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Pleasant Valley Good-Will Visit Closes Schedule

With a splendid program and a crowd of over 200 people in attendance upon the good-will meeting at Pleasant Valley last Friday night, the schedule of good-will trips for this season was brought to a close.

Forty-five Slaton people and over 150 Pleasant Valley folks were present at the meeting last Friday night.

The crowd joined in singing several songs, led by L. A. Wilson, after which members of the Slaton party were introduced, and the purpose of the meeting was declared to be "to get better acquainted".

Robert Harris, Jack Stalcup, and Earl and Travis Brasfield, Slaton High School boys, gave three harmonica quartet numbers.

Accompanied by H. L. Henderson's harmonica solo, "Uncle George" Marriott entertained with some specialty clog dances, much to the delight of the entire crowd.

YO-YO CONTEST AT SLATON'S PALACE THEATRE DREW LARGE CROWD

Bob Smith, manager of the local theatre, stated this morning that the "Yo-Yo" contest staged Saturday night at the Palace, was well attended despite the inclement weather and the crowd seemed to enjoy the sport.

Conway Kuykendall won first prize and he seemed to have a better control of his "Yo-Yo" than any of the other boys who entered the contest.

Chas. Marriott won second prize, Wayne Smith, third, and the name of the fourth prize winner is not available just now.

Mr. Smith stated that several other theatres in Texas have started making arrangements to stage similar contests and it promises to rival the once famous "Charleston Contest" in interest and appeal.

COMMUNITY SINGING.

This is a singing for everyone, including Sacred Harp Singers, at the Slaton Club House, Sunday, July 7, at 2:30 p. m.

Mrs. L. J. Krietz, of 245 W. Dickens St., who underwent an operation at the Lubbock Sanitarium Sunday morning, is reported to be somewhat improved.

M. E. Revival in Full Sway With Much Enthusiasm

At the eleven o'clock hour Sunday morning, the Rev. L. A. Webb delivered a wonderful message, using a part of Genesis 24:27—"I being in the way, the Lord led me", was the theme for the service.

At the eight o'clock hour Sunday evening a lesson in stewardship was expounded. Rev. Webb read the parable of the unjust steward and likened many of the so-called Christian lives to the character.

The audiences are enjoying some wonderful singing, with Mrs. Lillian Butler as director of the choir. All of the singers in Slaton have been extended a cordial invitation to join the choir with a contest raging between the Reds and Blues.

The ladies of the church conducted a prayer meeting at the church Monday afternoon in connection with the Missionary Society. At 9:30 o'clock each morning of this week Cottage Prayer meetings will be held.

Everyone has a cordial invitation to attend the meeting and receive a real spiritual blessing from the wonderful sermons which Rev. Webb is delivering at 8:30 o'clock every evening for the remainder of this week.

HADDOX—MOORE.

On last Saturday evening, Mrs. Moore, of this city and G. T. Haddox, of Houston, motored to Lubbock and were united in marriage at the Baptist parsonage, with the Rev. W. R. White, of Lubbock, officiating with a beautiful ring ceremony.

The bride was lovely in a blue ensemble with accessories to match. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Barton, of this city, who are still away on their vacation.

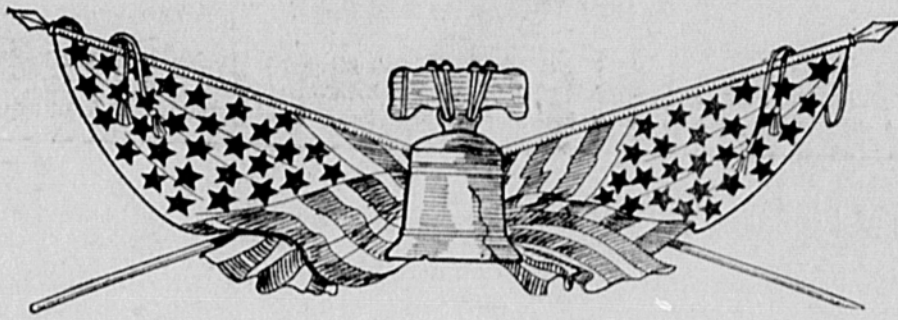
Mr. Haddox is connected with the Rio Bravo Oil Company at Houston, having been with them for the past eleven years. He is a gentleman of high moral standards, a member of the Masonic and Odd Fellow Lodges.

The couple will make their home in Houston, as soon as the home is completed and the son, Era, will make his home with them.

Mrs. Lee honored the couple with a delightful dinner immediately upon their return from Lubbock Saturday evening.

Mrs. Haddox is well-known in Slaton as she has made her home here with her parents for the past nine years and has been connected with the Slaton Clinic since their opening in Slaton.

Rebecca Tudor, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Abbott, had her tonsils and adenoids removed Monday at the Slaton Clinic.



Thursday... Independence Day

The cry of Freedom is a clarion call that has echoed down through the ages—but never has it sounded with more telling effect than on July 4, 1776, when our Liberty Bell pealed its message to those first thirteen colonies.

Today we enjoy this hard-won freedom in greater measure than ever before. So in commemoration of Independence Day and in memory of those valiant founders of our country, we join with patriots throughout the United States in celebrating July Fourth.

Cottage Prayer Meetings Report For Tuesday a. m.

The cottage prayer meetings which being conducted each morning during this week were reported for this morning (Tuesday) as follows: Nine ladies were present at the home of Mrs. A. E. Whitehead and they will meet Wednesday morning with Mrs. W. R. Lovett; three ladies present at Mrs. J. S. Edwards' home and they will meet Wednesday morning at the church; seven ladies present at Mrs. W. E. Olive's, and they will meet Wednesday morning with Mrs. W. H. Proctor; four ladies present at the home of Mrs. J. E. Eckert, and they will meet Wednesday morning with Mrs. R. T. Rhodes.

All of the ladies of Slaton are urged to attend the prayer meeting in their particular district.

CIRCLE FOUR MET WITH MRS. L. A. WILSON LAST WEEK

Circle Four met last week with Mrs. L. A. Wilson, in the continuation of the questions of the Bible.

Nine regular members and one visitor were present. Next meeting will be spent in visiting the shut-ins and those who are unable to attend our Circle meetings. In spite of the warm weather we are having excellent attendance and much enthusiasm.

CLEON MERCER HAS A BIRTHDAY PARTY

At the home of her mother, Mrs. R. C. Mercer, 1265 S. 14th street, Cleon Mercer entertain a number of friends on her thirteenth birthday. A great time was enjoyed by the following: Louise Wright, Virginia, Evelyn, Opal and Allene Evans, Oleta Fowler, Evelyn Cavett, Leona Pearl Fowler, Virginia and Joan Brasfield and Norma Donald.

L. F. Pivonka and brother, H. P. Pivonka, and sister, Mrs. Steve Korucek, of Temple, visited last week in Caldwell, Texas, with their sister, Mrs. C. M. Schoppe, who is very seriously ill.

J. T. Pinkston has returned from Wichita Falls, where he was called by the serious illness of his father, D. A. Pinkston, who is confined in a hospital there. J. T. states that there is very little hope held out for his father's recovery.

New Building is To be Erected on East Side Square

A building permit was issued to Porter Brothers, of the Plains Lumber Company, for a new brick building to be erected on the East side of the square, adjacent to the Saage block. This is to be 25x90. This boasts the building permits for the year very nicely with over \$200,000.00 so far listed.

We are not advised at this time the nature of the business that will occupy the new building. Some of the material is now on the ground. Erection will commence in a few days.

MRS. CLAUD PORTER IS PARTY HOSTESS

Honoring her sister, Miss Mary Elizabeth Tomlinson, of Cisco, Mrs. Claud Porter entertained with a party Thursday evening at her home, 560 West Garza. The guests were entertained by different games and contests, the following being present: Misses Theresa Lokey, Rachel Darwin, Elizabeth Uzzell, Beatrice Payne, Dale Cooper, Pauline Owens, Myrtle Teague, Mary, Virginia and Catherine Whitehead, Doris Minor; John and Robert Rayburn, Cecil Johnson, Wilson Lott, R. L. Tate, Jr., Avery Payne, Nick Montague, Clyde King, Odie Hood, Doyle Catching and Billy McAtee.

Punch was served throughout the evening.

SEXTON—KING.

Henry Sexton, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sexton, and Miss Ethel King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. King of Plainview, were married in Lubbock, Tuesday, June 25th. Mr. and Mrs. Sexton left immediately for East Texas, where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Miller, accompanied by Mrs. Miller's sister, Velma Dickson, drove down to Abilene Saturday to spend the week-end visiting with relatives and friends. They were accompanied on their return trip home by Mr. Miller's sisters, Misses Effie Mae and Merle Miller of Star City, Arkansas.

New Medical Arts Building to be Completed This Week

The new Overton building is nearing completion, which is situated on Lubbock street, South side of the square. M. O. Napps, contractor, stated he expected to turn the building to Dr. Overton this week. This is a very fine style of architecture, copied after the Spanish or Mission. The building is 22x40, constructed of brick and tile, with stucco covering, in a very agreeable coloring, which is restive to the eye.

Dr. Marvin C. Overton, Jr., who is coming to make Slaton his future home, will occupy the building as his office. He will be assisted by Miss Exie Smith as office nurse. They expect to open the office Thursday, July 4th.

Dr. Overton is the son of Dr. Marvin C. Overton, Sr., of Lubbock, specialist in children's disease, who is well known to Slaton folk. For the past eight years Dr. Overton, Jr., has been perfecting himself for his life work, that of the medical profession, and his specialization in surgery over the entire course.

Dr. Overton, Jr., comes to us highly recommended. The medical profession of Slaton welcome him to our midst. Dr. Overton, Jr., in a statement to The Slatonite, wishes it to be known that in coming to Slaton, he is to be a part of us, and that he is for every good thing to make Slaton grow and prosper.

FINE PLUM CROP.

Rev. Z. B. Dally, pastor of the Christian church, reports a bountiful plum crop.

He brought a specimen of his crop to The Slatonite office, which consisted of a cluster of twenty-eight juicy yellow plums.

Rev. Dally has only been here for a short time, but is an enthusiastic booster for Slaton.

Local Scouts are Guests of Rotary Club at Luncheon

The Slaton Rotary Club was host last Friday to about thirty Slaton Boy Scouts and Scoutmasters at the regular luncheon meeting of the club, held at the Slaton Club House.

R. D. Griffin, Scoutmaster of Troop No. 37, was master of ceremonies while the Scouts furnished a program following the luncheon. Mel Thurman, Scoutmaster of Troop No. 31, and O. M. Ramsey, an assistant Scoutmaster here, assisted in the program arrangements.

A reading of "Our Flag" was given by Odie Hood, the first number on the program. James Merrill, Jr., quoted the Scout oath, laws, and mottoes.

Demonstrations in first aid measures were given by Jimmie Savage and John Rayburn, Julian Kessel and Cecil Greer, Bobby Jones and Morris Alford, and Laverne Manire and Charles Marriott, Jr.

Signal messages were transmitted by Zeke Baldwin, the youngest member of the Slaton Scout troops, and his messages were read by other Scouts. Flags were used in giving the signals, and the Scouts had no difficulty in deciphering the flag code. The message was, "Who is here?"

Contests in fire building without the aid of matches were held between the troops. By using flint and steel, Odie Hood broke his own record and also the Slaton record by getting a blaze in four seconds. He is a member of Troop No. 37, thus giving his troop the record in building fires in this manner, so far as Slaton Scouts are concerned. The record in the South Plains Area Council is between three and four second, it was announced.

In building fire by friction, Orville Harris, of Troop No. 31, was the winner, getting a blaze in 18 seconds, and was closely followed by Cecil Griffin of Troop No. 37.

The Scout program proved to be highly interesting to the Rotarians and visitors who attended the luncheon Friday.

Besides the Scouts and their officers, these other visitors were at the meeting: R. F. Hanchey and Mr. Armstrong, officials of the West Texas Gas Company, of Amarillo; G. S. Dewell, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at O'Donnell; Horace Jackson, of Memphis, and Homer Jackson of Amherst.

The program at next Friday's meeting will include three talks, one by J. T. Overby on "The Commercial Advantages of a Beautiful Town"; one by Walter E. Olive on "Money; What Is It? Different Things the World Has Used for Money. What Makes Money 'Valuable', What is Meant by 'a Gold Standard'?" And, Floyd C. Reeter will speak on "The Origin of Independence Day; Thoughts Suggested by the Fourth of July".

At Friday's meeting, John W. Hood, president of the club for the past year, ended his year's service. He is succeeded by W. H. (Bill) Smith, who has served as vice president during the year just closed. Lloyd A. Wilson is now vice president of the club for the coming year, Allan J. Payne retains his place as secretary and J. Tom Overby remains treasurer. Tom J. Abel holds the place of sergeant-at-arms, and R. N. Smith and R. P. Burks, together with the president, past-president and vice president, form the board of directors.

BETTY JANE CHERRY, EIGHT, ENTERTAINS

At the home of her mother, Mrs. N. F. Cherry, 530 West Crosby St., little Betty Jane Cherry entertained a number of friends on her eighth birthday, Thursday afternoon.

After various games were played and enjoyed, refreshments of cake, jello with whipped cream, lemonade were served to the following: C. L. Bickerstaff, George and Earl Greer, Mary Lee Thompson, Mary Lee, Ceces May and Belle Conner and Jackie Harrell. Shirley Tate also was present.

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INDEPENDENCE DAY.

Again that hallowed day is approaching and the lessons of American liberty are being studied anew with an ever increasing appreciation of our country's institutions.

The Fourth of July has long since passed from its spasmodic, noisy and destructive celebrations of past years, and has emerged as a sacred day of veneration and gratitude. Sometime ago the anniversary date of the birth of that immortal document, The Declaration of Independence, was acclaimed with thoughtless and deafening evidences of misplaced American ardor. The ghastly toll of human life mounted high as a result of the inexperienced activities of amateur pyrotechnists, and many an able-bodied patriot was permanently crippled or perhaps blinded in his efforts to emulate the "embattled farmer" who "fired the shot heard 'round the world'".

In pursuance of its ever progressive policy of advance and sane reform, popular American sentiment finally took matters in hand and, as a result, many states regulate the sale, possession and usage of dangerous fireworks. To fill the great void in the juvenile heart caused by the disappearance of the sky rocket, giant crackers and brass cannon, patriotic societies conducted programs of pleasing interest. Many cities gave huge municipal displays of pyrotechnics, people were urged to visit soldier's homes and actually mingle with the brave men who contributed their efforts to the cause of freedom. Later, the American Legion, through its many well established posts, took a most active part in making Independence Day more sacred to the consciousness of the millions residing in this country.

The one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of our national independence should find us ever appreciative of and grateful for the sacrifices and hardships endured by the ragged Continental Army; ever revering the name of that great leader, George Washington, and ever hopeful and confident that the brave deeds of the founders of this country will not have been in vain.

JULY FOURTH.

Picture that scene in Philadelphia 153 years ago this week when a band of colonial leaders defied the tyranny of the greatest power on the face of the globe. What magnificent courage, what devotion to principle, what vision into the needs of the future.

Not one of the men who signed the immortal document failed to realize the full significance of the act—of the need for freedom from old world domination and of the personal hazard involved. Men of wealth and position were these signers of the Declaration of Independence—men from whom one would logically expect a conservative attitude. They all had much to lose by the failure of the audacious enterprise they were initiating. They all might have lived comfortably under the English rule.

Yet so far above the dictates of personal selfishness did they rise that they took a step scarcely paralleled in all history.

Most of us fail to appreciate this act in the light of its time. Few of us truly understand the significance of July Fourth. To most of us it is merely another holiday.

HEALTH OFFICER FOR CITY.

It is a crying need that a City the size of Slaton should have a Health Officer, working under the City Commissions, and he should be compensated for the work done.

It is an injustice to the doctors of our city, that they should be required to give of their time from their regular practice, serving the city in her needs without remuneration for such service.

The hot season is with us, and as we look over the city we find many glaring infractions when based upon sanitary laws.

A Health Officer, with authority, can see these things and recommend the enactment of suitable laws to circumvent the conditions that may arise. The health of our people is a paramount issue.

Our dairymen are to be commended for the care they are giving in the production of milk, whereby they are provided with an

Al product. We have a wonderful supply of pure water for the needs of the city, but just when were the mains flushed over the entire system? There might be a few germs in the mains, and if they escape their deadly work is soon in evidence.

Just what is being done as to the disposal of garbage? Odors do arise, if your olfactory nerves are not dead, you can locate them. Why should there be any delay in the connecting of outhouses to the sewer system, there are plenty in the city that are not connected. Surely for the sanitary welfare of our people this should be enforced. For the simple fact that they are breeding places of flies and pests, flies do fly and travel. The price of prevention is modest compared to the price of cure, surely no city desires an epidemic to scourge and lay low its people. Let us make a clean up.

PAVED HIGHWAYS.

It is indeed gratifying to The Slatonite, to quote from an editorial in the Avalanche-Journal of Sunday, June 30th, reiterating its stand on the Highway situation in Lubbock County.

The quotation is as follows: "As far as this newspaper is concerned, it favors paved roads for Lubbock County, regardless of outlets. It favors paved roads which will benefit the county as a whole and as nearly agreeable to the population as a whole as is humanly possible to arrange. It believes, and in so believing, feels that the rank and file of Lubbock county citizens agree that the thus far endless jockeying on Highway 53's routing has been a stumbling block in the way of paved highways and will continue to act as such until finally dropped. Let's quit this bickering and forget about angles of the question which affect a few and have little interest to the many, and proceed upon the big project—that of paving the principal highways of Lubbock county."

This is indeed a very pleasing statement that the editor has to make at this time. We folk down in the South part of the county have been fully aware of the bickerings and jealous spirit as evinced by a few of the Lubbock folk. Without a doubt the logical route for Highway 53 was Broadway. We are all surely glad that the State authorities have seen the light and placed their approval for the routing on Broadway, with the new underpass that the Santa Fe and city of Lubbock are completing, at cost around \$200,000.00 what could be more logical than the selection as made.

It has long been known by the majority of the county that the personal equation was very well defined in Lubbock, that a few desired to rule or ruin. Well, they did a good job of ruining on the first bond election, that issue should have carried, it was a golden opportunity, lost by bickerings of those who would rule. We are sure pleased that the Lubbock citizenship realize the importance of team work, and in the teams must be representatives from the entire county. In other words, no taxation without representation. Slaton is for good roads, always has been, but we are asking only a square deal, and no double-crossing. We truly hope time will solve the problem for the entire county, and that the day may come when highways will reach into all the communities. We but can add, Fiat Lux.

Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Holton and children spent the week end with relatives in Lamesa and report heavy rains from O'Donnell to Lamesa and beyond, last Saturday.

Will P. Florence visited relatives at Portales and Amherst last week, and brought his parents with him on his return, for a visit before they return to their home at Rule, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Swint, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Hood and baby of Paducah, left Monday for Yellow Stone Park, and with the intention of visiting in Colorado enroute. Jess thought he might celebrate in Denver. They expect to be away during the months of July.

Folks were wondering why the smile on Cletus Nesbit Tuesday morning. When asked, he stated, "I am boss of the ranch now, Jess Swint has gone for a time and of course I will take good care of my friends, and as many more who want to be my friends." Cletus has a smile for everyone.

Mrs. Annie Grisham returned Saturday from a trip which included Carlsbad Cavern, the Indian Reservation and other points of interest. She was accompanied by her son, Fred Higbee and Herbert Bruce, both of Lubbock. Her son purchased a summer home between Hollywood and Erosa, New Mexico.

Topics of the Town and News of its People.

Mrs. C. E. Warder is on the sick list this week.

R. J. Murray and boys, of Lubbock, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Proctor, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Middleton are making extensive improvements on their home at 154 South 7th St.

Ben Mansker returned Sunday from a visit with relatives in Sterling City. His daughter, Evelyn, who accompanied him, will remain some time with relatives in O'Donnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Stevens are proud parents of a son born June 28. The young man has been named Robert Calvin, and weighs 8 lbs. Mother and boy are doing fine.

Mrs. Bruce Degarmo, of Colorado City, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. A. B. Robertson, out at the V Ranch, for several weeks.

Miss Marie Gray has been returned to her home here after spending several weeks in a Lubbock sanitarium recuperating from an appendicitis operation.

A. P. Smith, who underwent a serious operation at a Lubbock sanitarium about ten days ago, has returned to the home of his sister, Mrs. A. B. Robertson, at the V Ranch.

J. S. Edwards returned Saturday evening after an absence of a week, looking after business matters in various places. Mr. Edwards reports business and crop conditions as practically normal.

J. B. Aichlmayer, who owns the old Covington property on the Lubbock highway just north of town, is putting in a new filling station. Mr. Aichlmayer states he will probably have his opening the last of the week, so look for his announcement.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jeter were in Amarillo over Sunday, being called there by the serious illness of Mrs. Jeter's sister, who underwent a serious operation in a sanitarium there. At last reports she was getting along very nicely.

H. L. Henderson and family were the guests of his mother at Plainview over Sunday.

Mrs. M. M. Pierce visited her sister in Amarillo over Sunday.

Mrs. C. M. Fincher and daughter, of Austin, are visiting for the week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henry.

Mrs. A. R. Keys and daughters made a business trip to Lockney last week.

Mrs. Ed Tonn and children spent last week-end in Amarillo.

Mrs. H. E. Caviner, saleslady at Jones Dry Goods Co., left Wednesday for a visit with her mother at Altus, Okla.

S. A. Abbott, who has been seriously ill, is improving and was able to be on the streets the past week.

Miss Frances Blundell has returned to Amarillo where she accepted a position with the Western Union.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dabney, of Alvord, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCelvey and baby of Vernon, were in Slaton for a few hours visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Suit, Monday morning. They were enroute to Seattle, Washington and other points for a two months vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Olive returned Friday from a business trip to Dallas and Ft. Worth.

Mrs. Olga Chambers, of Stratford, is visiting her friend, Mrs. J. A. Elliott, and family for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Anderson and daughter, Claudia, have returned from a delightful trip to San Antonio and other points.

Mrs. Edgar Martin, of Alpine, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. K. Rogers, and family.

Misses Theresa Lokey and Pauline Owens visited Miss Charlene Ely in Snyder last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Mollie Hill, Mrs. W. H. Proctor, Mrs. Clay Ross and Miss Mary Lou Banks visited in Lubbock Thursday with Mrs. R. J. Murray, who has been seriously ill.

A New Suit for The Fourth

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Catching's Drug Store

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lewis and daughter, Miss Georgia Mae, of Chickasha, Okla., arrived here Saturday evening and are visiting in the home of their son, Carl Lewis, and also with friends in Lubbock.

NOTICE

The Slaton stores will be closed all day July 4th, by order of Retail Merchants Assn.

MRS. LEE GREEN, Secy.

The following returned Monday from Waco and other points in Central Texas: Mrs. T. P. Hord, Mrs. Leonard Hord and baby, Walter Hord and Luke Shelby. They report a delightful trip.

Mel Thurman, manager of the Manire Studio, returned Thursday from Childress, where he attended a convention of the West Texas Photographers.

Mrs. J. H. Teague and daughter, Ruby, left Saturday for Garden City, where they will visit the former's father, Judge G. J. Bogard.

Mrs. H. L. Diamond, in writing to Mrs. J. L. Sweet, reports that her son, Hugh, Jr., underwent a tonsil operation Monday at Dallas.

Mrs. J. A. Gillies and children and Mrs. J. W. Piceon, mother of Mrs. Gillies, left today (Tuesday) for Pueblo and other other points in Colorado.

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5c

To \$1.50 grade Men's Blue OVERALLS, Last Call—

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Notes, News and Nonsense.

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"So you remember way back to the Revolution, do you?" "Yassa. De Revolution and Gin'l Washington an' all of them."

Duke Bassinger, of Dallas, who is visiting his mother, Mrs. J. K. Bassinger, will leave Wednesday for New York City.

Joyce Price left Tuesday for Yuma, Arizona, and points in California, where she will visit relatives.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Purkey, Friday, June 28th, a baby girl.

Mrs. J. P. Green of Fort Worth is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Hood.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cramer and daughter, Betty Joe, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Reamer in Clovis, New Mexico.

Miss Helen Brown, of Whiteface, is visiting Mrs. C. E. Brown.

Vonner Cherry returned the past week from a visit with relatives in Fort Worth and Dallas.

Miss Ethel Spooner is visiting friends in Tahoka.

Miss Maud Hawthorn, of Post, is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. C. Ivey.

Mrs. Roy Ely and children left Saturday for a visit with relatives in Trenton.

Mrs. J. A. Starnes and children will leave Saturday for Hermleigh, where they will visit relatives.

Mrs. A. M. Huffstutler and children returned Sunday from a visit with relatives in Plainview.

Mrs. Frances Holloman and baby are visiting her parents in Petersburg.

Mrs. Jim Stewart and daughter, of Santa Rita, New Mexico, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Saunders.

A. B. Harrison and Mrs. M. A. Harrison, of Hale Center visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Harrison the past week.

G. E. Welch returned Friday from Hot Springs, Ark., his mother and sister, Mrs. L. E. Welch and Miss Ruby Welch accompanied him home and will spend the summer here.

Lawrence Polson, of McKinney has accepted a position with the Slaton Baking Co.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Nash, of Tahoka, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Nash.

Mrs. J. E. Robertson, and baby returned Tuesday from a three weeks visit with relatives in Arlington.

G. A. Cook is visiting his mother in Sterling City.

Mr. and Mrs. L. McNutt spent the week end with their daughter at Post.

Charles and Leslie Smith are employed at Happy, Texas.

Miss Dale Cooper returned Saturday from a visit with her cousin, Athene Moore of Ropesville, who accompanied her home.

Mrs. L. H. Smith, of Post, visited Mrs. I. G. Smith the past week.

Mrs. Gilbert Tudor and her mother, Mrs. T. J. Abel, visited friends in Lubbock, Wednesday.

Elizabeth Burton is visiting Lucile Rowley in Portales, N. Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Ham, Jr., of Copper, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Ham, Sr., and other relatives.

Mrs. Joe Steppet and daughter, of Fort Worth, are visiting her sister, Mrs. B. G. Dickerson.

T. G. Kornagay, wife and baby of Colorado, who have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Kornagay, returned home Saturday. His wife accompanied them as far as

"Speedy" Cannon spent the week end with friends in Seagraves.

Mrs. Herman Dawson left Friday for a visit with relatives in Tulia.

Mrs. Josie E. Jolley and daughter, of Sherman, and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Atip of Dallas are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scott and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Walker, of Holdenville, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Shankle, the past week while enroute to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Burrows, of Coleman, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Adams, the past week.

Notes, News and Nonsense ...'whvu Mrs. E. H. Turner and children are visiting her parents in Oklahoma.

Mrs. R. A. Evans of Sherman is visiting her daughter, Mrs. P. C. Mercer, and her sons, G. R. and F. E. Evans.

Miss Lucile Hull, of Levelland, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. L. Henry.

Erica Hillyer, who is a student in Lipperts Business College at Plainview, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hillyer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Burrus and son, H. C., Jr., returned Sunday from a visit with the parents of Mrs. Burrus in Mason.

Frank Redwine is suffering with a broken arm, which accident happened from a fall while playing.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Anderson, of Olton, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Adams, the past week.

Mrs. Evelyn Coper and baby, Gipsy Colleen, are visiting her mother, Mrs. L. E. Worley.

Misses Etta V. and Elna McReynolds, of Belen, N. Mex., are visiting their aunt, Mrs. J. M. Redwine.

Mrs. N. F. Young returned Tuesday night from a three weeks visit with friends and relatives in Canadian and Amarillo.

H. G. Ratliff, who is employed at Santa Rita, visited his family here the past week.

J. M. Redwine returned Tuesday from a business trip to Brownwood.

L. E. Worley is "lending a hand" in the building program of Pepp.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ellis of Amarillo, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Maxey, the past week.

Thelma Joe Felton, four, is suffering with tonsillitis this week.

Henry Gale, of Colorado City, visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Gale.

Helen Cowden, of Amarillo, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. K. L. Scudder.

Mrs. W. H. Smith returned Wednesday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. S. W. Ball, in Amarillo.

Mrs. Jerry Leverett was on the sick list the past week.

Lilly Toliver, who has been visiting David Butler, returned to his home in Abilene, Saturday.

Mrs. Claud Porter and Mrs. Fred Whitehead were Lubbock visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Jones spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smart.

Chloe Belle Calvert spent the past week with friends in Southland.

Cleo Wolfe is visiting relatives in Hamlin.

Miss May Ward, of Lamesa, is visiting her friend, Miss Fern Merrill.

Mrs. Steve Korucek, who has been visiting her brother, L. F. Pisonka, has returned to her home in Temple, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smart went to Levelland, Wednesday.

Irene Kost is visiting her sister, Miss Willard Grant, in Wichita, Kans.

Miss Annette Houser, of Roysie City, is visiting her uncle, J. F. Kuykendall, and family.

Miss Ruby Catching is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Catching, in Lorenzo.

Can...ark Self and Oscar Kost...

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Fisher left Wednesday for Clovis, New Mexico.

Mrs. J. E. Latimer and daughter, Dorothy, and Miss Reba Ward of Paris, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ward and family.

J. M. Stephens returned Thursday from a business trip to Fort Worth and Dallas.

Mrs. J. D. Campbell and little daughters, Betty Lou and Yvonne, of Sudan have returned home after visiting Mrs. Fred Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hunt and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. L. A. McDaniel and Mrs. Jesse Cowan while enroute to their home in Houston from a trip to Denver, Colo.

Mrs. W. J. West and Miss Annie West, of Wilson, spent Friday with Mrs. W. J. Anderson.

Mrs. Perry Moss and children expect to leave Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Blue, of Melrose, New Mexico.

Belva Etta Moss and Evelyn Hoggan spent the week end with Lagatha Craddock of Post.

Noes, News and ... gootH ers, H Mrs. Mark Bourland, who has been visiting her parents in Aspermont has returned. Her mother, Mrs. K. T. Smith, accompanied her home.

Mrs. J. E. Kelly, of Big Spring, Mrs. W. J. Anderson and Mrs. Jessie Lamar made a trip to Wink the past week.

Mrs. H. G. Wilson and family left the last of the week for Abilene, where they will visit a daughter, Mrs. J. E. Spradling. Miss Maurine Wilson will remain in Abilene for several months, where she will take a course in Beauty Culture.

Mrs. Lewis Davies, who has been visited her mother in Tyler, has returned home.

M. J. Bourland, who is running a combine at Pampa, reports the wheat crop fine.

Miss Mildred Tarpley has returned to Slaton after spending last week in Lubbock as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Gentry.

Misses Willie and Eloise Houston, of Tatum, New Mexico, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Westerhoff, of Fredericksburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. William Grabber and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Powell, of Tyler.

Norene Mangrum returned Thursday from a visit with relatives and friends in Newkirk and Kingfisher, Okla.

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Claud Rogers, of Lindsey, Okla., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. R. T. Edwards.

Mrs. Maggie Fisher, of Troupe, is visiting M. L. Taylor and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Davis, of Snyder, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. E. V. Woolever.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brinker returned Friday from a business trip to Tahoka.

NEW SUMMER STYLES FOR OFFICERS

Have you noticed the new style that summer has brought to Slaton officers? These officers are simply beau-ideal with their large panama hats, on the style of the flop hat the ladies wear, dark coats, and trousers with stripes that run the right way. They are mighty loud, and surely make a lot of noise, and cause one to stop, look and listen. They are Abel to command the admiration of those who see them. Even the Santa Fe Law, not to be outdone, is sporting, in part, the same outfit. When the right and left arms of the law were together Saturday, it was remarked by several, if those men were advance agents for some circus? You surely will have to watch these boys, and while doing so, just remember to watch your step.

WANDERING JEW.

Another cablegram from Abe Kessel, was received Friday, from Kupiskis, Lithuania, stating he had reached his father's home. His people were all well. He and Bertrum had a nice visit in Paris, with Mrs. Kessel's brother.

Mrs. E. E. Self visited her daughter, Miss Thelma Self, in Amarillo, the past week.

Henry Gale, of Littlefield, is visiting his uncle, J. D. Gale, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McBride are the proud parents of twins, a boy and a girl, born June 27.

Mrs. H. P. Piwonka, who lives four miles west of Slaton, underwent an appendicitis operation Monday morning at the Lubbock Sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jones and Mrs. Jack Burk left Saturday for a week's trip to Corpus Christi and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Florence, of Rule, Texas, are visiting W. P. Florence and family this week.

G. A. Parish, who was taken ill while at Eastland, returned home Friday.

A local farmer wonders why the pests never take a liking to dandelions or other weeds.

Homemakers S. S. Class to Meet Wed.

The Homemakers class of the Baptist Sunday school will hold their next business and social meeting at the home of Mrs. W. M. Rust, 505 East Crosby St., next Wednesday afternoon, July 3, beginning at 3:30 p. m.

All members are urged to be present. Come dressed to enjoy a real holiday at the old "Sleepy Hollow" school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie B. Velnial, of Brenham, returned home Friday after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Sam B. King.

CLASSIFIED ADS

NOTICE Will prosecute to extent of law, any person or persons caught trespassing in the Santa Fe pasture.—R. G. Shankle. 87-4c

CARD OF THANKS. We take this method of thanking the friends who were so sympathizing and good during our sadness. We thank each and every one for the flowers, and things they did to make our burden lighter. May God bless all of you. Mrs. H. C. Lamar, wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lamar, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Lamar, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lamar, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Orr, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Burkhalter, Mrs. W. J. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kelly.

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CARD OF THANKS. We take this method of expressing our heartfelt thanks, to the many good people of Slaton for their assistance and sympathy during the recent illness of infant son. May God's richest blessings rest on each and everyone, is our prayer. Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hunt. 1p

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