

Panhandle Cities May Be Bothered Quite a Bit by the Dust, But It Is a Too Little Appreciated Fact That They Will Not Soon Be Fighting Smoke

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## BANDITS GET \$17,800.00 IN DIAMONDS

### Third Party Move Among Democrats Hinted by Reed Faction

# DAN MOODY ATTACKS SMITH CANDIDACY

#### DRY CANDIDATE AND DRY PLANK ARE ADVOCATED

Believes Texas Will Not Decide Convention for New Yorker

#### SCORES COOLIDGE FARM POLICIES

Says Cotton Forecasts Cost Texas Over \$500,000,000

HOUSTON, May 3.—(AP)—Governor Dan Moody attacked the presidential candidacy of Governor Al Smith and called on the Democracy of Texas to fight for a dry plank, a dry candidate, and an unimpaired deleterious in sympathy with those who in a speech before more than 3,000 persons at the city auditorium last Wednesday night.

"So far as Governor Smith is concerned," he said, "I am not a supporter. I am just not for him for anything. I am for somebody who can measure up to the situation."

**Attacks Administration**  
After attacking Republican corruption, charging that Republican cotton forecasts cost Texas farmers \$500,000,000 and declaring that the Republican administration holds "you and me and the other people of this section of the country in practical bondage," the governor said:

"Thousands belong to the Democratic party who are opposed to prohibition."

There was a sharp burst of applause but the governor didn't heed it.

"But in my opinion the great majority are for enforcement of the 18th amendment, which is to me the greatest moral and economic development in our country since the civil war."

**Consistency Urged**  
"It is inconsistent to offer one kind of a platform and another kind of a candidate. It gives our party the appearance of being simply a party of place hunters."

"Now some people seem to think Al Smith can't be nominated any way." He was interrupted by a great wave of applause which broke out from every part of the crowd. Men cheered and waved their hats.

"California, here I come," sang one exuberant spectator.  
Governor Moody flushed.  
"All right," he shouted, "Al Smith may be nominated and he may be elected. If he is the State of Texas will not be responsible for his nomination and election in my opinion."

#### Rotarians Told of Scout Plans

Rotarians Wednesday heard Scout plans for the new council discussed by E. D. McIver, recently employed executive. Rotarians assure him of their co-operation in the work.

Short talks were made by Frank Keim, Scott Barcus, Neil McCallough and Joe Smith, who spoke on phases of the recent Lubbock convention. Lynn Boyd was in charge of the program.

J. E. Murtee and C. P. Beckler were added to the program committee to work with DeLoza Vicars and Joe M. Smith during the absence of M. K. Brown, chairman. New members whose names will stand before the club for ten days are D. J. A. Odum, F. W. Gwin, and D. W. Osborne.

Visiting Rotarians present were E. C. Enoch and Emil Myers of Amarillo and C. H. McClellan of Wichita Falls, and J. A. Odum, formerly of Memphis, Texas. Other visitors included W. C. Upton, H. W. Park, George W. Briggs and H. K. Roffenberger, the latter of Oklahoma City.

#### THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Tonight, cloudy, showers and cooler in north portion; Friday partly cloudy.

#### Sues for Million



Mrs. Dona Vandever, 55, of Electric Texas, widowed and the mother of five, is suing J. A. Whitteberg, 72, grower and owner of valuable lands, for \$1,000,000, claiming she broke his promise to marry her.

#### SENIOR CLASS IS LARGE ONE

Forty-Three Students on Graduation List of '28 Group

The Spotlight section of the Daily News today is featuring the Senior class of Central high school. With graduation activities almost here, the Seniors are feeling that annual combination of importance and regret.

Members of the graduating class of '28 include the list below, some of whom, however, will not finish until at the end of the summer term being planned by Prof. Platter.

The class roll:  
De Vere Abernold, Harvey Anderson, Cecilia Atterberry, Angela Ballew, Euna Ballard, Martha Bradford, Gladys Carter, Thomas Clayton, Bruce Cobb, Floyd Coffin, Elizabeth Cravey, Mildred Fahy, Vivian Frasher, Kathryn Harrison, Sammie Henton, Edward Herlicher, Ralph Hickman, Lulla Hutchins, Marjorie Jewell, Opal Johns, Lillian Keahy, Velma Kennedy, Halbert Knapp, John Elster, Henry Loche, Mary Maness, Maricor McClure, Lillie McMillan, Lucille Mooney, Hugh Moore, Ruth W. Noel, Herman Patrick, Maude Pratt, Thelma Qualls, William Robinson, Lottie Mae Schaefer, Smith Moss, Troy Stalls, Cleora Stannard, Susie Bell Smalling, Helet Sullins, Doyle Ward, Edna Barcus.

#### GIRL DECLINES HONORS OF PHI BETA KAPPA

Michael Arlen and Bride Declare They Have Quit "Society"

MADISON, Wis., May 3.—(AP)—Miss Olga Rubnow of Philadelphia has refused election to Phi Beta Kappa, national honorary scholastic society, because she believes high grades are not "a genuine criterion of true scholarship and intellectual achievement."

In a letter declining the honor, Miss Rubnow said she was opposed to the bestowal of formal honors on the basis of high grades. "The distinction," she added, "is often conferred upon the unworthy as well as the worthy. A large part of the worthy who do not happen to excel in grades are excluded."

E. A. Haines of Alva, Ok., is here visiting friends and transacting business.

#### DANIELS WILL NOT COOPERATE AS CANDIDATE

Vice-Presidency Goes Begging in Early Search

#### ANOTHER SPLIT WOULD RESULT

Republican Corruption Is Cited in Contrast to Smith

WASHINGTON, May 3.—(AP)—Disapproval of the proposal of Wilbur Leggett of California, for a third party in the event Governor Smith of New York is nominated for president by the Democrats was expressed today by Senator Reed of Missouri, suggested as a possible third party.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—(AP)—A third party movement among democrats unfriendly to Governor Alfred E. Smith had poked its head into the political spotlight today following the New York executive's decisive victory in the California presidential primaries.

What success the effort will achieve remains to be seen. Its first attempt to find candidates has failed. Joseph Daniels, secretary of the Navy under President Wilson, put his foot down hard on a move made by Wilbur Leggett, California manager for Senator Reed of Missouri, to have the former cabinet officer run for vice-president on a third party ticket headed by Reed or Senator Borah, Republican, Idaho, if Smith is nominated and either Reed or Borah agree to make the race.

**Daniels For Nominee**  
Neither Reed nor Borah have been heard from. It was not stated in the Los Angeles dispatches carrying the Leggett appeal to Daniels whether either Senator had been consulted.

Daniels, however, at his Raleigh, N. C. home, refused flatly to accept a third party nomination, declared he would support the nominees at Houston, and saw little chance to "wrest the government from the hands of privilege and corruption" unless the Democratic party won at the polls.

Leggett directed the Reed campaign in California which culminated in the Missouri crushing defeat, along with Senator Walsh of Montana, at the hands of Smith, now leading by far in the race for the Democratic presidential nomination.

"Majority vote in Southern California against Smith," said his telegram to Daniels, "shows that the best element of Democratic party is not for Smith. If Smith nominated at Houston, will you consent to run on third party ticket for vice-president headed by Senator James A. Reed or Borah?"

(SEE DANIELS WILL, PG. 8)

#### Stop Lights For Church Speakers



By NEA Service  
KANSAS CITY, May 3.—Green and red lights regulate the addresses given here at the quadrennial world conference of the Methodist Episcopal church.

#### BIG ATTENDANCE IS EXPECTED AT C. OF C. BANQUET MEETING

SHRINE EVENT TOMORROW  
The Shrine club will hold a supper and dance at the Ple-Mor auditorium tomorrow night. The dance will commence at 9 o'clock with the supper at 11. Dancing will continue until 1 o'clock.

Music will be furnished by Slep, Illinoisans. Special favors will be given to all the ladies present.

#### Hope That Bible Gives Inspires Premier Baldwin to Keep at Work

British Statesman Asserts He Would Resign But for This Assurance—Says Book Is High Explosive

LONDON, May 3.—(AP)—But for the hope the Bible gives of a better world Premier Baldwin would resign. Addressing the annual meeting of the British and Foreign Bible society, he said:

"The work of all others who hold the same faith and ideals, whether in politics or civic work, was done in the faith and hope that some day—maybe a million years hence—the Kingdom of God would spread over the whole world, then I should have no hope. I could do no work and I would give over my office to anyone who would take it."

The Bible, he continued, "is not only the greatest literature in the world but above that it always has been and is in the nature of a high explosive in the world."

He said the Bible's influence had repeatedly led and would surely lead again to a great revival of religion. If it was true that a large number of people never read the Bible, neither politicians nor ecclesiastics could sit together be free of blame for that.

"We seem to carry on so much of our struggle in this world in a twilight or a fog," he said. "Friends or men who should be friends are kicking blindly in the struggle and wounding men who are or ought to be brothers; and nothing but the light that comes from the Bible can lighten that twilight or dispel that fog."

#### NOVELIST NOW THROUGH WITH MODERN LIFE

Says Election Not Measure of True Scholarship and Achievement

CANNES, France, May 3.—(AP)—Michael Arlen, novelist, and his bride Countess Mercati, today explained their reception yesterday because they hurriedly departed from the wedding with society. They left Villa Fiorina, home of Princess Kaage, mistress of the Bride's grandmother, while 400 Riviera society people were still on their way to reception.

The couple was snugly installed in their new home today and both said they wanted to begin housekeeping without publicity and ostentation.

Both insisted that they were through with society. The novelist said he had seen through the foolishness of what he once termed "modern life."

They will remain on the Riviera for four months and then visit London before making a tour of the world by way of America.

#### Sandino Claims Crushing Victory Over U. S. Marines

EL PASO, May 3.—(AP)—El Continental, Spanish language newspaper here, says it is in receipt of reports that Dr. Pedro Cepeda, Nicaraguan representative in Mexico City, has received a letter from General Sandino, relating an encounter that took place in "El Bramadero" on April 28.

It says according to the newspaper, Simeon Montoya and backed by cavalry detachments under General Luis that an infantry column headed by Espinosa, having two batteries of machine guns, encountered a regiment of 80 American soldiers who were going to Ticonderoga and engaged in battle with them, killing or wounding 700 Marines. The battle lasted five hours, the report says.

Sandino claims he captured 400 rifles, 16 machine guns, 180 mules loaded with provisions and ammunition, sixty pistols, eleven photographic cameras, four pairs of field glasses, two medicine cabinets, a number of tents and kitchen utensils.

The Nicaraguan casualties included General Luis Espinosa killed and Colonel Carlos Quesada seriously wounded. The letter states that a United States army plane was brought down, killing the pilot, Captain William Bird and Sergeant Rodolph Frankforter.

#### Legion Raises Membership Quota for Further Work

The Legion membership quota of 27 memberships was passed Tuesday night at the joint meeting of the Legion and the Auxiliary. With 285 members already received, the quota was raised to 325 and the drive is still going on.

The membership team, captained by Lewis Cox, past commander, with the team contest and will be banqueted by the losing team, captained by C. E. Cary.

Reports were received from the rodeo committee and the prospects for the largest rodeo in the Panhandle looks bright. The Legion, in co-operation with the fire department, is sponsoring the J. George show next week and the Miss Pampa contest.

Post-Commander R. A. Webb congratulated the ladies on their response regarding the Auxiliary work. He also outlined coming events and called a joint meeting of the Legion and fire department for Tuesday night.

The 40 and 8 group will have a banquet at the Schneider hotel tonight at 8 o'clock.

A wonderful program before him and a beneficial one.

"Those who cannot come for the meal should come and hear the program and the speakers."

#### KANSAS CITY ROBBERY NEAR POLICE STATION

Shop Looted at Center of Main Business District

#### PATROLMAN IS EASILY DISARMED

Fast Auto Quickly Leaves Officers Behind

KANSAS CITY, Kans., May 3.—Six bandits today held up the Heisberg Diamond Shop, at 628 Minnesota Avenue, and escaped with \$17,800. The staff of clerks in the store was forced to lie on the floor while three of the men who entered the store looted the shop.

Three of the men remained outside the store in a motor car. The Diamond Shop is in the heart of the downtown district, two blocks from police headquarters. When the men entered, the alarm was turned in by an employe on the second floor.

Homer Lucas, motorcycle patrolman, responded to the call, arriving while the robbery was in progress. He was stopped by the men in front, who stand aside, hands in the air, while the three men inside the store came out and got into the motor car.

Two car loads of patrolmen arrived in time to see the large bandit car speed away. It easily outdistanced the police cars and later was found abandoned under the Twelfth street viaduct.

COLUMBIA, Miss., May 3.—(AP)—Two young, well-dressed young men walked into the Columbia bank shortly after noon today, forced two clerks into a vault, scooped up all the money in sight and escaped in a sedan.

#### Pampa Gets Shower Last Night—Rains Over West Texas

Rain which fell here last night amounted to .17 of an inch. Roads were seen passably dry for the usual speedy traffic, although the day dawned cool and cloudy.

#### San Angelo, May 3.—(AP)—Rain, breaking an extensive drought, fell last night in a large portion of West Texas, from Ballinger to Alpine. At San Angelo the precipitation was .35 of an inch, while some points got as much as two inches. The moisture is expected to be beneficial as a drying range was reported to have made many oves desert their lambs.

#### WICHITA FALLS, May 3.—(AP)—General rains ranging from a light sprinkle to more than half an inch were reported from practically all points in North Texas and Southern Oklahoma Thursday morning.

#### IN CONGRESS

Senate tackles tax reduction bill while House resumes farm relief debate under procedure permitting amendments.

Conferees on flood control meet to complete draft of their agreement. Special senate presidential campaign expenditures committee considers plan of procedure.

House naval construction bill taken up by Senate naval committee. Proposal to reconduct two railroads comes before House naval committee.

Other house committees held hearings on proposed increase in barge ton facilities and amendment to federal reserve act.



NEWS FROM PAMPA SCHOOLS

# THE SPOTLIGHT

SENIOR SPECIAL EDITION

## Speakers for Commencement Are Chosen by School

Rev. W. A. Hancock, Ph. D., professor of religion in Baptist Theological Seminary, Seminary Hill, Fort Worth, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon at the Rex theatre at eleven o'clock, May 29.

Rev. Lewis N. Stuckey, A. B., M. A., D. D. of Amarillo, will deliver the commencement address at the school auditorium, at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, May 22. Rev. Stuckey is a graduate of Princeton university.

### SENIOR CLASS WILL

We, being dignified and responsible young citizens of Pampa, hereby will for the betterment of the Junior class, (soon to be Seniors) the following achievements:

Edna Biard will her beauty to Melba Graham. (Much success for you next year Melba!)

Lillian Keahey wishes to present Mildred Mason with her originality.

Susie Bell Smalling (our brightest Senior) will dedicate her position as valedictorian to Cornelia Barrett.

Edna Ballard will her knowledge of English Literature to Lewis Fogelman.

On the sly, I asked Opal Johns what she had to leave the future Seniors of P. H. S. and this is her reply, "I'll leave my red hair to Maxine McKinney. Lucille Mooney told me to be sure and will to Maxine Scott her ability of vamping men teachers. Cleora Standard presents her cupid's bow lips to Beth Blythe. Doyle Ward leaves his ability to drive a Dodge car to Verdone Lawrence. Thelma Qualls will her personality to Era Johnson. Troy Stalls desires to give "Pat" Seitz his ability to throw a discus. (How 'bout it Pat?). Mildred Fahy wishes to present her ability as an actor to Bob Eahl. Thomas Clayton leaves Archie Lee his popularity. Lillie McMillan will dedicate her ability as a poet to Elmer Hardin. Marjorie Jewell craves to present Albert Doucette with her precious impulses. No! Albert? DeVare Abersold intends to leave her horrible spelling to Donald Zimmerman. Ed Herlachner, our most honest and trustworthy student, will to Bruce Cash his business ability. Elizabeth Grayey leaves to Alma Gaylor her gift of gab. Lula Hutchins wants to leave to Joan Leath the ability to fall in love. Merion McClure leaves his musical ability to Bob Mullen. Harvey Anderson will his married life to Skeet Roberts.

## To Speak Here



The Rev. W. A. Hancock of Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon for Central high school May 29.

(Profit by Harvey's mistakes, Skeet.) Wm. Robinson wills to Vernon Culverhouse his ability to be business-like. Alph Hickman leaves his cigarette habit to Gus Greene. Holbart desires to leave to Tommie Robinson, with deep sympathy, his good grades in English. Henry Loche, last but not least, leaves his popularity with the girls to Ralph Irwin.

### CAN YOU FEATURE

Edna Biard without that School Girl complexion?  
Ed H. without Lula?  
Russell without a grin (like a wrapper on a tin can.)  
Susie Bell weighing 150 pounds?  
Edna Ballard angry?  
Vivian very far away from Cleo?  
Angela very homely?  
Mildred without a laugh?  
Lucille not driving a ford coupe?  
Miss Whiteley without red ink?  
Mr. Campbell with his yard stick?  
Miss Campbell not trying to bluff?  
Miss Reed off the job?  
Miss Rieves a brunette?  
Mr. Taylor with all his eyebrows in place? (He has one misplaced.)

News Classified Ads Bring Results

## Senior Play to Be Presented at Theatre May 9

The Senior play will be enacted at the Rex theatre, Wednesday, May 9. The play, which is entitled, "Come Out of the Kitchen," is a three-act comedy written about a Virginia family of the old aristocracy, by the name of Daingerfield, who, finding themselves temporarily financially embarrassed decide to rent their magnificent home to a rich Yankee. The Yank rents the place and orders a full staff of white servants.

This question about the servants presents great difficulties and one daughter proposes that the four children make up as servants. Oliva Daingerfield appoints herself cook, Elizabeth as housemaid, Paul as butler, and Charlie as boot boy. When Burton Crane arrives from the North, accompanied by Mrs. Faulkner, her daughter, and Crane's attorney they find the staff to possess many methods of behavior that are out of the ordinary. Oliva's charm and beauty impress Crane above anything else, but her identity is not disclosed until Crane has professed his love for the charming cook. The play ends with the brightest of prospects for the two young people.

List of Characters:  
Burton Crane, Thomas Clayton.  
Mrs. Faulkner, Mildred Fahy.  
Corra Faulkner (her daughter), Thelma Qualls.  
Mr. Tucker (Crane's attorney), Floyd Coffin.  
Mandy (a negro servant), Lottie Schaffer.  
Mr. Weeks (a real estate agent), Sammie Henton.  
Tom Teffers (a poet), John Lester.  
Oliva Daingerfield (the oldest daughter), Lucille Mooney.  
Paul Daingerfield (The oldest son), Harvey Anderson.  
Elizabeth Daingerfield (the youngest daughter), Angela Ballew.  
Charles Daingerfield (the youngest of the children), Harold Wakeman.

### CLASS OFFICERS

Edward Herlachner—President.  
Thelma Qualls—Vice President.  
Russell Kennedy—Treasurer.  
Angela Ballew—Secretary.  
Cleora Stanard—Reporter.

Contributors to the Senior issue of the Spotlight: Edna Ballard, Susie Bell Smalling, Lillie McMillan, Lillian Keahey, Angela Ballew, Thelma Qualls, Ed Herlachner, Maude Pratte.

## First "Harvester" Is Dedicated to Supt. R. C. Campbell

We, the Annual Staff, wish to take this opportunity to announce that the first volume of the "Harvester" is dedicated to our Superintendent, R. C. Campbell, for his faithful and unflinching service to the students of Pampa high school.

ED HERLACHER, Business manager.

### OUR APPRECIATION

Dear Mr. Buckler we appreciate All the things you've tried to do, And as a member of our school-board We send our many thanks to you.

Mr. Hunky you've been with us, On the field and in your store, And you've been so kind and generous To you we offer thanks once more.

Mr. Joe Smith you've been faithful For our success you've been true, And as we prize in our old High School, Our hearts o'er fill in thanks to you.

Yes, Mr. Cook you've been for us, As much at heart as any one, Through-out the year we've felt your influence, Thanks to you for what you've done.

Mr. McConnell we're very grateful For the service that you freely give, Men like you make us thankful, For the land in which we live.

Thanks to you, dear Mr. Daugherty, For your efforts that have passed, To you and to each one before you, We are indebted to the last.

Before we close, young Mr. Fletcher There's just one thing we wish to do, For our emblem and our annual, We give our sincere thanks to you. —Elmer Hardin.

### THE HARVESTER

The Seniors of P. H. S. are putting out an annual this year—perhaps you already knew that, but have you bought yours yet? The annual will contain a review of the activities of P. H. S. this year up until the time the book went to press. There is a picture of nearly every student in school, which will endear the annual to many because of the memories which such reminders bring. Accounts of the athletic events, the pictures of the team and the coach compose the greater part of the athletic section. There are scenes taken from various plays presented in the auditorium, club pictures, and accounts of parties in the activity section. Do you have a child in P. H. S.? Are you a student in P. H. S.? Have you advertised in the "Harvester"? Then buy an Annual—our Annual—"The Harvester" of '28.

## JUNIOR-SENIOR PARTY IS ENJOYABLE OCCASION

An enjoyable evening was spent April 28 when the Seniors honored the Juniors with a party at the Methodist church. The church was decorated with the colors of both classes. Contests and games were enjoyed throughout the evening. Prizes were awarded Archie Lee, winner of a potato contest, and Harvey, winner of a peanut race.

At a late hour refreshments of chicken salad sandwiches, punch, and ice-cream were served to practically all the Juniors and Seniors, Miss Reed, Mr. Fisher, Mr. Campbell, and Mrs. Dickey.

### GOOD-BY ALGEBRA

I have studied Algebra II without release. I think it is time for a little peace; I'm tired of Algebra; that's the truth it is a bore, take that for sooth.

One year I've had, this makes two; Formulas I worked through and through. I've solved—X plus Y is equal to one; After this year old has been a waste.

Much midnight oil has been a waste Whole holding my book before my face; I hope never again an Algebra to see For after this year—no more for me. —Lillie McMillan.

### HARVESTER GIRLS INITIATE

The Harvester Girls were given their initiation requirements Wednesday. They must not wear rouge, lip stick, nor powder, and they must not chew gum until Tuesday, May 10.

### SENIOR CALENDAR

May 4, Junior-Senior banquet at the Schneider hotel.  
May 6, Seniors have charge of chapel program.  
May 9, Seniors play, "Come Out of the Kitchen".  
May 10 and 11, Seniors examinations.  
May 14-19, Senior vacation.  
May 20, Baccalaureate sermon at the Rex theatre.  
May 21, Senior class night at high school auditorium.  
May 22, Commencement address at high school auditorium.

### S-E-N-I-O-R

S—is for Senior, the beginning and end.  
E—is for education we fought to win.  
N—is for "knowledge" we have it—you bet!  
I—is for ideas we still have them yet.  
O—is for opinion—we'll climb to the top.  
R—is for rank—from which we'll never drop.

## SENIOR MOTTO

"One for all and all for one" is a motto which shall not soon be forgotten by the Seniors of '28. Why? Because it is our class motto, and during this year we have really tried to "live up" to what the motto actually means.

The most enjoyable events of the year were caused by our belief in each other, in other words, the spirit of fellowship that prevailed among most of our students. In trials and joys the motto of our class seemed

to bring comfort, and inspire us to do bigger, better things for those who believed in us.

In future years the motto of our class will surely not be forgotten. When we are glad, when we are sad, when we aspire to do something worthwhile, then surely we will remember classmates of our glorious, last year of high school, and the words of our motto "One for all and all for one" will bring pleasant memories of work and play in dear old P. H. S. —Lillian Keahey.



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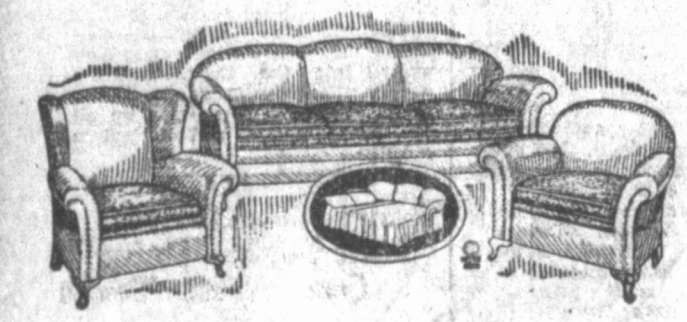
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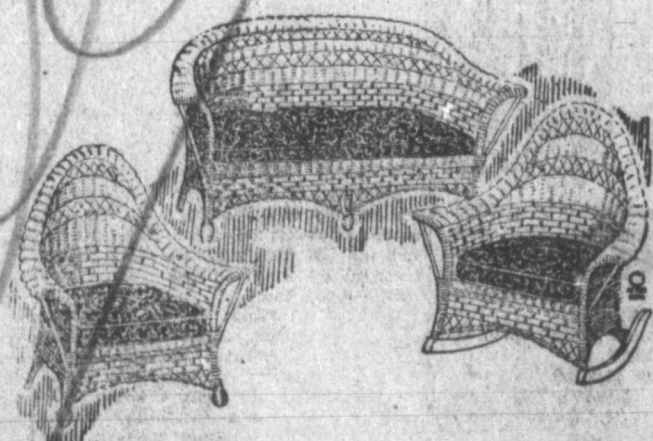


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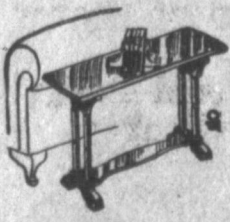
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### Crops Backward, But Good Prices Are Anticipated

AUSTIN, May 3.—(AP)—Practically all crops, especially cotton, are backward, but price prospects are good, according to a limited number of reports from private reports and general weather conditions. The regular report of acreage and condition will not be made until June 15.

"The acreage of wheat and corn is supposed to show a very slight increase over last year and the general condition is poor, indicating a light yield," Mr. Terrell said. "The crop is late and backward because of cold weather and insufficient rain in the main grain belt. Good rains soon and warm weather would improve the condition."

"Corn acreage is probably not increased and the condition is poor as much corn was damaged by recent frosts, and will be later than usual in sections where frosts prevailed. Less is expected to grow more corn."

"The planting of grain generally will continue until late in June, and no correct estimate of acreage can be made but plenty of this feed will be planted in sections where it can be grown."

Texas will raise enough feed of this kind, if seasons are favorable.

"The movement of winter vegetables in the Lower Rio Grande Valley, and in the Winter Garden district has been large and prices on some of these crops have been satisfactory, but too low for profit on other crops. The market of these crops are now on the market, but onions are just now in a good way of moving, and the prices, while not as good as expected, will justify the growing."

"The tomato acreage was considerably increased, but the late frosts damaged the crop considerably after the plants were transferred from the cold frames to the fields. The damage was probably as much as 25 per cent and this will offset the increased acreage and the total production may be less than last year. It is too early to tell whether the prices will be satisfactory. The crop will be later than last year unless the seasons are very favorable during May."

"The peach crop is safe so far, and a very good crop is expected on orchards that have been well cared for."

"The cattle, sheep and goat industry is prosperous, and prices of cattle wool and mohair are good, and the business seems to be in a very healthy and prosperous condition though rains are needed to improve the ranges."

"Planting of cotton will continue until sometime in June, and it is impossible to estimate the acreage at this time. Indications are that the acreage will be slightly increased because of backward seasons, and the failure of some other crops."

### MRS. JOHN COOLIDGE?

Rumors That President's Son Will Wed Florence Trumbull Just Won't Die



Here is the latest photo of Miss Florence Trumbull, daughter of Governor Trumbull of Connecticut, who, according to Washington society rumor, is engaged to John Coolidge, 21 (inset), the president's only son. The wedding will not take place, it is said, until both finish school.

"A considerable acreage of cotton was killed by late frosts, and these crops had to be planted again. The state prison farms had a good deal of cotton killed. These late plantings will make the production more uncertain."

"Reports from Georgia, Alabama and some other states, indicate a serious damage to the cotton crop by heavy rains, and floods, which should reduce to some extent, but the use of fertilizer for cotton in those states has been increased which will probably offset the losses from other causes."

"Considering the cotton outlook as a whole it seems that the acreage and production may be slightly increased over last year, and we can stand an increased production of two million bales without any reduction in present prices, because the future position of cotton is strong. Cotton has now reached 21c per pound and it may go higher, but we should not lose our senses because of this and plant all the unplanted land in cotton and break the price below the cost of production."

"Wheat is now almost two dollars per bushel and corn is more than one dollar and the outlook for prices is very favorable. Let us hold to our present strategic position and reap a rich harvest this fall."

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mark and daughter Vera Lucille and Mrs. J. E. Wright left today for Laredo, where they will attend the bakers' convention. They also expect to visit points in Old Mexico before returning home.

### Collections Will Be Included in Local Association

The Pampa Business Men's association announces the opening of a collection department in connection with the other departments of the organization. The law firm of Wakeman and Gordon has been engaged to handle the legal and collection work of the department.

Many of the local business and professional houses have placed delinquent bills in the hands of the association for collection.

Mrs. Forrest McKinnim has been confined to her home for several days, but is doing nicely.

Jim Renton of Abilene is a business visitor here this week.

A. A. Gordon returned from a business trip to Dallas this morning.

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Subject to the Action of the Democratic Primary July 28, 1928.

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PRECINCT NO. 1—  
JOHN B. WILLIAMS  
MEL B. DAVIS  
JOHN R. WHITE

FOR COMMISSIONER  
PRECINCT NO. 2—  
W. A. TAYLOR  
(Re-Election)  
NELS WALBERG  
LEWIS O. COX

FOR COMMISSIONER  
PRECINCT NO. 3—  
H. G. McCLESKEY  
THOS. O. KIRBY  
(Re-Election)

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY—  
JOHN STUBER  
(Re-Election)  
F. A. GARY

FOR SHERIFF AND  
TAX COLLECTOR—  
E. S. GRAVES  
(Re-Election)  
WALT NEWTON  
JIM C. KING  
S. A. HURST  
JOHN V. ANDREWS

FOR TAX ASSESSOR—  
F. E. LEECH  
(Re-Election)

FOR COUNTY AND  
DISTRICT CLERK—  
CHARLIE THUT  
(Re-Election)

FOR COUNTY JUDGE—  
T. M. WOLFE  
(Re-Election)  
IVY E. DUNCAN

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
5TH DISTRICT—  
J. A. HOLMES  
CURTIS DOUGLASS  
(Re-Election)

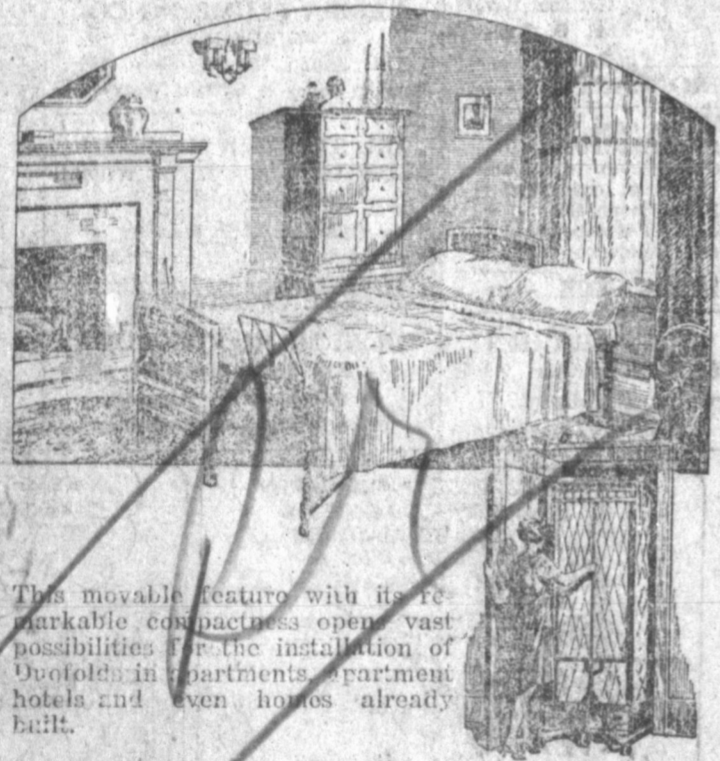
FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
31ST DISTRICT—  
C. S. WORTMAN

FOR CONSTABLE  
PRECINCT NO. 2—  
G. C. ADAMS  
HERMAN WACHENDORF  
O. T. SMITH  
H. J. LEWIS

FOR COUNTY TREASURER—  
DORIS M. SMITH  
MABEL DAVIS

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE—  
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Now, Let's See If There Are Any More Bad Ones to Come Out



SCHOOL PATRONS, who include practically the entire citizenship in one form or another, will read with much pleasure the details of the building project which a petition now being circulated will launch.

The need for ward buildings is acute. First, there is the need for schools nearer the smaller pupils second, the state inspectors have found and reported crowded conditions which the school must remedy. It is unfair to the teachers and pupils to place more than 40 students in one room.

As for the gymnasium, that is one of the outstanding needs. Physical education cannot be carried beyond the stage of competitive athletics without indoor facilities. It is dangerous, moreover, to conduct athletics without shower-bath facilities. A program of athletics for the girls is as necessary as for the boys, and Pampa should not longer remain in that obsolete group of schools which make no provision for their girls' physical welfare. And the gym would have many recreational uses in addition to the games and physical education classes.

The time is near when the Central campus should be used only for junior and senior high school purposes. It is too small and too near the center of the business section to be adequate for ward use as well. By taking the Central ward school out of the main building and putting in the junior high school instead, it would be possible to raze the flimsy Lamar building and to develop an adequate Central school plant. The first step toward that end is the building of ward schools elsewhere.

The tax angle will be raised, but this phase rarely enters into school bond elections. People will vote for the good of their schools when opposing all other projects of public nature. The Central ward addition and the Baker school were built without raising the school taxes, owing to the huge increase in valuation in the district.

Such a wealthy district will find it possible to build still more out of the funds pouring in from the oil properties. The school board could have made last summer's building program larger and avoided the proposed election, but it chose rather to build slowly as needs arose and to hold taxes down.

Support of the coming program, therefore, should be as whole-hearted as was the last, when the vote was practically unanimous.

Al Smith says he sees no difference between the people of North Carolina and the people of New York City. He'd better take his next vacation in some other state than North Carolina.

Dainty little parasols for men are becoming fashionable, says a dispatch from Paris. Fifty million Frenchmen must be wrong, after all.

WASHINGTON LETTER

By RODNEY DUTCHER  
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—Out of all this distressing scandal about the way Mr. Sinclair and Mr. Doheny got the navy's oil reserves and the way other enterprising oil men obtained from the government the world's richest oil field at Salt Creek, comes one sweet, consoling thought:

The public lands, property of the people, offer little more to worry about. Enterprising pirates have long since looted by far the better part of them and if any of value remain, someone must have blundered.

Revelations of the Senate Public Lands Committee about the Fall-Doheny-Sinclair cases and the reasons for which it expects to investigate the Salt Creek leases apparently merely indicate the heart-breaking difficulties faced by any gentleman or group of gentlemen who now hope to amass huge land fortunes by defrauding the government. The well has been pumped almost dry.

The oil men, of course, came upon the scene rather late in the game. The land speculators, the railroads, the cattle men, the iron, coal and other

mineral-digging pioneers and the timber looters had a head start on them.

In addition to the fact that not much is left to grab, the fact that Congress is probably more honest and certainly far less susceptible to bribes and that conservationists in this century have been better organized and more militant must also be taken into account.

Although the Democrats have consistently undertaken to make political capital of the looting of the public domain, the records of two great Republican conversationists, Theodore Roosevelt and Gifford Pinchot, appear to provide the brightest page in the whole story. It is also true that, although the Republicans have generally been in power during the looting that has gone on since the Civil War, the Democrats were in power most of the time before that, when some of the best gouges were dealt the public domain.

The original public domain has been computed at 1,800,000,000 acres, more than five-sixths of the continental area of the United States. Vacant, unappropriated public lands now amount to about 190,000,000 acres, most of which is comparatively worthless, though more than 350,000,000

acres remain under jurisdiction of the General Land Office in one way or another. The government also retains more than 180,000,000 acres of national forest preserves, along with various lesser tracts held for government purposes.

The public lands now vacant are in Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Florida, Idaho, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oregon, South Dakota, Utah, Washington and Wyoming. Some of the public lands now in private hands were acquired legitimately. But tens of millions of acres, according to authorities, were acquired by fraud. The business of obtaining public lands by theft or bribery is almost as old as the reported impossibility of convicting a man with a million dollars.

In a succeeding story we will begin the history of the public domain from the time of the Revolution.

A couple in California stood on their heads all night when a folding bed locked up; the woman sues for \$35,000 and the man for \$5,000. Probably the man wants less because he's used to being stood on his head.

TWINKLES

Personalities are deplorable, but it looks like such rot has a better chance than issues to bring ordinarily antagonistic groups together this year.

The Harvester Girls have forsworn powder, paint, and gum for a season. Trying to look the part?

Now comes a Missouri turtle, and being duly sworn declares he spent 61 years in the corner stone of a Baptist church. The next thing we know some human will be trying to act like that.

Who knows what a U. S. silver dollar dated 1799 is worth? A nearly destitute couple hopes to realize its true value to keep them

awhile, and Twink is asked to sell it for them if possible. Speak up, you numismatic fans.

Talking movies ought to clean up the films a bit, for the public would not tolerate in sound some of the expressions formed by the lips of the actors.

BARBS

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

A New Jersey judge, 72, is being sued for alienation of affections. Add that to your Iowa spider, Texas horned toad, Shakespeare reading prizefighter, baby cigar addict and talking dog.

Chicago is found to be in acute financial straits, with \$13,300 in the treasury and

more than \$1,000,000 in obligations outstanding. It looks good if as if Mr. Thompson had better let his history go for a while and take up arithmetic.

Al Smith is wearing a brown derby these days. Well, if you were running for president and had to throw some kind of a hat into the ring, wouldn't you pick that, too?

In Oregon is a man who can chew fifty sticks of gum at one time and play a cornet. Pshaw! We'll bet he can't even sit on a flagpole while swimming the English channel and eat fifty flapjacks and drink one hundred cups of coffee on the way.

Clarence Darrow declares the American press is afflicted with the "money itch". May the lawyers could tell the editors how to get rid of that pernicious ailment.

Pampa's Business, Professional and Commercial Directory

Table with multiple columns listing various professionals and businesses in Pampa, Texas. Columns include Lawyers (e.g., Studer, Stennis & Studer), Physicians and Surgeons (e.g., Archie Cole, M.D.), Dentists (e.g., Dr. H. H. Hicks), Contractors (e.g., Henry L. Lemons), Job Printing (Pampa Daily News), SINGER Sewing Machine Company, Chiropractors (e.g., Drs. Mann and Cowles), Insurance (R. G. Dick Hughes), Plumbers (Pampa Plumbing Co.), Eye Specialists (Dr. T. M. Montgomery), and Architects (W. R. Kaufman).

FRECKLES and His FRIENDS

Bobo Has a Reason

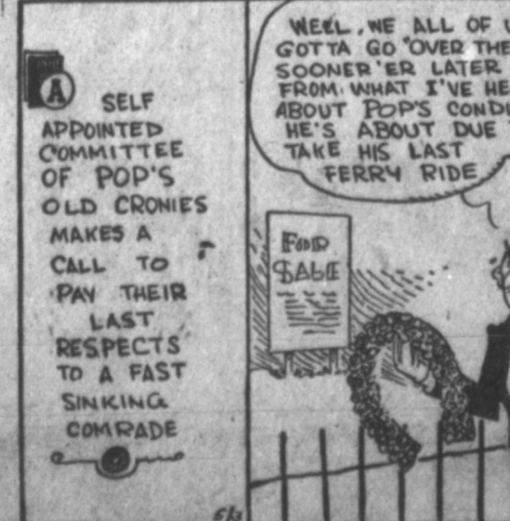
By BLOSSOM



MOM'N POP

Proof Enough

By Cowan





### Harvesters Look Great in Spring Exhibition Game

A ten-yard forward pass Hardin to Roberts, and a mid-season 35-yard dash won the opening football game of the spring training season for the "Army" yesterday afternoon at Ayres field. It was a pretty game of football for early in the season and with a strong wind blowing down the field.

The "Army" captained by Bob Kahl and composed of the 1927 line and a new backfield, started off like a house afire against Tommy Robinson's team with the Harvester backfield and a new line, but soon struck a hard line early in the last quarter, neither goal line was threatened, both teams playing an even game of football.

In the backfield of the Navy, Elmer Hardin, lost to the team next season and Troy Maness bore the brunt of the attack and made long gains thru the line and around ends. For the Army, Albert Lard and Don Jones showed up nicely on the offensive. This boy Lard is a real corner for quarterback with his speed. All he lacks is seasoning and broken field running instead of straight speed.

Bob Kahl as usual was all over the field and looks like he will have a better season in 1928 than last year. Don Saulbury of last year's team was a stonewall end, nothing getting by him during the game. Cash, Sawyer and Ayers looked good for the opening game.

With the wind at their backs, the Navy men pushed down the field in the last quarter with line bucks, end runs and a short completed pass which placed the ball on the Army 45-yard line. Hardin then passed over the line to Roberts who had broken thru. Roberts went into the air after the ball and brought it down in a mass of Army players, but by a nice squirming broke loose and, with the entire Army on his heels ran 35 yards for a touchdown.

Hardin added the extra point with a drop kick over the bar with the wind. Kahl and his army came back strong, taking the kick-off on his own 5-yard line and returning it ten yards. Line bucks by Cash, Jones, and Lard carried the ball to their own 40-yard line when the whistle blew.

The Harvesters have the material to make one of the best teams in the yesterday's exhibition, Pampa fans of which there are a large number at the game, believe that neither Canyon nor any other team will stop the march of the Harvesters of 1928.

### Kenesaw Landis Pleads for Rights of Growing Boys

MONTREAL, May 3.—(P)—Lack of playground space in most large cities, which forces youngsters to play baseball on the streets, or else not play at all, is deplored by Kenesaw M. Landis, commissioner of professional baseball.

He gave his views at a luncheon celebrating the entry of Montreal into the International league.

Noting that vacant lots where youngsters could get together had been disappearing in the building up of big cities, he said:

"We need communities which will do their duty to the ten-twelve-four-

### Byrd Follows His Fallen Friend



Walking behind the caisson bearing the body of Floyd Bennett, Commander Richard E. Byrd is pictured here as the cortege passed through Quebec, where his comrade and chief pilot died.

teen-year-old boy of this generation. "I have a lot of friends among boys, have a great correspondence with them, and I am inclined to think, if called upon to choose the element whose friendship I would retain, if I were privileged by some sort of decree to have the friendship of only one element, I would choose boys.

"And I do not want to feel that my generation is cheating them. Remember that the ten, twelve, fifteen-year-old boy is pretty cute. He knows whether or not he is given a square deal. And if he is being denied a place where he can give expression to his physical inclinations along athletic lines, his conclusion is that he is being cheated. I ask you, is that a good foundation to build the citizenship of the next generation?"

Special For Friday Shampoo and Marcel \$1.25 MRS. ARNS In Stevens Barber Shop, Third door north First National Bank.

### Strangler Lewis Crushes Hope of Young Grappler

LOS ANGELES, May 3.—(AP)—The resourcefulness and presence of mind acquired by the "Strangler" Lewis, world's heavyweight wrestling champion, in his many years of grappling with the topnotchers of the game, today had stood him in good stead again.

Facing young and powerful Nick Lutz here last night in a finish match, Lewis literally crushed the championship aspirations of the former Notre Dame football star after he, the titleholder, had been on the defensive thruout the early part of the match. Lutz started out fast and displayed a whole flock of punishing holds.

A painful jackknife scissors, Lutz's stock in trade grips, was clamped on Beaumont 5, Shreveport 2, always slipped away.

After one hour, 29 minutes and 35 seconds of give and take, Lutz again secured his body restriction scissors. Lewis, however, seeing a sudden opening, grasped young Nick by head and feet, stood up and then, before anyone knew what was happening, fell heavily with Lutz underneath. Lewis and his 230 pounds, employed as they were, proved entirely too much for his opponent and the latter was carried

### BASEBALL RESULTS

Table with columns for League (Western, American, National, Texas, West Texas, Southern Association), Team, and Score. Includes results for Amarillo, Wichita, New York, Detroit, St. Louis, Philadelphia, etc.

### STANDINGS

Table with columns for League (Western, American, National, Texas), Team, P, W, L, and Pct. Lists standings for Amarillo, Denver, Des Moines, etc.

### Pyles Big Car Seized, But Race Continues Today

NORMAL, Ill., May 3.—(AP)—Charles "Cash" Pyle didn't loll about in his \$25,000 "land yacht" to watch his army of trans-continental racers flock their weary way to fame and fortune today. Instead he rode in an open flivver.

The luxury that has been his since the start of the cross country derby at Los Angeles, March 4, was ended abruptly near Joliet yesterday when a deputy sheriff the "land yacht," a 12-ton truck equipped with a radio, shower bath, berths, electrical refrigeration, and every modern convenience.

were signed about three years ago, the receivers. Peter Givuzel of Southam England, lost 35 minutes and one of his lead in the derby by finishing in a tie for sixteenth place in 34.6-mile jaunt from Lincoln to Joliet yesterday but still retains his lead over the field of 71 runners of 1 1/2 hours and 31 minutes. It was the 1 day the Englishman had run in derby without his beard.

Taking the defeat as an ill omen, intends to grow a new beard to carry all the way to New York, the first stop. Andrew Payne of Claremont, Okla., still holds second place with the time of 37:41:53 for the 234 miles traversed so far.

Pontiac, Ill., was today's destination

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Advertisement for Red Bottom Tanks. Features the headline 'RED BOTTOM TANKS They Out-Sell the Field! —because they are the Biggest Value on the market today!!!'. Includes an image of a tank and text describing its durability and availability through various merchants in Pampa.







### State League Meet Will Open This Afternoon

AUSTIN, May 3.—Three thousand young Texans will measure skill, brawn and brain in the 18th annual University of Texas Interscholastic League meet which opens here today for three days. They come as the "cream" from about 5,050 public schools.

The first round of boys and girls tennis doubles was to begin this afternoon. Track and field entrants have been called to assemble on the field of the Texas Memorial stadium Friday morning, the preliminaries to begin then.

The final girls' debate will be held Saturday morning and the final boys' debate Saturday eve, as the concluding event on the program. Finals in track and tennis are carded for Saturday afternoon and finals in tennis singles also come then.

Two Pampa high school athletes are among the 3,000 young Texans represented at the 18th annual University of Texas interscholastic meet in Austin today, Friday and Saturday. The two boys carrying the honor of the Pampa school are Troy Stalls and Archie Lee Walstad, two of the greatest athletes of the school. Stalls is entered in the shot-put and the discus throw and Walstad in the 120-yard high hurdles and the 220-yard low hurdles. These two boys were instrumental in placing the Pampa schools in second place at the district meet in Canyon.

### Leaders in "Miss Pampa" Contest on Nearly Even Terms

Mrs. Vera Johnson continues to lead the race for "Miss Pampa," but is closely followed by Miss Ruth Rittenhouse. Other contestants are following closely on the leaders.

The standing when the votes were counted last night were: Mrs. Vera Johnson, 12,150. Miss Ruth Rittenhouse, 12,050. Mrs. Jack Dean, 12,000. Miss Gladys Cooper, 10,450. Miss Martha Bradford, 7,150. Miss Fern McKee, 6,800. Miss Lucille Mooney, 4,800.

Mrs. A. Cole was an Amarillo visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. J. T. Morrow is visiting relatives in Ft. Worth and Breckenridge.

Fred Young of Amarillo was a business visitor in Pampa today.



PARIS (AP)—The black and white scarf of a Drecoll model of white crepe de chine forms the yoke of the blouse in back. Drecoll cords the scallops which form the yoke of the circular skirt and puts touches of the same cording on the sleeves. There is a narrow black belt with white binding.

### Baptists Of South To Report Progress At Annual Meeting



Leaders in the Southern Baptist convention which meets in Chattanooga, Tenn., May 16-20, include the president and corresponding secretary of the Woman's Missionary Union, Mrs. W. J. Cox (left), of Memphis and Miss Kathleen Mallory, Birmingham, and the president of the convention, Dr. George W. Truett, Dallas.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn. (AP)—Members of the Southern Baptist church are to hear from officials a story of remarkable progress, covering a period of seven years, at their annual convention here May 16-20.

Gains of 1,495,529 new church members and 854,469 in Sunday school enrollment have been recorded. One thousand, seven hundred and sixty-six new Sunday schools have been added and the value of local church property has increased \$98,150,384. Annual contributions to local church expenses advanced \$11,270,000 while a total of \$3,131,376 in annual contributions to all objects was made.

Prominent among the important matters before the convention will be means for taking care of the financial obligations of the several missionary educational and benevolent enterprises of the church, recommendations of a special committee for more correlation of the activities of general boards and other agencies of the body, and the establishment of a special stewardship program for 1929.

Meeting in conjunction with the convention will be the Women's Missionary Union, which is planning to celebrate its fortieth anniversary this year by raising \$4,000,000 for the church cooperative program. The union's sessions will begin May 14.

Indications are that there will be little opposition to the re-election of present officers of the convention and union. Dr. George W. Truett, of Dallas, Texas, is just completing his first year as president and will be re-elected without opposition if he permits his name to be presented again, leader say Dr. Hugh C. Moore, Nashville, Tenn., and J. Henry Burnett, Murfreesboro, Tenn., have been recording secretaries for many years.

Mrs. W. J. Cox, Memphis, Tenn., is president of the union having held the office three years. Miss Kathleen Mallory Birmingham, Ala., for a number of years has been corresponding secretary.

### Mrs. Culbertson Is Hostess to Royalty Bridge Club Tuesday

The Royalty Bridge club and guests were entertained in the home of Mrs. F. M. Culbertson Tuesday afternoon. The charming color scheme of yellow and orchid was daintily used in the decorations, and the tables were graced with yellow baskets of orchid sweet peas. After the usual number of games of bridge, Mrs. A. C. Clark was awarded high club score, while Mrs. Ivy Duncan received high guest prize. Mrs. W. E. Clausing received consolation.

A delicious ice course was served the following: Mrs. Ralph Dunbar, Mrs. T. M. Smalling, Mrs. C. S. Boston, Mrs. Ed. Cober, Mrs. W. P. Lewis, Mrs. L. E. Duncan, Mrs. George Cande, Mrs. Billie Lang, Mrs. R. A. Webb, Mrs. Loyd McConnell, Mrs. A. C. Clark, Mrs. W. F. Clausing, Mrs. H. C. Johns, Mrs. R. S. McConnell, Mrs. Tom Eller, and Mrs. Floyd Bennett.

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### Social Calenear

The Club Mayfair will meet in the home of Mrs. J. W. Cram Friday afternoon.

The Central P.-T. A. will meet Friday afternoon in the Central high building.

The Junior Senior Banquet will be given Friday evening at the Schaefer hotel.

The May meeting of the A. A. U. W. will be held Saturday at 12:30 o'clock at the Pla-Mor auditorium.

Vale  
He had the soul of truth,  
Strong with the strength of youth;  
He had the gift of wit,  
With love to sweeten it.  
He knew not fear or shame:  
When the destroyer came,  
When death betrayed the fall,  
He could surrender all.  
Putting the world aside,  
For time had proved him,  
And the gods loved him  
That he died.  
—Charles Warren Stoddard.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Harrah, Mrs. W. Purviance, and Joe Strother returned Wednesday from attending the Methodist district convention in Wellington.

### SOCIAL NEWS

BY MISS LEORA HAY PHONE 100

#### W. M. U. Circles Hold Interesting Meetings Wednesday

Circle 1 of the Baptist W. M. U. met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. T. B. Solomon with seven members present. Following the business session held, a lesson from the Bible was studied. The hostess served refreshments. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. T. V. Lane.

Circle 2 of the W. M. U. met with Mrs. G. C. Stark, with Mrs. Roy McMillen as hostess. Devotional was led by Mrs. E. S. Walker using the 12th chapter of Romans as the subject. The usual business session was held in which different phases of work to be taken up by the circle was discussed. During the social hour, refreshments were served to 18 members. The next meeting of the circle will be held in the home of Mrs. Tom Ed Vaughan.

Circle 3 of the W. M. U. met in the home of Mrs. John Sauls Wednesday afternoon. Devotional was led by Mrs. Sauls after which a most interesting mission study lesson was studied. A letter was read from a missionary in

Africa telling of the life of the African women, their mannerisms and dress, and of the change that takes place in these customs after they have been converted. Mrs. S. L. Anderson presented the lesson in a very entertaining manner.

Contests and games were enjoyed during the social hour in which Mrs. W. F. Adams, and Mrs. J. R. Baker were honored. Refreshments were served the 14 members present. Mrs. Bowlers will be hostess to the next meeting of the circle.

#### Mrs. Chris Baer Is Hostess to Methodist Society

The Methodist Missionary Society met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Chris Baer for Bible study. Mrs. C. T. Nicholson was leader of the lesson which was taken from the Book of Acts. During the social hour refreshments were served 16 members and 3 visitors present.

Dr. W. Purviance made a business trip to Dallas Monday and Tuesday.

### Wayside Club Honors New Members Tuesday At Clayton Home

The Wayside club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Tom Clayton with a social for the new members.

During the business session it was voted to help sponsor the musical program to be given by Mrs. C. F. Smith of Amarillo, the returns of which will be applied to the library fund. The year book was read and approved.

A report of the Convention at Dallas was given by the delegate, Mrs. E. W. Hogan, which was very interesting. Mrs. Hugh Isbell and Mrs. L. R. Taylor also gave enjoyable talks on the convention.

The remainder of the afternoon was spent in games, after which the hostess served lovely refreshments of ice cream and cake to the following members: Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. C. E. Hutchins, Mrs. W. A. Taylor, Mrs. Hugh Isbell, Mrs. J. E. Corson, Mrs. E. W. Hogan, Mrs. E. W. McJunkie, Mrs. Paul Taylor, Mrs. L. R. Taylor, Mrs. H. B. Taylor, Mrs. W. P. Taylor, Mrs. L. P. Yoder, Mrs. Fendrick, Miss Fannie Hogan, Miss Cleo Olive, and Miss Howlett of Allan.

The next meeting will be May 15, at the home of Mrs. H. H. Isbell with Mrs. E. W. Hogan as leader of Era Three on Manners and Customs.

### Ladies Auxiliary Meets Wednesday Afternoon at Church

The Presbyterian Ladies' Auxiliary met in regular meeting Wednesday afternoon at the church with Mrs. T. W. Sweatman, and Mrs. Voss as hostess. Mrs. T. D. Hobart was leader of the Bible Study. A short business session was held, after which refreshments were served. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Joe Smith for Mission Study.

### Central P. T. A. To Meet Friday at Central High School

The Central P.-T. A. will meet Friday afternoon in the auditorium of the Central high building at 3 o'clock. A health play will be presented by grade children under the direction of Mrs. M. P. Downs, and Mrs. H. H. Hicks. The following program will be given: Report of delegate to Lubbock convention, Mrs. T. H. Barnard. "The Summer Roundup," Mrs. W. P. Downs. Business session and installation of officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Banks of McLean were visitors in Pampa Wednesday.

### "NOTICE"

Pampa Lodge No. 934 I. O. O. F. will hold their anniversary program at the Baptist church Sunday May 6, 11 a. m. All Odd Fellows and Rebe-kahs are requested to meet in the I. O. O. F. hall at 10 a. m.

All Odd Fellows and Rebe-kahs holding membership in other Lodges are cordially invited to attend.

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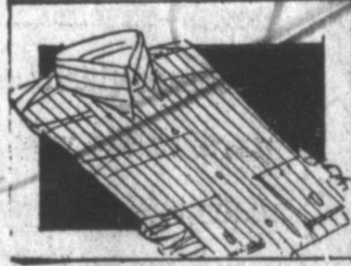
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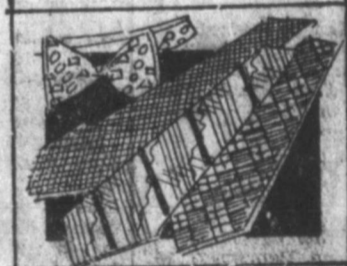
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Mrs. W. E. Jackson Dies of Pneumonia. Here This Morning

Mrs. Margaret Ann Jackson, 22 years old, wife of William E. Jackson, died at the home of her mother-in-law Mrs. William Jackson, West Kingmill avenue, this morning at 8 o'clock.

Before her marriage to Mr. Jackson three years ago, she was Margaret Ann Reed, daughter of Mr. and the late Mrs. John Reed of Miami. She was born July 21, 1906 at the Lockhart ranch north of here, where she lived until moving to Miami with her parents.

Mr. Jackson has been a resident of Gray county for the last 26 years. He is the son of Mrs. William Jackson owner of the famous Jackson pool in the South Pampa oil field.

Besides her husband, she leaves one son, John William Jr., 19 months old her father, John Reed, residing at Miami; also three sisters, Mrs. Lillian Land, Mrs. Lida Ramsey, and Mrs. Mabel Meador, all of Miami, and three brothers, Frank, William, and Dick of Spearman.

Funeral services will be conducted by the Rev. James Todd Jr., at the Christian church, of which Mrs. Jackson was a devoted worker, tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Burial will be at Fairview cemetery.

Legion Auxiliary Raises Membership to 45 Tuesday

Mrs. Will M. Benton of Amarillo chairman of the 18th district American Legion Auxiliary, recognized the local auxiliary here at an enthusiastic meeting at the Legion home Tuesday night. Mrs. Billie Lang was elected president of the Auxiliary; Mrs. S. A. Barnes, vice-president; Mrs. B. A. Webb, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. W. C. de Cordova, sergeant-at-arms.

The Pampa chapter was set at 25 memberships, but before the evening was over there were 45 memberships taken. The ladies plan an active campaign in the near future and have been given the reception room at the new Legion home for their meeting place.

Ragsdale Purchases Plumbing Concern

Glen Ragsdale, formerly associated with the Tanner Plumbing and Heating company, with shops here and at Canyon, has purchased the Pampa branch from Mr. Tanner, who will operate in Canyon.

Daniels Will--

ah of Idaho, if either agrees. We do not believe southern Democracy will swallow Tammany Hall, do you?" Daniels' answer was "that the biggest issue in America today is to wrest the government from the hands of privilege and corruption."

"The only hope for that end," said "is in a victory by the Democratic party. I, therefore, expect to support the nominees of the Houston convention to declare without equivocation of the sacred enforcement of prohibition and all other laws and do not believe any man it will nominate will be as indifferent as an inefficient in enforcement as Mellon has been under the Harding and Coolidge administrations."

"I see no hope in any third party. Enough prohibition Democrats will be elected in Congress to guarantee no weakening of prohibition laws. I would rather not accept a nomination on any third party ticket."

Rather than see another split in Democratic ranks such as occurred in the hectic Madison Square Garden convention four years ago and found the party severely wanting support in the November elections that gave Coolidge his first elective term, observers today saw in the Daniels' statement the first tangible evidence of a cry within the ranks for complete agreement on the party's standard bearer next November.

This effort for party harmony was illustrated again last night when Jesse H. Jones of Houston, who won the convention for his home state, requested that contests between Smith and Jones cohorts be avoided in the Texas precinct conventions and declared his only concern of the convention was "from the standpoint of facts and success of the party in the November elections."

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams returned Wednesday from Perryton where they have been visiting in the homes of their sons.

OUT OUR WAY

—By Williams



ON AVIATION

HART ATTEMPT FAILS

CHICKASHA, Okla., May 3—(AP)—After dodging rain storms in Southern Oklahoma all morning, Joe Hart, Chickasha aviator who took off shortly after 5 a. m. today in an attempt to set a new sustained flight record, returned to the Chickasha airport this afternoon and landed.

Bremen Crew Decorated WASHINGTON, May 3—(AP)—The adventurous crew of the Bremen sailed away from Washington today for New York, wearing in their coat lapels the insignia of the American distinguished flying cross and cherishing expressions of the good will of the capital which were poured upon them during their one day's visit here.

NEW YORK, May 3—(AP)—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh was here today presumably intent upon his lessons in navigation.

Accompanied by Lieutenant Commander P. V. H. Weems, U. S. N., who has been assigned to teach him, the flying colonel landed at Curtiss field yesterday after a flight from Washington in his new Ryan cabin monoplane. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robertson of St. Louis also were passengers.

Italian Off Again STOLP, Germany, May 3—(AP)—The sturdy dirigible Italia which withstood a night of buffeting by adverse weather on its trip from Milan, Italy, on April 15-16 was headed north today or the fringe of arctic wastes which it is to explore.

Another Endurance Try ROOSEVELT FIELD, N. Y., May 3—(AP)—Serenaded by his tiny radio receiving set and with only his "right hand as relief pilot," Lieut. Royal V. Thomas circled over Long Island today in his Bellanca monoplane Reliance in an attempt to set a new endurance flight record.

He took off at 12:30-01 Eastern daylight saving time yesterday afternoon and must remain in the air until 6 minutes and 40 seconds after 7 o'clock tomorrow night to break the present record of 53 hours, 36 minutes and 41 seconds established last March by Eddie Stinson and George W. Halderman. The old record must be surpassed by at least one hour to be officially recognized.

WASHINGTON, May 2—(AP)—Major James Fitzmaurice of The Bremen crew told Washington newspapermen today that he and his companions may fly their ship back to Germany. Doing most of the talking for the German-Irish crew at a special conference with the newspapermen at the Mayflower hotel, Fitzmaurice also disclosed that The Bremen will be flown from Greenly Island in time for the fliers to begin an air tour of the country from New York next Wednesday.

If for any reason The Bremen cannot be used the sister Junkers plane will transport them over the country, he said.

"What do you think of Greenly Island?" Baron Von Huenfeld was asked. "I never want to see it again," he said through an interpreter, while the other two fliers nodded approval.

The aviators plan to leave tomorrow morning by air from New York.

FALLS TO DEATH

HOUSTON, May 3—(AP)—Fred A. Niedbalski, 27, of Houston, cable splicer for the Southwestern Bell Telephone company, was killed in a 30 foot fall from a platform to a concrete driveway here Thursday.

New Treasurer



Bert Hassel (above) Rockford, Ill., has announced that he will attempt to fly from Rockford to Stockholm, Sweden. He plans to make one stop en route, in Greenland.

SMITH JURY OUT ABILENE, May 3—(AP)—At 1 p. m. today, a jury which heard evidence in the trial of Lee Smith, charged with murder in the slaying of two men in front of a bank at Stanton last Dec. 23, had not reported. No word had come from the jury room since the case went to them yesterday.

Markets

KANSAS CITY, May 3—(AP)—Hogs 5,000; weak to 10c lower; top 9.70 on 210-230 lbs; bulk 180-240 lbs. 9.50-9.70; 250-350 lb. butchers 9.15-9.50; 140-170 lbs. 8.50-9.45.

CATTLE 3,000; calves 500; fed steers slow, steady; light yearlings and stock steady to easier; other killing classes unchanged; choices 1,000 lb. steers 13.50; bulk fed steers 11.50-13.00 good to choice vealers 10.00-13.00.

CHINESE WOUND JAPS TOKYO, May 3—(AP)—Clashes between the Japanese and Chinese troops at Tsinan, capital of Shangtung are becoming more serious, advices from Tientsin to the Japanese news agency report. The Japanese casualties are placed at 4 officers and 30 privates wounded.

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COOLIDGE SEES FROG

WASHINGTON, May 3—(AP)—Wrapped not too handsomely in a bundle of newspapers and accompanied by Senator Mayfield and other prominent Texans, the famous horned toad that supposedly for 31 years was walling in the cornerstone of the courthouse at Eastland, today was formally displayed to President Coolidge.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Graham, and Mrs. George Gill left today for Ardmore, Okla., where they will visit relatives for two weeks.

Baylor In Waco Club Is Formed in Central Texas

WACO, May 3—(AP)—A Central Texas "Baylor in Waco" organization was perfected here today with the passage of several resolutions strongly condemning the proposed removal of the university to Dallas, as recommended last Saturday by the educational relocation commission of the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

The membership, it was said, included not only residents of Waco, but of other Central Texas towns. Judge O. F. Lattimore of Austin member of the court of criminal appeals, was to arrive here this afternoon to take charge of the organization's program of activities prior to the general convention which will meet in Mineral Wells probably on June 5.

CONFEDERATE VETERAN DIES BELTON, May 3—(AP)—Dr. W. H. Robert, 81, confederate veteran and first president of the Texas Board of Pharmacy, died here today. Funeral services will be held here tomorrow.

TEXAS MAN KILLED CHICAGO, May 3—(AP)—A man, identified as Charles Bishop of Houston, a switchman for the Missouri, Kansas, Texas railroad and a former member of the Kansas City, Mo. police department, was found dead on top of an Illinois Central freight train arriving here today from Memphis. Police believe he was struck by a low bridge.

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Methodists Avoid Fundamentalism in Convention Today

KANSAS CITY, May 3—(AP)—Bearing out forecasts that conservatism would be the keynote of the quadrennial general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church here by blocking the first attempt for formal discussion of fundamentalism and modernism, the delegates today turned to surveys looking to extension of world activities.

While the Rev. Paul Sloan of Hadonfield, N. J., said he would continue his efforts to start an investigation of what he termed the advance of modernism in many church fields, delegates generally viewed the issue was closed as far as the conference is concerned.

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