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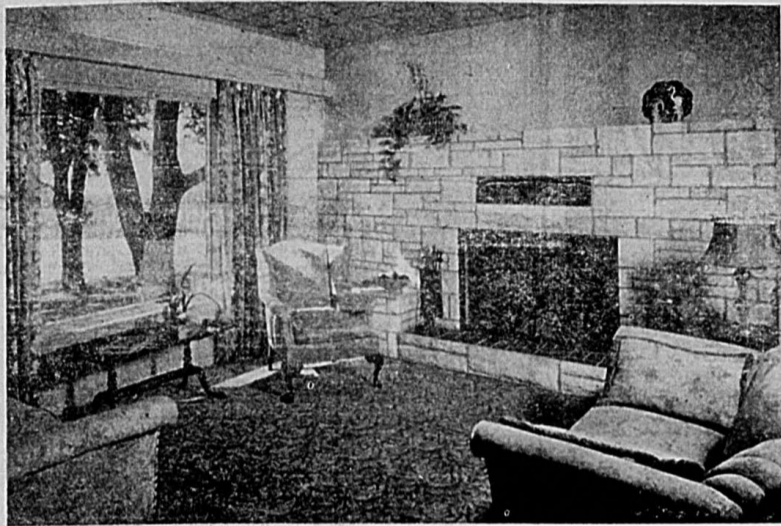
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Forrest Home Is Featured In Farm Journal



New addition to the living room has a large fireplace and picture window. Cornice lighting around three sides of room. Dining area right of fireplace at the Edwin Forrest Ranch Home.



Separate drawer and dressing table space, built into a once-closetless room for Jean and Celia Forrest. (Now each has a built-in wardrobe space.) Colors: blue, yellow, and rose.

Nat Heaton Is Temporary Judge Of Lubbock County Court At Law

Nat D. Heaton, local attorney was elected as temporary judge of Lubbock County Court-at-law this week and is now serving in this capacity while James G. Denton is on a months vacation. He was chosen as a special meeting of the Lubbock County Bar Association. Judge Heaton is the first Slaton attorney to serve in this capacity and says he feels that he has been honored by the members of the association. "I find that due to the fact that there are no jury trials to be held during Judge Denton's absence, I can fulfill all of the duties of the office in a few hours," said Judge Heaton, "and it has not interfered in my service to my clients in Slaton as I can attend to the work in Lubbock early in the morning and be back in Slaton in time to take care of my duties here. The work is very interesting and I believe it will give me some very valuable experience."

Slaton Pullets On Laying Spree

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. McClannahan are wondering whether they have accidentally gotten some special breed of chicken or have found some chicken feed that has affected their pullets. These pullets started laying regularly at 3 months and 21 days, they were large enough for fryers at eight weeks. Mr. and Mrs. McClannahan do not know the record set for early laying pullets nor the record for fast growing of young chickens but they believe they have some very unusual chickens. One of their first pullet eggs is on display at the Slatonite office along with a very unusual egg that has the image of a chicken embossed on its shell.

Mrs. Charles Bell of Weatherford and Mrs. John R. Ralls of Ralls visited Mrs. C. F. Anderson Monday.



Mrs. L. S. Jelfcoat received word July 1, of the death of her sister, Mrs. Florence Blake of Bakerville, California.
Born on June 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Harold France, Post, Texas, General Delivery, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 8 lbs. 14 ozs.
Born on June 30 to Mr. and Mrs. Rufine Lera, Slaton General Delivery, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 10 lbs. 1 oz.
Born on June 30 to Mr. and Mrs. M. Martin, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 7 lbs.
Born on July 1 to Mr. and Mrs. Febers Gonzales, Slaton, Rt. 2, in Mercy Hospital, a girl weighing 6 lbs. 10z.
Born on July 2 to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hoffman, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a boy weighing 9 lbs. 2 ozs.

THIS WEEK'S SMILES

A woman went out to buy a drinking bowl for her dog and the shopkeeper asked her if she would like one with the inscription "For the Dog."
"It really doesn't matter," she told him. "My husband never drinks water and the dog can't read."

Olson And Spears Get Promotions

Two former Slaton division Santa Fe officials have received further advancement with the railroad company, effective July 1. L. M. Olson, Santa Fe trainmaster at San Angelo in 1940, and subsequently trainmaster and superintendent of the Slaton Division at Slaton, has been made acting assistant to the vice president, operating, in Chicago, effective July 1. Since leaving the Slaton division, Olson has been briefly, on the vice president's staff in Chicago, superintendent at Emporia, assistant general manager at Los Angeles, and, since March 1, 1949, assistant general manager of the Santa Fe's northern district, Western Lines, at La Junta, Colo. J. P. Spears, former Slaton division dispatcher and trainmaster, will advance July 1 to assistant superintendent at El Paso. He has been trainmaster at Clovis, N.M. since September, 1950.

News Of Slaton Men In Service

Cpl. Leon Bukemper, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bukemper, is home on furlough. He will leave on July 12 for Camp Carson, Colo. and from there on July 15 for Alaska with Co. E, 196th Inf. Pvt. Walter Denzer, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Denzer, was home on a week-end pass. He is in the 100th Tank Bn. at North Fort Hood, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Heinrich have received a letter from their son, Pvt. Walter O. Heinrich, who is in Korea with the 57th Infantry Division. His group landed at Su-sen and went by train to the front lines. While they were passing thru a tunnel, rocks from enemy bombardment broke all of the windows in the train and injured 3 men. Pvt. Heinrich's letter was dated June 25 and at that time he was within twenty-five miles of the front lines and could hear the guns from the front. Pvt. Joe L. Kitten, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kitten, who is studying with the First Enl. Stu. Btry., Sound and Flash No. 9, at Fort Sill, Okla., was home for a week end visit and again for the 4th of July Holiday.

Wallace Sanders, petty officer 2c, Aviation Machinist, has been transferred from New Orleans to Kingsville. Cpl. Jimmy Loveady, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Lovelady, is the only member of the Marine Corps Legal Dept. at Yokosuka, Japan, where he is stationed. He is reporting and recording court proceedings, and recently covered his first murder trial. He is receiving excellent experience in court reporting and finds the work interesting. The rotation system will bring Jimmy home in June of 1952. His brother, Cpl. Jerry Lovelady, USMC, is stationed at Barstow, Calif. and is with the Supply Division. He says he is very happy there, and even the temperature of 114 degrees does not hurt him. Of course the Marine swimming pool helps. Jerry is also studying Retail Merchandizing in a correspondence course.

Services Held For Mrs. Clara Ann Nix
Funeral services for Mrs. Clara Ann Nix, 80, a member of one of Slaton's pioneer families was held at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday in the Methodist church here with Rev. Lloyd Mayhew officiating. Mrs. Nix died at 2:30 a. m. July 1 in Big Spring. She had been in ill health for several months. Survivors include two sons, Guy E. Nix, Roswell, N.M.; Ralph Nix of Artesia, N.M.; one daughter, Mrs. Lea Walker, Lubbock; three brothers, Jim Jones of Albuquerque, N.M.; M. L. Jones of Morton; Will Jones of Socorro, N.M. Two sisters, Mrs. Laura Asher, Gorman and Mrs. Emma Nix of Cisco. There are also eight grandchildren surviving. Active pallbearers were: Ed Childress, Olen D. Terry, Bruce Pember, Hoyt Meador, Bill Layne, and B. G. Guinn. Honorary pallbearers were J. J. Maxey, J. W. Hood, M. A. Pember, Vern Johnson, E. B. (Doc.) Castleberry, J. H. Brewer, and Howard Swanner. Burial was in Englewood cemetery at Slaton under direction of McDonald Funeral home of Lubbock. Claude Cravens was in Dallas July 4th for the State Bar Convention. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Meurer left Tuesday for Long Beach, Calif., to spend two weeks with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller.

It's Embarrassing To Mayor Wootton And City Dads

There have been numerous stories in the daily papers about pickpockets enroute to the police station stealing money out of the pockets of policemen and it is not unusual to read of fire stations catching fire while the firemen have been fighting fire at some distant point, but Mayor Wootton reports an incident that is even more embarrassing to the City officials than the fire at the fire station is to the fireman, or the loss of money to a member of the police force. Last week Mayor Wootton was called to the city dump grounds to inspect the building that was originally constructed for the Slaton airport. A man wanted to buy the building for the lumber that is in it. When the Mayor walked into the decaying structure he found a big pile of whiskey bottles and beer cans on the floor and under some debris, a big stock of whiskey and beer in cases. On closer inspection he flushed a negro from the rear of the building who said he was guarding the liquor for a white man. After a long wait by the Mayor and Slaton Chief of Police, another negro showed up. He acknowledged the ownership of the liquor. Both negroes were put under arrest. "We're going to start watching the basement of the City Hall," said Mayor Wootton, "or some one will be setting up business down there."

While women's soft ball games in Slaton are not fully assured the women are very much interested and hope to have a meeting next week of all those who are willing to take part and to form a permanent organization to plan and promote the games.

Mrs. Vascor Browning reports that a very smart and well behaved black cocker spaniel has been visiting at their home about three miles West of Slaton and she would like to return the dog to its owner. It has several identification marks.

It is asked that clothing be brought to the basement of the Methodist Parsonage, 355 West Lubbock, before the end of next week. Mr. Joe Walker, Sr. is chairman for the men, who will pack the clothing, and Mrs. J. D. Barry is chairman for the ladies. If there is any question on the drive you may call Mrs. Berry for information. Mr. O. N. Alcorn of Alcorn Motor Freight will donate his services in taking the things to the Post Office.

Plea For Orphans

The members of the Methodist Church of Slaton are making an earnest plea for clothing for a Korean orphanage. The orphans, aged two to fifteen are in dire need. The clothing should be washed, ironed, patched, and should have the buttons sewed on, because there are no needles or buttons available there, and ironed clothes pack much better. Shoes are not being sent. It is asked that clothing be brought to the basement of the Methodist Parsonage, 355 West Lubbock, before the end of next week. Mr. Joe Walker, Sr. is chairman for the men, who will pack the clothing, and Mrs. J. D. Barry is chairman for the ladies. If there is any question on the drive you may call Mrs. Berry for information. Mr. O. N. Alcorn of Alcorn Motor Freight will donate his services in taking the things to the Post Office.

Slaton Boys Listed On Tech Honor Roll

Lubbock, Texas, July 6-(Spec.) Texas Technological College has named 239 students to the Honor Roll for the spring semester of 1951. Forty-six of these honor students maintained a 3-point or straight average. The others ranged from 2.56 to a 2.94 or A-minus average. These students were enrolled for 12 semester hours or more and constituted the upper five per cent of the student body. Slaton students listed on the honor roll were Jesse H. Brewer, Sr., A & S; Marvin C. Kitten, Jr., A & S; and Richard Vardy, Sr., A & S. Mrs. Davidson, the former Mabel Gentry, and sons, Douglas and Lewis have been visiting with Mrs. Davidson's brothers and sisters for the past two weeks. They left Tuesday for their home in Grand Prairie. Jo Ann Tilley of Alvin, Texas is visiting with Mary Harral, her former roommate at Tech.

Six Slaton Chapter F.F.A. Boys To Go To Houston Convention

A delegation of 6 boys representing the Slaton FFA Chapter will go to Houston July 11-13 to attend the twenty-third annual convention of the Texas Association of the Future Farmers of America. The group will be headed by Billy Butler and will be accompanied by A. C. Strickland, their Vocational Agricultural Teacher and FFA Advisor and John Gilbert, principal of SHS. Others who will make the trip from the Slaton Chapter include: Grady Smith, Ezra Corley, Billy Pickett, Charles Wilks and Harold Moore. They will be among some 3,000 other Future Farmers from all over the state who are expected to attend the convention. Scene of all meetings during the convention will be the plush, air conditioned Shamrock Hotel. The varied activities planned for the young conventioners include visits to the San Jacinto Battleground and Battleship Texas, free admittance to a Texas League baseball game, Shamburger and swimming party at the exotic Shamrock pool, and a gigantic torchlight ceremony during the coronation of the State FFA Sweetheart. More than \$5,000 in awards will be presented to the outstanding Future Farmers and area sweethearts during the three day meeting.

Soft Ball Games For Slaton Are Women's Plans

Plans are under way by a group of athletic minded Slaton women to organize a Women's Soft Ball league in Slaton and surrounding communities. The plans are to have two or three teams in Slaton and to invite the one already organized in Wilson to participate, along with other teams that are now playing or can be organized in nearby communities. If possible, one Slaton team will be made up of housewives, one of business women and working girls and one of young women. Any housewife or young girl who would like to play soft ball is eligible to become active and should phone or see Mrs. W. T. Poulos whose phone number is 568-W or Mrs. A. T. Wright whose phone number is 37-J. Business women and working girls interested in playing soft ball may secure details of the plan by calling Mrs. J. C. Champion at 270. Facilities for playing day games are available but arrangements for night games have not yet been completed but it is hoped that night games can be played in Slaton.

Church Of God Will Begin Revival Here

Revival services will begin at the Church of God Friday, July 6 at 8 o'clock. Evangelist Joe Bally of Carlsbad, New Mexico will be here to do the preaching. For good gospel singing and preaching the public is invited to attend these services each evening at 8 o'clock. No closing date has been set. Rev. Douis Bowerman is pastor of the Church of God.

Week's Question

Slatonites Are Pessimistic On The Problem Of Peace In Korea

The present peace feelers from Russia and the recent surge of peace hopes in the United States are causing much discussion on the possibility of an early and lasting peace in Korea. This week's question, "Do you think the Korean war is nearly over?" shows those interviewed to be agreed on many points. Mr. Claude Cravens: "I don't know. Like Gen. Ridgway, I'm nebulous - dubious. I imagine, though I hate to say it, that Russia will eventually bring on war with the United States. As things stand now it's a matter of opinion, and the people of Slaton are not close to the channels of information which float around the beehive of the Pentagon." Mr. Cravens would like to be a wishful thinker, but feels we can't do much but hope for good men to chart our political courses and to lead our forces. A mere stalemate would be a waste of men and materials. He is in favor of anything that will stop the fighting permanently, but not of a temporary cessation of hostilities that would make us have to do it all over again. Mr. J. H. Brewer: "Definitely not. This new peace move is Communist propaganda to get us to let up on hostilities so that they can revive their forces." Mr. Brewer says the danger area, the place to watch now is Iran or Iraq. Mrs. Alma Caldwell: "I doubt it. Russia is just stalling for something else." Mrs. Caldwell thinks there is danger of hostilities in other areas if fighting ceases in Korea. Mr. Bruce Pember: "The present peace feelers are a smart move on the part of Joe Stalin. They are due to the fact that he knows that immediately after hostilities are ended the American people will cry for their boys to be brought home, for taxes to be reduced, in short, we'll revert to all our former weaknesses. Joe will be building his armies and resources and widening his influence. Then when it suits his purpose he'll strike again, and we won't have a Chairman's chance. While the fighting continues we continue to build and this does Stalin no good." Mrs. R. M. Nash: "I wouldn't know. With any other people I'd say, 'Yes,' but the Communist believe in playing for time and they need reinforcements. Talking peace while planning new attacks is characteristic of the Communists and of Russia's method of working. They try to take every advantage." Mr. O. D. Kenney: "We just hope it is. If the present peace moves go thru it would probably be only temporary."



CASING THE JOINT—Merchandise display has popped right out of store windows into these new display booths along Berlin's fashionable Kurturstendamm in the British sector. The new cases are said to attract more "window shoppers" than the shop windows do.

The remark by Mr. Ellis can be applied to social trends other than the increase in leisure time. The whole program

THIS and THAT FROM HERE and THERE

Yours Truly—
In a Wink restaurant recently the waitress watched a roughneck put eight spoonfuls of sugar in his cup and proceed to drink it without stirring it first.
"Why don't you stir your coffee?" she asked.
The old boy regarded her coldly and said, "Who likes it sweet?"
—The Wink Bulletin

Editorial Comments—
We are quite sure that no one will object to the bill which was enacted under the Truman administration which gives our five star generals and admirals life-time jobs. Those who have prepared themselves for the defense of their nation are entitled to all of the protection and benefit that our nation can give them.
Personally we are much more inclined to see these men draw a life-time job than to see judges of our federal courts draw such a life-time job, even at higher pay than retired generals and admirals are paid.
But the lawyers control legislation.
—The Canyon News

Once Over Lightly—
The "MacArthur for President" boom that tried to get underway several years ago fizzled out with hardly a murmur, but the "MacArthur for God" campaign now going on in Texas has all the trimmings of V-J and V-E days put to shame. The ex-Supreme Commander must be considerably puzzled by this sudden switch of opinion to his merits, but he's got too much sense to peer too far down the gift-horse's gullet.
—The Lorenzo Tribune

It Seems To Me—
During the President's speech while he was stressing the importance of the beef roll back the amarillo radio station cut him off to give a weather report. We can't keep from wondering if the weather situation demanded an

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emergency announcement, or did the station use this occasion as a left handed slap at the Prexy?
—The Anton News

Stricklinly Speaking—
Here's one to put in your pipe and smoke. Young people are not the only ones that made our USA population shoot sky high in the past fifty years. The oldsters had a hand in the pie, believe it or not. Here's some population figures to study:
In 1900 only 9.2 per cent of the population was under five years of age. Only 3.1 per cent of them were over 65. The 1950 figures shows that 16.3 per cent were under five, and the oldsters over 65 years of age had reached 12.3 per cent of our population.
—The Terry County Herald

Editorial—
The general manager of a leading association of retail stores recently said, "Retailers are not opposed to price control as one phase of an anti-inflation program but they do not believe that inflation can be controlled through price control alone. They believe that price control deals only with symptoms and that in theory price control is tantamount to trying to alter the temperature of a room by monkeying with the thermometer. To attempt to attack inflation by price control alone not only is bound to result in failure but also eventually will hurt production of goods, the only long-term remedy for inflation."
The real causes of inflation are many, and are totally beyond the control of the manufacturer, the retailer or any other private group. They lie in excessive government spending, in unsound fiscal policies, in ever-recurring, ever-rising budget deficits, and in the heavy increase in credit. Price control, no matter how wisely planned and how well administered, can offer but slight resistance to these powerful inflationary forces. Indeed, as has often been pointed out, price control itself can contribute to inflation by retarding production and producing scarcities.

We now have a fifty-cent dollar. We will eventually have a five or ten cent dollar unless the government follows monetary and budget policies which will cut costs to the bone, encourage savings, limit credit and, as nearly as possible, put the nation on a pay-as-we-go basis. Monkeying with the thermometer doesn't change the temperature.
—The Morton Tribune

Drifting Sands—
Judging by all the facts and implications, it seems that Andrews is headed for another boom, and as always it will come at a time when houses are hard to build and finance. We need about 100 houses right now. A sixteen man crew moved into Andrews this week and spent days trying to get located. At the latest report they had found only two houses to live in.
The hot weather has caused a water shortage in Andrews as it has in many neighboring towns. The truth of the matter is, that we need about two more wells and a larger pipe line and more storage, and probably another standpipe.
—The Andrews County News

Mahon Supports Poage Labor Bill
Representative George Mahon reports from Washington that the so-called Poage Farm Labor Bill has now passed the House and is in conference between the House and Senate. The House rejected the so-called Douglas Amendment to the bill which make it a felony for a cotton farmer to knowingly employ a Mexican citizen who was in the United States illegally.
The object of the Poage Bill is to simplify the process of bringing Mexican labor from the Republic of Mexico to help in the harvesting of cotton and other crops—labor that will be greatly needed if the 1951 Texas cotton crop is to be harvested.
Mahon participated in seeking passage of an amendment by Congressman Rogers of Pampa which would have repealed existing federal law prohibiting employment in agriculture of children under 16 years of age when school is in session. The amendment was held out of order and was not adopted. Both Rogers and Mahon have separate bills pending which would accomplish the same purpose but to date favorable action has not been taken.
Mahon expressed elation over the passage of the Poage Bill. He said that there had been a rumor that the President might veto the bill when it arrived at the White House for signature. However, he felt that the President would be compelled to approve the bill in view of the tremendous importance to the national defense effort of procuring additional labor for the harvesting of the 1951 cotton crop.

Origin of Shorthand
Although shorthand was used in ancient times, modern systems date from 1588 when Timothy Bright published his 500-odd symbols for words according to "The Columbia Encyclopedia."
Chief Nickel Consumers
During the year 1949 more than 85 per cent of the refined nickel produced in Canada was consumed in the United States, Great Britain and Canada.

GENTRY FAMILY REUNION
Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Self and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Self and Clark Self, Jr., returned Monday from Dallas, Greenville and Waxahatchie. While in Waxahatchie they attended a family reunion of the Gentry family.
Mrs. Gilbert Self was formerly named Gentry. About fifty people attended the reunion.
Salesbooks 7c each, 75c per dozen or \$5.50 per 100 at the Slatonite.

GROCERY STORE HAS NEW OWNER; NEW NAME
Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Morrell are the new owners of Hartgroves Grocery, 330 North 9th street and announced the change of name to Neighborhood Grocery.
The Morrells are from Lubbock, but are now living in Slaton. Mrs. Morrell will be in active management of the store and announced they would specialize in fresh fruits and vegetables.

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EXTRA: COW COW BOOGIE

SUNDAY - MONDAY - TUESDAY

Robert Mitchum - Faith Domercue
—IN—
"WHERE DANGER LIVES"
PLUS: 2 - COLOR CARTOONS - 2

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY

Victor Mature - Terry Moore
—IN—
"GAMBLING HOUSE"
PLUS: 2 - COLOR CARTOONS



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Union News

MRS. M. D. GAMBLE

Pfc. Jack Carnell of Camp Caffie, Ark., and his brother, Jerry Carnell of Lubbock, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Pierce one day last week. Pfc. Carnell was a very close friend of the late Kenneth Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Greene had as their guests Sunday night, Bro. and Mrs. Bidix and two children of Orlando, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gamble and two children, and Mr. Greene's mother, Mrs. Greene of Lubbock, and his niece, Paula Sue Beavers, of Meadow.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cade attended the Red River County Reunion at MacKenzie State Park Sunday.

Mrs. John Griffin has been at the bedside of her father, who has been quite ill, in Lubbock last week.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Russell last week were Mrs. C. J. Russell, James Russell, and Mrs. T. B. Leary and baby of San Angelo. The Russells also visited the R. M. and H. M. Cades.

The Methodist Sunday School is having a contest. The Juniors and lower classes will work together and the Young People and Intermediates will work with the older classes. The purpose of the contest is to get all of the church members to attend Sunday School and to get others who are not in Sunday School elsewhere to come. A nice social will be given at the close of the contest.

Pfc. Alvin Kitten off Ft. Sill, Okla. and Miss Agnes Schwertner were married at the Catholic Church in Slaton Saturday morning. Pfc. Kitten is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kitten of Union and Miss Schwertner is a nurse at the Mercy Hospital at Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson and children of Ralls visited Mrs. W. D. Meyers Sunday.

Shirley Greene returned from College Station last week where he had attended the 4-H Club Roundup.

Mrs. H. M. Cade was honored with a birthday dinner last Friday

at MacKenzie State Park, given by her children. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cade of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Leon of Wolforth, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cade and two daughters of Union.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonnie Patterson visited with Mrs. Annie Peterson Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Doyle had as their guests over the week-end Mrs. Doyle's mother from near Plainview.

Mrs. C. L. Griffin, Mrs. Joe Gamble and Mrs. F. H. Griffin were the club members who visited the Old Folk's Home at Lubbock last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Stroud of Lubbock are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Martha Ann, to Clyde L. Greene, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Greene of Union. The marriage will be solemnized August 4, in the Calvary Baptist Church at Lubbock, with Brother C. J. McCarty officiating.

Keeps Brass Shiny
If you have a brass item which needs constant polishing, clean it and apply a thin coat of fresh white shellac. The brass will then not tarnish. A second coat will give still more protection.

State of Lakes
Iowa has 18 natural lakes of more than 500 acres each. Nine natural lakes contain more than 1,000 acres. Largest of Iowa's lakes are Spirit Lake, West Okoboji, Clear Lake and Storm Lake, all of which are larger than 3,000 acres.

Slitch-In-Time Department:
Corrosion is prevented and unnecessary repairs eliminated if exposed metal surfaces, such as roofs and gutters, are kept well protected with paint.

Noble Fir
Noble fir excels among the white firs because of its growth habit which develops long, close-ringed clear stems and strong wood fibres.

West Texas Gas Co. Wants Rate Raise

Mr. C. I. Wall, president of West Texas Gas Company, announced today his company filed a petition with the Texas Railroad Commission for an increase in its General Service Rate.

Mr. Wall said that for some time we have been concerned over the fact that ever increasing costs of material, labor, taxes, gas purchased for resale, etc., might make it necessary to request an upward adjustment in our General Service Rate. He stated further that since the company began operation in the fall of 1927 that several downward adjustments in rates have been made—the last reduction being made in 1940.

This is the first General Service Rate increase to be requested by the company.

A proposed rate has been filed with the petition to the Railroad Commission—a copy of which is being presented to the Mayors of the towns the company serves. The proposed rate increase would not increase the present minimum which is \$1.25 per month for the first two thousand cubic feet used. Twenty-three per cent of the bills rendered to residential and business customers are for two thousand cubic feet or less.

To show the effect of the rate increase the company has made application of the new rate to the actual consumption of over seven hundred residences representing several from every town served. The average annual residential consumption for the calendar year 1950 was 86 MCF.

Hot Platter
A radiant heat platter which warms up to 300 degrees within a few minutes is now available. The platter will hold a complete dinner—even a roasted turkey and all the trimmings—and keep it hot indefinitely. The radiant heat warms food without drying it out. Also, the platter is made of heat-treated glass that is unbreakable and easy to clean.

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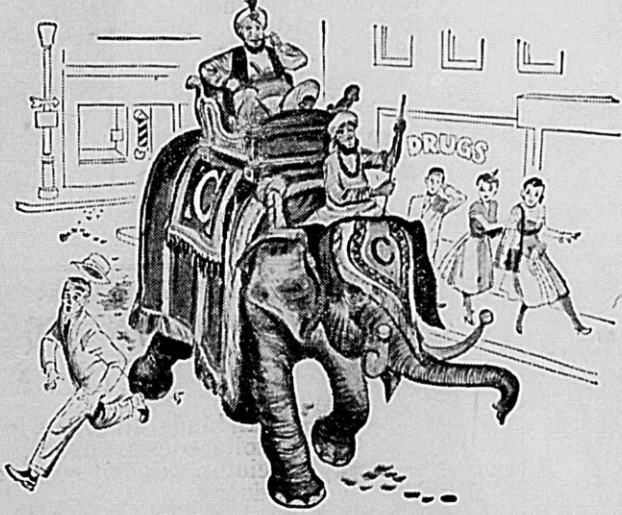
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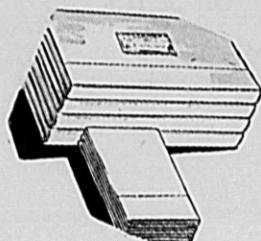
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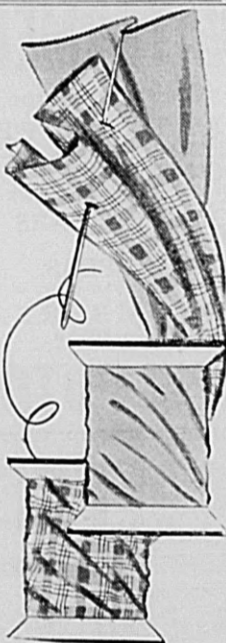
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What Happened In Slaton Last Year

Taken from the July 7, 1950 issue of the Slatonite: Formal opening of Slaton's Forrest Lumber Company which was held Saturday, July 1 was reported by the company manager, Don Britt, as having been most successful. An estimated 3000 or 3500 are said to have attended the affair.

Barney Wilson, owner and operator of the Slaton Bakery, reported this week that he has secured the franchise to make bread to the formula of a nationally famous line of breads and from now on Wilson's Quality Bread will be featured by this local firm.

It was announced this week that a tennis tournament will be held in Slaton beginning July 12 and lasting as long as playoff time is necessary.

Two Oil Belt League games are on tap this coming week for Slaton's Lions—one with Sundown here Sunday afternoon at 2:30 and a night game at Seagraves Thursday.

Three-year-old Calvin H. Eckles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eckles of Slaton, was rushed to Lubbock Memorial Hospital late Wednesday night with what attendants there described as a serious case of bulbar-type poliomyelitis.

Howard Hoffman is on fishing trip in New Mexico near Taos. He went with a group of men from Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hollingsworth and children visited over the week-end with Mr. Hollingsworth's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Crawford and Tracy are spending the summer in Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. Virgie Hunter and Frances visited in Hereford Monday with Mrs. Hunter's daughter, Mrs. Henry Murrell, Jr.

A special bond election will be held July 15 for the purpose of submitting before the people of this district a proposal to vote \$105,000.00 in bonds with which should the election carry, additional school construction will be financed.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oran McWilliams were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Baird of Santa Anna, California and Mrs. Frank Brunh of Sentinel, Okla.

Mrs. K. C. Scott and Mrs. Jund Spikes spent last week-end in Amarillo visiting relatives.

Celebrating their Golden Wedding Anniversary next week, Wednesday, July 12, will be Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Thornton who have lived in the Slaton vicinity since 1921 when they moved here to farm between Slaton and Lubbock.



DOG DAYS — With summer heat once again sapping the strength of man and his usually springy, four-legged friends, short pants are once again fashionable in dogdom. Above, Rex, a boxer owned by Bert Thompson of Huntington, L. I., exhibits his own tongue-out-of-cheek attitude toward summer dog days.

CUB SCOUTS ENTERTAINED IN L. C. BONDS HOME

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bonds entertained the Slaton Cub Scouts and their parents at their home in Posey, Thursday evening, June 28. A picnic supper was served followed by a short program which included advancement ceremonies. Presentations of the following pins were made around the bonfire: Marvin Self, Bear Pin and Silver and Gold Arrows; Danny Wynn, Bobcat Pin; Clyde Parks, Bobcat Pin.

Mr. Eldon Boulter, cub master, and Richard DeMoss, assistant, were in charge. The theme for July will be, "Things That Go". The Pack meeting will be on the usual fourth Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lovett left last Friday for a trip through New Jersey and New York, where they will visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. W. E. Smart, Miss Kay Porter, Mr. Smart's niece and her two daughters of Duncan, Okla., left Monday by auto for a trip to Carlsbad Caverns and Ruidoso, N. Mex.

Taylor Sims, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Sims, returned home after a three-weeks visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Turn of Bowie. He was accompanied to Slaton by his grandparents.

Mrs. Joe W. Tate left Tuesday for New York City. She was accompanied by Mrs. J. M. Fondy, Sr. They will stop in Chicago to visit relatives and see the Cubs play baseball, also in Janesville and Madison, Wisconsin to visit relatives. Mrs. Fondy will attend the Shriner's Convention in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fondy, Jr., and little Tate Fondy, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fondy in Lawton, Oklahoma.

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Posey Items

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The Methodist Revival will start the first Sunday in August. Bill Flemming, a former pastor, will be in charge.

A new piano for the Community Church is expected to be installed this week.

Lewis Drolmer has been fishing at Possum Kingdom.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fullingim of Petersburg were visitors last Sunday of Mrs. Delia Boyd and Miss Katherine Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Craig and son have moved to Petersburg where Mr. Craig will be employed at a gin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vannoy, son C. J., and daughter, Sandra Jean, of Whitesboro, have been visiting relatives here and near Lubbock. They plan to go for a tour of the Western States.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Kitchens are parents of a son born last Wednesday at Slaton.

The electric lights that were formerly used on the softball field have been sold and the field abandoned for night games.

Word was received here this week of the drowning of Charles Glenn Birdwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Birdwell of near Tahoka. The Birdwell family are former residents of this community and moved away about one year ago.

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Charity Begins At Home

There is an old saying that "Charity should begin at home," and now it seems that the folks of Slaton should take into consideration what facilities we have here to help folks who are unfortunate.

It is true that there never has been a time when anyone in good health found it as easy to secure employment as they can at the present time but it is also true that anyone who finds himself incapacitated by ill health or because of an accident is at a bigger disadvantage than ever before in the history of the nation. The high prices and shortages of doctors, hospital space and of outside aid make it doubly hard for anyone to meet emergencies.

In Slaton the only help available without going through a lot of red tape and having some aid society investigations is for individual help from friends or relatives and it is quite often that this kind of aid is not available.

The people of Slaton are solicited almost daily by organizations that collect money to fight cancer, heart disease, cerebral palsy, polio and arthritis. In some cases there are two and three collecting agencies collecting money to fight one kind of disease. Some of these agencies are legitimate, others spend more money paying their directors than they do on the cause for which they collect the money. Hundreds and in some cases, thousands of dollars have been collected in this manner in Slaton but for our charity at home there is a very pitiful sum and the person or family that is in hard luck in our town will have to take some close scrutiny and be satisfied with very little help.

The help available for medical help is particularly distressing and there is not a doctor in town who does not have to take more charity cases than he should. It is such conditions that breed crime and discontent. There is enough money in Slaton to provide a local charity organization with ample funds and people who are in need should not have to prove beyond a doubt that they are ill, have had some misfortunes or that they are hungry.

Closing Plan Suggested

Recent discussions about the closing of business houses in Slaton on Saturday afternoon or all day Saturday brought the suggestion last week from Mrs. L. M. Smith, 300 South 2nd. Street that the business houses close all day Wednesday.

Mrs. Smith said that a good many years ago this plan was followed and that it worked fine. It gave most of the folks in town an opportunity to get a little rest and to enjoy the summer.

J. H. Brewer reports that while returning home from Florida several years ago he found a large number of towns in Florida and other southern states had one day in the week on which the town closed. Different towns had different days on which they closed. However Saturday was not one of the days in any of the towns.

Such a plan would be very popular with the working classes and perhaps professional people, but there might be some doubt in the minds of the men who own or manage the business places as to what they could use in the place of money to pay the expenses.

It is claimed that if folks do not buy the things they want or need today they will do so tomorrow and there is evidence to back up this theory. Many stores close now on Saturday afternoons and they have lost little volume and the fact that they can reduce their payrolls by staggering the hours of their employees has enabled them to do as well or better than following the full eight hour per day schedule.

But it is going to be hard to get working schedules down to where everybody will be able to spend more time at mountain resorts or at the beaches than they do at work.

How far shorter hours and fewer of them along with higher prices and less merchandise can go is an experiment that may end in disaster. However the closing up of Slaton all day every Wednesday or every Saturday afternoon is not going to bring a national crisis.

U. S. In War Of Ideas

The cold war strategies of the United States and Communist Russia have offered a significant contrast. The keystone of our postwar policy has been economic and military aid in a constructive program of recovery for war-dislocated nations as a barrier to radicalism. The Soviet Union in its plan of imperialism has employed the techniques of propaganda, inflation and internal subversion.

While force and violence finally move into a puppet Communist nation, the powerful weapon of initial aggression short of war has been the offensive in psychological warfare waged under Russian direction. The postwar privation and discontent, has been basically a war of ideas to control men's minds. In the phase of psychological warfare, the United States has been deficient in comparison with Russia. Likewise, our agencies of proganda have been diffused.

Some of this information disseminated abroad has been useless, and some has had the opposite effect to that intended. One function of the new board will be to evaluate the work done, such as the effect it is having and the people it is reaching. Better means for getting information to people in foreign countries, particularly within the Iron Curtain, will be sought. Intelligence within hostile nations will be under scrutiny of the new board for improving this investigation.

The Communists, like their predecessors, the Nazis and Facists, have been past masters in the art of propaganda that has been so valuable in extending frontiers of influence and control. It has been difficult to cope with the technique of the "big lie" and the violent vituperation that have been employed by Russia. Yet, democracy has a message to sell throughout the world, and America has never been deficient in salesmanship. Taking the initiative in the war of ideas has been long overdue, and the new board of psychological warfare should overcome that serious gap in our global strategy which seeks only peace and security for the world.

—Fort Worth Star-Telegram

QUOTES

As we understand it, you can live much longer if you quit everything that makes you want to.—Ill. Wes. Argus.

"Does your boy friend call you his baby doll?"
"Not exactly—he calls me Wooden Head."—Miss Spectator.

"I let women talk about themselves, and they love it."
—Sir Charles Mendl, 79, telling in Paris how he won beautiful 35-year-old French wife.

"A bachelor is a man who is crazy to marry, but realizes it in time."— Dan Bennett.

"Out of the mouths of babes come words we shouldn't have said in the first place."— Ruth T. Renkel.

"An optimist is a fellow who thinks his wife has given up cigarettes when he starts finding cigar butts around the house."
Al Bernie.

"Only really plain women know about love."—Actress Katharine Hepburn, who says she's plain.

**News Summary
Featured Weekly**

"Quandary of a Hungry Heart"
—She was adopted by foster parents, but through the years continued to dream and search for the mother she never knew. Now, when the search is almost over, she is afraid to stir up the past. What should she do? This heart-warming story will appear in The American Weekly, that great magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

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- Ingredients needed are as follows:
- 1 cup all purpose flour
- 1/2 tsp. soda
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 2 tbs. Spry
- 1/2 cup milk
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- 1/2 oz. chocolate, melted
- 3/4 cup chopped nuts
- 1 oz. chocolate, cut finely
- 3/4 cup brown sugar
- 1 1/2 cup hot water
- 1/2 cup sugar
- Sift flour, soda, salt, and sugar into mixing bowl. Drop in Spry, milk, vanilla, and melted chocolate. Beat. Add nuts and 1/2 oz. chocolate, cut finely.
- Spread in Spry coated, 8 x 8 inch pan. Combine finely cut chocolate, brown sugar, and hot water in sauce pan. Cook mixture, do not boil, over low heat five minutes, stirring constantly. Pour over batter. Bake in moderate oven 15 minutes.
- Don't let the long list of ingredients throw you, because Mrs. Haliburton says the pudding is very simple to prepare. It is especially good with whipped cream.

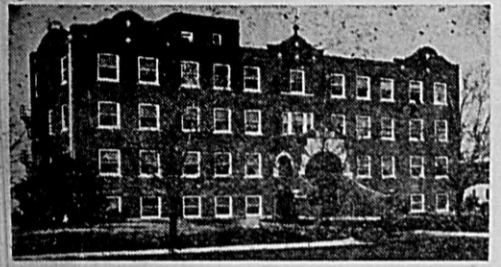
Mrs. Haliburton was born and reared in Slaton. She was Madeleine Wood before her marriage. Her mother is Mrs. Edna Wood. Mr. Haliburton has lived in Slaton about 20 years. They have one child, Steve, five years old.

Mrs. Haliburton's hobby is playing bridge. She belongs to both bridge clubs and the Eastern Star. She is a member of the Baptist Church.

Mr. Haliburton is a brakeman for the Santa Fe.

Baker - Hearn Vows Exchanged June 9

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Woods announce the marriage of their daughter, Mrs. Patricia Baker to G. D. Hearn of Pittsburg, Calif. The couple were married in Carson City, Nevada on June 9. Pvt. Hearn is with the army at Fort Ord, Calif. Mrs. Hearn and her son, Ricky will continue to reside in Slaton where she is associated with her father in the Quality Cleaners.



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Pounding Given For New Pastor

Over 100 members of the Methodist Church were present at a Pounding for the new pastor and his wife, Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Mayhew. The theme song was followed by a prayer and a short speech by the pastor and his wife, Mrs. J. S. Edwards, Sr. led in prayer. Mr. Joe Walker, Sr. was master of ceremonies and in charge of the Pounding. Mr. Womack was in charge of singing and Mrs. Holoman was pianist.

Home made cookies and punch were served and were provided by the Sunday School classes. Mrs. L. M. Smith and Mrs. G. A. Taylor poured. Hostesses were the Sunday School teachers and the four circle leaders of the Women's Society of Christian Service. Mrs. Bill Lane furnished the cups and Mrs. H. H. White, the centerpiece. Mr. Dutt, missionary from India, made an interesting talk. Mrs. Dutt was present in a charming native costume. It was a good Pounding.

MRS. WILSON REPORTS INTERESTING VACATION

Mrs. W. R. Wilson and her sister, Mrs. Rose Reynolds of Terrill, returned Thursday from a three weeks visit with Mrs. Wilson's son, Mr. J. W. Hyatt and family of Portland, Oregon. They flew to Portland, where they were joined by the Hyatt family for a trip thru Bremerton and Seattle, Washington. They enjoyed the Pacific and the large ocean liners, and they also saw a submarine going out to sea. They went by boat from Port Angeles, Wash. to Victoria, British Columbia, where they spent three days before going by boat to Vancouver, B. C.

Mrs. Wilson says that Victoria is one of the prettiest places she has seen. There are hanging baskets of growing plants on the lamp posts and the shop windows are decorated with growing flowers instead of a display of wares. Another unique feature is the fact that there are no highway signs there. They spent three days on the beach at Seaside, Wash., and visited Mt. Hood near Portland and had lunch at Timberline Lodge where the snow was twelve feet deep although no snow had fallen for ten days. They found the rhododendrons blooming in the mountains a beautiful sight.

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Methodist Message

Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning Worship, 10:45; Young Peoples and Junior Meetings, 7:00 p. m.; Evening Worship, 8:00.

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

Church of Christ News

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

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

Church of God News

Sunday: Morning Worship, 10; Evening Worship, 8 p. m. Wednesday: Mid-Week Service, 8 p. m. Friday: Young People's Endeavor, 7:45 p. m.

Pentecostal Holiness Church

Sunday: Sunday school, 10 a. m., Morning Worship, 11, Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p. m. Tuesday: P. H. Y. S., 7:30 p. m.; Junior P. H. Y. S., 4 p. m. at the church. Wednesday: Women's Auxiliary, 2 p. m. Thursday: Mid-week services, 7:30 p. m.

The Assembly Of God Church

Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., morning worship, 11:00. Evangelistic service, 7:00 p. m. Wednesday: Prayer meeting 7:30 p. m. Friday: Christ ambassador service for the young people, 7:30 p. m.

Christian Chronicle

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

Presbyterian Church

Sunday school will start at 9:45 a. m. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Evening worship: 7:30 p. m. Congregational meeting Sunday, July 8, 1951.

Baptist Bulletin

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

Church Of The Nazarene

Sunday School is at 10:00 a. m.; Morning worship, 11:00. Evangelistic Service, 8:00 p. m.; Youth Service at 7:30. You are cordially invited to attend all services at the Church of the Nazarene, Come and worship with us at 635 W. Scurry. Rev. Knox is the pastor.

Immanuel Lutheran Church (Poey)

Sunday School begins at 9:15 a. m., and Divine Worship is at 11 o'clock.

Bible Baptist Church

Bible School: 10:00 a. m. Morning Worship: 11:00 a. m. Teacher's Meeting: 2:30 p. m. Preaching: 8:00 p. m. The Book of Revelations taught every Wednesday night at 8:00. All services in City Auditorium.

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Campbell - Dial Vows Read Here

Miss Wendolyn Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Campbell, and O. D. Dial, Jr., son of Rev. and Mrs. O. D. Dial of Rotan were married recently in the home of the bride's parents.

Rev. Dial read the double ring service before an altar banked with fern and baskets of pink and white gladioli.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a ballerina length dress of white organdy over white eyelet embroidered organdy, fashioned with a rolled collar, fitted bodice and elbow length sleeves with a wide cuff. The dress was buttoned to below the waistline with tiny self covered buttons. Her veil of silk illusion fell from a half bonnet seeded with pearls. She carried a white Bible topped with a white orchid corsage.

Mrs. Charles Meeks served her sister as matron of honor. She wore a dress of pink eyelet embroidered organdy and carried a bouquet of white gladioli.

Frank Jones was best man.

Reception Is Held

A reception followed the ceremony. The bride's table was covered with a hand made lace cloth over pink satin and centered with an arrangement of pink and white asters.

The couple was assisted in receiving by their mothers and the bride's paternal and maternal grandmothers. Mrs. A. E. Campbell of Santa Anna and Mrs. Sue Creamer of Beaumont respectively.

In the house-party were Messrs. J. P. Gentry, Iva Huffman and Charles Meeks.

The bride is a graduate of Santa Anna High school and Texas Tech and has been employed at West Texas Gas Company in Slaton. The bridegroom is a graduate of Eastland High school and served in the U. S. Navy during World War II. At present he is in the U. S. Army stationed at Fort Rucker, Ala.

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RUTH CLASS GUESTS OF MRS. STEPHENS

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Members present were Mesdames Bownds, Thompson, Romalns, Clark, Hodges, and Brush. Mrs. Traugott was visitor.

The next meeting will be July 17 in the home of Mrs. Hodges.

VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT. AUXILIARY MEETS

Eight members of the Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary met on Monday evening in the Fire Station for a regular meeting. Home made ice cream and cake were served. Mrs. Curtis Dowell and Mrs. Jess Burton gave a very interesting report on their trip to the Fireman's convention in Dallas. The Auxiliary also planned to go to the Mexican Inn in Lubbock on July 12 to attend the "Fun For All" program. The Fire-boys will be entertained with a picnic at the next meeting on August 6.

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The regulation that money orders must be cashed at specific post offices has been eliminated. Under the old system, it will be recalled, a money order had to be cashed in the office to which it was issued. If it was cashed at a post office in another city an additional fee was charged.

The new system makes available to the Post Office Depart-

ment the most advanced electronic business machines. One machine, the IBM Type 808 Proof Machine, has been especially developed for the new money order purposes and it combines all the advantages of the modern proof machine in widespread use by bank and large department stores throughout the country. Another of the principal machines to be used with the new system is the Electronic Statistical Machine, workhorse of the 1950 Census tabulation.

The Postmaster General describ-

ed the inauguration of the new money order system as the largest single accounting change ever made in postal history and said that the development comes after exhaustive study by the Post Office Department, the General Accounting Office, the Treasury Department and the Federal Reserve Board.

The Department urges users to remember that the new money orders must not be folded, stapled, spindled or mutilated in any way since they are to be issued on punch cards and processed by machinery.

"Counting" Color
It is not easy to measure degrees of color blindness, nor even to discover that the condition exists. A color blind person may see an object as green when normal eyes see it as red, but there is no simple way to demonstrate exactly what the color blind person sees, and there is no simple definition of what red and green are.

Old Timetable
In the archives of the Boston & Maine railroad there is an 1850 timetable which lists the operation of a Sunday train. This special announcement solemnly warned Sunday riders: "Persons purchasing tickets will be required to sign a pledge that they will use the tickets for no other purpose than attending church."

Sun and Earth
When is the earth nearest the sun? The earth is nearest the sun in January and farthest from it in July. The former position (called perihelion) occurred in 1951 on January 1, with the distance of 91,000,000 miles. Aphelion, the greatest distance, will occur on July 4, with a separation of 94,500,000 miles.

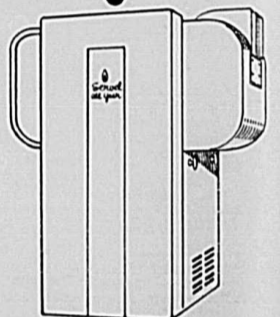
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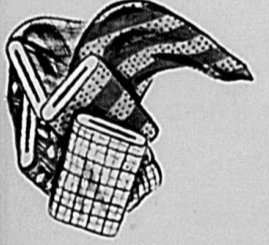
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Mr. and Mrs. Oree Glasscock and small son, and Mrs. Harmon Thompson, and daughter, Jane spent last week-end in Sherman.

Troop 28 Boy Scouts Meet Thursday Nite

Troop 28 of the Boy Scouts will have a box supper Thursday night in the basement of the First Christian Church, it was announced.

Presentation of the troop charter will follow the supper.

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Southland News

MRS. FLOY KING

Vacation Bible School was in progress last week at the local Baptist Church. Several of the parents took a group of about thirty of the children to Mackenzie Park Saturday afternoon on a picnic.

After supper they went to the amusement park, then to the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gary for ice cream and singing.

Marvin Truelock, Glenda and Calvin, and Mr. S. M. Truelock and daughter, Oma Jane, went to Plainview for a Truelock reunion Sunday. There were 124 persons registered for the reunion.

Rev. and Mrs. A. T. Nixon and son are visiting with their daughter and son-in-law, and with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hitt and daughter, Judy Kay.

Mrs. Roy Williams celebrated her thirty-first wedding anniversary on the Brunch Club at Lubbock Wednesday. Janice Armstrong accompanied her. Hansel Hallman was on the air the same day. She told of a deserving "shut-in" her brother-in-law, Herman Richards of Lubbock, who was burned several months ago.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Morris took their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Adron Macker and Marilyn, to their new location in Albuquerque, N. M., Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete King and children of Slaton visited his parents, the Harry Kings, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Nellie Mathis and granddaughter, and Mrs. Nettie Kellum visited Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Mathis of Brownfield Sunday.

Betty Sue Pasinger spent the week-end with Mrs. Noel Oats and family.

Visitors at the home of Mrs. Jess Moore Sunday evening were Mr. John Taylor, Hub Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Edmunds, Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Crawford and Harry King.

Clyde King, who is stationed at Ft. Sill, Okla., was in Southland Sunday visiting with Mrs. Harry King, and with his family.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Poindexter is their daughter, Mrs. C. R. Grider and family of Dallas. Buddy Shackelford of Ft. Worth spent the week-end with the Poindexters.

ROBERTSON FAMILY HOLDS REUNION ON SATURDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Sug Robertson entertained the Robertson family with a dinner party at their home, 1045 W. Lubbock, Saturday night. The family reunion was in honor of David Robertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pooe Robertson of Abilene, who graduated in June from Texas A & M, and who will report for duty as a commissioned officer in the U. S. Army Air Force on July 9. Motion pictures were made of the occasion and pictures of former family reunions were shown. Twenty-one members of the Robertson family were present.



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If I could spend about half a day in the Post Office lobby every day I could pick up enough news to make the Slatonite a red-hot paper and get myself and a lot of other folks into considerable trouble. I have considered applying for desk room in the left hand corner so that I could channel important happenings by special runner to the front office of the paper.

It is said that women are the biggest gossips, but just between me, you and the devil and the deep blue sea, I believe that men run very close to the women in this very pleasant past-time. For the real low down the men know more details and do not spare the horses.

Of course most folks will not admit that they enjoy bending an ear to the low down on what is going on, but most of us do whether we help spread the glad, sad or damaging news, about.

There's a lot of tall kidding going on at the Post Office too. If your pants should give way, your false teeth fall out, or if you should drop a bottle of ink, it will always happen at the Post Office.

If you want to look down your nose at folks who enjoy the passing on of the news its okadokie with me, but personally I always have a receptive ear, and I believe you might as well take part, for it's going to get around anyway.

Hack Lasater is going around about singing the praises of nitrate for lawns and vegetation. He is as enthusiastic as Senator Le Blanc is over Hadaool for chills and fever, spots before the eyes, high blood pressure and flat feet.

Hack scattered some nitrate on his lawn when it looked as sparsely settled as the top of my head, and in two days he had to run the lawn mower over it. Mrs. Hack was so pleased with the growth, and pretty green color of the grass, that she began scattering nitrate over the entire Lasater estate and now the jungle is grown over night. Weeds, tomato plants, grass and bugs are multiplying by bounds and leaps and Hack, and his wife, are just a few steps ahead with a hoe and rake.

If some chemist or patent medicine promoter could discover something that would work on the growth of hair like Hacks nitrate I'd have to get more haircuts and have a lot more glamour.

Are folks as smart as they think they are, and do they have a monopoly on being able to think.

If the brain is the organ that does the thinking then why do horses, dogs, cats and even chickens have brains?

The way things are going the ability to do what we call thinking has got a lot of us into a mess of trouble. If we could stop folks like Atcheson, Stalin, Costello and folks of their peculiar way of thinking, we would all be better off.

Even races of people do their thinking in different ways. A story in a magazine hit the point pretty close. A white man asked a negro why it was that a great many white folks commit suicide, but very few negroes.

"Well, I tell you", said the negro, "when a white man gets in trouble he gets to worrying, he gets to jumping around and the first thing you know he has imagined so many things that he commits suicide, but when a negro gets in trouble he goes and sits down underneath a tree and tries to think, and the first thing he knows he has gone to sleep."

While I have never been in enough trouble to cause me to want to take strychnine or jump off a tall building I have lost a lot of good sleeping time, had many a spell of indigestion and scratched most of the hair off the top of my head, and so far as I can tell all I have gotten for it is a dim view of life, lost confidence in the value of having a fortune and am wondering what it's all about. In the meantime the horses, chickens and other things that are said to have such low grade mental equipment, have been enjoying eating their fodder, laying their eggs, or sleeping in the sun.

What's coming next? A war with Iran, Russia, Argentina, or will the bottom fall out of prices and a depression hit this nation? My blood pressure is getting too low, I need something to do some midnight worrying about.

Had a nice long coffee conference with Slaton C. C. President Bud Enslund, Manager of the Southwestern Public Service Co., Lewis Hollingsworth, and Minister of the Christian Church P. J. Burns.

Even if Mr. Burns is a preacher, and supposed to be able to hold his own when it comes to talking, he had a hard time getting in a word edgewise, sideways or cross ways, but in the end we all agreed that something should be done about the Youth's Center, the childrens play ground, the high price of T-bone steak, next year's Frontier Day and about dogs barking at night.

It struck me that if the old boys who have been putting the slow drags on Slaton since the depression are going to lose their holds and that we are in for a fast ride in the future. Folks are going to find that Slaton has become a wide awake town. Sure there are going to be some mistakes made, but progress was never made without a few errors. Some one wrote in a magazine not long ago that a mistake is evidence that

Palsy Clinic To Be Held July 9

The Lubbock Cerebral Palsy Treatment Center will hold a clinic for the examination of cerebral palsied children on Monday, July 9. Dr. E. T. Driscoll, Midland, Dr. R. Q. Lewis, Lubbock, orthopedic; Dr. R. K. O'Loughlin, neuro-psychiatrist; Dr. T. M. Lunceford, pediatrician; Dr. G. W. Wallace, eye specialist; Dr. J. M. Reynolds, dentist, will be present to examine children.

Parents interested in bringing their children to the clinic are requested to register their child at the Center some time before the clinic date. Further information may be obtained by contacting Dr. Esther E. Snell, Director of the Treatment Center, 3502 Avenue N, or calling Lubbock, 6541.

Some one tried to do something. There's no telling what will happen next in Slaton.

Have you ever eaten angel food cake make by Mrs. W. E. McCain? If you can wrangle a slice or two or a whole cake from her, it will be worth your time.

Last week, because we tried hard to print a club book for the Eastern Star to suit Mrs. McCain and the members of the organization, Mrs. McCain brought us one of her angel food cakes. It was stuffed with strawberry icing and it lasted two days. Now I'm stuffed with cake and I'm trying to figure out some way to get my wife started on baking cakes like Mrs. McCain makes.



QUEEN SCENE—Florida sunshine, placid water, and a graceful palm combined to make this perfect setting in St. Petersburg for lovely Elaine Warner, voted Miss Florida's West Coast. Elaine will be official hostess to queens from 48 states when they flock to St. Petersburg for a week's vacation after the Atlantic City, N. J., Miss America contest in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Davis and son, Kyle, returned last week from a visit in Des Moines, Iowa, where Claude attended a 30 year class reunion.

Maybelle Pember spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burre Pember. Maybelle is in school at McMurry College in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Todd, Sr., left for Capitan, N. M. to visit her sister, Mrs. Frances, who has a lodge there.

Mrs. H. A. Spradley of Gatesville visited this week-end with Mrs. A. M. Jackson.

Miss Rona Schram and Miss Bernice Lane returned Sunday night from their vacation trip in New Mexico. They were accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Coleen Burns and Mrs. Nell Verman, who are stopping at Vega, N. M., and at Amarillo, Texas, and who are expected in Slaton on Thursday or Friday for a visit with Mr. A. J. Payne.

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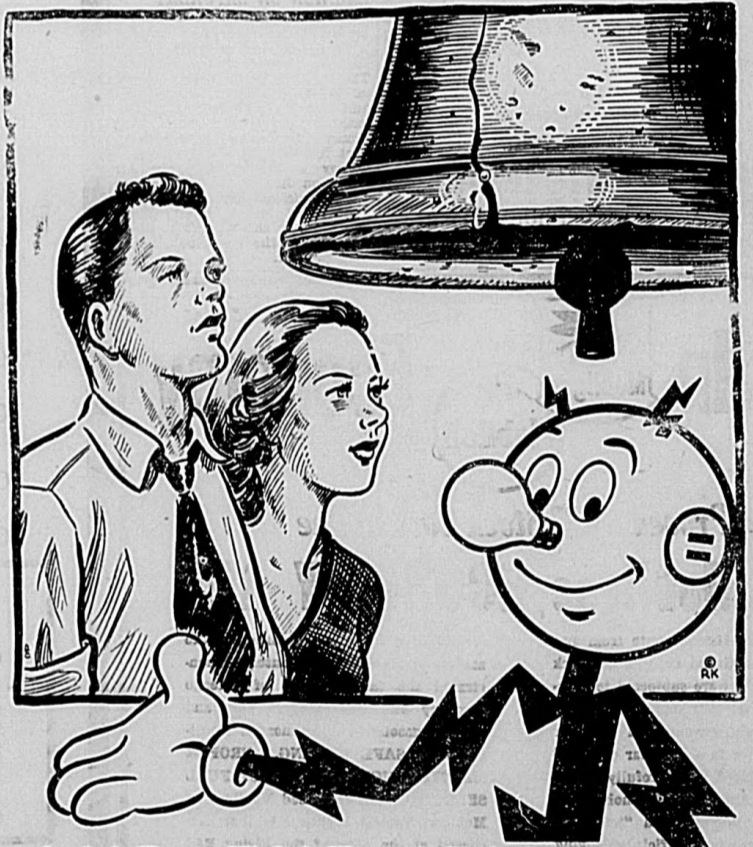
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West Texas Roundup

If all goes according to schedule, the city of Levelland will spend approximately the same amount of money in 1951 as it did last year but hopes to have an income of some additional \$24,000.

These figures were all important in the city budget for 1951 officially approved by the City Council last Wednesday night in a special-called budget session.

City Manager Ray Draughm disclosed that the city's estimated income for 1951 is \$252,000. The actual income in 1950 reached \$228,451, just under the one quarter million mark.

In releasing the budget figures Draughm listed the incomes through water and sewers \$159,533, leaving an additional \$93,000 income from other sources.

—The Hockley County Herald

Approximately 1100 people from the Tri-State Area gathered in Canyon over the week-end for the Thirtieth Annual Plateau Singing Convention. Vice-president of the Convention J. E. Brannon of Brownsville traveled the longest distance to attend. He has been a member of the Board of Directors of the Convention for 27 years. Quartets from Lubbock, Amarillo, Tucumcari, Albuquerque, Clovis, Pampa, and Dalhart were present.

Good singing and a spirit of friendship prevailed to make the convention a very enjoyable occasion.

—The Canyon News

The contract for widening Highway 87 through Canyon, and giving a hot-tip treatment to the highway on south to the Swisher County line was let Tuesday in Austin to Bell Braden, Baker & Gilvin of Amarillo. This is the firm which has the contract to build the new high way in the Palo Duro State Park.

The contract price was \$272,339. This amount does not include the \$95,000 which it cost the city of Canyon to remove private property from the new four-lane highway which will result in this program of improvement.

—The Canyon News

The Order of the Purple Heart, posthumously awarded their son, James B. Ward, who has been reported killed in Korea has been received here by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ward.

Notification that the soldier was missing in action since last July 16 was received several months ago by his parents but it wasn't until April that they were notified that he had been listed by the defense department as killed.

With the award to the late Private Ward was the Purple Heart Certificate signed by Secretary of the Army Frank Pace and also a certificate from the president.

—Gaines County News

Crosbyton grain dealers and producers were expressing pleasant surprise this week over the way the wheat crop is turning out in the territory. From indications now, the average yield for the area will be from 12 to 13 bushels per acre, with many fields making as high as 18 bushels per acre and a few lots reaching a yield of 25 bushels.

By Wednesday night, Crosbyton's three elevators had received a total of 113 car loads of the new wheat crop, with Saturday and Wednesday being the best two days so far. Barring additional showers the crop will arrive rapidly now until the entire crop is harvested.

Elevator managers were estimating last night that from 60 to 70 percent of the crop is harvested, but they point out that an estimator is hard to make at the present time. Quite a number of growers are already finished with the beginning or planning to begin within a day or two.

—The Crosbyton Review

For the first time in the history of Brownfield the citizens were asked not to water their grass or vegetables, if any, here Wednesday. No, it was not on account of scarcity of water, but rather electricity. So, people were called over the phone to use both water and electricity sparingly. Water has to be pumped with electricity.

Reason: The father of all the engines at the plant is being installed, and as it generally happens, the next largest engine took a sulky spell. As a consequence while that one was taking a going over, a bunch of the smaller engines had to be turned on.

But with the load we have here now, those 3 or 4 diesels that we used to think were giants, have to grunt and groan to carry the load. Thus the request to use no water on yards, and electricity sparingly.

—The Terry County Herald

Officers from the city police and sheriff's departments augmented by private citizens armed with flashlights, shotguns, rifles, etc. put on a real manhunt here Sunday night in the southeast part of town for several hours but failed to come up with their prey.

The search started after an unidentified man tried to gain entry to a trailer house in a trailer park on SE Second. He tried the door knob, found it was locked, and then tried unsuccessfully to shoulder the door open.

This latest appearance of the window peeper and or prowler comes as a climax of a series of such episodes over a period of two months or more.

—The Seminole Sentinel

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Garland have returned from a two months trip to Chicago, Austin, Dallas, Fort Worth and Mineral Wells. In Chicago they visited their son, Gunter Garland and family, and their daughter, Mrs. Earl D. Eblen and family in Austin. They returned to their home here Wednesday, June 27.

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2. **PROTECTION AGAINST RATS AND MICE:** Three rats will eat and destroy enough food for two laying hens. Mice too, spoil feed by gnawing holes in feed sacks. Continued efforts to control the rodents will pay dividends in avoiding waste.

3. **DON'T OVERLOAD FEEDERS:** Feeders should not be filled to overflowing. It is best to keep the feed hoppers about three-quarters full as this prevents the fowl from billing the feed out on to the floor or ground.

4. **AVOID WASTEFUL HANDLING OF FEED:** Spilling the feed on the floor when filling the hoppers, spilling feed when carrying it from the feed house to the brooder house and rough handling of feed sacks are all wasteful feeding practices that should be avoided.

5. **FEED BALANCED RATIONS:** It is a waste of feed to feed an unbalanced ration. Not only does such a diet predispose chicks to disease but it takes more feed to produce a pound of weight gain.

6. **DISPOSE OF RUNTY CHICKS:** Cull your flock. Runt chicks are not economical feed users, and many of them are disease carriers.

7. **IMPAIRED DIGESTIVE FUNCTIONS:** Not often considered as a waste is the feed given to birds not in good physical condition. Unwell birds do not digest their feed properly, and as a result the food given them is partially wasted by not being thoroughly digested and assimilated. It is a good practice to feed these birds separately, perhaps giving a reliable conditioner medicine in their mash, until they are back in normal health.

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