

Home Town Talk by Betty

Periods of stress in business have their effect upon the public schools and the men and women who oversee the operation of the schools are confronted with additional problems.

Of all the things that should be maintained efficiently in the face of any condition it is our schools. Nobody ever lost anything by helping the schools either directly or indirectly, so long as the officials of the schools served efficiently.

S. M. N. Marra, for some years superintendent of public instruction in Texas, has issued to all officials and employees of the public schools some good advice for the new year.

He points out that the governor, the legislature and the state board of education realized the critical situation confronting the public schools and made it possible for the state to maintain its previous appropriations per capita, for rural and for high school tuition.

Mr. Marra's recommendation to the board of education adopted practically the same salary schedule for state aid schools as was in effect during the preceding year.

The success of carrying out our financial program, therefore, depends entirely upon local management and ability to collect taxes coupled with loyal operation of the supervising officers and teachers.

Owing to the unsettled conditions which prevail, he continues, many depository banks have been unable to extend the usual credit to school districts.

He then discusses some of the causes of overdrafts. They have not been occasioned by the expense of the elementary schools, for it is well known that the elementary teachers are usually overloaded and underpaid, he declares.

Some of the causes of overdrafts, he says, are: failure to restrict contracts for building and equipment to the proceeds of bond issues; building programs too pretentious for the financial resources of the district; failure to leave a sufficient margin in the budget; if a budget was made, to allow for delinquent taxes; too extensive and, therefore, too expensive high school curriculum; too much latitude to the president or secretary or superintendent in the purchase of material.

To superintendents and teachers the state superintendent says: "There has never been a greater challenge to your loyalty and your real interest in the great work in which you are engaged. School boards are uniformly sympathetic with employees who by their efficient service under unfavorable conditions show a willingness to aid in the solution of their problems.

Let us have the best attendance this year ever known in order to reduce waste and increase efficiency. Let us convince the taxpayers that they are receiving more than they should expect for the money expended and in fact let us take heart and resolve that for the remainder of 1931-32 and for the year 1932-33 the great army of teachers will rally to the relief of schools in order that the children of the state may receive the heritage to which they are so justly entitled."

We're sure Mr. Marra did not intend it for that purpose, but he could not have issued a better "platform" for attention to his office if he had tried.

The challenge both to teachers and patrons is great and every man and woman should do his best to meet the challenge.

Froggie!
California Firm Wants Our Big Bullfrogs Shipped Out There, Either Alive or Dressed.

Here's an opportunity for someone to start a new business. A Lakeside, California, firm, dealing in bullfrogs, crayfish, top minnows, has written the chamber of commerce here, saying that it is in the market for a large number of large frogs of which we understand there are quantities in your locality.

Ruth Offered \$70,000 For 1-Year Term

Returns Contract Unsigned; Would Take It On 2-Year Basis

NEW YORK, Jan. 14 (AP)—Babe Ruth today received a one-year contract for \$70,000 annually from the New York Yankees. He immediately returned it unsigned and said he would accept a two-year contract for the same salary.

Japan's Reply Is Due Friday

Nation Expected To Deny Operations Violate Treaty

TOKYO, Jan. 14 (AP)—It is expected that the Japanese reply to the American note invoking the nine-power treaty will be given Ambassador Forbes tomorrow.

The note is expected to deny that Japan's Manchurian operations violate the treaty.

Contractors Use City's List Only In Employing Men

Contractors on the municipal building have been furnished a complete list, arranged alphabetically, of all men eligible to employment there, City Manager E. V. Spence said Thursday.

The city has spent several months in compiling the list. Each man whose name appeared on it has been issued an identification card. Before he was placed on the list the city officials determined that he was a bona-fide resident of Big Spring, together with the number of dependents.

This list is the only official one and the only one that will be used by the contractors in selecting employees.

A total of 428 men have been issued cards.

The contractors have agreed to rotate men on the job, giving those who are in greater need with more dependents first choice.

The list is revised daily, new names being furnished contractors. The list gives not only the name of each man, but also whether he is married or single, and the number of persons depending upon him for a livelihood.

Ex-Collector Of Taxes Is Given Four-Year Term

WACO, Jan. 14 (AP)—Arthur Mills, former McLennan county tax collector, was convicted of Franklin today of misappropriation of \$44,823. He was sentenced to four years imprisonment. The case had been transferred to Franklin on a change of venue.

House To Vote Friday On Reconstruction Bill

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14 (AP)—The house agreed to vote tomorrow on the two billion dollar reconstruction finance corporation. The senate has already approved the measure.

Improved Conditions Found At Dairies Here By State Health Department Man; Urges Labels

Bishop of Methodist Church, South, To Fill Pulpit Here Sunday

SOME improvement is being made by dairymen who sell their products here but the per capita consumption of milk is much too low, B. L. Grimes, of the state health department said Thursday after completing an inspection of the dairies.

Several dairymen are making improvements designed to provide their patrons further protection against impurities, he declared.

Taking the local situation as a whole, however, Grimes said he found the milk being sold here is not of as high quality as would be the case if those selling ungraded milk were made to so label each bottle.

The state health department with assistance of the U. S. public health service, make a milk survey this year in all the 140 cities having the standard ordinance, said Grimes. This will be done by making a rating on sanitary quality of milk for each city.

Grimes declared emphatically that the state, after long study in conjunction with the U. S. public health service regards Grade A milk as the only kind that ought to be sold.

A personal investigation by a representative of the health department is being made in all standard ordinance cities on the following items: whether inspection work is being done in accordance with standard control code; whether tuberculin test records are carefully checked; whether sterilization temperatures and chlorine strength are checked; whether the inspector checks carefully past plant thermometers and charts; whether the section of the ordinance governing delivery vehicles is enforced; whether milk is being served in original containers in restaurants; whether laboratory work is done in accordance with standard methods; whether four samples per grading period are being collected; dates on which grades are announced or published; whether dairymen are regraded, if necessary, during grading period; whether bottles and cans are labeled properly; whether restaurants are carrying proper placards and whether records are being systematically and fully kept.

Buffalo Drinks More Beer Than Ever Says Solon

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14 (AP)—Rep. Edmund F. Cooke, Republican, told the senate committee on the Blagovest bill that the Buffalo, N. Y., which is consuming more beer than before prohibition, when a million barrels was produced there yearly.

Local Boy Extended Congratulations From Directors of Chamber

Directors of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce Monday evening extended congratulations to Young Pickle, son of J. B. Pickle, a member of the board, upon being named the most representative male student in Baylor university at Waco.

Local Officers In Stanton For Trials

Deputy Sheriff Andrew Merrick, T. P. officer M. C. Darnell and L. A. Eubanks of the Retail Merchants Association, attended district court in Stanton Monday, having been called witnesses.

Merrick was a witness in an automobile theft case in which Hill Buffington was given a two-year term. He was arrested here when he and two companions attempted to sell some casings and weapons.

The other men were called to testify in a burglary case, which was continued today.

Accusations Of Mellon Are Given House

Patman Says Loan and Oil Concession Given Suspiciously

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14 (AP)—Representative Patman, before the house Judiciary committee, charged Secretary Mellon with helping to arrange a loan to Colombia about the time a large oil concession was granted the Mellon-owned Gulf Oil company.

He charged that the treasury booklet guiding architects urges the wide use of aluminum in federal buildings. Mellon controls the Aluminum Company of America.

C of C To Name Five Directors

Prison System Director Given Expression of Appreciation

Each of the 20 elected directors of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce will submit names of one or more men as nominees for the five appointive places on the board, it was decided at the regular meeting this week.

Search For Negro Shifts To Capital

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14 (AP)—Search for George Crawford, negro, wanted for the murders of Mrs. Agnes Haley, wealthy sportswoman of Middleburg, Va., and a maid, Mrs. Mina Buckner, centered here today when a stolen automobile was found near the city.

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For the purpose of adding those who sell only a few pounds of butter each week and who are not what might be termed commercial dairymen, the city commission Tuesday night authorized City Manager E. V. Spence to allow a year's extension for testing of cows against tuberculosis.

If the cow has been tested once under terms of the city's standard milk ordinance, the owner may sell butter for one year after the date of the first test without having attendant fee, with the attendant fee.

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MERCHANTS' INSTITUTE PROGRAM ANNOUNCED

H. W. Stanley To Conduct Institute Here Next Week

Details of the program for the Business Men's Conference with W. H. Stanley of Dallas, nationally known economist, was issued today by the Chamber of Commerce.

From 2 to 4 p. m. he will visit with dry goods dealers, and with hardware and furniture dealers from 4 to 6 p. m.

From 8:30 to 9:30 p. m. Monday in the ballroom a conference and discussion on "Who Profits by Price-Cutting?" will be held.

Prison Term Given Heiress

FLINT, Mich., Jan. 14 (AP)—Helen Joy Morgan, 27, heiress, was convicted of second degree murder of Leslie Casteel, her garage mechanic, and sentenced to 20 to 25 years in prison.

Millaps Bankers Want To Close But Customers Won't Take Money Out

MILLSAP, Parker Co., Texas, Jan. 14 (AP)—The First National Bank of this place is trying to quit business but isn't having much luck, said its president, G. A. Holland, 3, of Weatherford, Tuesday.

Former President Of Mexico Denies He Is Planning New Race

CANNES, France, Jan. 14 (AP)—Emilio Portes Gil, former president of Mexico, said today he knew nothing about a report that he would seek the governorship of the state of Tamaulipas, Mexico.

City Tax Receipts To December 31 Near 1930 Figure; General Fund Has \$23,712; Water Income Down Only \$90

Current tax collections by the City of Big Spring to December 31 amounted to \$23,712.06 against \$27,299.76 for the same period a year ago, the monthly financial statement prepared by City Secretary Merle J. Stewart and presented to the board of city commissioners Tuesday evening by City Manager E. V. Spence discloses.

Disbursements from the general fund were \$638.61 greater than receipts during the month of December due to the unusual volume of work given unemployed men, who cleaned and repaired streets and alleys and lowered water lines.

Water connections increased sixteen during December.

Kiwanians To Send Members To Convention

Divisional Meeting Set At Amarillo; Song Program Held

Members of the Kiwanis club at Big Spring are preparing to send a delegation to Amarillo Monday to attend a meeting of this division of the Texas-Oklahoma district, which is presided over by Deputy District Governor Garland A. Woodward, one of the organizers of the local club.

At Thursday's luncheon session at the Crawford hotel Virgil Smith was in charge of a song program. A number of announcements were made and the program closed by having each member give a brief answer to the question: why are you a Kiwanian?

It was announced that the club ranked sixth among all those of the Texas-Oklahoma district for attendance last month, being but seven points behind the leader.

Two new musical organizations within the club were uncovered by the chairman. A quartette consisting of John Walton, Emma Ashcroft, Webster Smith and Ray Wilcox sang one number and Garland Woodward and G. R. Porter were heard in a vocal duet.

Obie Bristow announced the Big Spring-Sweetwater basketball game, scheduled for 7:30 p. m. Friday.

It was announced that the Kiwanis education committee would have charge of next week's program, when the 7th anniversary of Kiwanis International will be observed.

H. E. Baum Buys Stock Of Harris Store Here

H. E. Baum, operator of stores in Breckenridge and Abilene, purchased the stock of Harris, ready-to-wear store, here Thursday morning at a sale conducted for the referee in bankruptcy. His bid was \$1,475. Harris, owned by Will Harris, recently was adjudged in bankruptcy, on a petition filed by three creditors.

Salvation Army Needs Much Old Clothing

The Salvation Army is in need of a large amount of clothing. Mrs. Grief Thursday issued an appeal to all those who have any old clothing that can be worn to call the Salvation Army and members of its staff will call for the clothing.

The Weather

By U. S. Weather Bureau Big Spring, Texas Jan. 14, 1932

Big Spring and vicinity—Cloudy, rain or snow tonight. Colder tonight; Friday partly cloudy.

TEMPERATURES table with columns for P.M., Wed., and A.M., Thurs. and rows for 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30, 11:30, 12:30, Maximum yesterday, Minimum last night.

WEATHER CONDITIONS Dallas-El Paso Airways 11:30 P. M. Today

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Comedy
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QUEEN

Public Records

New Automobiles
Chevrolet sedan, W. R. King.
Chevrolet coach, A. O. Thomas.
Buick sedan, G. R. Porter.
Ford coupe, Ike Knaus.
Ford coupe, Wolcott Motor Co.
Chevrolet coach, C. J. Dowling.

Filed in County Court
Wolcott Motor Company vs R. W. Mahan, suit on note.

Building Permits
Lee Nuckles for A. J. Currie and Will Cavar, to move house, \$36.
B. A. Reagan, for H. B. Dunagan to repair residence, \$200.

Lydyck Roofing Company, for work on roof of Rix Furniture company building, \$75.

SPECIAL DISTRICT COURT
Thirty-Second District
J. E. Harding et al vs Continental Oil Company, dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

C. D. Herring vs Marvin Collier et al, suit for damages, plea of privilege filed.

Mrs. Dora Roberts vs James P. Davis et al, suit on paying lien, agreed judgment.

Settles Hotel Corporation vs American National Insurance company, suit for injunction, set for January 27, leave given plaintiff to amend subject to any legal objection that may be urged by defendant.

AT TOURNAMENT
Among the students to attend the tournament at Colorado last Saturday were: Claudyne Miller, Ruth Williams, Virginia Cushing, Margaret Tucker, Dorothy Dublin, Georgia Belle Fleeman, Edythe Ford, Elizabeth Vick, Mary Louise Gilmore, Jessie Mae Couch, Mildred Herring, Jarrell Pickle, Albert Fisher, E. P. Driver, Frederick Koberg, Curtis Bishop, Ralph Duvall and Howard Schwarzenbach.

SPORTS ON PARADE
By CURTIS BISHOP

The Sweetwater Mustangs, dearly loved rivals of the locals in all forms of athletics, will be on hand Friday evening to furnish the opposition for George Brown's cagers in what will probably be the most thrilling battle seen on the local court this year. The two teams fought it out in the finals of the Colorado tournament the other night, Saturday to be exact, and the Bovines edged out a victory 32 to 24. A repeat this week-end is by no means a foregone conclusion, as spectators at the game can discover for themselves almost immediately.



The two gentlemen whose likenesses adorn this column today are none other than Captain Cecil Reid, pictured above, and Bill Flowers, glorified below. Reid was selected as all-tournament center in the Colorado meet and made good the selection in the finals by taking off individual honors over David Hopler, Big Spring's great forward, and Flowers contributed a nice floor game in addition to sinking the chances from the foul line which came in very handily. Flowers is leading the locals in free tries this season with twenty to his credit. Both are playing their last year.



The Big Spring Tennis Club met yesterday afternoon and Bill McCarty, black-haired former West Texas Teachers College ace, was selected as president, which is something to be proud of, and none other than the writer himself was chosen secretary, which is nothing to brag about. Of course there are tons and tons of letters to which such an official has the pleasure of plastering his John Henry onto, but then those letters must also have stamps. To secure a remit from the treasurer, who is invariably a carry-over, one has to go through enough red tape to secure a seat in the House of Representatives, so it always is more profitable in the end to buy the stamps yourself.

H. B. Dunagan, Jr., enlivened the meeting as he would enliven anything by suggesting that a letter be sent immediately to E. C. Hanking, sports editor of the Midland Journal. It seems that Hanking was made an honorary member of the local association along last summer and is at present eight months behind with his duties. Which is mighty bad for one of Mr. Hanking's appearance and reputation. It is thought, however, that as soon as he receives this polite missive he will remit immediately.

A conversation with J. Gordon Bristow, who has nothing to do these days but to converse with anyone who is interested in any and all forms of athletics but football particularly, leads one to believe that the Longhorns will have something of a track squad this year, and that an entry in the Ft. Worth Stock Show is being considered. Again Tack Dennis is heralded as the leading point maker, specializing, it is said, upon making no event in particular but quite willing to enter them all. Cecil Reid should be able to trek in ahead of the millers in the district again this year. Carleton Coburn and Lloyd Forrester are quite capable high jumpers, Nathan Orr is an average pole vaulter and shot putter, and Henry Richbourg can leap twenty feet in the broad jumping event.

There, however, the list of point winners probably ends, unless Bill Flowers is able to place a place in the low or high hurdles and David Hepper improves in the discus event. R. P. Curry is a veteran half miler, and Elmer Dyer, Howard Schwarzenbach, Livian Harris, Fred Martin, and Orville Hildreth are able to display an unexpected ability.

District C. E. Has Assembly At 1st Church

A district Christian Endeavor rally was held at the First Christian Church Tuesday evening, with Miss Mildred Creath, vice-president of the western district, presiding. The Rev. Howard Peters of Midland, gave the opening prayer and Miss Lillian Schubert, the devotional.

A. C. McClendon, president of the local organization, gave the welcoming address to which Howard Dunaway, president of the Midland C.E. responded. The male quartet of the church, composed of Messrs. Steve Baker, Virgil Smith, C. M. Shaw and L. A. Eubanks, rendered several songs, accompanied by Mrs. Smith at the piano.

Harold Lovitt, State Christian Endeavor secretary, gave the main address of the evening, stressing the principles and objectives of C.E. work, especially the importance of the pledge to an organization.

A peppy social rally concluded the evening, with a program of songs and games led by Mrs. Lovitt. Refreshments of cake and coffee were served.

Definite plans were made for the organization of a tri-union C.E. of Midland, Big Spring and Garden City, to meet once a month. The first meeting will be in Midland on Feb. 12.

Out of town visitors included Mr. Lovitt, Lou Anice Reeves, Catherine Dunaway, Howard Dunaway, Bush Elkins and Rev. and Mrs. Howard Peters, all of Midland.

Miss Mildred Creath announced at the meeting that a group of young people from Colorado would come over next Sunday to have the local organization assist them in forming a Christian Endeavor.

Moore, Highway Cagers Split In Two-Game Series

Basketball teams of Highway and Moore schools played a doubleheader on the Moore court last Friday afternoon.

The girls' game ended 8 to 2 in favor of Highway and the boys' basketball contest 10 to 8 in favor of Moore.

Rival Coaches



George Brown, above, Big Spring high cage mentor, and O. D. Henderson, below, Sweetwater Mustang coach, who will renew their basketball rivalry begun Saturday evening.

Payment Of Taxes Helps Unemployed

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14. (AP) — Those who can pay their city taxes are urged to do so at once, that the city may be in position to provide work for unemployed men, they declared.

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Although the city's financial condition is sound, as shown by the December 31 report of the city manager, value to the entire community of the payment of taxes at this time is particularly great, city officials declared this morning.

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Highway Department Audit, Long Awaited By Those Hunting Fresh Political Thunder, To Be A 'Dud'

AUSTIN, Jan. 14. — It was long anticipated by political factions as a Texas bombshell.

It has turned out to be a promise dud.

That is the long-awaited audit of the state highway department.

The audit has been made by Moore Lynn, state auditor and efficiency expert.

It will contain many pages of statistics. Auditor Lynn is now preparing his recommendations and comments, based upon the results.

The most that those expecting to make political thunder out of the audit may now count on is to find that two or three county highway foremen have been fired by the department in the past for payroll padding amounting to a few hundred dollars apiece.

The audit covers financial operations amounting to \$100,000,000 a year, including federal aid, state motor license and gasoline tax fees, county aid to state highways, maintenance and construction budget of the biggest department, from a financial point of view, in the state.

It will make numerous suggestions for revisions of operating details. It will recite many improvements and changes in operating system already integrated into the huge department by the highway commission itself.

The audit will show direct accounting for every dollar going into the highway fund, and direct accounting for every dollar taken out of the fund.

It will thus be a failure, so far as those are concerned who prompted, month after month, and at repeated sessions of the legislature, a legislative command for the audit. It is a success so far as presenting to the people of Texas a complete picture of the financial operations of the highway department, down to date, is concerned.

It has been made at comparatively low cost, because persons in the auditor's department have done the work.

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Women's, Society and Club News



Mrs. Barnett Club Honoree

Wednesday Bridge Club Meets At Crawford Hotel

The Wednesday Bridge Club was entertained with a delicious luncheon at the Crawford Hotel by Mrs. Ith H. Parsons, honoring Mrs. A. I. Barnett of Dallas.

After luncheon the guests played in an upstairs apartment. Mrs. Albert Fisher made club high score.

and Mrs. Fred Keating, guest high. Those present were Meses. Barnett, Keating, Fisher, R. Homer McNew, Ira Thurman, Garland Woodward, and J. D. Biles. Mrs. McNew will be the next hostess.

James Bruce Frazier Celebrates Birthday

James Bruce Frazier invited five of his school mates to spend the afternoon of his eighth birthday playing Indian warfare in the Cedar Crest hills Wednesday. Refreshments were served to Edward Fisher, Paul Kasch, John and Wilbert Moore and Freddie Campbell. In cutting the birthday cake, Freddie got the thimble and the host the dime.

Economy Club Entertains For Husbands

Five Attractive Prizes Given During The Evening

The members of the Economy Bridge Club had a lovely evening party for their husbands Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lane.

Guest high prize went to the couple whose combined scores were the highest, Mr. and Mrs. Maddux, being the lucky couple. They were presented with a beautiful picture.

Of the club members, Mrs. Parmley made high score for the women and received a perfume atomizer; Mr. Pierce for the men and received a shaving set. Mrs. Grimes was consoled for her low score with an attractive picture and Mr. Harrel with a cigarette and ashtray set.

Refreshments, consisting of chicken salad sandwiches, potato chips, olives, individual cherry pies topped with whipped cream and coffee, were served to the guests after the games.

The guests of the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Bud Maddux and Mr. and Mrs. Henry York. The club members and their husbands were Messrs. and Meses. Geo. S. Grimes, Geo. S. Harvel, Wayne Pierce, Glynn N. Parmley, Jack Walkup, Floyd Timmons and L. T. Leslie.

Mrs. Stephens Hostess To Club

Mrs. Fred Stephens was hostess to the members of the Ideal Bridge Club and eight guests for an unusually attractive party Wednesday afternoon at her home on South Scurry street.

Mrs. Ennam made club high score and Mrs. Port visitor's high. Assisted by her daughter, Rosalia, the hostess served a delicious plate luncheon to the bridge players.

The guests were Meses. A. E. Service, G. T. Hall, G. R. Porter, J. E. Fort, Vivian Nichols, R. Homer McNew, J. H. Swader and Miss Fortia Davis.

The members present were Meses. Buck Richardson, W. W. Inkman, L. W. Croft, W. B. Clare, Steve Ford, Robert Piner, M. M. Edwards, Elub Hatch.

Mrs. Clare will be the next hostess.

Rebekahs Install Officers At Meet

The Rebekah lodge held its weekly meeting Wednesday evening in the L.O.O.F. lodge room. Officers installed were: Mrs. Glass Glenn, Noble Grand; Mrs. Kate Foster, Vice Grand; Mrs. Ada Ramsey, secretary; Mrs. Mann, treasurer; Mrs. Lucille Cauble, warden; Mrs. Eva Runyan, conductor; Mrs. Maggie Cook, chaplain; Mrs. Maggie Richardson, right supporter of Noble Grand; Mrs. Eula Robinson, left supporter of Noble Grand; Mrs. Margaret Curless, musician; Mrs. Alma Crenshaw, inside guardian; Mrs. Winslow, outside guardian; Eula Glum, right supporter of Vice Grand.

Mrs. Carl Cuning was a candidate for initiation. Refreshments of sandwiches, pie, and coffee was served after the session.

American Airways Ships Use 1,600,000 Gallons Of Gasoline In 1932

Most parents are familiar with the "out of gas" story, but if all the gasoline used by southern division airplanes of American Airways during 1931 were used by a swimmer and his girl friend for joyrides to the moon, they would have to walk back while 57,240 miles from the earth on their first round trip—that is, if their

Bluebonnet Club Meets at Mrs. S. L. Baker's Home

The members and guests of the Bluebonnet Bridge Club were entertained by Mrs. S. L. Baker Wednesday afternoon at her home on Johnson street.

Mrs. Miller made club high score and received a novelty bridge table cover. Mrs. Willis made visitors' high and received a silver tomato server. Mrs. McDonald cut for high and received a box of handkerchiefs.

The guests of the afternoon were Meses. Lester Short, D. E. Crouser, T. J. Higgins, D. M. McKinney, B. F. Willis.

A delicious dessert course was served to the guests and the following members: Meses. E. M. La Boff, J. B. Hodges, W. R. Ivey, H. C. Timmons, W. D. McDonald, O. T. Miller, P. H. Liberty, Gus Pickle, Les Weathers, C. E. Shive and W. M. Paul.

Mrs. Hodges will be the next hostess.

Mrs. Clare and Mrs. Cawthron will be the next hostesses, at the former's home.

Triangle Bridge Club Meets At Miss Jordan's

The members of the Triangle Bridge Club were entertained by Miss Jena Jordan at her home in Washington Place Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Pitman made high score. Mrs. Tommy Jordan was the only guest.

A dainty plate luncheon was served to the following members: Meses. Omar Pitman, E. E. Fabrenkamp, W. B. Hardy, Monroe Johnson, Robt. Currie and E. W. Lomax.

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Mrs. T. B. Reeves Hostess To Methodist Young Folks

Members of the Y. P. division of the Epworth League enjoyed an unusually delightful party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Reeves last Tuesday evening. The games enjoyed were 42, checkers, clothes pin races.

Bandwiches and hot chocolate were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Horace Penn, Dr. C. C. Garrison, Misses Cecil Trussell, Cleo Garrison, Mary Burns, Jussell Bussler, Mildred Eddins, Johnnie Roberts, Martha Stewart and Mr. Philip Slusser, Russell Crance, Leonard Stuteville, Jo Anderson and R. L. McCullough.

Visitors were Johnnie Roberts, Mildred Eddins, Marceta Stewart, R. L. McCullough and Leonard Stuteville.

1932 Bridge Club Formed

Mrs. Guy Tamatt and Mrs. Cecil Burnam were joint hostesses Wednesday afternoon for a lovely bridge party at the home of Mrs. Tamatt, at which a new bridge club was formed, the 1932 Bridge Club.

The personnel of the club will be Meses. O. M. Waters, M. M. Mancill, Jim Cawthron, T. B. McGinnis, Worth Golden, Joe Clere and the two hostesses. All members were present.

Mrs. Waters was elected chairman and Mrs. Clere reporter.

Mrs. Burnam made high score but presented the prize to the second high, Mrs. Golden.

A color scheme of green and yellow was effectively carried out and refreshments, consisting of chicken salad, salad wafers, stuffed olives and hot chocolate were served.

Mrs. Clere and Mrs. Cawthron will be the next hostesses, at the former's home.

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Take Care of the Pennies
OF ALL THE absurd arguments
advanced against proposed legis-
lation, that is frequently given
now as a reason why government
workers' salaries should not be cut
—that the total sum involved is in-
significant in comparison with the
aggregate of national expenditures
—is the silliest. The argument, in-
cidentally, is said to be one of the
ones which President Hoover is us-
ing in his opposition to the pay-cut
movement.

With nearly every individual and
most business firms watching even
the expenditure of the price of a
postage stamp, why should the gov-
ernment feel that a few million
dollars is hardly worth bothering
over.

Of course, there are plenty of good
arguments why government
workers' pay should not be cut
and it might be that the wisest
course would be to leave the salary
schedules as they now are. Un-
doubtedly, few government work-
ers are over paid; despite the fact
that many officials are probably
getting more than they are worth.

Because of the fact that the gov-
ernment's action may influence pri-
vate industry, the wage-cutting
question is of vital importance.
Let's keep the question away from
abundances, however, and argue it
on its merits. The saving of any
sum, no matter how trivial, is a
matter of real importance to the
government today. Perhaps one of
the causes of our great deficit is
that in their eagerness to save bil-
ions the Coolidge-Hoover econ-
omy" administrations have been ov-
erlooking little things like items in-
volving only millions of dollars.

**OPINIONS
OF OTHERS**

Let Mayor Walker Go
Brooklyn Eagle:
Why shouldn't Mayor Walker
go to Havana and act as a medi-
ator between the rival political
factions down there, as he has been
asked to do? Who or what is to
stop him?

At a time when everything relat-
ing to the government of New
York City is in such fine shape,
with no pressing municipal prob-
lems to engage the attention of a
chief executive and with all depart-
ments in the hands of men who are
above suspicion, why shouldn't the
mayor undertake this new far-away
task?

Certainly Mayor Walker has
proved over and over again that
New York can get along without
him. As a matter of fact, this town
is gradually slipping into a posi-
tion where it will not need a mayor
at all. It is more likely to call for
a receiver.

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lies own nearly four thousand ra-
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Dr. Iago Goldstein Academy of Medicine
Anaphylaxis
The term prophylaxis is common
to our every day language. It
means defending or protecting
against disease.

Anaphylaxis, however, is a term
confined to medical usage. Its
meaning is the opposite of prophyl-
axis.

There are certain reactions in the
body which under certain circum-
stances favor its interests and
under other circumstances pro-
duce injurious results. Anaphylac-
tic reactions belong to this latter
group.

To make this matter clear con-
sider for example, but only by way
of illustration, the reflex action of
scratching.

If some portion of the body itches
it will be scratched, even if the
person is asleep.

This reflex action is useful, and
hence may be called prophylactic
when the itch is caused by, say,
an insect, for the action will drive
the insect away.

If, however, the itch is due to
ringworm, or to eczema, then the
scratching will in no way remove
the injuring agent, but will, on the
contrary, either spread the disease
or further injure the affected part.

Such a result might be a consid-
ered anaphylactic in nature.

True anaphylactic reactions are
the result of the chemical response
of the body cells to agents to
which they have become sensitized.
Experimentally this type of reac-
tion was observed as far back as
the middle of the last century.

**SUNSET PASS
by Zane Grey**

SYNOPSIS: When Trueman
Rock takes a job with the Pres-
ton outfit at Sunset Pass, he
knows he is accepting danger and
suspicion with it. Gage Preston,
who runs the outfit, is secretly
making large sums of money—
possibly from cattle rustling. But
Rock loves Preston's daughter,
Thiry, and must be near her.

Chapter 16
MYSTERY IN THE MOONLIGHT
If he had been rude or bold that
day of the meeting in Winter's
store, he could understand.

But he had only been full of fun-
he could not remember saying any-
thing that Thiry could take ex-
ception, unless it was that silly re-
mark about the spilled rice being
an omen. So his mind ran, and the
supper was not a satisfaction to
him.

The long table was bountifully
spread, steaming, savory. Mrs.
Preston sat at the foot, with Lucy
on one side and Burr on the other.
Alice's place was next to Rock, and
she most solicitously served him.

The twins and Albert, with their
silver hair wet and plastered back,
sat next to Thiry, faces over their
plates. The elder brothers occu-
pied seats on the bench beyond
Alice. There was hardly any un-
necessary conversation.

When supper ended, dusk had just
fallen. It was not going to be very
dark, at least early in the evening,
for a half-moon soared out from un-
der the white fleshy clouds.

Over the western wall, between
its end and the foothills, now myr-
tic and dim, poured a medium like
transparent lilac water. It moved.
It flashed and glistened, as if falling
stars shot through it down to the
depths of amethyst. And every-
where there was change, till the
light faded, to show Sunset Pass
only, a white broken desile, shading
to gray and black.

Rock sat on the edge of the porch,
attended again by the children. The
older sons stalked away while the
younger lingered, evidently accept-
ing the newcomer. The womenfolk,
except Thiry, who had gone into
the other cabin with her father,
were in the kitchen.

"Can you tell Tom from Harry?"
Burr asked, mischievously, of
Rock.

"No. Can you?"
"Sure can," he replied, then
whispered, "I'll tell you how if you
get stuck."

STANTON

The Blitch and Chatter Club was
entertained by Mrs. E. Clyde Smith
Wednesday afternoon. Cake and
hot chocolate was served to the
following: Mesdames B. F. Smith,
Chas. Ebersole, E. Jones, G. Elland,
Ode Hassiwood, C. L. Sone, Zelpiah
Ebersole, J. P. Boyd, E. P. Wood-
ard, J. E. Moffett, Elvys Clements
and Misses Lorraine Lamar and
Hazel Herron.

The following returned to Tech
for the second term: Hilton Kad-
erli, Milton Moffett, Jessie Reo
Bristow, Woodford Sale and Leslie
Hall.

Miss Mary Helena Price return-
ed to T.W.C. Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Long were
the guests of her parents, Dr. and
Mrs. P. M. Bristow, over the week-
end.

Billie Houston returned to
Draughan's Business College in
Abilene Monday.
The Study Club met with Mrs. E.
P. Woodard Thursday afternoon.
It was a business meeting. Those
present were: Mesdames Ed Wol-
cott, Edmund Tom, Clyde Smith,
Ray Simpson, R. W. Hamilton, J.
Priddy, Earl Powell, J. S. Lamar,
P. H. Gates, Kyde and Misses
Earl Noble, Lorraine Lamar, Hazel
Herron, Maxine Hall, Grace Love-
less.

Miss Laura Arnold and Miss
Ruth Beene spent Sunday evening
in the home of Misses Elele and
Lucy Odell.

Miss Opal Gregg was the guest
in the home of Miss Marie Beene.

Mrs. S. J. Forman, Mrs. G. W.
Webb and Jim Webb were in the
home of J. H. Beene Sunday eve-
ning.

Virgil Jackson of Lenorah went
to Pleasant Valley Sunday.

Rev. Gates filled his appointment
Sunday evening. There was a good
attendance.

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**Washington
Daybook**

By HERBERT PLUMMER
WASHINGTON—It may have
been just a coincidence, but it
nevertheless is interesting that one
of President Hoover's closest
personal friends,
was at the helm
when his great
domestic relief
program began
its journey
through con-
gress.

He is Freder-
cote, junior sen-
ator from Con-
necticut, a com-
parative new-
comer to the
United States
senate, but a man who, from the
beginning of his service some three
years ago, has been watched on
the hill.

Walcott's job was to push
through the senate as quickly as
possible the reconstruction finance
corporation—one of the main gears
in the President's machinery seek-
ing relief of the economic ills of
the country.

He was chairman of the subcom-
mittee on banking and currency
which considered the bill. By vir-
tue of this position it fell to him
to guide its progress on the floor.

HIS FIRST BIG TASK
It was the tall Connecticut Yan-
kee's first big assignment as a sen-
ator. He has kept rather still since
he took his seat in 1929—just sat in
and listened most of the time.
Walcott's friendship with the
President began in the war days
and the two were engaged in rel-
ief administration in Europe.
Walcott was one of Hoover's aids
and the two lived together much
of the time.

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"The West Texas Chamber of Commerce is the best organization of its kind in the country, and all West Texans should be proud of it and support it in every way possible at all times."

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"The tax program of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce alone is worth all the money the organization costs to maintain."

O. B. MARTIN
 Director, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, College Station

"The West Texas Chamber of Commerce initiated the movement for drought relief in Texas, and also rendered great service in securing aid from Washington, as well as similar helpfulness in getting it to the people. I doubt very much whether the funds for the drought work would have been applied to Texas to any considerable extent but for the activity of the organization."

J. S. BRIDWELL
 Oil Producer, Wichita Falls, Texas

"The West Texas Chamber of Commerce has done a great deal towards the development of West Texas, and has brought about a better understanding among the citizenship of the different communities in West Texas to help West Texas get recognition that otherwise it would not have received. The organization is entitled to the support and confidence of the citizenship of this vast empire in West Texas."

C. N. BASSETT
 President, State National Bank, El Paso

"It is just dawning upon me that we have in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce the best possible agency through which to solve our state and regional problems."

R. L. MALONE
 Merchant, Roswell, N. M.

"Eastern New Mexico has received much help from the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in the promotion of tourist travel to our scenic attractions. Each community in New Mexico has received adequate dividends on its memberships. This cooperation has been of value also to the people of West Texas in bringing to their very door these great recreational opportunities."

W. H. BOWMAN
 Macmillan Publishing Company, Dallas, Texas

"From a publicity standpoint, the work done by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in correcting the geographies was worth many times any one year's budget."

H. S. HILBURN
 Publisher, Plainview Evening Herald, Plainview, Texas

"The savings to cotton shippers because of reduced freight rates brought about through the efforts of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce amount to many, many times the money the affected territory pays into the organization's treasury in several years. Other reductions followed, but shippers must realize the immense savings early in the season, the direct result of West Texas Chamber of Commerce activities."

--and so say scores of other West Texas business leaders who are affiliated with this organization. And so you will say!

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Your help is needed to make 1932 the Banner year for West Texas

January 18th, the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will launch its 1932 Membership Campaign, simultaneously in the 130 towns affiliated with it:

The sum of \$60,000 is needed and asked for, to carry on the Work Program.

This organization is 13 years old. It is one of the oldest and is the largest organization of its kind in the country. From the 130 affiliated towns it draws a democratic directorate of 113 members, an executive board of 14 members, 18 committees with definite work programs, and four headquarters and branch offices. Its magazine, WEST TEXAS TODAY, is an old, well-established, powerful medium for the promotion of the territory served.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce is NOT an opportunist type of organization. Its work is done according to a plan, the policies of which are determined by its annual conventions, which are the largest of their kind in the United States. Its directorate is completely representative and democratic. There are no paid membership solicitors... EVERY DOLLAR RAISED GOES TO CARRY ON THE WORK PROGRAM.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce has no debts, but is on a "Pay as you go" basis.

Every West Texas town should be affiliated with the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. An affiliation gives your town the benefit of the force of all other West Texas towns behind your regional problems. The cost of affiliation is small, the procedure simple. All that is required is that your town meet its prorata part of our budget; and that from our membership in your town, you yourself elect your director.

**CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET
 West Texas Chamber of Commerce**

The assets of this organization are in its WORK PROGRAM; its liabilities, the cost of putting over the program.

Within the past biennium the accomplishments of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, measured in dollars and cents, would, according to the most reasonable figuring, amount to \$23,824,782. They would include, to take a few at random, the following whose cash returns can be exactly stated:

The Chamber fathered, and was the agency contacted by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, in production and food loans, enabling the farming of 1,500,000 acres of Texas land not otherwise possible. Amount loaned by government to 15,000 farmers in 67 West Texas counties was: \$2,403,360
 Secured \$7.50 exemption per bale from government mortgage—150,000 bales of West Texas cotton at \$7.50 per bale, amounts to: \$1,125,000
 Secured consent of government to collateralize production loans on basis of 8-cent cotton. Saving on 75,000 bales at 3 cents over the market was: \$1,125,000
 First to solicit Red Cross aid, resulting in securing assistance for drought defined area of West Texas. Cash allotment made, \$45,000; food and clothing, \$59,422, making a total of: \$104,422

In the way of estimated, deferred and intangible assets, completing the total of \$23,824,782, the Chamber secured equalization of cotton rates, overcoming differential in South Plains area; secured cotton rate reductions for same territory; forced corrections in geographies used in 18 states which now, for first time, are giving West Texas a "break"; pioneered and championed conservation of natural resources, validation of land titles, needed constitutional amendments; passage of relinquishment act; split tax bill; reduced public expenditures with a view of tax reduction, etc., etc.

Liabilities for 1932 are \$60,000. This is the budget, the sum required in the Work Program, to be carried on by the following committees, already organized and functioning: Officers, Agricultural, Livestock, Mineral Survey, Industrial, National Affairs, Oil and Gas, Land, Educational, Tax, Traffic, Publicity and World's Fair Exhibit, Parks, Railway, Highway, Legislative Bureau and Committee, Speakers Bureau, Industrial Opportunities Bureau, and Beautification Committee.

A small investment in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will pay greatest dividends.

(Signed) Houston Harte, President A. J. Swenson, Treasurer
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 For Tax Assessor: JIM BLACK

Life Laughs
On For Senior
Of Subtle Way
 By HUDSON HENLEY
 School was fairly dull today; only two good laughs broke the monotony. In English class one of the bright smart-alecs had practically memorized his lesson just to spite old Strinsky. After fifteen minutes continued discussion of the lesson and personal reflections on it by that worthy alone, he was interrupted by Strinsky, who surprised us by announcing: "Mr. Reynolds, will you please tie the bull at the gate before entering the building tomorrow?" And laugh—we thought we'd die. The laughable one was about a necktie. Ben probably is one of the best liked men in town and is a popular favorite with the boys with whom he has worked and whom he has taught the fundamentals of athletics. Many a boy who knew only the game looked to the spectator has been taught the way a game looks from a player's viewpoint. They have learned how plays should be worked and how each position is played. Every boy who played under him will profit by his coaching in future years if he has any ambition at all to play on the team.
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Have You Kept
The Resolutions?
 "Have you kept your New Year's resolutions? What were they, anyhow?" This question has been heard in the halls and on the campus to a great extent ever since January 1. The usual answer, however, is, "Aw, I didn't make any." This too had, because at the new year's beginning is the best time in the world to decide what evils to stop for the ensuing year and what beneficial activities to indulge in.
 Only a few resolved anything and a very small percent of those have kept their resolutions. A few of these are worthy of the public eye, although too many are deep, dark secrets. Miss Cox openly, and several more teachers privately, resolved to be more strict with their classes. The students in these classes will readily testify that she has kept her resolution. Only one frank young gentleman, T. M. Wylie, has admitted that he resolved to quit swearing. He did quite a few more secretly. His resolution lasted every bit of five minutes; then he stumbled over a chair while thinking of the merits of abstinance from that habit. Ernest Burleson heads the list of those who resolved not to make any fool resolutions. (He's foot it, too, as far as the reporter can find.)
 Ten girls confessed to the reporter that they resolved not to let another boy kiss them after the new year started. Upon being told that their names would be printed in connection with the resolution, they almost committed murder, insecticide, or whatnot. This article bears mute testimony of their failure. When asked if they had kept their resolution, some turned up their noses and disdained to answer. Others repeated the attempt on injury with malicious intent. (Us reporters—wotta life!)
Dr. Bennett, Mr. Spence
At Parent-Teacher Meet
 At the last meeting of the P.-T. A. Dr. M. H. Bennett and City Manager E. V. Spence talked to those present on the subject of sanitation. After their talks the "Kraza Kitchen Krooners," a group of home economics girls, entertained the association with several musical numbers.

THE WHEEL
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WHERE ARE THE TREES?
 The beautification of our school grounds was begun over two years ago. Time was when our school building was surrounded by a bare and rocky portion of old mother earth. But now there has been a change and a large terrace of grass has been put in the place of the rocky ground. The benefit and value that this act has brought the school is boundless. Last year was the first time in the history of our school that green grass was over the front campus.
 We must take care of the grounds now. Grass will not grow well when it is being trampled on. From now on when one wants to cross the campus use the walks; that's what they were made for.
 But the beautification of our grounds can be greatly upheld if we have trees planted over the grounds. The grounds still look bare without some shrubbery or trees. Trees cost so little in comparison with the value they give the appearance of our school. Trees will stand as a mark of history for many a year. Let's start a movement to secure enough trees to surround the entire school grounds. The value of a tree can hardly be expressed better than by this little poem:
 I think that I shall never see
 A poem lovely as a tree.
 A tree whose hungry mouth is prest
 Against the earth's sweet flowing breast;
 Tree that looks at God all day,
 And lifts her leafy arms to pray;
 A tree that may in summer wear
 A nest of robins in her hair;
 Upon whose bosom snow may lain;
 Who intimately lives with rain.
 Poems are made by fools like me,
 But only God can make a tree.
 By Joyce Kilmer.
ADIEU, BEN!
 Ben Daniels, coach of the Devils football and basketball teams, is leaving. He is moving to Colorado. Ben probably is one of the best liked men in town and is a popular favorite with the boys with whom he has worked and whom he has taught the fundamentals of athletics. Many a boy who knew only the game looked to the spectator has been taught the way a game looks from a player's viewpoint. They have learned how plays should be worked and how each position is played. Every boy who played under him will profit by his coaching in future years if he has any ambition at all to play on the team.
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School Hears
Mrs. H. Smith

Returned Missionary Gives Interesting Talk At Assembly
 Mrs. Harley Smith, formerly Miss Alice Bagby, spoke in the assembly Wednesday afternoon to a most interested crowd of students. Mrs. Smith is a missionary to Brazil and was born and reared in that country. Her husband and herself are making a tour over the United States and giving talks on Brazil and other South American countries.
 Mrs. Smith stressed the natural beauty, animal and kind of vegetation life in Brazil.
 "We have over twenty species of bananas and the same variety of oranges," said Mrs. Smith. "The birds of South America have an extraordinarily brilliant plumage as is found elsewhere in the world. Some even make noises as if trying to talk. There is the Amazon river, which is the largest one in the world, 100 miles in width at its mouth, and its force is so great that for approximately 175 miles out into the Caribbean sea the water is still a reddish color caused by the flow of the Amazon. Our serpents are much larger than those of the United States. Here we have the noted boa constrictor. We have two water falls in South America that excel the Niagara Falls in height."
 "Brazil today is the 'melting pot' of the world. Over hundreds of thousands of people come into Brazil each year, thus accounting for our mixed blood, since the people of different races intermingled and marry. Our language is not Spanish; it is Portuguese. Our class of people are more intellectual than the average Mexican. We have practically the same type of government as does the United States."
 Mrs. Smith expressed her belief of success in Brazil. "Buildings are now being erected that equal some structures in America. Rio De Janeiro, our capital, is a city of over two million people. Brazil is a country of great prospect and I believe it will soon become one of the outstanding nations of the world."
 Mr. and Mrs. Harley Smith, missionaries to Porto Alegre, a city in Brazil, gave a very interesting talk to the chemistry and science classes of Miss Brown and George Brown, respectively, Friday morning in the recitation room of the chemistry department.
 Mrs. Smith, who gave a talk in assembly Wednesday afternoon, exhibited some pictures taken in Brazil. In describing one of the pictures she stated that beggar life in Brazil is a profession. On every Saturday she said that the Brazilian government lets all beggars out on the streets to get whatever they can.
 Mr. Smith gave a short summary of the political situation in Brazil. "When the United States sent ships of ammunition to Brazil this summer in answer to the plea of Louis Washington, their president, over seventy-five percent of the Brazilians disagreed with the American plan. They thought it somewhat strained today. Most of the natives want the Monroe Doctrine modified," said Mr. Smith.

SHOTS FROM
THE SHOWERS

By FREDERICK KOBERG
 Well, it's over. The Steers rode through all opposition to the top notch of the Colorado tournament. With a bye from Nolan and victories over Anson, Roby and Sweetwater Mustangs, they gained permanent in the Colorado tournament. They had practically an easy time with Anson but the Roby five later in the afternoon came a little harder. With Hopper and Reid going out on personals, they had a hard time beating the Lions. It was a thriller from start to finish and kept the fans on their feet. It seemed an off-game for the Steers. They couldn't get started. They repeated missed crisp shots and although hitting the basket-rim many times, they seemed unable to get those coveted points.
 Then came the mighty game with the Mustangs. They came prepared to win over the Steers but it was not to be. The Steers took an early start and the Mustangs never took the lead although they once came within two points of the Steers' lead. The feature of the game was Reid's shots from that favorite position under the basket. Every Steer was in the game every minute. Forrester and Flowers played a game at the guards position which easily overshadowed the play of Rogers and Trammel, the Mustangs guards. Hopper and Morgan thrilled the Steers with their shots. Reid although facing a taller man than himself got an even amount of the tips which counts in a game like that one.
 But also, the Sweetwater team was showing up fine. Belt is one of the best of forwards who has the ability to hit the basket from the center of the court. Sam Baugh is a worthy running man and also has a good eye for the basket. Bob Baugh was probably the second best player in the tournament. This distinction went to the Steers' tall star, Richard (Moone-Jaw) Le Ferro. In Rogers and Trammel, the Mustangs have two good guards.
 The feature of the afternoon was the Dunn-Sweetwater game. A Little Dunn guard, Eury, whom the fans nicknamed "Popeye" almost single handed licked the Mustangs. Though his work in this game he gained a position on the all-tournament team. The Ponies were lucky to win with a bare three point margin.
 The strictest referee the Steers have played under this season officiated in the tournament. Jim Cantrell officed everything as he saw it. Partial to none, he frequently called enough fouls on a team to cause its best players to seek the bench. He nearly caused the Steers defeat in the afternoon by putting the star forward and center out of the game. In the tournament games he caused the Pony fans no little trouble by calling four personals on Bob Baugh and weakening the team considerably. There were quite a few unusual incidents in the play. Among them the many fouls, the few scoring records of 28 points, the forfeit of Abilene to Sterling City, and the play of one "Popeye" Eury.
 David Hopper took all the individual honors possible for one player. He was awarded the MVP award for basketball for all-tournament ward, a trophy for being the best sportsman, and one for scoring more points in the tournament.
 An event of great importance is coming for the benefit of all Steers fans. The Sweetwater Ponies are going to meet the Steers in the High School gym on Friday night. The house should be packed to see the Championship Steers in action.

Calves Show
Improvement

Top Heavy Score Is Rolled Up On Coahoma Juniors
 A vast improvement has been made by the Calves in the last few weeks. They have shown remarkable improvement over their previous showings. Taking a game from the Coahoma Juniors, they rolled up a top heavy score for the first time as they have failed to show much offensive strength previously. In the Coahoma game they showed improvement in both offense and defense. Cauble, at center, is turning out to be a second Cecil Reid with his shots from under the basket. Graves is a good man for the forward position as he is equally good on offense and defense. The Calves are planning games with Elbow and Loring this week. They should win the county tournament if they keep improving as they have in the last few weeks.

Notes From
Classrooms

By STEVE D. FORD, JR.
ROME ECONOMICS LABORATORY
 Miss McKelroy, Instructor
 The third-year students served dinner Monday evening. Those present were Mearns, Ellington, Winslow, Purser, Fav, Collings, White, Blankenship, and Mrs. Stripling. Mr. Tipps, who has been auditing the school records, was also present. A good time was reported by all. Also they said the food was excellent.
 The dinner which the 2nd year girls served their mothers Friday evening was a thoroughly enjoyed affair. Even the mothers said the food was good and they ought to know.
 The first section of first year girls served a buffet supper Tuesday evening. The second group are having their supper Wednesday. No hostesses have been appointed as yet.
 The two sections of first year foods girls are studying pre-school food on the merits of the new Food and Drug Act. They are to be brought to class and observed. During the time, their reactions to certain entertainments are to be tabulated and comparisons made later.

Devils Lose
To Sterling

The Devils, with eleven wins behind them, met their first defeat Friday night. They met the Sterling City high school team and lost by the heart-breaking score of a lucky field goal. The Devils were inferior in height to the Sterling City team but made up this difference in their fight and because of the fact that they showed good coaching. The Devils held the lead until the last few minutes when the score was tied and the visitors sank their lucky goal. The Devils journey to Colorado Tuesday night to meet the Jackrabbits.

CAMPUS
CHATTER

By MATTIE SATTERWHITE
 And speaking of dumb stunts Knox Chadd takes the prize for the break he made Friday. Knox, who had previously made his exit from a room just one leap ahead of the eraser, returned a few minutes later, an attacking his head in the door orders. "All right all of you get quiet now. And don't give me any back talk. All of which might have had an effect on the students but that Mr. Gentry had entered the room just ahead of Knox and was in the room when Chadd made his command.
 Every one who went to Colorado Friday or Saturday comes around and teases all that had to remain about their good time and all the fun they had. Then there are those who get the mistaken idea that the Steer-Mustang game was set for ten-thirty and still didn't get to Colorado until after eleven o'clock. And they said they didn't have any flat tires or run out of gas!
 Now a couple of young sweethearts, Jimmie Wilson and LaVerne Stuart, who have gone steady for a long time, are on the "outs." Neither one will give a certain reason why but there must be one somewhere.
 In an exciting moment of the Steer-Roby game at Colorado Saturday, when the game was waxing hot, the merits of the new Food and Drug Act were discussed. "How much more time is there and WHY?"
 Wonder who will win the first prize offered by the All-Weather Tire Company for the best theme on the merits of the new Food and Drug Act? We understand that Hudson Henley has turned in his name and now there shouldn't be any question about the winner.
 The debate coach hasn't been able to get all the debaters together at one time yet, but we think she has a clue and is going to follow it up this week.
 Aubrey Davis, who has been drooping around school the last few days with a swollen jaw about the size of his own face, still claims very earnestly and truthfully that he had a tooth pulled out the other day. We didn't think one tooth could cause all that much swelling to last over a whole week.
 "Wise people change their minds fools never do." Perhaps that is the way Misses Agnew, Butler and Johnson felt Saturday. After waiting some three hours to see the Steers in action, they finally pulled out for Big Spring when our game was about to start.

Publicity In
Relation To
School Topic

Papers Read At Meeting
 By Miss Brown,
 Mrs. Low
 "Publicity in its relation to the public school" was the topic for study at the regular monthly meeting of the high school faculty of Monday afternoon.
 Miss Nell Brown, of the Science department, pointed out the utility of any school attempting to rise much above the vision of its patrons hold for the service it is to render and declared that both teacher and patron must share common objectives to achieve much progress in education. "Aside from this aspect," she added, "education is a public business and the public, particularly the tax payers, ought to be informed on the work of the school."
 In discussing her topic, "Agents and Agencies for Public School Publicity," Mrs. W.O. Low, of the Commercial Department, divided the agents into professional, i.e. school board and school employees; the organized groups, i.e. school children, parent teachers association and external orders; and the unorganized groups, i.e. editors, prominent and socially minded citizens, the clergy, and business men. The agencies were summed up under the headings of written, visual, oral and social.
 The report of the committee on Rating of Teachers was adopted by the organization. The committee through Mrs. H. A. Stegner, chairman, offered one scale of grading of teachers to be used by a supervisor and another for self rating by which the teacher can judge himself.
 "School Failures: Causes and Remedies" is the topic announced by George Gentry for this subject to be discussed at the next meeting. Miss Clara Pool will lead the discussion.

Calendar

January 14: Thursday night basketball practice.
 January 15: Friday night, Sweetwater-Steer game, 7:30.
 January 16: Dramatic club meets fifth period in 509; Woodcraft fifth period; Girl Scouts, 5:30; 4th period, 12:1; East 4th street Baptist basketball practice.
 January 19: Wheel Club meets room 213; Latin Club meets, room 207; Spanish Club meets, room 208; First Baptist basketball practice.
 January 20: Chapel; Cosden basketball practice.

Who's Who

Viana Saunders—five feet two inches tall; blue eyes; and brown hair; weighs ninety-five pounds. Favorite car—Nash; favorite color—blue; favorite dish—anything; everything; hobby—dancing; past time—studying; favorite study—foods. Is taking English IA Foods II; History IA; Algebra I and P.E.; President of Freshman class. She is member of basketball pep squad. If anything is said which Viana doesn't like she says in a very hateful voice, "I'll knock all kinds of fire out of you." Idea type: a young man about five feet and eight inches tall; brown hair blue eyes and a good football player.
 Viana is of an unusual type and disposition, but on getting acquainted you'll find her a most interesting person.
 Kyle Sanders—better known as "Red"—came from Sweetwater. He is a sophomore in school and is taking English IIA, history, Algebra and Commercial Arithmetic. He is a member of the "B" Association and is president of the Sophomore class. He lettered in football this year and that is his favorite sport. His favorite car is a Buick; food, red beans; and past time, playing cards. The idea type is a young man with brown wavy hair, no olive complexion, and weighs about hundred and twenty-four. He plans to go to Pennsylvania University and after he finishes from there he is going to get married.

Students Enjoy
Violin Concert

Christian Thaulow, head of the violin department at St. Clement's University, gave a concert in the high school auditorium for the benefit of the P.T.A. last Friday afternoon.
 His program was composed of the simpler popular airs which the public records and to which even the students could not object to on account of length. He opened with "Rondo Capriccioso" by Salazar, followed by "Humoresque" by Dvorak, "The Chase" by Kreisler, "Old Refrain," and "Puck" by Greig, and "Gypsy Airs" by Sarasate. For an encore he played "Capriccio Viennois" by Kreisler, and would have probably played more if the audience had had the nerve to ask him.
PEP SQUAD MEETS
 The Pep Squad met Monday morning at 8:15. They practiced a stunt to do at the Angelo-Big Spring game for which as yet no date has been set. They plan to be out thirty-two strong at the Mustang-Steer game Friday night and live up to the many commitments paid them at the Colorado tournament last week end.
SOCIAL HELD
 The "B" association met during the fifth period Monday and discussed plans for a social. It sponsored a party at the home of Carlton Coburn last night. Each member was present with his lady friend. A similar party was given by Carlton some time ago and the attendance was even greater this time.
HOME ROOM MEETS
 Mr. Elter's Home Room held its monthly meeting Tuesday during the fifth period. The program included a reading by Old Miss Hartman and several songs by Mickey Davis. This Home Room has increased from thirteen to twenty.
 Enrollment at St. Rose Teachers College, Abilene, equals that of 1929 for the same month.

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Superintendent
To Start Series
Of Questionnaires

W. C. Blankenship, superintendent of public schools, announced that beginning with the next issue of the Wheel, he will begin a series of questionnaires concerning school life and problems.
 Some of the questions can be definitely answered while some of them are to be strictly thought questions. Mr. Blankenship said that in this way he hoped that not only the students would take interest in the school, but also that the citizens of the town might learn some of the things that are going on in the school.
 "No doubt that some of the citizens have vague ideas about various topics and problems concerning the school, and I hope to help straighten these out if possible."

Girl Scouts Form
Organization Here

The Girl Scouts were organized January 4. Their regular meeting time is at home room period on Mondays. Some of their activities are: Home making, first aid, songs and games, signalling, camping, home nursing and other profitable things.
 The object of the Girl Scouts is to give girls thorough, natural, wholesome pleasure. Those habits of mind and body which will make them responsible, useful women.
 Because of the number in the organization there are four sponsors, namely, Miss Butler, Mrs. Stegner, Miss Vandergriff, and Miss Huggins.

High School Band
Progresses Rapidly

The High School band under the direction of Mr. G. A. Hartman is growing in number had improving rapidly. It is a beginners' band, but with practice expects to be soon playing for all High School games and pep rallies. A practice is held each Monday afternoon at four o'clock in Room 213.
 The Municipal band meets every Monday at 7:30 p. m. at the Douglas hotel or courthouse. This group includes many High School students as well as citizens of the city. Mr. Hartman is also director of this band, which is growing rapidly, and plays when requested.

Steers Practice
For Sweetwater

The Steers have gone into intense drill this week prior to meeting the Sweetwater Ponies in the local gym on Friday night, January 15.
 After taking the Colorado tournament they have been practicing on the weaknesses that appeared in the Colorado meet. Flowers, Dykes and Forrester have been drilling on shots from the center of the court.
 Local officials are not sure whether they will enter the Odeasa meet or not. It is practically certain however they will enter the Lubbock meet. The Steers will be contestants with the best competition in the state and surrounding states. Among the entrants will be Bill Bigvans' Friona team. It seems as if Stevens' would certainly cherish a game with the Steers. His team has made an impressive record this year and a meeting with the boys he used to coach would be an event.
 A trainload of calves was shipped from Marfa, Texas, recently to Virginia points.

Typing Room

Mrs. F. R. Low, instructor
 The typing team for the following week is Edith Ford, Nathan Orr and Josephine Dabney, make up the first team; the second team is composed of Lottie Harrell, Joseph Moore and Paul Warren.
 A new experiment is being tried in typing classes this week and as a result, when the papers were checked there were three perfect papers, two with one mistake each, and three with two mistakes each. All these were in the same class. The sixth and eighth period typing classes are the biggest hogs in school. They have become so good that they take off all the places on the typing team and the fourth period class doesn't even have a representative on the first or second team. That is surely something for the fourth period boys to work for. Another peculiarity of the team this week is that all the first team is in one class and all the second team in another. Oh well, Ripley never came to Big Spring anyway.

Physical Education
Girls To Give Program

The girls of the Physical Education Department will give a program in assembly Thursday week. The program will consist of stunts.
 A group of girls will give a modern version of a song entitled "Home on the Range." Four comedies will be given by Miss Huggins. These being three-act programs. The program will be concluded with stunts.

Choral Club Stops
Meetings For Present

The Choral Club met after school Tuesday afternoon and decided to discontinue meetings until Mid-term, at which time members hope to have a class period assigned to them during home room period. This will enable all students who are interested in choral singing to take part.
 Mrs. Frazier has mapped out a thorough course in sight-singing, followed by attractive chorals and commencement numbers which will make an engaging program for the club for the remaining four months of the school year.

Row Looms In Lea County On Party Methods

HOBBS, N. M., Jan. 14.—Whether the Lea County Democratic Central committee will meet to consider



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the rumored change of primary system of selecting candidates for various county offices to the convention system is causing some speculation.

Several candidates for county offices have already made their announcements, and it is thought unlikely that any change will be made.

The Hobbs News says: An overwhelming sentiment in favor of the primary system exists all over the county.

Nevertheless, as eternal vigilance is the price of everything worthwhile, friends of the established primary system should be on the alert. Inertia in politics is sporadic, as all experienced party leaders have learned. Those who stand for the primary, as against the convention should not be lulled to sleep by apparent activity of the minority that has been employing insidious methods to put one over on the county Democratic constituency.

That Eddy county has adopted the convention plan for 1932 is an incident, not an argument, tho' it is being used as such. The convention crowd captured the Eddy county committee; before the 1932 campaign is closed the voters of Eddy will repent.

Lea county need not experiment because the great majority want the primary ballot. By sticking to the established custom, there will be no occasions for regrets.

We have in Lea county a status

of affairs that provides a motive of a few to risk nothing. For their purposes, a convention would be a cinch, as they are now in control of any convention that might be held, because the basis of representation would defunctify the majority Democrats, and tie their hands as completely as could be desired by the intriguing few of the erstwhile stronghold of all party manipulation. A primary for 1932 is certain to break up minority control of the majority in Lea county affairs.

If there are Democrats who sincerely doubt this assertion, that a convention is proposed for motive let them mark well the ones who are urging a convention. The result will be all-convincing. The cause is in this case, exposed to the public by reason of the men who are strongest advocates—men who are certain to lose power and control to the majority of Democrats through a primary.

26 Churches Made To Church On Goliad St.

Services at the tabernacle, 205 Goliad street, are growing in interest, Rev. H. C. Goddard said today. There have been 26 additions to the church in the past week, five for baptism. Rev. Goddard will speak each night this week and next week. His subject for tonight is 'The Prodigal Son.'

Homemakers Hold Monthly Social

The members of the Homemakers Class of the First Baptist Sunday School met at the home of Mrs. R. Millon for a very enjoyable social gathering Wednesday afternoon.

During the business session, they voted to assist the Rev. Scott Cotton in the arrangements for making a hospital for the Mexicans out of a discarded schoolhouse and named on a committee to see after this the following: Mmes. J. S. King, L. C. Taylor and J. C. Smith. They also voted to attend the first Sunday class meeting in February 100 percent.

Mrs. Still led the devotional and Mrs. J. S. King had charge of the social hour and conducted several games.

Mrs. Sidney Woods and Mrs. J. C. Lane, who were co-hostesses were detained at home by illness. Mrs. B. T. Cardwell a visitor, helped the hostess in serving individual pecan pies topped with whipped cream and coffee.

The members attending were Mmes. Roy Pearce, W. D. Cornelson, W. A. Sall, F. W. Harding, J. S. King, D. S. Orr, L. C. Taylor, J. F. Skalkocy, J. C. Smith, B. Reagan, L. I. Stewart, Mona Shuck, Roy Green, Carl McDonald.

School Trustees Are Guests of Foods Class

The Foods 3 class of the high school, who are under supervision of Miss Mary McElroy, served dinner Monday night to the board of trustees in the laboratory dining room.

Table decorations of pink and green were beautifully carried out with pink geraniums. The silver service and pretty-appointed table and the serving brought forth many compliments from the guests.

Dinner was served to Dr. E. O. Ellington, W. R. Purser, H. S. Faw, J. B. Collins, Leslie White, J. F. Winslow, Mrs. Fox Stripling, and W. C. Blankenship and George Gentry.

Those who served were Misses Mary Settles, Janice Smith, Maurice Smith, Leda Mae Phillips, Catherine Smith, Mildred Broughton, Gladys Phillips and Merle Grace Choate.

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A scenic drive in the Davis Mountains near Fort Davis is under construction to extend approximately seventy-five miles.

Preliminary Survey of All-Brazos Conservation District Completed; Legislation Next Phase of Project

Howard Woodall



HOWARD WOODALL

Not having the proverbial elephant to wash for a big job, Howard Woodall, veteran pilot on the American Airways transcontinental of the Dallas-El Paso run, began his aviation career carrying gasoline and washing planes. He was with a flying circus at the time, ten years ago, and took time between exhibition points and finally soiled with the circus of Jennys. Soon after he did a great deal of cross country flying by himself.

Business was fairly good with the air circus and the operating expenses were low and the soundings were of the opinion that it was a privilege to go "upstairs" at \$10 per ride. In the planes of the day it was often truly a ride worth remembering.

Selling flying equipment left over from the war, working in an airplane factory on the assembly line, and other miscellaneous experiences all added to his knowledge of aircraft and their peculiarities. Taking up active flying again, he did cross-country work from Dallas Cotton-dusting, and other kinds of miscellaneous flying. There were many disadvantages to the life, but eventually the company was bought and became a part of Texas Air Transport, Inc., and Woodall signed with relief at being on someone else's payroll. Other mergers followed, and today Woodall finds himself one of the pilots of a nationwide system, American Airways.

By RAYMOND BROOKS
AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 14.—The state's preliminary survey of the all-Brazos super-conservation district, first to embrace an entire major watershed and to establish a state policy of uniform development of water resources, has been completed.

The next step will likely be legislative action authorizing or validating a minute tax levy for detailed work based on the first survey. The next will be creation of local sub-districts for specific development of reservoir sites, irrigation, storage, overflow control or power projects.

The all-Brazos preliminary surveys were made by a unit set up by the state board of water engineers. The office was set up in the state land office building. Equipment and personnel have moved back to the water board offices, now that the field work is finished and office work is well toward completion.

The first thing required in the survey was to determine the exact boundaries of the Brazos watershed. This involved running lines in about 20 counties. On this finding, the exact general district can be set up and parts of counties not within the watershed excluded from the future possible tax levies.

The all-Brazos district was created under the first law passed by any state setting up a public policy of treating an entire river and its drainage basin as a unit for concerted and harmonious development of all its water resources. The law was written by the late Rep. Leonard Tilletson of Sealy, who was author of much of the voluminous water legislation now on the statutes. Mr. Tilletson was employed to put the law into operation as director of the all-Brazos district, and he was engaged in this work until his death in 1931.

Chesterfield Opens New Radio Programs

Announced to the public through the largest schedule of newspaper advertising the makers have ever used, the Chesterfield cigarette radio broadcast was started this week over the Columbia network, 9:30 to 9:45 p. m., central standard time, six evenings a week, Monday to Saturday inclusive.

The Chesterfield hour features "music that satisfies," with Shilkret and orchestra, and Alex Gray, soloist. Among stations broadcasting the program are KRLD and WRR, Dallas.

Joseph Edwards Oil Tariff Fund Worker For Area

To Joseph Edwards of Big Spring president of the Big Spring Pipe Line company, and the Howard County Refining company, has been assigned thirteen counties in a campaign for a tariff on oil and refined products being sponsored by the Texas Oil and Gas Conservation association and other organizations.

Charles F. Roeser, Fort Worth, president of the organization, has just announced names of 21 men who will work with the tariff fund campaign committee in various parts of the state to raise the state's quota of tariff campaign expenses.

Mr. Edwards' counties are Howard, Garles, Andrews, Winkler, Midland, Ector, Loving, Ward, Pecos, Glasscock, Mitchell, Garza and Cochran.

George D. Morgan of San Angelo was assigned Tom Green, Irion, Schleicher, Menard, Concho, Upton, Reagan, Crane, Crockett, Runnels and McCullough.

Other workers are E. O. Thompson, Amarillo; P. B. Flynn, Wichita Falls; Frank P. Zoch, San Antonio; George Sawtelle, Houston; E. A. Landreth and J. D. Collett, Fort Worth; W. L. Todd, Dallas; J. K. Hughes, Mexia; Jake Hamon and Clifford Moore, Longview; R. A. Matley, Overton; H. L. Hunt, Tyler; J. Malcolm Grim, Kilgore; John Alford, Henderson; J. Lewis Thompson, Kilgore; R. L. Moore, Vernon; D. H. Bolin, Graham; Marshall H. Young, Breckenridge; John Gholson, Ranger; R. L. Wheelock, Corsicana.

Miss Alice Leeper Is Hostess to S.I.T. Club

The members of the S.I.T. Club spent a very jolly and informal evening in sewing and conversation with Miss Alice Leeper Wednesday evening.

Those present were Misses Clara Pool, Clara Cox, Mary McElroy, Irene Knaus, Vallia True, Eva Mae House, Lorena Huggins, Letha Amerson; Mmes. H. A. Stegner, Frank Boyle and Lee Weathers.

Mrs. Stegner will be the hostess next week.

Mrs. Garrette Entertains For Two Abilene Visitors

Mrs. George Garrette was hostess to two tables of bridge players for a delightful luncheon Wednesday, honoring Mrs. Mary Nixon and Mrs. Caroline Godwin, of Abilene.

Bridge was the afternoon's diversion, Mrs. Thomas making high score. She received an attractive prize and the guests were presented with dainty gifts.

The guests, in addition to the honorees, were Mmes. Ship Phillips, M. K. House, E. V. Spence, O. L. Thomas and L. A. Talley.

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Personally Speaking

Mrs. and Mrs. Charlie Creighton visited friends and relatives in San Angelo Sunday.

Mrs. John Clarke returned Wednesday night from a holiday trip in Austin.

Mrs. Geo. H. Merritt and son, Geo. Jr., of Uvalde, and Mrs. Delbert Haralson and son, Delbert, Jr., of Ft. Worth are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Little. Mrs. Merritt is Mrs. Little's sister.

Justamere Bridge Club Meets With Mrs. Robb

Mrs. J. Y. Robb was hostess to the members of the Justamere Bridge Club for a party at her home Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Jack Hodges, Mrs. A. E. Pistole and Mrs. R. W. Henry were club guests. Mrs. Henry making high score and receiving an attractive prize.

Mrs. Van Gleason made club score.

A very lovely salad plate was served to the guests and the following members: Mmes. V. Van

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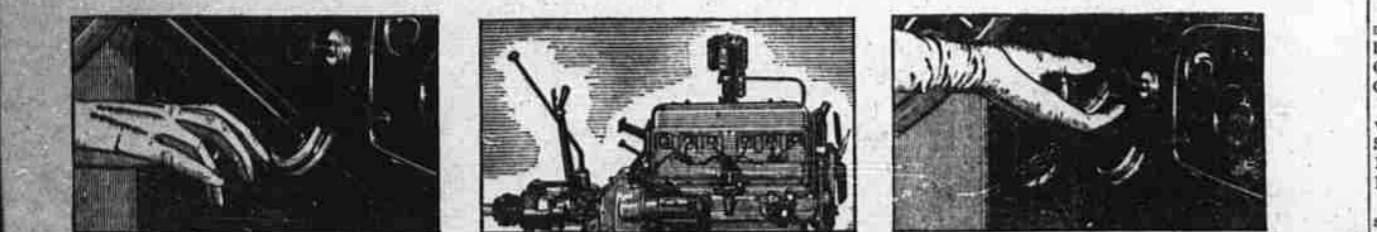
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New thrills await you in the Chevrolet Six—new power, pick-up, smoothness and speed. For Chevrolet's valve-in-head engine now has down-draft carburetion, a new cylinder head, new manifold, a counter-balanced crankshaft and rubber mounting, features that increase power 20 per cent to 60 horsepower.

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Louise Glass of Terra, Okla., teaches in the same school where her mother taught 30 years ago and her grandmother in 1881.