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## Texas Wool Growers Seek To Enter National Market

(By Associated Press)  
SAN ANGELO, Nov. 23.—Still  
hoped that a way may be found  
whereby Texas wool and mohair  
growers may enter into the  
national wool marketing associa-  
tion without jeopardizing their  
own interests. President L. B.  
Parker of the state association  
remained here for conferences to-  
day although the Wool Growers  
National Association convention  
has ended.

The objection of the Texas  
growers to entering the national  
marketing plan is based on the  
possibility that control of the  
Texas crop may be transferred  
from Texas to Boston, the pro-  
posed clearing point for the mar-  
keting association.

## Judge Decides Youthful Pair May Have Home

DENVER, Nov. 23.—Lenis Harri-  
son, 19, and his wife, Norma  
Hurley Harrison, 14, have weath-  
ered the storm of parental dissent  
and, with the aid of the juvenile  
court, settled down to the peace  
of their own hearthstone.

Lenis and Norma eloped on one  
day. The second day Norma spent  
in the custody of police at the re-  
quest of her parents, when the  
couple returned to make their  
home with them.

The third day juvenile court  
Judge Robert W. Steele stated de-  
fiance at the assembled relatives  
of the couple and backed up the  
youthful pair.

When the couple returned from  
their elopement and reported their  
marriage to their astounded  
parents, Lenis' mother, Mrs. Rose  
Mayo said the couple must live  
with her and that Lenis' weekly  
pay check must go to her as usual.

The bride dissented. The  
mother-in-law then said the mar-  
riage would be annulled.

"I don't mind their being mar-  
ried," said Mrs. Hurley, Norma's  
mother, who married her husband  
when she was 13, "but my daugh-  
ter must be mistress of her own  
household."

Judge Steele heard them all,  
then turned to the young hus-  
band.

"And what do you think," he  
asked.

"I want to make a home for  
her," he declared. "I want to get  
a cozy apartment somewhere  
where we can live by ourselves."

Judge Steele told all concerned  
the couple were legally married  
and could remain that way as  
long as they saw fit.

OLD LOVE FOR DIAMOND  
CLAIMS JONES AS OWNER

(By Associated Press)  
ATLANTA, Nov. 23.—Bobby  
Jones, wizard of a golf, in buying  
a part interest in the Atlanta  
Crackers of the Southern League,  
becomes actively interested in a  
game he preferred to golf as a  
hobby of seven.

Bobby's ambition at that age  
was to become a great catcher.  
He was enrolled in the golf kin-  
dergarten also but liked baseball  
better until an enthusiastic bats-  
man on the opposing kid team  
swung widely, missed the ball  
and whacked Bobby, who was back  
stopping on the cranium.

"After that," said Bobby, "I de-  
cided to play something else."

Jones is one of 11 Atlanta busi-  
ness and professional men who  
purchased the Crackers and hired  
Johnny Dobbs, winner of two pen-  
nants in a row at Birmingham, as  
manager for 1930. Bobby's law  
firm handled the legal details of  
the transaction. And Bobby thinks  
he is going to enjoy being a base-  
ball magnate.

3 WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES  
OBSERVED BY CELEBRATION

NORDHEIM, Tex., Nov. 23.—As  
part of their silver wedding anni-  
versary celebration, Mr. and Mrs.  
C. J. Onken saw their daughter,  
Linda, married to Edward Boerm,  
Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Charles A.  
Meischen likewise were observing  
the twenty-fifth anniversary of  
their marriage and that night the  
three couples were hosts at a  
dance in the Nordheim Schuet-  
tenhalle.

## Winters Little Theatre Scores Big Hit Friday

The Winters Little Theatre  
players scored a big hit with a  
large Ballinger audience here Fri-  
day night in their presentation of  
"New Brooms." The group was  
presented here under the auspices  
of the local American Legion post  
after a number of the Legion-  
naires saw the play in Winters  
the week previous.

From the time of the beginning  
of the first overture by the or-  
chestra the Ballinger crowd realized  
that a treat was in store and  
sat back for a full evening's  
enjoyment. From the start of the  
play to the conclusion, the audi-  
ence was responsive, crying and  
laughing with the cast as the  
offering was perfectly interpreted.

Roy Mack brought the first ap-  
plause from the audience on his  
first exit from the stage. Mr.  
Mack kept the crowd with him  
from beginning to end and with  
many friends applauding his ef-  
forts presented a well-played part.

Carl Henslee perhaps received  
more praise than any individual  
character. His part was outstand-  
ing and he played it like a vet-  
eran. In the role of the father,  
a manufacturer of brooms, Mr.  
Henslee furnished the majority of  
the laughs and all the tears for  
the performance. Near the close  
of the third act his work was  
especially fine when, in a fatherly  
talk to a son who had failed to  
make good, Mr. Henslee worked  
himself to real tears and the  
crowd followed suit. His work was  
a real piece of art and he was  
declared an actor as good as had  
ever been seen on a local stage,  
amateur or professional.

John Norman, as the son, with  
an obsession to go through life  
treating everyone well, smiling  
and courteous, was an outstand-  
ing member of the cast. His char-  
acter gradually changed from the  
smile-for-everybody type to the  
hard-boiled business man, like his  
father. This development was  
slow and never overplayed at any  
point. Mr. Norman is director of  
the group and has many past  
successes to his credit.

Miss Boykin, in the leading role,  
depicted a fine part. As an or-  
phan, later engaged as house-  
keeper, she found her way into  
the heart of the gruff, old manu-  
facturer of brooms and won the  
love of the son.

Misses Klem, Modisette and  
Montage each were charming in  
their parts, presenting characters  
dealing with the story in an ex-  
cellent manner.

Auburn Neely, Glenn Davis, Fred  
Young, Benton Neely and Ray-  
mond Wray were other members  
of the cast who had important  
supporting parts and who each  
showed rare ability in interpret-  
ing characters assigned them. Mr.  
Davis in a different character  
role from that usually seen, fur-  
nished many laughs as well as  
shouldering a large part of the  
plot.

There were no weak spots in the  
cast as expected in amateur per-  
formances. The play was not  
overacted and the offering held

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**Special Sunday Dinner**  
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Olives	Sweet Pickles	
	Chicken Gumbo Soup	
Roast Chicken	Choice of T-Bone Steak	Roast Suckling Pig
Sweet Potatoes Candied		Corn
Green Peas	Cranberry Sauce	
	Choice of Pies	
Tea	Coffee	Milk
Home Cooking		Tables for Ladies

## 5 Crash Victims Be Buried Today

(By Associated Press)  
LEONARD, Tex., Nov. 23.—The  
last rites for five women: Mrs.  
Charles Clark, Mrs. A. P. Grider,  
Mrs. G. R. Grider, Mrs. H. S. Pen-  
dergrass, all of Leonard, and Mrs.  
Dolly King, of Fort Worth, will  
be marked here today by the  
closing of all business establish-  
ments. The women and their  
chauffeur, Robert Guess, were on  
their way to visit in Fort Worth,  
when their automobile was struck  
on a grade crossing by a Santa Fe  
motor car on East Grand Avenue,  
Dallas.

## INJURED BRAKEMAN DIES AT TEMPLE

(By Associated Press)  
TEMPLE, Nov. 23.—Carl  
Dickinson, a railroad brake-  
man, died in a local hospi-  
tal last night of injuries  
suffered early in the day  
when he was struck by a  
switch engine.

## Body of Ratliff is Buried in Ft. Worth

(By Associated Press)  
FT. WORTH, Nov. 23.—The body  
of Marshall Ratliff, Cisco "Santa  
Claus" bank robber, was to be  
buried here today.

## Stock Plunger is Victim of Poison

(By Associated Press)  
ST. LOUIS, Nov. 23.—John Betts,  
broker, member of the New York  
and St. Louis stock exchanges,  
whose losses in the recent collapse  
of stock prices are said to have  
exceeded \$400,000, ended his life  
here today by swallowing poison.

## OLD NEWSPAPERS MAKE CHINESE HOMES COZY

(By Associated Press)  
PEIPING, Nov. 23.—Old Ameri-  
can newspapers, especially those  
with big headlines in red ink,  
are in great demand in China.

## VEGETABLES AT LAREDO DAMAGED BY COLD WAVE

(By Associated Press)  
LAREDO, Nov. 23.—Considerable  
damage to tender vegetation in  
the Laredo district resulted from  
last week's cold wave.

## BOND ALLOWED BEAUMONT BANK TELLER EMBEZZLER

(By Associated Press)  
BEAUMONT, Nov. 23.—Indicted  
for embezzlement, Fred F. Hassler,  
former teller of the American  
National Bank here, is at liberty  
today under \$2,500 bond.

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## Four Suspects Arrested for Robbery of Stinnett Bank

## Fourteen Hurt When Two Trolleys Collide

## Cold Wave Has Moved to South

(By Associated Press)  
DALLAS, Nov. 23.—Fourteen per-  
sons were injured when two  
trolley cars collided head-on on  
a railway viaduct here today. All  
of the victims were Dallas resi-  
dents.

## Ballinger Movie Best, Says Shuler

(By Associated Press)  
DALLAS, Nov. 23.—The first  
serious invasion of winter having  
passed, northern and eastern  
sections of Texas today looked  
forward to a respite from the cold  
wave that, in many places, sent  
the mercury tumbling to low  
levels for the year.

## Three Mexicans Die In Excavation Cave

(By Associated Press)  
LOS ANGELES, Nov. 23.—Three  
Mexican laborers were killed to-  
day in a cave-in of an excava-  
tion here. A gas explosion pre-  
ceded the cave-in. Police were  
hampered in rescue work by  
escaping fumes.

## BEARS MAKE WHOOPIE WITH APPLE ORCHARD

(By Associated Press)  
DORFNEY, Mich., Nov. 23.—  
Michael Tasson harvested scarcely  
an apple from this year's fine  
crop.

## LONE ROBBER NO BANDIT UNDER MEXICAN CODE

(By Associated Press)  
MEXICO CITY, Nov. 23.—A hold  
up man who operates alone is not  
a bandit under the new penal  
code, which says:

## BRIQUET PROCESS INSTALLED

(By Associated Press)  
PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 23.—(P)—  
Lehigh, N. D., is the first place in  
the United States to install the  
new German Lurgi process for  
turning low grade coal into bri-  
quets. The process is reported to  
the American Society of Mechani-  
cal Engineers by Max Toits of St.  
Paul.

## Little Hope Held For Clemenceau

(By Associated Press)  
PARIS, Nov. 23.—Late today  
Former Premier Clemenceau, "the  
Tiger of France," was still hold-  
ing death off, although he was  
not expected to survive the next  
twenty-four hours.

## WEATHER FORECAST

(By Associated Press)  
West Texas—Fair tonight and  
Sunday.  
East Texas—Cloudy tonight and  
Sunday, possibly becoming un-  
settled, with slowly rising temper-  
atures.

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# Locals District Winners By Defeating Winters

Ballinger Bearcats champions of District 11.

Every football fan in Ballinger was made happy Friday when the Bearcats were victorious over the Winters Blizzards by 14 to 0. Several things figured in their happiness. It is the first time a Ballinger football team has ever won a district championship. It beat Winters, a team that always has upset dope for Ballinger and furnished hard going. It completed a season in District 11 and the team was never scored on or even in danger. Students celebrated while the team took things easy and began looking forward to real hard competition in by-district games which will start the week after Thanksgiving.

Winters fans started arriving in Ballinger shortly after noon Friday and by the time for the game several hundred cars were in Ballinger, bringing many fans, the Winters band, pep squad and football team. It was a fine crowd of sports from Winters. They cheered the Ballinger men when cheer was due them and they lost like real sports. The Winters team fought hard every step of the way and while Ballinger was able to chalk up many first downs, when they were in scoring position the Blizzards stopped the Bearcat advance and four times during the game the Bearcats were forced to let the ball go over because they could not gain and carry the ball across the line.

Underwood, lanky half back for the Bearcats was the shining flash in Friday's game. The feet-footed youngster circled ends many times for long gains evading would-be tacklers who had sifted through and really had for a loss. His broken field running was nothing short of sensational and he had the crowd to their feet many times during the game. His run of forty yards after catching a pass from Partridge, for a touchdown was the high spot of the game. He was out kicked by Winters but every punt was well placed and for about the same distance. Coker also continued his ground gaining tactics and furnished a real thrill when he ran straight through the center of the line for 35 yards and a touchdown. Little Wright was always good for a little gain and after each touchdown he carried the ball across the line for the extra point.

The mighty Ballinger line played good ball but were not up to their standard. They were able to take care of the situation but the Winters line furnished plenty of trouble.

The game started with Ballinger kicking to Winters. The kick was short and the ball was Winters on the 30-yard line. Winters threw a pass on first play that was incomplete, they picked up six yards on the next two plays and then kicked. The first quarter was played with Ballinger gaining at will but not getting in scoring position. They chalked up a number of first downs. The second quarter started with Ballinger rushing another string of first downs only to lose the ball near the blue and white goal line. Winters got off a fine kick. Wright hit the line for 4 yards, Partridge slid through for 7 and a first down. Wright got three on tackle and Underwood went around right end for 9 yards and a first down. Partridge picked up 4 more and Wright crashed on tackle for 2. Coker on a fake end run cut back through center and ran straight through the entire Winters team for 35 yards and a touchdown. Wright carried the ball over for the extra point.

The other score came in the third quarter when the ball was about in mid-field in possession of Ballinger. Partridge heaved a beautiful pass to Underwood near the west side line after a fake run had been started in the opposite direction. Underwood tucked the ball under his arm and out-distanced four Blizzards in a beau-

tiful 40 yard run up the side line for a touchdown. Wright hit the line for the extra point.

The second half ended with the Bearcats making a steady drive down the field. They had made three first down in succession when the final gunshot ended the game.

The day was cold and players and fans had a hard time getting warm. Fires were built along the sideline and many fans divided time between the fire and the game.

The following lineups started the game

Ballinger	Pos.	Winters
Robbins		Smith
Flynt	left end	Bailey
Jones	left tackle	Hoppe
Reese	left guard	J. Smith
Bailey	center	Young
Smith	right guard	Cook
Lush	right tackle	Rogers
Wright	right end	Key
Underwood	right half	Pratt
Coker	left half	Baldwin
Partridge	fullback	Coley
	quarter	

## Angelo Special Thru Here Today

A special train conveying over 400 San Angelo boosters passed through Ballinger Saturday morning en route to Abilene where the Bobcats meet the Abilene high Eagles today. The special arrived here on the Santa Fe tracks and was transferred here to the A. & S. line.

The special is scheduled to arrive at Abilene just before noon and will depart there tonight after the game. Fans from all over this section are journeying to Abilene to witness this grid clash.

### TO FILE APPEAL FROM "YES" JURY VERDICT

(By Associated Press)  
CORPUS CHRISTI, Nov. 23.—The Corpus Christi city attorney is expected to claim a jury in a recent suit answered "Yes" to a series of lengthy questions when the opposite answer was intended. The suit resulted from an effort by property owners to keep the city from levying a tax to widen and pave Staples Street. Property owners contended the assessment would be more than the increase in value. Several persons protested and in each case the jury was asked whether the amount assessed by the city was greater than the property value would increase.

The question was so long and involved the jury answered "Yes" although it believed "No." City Attorney J. M. Taylor contends. He said he would file a motion for a new trial and ask that the verdict be set aside.

Oilton—Hundred bale cotton house for Oilton Gin Company is now under construction.

Sanderson—Bids being received for addition and alterations to courthouse and jail building.

Be wise and advertise.

# TULANE HOPES TO COLLECT WITH BANKER SHOWING WAY

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 23.—Tulane's undefeated and untied Green Wave which appears to be headed for at least partial ownership of the Southern conference football championship, has done three things no other Greenie team has been able to do.

Regarded a few years ago as just another setup for the stronger southern teams, Tulane was not recognized as one of the leading Dixie championship contenders until the Wave began establishing a few precedents in the way of victories. The Wave has rolled over Texas A. & M., Georgia Tech and Georgia, chalking up the initial Tulane victory over each of the three.

And when the Wave's fierce attack led by the galloping Billy Banker, subdued the Texans and Georgians the Greenies carved a niche for themselves as one of the best teams Dixie ever has turned out.

Without a plentiful supply of capable reserves, the Wave has pounded away with the eleven regulars taking and giving most of the punishment until the Green has taken on an iron tincture. An example of that spirit is Charles Rucker, tackle who broke his nose in the Georgia game but continued his aggressive tactics and blocked a punt a few moments after the play in which he was injured.

Despite the big hand given Billy Banker, the blonde blizzard and the Wave's leading ground gainer, and Little Ike Armstrong, his running mate the brushing play of the line has been largely responsible for the Tulane triumphs.



Billy Banker, the leading ground gainer of Tulane, is supported by a line of big boys who know how to bruise the opposition. The Green Wave banks on Banker to lead the way to the Southern conference football championship.

## Rolling to Rio Coming True as Highways Grow

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 23.—"Rolling Down to Rio," in your automobile over an all weather highway, once only the dream of John C. Nicholson, Newton, Kansas, good roads enthusiast, promises to become an achievement.

Word has been received here by highway officials that the Mexican government hopes to complete work on the Meridian highway between Monterey and Mexico City next year. The Mexican government is co-operating with the Meridian highway association in sending out literature to the United States extolling the virtues of a motor trip into Mexico.

The Meridian highway, conceived by Nicholson, is completed at present between Winnipeg, Canada, and Monterey, a distance of nearly 2,000 miles. Nicholson now has dreams of seeing the highway extended from Mexico City southward through Central and South America to Valparaiso and Buenos Aires, a distance of 14,700 miles.

People smiled tolerantly when Nicholson first unfolded his dream of a highway connecting Canada, the United States and Mexico. But Nicholson was a worker as well as a dreamer. He made the Meridian highway association his hobby and was elected president. He worked, traveled, and spent his own money to encourage states and counties to surface their link in his proposed international highway.

Little by little he achieved results and by the end of 1923 the highway had been surfaced from Winnipeg to Monterey, except for

a few small gaps totalling approximately 50 miles.

Most of his dream fulfilled, Nicholson had an even greater dream, that of a Pan-American highway to connect the 13 nations on the two continents.

The success Nicholson already has achieved has made it less difficult for him to obtain support for his new venture. Automobileists quickly grasped the possibilities offered the tourist over this almost unending international highway. Business men along the route, appreciative of the vast tourist trade in store for them, are aiding the movement. "It is a dream that almost takes your breath away, this possibility of rolling down to Rio in your own car, yet it is sure to come true in time," Nicholson said. "Then, consider the benefits it will bring to business relations between these countries and the better understanding between nations that is sure to result."

### DYNAMITE SALT WATER WELL NOW PRODUCES A LITTLE OIL

(By Associated Press)  
MABANK, Tex., Nov. 23.—A well which more than four years ago flowed salt water today is producing about 120 gallons of oil daily, in hourly bursts. On April 8, 1923, more than 5,000

Pen-Atlantic well brought in on the Gardner farm. Drilled to 3,208 feet, it flowed salt water.

Plugged and covered with cement, the well remained that way until hunters noticed an oil seepage recently. About a month ago someone set off a charge of dynamite on the plug and the seepage stopped. Later it was found to be making a five-gallon head each hour.

### SPORTSWOMEN WEAR FUR CUFFED GLOVES

PARIS, Nov. 23.—(AP)—Fur cuffed musketeer gloves meant to be worn with the fur lining turned outward are favorites with the French sportswomen and motorists. The fur gloves reach almost to the elbow when pulled up over the arm.

## IN THE REALM OF SPORTS

The next football game for the Bearcats will probably be played on Friday, December 6. The team they will face has not yet been decided but will be announced from Austin as soon as the district champions are all decided.

The team will have two weeks rest. The past two weeks since Armistice Day did not help the squad any, but in the bi-district games the boys will need to go hard. Chastain, the only man out at present, will be ready to play by the next game and will add much to the interference and offensive work of the team.

Grades will be out in a few days and this may deal another casualty or two to the club. Most of the football warriors are good students but when thirty-odd boys are concerned there are likely to be failures.

It's funny how somebody will cry "rough stuff" every time some of his side's team gets tackled hard. One fine thing seen in the game with Winters was that the boys were helping each other up and patting their opponents on the back. Each team fought hard but clean, and fans enjoy watching such a game.

All district champion teams will soon begin to show up in the newspapers. There are lots of good men in this district this year and it will not be easy to select a paper team. The Bearcats are a fine team but they can only furnish part of the material. Brady and Coleman will each furnish their quotas. We intend to pick one for publication in this column but it will require time.

and thought to pick an eleven that will approximate the best.

In selecting an all-district team the Bearcat backs will suffer because there is not a kicker in the crew. Ballinger has been out-kicked in practically every game this year with the exception of the tilt with Lampasas and the kicker never had time to kick in that game.

### HARRIS COUNTY TO ENFORCE STRICT TRAFFIC OBSERVANCE

(By Associated Press)  
HOUSTON, Nov. 23.—Looking in alarm on a motor traffic death list which this year already has passed 80 in this county, the commissioners' court has decreed that trucks shall not be allowed to park on concrete roads.

City and county police likewise were instructed to enforce rigidly regulations against running without tail lights, properly adjusted head lights and other warning signals.

Center lines on all county highways will be marked.

Farwell—Work progressing nicely on new elevator for Farmers Grain Company.

Lewisville—Work on 8.31 miles of Denton-Dallas Highway in this district now underway.

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**AROUND THE WORLD**

In evening dress fashion," said Mr. Collett, "the waiters are the first to adopt it. They ought to agree on some distinctive dress, such as mess jackets with ribbons across the chest."

**POORHOUSE PROSPECT NOW WORTH \$400,000**

PASADENA, Calif., Nov. 23.—Dark clouds which had surrounded Chas. Midcock, 72-year-old cobbler, who believed himself doomed to the poor house as the result of a bad investment, today turned out to have silver linings. The bad investment netted the cobbler \$400,000.

Then a mining company discovered new deposits of silver on the land, which had been considered exhausted of mineral, and offered Midcock a fortune for his land.

Now the aged cobbler is worried, as he bends over the work bench in his little shoe shop, about how to spend his money.

Students in the University of Missouri represent 25 religious faiths.

Craighead Cavern in Monroe county, Tennessee, one of a few marble caves in the world, is now equipped with stairways and electric lights.

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**FOR SALE**—Six lots facing 10th Street, between Post and Sargent streets. Dandy lots. Look them over and write me for special price for one or all. Claude Stevenson, 208 Central Bank, Dallas, Texas. 22-3td-1tw

**FOR RENT**—Furnished apartment. Phone 1239. Mrs. L. C. Alexander. 22-8td

**FOR RENT**—Five room stucco house on 11th Street, close in. Phone 281. 22-3td

**FOR RENT**—Five room house on Eighth Street, modern conveniences. Also two room apartment, close in. See or phone L. E. Bair. 19-5td

**FOR RENT**—3 room bungalow, modern throughout, hardwood floors, priced right. Joe Huffman, phone 1293. 13-10td

**WANTED**—Clean cotton rags. The Ledger. ttd

**FOR RENT**—Downstairs apartment. Phone 81. 3-tfd

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**Winters Little--**

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The audience in rapt attention until the final curtain.  
The special orchestra from Winters was on the job at every interval, playing a variety of selections from popular rags to overtures. "Princes of India," the overture just before the first curtain, was given a particularly fine rendition.

Two young ladies in sailor's uniforms furnished a specialty between acts, flawlessly executing several dances. They were recalled for encore numbers after the curtain was closed.

The Little Theatre play was brought here on an exchange for the American Legion show, "For Cryin' Out Loud," which will be presented in the Winters high school auditorium Tuesday evening of next week.

**NATCHEZ WILL OBSERVE MASSACRE ANNIVERSARY**

(By Associated Press)  
NATCHEZ, Miss., Nov. 23.—This old little city, which sits on a high bluff overlooking the Mississippi, November 28 will commemorate the 200th anniversary of one of America's bloodiest Indian massacres.

Two hundred and forty French pioneers were killed November 28, 1729, by a band of Natchez Indians. The Indians shot Father Du Poisson, a Jesuit priest who had come to the settlement to minister to the ill in the disease-stricken outpost, and then butchered the rest of the inhabitants. Only two persons escaped.

The observance will include a service in St. Mary's Cathedral and a pageant.

**PLAN OBSERVATORY FOR CALIFORNIA UNIVERSITY**

SANTA MONICA, Nov. 23.—The University of California at Los Angeles is considering the offer of five acres on the top of Saddle Peak in the Santa Monica Mountains as the site for an astronomical observatory.

The land was offered by Capt. Al Patton, administrator of the Hogue estate.

The peak is 3,000 feet high and is said to have agreeable climate and good visibility.

**OFFICERS MUST OBEY LAW**

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 23.—(AP)—Army officers who have abused their position by refusing to obey traffic signals received a reprimand from the chief of the Mexico City garrison, General Eulogio Ortiz, who announced that any man under his command found guilty of violating traffic regulations would be punished severely.

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Have you read the want ads?

**Methodist Church**  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m., Joe Forran, superintendent.  
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. Subject for morning service, "A Program for the Church." Evening service evangelistic.  
Young people meet at 8:15 p. m.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend any or all of these services.  
T. E. BOWMAN, Pastor.

**First Christian Church**  
(Broadway and Murrell)  
Sunday school 9:45. O. P. Doran, superintendent.  
Worship and preaching service at 10:30. The subject for the morning sermon is "The Abolisher Box."

Young People's Christian Endeavor at 8:30 p. m.  
Evening preaching service begins at 7:15. Subject: "The Three Worlds."  
Beginning Sunday we shall devote about ten minutes each Sunday evening to Bible instruction by means of pictures on the screen. For the next six months these illustrated lectures will cover the Old Testament then we shall take up the New Testament in the same order. The short illustrated lecture will be given in addition to the sermon but the entire service will not last over an hour.  
G. T. REAVES, Pastor.

**Eighth Street Presbyterian Church**  
Bible school at 9:45 a. m. A short and interesting pageant will be given by the young people of the church.  
Worship at 11:00 a. m. Solo by Miss Maggie Lilly. Sermon, "Thanks to God from Grateful Hearts."  
Wednesday evening we join in the union Thanksgiving service at the Baptist church.  
Worship at 7:30 p. m. "Love and Courtship" This is an attempt to face a present problem from a Christian standpoint, and assist in solving it. It is the first of a series of Sunday evening sermons on social subjects. Solo by Mrs. C. A. Doose.  
"Come ye thankful people, Come!"  
J. EDWIN KERR, Minister.

**Ballinger Baptist Church**  
9:45 a. m. Sunday school, E. Shepperd, superintendent.  
Remember the Thanksgiving offering for Backner Orphan's Home.  
Preaching service at 11:00 a. m. by pastor.  
6:30 p. m. meetings of the B. Y. P. U., R. E. White, director.  
7:30 p. m. preaching service by pastor.  
W. M. S. meets in circles Monday.  
Sunbeams at 2:00 p. m. Monday.  
Thanksgiving service Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.  
A welcome to all who will worship with us in our regular services Sunday.  
J. H. McCLAIN, Pastor.

**Eighth Street Church of Christ**  
(Corner of Eighth Street and Jossal Avenue)  
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching, 11:00 a. m.  
Communion service, 11:40 a. m.  
Young People's Meeting at 8:15 p. m.  
Preaching at 7:30 p. m.  
Communion service at 8:15 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.  
Ladies Bible Class (non denominational), Mrs. Rhoden, teacher, Thursday at 3:30 p. m.  
Our motto: A gospel message; a spiritual uplifting service. You are urged to attend and always welcome.  
CHAS. L. SPEIR, Minister.

**First Presbyterian Church**  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
11:00 o'clock, morning worship.  
7:00 o'clock evening worship.  
A cordial invitation to worship with this congregation is extended to all who do not worship elsewhere.  
E. W. McLAURIN, pastor.

**Church of God**  
Sunday school, 10 a. m.  
Morning service, 11 a. m.  
Evening service, 7:30 p. m.  
Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.  
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Preaching 11 a. m.  
N. Y. P. S. 7 p. m.  
Preaching 8 p. m.  
Mid-week prayer meeting on Wednesday evening 8 p. m.  
We extend a hearty welcome to all.  
W. LAWSON BROWN, Pastor.

**A SERMON FOR THE WEEK**  
The Church Today Lacks Power.  
By The Rev. Leo G. Brechtel, D.D., Pastor of the Baptist Tabernacle Church, Atlanta.  
There is a vast difference between what the world calls influence, the influence that the church is running itself to death after today, and actual power so evident in the early Christian church.  
The church stands before the world today as a great super-naturally constructed institution without the power to direct and properly move its multiplied machinery.  
It is giving itself largely to human instrumentalities with the hope of overcoming that conscious lack so evident in the majority of churches not only in this country but throughout the world.  
A great deal of this present situation may be attributed to a false conception of power.  
Although the numbers, the names, the wealth and the influence of the church are greater than ever today not one of these is equivalent to power, that power that molds the heart and is the life of the church of God.  
Our Lord had no influence or wealth. He had not enough influence to get a fair trial, but He had the power to return to this earth and walk among His fellows. He had that power that is seemingly lost to the church of today.

**BERLIN**—(AP)—To bring back tourist trade to the center of Berlin, cafe owners of the Jaegerstrasse, former night life center, have pooled their interests in a stock company and have asked the city to rename the thoroughfare "The Street of All Nations."

**VATICAN CITY**—(AP)—Pope Pius became a distributor of sewing machines recently when he had to dispose of twenty samples given to him by visiting manufacturers. The machines were allocated to hospitals and other charitable institutions.

**DUBLIN**—(AP)—The Associated Chambers of Commerce of the Irish Free State proposed that the government take over all dormant bank accounts for the national treasury. It is declared that Spain found a similar step highly profitable.

**EL GOLEA, Sahara Desert**—(AP)—This oasis amid the burning sands will be host next January to a convention of orange and roses growers. Once a watering place for caravans, it now boasts hotels, orchards and other ornaments of French culture.

**ROME**—(AP)—A government order abolishing entrance fees to national museums and art galleries has brought floods of visitors from among the poorer classes. The former admission of 12 lire—63 cents—represented a whole day's living expenses to an Italian workman.

**RIO DE JANEIRO**—(AP)—Forty thousand undernourished children live in this city, according to a survey made by officials who are campaigning against tuberculosis. This total is more than half of the 75,000 school children in a city of 2,000,000 people.

**TIMBUCTOO, Upper Senegal**—(AP)—This city, which used to be the symbol for forty miles from nowhere, will be terminus of an automobile race next January. The contest will start from Algiers and the winner will be expected here five days later. A century ago a French explorer took 30 months for the trip.

**LUEBECK, Germany**—(AP)—

**Statistics made public by the municipal library here show that men prefer books dealing with ethnology, history, adventure and humor while women read biographies, women's stories and romantic novels.**

**LONDON WAITERS TOO DRESSY IS COMPLAINT**  
(By Associated Press)  
LONDON, Nov. 23.—A loud plea for a new evening dress for waiters so that they may be distinguished from the guests they serve has been made by the National Association of Outfitters to the Hotel Proprietors Association.  
E. W. Collett, chairman of the delegation that waited on the proprietors' group, pointed out the great embarrassment of the guest who shakes the hand of an immaculately clad gentleman instead of depositing his hat and cane with him.  
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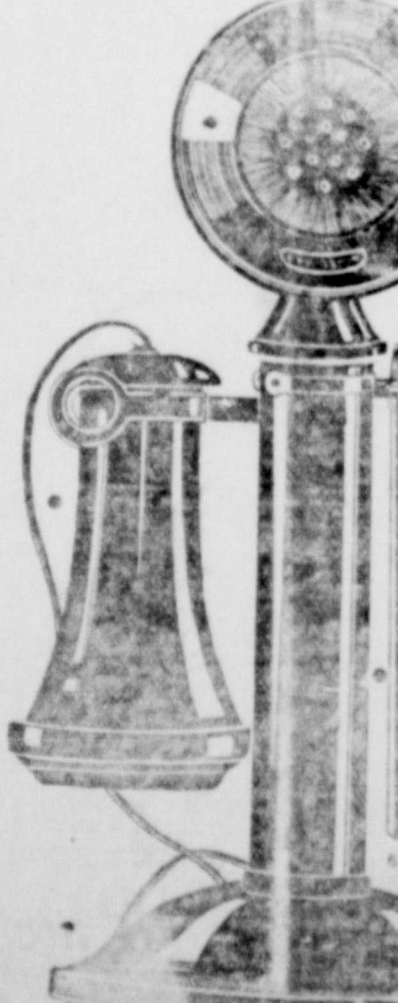
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