

# MEXICAN KILLS POSSE MEMBER

## AUDITOR SAYS GRAY COUNTY IS SOUND FINANCIALLY

## KANSAS CITY MAN SOUGHT IN CONNECTION WITH KILLING

### S. H. JOHNSON INDICTED FOR MURDER PLOT

Insurance Conspiracy Is Believed Near Solution

### ILLINOIS CAR HUNTED AS CLUE

Columbia, Mo., Dentist Is Already Under Arrest

BENTONVILLE, Ark., April 7. (AP)—A fugitive warrant was issued and forwarded to Kansas City today for the arrest of S. K. Johnson, Kansas City, real estate operator on a charge of murder in connection with the death of William Robert Pearman of Columbia, Mo., whose slaying allegedly grew out of an insurance conspiracy. The murder charge was contained in an indictment returned by the grand jury here last week, but was not made public until today.

BENTONVILLE, Ark., April 7. (AP)—A man who spent the last three weeks of March in Columbia, Mo., and was seen there in an automobile which had what appeared to be a bullet hole in the windshield the day after the slaying of William Robert Pearman of Columbia, Mo., believed to have occurred near here, was sought for questioning today.

Other information which investigators have learned about this man, according to county officials, is being investigated in the hope that it may throw some light on the alleged Pearman insurance plot murder in connection with which Dr. A. J. Bass, 53, retired dentist of Columbia, is held on a murder charge.

This man, whose description has been obtained, according to officers, stopped at a hotel in Columbia from March 6 to April 1. He said he was a bond salesman, hotel employees said, but they did not believe he received any mail while there.

On March 30, the day after the slaying of Pearman is believed to have occurred on a highway near here, the man took a large maroon-colored automobile with a hole in the windshield to a garage for overhauling. A new windshield was put in, officers said. The man told a mechanic the hole in the glass had been made by a rock.

While working on the car, a mechanic saw a Chicago driver's license under the front seat, and the car bore an Illinois license plate.

Officers also announced that Walter Ford Barron, whose arrest in Columbia was ordered Saturday, had been released after he had satisfied questioners he knew no details of the \$200,000 insurance which had been taken out on Pearman's life and assigned to Dr. Bass.

Barron was quoted as saying, however, that after a conversation with Dr. Bass sometime ago mail received at his address for William Folts, the name used by Pearman in obtaining the insurance and in negotiations in land deal with Bass. The mail, Barron was quoted as saying, was delivered to Dr. Bass. It included some insurance premium notices.

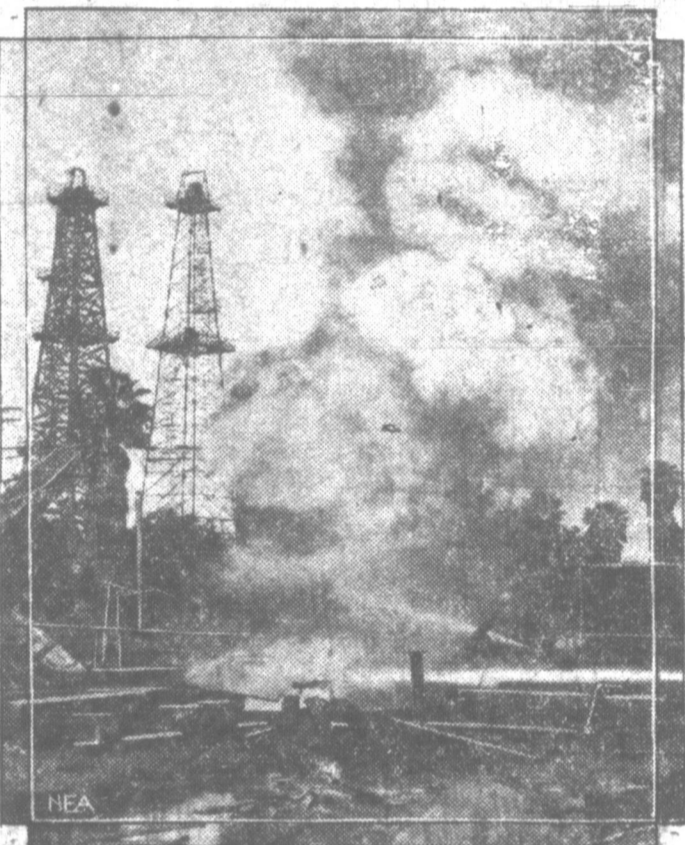
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Boehm of Plainview, former residents of Pampa, visited friends here yesterday.

## WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Generally fair tonight; Tuesday increasing cloudiness.

ALAMOUNT, Mo. (AP)—Grand slam for men! A dozen women and a dozen men contended for five places as village trustee. The woman with the highest vote was sixth. Joe Dolin was elected. Mrs. Joe also ran.

### Battle Spectacular Oil Well Fire



Spouting flames and smoke high into the air in this oil well fire at Santa Fe Springs Calif. developed into one of the most spectacular oil disasters on record. The picture shows workers attempting to extinguish the blaze.

### OKLAHOMA CITY HAS GAS WELL IN EASTERN CORNER—WILD MARY SUDIK IS AGAIN UNDER CONTROL

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 7. (AP)—A gas well blew in wild near the southeastern corner of this city this morning with a flow unofficially estimated at 75 million cubic feet daily. Production was reached unexpectedly at 6,010 feet before connections had been installed. The well, Precure No. 1, was not considered large for the Oklahoma City field.

It is situated in SE SE SE 11-11-3 W and is owned by the Indian Territory Illuminating Oil company which brought in the wild Mary Sudik as a gasser nearly two weeks ago.

It is officials said the drill probably struck a crevasse as the tools dropped after circulation was lost. They anticipated no trouble in controlling the well. It lies in a congested mush room district near a paved street. Trooper park lies across this street.

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 7. (AP)—Outsmarted by the ingenuity of man, the crafty No. 1 Mary Sudik, outlaw gusher of the South Oklahoma City oil field, today fumed and fretted against the steel barrier that held her giant energy in check.

The well was placed under control late yesterday after 11 days of liberty. During that time the gusher showered the countryside for miles around with an estimated daily average of 48,000 barrels of petroleum.

With the petroleum geyser halted, operators in the field drew sighs of relief. Because of the danger that the spraying gas and oil would catch fire, all other activities in the district had been halted. A stray spark from two clanging pieces of steel and the territory might have become a raging inferno.

German Plane Crashes LONDON, April 7. (AP)—A German plane carrying mail from Croydon to Berlin, crashed at Limpfield today at 4:15 a. m. The pilot, and mechanic, its only occupants, both were killed. This night mail service had been in operation only two nights.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Behrends, their daughter, Miss Wilma, and Harry E. Hoare visited in Amarillo Saturday evening.

### Dairy Show at Plainview Opens Mammoth Event

PLAINVIEW, April 7. (AP)—The annual Panhandle-Plains dairy show, representing 54 counties, opened here today with a record number of entries. Three hundred and twenty-six animals were on hand. These included 266 Jerseys, 34 Guernseys and 26 Holsteins.

Judging contests for 4-H club boys and vocational agriculture students were held today. R. C. Mowery of Texas Technological college, Lubbock, was in charge.

The many exhibits of dairy equipment, feed and farm machinery proved interesting to the large crowd attending the third annual show. Additional entries in the dairy products contest were received before the judges started. K. M. Renner of Texas Tech was superintendent of that department.

F. W. Thomas, Hall county agent, was in charge of the production judging contest, also held today. The Amarillo Globe-News offered \$100 in prizes for this event. W. H. Fuqua of Amarillo offered a like sum in the 4-H club judging competition in which 500 boys were expected to compete.

Tomorrow will be "Jersey Day" at the show.

### Ransom Raised by Mexicans Holding American Captive

MEXICO CITY, April 7. (AP)—Dispatches from Tepic today said that the bandits holding J. E. Bristow, American oil operator, had raised their demands of ransom to 40,000 pesos (\$20,000).

Federal troops reported the bandits had reached mountain country so inaccessible that the troops were no longer able to use horses in their search.

### OVERDRAFTS IN VARIOUS FUNDS NOW REMOVED

General Account Back to Normal, Report Reveals

### DETAILS GIVEN BY RAY WILSON

Substantial Balances in Various Funds Noted

The financial condition of Gray county for the quarter ending March 31, 1930, was better than it has been in several years, according to the quarterly report of Auditor R. C. Wilson. Not a single overdraft exists in the various funds.

Disbursements from the general fund for the three-month period beginning Jan. 1 totaled \$15,409.35. Receipts aggregated \$42,200.98, while the balance March 31 was \$13,264.35. An overdraft of \$13,527.28 existed in the general fund Jan. 1, 1930.

Detailed expenses for the three-month period follows:

Salaries, \$4,625.18; feeding prisoners, \$2,193.36; waiting on court, \$24; jail guards and deputy hire, \$1,493.40; vital statistics, \$27; assessing taxes, \$1,750; school board fees, \$30; transporting prisoners, \$55; county health officer, \$250; lunacy and juveniles, \$228.55; printing and stationery, \$1,316.59; paupers and indigents, \$131.44; disinfectants and supplies, \$707.40; drainage, \$10.65; equipment, \$537.25; holding requests, \$10; gas and lights, \$360.17; interest, \$205.26; bounties, \$87.25; justice of peace fees, \$1,136; miscellaneous, \$37.85.

In the jury fund on Jan. 1, 1930 there was a balance of \$9,685.44. Receipts during the quarter amounted to \$20,324.69; disbursements to \$1,307. On March 31 there was a balance of \$28,702.13.

The road and bridge fund on Jan. 1, 1930 showed a balance of \$2,516.38. Receipts during the three-month period aggregated \$29,321.01; disbursements to \$752.26. The balance March 31 was \$31,085.13.

Balances in the various road and bridge funds on March 31 are as follows:

Precinct No. 1, \$17,895.58; Precinct No. 2, \$33,550; Precinct No. 3, \$12,866.64; Precinct No. 4, \$5,756.67.

In the courthouse and jail special fund there was a balance of \$42,743.68 on March 31. On Jan. 1, 1930, the balance was \$22,555.08. Receipts during the quarter totaled \$46,168.74; disbursements, \$25,980.14. The disbursements were distributed as follows: Broome Electric company, \$2,115; Architect fees \$1,311.72; Pauly jail company, \$15,332; H. L. Case construction company, \$7,221. Receipts were accounted for in the sale of \$46,045.42 worth of warrants in the payment of depository interest in the amount of \$123.32.

In the courthouse and jail fund there was a balance of \$24,683.78, March 31. The balance as of Jan. 1, 1930, was \$3,239.72 (overdraft). Receipts during the quarter totaled \$26,165.91; disbursements, \$1,242.41.

The status of road bond No. 2 is as follows: Receipts—transfer from 33 escrow fund, \$15,000; disbursements—right of way, \$7,981.98; jury of view, \$45; expense to Austin, \$78.80; transfer to 421G \$8,549.90; balance Jan. 1, 1930, \$70,892.06 receipts, \$15,000; disbursements, \$16,655.67; balance March 31, \$69,236.39.

Status of road bond No. 4 follows: Receipts—accrued interest, \$810.63; depository interest, \$35.74; disbursements, bridge work, \$19; labor, \$12; lumber, \$58.40; expense to Austin, \$60.30 cost in suit (Watt), \$69.05; balance Jan. 1, \$4,584.44; receipts, \$846.37; disbursements, \$218.75; balance, March 31, \$5,312.06. The balance March 31 in bond No. 2 interest and sinking fund was \$30,689.61. Balance in bond No. 4, interest and sinking fund, March 31, was \$7,252.64.

### Representing District of Columbia



It was a capital idea to choose comely Hannah Anderson as the District of Columbia's envoy of beauty to the annual apple blossom festival in Winchester Va. Here you see her—the apple of Washingtonians' eyes no doubt—smiling out of a natural flowery frame after her selection had been announced.

### BRALY'S MOTION TO DISMISS CHARGE AGAINST MISS ALLRED IS ACCEPTED AND WOMAN FREED

A motion offered by District Attorney Clifford Braly to dismiss the indictment charging Miss Beulah Allred with transporting liquor was granted immediately by Judge W. R. Ewing this morning on the ground that the "time of this court would be uselessly consumed, and public money needlessly expended." Mr. Braly contended that she lacked "actual criminal intent to violate the law," and described her action as "misguided and impractical."

Shortly before Mr. Braly submitted his motion to the court, Miss Allred signed her own bond and was released from the cell in the county jail at the rear of the temporary courthouse where she spent an even dozen days in solitary confinement. When told that the district attorney was preparing a motion to have the case dismissed, Miss Allred said, "Well, there's nothing more for me to do; guess I'll make bond." She had in her possession a bond signed by two Laketon wheat farmers. Her attorney, C. S. Wortman, who had been out of town since last Tuesday on business, was present this morning and with Mr. Mayes of Amarillo had charge of her case.

"Under all the facts and circumstances," Mr. Braly said in his motion for dismissal, "I am firmly of the opinion that no good purpose would be subserved by a trial of this defendant on this charge; that a jury would not be justified in rendering a verdict that would result in her being sentenced to the penitentiary, from one to five years, for this technical violation and the time of this court, (which has a docket already over-crowded with more important criminal and civil matters), would be uselessly consumed and public money needlessly expended."

"I was busy in the trial of criminal cases in court at the time of occurrence forming the basis of this alleged violation of our prohibition law," Mr. Braly said in his motion, "and at the time of its investigation and returning of indictment against this defendant herein. Subsequently, I have personally made an investigation of the facts and have arrived at the conclusion that, although this defendant is guilty of a technical violation of our prohibition laws, denouncing as a felony unlawful transportation of intoxicating liquors, still there is wholly lacking an actual criminal intent upon

the part of the defendant to violate said law but rather a misguided, impractical idea upon her part that such a course would be a means toward aiding in liquor law enforcement.

"Therefore, for the reasons above assigned, on behalf of the State of Texas I move the court to dismiss this prosecution from the docket."

Mr. Braly said that he could offer other reasons for asking the court to dismiss the case, but that he believed the ones cited were sufficient.

Miss Allred left the courtroom immediately after Judge Ewing granted the motion, and the next case was called to trial. She was arrested March 28 on North Cuyler street on a charge of transporting intoxicating liquor. She had in her possession at that time a gaily be-ribboned flower basket containing four half pints of whiskey which she said she was taking to the grand jury as proof that "liquor can be brought in Pampa."

There was a report today that federal authorities were investigating her alleged sending of defamatory matter through the mails.

### One-Act Play Will Be Given Here Tomorrow

"The Valiant" one-act play with which Central high school won the district Interscholastic League contest at Canyon, is to be presented by the winning cast at Central auditorium tomorrow evening in a public performance. The curtain will rise at 8 o'clock.

Doyle Roundtree, selected in the Interscholastic League meet as the best boy actor among the competing casts, will play James Dyke, "the Valiant." Dorothy Doucette will have the only feminine role, that of Josephine Paris. Charles Barrett will be the warden; LeRoy Price, the prison chaplain; Curtis Stark, the jailer; and Wade Smith, the attendant. Miss VeLora Reed is director.

### HE PREVIOUSLY SLAYS TWO OF HIS RELATIVES

Ward County Scene of Man Hunt on Sunday

### ARREST MADE AFTER BATTLE

Five Hundred Persons on His Trail for Five Hours

MIDLAND, April 7. (AP)—Pedro Agilar, 25, Mexican farm laborer, yesterday shot and killed his father-in-law and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Matilda Gonzalez, at Grand Falls, Ward county, after a quarrel over domestic troubles, and in an exchange of shots with a posseman shot and killed Cleora Dakan, 35, tool dresser, and was wounded himself, officers here today were informed.

Agilar fled after shooting his relatives and a short time later was detected by Dakan, member of the posse, a posse underbrush. Both fired their guns and Dakan was wounded (fatally) and the Mexican slightly wounded.

Later members of the posse again encountered the fugitive and exchanged shots, the Mexican receiving several flesh wounds. He was arrested by Sheriff Dyer of Ward county and lodged in jail at Barstow where a charge of murder was filed against him.

The shooting of Agilar's relatives occurred about 9 o'clock in the morning. He was captured about five hours later after approximately 500 officers and citizens of Ward and surrounding counties had armed themselves and joined in the hunt.

Dakan had resided in Grand Falls or about 25 years.

### Captain Hawks Finishes Stunt

NEW YORK, April 7. (AP)—Captain Frank M. Hawks, holder of the east and west transcontinental speed records, enjoyed the added distinction today of being the first aviator to pilot a glider from coast to coast.

Arriving exactly on schedule, he set his small red motorless plane "Eagle" down in Van Cortland park at 4 p. m., yesterday to complete a flight from San Diego, Calif. Towed at the end of a 500-foot cable behind a power plane he made the transcontinental trip in six and one-half days with 36 hours of actual flying time.

One mishap marred the trip, which was made in 18 hours. At Tucson, Ariz., on the second day of the flight, a gust of wind parted the tow line as the aerial train was getting under way. To make up for the delay, his "engineer," J. D. Jernigan, pulled him 710 miles, two days' scheduled flight, the next day.

A crowd of 15,000 stood in the rain to see the finish of the 3,000-mile glider trip. A fleet of army planes circled in formation above the park as an aerial reception committee.

### Laketon Club to Hold Pie Supper

The girls' 4-H club of Laketon is to give a program and sponsor a pie supper at the Laketon school house on the evening of April 18, as a means of raising money to carry forward the projects planned for the club. Everyone is invited to attend.

Members of the club have as their sewing assignment, at this time, the making of kitchen caps. Miss Myrtle Miller, county home demonstration agent, will inspect the finished products at the next meeting, April 17.

Mrs. H. B. Cookston visited friends in Amarillo yesterday.

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**FOR GOOD WILL**

Recently a group of McLean Presbyterians came to Pampa and with their pastor, Rev. Erwin, held a "McLean night" here. It was a very much worthwhile, as well as an enjoyable occasion for both groups. A similar visit will be paid by Pampa Presbyterians to McLean next Sunday evening. The Pampa pastor, Rev. A. A. Hyde, and a local choir directed by George Briggs will have charge of the McLean service.

This is a commendable inter-community activity which has been successfully used by other Pampa churches. Christianity is something that obliterates minor differences and brings out the big ideas in which all are interested. The best kind of good will is that in which selfishness is put aside and thoughts turn to one's neighbor.

It is true that communities have their prides, their ambitions, and their differences. These are signs of growth but they are merely by-products and not the real commodity, which is better and richer living in the finer spiritual sense. The average citizen of one community is no better and no worse than the average in another. Those citizens who never cultivate territorial friendships do not have the warm thrill of pleasure in greeting friends seen but seldom. To have a number of acquaintances in each town and city in a territory or state is to be enriched by occasional visits, and each opportunity to travel means more than a business errand.

With many new people coming to the Panhandle every year, cultivation of territorial good relationships and a common spirit is a vital matter. The oil field section of the Panhandle has residents from all parts of the nation. In every gathering, moreover, a show of hands will reveal a surprisingly large per cent from Oklahoma. In each election there are ballots marked with the Oklahoma "X" instead of crossing out the Texas way. These ballots, under the Texas law, are void. Oklahomans need to learn the Texas laws. In many instances, where large numbers of persons from a certain state congregate they form a state club. They have rallies and picnics. We have no wish to promote an Oklahoma club. Most of the Oklahomans who have moved here are well acquainted with Texas and are loyal residents of this state. We welcome them and we have no desire to interfere with the affections they hold for friends and institutions over in the Sooner state.

It is vital, however, that

newcomers and old residents blend quickly so that problems of great significance in Texas may be supported or opposed effectively. The Panhandle has a growing voting power but it is not very well organized. Every inter-community activity which tends to bring about uniformity of thoughts and opinion is of much value, and should be encouraged.

**TWINKLES**

We note that a number of the ladies are taking up golf, so there is a possibility that we shall have some golf widowers in this city.

England will abolish the death penalty for cowardice of soldiers. The next war, with all its scientific achievements, will probably write a new definition of valor. The day of the stand-up-and-charge-antics seems passe.

Impatience is the basis of the installment plan. We are impatient to own that to which our fancy attaches itself, and we are impatient to spend money that we accumulate. And sometimes ownership of the thing desired does not abolish our impatience.

If we are going to have a thirteenth month, we suppose it will be named pay-your-bills month, including taxes. Taxes, you know, are about the only thing we don't pay by installments, and in some places city and county taxes are paid semi-annually or quarterly. Politicians shun the installment tax plan—it reminds their constituents too often that government isn't free, and that the taxpayer should get tangible returns for his money.

Our interest in the Harvesters sometimes becomes rather technical. For instance, besides taking a lot of shots for the high school year book, we "shoot" the boys in all kinds of awkward poses. There are right and wrong ways of clearing the bars and the hurdles, and the camera shows how speed is lost and made. Some of the results lately have been amusing, as well as instructive.

Moonshine mash is killing a lot of bees over the country, says a news item. Even the busy bee just will stray from the straight-and-narrow occasionally and get jake-leg.

Athens, Texas has demonstrated that the best athletic teams do not have to originate in a big city. Her basketball team ought to be an encouragement to all small town boys who are afraid of their status as the "under dog". The Athens boys further showed their stamina and resourcefulness by paying their expenses

to the Chicago tournament through exhibition games along the way. Here's to Athens!

Deaths after April 1 will not be considered by the undertakers, so anyone contemplating racing with trains at crossings may now do so with impunity and the usual carelessness.

Women spent \$700,000,000, it is said, for worthless stocks last year. Proving, we suppose, that they are not very different from men, after all.

**Passion Play Tickets on Sale**

AMARILLO, April 7.—The famous German cast of the Freiburg Passion play, headed by Adolf Frasnacht, seventh generation of this family to portray the Christ, is playing in Dallas this week and will start back toward Amarillo, by way of Oklahoma, to keep its return engagement on April 29 and 30.

Considering the fact that 3,000 or more persons were turned away from the three performances of the famous show in this city in February, Wilbur Hawk, president of the Tri-State air, under whose auspices they will appear, has arranged to start an early ticket sale so that everyone may have this last opportunity to see the Biblical story of Christ's activities during Passion week portrayed.

Three performances, two nights and a matinee, will be given on the return engagement. Seats will be reserved or each show. At the first engagement here, no reservations were made for the matinee, but seats will be reserved this time so that persons con-

ing in from the surrounding territory may be assured of good seats when they arrive, Mr. Hawk said.

There will be no advance in prices. Seats will range from \$1 to \$2.50 each for the night performances. For the matinee, school children will be admitted for 50 cents, school teachers for 75 cents and adults for \$1, in the balcony and \$1.50 for the first floor.

Reservations will be accepted by mail now. Those writing in should specify the performance they wish to attend, whether Tuesday or Wednesday night, or Wednesday matinee.

**ONCE UPON A TIME**



Not so long ago, Eugene P. Grace ran cranes in the Bethlehem Steel Corporation's plant for \$1.80 a day. Now he's president of the company, the second largest of its kind in the United

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- FOR RENT—Bedroom, next to bath. Close in. See Jones at Oil Belt. 23-3p
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FOR RENT—Modern two room furnished apartment. Close in. On pavement. Call 556-J, or inquire at 40 North Frost. 1p
FOR RENT—One two-room furnished house. One two-room apartment, furnished, close in. 111 North Gray. 1p
FOR RENT—Extra nice two room furnished cottage. Bills paid. Inclusive Hotel Rex, South Russell. 25-3c

FOR RENT—Furnished apartments. Modern. \$5 per week. Tulsa Apartments. 25-3c

FOR RENT—Two front bedrooms, next to bath, either men or women. With board or breakfast, only. 423 North Cuyler. Phone 925. 25-3c

FOR RENT—Nice bedroom. Call 189-W. 24-3db

For Sale

- FOR SALE—West Ward cafe located just across street from West Ward school. 23-5p
BABY CHICKS for sale. 1000 reds, 500 brown leghorns, three weeks old; 200 barred rocks, one week old; 200 buff orpingtons, one week old; 200 leghorn cockerels. If interested in chickens call and see them. Coker's Poultry Farm and Hatchery, one and one-half miles south of Pampa. 23-6p
FOR SALE—Registered police pups. T. B. Solomon, Sipes Self Serving Grocery. 23-6p
FOR SALE—Registered police pups. See Robinson, Sipes Self Serving Grocery. 24-6p
FOR SALE—2 room house, modern, 50 foot lot near East Ward school. P. B. Mooney. Phone 312. 25-1

Wanted

- WANTED TO TRADE — 160 acre wheat land in Kansas for good home in Pampa. Mrs. J. A. Worden, 724 Bank street. 24-3c
GIRL WANTS WORK—Will do house work or care for children. Box 705. 24-3p
WANTED — Reliable woman to help with house work and cooking. Phone 927-3. Mrs. W. B. Barton. 24-3p
WANTED—Will pay liberally for used wheel chairs. Phone 828-W. 1p
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Murder. Backstairs by ANNE AUSTIN

BEGIN HERE TODAY DORIS MATTHEWS, lady's maid, is murdered Friday night in a summer-house on the Berkeley estate by a blow with a heavy perfume flask, and the body, rock-weighted and tied with CLOREINDA BERKELEY'S scarf, is dumped into the lake where it is found Saturday morning by

DETECTIVE BONNIE DUNDEE, house guest of the Berkeley's, who summons CAPTAIN STRAWN of the Home cide Squad. Members of household are:

MR. and MRS. GEORGE BERKELEY, who quarreled Friday night over Clorinda's engagement to SEYMOUR CROSBY, of New York, close friend of the social secretary, MRS. LAMBERT; GIGI BERKELEY, who sprinkled all persons in drawing room before crime with perfume from flask presented by Crosby to Mrs. Berkeley; DICK BERKELEY, who, after having been missing all night, turns up while his mother is accusing EUGENE ARNOLD, chauffeur, of having murdered Dick and Doris; WICKETT, butler (formerly in employ of both Mrs. Lambert and Crosby.)

Strawn and Dundee check Dick's story that he spent the night in the tower room; recover from the lake Doris's apron tied about fragments of the perfume flask and her vanity case; then return to their questioning of Mrs. Berkeley, who insists she did not see Doris after the maid helped her dress for dinner. Dundee relentlessly prods Mrs. Berkeley with questions, trying to force her to admit she saw the maid when she returned to her bedroom after quarrelling with her husband in the library. She insists she did not see or speak to Doris, but her husband interrupts: "Abbie, please! tell these gentlemen the truth!"

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XVIII "George Berkeley, don't you dare insinuate that I'm lying!" Mrs. Berkeley cried, furious tears filling her pale blue eyes. "Mr. Dundee asked me if I saw Doris again, or spoke to her, and I told the truth when I said I didn't! I can't swear it was Doris who

answered when I called her on the house phone—" "On the house phone? When?" Dundee demanded. "While my husband and I were talking in the library last night," the woman answered defiantly. "As I told you, I'd thought I shouldn't need her to wait up for me, and had given her permission to retire when she pleased. But my headache got so bad while George and I were talking that I decided I'd need a massage of my forehead and spine. Doris is—was—awfully good at that sort of thing. So I rang her room on the house phone and someone answered—" "You did not recognize the voice as Doris's?" Dundee interrupted. "We-ell, I thought I did. I—I was rather upset, and it never occurred to me at the time that it could be anyone but Doris. She had a room of her own you know, in the servants' quarters on the third floor. I told her to go to my room and wait for me."

"At what time did you call her?" "Oh, how do I know?" she burst out angrily, dabbing at her mascaraed tears. "I wasn't watching clocks! But it was something like 15 minutes after George and I began to talk—" "And I suppose you counted on your husband feeling so sorry about your awful headache that he'd cut short the argument and let you have your own way?" Captain Strawn cut in, apparently distrustful of Dundee's more gentle methods. "I refuse to answer such a question," Mrs. Berkeley cried furiously.

With a slight smile Dundee put the next question: "Then how long was it before you went up to your room, after speaking with Doris—or someone!—on the house phone?" "I don't know exactly. Half an hour, possibly. George simply wouldn't be reasonable—anyway, when I got to my room, Doris wasn't here, so I got into bed as quickly as I could and took the bromide tablet, and went to sleep."

"Weren't you surprised and displeased to find your orders disobeyed?" Dundee asked quietly. "We-ell, of course I was, but it was so late and I was feeling so wretched that I decided not to have a scene. Besides, I had already made up my mind to discharge the girl as soon as Mr. Crosby's visit was ended. He is to be with us only a week—" "You did not call her again on the house phone?" "No, I didn't! Do I have to say so a dozen times?" "You say you went to sleep very soon after you retired?" "I didn't say so, but I did go to sleep very quickly, because of the bromide tablet, you know."

Without a word, Dundee rose, laid his notes on his chair, and strode swiftly to the bed. He stooped to pick something from the floor and when he returned he was holding, rather gingerly, a damp ball of handkerchief. "Did you cry yourself to sleep, Mrs. Berkeley?" he asked gently. "The woman shrank from the handkerchief as if it had been soaked with blood, instead of tears. "No—no, no! I didn't! I cried this morning after I'd heard about Doris—" "Pardon, Mrs. Berkeley, but the handkerchief you were using when Captain Strawn told you the news is the one you have in your hand now," Dundee corrected her courteously. "I



"Then when was it you pushed the girl against the bathroom mirror, Mrs. Berkeley?"

remember the edging of orchid linen. This one is all white, as you can see. And the condition of this handkerchief shows that the tears were not recently shed. You tucked it under the edge of your pillow when you had finished weeping last night, I think, and it fell out when you arose this morning."

"The woman collapsed suddenly and began to cry into the orchid-bordered handkerchief, which had betrayed her lie. "Yes, I—I did cry myself to sleep, but if you're thinking it had anything to do with Doris—if you must know, I was crying because George had been so—so cruel, so pig-headed, so nasty to me—" "Abbie!" her husband broke in sternly. "Mrs. Berkeley, forgive me, but there are a few more questions I am compelled to ask you," Dundee began soothingly. "First, aside from the fact that you disapproved of your son's interest in the girl, what was your own feeling toward Doris? Was the relationship of mistress and maid a pleasant one?"

"Of course it was! I wouldn't stoop to quarrelling with a servant!" she sobbed out indignantly. "I am to infer, then, that you did not quarrel with the girl about Dick after the scene yesterday?"

Dundee and Strawn exchanged glances, then the chief of the homicide squad decided to take a hand. "In here, eh? You're sure it wasn't in the bathroom, ma'am?" "Of course I am!" she shrilled. "I was standing right there—" "Then when was it that you pushed the girl over against the bathroom mirror, Mrs. Berkeley?" Strawn went on, his eyebrows raised. "The bathroom mirror?—Why, I—I don't know what you're talking about!" "Then let me show you, lady!" Strawn invited grimly. "She struck out at his hand furiously as he endeavored to help her rise from the chaise longue, and scrambled to her feet, clutching her negligee about her fat body. George Berkeley remained where he was, his chin propped broodingly upon a clenched fist, while the two detectives and his wife went into the luxurious bathroom.

"See that smudge, Mrs. Berkeley?" Strawn pointed to the mirror over the dressing-table. "Doris's lipstick. And the print of her mouth is smudged downward, proving beyond the shadow of a doubt that Doris Matthews was pushed—against that mirror!" "I didn't do it! I don't know anything about it! I swear I don't!" Mrs. Berkeley's teeth were chattering as she backed away from the toilette mirror. "I didn't kill her! That's what you're thinking! But I didn't kill her, I tell you!" "But she was waiting here for you, when you came upstairs last night?" Strawn persisted sternly. "No, no! I swear she wasn't! I never laid eyes on Doris after 7:10 last night! I swear to God—" She was hysterical now, beating at the broad, uniformed chest of the chief of detectives. "Don't take on so, ma'am," Strawn advised. "I'm not arresting you—yet. I want to have a talk with your daughter, Miss Clorinda, first."

"Clorinda?" Mrs. Berkeley whispered. "Notice to CONTRACTORS FOR STATE ROAD AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION Sealed proposals addressed to the State Highway Engineer of Texas, for the improvement of that part of State Highway No. 33, covered by P. A. P. No. 421-G in Gray County, will be received at the office of the State Highway Engineer at Austin, Texas, until 10 o'clock a. m., April 22, 1930, and then publicly opened and read. Work consists of constructing Grading and Drainage Structures. From the Carson County line to Pampa a distance of 7.286 miles. A certified or cashier's check for \$1,200.00 is required. Detailed plans and specifications of the work may be seen for examination and information may be obtained at the office of W. C. Bushfield, Resident Engineer, at McLean, Texas, and at the office of the State Highway Department State Office Building, Austin, Texas. The usual rights are reserved. PAMPA PHONE 1040

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"I—no, I didn't quarrel with her at all. I merely told her most emphatically that she was not to vamp Dick!" "Was she sulky or impermanent as she helped you dress for dinner last night?"

The tear-reddened blue eyes looked startled, then roved wildly about the room as if seeking help. And when they encountered the stern gaze of George Berkeley they hung for a moment and grew wider.

"She—she wasn't like herself," Mrs. Berkeley admitted as if the words had been wrung from her. "She—she was clumsy—" "So clumsy that you became disgusted with her, spoke to her sharply, and after she had retorted impermantly, you pushed her violently from you?" Dundee asked, his voice suddenly steely.

"Captain Strawn hitched up his trousers and grinned approvingly. Now they were getting somewhere! "I—You—I—" Mrs. Berkeley gasped, her hand at her throat. Then again she collapsed against the cushions. "I might have known she'd tell tale—make a mountain out of a molehill! I didn't push her! I—I just slapped her cheek, not very hard, either, but she had been grossly impudent—" "Just when and where did this scene take place, Mrs. Berkeley?" Dundee asked.

"Why don't you ask Wickett, since he's already told you so much?" she cried angrily. "I'll discharge him, too! He and that girl were as thick as thieves, and both of them have acted, ever since they came, as if Mrs. Lambert and not I were the head of this house."

"Will you answer the question, please Mrs. Berkeley?" "Oh, won't you let me alone?" she wailed. Then, capitulating suddenly: "It was while I was dressing for dinner. I—I told her to open a new bottle of perfume I'd bought in the city yesterday, and—and she said something impertinent—" "Just what did she say, Mrs. Berkeley?" Dundee pressed, a strange excitement in his dark eyes. "I—I don't remember!" the woman protested. "You don't expect me to remember every tiny thing, do you?—Well, it was just—just a word or two, like—" she knit her brows, and Dundee was absolutely sure she was concocting a lie. "Oh, yes! She said, 'you use too much perfume, Madame.' Of course I was furious at such impertinence, and I—I slapped her face!" "And where did this scene take place Mrs. Berkeley?"

"Why, in here! I was standing before the full-length mirror in my closet door, and Doris was adjusting the shoulder straps of my evening dress," she answered quickly and positively.

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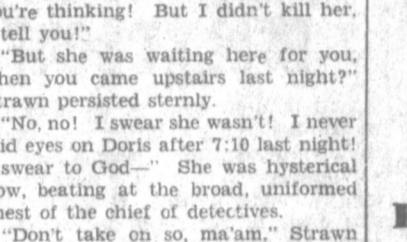
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ed, the blood draining from her face. "Yes, ma'am. Seeing as how it was her silk scarf with which the rocks were tied into the girl's skirt—" But Mrs. Berkeley heard no more, for she had fainted. (To Be Continued)

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# MACK SAYS 95 GAMES TO WIN NEXT PENNANT

NEW YORK, April 7. (AP)—Connie Mack, big mogul of the champion Athletics, is telling the world that if his team wins 85 games this year it probably will retain the league championship.

"I think 95 games will win the pennant in our league this year," he declared. Lou Gehrig of the New York Yankees has begun his annual home run pursuit of Babe Ruth, and the Babe has helped him by sustaining an injury to his right leg that will keep him out of action for about a week. Lou got his first homer of the training season in the second inning of yesterday's game between the Yanks and Dallas. In the sixth frame, Ruth grounded second base sharply and wrenched a leg muscle painfully. He does not expect to play again until the Yankees reach New York and meanwhile Gehrig has a chance to hit a few more homers and start the season on even terms.

John McGraw, manager of the New York Giants, celebrates his 37th birthday today in harness. McGraw's party, he hopes, will be at the expense of the Chicago White Sox, who meet the Giants at Evansville today in the eleventh game of their spring exhibition series. The Giants are one up so far with five victories, four defeats and one tie.

Wilbert Robinson, manager of the Brooklyn Robins, has so many good pitchers that he is having a hard time finding work for all of them during the training season. Hence Robbie, who is reported to have proposed a 15-inning game with the Boston Braves last week, has arranged another double header for today. The Robins tackled the Mason-Peaches of the Sally League at Macon in the first game, with Cy Moore and Buck Newsome scheduled to pitch, then play the Atlanta Crackers of the Southern association with Ray Moss and Adolf Luque doing mound duty.

California has seen the last of the Chicago Cubs until some time next year. Immediately after spreading themselves to a 20 to 5 victory over Hollywood yesterday, the Cubs started for Kansas City where they will engage the American association champions Tuesday.

The Chicago White Sox left Little Rock today for Evansville, Ind., to open their final series of seven training games—all with the New York Giants.

It begins to look as though Reiny Kremer will be selected to pitch the opening game for the Pittsburgh Pirates against the Cincinnati Reds. Reiny has rounded into shape early this spring and now is in first class condition. The Pirates are at Fort Worth today for a single exhibition game against the local club of the Texas league.

After three disastrous games on the home lot of the Kansas City Blues, the St. Louis Browns today were at Oklahoma City for a two-game series. Sammy Hale, purchased from Philadelphia during the winter, was not with the squad, being sent to St. Louis to recuperate from an influenza attack.

Harry Rice, Detroit Tiger outfielder, will be out of the game some time as a result of injuries to his face received yesterday, in an exhibition with the Louisville Colonels. Rice collided with the wall of the bleachers while catching a fly ball.

The Cincinnati Reds were in Louisville, their last stand before the championship season today and tried to work in a short practice session. The Redlegs and Colonels will play a three-game series beginning tomorrow.

A ninth-inning weakness lost a game for the Cleveland Indians yesterday when the New Orleans Pelicans defeated them 8 to 7. The pitcher for the winners was Belve Bean, who was recently farmed out to them by the Indians.

Bob Burke and Myles Thomas were chosen to do the pitching for the Senators today in the second game of their series with the Braves at Charlotte, N. C. Ed Brandt and Bruce Cunningham were mound selections for the Boston team. En route to Washington for the opening of the season there, the Senators will meet the Braves at Winston-Salem tomorrow, at Norfolk Wednesday and at Richmond Thursday.

Some extra base hitting is gladdening the heart of Manager Heinie Wagner of the Red Sox.

Russ Scarritt, left fielder, has hit safely six times in the last 18 times at bat, including two home runs and a triple. Phil Todd, back in the game at first base, cracked out two home runs and a double in five times at bat in yesterday's game here.

COLLEGE STATION, April 7. (AP)—Burt E. Hull of Houston, member of the class of 1904, today prepared to take over reins of the Association of Former Students of A. and M. colleges. He was elected at the business session of the annual reunion here yesterday. Hal Moseley of Dallas was elected vice president; E. E. McQuillen of College Station re-elected secretary-treasurer, and J. R. Garitty, of Corsicana, representative on the A. and M. athletic council.

## Baseball Scores

(By the Associated Press)  
Yesterday's exhibition baseball results:  
At Houston—Houston, TL, 5; Pittsburgh, N, 0.  
At Nashville—Cincinnati, N, 13; Nashville, SA, 7.  
At Los Angeles—Chicago, N, 20; Hollywood, ECL, 5.  
At Dallas—New York, A, 12; Dallas, TL, 7.  
At Newark—Philadelphia, A, 5; Newark, IL, 3.  
At Little Rock—Chicago, A, 10; Little Rock, SA, 9.  
At Louisville—Louisville, AA, 8; Detroit, A, 7.  
At Memphis—New York, N, 7; Memphis, SA, 3.  
At New Orleans—New Orleans, SA, 8; Cleveland, A, 7.  
At Kansas City—Kansas City, AA, 8; St. Louis, A, 4.  
At Tampa—St. Louis, N, 7; Tampa, SEL, 2.  
At Chattanooga—Washington, A, 10; Boston, N, 3.  
At Indianapolis—Boston, A, 8; Indianapolis, AA, 6.

## FIELDS IS NOT TO RISK TITLE IN NEXT BOUT

NEW YORK, April 7. (AP)—Jackie Fields, Los Angeles holder of the world's welterweight championship, who manages to keep fairly busy plying his trade without risking his title often, is scheduled for a 12-round non-title bout at Cleveland tomorrow night against Tommy Freeman of Erie, Pa.

Freeman has a record impressive rather for its length than the calibre of his opponents, although draws with Gorilla Jones and Andy Divori are on his 1929 list. In 98 battles listed, he has scored 36 knockouts and has been knocked out but once and then by the current champion, Joe Dundee. Dundee, who lost the title to Fields, appears at Rochester, N. Y., tomorrow against Bucky Lawless of Syracuse in a ten rounder.

Primo Carnera of Italy takes his huge frame to Los Angeles tomorrow night, seeking his fourteenth successive knockout. His opponent, Neil Clisby, Riverside, Calif., negro, will have to concede the usual 60 to 70 pounds to the Ambling Alp. He weighs an even 200 pounds. Like most of Carnera's opponents in his "fungo hitting" tour, Clisby has no important triumphs on his record.

Jimmy Braddock, Jersey City light heavyweight, meets Billy Jones of Philadelphia tonight over the ten-round route at Philadelphia.

Toni Canzoneri, former featherweight champion who is climbing wearily up the lightweight ladder after his setback at the hands of Jack (Kid) Berg meets Frankie La Fay of Troy, N. Y., in a ten-rounder at the Broadway arena tomorrow. Ray Miller, flashy Chicago lightweight, tackles Eddie Kobay at Detroit Friday.

Eud Taylor, featherweight "terror" from Terre Haute, Ind., meets Paul Wangle of Minneapolis in the latter's home town Friday. On the same night, King Tut of Minneapolis and Bruce Flowers, New Rochelle, N. Y., negro, hook up for a promising lightweight battle at Milwaukee.

## Buffaloes Are Ready for Meets

CANYON, April 7.—The cinder path men of West Texas Teachers college are rapidly rounding into form for the spring meets. Although prospects for a winning team are not good, it is expected that some good men will be developed.

Only four letter men are back: Sloan Miller, who placed first in the discuss at the T. I. A. A. meet last year, is back and is captain of the team. "Preach" Fuller, who lettered several years ago in pole vault is back and is working out daily. Penick, a two miler of some repute, was showing more stuff than ever, until he suffered a torn ligament. It is not probable that he will be in shape for the first meet.

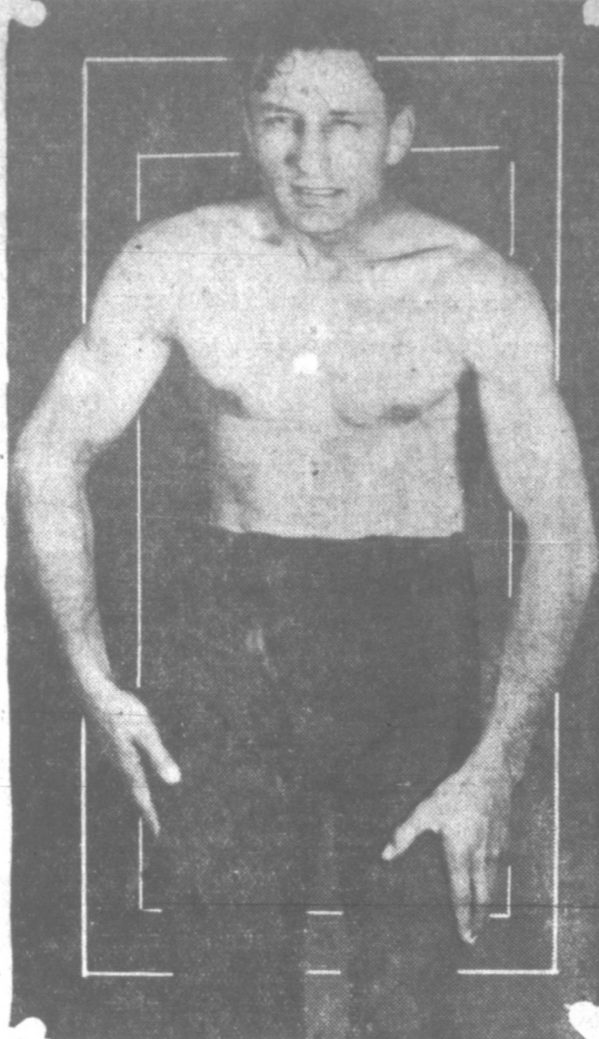
Newt Crain, who until last year ran the two mile, but last year shifted to the mile, seems in better condition than ever and is pointing to at least two meets when he expects to get revenge for former defeats. He is stilling the mile in practice at better than five minutes and should be down around record time soon.

Some first year men are showing well are: Powell, Clyde Keith, Terry, and Cox in the sprints. Shirley, Monroe, Nafziger, and Cox in the hurdles. Burk, Dubbs, and Dougherty in the middle distance, while Swafford and Morris are the only new men to try the distance races.

WHARVES BURN  
PORT ARTHUR, April 7. (AP)—Two firemen were overcome by burning sulphur fumes in a fire which destroyed one section of wharves and two loading chutes of the union sulphur company at Sabine today. Damage was estimated at \$25,000.

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## Former Cotton Picker Coming



The conqueror of Tex Watkins (twice) and Cal Farley, Joe Kopecky, (above), reformed cottonpicker and junior middleweight wrestling champion, is coming here next Thursday night with the avowed intention of cleaning up on Otis Clingman. Now folks if you think that Billy London and Tex Watkins are rough, you haven't seen nothing yet. Every time Joseph wrestles he gets rougher. Last Friday night and the Friday night of the previous week he won from Tex Watkins. Tex has never won but one fall from the ex-denizen of the cotton patches.

To get anywhere in the middleweight wrestling game, Clingman has got to beat Kopecky, and that hasn't been done in the Panhandle thus far. Old heads in the game say that no man can ever wrestle clean with Kopecky and win. For Joseph fights furiously—plenty of socks, rabbit punches. If Clingman will get rough from the beginning, he has a chance to win, some fans believe.

## Gulf Defeats Skelly, 3-2, in Hot Game Sunday—to Play Jones-Everett

Opening the baseball season in this territory, the Gulf nine yesterday defeated the Skelly team, 3 to 2, at the Gulf camp south of Pampa.

It was a tight, fast game. Davis, Gulf's second baseman, decided the game with a long drive for the third run. Lefty Dillon, winning pitcher, used a hook ball and deceptive change of pace. He struck out five men in five

innings for Gulf, while Withers whiffed four in three innings and Edelen two in a single frame.

For Skelly Parr struck out four men. Skelly showed exceptional ability in the infield.

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## PLAYERS ARE IMPATIENT FOR PLAY TO BEGIN

(By the Associated Press)  
Almost summery sunshine during the week-end left the Texas leaguers warmed up Monday, impatient to wade thru their few remaining exhibition games, before toeing the line Wednesday to start the pennant race.

Dallas Steers and the St. Paul Saints were scheduled Monday to play the third and final game of their spring exhibition series. They split the first two contests.

The Steers will close their exhibition season Tuesday against the Pittsburgh Pirates. The Steers suffered a 12 to 7 defeat Sunday by the New York Yankees, who made a clean sweep in the two-game series.

The Waco Cubs closed their exhibition season Sunday with a 13 to 3 victory over the East Waco team, city league champions. East Waco's defense featured a home run by Cotton Franklin, with two aboard. Motesworth and Zoellner starred at bat for

the Cubs.  
Fort Worth Cats had their final exhibition game in prospect Monday against the Pittsburgh Pirates. The St. Paul Saints evened the series with Fort Worth Sunday with a 7 to 6 victory. Paschall of the visitors socked a home run. Whitworth worked all the way for the Texas leaguers.

The Pittsburgh Pirates met with a 5 to 0 defeat at the hands of Manager Joe Schultz's Houston Buffs. Allyn Stout, rookie right hander from Laurel, hurled excellent baseball and his mates hit in timely fashion for the Buffs.

The Wichita Falls Spudders gave the Oklahoma City Indians a thorough trouncing 14 to 4. The Spudders smashed out 14 safe hits off four Indian hurlers.

At Kingsville, Southpaw Snow of the Kingsville pioneers held the San Antonio Indians to seven hits by the Texas leaguers won 5 to 1 on errors.

The Beaumont Exporters swept their series at Galveston with the Dr. Peppers, a semi-pro nine, winning Sunday's game 5 to 1, behind the effective hurling of Martin and Green.

Shreveport Sports brought their exhibition season to a close with a 5 to 3 victory over the Minneapolis Millers.

Daily News want ads get results.

## False Alarm Adds to Tragedy in Chicago Home

CHICAGO, April 7. (AP)—Maybe it gave a big laugh to someone, but Fireman John Connick is dying.

Someone thought it would be lots of fun to see the fire engines yesterday and turned in a false alarm. There are folks like that. The great fire trucks shrieked through the streets.

At an intersection the fire truck on which Connick was riding side-swiped the automobile in which the person who had turned in the alarm was driving away.

Connick's skull was fractured and he was injured internally. Doctors said he hadn't a chance to live.

Out at Mount Olivet cemetery lies the baby, son born to the Connicks Friday. The little casket was taken there Saturday by the father. At St. Anne's hospital, critically ill, lies Mrs. Connick. She doesn't know her baby's dead. She doesn't know her husband's dying.

Someone turned in a false alarm. Maybe it's a big laugh to them.



## HE TORE OFF HIS FALSE WHISKERS—AND IT WAS JACK

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## Three Hostesses Give Bridge Tea for Sixteen on Friday Afternoon

Mrs. J. S. Wynne, Mrs. De Lea Vicars and Mrs. C. L. Thomas were co-hostesses Friday afternoon at Mrs. Vicars' home, where they entertained with four tables of bridge.

Purple iris decorated the house, and at the ten hour a hand-made iris centered each table. Delicious refreshments were served.

The guest list included the following: Mrs. F. M. Gwin, Mrs. W. E. Coffee, Mrs. P. O. Sanders, Mrs. J. H. Kelly, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Charles Houk, Mrs. Tom Perkins, Mrs. Edwin Vicars, Mrs. W. A. Wilson, Mrs. C. M. Carlock, Mrs. M. D. Oden, Mrs. C. C. Boles, Mrs. Carl Brashears, Mrs. H. W. Hickman, and Mrs. Porter.

Rose sachets were given as favors to Mrs. Wilson, who scored high; Mrs. Hickman, who scored second high; and Mrs. Wood, who was fortunate in the cut.

## West Ward P-T-A. Elects Officers for Term of 1930-1931

Mrs. J. F. Curtis will head the West Ward Parent-Teacher association next year, according to an election held Thursday afternoon. She will succeed Mrs. W. Purviance, who will complete her second term in office with the close of the school year.

Other officers elected were as follows: Vice-president, Mrs. L. N. Maddox; recording secretary, Miss Josephine Thomas; treasurer, Mrs. H. C. Schoolfield; historian, Mrs. J. G. Stroup.

The election was preceded by a brief program. The assembly sang "America" as the opening number, and quoted in unison the Lord's Prayer. Miss Nettie Sims' class executed an attractive folk dance. Refreshments were served by the faculty at the close of the session.

## Eight and Forty to Complete Plans for April Celebrations

Initiatory work will be released by the Eight and Forty and other preparations will be made for the Forty and Eight celebration here on April 19 and 20, at a regular meeting of the women's organization Thursday evening, according to announcement from Mrs. W. C. de Cordova, president.

In announcing the meeting, Mrs. de Cordova urged that every member attend the meeting. The session is to open at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Denechin and daughter, Flora Marie, are visiting friends and relatives in Kansas City.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Oida Chingman is seriously ill at an Amarillo hospital.

Mrs. J. M. Turner and little daughter, Joyce, are visiting Mrs. Turner's parents at Wheeler.

Mrs. C. Herbert Walker returned yesterday from Temple, where she was called by the serious illness of her little granddaughter. Mr. Walker met her in Amarillo, yesterday morning.

Mrs. Charles Ruddy and small daughter, Shirley, returned to their home in Borger last evening, after spending a week here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Reid. Mr. Ruddy was here for the day.

Mrs. Roy Wiley is in Wichita, Kans., where her mother is ill.

J. M. Dodson is transacting business in Tulsa.

Mrs. Horace Park has returned home, after spending two weeks in Kansas City and Dallas.

Virgil Castle of Perryton is a business visitor in Pampa today. He is manager of the L. T. Hill Co. store in Perryton, and formerly was with the local store of that company.

Mrs. A. D. McNamara and Miss Ruth Anne Mitchell returned yesterday from a short visit in Oklahoma City.

Grover Morris is in Amarillo on business today.

Mrs. Guy Farrington and daughter, Marie, spent the week-end in McLean.

## SOCIAL CALENDAR

### MONDAY

The study club of the A. A. U. W. and College club will meet at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Clyde Fatheree, 919 Christine street, Cook-Adams addition.

Women of the First Christian church will hold two prayer meetings at 2 o'clock, one in the home of Mrs. De-Lea Vicars, 303 North Frost, with Mrs. Charles Thomas, leader; and the other in Mrs. J. E. Dwyer's home, 820 East Francis, under the leadership of Mrs. Dwyer.

A regular meeting of the Pampa Library association will be held in the women's parlor at the Methodist church. The president urges a full attendance. The session is to open at 8 o'clock.

### TUESDAY

Twentieth Century will meet at 2:45 o'clock in the home of Mrs. A. R. Sawyer.

El Progresso is to meet at 2:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. P. C. Ledrick.

Junior Twentieth Century club will meet in Mrs. T. R. Martin's home at 7:30 o'clock.

Dedication of the flag given West Ward school by the American Legion auxiliary will take place at 2:30 o'clock at the school. The public is invited.

### WEDNESDAY

The Women's auxiliary of the Episcopal church will meet at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. M. K. Brown.

Methodist W. M. S. circle meetings will be held at 2:30 o'clock, as follows: Circle 1, at the home of Mrs. J. N. Maddox, 609 North Faulkner; Circle 2, at the home of Mrs. Roy Jourland; Circle 4, at the church. Mrs. W. Purviance will entertain Circle 3 at luncheon at her home at 1 o'clock.

Prayer meetings for women of the First Christian church will be held at 2 o'clock at Mrs. Charles Houk's home, 419 North Somerville, with Mrs. Houk leader; and at the home of Mrs. J. B. Townsend's, East Francis avenue, with the hostess leading.

The Pythian Sister's Study club will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Sophia Elkin, 1010 Schneider street.

The Women's auxiliary of the Presbyterian church is to convene at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Frank Foster, 429 Hobart street.

### THURSDAY

The Baker Parent-Teacher association will meet at 2:30 o'clock.

A social for the members of the choir of the First Baptist church, their friends, and prospective members of the church, immediately following the weekly rehearsal, which opens at 7:30 o'clock.

The high school Parent-Teacher association will hold a monthly meeting at the music cottage on Central high school campus, beginning at 3 o'clock.

### FRIDAY

The Fidelis and Y. M. B. C. classes of the First Baptist Sunday school will give a waffle supper in the basement of the church, benefitting a church furnishing fund. Serving will start at 6:30 o'clock.

### SATURDAY

Women of the First Christian church will hold prayer meetings in two sections, one at the home of Mrs. Raymond Wilson, 410 North Gray, led by Mrs. H. E. Marbaugh; the other in Mrs. Paul Kasishke's home, with Mrs. Still as leader.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Holland spent yesterday in Amarillo.

Miss Gladys Pipkin was a visitor in Amarillo this week-end.

Mrs. Harry Myers of Lubbock spent the week-end here with her husband, who is manager of Jarret's Fashion shop.

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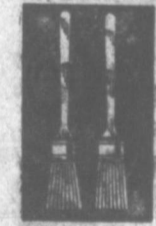
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Mayfield Will Not Be Speaker Here on April 19

A speaking engagement arranged some time ago has made it necessary for Earle B. Mayfield, former U. S. senator, to decline the invitation of the county commissioners to be here at the dedication of the new courthouse April 19, according to a letter received today from him by Commissioner John R. White. "I cannot begin to think of anything that would give me greater pleasure than to be at Pampa on April 19," Mr. Mayfield wrote, "but I am going to open my campaign for governor on San Jacinto Day, April 21, at Willsboro, Wood county. Some time ago my Willsboro friends sent me a long petition and invitation, requesting me to open my campaign in their town, and so I accepted their invitation. I regret exceedingly that I cannot be with you on the 19th, but I know you understand exactly how I am situated. I expect to make a speaking tour through your section during the campaign." Robert Lee Bobbitt, attorney general of Texas has already accepted an invitation to deliver the dedicatory address at the opening of Gray county's new \$365,000 courthouse.

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Before me, a notary public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Philip R. Pond, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Business Manager of the Pampa Daily News and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 411, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

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Big Audiences Hear Sermons at Christian Church

The Bible school reached its highest mark, at both morning and night preaching services crowded houses greeted Pastor-Evangelist F. W. O'Malley, and heard strong gospel sermons at First Christian church, 500 East Kingsmill avenue. The ordinance of Christian immersion was administered at the night service. The congregation is united and harmonious and is going forward eagerly to make this the best meeting in the history of the church. There will be preaching every night until April 20. The sermons yesterday were "Salvation," and "The Price of a Soul." In the first, the preacher brought out clearly that there was much confusion in the minds of religionists, and even discord in the religious world, because persons had failed to observe and to discriminate between four different ideas which in various parts of the New Testament were called Salvation. Remission of past sins is spoken of in some passages as being saved. This is the free act of God's grace; man cannot beg nor buy it; he can only accept it freely on the terms God has laid down. Then the personal experience of receiving this grace, that is, by faith openly confessed, and sincere repentance and baptism, as commanded, each individual may become partaker of the gracious mercy of God and be in a saved state, as regards all the past. Then, salvation is a course of life, and worldliness, a growing in grace, overcoming of habits and ways of sin so that character is formed, acceptable to God and fitting one for heaven. Lastly salvation is referred to in some passages as the final entrance into the heavenly home, the eternal life, of which Jesus had so much to say. By keeping these ideas clearly distinguished, and seeing to it that one made sure of all was emphasized as the true way of salvation in Christ. The night sermon was an earnest appeal to consider the fully and variety of trying to gain the world and indulge in its ways while at the same time neglecting religion or openly living in sin and finally losing one's soul for eternity. Many forceful illustrations were used to bring home to the hearers the importance of the great choice between the world and Christ, and salvation, darkness and the light of God's everlasting grace. There are no day services, the city meetings being at 8 p. m. Special prayer meetings will be held Monday, Wednesday, and Friday in homes in different parts of the city, of which notice will appear in the Pampa News. Sermon subject tonight will be "The Old Time Religion." This will bring a real thrill to all those who rally love God's holy book, the Bible, and

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