

Bank Loot Found Under Cashier's Desk

Home Town Talk by Betty

From reports of local deer hunters it looks like closed season will have to be declared on bucks, allowing does to be shot for a few days. One man reported seeing 37 does and one buck in a pasture between Sierra Blanca and Carlsbad.

When bids for construction of the municipal building were opened yesterday afternoon in the county courtroom you'd have thought some kind of convention was in session.

Fact is, it was a convention. With the bidders, the material men and bonding company representatives the crowd swelled to more than 150.

Hotels were just about 100 per cent filled Monday and Tuesday night. A number of men remained through today.

The T&P and the bus companies continue to fight it out for passenger trade. The T&P has applied for permission to cut its rate from two to one and one-half cents per mile on the trains reaching here at 4:40 p. m. and departing for the east at 12:30 p. m. While the fight goes on the traveling public gets there at least cost. But, the carriers, no doubt, make no money.

Speaking of slick and quick replies we heard this one the other day: "I like you. I hope you live a thousand years." Reply: "Well, I hope you see me buried."

Evidence that the larger companies again are turning to West Texas for their future production is seen in the unusual interest created by spudding of Lee Harrison's test on the Denman lease in the eastern section of the county. A number of companies have made inquiries about the test. A few weeks ago, we dare say, nobody would have noticed it.

Uncle Sam and the state are building a modern plant up at the government farm, to house the calves for the annual feeding tests. You ought to visit that farm more often. You'd be surprised at what Mr. Keating has out there. Few of us realize just how much accuracy is attained in the tests, and how practical are the facts derived from them.

After Saturday football fever is due to rise here again. This is the only time in our life when we wanted to see an Angelo team win. And, until now we've never seen the day when we wanted to see a Sweetwater team take anything. However, no matter what team takes the district four flag, we're going to be for it in the bi-district and hope it'll win the state championship, which, however, it is not likely to do this year.

We look for Lubbock to take all other West Texas teams and go into the state final.

Senate G.O.P. Would Accept Dem Tax Plan

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19 (AP)—Jim Watson, Indiana Senate Republican leader conferring with Rep. Garner said the senate Republicans were willing to accept a reasonable tax measure proposed by the house Democrats.

Mistakes In Ad Are Corrected

Incorrect statements were carried in the Johnson-Robertson stores advertisement in Wednesday's Herald. Peckham and Douglas shoes for men, \$5 and \$10 values, are offered at 33.33, not 69 cents. Cooper and Manchester athletic underwear, \$1.50 values, are offered at 69 cents, not 33.33.

Cotton Market

FUTURES			
New York	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.
Open	6.10-15	6.27-28	6.45-43
High	6.19	6.29	6.48
Close	6.17-18	6.28-29	6.46

New Orleans			
Open	High	Low	Close
6.10-09	6.23-21	6.41	6.19
6.19	6.30	6.48	6.15
6.15	6.27	6.41	

LIVERPOOL

Open: Spots fair, demand prices easier; receipts 1,600; American none; good middling 5.13; middling 4.83; December 4.50; Jan. 4.52-53-54-55; March 4.50-50-50-52. Close: Dec. 4.52; Jan. 4.51; March 4.53.

Occupation By Japan Is Completed

Soviet Warned to Stay Out; Kai Shek Goes To Manchuria

By Associated Press
Rengo dispatches said that the Japanese army, today began the formal occupation of Taitshar. It held only a part of it yesterday, as the army was pursuing the fleeing Chinese toward Kokoku Shan Chen, one hundred and fifty miles to the northeast. The army plans to hold Taitshar until the Chinese are so disorganized that an attack will be impossible.

The Japanese Ambassador at Moscow was instructed to give the Soviet government a friendly warning that serious complications were likely if Russian troops entered Manchuria.

The Japanese have crossed the railway partly owned by Russia into the sphere of Russian influence. The League of Nations is alarmed over the existing conditions. Ambassador Daves continued private negotiations with members of the council.

At Nanking Chiang Kai Shek, president of the nationalist government, announced that he was proceeding to Manchuria immediately as the first direct action of the Central government.

T&P Would Again Slash Train Fares

Hearing Set December 1; 1-1.2 Cents Per Mile Would Be Offered

Hearing will be held Tuesday, December 1, in Austin on the Texas & Pacific Railway company's application to reduce passenger coach fares between Fort Worth, Dallas and Big Spring and between Texas and Sherman to 1-1.2 cents per mile.

The reduced fare would be in effect only on trains 3 and 4 between Dallas and Big Spring and intermediate points and trains 31 and 32 between Fort Worth and Texas via Sherman.

Mussolini Is Pleased

Premier Talks to Foreign Minister Over Atlantic Telephone

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19 (AP)—Mussolini told Grandi over the Atlantic telephone today that he was highly pleased with the progress of negotiations, toward disarmament and economic recovery, with President Hoover. Grandi delayed his talk with Stimson for all of today. Negotiations were about completed today but the details remained undisclosed. He leaves for New York with his wife tonight and will later visit Baltimore and Philadelphia.

Oklahoma Deputies Go To Trial Again For Youth's Death

ARDMORE, Okla., Nov. 19 (AP)—The trial of William E. Guess and Cecil Crosby, former deputy sheriffs for the killing of Manuel Garcia Gomez here last June was delayed by the exhaustion of the jury panel. A special venire of one hundred was called immediately. Guess, charged with doing the actual shooting, was acquitted this summer on a charge of murder in the killing of Emilio Cortes Rubio, kinsman of the Mexican president, at the same time. He claimed self defense saying that the youths had firearms in their automobile. The boys were returning to Mexico from college.

Pictures of Mustang Game Shown At Ritz

Motion pictures of the Big Spring Sweetwater football game played in Sweetwater Armistice Day will be shown at the Ritz theatre Friday and Saturday, J. Y. Robb announced.

'Mrs. Speaker'?



This is a new portrait study of Mrs. John N. Garner, wife of the Texas representative whose selection as the next speaker, succeeding the late Nicholas Longworth, appears assured.

Attachment Of Oil Stock Still Sought

AUSTIN, Nov. 19 (AP)—Everett L. Looney, assistant attorney general, said the state would find other ways of attaching the stock of the Magnolia and Shell Oil Companies. He sent the writs to Sheriff Hal Hood at Dallas yesterday. Officials there said they were not in possession of the stock.

Attorney General James V. Allred is suing to drive fifteen major companies from the state and to collect more than \$17,000,000 in fines.

Cosden Opens With Victory

Elbow Five Defeated By Refiners 25 to 6; Games Wanted

The Cosden backers trounced the Elbow five in the initial game of the cage season last night on the Lomax court 25-6.

Thomas Aherm Again Nazarene Pastor Here

Thomas Aherm, pastor here of the Church of the Nazarene, has been called for another year, and the call approved by the official body and superintendent of the West Texas district. The annual district assembly has just closed in Sweetwater.

32nd District Court Grand Jury In Session

The grand jury of the 32nd district court was re-convened Thursday morning. It was indicated that the jurors were working over-time in an effort to clean up their work by Friday noon at the latest.

Low Bids On Municipal Building Held By Commission; Announcement Of Awards Expected Late Friday

Oil Output Is Slightly Up for Week

TULSA, Okla., Nov. 19 (UP)—Daily average crude petroleum production in the United States last week increased 5,286 barrels to 2,462,130, the Oil & Gas Journal reported today.

Increases in California and Oklahoma fields erased the decline registered in East Texas areas. Production, however, still was in line with estimated demand and although output has increased steadily the past month, it still is not up to recommended allowables.

New potential testing in Seminole accounted for a 9,075 barrel increase to 543,285 in Oklahoma. Improved market demand and seasonal adjustments accounted for a 10,350 barrel increase to 506,150 in California. East Texas was down 8,113 barrels to 41,293 while the mid-continent area dropped 1,846 barrels to a daily average of 1,529,483.

Prices remained firm and oil operators attention was drawn to new possible strikes in southeastern Upshur County, Texas, where a new pool was believed discovered.

The production table:

	Nov. 14	Nov. 7
Oklahoma City	169,235	189,150
Seminole-St. Louis	139,610	117,605
Remainder of		
State	234,440	227,415
Total Oklahoma	543,285	534,210
Kilgore	140,982	148,635
Lathrop	132,068	148,810
Joiner	139,115	125,814
Total East Tex.	411,265	419,373
West Texas	202,178	196,237
North Cen. Texas	84,240	84,237
Texas Panhandle	60,488	67,481
East Cen. Texas	56,428	55,935
North Louisiana	29,515	29,635
Arkansas	37,745	37,715
Kansas	102,710	106,130
Total Mid-Continent	1,527,952	1,529,435
Gulf Coast (Tex.)	119,985	120,186
Gulf Coast (Louisiana)	32,320	32,455
Southwest Texas	61,755	61,880
Eastern	130,000	122,700
Rocky Mountain		
Area	99,668	93,735
Total California	97,968	93,735
Total United States	2,462,130	2,456,564

Hearing On Suit Over Sterling's Notes Postponed

HOUSTON, Nov. 19 (AP)—By agreement of both sides the hearing on the petition of the National Bank of Commerce's injunction against J. M. West and others to prevent the selling of stock in the Houston Post-Dispatch to satisfy the notes of R. S. Sterling was postponed until November 30.

Two Arrested After Discovery Of Man's Body

SAN ANTONIO, Nov. 19 (AP)—Two men were arrested in connection with the slaying of an unidentified man whose body was found in a bridge on the highway near Laredo yesterday. They were found sleeping in a stolen automobile with a Bexar county license near Winburn field. The body was partially decomposed. It had been shot twice in the head.

Value of Boy Scout Work, One Of Activities Supported From Community Chest, Is Seen Here

The Boy Scout organization is one of the several participating in the work of the Community Chest for the coming year.

How the Boy Scouts are contributing their bit toward the solution of the complex problems created by business conditions is told by Marshal Field, 3rd bank and financier, in a statement received here today by Dr. J. R. Dillard, local Scout chairman. Mr. Field is a member of the National Executive Board and chairman of the National Committee on Operations of the Boy Scouts of America.

According to Mr. Field, "Boys look upon the present emergency as their biggest chance for service since the war. In the same spirit in which they gave their services in Liberty Loan campaigns, and in other nation-wide activities during the world war, they offer their help in this winter's crisis."

Working in full cooperation with community programs, Boy Scouts are engaging in many activities which range from collecting food and clothing for the needy to serving as uniformed messengers which normally would be done by employed workers. They are not permitted to collect money, nor do they receive pay for their services.

CLUBMAN HELD IN SLAYING



Edward H. B. Allen, member of a socially prominent Philadelphia family, faces trial on a charge of first degree murder for the shooting of Francis A. Donaldson, Sr. Allen is shown above as he emerged from jail to show police how the slaying occurred. His father, Horace Allen (below), charged that the slaying resulted from a wrong done his daughter, Rose (below). Members of Donaldson's family denied the charge.

Underhill Construction company, Dallas, \$187,000.
C. S. Landle & Company, Amarillo, \$163,000.
W. Frank Little, Amarillo, \$152,000.
J. M. Morgan and H. Shell, Big Spring, \$174,815.
Cristy-Dolph-Cannon, San Angelo, \$167,900.
S. P. Jones, Big Spring, \$181,835.
Baily Burns and Fitzpatrick, Dallas, \$175,200.
C. L. Shaw & Company, Dallas, \$175,500.
J. O. Everett, Dallas, \$174,800.

Farmers Here Review Cropping Plans Under Cotton Reduction Law; Express Confidence In It

A meeting of the representative farmers of Howard county was held at the county court house yesterday to study the new cotton law and work out cropping plans for the county for the coming year, according to an announcement from J. V. Bush, county agent.

The committee went on record as being in favor of the cotton reduction law passed by the last legislature which will allow only 30 percent of the cultivated land to be planted in cotton. "We are in favor of Texas and Howard county enforcing this law regardless of the other cotton growing states. If the state does not enforce the law we are in favor of the county adopting the 30 percent plan regardless. In case the case enforces the plan we favor a committee of three men from each community to aid the state and county in seeing that the law is rigidly enforced, and we are willing to serve on such a committee," a resolution adopted by the men present read.

Threat Upon Dog Causes Girl To Slay

She Kills Sweetheart, Who Expresses Jealousy of Pekingese

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 19 (AP)—Because he threatened to kill her pet Pekingese, Haza Blackstar, 25, shot and killed her sweetheart Milton Smith, 28, as he started to leave her apartment today with the dog. He accused her of loving the dog more than she did him. She said she was sorry she shot him but that he had no business threatening the dog.

Men Held In Child's Death Prove Alibis

AUSTIN, Nov. 19 (AP)—Adjutant General Bill Sterling today said that men held for questioning after Chief Red Wing had repudiated his previous confession of murdering Andrew Cavasas, 2, near New Braunfels a year ago would probably be released today. They had proved an alibi.

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Official And Aide Are Held; \$8,368 Taken

Burns Agency Operative Solves Palestine Bank Robbery

PALESTINE, Nov. 19 (AP)—Newman York, detective of the Burns Agency, found \$8,368 missing in the holdup of the First National Bank yesterday in a bag under the cashier's desk today. Charges were filed against Howard Wingate, cashier, and Porter Cooper, Wingate was arrested yesterday. He named Cooper as an accomplice in a signed statement. He told of entering the bank with a pistol and locking the five employees in the vault. Investigators hoped to solve the previous robbery committed on March 23.

'Star Farmer' Award Won By Arkansas Boy

Secretary Hyde Presents \$1,000 Check; Terraforming Pioneer

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 19 (UP)—An Arkansas farm boy, a student of scientific agriculture since he entered the eighth grade, prepared to return home today with \$1,000 and a certificate proclaiming him "America's star farmer."

Twenty-two year old Glenn Farrow, of Danville, Yell county, Arkansas, was awarded the highest honors of the future farmers of America over representatives of other southwestern states at the American Royal Livestock and Horse Show here last night because of his interest and success in farming. Only a year and a half out of high school, he is the first farmer to terrace land and rotate crops in his home section.

The Weather

By U. S. WEATHER BUREAU
Big Spring, Texas
Nov. 19, 1931

Big Spring and vicinity—Fair and cooler tonight and Friday.

West Texas—Mostly fair, cooler tonight, Friday, fair, cooler in east portion.

East Texas—Mostly cloudy tonight and Friday. Cooler in extreme northwest portion, warmer in north and east portions tonight. Cooler in west and north portions Friday.

New Mexico—Fair tonight and Friday, cooler in extreme east portion tonight. Frost in south portion.

TEMPERATURES	
	F.M.
1:30	55
2:30	55
3:30	55
4:30	55
5:30	55
6:30	55
7:30	55
8:30	55
9:30	55
10:30	55
11:30	55
12:30	55
Maximum yesterday 55	
Minimum last night 45	

WEATHER CONDITIONS	
Dallas—El Paso, cloudy, with fog—12; temperature 55.	
12:30 P. M. Today	
Big Spring: cloudy, breeze, with fog—12; temperature 55.	
Dallas: sky overcast; wind variable—10; temperature 55.	
El Paso: cloudy, overcast, with fog—11; temperature 55.	

Inequalities in Statutes Affecting Veterans of Various Wars Studied By Several Non-Government Groups

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the second of seven North American Newspaper Alliance stories discussing what the United States, Great Britain and France have done for their war veterans, and what they contemplate doing. The next article will appear Sunday.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—Inequalities in laws affecting veterans of various wars in which the United States has engaged have been studied carefully by officials of the government, and by organizations outside the government which plans to ask Congress in its next session to do something about the problem.

Now that veterans of all wars are under one authority, the Veterans Administration, a much clearer picture of the striking differences in treatment of veterans is possible.

Officials point out what may be called discrepancies, deficiencies, or just plain "inequalities." These things have been criticized and changes recommended.

One of the outstanding differences between world war veterans and veterans of other wars is in the total amount each month they may receive from the government.

May Get \$300 Month

A world war veteran may receive a maximum compensation for disability of \$300 a month if he is unable to perform any service in the war. Besides, he may get \$50 a month for a nurse or attendant, and \$25 for specific disabilities authorized by law. This could get a total of \$375 a month. For disability he cannot trace to service the world war veteran may draw up to \$40 a month. On the other hand the maximum which may be drawn by a veteran of either the Civil or Spanish American wars is only \$125 a month, except in a few instances such as a submarine or airplane accident, where payments are doubled.

The world war veteran may get compensation of \$100 a month for total deafness, but the Civil War veteran could get only \$40 a month pension for the same disability.

In any consideration of differences between the world war veteran and veterans of other wars, it should be borne in mind that the word "pension" refers only to war before the world war, veterans of the world war have not yet received "pensions" dependent purely on service rendered.

Double Compensation
World war veterans may receive double compensation of \$200 a month if disability is rated "double permanent total." But no such provision is made under pension laws for veterans of other wars although double pensions are payable if disability or death were due to aviation or submarine accident.

Generous provisions of the world war veterans act on insurance and benefits granted through the adjusted compensation act, otherwise known as the "soldiers' bonus," and the Emergency Officers Retirement Act, are peculiar to World War veterans relief. No similar legislation has been enacted for veterans of other wars.

The discrepancies between government treatment of its insane veterans of various wars are striking. When an insane veteran of the world war without dependents is maintained by the government six months because of disabilities he can trace to war service, his compensation is reduced from whatever he has been getting to \$20 a month so long as he is maintained in an institution. In the case of such a veteran cannot be traced to his war record, if it is "not service-connected" and he is receiving disability allowance, no reduction to \$20 a month is made.

On the other hand an insane veteran of the Civil War is maintained by the government in a hospital his pension is not subject to reduction. If he is in a national or state military home his pension is subject to a reduction of \$25 a month, subtracted from his pension. If, to carry discrepancies still further, an insane veteran of the Spanish-American war, Philippine Insurrection or similar Relief Expedition, under similar circumstances is maintained by the government in a veterans' administration hospital, his pension is not subject to reduction. If he is in an inmate of a national or state military home he cannot receive more than \$50 a month.

Difference in Hospital Care
There is a difference in the way Uncle Sam treats veterans who are hospitalized for these service-connected disabilities. If a veteran of the world war, for instance, is hospitalized for such a disability and is paid ten per cent or more, but less than "temporary total," his rating is increased to "temporary total" with an award of \$50 a month with additional allowance for dependents. If the rating is more than temporary total no reduction in award is made.

If, however, the veteran is of a war prior to the world war, and he is put in a hospital, there is no change made in his rate of pension while he remains hospitalized.

Veterans of the world war, when reporting for hospitalization, examination for disability compensation, or disability allowance purposes there is granted an allowance of \$2.50 a day to cover loss of wages. Pensioners or claimants of pensions from wars before the world war must report for examination at their own expense.

There is a difference between "disability compensation" and "disability allowance." The former is for disabilities traced to world war service, or service connected therewith. On the other hand, a disability allowance is that amount granted to a world war veteran permanently suffering from some trouble he has been unable to trace to the war.

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She Becomes "Little Miss Big Spring"



Luan Platter, 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wear, is "Little Miss Big Spring."

Grand Jurors Recess; Score Are Indicted
Grand Jurors for the November term of 32nd district court were recessed late Friday until Thursday of this week after finishing about half the work confronting them and returning a score of indictments.

Whisenhunt Billed For Killing of Local Policeman
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Big Spring Trio In Penny Pistol Case Expect 'Homecoming'

Friday morning M. L. Tinsley, one of three Big Spring men who were detained at Philadelphia Wednesday evening for violating a state law making it a felony to carry firearms in an automobile without a permit, wired his wife here to "see Jess Slaughter for explanation of delay in hearing from us."

Mrs. Tinsley replied "after reading Associated Press dispatches need no further explanation."

A few minutes later the editor of The Herald received the following message by wire from New York City:

"Hardships and cold jails, finger printing and photographs with private numbers we went through to get Associated Press datelines for Big Spring entitled us to big homecoming celebration upon our arrival. All Philadelphia knows where Big Spring is today. New York, no doubt will find out. What was result of Sweetwater game?"

With Wilburn Barcus and V. T. Anderson of Big Spring, Mr. Tinsley, manager of the W. R. Settles interests, had been in Washington, D. C., in connection with an application for permit to operate a radio broadcasting station here. Enroute to New York they were stopped by a motorcycle officer who found a pistol in their car. They were held until Texas officials vouched for them, when a magistrate dismissed them and they resumed their journey to New York.

Sheriff Jess Slaughter was among the local people who furnished information that helped the boys out of their dilemma.

Mrs. J. S. Nunnally Entertains With Armistice Party

Mrs. J. S. Nunnally entertained the members of the Killcare Bridge Club with an attractive Armistice Day party Thursday, carrying out the national colors effectively.

Mrs. Koberg made high score and received a bridge table set of paper covers for two tables with napkins and tallies to harmonize. Mrs. Battle made second high and received a deck of cards.

A dessert course was served to Mrs. Mae Beitle, W. A. Gilmer, Chas. Koberg, Tom Slaughter, Bert Wilkinson, A. M. Underwood and Miss Jones McAllister.

Mrs. Koberg will be the next hostess.

Double Four Club Changes Meeting Day To Thursday

Mrs. Fred M. Campbell was hostess to the members of the Double Four Bridge Club Thursday afternoon at her home.

The club members voted to change their meeting day from Friday to Thursday for all meetings hereafter.

Mrs. Duff made high score and received a handsome boudoir pillow.

A very delicious plate luncheon was served to the following members and guests: Mmes. Emory Duff, J. E. Fort, T. J. Higgins, J. F. Laney, D. E. Crouser, W. M. Paul, J. L. Thomas and Frank W. Jones.

Mrs. Crouser will be the next hostess.

Announcer Barred From Harvard Games For Saying 'Putrid'

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 13 (UP)—William J. Bingham, director of athletics at Harvard, today that Ted Husing, announcer for the Columbia Broadcasting corporation, would be barred from all future Harvard games.

In his official capacity because last Saturday he described the playing of Barry Wood and Jack Crickard against Dartmouth as "putrid."

Irene Knaus heads young people's group of 1st Presbyterian.

Irene Knaus was elected president of the young people's organization of the Presbyterian church at a meeting held Sunday evening. Other officers of the organization will be filled at a later date.

An invitation is extended all young people over 18 years of age from all churches and organizations to attend the services each Sunday evening at 6:15.

A course of study to be sponsored by Mrs. Lee Weathers will be announced at a later date.

M. H. Morrison will have charge of services at the church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, through all events as advertised.

Fruit Trees Bloom Again In Big Spring

Two instances of fruit trees blooming a second time in a year have been reported here.

Several trees at the government experiment farm have bloomed in the past few days after having borne a crop of fruit the past season. At Parish Park in the eastern section of town apple and pear trees are in bloom.

Lutheran Ladies To Serve Mexican Dishes

Ladies of the Lutheran church announced Friday they would serve other Mexican dishes, pies, coffee and cakes, in the Bauer building on Main street Saturday for benefit of the church funds.

"Jitney" style will be followed, all dishes selling at five cents. Mrs. C. W. Tenner, who resided in Mexico 20 years, is preparing the food.

Mrs. and Mrs. Edward Tomlinson, of Midland, formerly residents of this city, are the parents of a baby son born yesterday.

Flower Show Presents Unusually Large Number Of Beautiful Blooms

Cactus Garden, Odd Varieties of Pot Plants, Ferns, Vines, and Bewildering Display of Chrysanthemums and Roses on Display

Local gardeners and flower-coaxers are displaying at Wolcott Ford Co. today what they, plus a few heavy showers, some good old West Texas sunshine and a few weeks freedom from sandstorms, can accomplish in the way of growing roses and chrysanthemums.

Considering the fairly brief respite from sandstorms, the delayed rains after a scorching hot summer and other drawbacks, both natural and civic, the 1931 Flower Show put on this year by the Home Garden Club is an eye-opener.

No florist, Mr. Ribbles and Mrs. Couch included, could produce more perfect roses than the two single specimens, Mrs. Gully's red radiant and Mrs. Lester's Killarney pink, which were lovely enough to be exhibited singly.

Mrs. Willis cactus garden was the most spectacular exhibit. She called it a small reproduction of what she hoped to accomplish on one of the hills in the City Park. The size of some of the plants were surprising, such as an enormous sword fern, which is especially hard to grow in this climate, a begonia several feet tall, a huge-leaved coleus, and a trailing lace fern.

As for flowers, there were yellow daisies, small stars of snow drageons equivalent to any which California gardens produce; several beautiful bouquets of large two-toned Japanese chrysanthemums, long-stemmed violets, American beauty roses almost six inches in diameter, sun-burst roses of delicate shades, a bouquet of lilacs as large as any that bloom here in the spring.

Mrs. J. F. Thixton had the largest number of entries, 19 in all. She presented hers in large decorated containers which she makes herself and for which she will take orders.

Mrs. Chas. Koberg had charge of the registration booth for those making entries. Mrs. G. B. Porter, Mrs. Joy Fisher, Mrs. E. J. Mary, Mrs. Bernard Fisher, Mrs. Harry Lester, Mrs. John Davis, Mrs. John Clarke, assisted Mrs. J. M. Morgan throughout Saturday in showing visitors around the exhibits. Mrs. Porter and Mrs. Mary and Mrs. Morgan arranged for the show before the show.

The following entered flowers: Clip this list and take it to the show in order to identify names of plants and owner by the numbers.

Mrs. Jess Slaughter, pink radiant rose, No. 1; Mrs. Tom Good, American beauty roses, No. 2; pink and yellow roses, No. 3; M. J. M. Morgan, snow white chrysanthemums, No. 3; yellow No. 9; Mrs. L. L. Gully, white chrysanthemum No. 5; elephant's ear (caladium) No. 6; bud vase of roses No. 7; Mrs. B. F. Willis two-toned Japanese chrysanthemums No. 10, night-blooming cereus, No. 11; Mrs. G. B. Porter, Mrs. R. E. Piner, red radiant rose No. 11, La France rose No. 12; Mrs. L. C. Dahme, two-toned Japanese chrysanthemum No. 13, snap dragons No. 14, pink and white chrysanthemum No. 15; Miss Edith Hachtel, vase of roses No. 16, mixed cosmos No. 17, dahlias No. 18, pink chrysanthemum No. 19, sprangeria No. 20; Mrs. C. L. Tomlinson, blue No. 20; Mrs. J. A. Kinard, crown of thorns No. 21, alligator tongue No. 22, double marigolds No. 23; Mrs. Chas. Chamberland, mixed chrysanthemums No. 24, white chrysanthemums No. 25, variety of 20 kinds in one bouquet No. 26, lemon tree No. 27, wandering Jew No. 28; Mrs. Joy Fisher, lace fern No. 29, artillery plant No. 30; Mrs. Victor Melinger, pineapple plant No. 31; Mrs. O. L. Nabors, trailing rose No. 32; Mrs. R. E. Lloyd, trailing lace fern No. 33, sprangeria fern No. 34, begonia No. 35, night blooming cereus No. 36.

Mrs. J. I. Prichard, Boston fern No. 37, geranium pink No. 38, pink begonia No. 39, red begonia No. 40; Mrs. J. C. Lane, assorted begonias No. 41; Mrs. T. E. Stringfellow, two-toned chrysanthemums No. 42, rose chrysanthemum No. 43; Mrs. Tom McNairst, maiden hair fern No. 44, October daisy No. 45, sprangeria fern No. 46; Mrs. H. H. Equires, small yellow chrysanthemum No. 47, double daisy chrysanthemums No. 48, bronze chrysanthemums No. 49, mixed chrysanthemums No. 50, plants No. 52, oleanders No. 53 and 55, rubber plant No. 54; Mrs. Pete Johnson, alligator tongue No. 57 and 58, Boston fern No. 59, assorted bouquet No. 60; Mrs. Albert Fisher, red and pink radiant roses No. 61, mixed yellow flowers No. 62; Mrs. Harry Lester, bronze chrysanthemum No. 64, orchid chrysanthemum No. 65, lantana No. 96, Killarney rose No. 97, yellow dahlias No. 98.

Mrs. B. F. Robbins, assorted pot plants No. 96; Mrs. E. J. Mary, coleus (large) No. 67; Mrs. Bernard Fisher, devil's ivy No. 103, Boston fern No. 64, begonia No. 68; Mrs. T. A. Bunker, sinits No. 70; Mrs. J. F. Thixton, cosmos No. 71, yellow daisy chrysanthemums No. 72, low daisy chrysanthemums No. 73, blue No. 74.

The McKinneys Give Party For V. R. Burtons

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. McKinney were host and hostess for an attractive party, Friday evening, complimenting Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Burton who are leaving town. Orchid and yellow were effectively carried out in all the party details.

Bridge was the diversion of the evening. Mrs. Paul won high score and received orchid bath salts. Mr. Loeb, who made high scores for the men, received a set of brushes.

During the refreshment hour, a real Mexican dinner was served, after which the guests spent the remainder of the evening dancing.

The guests were in addition to the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Paul, Mmes. Ruth Stahr, J. Kuykendall, Clarence Wear, Messrs. I. A. Loeb, J. A. Bunch and Ward Hall.

Cyclone Wrecks Vengeance On Howard Co. Farm

A cyclone—no more, no less—left its calling card at the Schwarzenbach farm, north of town, along with the rails Friday night, reported Mrs. Schwarzenbach.

It picked up the garage posts and all, which were imbedded three feet in the ground, and set it down in the orchard 80 feet away, shattering everything but the roof. It bent and twisted the metal posts of the wire fence as though they were hairpins. It tore up two new chicken houses of good size. It uprooted four-year-old trees and left them lying on the ground horizontally. In all, it is going to cost the family about \$1000 for repairs.

Apparently none of the neighbors suffered any damage from the cyclone, which followed its narrow path northward.

Very little damage was done in the city. The force of the wind blew open a screen door at the Handy-Andy grocery and banged it against the windows hard enough to break the plate glass.

Bride Honored By Lovely Gift Shower

Mrs. N. C. Bell entertained with a miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. Edward Crabtree, a recent bride, at her home in Cedar Crest Thursday evening.

The evening was spent playing many merry games and contests, the prizes for which were presented to the bride. A Hindu fortune-teller coped the evening, and told the fortune of all the guests, ending with the bride. After her fortune a large basket of gifts mysteriously appeared at her feet.

The house was beautifully decorated with pink and white chrysanthemums and these colors were carried out in the dainty refreshments.

The hostess was assisted in serving by Miss Frances Schubert, Mrs. Gerlie Cartmel and Mrs. W. G. Nabors.

The following attended: Misses Lola Curtis, Alma Zueckert, Stella Schubert, Louise Weck, Lillie Cardwell; Mmes. E. N. Ralph, Milton Broughton, Ida Prescott, Willard Smith, Geo. M'Nown, C. D. Herring, Glen Robert, Forrest, C. W. Schrabble, N. C. Bell, Bill Everett, and the honoree.

The following sent gifts but could not attend: Misses Lucile Weaver, Ruth Ahrhart, Pyrie and Bird Bradshaw, Mary and Allen Bell, Mamma Dore, Couffer, Roy Martin, Chas. Davis, Willard Sullivan, Mae Dunagan and A. I. Gardner.

Grand Jurors Recess; Score Are Indicted

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Double Compensation
World war veterans may receive double compensation of \$200 a month if disability is rated "double permanent total." But no such provision is made under pension laws for veterans of other wars although double pensions are payable if disability or death were due to aviation or submarine accident.

Generous provisions of the world war veterans act on insurance and benefits granted through the adjusted compensation act, otherwise known as the "soldiers' bonus," and the Emergency Officers Retirement Act, are peculiar to World War veterans relief. No similar legislation has been enacted for veterans of other wars.

The discrepancies between government treatment of its insane veterans of various wars are striking. When an insane veteran of the world war without dependents is maintained by the government six months because of disabilities he can trace to war service, his compensation is reduced from whatever he has been getting to \$20 a month so long as he is maintained in an institution. In the case of such a veteran cannot be traced to his war record, if it is "not service-connected" and he is receiving disability allowance, no reduction to \$20 a month is made.

On the other hand an insane veteran of the Civil War is maintained by the government in a hospital his pension is not subject to reduction. If he is in a national or state military home his pension is subject to a reduction of \$25 a month, subtracted from his pension. If, to carry discrepancies still further, an insane veteran of the Spanish-American war, Philippine Insurrection or similar Relief Expedition, under similar circumstances is maintained by the government in a veterans' administration hospital, his pension is not subject to reduction. If he is in an inmate of a national or state military home he cannot receive more than \$50 a month.

Difference in Hospital Care
There is a difference in the way Uncle Sam treats veterans who are hospitalized for these service-connected disabilities. If a veteran of the world war, for instance, is hospitalized for such a disability and is paid ten per cent or more, but less than "temporary total," his rating is increased to "temporary total" with an award of \$50 a month with additional allowance for dependents. If the rating is more than temporary total no reduction in award is made.

If, however, the veteran is of a war prior to the world war, and he is put in a hospital, there is no change made in his rate of pension while he remains hospitalized.

Veterans of the world war, when reporting for hospitalization, examination for disability compensation, or disability allowance purposes there is granted an allowance of \$2.50 a day to cover loss of wages. Pensioners or claimants of pensions from wars before the world war must report for examination at their own expense.

There is a difference between "disability compensation" and "disability allowance." The former is for disabilities traced to world war service, or service connected therewith. On the other hand, a disability allowance is that amount granted to a world war veteran permanently suffering from some trouble he has been unable to trace to the war.

The situation concerning the dependents of veterans is likewise involved and contradictory.

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Oil Industry Improvement Is Reported

CHICAGO, Nov. 13. (UP)—Leaders of the national oil industry, newly warned by Secretary of Commerce Robert F. Lamont that the federal government might take the helm of oil control, listened today to reports of improvements in oil well drilling, oil refining and marketing of products.

Lamont's admonition was given last night at the annual dinner of the 12th yearly meeting of the American Petroleum Institute.

"The national interest is selfishly disregarded," Secretary Lamont said, "and the American people either become conscious that the mad wastes of the past are being continued, and I may live to see the oil industry in a legislative straight-jacket which it should not deserve."

If the present effort to promote cooperation between the oil states falls, the secretary of commerce said, the possibility exists that the producing phase of the oil industry may come ultimately under closer federal regulation.

Secretary Lamont listed three planks of a plan he suggests to lead the oil industry to firmer grounds.

"First, provision should be made by interstate pact, approved by congress, for putting on a permanent basis the periodical forecasting of demand, the setting of state production quotas, all of which are now being undertaken informally by the regulatory commissions of Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas under the agreement of Sept. 13.

"Second, state laws, which are uniform in principle if not in detail, are ultimately needed within the compacting states.

"Third, as recommended by Secretary Wilbur, a joint federal and state fact-finding body for arriving at an equation of domestic and foreign production and imports should be created by the compact of the states and with the approval of congress."

CHICAGO, Nov. 13 (UP)—E. E. Reaser, head of the Burnadell Oil Corporation, Tulsa, Okla., and retiring president of the American Petroleum Institute, said today that he plans to leave in two weeks for California to confer with oil company officials there on his prospective appointment as a director of the independent oil industry in that state.

The men he will meet it was understood, are officials of the oil producers' sales association of California, which organization has control of a considerable share of the California oil business.

11,221 Bales Ginned In City This Season

Ginning reports from the five local gins at noon Saturday showed a total of 11,221 bales ginned.

State Suit Against Oil Companies On Appearance Docket for January Term of Court in Travis County

AUSTIN, Texas, Nov. 18 (UP).—A conspiracy among 18 leading oil companies and oil organizations to fix prices and restrict production in violation of the Texas anti-trust laws, was charged today in a suit filed in 53rd district court here by Attorney General James Alfred.

The suit alleges that the companies, aggregating a maximum of \$17,000,000 are asked of the court to enjoin them from continuing their conspiracy, and to pay a fine of \$100 and the maximum \$1000 for each day of violation.

The defendants named in the suit are the Standard Oil Company of New York, New Jersey and California, the Shell Union Oil Corporation, the Humble Oil and Refining Company, the Texas Company, the Gulf Refining Company, the Motest Petroleum Company, the Continental Oil Company, the Sinclair Refining Company, the Magnolia Petroleum Company, the Texas Oil Company, the Shell Petroleum Corporation, the Cities Service Oil Company, the Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Company, the Texas Petroleum Marketers Association, and the American Petroleum Institute.

New Pastor Here

DR. J. RICHARD SPANN
The First Methodist church of Big Spring, one of the most important posts in the Northwest Texas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, will be served for the coming year by Dr. J. Richard Spann, who is completing his fourth year as pastor of St. Paul's church in Abilene, according to announcement made at conclusion of the annual conference meeting in Vernon Sunday evening.

Dr. J. R. Spann Is Appointed

Succeeds Rev. W. G. Bailey
At First Methodist;
To Arrive Thursday

Dr. Spann will succeed Rev. W. G. Bailey, who goes to Plainview, where he will succeed Rev. D. B. Doak, another former pastor of the First church here.

Dr. Spann, who is a son-in-law of Bishop Mouzon, prominent Methodist leader, is regarded in the denomination as one of the most able of its pastors. His Abilene work has been marked with genuine success, in addition to his unusual success as a minister he has been one of the most useful civic leaders in Abilene and is known as one who forms many friendships among those in all walks of life and all religious beliefs and confessions.

Father of Big Spring Woman Dies in Abilene

Funeral services for J. P. Carr, 74, father of Mrs. C. C. Harmon of Big Spring, were held Sunday afternoon from his home in Abilene with burial at Cape, Taylor county, where he lived three years before moving to Abilene in 1905.

Youth Accused In Slaying Of Local Officer

TRIAL of Julius Whisenhunt, under indictment for murder in connection with the fatal shooting of H. F. Howie, a Big Spring policeman, last August, was set for 10 a. m. next Monday, November 23, at a special venire of 100 men ordered drawn by District Judge Fritz R. Smith.

Special Venire Of 100 Is Ordered; Bond Re- mained \$10,000

Bond remained at \$10,000 over protest of Whisenhunt's counsel that it be reduced.

Arthur Young, charged with auxiliary trial, entered a plea of guilty in court Monday morning and was given a two-year term in the penitentiary by Judge Smith.

WHOS NEW In Congress

Marcus A. Coolidge—Operating Elevator His First Job

FITCHBURG, Mass. (UP)—Marcus Allen Coolidge, Massachusetts senator-elect, obtained his first job as an elevator boy.

Now he's a wealthy machinery manufacturer.

An elevator in a Florida hotel he entered his father's chair business. Next he became interested in street railways, helping to promote a number of lines. After that he turned to making machinery.

Coolidge came into the democratic fold naturally. His father was Congressman Frederick S. Coolidge, democrat. On the other side of the political fence, his eighth or ninth cousin—be isn't sure exactly which—is former President Calvin Coolidge.

Senator-elect Coolidge is a modification because he believes it the speediest approach to the solution of the prohibition problem. However he also has made it plain he will vote for outright repeal of the eighteenth amendment should the opportunity arise.

His recreations run from fishing and golfing to travel and amateur sports.

One of his hobbies is collecting early American prints and clocks, his home literally being filled with old time clocks. The person calling for the first time, is somewhat startled by another relic of old times, a big wooden cigar store Indian which Coolidge has standing in the front vestibule.

Real Turning Point In Business Here, Wall Street Leaders Declare; Four Contributing Factors Cited

Throughout the land passes the word that there is a brighter tone to business, that we appear to be coming out of the depths of depression.

At the same time, politics, always a fascinating subject, is taking on added importance as the artillery of 1932 mobilizes.

Raymond Clapper, Washington manager of the United Press, has started a tour of a group of important centers to sound out the business and political situation.

Clapper will give the United Press readers the inside of these situations, answering such questions as:

Is the "turn in business" real and lasting?

What are the tangible causes and intangibles for the new spirit?

What are the 1932 trends in politics?

What are leaders thinking and doing to turn the nation back to good times and to prevent depression recurrences?

The first of the series, vital to the pocketbooks of all, follows.

By RAYMOND CLAPPER United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, Nov. 18 (UP)—Revolving confidence is echoing through the airwaves of Wall Street. Feeling here is that the real turning point in the depression is imminent, if indeed it has not already arrived.

Four factors are most often suggested to account for this upswing in morale:

1. Increasing stability of commodity prices together with recent spectacular rises in wheat, cotton, oil and security prices. One authority handling large financial operations in wheat predicts a rise to a level of 80 to 85 cents a bushel during the winter months.
2. Deflation of production costs down to the point where lower prices are possible on finished goods or services.
3. Strong support given the banking situation through organization of the \$500,000,000 national credit corporation; cooperation of banks in helping each other; efforts of the federal reserve board and the controller's office at Washington in adopting a drastic policy to avert recent threatened crisis in some banking centers.
4. Evidence of a partial return of public confidence which when it matures will mark the real turning point.

St. Mary's Auxiliary Plans Thanksgiving Food Sale

The members of St. Mary's Episcopal Auxiliary met at the church parish house Monday afternoon with Mrs. W. H. Martin as hostess. Mrs. Blomfield presided over the meeting.

The members planned for another food sale in both houses on the day before Thanksgiving, announced that the lamp would remain on exhibit in Albert M. Fisher's store and devoted the afternoon to sewing.

Kimberlin Store Moves

Remodeled Quarters At
208 Main Being Oc-
cupied Tonight

The Kimberlin Shoe Store will be open for business in its new quarters at 208 Main Street Tuesday morning, according to an announcement by E. B. Kimberlin this morning.

Teachers' Institute To Be Held Friday

Howard County Teachers' Institute will be held Friday of this week. It was announced Monday from the county superintendent's office. All teachers are urged to be present.

Three divorces were granted according to reports received from District Clerk D. D. Dufferly today. Divorces were granted in the following cases: Gladys Brooks vs. H. W. Brooks; G. L. Donaldson vs. Ada Donaldson; Alvada Gasaway vs. T. J. Gasaway.

Mustang Fans In Message To Steer Squad

Sweetwater Club Com-
mends Spirit of Big
Spring Delegation

From the Sweetwater Business and Professional Men's club, largest of its kind in West Texas, came a telegraphic message late Thursday to the Herald which was intended for Coach Obie Bristow and his Steers.

The Sweetwater Business and Professional Men's club, largest of its kind in West Texas, met in regular session today, rejoicing over the winning of the game yesterday and feeling highly honored by defeating one of the strongest teams in Texas, "the message read:

"We passed a resolution expressing our sincere regret of the injury of Dyer's outstanding center, Deaver, in a paper called "the evil and Roberts, your efficient left tackle. We also expressed our appreciation of the splendid spirit of the entire Big Spring delegation."

The message was signed by Henry Rogers, club president, and Will H. Scott, club secretary.

Mrs. R. Q. Lee Loses Race For Presidency

Club Convention Adjourns
After Spirited
Election

LUBBOCK, Nov. 18 (UP)—Installation of officers late yesterday, in which Mrs. R. F. Lindsay of Mt. Pleasant yielded the gavel to Mrs. J. W. Fincher of Houston, closed the last business session of the 34th annual convention of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

Delegates, most of whom arrived in Lubbock Monday, for pre-convention activities, were ready to leave for their homes, following a Texas dinner—the most elaborate social event of the convention—and an address by Dr. L. H. Hubbard, president of the Texas State College for Women, Denton, on "The Future Womanhood of Texas."

Record Attendance

The convention was marked by the largest attendance in recent years, and the most spirited election ever held by the federation.

Mrs. Fincher won the presidency for the next two years when delegates turned in 135 votes for her, against 76 for Mrs. R. Q. Lee of Cisco. Politics had been of paramount interest since the opening day, and two well organized factions supported the nominees.

Doubtful Factor

A third doubtful factor is congress. Will congress vote more millions for projects? Businessmen fear an event: divided congress, with an insurgent balance of power in both houses and a national election campaign approaching will attempt a heavy spending program. They are more seriously afraid that congress will run up the larger income tax brackets sharply.

Tests In Three Counties Active

Active drilling operations in West Texas at the end of last week included the following:

Peeco county Dittman et al No. 1, W. A. Sanford, section 55, block 10, H&GN survey, drilling at 290 feet in gravel.

Ward county Bentley's No. 1 Beatty, drilling at 1,075 feet in sand, which was topped at 1,030 feet.

Boogher's No. 1 Fee, junked hole at 2,111 feet and skidded 30 feet south.

Big Game Hunter Is Air Passenger

Martin Johnson, noted big game hunter and author, left Mrs. Johnson, wife and passengers on the east-bound American Airways ship Sunday. They were enroute to Dallas for a lecture.

Mrs. Johnson is one of the few American women who has killed an elephant in the jungles of Africa.

Two-Year Sentence Assessed for Forgery

The trial of Eugene Cannon for passing forged instruments resulted in a sentence of two years in district court here. Cannon entered a plea for a suspended sentence, but the court had not ruled on his appeal this morning.

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Old Problem. How Do All the Filling Stations Make Money? A.P.I. Speak- ers Are Heard.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18, (UP)—The same problem that has perplexed almost every American motorist, "Why are there so many gasoline and oil filling stations and how do they make any money?" was one of many engaging attention today of leaders in the oil industry.

As final group sessions of the 12th annual meeting of the American Petroleum Institute were held in the Stevens Hotel, oil men heard specialists recommended better methods for drilling oil wells, greater use of oil that will stand up under greater pressure in gas hoses, and abolition of laws specifying consistency of gasoline because they are obsolete and retard research.

How to reduce the number of filling stations that dot the highways was discussed by W. H. Ferguson of the Continental Oil Company, Denver, in a paper called "the evil and Roberts, your efficient left tackle. We also expressed our appreciation of the splendid spirit of the entire Big Spring delegation."

Buick Presents New 1932 Models; Contest Arranged

The Webb Motor company, Buick dealer here, announced Friday that the 1932 series, described as the "greatest Buick of all time" and featuring "The Wizard Control" would be presented to the public throughout America beginning Saturday. A model 67 sedan will be on display in the Webb showrooms Saturday.

Accompanying formal announcement of the new models was that of Buick's \$50,000 contest to be conducted from November 14 to December 14.

Production Totals 366,285 Barrels Friday; Drill- ing Is Slower

Humble Oil & Refining company continued last week its leadership as a producer in the East Texas field.

Figures for the week showed Humble's daily average production to be 51,787 barrels. Other major producers had the following daily average: Gulf, 28,209 barrels; Magnolia, 21,779 barrels; Sinclair, 20,202 barrels.

Father of V. V. Strahan Is Buried At Putnam

Funeral services were held Sunday at Putnam for the father of V. V. Strahan of Big Spring. The elder Strahan died at his home in Rising Star Saturday morning. Vernon Strahan had been called to the bedside last Wednesday. Pneumonia was the cause of death.

Continental Well Swabs

No. 6-A Settles, Deepened,
Registers 35 Barrels
Per Hour

Continental Oil company's No. 6-A Settles, in the Hooward-Glasscock county field, had increases in oil showings at 2,350-35 and 2,418 feet and at total depth of 2,442 feet swabbed in for 35 barrels per hour.

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Mrs. Bailey Honoree At Lovely Tea

Mrs. C. E. Talbot Opens
Home To Methodist
W. M. S.

The members of the First Methodist W.M.S. were hostesses at a beautiful tea at the home of Mrs. C. E. Talbot Thursday afternoon to honor Mrs. W. G. Bailey, wife of the pastor of the church.

Chrysanthemums and Michael-mass daisies were attractively used in the decorative scheme.

A fine art program included a duet by Mmes Arthur Pickle and Joe Faucett, a solo by Mrs. V. H. Fawcett, and a Bible drill by Mrs. W. A. Miller.

The honoree was showered with many lovely gifts of every description, and responded with sweet words of appreciation.

Mmes. J. B. Pickle, L. W. Croft and Russell Manion served especially delicious salad plates to the members and guests.

New Jersey Bank Looted

Mail Pouch Containing
\$2,000 Payroll Taken
By Armed Men

TAHWAY, N. J., Nov. 18 (UP)—Five armed robbers entered the Citizens National bank today and escaped with a registered mail pouch containing a \$2,000 payroll of a construction company. It had been brought to the bank shortly before the robbery by a police detail. No shots were fired. The robbers locked three men in a vault and escaped in an automobile.

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BY MRS. L. C. HAMBRICK
Misses Ola Stannard, and Yelma Knox, teacher at Fairview, and Miss Newton, teacher at Ackertley, were the week-end guests of Miss Mary Knox.

Earnest Jones of Brady visited Harmon Hambrick over the week-end.

Mr. Littlejohn and sons, Cecil and Mickey, have recently returned from South Texas.

Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Goodman were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jones.

L. C. Hambrick and family attended church services, conducted by Rev. Goodman in Big Spring Sunday afternoon.

Morris Wooten visited Dean Hambrick Sunday.

Miss Alpha Rowland spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rowland.

Misses Mary and Yelma Knox and Miss Ola Stannard returned Miss Newton to her home at Ackertley Sunday afternoon, visiting Miss Stannard's brother, who is principal of the Ackertley school, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brown of the Highway community while there.

Mrs. Mac Thomas visited Mrs. L. C. Hambrick Friday afternoon.

T. H. Holland and family have moved to Mr. Cook's farm.

Billie Ward visited Billie Hambrick Friday.

Several new pupils started to school at Moore Monday morning.

The farmers of this community are hauling cotton day and night. The bulk of the crop will be picked in two weeks if weather is favorable.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson went to Sweetwater Wednesday to attend the football game.

Mrs. Mattie Pollard attended the football game at Sweetwater Wednesday.

Rev. Goodman filled his regular appointment at Fairview Sunday morning.

Royal Neighbors Initiate Member

Royal Neighbors, Camp No. 7277, met at the Settles Hotel Lodge rooms Thursday afternoon for a meeting in which Mrs. Gussie Pierce was initiated.

During the social hour, Mrs. Clara Burns and Mrs. Mabel Hall had charge of the merry games. Miss Margaret Vastine gave a reading.

Mmes. Myrtle and Hattie Orr served refreshments to the following members: Mmes. Christine Robinson, Mabel Hill, Mabel Glen, Patricia Barrell, Emma Byers, Thelma Plummer, Overy Boutler, Burns, Elma Nance, Leta Boyles, Parlee Neighbors, Eula Pond, Mary Lawrence, Aida McElrath, Mary Van Opeta, Sarah Griffith, Bertha Barton, Alma Burbe, Cleo Byers, Gussie Pierce and Miss Clara Bailey.

B. L. Le Fever Given Surprise Dinner

Mrs. B. F. Le Fever invited in three tables of friends to surprise Mr. Le Fever on his birthday Thursday evening with a dinner party. Unusually large and beautiful chrysanthemums formed a lovely centerpiece for the table and decorated the room.

The party was a successful surprise and the honoree was presented with many lovely gifts.

After a delicious dinner the guests played bridge. Mrs. Groves and Mr. Liberty making the highest scores and winning boxes of candy. Mrs. Eury was consoled for her low score with a filling cabinet.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hamlin, Mrs. H. B. Hurley, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Liberty, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Groves, Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Hardy, Miss Lynn Jones and Frank Johnson.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clark are the parents of a baby boy born at the Big Spring Hospital today.

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Teachers, Fellow Football Players Join Family Of 16-Year-Old Victim Of Blood Poisoning At Service Here

While more than 400 friends and relatives, most of them from the Lomax and Stanton communities, sat in silent grief, Rev. R. E. Day, pastor of the First Baptist Church, paid final respects Sunday afternoon to Edwin Eugene McGinnis, 16-year-old Stanton high school football player who died in a local hospital at 9:15 p. m. Saturday from effect of blood poisoning.

The lad's death resulted from infection of a slight scratch on a finger received a week ago.

Seldom has there been greater expression of love for a boy than that shown for young Gene by old and young alike of the Lomax and Stanton communities. He had been a student in Lomax school beginning with his freshman year and transferred to Stanton for this season. At Lomax he was a star guard on that school's county championship basketball team, song leader and secretary of the community Sunday school, an active member of the Literary society, and one of the most popular pupils there.

Miss Arah Phillips, principal and Miss Twila Lomax, who with Gene's sister, Ada, compose the Lomax school faculty, were overcome by grief over the boy's death.

"Gene was one of two boys that I have taught against whom I never heard a word from any person. He never had an enemy in the world nor have I ever seen anyone who knew him that did not love him," said Miss Phillips, his school principal and basketball coach.

At the Eberly Funeral Home Sunday afternoon members of the Stanton high school football team and their coach, Rufus Hyde, sat in a reserved section of the chapel. Practically every person in the Lomax community was present.

Immediately after the services here the body was started overland to Cleveland, Texas, former home of the McGinnis family, where funeral services were to be held Tuesday at 3 p. m. with Rev. G. M. Coe officiating. Burial was to be in the Cleveland cemetery.

Surviving Gene are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. McGinnis of Lomax and five brothers and sisters, Ada, J. C. Dorothy, Ruth and Leo. The father is connected with the Magnolia Petroleum company at the booster station near Lomax school. Mrs. E. J. McGinnis, the lad's grandmother, and an uncle, Leo Isaacs of Clyde, were among the relatives at the bedside when death came.

Mrs. Hal Ainsworth has joined her husband at the Crawford. She represents a bidder for the contract to furnish the stage of the new city auditorium. The Ainsworths plan to reside here permanently.

Birdie Baileys Give Organizer Farewell Tea

Mrs. W. G. Bailey was the honor guest at a lovely orange and black tea given at the home of Mrs. C. T. Watson Monday afternoon.

Before the guests arrived, a beautiful ceremony of linked hands was held by the officers of the Birdie Bailey Missionary Society, the honoree and the hostess, in which Mrs. Bailey was presented with friendship links of necklace and bracelet. The gifts were of sterling silver and were presented in the name of the Philadelphia Class and of the Birdie Bailey Missionary Society, which the honoree helped organize and which was given her name.

Receiving the guests with Mrs. Watson were Meses Calvin Boykin and Herbert Keaton. Assisting in the living room were Meses Jake Bishop, Hugh Duncan and V. W. Latson.

The tea table was made attractive by the use of a handsome Irish linen lace cover over yellow satin. Tall yellow tapers burned in black candle sticks. Yellow chrysanthemums in a black bowl made an effective centerpiece. The refreshments were also carried out in yellow.

Mrs. C. S. Diltz and Mrs. L. A. Talley presided over the tea table from 5 to 4 and Mrs. Jimmie Mason and Mrs. M. A. Cook from 4 to 3 o'clock.

The entire louseparty was dressed in black and wore corsages of yellow flowers.

As the guests arrived they were asked to write a wish in a hand-painted black and yellow book, prepared for the occasion which was later presented to Mrs. Bailey. In the book was a wish, written by Miss Verbena Barnes, which expressed the sentiments of all the Birdie Baileys:

"As you find new fields to enter. In some other church, we pray. You will not forget to love us. Matters not how far away. To go with you through the year. And we all shall miss you greatly. Just the very thought brings tears.

How are we to do without you. So devoted, kind and true? But we know our loving Father. Without doubt will see us through."

.81 Inch Rain Falls In City

Many West Texas Points Report Heavy Precipitation

Rainfall in Big Spring for 24 hours ending at midnight Monday totaled .81 inch, according to the U. S. Weather Bureau gauge at the airport.

General rains, heavy in many places, were reported over a wide section of West Texas.

Rains varying from less than a quarter of an inch to an estimated two inches at Brownfield, fell over the South Plains early Monday night.

Accompanied by heavy wind which turned over several out-houses south of Lubbock, rain struck that city shortly after dark.

The precipitation totaled only .28 of an inch.

A windstorm also was reported at Lamesa. Lighter rains were reported at Levelland, Muleshoe, Littlefield and Floydada, west, northwest and northeast of Lubbock. Spur reported an inch. Amarillo fell in the rain area. Good rains fell at Olton, Plainview, Tulla, Brownfield, Tahoka, Lamesa and Crosbyton.

Heavy rain started at San Angelo at 10 p. m., after scattered showers had covered the area throughout the day. Big rains fell in the Sterling City and Foran country and west of San Angelo as far as Rankin and McCamey. Winters had several good showers with a harmless dash of hail and Ballinger had a heavy rain late last night.

A hard rain, which had been falling for an hour at Baird, was continuing shortly before 12 o'clock. Breckenridge Albany and Stamford also reported night showers.

A Peep Into the Future

High School Museum To Play Its Part In Making Visual Education Possible

Mrs. Wm. F. Cushing Last Monday night I had the pleasure of attending the meeting of the Current Events History Club and Museum Association of the High School, when the museum was formally presented to the trustees.

Mayor Pickle, in his speech, spoke of visual education. It seems to me that this is the keynote of the whole situation.

All five senses and even the sixth are needed in acquiring an education but the most important one is sight.

Teaching through vision is probably the oldest method, but is still the best, and it is being used and more, not only in primary but in advanced work.

A Future History Class No doubt the history class of the future will be conducted something like this: A sensitive screen will be placed in front of the class and upon it the teacher projects her thoughts in the form of images. Whether the images will do the talking or the teacher, remains to be seen.

To test the pupils the teacher may call upon them, to present some famous scene of history. For instance, Mary is told to give her idea of the death of Julius Caesar.

But Mary is not well prepared and the images are hazy and the costumes are inaccurate.

She takes her seat and John is called. John is not prepared at all and fails to register.

Then Kate comes forward and, as she knows her subject, she projects upon the screen a clear-cut and probably accurate picture of the death of that famous old Roman.

This may be fanciful but no more so than some things that have come to pass in recent times, which we are now enjoying, radio for example.

However this may be, a museum in addition to its historical value, is a step in the right direction. It makes visualization easier. The more pioneer objects, for example, which this museum contains, the easier it is for pupils to visualize West Texas of 50 or more years ago.

Mrs. Bumpass and the History Club are to be congratulated upon the splendid showing they have made in such a short time. I feel that it will not be long until this museum will expand to such an extent that its valuable collection will be one of the chief assets of the Big Spring High School.

L. Digby, Forrest Porch, Esie and Henry Robinson, James, Faye and Ruth Walton, Nell Robinson, Irene Digby, Dorothy Hoover, Rube Newburn and Authod Anderson.

Essie Robinson, Mattie Miller and Nell Robinson attended singing at Big Spring Sunday.

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By MRS. L. M. BROWN

Miss Aleen Brown, who is attending school at Lubbock, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Phillips are the proud parents of a baby boy born November 4.

Quite a few of our community are suffering from colds. Among those who are confined to their homes are W. H. Haworth, John Belt.

Mrs. Seth Sowell is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jackson have moved to Big Spring. Mr. Jackson was bookkeeper at the Brown Gin and due to his health could not remain here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Brown had Sunday dinner with Miss Johnny White and brother, Leon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Bowlin had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Bowlin.

Wes Ingram and family from California visited with his brother, G. W. Ingram last week.

Mrs. John Stewart was carried to Mineral Wells Sunday. Mrs. Stewart has been ill for several weeks and she is going there for treatment.

Miss Bettye Joe Watts of Big Spring is visiting her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. Archer.

Miss Corinne Hardesty spent the week-end with her parents at McCarty.

Mrs. Faye Preston was shopping in Big Spring Tuesday.

Kemper Williamson left Tuesday for his home in the Valley.

District Judge, Ired By Failure Of Federal Witnesses To Appear, Would Have State 'Hoe Own Row'

McAllen, Cross Plains, Big Lake, Ballinger, Del Rio, San Angelo

DEL RIO, Tex., Nov. 17 (UP)—With citizens cooperating in subscribing funds, a number of banks in West Texas that have been closed within the last two months are being re-organized and re-opened, a survey showed today.

In southwest Texas, the new McAllen State Bank, of McAllen, was formally opened after it had taken over the First National and State Bank and Trust Company, both closed October 23. A celebration was being held at McAllen.

A new bank, the Citizens State Bank, opened for business at Cross Plains today, and customers lined the sidewalk long before opening time to make deposits. Accounts from the old First State Bank, which closed October 1, were transferred to the Citizens State.

Eight of eleven West Texas banks which closed recently now are either open or reorganization plans are well under way. The Big Lake State Bank and the Security Bank of Ballinger have re-opened.

The reorganization of the San Angelo National Bank has been completed and it will be opened November 30.

Plans have been announced for the Del Rio National Bank to take over the assets and liabilities of the closed First National Bank and in that way pay off all depositors in full.

The new capital for the First National Bank of El Paso has been subscribed. Approximately all the capital for the Security National Bank of Brownwood has been obtained.

Reopening of the First National Bank of Fort Stockton, closed October 5, has been assured as citizens and depositors cooperate in reorganization plans.

Plans are under way to reorganize the three closed banks of Coleman but as yet nothing definite has come out of the meetings of people of that community.

Jim Davis, district engineer for the Empire Public Service company bagged a 10-point buck a few hours after leaving Brady Monday morning. He left here late Sunday, attended to business in Brady, killed his buck and departed for Louisiana an company business early Tuesday.

Insofar as Frits R. Smith, judge of the 32nd judicial district of Texas, is concerned, the federal courts can mind their own business in the matter of prohibition violation "business" and allow the state courts to hoe their own row in their own way.

Several liquor cases on Judge Smith's docket were called for trial Monday morning. Among witnesses were federal prohibition agents.

But they were absent and the trials had to be postponed.

Judge Smith pointed out that the judicial division of the state government is the most expensive and that just such carelessness as that he considered the federal agents were guilty of increased the cost considerably.

"Bringing witnesses here at the state's expense and having to hold them for appearance of federal witnesses causes unnecessary expense. I may be in contempt but I wish the federal government would attend to its own cases and let the state take care of hers," said Judge Smith.

CENTERPOINT

Centerpoint school opened Monday, Nov. 9 with a good attendance.

Rev. Keever, Mr. Bush, and Mrs. Allgood were among the visitors. Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. Keever, after which he made a very interesting and instructive talk.

Mr. Bush and Mrs. Allgood gave splendid talks, explaining their plans for the coming year to the club boys and girls.

Mr. Brigrance responded for the school board, stating that it was the desire of the board and community at large to cooperate in every way possible for the success of the school.

A Parent-Teacher Association was organized with election of the following officers: Mrs. Brigrance, president; Mrs. Joe B. Wright, vice-president, and Miss Clemmie McKinney, secretary-treasurer.

A Literary Society was also organized with Miss La Deanne Cantrell, president; Truman Blanton, vice-president; and Miss Pauline Davidson, secretary-treasurer.

Since last year a new room has been added to the building. This makes possible addition of the tenth grade work this year.

The teachers are: Miss Elizabeth Hamilton, principal; Mrs. Joe B. Wright, Miss La Deanne Cantrell and Miss Clemmie McKinney, assistants.

LEG BROKEN

Joe Edward Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Davis, suffered a compound fracture of the left leg late last week while playing a practice game of football. He likely will be out of school six weeks.

MIDWAY

(Delayed)

An exciting game of basketball was played between Midway junior and senior boys and the Coahoma junior and senior "Bulldogs" on Midway's court Friday afternoon, November 6.

The Coahoma seniors won, 13-12. The Midway juniors won 16-9.

H. I. Lile entertained a group of friends with a dance at his ranch home seven miles east of Big Spring in honor of his landing in West Texas fifty years ago, Nov. 5. A large crowd for this community reported a very nice time.

Mrs. Ernest Greer and son, Ernest Wade, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herchel Smith.

Miss Elma Holland spent Sunday night with Esie Robinson.

Marcus Smith spent Sunday night with Kenneth Luton.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Shirley spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Holland.

Misses Irene Digby and Dorothy Hoover spent the week-end with Frances Barnett.

MIDWAY

The Literary Club and P-T. A. had a fine program Friday, Nov. 6 as follows:

Negro Monologue—Mrs. Sinclair.

Address—John Bugg, Big Spring, Reading, Virginia Merle Tankersley.

A trip to State Fair, Nell Robinson.

Orchestra Music, Hollis Shirley, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pinkston.

Reading, Irene Digby.

Spelling match.

The spelling match was very interesting, with some very good spellers participating.

Carl Tankersley, principal, was left alone at last winning the contest.

The following are on the honor roll for the month:

1st grade: Virginia M. Tankersley, 2nd grade: Fulin Moore, Wilford Holland, Jimmie Young, Nurwood Tora.

3rd grade: Ramon Young.

4th grade: Wilmeth Robinson.

5th grade: Seth J. Boynton.

6th grade: Jewel Marsh and Dorothy Hoover.

Frances Barnett gave a party Saturday night for the young people of this community. Those attending were Charlotte Morgan, Carl McWright, Jewell Marsh, J. C. Robinson, Ray and Orvall Alexander, Pete McClain, Tood Windham, R.Mrs. D. Diepenbrock.

Pair Found Dead In Car

Husband Of Dead Woman Unacquainted With Man In Case

OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 16 (AP)—Mrs. Neils Cecil and Beverly Edwards, each 28, were found shot to death in an automobile near town today. Officers believed that Edwards killed the woman and then himself. Her head was in his lap. The woman had recently sought a divorce from her husband, Arlie Cecil. Mrs. Cecil leaves one child. The husband of the dead woman said that he did not know Edwards.

HAND BADLY INJURED

M. H. Bice, traffic operator for the Western Union in this section, suffered a severe injury to a hand Monday when a bottle into which he was placing a stopper at the company's offices here shattered. It was necessary to put him under an anesthetic to close the wound and place the hand in a cast, in which it will be worn for more than a month. A tendon of the thumb was severed.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Todd of Iraan were the week-end guests of Dr. and Mrs. D. Diepenbrock.

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