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WAS HAPPENED. Then, when she had finished, he asked slowly: "What about Saturday night or Sunday?" Ruth told him triumphantly. "I haven't seen the register for those days, but I'm sure you have, and since I know Jack wasn't in the Starbridge building after 2 o'clock Saturday until 9 this morning, I know his name is not on the register. That's true, isn't it?"

"Yes," McMann admitted. "But he could have walked down to the basement without using the elevator, or without being seen by the one man on duty after 4 o'clock Saturday." "And that exit door to the court is kept locked," Ruth cried. "It had to be unlocked for me. The porter in the basement had to send for Mr. Coghlan, the superintendent, in order to get the key to unlock it. Furthermore, Jack never had the key to this office, so he could not have come here Saturday night or Sunday and gained access to Mr. Borden's office, even if he could have entered the building and left it unobserved by the elevator man. You must believe me when I tell you that the key which the waiter picked up and handed to Jack was the key to my apartment, not my office key. No, Mr. McMann, you're on the wrong case. Please believe me, please keep an open mind for some theory which will explain all the facts."

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ried on at Benny Smith's desk. Ruth learned that Cleo Gilman had not yet been found, that no information at all had been gleaned as to the present whereabouts of Jake Bailey, the murdered man's bodyguard, that Benny Smith, permitted to return to his home, followed by a detective, was so ill that a doctor's car had been parked before his home for more than an hour.

At 6 o'clock came the order which Ruth had been expecting and dreading. McMann, looking pale and harassed, opened the door and spoke sharply to Birdwell: "Get Hayward—and Rita Dubois. Rita's in Covey's charge, down the hall. We'll have Hayward in first. Miss Lester will answer the phone if it rings while you're gone."

The phone didn't ring during the detective's absence. Ruth, standing trembling beside it, wished it would—that something would happen to make those long minutes shorter. At last the door opened and Jack Hayward pushed in ahead of Birdwell.

Ruth's anxious, loving eyes devoured him. He had evidently just brushed his hair, for the deep waves in it gleamed wetly in the electric light. Not the act of a nervous or frightened or a guilty man. And his bronze-brown eyes, wide open, candid, clear, smiled at her.

"They both forgot Detective Birdwell as they moved toward each other, their arms outstretched. They did not even realize that the detective had considerably turned his back. "Poor little darling!" Jack murmured.

Ruth wanted to warn him that arrest lay before him, to tell him of the flattened bullet found in the court below his window, but he stopped her first words by laying his lips against hers. That kiss, which Ruth wanted desperately to prolong forever, lest the next time their lips met it should be from between prison bars, lasted until Detective Birdwell slowly crossed the room and opened the door into the private office.

Peculiar actions from Jack Hayward that surprise Ruth. In the next chapter.

Nimrod NIMROD, March 4 — Our entire community was very badly surprised when it was announced that

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T. L. Lasater Jr. and Miss Kathryn Perdue were married last Friday afternoon. T. L. had been going to school here and Kathryn had been going to high school at Cisco, but sometimes Dan Cupid can find a way into the hearts, even of school children. We wish this happy couple a long and prosperous life.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Harrelson and daughter, little Doris Jean, and Mrs. L. D. Stanford attended the B. Y. P. U. rally at Long Branch Sunday afternoon, but on account of a funeral to be held at that place there was no B. Y. P. U. program.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Baird and son and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wright and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Major Notgrass Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lasater of Pleasant Hill spent Saturday night in the T. Y. Lasater home. Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue spent Sunday at Cisco.

Mrs. Joe Allen has been very sick but is reported better. The home demonstration club ladies will have a quilting at the club house next Thursday.

Next Hope NEW HOPE, March 7.— The farmers are very busy this week as the sunny weather is making it possible for field work.

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G. W. Wood and family visited in Ukra Sunday. Misses Modell Montgomery, and Willie Faye Bennett visited N. E. Leonard of Midway community Saturday night.

High School LEAGUE PLAN LONGVIEW, Tex., March 7.— Plans to organize an East Texas high school baseball league will be discussed Saturday at a meeting here. Invitations to attend the meeting have been sent to school officials at Marshall, Henderson, Siler Pittsburg, Mount Pleasant,

Jefferson, Tyler, and Mineola. The plan was originated by Coach J. E. Willis, of Marshall, to stimulate interest in high school baseball. At the meeting Saturday, rules will be drawn up and a schedule made out for the proposed eight club circuit.

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ing, was unable to attend. "Feeding for Milk Production" was the topic of discussion. Ra-

WIDOW TELLS OF SLAYING

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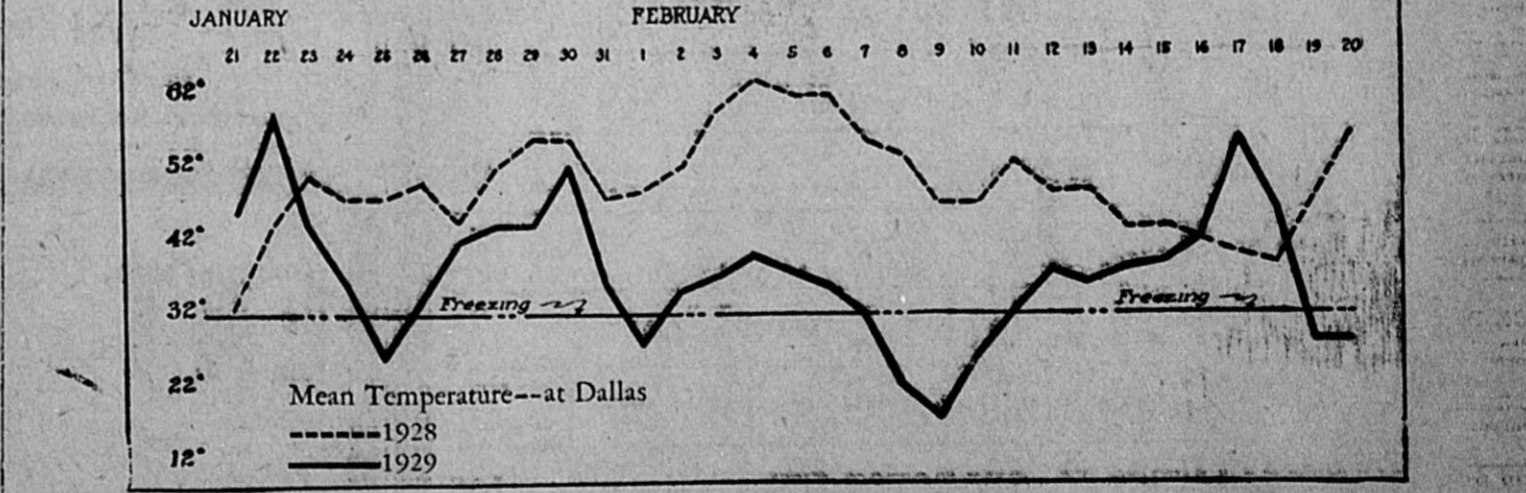
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You Knew it was COLD —but did you know just how many days were colder than the same period last year?

THE WEATHER is the most universal topic of conversation. But few people really know anything about it. Feelings are so deceiving! If it's hot, most people say, "P-h-e-w! this is the hottest weather I ever saw!"—if it's cold, they jump just as far the other way and say, "B-r-r-r! This is the coldest weather I ever saw!" They're probably wrong both times. It's so hard to remember what the temperature actually was at any given time. But those of you who said right

Table comparing mean temperatures for January and February 1928 and 1929. Columns for Month, Day, 1929, 1928, Higher, Lower.

You will note that 26 days in the 31 day period had a lower mean temperature this year than last year, the average being 16.96 degrees lower. In one stretch, from February 1 to 14, inclusive, the mean temperature was an average of 21 degrees lower this year than last. Eight days this year show freezing, 32 degrees, or below freezing, as a mean average temperature, against no freezing mean temperatures for a like period last year.



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