

## Princeton Heads List Of Eastern Football Teams

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New York, Nov. 27.—Princeton's place at the top of eastern football is firmly established.

Princeton, Cornell, West Point and West Virginia remain undefeated, so perhaps the claim of the Tigers to the eastern championship can be disputed. None can deny, however, that the Tigers have the best record.

The Army proved itself to be one

of the most powerful in the east in winning from the Navy, but as long as West Point goes on to victories with players who have been playing for five, six, seven and as many as eight years, it is not fair to consider the cadets for championships.

Cornell has another game remaining to be played with Pennsylvania, and it may be a tough one, but even if Cornell finishes the season without a defeat, the easy schedule which the big red team had will prevent it from getting serious consideration.

One of the surprises was the defeat

of the Army to the defeat

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administered to the Washington and Jefferson eleven by Detroit. The narrow escape Lafayette had in beating Lehigh only 3 to 0 was another jolt.

Because most of the experts figured Yale to be the favorite, the victory of Harvard in the last of the big three games might be considered a surprise. Yale's only hope for victory rested in playing a different game than the Ells had played all season and they didn't do it. Yale had the material and perhaps the coaching, but Yale didn't have football brains.

In beating Stanford, 28 to 0, the great California eleven was able to retain its position as the best scoring machine among the major teams. The Bears have piled up a total of 398 points. Leading the east and second on the national list is Cornell with 330 points. Auburn has the lead in the south with 277 and Iowa was the best in the midwest with 208.

Michigan and Notre Dame had the best defense in the country. Each had only thirteen points scored against them. Notre Dame, however, had her goal line crossed once while the Michigan line was twice crossed. DePauw scored one touch down on Notre Dame, while Georgia Tech and Butler scored a field goal each. Both Wisconsin and Minnesota scored touchdowns on Michigan and Minnesota added the point after touchdown.

Brunner, Lafayette back, was the best individual scorer among the major elevens, with 86 points; Wilson, of Penn State, and Robertson, of Carnegie Tech, scored 73; Pfann, of Cornell, had 65, and Palm, of Penn State, 59 points.

## OBITUARY

Samuel B. Nelsons, son of Edward and Catherine Nelson, was born near Geneva, Adams county, Ind., January 30, 1882. He was the twelfth of a family of fourteen children, only three of whom survive, viz: Chas. H. Nelson of Scotts, Mich.; James E. Nelson, of Lima, Ohio, and Isaac Nelson, of Decatur, Ind.

With the exception of about six years, Mr. Nelson spent his life in Adams county.

He was united in marriage with Miss Elizabeth Strait on Dec. 28, 1889. To this union were born two children, Mrs. L. F. Davis, of Hamilton, Ohio, and Mrs. Stanley Hornback, of Dayton, Ohio, both of whom survive.

He was converted in the Methodist church at Monroe, in 1897, under the labors of Rev. N. P. Barton. Since that time Mr. Nelson has lived a life of trust in God. During the days of his long protracted affliction, he frequently expressed a desire to be relieved from suffering, testifying that he was ready to depart, yet waiting patiently the Lord's time.

As a neighbor and citizen he was unexcelled. He lived peacefully with his neighbors wherever he lived and everybody who knew him learned to love him.

Besides raising his own children, he did much for other needy and homeless children. John E. Nelson and C. I. Aurand, of Monroe, Ind., Mrs. Wm. Beavers, of Casey, Ill.; and Mr. Chelcie Strait of Middletown, Ohio, are foster children who look to him as to a father.

He passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Davis at Hamilton, Ohio, Nov. 22, 1922, aged sixty years, nine months, and twenty-three days. His wife having preceded him an even four years ago.

He leaves to mourn, two daughters, four grandchildren, four foster children, three brothers and a large circle of friends.

The funeral was conducted at the M. E. church, Monroe, Ind., Friday, November 24, 1922, by the pastor, Rev. S. I. Zechiel. Interment in the Ray cemetery.

From some unknown author we quote:

I know not what the future hath  
Of marvel of surprise,  
Assured alone that life and death  
His mercy underlies.

I know not where His islands lift  
Their branded palms in air;  
I only know I can not drift  
Beyond His line and care.

And so beside the silent sea  
I wait the muffled ear;  
No harm from him can come to me  
On ocean and on shore.

**Town Of Monroe Threatened By Fire Yesterday**

(Continued from Page One) automobile, but the other car and motorcycle which belonged to Howard Hendricks, a son, were not insured. The loss will amount to about \$2,700. The report was circulated in Decatur that the town of Monroe was being destroyed by fire and a large crowd of people went to the scene of the conflagration.

Mr. Hendricks said today that he believed the fire was started by a short circuit in his automobile. About twenty-five bushels of corn and oats, used as chicken feed, were consumed in the fire also.

## DOINGS IN SOCIETY

## CLUB CALENDAR

## Monday

Phi Delta Kappa banquet in Fraternity rooms, 7 p. m.

Woman's Club—Civic section program—Library, 7:30.

Research Club—Mrs Frank France.

Helping Hand Society—Sunday School Rooms, 7 o'clock.

## Tuesday

Auction Bridge club with Miss Fannie Hite, 7:30 p. m.

Bachelor Maids—Murray Hotel, 6:30 p. m.

## Wednesday

Ladies' Aid Society of the United Brethren church, pastry sale; Green's Meat Market; 9 o'clock a. m.

## Thursday

Delta Theta Tau sorority private dance—Masonic hall.

All day meeting at the Antioch church—Basket dinner—Services morning and afternoon.

## Friday

Blue Bird Girls—Lois Peterson, 2:30.

Woman's Home Missionary Society—M. E. Church—Mrs. Dan Sprang.

## Saturday

Bazaar by Ladies of Christian church in Mrs. Burdige's Millinery store all day.

Miss Fanny Hite will be hostess to the Auction Bridge club at her home on Winchester street, at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening.

## WEDNESDAY

The Loyal order of Moose will give a Thanksgiving dinner and entertainment at the hall on Wednesday evening.

For the members and families and, no doubt, it will be largely attended.

Following the chicken dinner, dancing will be enjoyed and talks will be made by the members.

The dinner will be served at eight o'clock and the Moose and Legionnaires are most cordially invited to attend.

## WEDNESDAY

Miss Lois Peterson will entertain the Bluebird girls Friday afternoon at 2:30 at her home on Jefferson street.

All members of the Blue Bird Campfire are requested to be present as this will be a ceremonial meeting.

## WEDNESDAY

Miss Marie Gass entertained with dinner yesterday Mrs. Peter Keller, of Culver, Ohio; Mrs. Tom Fox, of Ft. Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Gass and son Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Borman.

## WEDNESDAY

The Pythian Sisters met at the home of Mrs. James Fristoe yesterday and from there went to the home of Mrs. S. E. Shamp.

## WEDNESDAY

The Ladies Aid of the Christian church will hold a bazaar in Mrs. Burdige's millinery store all day next Saturday.

## WEDNESDAY

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Dan Sprang. All members who have gifts for the box are requested to bring them at this meeting.

## WEDNESDAY

The Harmony Five, dance orchestra from Fort Wayne, has been obtained to furnish the music for the Thanksgiving dance to be given by the Delta Theta Tau sorority in the Masonic hall next Thursday night. Indications are that this will be one of the prettiest dances of the season.

## WEDNESDAY

The Helping Hand Society of the Reformed church will have a special meeting in the Sunday School rooms tonight at seven o'clock. All members are requested to be there and bring thimbles and scissors.

## WEDNESDAY

About fifty Pythian Sisters gave a very pretty surprise party for Mrs. S. E. Shamp at 6:30 Friday evening. A pot luck supper was served cafeteria style. They presented Mrs. Shamp with a beautiful wicker chair for her faithfulness to her office as "Mistress of Records and Correspondence" and also as a birthday gift. Games and stunts were the diversions of the evening.

## WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Dorothy Durkin and Miss Rose Christian gave a very lovely dinner party yesterday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sauer, of Markie, Miss Madge Hite, of this city, and Jesse Cole, of Fort Wayne.

## WEDNESDAY

Kendallville, Nov. 27.—Mrs. John Bushong, residing six miles north of the city, has just completed a very interesting poultry record. Her flock averaging 196 hens has made a profit of \$1185.00 or \$6.09 per hen. Twenty-eight thousand eggs were produced which brought in almost a thousand dollars. The rest of the income was realized from baby chicks, breeding stock, and good market poultry. Her records cover the period from November 1, 1921 to Oct. 31, 1922.

## PRAISES LOCAL ALARM SYSTEM

## Writer In Issue Of Fire Protection Lauds Decatur Fire Alarm System

The current issue of "Fire Protection," official organ of the Fire Marshals' Association of North America, in an article entitled "Handling Telephone Fire Alarms," by Leonard G. Brandt, of The Fort Wayne Journal Gazette, describing various methods in communities in handling telephone fire alarms, pays a tribute to the system which has recently been put in operation at the Decatur telephone office.

In this system, the operators at the exchange take full charge of information regarding fires and allow no information of any kind to be given out to any person other than city firemen for a period of five minutes after the alarm is turned in. By this system it has been possible to organize phone facilities in such a way that the congestion of the phone service is practically done away with, and, at the same time, information concerning the fire may be given out to persons who must have that information for the benefit of the fire service.

## WASHINGTON MAY BE FIRST TO WIPE OUT TUBERCULOSIS

Washington is expected to be the first of the 48 states to make definite plans to wipe out all bovine tuberculosis within its borders. In 20 of the 25 counties areas eradication work has already been conducted in cooperation with the United States Department of Agriculture and the State veterinarian have planned a State-wide program that will be presented to the legislature in January. The governor is understood to be in favor of the plan, and there is every reason to believe that sufficient money will be appropriated so that with the cooperation of the department on the present basis all the cattle in the State can be tested within a reasonable time, probably two years.

The light infection of the cattle herds in the State and the fact that most of the cattle already have been tested make the outlook particularly promising. An indication of the low percentage of tuberculosis was found in Spokane County this summer. The veterinarian in charge tested 469 herds, containing 2,754 animals, and condemned only 4.

Ninety-five per cent of the pure-bred herds in Washington are already under supervision.

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## Many Pumpkins In Northern Indiana

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