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## Congressional Railroad Probe Is Favored

### Oil Men To Meet Here Friday

#### Tariff Fight Renewal to be Chief Topic

#### Claud Wild To Outline A Plan of Texas Independent Association

Business men and all those connected directly or indirectly with the oil industry have been called to meet in the district courtroom Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Information concerning the renewed campaign for enactment of a law assessing a tariff upon crude oil and refined products imported into the United States will be given.

Claud C. Wild, executive vice-president of the Independent Petroleum Association of Texas will be the principal speaker. The meeting will be under auspices of the oil and gas committee of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce.

Among the topics to be dealt with are: a careful review of the general plan of the campaign for a tariff and its revision in the light of the stabilizing factors of the past summer; a nation-wide plan of publicity aimed at enlistment of public support before congress; ways of winning support of major independent companies, through personal visits and money.

"Two hundred seventy-five thousand oil field workers are idle as a result of oversupply of crude oil, which comes from foreign sources," declared B. F. Robbins, committee chairman. "This has caused a shut down and restriction of output of thousands of wells in fifteen states. The purchasing power of the states is thereby greatly reduced and many not directly connected with the industry thrown out of employment as a result," he added.



Here is a good opportunity for someone to do some "recruiting" of what this writer considers the most useful. We have been asked to make an appeal for a boy residing in Howard county who wishes very much to attend high school here but must have some kind of work to help him through. The lad not only has ambition to obtain a high school education but also is a good basketball player and has the physical ability to play good football with coaching. Who will help this boy earn his living while going to school?

A half dozen people telephoned yesterday morning for the names and address of the young mother for whom an employment appeal was issued in this column Tuesday.

If this column can do some little something once in awhile to help relieve suffering or worry for deserving people, especially those with small children to support the writer will feel mighty good.

Mayor Pickle suggests that people of the city take their old machines to Warden Inn, the city's haven for transient men, instead of throwing them away. The men want to use them. Sixty-one men slept in Warden Inn Tuesday night. This plan, which keeps the men off the streets at night, is believed to be very effective in controlling petty thievery as well as preventing many deserving men and boys out of jobs from suffering in cold weather. After a night's shelter and a cup of coffee they are sent on their way—just one night here is allowed.

Well, it finally came to that! Highway No. 9 was closed Tuesday evening to tourist travel—that is the Glasscock county strip was closed. The highway department had men at the south end of Scurry street and also down in Sterling county to inform people to try to cross the Glasscock county section of the road.

The problem of getting the Glasscock county strip paved is troublesome. The commissioners of that county do not feel that they would be spending the people's money wisely if they appropriated more than \$1,000 toward purchase of right-of-way for the new routing of No. 9 across a corner of the county.

Several of the property owners across whose land the road would pass will not donate right-of-way. There are once in awhile, cases where property really is damaged by construction of a paved road across a tract, but those cases are rare. They are practically none in a region such as this where mostly large ranches would be crossed.

Oliver Hansen, fullback, for the second consecutive year has been voted the most valuable member of the Hawkeye grid team by his mates. He is a senior.

### COTTON OUTFITS CHIC FOR WINTER



Cotton fabrics are gaining favor with fashion-setters, and these girls demonstrated some smart new winter resort outfits in an all-over style review at the American Farm Bureau federation convention in Chicago. Left to right: Marjorie Lavin in a sport outfit; Helen Dean in lounging pajamas and Joan Joyce in beach pajamas.

### Chinese Elm Trees Arrive

#### Those Who Ordered Trees May Get Them At C of C Offices

One thousand Chinese elms have been received by the Chamber of Commerce. Those who have placed orders for trees are requested to call by the Chamber of Commerce office and pay for them. They may then be obtained at Fourth and Scurry streets. Extra trees have been ordered for those who were late in placing their orders and may be had by calling the Chamber of Commerce.

### Postal Officials Inspect Plant Here

Four officials of the Postal Telegraph & Cable Company were here Thursday inspecting the local plant which is one of the most important in the company's transcontinental system. A. W. Huntzinger, assistant to the general plant superintendent, New York, and T. J. Bell, division plant superintendent, Dallas, left Thursday morning for the east by automobile. They were to inspect the company's lines in that direction. L. E. Thiele, division traffic superintendent, Dallas, were waiting the westbound American Airways ship, due to arrive during the afternoon.

### Measure Wind!

#### Balloon Ascension Observations Started At U. S. Weather Bureau At Airport

As additional equipment is installed at the local bureau of the U. S. weather service, of which John Cummings is superintendent, more work of special interest to the layman and of much benefit to the public is done at the airport.

Beginning this week pilot balloon ascensions for observation purposes were started. This method is used to determine direction velocity of wind aloft, direction velocity on the surface and the height of cloud or ceiling.

A balloon is inflated with hydrogen gas shipped in drums from Oklahoma City. One hundred forty grams of hydrogen cause the balloon to ascend at a rate of 600 feet per minute, regardless of wind velocity.

The balloon is released and telescope readings taken every minute until it disappears in clouds.

### Angelo Bank Will Re-Open December 14

#### Old Stockholders Absorb \$785,000 Old Assets; \$400,000 Capital

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Dec. 10 (AP)—With necessary papers accepted, \$400,000 cash in new capital raised and with only routine matters remaining to be settled, the reorganized Angelo National Bank opening has been set for December 14.

G. I. Witt, national bank examiner, and a committee of new members of the board have finished checking over the paper for admittance, and Witt has forwarded his report to Washington. Quick action will be sought on the application for the new charter at the comptroller's office.

With the last charge-outs, the old stockholders have absorbed or made good \$785,000 worth of assets of the old bank. This action will bring the total loans from \$2,800,000 when the bank closed down to nearly \$2,000,000 when it opens.

Instead of raising \$300,000 new capital and taking \$200,000 for stocks from the deposits of the bank, there has been \$400,000 in new capital paid to the trustees, E. A. Hall and Edwin S. Mayer, which will mean that it will be necessary to take but \$160,000 depositor stock. As approximately \$200,000 depositor stock was subscribed, it is possible that the new board will cut out all these subscriptions under three shares, at \$10 a share, unless those who have subscribed request that they be allowed to retain their stock. The stockholders' list now contains 518 names.

### Big Brothers Are Defeated

The Big Spring high school faculty "Roughriders" in their victory over the Cosden team in a basketball game Wednesday night. In a certain-raiser the fast Cosden team ran roughshod over Lorain high school 28 to 17.

The rooting-boosting, pistol-shooting team from Big Spring High out-talked the Methodists during the first three frames to remain in the running, and then after completely shattering what was left of the Sunday school team's morale by presenting a car and logical reasons why Obie Bristow should remain in the game when there were only six personal fouls against him, flashed a brand of foul basketball during the last three minutes to take the lead as Bill Tate, who may or may not have been voted as the local faculty in time to receive of the "for last night's game" and who retained his mystical position, immediately after the contest retained a place with the "Mick-Lamb" company, started down the court five times to link rings shots that left the Pedagogists in a comfortable lead.

Heroes? Had the faculty possessed horses last night it would have been difficult to distinguish between them and the notorious Jesse James or D. H. Reid, the tip tall rooster from Pike County, Missouri, and George Brown combined to thoroughly route the Methodists, who numbered among their roster three letter men on last year's high school team, by methods that would have won two or three centuries ago resulted in all being hung for piracy on the high seas.

George Brown sent the Faculty off to a one point lead as he made good a free shot made possible by J. Forrester. The Big Brothers immediately came back with a field goal by Fred Martin, and then Bristow, pile-driving guard for the Teachers, staged a little show of his own as he rode Forrester to the boards one minute and then literally tripped Ceil Reid under the floor the next. Neither converted.

Cecil Reid sunk a field goal from the foul line and the Methodists led 4 to 1. Bristow brushed Fred Martin over so gently and the Big Brother made good to pay his tear further in the lead. Wayne Matthews' hand touched the ball by mistake and a lucky goal was the result, so the score stood at 5 to 3 at the quarter.

### Rites Said For Brother of Local Man In Abilene

#### Funeral Services for Charles H. Creighton, 69, retired farmer and resident of Taylor county since 1909, were held from the First Baptist church in Abilene Wednesday afternoon. He was a brother of W. R. Creighton of Big Spring and father of Mrs. Ben U. Comalander, superintendent of the Coahoma schools.

Mr. Creighton is survived by his widow, eleven children and his brother. Besides Mrs. Comalander, the children are: Arthur J. Creighton, Chicago; Charles Homer Creighton, Stockton, Calif.; Thomas P. Creighton, El Centro, Calif.; David O. Creighton, Taft, Calif.; Ernest C. Creighton, San Francisco, Calif.; Mrs. F. W. Fullerton, Abilene; Mrs. F. P. Smith, Lubbock; Virginia, Hallie B. and Opal Creighton of Abilene.

Pallbearers were sons and sons-in-law of the deceased, with men of the Bible Class of which Mr. Creighton was a member as honorary pallbearers.

### Laurence Welk Feature For Friday Evening At Settles Hotel Dance

Laurence Welk, the accordion king, who with his "biggest little band in America" has been the principal magnet drawing record crowds to dances in the best hotels of West Texas cities, will furnish the music Friday evening at the Settles ballroom for the second of a series of Christmas season dances.

### Methodist Pastors Reception For New

The Methodists of the city will welcome Dr. and Mrs. J. Richard Spann, pastor of the First Methodist church, and the Rev. Mr. James Culpepper, pastor of the Wesley Memorial Methodist Church, Friday evening at a reception in the parlors of the First Methodist church. There will be an address of welcome by C. T. Watson, and a short musical program. Members of the Women's Missionary Society and the Birdie Bailey Missionary Society will be the hosts.

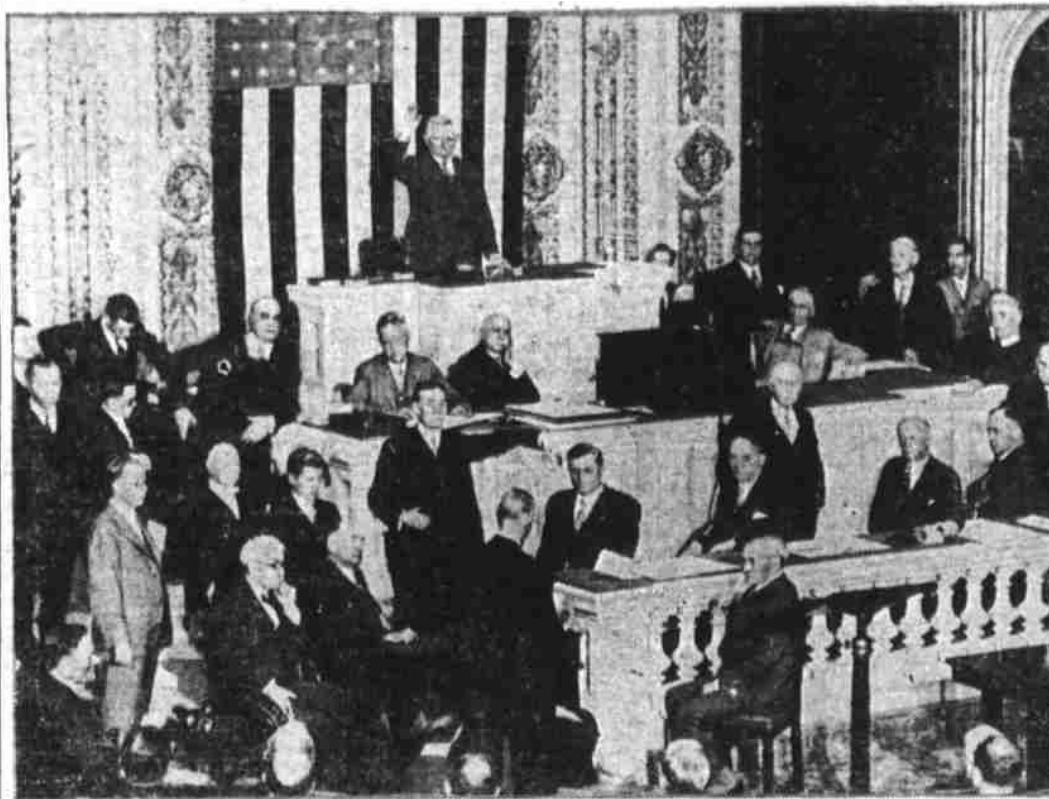
### Useful Novelties Offer Wide Field for Gift Selections in Big Spring Shops This Season

With only twelve shopping days until Christmas, one realizes that he must buy his gifts now. Big Spring shops are offering some very attractive novelties, some useful things, as well as combinations of the two.

For the first time, beautiful sheets and pillow case sets in makeup boxes are being shown. Dainty dolls with lace and ribbon dresses to hold powder puffs will add greatly to a guest room. Novelties for the what-not are always welcome. Miniature china dogs, old-fashioned spinning wheels, odd-shaped vases and doll looking elephants and monkeys can be found in plenty.

Handmade gifts are probably the most appreciated of all gifts. One can find luncheon sets, evening or sport handkerchiefs, wastebaskets, boucior pillows and doll pajamas, and bridge table covers.

### GARNER OPENS DEMOCRATIC-CONTROLLED HOUSE



This striking scene in the house of representatives shows John N. Garner of Texas (with upraised hand) behind the speaker's desk as the 72nd congress was opened. A democratic majority gave Garner the speakership by a vote of 218 to 207. It was the first time since the end of the World war that democrats organized the house.

### East Texas Pool Again Cut

#### O. R. C. Names 100 Barrels Per Well New Basis Of Crude Control

AUSTIN, Dec. 10 (AP)—Governor Sterling ordered the East Texas oil production reduced to 100 barrels per well effective Friday. The field now is allowed 125 barrels per well. Production again has gone above 400,000 barrels per day.

### LATE FLASHES

(By The Associated Press) WASHINGTON.—Speaker John Garner said the house wouldn't act on a Hoover moratorium before December 15, Shell, Republican leader, agreed that more time was necessary.

WASHINGTON.—The senate adopted without debate the Hiram Johnson resolution ordering an inquiry into the sale, flotation and amounts of foreign securities held in America, Johnson is fighting the moratorium, which already has sufficient votes pledged for passage.

PARIS.—Japan and China both formally accepted the league of nations resolution for Manchurian peace. Japan reserved the right to act against bandits. China reserved rights under the league vengnant and various treaties.

WASHINGTON.—French Ambassador Claudet notified the state department that France believes revision of German reparations requires corresponding reduction of the allies' war debts to America. French ministers to other countries made similar announcements. The French attitude generally is known but this is the first formal notification.

ALPINE.—Dickey Hancock, 5, was seriously injured when he fell from a windmill at the home of his grandfather, F. A. Gillett. It was feared his spine was broken.

LEWISBURG, W. Va.—A mob of about 60 men took Tom Jackson, 25, and George Banks, 27, negroes, from jail and lynched them by hanging to a telephone pole outside town, ridding the bodies with bullets. They were held in connection with the slaying of Constable Joseph Myles.

Paylor Services Set For Friday

Funeral services for John Harvey Paylor, 65, Texas & Pacific Railway conductor who died from a heart attack Tuesday after serving the T. & P. 47 years, will be held from Eberly Funeral Home Friday at 3 o'clock with a Methodist minister officiating.

The Knights Templar will be in charge of services at the graveside with members of the Order of Railway Conductors as honorary pallbearers.

### Burns Heads K. of P. Lodge

Morris Burns was elected chancellor of the local lodge, Knights of Pythias, in the annual election held Tuesday evening. It was announced a box supper for members, their families and friends would be held next Tuesday evening in the lodge rooms.

Other officers elected were: vice chancellor commander, J. A. Smith; keeper of record and seal, L. F. Smith; recommended for local representative, Walter Vastine; trustee, W. W. Fisher; inner guard, L. B. Bell; outer guard, James Little.

### Recommendation Of Meeting On Cotton Acreage Clarified

Following inquiries from several farmers who misinterpreted a report of a recent meeting here, which went on record as favoring enforcement of the state cotton acreage reduction law, J. V. Bush, county farm agent, made further explanations of the meeting's action.

The meeting voted in favor of the farmers of this county following provisions of the law whether the state enforces it or not. However, it was pointed out, the meeting merely recommended this and made no move toward setting up any county enforcement organization that would serve in case the state failed to enforce the law.

### Hardgraves Manages Big Spring Theatres

Harry Hardgraves is acting manager of the Ritz and Queen theatres for the Hughes-Franklin Co. Mr. Hardgraves is acting in place of Fred Polacek, who was ordered to Dallas for treatment of sinus trouble. Mr. Hardgraves is regular manager of one of the Dallas theatres, which is being renovated and improved.

Mr. Polacek is expected to return to his duties here in three or four weeks.

### 'Devils' Grid Squad To Be Feast Honorees

Mothers of members of the 'Devils' Big Spring junior school football squad, will be hostesses Friday evening at a banquet in the Crawford banquet hall honoring the boys.

D. H. Reed, Junior high principal, will be toastmaster. Ben Daniel, of the Devils' coach, will be honor guest.

### Distress Of Employees Is One Subject

#### Couzens Resolution For Broad Study By Joint Committee

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 (AP)—The senate interstate commerce committee unanimously approved the Couzens resolution authorizing a board investigation of the condition of railroads by a joint congressional committee.

The purpose is to find means for the government to alleviate financial difficulties of the railroads and distress among workers. The resolution cites a movement to reduce salaries and claims by the roads for governmental financial assistance. A favorable report on the resolution will be submitted to the senate immediately.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 10 (AP)—Organized railway labor, with a watchful eye on a strike vote already in progress on a Western line, plunged into deliberations Wednesday on the wage reduction crisis.

Brotherhood spokesmen, guided in their comment as were the secret conference sessions, seemed skeptical that any positive action would be forthcoming until the railway executives have shown their hand in plain, written demand for the suggested flat 10 per cent cut.

More than 1,500 men representing the various organized groups on each of the Nation's railroads gathered together for the first time Wednesday afternoon and began to organize themselves into a working group to tackle the wage cut problem.

Discuss General Policy

Some of the leaders contended there was nothing to discuss but a general policy, that there could be no definite answer because the railroads had made no definite request. The rail presidents who broached the subject of wage reductions to union leaders several weeks ago stated specifically, according to the labor spokesmen, that they had no authority to decide or promise or propose anything, but were merely a discussion group.

As the executives of the brotherhoods and unions met in Chicago, cut on the right of way of the Chicago & Northwestern between 4,000 and 5,000 laborers, mostly trackmen, were making an important decision in what many labor leaders regarded as a test case.

Arbitration Sought

Fredrick H. Flizozal, president of the brotherhood, said the Northwestern had cut wages on "these

### TEMPERATURES

|                   | PM | AM | Thurs. |
|-------------------|----|----|--------|
| 1:30              | 65 | 69 | 69     |
| 2:30              | 68 | 69 | 69     |
| 3:30              | 69 | 69 | 69     |
| 4:30              | 69 | 69 | 69     |
| 5:30              | 69 | 69 | 69     |
| 6:30              | 64 | 64 | 61     |
| 7:30              | 63 | 63 | 53     |
| 8:30              | 61 | 61 | 53     |
| 9:30              | 60 | 60 | 53     |
| 10:30             | 59 | 59 | 53     |
| 11:30             | 59 | 59 | 54     |
| 12:30             | 59 | 59 | 59     |
| Highest yesterday | 65 |    |        |
| Lowest last night | 40 |    |        |

### WEATHER CONDITIONS

Dallas-E Paso Airway 12:30 P. M. Today

Big Spring: sky overcast; wind, south, 16; temperature, 56.

Dallas: sky overcast; moderate fog; wind southeast, 8; temperature 50.

El Paso: sky overcast; wind, northeast, 18; temperature, 45.

### The Weather

Big Spring and vicinity: Cloudy, rain tonight, Friday, partly cloudy and cooler.

West Texas: Cloudy, rain next and east portion tonight, slightly cooler in west portion tonight, Friday, partly cloudy and cooler.

East Texas: Occasional rain tonight and probably Friday. Slightly warmer in east portion tonight.

New Mexico: Unsettled tonight. Snow north central portion. Generally fair Friday.

### Shopping Days

STAY IN SHOPPING DAYS—DO NOT GO AWAY—BUY YOUR CHRISTMAS GIFTS NOW

THE RADIO CREDIT NEWS SERVICE



Potash Deposits in West Texas Due For Early Development Says University Chemistry Authority

(Early development of the vast deposits of potash which are known to exist in West Texas is forecast by Dr. E. P. Schuch, director of the Bureau of Industrial Chemistry at the University of Texas...)

By DR. E. P. SCHUCH Director of Bureau of Industrial Chemistry at the University of Texas.

POTASH is found in western Texas as in the form of polyhalite, a mineral composed of calcium sulphate, magnesium sulphate, potassium sulphate and water. This mineral is usually brick red in color...

10 per cent potassium sulphate solution. The mixture is then filtered rapidly, or "centrifuged," and the solid residue is further extracted with lime so as to extract all the remaining potassium sulphate...

Solid Residue The solid residue left from the potassium sulphate extraction is composed of 50 per cent of gypsum and 10 per cent of magnesium hydroxide...

The first and most striking advantage of this new process is that it does away with the one to two hour roasting to which the former process subjected the ore...

New Operation The essential new operation which made earlier refining method possible is the fact that when polyhalite is heated for one to two hours...

This operation of roasting the ore and extracting the roasted material with hot water is expensive both in equipment and in operation. Hence the writer has been steadily seeking for a method of extraction which would not require this operation...

It is evident that the complete conversion of the ore into soluble products, and this by a simple cheap process, puts polyhalite into a wonderfully advantageous position...

The other by-product, gypsum, is delivered as by-product in the form of a filter cake. Except for the cost of drying, this material is identical with the material in a regular plant...

Homer Lawrence, representative of the Federal Hardware and Implement Fire Insurance company with headquarters in San Angelo was in the city today.

Harvey Lynn, district salesman of Goodrich Rubber Co., with headquarters in San Angelo, was in the city yesterday.

Humble Funeral Is Prepared For Purported Heir

PALESTINE, Tex., Dec. 4 (UP)—An humble burial was prepared for C. J. Hiser, 52, boiler-maker, known to his fellow workmen in the railroad shop here as the heir to a great British fortune.

Hiser was known to be a member of a London family descended from Lloyd George, Sutton. When Littlejohn Sutton, presumably a member of the same family, died several years ago, he left a \$50,000 estate.

Two years ago a man representing himself as a British baronet came to Palestine and told Hiser he had been named as one of the Sutton heirs.

Bright Spots In Business

MARSHALL, Tex.—Texas & Pacific shops which closed Nov. 13 have reopened giving work to several hundred.

WESLACO, Tex.—The Security State Bank, closed a month ago, has reopened here.

NEW YORK.—Business failures for the week ended Nov. 28 were 24 per cent fewer than the preceding week and 15 per cent below the corresponding week of 1930, Bradstreet's reported.

CLEVELAND.—Seiberling Rubber Co., reported for the year ended Oct. 31 a net profit of \$500,347, compared with a net loss of \$1,282,98 in the preceding fiscal year.

TOLEDO, O.—The Electric Auto Lite Co. was awarded the contract for furnishing starting, lighting and ignition equipment for the new Rockne Six.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3 (UP)—The Canadian Board of Conciliation today recommended a wage reduction of 10 cents on a Canadian railroad according to a Dow Jones & Company's Ottawa dispatch.

Justamere Bridge Club Receives Two Membership Increased To Twelve By New Additions

The members of the Justamere Bridge Club took membership at their regular meeting Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Wilburn Barcus and Mrs. E. V. Spence, bringing their number to twelve.

Plants Busy The 21 domestic plants are now busy producing the new line. The stimulus to employment in the Chevrolet organization, in affiliated Fisher Body plants and among independent suppliers made possible by the introduction of the car...

Experienced Demonstrator In Lectures

Attendance is increasing at the Cooking School conducted at the Crawford Hotel Ballroom by Mrs. Lenore Standifer, well known demonstrator, for the La France Flour mills, under the local directions of Wilson and Clare. Mrs. Standifer retains the good old methods of cooking, combining them with the best of the new and her talk was filled with hints and short cuts which the audience appreciated as much as her recipes.

A large hall has been arranged for her in the Crawford Ballroom fitted with kitchen equipment from the Rix Furniture Co., a Frigidaire from the Faw Co., a gas stove from the Empire Southern Gas Co. Mrs. Standifer was very ably assisted by Mrs. Ruth Helms.

The aims of cooking school are to teach the women to make such things as colored bread, and infallible rolls, good pie crust, delicious angelfood, and cakes of various kinds under the competent direction.

Friday's session will include box cream rolls, meats, a silver cake recipe and secrets of angelfood making and baking. Every visitor is given a souvenir recipe book.

Dealers Display New Chevrolet Models



Chevrolet's new car for 1932 (shown above) went on display Saturday at dealer showrooms throughout the nation. Hundreds crowded into the Carter Chevrolet company's plant at Third and Johnson streets, to inspect the new model.

Chevrolet's new car for 1932 went on display yesterday at dealer showrooms throughout the nation.

Embodiment of silent, sleek, mesh transmission in combination with selective free-wheeling, a twenty per cent increase in power, top speed of 65 to 70 miles an hour, streamlined bodies and a wealth of other new features, the new car remains in the price range of the current series, the lowest at which a Chevrolet has ever sold.

Heralded as "The Great American Value for 1932," the car boasts more extensive changes than any annual Chevrolet model since the change-over to a six in 1928. Yet, a condenser on a Canadian railroad according to a Dow Jones & Company's Ottawa dispatch.

Practically every proven automotive feature of recent years is incorporated in the new 1932 Chevrolet, as well as a new "stabilized" front end construction embodied for the first time on any car. Outstanding improvements in the 32 line over last year's models are: over-draft carburetion, counter balanced crankshaft, smaller wheels and larger tires, radically changed front appearance, "finger touch" front seat adjustment, cowling on all models, hood doors instead of louvers, improved clutch and an additional cross member in the frame.

While the wheelbase remains at 109 inches, the car looks longer than last year, lower, speedier and more powerful—promises borne out by the greatly improved power plant.

The most striking change in exterior appearance is the new front end, which has been completely redesigned.

The new "stabilized" front end mounting is an important feature of the new car. In conventional mounting the radiator, fenders and headlamps are supported from the sides of the frame, and in driving over rough roads the front end tends to occupants of the car and frequently results in the origin of squeaks and rattles at points of stress.

In the new Chevrolet, the fender, radiator and headlamps are carried on a single fender support unit, which is anchored to the center of the front cross-member of the frame. This pivotal anchorage enables the front end to sway with the body as a unit, thus reducing the annoying weave as well as the possibility of squeaks and rattles developing at points of stress.

Funeral Held Here For Windham Baby

Funeral services for Opal Lawrence Windham, age one year and nine months, who died at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday, were held from the home of the parents at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Employees of Beauty Steam Laundry and Allen Grocery were added Saturday to the list of 100 per cent donors to the Community Chest fund.

Two More Firms In 100 Per Cent Class

80 Per Cent of Disease May Be Traced Directly to Mouth, Teeth Local Dentist Tells Rotary Club

The following address was given before the Big Spring Rotary Club at its regular meeting held Tuesday noon at the Settles Hotel by Dr. E. O. Ellington, well-known dentist of this city:

Sir William Osler, several years ago stated that more human suffering was caused by defective teeth than by alcohol and he never minimized the suffering caused by that drug. The Mayo Brothers, famous surgeons of Rochester, Minnesota, are quoted as having said that 80 per cent of all diseases that the human body is heir to are directly traceable to mouth and teeth.

The general practitioner of medicine will concede in the statement that all general disease has as a fundamental factor, malnutrition. The significance is that defective teeth and malnutrition are almost invariably, a hand-in-hand proposition. Specialists in the treatment of tuberculosis constantly say that it is almost impossible to treat or cure this disease if the mouth is not in good condition.

Figures gathered as a result of medical inspection in Pennsylvania during the last several years have told us that 70 per cent of the school children in Pennsylvania have dental defects. This 70 per cent of all dental defects combined which include flat feet, bad eyes, ears, nose, throat, heart, lungs, etc. These figures bear out a statement made long ago that dental caries or tooth decay is the most prevalent disease of mankind.

These defects are not new and have resulted in the establishment of dental clinics in large numbers throughout the United States. Some of these clinics have been in existence for twelve or fifteen years or long enough to judge as to their efficiency and those in a position to know make the assertion—that while the dental clinic has been of great service, it is entirely adequate to meet the problem at hand.

There is another method of educating which is being used quite successfully particularly in Virginia which applies to the rural districts. There the state department of health operates a number of corrective dental clinic units on a cooperative basis with the local rural school districts, these clinics charging a minimum fee, which is possible, for all service rendered and, by this means, they are carrying dental service to otherwise remote areas.

The fundamental principle involved in assuring children of future generations good teeth, and healthy bodies is in the teaching of proper diet. If we eat exactly what we should the way we should, it would not be necessary to talk about the care of the teeth nor would we be much concerned over general disease. Animals do not have tooth brushes nor do they have toothache and again living in their natural environment, animals do not suffer from general diseases; they die a death of either violence or of old age, and when they die of old age, they do not give out in internal organs or in any other part of the body, but rather break down simultaneously all over just like "The One Hoss Shay" of post-war fame.

The modern human machine does not go that way and that it is usually the chewing apparatus that gives out first.

Burr Window Prize Winner

I. C. Burr & Company's Christmas Holiday window display was adjudged the best of those presented Thursday evening in Big Spring's formal holiday shopping season.

Balloons cast at the Chamber of Commerce offices by the window gave first honors to the Burr window with second going to Wilson & Clare, grocers who ranked but two votes behind Burr.

Among other firms whose windows received a number of votes were Elmo Wason Man's Store, Huckabee Grocery, Big Spring Hardware Company, Bradshaw Studio, Maurice Shoppe, Crawford Hotel, Coffee Shop.

The Chamber of Commerce will present the winning firm an enlarged picture of the display, which also will be printed in The Herald.

Glaser Leases Market In Hodges Grocery

R. L. Glaser has leased the market department of the Hodges Grocery, 211 East Third street, and J. N. Cauble, well-known Big Spring citizen, will be in charge. Mr. Cauble, an experienced meat market man, having been in this line of work for a number of years.

Mustangs Give Coast Thrill But Lose 7-2 After Failing To Find Goal-Line Punch Offtimes

KEZAR STADIUM, SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 5 (AP)—The Southern Methodist University Mustangs from Dallas, heralded as one of the strongest teams in the nation and one that would give California real "aerial circus" did that in a big way today but lost to the St. Marys Gaels 7 to 2.

Mrs. Biles Scores High at Wednesday Bridge Luncheon

The Wednesday Bridge-Luncheon Club met for a very delicious bridge luncheon party at the Crawford Hotel, with Mrs. C. W. Cunningham as hostess.

A lovely Christmas luncheon, with colors of red and green carried out in the center-piece and the accessories, was served to the eight club members.

Mrs. Biles made high score. The members planned for a New Year's eve party with their husbands and honor guests. The members will get to the Crawford Hotel for dinner and spend rest of evening playing bridge at Mrs. Fishers' home.

Those attending were Meses Albert M. Fisher, R. Homer McNew, Bruce Frazier, Seth H. Parsons, Garland Woodward, Ira Thurman and J. Biles.

Economy Bridge Votes On Two New Members

The members of the Economy Bridge Club met with Mrs. Geo. S. Grimes for a session of bridge Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Thomas Leslie and Mrs. Wayne Pierce were taken in a new member.

A color scheme of red and green was effectively carried out in decorations of the room and in the refreshments plate on which were served red banana puddings covered with cream whipping cream.

Mrs. Lane made high score and received half powder as a prize and Mrs. Harvel was consoled for low with a refrigerator set.

Miss Elizabeth Davis was a guest. The member attending were Meses Geo. S. Harvey, Geo. S. Grimes, Johnny Lane, Floyd Timmons, Glenn Parmley, Jack Warkut and Leslie.

Rev. Culpepper, New Pastor, To Fill Pulpit Today

Rev. J. M. Culpepper, new pastor of the Wesley Memorial Methodist church, has issued an invitation to the public to attend its services today.

Mr. Culpepper, formerly of Memphis, Tenn., is a son of Rev. Burke Culpepper, one of the outstanding evangelists of Southern Methodism. J. M. Culpepper is one of the most promising of the younger pastors of the Northwest Texas Methodist conference. He was educated in the Memphis university, Asbury college at Wilmore, Kentucky, and the University of Kentucky.

Stanton Grid Leader, Injured at Snyder, Able To Return Home

Captain Billy Kelly of the Stanton high school football team, who suffered a brain concussion when he was kicked in the Stanton-Snyder game Friday was reported greatly improved last night.

The boy was hurt in the second period but played through the game. He rivaled McClinton, the Snyder ace, for individual playing honors. After the game it was found he suffered a concussion and through much of Friday night he was in a serious condition at a hospital in Colorado. He returned to his home late yesterday, apparently recovered.

G.I.A. Reelect All Officers At Session

The G.I.A.'s held an election of officers at the regular meeting Thursday afternoon at the Woodman Hall, which resulted in a re-election of all the old officers to their posts.

Mrs. A. B. Wade was re-elected president; Mrs. Tamar Smith, vice-president; Mrs. Chas. Vines, secretary; Mrs. A. F. West, treasurer; Mrs. Max Wiesen, relief secretary; Mrs. W. C. Bird, guide; Mrs. R. Schwarzenbach, chaplain and Mrs. P. H. Coburn, sentinel.

Those attending were Meses Wade, Smith, Vines, West, Wiesen, Bird, Schwarzenbach, Coburn and Chas. Kobeg.

Pageant To Be Given By First Baptist Y.P.

The young people of the First Baptist church will give a pageant of the church tomorrow evening entitled, "Giving Like the Wise Men Gave," in the main auditorium.

This will officially close the Lotte Moon Christmas offering service which have been carried on at the church by the women for the past three days.

The pageant will be presented in costume with music; the solos and duets to be sung by Mrs. R. Homer McNew and Miss Corine Day, with Miss Katherine Sangster as director and pianist.

A free-will offering will conclude the evening program, during which members of the church will present their mite boxes, the donation to go to missionary work in foreign fields.

Funeral Held Here For Windham Baby

Funeral services for Opal Lawrence Windham, age one year and nine months, who died at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday, were held from the home of the parents at 2 o'clock this afternoon.



# The Herald's All-Star Page Of Comics And Features

## Daily Cross Word Puzzle

**ACROSS**

1. Root of the mouth  
7. One who climbs  
13. Cliché  
14. Hair ointment  
15. Dry, insectivorous winged fruit  
16. Omitted in pronouncing  
17. Small pin used in golf  
18. Compartment in a barn  
19. Type measure  
21. Populated  
22. Subtle  
23. Inevitable emanation  
24. Thin plate of bone in the ear  
25. Reptiles  
26. Extinction in which one is held  
27. Aimed high  
28. State: French  
29. Salt springs  
30. Crock  
31. Spanish gentleman

**Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle**

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**DOWN**

1. Nuisance  
2. Winger  
3. Crippled  
4. Lutan savage  
5. Concede  
6. Muse of lyric poetry  
7. School book  
8. Institution of learning  
9. Friend  
10. Put cargo on a vessel  
11. Paradox  
12. Anarchists  
13. Quick to learn  
14. French capital  
15. Swindler  
16. A king of Judah  
17. Period of prosperity  
18. Tear apart  
19. Mongrel dog  
20. Greek letter  
21. Clear gain  
22. Rubbing out  
23. Chances  
24. Clamor  
25. Norwegian  
26. Burst forth  
27. Violently  
28. Animals; slang  
29. Russian island sea  
30. Implemented  
31. Island; post  
32. Boat  
33. Decade  
34. Obtained

### REG'LAR FELLERS



### Fare Enough

by Gene Byrnes

### PA'S SON-IN-LAW

### Surprise!

by Wellington



### DIANA DANE

Trademark Reg. Applied For U. S. Patent Office

### Misplaced Sympathy?

by Don Flowers



### SCORCHY SMITH

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### Forked Trails

by John C. Terry



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### At Last

by Fred Locher



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## Daily Radio Program

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11 (Central Standard Time)

P. M. unless indicated. Programs and station lists subject to change.

6:30 - Pageant - Also WGTZ WKYZ WREB WWO WBBM WCCO KMOX KMBG KFPJ KILLD

7:00 - Round Towners - Also WBCM WREB WLC WBRG WISN WTAQ WCCO WMT KTRH KTRK WAO

7:30 - Tito Guizar - Also WBCM WREB WLC WBRG WMT; Myrt and Margie - Only WXYZ WLAJ WBBM WCCO KMBG KDYL KLE

8:00 - Bing Crosby (Repeat) - Only WGN WEST WCHM WLAJ WBOB WREB WLC WBRG WISN WTAQ WCCO WMT KTRH KTRK WAO

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Need Radical Change
HENRY FORD always was different.
When he told the United States
Press the other day that he expects
to see prosperity come back in a
bigger style than ever before, he

Big Brothers
(Continued From Page 1)
having enjoyed the game from the
sidelines for the first two quarters,

Woman's Exchange
To Open In Club
House, Afternoons
The City Federation has decided to
hold a Woman's Exchange at the
club house beginning tomorrow, as

City Hall Permit
Hikes City Total
Due to issuance of a permit to
build the municipal building total
of building permits for the first
eight days of December amounted

Distress
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New Hog Curing Methods
Recipes for Dry Curing and for Corned
Beef

COLLEGE STATION—Hog killing
weather calls attention to the
modern killing, cutting and curing
methods brought by county agents
to Texas farms to give pork prod-
ucts equal in quality to packing
house meat.

Dry Cure
The dry cure used by most county
agents is made up of 8 pounds salt
and 2 pounds brown sugar and 2
ounces saltpeter for every 100 pounds
of meat.

Corned Beef
The following is a good recipe
for corned beef using 100 pounds of
meat:

Big Brothers
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West showing the way with six field
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J. H. Paylor,
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To Be Buried

Heart Attack Fatal To
Local Man Day After
65th Birthday

John Harvey Paylor, who reached
the sixty-fifth milestone of life
Monday, was found dead in his
room at the Schull home, 202 Goliad
street, at 11 p. m. Tuesday by Lee
Counts who went to call him for
duty as conductor on Texas &
Pacific train No. 6.

Mr. Paylor died from heart at-
tack, a physician called to the scene
announced. He suffered from heart
trouble several months ago, friends
said.

It was Mr. Paylor's custom to go
down to the passenger station an
hour or so before the time to de-
part on a run. When he did not
show up at 11 p. m. 25 minutes be-
fore time for No. 6, to arrive from
the west Lee Counts, a caller, went
to his room.

Mr. Paylor was found dead. In-
dications were he had been dead
since about 2 p. m. Tuesday. He had
been sitting on the side of a bed
making out a report when he suf-
fered the fatal attack. When found
his body was lying on one side, on
the edge of the bed. In the left
hand were some passenger tickets
in the right a railroad pass and a
pencil. One foot had pushed the
stove over until it stood on two legs
and was about to fall over. Mr. Pay-
lor's foot had been badly burned
but his clothing did not ignite.

Funeral services will be held Fri-
day at 3 p. m. from Eberly Funeral
Home, where a Methodist minister
will officiate. At the grave side
members of the Order of Railway
Conductors will have charge. Con-
ductors will act as pall bearers.

Surviving Mr. Paylor, who was a
bachelor, are a nephew, Tobe Paylor,
of Big Spring; three brothers, J. B.
Paylor of Clyde and Charlie Paylor
of Fort Worth, who were to reach
here at 4:40 p. m. Wednesday,
and Burris Paylor of Englewood,
Calif., who will arrive Thursday
evening.

Mr. Paylor had told relatives and
friends a few days ago that, with
arrival of his 65th birthday he ex-
pected to apply for retirement pen-
sion about January 1. Mrs. Eddie
Watts had planned a dinner in a
few days, honoring her husband,
and Mr. Paylor, whose birthdays oc-
curred but a few days apart.

Worked On Ranch
His whole life, Mr. Watson says
seems to have been a training for
this particular job. Although he was
born in Louisiana in Downsville

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Cans on Percentage
Basis; Feeds Family
Without a Garden

Mrs. G. T. Baum of the Soash
Home Demonstration club turned
what was a misfortune into a
good fortune.

It was necessary for Mrs.
Baum to move from the farm
that she was renting; conse-
quently she left her garden. De-
termined to have realized some-
thing from study of pressure
canning, Mrs. Baum canned veg-
etables and meats for her moth-
er and friends on shares and a
percentage basis. Much of the
canning was done with club
cooker.

Mrs. Baum has canned 105
quarts of shelled peas; 91 quarts
snap beans; 223 quarts corn; 95
quarts meat; 21 quarts pickles
and relishes; 60 quarts tomatoes;
15 quarts preserves.

Mrs. Stegner Is
Leader In Third
Faculty Session

"The Rating of Teachers" was
the topic discussed by the faculty
of the h. h. school at the third
monthly meeting Monday after-
noon. It was led by Mrs. H. E.
Stegner.

Topics to be discussed are:
Training for efficient study; extra-
curricular activities as a means of
improving teachers' value to com-
munity; what a teacher should be
rated on; teachers' place in a
program of school publicity; training
of pupils for efficient study;
measuring the results of the
teaching art; the scoring and in-
terpretation of tests and measure-
ments; newer methods of class
room instruction; and what a
teacher may do during the sum-
mer that would make toward pro-
fessional advancement.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE
The State of Texas, County of
Howard. Whereas, by virtue of a
certain order of sale issued out of
the district court of Howard county,
Texas, on the 8th day of Decem-
ber, A. D. 1931, wherein Ralph Pleas-
ant is plaintiff and W. E. Boring,
Zelpher Gilbert Boring, Rose Eber-
hart and Clyde E. Thomas are de-
fendants, and Liberty National Bank
of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, is
intervenor, on a judgment rendered
in said court on the 30th day of
November, A. D. 1931, in favor of
the plaintiff, Ralph Pleasant, as
against the defendant, W. E. Boring,
for the sum of \$419.83, with interest
thereon from the date of said judg-
ment and commanding me as sheriff
of Howard county, Texas, to seize the
hereinafter described property and
sell same as under execution in sat-
isfaction of said judgment; I have
levied upon and will on the 5th day
of January, A. D. 1932, same being
the first Tuesday in said month, be-
tween the hours of ten o'clock a. m.
and four o'clock p. m., at the court
house door of said county, proceed
to sell for cash to the highest bid-
der, all the right, title and interest
of W. E. Boring, Zelpher Gilbert
Boring, Rose Eberhart and Clyde
E. Thomas, in and to the follow-
ing described property, lying upon
to-wit:

Situated in Howard county, Tex-
as and known and described as fol-
lows: The middle 50 feet of Lot No.
Two (2), in Block No. Seventy-four
(74) in the City of Big Spring,
Howard County, Texas.

The above sale to be made by me
to satisfy the above described judg-
ment for \$3,407.55, in favor of Inter-
venor, Liberty National Bank, and
said judgment in the sum of \$419.83
in favor of plaintiff, Ralph Pleas-
ant, together with all cost of suit

and sale, and the proceeds to be
applied to the satisfaction thereof
in accordance with the terms of said
judgment.

JESS SLAUGHTER,
Sheriff Howard County, Texas
By A. J. MERRICK, Deputy.
Dated at Big Spring, Howard Co.,
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No. 9 Closed
In Glascock

All motorists were being stop-
ped Wednesday on South Stur-
tevant by highway department
employees and told not to attempt
to drive on highway 9 past the oil
field, because of the impassable
condition of a stretch of road in
Glascock county.

One motorist, asking the reason
for closing the road below the
oil field, was told that "we have been
pulling 'em out of that stretch for
several days. When it got so bad
we couldn't pull 'em out so we closed
it."

Tourist traffic was being rou-
ted from here via Sweetwater or
Abilene and from San Angelo via
those cities, it was reported.

E. F. Duncan, attorney, formerly
of Big Spring, who has been in
Longview several months, visited
friends here Sunday. He said he had
decided his native West Texas suited
him better and that he planned
locating in Sweetwater. He was
reared at Roscoe.

Road Report
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## Enrollment In Public Schools Increases Steadily Since Opening

On September 30, the total enrollment of the Big Spring Public Schools was 2124, in high school, on November 8, the total enrollment was 2,225, with 539 in high school.

### REPORT CARDS

How many A's or B's did you make this week? Are you satisfied with the results? Will you continue to remain in the same class of students who are not so much interested about their grades, or will you strive to attain a high mark of excellence in your school work? Will you acknowledge that the grade you have received is as fair a representation of your efforts as could be given or will you grumble about something about a teacher being down on you and gave you a bad mark? If your situation is thus, the only way to make a teacher like you is to study hard.

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## Big Spring High School All-American Football Team

The following selection of the Big Spring "All-American" football team was found posted on the bulletin board at school. The Editorial Staff is unable to verify the fact that the judges reputed to be on the list were on the committee.

- Left End ..... Jane Tinsley
  - Left Tackle ..... Shorty Briggs
  - Left Guard ..... Florine Rankin
  - Center ..... Edythe Ford
  - Right Guard ..... Lillian Crawford
  - Right Tackle ..... Marguerette Tucker
  - Right End ..... Hazel Smith
  - Quarterback ..... Mattie Satterwhite
  - Half-back ..... Modesta Good
  - Half-back ..... Dorothya Frost
  - Full-back ..... Viama Sanders
- Selected by: Pop Warner, Alfonso Stagg, Ray Morrison, Obie Bristow, Pearl Butler.

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## High School Society Notes

"Facta non verba" was adopted as the club's motto. Aubrey Davis, Christine Zaropolis, and Hudson Healey were appointed as the program committee. The club expects to have an interesting program prepared by the next meeting.

## Member of Local Faculty To Marry

Miss Davis, a member of the faculty of B.S.H.S., is to be married to Norman Teague Hutchison of Midland, December 29, 1931.

## Choral Club Working On Christmas Program

Members of the Choral Club plan to have their first lesson this afternoon. They have been working faithfully, with the help of a few other pupils from the English classes to help give a Christmas program before assembly. This club plans to furnish music for the baccalaureate services. It also plans to accept the invitation from Sul Ross State Teachers College at Alpine to sing there this spring.

## Miss Vandergriff's Home Room Organizes

Miss Ethel Vandergriff's home room held an election of officers December 1 during the activity period. Those elected were: Mary Louise Burns, president; Viama Sanders, vice president; Ada Bell Hawkins, secretary; Velma Scott, chairman of program committee; and Maurice Smith, reporter.

## New Programs Announced For P. E. Classes

The schedule for the girls of the P.E. department as given by Miss Kitty Wingo is as follows: The work of the first, third, seventh and eighth period classes will be at least two new tap dances, and the fourth period class will learn the Schottische and Polka steps.

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## One-Act Play Casts Chosen

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## Senior's Diary

Dear Diary: It hailed last night so hard that I couldn't sleep very well; anyhow, I got up early and studied for that English test. Teacher said it would be the hardest one this year and cover the whole book so far. After an hour and a half of that the mater announced breakfast. She must have noted how unusually industrious her little angel was, 'cause she had a lot of hot waffles, 'covered and smothered with syrup,' the kind we get from my kinfolks in Alabama. Boy howdy! Were they good? I only ate four; some day I'm going to get her to tell me the day she intends to have waffles next, so I can starve a day or so in preparation.

## Library—Miss Agnew, Librarian

Miss Agnew decided she would clean up the library last week so now you can't even stick your foot inside the door before you hear someone yell, "Get out," and "say out!" From then on you generally understand that you are not wanted therein, except at the window to check out a book.

## New Articles Given Museum

Several additions to the West Texas Memorial Museum have been made recently in forms of loans or donations. Some of the articles have been by the students of the high school, and others by people wishing to make the museum a success.

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## P. E. Class Has Kangaroo Court

The third period Physical Education class, confined indoors Monday morning due to weather conditions, had a term of court with Edward Shuck, judge, Hudson Healey as prosecuting attorney, and J. P. Rutledge as "spatter."

## Home Economics Laboratory

Miss McElroy, instructor in Foods Mrs. Brown, instructor in Clothing the foods class gave a tea for the faculty Friday afternoon. Practically all the faculty was present at one time or another during the hour. They entertained the Senior High P.T.A. Tuesday afternoon and served tea afterwards. The program was the same that rendered in assembly Thursday.

## Cox's Home Room to Study Student Government

Miss Clara Cox's home room was organized during activity period Wednesday, December 1, 1931. The purpose of the study of this government is the study of what constitutes citizenship—to begin in a small way to assume the responsibilities of a useful member of society.

## Current Event History Club Changes Meeting Time

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## Cosden Deats Faculty 15 to 10

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## New Method of Selecting Cage Pep Squad Adopted

The 1931-'32 basketball pep squad will be composed of five members selected from each club in high school, to be selected from each organization by Friday. Although the membership has heretofore been voluntary, it is considered that the club selection will be representative.

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Mid-West Sets Pace On All-America Team Compiled By Associated Press

Three Notre Dame Men Chosen On First Team

BY ALAN GOULD (Associated Press Sports Editor) NEW YORK, Dec. 5 (UP)—As the smoke from the barrage of All-America ballots cleared away today, the great mid-west emerged with a clear-cut advantage over all rival sections on the football battlefields.

The south and far west, each of which disputes the mid-west's claims to team supremacy, gained two positions apiece. The lone eastern representative on the eleven is William Barry Wood Jr., Harvard's captain and the outstanding choice of the nation for the quarterback role occupied for the previous two years by Frank Cardozo of Notre Dame.

Schwartz Repeats Notre Dame, with three places and Northwestern, with two, duplicate their achievements in the 1930 Associated Press balloting. The all-star representatives of the Fighting Irish are Marchmont Schwartz in the backfield, Captain Tom Yarr at center and Frank Hoffman at guard. Northwestern placed Pug Rentner among the ball carriers and Dallas Marvill at tackle. The sixth midwestern honor man is Minnesota's 212-pound captain, Clarence Munn.

The south furnishes the two All-America ends in Captain Gerald Dalrymple of Tulane and Vernon Clarence Munn, Minnesota's colorful performer.

The far west's contributions to the first team are Erny Pinckert, star blocking back of the University of Southern California, and Paul Schwegler, great tackle of the University of Washington.

Dalrymple Second in Votes The results of the Associated Press balloting in the seventh annual consensus since Walter Camp's death indicate striking support for several of their choices. Schwartz was voted the year's outstanding back, with 253 votes out of a possible 270.

Dalrymple was not far behind in total votes, with 225, and Munn with 201, rated as the outstanding lineman. Rentner, with 217, and Wood, with 218, also were overwhelming favorites.

Leadership of the mid-west was maintained in the selection of second and third All-America teams. Of the total of 33 players placed 14 go to the mid-west, eight to the east, five to the far west and one to the south-west.

Last year the mid-west led with 11, while the far west gained nine places, the east eight, the south four and southwest one.

Pinckert By A Nose The principal contests in the 1931 balloting involved the fourth backfield position and the second tackle job. Pinckert, the only repeater besides Schwartz, needed a strong closing support to stiffen a margin as fine as Gene McEver of Tennessee, Don Zimmerman of Tulane and Bart Viviano of Cornell for the post of honor with Wood, Schwartz and Rentner.

Not far behind these performers, in the roundup of ballots, were Bill Morton of Dartmouth, the second team choice for quarterback, Carl Crum, Ohio State's flashy sophomore; Orville Mohler of Southern California, Wildon (Speedy) Mason of Southern Methodist and Albie Booth of Yale. All of these stars placed on the All-America squad.

Smith and Dalrymple easily proved the class of the ends, riding along in a tidal wave of votes. Captain Henry Cronkite of Kansas State and Captain Johnny Gray of Colgate gained strong support, as did Garrett Arbellid of Southern California and a comparative stranger to the "big league" ballyhoos, Fred Felber of the University of North Dakota.

Corvick's star-end, Jose Martinez-Zorrilla, attracted widespread attention among the voters. So did the "grand opera twins" of Holy Cross, Cavalieri and Colucci. Marvill was well ahead of the field in the final tabulation of votes for tackle but Schwegler of Washington had a strenuous time gaining the decision on the other side of the line. Fine tackles were numerous, especially in the mid-west.

Kurt's end; Krause of Notre Dame; Riley of Northwestern; MacMurry and Quate of Pittsburgh; Price of the Army and Itha of Nebraska all caught the eye of the experts. Kurt especially ran strong and came close to giving Notre Dame a fourth first string spot in the All-America lineup.

Baker C-uses Strong Munn and Hoffman were the outstanding guards, although this position, also, showed strong backing for a number of good men. Johnny Baker of Southern California undoubtedly would have given either first-string choice a stranger run if he had performed again all rivals as he did in moving the horse tie against Notre Dame.

Evans of Northwestern, Hickman of Tennessee and Kabat of Wisconsin were other leaders but the list of noteworthy guards also included Horvitz of Chicago, Zentell of Holy Cross and Zeller of Indiana. Yarr's only real rivals in the balloting for center were Ralph Daugherty of Pittsburgh and Maynard Morrison of Michigan. Experts who have seen all three perform are sharply divided in opinion. Several

The 1931 All-America Team

ALL AMERICA 1931



Table with 6 columns: Player Name, College, Position, Age, Hgt., Wgt., Residence, Votes. Lists top players like Dalrymple, Munn, Schwartz, etc.

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Carnegie; Perina, Pennsylvania; Wilson, Washington & Jefferson; Campiglio, West Liberty; Battles, West Virginia Wesleyan; Bush, Massachusetts State; Schumann, Wesleyan; Bonner, Kentucky; Temple, West Virginia; Davis & Elkins; Carbank, Allegheny; Mattox, Washington & Lee; Stecker, Army; Thomas, Virginia; Moran and Fishel, Syracuse; Hinchman, Ohio State; Sanson, Iowa; Weiler, Haskell; Auker, Kansas Aggies; Sauer and Kreiginger, Nebraska; Bove, Drexel; Hinkle, Bucknell; Greenan, Rutgers; Wheaton, DePaul; Parsaca, Detroit; Slack, Marquette; Westfall, Ohio Wesleyan; Stafford, Texas; Grete, Iowa State; Manders, Minnesota; Monnet and Ellowitz, Michigan State; Koken, Shekeletski and Melnikov, Notre Dame; Pilkington, Tulsa; Willis Smith, Idaho; Griffith, Nevada; Moe, Oregon; Krause, Gonzaga; Reynolds, Colgate; Yunevich, Purdue; Moffatt, Stanford.

Officers Installed At Meeting Of Firemen Ladies

The Ladies' Society of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineemen met at the Woodman Hall Wednesday afternoon for installation of new officers for the coming year. Those in attendance were Mmes. Wade, Wiesen, Schotte, M. D. Davis, J. F. Skalkley, Geo. Mims, Kate Norris, E. L. Deason, Myrtle Orr, C. L. Gill, Wilson and Miss Deason.

1st Baptist W.M.U. Concludes Week Of Prayer Service

The members of the First Baptist W. M. U. had an all-day meeting at the church Friday, concluding week of prayer services. Mrs. R. C. Hataek led the devotional both morning and afternoon. The morning service was devoted to prayers of praise and thanks.

Juniors Beat Sophs 22-14

Franklin and Townsend Lead In Second Victory By CURTIS BISHOP The Juniors moved a step nearer the intra-mural championship of the local high school by defeating the Sophomores 22 to 14 Thursday afternoon in the high school gymnasium.

Miss Pool's Room Organized; Harry Jordan, President

Miss Clara Pool's home room at the high school building was organized Friday and officers were elected, Harry Jordan being chosen president. He will be assisted by Earle Reagan, vice-president; Tracy Wood, secretary and treasurer and the following committees: program, Purdie Mason, Lewis Mann and Kathryn Murphy; Scholarship, Buna Edward, Lois Flaxley and Julia Johnson; welfare, J. D. Kendrick, Elizabeth McCarry and Joe John Gilmer; house-keeping, Clemmie Lee Crain, Chloe Stuteville and Eva Bell Barron; social, Willie Mae Heath, Louise Couch and Elizabeth Thompson.

Gives Series Of Informal Parties

Mrs. Seth H. Parsons entertained with the first of a series of informal "repression" parties Friday afternoon at her home on Lancaster street. The guests being anything but repression.

S. S. Pupils Of Mrs. Eckhaus In Playlet

The Sunday School class of the Reformed Jewish Congregation, taught by Mrs. Julius Eckhaus, gave a short playlet Friday evening at the regular meeting of the congregation, in addition to the service conducted by Max Jacobs, director. The play dealt with the Feast of Light, Chanukah which commemorates the dedication of the Temple and was called "Pictures Out of the Past."

Congential Club Plans For Christmas Party

The members of the Congential Club met on Thursday afternoon to plan to allow some of the club to go to Sweetwater to the Methodist meeting Friday, Mrs. Duncean was the hostess. Christmas suggestions were carried out in the clever candle favors and the table centerpiece and the tallies.

Eagles Whip Sweetwater In Bi-District Conflict, Upholding Belt's Record

Early Spree By Hicks Overcome Quickly; Wyatt Has Field Day Against Former Mates; Abilene Clicks In Fourth

By CURTIS BISHOP Special Correspondent The Abilene Eagles defeated the Sweetwater Mustangs 21 to 6 in their bi-district clash Friday afternoon at Abilene before a crowd of 5,500 to maintain the supremacy of the Oil Belt over West Texas football, and to advance a step further on their road to the state championship, which they captured last in 1928.

Yuletide Tea Compliments Mrs. McGeath

Mrs. Bishop and Mrs. Larson Lloyd Are Joint Hostesses Mrs. D. E. Bishop and Mrs. Larson Lloyd entertained with a clever Yuletide tea and handkerchief shower Thursday afternoon, honoring Mrs. Bishop's daughter, Mrs. Joe E. McGeath, of Longview, who is here for a two weeks' visit with her parents. The tea was held at Mrs. Bishop's home on south Main street.

Miss Mabel Eddy and Miss Mamie Hair Dressed Like in Frocks of Black and White, Met the Guests at the Door and Introduced them to the Hostesses and the Honor Guest.

The guests were then ushered into the dining room where Mrs. Lynn Hatcher presided over the tea table, assisted by Misses Eddy and Hair. The centerpiece was a lovely grouping of white chrysanthemums and glossy holly brought from East Texas by Mrs. McGeath. Through-out the house the white chrysanthemums, the holly leaves and large red roses furnished the floral notes in the Christmas colors.

Crawford Dinner-Dance Again Is Successful

"Southern Nights" another of the Crawford Hotel's dinner-dance series, attracted many diners and dancers Friday evening. Guests came into the ballroom for dinner to the tune of southern melodies by Gerald Liberty and his Crawford Hotel orchestra, featuring Broox Havens, accordionist.

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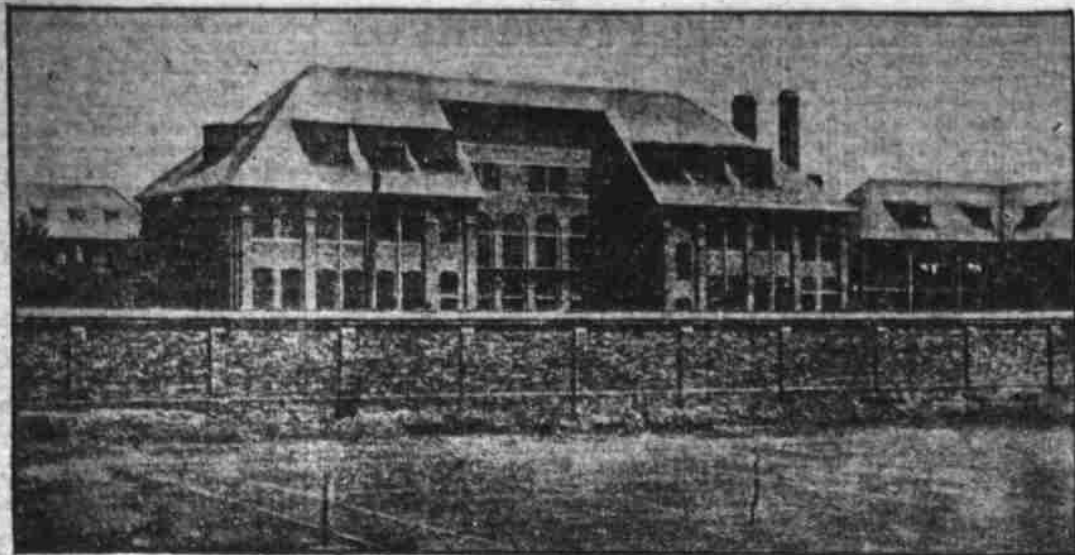
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# News of the Day in Pictures

## AMERICAN GIRLS' SCHOOL SHELLED AT TIENSTEN



This girls' school, a part of the American Methodist mission at Tientsen, China, was struck by a shell during a bombardment of the city by Japanese troops. The students evacuated the school premises and marched to the French area, where they were temporarily quartered.

## WIFE HELPS CONGRESSMAN GARNER



Rep. John M. Garner of Texas, likely successor to the late Nicholas Longworth as speaker of the house, is shown at his desk in Washington dictating a letter to his wife, who has been his secretary since he first came to Washington in 1902. This is an unusually striking view of the colorful Texan.

## Champions Silver



William Jennings Bryan, Jr., like his late father a champion of silver, issued invitations in Los Angeles to governors of 15 states to attend a silver conference.

## Prize Farmerette



Mary Teresa Rico of Keewatin, Minn., won the Sir Thomas Lipton trophy for girls at the national 4-H club congress in Chicago when judges selected her as America's "most outstanding" 4-H club girl. She is a freshman at the University of Minnesota.

## Visits Brother



Rose Allen, Philadelphia debutante, leaving the county jail at Norristown, Pa., after visiting her brother, Edwin. She is accompanied by her father, Young Allen, is charged with slaying his sister's suitor, Francis A. Donaldson, 3rd.

## AFTER CROSS COUNTRY RECORD



Lady Keith-Miller, who set a new west-east transcontinental record only to lose it to Ruth Nichols, hopes to regain her lost laurels. She's shown in Los Angeles with her goggled mascot, Mickey, planning a cross country route for a new record attempt.

## Have New Son



A son was born in a New York hospital to Gene Tunney, former heavyweight boxing champion, and his wife, the former Polly Lauder of Greenwich, Conn.

## THEY'RE HONEYMOONING NOW



Here are Hollywood's latest newlyweds—Constance Bennett and the Marquis Henri de la Falaise de la Coudraye, former husband of Gloria Swanson. They were married shortly after the marquis' divorce decree became final.

## Defends Farm Board



Chairman James C. Stone of the federal farm board shown as he appeared before the senate agriculture committee in Washington to defend the board's purchases of wheat and cotton.

## GARNER SEEKS MEDAL FOR HIM



Congressman John N. Garner is aiding Brownsville, Tex., people in seeking an award for Charles Jackson, 11-year-old Brownsville boy, for his rescue from drowning of two-year-old Ruth Sethman, shown with him. After pulling the girl from water over his head, the boy resuscitated her by working water out of her lungs.

## WALKER COMFORTS MRS. MOONEY



In this Associated Press telephoto Mayer James J. Walker of New York is shown comforting Mrs. Mary Mooney, mother of Thomas J. Mooney, for whom Walker seeks a pardon from a life sentence on a charge of bombing a preparedness parade in San Francisco in 1916.

## All Play—



Harold Lloyd has fun in the movies but evidently his home life is a circus. Here he is "clowning" with his children (top to bottom): Paddy, Mildred Gloria and Harold Gaylord Lloyds.

## ENDS FEUD WITH BROTHER



Rose E. W. Allen, Philadelphia debutante, leaving the county jail at Norristown where she visited her brother, Edwin, for the first time since he was taken into custody for the shotgun slaying of her lover, Francis A. Donaldson, 3rd. She is accompanied by E. G. Pearce, a friend of her father. The girl became estranged from her father and brother following the slaying but friends of the family said the three had become reconciled.

## Japan's Spokesman



M. Yoshizawa, ambassador to France, is Japan's spokesman at the League of Nations' meetings on Manchuria. He is shown arriving in Paris from Geneva for meetings of the league council.

## New Speaker



Here is a new picture of Rep. John Garner of Texas, who is slated to be the next speaker of the house of representatives.

## He Smashes Atoms



Dr. Robert A. Millikan, noted scientist, has found a way to smash atoms by use of the cosmic, or alpha ray, but he maintains that the universe is expanding, not diminishing, with the years.

## Hubby Sues



A divorce complaint charging cruelty has been filed against Helene Costello (above), actress, by Lowell Sherman, who charged that his wife cursed him and tore up her wedding dress.

## Warns Japan



Maxim Litvinoff, Soviet commissar of foreign affairs, lodged a protest at Tokyo against Japanese military activities in the vicinity of Taitshar and the Chinese Eastern railway.

## Annulled



The old quarrel between Mrs. Edith Rockefeller McCormick (below) and her daughter, Mathilde, wife of Max Oser, Swiss riding master, has ended. Mr. and Mrs. Oser and their two children are at the McCormicks' Chicago home. Mrs. Oser is shown with her son, Peter.

## Southern Leader



John McDuffie, democratic representative from Alabama.

## Foreign Minister



Dr. Vi-Kyulin Wellington Koo, former minister to Washington and London, was appointed minister of foreign affairs in the Chinese cabinet. He was a former premier of China.



Sums Paid In War Pensions By Great Britain Decline Steadily Under Liberal National Policy

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the fifth of a series of seven North American Newspaper Alliance stories dealing with the United States, Great Britain and France...

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Great Britain's annual outlay on war pensions is, as has been seen, a steadily diminishing sum...

That date, of course, is still far away, but the other classes of pensioners tend to diminish rapidly. The war invalids are all disabled...

No Special Demands Made Great Britain cannot afford to treat her veterans as a class...

Canada, which has no old age pension system, is kinder to the veteran than the mother country...

Gratuities When War Ended At the end of the war gratuities of varying amounts were granted...

Some of the leading figures in the war received large sums in the form of parliamentary grants...

Officers' widows whose husbands were killed in active service or died from wounds or injuries...

Parents of a man lost in the war, if they were dependent on him...

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WILL ROGERS: Poor Hoover's Worries Increased With Election of 'Foreign' Congress

Well all I know is just what I read in the papers, and what I see as I stroll about. This is going to be a mighty noisy session of Congress...

There is going to be many a way to save the country. In fact there will be six hundred ways...

What is her real name? Why did she go 'far, far away' from relatives to end her life? And, why did she wish to die?

When she did not answer the call by telephone Saturday morning, attendants entered the room...

Going through the personal belongings found in three handbags and a new purse Sheriff Slaughter found only the following that might help to establish identity:

Two small snapshots, found in the purse, of herself, clad in riding breeches and blouse with a long scarf around her neck...

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Bill Sterling Wins Texas U. Fish's Cap; Witt Is Politicking By R. W. BERRY

AUSTIN, Dec. 4.—William W. Sterling, Texas' adjutant general, has what he calls a "duce cap."

Next day after Thanksgiving there came into the adjutant general's office one Bill Stubbfield of San Marcos and deposited the freshman's cap on the general's desk.

While he was basking in the limelight at the Texas-A&M game the writer overheard this conversation on a tier of seats behind him.

"See that fellow there with his hat off shaking hands with Governor Sterling; that is Lieutenant Governor Witt," said one man.

Those present were Messrs. R. C. Pyleat, E. J. Heywood, J. A. Coffey, Horace Reagan, P. W. Malone, John Hodges, M. M. Mancill, William Homer Wright, Tom Cantrell, Harry Dilz, Vernon Mason, Pete Johnson, E. A. Martin, of Chattanooga, Okla., Clarence Hahn and Miss Irma Lee Gary.

The members held a business session and planned a distribution of Christmas baskets, after which the meeting was given over to games and contests until the refreshment hour.

Refreshments were served to the following visitors: Messrs. Calvin Boykin, Elmo Wasson, J. H. Kirkpatrick, R. L. Heath; and the following members: Messrs. Bob Austin, W. H. Harty, Ben Le Fever, H. S. Faw, W. D. McDonald, Frank Hamblin and P. H. Liberty.

The members attending were Misses Valeria True, Roberta Gay, Marie Paulson, Elizabeth Owen, Mary McElroy, Kitty Wingo, Clara Cox, Minnie Lisa Driver, Frank Ester and Leslie Dahme.

L. T. Sledge, Jr., is away on a business trip.

Republic Supply District Chief Sees New Activity

B. C. McMullen, district manager of the Republic Supply Company, with headquarters at Wichita Falls, Fort Worth and Houston, is a visitor here.

Mr. McMullen is very optimistic regarding the outlook for the oil business, especially in West Texas. He said he believed that within the next sixty days a decided turn for the better will occur in the oil business...

While in the city, Mr. McMullen called on his good friend, Gil Cotton, general manager of the Empire Southern Service Company, of Big Spring and H. Ellis, local manager for the Republic Supply Co.

"Southern Nights" Floor Show, Dinner And Dance Friday Plans for "Southern Nights" sequel to "Night in Spain" to be given Friday evening indicate it will be a bigger hit than the recent highly successful event at the Crawford hotel.

The dinner will be started at 8:30 o'clock and dancing will begin at 9:30. Stags will be admitted after 9:30 o'clock. Special attention is being given reservations for parties.

Pharmacists Choose Austin The Texas Pharmaceutical association will hold its 53rd annual convention in Austin, May 15-19, according to a letter received today by Shinn Phillips, of the firm of Cunningham & Phillips of this city...

Junior and Sophomore Take Games Fred Townsend Leads Third-Year Class To Victory The annual intramural basketball tournament got under way in the high school gym yesterday afternoon with the Juniors defeating the Seniors 15 to 8 in a fast, exciting contest...

Petroleum Club Entertained By Mrs. L. A. Tailey Mrs. L. A. Tailey entertained the members of the Petroleum Club Thursday afternoon with an attractive party at the Crawford Hotel...

E.S.A. Literary Club Has Nice Refreshments The members of the Epsilon Sigma Alpha Literary Club met at the home of Miss Georgia Kirk Davis Thursday evening for a very pleasant session.

Work On Municipal Building Here To Begin In Ten Days; Cards to Be Issued Men Seeking Employment

Gentry New President Of Kiwanis Club George Gentry, principal of Big Spring high school, will be president of the Kiwanis club during 1932. He was chosen in the balloting at the club's weekly meeting Thursday noon at the Crawford.

Judge Smith Quizes Members On History of County Names George Gentry, principal of Big Spring high school, will be president of the Kiwanis club during 1932. He was chosen in the balloting at the club's weekly meeting Thursday noon at the Crawford.

Dr. Dillard Talks To So. Ward P.T.A. Dr. J. R. Dillard's talk on "The Nervous Child" at the South Ward P. T. A. meeting Thursday afternoon was reported to be one of the best lectures which the association has heard this year.

Idle Art Members Enjoy Merry Party The members of the Idle-Art bridge club were entertained by Mrs. Cecil McDonald Thursday evening with a lovely party.

Norris Seeks Investigation Farm Board Action Not Critical He Declares; Stone Gives Opinion WASHINGTON, Dec. 3. (AP)—George Norris republican of Nebraska, member of the senate agriculture committee...

Africa, Topic Studied By E. 4th Baptist W.M.U. The members of the East 4th Street Baptist W.M.U. met at the church in observance of the Lot's Moon Week of Prayer and the work done by the local missionary, Miss Lucille Reagan...

Quarter - Final Contests Are Scheduled For This Week The race for highest honor among Texas high school football teams had narrowed to eight teams last night.

Table with scores for various sports: Soccer, Football, Basketball, etc.

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Mrs. Vastine Elected As New President

Susannah Wesley Class Enjoys Christmas Party A lovely lighted Christmas tree and other Yuletide decorations with tall red tapers shedding a soft glow over the room, formed the setting for the party at which the Susannah Wesley Class of the Methodist Sunday School were entertained in the church parlors Thursday afternoon.

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CHARITY GRID GAMES IN EAST TO DRAW MANY PERSONALLY SPEAKING

By DIXON STEWART United Press Staff Correspondent NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (UP)—Charity and unemployment relief, which have secured little relief advertising from benefit football games in the east, appear destined for more substantial benefits.

With four charity affairs—N. Y. U. vs. Tennessee at Yankee Stadium, Dec. 5; Yale, Dartmouth, Holy Cross and Brown at Yale Bowl, Dec. 5; Princeton, Columbia, Cornell and Pennsylvania at Yankee Stadium, Dec. 9; and Army vs. Navy at Yankee Stadium, Dec. 12—remaining on the program, the east still has an opportunity to top the nation in football contributions to Owen D. Young's relief committee.

To do so, the east must raise more than \$104,000—the amount produced by the Big Ten Conference which on its record is capable of conducting football, charity or otherwise, on a better and more businesslike basis than any other group in the nation.

Eastern charity games to date have been named to failure before they started. The games have not paired natural rivals.