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## MISSING SUBMARINE IS LOCATED

### J. F. Norfleet Will Fight Charge of Kidnaping Prisoner

#### PENNSYLVANIA MAY REQUEST HIM FOR TRIAL

Returned Swindler, But Asked No Requisition Papers

#### AMARILLO MAN WAS PRISONER

Alleged Crook Caught as He Read Ranchman's Story of Life

AUSTIN, Jan. 31.—Frank Norfleet, Hale Center ranchman, famous as a tracker of criminals, Tuesday appealed to the governor's office to refuse a Pennsylvania requisition for him on a kidnaping indictment which he claimed is pending in that state in connection with his return of an alleged swindler to Amarillo without requisition papers.

The governor's secretaries said no request for Norfleet's return had been received from Philadelphia, but he was to see the governor later. He told secretary Pat Daugherty that he surprised the man reading his (Norfleet's) own book of his experiences tracking down a band of men who had swindled him. The man had been tried, convicted and sent to the penitentiary from Amarillo, Norfleet said. He related that a reward offer for the man came to him and that he decided to run him down, finally catching him through an automobile license number, and urging him at a pistol point to come back to Texas.

#### Mammoth Oil Pool Believed Found in Louisiana Today

(By The Associated Press) McELROY, La., Jan. 31.—While being gauged after coming in several days ago as a small gas well, the Gulf Refining company's No. 3 well today blew in from a depth of 1,650 feet and is flowing at a rate of 10,000 to 12,000 barrels of oil daily.

The well, in Ascension Parish, was the first gasser to come in east of the Mississippi river in Louisiana and is believed by oil men to have opened up an entirely new field. The newest productive field is 100 miles from McElroy in Southwest Louisiana.

#### New Orleans Couple Robbed of \$30,000

(By The Associated Press) NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 31.—Mr. and Mrs. Lazard R. Hayom were robbed of \$30,000 worth of gems in a sensational holdup here early today. They were shoved into their apartment on returning from a theatre after midnight and forcibly relieved of their jewels. It was the seventh holdup of a series of bandit raids here during the past 24 hours.

#### THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS.—Tonight, fair, warmer in East-Central portion; Wednesday fair, somewhat colder in the Panhandle.  
EAST TEXAS.—Tonight, partly cloudy, warmer in Northwest portion; Wednesday, partly cloudy, warmer in Northeast and Southwest portions.  
OKLAHOMA.—Tonight, fair, warmer in East and South portions; Wednesday fair, somewhat colder in West and North portion.

#### Bandits Say It With Flowers

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—Two bandits said it with flowers, when they gained entrance to the home of Fred Klein, head of a printing house, overpowered members of the household, and escaped with jewels and furs valued at \$15,000 last night.  
Mr. Klein was ill in bed. The pair with a box resembling flowers inquired "How is Mr. Klein?" We've brought him some flowers."  
Once inside, they dropped the box, drew weapons and pushed a maid into a closet. Mrs. Klein was forced into another, and while one man chatted with Mr. Klein about his health and kept him covered with a pistol, the other ransacked the apartment. They both fled.

#### GRAND-PARENT CALLED 'NUTTY'

#### "Fittied" Ancestors of Hickman Described in Trial

HALL OF JUSTICE, Los Angeles, Jan. 31.—Further testimony that traces of insanity were exhibited in several generations of the family of William Hickman, kidnaper and slayer of Marian Parker, was presented in Superior Court here today in the youth's sanity trial.

Adoption from Spencer Lane, 60, of Hartford, Ark., in which he characterized the defendant's grandfather, Otto Buck, as "crazy" was read into the record by Jerome K. Walsh, defense attorney.

Lane deposed that the defendant's grandfather, Otto Buck, was what he called a "nutty guy."

"He had epileptic fits and was what I called a fittied feller," the deposition said.

Lane declared Buck didn't have "sense enough to say anything when he was in a fit."

"He was what I call crazy," the Ozarkian said.

"He didn't have sense enough to go to work and earn a living."

The state's cross examination of the Arkansas witness which was Asa Keyes was taken by the learned in court by District Attorney (er's) deputy, James Costello, who accompanied Walsh on the Middle West tour for evidence.

Costello, brought out that Lane's opinion of Buck's insanity was based mainly on his "fittied" tendencies. The witness also admitted that Buck did support his wife by his labor.

Mrs. Marshall Smith of Sugar Creek, Mo., declared in a deposition she was a nurse at the Little Rock, Ark., state hospital for nervous diseases from 1912 to 1915, and that she attended Mrs. Eva Hickman

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#### FIRST ILL WILL SHOWN IN TRIP OF LINDBERGH

Guatemalans Cheer for Sandino and South America

#### ACTION IS AFTER FLIER LEAVES

Lindy Smiles at Pretty Venezuela Girl, Says Dispatch

(By The Associated Press) ST. THOMAS, VIRGIN ISLANDS, Jan. 31.—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh was sighted over the island of St. Kitts at 2:30 p. m. Local time (2:30 Eastern Standard time.) (St. Kitts is about 100 miles in an airplane from St. Thomas.)

#### They're Defending Hickman



Jerome S. Walsh (left) of Kansas City is chief defense counsel for William Edward Hickman in his trial in Los Angeles for the slaying of little Marian Parker. To the right is Richard Cantillon, young Los Angeles attorney who is assisting Walsh.

(By The Associated Press) GUATEMALA CITY, Guatemala, Jan. 31.—What has become known as the "Sandino affair," has developed here in connection with the flights through Guatemala of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh to the south and Deudonne Costes and Joseph Lebriz to the north.

When the French fliers were attending a reception in their honor at the palace Hotel Friday, 5,000 persons gathered before the hotel and shouted for the Frenchmen. With the French Minister—the aviators appeared on the balcony.

An orator in the crowd addressed an eulogy to the Frenchmen. They had not come, he said, as "deceitful ambassadors." Another speaker then proclaimed that "Central America, today more than ever, has need of the friendship of great and cultured peoples like those of glorious France."

Sandino Called Martyr "Viva Francis! Viva Central America! Viva Nicaragua! Viva Sandino, Martyr!" The crowd shouted in acclaiming the orators.

President Chacon and the diplomatic corps, including Arthur H. Geissler, American minister, were among the guests at the reception among the crowd shouted their praise for the rebel general against whom American Marines are fighting in Nicaragua.

Local newspapers also published what was represented to be an interview with Costes and Lebriz saying Lindbergh told them the Guatemala aviation field was unserviceable. Although the aviators told the Associated Press that the interview was unfounded, the papers have published no denial.

When the Frenchmen left for Mexico City they used gasoline left behind by Lindbergh at the American legation. Their own had been delayed several days if they had waited to obtain elsewhere the kind required.

CARACAS, Venezuela, Jan. 31.—

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#### Budget System Will Be Adopted for City Finances—Appointments Are Confirmed by the Commission

Pampa's new city commission and its city manager spent more than four hours last night in receiving propositions and assimilating data on which to base action.

The commission intends to adopt a tentative budget, and most of the expenditures of the year are to be based upon this budget. Financial measures have been under advisement pending completion of the budget, but it is expected that the work will be well in hand within a short time.

Several city officers and employees were confirmed by the commission after formal appointment by City Manager Gwin. These include C. O. Busby, city assessor and recorder; Andy Crocker, water superintendent; John V. Andrews, chief of police; and G. A. Latus, who cares for the fire trucks.

The proposal to contribute \$50 monthly toward the salary and expense of a Red Cross nurse was taken under advisement along with the paving petition. Action on these projects likely will be taken next Monday night. Before that time, Manager Gwin will be out of the city several days on official business.

#### FLIVER PLANE FLYING

(By The Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Harry J. Brooks, piloting the Ford flivver monoplane, took off from the naval air station field this morning at 8:55 a. m., for Detroit. He expected to make the trip in one hop in about 5 1-2 hours.

#### BRIEF MESSAGE INDICATES ALL WELL ABOARD

Safe in Florida Waters and Moving Toward Cuban Port

#### BELIEVE WIRELESS OUT OF ORDER

Navy Fears Quieted as Sister to Ill-Fated S-4 Located

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Fears that another disaster like that of the submarine S-4 had overtaken the Navy were dispelled today with the news that the S-3 was safe in Florida waters and steaming toward Cuba.

Missing since sun-down last Saturday, the S-3, sister of the S-4 was found last night at 9 o'clock. Her position, given in a message to the Navy department by Rear Admiral Frank H. Brumby, commanding the control force of which the submarine was a part, was latitude 27.60 Longitude 74.97. The message, relayed by Admiral Brumby from the commander of submarine division three, added that the S-3 was proceeding under her own power to Guantanamo, Cuba, but gave no other details.

When she disappeared last Saturday the S-3 and her convoy were 100 miles south of Cape Hatteras. The submarine passed from sight of her sister ships during a storm and until last night no word was received from her.

Although details are lacking, the message of the S-3's safety appeared to bear out the belief of officers here that she had suffered damage to her radio and although unable to report her position was steaming south on her own course.

#### Dispute Over Gate Results in Shooting of a Childress Man

CHILDRESS, Jan. 31.—Andy Green, 47, farmer, who lives 18 miles north of Childress, was held on a charge of murder today for the slaying of A. A. Moore, 76, a neighbor.

Green made a statement explaining the shooting. District Attorney James Mahan said. In this statement it was said that Moore had locked a gate on his farm and refused passage.

The grand jury, convened by Judge C. C. Small, is expected to investigate the shooting.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fenberg returned last night from an extensive buying trip to St. Louis, Chicago and points east. Mr. Fenberg returned two days earlier than he intended in order to pay his poll tax.

#### Political Page in News Tomorrow

Tomorrow the Pampa Daily News will have a political announcement page, on which a number of office seekers will formally indicate their candidacy subject to the coming Democratic primary.

Prospective candidates may obtain their announcements in this special department by making arrangements with the News before 10 o'clock tomorrow.

## BLONDES ARE VINDICATED BY TESTS

#### PROFESSOR "PROVES" THAT BRUNETTES REALLY ARE THE MORE EMOTIONAL; MOVIES TRIED ON CHORUS GIRLS

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Science, in its cold analytical way, has proved that brunettes are more emotional than blondes.

The experiment was made by Dr. William Marston, a lecturer on psychology at Columbia university; his laboratory was a Broadway theatre;

his subjects were chorus girls, and his audience was mostly press agents.

The more or less emotional reactions of his subjects were aroused through the showing of two motion pictures, both containing some highly intense love scenes. The scientific instruments used were described by Dr. Marston as the sphygmomanometer and the Pneumograph. And these were supplemented by the more common methods of holding hands.

The tests showed that brunettes in every instance became more highly

aroused by the amorous scenes than their blonde sisters, and also that the brunettes slightly anticipated the climax, reaching her highest emotion just before the high point in the screen drama.

Dr. Marston explained in his experiment he used the Pneumograph for recording frequency and volume of respiration and the Sphygmomanometer for registering systolic blood pressure and its corresponding nervous reaction.

The projection of the love scenes caused the blood pressure of the brunettes to mount from a low of

80 heart beats per minute to a high of 136, while that of the blondes moved only from 84 to 128. The fluctuations of the respirations of the brunettes were rather violent and were fully 20 percent greater than those of the blondes.

The experiment was conducted with six girls, two of opposite types being subjected to the tests at a time. Dr. Marston, at the conclusion of his experiment, said that now that he had tested "worldly, sophisticated types," he would make other experiments with home girls and students.



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 One or more new railroads.  
 New city hall-auditorium.  
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 Expedite road paving work.  
 Encourage existing industries.  
 Invite new industries.  
 Complete water, sewer systems.  
 More and better homes.  
 Extend Pampa trade territory.  
 Develop dairying industry.  
 Municipal band.  
 Municipal airport.  
 Pampa Fair.  
 Associated Charities.  
 County home demonstration agent.  
 High school gymnasium.

**DISAGREEMENT**—National women's organizations are suffering disagreements in proportion to the extent that they enter politics. Every national election year is a hard one to withstand, and while there may be rifts in the heat of the campaigns, these troubles will pass as the more easily contemplated subjects arise.  
 It is significant in American history that no class party has outlived more than one or two administrations. This has been the best evidence that a democracy can exist where its advantages are enjoyed in some measure by all the people. A wave of prosperity can sweep aside a labor movement as a hot wind drops a green crop.  
 Similarly, women have not worked together politically, and it is now evident that any fears the males may have had of a sex dominance in politics after suffrage was extended women were not justified. It is well. In the first place, while equality of the sexes was long denied, there is no essential difference in the ideals and thinking of the man and woman. Grant that women are somewhat more idealistic, and you can limit the influence of this difference to a few interests—notably prohibition.  
 The entrance of women into politics has not purified governmental procedure, but their votes can be mustered where corruption grows rampant, and this added threat is respected. Women before suffrage was obtained had plenty to fight for and to stay together to accomplish. Since suffrage has been gained and some of the glamor has worn off, interest is turning more and more to

party affiliations and specialized civic improvement projects. Women are capable of intense loyalty, and the parties are using this tendency to divide the female vote along party lines. This perhaps more than anything else explains why national political fights are affecting men and women alike.

Many places of women in politics have not been gained, and there will long remain a staunch opposition to the idea that women's place is in the home. Women, by the way, are just about as quick to argue this point as men.

There are many places for women in politics, and there are many places in governmental procedure where women are handicapped by reason of their inability to mingle freely with all interests, swap propositions, and hit a cuspidor ten feet away. This limitation applies about as much to men as a whole, and really intelligent, capable, and influential legislators are all too rare.

Ideals, personal honesty, and good intentions are desirable, but they are mere prerequisites in the art of combating powerful lobbies, mustering voting strength, and putting through measures which will stand the test of time and the courts. There are few women, just as there are a relatively small number of men, who have the qualifications needed in a good legislator.

**WASHINGTON LETTER**  
 By RODNEY DUTCHER  
 NEA Service Writer  
 WASHINGTON—The government has found itself in a bad mess over prohibition enforcement and doesn't know yet how it's going to wade out. It's a gooey mess, for it involves such components as graft, corruption, the hidden hand of politics and the stupidity of some prohibition agents, which is often synonymous with incompetence, viciousness and brutality.  
 These factors combine to make a solution vitally important. In the present row between the Prohibition Bureau and the Civil Service Commission over whether present enforcement personnel shall be retained, it is important to remember that the service was put on a competitive merit basis only after Congress, the bureau, the Anti-Saloon League and nearly everyone else had agreed that prohibition enforcement was a national scandal which must be cleaned up.  
 So, today, the great issue is whether there is to be more and better enforcement or worse and less. The former may take years to achieve; the latter can be had at once and may even be necessary before enforcement can become more honestly effective.  
 Prohibition Commissioner Doran, finding nearly 75 per cent of his 2000 prohibition agents disqualified by simple mental written civil service examinations and with perhaps 10 or 15 per cent more almost sure to follow, has shouted for help and predicted a collapse of enforcement unless he can keep his men. The Anti-Saloon League has been worrying.  
 The plain truth is that no one had ever suspected that prohibition agents were so dumb.  
 The Civil Service Commission calmly replies that it has only followed its usual procedure and that it will continue to do so. Oral examination of the 4500 survivors, including only 500 prohibition jobholders, who are candidates for 2000 agent jobs, are proceeding.  
 A rigid character examination will follow. Then, if in some enforcement districts there aren't enough eligibles sifted from the rest, re-examination will be held in those districts.  
 But meanwhile, the Civil Service Commission has been subjected to powerful pressure, political and otherwise, and if it succumbs and lets down the bars for the existing personnel as is demanded, there will be no assurance of an intelligent, competent enforcement service. The politicians who regard prohibition enforcement as the most lucrative section in the national patronage orchard have shared Doran's dismay, for most of the present agents are connected with some political machine.  
 In eight years, some 1300 prohibition agents have been fired and between 600 and 700 prosecuted in the courts. Of the current crop of 2000, the Civil Service Commission claims to have weeded out the dumb and the illiterate and now to be engaged in disqualifying the crooked and otherwise unfit.  
 Some of the smarter grafters in the service who may have passed the first two tests may have trouble when their records are scrutinized. A man who has been in the enforcement machinery for several years recently told this writer:  
 "I estimate that all but about 2 per cent of the agents are chiseling (grafting). The prohibition agent who can't make \$50,000 a year if he desires is a dud. Who thinks that most of these fellows go to work at \$1860 a year just



for the salary?"  
 Doran, demanding re-examinations, said many of his disqualified agents would turn to graft in disgust. If so, they must have done that by now had passed the first examination, but apparently didn't

must be made rapidly while the sun still shines.  
 Doran had the privilege of replacing such crooks with temporary appointees who had passed the first examination, but apparently didn't

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 I HAVEN'T THE SLIGHTEST IDEA—DEAR! I'M SO NERVOUS—I HOPE IT'S NOT BAD NEWS!  
 WHY! IT'S FROM MY BROTHER HARRY! WELL, THAT IS THE FIRST SIGN OF LIFE I'VE HAD FROM HIM FOR ELEVEN YEARS!  
 WHAT DOES HE SAY?

TELEGRAM  
 30 JAN 30 28  
 HENRY MCGOOSEY  
 1284 LOCKWOOD AVE SHADYSIDE, U.S.A.  
 AM PLANNING ON STOPPING OFF TO SEE YOU FOR A FEW DAYS. WILL WIRE EXACT DATE OF ARRIVAL IN A DAY OR SO. LOVE,  
 HARRY.

WHOS HARRY, MOM? HAVE I EVER SEEN HIM?  
 IT'S YOUR UNCLE HARRY, WHOM YOU'VE NEVER SEEN!  
 CAN YOU IMAGINE!

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# Gene Tunney Will Fight Eliminations Victor in June

## Dempsey Will Not Be Ready Before Next September

(By Associated Press)  
 NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The heavy-weight dance of the would-be champions proceeded today with one of the principals sitting out a number. From Los Angeles, yesterday, Jack Dempsey served notice he would not be in shape for a titular tiff until next September, which is particularly caused by an injury to the right eye.  
 But he declared he would be in condition by fall and he expects no difficulty in coming to terms with Tex Rickard for a bout with the ruling king of the heavies.  
 Despite the temporary absence of the Manassa mauler from the ring, Rickard's revised elimination series goes on as scheduled. John M. Chapman, Rickard's assistant at Madison Square Garden, announced. Chapman said he talked with Rickard by telephone, receiving word from the promoter at Miami Beach that the survivor of the approaching eliminations would stack up against champion Gene Tunney in June.

The principals of this series are Jack Delaney and Tom Heeney, who tussle on March 1 and Jack Sharkey and Johnny Risko, who battle on March 12.  
 Now that Dempsey has declared he will not box until next September, the winner of the Eastern tournament will be sure to fight Tunney, Chapman said.  
 Previously Rickard had mentioned that he might pit the elimination winner against Dempsey in the event there were indications further eliminating would be desirable before arriving at the championship affair.  
 The victors of the two March bouts will be matched into the final of the elimination events to take place in Madison Square Garden some time in April.  
 All of the bouts will be over the 15-round distance.

## Berlenbach and His Wife Off on 2nd Honeymoon

(By Associated Press)  
 NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Paul Berlenbach and his wife were on their second honeymoon today, the differences which had caused annulment proceedings by the former light heavyweight champion apparently smoothed away.  
 "That's nobody's business," was Paul's answer to questions as to their destination, but it is understood they headed south, perhaps as far south as Havana.  
 Berlenbach last week served papers in an annulment action charging that Mrs. Berlenbach, the former Rose Anne Riley of Los Angeles, had not waited the legal span of time between the signing of the divorce decree from her first husband, and their marriage. Mrs. Berlenbach countered with the statement that she had, and if she hadn't Paul knew all about it since he had furnished the money for her divorce-hunting trip to Mexico. She said Paul's parents were responsible for the breach and didn't like her because she refused to learn to speak German.  
 Attorneys for the two made the announcement of the reconciliation after Berlenbach had phoned them that he and his wife had met over the week-end and decided to quit the legal ring and hang up their gloves.

## Wrestling Season Will Open Here Tomorrow Night

Tomorrow night at the Pampa Athletic club, Saffor Clingman, United States welterweight wrestling champion, and Louis Sandova one of the best professionals in his class will meet in a two best falls out of three in the final of the first wrestling match to be held here for some time.  
 The preliminary will feature Leo Chase of Roxana, who has been seen here before, and Bull Young, a fast, hard, wrestler, in a thirty-minute limit match.  
 Through a contract with Elmer Guthrie wrestling will be staged here every Wednesday night and some of the best boys in the country will be charge of the wrestling cards. He seen in action. Jim Bolen will be in an old timer at the game.

## MANY FORMER BIG LEAGUE STARS IN DIXIE BASEBALL THIS SEASON



Aging ex-stars of big time baseball have a way of drifting south when they start to lose their old speed. Heinie Groh, (left) and his famous "bottle bat" will be found this spring at Charlotte, N. C., where he is said to be the highest-priced manager in the South Atlantic league. Dave Danforth (right) and "Death Valley" Jim Scott (right inset) are with New Orleans of the Southern Association while Bert Niehoff (left inset) guides the destinies of the Atlanta club.

(By The Associated Press)  
 ATLANTA—The old timer who often wonders where famous baseball stars of other years have gone will find many familiar names in the box scores of Dixie minor league clubs this season.  
 There will be Heinie Groh, Guy Morton, Bert Niehoff, "Death Valley" Jim Scott, Dave Danforth, Wilbur Good, Gabby Street, Piffy McLarry, Rube Robinson, Milton Stock, Paul Strand, Wilbur Jenkins and others of the "Big Parade" appearing in the Southern Association, Southeastern League, South Atlantic Association and other lineups in the South.  
 To this list there has been informal talk of adding Ty Cobb if he does not return to the majors. The "Georgia Peach," who is in splendid physical condition as a result of continuous outdoor sports since the close of his season with the Philadelphia Athletics last year, might come to the minors as a player, but the greater possibility is that he would be in the role of an owner-pitcher.  
 Cobb now belongs to the millionaire class and often has talked of buying a club and if he should do this it probably would be in the

Southern Association. R. J. Spiller, owner of the Atlanta Southern Association Crackers, has been discussing the advantages of having the Georgian on one of the league's teams. Cobb, however, is silent as to his plans.  
 With what is reported the largest salary ever paid in the South Atlantic, Groh will manage the Charlotte, N. C., team and is expected to hold down one of the infield positions. At various times with the New York Giants and the Cincinnati Reds, the veteran, now 39 years old, played second base, shortstop and third base.  
 "Death Valley" Jim Scott, former Chicago National hurler, will be starting his 22nd season in organized baseball as a member of the New Orleans Southern Association pitching staff. For one of his team mates he has Dave Danforth, once one of the St. Louis Browns' star pitchers. While one of the leading hurlers in the association, Dave still has trouble occasionally with his "mystery" ball—the same trouble which followed him in the majors, players contending the horsehide was "doctored." No one has found the alleged "doctoring" to date, however, in the South and Dave goes along merrily

winning ball games.  
 Larry Gilbert, outfielder of the 1914 Boston Braves; "Oyster Joe" Martina, pitcher, and Wilbur Davis, first baseman, former Washington players, also are with New Orleans.  
 Gabby Street, the first catcher to receive Walter Johnson's offerings with Washington, will be with the Knoxville South Atlantic club as player-manager. Bert Niehoff, who saw service with New York, St. Louis, Philadelphia and Cincinnati during his career in the National League, is returning to Atlanta as manager and will appear occasionally at second base.

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## Hughey Jennings Is Still a Very Ill Man

(By Associated Press)  
 SCRANTON, Pa., Jan. 31.—There was no change noted early today in the condition of Hughey Jennings, famous figure of the baseball diamond. He spent a restful night, but his general condition was not changed and is "still very grave," said a bulletin signed by four attending physicians.  
 Jennings has been conscious much of the last 15 hours and chatted with physicians and relatives at the bedside briefly. He seemed cheered by a cablegram received last night from his old friend and teammate, John J. McGraw, manager of the New York Giants, who is in Cuba. Jennings and McGraw played on the Baltimore Orioles in 1894.

## Harvesters Off to Play Sandies at Amarillo Tonight

The Pampa Harvesters left this afternoon for Amarillo, where they meet the Amarillo high school basketball team gymnasium tonight.  
 Coach Verde Dickey has put his boys through a hard weeks training and they are in good condition for the battle with their oldtime rivals, the Sandies. Stalls, Maness, and Kahl are the scoring men on the local squad, while Salsbury and Walstead play the defense position.

## Giants Sign 4 Recruit Pitchers

(By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)  
 NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Four pitchers have signed with the New York Giants for the 1928 drive, Secretary J. J. Tierney announced today.  
 They are Chet Nichols, drafted from the Jersey City Internationals last fall, Arthur Johnson, a southpaw from Newark, Henry Boney, and Ned Porter, former stars at the University of Florida.

## Eastern Coaches to Seek Cancellation of Lateral Pass Rule

(By Associated Press)  
 PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 31.—Eastern football coaches and officials at a round-table discussion last night expressed disapproval of the lateral pass and agreed unanimously that representatives of the eastern section should go before the football rules committee with the recommendation that the play be dropped and the passing game revert to the status of 1926.  
 While unanimous against the lateral pass, sentiment was just as strong in favor of keeping the goal posts back of the line, the opinion being that setting them back 10 yards made no material difference.  
 Game officials were urged to enforce the rule covering the screened pass, it being pointed out that flagrant violations were now practiced.  
 It was suggested that officials be authorized to inflict penalties for such violations.

## Root and Wilson Have Not Signed 1928 Contracts Yet

(By Associated Press)  
 CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—Charlie Root, pitcher, and Hack Wilson, fence busting outfielder, have not signed their cub contracts for 1928, but the business office of the Chicago National league club does not consider that a reason for regarding them as holdouts.  
 President William Veeck reasons that no player is a holdout unless he refuses to play with his club all season.  
 Hal Carlson, another Cub pitcher, and Captain Charley Grimm, first sacker, have not turned in their signed contracts for 1928, but Veeck does not regard them as holdouts. The rest of the players, he said, have signed and are ready for the training season.

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# THE "CANARY" MURDER CASE

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THE BENSON MURDER CASE

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### CHARACTERS

- PHILO VANCE**
- JOHN F. X. MARKHAM**, District Attorney of New York County.
- MARGARET ODELL** (The "CANARY")
- CHARLES CLEAVER**, a man about town
- KENNETH SPOTSWOODE**, a manufacturer
- LOUIS MANNIX**, an importer
- DR. AMBROSE LINDQUIST**, a fashionable neurologist
- TONY SKELL**, a professional burglar
- WILLIAM ELMER JESSUP**, telephone operator
- HARRY SPIVELY**, telephone operator
- ERNEST HEATH**, Sergeant of the Homicide Bureau.

### THE STORY THIS FAR

Vance's theory is that two unknown persons were in Margaret Odell's apartment that fatal evening; one hiding in a clothes closet, the other the man who strangled her. In no way can the police account for the presence of anyone in the apartment. The door to the alley was bolted on the inside and the man who had come before had been the only one to be seen with her, and circumstances completely eliminated him. There is another man who called while she was out, but one of the phone operators testifies that he had been unable to get in the apartment.

An ugly light came into Heath's eyes.

"We've got ways," he said through his teeth, "of getting damn interesting conversation outa people who haven't no great reputation for repartee."

Vance sighed. "How the Four Hundred needs you, my Sergeant!" Markham looked at his watch.

"I've got pressing work at the office," he said, "and all this talk isn't getting us anywhere." He put his hand on Heath's shoulder. "I leave you to go ahead. This afternoon I'll have these people brought down to my office for another questioning—maybe I can jog their memories a bit. . . . You've got some line of investigation planned?"

"The usual routine," replied Heath drowsily. "I'll go through O'dell's papers, and I'll have three or four of my men check up on her."

"You'd better get after the Yellow Taxicab company right away," Markham suggested. "Find out, if you can, who the man was who left here at half past eleven last night, and where he went."

"Do you imagine for one moment," asked Vance, "that if this man knew anything about the murder, he would have stopped in the hall and asked the operator to call a taxi for him?"

"Oh, I don't look for much in that direction," Markham's tone was almost listless. "But the girl may have said something to him that'll give us a lead."

Vance shook his head facetiously. "O' welcome pure-ey'd Faith, white-handed Hope, thou hovering angel, girl with golden wings!"

Markham was in no mood for chaffing. He turned to Heath and spoke with forced cheeriness. "Call me up later this afternoon. I may get some new evidence out of the outfit we've just interviewed. . . . And," he added, "be sure to put a man on guard here. I want this apartment kept just as it is until we see a little more light."

"I'll attend to that," Heath assured him.

Markham and Vance and I went out and entered the car. A few minutes later we were winding rapidly across town through Central Park.

"Recall our recent conversation about footprints in the snow?" asked Vance, as we emerged into Fifth Avenue and headed south.

Markham nodded abstractedly.

"As I remember," mused Vance, "in the hypothetical case you presented there were not only footprints but a dozen or more witnesses—including a youthful prodigy—who saw a figure of some kind cross the hibernial landscape. . . . Here you are in a most beastly bother because of the disheartening fact that there are neither footprints in the snow nor witnesses who saw a fleeing figure. In short, you are bereft of both direct and circumstantial evidence. Bad, sad."

He wagged his head dolefully. "You know, Markham, it appears to me that the testimony in this case constitutes conclusive legal proof



"When he heard her call for help he was frightened, but concluded she had dozed off into a nightmare."

that no one could have been with the deceased at the hour of her passing, and that, ergo, she is presumably alive. The strangled body of the lady is, I take it, simply an irrelevant circumstance from the standpoint of legal procedure, I know that you learned lawyers won't admit a murder without a body; but how, in sweet Heaven's name, do you get around a corpus delicti without murder?"

"You're talking nonsense," Markham rebuked him, with a show of anger.

"Oh, quite," agreed Vance. "And yet, it's a distressing thing for a lawyer not to have footprints of some kind, isn't it, old dear? It leaves one so up in the air."

Suddenly Markham swung around. "You, of course, don't need footprints, or any other kind of material clues," he flung at Vance tauntingly. "You have powers of divination such as are denied ordinary mortals. If I remember correctly you informed me, somewhat grandiloquently, that, knowing the nature and conditions of a crime, you could lead me infallibly to the culprit, whether he left footprints or not. You recall that boast? . . . Well, here's a crime, and the perpetrator left no footprints coming or going. Be so good as to end my suspense by confiding in me who killed the Odell girl."

Vance's serenity was not ruffled by Markham's ill-humored challenge. He sat smoking lazily for several minutes; then he leaned over and flicked his cigaret ash out of the window.

"Pon my word, Markham," he joined evenly. "I'm half inclined to look into this silly murder. I think I'll wait, though, and see whom the nonplussed Heath turns up with his inquiries."

Markham grunted scoffingly, and sank back on the cushions.

"Your generosity wrings me," he said.

(Tuesday, September 11; afternoon) On our way down-town that morning we were delayed for a considerable time in the traffic congestion just north of Madison Square, and

Markham anxiously looked at his watch.

"It's past noon," he said. "I think I'll stop at the club and have a bite of lunch. I presume that eating at this early hour would be too plebeian for so exquisite a hothouse flower as you."

"Since you deprived me of my breakfast," he decided, "I'll permit you to buy me some eggs Benedict."

A few minutes later we entered the almost empty grill of the Stuyvesant Club, and took a table near one of the windows looking southward over the rooftops of Madison Square.

Shortly after we had given our order a uniformed attendant entered and, bowing deferentially at the District attorney's elbow, held out an unaddressed communication sealed in one of the club's envelopes. Markham read it with an expression of growing curiosity, and as he studied the signature a look of mild surprise came into his eyes. At length he looked up and nodded to the waiting attendant. Then, excusing himself, he left us abruptly. It was fully twenty minutes before he returned.

"Funny thing," he said. "That note was from the man who took the Odell woman to dinner and the theatre last night. . . . A small world," he mused. "He's staying here at the club—he's a non-resident member and makes it his headquarters when he's in town."

"You know him?" Vance put the question disinterestedly.

"I've met him several times—chap named Spotswoode," Markham seemed perplexed. "He's a man of family, lives in a country house on Long Island, and is regarded generally as a highly respectable member of society—one of the last persons I'd suspect of being mixed up with the Odell girl. But, according to his own confession, he played around a good deal with her during his visits to New York—sowing a few be-lated wild oats," as he expressed it—and last night took her to Fran-celle's for dinner and to the Winter Garden afterwards."

"Not my idea of an intellectual, or even edifyin', evening," commented Vance. "And he selected a deceased unlucky day for it. . . . I say, imagine opening the morning paper and learning that your petite dame of the preceding evening had been strangled! Disconcertin' what?"

"He's certainly disconcerted," said Markham. "The early afternoon papers were out about an hour ago, and he'd been phoning my office every ten minutes, when I suddenly walked in here. He's afraid his connection with the girl will leak out and disgrace him."

"And won't it?"

"I hardly see the necessity. No one knows who her escort was last evening; and since he obviously had nothing to do with the crime, what's to be gained by dragging him into it? He told me the whole story, and offered to stay in the city as long as I wanted him to."

"I infer, from the cloud of disappointment that enveloped you when you returned just now that his story held nothing hopeful for you in the way of clues."

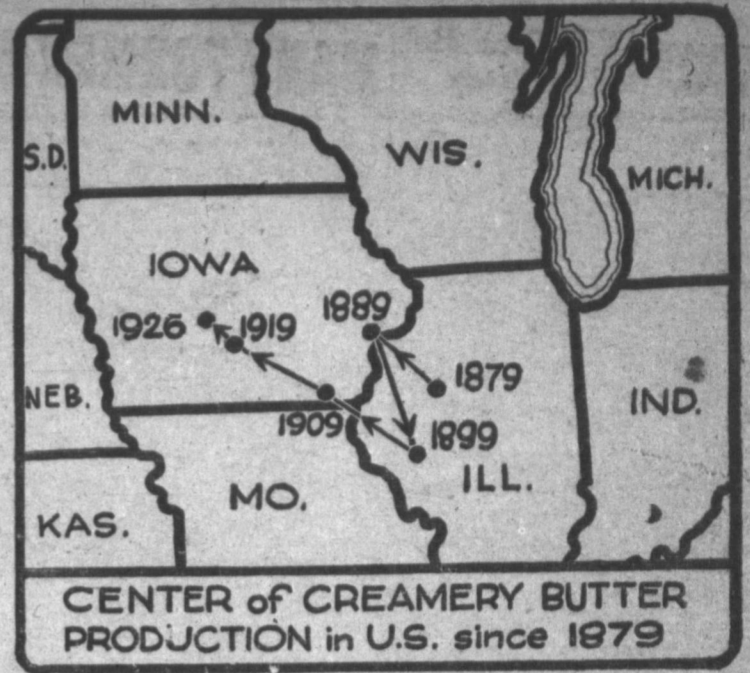
"No," Markham admitted. "The girl apparently never spoke to him of her intimate affairs; and he couldn't give me a single helpful suggestion. His account of what happened last night agreed perfectly with Jessup's. He called for the girl at seven, brought her home at about eleven, stayed with her half an hour or so, and then left her."

"When he heard her call for help he was frightened, but on being assured by her there was nothing wrong, he concluded she had dozed off into a nightmare, and thought no more about it."

"He drove direct to the club here, arriving about ten minutes to twelve. Judge Redfern, who saw him descend from the taxi, insisted on his coming up-stairs and playing poker with some men who were waiting in the judge's rooms for him. They played until three o'clock this morning."

(To Be Continued)

## Butter Center Moved Westward



WASHINGTON—Deflected from its course but once in half a century, the center of American creamery butter production has moved steadily to the northwest since 1879. Current federal data fixes it now approximately in the heart of Iowa.

Since 1904 production has increased 120 per cent, half of the increase occurring in the last six years. Creameries now produce almost a billion and a half pounds a year, compared to about half a billion pounds of farm butter. The demand for fluid milk and cream in the rapidly growing cities of the dairies there, and creameries have been forced into the west for their supplies.

Iowa, Minnesota, and Wisconsin now produce more creamery butter than was produced in the whole United States 20 years ago. Production is about equal in Iowa and Wisconsin; while Minnesota produces almost 100 million pounds more than either of the other two. Wisconsin production has doubled in the last 20 years, Iowa's has increased two and a half times and Minnesota's four and a half.

Despite their great increase in recent years, Minnesota produces three and a half times as much creamery butter as the 13 southern states, twice as much as the northeastern states produced 20 years ago, and more than seven times as much as

all those states now produce.

From 1904 to 1926 the southern states increased from about two-tenths of one per cent of all creamery butter produced in the country to 5.6 per cent of the total amount. The ten western states in the same period increased from 9.5 per cent to almost 18 per cent. Illinois, Ohio, Indiana, and Michigan, increased from 12 to 19 per cent while Kansas, Nebraska, Missouri and North and South Dakota made the greatest increase in proportion of butter manufactured—from 10 per cent in 1904 to 19 per cent in 1926. During the same time the northeastern states, including New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Maryland, and Delaware, decreased from 26 per cent of the total production to scarcely more than 2.6 per cent.

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### Political Announcements

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

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# SOCIAL NEWS

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## Mrs. Warner Urges the People of the Plains To Plant Trees Now

Trees! Just trees! Let's make this year in the Panhandle and on the South Plains and in all West Texas and every where else where there ought to be trees. Why, over in East Texas where our great Texas forests are, they are putting on a campaign for new orchards. It seems like the more trees you have the more you want. Let's help Mrs. Collins reach her goal by planting more trees because her goal is for our good. She has set her goal for us.

And Libraries! Every county in the United States ought to have a library. Every home ought to have a library. But books cost. And not many of us have the means to build up a general library in our homes. Every child in this section no matter where he lives or in what kind of a home he lives, should have a chance to get acquainted with the fine people who live in books, for they are the only good folks, some folks ever have a chance to meet. And it does look like with all the grocery stores and dry good stores there are in every county there ought to be at least one place where a fellow might get something with which to feed and clothe his mind. But libraries are like trees, who have to start them and let them grow. So don't get discouraged and do nothing because you can't have a big library to begin with. But plant some good books somewhere in the county, take care of them, scatter their influence around in the different communities and watch them grow into a county library.

—Phoebe K. Warner, Twentieth Century Club.

## William T. Finley Is Honored Monday With Farewell Party

William T. Finley, son of B. E. Finley, was honored in the Finley home Monday evening at a delightful gathering of friends. Mr. Finley, who left this morning for Knoxville, Tenn., has been in Pampa for two months, and during that time has made many friends who wish him success in his work on a newspaper in Knoxville.

The evening was most enjoyably spent with a number of talented

guests presenting their abilities for the pleasure of others. Mrs. A. B. Kirby, Mrs. Carson Loftus, Mrs. T. E. Rose, F. C. Conwell, and Willis Collins added to the merriment of those present with readings, piano, and vocal solos. The hostess served a delicious plate luncheon to the following guests:

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kirby, Mr. and Mrs. DeLea Vicars, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wynne, Mr. and Mrs. Carson Loftus, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Twiford, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Vicars, Dr. and Mrs. W. Purviance, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Simmons, Mrs. T. D. Hobart, Mrs. G. C. Walstad, Miss Bird Whiteley, Miss Leora May, Miss Bernice Whiteley, Miss Julia Mae Barnhart, Horace Parks, Willis Collins, Bob Campbell.

## Girls Athletic Club Of Central High to Stage Fashion Show

The Girls Athletic association of the Central High school, under the supervision of Miss Gladys Carter, will give a fashion show Saturday night in the Auditorium of the high school building. Live models will feature imported creations.

This fashion show will aid in the purchase of sweaters for the girls of the association. This is the first time that the girls of Pampa have

## Cape Silhouette



The mode swings back to the cape silhouette in this case—a white woolen affair with check-embroidered border.

## Coming Singer Is Well Known by Clubs of Texas

Eva Munster Banks, who will sing here at the Central high school auditorium Friday evening, is a Texas girl who made her first stage appearance in Dallas. She liked the experience, and has been a favorite in the Southwest from the start, besides appearing in concerts in many cities of the nation.

So much has she sung for clubs of various kinds in Texas that she has a special welcome in nearly all of the larger places. Her popular renditions and novel selections make her in especial demand by civic clubs and similar organizations.

Technically, she has attained an artistic skill and ease to be gained only through adding the instruction of the masters to natural ability. All these factors assure Pampa music lovers of a very delightful program here Friday.

## PERSONAL MENTION

W. C. Turner of Fort Worth conducted business here today.

L. W. Lowe, with the Empire Fuel and Gas company with offices in Amarillo, was here on company business yesterday.

C. C. Gillespie of Amarillo is here on business today.

C. C. Golden of El Paso is visiting here this week.

Mrs. Will Jackson, who underwent an operation in the Pampa hospital two weeks ago, was able to return to her home today.

J. C. Robertson of Whittenberg is seriously ill in the Pampa hospital.

Mrs. Violet Carter of Miami, who has been seriously ill at the Pampa hospital, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Geraldine Autrey of Amarillo, who has been relieving Manager K. S. Boehm in the telephone office for the last week, returned to Amarillo today.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Stalls returned Sunday from a visit with relatives in Paris.

Mayor and Mrs. Lee Bivins of Amarillo visited here yesterday.

Miss Fern Hughey, who has been ill at her home, is able to be out again.

been awarded sweaters in reward for their work on the athletic field. The showings will begin promptly at 7:30 Saturday evening. Admission will be 25 cents.

## Baker Teachers Are Entertained Monday in Home of Mrs. Morris

Mrs. C. Cockerill, Mrs. C. F. Ferguson, and Mrs. Tom Morris were hostess to the A. and O. club Monday evening at the home of the latter. The house was beautifully decorated with hearts and steamers in accordance with the approaching valentine season. Four tables were arranged for forty-two.

Miss Kate Talley was presented a lovely gift for winning high score. Miss Lucy Noble won low score.

Delicious refreshments were daintily served and enjoyed by the following members: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Austin, Mrs. and Mrs. C. W. Stowell, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Meek, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morris, Mr. and Mrs. C. Cockerill, Mrs. C. F. Ferguson, Mrs. Irwin, Mrs. King, and Miss Kate Talley, Miss Helen Anderson, Miss Lucy Noble, Miss Della Beeler, and Bob Rose, and Bill Anderson.

## First Lady



MRS. NELLE R. BAKER.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo.—When Governor Sam Baker of Missouri campaigning goes his wife digs her stenographer's note book out of the closet and goes along.

Stenography was the vocation of Mrs. Nelle R. Baker before her marriage and she acted as the governor's secretary before he was elected in 1924.

When Baker is elected to office the note book is consigned to the limbo again, and Mrs. Baker again takes up the care of her home and one daughter, Mary Elizabeth.

Religious work is her one other interest, and she takes a prominent part in Presbyterian church affairs here.

## W. C. T. U. Organizes to Fight Every Wet Candidate at the Polls

(By The Associated Press)  
CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—The danger of electing a "wet" to the presidency of the United States was stressed by national and midwestern leaders of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, called together today to unite women voters in the cause of prohibition enforcement at the 1928 elections.

Mrs. Margaret C. Munns, national treasurer, told the women that nullification of the liquor laws might readily follow election to the presidency of a man in sympathy with the wets.

## FLORAL SHOP TO OPEN.

The Pampa Floral Shop to be operated by Mr. and Mrs. O. Tiedeman of Dallas, will open soon in the Plains Music Shop, formerly occupied by the Denver Cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. Tiedeman have been conducting a large floral shop in Dallas for many years, but are moving to Pampa to make their home.

## LEG IS BROKEN

Will Prather is in the Pampa hospital with a broken leg suffered Sunday night when run-over by an automobile.

The accident occurred at the corner of Ballard street and Kingsmill avenue about 7 o'clock last night. The injured man is doing nicely today, physicians report.

**Brunswick Panatropes—Brunswick Records**  
Pampa Music Store  
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## Mae Peterson Helps Buy Pipe Organ for Canyon Methodists

CANYON, Jan. 31.—Workmen are installing a pipe organ in the Methodist church at Canyon this week.

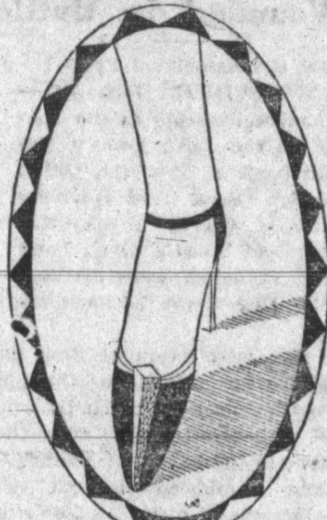
Few people who are interested in the instrument know that the first donation given to make possible a pipe organ for the church was the gift of Mae Peterson, internationally known soprano. Miss Peterson sent a generous check to be used for this purpose before active work had begun on the campaign to raise money for the organ. Her father was a Methodist preacher and she is greatly interested in the music of the Methodist churches and particularly in the musical education of young people within the church.

## POLITIC IS INTERESTING RANDALL COUNTY FOLK

CANYON, Jan. 31.—The political pot is boiling with unusual rapidity in Randall county this year. Clyde W. Warwick, editor of the Canyon News, has announced for the office of state representative from the 123 district to succeed Lee Satterwhite, who is not a candidate.

B. F. Fornabarger is candidate for county judge to succeed himself. Mrs. Beryl Edwards Mayfield, G. R. Reid, J. M. Fite, and D. N. Burnett are candidates to succeed themselves as county and district clerk, county treasurer, tax collector, and justice of the peace respectively. A. N. Burgan hopes to be treasurer from Precinct No. 1. Sheriff John Fry is a candidate to succeed himself, and A. P. Thornton is his opponent.

## Gold Applied



Modernistic applique of gold kid and beige lizard is used on this green velvet evening slipper.

E. Weiss of Toledo, Ohio, factory representative of the Willys-Overland company, is here this week visiting Martin McGarrity, local Willys-Knight and Whippet dealer.

Mr. Weiss was unable to arrive in time for the automobile show, but was pleased with reports of the event.

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## Social Calendar

The Azor class of the First Baptist church will have a school party Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Orville Davis.

The Christian Missionary society will meet Wednesday afternoon at the parsonage with Mrs. Archie Cole as leader of the lesson.

The Presbyterian Ladies Auxiliary meet Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. M. McDonald with Mrs. Alex Malloy as hostess.

The Young Woman's Circle of the Christian church will meet Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. V. E. Fatheree at 7:30 o'clock.

The Altar society of the Catholic church will meet Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Lane.

The Methodist Missionary Society will meet in the home of Mrs. C. T. Hunkapillar Wednesday afternoon.

The Circle of the Baptist W. M. U. will meet Wednesday afternoon as follows: Circle one, Mrs. T. B. Solomon, Circle two, Mrs. R. S. Walker, Circle three, Mrs. T. E. Rose.

The Lone Star Bridge club will meet Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Frank Seal on Sumner St. at 2:30 o'clock.

The Central P. T. A. will meet Friday afternoon in the Central High school Auditorium at 3 o'clock.

The University club will meet Saturday at one o'clock at luncheon at the Schneider Hotel.

A benefit recital will be given by the Presbyterian church Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the High school Auditorium. The program will feature Miss Eva Munster Banks.

The Lone Star Bridge club will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank Seal and Sumner street Thursday at 2:30 o'clock.

The Bachelors Club will entertain Thursday evening at the Schneider hotel with a dance from 9:30 to 12:30 o'clock.

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## Modes of the Moment!

Jeanne Lanvin opens the side of a fitted dress of black crepe satin to show a row of buttons on an underdress. Just below the slender revers the dress fastens with a brass button and smaller buttons of the same type appear on the cuffs. There is a circular inset of dull satin on the skirt and the remainder of the dress is made with the brilliant side of the satin outward.

**MOM'N POP**  
Putting Punch Into It  
By TAYLOR

BILL GERRICK, THE HYENA, IS BOUND FOR THE FLYING FIELD TO JOIN HIS ACCOMPLICE AND MAKE A GET-AWAY WITH MONEY POP AND THE GAVE HIM FOR MINING STOCK INVESTMENT IN THE MEANTIME, THE REAL BILL GERRICK ARRIVES AT THE FIELD.

IS THIS BILL GERRICK'S PLANE?  
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WELL, SINCE YOU'RE SO CURIOUS, I'M THE REAL BILL GERRICK—NOW OFF WITH THAT COAT AND HELMET—I WANT 'EM!

LISTEN, BO—Y—CAN'T PALM THAT STUFF ON ME  
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Forty Mexican Rebels Killed, Others Routed By Federal Troops

(By The Associated Press) MEXICO CITY, Jan. 31.—Under Secretary of War Miguel Pina announced today that 40 rebels were killed in the clash with federal soldiers at Corroverde, State of Michoacan, Friday. He said federal troops under Commandant Juan Dominguez would not return to Morelia, until the rebels were completely exterminated. The federal forces were hotly pursuing rebels, he added. Press dispatches yesterday placed the federal dead in the battle at 16, but did not state the number of rebel casualties.

Highway Commission Is Praised by Moody

(By The Associated Press) AUSTIN, Jan. 31.—The work of the State Highway commission was praised Monday night by Gov. Dan Moody at a banquet at which R. S. Sterling, Houston, chairman of the commission, was toastmaster. Two members of the Board of Control, with which the highway department has had deficiencies at times in the past, said there is no existing antagonism between the two departments and that they expect to work harmoniously. They were Dr. E. H. Harrington, chairman, and R. C. Tennant, member. Several state officials, governor Moody addressed the assembly, which included the 17 district engineers here for a quarterly conference.

Italy and Spain Lashed by Storms

(By The Associated Press) ROME, Jan. 31.—Southern Italy and Sicily today were in the grip of a tempest which has lashed the coast for 24 hours. Four vessels sunk in the Port of Catania, Sicily. There was no loss of life. A 60-mile gale whipped Messina, Sicily, making navigation of the Strait of Messina hazardous. Naples was hammered by heavy seas, vessels in port putting out extra lines to hold their anchorage. (By The Associated Press) MADRID, Jan. 31.—The southern coast of Spain has been hit by tempestuous weather. A bark foundered at Malaga with a crew of five. Several small vessels were wrecked at Almeria. The normally sunny Valencia and Alicante were covered with snow. Roads are impassable.

LINDBERGH---

(Cont. from Page 1.) Islands, among which more than four centuries ago the tiny craft of a stout-hearted Italian, Christopher Columbus, threaded their way, today marked the route of a stout-hearted blazer of air trails in the new world Columbus discovered. Flying Thousand Miles The Lesser Antilles, separating the sun-lit waters of the Caribbean from the Atlantic, pointed a way to the north for Col. Charles A. Lindbergh. A thousand miles of flying was ahead of the lone eagle. At the end of this trial lay St. Thomas, one of the Virgin Islands, where the population waited to do honor to a fellow American. Not only does Lindbergh take with him the flag of Venezuela, he takes also the warm regard of another people. Behind him he leaves a pretty young Venezuelan girl who prizes three autographs he gave her and cherishes the ingratiating smile which accompanied the gift. Taking from her own hand a small glove on which was embroidered in Spanish: "To the twentieth century hero the Lone Eagle, the friendly ambassador of the air," she gave it to Lindbergh. When she asked for something in return, Lindbergh puzzled, scratched his head, and then took a piece of paper and wrote on it three times, "Charlie Lindbergh."

Two Robber Suspects Killed and Sheriff Is Wounded in Battle

(By The Associated Press.) GAINESVILLE, Jan. 31.—Two more suspects in the robbery of the Love County National bank at Marietta, Okla., in which Oscar Boyd Harrison of Goose Creek, Texas, was killed, and Sheriff S. C. Long fatally wounded, were arrested in the Red River bottoms today. The men were captured near the spot where an automobile thought to have been used by a bandit who escaped with about \$9,000 after the gun battle in the bank, was found. It was announced through the district attorney's office at Marietta that charges of first degree murder and robbery with firearms would be filed Wednesday against nine men in connection with the bank robbery.

New Markets for Texas Cotton Crop Are Being Opened

GALVESTON, Jan. 31.—New markets for this season's cotton crop in Texas are being opened and indications are that heavy shipments are to begin soon to Murmansk, Russia and Bombay, India. The first direct shipment from Texas to Bombay will be made from here late in February when the British steamer Tapti lifts 14,000 bales, according to announcement here today.

Opponents of Bus Service Say Cotton Belt Making Profit

ALTO, Jan. 31.—Opponents to a proposal by the Cotton Belt railway to substitute bus service for train service on the Tyler-Lufkin branch today continued their efforts before the Texas Railway Commission hearing here to show the railway lost less money on passenger service and made more profits on freight traffic on this branch than on any other section of the road last year. K. R. Wood of Tyler, railroad auditor, testified yesterday that the losses last year amounted to about \$5,000. He admitted on cross examination by State Senator I. D. Fairchild that, based on Fairchild's assumption of operating cost, the branch made from \$20,000 to \$80,000 a year until about 1924. The deficit in 1926, however, Wood said, amounted to \$8,631.

HOGS ARE STEADY.

(By The Associated Press.) KANSAS CITY, Jan. 31.—Hogs 10,000; steady; top 8.20; packing sows 8.50@7.25; stock pigs 7.00@7.50. Cattle 12,000; calves 1,000; fed steers opening slow, weak; the stock slow, steady; bulls steady to weak; vealers strong to 50c higher; good medium weight steers 15.00; numerous loads steers 12.75@14.50; veal, top 13.50. Sheep 5,000; higher; choice wool-dressed lambs 14.25; clippers 12.00; fat ewes upward to 8.00.

Pan-American Group Opens Way Toward Aviation Treaties

(By The Associated Press.) HAVANA, Jan. 31.—The scope of treaties arrived at by the Pan-American conference has been widened to include the world instead of the United States and 20 Latin American republics. The treaties involved are those dealing with commercial aviation. When the treaties came up for discussion in the communications committee yesterday, Felipe Espil, Argentina, said that if the article limiting adherence to members of the Pan-American union were not amended, other countries, notably Canada, would be forced to conclude 21 separate conventions with the other nations of the Americas. Senator Espil moved that the provisions be open to any country having aviation lines. The committee then adopted an amendment making the aviation treaties open to all countries.

Indianapolis Not Sure That Mayor Can Hold Office

(By The Associated Press.) INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 31.—A detail of police and detectives were assigned to guard the office of L. Ert Slack, Democrat, who sought to continue to hold office as mayor of Indianapolis today, while each of two Republican claimants tried to oust him and assume the position himself. They are Ira Holmes and Joseph L. Hogue. The city council, with a Republican majority of six of the nine councilmen, decided yesterday that it had elected Slack mayor erroneously last November and rescinded the action. This decision of the council threw the affairs of the city into chaos, when the city treasurer, Clyde E. Robinson, announced he would not take the responsibility of issuing the \$125,000 city payroll due today.

Slow Recovery in Cotton Futures Now

(By The Associated Press.) NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 31.—The cotton market opened easier today in sympathy with lower Liverpool cables, first trades showing losses of 1 to 3 points. Prices eased further after the start on the execution of overnight selling orders. March traded to 17.19, May 17.21, and July 17.16, 5 to 9 points net down. The continued dry weather in Texas and the West generally induced active short covering and towards the end of the first half hour March recovered to 17.36, May 17.37 and July 17.32, 16 to 17 points over the lows and 8 to 11 points above the previous close.

COLD OVER STATE.

(By The Associated Press.) WICHITA FALLS, Jan. 31.—A light northeast wind sent the thermometer here Monday night to a minimum of 29 degrees and a maximum of 7 since 5 p. m. Monday. The Fort Worth and Denver reported clear and calm weather along the line with a temperature of 22 degrees at Texline, 27 at Amarillo and 38 at Childress.

S. B. McClure of Canyon was a business visitor here today.

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(Continued From Page 1) there in 1913. The witness testified Mrs. Hickman, who she said was the mother of William Edward Hickman, suffered from depression, and "was stubborn when she was to be given medicine or a bath." Mrs. Hickman was insane, in the opinion of the nurse. The state, by cross examination, threw a doubt into the mind of the witness that Mrs. Hickman was the mother of William Edward Hickman. It brought out that Mrs. Smith was only a student nurse and that she attended Mrs. Hickman in a group of forty patients, who were under the care of five nurses.

West Texas Will Paint-Up for 3 Big Conventions

(By The Associated Press.) FORT WORTH, Jan. 31.—A paint-up and clean-up campaign for West Texas towns in preparation for three national conventions to be held in the state during the summer and fall will be suggested by Homer D. Wade, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, in a circular letter to be sent to secretaries of all Chambers of Commerce in West Texas. Thousands of motorists will pass through Texas who will base their opinions of the state on the appearance of the places they pass Wade declared. The national conventions for the early summer are those of the National Democratic party in Houston and the biennial of the General Federation of Women's clubs in San Antonio. The national convention of the American Legion will be held in San Antonio in the fall.

Basketball Results

AT DENTON: North Texas State Teachers 22, West Texas State Teachers 12. AT AUSTIN: University of Texas 57, Baylor 36. AT COLLEGE STATION: Rice Institute 35, Texas A. & M. 30. AT BROWNWOOD: Southwestern University 43, Howard Payne 26. AT ABILENE: Texas Tech 27, Simmons 20. Let a want ad work for you.

CURTIS OPENS HIS CAMPAIGN

Governor Paulen Says Kansan Can Be Elected

(By The Associated Press) NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The campaign of the only avowed candidate for the Republican presidential nomination—Senator Charles Curtis, of Kansas—was formally underway in New York City today while the headquarters of his fellow midwesterner, Former-Gov. Frank O. Lowden, of Illinois, was closed. The campaign of Senator Curtis was launched by Gov. Ben S. Paulen, of Kansas, in an address before a dinner of the Kansas Society of New York. The Lowden headquarters, opened several months ago at the Waldorf, was closed on the "orders of the gentlemen who ordered it opened," said Mrs. William H. Crawford, who directed dismantling of the office. Her husband had been in charge. Governor Paulen at the Kansas dinner hailed Senator Curtis, who rose from "race track jockey to leadership of his party in the Senate" as "the man of the people." Prior to the dinner, governor Paulen predicted to newspaper men that Senator Curtis, if nominated, would carry all but eleven states and have a fighting chance in three of these. The governor said he would concede but eleven states to Gov. Alfred E. Smith in the event he should be the Democratic nominee. These he named as New Jersey, Virginia, South Carolina, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas and Arkansas. Virginia, Alabama and Texas are doubtful Smith states, he said. He asserted that Governor Smith would run better against Secretary Herbert Hoover than he would against Senator Curtis. Have some very desirable territory open for men of financially responsible standing wishing to open agency for medium price six cylinder car. This full particulars write H. E. KNAPP, 115 W. 6th St., Amarillo, Texas.

OIL TAXES ABOLISHED. MEXICO CITY, Jan. 31.—Dario Official today published a decree abolishing taxes on oil lands, oil contracts and royalties derived from oil exploitation. The taxes abolished have been in effect since August, 1913.

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FOR SALE PIANO—Pino, Beck Bros., good condition, H. W. Dougherty, Roxana, Plant 10 Pampa. 71-30. FOR LEASE—Oil or gas, or farming (1928) section 16, block B-2, seven miles northwest of Alameda, S. B. McClure, Canyon, Texas. 71-30. FOR SALE OR TRADE—Acetylene welder, blacksmith, sawage and carpenter tools. If desired will sell on real. 2x2x3 building for continuing business, inquire at Adams' Shop, Kingsmill, Texas. 71-30. FOR SALE—One same as new 12x24 house, with 8x12 kitchen. This ad will appear but once. Phone 545. 71-12. FOR SALE—One Pedlar clarinet, Albert system, in good condition at reasonable price. Call at 315 W. Francis. 71-30. FOR SALE—Eleven furnished cabins, also 16x14 well built, cost \$140 each; will sell for \$48 each. Will sell one or more. Inquire at Box Cottage Camp, Roxana, Texas. 71-30. FOR SALE—Registered German Police pup. See Mr. Jones at O. Bell Grocery. 71-30. FOR SALE—Lethera baby chicks from registered breeding stock, Price lists and catalogs on request. Cole Bros, Poultry Farm, 1-13 miles south of Pampa. 69-25th. PIANO FOR SALE—Or rent, almost new, also piano box with rollers, call Johnson Hotel, No. 246. 71-30. FOR SALE—Refrigerator, springs, heater, rockers and refrigerator, cheap. North Grand Street, fourth house, east side street. 71-30. FOR SALE—Portable typewriter, standard keyboard, latest model, practically new, \$35.00. Call 497 or 1461W. 71-30. FOR SALE—Two-room house furnished. Close in. See Ed Foster, Masters' Cafe. 71-30. FOR SALE—1927 Hudson Coach. Good condition, will take Ford Coupe as part payment. Box 1473. 71-30. TRADE FOR TRADE—One new 1928 model Dodge Sedan, will trade for cheaper car and cash. Take up payment \$24.40 per month, light payments to be made. Ask for information. White's filling station, James Road. 71-30. FOR TRADE—Modern Brunswick well located in city of Toluca, Kans, for exchange of similar property in Pampa, Texas. Call G. Phillips, Box 428, Pampa, Texas. 71-30.



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