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**LYNCHING**  
**CONTINUED**

Washington, Jan. 13.—Sen. Caraway of Arkansas led the filibuster today against the anti-lynching bill. She charged that the measure was designed to "beat the south politically and socially."

**A GREAT DRAMA**  
but a great deal of things took place during the sessions of sub-committee also revealed some of the most thrilling details of the case.

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**ENE, an. 12.—**Plans for a district-wide campaign membership in the West Texas Oil & Gas association made at a meeting of the board of directors held in Breckenridge, Tex., last night.

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## Chiang Kai-Shek Orders Defense Around Soochow

By United Press  
SHANGHAI, Jan. 13.—Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek ordered a last-ditch defense of the Soochow front in Central China, Chinese sources said today.

## Jobless Roll TO DECREASE BEFORE APRIL

By United Press  
NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Approximately 150,000 jobless men will find employment in the next six to eight weeks and 10 of the 12 federal reserve districts expect marked improvement in employment before April, a nationwide survey by the United Press indicated today.

## Jurors For 91st Court Summoned

Following is a list of persons drawn by the jury commissioners of the 91st district court to serve as petit jurors for the week beginning at 9 a. m. Monday:

## Bodies of Miners Taken from Mine

By United Press  
HARWICK, Pa., Jan. 13.—Rescue crews, equipped with gas masks, today reached the bodies of the last two men who were among 10 killed in an explosion of the Harwick Coal Company mine.

## The Pilot Plane That Crashed Killing All 10 Aboard



N. V. Mamer



Northwest Airlines "Sky Zephyr."

Crashing into a Montana mountainside during a snowstorm, a Northwest Airlines "Sky Zephyr" of the type pictured above, carried 10 persons to a flaming death as it exploded and burned in a desolate snow-bound area northeast of Bozeman, Mont. None of the six passengers or four airline employees aboard had any chance to escape, witnesses of the accident declared, as the low-flying airliner, apparently seeking a landing, burst into flames as it struck the ground.

## Among Victims



Al H. Croonquist

A clamp has been affixed to his head to aid in healing of the wound. No stitches were taken.

## Family Meeting Held at Eastland

A meeting of family members was recently held at Eastland in the home of Mrs. E. A. Parson, 81. Mrs. Parson has been a resident of the county for 60 years.

## Oldest Pensioner Is Dead at Age of 120

AUSTIN, Jan. 13.—The Texas old age assistance rolls today lost its oldest member, Mary Ann Edwards, estimated to be 120, who died today at her home south of Austin.

## Two Deaths From Smallpox Reported

AUSTIN, Jan. 13.—The first smallpox deaths in Texas in two years have been reported to the state health department, Dr. George Cox, state health officer, announced today.

## Bullock 4-H Club May Be Organized

Organization of a boys' 4-H club at Bullock is to be discussed at a meeting called for 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at the school house in that community.

## Gorman Pythians Slate Rank Work

Extensive rank work is scheduled at a meeting of the Gorman Knights of Pythias Monday night and Pythians of this section are invited, according to an announcement, Thursday.

## Ranger Cagers to Play in Eastland

The Ranger High School Bulldogs will invade the Eastland High School Gymnasium tonight, when they play the Mavericks in a regularly scheduled game of the Eastland County basketball league.

## Justice Cardozo Is Slightly Improved

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Justice Benjamin Cardozo showed "a slight improvement" this morning, his physician reported.

## Drivers of Autos Without Proper Lights To Be Assessed \$1 Fines

Eastland automobile owners were reminded Thursday to check up on tail and headlight equipment because next week — on a night which city officers and highway patrolmen aren't announcing — drivers with faulty equipment are to be fined \$1 each.

## Teachers, Mothers In P.-T.A. Session

Twenty-eight persons attended Tuesday afternoon at Morton Valley the meeting of the community's parent-teacher association at the school house.

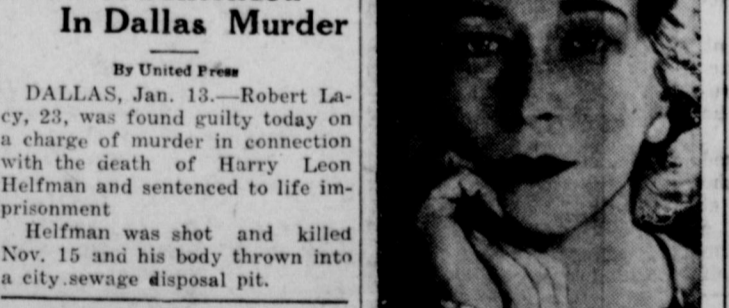
## Group at Sales Parley in Dallas

D. S. Hood, Eastland distributor, and L. R. Burnside and C. T. Lucas, dealers, Thursday were at Dallas to attend the annual sales meeting of the Texas company.

## Navy Is to Urge A Larger Program

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The navy department has recommended to President Roosevelt that he ask Congress to permit naval construction in excess of treaty limits.

## Engaging Duchess



Exotically beautiful Grand Duchess Kira of Russia wears on her left hand a huge solitaire as befits the girl who is engaged to marry the grandson of ex-Kaiser Wilhelm II of Germany.

## NOTICE TO CANDIDATES

The Eastland Telegram invites your announcements in its announcement column and for your convenience we herewith quote you cost of same. These announcements will appear in the Telegram daily through the August run-off.

## Infant Injured by Fall at Residence

Bobby Earl Frost, 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Frost, Sr., of Eastland, is recovering slowly from a severe forehead laceration received recently while playing at the home of his parents.

## Olden Basketball Tournament Starts On Friday Morning

Coach Herman Struggs of the Olden high school today announced that the Olden high school invitation basketball tournament will start at the Olden high school gymnasium Friday morning at 9 o'clock, with eight boys' teams and eight girls' teams participating.

## Slaying of Women Is Being Probed

EL MONT, N. Y., Jan. 13.—Authorities investigating the slaying of two women here centered their search today on an elderly man who threatened, 12 years ago, "to wipe out the whole White family."

## France, Ireland Call Elections

PARIS, Jan. 13.—Premier Camille Chautemps, confronted by a cabinet crisis, the falling franc and danger of a depleted treasury, appealed to the nation today for united support.

## Dairy Cows Lick Painted Bridge Die

DALLAS, Jan. 13.—Because the county repainted pilings on a bridge that runs through his dairy farm a dairyman today was short seven of his best dairy cows. They died from licking the fresh paint.

## Oil Allowable In Texas to Be Cut

AUSTIN, Jan. 13.—A "drastic" cut in allowable oil production in Texas was forecast today by Col. Ernest O. Thompson, member of the Railroad Commission.

## Big Clearing Job Recalls Lumber Boom

DE SOTO, Wis.—Echoes of the boom days of lumbering in Wisconsin are being heard in this area as logging axes swing again to clear a 25-mile strip of river islands and bottomlands so that the area can be flooded when the new government dam at Lynxville, 15 miles south of here, is completed.

## Two Are Killed at Crossing at Odessa

ODESSA, Jan. 13.—Two women were killed at dusk here last night when their automobile was struck by a freight train at a crossing.

## BLAST CAUSED WRECK OF THE SAMOAN PLANE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Bureau of Air Commerce officials said today that reports indicate the Pan-American Airways Samoan Clipper may have suffered the same fate that befell the German dirigible Hindenburg.

PAGO PAGO, American Samoa, Jan. 13.—The Samoan Clipper went down in 1,000 fathoms of water after an explosion 80 terrific it strewn the ocean with tiny bits of debris.

AUKLAND, N. Z., Jan. 13.—Flags were lowered to half staff on government buildings today in honor of the crew of the Pan-American Airways Samoan Clipper, although the Connecticut clipper has appeared on two or three of the cards he topped.

LOUIS suspects that Farr will outbuy Jim Braddock in 10 rounds at the Garden, Jan. 21.

His statement was read after the cabinet meeting started general nervousness prevailed over the smudged resignation of finance minister Georges Bonnet and the entire cabinet.

## WORLD By William Ferguson

BELFAST, Ireland, Jan. 13.—Lord Craigavon, prime minister of Northern Ireland, called a general election today to be fought on the issue of partition from Eire, the former Irish Free State.

## Tree Transplanting Discussed at Meet

A demonstration-discussion of transplanting of small trees conducted by Assistant County Agent Hugh F. Barnhart was a feature of a meeting of Gorman 4-H boys Wednesday at the Gorman school house.

## 4-H Group to Meet With H. F. Barnhart

Four-H club boys who plan to use baby chicks or dairy heifers in 1938 demonstrations have been called to meet Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the office of Assistant County Agent Hugh F. Barnhart for discussion of purchases.



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## Twenty Years Have Done These Things

TIME, as we are repeatedly assured by a certain arresting voice, marches on. The only thing we can think of to add is "And how!"

Let's take a glimpse at what Americans were thinking about in January of 1918. These things, 20 years have done:

**JANUARY, 1918:** Bitter criticism leveled at War Department for failure of American arms program. After eight months of war, American arms not yet available to American soldiers. Secretary Baker savagely arraigned as a wobbling incompetent, almost a traitor.

**JANUARY, 1938:** Secretary Baker, just buried, is widely hailed not only as the greatest secretary of war the country ever had, but as a really great man.

**JANUARY, 1918:** General complaisance and expectation that the move will be permanent greets the recent taking over of the country's railroads by the government for the war emergency.

**JANUARY, 1938:** With many railroads bankrupt and nearly all of them beneficiaries of costly government assistance, government taking over of the railroads is again discussed, but is greeted with cries of "Socialism!"

**JANUARY, 1918:** Coal shortage actually causes five-day shutdown in eastern factories. "Save every unnecessary shovelful" is the war cry, as heatless days are projected. It is even proposed to close the churches to save coal.

**JANUARY, 1938:** Coal industry sick from lack of demand, and government price-fixing has to come to its rescue while whole communities of miners lie idle on relief or engage in "bootleg mining."

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- 31 Father.
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- 33 To glow.
- 35 To bewitch.
- 37 A coming on.
- 39 Soft food.
- 42 Prophet.
- 43 Electric unit.
- 44 Slender.
- 47 Duet.
- 48 To put on.
- 50 Natural power.
- 51 Street.
- 53 King of Bashan.
- 55 Dye.


**HELP 15 MILES OF KIDNEY TUBES**

To Flush out Acids and Other Poisonous Waste

Doctors say your kidneys contain 15 Miles of tiny tubes or filters which help to purify the blood and keep you healthy. Most people pass about 3 pints a day or about 3 pounds of waste. Frequent or scanty passages with smarting and burning shows there may be something wrong with your kidneys or bladder.

An excess of acids or poisons in your blood, when due to functional kidney disorder, may be the beginning of nagging backache, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up, night, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headache and dizziness.

Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Doan's Pills, used successfully by millions for over 40 years. They give happy relief and will help the 15 Miles of kidney tubes flush out poisonous waste from your blood. Get Doan's Pills.



## OVER A BARREL



### FIFTY!



Tossing in his one-handed shots with reckless but deadly abandon, Capt. Angelo (Hank) Louissetti of Stanford, amazed the entire basketball world when he racked up the astounding total of 50 points against Duquesne to set a new individual record for a single game.

### SALEM NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Dause Moore have moved onto the Mrs. Williams place near the Salem schoolhouse, recently vacated by Mr. Belyeu.

Doyle Johnson is suffering a painful laceration of his foot, the result of a misplaced blow from an axe last week.

A large crowd was present at the party given Thursday night by Mr. and Mrs. Yancey, and all reported a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Redwine and family and Mrs. R. M. Redwine drove to Frankell Sunday to visit the L. C. Redwine family.

The third Sunday of this month as 11 o'clock is our regular church day. Everyone is invited to attend.

Rev. Robert Jones will preach at the school house the first Saturday night and Sunday in February. Everyone is invited to be present and hear him.

Earl Redwine recently received a letter from A. L. Smith, the Nazarene minister formerly at Eastland, who preached here a few years ago. He is planning on coming here too hold a revival if

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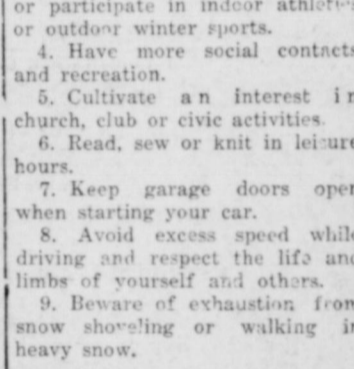
### Offers Nine Pointers For Cold Weather

NEWBURGH, N. Y.—Eat moderately of sustaining foods and sleep at least eight hours every night to enjoy good health during winter months. Dr. C. W. Parth, acting health officer of Newburgh, advises:

1. Always keep the body warm
2. Prevent contagion by covering your nose and mouth when cough or sneeze.
3. Take short walks in the open, or participate in indoor athletic or outdoor winter sports.
4. Have more social contacts and recreation.
5. Cultivate an interest in church, club or civic activities.
6. Read, sew or knit in leisure hours.
7. Keep garage doors open when starting your car.
8. Avoid excess speed while driving and respect the life and limbs of yourself and others.
9. Beware of exhaustion from snow shoveling or walking in heavy snow.

### Her Mother Missing in Soviet 'Spy' Case

DAUGHTER of a woman believed missing in Russia, Ruth Delight Rubens reads a letter at Miami, Fla., where she makes her home with her grandmother.



Ruth Rubens

## Bank Deposits In Corpus Christi Up

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas.—The consistently rising tide of business activity in Corpus Christi during 1937 brought with it a gain of more than three and a half million dollars in deposits of the city's four leading banks. Deposits in the banks on December 31 totaled \$17,617,438.04, the highest in the city's history.

At the end of the year the deposits were nearly two and a half million dollars above the total for June 30, 1937, and were seven and a quarter million dollars above the December 31, 1935, total.

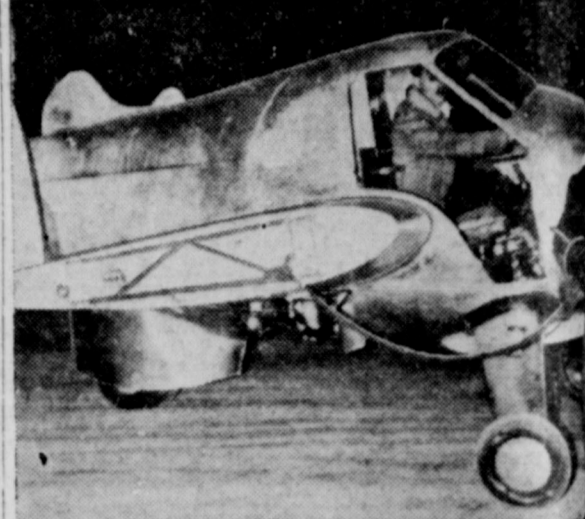
By virtue of its record-breaking business gain, Corpus Christi was second only to San Antonio among the cities of Texas in bank deposits gains.

Similar gains were shown in every phase of business activity in Corpus Christi during 1937. Receipts of the United States Customs House showed an increase of more than 133 per cent over business done in 1936. Collections of the federal bureau totaled \$79,963.68 for 1937, as compared with a total of \$33,376.22 for 1936.

The gain in customs collections was brought about by marked increases in shipping through the Port of Corpus Christi, which showed a tonnage gain of nearly a million and a half tons over receipts for 1936. Total tonnage for 1937 was more than four million tons, as compared with the 1936 total of 2,824,621 tons.

The Christmas rush at the United States post office here for the five-day period ending Christmas Eve was 35 to 40 per cent greater than in 1936. Business handled by the department was the largest in the history of Corpus Christi, with a total of 327,929 pieces of first-class mail having been handled. Postal receipts for 1937 totaled \$265,699, as compared with \$203,302 for 1936.

## Dodges Guard, Snaps, Weir



Closely guarded secrets of a new tailless plane under development at New Philadelphia, O., were revealed by the picture above done by an amateur photographer who was attacked by a guard and a camera clicked. Of pusher type, the motor and propeller are stashed in the short fuselage directly behind the pilot. The plane will carry two passengers.

## Trans-Canadian Road Being Built

OTTAWA.—With an eye to the promotion of Canada's increasing tourist trade, work is being rushed on an important western link in the scenic highway that is soon to span the country from coast to coast.

The link in question is the "Big Bend" highway, which had been to it the great northern route along the Columbia river, and connecting the north spur of the Rocky Mountains and Revelstoke in British Columbia. This is the longest scenic highway that is soon to span the country from coast to coast.

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# STILL "TOPS"... after 31 Years As a Tobacco Auctioneer



## Veteran Jim Edwards tells why tobacco experts prefer Luckies 2 to 1.

"I recently sold 489,000 pounds of tobacco in one 6½ hour day," says Mr. J. N. Edwards of Farmville, North Carolina.

"There was a buyer, naturally, for every one of those 489,000 pounds... But there was as much difference between the best grades and the inferior, as between a pretty girl and a homely one.

"At auction after auction, I've seen Lucky Strike go after the prettiest lots of tobacco. It's no wonder Luckies taste so good. I've smoked them since 1917.

"And another thing... even after yelling out tobacco bids all during a seven hour day, Luckies are still just ever on my throat."

Only Lucky Strike offers the finest tobacco plus protection of the exclusive "It's Toasted". This takes out certain irritants in all tobacco—even the men who know tobacco—experts like Mr. Edwards—surely good judges... Sworn records among independent experts, Luckies have twice exclusive smokers as other cigarettes combined.

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BESSIE TAYLOR, Editor

CALENDAR TONIGHT

The associational meeting of the Baptist church will be held in Breckenridge at 7 o'clock.

Group Convened

Members of the Eastland student chapter of the American Academy of Accountancy met Tuesday evening in the home of Jo Riek for discussion of problems confronted in a course they are taking from a school of that name.

The student chapter was formed Nov. 15 at the home of Mrs. Bertha Ross upon the suggestion of A. J. Dunn of Fort Worth, regional manager of the accountancy school. L. E. Huckaby is president of the chapter, Mrs. H. M. Hart, vice president, and Mrs. Ross is secretary.

Meetings of the chapter are held each Tuesday evening from 7:30 to 9 o'clock in the home of one of the members. Business discussions form the program. Next week's meeting also is to be conducted at the Riek home.

Present at this week's session were Mrs. Hart, Mrs. Ross, Ruth Green, Miss Frances Harris, Jo and Melba Riek and Huckaby. Mrs. Huckaby was a visitor.

TIPSY DRIVING

By United Press  
UTICA, N. Y.—Inability of municipal authorities to convict persons charged with driving while intoxicated has resulted in an order by the Utica Police Department that a doctor's decision in writing will be necessary to obtain a warrant on such a charge.

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FOR SALE—35 head pure bred Jersey heifers, range in age from 2 months to 2 years. Twelve will freshen in February and March. Sired by bull whose dam produced 810 pounds fat in one year. Good enough for any 4-H club. S. O. MONTGOMERY, Ranger.

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Political Announcements

The Eastland Telegram is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public offices, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

For County Treasurer: Garland Branton, W. O. (Dick) Weekes, Mrs. Frances (Holbrook) Cooper.

For District Clerk: Euell D. Bond, John F. White.

For Commissioner, Precinct 1: Henry V. Davenport.

For Sheriff: Loss Woods.

For County Superintendent: C. S. Eldridge.

For County Judge: W. S. Adamson. (Re-Election)

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HOT STUFF



Jimmy Dikes, manager of the Chicago White Sox, realized another ambition when he was made an honorary member of the Oakmont, Pa., volunteer fire department. Oakmont is Jimmy's old home town.

Floridans Asking For Angler's Park

MIAMI BEACH, Fla.—Establishment of a Marine Park to encompass the waters of Biscayne Bay will be sought in the Florida legislature this spring. A bill already has been drafted and will be introduced at the session, according to Donald L. McCarthy, executive secretary of the Miami Beach Rod and Reel club. Fishing with rod would be permitted throughout the proposed park and the proposal envisages improved facilities for anglers.

"The waters surrounding Miami Beach, which in reality is an island flanked by the Atlantic and Biscayne Bay, are among the most unusual in the world," McCarthy said. "The U. S. Bureau of Fisheries has identified 652 varieties of fish in Florida area to date and all of them probably can be found in this restricted area."

The Marine Park would embrace both the upper and lower bays. It would be 12 miles long and 3 miles wide. Commercial fisheries nets within the bay or its approaches would be forbidden as would all other types of market fishing. The bill would call for the establishment of a boat patrol, the removal of unnecessary obstructions blocking or diverting natural channels and rigid protection against pollution. Provision against pollution. Provision would be made for the ultimate establishment of a guide service to show and instruct visitors in the many aspects of marine life within the bay and its outlets to the sea and inlets from the Everglades.

Of the species of fish found in the bay or in the ocean, the best known are the Gulf stream game fish such as sail fish, blue and white marlin, albacore, blue fin tuna, the rare but highly prized alison or yellow tuna, the bonito and dolphin. They follow the Gulf Stream, some 35 miles wide here, and are most successfully caught along its edges, one of which is 2 1/2 to 3 miles off Miami Beach.

Record of this crossing has improved materially. But as long as safety depends to such a large extent on the human element, depends on the vision, alertness and caution of every driver approaching an intersection, this and other similar, major crossings will stand as a distinct threat.

The Montague county installation has been properly marked by signs to which extreme caution was given to prevent confusion. Any motorist who can read English can safely negotiate any portion of this intersection and go in any direction he desires without encountering any cross traffic.

This half clover leaf design permits greater highway safety and eliminates to a large degree the possibility of collisions. Motorists who follow the signs can change from one highway to the other with the greatest degree of safety. The general design provides for traffic to flow easily and without interruption and in the same direction at all points of intersection, eliminating the extreme traffic hazard occasioned by cross overs and traffic flow in opposite directions. The transition from one highway to the other canthus be made safely without the necessity of numerous warning or caution signs.

The project was a unit of the United States works program for grade separation projects. The project provided 43,961 man-hours of labor directly on the job at the site of the work.

Safety Becomes The Watchword In Road Building

AUSTIN.—Safety has become the day's watchword in the design and construction of state highways, according to Charles E. Simons in the January issue of Texas Parade. Engineers of the Texas Highway Department are giving constantly increasing thought to making the highways engineeringly safe. Because of Texas' great size, the comparative youth of its highway system and the scarcity of funds when measured by modern traffic demands progress has been, of necessity, slow. But progress is being made and the traveling public in Texas is being presented, as each project is finished, with tangible evidence of the forward-looking men who plan the highways of tomorrow.

Motorists traveling Highway 2 or Highway 5 through Montague county may observe at first hand the most modern installation in Texas from the standpoint of the convenience and safety of the traveling public. In this project, Highway 2 underpasses Highway 5 and continues to underpass the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad. Both Highway 2 and Highway 5 are important interstate highways. Highway 2 carries the heavy Oklahoma-Texas interstate traffic. Highway 5 has Texline in the Panhandle for its western terminus and Texarkana for its eastern terminus. It runs through the northern tier of counties bordering the Red river and is a major traffic artery, both from a local and statewide standpoint. It is one of the longest highways in the state.

Observation of the traffic intersection at Buffalo where the Houston-Dallas highway crosses Highway 43 led to the conclusion that, for safety's sake, grades at major highway crossings must be eliminated. The Buffalo intersection was the scene of many accidents. Both highways are heavily traveled and some of the collisions resulted in heavy damage to humans and property. The accident record of this crossing has improved materially. But as long as safety depends to such a large extent on the human element, depends on the vision, alertness and caution of every driver approaching an intersection, this and other similar, major crossings will stand as a distinct threat.

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One Unworried Court Candidate



The typical Texas calm of Hatton W. Summers was unruffled, as you can see above, when associates on the powerful House Judiciary Committee, of which he is chairman, recommended him to President Roosevelt for the Supreme Court seat made vacant by the resignation of Justice Sutherland. Although Washington observers did not consider Congressman Summers nearly as likely to be appointed as several other prospects, he definitely remained on the list of possibilities. Meanwhile, Summers, serving his 13th consecutive term from Dallas, did not worry.

"KIDNAPED" BY CUPID



The kidnaping scare that was raised by the disappearance from college in Michigan of Gertrude Bennett, daughter of Harry Bennett, Ford personnel executive who has clashed with the CIO over unionization of employees, has its happy ending in Tampa, Fla., where she is pictured with Russell Hughes, whom she married in an elopement ceremony while police sought her.

Cook Speaker at League's Meeting

The members of the Civic League and garden club of Eastland met Wednesday afternoon in the Community clubhouse for their January program.

The league had as principal speaker for the afternoon, Elmo V. Cook, county agent, who gave a talk on the "Soil Problems of Eastland," followed by Mrs. Earl Conner, Jr., conducting a round-table discussion on "Soil," with Mrs. Bula Connelley, Mrs. Carl Springer and Mrs. Joe Weaver giving their views on the soil problem.

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WAXAHACHIE, Texas.—The pecan industry is a potent natural resource of the Southwest, according to W. D. Sims, director of pecan work for the Texas State Department of Agriculture.

To date the surface of development has not been scratched, Sims said. "Without development, Texas produces almost one-half of the world's crop. The Southwest 75 to 80 per cent," he said. "In 1935, Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana produced 80,000,000 pounds of pecans for which the producers received \$3,500,000. Pecans rate 16th in importance in Texas as an agricultural product," he said.

"In a few years," Sims said, "the pecan industry can be moved up to 10th or 11th position on the state agricultural scale by development of native forests. This increase will have to come from native forests where the trees already have growth and bearing surface."

"Every farmer in the Southwest with a few native trees on his farm should study pecan culture and improve his trees. Such work would add materially to his yearly income," Sims declared.

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Delphian Rummage Bake Sale

A rummage and bake sale will be conducted beginning morning at 9 o'clock in the Delphian National Building, it was announced today by the Alpha Delta chapter. The sale is to continue Saturday.

Harrison Grocery To New Location

Harrison Grocery will be moved Saturday from its present location north side of the square southwest corner of the intersection of the square. The new location was occupied by the Spot Grocery, which closed recently.

Proceedings in Court

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