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t is not the price you pay, out the service you get rom what you buy.

> Federal Tires and Pure Gum, Red Cherokee Tubes

Will give you this service.

## WE ARE VULCANIZING SPFCIALISTS

WHY BREAK YOUR BACK PUMPING UP A TIRE WHEN YOU CAN PHONE 99 FOR OUR FREE AIR SERVICE?

OUR MOTTO: Courtesy, Service, Quality.

## SLATON TIRE & SUPPLY CO.

J. W. FRYE, Proprietor

Until Saturday Night, Mar. 4

WE HAVE ADDED MANY NEW SPECIALS TO THOSE AL-READY MENTIONED. THIS IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO BUY NECESSITIES AT A BIG SAVING. WE NEED THE ROOM FOR NEW GOODS THAT ARE ARRIVING, AND ARE MAKING SALE PRICES ON EVERYTHING IN STOCK

NORTH SIDE SQUARE

SLATON, TEXAS

## The Bank That Service Built

-Everybody can have money if they will open a bank account here and regularly deposit a part of the money they earn from their work or business. Come in and start a bank account today and accumulate money. It means PROGRESS and POWER

-Do you know that just one dollar put in a bank today at 3 per cent interest, compounded each year, will in 200 years amount to \$369.36? Your money in a bank will grow just like corn does. Just put in a dollar today and then in 200 years if you do not happen to be here your grandchildren can call and get \$369.36.

# The First State Bank of Slaton

A Guaranty Fund Bank Member Federal Reserve System Where Service is a Religion and Courtesy is Born Smiling.

F. M. Culberson, V. Pres. and Cashier H. G. Rowley, President

#### CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NOTES AND ACTIVITIES

Slaton Retail Merchants Associa-tion, and Slaton Chamber of Com-merce, recommend in order to show

our loyalty and pride in our home

Buy Slaton made goods.
Buy from Slaton merchants.
Boost Slaton and its possibilities.
Because it will bring dividends to

A Thought to Remember. I will not criticise the Slaton Cham-I will not criticise the Slaton Chamber of Commerce, or the Retail Merchants Association or condemn either for failure to obtain adequate results, UNLESS I, myself, have given time, thought and my personal efforts in helping to produce those results.

S. M. U. Glee Club.

The Slaton Chamber of Commerce has closed a deal with the S. M. U. at Dalias for an engagement here of

Dalias for an engagement here of their Glee and Mandolin Club, consisting of thirty members, all young men of this University, and one of the best Glee Clubs in the U. S. today. They will be here on March 28th. We have to take them in our homes and entertain them the day and night they are here, and we want volunteers to are here, and we want volunteers to help care for this Glee Club. We have contracted with the local theatre and our entertainment will be held there. Boy Scouts will act as ushers. Watch for further announcements.

Directors Weekly Luncheon.
At the noon lunch Thursday the
Board of Directors were well represented. This Thursday a gentleman with a laundry proposition will be our guest. All are requested to be on

Sing Song Next Sunday.

Do not forget the Sing Song next Sunday at 2:30 p. m. at the Community Club building. The champion Idalou class will lead the singing next Sunday. Prof. Pevehouse of the Carlisle school will be with us again, and perhaps a class of singers from the Carlisle vicinity.

Ladies' Chamber of Commerce.

The Ladies' Chamber of Commerce will meet each Thursday at 4 p. m. at the Community Club building until further notice. Every woman in Slaton requested and expected to be present as there is important business to attend to and work for all. If you want to have a hand in beautifying the club park and other civic improvements in Slaton, prove it by your attendance so you can say "we killed a bear."

"Nothing old fashioned about Slaton but our hospitality."

Yours to serve.

S. P. BAILEY, Secy-Mgr.

#### H. D. TALLEY ANNOUNCES FOR COMMISSIONER OF PRECINCT NUMBER 2

has served, and they would not con-sent to let him retire, even though the county work seriously interferes

Wr. McKirahan has just returned

nently before the people is that he represents his district, getting everything possible for the people that he can, at the same time giving the other three commissioners a square deal. He is a man with the courage to back up his convictions, and does not remain silent when questions arise that require nerve to dispose of he is always on the job.

Being fearless and honest, he has made us a splendid commisioner, and we believe the people will return him to that office in the coming election.

He is seeking the office strictly his merits and qualifications to fill the place. If he is worthy give him your vote and support otherwise.

#### RESIDENCE AND CONTENTS J. W. MASSINGILL BURNED

About 7:30 o'clock Wednesday morning the residence and household effects of J. W. Massingill were com-pletely destroyed by fire. It is stated a member of the family dropped a lighted match in a closet when searching there for some wearing apparel. The family were ating breakfast and the fire had gained such headway before discoverd that it was beyond con-

The house and contents were val-ued at about \$3,000, covered by insur-

It is better to be safe than sorry. Let me protect your property with re-liable insurance.—J. G. LEVEY.

I have this day bought the stock of Wilson & White of Slaton, Texas, commonly known as the Blue Front Grocery, and do not assume any ac-counts of any nature or any amount against this firm or business. This is to give notice to all creditors, if any there be of this firm, that all accounts there be of this firm, that all the days shall be presented within ten days after the first publication of this notice, properly sworn to and certified.

J. R. MCATEE. Slaton, Texas, Feb. 17, 1922

# GOODS

RRIVING AND TO ARRIVE at the old A Reliable and Dependable Store. are glad to be over our sale, and to once more to get back in the harness of the regular way of doing business.

We will at all times feature dependable merchandise, and will back it up, but not cheap stuff. The best is always the cheapest. Come in and see our new

Ginghams Percales Madras **Swisses Tissues** Laces that are arriving this week.

## Robertson D. G. Co.

### MACK'S VARIETY STORE WILL OPEN IN FEW DAYS

Mack's Variety Store is the newest business institution for Slaton, and will fill a long felt need. It will be owned and operated by W. H. McKir-H. D. Talley, present county commissioner of this precinct, has consented to make the race for re-election subject to the action of the July the superintendent of the Santa Fe It is a well known fact that Mr. here for a number of years, and by Talley has given almost universal close application to his duties and satisfaction to the people whom he courtesy to those with whom he had

large assortment of stock. rive in a few days. A building on the north side of the square is now being prepared for his opening. Watch for his announcements.

### BIRTH REPORT.

W. D. Howard and wife, eb. 13, girl. C. R. Vaught and wife, Feb. 17, girl. J. B. Lavender and wife, Feb. 21,

Singing at Club House

Singing at the Club House Sunday Mr. McKirahan has just returned afternoon by the banner class of the with his private business affairs.

One thing that stands out prominantly before the people is that he market centers where he bought a tettes. You are invited.

## Are You Interested in Your Home Town and Community

Then why not bank with the SLA TON STATE BANK-the bank that is owned by home people and under the direct supervision of the State. It makes no difference how large or small your account may be, fair and square treatment to all. If a bank of this character appeals to you may we not have your account?

The field of our activities embraces this entire banking community. And our experience has fitted us to assist in rendering real banking service to the people of this section.

-We invite an early opportunity to talk over your plans for the coming

## The Slaton State Bank

ACTIVE OFFICERS

B. M. HOLLAND Vice President and Cashier

CARL GEORGE Assistant Cashier

DIRECTORS

R. J. MURRAY, President

C. C. Hoffman B. M. Holland

A. C. Benton W. E. Smart



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MY QUICK ACTION SALE up to date has been a big success. We want to run \$10,000 this week, and for the next two days selling we have smashed the prices still more.



#### PIECE GOODS

500 yards of piece goods, assorted pat-terns and kinds, good for all kinds of ladies' and children's wear, worth up to 50 cents a yard, QUICK ACTION SALE .

1,000 yards of piece goods, assorted patterns and kinds for dresses, draperies and quilts, worth up to 75c a yard, Q. A. SALE \_\_\_\_\_ 25c

Still a limited quantity of good 35c and 40c Gingahm; QUICK ACTION SALE, per yard 23c

A limited quantity of Silks in small pieces; also some of dress pattern lengths; Taffeta, Georgette, Crepe and Crepe de Chine, ranging in the QUICK ACTION SALE 98c TO\$1.98

Best grade Outing, full 27-inch wide, both light and dark patterns, 17c per yard Q. A. S. ....

### LACES

One bin of Laces, Embroidery and Ribbon, worth up to 35c yard, QUICK ACTION SALE ...... 5c

One bin Laces and Ribbons worth up to 50 cents per yard, QUICK 10c

### MEN'S SHOES

Men's Steady Wear, union made, unlined work shoes, all leather, in black, brown and buck, to close out \$2.75

Men's Genuine Kangaroo Dress Shoes in black, straight lasts, QUICK ACTION SALE

Men's Cordovan Calf Dress \$5.85 Shoes, Q. A. S. ....

Men's Cordovan Calf English Walking style in tan, to close out at \$4.85

Men's good heavy work shoes, army last, in tan, to close out at \$3.45

### TOWELS

Good size Bath Towels, two sizes, QUICK ACTION 20c & 25c Sale, each -----

Huck Towels, red bordered, Q. A. S. each

Fancy check Huck Towels,

Ladies' good black yarn dyed 29c Also at per pair \_\_\_\_\_ 65c and 25c Children's black ribbed hose, "Foot-Rest" brand, going in this QUICK ACTION SALE \_\_\_\_ 19c, 25c and 35c

#### LADIES' DRESSES

Just five handsome Taffeta Dresses, nice quality and style, QUICK ACTION SALE \$10.50

Just a few pretty Georgette, Crepe and Crepe de Chine Dresses left, to close out during this Quick Action Sale \_\_\_\_\_ \$12.50

A few Ladies' neatly trimmed Serge Dresses, close \$4.98 & \$10.50

One lot of Ladies' House Dresses and Aprons, in two prices, Q. A. S. .... 75c \* 95c

### LADIES' SHOES

Ladies' brand new shoes in nobby styles in pumps, oxfords and \$3.95 high cuts, Q. A. S.

GIVE OUR BARGAIN COUNT-ER A LOOK FOR SOME REAL VALUES.

### MEN'S CLOTHING

Men's good style, all wool 3-piece suits, to close out QUICK ACTION SALE \$12.50

One lot of six men's 3-piece suits, to close out at \_\_\_\_\_ \$17.50 and \$19.50

Blue Serge, strictly all wool, high grade and good style suits, \$29.50 QUICK ACTION SALE

Men's Mole Skin Pants, extra \$2.95 good quality \_\_\_\_\_

Men's good, heavy Buck Skin Brand Pants, to close out at 275 QUICK ACTION SALE \_\_ \$3.75

Men's Khaki Colored Duck Pants, to close out at \_\_\_ \$1.95, \$2.00 and \$2.95 Men's Blue Serge Pents, extra good grade, to close out at QUICK ACTION SALE \_\_ \$6.75

MEN'S SHIRTS 1 lot of 100 Men's Dress Shirts, good colors and patterns, to close \$1.45

I lot 75 Men's Dress Shirts, good patterns and colors, QUICK ACTION SALE \_\_ \$1.25

Men's Army Style Flannel Shirts, \_\_ \$3.45, \$3.95 and \$4.45

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#### COMMUNITY SINGING HERE LAST SUNDAY AFTERNOON

On last Sunday afternoon at the County Park Club House occurred the finest singing ever heard in Slaton. We often gladly pay 75 cents for entertainments inferior to this in class and spirit, and yet this was as free as the gospel in the songs that were so gloriously rendered. The song book used was "Hallelujahs," which is used by almost all the classes of the

county, and its songs are certainly

full of pep and spirit.

Organization of a singing class for Slaton started and next Sunday at 2 p. m. was set for completing the or-We cordially invite those good singers back. We are de-lighted to know that Prof. Pevehouse of Carlisle will bring his class next Sunday and show us what beginners who never organized nor attempted

to say that the preachers and churches, especially in towns, have shown too much coolness toward singing schools and singing classes and con-ventions. And perhaps some of the singing leaders have become too much itual devotion. But, next to preaching, popular singing is the greatest of them sounded.

Successors to M. A. Pember

should encourage its knowledge and the fundamentals of music in harmopractice as strongly as possible. This can best be done by fostering singing schools and classes and conventions. And in order to popularize our sing-mind is the most scientific notation. And in order to popularize our sing-

per pair ----

son can most easily read. on of. Now no one can read music spaces into one system of notation. ntelligently without knowing the prose without knowing the letters of ideas. singing till last October can do in so show that shaped notes are uses cultivators is above the farmer who uses only the walking plow.

Short a time. Slaton will give them a glad welcome and try to gain encouragement and instruction enough from them to give them an interesting contest for the banner.

Now, as a friend to both the walking plow. Yours for better singing and more people that sing with the understanding.

W. P. FLORENCE. P. S. We urge all our folks to join have with the shapes of the notes in us, especially the young folks, and with the shapes of the notes in us, especially the young folks, and with the shapes of the notes in us, especially the young folks, and with the shapes of the notes in us, especially the young folks, and with the shapes of the notes in us, especially the young folks, and with the shapes of the notes in us, especially the young folks, and with the shapes of the notes in us, especially the young folks, and with the shapes of the notes in us, especially the young folks, and the farmer who uses only the walking plow. Now, as a friend to both the addition that conveys the individual churches and to popular singing I wish note ideas more readily to the mind. All there is to music naturally is the production in agreeable succession and combination and variation the different members of a family of seven closely related tones called the scale. The relation of those tones are so estranged from the churches and too clear that any one who can sing by much of their music is lacking in spir- note can determine all the notes of a piece after hearing two or three

In another article I wish to describe

SLATON, TEXAS

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Jones & Stephenson

**INSURANCE** 

IF IT'S INSURANCE, WE WRITE IT

ing it will be necessary to encourage The first system was by shapes alone the use of notes that the average per- and that was scientific as far as it went but failed to convey the funda-In towns where most music teaching is done by instrumental teachers all attention is given to the art of mechanically performing the music on the keyboard and of learning to sing by hearing the instrument. Singing grandest devise of all was to combine by not is discouraged and even made by not is discouraged and even made. note is discouraged and even made both the shapes and the lines and

But music is our oldest and most notes and their family relations any conservative (or moss-backive) scimore than they can learn to read ence and hardest to adopt progressive

the alphabet with their sounds. Some | The singer who uses shape notes is claim that the shaped notes are un-scientific and "back-woodsie," but I round note singer as the farmer who wish to show that shaped notes are uses cultivators is above the farmer

invite other communities to join with us. W. P. F., Pres. of Class.

### Wilselma Theatre PROGRAM

Monday, Feb. 20, "A Virtuous amp," featuring Constance Tal-

Tuesday, Feb. 21, "Last Door," featuring Eugene O'Brien.

turing Eugene O'Brien.

Wed. Feb. 22, "Prairie Trails," featuring Tom Mix; also "Big Mystery," and Mutt and Jeff Cartoon.

Thursday, Feb. 23, "Hold Your Horses," featuring Tom Moore.

Friday, Feb. 24, "Blue Fox" serial.

Saturday, Feb. 25, "Lady of Dugout;" also "Love Law," a fine comedy.

### Baptist Church Announcements.

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Paul Owens, Supt. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the Pastor. Public cordially invited to all our

services.
JNO. P. HARDESTY, Pastor.

### BIRTHS.

C. T. Noack and wife, Feb. 13, boy. T. R. Applewhite and wife, Feb. 14,

M. Fondy and wife, Feb. 15, boy. J. Bednarz and wife, Feb. 15,

We Print Everything But Dollar Bills. cigars and tobaccos. North side Sq.

### PUBLIC SOCIAL AND SALE

Friday night, Feb. 17, at 7:30 at Clubhouse. Everybody invited. Good eats and music promised. Come. Admission 10c. Given by M. E. Girls,

TEAGUE'S is the place to get your drug sundries, toilet articles, drinks,

## MILLINERY Announcement

-I wish to announce to the ladies of Slaton and surrounding country, that answering the call of the ever-changing fashion, I have asembled something new and different in the season's Millinery creations with which to delight the eternal feminine.

-Depending on fruitful experience and careful selection I can promise you an early Spring display that will far surpass any previous event of this kind. You may await wonderful things in color, texture, and design, and you will not be disappointed.

-My hat-making department has been enlarged and my new stock has arrived, and I will build according to your personal whims and fancies, from an abundant variety of colors and qualities, with an unapproaching price appeal. MY SPRING HATS ARE ON DISPLAY NOW AND YOU HAVE A CORDIAL IN-VITATION TO CALL AND SEE THEM.

MRS. MAMIE E. LOYD

Fresh shipment candy just received at DYKES GROCERY CO.

## S. H. ADAMS

SICIAN AND SURGEON SLATON, TEXAS
ce Third Door West of
First State Eank

Office 10; Residence 26

## A. TUCKER, M. D.

Offices on Second Floor Masonic Building SLATON, TEXAS

s: Office 108; Residence 66

## Ben T. Owens

DENTIST Singleton Hotel Building. Telephone 167 SLATON, TEXAS

### CHIROPRACTIC

inal Adjusting for Acute,

C. A. SMITH

CHIROPRACTOR SLATON, TEXAS

## W. E. OLIVE

Insurance Farm Loans

### . B. LANE

ATTORNEY AT LAW practice in all the courts. Special tention given to collections. ice in Twaddle Building, Across Street from Slaton State Bank.

## LAUNDRY

I now have the agency for the bbock Laundry, and will call laundry and deliver. Also an and press, and have a nice e of samples from which to orer suits. Prompt and good serce is promised.

C. PATTON

BEDS, SPRINGS, CHAIRS OIL AND COOK AND HEAT-ING STOVES. IN FACT, I WANT TO BUY ANYTHING THAT GOES IN THE HOUSE. IF YOU HAVE ANYTHING TO

-IF YOU WANT TO BUY COME TO THE SLATON SEC-OND HAND AND RACKET STORE. ALWAYS IN THE MARKET TO BUY OR SELL.

## SLATON SECOND HAND And Racket Store

G. L. SLEDGE, Manager Felephone 184 Slaton. Slaton, Texas

## R. A. Henderson

ELECTRIC SHOE AND HARNESS SHOP.

-I have now equipped my shop with electrical driven machinery for both Shoe and Harness Repairing and can give you quicker service than ever before, and work the equal of any better than some. Bring in your work; it is always appreciated, and the price is no higher than you pay for inferior work in other towns.

Located First Floor Singleton Hotel Building, Slaton, Texas.

## BUILDING CONTRACTOR.

I am in position to erect any kind of a building, giving you a turnkey job, and at a price you can afford to pay. Let me give you an estimate and help you with your plans.

See me at Forrest umber Co.

The Slatonity ar saive Far ser, one year

### SLAT'S DIARY.

Friday—Are chirch is all ways hav-ing chirch suppers and they most gen-relly all ways come on nites when they a good pitcher show comeing off. We went to one tnite and pa was a set ting over in the corner and got to doz-ing off into little naps. Just as the Piano started to play 1 time a lady nugged him on the shoulder to Speak to him and he jumps up and rubs his eyes and sed. O is this are Dance. After witch we went home very quick-

ly. But not Quietly. How ever. Saturday—Blisterses pa is down in bed and is not able to wirk and pa say he dussent no wether he is sick or only just thirsty.

sed it was a animal witch lives in the starts an engagement. Zoo which's hind legs is twict as long as his 4 legs. And Pug Stevens says No it is a animal with stripes around it only not a Zebray. I kep still as I lum"

she had a rite to some of his tension. becauce Wimmen wus here before money. Pa replied by saying that they are here after it to. And he should

ought to no.

dussent no it all.

Thursday—Molly Blair slung a ston at are god and broke are window. Her sistent and yet true to his nature. Positive roles enact themselves, but not so Weelum." ma made her rite a apolegy. She sed
—I am sorry I broke yure wondow
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and am enclosing a \$ and a ½ for it
gains. See R. J. Murray or J. T. Over-



At the Wilselma Theatre two days, Feb. 28th and March 1st.

### Slaton Battery Station

-We charge and repair any make of Battery. Batteries called for and delivered. First door south of Union Bakery.

W. A. Reeder Proprietor
Telephone 56 Slaton, Texas

### OPPORTU-WHY LET NITIES LIKE THIS PASS?

We can sell you business lots on the south and east side of the square for \$500, \$600 and \$700, with one-third cash down, and the balance in two equal payments due in six and twelve months. This can not be anything other than a good investment. THINK IT OVER!

If you are considering ever owning a home in Slaton why not buy the lots in the LOCATION that you would like to live in, as they are selling fast? THIS IS ONLY A TIP TO THE WISE.

We have exclusive sale of the townsite, and will take pleasure in showing you these lots.

R. J. Murray & Co. "As Old as the Town"
J. T. Overby R. J. Murray

### REPAIRING HOE

HIGHEST GRADE WORK LOWEST PRICES Will Appreciate Your Patronage West of Slaton State Bank

Mrs. C. A. Cozby SLATON, TUXAS

AT THE WILSELMA.

Margaret Sedden, a Sweet Old Moth-er in "A Man's Home." No use trying to get along without "mother" in real life or film life. It just can't be done. Knowing this, realizing her opportunity and going in to make the most of it, Margaret Sed-den has perfected herself in the art of

the screen. What Emma Dunn has become on the stage Margaret Sedden makes good on the screen. And if anyone thinks there is no "art" in being a screen "mother" let them see Miss Sedden in "A Man's Home" and be convinced.

Sunday—Are Sunday skool teacher selma Theatre on next Tuesday and ast the clas. What is a Leper. Jake Wednesday when "A Man's Home" Miss Sedden will appear at the Wil-

"Bunty Pulls the Strings."
Raymond Hatton, who plays "Weeim" in "Bunty Pulls the Strings," new it was a tiger with spots all over insted of Stripes.

Monday—Pa brot home Co. for dinner witch come to visit him at the Printing shop. He is a nooose paper man and Pa says his father never wirked neither.

Thesday—Ma was arguing with pa fellow he is to portray from every Tuesday—Ma was arguing with pa because he puts so much time in writing for the Paper and etc. and she sed do if such-and-such a thing happened do if such-and-such a thing happened

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-I will be right here in this newspaper every week telling about Groceries and you MUST SEE me, and MUST REMEMBER that I stand for Quality Groceries and Low Prices. I will make your housekeeping easy by suggesting things for your table and you WILL LOOK for me because it will help you to economize.

IM GOING TO WORK FOR

Highest Price for Country Produce

W. A. Dykes

Phone 7 

Geo. Berkstresser

### Who's Your Clothier and Tailor?

-WE WANT TO CONTINUE TO FURNISH THE MEN AND YOUNG MEN OF THIS SECTION WITH THEIR TAILOR MADE SUITS, OVERCOATS AND FURNISHINGS OF EVERY KIND. GOOD CLOTHES COST NO MORE THAN SHODDY ONES IF YOU BUY THEM HERE.



LET US MAKE YOUR OLD CLOTHES LOOK LIKE NEW. TELEPHONE AND WE WILL CALL FOR AND DELIVER THEM AT THE SAME PRE-WAR PRICE \$1.50 CLEANED AND PRESSED.

## MEMPHIS Makes Profit in Feeding Cattle for Market

—"I owned the cattle too long for them to make any money, but I got a good price for my feed," said Jot Montgomery, cattleman-farmer of Memphis, Hall County, in speaking of the result of his feeding four car loads of two-year-olds, two cars of which have been marketed at Fort Worth and the other two

-"I have owned these cattle over a year and with the recent decline in cattle of course could not expect them to make any money, but since I had an abundance of feed that was worth practically nothing on the market I decided to feed these steers.

"I am more than pleased with the results and am thoroughly convinced of the necessity of Panhandle cattlemen and farmers feeding their surplus crops to cattle and hogs and in this manner they will receive a much better price for their feed."

# HANDLE LUMBER

OUR AIM - TO HELP IMPROVE THE PANHANDLE

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J. W. HOOD, Manager.

## SECOND ANNUAL

### and Style Show Auto

Bigger and Better than last year More Space More Cars More Styles

Amarillo, March 9, 10, 11

Vaudeville-Music-Dancing 25,000 square feet floor space-Open morning, afterdoon and night Under Auspices of

Amarillo - Panhandle Automotive Association



question?

"That's my business."

yours very shortly, once and for all. 1 suppose you're soft on the girl yourself." he sneered. "Think yourself s here! Do you think sne'd look at you a beggarly newsmonger? Why, she-

"You can leave her out of it." said Rainey, quietly. "As for you, I think you're a dirty blackguard.

Carlsen's hand shot back to his hip pocket as Rainey's fist flashed through the opening and caught him high on the law, sending him staggering back, erashing against the partition and down into the cushioned seat that ran around the place.

But his gun was out. As he raised it Rainey grappled with him. Carlsen pulled trigger, and the bullet smashed through the skylight above them, while Rainey forced up his arm, twisting it fiercely with both hands until the gun fell on the seat.

Simultaneously the girl and Lund appeared.

"Gun-play?" rumbled the giant. "That'll be you, Carlsen! You're too fond of shooting off that gat of yores."

Rainey had stepped back at the girl's exclamation. Carlsen recovered his gun and put it away, while Peggy Simms advanced with blazing eyes. "You coward!" she said. "If I had

thought-oh!" She made a gesture of utter loath-

ing, at which Carlsen sneered. "I'll show you whether I'm a coward or not, my lady," he said, "before I get through with all of you. And I'll tell you one thing: The captain's life is in my hands. And he and I are the only navigators aboard this vessel, except a fool of a blind man," he added, as he strode to the door of Simms' cabin, turned to look at them, laughed deliberately in their faces and shut the door on them.

"Well?" asked Lund, "what are you goin' to do about it, Rainey? Stick with me, or line up with the rest of 'em, work yore passage, an' thank 'em for nothing when they divvy the stuff

an' leave you out?"

You havn't said outright what you are going to do yourself," replied Rainey. "As for me, I seem to be between the devil and the deep sea. Carlsen has got some plan to outwit the men. It's inconceivable that he'll be willing to give them equal shares. And he has no use for me."

"You haven't said outright what you of his before he did," said Lund, "He'll put you out of the way if he can, but, now his temper's bi'led over a bit, he'll not shoot you. Not afore the gold's in the hold.

"As for me," he went on, his voice deepening. "I found this gold, an' they didn't. I don't have to divvy with 'em, an' I won't. If enny of 'em thinks he's my equal all he's got to do is say so, an' I'il give him a chance to prove it. Feel those arms, matey, size me up. Man to man, I c'ud break enny three of 'em in half. Put me in a room with enny three of 'em, an' the door locked, an' one 'ud come out. That 'ud be me.'

This was not bragging, not blustering, but calm assurance, and Rainey felt that Lund merely stated what he believed to be facts. And Rainey believed they were facts. There was a confident strength of spirit aside from his physicial condition that emanated from Lund as steam comes from a kettle. It was the sort of strength that lies in a steady gale, a wind that one can lean against, an elastic power with big reserves of force. But the conditions were all against Lund, though he proceeded to put them

"Man to man," he repeated, "I c'ud beat 'em into Hamburg steak. An' I've got brains enough to fool Carisen. I've outguessed him so far."

"He's got the gun," warned Rainey. 'Never mind his gun. I ain't afraid of his gun." He nodded with such supreme confidence that Rainey felt himself suddenly relegating the doctor's possession of the gun to the background. "If his gun's the only thing trubblin' you, forget it. You an' me got to know where we stand. It's up to you. I won't blame you for shiftin' over. An' I can git along with-

h-l do you mean by asking her that out you, if need be. But we've got along together fine; I've took a notion to you. I'd like to see you get a whack "I'll make it mine. And I'll settle of that gold, an' all the devils in h-1 an' out of it ain't goin' to stop me from gittin' it !"

> He talked in a low voice, but it rumbled like the distant roar of a bull. Rainey looked at the indomitable jaw that the beard could not hide, at the great barrel of his chest, the boughlike arms, the swelling thighs and calves, and responded to the suggestion that Lund could rise in Berserker rage and sweep aside all opposition.

"Carlsen says that the skipper's life is in his hands," he said. "What do you make of that?

"I don't know what to make of it," answered Lund. "If it is, God help the skipper! I reckon he's in a bad way. Ennyhow, he's out of it for the time bein', Rainey.'

"There's the girl," said Rainey. don't believe she wants to marry Carl-

"If she does," said Lund, "she sin't the kind we need worry about. If you're interested about the gal, Rainey, an' I take it you are, I'm tellin' you that Carlsen'll marry her if it suits his book. If it don't, he won't. An' if he wins out, he'll take her without botherin' about prayer-books an' ceremonies. I know his breed. All men are more or less selfish an' shy on morals, in streaks more or less wide, but that Carlsen's just plain skunk. I'm no saint, but, so long as I can keep wiggim', there ain't enny hunter or seaman goin' to harm a decent gal. That's another way they ain't my equal, Rainey. Savvy? Nor is Carlsen. There ain't enough real manhood in that Carlsen to grease a skillet. How about it, Rainey; are you lined up with me?"

"Just as far as I can go. Lund. I'm with you to the limit."

Land brought down his hand with a mighty swing and caught at Rainey's n mid-air, gripping it till Rainey bit his lips to repress a cry of pain. "You've got the guts!" cried the

giant, checking the loudness of his voice abruptly. "I knew it. It ain't all goin' to go as they like it. Watch my smoke. Now, then, keep out of Carlsen's way all you can. He may try an' pick a row with you that'll put you in wrong all around. Go easy an' speak easy till land's sighted."

What do you think Carlsen's game is, if it goes through?"

"He's fox enough to think up a dozen ways. Run the schooner ashore somewhere in the night. Wreck her. Git 'em in the boats with the gold. Inside of a week, Deming an' one or two others would have won it. Then-he'd have the only gun-he'd shoot the lot of 'em an' say they died at sea. He ain't got enny more warm blood than a squid. Or he might land, and accuse 'em all of piracy. What do we care about his plans? He ain't goin' to put 'em over.'

Rainey had to relieve Hansen. He left Lund primed for resistance against Carlsen, against all the crew, if necessary, resolved to save the girl, but, as Lund stayed below and the time slid by, his confidence oozed out of him, and the odds assumed their mathematical proportion.

What could they do against so many? But he beld firm in his determination to do what he could, to go down with the foriorn hope.

The Karluk was bowling along northward toward landfall and the crisis between Lund and Carlsen at good speed. The weather had subsided and the half gale now served the schooner instead of hindering her. Rainey turned over the wheel to a seaman and paced the deck. Lund's mysterious hints were unsatisfactory. He could not believe them without some basis, but the glant would never go further than vague talk of a "joker" or card up his sleeve. And they would need more than one card. Rainey

thought. He wondered whether they could win over Hansen, who had spoken for Lund against the skipper, and had then kept his counsel. But he dismissed Hansen as an ally. The Scandinavian was too cautious, too apt to consider such things as odds. Sandy

was useless, aside from his good-will. He was cowed by Deming, scared of Carlsen, too puny to do more than he had done, give them warning.

Tamada? Would he fight for the share of gold he expected to come to him? Lund had described him as neutral. But, if he knew that he was to be left out of the division? At any rate, Tamada might provide him with a weapon, a sharp-bladed vegetable knife if nothing better. He could not class Tamada as an unimportant factor. There was no question to Rainey but that Tamada was, by caste, above his position as sealer's cook. It was true that a Japanese considered no means mental if they led to the proper

Was that end merely to gain posses sion of his share of the gold, or did Tamada have some deeper, more complicated reason for signing on to run the galley of the Karluk? Somehow Rainey thought there was such a res-

CHAPTER VI.

Tamada Talks.

It was an hour from the third meal of the day. Tamada was juggling the food for three messes, and he was doing it with the calm precision of one who has every detail well mapped out and is moving on schedule. The boy Sandy was not there, probably engaged in laying the table for the hunters' mess. Rainey imagined.

Tamada regarded him with eyes that did not lack a certain luster, as a sloeberry might hold it, but which, beneath their booded lids, revealed neither interest, nor curiosity, nor



You Are Not Hating Me Because You Are Carifornian and I Japanese,"

friendliness. They belonged in his unwrinkled face, they were altogether neutral. Yet they seemed covertly to suggest to Rainey that they might, on occasion, flame with wrath or hatred, or show the burning light of high in-

"Tamada," he queried, "you think I am your friend, that I would rather

help you than otherwise?" "I think that-yes?" answered the Japanese without hesitation and without servility. "You are not hating me because you are Californian and I

Japanese," he said. "I know that." There was little time to spare, and there was likelihood of interruption, so Rainey plunged into his subject without introduction.

"They promised you a share of this treasure, Tamada?" he asked.

"They promised me that, yes." "They do not intend to give it to you. You may have guessed this, but I am sure of it. I, too, am promised some of the gold, but they do not intend to give it to me. They will offer Mr. Lund only a small portion of what was originally arranged, the same amount as the rest of them are to get. He will refuse that tomorrow, when a meeting is to be called. Then there will be trouble. I shall stand with Mr. Lund. If we win you will get your share, whether you help us or not. If you help us I can promise you at least twice the amount you were to get."

"How can I belp you? If this is to be talked over at a meeting I shall not be allowed to be present. I do not think it will help you for me to join. I do not see how you can win. If you can show some way out I will do what I can. But I like to see way out."

He no lifled the bald acknowledgment of his neutrality with a little bow and a hissing-in breath. Back of it all was a will that was inflexible, thought Rainey.

"If we lose, you lose," he went on lamely. He had come on a fool's er-

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### THE FUNDAMENTALS OF MUSIC.

any person or place, but are intended to advocate principles and reforms, for which I have long contended. I am not a singing teacher but the son of one and have been delighted with a study of the natural laws of music and have some experience and a lot of ing interest in popular singing in our county, for which I have long desired. The only personal or local phase in the matter is that I strongly desire my own community and church to not fall behind in this movement.

There are two ways of learning to sing. One is by hearing and the other by sight. The one who sings by ear must first hear the music either on an instrument played by himself or others, or hear it sung by others before he gets any idea of how it sounds. The one who sings by sight gets the musical ideas by seeing the notes without need of instrument or other person. The sight singer must of course have some knowledge of tone language. Therefore the sight singer sings with a joy and understanding that is impossible with the one who sings only by hearing. Sight on an instrument played by himself or standing that is impossible with the one who sings only by hearing. Sight singing is therefore more spiritual than singing by ear. The churches then should encourage the knowledge the should encourage the knowledge instrument would not fit in different and practice of sight singing instead.

notes to teach and use. Now, notes are only characters to convey to the mind the tone ideas which constitute the music; and of course the notes that convey these ideas with least expense to the singer are the best notes to use. Music is the production in succession and com-bination according to the laws of bythm and harmony the members of a closely and clearly related family of tones. There are only seven members of this tone family, though five of them may have substitutes called chromatics. By using the fundamental or father tone at the beginning and end of the series we have what is end of the series we have what is called the scale, or octave; though strictly, the term octave means the difference in pitch between the ex-

Much has been said about the origin of the scale but my theory is that man was created with sensibilities tuned to fit just that arrangement of tones that constitute our scale and chords. It remained only for science to figure out just the mathematical relation between the tones in this family that had delighted the ears of man many centuries before science discovered them. All sound is made by vibrations against the auditory nerve generally conveyed there by the air from a vibrating body. If the vibrations are regular, the same number per each second and frequent enough to blend into one sound the sound is a blend into one sound the sound is a As the vibrations increase in frequency the tone rises in shrillness and that characteristic is called its pitch. The difference between the pitch of tones is called their intervals.

I believe the first interval ever recognized was the octave. It is the natural difference between man's and wo-man's voices and is so perfect that when two tones forming an octave are heard it appears to be one tone. The frequency of the upper tone in an octave is found to be always just twice that of the lower. These two tones that or this continue that or the two tones is the torontice. that constitute an octave may be con-sidered the father and mother of the tone family and the interval between them naturally divided into seven in-tervals, the tones of which constitute tervals, the tones of which constitute our diatonic scale. Since father and mother are always one this family is said to consist of seven tones. Many different ways of naming the individuals of this family have been used but the best and most generally used now is as follows, named in order of their rise in pitch: do, re, mi, fa, sol, la, ti, do. This is the musical alphabet and we call it the do re mi's. Their relations are so natural to the singer that sings by note that when he hears any designated member of the scale that sings by note that when he hearn any designated member of the scale

he can in a moment produce any other member. The simplest way to get a picture of the tone family is to stretch Before proceeding I wish to say these articles are not directed against tone and then put a bridge where it will make re, counting the whole any person or place, but are intended and then put a bridge where it will make me, then to where it will make mi, then to where it makes fa and so on for sol, la, ti, and upper do, which last note you and have some experience and a lot of observation as church chorister. I think the time is opportune for the discussions because I see an awaken-discussions because I see an awaken-discussion awaken-discussion awaken-discussion awaken-discussion awaken-discussion awaken-discussion will find to be made with exactly onethat do took and made 9-8ths as many vibrations and that mi took 9-10ths of the string that re took and made 10-9ths as many vibrations, and so on until it is found that the scale tones have the following intervals: do 9-8ths, re 10-9ths, mi 16-15ths, fa 9-8ths, sol 10-9ths, la, 9-8ths, do 16-15ths. When these seven interval ratios are multiplied the product is 2, which is the octave. This graph will look like a ladder having short

than singing by ear. The churches then should encourage the knowledge and practice of sight singing instead of having all their songs learned by ear from singing evangelists and from instruments. Since singing by sight is not generally taught in the public schools there should be more singing schools. And the singing schools should teach more note reading than they generally do. And that brings the subject of what kind of notes to teach and use.

Now notes are only characters to half steps, la to ti two half steps, ti half steps, la to ti two half steps, ti to do one half step.

From one key on a piano to an ad-joining key black or white is a half step. Therefore it is easy to run the scale from any key as the funda-

Mrs. and Mrs. Jno. R. Parker of Silwerton were guests at the home of
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Rev. and Mrs. Jno. P. Hardesty the
first of this week. They are prospective residents of Slaton. need to know is that a trial with four half steps in the lower interval and three half steps in the upper is a major chord and that if we drop the middle tope a half steps in the upper is a major chord and that if we drop the middle tope a half steps in the latest three drops and the steps in the latest three drops as half steps and the steps in the latest three drops are the latest three drops are three drops as the latest three drops are three drops and the latest three drops are three d dle tone a half step making three in the lower and four in the upper in-terval we have a minor chord which arouses quite a different feeling.

The major chords are do, mi, sol, fa, la, do, and sol, ti, re; and the principal minors are naturally la, do, mi, re, fa, la, and mi, sol, ti.

These tones and chords, with a few variations, constitute fundamental language of music. Let us study this divine language in the easiest possile notation.

### CONTRACT FOR NEW BANK BUILDING WAS AWARDED

The contract for a new banking house was awarded by the Slaton State Bank yesterday to J. M. Morgan & Co. of Big Spring. Work will begin in a few days and is to be com-

pleted within sixty days. This building will be two stories 25 by 90 feet, located on the corner next to A. L. Brannon Hardware, with entrances on both streets. The construction will be modern throughout and as nearly fireproof as possi-ble. The lower floor will be concrete,

of fixtures, including the directors' room. Beside the bank's money vault a large customer's vault will be built, equipped with a large number of our sell on terms to suit. equipped with a large number of customers' safety deposit boxes, and space left for several hundred additional boxes of individuals.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

R. A. DeLong was a Lubbock visitor Monday.

For your favorite magazine go to Slaton Confectionery.

Messrs. H. G. and A. E. Whitehead were visitors in Lubbock Monday.
S. S. Forrest was among the business visitors in Lubbock Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Shankle were visitors in Lubbock Monday.

For candy with a taste different cat.

For candy with a taste different eat Bryant's at Slaton Confectionery. Mrs. J. J. Jordan and two children

George Leverett, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Leverett, residing two miles north of town has been quite ill.

Dollar's worth for a nickel—the Sunday El Paso Herald, at SLATON CONFECTIONERY.

R. S. Whitehead of Fort Worth, is here visiting his brothers A. E. and H. G. Whitehead.

Fritz Braun, a substantial farmer of the Slaton section, was among the business visitors in Lubbock Monday. If you like fun, wit and humor read the El Paso Herald. SLATON CONFECTIONERY.

Mrs. Ray Stephenson and son Leon, are visiting Mrs. Stephenson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cox at Tuscola.
Mrs. S. P. Bailey and daugher, Jane Louise, have returned from an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Beeson, at Galveston.
Mrs. and Mrs. Milton G. Cooper, who Mr. and Mrs. Milton G. Cooper, who

recently came to Slaton to reside, have leased the Percy Minor bungalow in West Slaton. Lawrence and Inez Evans of Slaton

spent the week end at Plainview with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Henderson. Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hardesty of La-

mesa returned home yesterday after a few days' visit with the former's brother, Rev. Jno. P. Hardesty and

from Clarendon to resume her work as History teacher in High School here after several days' absence on account of the serious illness and death of her father at that place.

### Baptist Church Announcements

Sunday School at 10 A. M., Paul Superintendent.
Preaching at 11 A. M., by Pastor.
Sunbeams at 2:30; Intermediate B.
Y. P. U. at 3:30; Senior B. Y. P. U. at

6 o'clock.
Preaching at 7:45 by Dr. F. S.
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### COMPRESS FOR SLATON.

Just as we go to press it is learned that the Chamber of Commerce has closed a contract with the Western Compress & Storage Co. of Abilene to erect a \$60,000 compress here at once. Further details will be given later.

### REAL ESTATE ACTIVE.

J. T. Overy of R. J. Murray & Co., real estate operators, states that dur-Mrs. J. J. Jordan and the have been quite sick this week.

M. A. Pember, real estate operator, is confined to his home by illness.

Bert Hastings is reported as improving after a severe illness.

Mrs. C. F. Anderson has been suffering from an attack of flu, but is reported better now.

Dorted better now.

Mr. McWilliams will begin the erection of a modern building on these lots at once and engage in business here.

Mr. McAtee is also preparing to erect a nice brick on the lot he has bought. ing the past week he has sold a nice business lot on Texas Avenue to J. R. McAtee, and two business lots on the northeast corner of the square to Oran McWilliams of Tipton, Okla. Mr. McWilliams will begin the erection of the square holds.

Mr Overby also reports the sale of fifty residence lots during the past

Other real estate operators have also been enjoying a nice busines in city property transfers.

### ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Robertson Dry Goods Co., havng decided to continue in business in Slaton, ask their friends and customers to return and do business with

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## SLATON MAN HEADS AUSTIN FOOTBALL TEAM

Miss Lula Kate Wiley Miss Zella Parkhill

Austin, Feb. 19.-James R. Mc-Atee of Slaton, end, was elected cap-tain of the 1922 football team of St. Edwards College in a meeting of letter men held Friday. He succeeds M. Newell of Richmond as leader of the Catholic gridiron warriors. Mc-Atee has played three years on the St. Edwards eleven and during 1921 distinguished himself with his hard consistent tackling and steady playing .- Monday's Star-Telegram.

The young man referred to in the above article is a son of J. R. McAtee of this city.

#### POLL TAX PAYMENTS.

4.123 people paid their poll taxes in Lubbock county before Feb. 1st, giving them the privilege of voting. The payments by months follows: November 140 December 603

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Civic and Culture Club. (Delayed from last week)

On Saturday afternoon, Feb. 11th, the Civic and Culture Club met with Mrs. Parker in her beautiful new home. After the business session the went over to the Club House for thirty minutes, to meet with the Chamber of Commerce, then back to Mrs. Parker's, where Mrs. H. C. Jones led a most interesting lesson on "The Forest." Mesdames Anton, Ragsdale, Smart, Adams, Rowley, Pickens and Green rendered parts on the program. Misses Kuykendall and Klattenhoff also did their bit.

Next was the general discussion of "Trees That Will Grow," and "How to Grow Them On the Plains," Mrs. Parker, assisted by Mrs. Mc-Kirahan, served delicious refresh-

church Sunday, Feb. 19th, with Gladys Guinn as leader.

Opening song, "Jewels." Prayers, Mrs. Selmon, Dayton Eckert, Willie George, John Graham, and Virginia

Scripture reading, 70th Psalm, Virginia McKirahan.

Twenty members answered to roll of Alvah Selmon and Gladys Bols to our list. Minutes of previous meeting Lila Lee' read and approved.

Lord's prayer in concert.
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#### Philathea Class.

The Philathea class met Sunday, Feb. 19th with a good attendance. We still have a few members on the sick list, but hope to have them with us We invite all the ladies that are not members of some other class to join us in making this an A-1 standard class. Come and help us. We ne you. REPORTER.

Miss Darwin Entertains with "42" Miss Ada Belle Darwin entertained a number of young people at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Darwin Saturday night.

"42" was the main diversion for the evening. Music and a few other games were played and enjoyed. Before their departure the guests were delighted with refreshments of sandwiches, tea and cookies.

### Martha Washington Social

The Y. W. M. S. of the Methodist hurch held their first social on last Tuesday night at the Club House The house was made beautiful with decorations suggestive of George Washington and the National emblems and colors. Throughout the evening the Marthas entertained the Georges with such delightful games that they expressed a wish that George Wash ington's birthday should come several

times a year.

Refreshments of cherry pie and hot chocolate. Plate favors were dainty Pluke's barber shop and receive \$1.00 chocolate. Plate favors were dainty little cardboard hatchets tied with red ribbon.

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Thursday, March 2, "Bunty Pulls the String," a big feature.
Friday, March 3, "Blue Fox" serial,

tended to the business which came up. This took up a great bit of the time but we had a good program regardless. We are getting away from using notes more and more and are relying on memory and spontaneity. The Union continues to grow. We welcom-

ed four new members last Sunday. Group No. 1 has the honor of hav-ing the greatest number who have read the daily Bible readings. We trust that the other groups will have

an equal number this week.
"My money and missions" will be the theme February 26th. Come.

### Junior Camp Fire Girls.

The Junior Camp Fire Girls met at Mrs. Jack Callaway's after school Friday, ready to go on an outing, but as Mr. Callaway was ill Mrs. Callaway could not accompany us. Miss Barber, assistant guardian, was there to We went to the park to the park was to the park of the country FOR ten year optional payment farm loans see M. A. PEMBER.

ber, assistant grounding, was there to take her place. We went to the park grounds near the club house and cooked supper over a supper ove ed supper over a camp fire. After supper we roasted marshmallows, sang and told stories until a late hour, son in Tahoka Monday afternoon. going from there to the club house and attending a social given by the Methodist girls. A real nice outing was enjoyed. REPORTER.

### T. E. L. Class.

The T. E. I. class met Sunday, Feb. 19, with 18 present, one visitor and one new member, and a very fine lesson. Mrs. Montague was elected superintendent of home department in Mother Martin's place. Every lady has a cordial invitation to join us. Come next Sunday and be with us. REPORTER. REPORTER.

B Sharp Club.

The members of the B Sharp Club spent a delightful afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Edwards Saturday, with Misses Edith Edwards and Josephine McHugh as hostesses.

Two new members, Misses Loryne Woods and Lena Klattenhoff, were initiated into the club.

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Violin solo, Vinita Bowen.

A brief discussion on music up to the time of Bach, Miss Bailey.

Piano solo, Marion McHugh.

Life of Bach, Alline Tucker.

An enjoyable social hour was spent. delightful salad course and chocolate were served to the following : Misses Mildred Brown, Edith Smith, Misses Mildred Brown, Edith Smith, Frances Adams, Vinita Bowen, Grace Bailey, Lena Klattenhoff, Maggie George, Loryne Woods, Edith Ed-wards, Marion McHugh, Alline Tuck-er, Josephine McHugh, Mr. Howard Hoffman, Misses Opal Allen and Pauine Hardesty.

Our next meeting will be Saturday, March 11th, with Misses Maggie George and Mae Driver as hostesses.

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### Missionary Society.

The society met at the home of Mrs. J. S. Edwards, with thirty members and one visitor present. Opening song, "Blessed Assurance." Prayer, Mrs. Culberson. Scripture reading, Mark 1:1-15, Mrs. Green. Prayer,

Junior Missionary.

The Juniors met at the Methodist hurch Sunday, Feb. 19th, with Gladys

Mrs. Proctor.

Subject of our lesson: "Cuba."

Leader, Mrs. Green. Uncle Sam gave Cuba political freedom, the Church must give her spiritual freedom! Come to the Missionary Society and hear how we are doing it.

Mrs. Proctor gave us the history of Havana, Cuba, and Mrs. Olive told us about the industrial, religious, family and social life of these people. Both

were ably given and very interesting.
The vocal duet by Mesdames Smith
and Todd was beautiful and enjoyed

Lila Lee's letters to her mother, read by Mrs. Gates. These letters were from a young lady who went to Mission study, "The man with a were from a young lady who went to million Bibles," greatly interested all. Havana just for the gay life of the Her mother had asked her to Josephine Adams brought a poster look into the mission work while with pictures in connection with our studies, which we appreciate. "Of course I shall do this for your Lesson discussed and meeting closed by song No. 187, and repeating the Lord's prayer in concert. and chapels." One day she met a very pleasant lady, a Miss Mackey, and learns that she is a missionary and principal of Colegio Bueana Vista. Of course Miss Mackey takes her out to see their institutions and she says, "Mother I was never so surprised and astonished in my life." You will see from her last letter to her mother the change that came over this young lady. She says, "This city appeals to me more and more; some great change has come over my heart. I no longer find any pleasure in the shallow, foolish things that once filled my days and nights; it all seems so selfish and empty; it seems to me now that no life would be so full and complete as that given in service to these needy people. She closes her letter begging

> can be used by my King." Closing prayer, Mrs. George The society meets next Monday, at 2:30 p. m. with Mrs. W. R. Wilson. Bible lesson 20th and 21st chapters of

permission of her parents to enter Scarritt College, for she says, "There are many things I must learn before

### Wilselma Theatre PROGRAM

Monday, Feb. 27, "Scrap of Iron," featuring Charles Ray. Tuesday, Feb. 28, "A Man's Home," a real feature, all-star cast.

Wednesday, March 1, "A Man's

Senior B. Y. P. U.

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We met at the regular hour and attached to the husiness which came up.

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Friday, March 3, "Blue Fox serial, good comedy, and western feature.

Two complete shows every night, beginning promptly at 7:30. This gives those coming late a chance to give the entire show. Change of pictures every night.

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### WILSON.

Miss Margaret Deaver came in Friday from the Lubbock Sanitarium, where she has been the past three weeks. We hope she may soon be

son in Tahoka Monday afternoon. Rev. and Mrs. Johnson and children

visited at the home of Rev. A. V. Hendricks of Slaton Wednesday. "Grandpa" Hendrix has been sick with the flu, but is better at this writ-

Rev. Heath filled his regular appointment here Sunday. His morning theme was "The Sword of the Lord in Gideon." He also preached at Dixle

Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Craft of Tahoka visited at Prof. Foster's home Sunday. Mrs. West had the misfortune to

lose some feed by fire Friday eve-

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C. SPIKES OF LUBBOCK FOR TAX COLLECTOR

The Slatonite is authorized to announce S. C. Spikes of Lubbock as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Lubbock County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July. Mr. Spikes has lived on the Plains for the past 32 years, and stated that he opened the first grocery store ever operated in Slaton. For two years he was tax assessor of Crosby County, and feels that the experiify him for the office he is now seek-

The following item taken from a re-cent issue of the Lubbock Avalanche will be of interest in connection with the announcement of Mr. Spikes. It

lawsuit of much local interest has been pending between Sam C. Spikes and Sheriff Holcomb for a long time, having gone through the channels of three courts, and is finally set-iled. In the primaries of 1920 Mr. pikes was nominated tax collector of Lubbock County, and in the fall election was elected to that office, but Herald at Slaton Confectionery.

Sheriff Holcomb contested the ri Mr. Spikes to act as collector, lawyers were employed on both in The first trial was held in director in Lubbock, a verdict was turned in favor of Mr. Spikes, but case was sent to the Court of Appeals at Amarillo, and another dict was returned in favor of Spikes, but was then carried Supreme Court at Austin, and the decision made last week in favor Mr. Spikes. This verdict created office of tax collector of Lub County, or rather declared the ence of that office since the elect of Mr. Spikes by the people in None ber 1920." 4444

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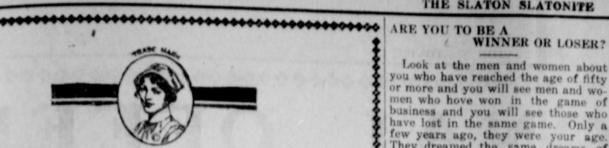
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#### PRAIRIE DOG POISON.

The time is limited for poisoning prairie dogs, as better results are obtained while vegetation is dead. It tained while vegetation is dead. It has been found that poisoning is by far more satisfactory than the use of carbon bisulphide. Wheat, oats or maize may be used in preparing the poison and should be put out at the rate of about 2 pounds per acre. The grain should be put on hard ground near the mouth of the hole and should never be put in the hole. If ordinary care is used there is no danger of poicare is used there is no danger of poisoning domestic animals. However, extreme care must be used to keep chickens from eating the grain. It might be better to trap the dogs around the farm home.

The method of preparing the poison as follows:

is as follows:

Mix thoroughly 1 ounce of powdered strychnin (alkaloid) and 1 ounce of common baking soda (bicarbonate). Dissolve 1 heaping tablespoonful of laundry starch in a little cold water and add it to three-fourths pint of boiling water. Boil and stir until a thin, clear paste is formed. Slowly sift the mixture of strychnin and soda into the starch paste, stirring condainto the starch paste, stirring conda into the starch paste, stirring constantly to form a smooth, creamy mass. Add one-fourth pint of heavy corn syrup and tablespoonful of glyc-erin and stir. Add one-tenth ounce of saccharin and again stir thorough-Pour this mixture while hot over quarts of clean grain and mix un-

all the grain is coated well.

If alkaloid strychnin is not available the sulphate form may be used, either powdered or in crystals. Dissolve the strychnin in boiling water before add-ing the cold starch. After the poisoned starch paste is clear, stir in the soda very slowly. Then add the syrup, glycerin and saccharin as in the above directions and mix with the

For mixing small quantities an or-dinary metal wash tub may be used. After the grain is thus prepared it may be sacked up and kept for future

### POSEY

The Posey school is just fine, all the children are advancing fast. Mrs. Fine is teaching again after two months' illness.

Tom Johnson has about completed a three room house which he will move

Mrs. S. N. Gentry has been ill with cold the last few days but is reported

mproving.
The little infant of Mr. and Mrs. E. Tailor has been very sick but is re-

ported improving some. The Posey Sunday School has a great interest. They have recently ourchased a piano which improves

the song service.

Mrs. M. P. Gentry is improving after about a month's illness which after about a weare in hopes.

We are in hopes

she will escape an operation now.

A nice rain would have a hearty welcome by the farmers at present.
Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Patterson gave a singing Sunday night which was en-

joyed by all. Mrs. M. P. Gentry and little daughter Lillie, have returned from a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. N. C. Gentry at Slaton.

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### HOGVILLE.

Sim Flinders says if the Sun was loser to us, all we would have to do when we wanted to warm our feet was to climb a tree.

Poke Eazley sat up so close to the heating stove at the postoffice this morning he smothered out the fire. The Postmaster then rebuilt a big, red hot fire, and Poke would of scorched had he not moved back at the crucial moment.

Yam Sims continues to call on a Miss Smith, in the Calf Ribs neighbor-They are getting so far along that they have quit talking about the

weather entirely.

Slim Pickens, who nearly got arrested once upon a time by the Depity Constable, is telling it around that the Depity did not have to take his seat in office on the first of the year, as he

has never got up out of it yet.

The public is warned not to brag too oud on the singing of Miss Hostetter Hocks, as it might cause her to enter

Jefferson Potlocks has been hardly able to get around for the past few weeks on account of a tack in his

Fletcher Henstep, whose health has been bad for the past few weeks, has decided he had better join the church. Poke Eazley says it's got so now that nearly everything is against the

law, including a lot of people.

The Tickville town marshal made a raid on the pool room Saturday evening, but found everything running along smoothly and within the law, as

everybody knew he was coming. Cricket Hicks says he would rather go to church with a young lady in the Winter time than in the Summer, as in the Winter he doesn't have to sit up and fan her while she talks to ome fellow on the other side of her.

Raz Barlow got caught out in a seavy frost night before last, but he appened to have his umbrella with

The residence of Clab Hancock, on Gander Creek, is still standing, though it is liable to fall with the next puff of wind. About all that has been holding it up for the past several months is a heavy coat of paint.

The magic lantern show at the Wild

Onion school house Saturday night was well attended, and proved to be both interesting and instructive. One of the main slides was a bird's eye view of the Atlantic Ocean, and the

show man explained that on account of the size of the stage only a portion of the ocean could be shown.

Cricket Hicks, while in the city of Tickville Saturday, saw a nice young lady weigh herself on the scales at the feed store. As she wore the usual scarcity of clothes her weight of course was net instead of gross.

### FOSTER'S WEATHER BULLETIN

Washington, D. C., Feb. 22, 1922

The week centering on Feb. 28 will average about normal temperatures on meridian 90 from Gulf of Mexico to the far north. The high temperatures of the distance of the second state of the secon ture of that disturbance will be in northwestern Canada about Feb. 26, on and all along meridian 90 Feb. 28, and in eastern sections March 2. cool wave will be in northwestern Canada near March 4, on meridian 90 March 6, eastern sections March 8.

March temperatures will be near the average of the past four months or somewhat colder. Two principal storms will stir up the atmosphere severely and that is the only cause of the month averaging colder than the past six crop weather months. The storms upset the atmosphere and bring the cold, pure, upper ozone down to the surface. These storms will get in their work during the weeks centering on March 16 and 27. Both of them will be over the Earth's equator. That event surely adds something to the severity of the storms, but not as much as many have supposed. The effects of the equinoxes, but at the dates of the severe storms that result from other causes and occur near the equi-

The storms of the week centering on March 16 will be exceedingly se-vere and will begin to affect the weather near March 9. Better prepare for rough weather and carefully study the weather chart, so as to understand when the storms are expected to reach your vicinity. The other storm, centering on March 27, will be very close to the total eclipse of the Sun, which will be on March 28, but these eclipses neither cause nor con-trol the storms. This eclipse will be visible only in the far south Between the middle of April and

May 1, crop weather conditions will change from the average of the past five months to an entirely different make-up.

Knowing the cropweather of the past year is no aid in guessing what the cropweather will be for the coming year. It does not work that way. But several years averages, that were under the same combined influences of Sun, Moon and Earth and the other seven major planets does indicate the kind of cropweather that similar planetary positions will bring. The cool wave of March 4, will be a

severe cold wave on northern parts of meridian 90 and will work southward and eastward slowly across the continent. Bad storms will come onto the continent from the northwest Feb. 27 or 28. Don't neglect preparation for these storms.

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