

Bank Loot Found Under Cashier's Desk



From reports of local deer hunters it looks like closed season will have to be declared on bucks...

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

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

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

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

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

Evidence that the larger companies again are turning to West Texas for their future production is seen in the unusual interest created by spudding of Lee Harrison's test on the Denman lease in the eastern section of the county.

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

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

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

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

Watson and Garner Talk About Tax Measure At Conference

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

Mistakes In Ad Are Corrected

Incorrect statements were carried in the Watson-Robertson stores advertisement in Wednesday's Herald. Peckham and Douglas shoes for men, \$8 and \$10 values, are offered at \$3.95, not 69 cents. Cooper and Manchester athletic underwear, \$1.50 values, is offered at 69 cents, not \$3.55.

Cotton Market

Table with columns for New York, Open, High, Close, and dates for Dec, Jan, Mar.

LIVERPOOL Open: Spots, Fair, demand prices easier; receipts, 1,600; American none; good middling 5.13; middling 4.83; December 4.50; Jan. 4.32-35; March 4.28-30-32. Close: Dec. 4.32; Jan. 4.21; March 4.32.

Occupation By Japan Is Completed

Soviet Warned to Stay Out; Kai Shek Goes To Manchuria

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

The Japanese Ambassador at Moscow was instructed to give the Soviet government a friendly warning that serious complications were likely if Russian troops entered Manchuria. The Japanese have crossed the railway partly owned by Russia into the sphere of Russian influence. The League of Nations is alarmed over the existing conditions. Ambassador Daves continued private negotiations with members of the council.

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

T&P Would Again Slash Train Fares

Hearing Set December 1; 1-2 Cents Per Mile Would Be Offered

Hearing will be held Tuesday, December 1, in Austin on the Texas & Pacific Railway company's application to reduce passenger coach fares between Fort Worth, Dallas and Big Spring and between Texas and Sherman to 1-2 cents per mile.

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

Train No. 3 reaches here from the east at 4:40 a. m. stopping here, No. 4, which makes up here, departs for the east at 12:30 p. m.

The new rate, which would supplant the 2-cent per mile rate now in effect on these trains, would be in effect for a six month trial period. The two-cent rate was adopted last year by the T & P to stimulate passenger traffic.

Mussolini Is Pleased

Premier Talks to Foreign Minister Over Atlantic Telephone

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

Oklahoma Deputies Go To Trial Again For Youth's Death

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

Pictures of Mustang Game Shown At Ritz

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

The views show the scoring play the crowd, pep squad demonstrations, and other interesting features of the day.

'Mrs. Speaker'?



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

Attachment Of Oil Stock Still Sought

State Fails At Dallas To Attach Property Of Two Concerns

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

Cosden Opens With Victory

Elbow Five Defeated By Refiners 25 to 6; Games Wanted

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

Thomas Aherm Again Nazarene Pastor Here

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

32nd District Court Grand Jury In Session

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

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

Oil Output Is Slightly Up for Week

California, Oklahoma Increases Erase East Texas Decline

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

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

New potential testing in Seminole accounted for a 9,075 barrel increase to 543,285 in Oklahoma. Improved market demand and seasonal adjustments accounted for a 10,350 barrel increase to 506,150 in California.

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

Production table with columns for Nov. 14, Nov. 7, and Remainder of week.

For the hearing and plumbing contract: A. P. Kasch, Big Spring, \$23,300. Johnson and Davis, Amarillo, \$23,988.

Two Arrested After Discovery Of Man's Body

SAN ANTONIO, Nov. 19 (AP)—Two men were arrested in connection with the slaying of an unidentified man whose body was found on the present emergency as they assist in local problems for relief. Many Boy Scouts gave up time during the holidays to pick fruit and vegetables, cart them to central distributing stations, collect fruit for canning, and make surveys of neighborhood surplus supplies which had been offered to the needy.

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

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

According to Mr. Field, "Boys look upon the present emergency as their biggest chance for service since the war. In the same spirit in which they gave their services in Liberty Loan campaigns, and in other nation-wide activities during the world war, they offer their help in this winter's crisis. Working in full cooperation with community programs, Boy Scouts are engaging in many activities which range from collecting food and clothing for the needy to serving as uniformed messengers which normally would be done by employed workers. They are not permitted to collect money, nor do they receive pay for their services.

Every boy likes to feel that he is needed, that he is a part of things in his home, his school or community. In the present emergency, Boy Scouts, in helping in their various communities, are but carrying out

CLUBMAN HELD IN SLAYING



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

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

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

Personally Speaking

Mrs. B. T. Cardwell and Miss Martha Edwards left today for Wichita Falls and will return Sunday. Miss Edwards will visit her sister, Mrs. Warren Douglas at Bellevue.

Y. H. Strength left for his home in Marshall Wednesday, after visiting R. F. Harris, Jr., and others in the city.

Mrs. F. M. Purser and Miss Elizabeth Owen spent Wednesday in Sweetwater, attending the meeting of the Christian Church.

The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bailey and family left today for their new home in Plainview.

Due to the change of plans for the burial service of J. M. Rockwell, owner of the Rockwell Bros Lumber Co., Mr. and Mrs. R. Richardson did not attend the funeral.

Miss Vera Hall, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Hurt, returned to her home in Abilene Thursday.

J. M. Hooks of Abilene has been here this week on business.

Houston Cowden, E. E. Brindley, Charles Eberly and Martin Anderson of Sweetwater returned late Wednesday night from near Kent Cowden and Brindley each shot a buck.

Mrs. G. L. Brown is in Hot Springs at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. B. Jones, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Terry returned to their home in Monahan Wednesday, after a visit in this city with friends. During their stay they purchased the S. P. Jones home on Golia street and will return later to make their home here.

The Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Buchschneider have gone to Houston for a few days.

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

Burns Agency Operative Solves Palestine Bank Robbery

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

'Star Farmer' Award Won By Arkansas Boy

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

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

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

Threat Upon Dog Causes Girl To Slay

She Kills Sweetheart, Who Expresses Jealousy Of Pekingese

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

The Weather

By U. S. WEATHER BUREAU Big Spring, Texas, Nov. 19, 1931. Big Spring and vicinity—Fair and cooler tonight and Friday. West Texas—Mostly fair, cooler tonight, Friday, fair, cooler in east portion. East Texas—Mostly cloudy tonight and Friday. Cooler in extreme northwest portion, warmer in north and east portions tonight. Cooler in west and north portions Friday. New Mexico—Fair tonight and Friday, cooler in extreme east portion tonight. Frost in south portion.

Men Held In Child's Death Prove Alibis

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

Indian Scheduled To Go To Chair November 30 At Huntsville

The Indian was scheduled for electrocution today but was given a reprieve yesterday until November 30 to allow for further investigation. The child disappeared from home and was found several days later with her skull crushed. She was the daughter of the owner of a tent show employing the Indian.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

Table with columns for Dallas, El Paso, Big Spring, and various weather conditions like temperature, wind, and clouds.

Inequalities in Statutes Affecting Veterans of Various Wars Studied

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

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

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

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

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

May Get \$300 Month. A world war veteran may receive a maximum compensation for disability of \$300 a month for service in the war \$275 a month. Besides, he may get \$50 a month for a nurse or attendant, and \$25 for specific disabilities authorized by law. This could get a total of \$350 a month.

For disability he cannot trace to service the world war veteran may draw up to \$40 a month. On the other hand the maximum which may be drawn by a veteran of either the Civil or Spanish American wars is only \$125 a month, except in a few instances such as a submarine or airplane accident, where payments are doubled.

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

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

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

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

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

If on the other hand an insane veteran of the Civil War is hospitalized by the government in a hospital his pension is not subject to reduction. If he is in a national of state military home his pension is subject to a reduction of \$25 a month, subtracted from his pension.

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

Difference in Hospital Care. There is a difference in the way Uncle Sam treats veterans who are hospitalized for these service-connected disabilities. If a veteran of the world war, for instance, is hospitalized for such a disability and is less than "temporary total," his rating is increased to a temporary total with an award of \$80 a month with additional allowance for dependents. If the rating is more than temporary total no reduction in award is made.

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

Veterans of the world war, when reporting for hospitalization, examination for disability compensation, or disability allowance purposes there is granted an allowance of \$2.25 a day to cover loss of wages. Pensioners or claimants of pensions must report for examination at their own expense.

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

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

A veteran of the world war entitled to compensation is also entitled to an additional amount for his wife, children, and dependent parents, which is based on a "combined" basis. But an additional amount of this kind, for dependents,

She Becomes "Little Miss Big Spring"



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Luan Wear, 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wear is "Little Miss Big Spring." With forty other local girls of 2 to 6 years she appeared before a large audience at the Ritz theatre Friday evening in the Tiny Tot Beauty Review and was adjudged the most beautiful and attractive of the lot.

Luan has large, deep blue eyes, luxuriant curly brown hair and fair skin of beauty that is the envy of her adult women friends—and she has many of them.

In addition to the title Luan was awarded the Hardy-Andy store won third prize, a necklace of pearls.

Second prize went to Peggy Hatcher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Heicher, representing the Mollie Beauty Shop. She received a diamond ring.

Lawanda Jane Shaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Shaw, representing the Hardy-Andy store won third prize, a necklace of pearls.

Elizabeth Moody, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Moody, representing the United Dry Goods Stores was awarded third prize, a gold locket.

Fifty firms entered girls in the event. Names of Little Beauties who appeared and who have not been listed in the Herald include Hazel Carmack, Dolly Ruth Rosser, Patricia Frost, Mary Margaret Hair, Jerry Hodges, Reba Hull, Anna Claire Waters, Carolyn Lee Cantrell, Ruth Cornelison, Johnny Marie Gilmer, Wilda Watta, Jamie Lou Brewer.

Refreshments of ginger bread and hot chocolate were served with bowls of pop corn passed around during the games.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Scott and children, Richard and Charlene; Mr. Taylor and daughter, Lillian Ann; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newman and daughter, Naomi Joe; Mrs. Lovella O'Toole and son, Buddy Joe; Miss Clara Gabel, Mrs. Irvie and Mrs. G. N. Webb.

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The members of the Child Study Club at their business meeting with regular session Friday afternoon at the Settles Hotel voted to receive associate members into the club who would pay dues but would not pay fines, vote or hold office.

The members also planned to get a nurse for the children during the club hour and named Mrs. E. H. Glaser as a member of the advisory committee for the sale of Tuberculosis Red Cross seals.

Mrs. C. A. Brewer had charge of the lesson whose subject was "The Parent Faces a New World."

The members in attendance were Mmes. R. E. Blount, Emory Duff, Glaser, Jess Slaughter, E. J. Heywood, A. E. Underwood, G. L. Wright, Harry Stalcup, Heywood, Glaser, Brewer.

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Big Spring Trio In Penny Pistol Case Expect 'Homecoming'

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

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

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

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

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

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

Mrs. J. S. Nunnally Entertains With Armistice Party

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

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

Mrs. Battle made second high and received a deck of cards.

A dessert course was served to Mmes. Mae Bettle, W. A. Gilmer, Chas. Koberg, Tom Slaughter, Bert Wilkinson, A. M. Underwood and Miss Onea McAllister.

Mrs. Koberg will be the next hostess.

Double Four Club Changes Meeting Day To Thursday

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

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

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

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

Mrs. Crouser will be the next hostess.

Announcer Barred From Harvard Games For Saying 'Putrid'

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

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

Irene Knaus Heads Young People's Group Of 1st Presbyterian

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

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

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

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

Fruit Trees Bloom Again In Big Spring

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

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

Lutheran Ladies To Serve Mexican Dishes

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

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

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

M. K. House was called to Fort Worth Friday on account of the illness of his mother.

Flower Show Presents Unusually Large Number Of Beautiful Blooms

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Mrs. Jess Slaughter, pink radiant rose, No. 1; Mrs. Tom Good, American beauty roses, No. 2; pink and yellow roses, No. 3; M. J. M. Morgan, snow white chrysanthemums, No. 4; yellow No. 5; Mrs. L. L. Gully, white chrysanthemum No. 5; elephant's ear (caladium) No. 6; blue vase of roses No. 7; Mrs. F. Willa two-toned Japanese chrysanthemums No. 10, night-blooming cereus, No. 11; Mrs. R. P. Piner, red radiant rose No. 11; La France rose No. 12; Mrs. L. C. Dahme, two-toned Japanese chrysanthemum No. 13, snap dragons No. 14, pink and white chrysanthemum No. 15; Miss Edith Hacht, vase of roses No. 16, mixed cosmos No. 17, dahlias No. 18, pink chrysanthemum No. 19; Mrs. C. L. Tomlinson, blue No. 20; Mrs. J. A. Kinard, crown of thorns No. 21, alligator tongue No. 22, double marigolds No. 23; Mrs. Chas. Chamberland, mixed chrysanthemums No. 24, white chrysanthemum No. 25, variety of 20 kinds in one bouquet No. 26, lemon tree No. 27, wandering Jew No. 28, Mrs. Joy Fisher, lace fern No. 29, artillery plant No. 30; Mrs. Victor Melinger, pineapple plant No. 31; Mrs. O. L. Nabors, trailing rose No. 32; Mrs. E. Lloyd, trailing lace fern No. 33, sprengeria fern No. 34, begonia No. 35, night blooming cereus No. 36.

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

Mrs. B. F. Robbins, assorted plants No. 98; Mrs. E. J. Mary, cosmos (large) No. 67; Mrs. Bernard Fisher, devil's ivy No. 103, Boston fern No. 64, begonia No. 65; Mrs. T. A. Bunker, sinits No. 70; Mrs. J. F. Thixton, cosmos No. 71, yellow daisy chrysanthemums No. 72, low daisy chrysanthemum No. 73, blue No. 74.

The following attended: Misses Lola Curtis, Alma Zueckert, Stella Schubert, Louis Weck, Lillis Cardwell; Mmes. E. N. Ralph, Milton Broughton, Ida Prescott, Willard Smith, Geo. M'Nams, C. D. Herring, Glen Robert, Mrs. Quinn, W. G. Nabors, Clint Forrest, C. W. Schrabble, N. C. Bell, Bill Everett, and the honoree.

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

Grand Jurors Recess; Score Are Indicted

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

Louie Wisenbunt, free on bond was indicted on a charge of murder in connection with the killing here last summer of Policeman Howie T. Jimenez was re-billed. He had been charged by complaint with robbery.

Among the other bills returned were the following: D. P. Gill assault with intent to murder, City Policeman Coffee being the complaining witness.

D. H. James, chicken theft. R. C. Oliver, illegal possession of liquor.

George Bowman, illegal possession of liquor. A. J. Blackmon, arson.

Luther Redell, driving while intoxicated. F. S. Gomez Jr., possession of equipment for manufacture of liquor.

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Oil Industry Improvement Is Reported

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Brunette Is Winner; Fifty Tiny Beauties Presented At Theatre

Luan Wear, 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wear is "Little Miss Big Spring." With forty other local girls of 2 to 6 years she appeared before a large audience at the Ritz theatre Friday evening in the Tiny Tot Beauty Review and was adjudged the most beautiful and attractive of the lot.

Luan has large, deep blue eyes, luxuriant curly brown hair and fair skin of beauty that is the envy of her adult women friends—and she has many of them.

In addition to the title Luan was awarded the Hardy-Andy store won third prize, a necklace of pearls.

Second prize went to Peggy Hatcher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Heicher, representing the Mollie Beauty Shop. She received a diamond ring.

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

AUSTIN, Texas, Nov. 18 (UP).—A conspiracy among 18 leading oil companies and oil organizations to fix prices and restrict production...

New Pastor Here

DR. J. RICHARD SPANN Dr. J. R. Spann is appointed to succeed Rev. W. G. Bailey at the First Methodist church...

Dr. J. R. Spann Is Appointed

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

The First Methodist church of Big Spring, one of the most important posts in the Northwest Texas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, will be served for the coming year by Dr. J. Richard Spann...

ABILENE, Nov. 18.—Dr. J. Richard Spann, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist church here, came to Abilene four years ago from Southern Methodist university...

Father of Big Spring Woman Dies in Abilene

Funeral services for J. P. Carr, 74, father of Mrs. C. C. Harmon of Big Spring, were held Sunday afternoon from his home in Abilene...

Youth Accused In Slaying Of Local Officer

Trial of Julius Whisenhant, under indictment for murder in connection with the fatal shooting of H. F. Howie, a Big Spring policeman, last August, was set for 10 a. m. next Monday, November 23...

WHOS NEW IN Congress

Marcus A. Coolidge—Operating Elevator His First Job

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

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

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

By RAYMOND CLAPPER United Press Staff Correspondent Copyright 1931 By United Press NEW YORK, Nov. 18 (UP)—Revolving confidence is echoing through the air...

St. Mary's Auxiliary Plans Thanksgiving Food Sale

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

Kimberlin Store Moves

Remodeled Quarters At 208 Main Being Occupied Tonight

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

Teachers' Institute To Be Held Friday

Howard County Teachers' Institute will be held Friday of this week, it was announced Monday from the county superintendent's office...

Mustang Fans In Message To Steer Squad

Sweetwater Club Commends Spirit of Big Spring Delegation

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

Mrs. R. Q. Lee Loses Race For Presidency

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

Club Convention Adjourns After Spirited Election

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

Tests In Three Counties Active

Active drilling operations in West Texas at the end of last week included the following: Peeco county Dittman et al No. 1, W. A. Sanford, section 55, block 10, H&GN survey, drilling at 290 feet in gravel...

Big Game Hunter Is Air Passenger

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

Two-Year Sentence Assessed for Forgery

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

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

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

Production Totals 366,285 Barrels Friday; Drilling Is Slower

Humble Oil & Refining company continued last week its leadership as a producer in the East Texas field. Figures for the week showed Humble's daily average production to be 51,787 barrels...

Continental Well Swabs

Continental oil company's No. 6-A Settles, in the Hoovard-Glasscock county field, had increases in oil showings at 2,350-85 and 2,418 feet and at total depth of 2,442 feet swabbed in for 35 barrels per hour...

Father of V. V. Strahan Is Buried At Putnam

Funeral services were held Sunday at Putnam for the father of V. V. Strahan of Big Spring. The elder Strahan died at his home in Rising Star Saturday morning...

Rev. Bailey To Plainview

Rev. W. G. Bailey, who for the past four years has served the congregation of the First Methodist church of Big Spring, will leave Wednesday for Plainview to take up his new duties, assigned by the Northwest Texas conference of the Methodist church...

Mrs. Bailey Honoree At Lovely Tea

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

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

New Jersey Bank Looted

TAHWAH, N. J., Nov. 18 (UP)—Five armed robbers entered the Citizens National bank today and escaped with a registered mail pouch containing a \$2,000 payroll by Armed Men...

Humble Holds East Texas Top

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

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1932 is election year. What will happen? Of course you will want to keep up with all of it. Everybody from president to precinct officers must be voted on. And what about the prohibition question again? You want to keep up with that, too. The Herald will tell you all about it quickly.

You want to know all that happens in the Chinese and Japanese trouble. How will it affect you and your people before it is all over? Keep up with it all by reading daily.

And now, things no other daily paper can give you, and they are the things that mean the most to you. What about the things you have to buy? Groceries, dry goods, notions, hardware, drugs, paints, seed, furniture, houses to buy, sell, or rent, and everything else you need will be advertised in The Herald all through the year. This means savings in actual cash to you that will pay for your paper many, many times over.

Everything about your own town or community, where the people go, what they do, and why, will be told in the Big Spring Daily Herald EACH DAY, not after it is a week old. There will be fires, accidents, murders, plots, sports, public issues of all kinds, tax questions, and everything to keep up with. The young folks like to keep up with sports, parties, etc., while the ladies want the news of parties, church affairs, school doings, cooking recipes, etc. The Daily Herald will tell all about these and many more things that will interest you each day while it is real NEWS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Birdie Baileys Give Organizer Farewell Tea

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

.81 Inch Rain Falls In City

Many West Texas Points Report Heavy Precipitation

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

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

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

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

The precipitation totaled only .28 of an inch.

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

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

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

A Peep Into the Future

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Ackerly

By MRS. L. M. BROWN

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Mrs. Faye Preston was shopping in Big Spring Tuesday.

Kemper Williamson left Tuesday for his home in the Valley.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

CENTERPOINT

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEG BROKEN

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

MIDWAY

(Delayed)

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

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

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

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

Miss Elma Holland spent Sunday night with Esie Robinson.

Marcus Smith spent Sunday night with Kenneth Luton.

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

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

MIDWAY

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

Negro Monologue—Mrs. Sinclair.

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

A trip to State Fair, Nell Robinson.

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

Reading, Irene Digby.

Spelling match.

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

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

The following are on the honor roll for the month:

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

3rd grade: Ramon Young.

4th grade: Wilmet Robinson.

5th grade: Seth J. Boynton.

6th grade: Jewel Marsh and Dorothy Hoover.

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

Pair Found Dead In Car

Husband Of Dead Woman Unacquainted With Man In Case

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

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