Acolytes were Eugene Bednarz and Victor Joe Huser.

A reception was held in St. Joseph's Hall. The table was laid with a white linen cloth and decorated with candles and cut flowers.

For a wedding trip to points in South and East Texas the bride wore a blue dress with wheat colored accessories. The couple will be at home near Lubbock, where the bridegroom is engaged in farming. The bride is a graduate of Wilson High School and a member of the Catholic Daughters of America. The bridegroom attended Tahoka High School and Texas Tech.

Mrs. Hoffman Is Birthday Honoree

Mrs. Eddy Hoffman was honored on her 61st birthday March 29, with a party in her home here.

Those attending the celebration were Mr. Hoffman's mother, Mrs. A. L. Hoffman, who has lived in Slaton 41 years, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Gartman of Slaton, Mr. and



STILL A QUEEN—Mrs. Mary Butler Brown, 91, who was named Miss Colorado in 1876, will repeat in her title role this summer when she will rule over the state's 75th birthday party. Mrs. Brown received her crown again at Pueblo, Colo., from Virginia Smith, 1949's Miss Colorado.

Griffin - Spears Vows Exchanged

Miss Marybelle Griffin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Harris of Pueblo, Colorado, became the bride of Weldon Spears, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Spears of Clovis, N. M., at 5 p. m., Saturday, March 31 in the home of Luther Roberts, minister of the Church of Christ.

The bride wore a pink suit with black and white accessories. Her corsage was of dark pink camillias. Mrs. Norman Spears was the bride's only attendant. Norman Spears attended his brother as best man. Also attending the ceremony were the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Spears.

The bride is a graduate of Centennial High School, Pueblo. The bridegroom attended Slaton High School and graduated from Centennial High School.

The couple will make their home in Texas where Mr. Spears is employed as an operator by the Santa Fe Railroad.

Mrs. John Barbee of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Lopez and daughter, Charlett, of Odessa, Mr. Charley Barbee and children, James, Avis, and Judy, of Post.

The honoree received many nice gifts. The fourteen guests attending were served refreshments.

Slaton Women Give Their Favorite Tested Recipes

Mrs. R. T. Brookshire's family enjoys her Easy Devil's Food Cake more than anything she prepares, she says. She feels that anyone who tries this recipe will be as well pleased with it as she is.

Ingredients to be used are: 1 egg (unbeaten) 1 cup sugar 4 tbs. shortening 1 cup sweet milk 1 1/4 cup flour pinch of salt 1/2 tsp. soda 1 level tsp. baking powder 6 tbs. of cocoa vanilla

Mix the eggs and sugar thoroughly and add shortening to mixture. Add milk and sifted dry ingredients (sifted together). Make two 9 inch or three 7 inch layers. Bake in 450 degree oven, us-

ing your own judgment about the time.

For the caramel icing you will need:

2 cups sugar 2/3 cup milk vanilla butter

Boil together until a soft ball is formed. Spread onto cake layers.

The Brookshires have been residents of Slaton for almost six years. They live at 325 S. 13th St. and are members of the Church of Christ.

Mrs. Brookshire's two daughters are 15 and 10 years of age.

Of Slaton, Mrs. Brookshire said "I just think it is the most wonderful place, and I want to continue living here for many years."

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TOO SOON FOR HIM—Bomba is shown here as he had his neck washed recently for the first time in his 14 years. Milwaukee zoo officials did not say whether the scrubbing was delayed so long because of the size of the job or whether it was because of Bomba's apparent view that this is all a pain in the neck.



RALPH TOO?—Revenue authorities believe they can trip up Ralph Capone, above, the same way they did his brother, the late Scarface Al Capone. Hearings will continue April 2 in Chicago on charges that Ralph, like Al, made false income statements. The accused is free on a \$5000 bond.

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THIS and THAT FROM HERE and THERE

Off The Keyboard—The Federal Communications Commission has assigned Brownfield an ultra high frequency channel for television, according to a recent Associated Press release from Washington. However, it isn't anything to get excited about this early, since they haven't even started manufacturing sets that will pick up the high frequency channels. "Channel 15" is the band on which a Brownfield television station will operate when and if television comes to the city.
—The Brownfield News

Trends—With less than three months of his term behind him, Sheriff Roy Hillin has a record that most peace officers strive for but never reach. With well over a 100 arrests made by the sheriff and his deputies, a conviction has been secured in every single case. "We don't arrest a man until we have a case against him," the sheriff stated.

The list of arrests and convictions includes 32 cases of driving while intoxicated, and every one of them have paid fines ranging from \$50 up. And Sheriff Hillin has already come close to doing what most people thought impossible. Bootleg whiskey is now as hard to get in Crosby County as cold feet on a summer day—possible, but highly improbable. "There is still some bootlegging," said Sheriff Hillin, "but we know who is doing it."
—The Crosbyton Review

Views and Comments—Re-districting is still in the news down Austin-way. That is the congressional re-districting. Latest word we have is that the adjoining boundaries of the 18- and 19th districts are likely to be left alone. If this works out Floyd and Hale will stay in the 19th. Motely, Briscoe and Swisher will stay in the 18th. Trying to make more room for the lower panhandle districts in view of shifting populations and demands of old districts further east have resulted in quite a bit

of jockeying.
—The Floyd County Hesperian

Editorial Comments—Perhaps there is more cussedness in the world today than 50 years ago. Folks are not getting progressively worse, according to observers who have checks upon the morals of men.

The trouble is that we are getting authentic, but more often rumored reports, much faster than we used to get them. Here we have a crime committed one night. The radio blasts out first reports of thousands of dollars stolen and damage done. The press comes out with a lesser amount of theft and damage.

The radio carries the voice of the victims, while the press carries pictures. This continues until the criminal is caught, and then begins a long series of court manipulations, brought about by smart criminal lawyers who know all of the ropes in seeking clemency for the criminal, but none for the victim.

Mr. or Mrs. Average reader or listener has to go through all of this process in every crime. The crime is more or less glorified, but never the criminal. He is not a hero until he beats the law. After that he is the hero, in the eyes of multitudes who have been misled or misdirected in their thinking about crime and the results of crime.

Thanks to sound thinking of the people, "crime never pays." The folks are getting no worse, but there are more folks, and the proportion of criminals to law-abiding citizens seems not to have declined.
—The Canyon News

Drifting Sands—In our rounds Monday, we found most business men vowing to vote the Republican ticket in 1952. The cause was the recent demand from the Office of Price Stabilization demanding an itemized list of all merchandise, the price, markup and

percent of profit, back to February 23rd. More red tape. When you come right down to it, most business men are putting in about as much time working and keeping books for the Government as they do for themselves. This latest red tape deal is just another burden placed on the shoulders of business.
—The Andrews County News

Annegrans—We have a little memo book For constantly reminding Of birthdays, anniversaries, Engagements that are binding.

It's such an aid to memory. With praises we would heap it. If only we could now and then Remember where we keep it.
—The Morton Tribune

"Round Town . . ."—Speaking about football—Guess it is just about time for Jay Fikes to start running his boys out for training. September will be here before we know it. Of course, it is kind of early to make any predictions for the Wildcats. We can rest assured that Jay will turn out a first class team, regardless of the material he has to select from.
—County Wide News

Side Views—Folks, we figure pool tables are all right, in fact, we like to play on them ourselves, but the one in the City Hall which is supposed to belong to the firemen should be locked up during the day. This should be done to keep our city employees from playing pool during the day when everyone else is working. After all, we see no reason why taxpayers of Lorenzo should pay the employees to play pool when there is plenty of work that should be done around town.
—The Lorenzo Tribune

Onion Recipes
When a recipe calls for "grated onion," use the fine side of the grater to prepare it. When it calls for "minced onion," use the coarse side of the grater.

In Case of "Emergency"
Civil defense authorities are considering banning private autos from downtown city streets so that in case of emergency, the people may be evacuated by public transit vehicles.

136 CIVILIAN OFFICERS ORDERED INTO SERVICE
AUSTIN, Tex., March 29—The Army will order 136 Texas field grade civilian component officers to report for active duty between May 21 and June 29 under the program announced by the Dept. of Defense last week, Colonel C. M. Culp, Chief of the Texas Military District, said today. This is the first general program to bring officers above the grade of captain to extended active duty. Heretofore, they have been ordered in only as members of organized units or to fill key specialist positions in the expanding Army.

City Women
City women in middle income groups spend more than seven times as much for clothing as women in very low income groups.

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An SMU Alumni Association will be formerly chartered on the night of April 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the Hilton Hotel, Lubbock. This Association is to include the Alumni of the area in and around Lubbock. Dinner will be served. For reservations, call or write Bill McLaughlin, c/o Lubbock National Bank, Lubbock, or Preston Johnson, c/o Lubbock Auto Company, Inc. Plans are underway to accommodate a large crowd. However, it will be necessary to make ar-

rangements as early as possible order to insure a good seat. Entertainment will consist of talk from an official of South Methodist University and a view of the SMU-Ohio State football game of 1950. This game tagged the game of the week in the week it was played. All people interested in SMU and all people who formerly attended SMU for any length of time and the Alumni of Kidd, SMU Medical School, and West College are invited. The official name of the Alumni Association will be the Com. Club. Factory reconditioned, standard right Woodstock. Late model by writer. At a real bargain. \$350 Slatonite.

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West Texas Roundup

Conferences with President Truman, Eric Johnson, Charles E. Wilson and Earl J. McGrath will be on Rev. J. E. Shewbert's schedule when he attends the seventh annual Methodist Seminar in Washington, D. C., April 10-12.

Rev. Shewbert, pastor of the First Methodist Church, has been selected as one of the five ministers from Texas to attend the seminar. He will represent the Northwest Texas Conference.

The objective of the seminar is to give a key minister in each conference in Methodism a behind-the-scenes glimpse into national and international agencies.

Gulf Oil Corporation No. 1 T. L. Lowe, 11,700-foot wildcat four and one-half miles northeast of Brownfield and six and one-half miles west of the Mound Lake-Pennsylvania field, is progressing below 8,149 feet in lime.

Location is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 1, block T, D&W survey.

That makes it one and one-half miles south and one-half mile west of Gulf No. 1 J. S. Smith, which is still a location for a deep test.

V. A. Brill of Houston No. 1 G. B. Sloss, north-central Terry county wildcat, is drilling below 7,054 feet in lime and chert.

Death came Wednesday morning to Joan Edwards, 25, who lay unconscious and motionless for two years, two months and four days after an automobile crash near Odessa.

Miss Edwards, only child of Postmaster and Mrs. Marion J. Edwards of Rankin, was an employee of the Midland Reporter-Telegram when the accident occurred. She is also a niece of Mrs. L. H. Baker of Lorenzo.

She and four other young people were traveling from Midland to Odessa on January 17, 1949. Their automobile skidded on an ice-covered highway, crashed into a culvert and overturned. William Davidson, 23, of Midland, died four days later. Three others were injured, none seriously.

Neal Taylor, assistant football coach of Andrews, was appointed head coach for the Mustangs in a board meeting Monday afternoon.

Taylor, assistant coach here for the past three years, was given a one-year contract with an oral agreement between the board and Taylor for a second year.

Taylor fills the post left vacant when Francis Tubbs resigned last month.

A graduate of Hardin-Simmons University, Taylor played tackle for the Cowboys. The new head coach announced that an assistant coach will be appointed prior to the start of spring training. Spring training will begin shortly after the district 5-A track meet in Kermit, April 7.

Funeral services were held in Bogota (near Paris) Sunday afternoon for the three-year-old son of a drilling company employee who died in his sleep some time early Saturday.

The child was Michael Harmon Strogner, three, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl L. Strogner, who have lived in Seminole for some three months. The father is employed by the Black Drilling Co.

Mrs. Strogner said the lad had developed a case of croup the night before, and she finally had put him in bed with her in order to look after him and doctor him. He went to sleep and apparently was breathing easily, but the mother awakened in the morning to find the child dead.

Capt. Kenneth Edwayne Nevill, 36, of Tahoka, was killed instantly in the crash of an Army Air Force four-engine B-24 jet bomber early Wednesday night at Barksdale Field, Shreveport, La. Two other officers aboard the bomber were also killed.

Press reports state that the bomber was en route back to its

base from Tinker Air Force Base at Oklahoma City. Fifteen minutes before the crash, the pilot of the jet radioed operations that two of the engines were out. The plane came in on a north-south approach and crashed east of the runway. It burst into flames immediately.

—The Lynn County News

A fair-skinned three-year old boy with an incurable kidney disease is calmly passing the days at Olton Memorial Hospital while his parents and doctors anxiously hope he is coming down with the measles.

Specialists have advised that the only chance young Wade Thackery Jr., has for survival is to become infected with a good case of red measles.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Thackery of Plainview, became aware of the youngster's condition about two weeks ago after he had fractured one of his legs. At first they had attributed his crying to the injured limb.

Activity reported for the Levelland area increased during the last week. Eleven new locations and four new completions were reported to the Midland district office of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Applications were filed on nine new projects in Cochran County. That county also reported two amended applications.

Hockley and Hale Counties each reported one new explorer.

The Levelland field of Cochran County claimed two of the newly completed producers.

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A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: That this is a suit for divorce, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

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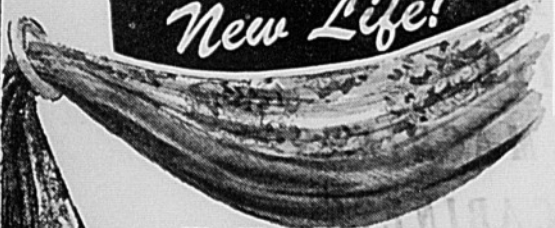
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Last week when I was in the Slaton Pharmacy bumming a soft drink from J. H. Brewer, things took a turn for the worse when J. D. Holt came along and asked J. H. if it is true that folks who own businesses are going to have to pay social security whether they want to do so or not. J. H., who knows all about income taxes, social security and other details that give you the headache, said that "sho nuff" everybody will have to pay social security from now on and that those who are in business for themselves will kick in at the end of the year according to how much income tax they pay.

This information was very discouraging to me for the way I had been going along, in my simple way, was that such folks could take it or leave it and I had no intention of paying it. The more per cents I figure the more my blood pressure gets to fooling around and we have worn out two little government books already figuring out what the employees should pay. If things get much worse it is going to take more time to keep track of things for the Government than it does for yourself, even if you just hire some one to cut the grass in your front yard. Life is getting to be nothing but a big per cent mark.

Living on West Lubbock street where many children pass enroute to or from school we hear, and see, some action and conversation that is quite instructive. Not long ago we had a piece of transparent water hose attached to our hydrant and because of its unusual light green color and because the water in it had bubbles, the youngsters were attracted to it. My wife reports that many of the children came into the yard and gave the hose a close inspection. It was described by some of them as a long green snake and few of them went by without pulling or yanking at it.

"There's no telling what those kids might do to that hose," said my wife and hinted that I should disconnect it and move it to the back yard. Being slow on the up take I did not do it, but I notice the hose is no longer in the front yard and the kids mosey by with little interest, sometimes walking backward with a book balanced on their head, sometimes dragging a coat down the sidewalk, and sometimes kicking a tin can along. If it would not make me look so ridiculous I'd do the same things.

A lot of folks are having a new kind of flu and as one of those who has gone through the experience I can tell you, who might have it in the next few weeks, that it will not likely kill you, although at times you may consider death as the easiest way out.

Hack Lasater had it last week and while I should have had a deep sympathy for him I enjoyed telling him just what to expect and we gave each other the exact details of how it effects its victims.

If you want any advice on what to do in case you get it, phone Hack, he knows.

Not long ago we were discussing the cost of high living, or the high cost of living, according to how you look at things, and I mentioned to one of our neighbors that if prices get much higher we would likely have to live off of dried beans.

Have you bought any dried beans lately? she asked. Not being a dry bean eater except under pressure, I said that I had not, but I had always considered dried beans as a filling and low priced food item.

Dried beans, according to my neighbor, are about as high, in

proportion to what they used to be as t-bone steaks, and now I am left with no harbor in case of the necessity of having to cut down in expenses, and me trying to get myself into the mood of liking beans.

Life has many complications for a dog and his owner. Our red-headed Cocker, Sandy, used to harbor a big population of fleas and he and I worried about them considerably. At least I did, and he put in a lot of time shoeing them from one place to the other with his hind feet.

At the advice of Mrs. Brian Sartain I got a big sack full of cedar shavings and put them in his dog house and now he does not have a flea, but is infested with even more lice than he had fleas, and they seem to enjoy living with the cedar shavings.

Sandy is just as busy with the lice as he was with the fleas, and I'm looking for some good way to rid him of lice. Got any suggestions Mrs. Sartain?

Now, according to folks who do not seem to know how to figure expenses, is the time to start watering lawns. According to such authority the water will make your lawn grow faster but they do not call your attention to the fact that when your lawn grows faster that you'll have to either hire it cut or cut it yourself, nor do they mention that the water bill will be looking something like the yearly report of the banks' assets. If you want to take the advice of someone who has been sucked under by such propoganda I'd say don't water your grass. Maybe it will die and you can buy a new car with the money you might spend if you try to make the stuff grow by watering it now.

News Summary Featured Weekly

"Can A Man Make A Slave Of His Widow?"—A husband's will denied his widow any association whatever with other men... a father's will stipulated that his son must divorce his wife before collecting his inheritance! Can testators control the lives of the living? Read this engrossing article in the American Weekly, that great Magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

"Is Our Climate Getting Warmer?"—Although there is plenty of evidence that our climate is getting warmer, some weather experts still doubt it. Birds are gradually migrating northward, glaciers are shrinking. Don't miss this authoritative, beautifully-illustrated article, in the American Weekly, that great Magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

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Each district will have its own large exhibit, built from information on scientific agriculture furnished "from the grass roots level" by district and home agents and

WATER RESERVOIR FOR THE SOUTH PLAINS

All of Hale, Lubbock, Parmer and Swisher counties and parts of 17 other High Plains counties are included in an underground water reservoir designated by the State Board of Water Engineers. The designation was delivered by James S. Guleke, member of the board, at a meeting Thursday in Lubbock of the High Plains Water Conservation and Users Association, which had petitioned for the definition of the reservoir in order to determine boundaries of a proposed underground water conservation district.

This is one of the best informed groups of men and women in Texas on the state's agriculture because of their close daily contact with farmers and ranchers in their districts, Thornton said.

association, which had petitioned for the definition of the reservoir in order to determine boundaries of a proposed underground water conservation district. The designation clears the way for the High Plains Water Conservation and Users Association to petition the Board of Water Engineers to create an underground water conservation district.



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Southland News
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The pastor and members of the local Methodist Church are inviting all their friends, neighbors, former members of the church, former pastors, and district superintendents to the home coming and formal opening of their new church, Sunday, April 8. The services will open at 10:00 a.m. and close at 3:30 p.m. The women of the church will serve lunch at 12:30. Rev. J. Neland Hester of Brownfield will speak at 10:30. Rev. E. C. Armstrong of Harrah Church, Pampa, will speak at 11:30. Rev. H. B. Coggins of Buchanan Street Church, Amarillo will speak at 3:00, closing the day.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Morris returned home Tuesday from visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. Maeker and Marilyn and other relatives at Houston. Mr. Morris reports they traveled in rain, wind, and a sandstorm all in one day coming home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Smallwood are back home after spending two weeks in Truth or Consequences, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Terry and daughter of Lubbock, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Truelock, Sunday.

Cliff and Kathy King of Slaton spent the week end with their grandparents, the Harry Kings.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Crawford and children and Harry King, all visited Mr. and Mrs. Billie Edmunds Sunday.

Mrs. L. B. Hambricht has returned home after visiting several days with relatives at Norman.

Cpl. and Mrs. Clyde King and children of Lawton, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Davies here, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King in Lubbock.

Visiting in the Niel Crosby home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hollie and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Rodgers of Sweetwater, Mrs. Roy Keys and sons of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones and children of Post, and Mr. and Mrs. Iven Indicott of Axminster, England.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Quisenberry and Wayne, and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Bruster spent the week end with relatives in and around Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Anderson have apartments at Leake Hotel now.

Mrs. Billie Basinger celebrated her birthday at the Brunchon Club last week. Others present at the Brunchon to help her celebrate were her mother-in-law, Mrs. Alford Basinger, and Mrs. Norman Bruster. The same day Miss Minnie Ferrell was chosen the "card and letter shut-in." Her name had been sent in with a poem by Mrs. Peyton Crawford.

Members of the Oats family of the Plains area and several visitors gathered at Buffalo Lakes Easter Sunday for their annual family reunion. The group participated in a fish fry and an Easter Egg hunt. Members of the family present were Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Oats, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Oats and son, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Davies and family, all of Southland; Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Spurlock and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Oats and son, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Franklin, Mrs. Bird Oats, Mrs. Sue Belt and

family, Mr. and Mrs. John Tucker and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McCelvey, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McGuier, all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Oats and family of Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Oats and son, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Oats and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Oats and family, Whiteface; Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Carter and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brown, Ropesville; Mr. and Mrs. Walker Server and family, Welch; Mrs. Alvin Smith and family Crosbyton; Mrs. W. C. Oats of O'Donnell; Mr. and Mrs. Jay Oats and daughter, Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Oats, Charleston, and Mrs. O. L. Keathon and family, Andrews.

Visitors were Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell and Mrs. Ona Silver, of Lubbock, and Charles Adair, Clarksville.

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Wednesday: Bible Study, 8:00 p. m.

Church of Christ News

Sunday: Bible study, 9:45 a. m.; Morning Worship, 10:45; Training classes, 6:00 p. m.; Evening Worship, 7:00.

Wednesday; Mid-Week services at 7:30 p. m.

Church of God News

Sunday: Morning Worship, 10; Evening Worship, 8 p. m.

Wednesday: Mid-Week Service, 8 p. m.

Friday: Young People's Endeavor, 7:45 p. m.

Pentecostal Holiness Church

Sunday: Sunday school, 10 a. m.; Morning Worship, 11; Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday: P. H. Y. S., 7:30 p. m.; Junior P. H. Y. S., 4 p. m. at the church.

Wednesday: Women's Auxiliary, 2 p. m.

Thursday: Mid-week services, 7:30 p. m.

The Assembly Of God Church

Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship, 11:00. Evangelistic service, 7:00 p. m.

Wednesday: Prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Friday: Christ ambassador service for the young people, 7:30 p. m.

Christian Chronicle

Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Morning Worship, 11:00; Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.; Evening Worship, 7:30.

Presbyterian Church

Sunday school will start at 9:45 a. m.

Baptist Bulletin

Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Morning Worship, 11; B. T. U. 7 p. m.; Evening Worship 7:30.

The W. M. S. gave a banquet for the Baptist Senior High School pupils, Thursday, April 5th at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Lake Pylant of Wayland College was the principal speaker. Special music was furnished by Wayland College students.

This banquet is to encourage students to attend Baptist colleges.

Church Of The Nazarene

Sunday School is at 9:45 a. m.; Morning worship, 10:45; and evening worship at 7:30 p. m.

Services are held at 635 W. Scurry St. Rev. W. H. Snow is the minister.



OUT OF GODFREY'S TEABAG

Here I am back from Florida. Notice the complexion! You think that's sunburn? Frostbite!

To tell you the truth, there's very little difference between New York and Florida. Down there the snow is a little warmer, that's all.

One day last week I saw a flock of geese flying straight south of Pensacola and down below there was a pelican just a-sitting there and a-shaking his head and shivering and saying, "You'll be sorry!"

I always thought that Steve Allen, who replaced me while I was away, was Fred's son, but I found out he isn't—he's Gracie's father.

I was promoted last year—I'm a full commander now. And that's great stuff except for one thing! I spent a good many years in the Navy as an enlisted man and consequently—I know what THEY call a commander!

I was flattered indeed to see all of you here tonight. I thought—this is nice on a nasty night like this to see such a crowd—and then I overheard the lady over there in the first row saying, "Well, Mabel, at least we're in out of the rain!"

HEARD ON CBS TALENT SCOUTS

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ROSE IN BLOOM — Spring fashions recently unveiled by Paris designers include this red taffeta gown by Castillo of Jeanne Lanvin. The creation fans out in a graceful arc, like the petals of a full-blown rose. A simple bodice is graced with a large diamond clip at one shoulder.



WINNIE'S WIT WORKING—With his ever-present cigar in hand, Britain's wartime Prime Minister, Winston Churchill, at right, gave forth with a few words that brought chuckles from Italian Foreign Minister Count Carlo Sforza, at left, and Britain's Lord Privy Seal Ernest Bevin. The occasion was a party at the Italian Embassy in London.



GIBSON GIRL RETURNS—The beloved blouse and skirt of the Gibson Girl is being brought back for spring by French designers. This one-piece cocktail dress with a blouse and skirt effect was recently unveiled in Paris by Jean Patou.

White Nylon
Too high temperatures while ironing may damage nylon. Repeated ironing at high temperature tends to cause yellowing of white nylon.

Oven Care
Don't use sizzling hot oven for roasting meats. Experts now urge low temperature roasting. Meat shrinks less, needs less fuel and fat spattering is minimized.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to all my good friends who supported me on my re-election as Commissioner.

J. E. Eckert, Jr.

What They Write



Union News
MRS. M. D. GAMBLE

Congratulations to Bro. and Mrs. J. R. Hankins on the adoption of a daughter last week at the Mission Home in San Antonio.

Pfc. Clarence Kitten arrived some Friday night from Camp Hood on a fourteen day furlough, after which he will return to Ft. Knox, Kentucky for further training.

Miss Mary Ann Smith was a guest of Dinah Mae and Donno Sue Cade Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Heinrich had as their guests recently, Mrs. Heinrich's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Halathy of San Antonio.

Pfc. Joe Kitten, Jr., and Alvin Kitten of Ft. Sill spent the week end here with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Frank White have sold their farm and moved to Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Reynolds and daughters, Annie Jo and Bobby, recently visited relatives in East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Greene had as their guests Wednesday night of last week, Mr. and Mrs. Billfills and daughter from Lubbock.

Mrs. L. E. Evas left this week for Truth or Consequences, N. M.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gamble Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Stephenson of Carlile, Mr. and Mrs. Bart Stephenson and children of Hale Center, and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Greene and Lou Ann.

Duane Sooter of Lubbock visited Don Greene over the week end.

Mrs. Douglas Jones returned home this week from the Lubbock Memorial Hospital where she underwent an appendectomy last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Greene visited Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Robbins at Idalou one day last week.

Levelland, Texas possible.
We have lots of friends here, but it will be a long time before they can take the place of the finest people in the world.
I hope you can get the paper in the mail a bit earlier so we can get it on Saturday.
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Posey Items
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Mrs. E. L. Mangum and four sons, who have been living in Japan for about one and one-half years, are soon returning home.
F. H. Stahl and R. J. Schuette recently have been visiting at San

Antonio.
The Wayland College Volunteer Band is scheduled to be present next Sunday for a program at the community church.
Billy Boyd of Camp Hood is expected home soon on a furlough of about two weeks.
Mrs. J. G. Harper of Slaton was a Sunday School and church visi-

tor.
W. E. Burns went to Post City Friday with Warner Boyce of Lubbock.
The telephone company, which has had crews working here for several days, has promised service sometime this month.
Mrs. E. L. MacLroy of Lubbock was visiting friends here Friday. Two teachers of the Sunday

School were absent but the attendance was about average.
An automobile levelled several guard posts on the highway near the Boyce store early Sunday morning. One man who is said to live at Slaton, was sent to a hospital at Lubbock.
Wells are being drilled and equipment is being added at the cattle feeding pens near the highway. An office is being made of the former Hobbs residence.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Warren were visiting friends in East Texas a few days ago.
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Birdwell and children of Tahoka were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Gentry.
June Harper and Calvin Williams have been fishing recently at Pecos sum Kingdom.



ROYAL PAIR — King Gustaf Adolf VI and Queen Louise, Sweden's new rulers, are seen in an informal pose at the Stockholm Royal Palace. This is one of the first pictures made of the royal couple in civil clothes since they assumed the Swedish throne.



ARMS AND A SLING — Lt. Gen. Matthew Ridgway seemed to have a little difficulty adjusting the sling of his 1903 Springfield rifle during a recent trip to the front. General Ridgway is commander of the Eighth Army in Korea.

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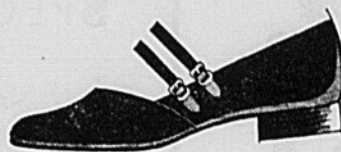


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