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## MUCH STOLEN LOOT RECOVERED

### Scores of Children Die In Quebec Orphanage Blaze

#### FALLING WALLS SLOW RESCUE WORK IN NIGHT

Fifty Reported Missing in St. Charles Institution

#### SUFFOCATION KILLS MANY

Ancient Structure Is Quickly Swept by Flames

(By Associated Press)  
 QUEBEC, Dec. 15—Eighteen bodies have been recovered today from the fire-swept ruins of the Saint Charles orphanage, with probability that the death list will mount. A check of the missing and injured led firemen to believe that at least 50 lost their lives. The firemen were unable to search the ruins, which were still smoldering this morning. The bodies of seventeen children and one woman were recovered indicated they had died of suffocation rather than by fire. The walls of the ancient structure collapsed while the fire was at its height last night, stopping rescue work.

#### Mother Hunted as Kidnaper



Nation-wide search has been instituted for Mrs. G. Wallace Bryant and her two daughters, pictured above. The juvenile court deprived her of their custody last July because of sensational charges in a \$100,000 allegation of affectionate suit Mr. Bryant has filed against Henry Westall, prominent golfer and clubman of Asheville, N. C. Mr. Bryant is a nephew of Henry Ford.

#### BAPTISTS BUY NEW LAND FOR CHURCH PLANT

Purchase Lots South of Central High School

#### TO SELL OLD BUILDING, ANNEX

Fine Structure Will Be Started Very Soon

The purchase of the north half of the small block immediately south of Central high school from the White Deer Land company by the First Baptist church was announced today by the Rev. D. H. Truhitte, pastor. The church decided last night to sell its property, including the old building and the new Sunday School annex, as commercial property and use the funds thus secured on the construction of a \$100,000 church plant on the new land. Immediate possession can be given of the old property, and the trustees, of whom Charles Barrett is chairman, will receive bids on the buildings and lots at any time. It is planned to start the new building as soon after the old property is sold, if the weather permits. Pledges are coming in rapidly on the building program, and a loan can be arranged on part of the cost. The church plant will be one of the most complete in this section.

#### Rail President



CHARLES E. JOHNSTON  
 KANSAS CITY—Charles E. Johnston, who will become president of the Kansas City Southern Railway Company January 1, began his career as a chain carrier with a railroad surveying gang at the age of 16. During the 30 years in which he rose to leadership of a large transportation system he has been connected with several railroad companies. He entered the service of the Kansas City Southern as a location engineer in 1906 and became chief engineer in 1911. Ten years ago he was made general manager, and he has been a vice president as well as general manager since 1924. Mr. Johnston will succeed to the presidency when J. A. Edson retires, Mr. Edson has been president of the railway for 22 years. He will be 74 years old in February.

#### ARREST OF 2 MEN FOLLOWS NIGHT RAIDS

Fatheree Drug Store Loss Heavy Early Today

#### NARCOTICS ARE TAKEN HERE

Goods Stolen Include Everything From Knives to Suits

Two men who early this morning are alleged to have looted Fatheree Drug store No. 2 and the De Luxe Cleaners establishment of merchandise valued at more than \$2,000 were arrested at 10:30 o'clock this morning by Sheriff E. S. Graves and John Andrews, chief of police. Practically all of the loot was found in a large trunk in the room of the men. Arraignment was set for this afternoon, when charges of burglary will be placed. One of the men said he came here from Fort Worth, and the other from Elk City, Okla. At the Fatheree store the back door was pried open with a bar. The loot obtained included narcotics worth nearly \$300, several hundred fountain pens, four costly folding kodaks, \$50 in cash, leather gifts, two large toilet sets, a case of knives, a case of razor blades, and some watch chains, watches, and other jewelry from the Quality Jewelry store at the same place. A sugar sack was emptied and the merchandise placed in the sack. De Luxe Cleaners lost several expensive overcoats, several suits, a number of pairs of pants, several hats and other clothing. Apparently the burglars discarded a number of ill fitting garments after trying them on. Acting on meager clues and a tip, the officers surprised the men at their room in South Pampa. The pair had a poker game under way, and took their arrest stoically. They carried the heavy trunk to the sheriff's office, and then the officers placed the min pile.

#### Nationalists of China Ask Soviet Consul to Leave

(By Associated Press)  
 SHANGHAI, Dec. 15—The Nationalist government today handed the Soviet consul general at Shanghai his passports, and he was requested to leave the Nationalist territory within a week. The action was in line with the recently announced policy of the Nationalist to remove alleged Russian influence in Chinese affairs.

#### Hearst Names Borah, Heflin, Norris and LaFollette as Mysterious Four Alleged to Have Been Offered Money

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Four United States senators, Borah, Heflin, LaFollette and Norris, were named today as the mysterious quartette recently described anonymously in Hearst's newspaper as the intended recipients of the \$1,250,000 Mexican government slush fund. Immediately after their names were exposed, Borah, Heflin, and LaFollette appeared before a special senate committee investigating the charges and denied that they had ever received money from such a source or had even been approached by anyone who might be interested in such an offer. Senator Norris is ill at his home but his friends on the committee denied the charges also, on his behalf. The American pay-off man for the slush fund it was said in the documents submitted by William Randolph Hearst, has been Dudley Field Malone of New York. Lawyer Malone also took the witness stand and denied his connection with any such project.

#### "Whitey" Walker Skips Big Bond

"Whitey" Walker, charged in the killing of Deputies Kenyon and Terry at Borger on the day following the Pampa bank robbery, today failed to appear as defendant in his trial at Stannett, and forfeited his \$7,500 bond. Eleven jurors had been chosen and the trial was nearing time for testimony today when Walker was called for, according to a dispatch from Borger.

#### Two Unmasked Bandits Loot Bank at Kendrick, Okla., This Morning

(By Associated Press)  
 KENDRICK, OKLA., Dec. 15—Two unmasked bandits entered the bank at Kendrick today and locked two officials of the bank and a customer in the vault and took an unestimated amount of loot. They escaped in an automobile. Bank officials released themselves from the vault and fired several shots at the fleeing men.

#### Fine Reports Are Made in Christian Church Session

Reports show that the progress of the Christian church is better at the present time than ever before in the history of the church, which has been established more than 15 years. The reports were presented at the annual meeting held at the church last night. C. M. Bryson, J. L. Lester, J. B. Townsend, I. E. Duncan and Ernest Sunkel were added to the board of deacons.

#### Methodist Class To Present Play in Miami Tonight

"An Arizona Cowboy," the four-act Western comedy recently played here by the Friendship class of the First Methodist church, will be presented at the Pastime theatre in Miami at 7:45 o'clock tonight. Members of the cast will take their stage property to the neighborhood town this afternoon in preparation for the performance. The popularity of the play in Pampa has caused a demand for its production elsewhere. Mrs. Carson Loftus is directing the play.

#### Storm Warnings Issued for Coast

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 15—Storm warnings for the Louisiana and Texas Gulf coast has been issued for tonight by the United States weather bureau. Another northerly Pampa last night which dropped the thermometer to 11 above zero during the night and which was accompanied by a strong wind from the north. At noon today the thermometer had risen to 27 above with indications of being colder tonight.

#### Seminole Pact Extended Today

(By Associated Press)  
 TULSA, Dec. 15—A 60-day extension of the Seminole curtailment agreement was announced by operators of that area today at the close of a meeting here.

#### Creamery Station Opened Here by Woodward Concern

M. C. Stanley of Woodward, Okla., yesterday announced the opening of a local creamery station in connection with the Taylor farm dairy. He is from the Armour creameries of Woodward, a new, well equipped organization which is rapidly spreading over the Southwest. O. R. Paris will be in charge of the local station, which is north of Pampa hospital.

#### Co-Eds Greet Lindy in Mexico City

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 15—Cheered by co-eds that gathered in the streets everywhere he passed, Col. Charles Lindbergh today paid an official call upon President Calles who again felicitated him upon his brilliant flight from Washington to Mexico City.

#### Hope Held For Harvey Haines

Harvey Haines, local man, who suffered an attack of apoplexy yesterday, is in the Pampa hospital where hope is held for his recovery. His brother and daughter from Washachie are expected to arrive this afternoon.

#### Central High Annex Nearing Completion

The new addition to the Central high school building will be completed next week, according to the contractor. This new wing consists of twelve class rooms, a study hall, library, and four lavatories. The board of education will meet this afternoon to transact business and go over the applications for teachers in the new building. It is thought that five additional teachers will be employed to commence teaching January 2nd.

#### E. E. Reynolds Chosen Director of the Gray State Bank Here

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Gray County State bank Tuesday afternoon, E. E. Reynolds was elected to succeed H. E. Baird. Mr. Reynolds is a well known business man, having large ranch and oil properties. Recently J. M. Saunders, another prominent oil and land man, succeeded T. W. Johnson as a director. The board of directors now includes C. L. Thomas, president; J. M. Dodson, vice-president; and L. C. McConnell, D. W. Osborne, J. M. Saunders, and E. E. Reynolds.

#### C. of C. Cancels Night Meeting

Owing to the inclement weather and prediction of a very cold night, the Chamber of Commerce today canceled its announced membership meeting. Directors of the chamber will meet at 4:30 p. m., this afternoon, instead. Production of a playlet, "Manager by Proxy," will be postponed until after the holidays. Daily practices on this bit of irony were held this week. A buffet luncheon was to have been served before the performance. A. H. Doucette is transacting business in Borger today.

#### Oklahoma Court Holds Legislature Can't Call Meeting

(By Associated Press)  
 OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 15—The state Supreme Court today denied a rehearing on the inherent right of the Legislature to assemble and at the same time reaffirmed its stand that the petition for providing for a convening of the Legislature upon the signature of the majority of the members was illegal.

**8 SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS**

Some Christmas lights you had last year have likely blown away. You'd better check them over and buy what you need today.

# HOLDERS OF RECORDS FOR SERVICE FILING OFF BASEBALL STAGE



Time and coincidence bring Tyrus Cobb (left) and Everett Scott (right) to the end of the baseball trail together. Released by the Athletics, Cobb takes with him an all-time record of 23 years in organized baseball, while Scott, turned loose by the Toledo Mudhens, tops them all in consecutive big league games played, with 1,307.

NEW YORK—Baseball's two most consistent performers are out of the game forever—unless they change their minds again when the sap begins to flow and the teams go south. By coincidence the unconditional release of Everett Scott by the Toledo Mudhens of the American Association followed close upon the release of Tyrus Cobb by the Philadelphia Athletics. The springsteel shortstop, Scott, in 1925 set an all-time record by playing in his 1,307th consecutive game of major league baseball. Cobb has played ball for 23 years, another all-time record and one of many held by the Georgia Peach.

Baseball is in the blood of both and there still is a chance of a brief return for a grand finale in 1928. Neither has ever been able to resist, although both have enough cash stored away to assure a comfortable living.

In the winter, Scott runs a recreation parlor—billiards and bowling at Fort Worth, Ind. During the stove league season he invariably decides not to go back to baseball, but the first robin and the first thaws always find him fretting for the feel of a glove and the opening of the season finds him back in the game.

Legs tell, and the last two years have found the "Deacon" a little lower in the baseball scale. After setting the record that began with his first game as a member of the Boston Red Sox in 1916, Scott was released by the Yankees to the Washington Senators by the waiver route.

Turned loose by the Senators the next January Scott came back with the White Sox, was bought by the Reds and returned to the Sox, only to go to the Baltimore Orioles of the International league in 1927. Knowing his worth, Casey Stengel signed the veteran for the last minute drive which brought the Mudhens the American Association pennant.

Cobb, too, is standing on the threshold now. The former Detroit manager's release by the Athletics was regarded in some quarters as taps for his big league career, but there is a belief the Giants may sign him.

Have you read the classified ads?

## Can't Run Here



This is Dr. Otto Peltzer, famous German runner, who is here in America but unable to participate in any races because of opposition by the A. A. U. officials. He hopes to make 'em change their mind, however.

# BILLY EVANS Says



## Rickey Was Active

The recent meeting of the minor league at Dallas presented a rather unusual situation, in that the man who did the most trading and selling was seldom if ever mingling with the crowd that thronged the lobby of the hotel where the baseball session was held.

I have reference to Branch Rickey of the St. Louis Cardinals. While the minor and major magnates spilled a lot of loose chatter in every nook and corner of the all too small lobby, Rickey sat in an easy chair in the reception room of his suite, doing a big business in the marketing of ball players.

Aside from safeguarding the minors by framing regulations designed to protect their interests, one of the other features of the meeting was the attempt to make exchanges of players or deal for them in cold cash.

It was my experience as well as that of most of the others with whom I talked, that the only thing that was really traded was conversation, a rather cheap commodity.

## Direct for Five Clubs

In the spacious suite of the effervescent Branch Rickey, however, things were very much different. Rickey was busy entertaining the wants of the various league club owners and in a great many instances sending them away satisfied.

It might be well to explain right here, that Branch Rickey, aside from looking after the affairs of the St. Louis Cardinals, also directs the bus-

## Young Burke Loses After Ring Injury

After refusing to accept a foul in the fourth round Young Burke Wednesday at the Amarillo Athletic club continued until the sixth round when he had to leave the ring, McLarnin winning by a technical knockout.

Burke is the boy who beat Higdon of Shamrock by a technical knockout at the Pampa Athletic club last Monday night. Some of the fans here were of the opinion that Higdon was hit after he was down, but the referee ruled that Higdon was not on the mat when hit.

ness policy of five other clubs, all minor league franchises, which are owned by the St. Louis Nationals.

The original thought of these clubs is to develop players for the Cardinals. By owning clubs in various classifications, it is possible for St. Louis to place their recruits in the leagues to which playing ability is best suited. Often it isn't necessary for some of these players to advance to the majors through the regular steps. These exceptions often come to the majors from a Class C league and deliver.

Since the St. Louis Cardinals can only absorb so many of these players annually, Rickey as a rule finds himself with a number of players who are deserving of promotion.

## Others May Do Same

After satisfying the needs of his own club first, Rickey places on the

market many desirable players, who he feels are not able to be immediately sed by the Cardinals.

These players are offered to the highest bidder, unless Rickey feels he is obligated to some club. If such is the case he sets a price that he believes is fair to both teams.

That explains why more business was done in Branch Rickey's suite

in a quiet manner than in the seething lobby of the hotel, where it was a difficult job to find even parking space for one's dogs.

The innovation of the St. Louis club in having a number of clubs in leagues of various classifications, enabling them to place their men where best fitted, has started other clubs in a like direction.



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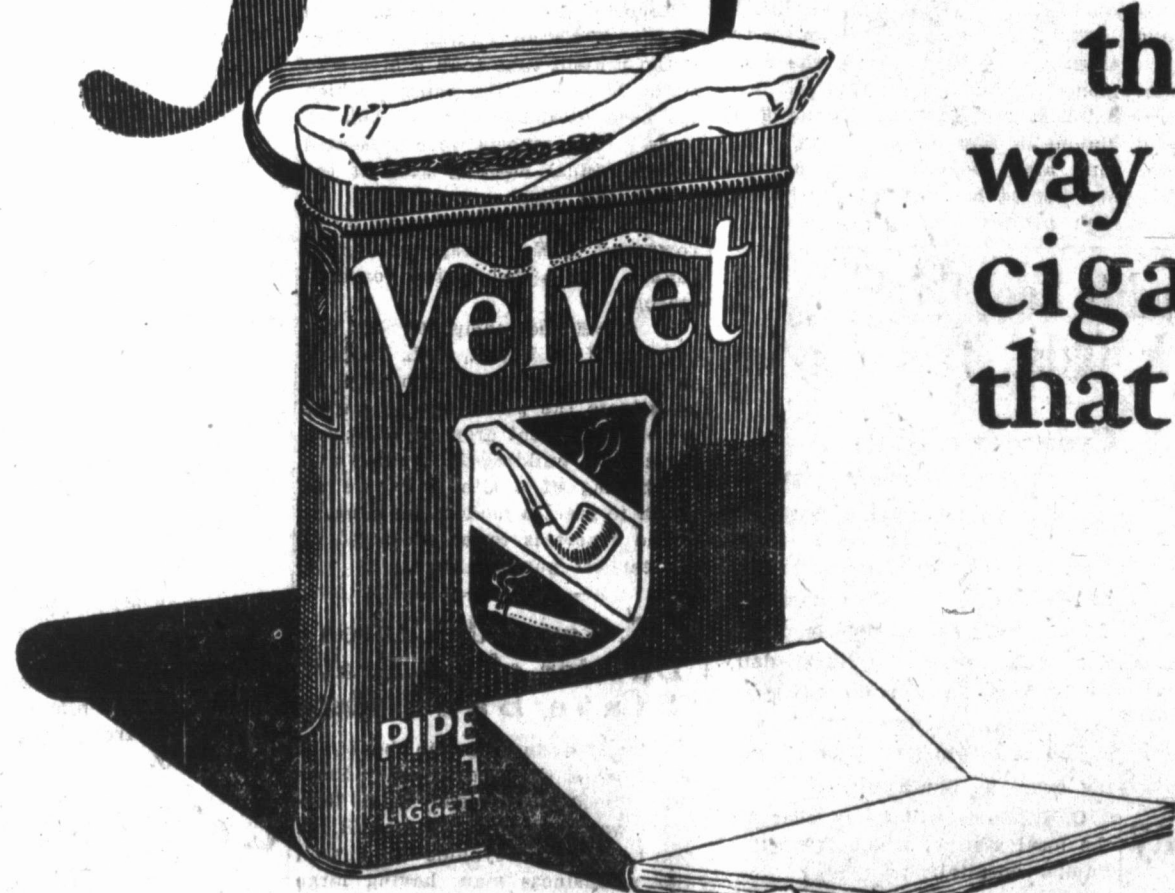


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# Arizona

ERNEST LYNN

ed Craig. "It would be unheard of to see a woman ride a horse like a man." He murmured some in he turned away from ed off.

Fumblingly he and sprang savagely back with a curt command. The horse broke into a canter, but he impatiently spurred him to a gallop and rode aimlessly beneath the withering sun for the better part of an hour.

Beneath the shade of some trees that lined Cottonwood Creek he dismounted and threw himself prone upon the grass. A dry "spell" was upon the country, there had been no rain for weeks, and the cattle were listless and hugged the banks of the river and creek. The water in Cottonwood Creek had fallen several feet, but from where Tony lay on the overhanging bank he could see his re-

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**THE STORY THUS FAR**

When Jeff Harrison, gambler is killed in a poker game in Caldwell, Kas., his 13-year-old son, Tony, is taken to the Bar K ranch in the Indian territory by Joe Craig, who appoints himself the boy's guardian.

There Tony is welcomed by Titus Moore, owner of the Bar K brand, and his little daughter, Rita. Another who has befriended Tony is Gordon W. Lillie, who later become Pawnee Bill, when he teaches school at the Indian reservation in Pawnee.

In the months that follow, reports come to the Bar K of the activities of the now notorious Benton gang, Tom Benton being the murderer of Jeff Harrison. Craig and Tony depart for Pawnee to visit Pawnee Bill. There they learn that he is going to take a bunch of Indians with him and join Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show.

Rita Moore and her mother depart for Virginia to spend the summer, and Tony, now 15, learns for the first time what it is to miss someone.

your own age."

To these suggestions Tony replied with a shrug and a careless shake of the head, and Craig, vaguely troubled, worried about the boy, not in the least suspecting what lay on the mind of his young charge.

Rita's letters to Titus Moore revealed a keen interest in her new surroundings. There was so much to do; she had met so many interesting people; she and her mother had spent several weeks with friends in Washington.

"I am not sure," she wrote, "whether I'll visit the ranch this

summer. I am anxious to see you again, but Mother and I have been so very busy, and there are still so many things to be done. Did Mother tell you about our changes in plans for my school?"

And she went on to explain that a finishing school in Washington had been decided upon, rather than the one in Richmond. "They tell me it is ever so much nicer," she added. "and I have met two very lovely girls about my own age who will be classmates of mine."

She enclosed a photograph of herself on a horse. It had been taken in

Rock Creek park in Washington and showed her in a very proper riding habit. She was in a side saddle.

Titus Moore exhibited the picture to Joe Craig and Tony Harrison and invited their criticism. Craig shook his head dubiously.

"It don't seem natural. Colonel. She looks like she's ready to fall off. My Golly! She's been used to ridin' astride ever since she could shinny up on a pony. She's sure pretty, though, in them clothes. She'll be a young lady before you know it." He passed the picture on to Tony.

"Back there," he colonel inform-

**CHAPTER XXI**

That year—1883—witnessed the formation of the Cherokee Live Stock Association, almost the first official act of which was the leasing of 6,000,000 acres of grazing land in the Strip from the Cherokee Nation. For this the association paid \$100,000 a year, which was considerably less than the taxes would have been had the members owned the land themselves.

The association came into being chiefly because the need had been recognized by the cattlemen of forming a united and organized front to their enemies. They had not legal rights to stand on, and they knew it; they had only one thing and that was questionable. It was possession.

Just how precarious was their position was not generally understood, even by those who actively opposed them. For one thing, they had absolutely no legal protection against vandalism; if a passing stranger happened to be seized with the notion to destroy what structures he found on one of these ranches, he might do so and fear only the wrath of the one offended, for he would not be destroying property as the law interpreted the word.

Inasmuch as the opening of the Cherokee Strip to settlement would mean the dispersal of the cattlemen and the disappearance of the big ranches, the Cherokee Live Stock Association sought to prevent the coming of that day or, at least, to defer it to the dim and distant future. Consequently it set up a powerful lobby in Washington, subsidized at \$25,000 a year, which fought bitterly every bill introduced in congress, or likely to be introduced, which advocated the opening of the Indian lands to the white home seekers.

Among the most active of the organizers were Titus Moore and George Washington Miller, his closest neighbor. Miller had been a pioneer in the Strip, had in fact built the first bit of fence in all that country. In partnership with another, he had owned the LK brand, but the partnership had been dissolved, the brand along with it, and the year before the formation of the Live Stock Association had seen the birth of Miller's new brand, the 101.

This ranch, one of the largest in all the territory, was to be preserved, even after the opening of the Indian lands, by Miller and his three sons, Joseph, Zack and George L; and was to grow in acreage and national prominence. Today it is one of the show places of Oklahoma.

On infrequent occasions Tony Harrison had been in the habit of riding over to the 101 ranch and visiting with Joe Miller, who was his own age, a big, raw-boned youth of 16. They had ridden together through the horse-high blue stem in the valleys, had picked the wild grapes from the heavy-hanging vines in the timbered bends, and shot wild turkeys along the Salt Fork.

Many times during that summer Joe Craig would pause in whatever he happened to be doing, to gaze in puzzled fashion at Tony Harrison. The boy now was in the habit of falling into long spells of silence; in many ways, Craig decided, he was again the old Tony Harrison, the little fellow he had encountered on a certain tragic evening in Caldwell.

"Tony," Craig often urged, "you need a little change. Why don't you run over to the 101 and visit the Miller boys? You're tired of associating with old horses like me and the other no-account hands; what you need is a little spell with someone

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DAILY NEWS' 1928 PROGRAM FOR PAMPA

- One or more new railroads.
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Additional street paving.
Oil Exchange building.
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INDUSTRIES—The dinner table as the basis of permanent city growth is often discussed in Texas, but there are only about a dozen cities whose futures are more or less bound up in the development of manufacturing.

As important as manufacturing is becoming in this state, agriculture will continue to be the first industry from every standpoint. Industries follow raw materials, fuel, or railway facilities, but agriculture is well-nigh universal.

Pampa is not dependent upon industries for her future, although she should seek them in every way possible. Another railroad and cheaper gas will help, but the movement will bide its time.

The Associated Press suggests briefly the chief Texas cities which must stress agriculture:

Waco—Rail center, agriculture. Particularly suitable for the development of industries with north and south markets.

Houston—Ocean transportation. Should develop manufacturing and especially concentrate on manufacturing for export.

Dallas—Agriculture, popu-

She Won't Be a Grass Widow Very Long



lies in manufacturing for export. Fort Worth—Agriculture, population concentration, and rail center. Should give attention to development agriculturally of territory immediately west of it.

San Antonio—Agriculture and rail center.

Corpus Christi—Ocean transportation. Should concentrate on securing greater agricultural development as a feeder for its ocean transportation lines.

Lufkin—Raw material, rail center. Should concentrate on securing industries to use its raw materials.

Palestine—Agriculture. Should develop as a jobbing and distributing point within a limited territory.

Jacksonville—Agriculture, raw material, population concentration, and rail center.

Brownwood—Agriculture. Needs rail connection north to Cisco and south to San Antonio through Llano county.

Lubbock—Agriculture. Should strive for wholesaling and jobbing. Possibility of some manufacturing as minerals in West Texas are developed.

El Paso—Raw materials, isolation. Greatest opportunity

some of his prime arguments expressed in last year's McNary-Haugen veto statement, urged curtailment of surplus acreage and finally proposed a federal board of men experienced in marketing to assist co-operatives in orderly marketing and handling surpluses not due to wilful overproduction.

Then, Mr. Coolidge said agriculture as a whole had improved in the previous three or four years, but that many localities and groups were still in a "distressing condition," which was "probably temporary."

Mean- era in agricultural prosperity"

WASHINGTON LETTER

By RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—The president's message to the new Congress makes especially interesting reading when read in conjunction with his message to the last Congress two years ago.

He made it known that he left out some subjects for lack of space, but he discussed 28 subjects in only 21 pages as compared with 26 subjects in 25 pages in December, 1925.

Subdivisions of the 1925 message which did not appear this year were World Court, Budget, Foreign Debt, Immigration, Reclamation, Retirement of Judges, Mothers' Aid, Civil Service, Federal Trade Commission and Government Reorganization.

New sections included those on Commercial Aviation, Pan-American Air Mail, Good Roads in Latin America, Cuban Parcel Post, Protective Tariff, Farm Loan System, Flood Control, American Indian, Petroleum Conservation, Education, Department of Labor, Public Buildings and Historical Celebrations.

The president told the new Congress that the past year has seen a marked improvement in agriculture's general condition, although the farmers had not fully recovered from the post-war depression.

Mr. Coolidge reiterated

while, the president held, material tariff reduction would be disastrous to the farmer.

Two years ago, the president said Muscle Shoals should be developed primarily for nitrates. Since then, Mr. Coolidge has come around to the contention of Senator Norris that nitrates cannot be successfully produced at Muscle Shoals owing to new and cheaper methods and that the project is now "mostly concerned with power."

He agrees with Norris—and thus disagrees with the American Farm Bureau Federation—that Muscle Shoals can best aid agriculture if its power revenues are applied to fertilizer development instead of its obsolete equipment.

The messages are alike in many respects, but on three important subjects President Coolidge has changed his attitude. These are farm relief, naval armaments and Muscle Shoals. More cruisers, of course, are held to be necessary as the result of the failure of the Geneva conference and new developments have altered the complexion of the Muscle Shoals problem, but the president's remarks on agriculture obviously were a concession to politics for, while noting a great improvement in the farmer's lot, the president was willing to go considerably further before.

Agriculture, relegated as far back as page 15 two years ago, has now appeared on page 8. Linked with the protective tariff and the farm loan system, it received nearly four pages, as compared with a page and a half in 1925.

Then, Mr. Coolidge said agriculture as a whole had improved in the previous three or four years, but that many localities and groups were still in a "distressing condition," which was "probably temporary."

Mean- era in agricultural prosperity"

BARBS

(By N.E.A. Service Inc.)

The Ohio woman who killed her husband before the bridge party should get credit for foresight, anyway.

Senator Curtis and Senator Willis have announced they are candidates for the Republican nomination. Well, that counts two out of the picture.

TWINKLES

The Cunard line announces the world's greatest vessel, which will cost \$30,000,000. We suppose that it is designed to bring home the growing number of trans-Atlantic fliers.

Cheer up: "Morning Glories Bloom for You," says Prof. Schick, who expects a shipment of this unusually tuneful song this week.

Too many of us extend sympathy only when we personally do not need any ourselves.

People like Pampa goods so much they break in to get them; come to Pampa to trade, but bring your pocket-book.

You are a part of all that you have met—and absorbed. Don't be a sponge.

When oil men can't think of anything else, they can always find interest in Pampa field's production increase.

Think of the heartache of the women whose dresses were NOT stolen from the cleaners.

"which will probably be unprecedented" lay "just before us" and the president would recommend nothing more than a bill to enable the Department of Agriculture to give prompt information on crop prospects, supply, demand, imports, exports and so on.

Pampa's Business, Professional and Commercial Directory

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FRECKLES and His FRIENDS
Good Luck and Bad Luck
By BLOSSOM



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# WOMEN'S PAGE

## SOCIAL NEWS

BY MISS LEORA MAY

PHONE 100

### El Progresso Club Make Study of the Poetry of Markham

Mrs. John Andrews was hostess to a very interesting meeting of the El Progresso club Thursday afternoon. Mrs. W. M. Craven was leader of the subject of study, poetry by Edwin Markham, and gave a review of his life. In her talk Mrs. Craven gave an interesting account of the early life of the poet, and the inspiration received from the masterpiece, Miller's "The Man With the Hoe," from which the poem of that name was written.

Mr. Markham is considered a writer of poetry that is unexcelled in its worth and understanding, and is often called the minister poet as his subjects tend toward religion. At the age of 75, Mr. Markham resides on Staten Island, New Jersey, and continues to add to his fine contribution of poetry to the literary world.

Mrs. C. T. Hunkapillar gave the poem, "The Man With the Hoe," with an excellent discussion. Mrs. James Todd explained the simplicity of the modern poetry, and how Markham had really introduced this to literature.

Various readings were given by members from Markham's works, which were "How the Great Guest Came," by Mrs. Carson Loftus; "The Place of Peace," Mrs. Dave Pope; "The Prayer," Mrs. James Todd; "Swing to the Void," Mrs. Siler Faulkner; "Anchored to Indefinite," Mrs. C. E. Bryson.

Mrs. Andrews' home was lovely with Christmas decorations and in keeping with the holiday season. Delicious refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. W. M. Craven, Mrs. Siler Faulkner, Mrs. C. T. Hunkapillar, Mrs. P. C. Ledrick, Mrs. Carson Loftus, Mrs. W. Purviance, Mrs. Dave Pope, Mrs. G. C. Waldstad, Mrs. H. L. Ledrick, Mrs. W. L. Woodward, Mrs. C. M. Bryson, Mrs. J. M. McDonald, Mrs. James Todd. A special guest of the club was A special H. H. Guinn of Washington Penn., mother of Mrs. Bryson.

### Social Calendar

A missionary tea for the Methodist Missionary Society will be given in the home of Mrs. W. Purviance Wednesday afternoon.

The Baptist Circles of the W. M. U. will meet as follows Wednesday afternoon. Number 1, Mrs. McAllister, number 2, Mrs. Tracy Willis; number 3, Mrs. Cliff; number 4, Mrs. Bendfield.

Members of the Ace High Bridge club will entertain their husbands with a dinner-dance in the Coffee shop of the Adams hotel Thursday evening.

The Child Study Club will hold its session Friday afternoon with Mrs. A. H. Doucette, with Mrs. C. M. Bryson as leader.

The young people's class of the Methodist church will have a wren-roast Friday night. All will meet at the church at 5:30 o'clock.

LOST—Green Queen hat with green band. Return to Russell Jewelry. Reward. 16-3c

SATURDAY NIGHT—Men Night at Mitchell's Ladies Store, when the store will be open to men only from 7 to 10 p. m. WOMEN—Please stop early and give the men a chance to buy your Christmas Gift. 30-3c

### Triple Banding



Not one, but three brown felt bands encircle and almost make the grade over the crown of a smart tan felt hat.

### Menus for the Family

BY SISTER MARY

**BREAKFAST**—Northern spy apples, cereal, cream, baked French toast, milk, coffee.

**LUNCHEON**—Surprise potatoes, hearts of lettuce with French dressing, canned strawberries, chocolate brownies, milk, tea.

**DINNER**—Breaded veal cutlets, with tomato sauce, caudied sweet potatoes, beet and celery salad, rice and cranberry pudding, milk, coffee.

The surprise potatoes suggested in the luncheon menu would be nice to serve to your luncheon bridge club. Particularly if a "one-plate luncheon is the custom. Too often the various concoctions served on one plate seem to spread and everything gets more or less mixed up.

#### Surprise Potatoes

Four potatoes of uniform size, 3 tablespoons butter, 1 slice onion, 2 tablespoons flour, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1 1-2 cups milk, 1 can crab meat, paprika.

Bake potatoes until soft. Cut a cross on flat side of each potato and fold back the skin. Scoop out inside and put through a ricer. Season with salt and pepper and fill potato shells about one-third full. Melt butter with onion slice and let stand fifteen minutes. Remove onion and stir in flour. Cook and stir over a low fire for three minutes. Slowly add milk, stirring constantly. Add salt and paprika and bring to the boiling point. Add crab meat and keep hot over hot water while preparing the potato cases. Fill cases with creamed fish, cover with riced potato and pull corners up toward center. Drop a bit of butter on top of each to melt and brown potato. The potato should be piled up in the cases.

completed their study of the book, "The Plan of Salvation, and made a review of the entire book. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and hot chocolate were served to the thirteen members present.

Mrs. G. A. Holloway left this morning with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bondurant, to spend the holiday with relatives in Ness City, Kansas.

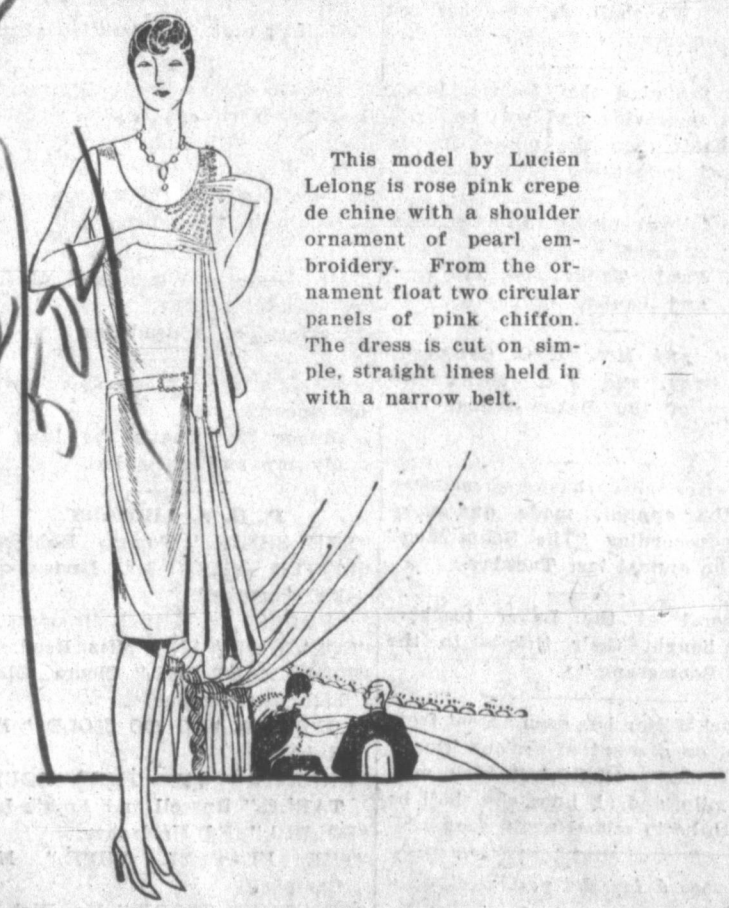
### Baptist Circles Meet in Study Wednesday Afternoon

Circle two of the Baptist W. M. U. meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Tracy Willis with four members and two visitors present. The lesson taken from the Mission Study book, "The Life Beautiful" was well discussed. During the business session, it was arranged to send cheer boxes to the elderly members of the circle.

The hostess served delicious refreshments of date pudding with whipped cream, and hot chocolate to those present.

Mrs. J. A. Cliff, and Mrs. J. E. Parris were joint hostesses to a meeting of Circle Three of the Baptist W. M. U. Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Cliff. The members

## Modes of the Moment!



This model by Lucien Lelong is rose pink crepe de chine with a shoulder ornament of pearl embroidery. From the ornament float two circular panels of pink chiffon. The dress is cut on simple, straight lines held in with a narrow belt.

### Parcels for Mailing Should Be Taken to P. O. Sub-Station

More than 35 sacks of parcels were sent from the substation yesterday the first day it has been open and today promises to be even greater.

Postmaster William Crawford says that nearly all the parcels to be mailed are being brought to the main office instead of the sub-station. It is causing considerable inconvenience at the main office, the postmaster says.

Inconvenience is also being encountered by poor wrapping and tying and some parcels are being refused for mailing. Be careful when preparing your parcels for mailing, is timely advice.

### AUSTIN TO CELEBRATE

AUSTIN, Dec. 15—This city will be a fantastic panorama of multicolored lights during the Christmas holidays.

The giant capitol, its great dome always lighted, will be almost covered with electric bulbs of many shades and in the big arch a Christmas tree will be suspended.

Buildings of the Texas university campus likewise will be similarly wired and business houses plan to fall into the general scheme.

### Cal's Havana White House



It will be in the presidential palace at Havana that President and Mrs. Coolidge will stay during their Cuban sojourn in January. President Machado will be their host.

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|          |               |                |
|----------|---------------|----------------|
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### MOM'N POP

Getting Generous

By TAYLOR

AND FURTHERMORE, BILL, YOU'VE GOT TO CUT OUT YOUR MONKEY SHINES AROUND THE HOUSE OR YOU'LL GET THE BUM'S RUSH—YOU'RE GETTING ON MOM'S NERVE AND SHE WON'T PUT UP WITH IT ANY LONGER



WELL, THAT'S NEWS, SAID TH' REPORTER

HUH! SO I'M THROWIN' TIN CANS AT MRS. GUNN'S GOAT, EH? NOW BILL, O' HOSS, THAT WON'T DO—IF YOU'RE GONNA FISH TH' FAMILY YOU'LL HAVE TO START WITH A GOOD LINE AN' A HOOKFUL OF BAIT



CANDY FOR ME? WHY BILL!



PARDON MY WAY OF PUTTING IT, BUT SWEETS FOR TH' SWEET, MRS. GUNN

NOW THEN, MOM, I'LL JUST SHOO YOU OFF IN THE LIVING ROOM—BILL GERRICK'S GONNA SWAB OFF TH' DISHES SO YOU CAN SPEND TH' EVENING WITH YOUR HUBBY



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### Editorials

#### PROSPECT FOR BASKETBALL

We have back with us this year seven letter men who helped to make the team last year. We also have several letter men from other towns who will help to make this season a successful one.

Because we do not have an indoor gymnasium, we will not be able to practice every evening. Last year we could practice only a few days before the season started, while this year we will practice several weeks before the final contest begins. We want everyone to come out and back the basketball team of Central High!

Archie Walstad (a Junior.)

#### WHO SHOULD HANDLE THE POCKETBOOK?

This is a subject much discussed in homes, in divorce courts, in clubs, and among individuals everywhere. It is not a thing that you can dispose of with a set rule, which you expect to be followed unwaveringly. Marriages, like any other business, should be kept on a fifty-fifty basis. After all, marriage is a business—the business of two people trying to preserve the ideals of a home-loving civilization. In handling money, different plans should be tried, the one proving the happiest and most effective decided upon and established. The methods will, of course, vary with individuals. One family may feel that the man is the more competent, while another will think that the woman makes the most of the income. Some might find it more convenient to divide the money in half and each dispose of it as he sees fit. The goal is to make life more enjoyable by the discreet use of what money one has and if either the man or the woman, or both, reach this goal, the handling of the pocketbook should be theirs.—Martha Bradford, (A Senior.)

#### Honor Roll

The following students of the Central High School have made at least four "A's" on literary courses:

Seniors—Susie Bell Smalling, Lucille Mooney, Martha Bradford.  
 Juniors—Virginia Faulkner, Lew Fogleman, Cora Boney.  
 Sophomores—Vivian Vicars.  
 Freshmen—Lorena Qualls, Francis Campbell, Sam Keith, Howard Ranke, Cinda Spurlock, Mary McKamey, Wilma Washman, Yvonne Thomas, Lawrence Fogleman, Lorena Copeland.  
 Special—Nellie Hardin.

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## Mirabeau B. Lamar

by Marion Bromley and Beryl Botkin

The pupils of the Lamar School who entered the recent Lamar contest have been very anxious to know the results of the Daily News contest. The announcement of the winners was made Monday morning. The essay written by Marion Bromley and Beryl Botkin won first prize, which was \$1.50. The second prize was \$1 and it was won by Bessie Stein. All contestants were seventh grade pupils. Each of them wrote good papers, and they are very glad they entered the contest whether or not they won a prize. Other than the winners the contestant were Elizabeth Barrett, Emily Harbison and Barbara Camp.

**The essay:**

**Mirabeau B. Lamar**

The red brick school, or the Lamar school of Pampa, is named for one of Texas' most noted men, Mirabeau B. Lamar. He has done more for Texas and perhaps as much as any man in the United States for public education. I do not think our school could have been more wisely named.

Lamar was born in Louisville, Georgia, August 16, 1798. His ancestors were French Huguenots. He was named in honor of Mirabeau and Napoleon Bonaparte, indicating the strong nationalistic feeling of his parents. Lamar lived on a farm in the state of Georgia. Most of his boyhood days were spent on this farm. He attended school very little. At an early age he became a merchant and planter. He was later editor of a newspaper of pronounced free-trade and states rights views. He entered in politics but with no success. He decided to visit Texas, so in 1835, after the Revolution of Texas independence had begun, he came here with the intention of making his home. He returned home and arranged his affairs so he could make his home in Texas. While he was still in Georgia, news came that Santa had invaded Texas. He hurried his arrangements and arrived at Velasco in March, 1836. He reached here before Houston's army moved from camp on the Brazos river. He did not have any way to get there except on foot, so he started out. After many hardships he reached Houston's camp, just as the soldiers were going to retreat to Harrisburg. On the day before the battle of San Jacinto he showed such gallantry in action that he was promoted to command the cavalry. He showed much bravery in the battle of San Jacinto.

When Rusk retired from the cabinet of the provisional government to succeed, Houston as commander-in-chief, Lamar was made Burnett's secretary of war. Later he was appointed commander-in-chief against Rusk, but because the soldiers did not want him as their commander he withdrew. Texas was then trying to annex to the United States. Lamar was not in favor of this, but in spite of his opposition he was elected Vice-president of the Republic of Texas. This was in 1836. He was also present at San Jacinto.

(See LAMAR SCHOOL, PG 8)

## Pig Club Boys Are Happy Over Rotary Plans

Boys who belong to the pig club applauded the announcement that they were soon to have the pigs that the local Rotary Club is purchasing for them.

The committee appointed to locate and select the pigs has worked diligently and faithfully in their efforts to locate the exact quality of pigs that were desired. They have made several trips and written many letters in their efforts to find the high quality of animals that is desired to be the foundation of the future swine herds in and around Pampa. The pigs finally selected for the boys are pure-bred Poland-Chinas that registered in the name of the boy receiving them.

The boys agree to take and care for the pigs until the breeding age. The Rotary club then takes charge of the breeding of gilts, selecting the male, and paying all expenses of breeding. The boys then take charge of the bred gilts, agreeing to feed and care for them through the gestation period, farrowing period, and until the pigs are of weaning age.

The boys agree to return to the Rotary club a sow pig from each litter. The Rotary club intends to place these pigs with other boys under the same terms and conditions. The plan of the club, when fully carried out, will result in the placing of pure-bred hogs in and throughout the whole of Pampa trading territory, the good of which can scarcely be estimated.

The placing of these pure-bred animals in and throughout this territory is a step in the right direction. Pampa certainly needs more and better hogs, more and better dairy cattle, more and better poultry. When all this is accomplished, Pampa will be placed on the highway to a wonderful success.

The boys receiving these pigs are very enthusiastic over developing their pigs for the Pampa Fair in October, 1928. They lay down the challenge to ye old hog breeders and raisers to enter the fray, and they expect to carry off the lion's share of the prizes offered in this class of livestock to be exhibited next fall. "So note it be."

### Lamar School Notes

**First Grade**  
 Last Friday afternoon the first grade in Mrs. Lester's room enjoyed a beautiful birthday party given by Mrs. W. A. Crawford in honor of her daughter, Mary Belle's, eighth birthday. The room was very pretty with the Christmas decorations, and when the eight tiny candles on the lovely birthday cake were lighted, the children clapped their hands in delight.

The party was a surprise to the pupils, yet Mary Belle received several nice gifts from her classmates.

Each one present spent very enjoyable a half-hour eating the birthday cake. After which the children went home with their hands full of delicious Christmas candies and wishing Mary Belle many happy returns of the day.

Yesterday morning the little folk in Mrs. Lester's room enjoyed a beautiful word picture of the sacred cities of Jerusalem and Bethlehem at the time of the birth of Christ, given by the Rev. James Todd, Jr.

A very pleasing part of this program was the reciting of the twenty-third Psalm, the Children's Prayer, and the singing of "Jesus Loves Me" rendering the chorus in the Chinese language.

The three first grades wish to take this means of thanking Mr. and Mrs. Hunkapillar for the Christmas decorations which they have so kindly donated.

The boys in the morning section and the girls in the afternoon section of Miss Chapman's room are proud of their 100 per cent attend-

## Supt. Campbell Shows That Pampa School District Ranks Seventh in State in Assessed Wealth Per Pupil

To the Spotlight Editor:

We thought that it might be good reading for your patrons to know that the ranking of the Pampa schools will soon be high. At this writing we are in the front ranks of the affiliated schools and have been granted All-Southern affiliation by a 100 per cent vote and with highest praise by those who read our application, and investigated our students who have attended schools last year and this and have made good. This, of course, we appreciate, but it is not the purpose of this article to air this fact out to the public.

It is our purpose to tell the good patrons where we will soon be financially and the future possibilities of this fast growing system. For instance, of all of the high schools and academies in the state, we rank seventh in the amount of assessed wealth behind each pupil. Our rating is due to the size of the district,

| School               | Wealth behind each scholastic |
|----------------------|-------------------------------|
| Matagorda            | \$18,665                      |
| White Deer           | \$13,587                      |
| Port Arthur          | \$10,963                      |
| Edinburg             | \$10,165                      |
| Hiland Park (Dallas) | \$10,064                      |
| South Park (Houston) | \$ 9,854                      |
| Pampa                | \$ 9,803                      |
| Littlefield          | \$ 9,453                      |
| Hull                 | \$ 9,434                      |
| Prairie Lee          | \$ 9,004                      |
| Texhoma              | \$ 8,702                      |
| Groom                | \$ 8,460                      |
| Alamo Heights        | \$ 8,335                      |
| Margaret             | \$ 8,239                      |
| Tulia                | \$ 7,313                      |
| Amarillo             | \$ 7,311                      |

to oil, and to wheat, principally. I give below the rating of the first sixteen schools.

Our assessed values should rise to \$20,000 per student within two years. However, \$10,000 per pupil, where the totals are \$12,000,000, is sufficient to justify a Junior college. For instance, Edinburg is expending \$3,000,000 on school plants and is establishing a Junior college. Mr. reader, this is only a suggestion.

Signed: R. C. Campbell.

Dr. J. A. Udden of the geological department of the University of Texas, makes the statement that there is enough potash underlying the U. of T. school lands to supply the demands of the United States for 250 years and to make the University of Texas the richest school in the world. He says, however, that its oil interests should make it that.

| Square miles in district | (sulphur, oil and figs)     |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 32                       | (farming and oil)           |
| 176                      | (oil, port, truck)          |
| 40                       | (truck farming, size)       |
| 242                      | (concentrated wealth)       |
| 16                       | (concentrated wealth)       |
| 16                       | (oil, wheat, etc.)          |
| 186                      | (farming and size district) |
| 221                      | (oil and figs)              |
| 84                       | (rich farming)              |
| 50                       | (oil and farming)           |
| 112                      | (farming dist.)             |
| 75                       | (concentrated values)       |
| 16                       | (few pupils)                |
| 54                       | (stock farm-g, size)        |
| 81                       | (concentrated values)       |
| 73                       |                             |

### Baker School Notes

Mrs. Cullman, teacher of English in the Baker school, received news of the sudden death of her father last Wednesday evening. Mrs. Cullman left immediately for her home in Wadsworth, Okla. She returned Monday but was unable to work until Tuesday.

Mrs. Stout, teacher of geography in the Baker school, has been absent this week on account of illness. We shall welcome her return tomorrow.

We are glad that Mervin Johnson is improving and will be back in school when the quarantine is removed from the Johnson home.

The following students have been absent this week because of illness: Lucy Ward, Talley Ash, Howard Jones, and Pauline Colgrave.

Supt and Mrs. R. C. Campbell, Miss Gray, and Joe Smith were visitors of the Baker school this week.

Ed Herlacher, business manager for the annual, made announcements regarding "The Boomerang" and the annual last Tuesday.

Several of the Baker teachers have bought their tickets to the "The Boomerang."

Pearl Wilson has been absent from school on account of serious illness. The students of Central high miss her smile, and all hope she shall be able to be in school again soon.

ance record for the past week.

**Fourth Grade**  
 The children in Mrs. Daniel's room have been studying citizenship, so they ended the week by holding court the last period Friday.

The children looked funny in "grown up" clothes, and the lawyers rendered their memorized speeches with him and earnestness. The prisoners were a sad sight especially Otto Rice, who was supposed to have been in a car accident. Billy Bratton, as judge, was very serious and was kept busy trying to keep order in the court room.

Mr. Campbell, the school nurse, and Mrs. Daniel enjoyed the scene quite as much as the students.

See "The Boomerang!" high school auditorium, Dec. 21.

### Wit and Humor

Vernon Culverhouse, Editor.  
 Mr. L: How's your boy getting along in high school?  
 He's half-back on the football team and all the way back in his studies.

Sam Keith is so dumb that:  
 He thinks a traffic is good to eat. He thinks an aspirin tablet is something to write on.  
 He thinks Peter Pan was a wash basin.  
 He thinks that plumbers lay plums.

Mr. Goodhart: I am collecting for the church rummage sale. What do you do with your old clothes?  
 Mr. Hardup: Oh, I hang them up carefully at night and put them on again in the morning.

Mr. Lester: What kind of hen lays the longest?  
 Harley K: A dead one.  
 Miss Carter: What does "divinity" mean?  
 Homer K: That's the kind of candy my mother makes.

**P. H. S. LIBRARY.**  
 "THE SHEIK," Tommy Robinson.  
 "LITTLE MEN," Mr. Lester and Mr. Campbell.  
 "FRECKLES," Hugh Breeding.  
 "COSMOPOLITAN," Miss Reed.  
 "THE SMART SET," Cleora, Elizabeth and Maxine.  
 "TO HAVE AND TO HOLD," Bob Kahl.  
 "KNIGHTS OF THE ROUND TABLE," Russell and Archie Lee.  
 "SO BIG," Ed Herlacher.  
 "THE FLAPPER WIFE," Mrs. Campbell.  
 "THE TRUE STORY," Mr. Dial.  
 "TRUE ROMANCES," Mr. Taylor.

Mr. Dial, in Chemistry: If this chemical explodes, we'll all be blown through the roof. Now come close so that you can follow me.

Sing a song of sadness,  
 Sing a song of cheer;  
 Football is over,  
 Basketball is here.

Mr. Taylor: Who was the smallest man in history?  
 Archie: The Roman soldier who went to sleep on his watch.  
 "The Boomerang" for those in doubt—high school Auditorium, Dec. 21.

## Complex Plot In "The Boomerang" to Interest Audience

The Players' club will present "The Boomerang" for the benefit of the Harvester, school annual, at the High school auditorium, December 21 at the popular prices 25c and 50c, with reserved seats 10c extra.

"The Boomerang" suggests the love affair of a young doctor. The doctor, Dr. Gerald Summer, shows everyone how to make love, and like a boomerang the love tests comes back to him. How will he receive it? Be sure and see the complication solved and do your "bit" for the annual.

## Rev. Evans Speaks in Chapel Wednesday on Life Worthwhile

Rev. W. L. Evans delivered a much appreciated address in chapel Wednesday on "A Life Worthwhile." He said the character of Joseph as one who lived a model life. He stressed the fact that we must have obedience, love, and reverence in the home in order to live a life worthwhile. Honesty, faith, and good habits bring the higher elements of life.

It is imperative that boys and girls form the right kind of habits. Bad habits are the downfall of one's character. Form good habits and high ideals. Even though you are sneered at, keep your head up and go right through. Large institutions are longing for young men and young women who are honest and are trustworthy.

No boy or girl who is mentally and physically lazy can get anywhere in the path of life. God can make a life worthwhile out of any life when He has help. Rev. Evans pointed out the fact that the biggest thing in Joseph's life was his faith in God.

## Football Boys and Faculty Are Given Banquet by League

The football boys and the entire faculty were the guests of the Epworth Leaguers and a few of the members of the Methodist church at a banquet Tuesday evening.

The church was decorated in the school colors, green and gold. The tables were arranged to form the letter U. A football placed on a green and gold pedestal on the center table, added to the true spirit of the evening.

Rev. Tom W. Brabham, who served as toastmaster, furnished much good laughter throughout the evening. After a delicious dinner was served, the guests were entertained with a delightful program. Those taking part on the program were: Mrs. McSkimming, Supt. R. C. Campbell, Mrs. T. F. Morton, Reverend Joe Strother, Coach Dickey, Oscar Dial, Ed Herlacher, and Bob Kahl.

### LAMAR SCHOOL GIRLS AGAIN DEFEAT CENTRAL

The Central high and Lamar school girls' basketball game last Friday, December 9, gave the victory again to the Lamar girls. The score was 9 to 12.

The strong wind that was blowing interfered a great deal, especially when long distance shots were attempted.

Mr. Allen referred the first half, Berlin Black the third quarter, and Miss Carter the fourth quarter. The Lamar girls did some good playing and showed excellent coaching. The Central high school girls played well, but no team has been selected. Aris Hiskell met with misfortune the second quarter but was not seriously hurt. Both teams are looking forward to the game tomorrow.

**MORE NEWS TOMORROW**  
 Not all of the Spotlight material could be used in this issue, and there will be a special column in tomorrow's issue of the Pampa Daily News.

**MY THOUGHTS.**  
 When the beautiful stars peep out,  
 And you look far, up, and away,  
 How sweet to be able to whisper to God,  
 "I've made someone happy today."  
 —Owen Wright (Seventh grade)

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He studied in cold appraisal. He tried to reason with himself. "You fool," he snarled at his mirrored face. "what's come over you? What difference does it make if Rita doesn't come back? What difference does Rita make anyway."

"Didn't your daddy always tell you the biggest fool in the world was a man that cared for a woman?"

It came over him then in a swift rush—the thing he had dared not admit to himself—the realization that this hopelessness that had descended upon him could mean but one thing; he was in love with Rita Moore. It was not, then, that he merely was lonely, that he missed her sprightly but tyrannical companionship; he—absurd, impossible thought!—cared for her.

"What a fool. . . . Savagely, bitterly, he cursed his reflection, then permitted himself to linger deliciously over the thought; but in the end he groaned and rolled over on his back and lay with his face upturned to the burning sky while he reflected on the hopelessness of his position and the gulf that was widening every day between himself and the daughter of Titus Moore.

He, Tony Harrison, he told himself, was a hired hand; and orphan to boot, the son of a professional gambler who had been murdered while plying his trade. He was wilfully cruel to himself:—"You're just a nobody, and Rita—amounts to something back in Virginia; they've got money, position, everything."

Even now, he was thinking. Rita would be mingling with the kind of families she would inevitably marry into. There would be a few years at the fashionable school, then a few years of play—travel, perhaps—and then her engagement would be announced. It was all very hopeless. . . . "Besides," and he rolled over

once more to stare at his reflection in the creek, "you'll forget all about it in a little while. Joe Craig would laugh at you and call it puppy love. And that's all it is, I guess. Daddy was right."

But it was one thing to revile himself and prophesy a change of heart, and quite another when he tried to extract some comfort out of it. It might be that he was too young to know when he really was in love; it might be that a childish thing and to be easily forgotten; still, it all felt very real to him.

His memory carried him back to the time that he had been helpless for weeks with a broken leg and Rita her customary arrogance banished by touching contriteness, had sat beside him and sung songs to him while she had strummed on her guitar. It had been then, he now told himself, that he had overcome that dislike for her that he instinctively had felt at first sign of her and which had been fed by her imperiousness and her occasional cruelties. He remembered, too how he had lied to save her from censure when her father had asked about his ac-

cident, and he wondered if she remembered.

For hours he lay on the bank beside Cottonwood Creek, the victim of torturing thoughts. When he arose to go the sun was low in the west and he tried to think of an explanation that would satisfy Joe Craig.

(To Be Continued)

In the next chapter Pawnee Bill writes of his adventures with Buffalo Bill.

PISTON RING MAKERS MAY COME TO CITY

L. M. Manly and V. E. Barnes, representatives of the Brawman Piston Ring Manufacturing company of Dallas, were here Tuesday consulting with F. P. Reid and the Chamber of Commerce with the idea of locating a factory in Pampa.

They came to Pampa following a telephone conversation with Mr. Reid.

The two men will return today to meet with the Chamber of Commerce directors.

## Flyer at 13



Cozette Parker, 13-year-old Anderson, Ind., girl, recently flew alone in a plane from her home city to Kankakee, Ill., a distance of 138 miles by air. Cozette's father, mother and brother are registered pilots, and the girl is believed the youngest pilot in the United States.

## Texas Bond Issues Show Prosperity

AUSTIN, Dec. 15—Texas is enjoying an era of steadily increasing prosperity and development, if the remarkable jump in bond values is a good criterion.

The November total of \$13,450,000 is the highest in the history of the state, Comptroller S. H. Terrell's figures show, while the \$72,824,935.45 total for the fiscal year ending last August, 31, represents an increase of more than \$78,000.00 over the previous year.

Twenty years ago, the fiscal

year's bond issue total for the state was only \$2,245,454. The totals have grown steadily from year to year.

Road districts and school bonds, approved by the attorney general's department and registered by the comptroller, account for much of the totals. Other issues range from municipal water works bonds to fresh water supply districts bonds.

One of the largest issues of recent date was for \$3,900,000 by a Hidalgo county road district, approved by Assistant Attorney General E. L. Whitehurst after cutting it from the proposed \$4,000,000 to conform to property valuation limitations.

MRS. O. N. FRAZIER  
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Sophie Tucker,  
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 Thursday Night, Dec. 15  
**\$5 CASH PRIZE**  
 To Lucky Gentlemen  
**DANCELAND**



**CHRISTMAS JOY**  
 A Word to the  
**"WIVES"**  
 AND OTHER "WISE"  
**LITTLE LADIES**  
 There are any number of you who are almost in despair wondering what to give "Him" for Christmas.  
 We admit it is almost impossible to worm out a man even an inkling as to what he does want—except "Nothing but you—my dear." That's fine—but it doesn't help your Christmas shopping. That's where we step into the picture.  
 All men are "choosy" hard to buy for—but this is a man's store, catering to their whims and fancies all year 'round. To please them now at Christmas time—that's easy.  
 Nothing can compare with gifts to wear.  
**HAYTER BROS.**  
 Smart Wear for Men

**"I Sleep Better"**  
 Says Illinois Man: Bladder acted at Night in One of Nature's Sufferers  
 C. E. Holman, Unity, Ill., says in his own home paper, the *Carlo Bulletin*, "Lithiated Buchu relieved me of a bad case of bladder irritation. I sleep nights and am better in day time. It has also helped my wife. I will sell or write my experience to anyone."  
 Lithiated Buchu acts on the bladder as epson salts do on the bowels, drives out abnormal deposits and neutralizes excessive acids, thereby relieving irritation, which causes "getting up nights." The tablets cost 2 cents each at leading drug stores. Keller Laboratory, Mechanicsburg, Ohio. Locally at Fatherson Drug Co.

**Latest Song Hit**  
 By Prof. Schick  
**Is Enroute Here**  
 "Morning Glories Bloom for You" the latest song composed by Professor Otto Schick, leader of the Pampa high school orchestra and music teacher, will arrive tomorrow, Professor Schick says.  
 Music lovers throughout this section of the country have been impatiently awaiting the arrival of this song hit, which has so captivated music lovers since it was introduced over radio by R. B. Fisher and Miss Eva Munster Banks, noted soprano of Dallas.  
 The music will be on sale here as soon as it arrives.

**Settlement on Banking Dispute Postponed Today**  
 (By the Associated Press.)  
 DALLAS, Dec. 15.—Attempts at a compromise have failed temporarily at a meeting of the bankers representing 200 members of the Federal Reserve system of the eleventh district who were seeking to oust Lynn Talley as governor.  
 The members were returning to their homes today after the board of directors had declared a recess until January 6 in a hearing of the protesting bankers.  
 J. P. Williams of Mineral Wells, leader of the protesting group, refused to comment on the board's action.

**Child Welfare Is Lions Club Topic**  
 Discussions of child welfare by Lion Ivey Duncan and of the law as profession by F. A. Cary featured the Lions club luncheon today.  
 Mr. Duncan also called attention to the Lions club toy drive which will be held Monday. Local people who have old toys which they will donate are asked to call Lion Duncan or Clark so that a truck may be sent for them. Local drug stores are contributing many toys which have been damaged in shipping, but which the Lions club repair man will fix.  
 Entertainment today included piano solos by Mrs. O. K. Baker and a clever Christmas reading by Miss Catherine Vincent.  
 Visitors included Marion Howard, M. D. Oden, LaVerne Lavender, and Henry Pohl.

**Defense Tries to Break Testimony in Rogers Case**  
 (By Associated Press)  
 LA GRANGE, Dec. 15.—Efforts of the defense to break down the testimony of Dr. Joe Wooten that Mrs. Rebecca Bradley Rogers is sane occupied this morning's session at the Mrs. Rogers trial, being tried on a charge of robbing the bank at Buda.  
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**OUT OUR WAY —By Williams**



**Houston Man Is Tarred-Feathered**  
 (By Associated Press)  
 HOUSTON, Dec. 15.—Police today were pushing the investigation into the attack last night on W. H. Patton, a steel worker, who was found in a shed at his home with a coating of lubricating oil and feathers on his body.  
 He gave officers the name of several persons suspected of attacking him.

**Lamar School—**  
 siding officer of the senate. He served until 1838 as vice-president. That year he was elected president over Houston. During his term as president his health was very bad.  
 Lamar was very bitter toward the Indians, as he had some bad dealings with them in Georgia. When he became president, he said, "The only way he can ever make peace with the Indians is for them to move out of Texas." He established military posts on the frontier to protect the people and help drive out the Indians. He also strengthened the army and navy and caused more extensive organization of the militia.  
 Lamar was against annexation of Texas to the United States. He looked forward to the day when Texas would be a great empire nation. He conceived himself in the role of an empire-builder and as laying the foundation of a new nation which would one day rival the United States in area with population and wealth. If

this had come true, the people of Texas would have honored Lamar as the greatest man in their history. All during Lamar's administration there were wars with the Indians but he never succeeded in removing any of the Indian tribes from Texas. During his administration, Lamar spent more than two and one-half million dollars. Another thing that Lamar did was to establish the town of Austin and move the seat of the government there.  
 One of Lamar's most brilliant dreams of the future was to see public schools established all over America. He urged upon Congress the importance of education as an adjunct of free government. He said that education was needed for good government and the happiness of the people. Congress thought so much about what Lamar had said that they passed a law January 26, 1839 having three leagues of land set aside in each county for the support of public schools. Next year this was increased to four leagues of land and at the same time provisions were made fixing an educational standard for teachers. This last provided that all teachers obtain certificates and have the ability to teach reading, writing, and arithmetic, English

grammar and geography.  
 After Lamar had served his term as president he returned to his farm at Velasco, but when the Mexican war broke out in 1846, he joined it and served with bravery. Because he was such an ambitious man President Buchanan appointed him as United States Minister to the Argentine Republic in 1857. In 1858 to Costa Rica and Nicaragua. But the following year he resigned this office and returned to his home in Velasco, where he died in 1859.  
 Lamar is honored today as being one of Texas' most ambitious and beloved men. He helped start a free public school system not only in Texas but through the United States. Many schools and buildings throughout the state have been named in honor of him because of the great things he did for public education. We are glad that we have the honor of attending school in a building named for so great a man.

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**MEXICAN'S LUCK BAD**  
**ENROUTE TO AMARILLO**  
 AUSTIN, Dec. 15.—Tompos Valdez, from an interior town in Mexico, had bad luck twice when he came to Texas.  
 En route to Amarillo, he fell from a bus on the Austin-San Antonio road, fractured his ribs and came out with a bruised head to find his wife lost a bill for and \$40 in the general excitement incident to the accident.

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 FOR RENT—Nicely furnished, best big case inquire Pullman Hotel. 40-3p

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 FOR RENT—Three-room house close in. One block east of Pampa. Phone 39-3p

**FOR RENT**  
 FOR RENT—Bedroom, next to bath. Third house north of Pampa Laundry. 39-3p

**FOR RENT**  
 FOR RENT—One-room unfurnished cottage, 149 East Houston Street, across street from Coca-Cola Bottling works. 39-3p

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 FOR RENT—Modern furnished apartment over Coca-Cola Bottling Co. Phone 37c

**FOR RENT**  
 FOR RENT—Two-room cottages with garage. Cross railroad at Schneider Hotel, 103 to first street west go south to end of highway. Phone 39-3p

**FOR RENT**  
 FOR RENT—Furnished home, nicely furnished. Call phone 39-3p

**FOR SALE**  
 FOR SALE—Small house cheap can be moved, inquire at Pullman Hotel. 40-3p

**FOR SALE**  
 FOR SALE—Home made milk, large size, inquire at Pullman Hotel. 40-3p

**FOR SALE**  
 FOR SALE—Twenty pigs also two blooded male Duroc Jersey hogs, saddle, shotgun, R. R. Mitchell, 2 miles east on Highway 33. 39-3p

**FOR SALE**  
 FOR SALE—Houses; bargains for cash. Also used cars, parts, etc. Call me a few good salesmen. C. Coker, 1 block east of Pampa. 40-3p

**FOR SALE**  
 FOR SALE—Seats at the Rex to see "CHANG" Sunday and Monday. 39-3p

**FOR SALE**  
 FOR SALE—Good Dresser, Apply Grace St. Grocery, 606 North Grace Street. 39-3p

**FOR SALE**  
 FOR SALE—One Jersey cow, four years old; fifty white Lehigh pigs, Bargain. South of tracks, Mrs. J. E. Schmitt. 39-3p

**FOR SALE**  
 FOR SALE—Jersey Cow, 3-year-old, fresh in 3 or 4 weeks, Jim Dugan, Route 4, Seven miles on LeFors Road. 37-3c

**FOR SALE**  
 FOR SALE—Thirty head Holstein and Jersey. Heavy milkers. Roy T. Slagle, Five miles west Pampa on north Amarillo road. 38-3p

**IF YOU WANT TO** drill a well in Gray county I have a good big block of acreage that is good. James J. Culey, P. O. Box 216, Pampa, Texas. 37-6p

**FOR SALE**  
 FOR SALE—Two good bluegrasses, Raminston and L. C. Smith, Also coat, boots, Texas Hotel, call Clarke. 38-3p

**FOR SALE**  
 FOR SALE—Dressed hogs two miles east on Highway 33. No checks accepted. 39-1p

**FOR SALE**  
 FOR SALE—Young bull, B Levett, Pampa, Texas, breeder of Shorthorn cattle. 39-3p

**FOR TRADE**  
 FOR TRADE—Five-room modern home in Amarillo for residence in Pampa. D. C. Houk, phone 39. 40-6p

**LOST AND FOUND**

**IT WON'T BE LONG NOW**—She's a "Sheik" at the Wednesday, Dec. 21. 39-3p

**LOST**—Black satin suit, new material, cut out and basted, colored trimming on neck. Reward for return to Pampa News. 40-1c

**LOST**—Light Jersey cow, Reward for information or return, rope on neck. Return to first house west of Pampa Laundry. 39-6p

**LOST**—GRAY and Black pigs, puppy Monday morning in Pampa, \$5 reward for return to Mrs. Slagle, Grocery Store. 38-3c

**FIRE DEPARTMENT TELEPHONE NO. 60**

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