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MASS MEETING CALLED TONIGHT

Two Robbers Obtain \$715,000 From Cicero, Ill. Firm

WATCHMEN OF FACTORY ARE BOUND FIRST

Loot Is in Securities, Jewelry, Formulas and Records

"INSIDE JOB" IS HINTED TODAY

Two Safes Cracked by One of Pair—Files Are Taken

CHICAGO, March 8.—(AP)—Two robbers bound watchmen of the Borin Manufacturing company of Cicero early today and looted safes of \$715,000 in negotiable securities and jewelry.

They also took patent formulas, contracts and a list of customers on the company, manufacturers of picture frames and mirrors, which President Nathan Borin said were worth \$300,000.

The loot includes \$500,000 in non-negotiable stock of the company, \$100,000 in stock of each of two subsidiary firms, the Master Art Corporation and the Limits Industrial corporation; \$8,000 in stocks and bonds owned by Borin, and \$7,000 worth of jewelry belonging to Mrs. Borin.

The president of the company, who owned approximately 90 per cent of the missing stock, said he believed it was an "inside job."

Gaining entrance through a coal chute, the robbers, one of whom was masked, overpowered the engineer, Leon Malinowski, and the watchman, Anton Snyder. Both were bound and guarded by one man, while the other obtained tools from the engineroom and broke open two safes in the office.

Texas Attempts Fail
 SAN ANTONIO, March 8.—(AP)—Reports from Kerrville today that two unsuccessful attempts had been made to rob safes there last night led police here to believe that an intensive law enforcement campaign which they have carried on this week had driven a gang of crackers out of town.

Last night detective patrols swept the streets again and 50 persons were arrested as vagrants or for minor offenses. At Kerrville a filling station was tampered with, but the thieves were unable to open it. A gun store was ransacked and 20 guns and pistols taken.

Medical Society Is Formed With Martin as First President

A Pampa Medical Society, with Dr. A. E. Martin as president, was organized here last night at a dinner meeting held at the Pampa hospital.

Other officers include Dr. A. Cole, leaving Alanreed for McLean, Phoebe secretary-treasurer.

The physicians present included J. A. Odom, A. E. Martin, A. Cole, R. A. Webb, C. D. Hunter, W. B. Wild, and W. Purviance.

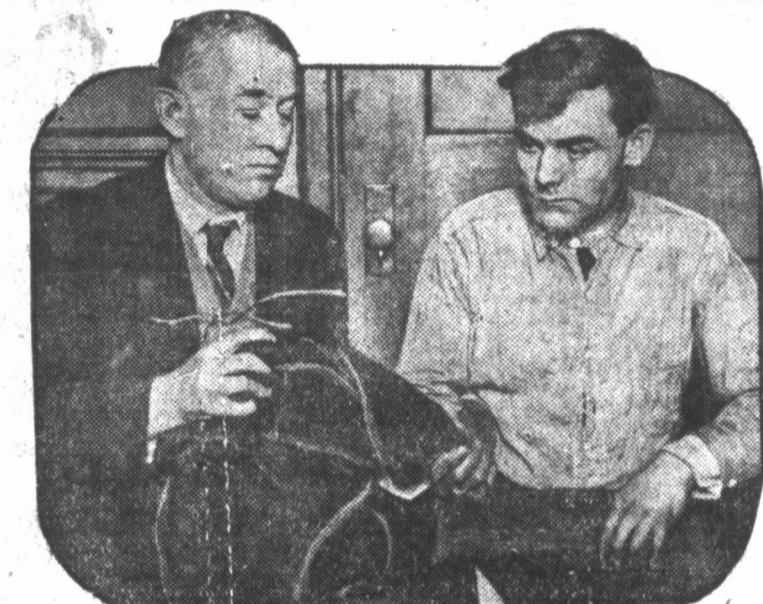
Another meeting will be held Monday evening at the hospital, and all physicians in the city are urged to be present. One of the subjects under discussion is the handling of charity cases.

Miss Boll Wants Europe Flight

HAVANA, March 8.—(AP)—Charles A. Levine, who arrived here with Miss Mabel Boll in the trans-Atlantic plane Columbia on Tuesday, announced today that he would leave at 3 p. m. on his return flight. He will stop at Palm Beach, Miami, St. Petersburg, Fla., and Charleston, S. C. He expects to arrive in New York on Sunday.

Miss Boll, known as "the Queen of Diamonds," was intent on returning to New York by plane but uppermost in her mind was a flight to Europe.

Father Who Drowned Two Sons



Because he feared there was not much chance of their success in life, George Allen Chisholm, World War veteran and father of three sons, induced two of his boys, George, 9, and Edgar, 7, to walk off a plank into the Indiana Harbor ship canal, where they were drowned. Chisholm is shown above (right) telling the story to Chief of Police James W. Reagan of East Chicago, Ind. Below is Mrs. Helen Lawrence, housekeeper for Chisholm, with Bobby, 5, third son of the veteran.

RAILROAD CELEBRATION FRIDAY WILL INCLUDE SCHOOL PARADE

Tomorrow is the day on which the residents of Pampa and community will celebrate the signing of the contract between Frank Kell and a committee representing the City of Pampa.

The Clarendon college band has been secured for the day and will play in various parts of the city. At 11 o'clock a parade will be formed at the Central high school with all the school children in line. Headed by the Clarendon college band the parade will go south on Cuyler street to the First National bank, then it will turn east to Barnes street, then south on Barnes street to the Baker school, where the pupils of that school will join the parade.

It will then go west to the Jitney Jungle store and turn north on Cuyler street to the Gray County state bank, following Foster avenue west to the Mariand filling station, and turning north to Francis avenue, where it will return to the Central school.

Leaving the Central school, the Clarendon band will lead the pupils of the Baker school south on Cuyler street to the Jitney Jungle store and then east to the Baker school.

A Whippet coach will be given away by the merchants of the city. Any person over eighteen years of age may register at a booth on Albert square where the car will be on display. At 8 o'clock the winner of the car will be announced.

Jury Out Today in Damage Suit

The jury in the F. F. Todd versus City of Pampa \$35,000 damage suit commenced deliberations this morning at 8 o'clock and had not reached a verdict at press time.

Lawyers finished examining the witnesses yesterday afternoon and completed arguing the case at 10 o'clock last night.

There will be no cases heard tomorrow because of the county seat removal election.

LAKETON TOLD OF KELL ROAD AND ELECTION

Inter-Community Cooperation Is Stressed by Local Men

HIGHWAY 33 IS ANOTHER TOPIC

Pampa Against Change in Route in Wheeler County

The spirit of co-operation between a city such as Pampa and the nearby communities like Laketon, was the topic of last night's session held at the Laketon school. More than twenty Pampa good will delegates visited the residents of that territory and discussed the Kell railroad and the courthouse situation.

Ivy Duncan acted as chairman of the meeting and pointed out how the new Kell railroad will give lower freight rates and increase the value of land in the territory. He also touched on courthouse removal, showing that the county commissioners, with one exception, are of the opinion that a new courthouse should be erected by means of the courthouse tax.

F. M. Gwin, city manager, told the large audience that although he is new to the community, he is working hard in its welfare. He spoke of the railroad as beneficial to all and on the courthouse question which would not necessitate a bond election or a raise in taxes. He further stressed the fact that the records are unsafe in the old building and asked that, if fire should break out and destroy the records, where would the proof of ownership of property be?

F. P. Reid stated that Pampa citizens were not at Laketon to tell people how to vote or how to give the railroad right-of-way, but to sell them friendship and good will. He told of the attitude of Wheeler and Shamrock to change highway 38, but Pampa is 100 per cent for the highway's remaining the same.

"We need your co-operation in this matter and I would like one of your number accompany me to Wheeler to come before a highway meeting to be held there Friday," Mr. Reid said.

J. N. Duncan told the audience that he was no orator but talked common horse sense. He detailed the work on the railroad and the benefit all would receive, stating that it would encourage diversification among the farmers; and that would result in increased wealth.

The entertainment was featured by the Black Aces orchestra, the male quartet and the Rose boys.

Those making the trip included J. N. Duncan, Ivy Duncan, E. P. Reid, Jess Fletcher, Tom Rose, Bennie Rose, A. B. Crump, R. E. Fisher, J. Purvis Ewing, Leech, G. C. Malone, J. M. Dodson, C. T. Hunkapillar, Marion Howard, Jack Patterson, Gene Shackleton, W. A. Taylor, F. M. Gwin, DeLea Vicars, Joe Smith, Harry Hoare, C. C. Alexander, John Poe, and Roy Sewell.

Influenza Spreads in Dallas—Don'ts Are Announced

DALLAS, March 8.—(AP)—Estimating that 1800 persons in Dallas are ill with influenza in a mild form, Dr. Manton M. Carrick, city health director, today issued an order that all restaurants and drug stores which fail to scald glasses in water as prescribed by law be "padlocked." He also issued a list of don'ts for those who would avoid the disease.

Correct Voting Is Important Matter in Removal of County Seat to Pampa

The correct and only way to mark the ballot to remove the county seat from LeFors to Pampa is shown below:



Hosts at Paris



When it comes to silver wedding parties, Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. May of Pittsburgh will have one that will take plenty of silver to put across. They have invited 70 of their friends to go to Paris for their 25th wedding anniversary April 27. Mr. May is providing the transportation for his guests. The party will leave New York April 18 on the Aquitania.

CREAMERY HAS RAPID GROWTH

Gray County Firm Has Well Equipped Plant Here

A year ago today the Gray County Creamery was opened here by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gerhard, and since that time has grown from a small concern to one of the largest and most up-to-date creameries, ice cream plants, and butter factories in the Panhandle.

The creamery specializes in pasteurized products. Even the cream used in the butter and ice cream being pasteurized before being used. The milk received every morning from local farmers, is never touched by hand after being received at the plant.

Pasteurization is the purifying of milk by killing the harmful bacteria retaining the flavor of the milk. The milk when received at the plant is placed in a pasteurizer and heated to a temperature of 145 degrees for thirty minutes. It is then strained and run over a sanitary cooler which reduces the temperature to 38 degrees.

The milk is then bottled and capped by machinery or separated into cream for use in the butter or ice cream. This method assures the users of clean, wholesome products.

The cooling system of refrigeration plant is handled by a ten-ton unit ice machine. The milk room is held at a temperature of 34 degrees, while the ice cream room is left at the temperature of zero.

The equipment and sanitary conditions meet with the law and provisions of the city milk ordinance.

The company has grown to such an extent that a plant superintendent has been engaged. C. M. Jensen, the new superintendent, was formerly in charge of the Pool creamery of Amarillo and the Jensen Creamery of Denver.

He states that the Gray County creamery is one of the best equipped and best managed concerns with which he has been connected. The new and complete equipment is the best obtainable and will serve the growing demands of Pampa.

At the present time more than 400 gallons of milk is being used daily, and 200 gallons of ice cream and 100 pounds of butter is made daily.

PRE-ELECTION ENTHUSIASM IS AT HIGH PEAK

Fair Weather Predicted for Greatest Ballot Event

HEADQUARTERS IS AT OLD SCHNEIDER

Central Committee in Statement Points Out Needs

County seat removal enthusiasm will be turned loose in profusion at the Fla-Mor auditorium tonight when, soon after the return of the county-wide good will tour headed by the Clarendon band, there will be a mass meeting of all interested. The meeting will begin at 8 o'clock. The presence of every citizen is requested.

With fair weather predicted for tomorrow, the county seat election is expected to bring out the greatest vote in Gray county history. In Pampa, the polls will be at the Chamber of Commerce, opening at 8 a. m., and closing at 7 p. m.

Cuyler street, under a city manager order, will be closed for the election from the north property line of the C. of C. building to the south property line of the Magnolia filling station.

Early Voting Urged
 The necessity for handling more than 4,000 voters between the hours of 8 a. m. and 7 p. m., makes it imperative that all who can cast their ballots before 11 o'clock, County seat removal campaign headquarters have been established at the Old Schneider hotel, where there are three special telephones, Nos. 384, 232, and 517. Anyone not having transportation to the headquarters should call any of the above numbers that an automobile may be sent for him. Those who are totally disabled are entitled to vote without getting out of the car, and they will be taken care of if the headquarters staff is notified.

All voters who paid their poll tax should bring the receipt. However, there are many who, because of over or under-age rules, residence, or disability, did not have to pay the poll tax, and these should proceed to the polls without delay, as arrangements will be made to take care of them. Those who have lost their poll tax receipts likewise may vote without difficulty by signing a paper prepared for those in such circumstances. Many can vote who heretofore had not thought themselves eligible, and anyone having any doubt as to their eligibility should report to the judges and see if he too cannot have a voice in the election.

Statement Is Issued
 The election committee today issued (See MEETING, Page 8)

Election Data

WHAT—Election proposing to remove the county seat from LeFors to Pampa.
 WHEN—March 9, in all voting boxes of Gray county, 8 a. m. to 7 p. m.

WHO—All qualified voters. You are qualified to vote if you have been in the county six months and in the state a year or more, and if you paid your poll tax.

You do not need a poll tax if you have an exemption claim; if you have become 21 years of age since January 1, 1927; if you have come into the state since January 1, 1927; if you are 60 years of age or over; if you are blind, disabled, deaf, dumb, or have lost either a hand or foot; and have an exemption certificate. Persons who have been in the state a year and the county six months should not fail to claim exemption to which they are entitled, in order that they too may vote.

WHERE—Precinct No. 1 LeFors, Texas, George Thut.
 Precinct No. 2 Pampa, Texas, J. M. Dodson.
 Precinct No. 3 Knorpp schoolhouse, Guy Lawrence.
 Precinct No. 4 Alanreed, Texas, S. R. Loftin.
 Precinct No. 5 McLean, Texas, A. A. Callahan.
 Precinct No. 6 Laketon schoolhouse, Wheeler Park.
 Precinct No. 7 Farrington schoolhouse, Guy Farrington.
 Precinct No. 8 Hopkins schoolhouse, W. E. Glan.

THE WEATHER

EAST TEXAS: Tonight and Friday cloudy, colder in west and north portions tonight. Moderate to fresh southerly to westerly winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS: Tonight fair, colder in east and north portions; Friday fair.

OKLAHOMA: Tonight partly cloudy, cooler in west portion; Friday fair, cooler.

Texas League Gets Under Way With Many New Players

Bad Weather Is Hindrance, But Men Held Back

Despite the advent of inclement weather, which forced curtailment of training Wednesday at Fort Worth and Beaumont and postponement at Dallas, preparations among Texas league teams for the 1928 season are progressing with increasing momentum.

Capitalizing on the excellent physical condition of his athletes, Manager Carl Williams at Wichita Falls has prescribed two workouts daily for the spudders, Texas and Dixie champions.

George Stanton, obtained from the Virginia league and a candidate for the post at first base vacated recently by the sale of George Lafavette to Fort Worth, is attracting much attention among the Spudders with his snappy fielding and able work with the willow.

At Waco, Manager Del Pratt is concentrating on getting his hurlers into shape, but finding it necessary to caution them against overwork at this stage. Of pitchers, he has a round score in camp, and outfielders and infielders are drifting in daily. Among the latest arrivals are Pollan and McClung, dubbed the Corsicana twins.

Although somewhat at a loss to understand why Pete Arzatti, catcher, has not shown up, Manager Gibson of the San Antonio Bears, who are training at Fredericksburg, is beginning to drive his men for a game with a Fredericksburg team Saturday. Transportation has been wired Arzatti, but no word has come from him.

Rumors of impending cuts in the roster of the Houston Buffs have been allayed by President Fred Ankenman's statement that no one, in all probability, will be turned loose before late next week. Although he has a wealth of promising material now, Mr. Ankenman added that he has been promised two more outfielders from the St. Louis Cardinals. He is believed to be dickering for another capable right-hand twirler.

With only one player, Andy Anderson, having failed to sign a contract, thirty-eight pastimers are toiling daily at Shreveport, striving to get into shape for their first exhibition game of the season with the Chicago White Sox Friday. This number was reached when catcher Frank Tobin and pitcher Tim Murchison arrived yesterday.

Although heavy showers dampened players' spirits as well as the ball diamond at Beaumont, the Exporters put in an hour of fielding bunts before a driving rain forced them to hotel lobbies. Good news for the Beaumont fans, however, was the arrival of Tising, an outstanding righthander in the Mississippi Valley league last year, and on whom the exporter management is counting for good work in the Texas league.

Eddie Moore, veteran outfielder, and Tom Clancy, infielder from the Cotton States league, have joined the Cats at Fort Worth. Because of wet grounds however, they were given a rest with other infielders and outfielders by Manager Atz, who directed his pitchers in a brisk workout.

Dallas fans are pepped up over a rumor that Charlie Berry, one of the best hitting catchers the Steers have had in recent years, may be returned to Dallas by the Boston Red Sox. They are saying that if Berry does return Dallas will have one of the best receiving staffs in the league.

EXPECT BETTER LUCK

WINTER HAVEN, Fla., March 8.—(AP)—Defeated by the Athletics in their first exhibition game, the Philadelphia Nationals hoped for better things against the Boston Red Sox at the training quarters here today.

Wrightstone performed well in his new position and made a single and two doubles in four times at bat in the game with the A's yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Cockerill of Moorland are visiting Mrs. C. C. Cockerill.

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Hugh Glendon, Third of Family, Enters Rowing Coaching Game



As assistant to Glendon (upper-left), "Young Dick" (upper-right) learned enough to catch for himself and bring Co. to the intercollegiate championship last year. Now a brother, Hugh Glendon is Young Dick's aid at Columbia with the same chance to

Glenn M. Relieve Luke Sewell at Catching Post

CLEVELAND, O., March 8.—(AP)—Luke Sewell won't do all the catching for the Cleveland Indians this season if Glenn Mayatt makes his comeback as he promises at the New Orleans training grounds.

Myatt, a star in 1924, slumped badly the following season and since then has taken second place to Sewell. If his ideas are heeded he will catch this year when a right hander pitches for the opposition and Sewell will face the Southpaws.

Yannigans Defeat Browns Regulars

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., March 8.—(AP)—The famed curves of Sam Gray and the sinkers of Ed Strelecki gave the pitching of Ernie Nevers, St. Louis Browns pitcher, a sickly hue yesterday when the Reguars went down before the Yannigans 6 to 5.

The Yannigans socked Nevers hard and often.

PIRATES ARE ILL

PASO ROBLES, Cal., March 8.—(AP)—Two of last year's regulars and one rookie were on the casualty list of the Pittsburgh Pirates today. Pitchers Ray Kreamer and John Miljus were the regulars, Kremer suffering from a sore throat while Miljus is nursing a boil on his neck.

Dick Bartell, infielder, twisted his right knee, while sliding into second yesterday and Manager Bush ordered a rest cure.

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MOJAVE DESERT RUNNERS' GOAL

Giant Finns Out of the Race With Swollen Tendons

BARSTOW, CALIF., March 8.—(AP)—The band of Marathoners blazing a trail across the continent turned its back upon civilization today to plunge still deeper into the Mojave desert and to add another stretch to that already conquered in their marathon to the eastern coast.

To a tiny water hole the advance of the more than 150 foot racers was pointed today. The survivors of the next lap will camp tonight at Mojave wells, which lies 31 miles from here. This will bring the runners a trifle closer to their final objective, New York City, where \$48,500 in cash prizes await the first ten, \$25,000 to the winner.

Ten miles out from Barstow the pavement ends. Graveled road way soft in spots, meets the foot from that time on. It is in general a rocky route, dropped steadily down toward sea level.

Today's lineup of starters lacked many of those who participated in yesterday's lap.

Most noted of the missing were Willie Kolehmainen and Gunnar Nielsen, Finnish speedsters, who gave up the struggle on yesterday's 36-mile desert grind. Kolehmainen, favored entry at the start and leader for the first two days, strained a tendon yesterday. Nielsen was forced out because of swollen tendons and arches. He will leave for the east coast in a few days.

Then at a late hour was added the name of Nicholas Quamawahu, member of the Hopi Indian tribe of Arizona, who, having spent most of his life in desert country was expected to increase his third day lead over the rest of the pack. First cramps halted the loping redskin, but he doggedly continued on. Then a sprained ankle caused him to return to Victorville.

To the smallest entrant in the race Olli Wantinen, 96-pound Finnish runner, went the honor of having the lowest total elapsed time, in running the 133 1-10 miles between here and Los Angeles. The wing-footed mite was beaten to the finish line in yesterday's lap by two others, but his time of five hours, 26 minutes and 40 seconds, gave him first place on the elapsed time list. Ed Gardner, lithe negro youth of Seattle, paced the huge field in yesterday's stretch, covering the wind swept distance in five hours and 15 1-2 minutes.

Arthur Newton, 44-year-old British marathoner, passed up more than half the field to finish second in yesterday's grind.

Skeet R.—What makes you scratch your head?
Mr. Dickey—Because no one knows that it itches but myself.

Braves Manager Wondering Which Are the Regulars

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 8.—(AP)—Jack Slattery, manager of the Braves, is beginning to wonder which of the two squads which daily battle in practice session is the regular outfit and which the Yannigan. For the fourth time in five encounters the juniors held the veterans winless yesterday. The latest debacle saw the varsity shut out 1 to 0. None of the Braves seems to have reached true batting stride and that includes Rogers Hornsby, the league's foremost batter. Another factor has been the fine pitching of the youngsters.

Detroit Is Expected to Repeat Its Record of Stolen Bases

SAN ANTONIO, March 8.—(AP)—Detroit led both major leagues in the number of bases stolen last year and Manager George Moriarty predicts the team will repeat this season.

Johnny Neum, Tiger first baseman who created a stir last season when he stole home twice in one day against the New York Yankees, and Harry Rice obtained by the Tigers from the St. Louis Browns, will be depended upon to uphold the team's base pilfering prestige.

Mrs. Ferguson spent the week-end with relatives at Perryton, Texas.

Senators Eager to Meet Cardinals in Contest Today

TAMPA, Fla., March 8.—(AP)—As eager as a bunch of school kids about to choose up sides on the first spring day, the Washington Senators traveled to Avon park today to engage the St. Louis Cardinals in their first exhibition game of the training season.

Manager Harris had Griffin, Roy, and Wells, three newcomers, primed to work three innings apiece on the slab and a gang of rookies to throw in after the regulars got a look at the plate.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim White visited friends in White Deer today.

Mrs. Tom Rose is attending the Music Festival in Amarillo.

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Editorials

WHY PAMPA SHOULD BE COUNTY SEAT OF GRAY

Listeners, I am asking you to remember that the dripping icicle is LeFors; the large house is Pampa; and the "New County Seat" represents the sun. I am going to relate to you a story concerning these and a few others. When I mention different phrases which you will readily recognize and when I read my story, I want you to think of the business world of our city, Pampa.

A long cold icicle is hanging off the roof of a house. Her name is LeFors. The name of the house is Pampa. "Oh! I don't want that new county seat to come and shine on Pampa." Pampa asks, "But why don't you want New County Seat to shine on me?"

"Because, don't you see how fast I am disappearing? Drip! Drip! Drip!" pleads the icicle. "But of what benefit are you to Gray county? We could all get along without you. I am weary of supporting you and keeping you from falling. When you leave, some beautiful vine and flowers might climb up and adorn my walls. Then I can get new, warm invigorating air, and I will smell the sweet scent of life and progress. But keep me so cold and lessen my vitality so much that I wish you were already gone. You also take much food and clothing from my household. Visitors look at you instead of me and give you new, useful ideas. If you were gone all these things would come to me. You can bet I would be mighty glad when jolly New County Seat comes to shine on me," stoutly answers Pampa.

"Oh how can you be so cruel. You never think of poor me, dripping away and each drip shortening my life. Drip! Drip! Drip! wails poor LeFors. Pampa retorts, "Why should I care whether you drip away or not? You never have been anything but a menace to my household." You and your sister, McLean, are working together to persuade New County Seat from shining on me and drying out my heavy burdened roof. But, you shall see that loyal New County Seat, obeying a sense of duty, will come to shine on me, Pampa, the shelter of the greatest and most flourishing household in Gray County.

"Such awful, accusing words, and with me on my death bed," draws LeFors, McLean, who is much stronger than I and who will not have dripped away for many days yet, will get revenge on you. You'll just see, Drip! Drip! Drip! wails LeFors in agony.

"I do not see how a warped icicle such as McLean can hurt me. I have done nothing to her for her to seek revenge. You and she have certainly delayed my progress, and it is I who seek revenge. All the people of my household are faithfully calling to me to shake off you icicles who have barred my door so it could not be opened to let them out. My neighboring houses are clamoring for the same thing. They grieve to see my people so huddled back. Do you think I could be unloyal to such faith and dependence? No, I cannot. Therefore, sister LeFors, I am asking new county seat to aid me by shining on me and melting you icicles. I will rejoice and flourish when he comes."

McLean goes sneaking back into obscurity when she hears these words of Pampa. Although she will never quite disappear, she is dripping away because New County Seat is coming to shine on Pampa. LeFors is too ashamed to say more not wishing to show her sympathy for Pampa, she only cries and wails as she knows her death is approaching. But hoping to appeal to Pampa's sympathy she loudly keeps up her, Drip! Drip! Drip!

"Lo, says Pampa, next morning, look here at the news in the paper. Little LeFors is so nearly gone that by the ninth of March she can be gently laid to her final resting place. "Poor thing," says Pampa, she needs the rest badly. The paper also states that, McLean will be put in the shade to keep from melting when jolly new county seat comes to shine on Pampa. My dear household will soon be able to see the great opportunities of the outdoors when New County Seat comes. That's not far off, for it tells here in the paper that he has telegraphed to the News office that he will be here at midnight March ninth, on a special train."—Evelyn Carter, Soph.

COURT HOUSE FOR PAMPA

The great question or vote that is before the people of Gray county at the present, is the removal of the courthouse. Now is the last chance for Pampa to get it, for there has to be a new courthouse built because the present one is not able to take care of all the business if Pampa does not get the courthouse this time, it will never be

VOLUME ONE

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Many on Honor Roll of Central Ward School

High First Grade
Roy Roch, Rex Rose, Chester Hunkapillar, Armine Edmonston, Elizabeth Mullinax, Martha Price, Mary Loree Crocker, Marie Barnard, Jeanne Muffee, Jeanette Cole, Leona Hurst, Katharine Barrett, Charlotte Rhea Malone, Edith Beckham, Edwinna Gilbert, Betty May Van Arsdale, Roy Lee Jones, John Mahoney, Jr., Marybelle Crawford, Sarah Pafford, Farrington Lewis, Thomas Brabham, Carroll Haines, Gerald Hammer, Charles Shelton, J. C. Alexander, Idelle Rice, Eleanor Guber, Virgie Davis, David Purinton, Victor Watts, Etta Marie Little, Pauline Barrett, Ernest Barksdale, Ned Prichard.

HONOR ROLL FOR LOW PRIMER

Winfrey Moore, Jewel Farmer, Alcega Kerns, Darrell Williamson, Roscoe Davis, Catherine Culberson, Mauriel Trice.

SECOND GRADE ROLL

Peggy Ann Sweatman, Howard Wood, Georgia B. Reeger, Kenneth New.

THIRD GRADE ROLL

Bob Mitchell, Mickey Ledrick, Sammy Link, Thurman Finderton, Wade Taylor, Jr., Mary Louise Adams, Lauretta Elder, aJnice Purviance, Mildred Trice, Marjory Davis, Jerry Hancock, Lillian Rice, Frances Hampton, Frances Smith, Dorothy Ann York, Junior Strickland, Glen Twiford, L. M. Ballew Jr., Joseph Hodge, John Dowell Lawson and Leon Williamson.

FOURTH GRADE ROLL

(Straight A Card)
Lawrence McRee, Robert Tallev, Otto Rice, Billie Bratton, Phyllis Smith, Fester Ella Lester, Fay Stokes, Harriett Hunkapillar, Lois Bryson, Alma Watson, Madge Tieman.
Straight A card for past 6 weeks—Herma Beckham, Blanche Stalcup, Jessie Marie Gilbert, Leah Lane, Harvey Reynolds, Wilma Battle, Georgis Lou Prichard, Alvin Kennedy, Sybil Husted.

SUPT. CAMPBELL TALKS

The student body enjoyed an imaginary trip with Mr. Campbell Wednesday morning when he told of his trip to the National Superintendent's convention held at Boston. Sometime in the near future he will write for publication in the Spotlight a brief account of his trip. The students and faculty are glad that Mr. Campbell attended the convention, and they are all looking forward to such a coveted trip in the future.

Everyone knows that the courthouse should be in the center of the wealth and population of a county. Now, the remainder of the county can not compete with the wealth and population of Pampa and her vicinity. The assessed valuation of the land around Pampa, not counting the oil territory, is six dollars an acre while that of McLean is about one dollar and a half an acre.

People of Gray county can not howl about their taxes being raised to meet the bonds, for out of every man's taxes each year twenty-five cents on every hundred dollar valuation are set aside for courthouse and jail fund. Now this amounts to about twenty-five thousand dollars a year, enough to take care of the bonds that are voted. In ten years this will amount to two hundred and fifty thousand dollars and that is almost enough to build a beautiful courthouse. Now, look at this situation from this view point; a courthouse is going to be built because we have to have one. So take for instance, if it did raise the taxes, would it not be better to pay on the courthouse here, than pay the same amount and have it at LeFors?

The taxes paid on the south side of the county are not to be compared with the taxes of this side. Pampa and her vicinity pay over seventy-five percent of the taxes of Gray county. It seems to me that this ought to be enough to convince anybody that Pampa is the only place for the county seat. Of course, the oil boom has increased Pampa's population a great deal, but did the people ever stop to think that Pampa had a good solid foundation before she ever heard of oil? That is the main reason this town did not have a knock down drag out with her boom. So without the oil industry Pampa has all the reasons in the world to own the county seat.

Now, there are very few people in Pampa that do not get called on the jury. So would it not be nicer to step over about a couple of blocks than to drive out about twenty miles, burning gas and oil and wearing one's car out going back and forth?

Another great advantage of having the courthouse here is that it gives the younger people a chance to see how court is carried on. I'll venture to say that there is not more than one-third of the pupils of high school that know how a case is tried, and in what manner court is conducted.

Ladies and gentlemen, boys and girls, what this town needs is boosters. If I live in a town and can't boost it I'm going to move.—Thomas Clayton, Senior.

THE DECISION

A one-act play in which argument pro and con with relation to the Gray county courthouse is used.

CHARACTERS.

Mr. Pampa.....City of 12,000 people
Mr. McLean.....City of 5,000 people
Mr. Alarreed.....City of 1,000 people
Mr. LeFors.....Town of 200 people
Mr. Farmer.....Group of 500 people

As the curtain rolls up, Mr. Pampa can be seen building up his community and transacting oil business. Mr. McLean enters.

Mr. Pampa: Good morning Mr. McLean. (McLean looks angry.)

Mr. McLean: What do you mean, good morning? You know good and well that the Gray county courthouse should be left at LeFors.

Mr. Pampa: Now, now, Mr. McLean, I didn't intend to cause any hard feeling, but you know that I should own the county courthouse. Just think what I have to offer: one good railroad and another soon, hotels and rooming houses galore, a good sewer system, water system, light system, good telephone connections, and the best fire fighting department in the county.

Mr. LeFors: (Who has just entered) Yes, but what have you to counterbalance my beauty and quietness?

Mr. McLean: Yes, what have you to combat these things?

Mr. Pampa: My dear friends, I'm afraid you are very badly misinformed. Just think of the opinion a town fifteen miles off the railroad would give to the president of the United States if he were to visit Gray county? It would be a disgrace to have a county seat of this nature. Wait a minute; here comes Mr. Alarreed; we'll see what he has to say.

Mr. Alarreed: Yes, Mr. Pampa, you old selfish fool, I would remind you of the Golden Rule. How would you

like to have the courthouse moved to McLean? McLean has a good railroad.

Mr. Pampa: I'm sorry gentlemen, but the Golden Rule has nothing to do with the courthouse. What did McLean do in 1908; she tried to have the courthouse then, but it was to be moved to her city.

(Enter Mr. Farmer)

Mr. Farmer: Mr. Pampa, I'd like to ask you a question. What have you to say about plunging the county into debt for this new courthouse?

Mr. Pampa: In answer to your question, Mr. Farmer, I would inform you that a courthouse must be built, whether it be in Pampa or LeFors.

Mr. Farmer: I see your point, Mr. Pampa and I don't mind telling you that I favor the courthouse being built in Pampa.

(Exit Mr. McLean, grumbling)
Mr. Alarreed: Mr. Farmer, you are right, three-fourths of the taxable wealth of the county is in Pampa.

(Exit Mr. LeFors)
Mr. Pampa: Thank you boys, we will have a few paved roads so that you can get to court on time.

Mr. Alarreed: Yes, and have a good hotel to stay in while you are at court.

Mr. Farmer: I always knew that Pampa was a good guy. Besides, he's the center of population of the county.

Mr. Pampa: (Starting to exit) See you later. Be sure to vote for the removal of the courthouse. (Exit.)

Mr. Farmer and Mr. Alarreed. (Together) Courthouse! Pampa! Oh, Boy!

(Curtain)

—By Lewis Fogleman

MISS REED PRAISED

We are glad to announce that because of the good work in dramatics sponsored by Miss VeLore Reed the annual is almost paid for. Miss Reed certainly deserves much credit for the wonderful success of plays this year. Let every one boost Miss Reed and the annual staff. Buy your annual now!

Seniors Win the Popularity Contest for The Harvester

Angela Ballew and Thomas Clayton seniors were victorious in the recent popularity contest. It has been a long and hard fight for them with Melba Graham and Archie Walstad winning close second place. We seniors are proud to claim the winners and will appreciate a full picture of them in our "Harvester."

The score is as follows:

- Seniors
Angela Ballew, 14,875.
Thomas Clayton, 14,425.
Juniors
Melba Graham, 10,956.
Archie Walstad, 11,715.
Sophomores
Violet Schafer, 6,400.
Delmar Hoskinson, 5,750.
Freshmen
Cinita Spurlock, 8,220.
Howard Hawk, 8,245.

Essay Contests Are Attracting Interest

Much excitement has been created in the series of five local essay contests which are being conducted to determine the representative for the Interscholastic league meet.

At present Lewis Fogleman is one point ahead of Dee Blythe. The judges of the third contest were Mrs. G. C. Walstad, Rev. W. L. Evans, and Mrs. Edwin Vicars, who proved very competent. A fourth contest was held Wednesday morning, but the papers have not been judged as yet.

FOR SALE—Fine Jersey cow giving milk, furniture, and chickens, 208 South Ash Street.

Yale—Yale

Bob Kahl—I'm going to Yale. Swede Friend—Dat ban nothing. I ban to yall sixty days.

Man (to angry wife)—Don't quarrel with me on the street. What have we got home for??

Central Ward News

March the 1 was a very important day in Mrs. Lester's room as it was Carol Haines' birthday. Carroll brought the treats for each one in the room and he received several nice little gifts. We had a nice little party and each one went home wishing Carroll many happy returns of the day.

Grades of the Central Ward school enjoyed their first show at the Res. It was a splendid show and the comedy was very good also. We all think that it is very nice of Mrs. Hicks and school authorities to make it possible for us to have such pleasures.

Mr. Campbell has returned from Boston and the pupils and teachers of Central ward are glad to have him here to com around once in awhile to encourage and help us in our work.

New pupils are being enrolled in this ward all the time. Of course we lose some once in awhile but we gain more than we lose. There are 239 in the first and second grades and 257 in the third and fourth grades. We little folks are boosting Pampa for the county seat of Gray county.

Officials Named for Local Meet

Events and coaches of the Interscholastic meet to be held soon at Pampa high school are as follows.

- Boys track, Dickey.
Junior Boys Track, Allen & Meeks.
Junior Boys Playground Ball, Allen and Meeks.
Junior Girls Playground Ball, Miss Roberson.
Volley Ball, Senior Girls, Miss Carter.
Tennis Doubles and Singles, Taylor.
Debate, Taylor.
Extemporaneous Speech, Whiteley.
Essay Writing, Whiteley.
Spelling, Smith.
Music Memory, Donnell.
Arithmetic, Allen.
Declamation, Platter.

News Classified Ads Bring Results

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DAILY NEWS' 1928 PROGRAM FOR PAMPA

- One or more new railroads. New city hall-auditorium. County agricultural agent. Additional street paving. Oil Exchange building. 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.

NOW TO VOTE—There has been enough of argument—now let's vote. There are few people in the county who do not know that the present courthouse is inadequate and dangerous, that a 25-cent tax is being levied for a new building, and that location of the county seat here would be of benefit to all concerned.

Tomorrow is the final day. There will not be another opportunity for removal in the next two years, and the best chance to settle this 20-year-old question comes tomorrow. Pampa has enough votes to carry the election, and there is ample support in neighboring communities to add a nice margin over the necessary two-thirds majority. But it will take a minimum of 4,000 votes to make success certain. Remember this and let no one assume that his or her vote is not needed. EVERY POSSIBLE VOTE WILL BE NEEDED FOR PAMPA TOMORROW.

Remember, too, that there is going to be congestion at the polls and that the earlier you vote the more easily you will be served by the judges. You should bring your poll tax if you have it, but if you have paid the tax and for some reason do not have the receipt, you can vote just as easily by signing an affidavit. And if you are exempt from poll tax payment, make affidavit to that fact and vote without a receipt or affidavit.

Every vote will count tomorrow, and remember, never before has such a large vote been necessary or possible, and it will take unusual interest and a lot of work to get out the voters. If you have

Finding the Way to the Elephant's Heart



WASHINGTON LETTER

By RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—It looks as if President Coolidge may have to speak up again. The Republican party's situation seems to be without parallel. Never was there such a hardy plant as the "draft Coolidge" movement. Each time the president speaks, the candidacies of the various aspirants for the nomination pick up a little speed. Then, after awhile, they all slow down and one begins to hear again that Mr. Coolidge will be compelled to take it. So it was after Mr. Coolidge said he didn't choose to run, so it has been since he declared himself eliminated. And now, again, comes the call for him to explain himself.

There is really only one thing that can put a stop to this little cycle. If the president declares openly and most emphatically that he won't accept renomination under any circumstances, one is not likely to hear much more about drafting him from Big Bill Thompson, Charlie Hilles of New York, Senator Butler of Massachusetts or anyone else.

The Hoover folks are especially anxious that Mr. Coolidge make some such statement since the administration muzzled federal officials here who had been ballyhooping for the secretary of commerce. The muzzling was effected on the ground that it was embarrassing the president, but the outcome caused even more embarrassment in the Hoover

no way to get downtown, call the Election headquarters located at the Old Schneider hotel and you will be given transportation. The headquarters phones are 384, 252, and 517.

camp. It was, in fact, the first real victory the anti-Hoover politicians had won.

As your correspondent gets the story, it happened thus: Senator Charlie Curtis had boiled over with wrath for weeks at reports of increasing Hoover strength. Curtis felt that false claims were being made for Hoover and that the public was being misled as to the attitude of the administration, meaning Coolidge and Secretary Mellon. Under-secretary Ogden Mills and Assistant Secretary Seymour Lowman persisted, from their treasury sanctums, in boosting Hoover and Curtis finally exploded.

Lowman's nomination came before the Senate. Curtis caused it to be held up; Congressman Bert Snell, an Amherst classmate of President Coolidge, carried word to the White House that Curtis demanded less open political activity in government departments. Not long afterward, Secretary Mellon advised Under-secretary Mills that he had better play the right kind of politics or words to that effect. Mills passed the word to Lowman. The gag was on.

Now this is the first time that the hand of the White House has been detected in the current contest. The incident was not conclusive, but it tended to confirm the general suspicion that neither Coolidge nor Mellon were enthusiastic over Hoover.

One of the delegates to the Missouri Democratic convention weighs more than 400 pounds. He probably lends weight to the gathering.

It snows at 7 a. m., there is sunshine at 8 o'clock, rain at 9, a blizzard at 10, small tornado at 11, flood at 12, hurricane at 1, freshet at 2, tidal wave at 3, sunshine at 4. Can anyone doubt any longer that spring is here?

TWINKLES

It looks like a world's record is just something to be smashed. Why worship the ancients?

If you are interested in

memorizing, try the old bean on our new traffic regulations. Or if you prefer, the police will remind you.

With the aid of the Biennial and Democratic conventions the horned toad, and the pink boll worm, Texas is getting quite a lot of publicity.

We hope to "flash" lots of good news to Pampa folk this spring. And our new flash telephone system will be quite welcome, too.

The old-fashioned farmer boy who used to break the "bull ring" now has a son who is an enthusiastic member of a "bull circle."

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

LOS ANGELES REACHES CANAL ZONE, says a headline. Don't tell us Los Angeles has annexed down that far!

A man has invented a fuel-less motor. But you still have to feed babies in the middle of the night.

Strange thing—election time drawing nearer and nearer, and we haven't heard a single candidate denouncing the corn borer.

Some day a woman is going to celebrate her 104th birthday by not taking an airplane ride. That will be Page One news.

No wonder the world is crooked; even some of the stars are fixed.

A baby born Feb. 29 this year will have a birthday every four years. We know lots of people who must have been born Feb. 29.

Political Announcements

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

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT No. 1— JOHN B. WILLIAMS

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT No. 2— W. A. TAYLOR (Re-Election)

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

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY— JOHN STUDER (Re-Election) F. A. CARY

FOR SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR— E. S. GRAVES (Re-Election)

WALT NEWTON JIM C. KING S. A. HURST JOHN V. ANDREWS

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

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

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

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MOM'N POP *** The Water Gets Hotter *** By TAYLOR

WHEN I FLASH THIS BOX OF CANDY MOM'LL FORGET TO PULL ANY MORE OF THIS BUNK ABOUT THE WIDOW DARE. IF I EVER SEE THAT BLONDE BEAUTY AGAIN I'M SURE GOING TO SCAT THE OTHER WAY.

-OH, MR GUNN! I'M SO GLAD TO SEE YOU AGAIN. I HAVE WANTED TO THANK YOU FOR BEING SO GENEROUS IN GIVING TWENTY DOLLARS FOR THE POOR ORPHANS.

FLOSSIE IS HER NAME. SHE'S ONE OF THE LITTLE BEARS AT THE ORPHANAGE

CANDY? HEAVENS, WHAT HAVE YOU BEEN UP TO? AND WHERE DID THIS CURLY BLONDE HAIR COME FROM?!!

SOCIAL NEWS

BY MISS LEORA MAY

PHONE 100

Bit o' Verse

A QUERY
 Life is short, I will admit;
 Should I further shorten it
 By rushing frantically about
 What this life is all about?

Could I lengthen it a bit
 If sometimes I would calmly sit
 Watching any pretty thing;
 Song birds tilting on the wing,
 Youth within the spell of spring?

Could I take a placid way,
 In this hurried hectic day,
 Gladly seeking out the truth?
 Might this pathway lead forsooth,
 To the Fount of Endless Youth?
 —Ethel Burnett Zeigler in the Prism.

Mrs. T. K. Underwood returned Wednesday from a week's visit in Gainsville, where she was called at the death of her brother-in-law.

Social Calendar

Mrs. Marion Howard will entertain the London Bridge club Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Schneider Hotel.

The Azor class of the Baptist church will entertain with tea Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock in the home of Mrs. G. C. Malone.

Mrs. C. Hunkapillar will be hostess to the meeting of the Child Study club Thursday afternoon.

Milady Embroidery club will meet with Mrs. Cecil Noel Thursday afternoon.

The Club Mayfair will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. G. A. Holloway.

The Amarillo Branch of the A. A. U. W. is giving a tea Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Woman's club rooms in honor of the Pampa branch and College club members. Any one who wishes to attend and can take a car, please call Mrs. A. D. McNamara by Thursday evening at telephone 199-W.

Mrs. Billie Lang will be hostess Friday afternoon to the Ace High Bridge club.

The Young People's Bible class of the Christian church will meet in the church annex Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The Baker P.-T. A. will not meet Friday night, but will have their meeting next Tuesday night, March 13.

There will be no initiation of the order of the Eastern Star Friday evening.

The Christian Ladies Aid will serve a chicken dinner Friday March 9, in the church annex.

First Stenog. (Reading)—Think of those Spaniards going 3,000 miles on a galleon.
 Second Stenog.—You can't believe all you hear about those foreign cars.

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Epworth League Party Is Enjoyed Tuesday Eve in Brabham Home

Tuesday evening the Epworth League of the Methodist church enjoyed a lively social at the home of the Rev. Tom Brabham. Mrs. Brown was hostess and Rev. Joe Strother host. The crowd gathered at 8 o'clock. Many enjoyable games were played after which several duet numbers were rendered on the piano by Misses Ruth and Audrey Noel. Rev. Strother played for a number of popular songs which were sung by the guests. Miss Catherine Vincent gave three very peppy readings. At 10:30 refreshments of tea and sandwiches with St. Patrick's day favors were served to the following:

Misses Cleora Stanard, Elizabeth Cravy, Dorothy Mae Ruthford, Audrey Noel, Ruth Noel, Catherine Vincent DeVere Abersold; Lottie Schafer, Nellie Hardin, Amalies Fritchard, Sadie Carvey, Violet Schafer, Oak Alles Roberts, Evelyn Zimmermann, and Mrs. Brown. Messrs. Ralph Irwin, Shelby Gentz, Eugene Campbell, Chas. T. Allen, H. A. Mundy, L. R. Fogleman, Morgan Parker, Clarence Coffin, W. D. Hardin, Frank B. Dunlap, George E. Myers, Hobart Todd, Chester Nicholson, Bert Bradley, R. D. Bansford, Donald Zimmerman, Lewis C. Fogleman, Bob Mullins and the Rev. Joe Strother.

Interest in Beauty Contest in Baker School Is Growing

The popularity contest that is being conducted in the Baker school is proving more interesting every day. The children are working hard and bringing in a nice sum of money for the Baker P.-T. A. At the same time, each room is hoping that their contestants will be elected king and queen of the Baker school.

The three rooms leading the race today are Third grade, Mrs. C. Cockerill, 587 votes; third grade, Helen Anderson, 533 votes; Fifth grade, Kate Talley, 505 votes.

The Alanreed Girls Glee club, composed of twenty members and directed by Miss Inez Blankenship with Miss Julia Dean as pianist, went to Amarillo Wednesday to compete with other such clubs for the championship of the Panhandle district of Texas. A report of victory is confidently expected.

Sunday School Class Is Entertained in McSkimming Home

The members of the Rev. Evans Sunday School class and a number of guests were entertained in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. D. D. McSkimming Wednesday evening. An informal program was enjoyed by those present. The program included a piano duet by Mrs. Forrest McSkimming and Hugh McSkimming and a reading by Miss Williams. Mrs. A. H. Doucette favored the guests with a delightful vocal solo, and Hugh McSkimming played a piano selection. The Rev. D. D. McSkimming told the story of the life of St. Patrick, after which a number of games and contests were played. Mrs. W. McKay was winner of the contests.

A delicious ice course was served the following members: Mrs. I. E. Cullman, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest McSkimming, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Jim White, and the Rev. Evans. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Finley, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Ledrick, Mr. and Mrs. W. McKay, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Todd, Mrs. A. H. Doucette, Mrs. Elbert Thomas, Mrs. Frank Keene, and Miss Williams.

Missionary Problems Is Subject of Society of Christian Church

Mrs. A. Cole was hostess Wednesday afternoon to the members of the Christian Missionary Society of whom there were thirty present. A very interesting meeting was held with Mrs. H. L. Ledrick as leader of the subject, "Missionary Problems."

Mrs. Edwih Vicars spoke of "Adjusting ourselves to Travel and Climates," while Mrs. Harry Marbaugh discussed "The problem of lack of funds to push foreign missionaries." Mrs. W. A. Bratton favored the meeting with an entertaining vocal solo.

A reading, "Foreign Missions in Battle Array," was given by Mrs. C. M. Bryson. "The Missionary is adjusted to a New Environment" was well discussed by Mrs. Townsend. Mrs. Will Kinzer gave a reading, "Prayer of Missionary," while the subject, "Problems in work with Nationals" was given by Mrs. Hutchins.

"The Missionary's Problems in Relation to His Family," was the subject of the talk given by Mrs. Bill Kinzer.

Monday 19, an all day rally will be held in Pampa of the Missionary Societies of the Christian churches of the Panhandle. Mrs. Bertie McMaster general secretary of Woman's Missionary work in Texas will be one of the speakers of the day. Mr. Holder, a missionary from Africa, will also speak.

News Classified Ads Bring Results

Mrs. Harry Marbaugh Is Hostess Tuesday To Bridge Club

Mrs. Harry Marbaugh was hostess Tuesday afternoon to the Just a Mere Bridge club and several additional guests. St. Patrick suggestions were carried out in the decorations, table accessories and in the delicious salad course served at the close of the afternoon.

High score prize was awarded, Mrs. H. D. Lewis, and Mrs. Hutchinson received consolation.

Those present were Mrs. H. D. Lewis, Mrs. H. M. Lester, Mrs. James Todd, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. C. W. Stowell, Mrs. C. V. Hendron, Mrs. Hutchinson, Mrs.

Berry, Mrs. Ed Gober, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Porter Malone, Mrs. W. P. Clark, Mrs. H. H. Humphries, Mrs. Walter Darlington, and Mrs. H. W. Hickman.

Mrs. Dave Pope Is Hostess Wednesday To Ladies Auxiliary

The Presbyterian Ladies Auxiliary met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Dave Pope with the president, Mrs. J. M. McDonald, presiding over the business session.

Mrs. T. D. Hobart was leader of the Bible lesson, and was assisted by Mrs. Todd, who gave a splendid paper on "Prayer." Mrs. J. H. Lavender spoke of "Service," after which a Bible quiz

was held. The Rev. Evans closed the meeting with prayer.

A delicious refreshment course was served during the social hour to twenty-one members and four visitors. Two new members were taken into the auxiliary.

History lecturer—Can anyone tell me what makes the Tower of Pisa lean? Fat Ida—I don't know, or I would take some myself.

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"CANARY" MURDER CASE

 by S. S. VAN DINE AUTHOR OF THE BENSON MURDER CASE

Margaret Odell is found strangled. Skeel's finger prints are found in the apartment. But Vance believes Skeel had been hiding in a closet while the stranger did his work. The thing that baffles police is the side door to the alley, which had been bolted on the inside the night before and was found the same way in the morning. Manix, Dr. Emdquist and Cleaver all lie about their whereabouts the night of the murder. Spotswoode, who had called on the girl, had rushed to her door at the sound of a scream, but had been reassured that everything was all right. Then Skeel is found strangled, after promising to tell who murdered the girl. Heath arrests Jessup, believing him the only one able to manipulate the side door; but Vance demonstrates how Skeel could have done it.

When Vance finished speaking, there was several minutes' silence. Markham sat deep in his chair glaring into space. Heath, however, was watching Vance with a kind of grudging admiration. The corner-stone in the foundation of his case against Jessup had been knocked out, and the structure he had built was tottering precariously. Markham realized this, and the fact played havoc with his hopes.

"I wish your inspirations were more helpful," he grumbled, turning his gaze upon Vance. "This latest revelation of yours puts us back almost to where we started from."

"Oh, don't be pessimistic. Let us face the future with a bright eye. . . Want to hear my theory?—it's fairly bulging with possibilities."

He arranged himself comfortably in his chair. "Skeel needed money—no doubt his silk shirts were running low and after his unsuccessful attempt to extort it from the lady a week before her demise, he came here last Monday night."

"He had learned she would be out and he intended to wait for her; for she had probably refused to receive him in the customary social way. He knew the side door was bolted at night, and, as he didn't want to be seen entering the apartment, he devised the little scheme of unbolting the door for himself under cover of a futile call at half-past nine."

"The unbolting accomplished, he returned via the alleyway, and let himself into the apartment at some time before eleven. When the lady returned with an escort, he quickly hid in the clothes closet, and remained there until the escort had departed. Then he came forth, and the lady startled by his sudden appearance, screamed."

"But, on recognizing him, she told Spotswoode, who was now hammering

at the door, that it was all a mistake. So Spotswoode ran along and played poker. A financial discussion between Skeel and the lady—probably a highly acrimonious tiff—ensued. In the midst of it the telephone rang, and Skeel snatched off the receiver and said the Canary was out.

"The tiff was resumed; but presently another suitor appeared on the scene. Whether he rang the bell or let himself in with a key I can't say—probably the latter, for the phone operator was unaware of his visit. Skeel hid himself a second time in the closet and luckily took the precaution of locking himself in. Also, he quite naturally put his eye to the keyhole to see who the second intruder was."

Vance pointed to the closet door. "The keyhole, you will observe, is on a line with the davenport; and as Skeel peered out into the room he saw a sight that froze his blood. The new arrival—in the midst, perhaps of some endeavoring sentence—seized the lady by the throat and proceeded to throttle her. . . Imagine Skeel's emotions, my dear Markham. There he was, crouching in a dark closet, and a few feet from him stood a murderer in the act of strangling a lady!"

"I don't wonder he was petrified and speechless. He saw what he imagined to be maniacal fury in the stranger's eyes; and the stranger must have been a fairly powerful creature, whereas Skeel was slender and almost undersized. . . No, merci, Skeel wasn't having any. He lay doggo. And I can't say that I blame the beggar, what?"

He made a gesture of interrogation. "What did the stranger do next? Well, well; we'll probably never know now that Skeel, the horrified witness, has gone to his Maker. But I rather imagine he got out that black document box, opened it with a key he had taken from the lady's hand-bag, and extracted a goodly number of incriminating documents."

"Then, I fancy, the fireworks began. The gentleman proceeded to wreck the apartment in order to give the effect of a professional burglary. He tore the lace on the lady's gown and severed the shoulder-strap; snatched her orchid corsage and threw it in her lap; stripped her rings and bracelets; and tore the pendant from its chain."

"After that he upset the lamp, rifled the escritoire, ransacked the Boule cabinet, broke the mirror, overturned the chairs, tore the draperies. And all the time Skeel kept his eye glued to the keyhole with fascinated horror, afraid to move, terrified lest he be discovered and sent to join his erstwhile inamorata, for by now he was no doubt

thoroughly convinced that the man outside was a raving lunatic.—I can't say that I envy Skeel his predicament; it was ticklish, y' know. Rather!—And the devastation went on. He could hear it even when the operations had passed from out his radius of vision. And the himself was caught like a rat in a trap, with no means of escape. A harrowing situation—my word!"

Vance smoked a moment, and then shifted his position slightly. "Y' know, Markham, I imagine that the worst moment in the whole of Skeel's checkered career came when that mysterious wrecker tried to open the closet door behind which he was crouching."

"Fancy! There he was cornered, and not two inches from him stood, apparently, a homicidal maniac, trying to get to him, rattling that thin barricade of white pine. . . Can you picture the blighter's relief when the murderer finally released the knob and turned away? It's a wonder he didn't collapse from the reaction. But he didn't. He listened and watched in a sort of hypnotic panic, until he heard the invader leave the apartment. Then, weak-kneed and in a cold sweat, he came forth and surveyed the battlefield."

Vance glanced about him. "Not a pretty sight—eh, what? And there on the davenport reclined the lady's strangled body. That corpse was Skeel's dominant horror."

"He staggered to the table to look at it, and steadied himself with his right hand—that's how you got your fingerprints, Sergeant. Then the realization

of his own position suddenly smote him. Here he was alone with a murdered person. He was known to have been intimate with the lady; and he was a burglar with a record. Who would believe that he was innocent? And though he had probably recognized the man who had negotiated the business, he was in no position to tell his story.

"Everything was against him—his sneaking in, his presence in the house at half-past nine, his relations with the girl, his profession, his reputation. He hadn't a chance in the world. . . I say, Markham, would you have credited his tale?"

"Never mind that," retorted Markham. "Go on with your theory." He and Heath had been listening with rapt interest.

"My theory from this point on," resumed Vance, "is what you might term self-developing. It proceeds on its own inertia, so to speak—Skeel was confronted by the urgent problem of getting away and covering up his tracks. His mind in this emergency became keen and if he didn't succeed, he began to think furiously."

"He could have left by the side door at once without being seen; but then, the door would have been found unbolted. And this fact, taken in connection with his earlier visit that night, would have suggested his manner of unbolting the door. . . No, that method of escape wouldn't do—decidedly it wouldn't do."

"He knew he was likely, in any event, to be suspected of the murder, in view of his shady association with the lady and his general character. Motive, place, opportunity, time, means, conduct, and his own record—all were against him. Either he must cover up his tracks, don't y' know, or else his career as a Lothario was at an end. A sweet dilemma! He realized, of course, that if he could get out and leave that side door bolted on the inside, he'd be comparatively safe."

"No one could then explain how he had come in or gone out. It would establish his only possible alibi—a negative one, to be sure; but, with a good

lawyer, he could probably make it hold. Doubtless he searched for other means of escape, but found himself confronted with obstacles on every hand. The side door was his only hope. How could it be worked?"

Vance rose and yawned. "That's my theory. Skeel was caught in a trap, and with his shrewd, tricky brain he figured his way out. He may have ransacked up and down these two rooms for hours before he hit on his plan; and it's not unlikely that he appealed to the Diety with an occasional 'Oh my God!'"

"As for his using the tweezers, I'm inclined to think the mechanism of the idea came to him almost immediately.—Y' know, Sergeant, this locking of a door on the inside is an old trick. There are any number of recorded cases of it in the criminal literature of Europe. Indeed, in Professor Hans Gross's handbook of criminology there's a whole chapter for illegal entries and exits."

"But all such devices have had to do with the locking—not the bolting of doors."

"The principle, of course, is the same,

but the technic is different. To lock a door on the inside, a needle, or strong slender pin, is inserted through the box of the key, and pulled downward with a string. But on the side door of this house there is no lock and key; nor is there a lock in the bolt-handle. Now, the resourceful Skeel, while pacing nervously about, looking for suggestion that might offer a suggestion, probably espied the tweezers on the lady's dressing-table—no lady nowadays is without these little eyebrow-pluckers, don't y' know—and immediately his problem was solved.

"It remained only to test the device. Before departing, however, he chiseled open the jewel case which the other chap had merely dented, and found the solitary diamond ring that he later attempted to pawn."

"Then he erased, as he thought, all his fingerprints, forgetting to wipe off the inside door-knob of the closet, and overlooking the handmark on the table. After that, he let himself out quietly, and rebolted the side door the same as I did, stuffing the tweezers in his waistcoat pocket and forgetting them."

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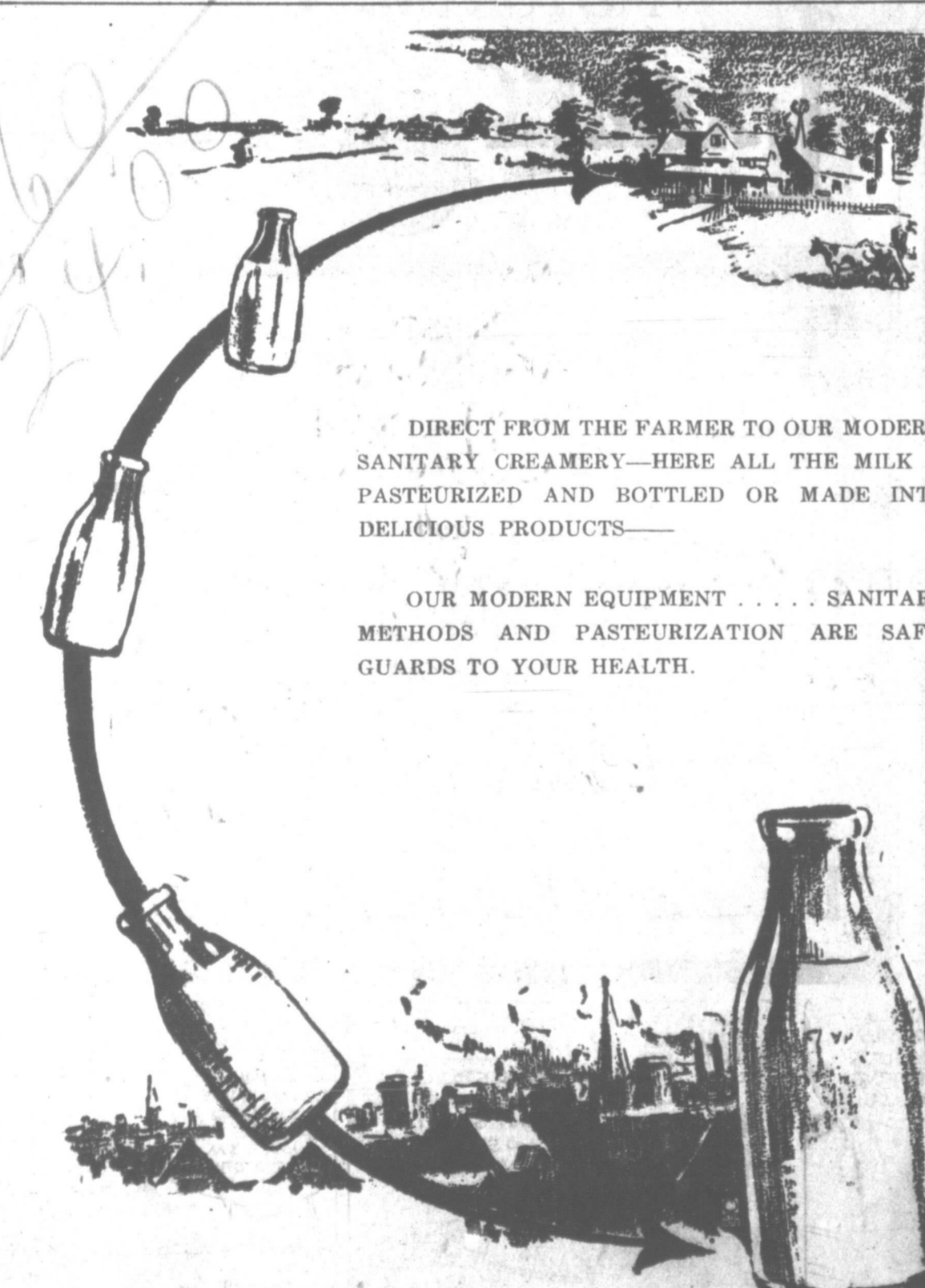
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"Pampa has the greatest opportunity of securing the county seat that she has ever had or will have. There are enough votes in this precinct alone to either win or lose this most valuable treasure, and it will be either won or lost right here and here alone. It matters not how the rest of the county votes if Pampa and her precinct vote 100 per cent for removal, for there are 3500 votes here to about 1,300 in the other parts of the county."
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Miscellaneous

- CARPENTER AND BUILDER, furniture creating a specialty, A. F. Stark, block west and block south El-Way Filling Station, Finley-Banks Addition. 6-15p
- RAY E. MALTZ, physiologist and endocrinologist. Your past and future forecast. At Pampa Bakery Tea Room, Hours 9 to 11 a. m. 1:30 to 3 p. m. 11-1p

Borger Boy Near Death Following an Attack Upon Him

BORGER, March 8.—(P)—Lying ill with pneumonia and suffering also from two fractured ribs and lacerations and bruises, Thomas Marshall, 18, is in a critical condition here.
He told police he was attacked Sunday night near Rattlesnake Inn, near here, robbed of \$20 and beaten with a revolver by two footpads.
Marshall's mother, who lives in Tyler, has been informed of her son's illness and was reported to be on her way. A man is being held for investigation.

Sewer System to Be Completed as Scheduled

It appearing that certain unfounded rumors exist to the effect that the new sewer system will not be completed to all parts of the city as outlined in the maps and plans as agreed upon and publicly announced by the former City Council and present city commission.
We, the city commission and city manager of the City of Pampa, take this means to advise all citizens that such rumors are without foundation and the contract as mapped, planned and outlined in the original plans and specifications, will be carried out in every detail and the sewer will extend to all parts of the City as originally planned, and further state that funds are available to cover the entire cost and leaves a surplus for additional extensions.
The Contractor is bonded to the City in the sum of \$55,200.00; such bond being conditioned to guarantee completion of the entire contract at scheduled prices set out in the original contract for such work.
T. D. HOBART, Mayor.
LYNN BOYD, Commissioner.
D. W. OSBORNE, Commissioner.
F. M. GWIN, City Manager.

Houston Channel Searched for Body of Unknown Woman

HOUSTON, March 8.—(P)—Ambulance crews and water front workers searched the ship channel below Houston Wednesday night for the body of a well dressed woman, which was churned to the surface by the crew of a passing tug, but which sank again.
Just previously the body of a man had been found near the same spot. His fingers clutched a powder puff wrapped in a brown silk handkerchief.
Identity of the man was not determined. He was about 45 years old, nearly bald, 5 feet 11 inches tall and weight about 160 pounds.

MANAGER IS VISITED.

Mrs. F. M. Gwin, daughter Maxine, and Mrs. J. W. Westerman of Cross Plains have returned home after a visit with F. M. Gwin, city manager. Mrs. Gwin and daughter were surprised at the beauty and size of Pampa and are looking forward to the time when they will join Mr. Gwin here this summer. They plan to move here in May following the dismissal of school at Cross Plains where Miss Gwin is a student.

News Classified Ads Bring Results

- Wanted**
WANTED—To buy young fat cattle. Also wanted—Hides. Figgly Wagon Market. 9-9p
- WANTED TO LEASE—Ground close in for 2-room house; also buy 2-room house. Ad dress H. R. D. Care Pampa Daily News. 6-6p
- SEAT COVERS—For tailors to order seat covers. Phone 218.
- WANTED—Dressmaking. Satisfaction guaranteed. Prices reasonable. Phone 120. Baltimore Rice Tailors. 7-10p
- WANTED—Your cleaning business. Moderate prices. Ladies' plain dresses cleaned and pressed \$1. Mens suits \$3. Rice Tailors, Phone 120. 7-30p
- WANTED—Family washing. Wash dry \$3.00 for \$1.00. Finished work \$1.00 per dozen. Shirts finished 15c each. Mens work 7-10c. clays. 351 Tailors.
- WANTED—100 pairs of shoes to repair. We guarantee our work. H. G. Farmer Repair Shop, Gray County State Bank Bldg. 6-6p
- WANTED TO TRADE—Residence lot in Pampa for good used Buick Sedan or Coach. Will pay cash difference. D. C. Houk, phone 308.
- WANTED—Young man to work in warehouse. Permanent. Address in power hand writing giving present occupation or last occupation. Address P. O. Box 507, Pampa, Texas. 11-9p
- WANTED—Help for general house work. References required. Phone 75. 11-1c
- BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY—Young man that is well known in Pampa, good mixer, 63 take charge of a gasoline service station on a liberal basis. Address—Box W. A. D. Pampa News.

Lost and Found

- LOST—Small bald-faced saddle horse, letter "P" on left shoulder, also one bay Shetland pony, no brand. Notify E. L. Creek, Box 1284, Borger, Texas, or phone 517 for reward for return or information as to whereabouts. 6-6p
- FOUND—A place to save money. Mens suits cleaned and pressed for \$1. Ladies plain dresses \$1. Other prices accordingly. Rice Tailors, Phone 120. 7-30p
- FOUND—Ladies' plain dress containing a considerable sum of money. Owner may have same by calling on Krantz' Mint and identifying same by calling for this ad. 9-6p
- LOST—Brown brindle bull dog, four white feet, ears and tail trimmed. Appears to be name "Bull." Reward. Notify John Anderson. 6-6p
- LOST—Box containing book of South field road. Return to BHS auto Lunch, two blocks east First National Bank; Glenn L. Purdon. 11-9p