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Hinchcliffe, England's Best Airman, Off to New York

BRITISH FLYER TAKES OFF IN MUCH SECRECY

Gordon Sinclair, Reserve Pilot, May Be in "The Adventure"

GIRL REPORTED ON AIRPLANE

Elsie MacKay One of Possible Mystery Passengers

LONDON, March 13.—(P)—Mrs Hinchcliffe informed the Associated Press late today that she believed her husband was headed for New York.

The mystery that attached to the take-off which was made with the utmost secrecy was further complicated by the presence of a mysterious passenger that may possibly have been the honorable Elsie MacKay, daughter of Lord Incheape.

Although first reports said that Captain Gordon Sinclair, a reserve pilot, was in the plane, there was no positive confirmation of his presence.

BELFAST, Northern Ireland, March 13.—(P)—Captain Fitzmaurice of the Free State air force, says that light-house keeper at Mizenhead at County Cork, reports that an airplane passed over Mizenhead at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. It was flying in a westerly direction.

London, March 13.—(P)—With sufficient fuel for a 3,000-mile journey, Captain Walter G. P. Hinchcliffe, accompanied by Captain Gordon Sinclair, unexpectedly hopped off in his American-built plane "Adventure" for an unannounced destination at 8:40 o'clock this morning.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—(P)—Assistant Secretary of War Trubee Davidson and Major General James E. Fechet, chief of the Army corps, making a flight from Washington to Panama hopped off from Pensacola, Fla., at 6:20 a. m. today, the war department reported, with Galveston as their first objective. After refueling there about noon, the two planes will continue to Point Isabel, near Brownsville, where a stop will be made overnight.

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., March 13.—(P)—Charles A. Levine announced today he will take off here Saturday morning in an attempt to break the world's endurance record for airplanes.

West Texas Oil Production Again Exceeds Seminole

TULSA, Okla., March 13.—(P)—The seasonal West Texas oil fields staged another big jump in production during the week ending March 10, with the result that it again took the lead over the Seminole field with about 30,000 barrels of average daily production to spare. The Oil and Gas Journal will say today.

Total average daily production for the United States increased 33,647 barrels during the week, thanks to the West Texas area.

The West Texas daily production increased from 292,880 barrels for the week ending March 3, to 335,450 barrels last week. The big increase was in the Hendricks area, which increased 46,939 barrels.

Seminole had another slight decrease, this time from 305,390 to 294,210 barrels.

Total Oklahoma production held practically steady, however, with average daily production last week being 663,395 barrels, as against 653,935 barrels the previous week.

Slight losses were shown by the Gulf Coast and California fields.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Tonight partly cloudy, cooler in southeast portion. Wednesday, partly cloudy, warmer in north portion.

OKLAHOMA: Tonight fair, cooler in east and south portions; Wednesday fair, warmer in west and north portions.

SEATTLE GIRL NOW IS HINDU

GONDOM, March 13.—(P)—Miss Nancy Ann Miller of Seattle, Washington, today was converted to Hinduism preliminary to her marriage to Tukoji Rao, former Maharajah of Indore. The ceremony took place at Nasik, India.

Appearing very sad as though the strange ceremonies imposed a considerable strain upon her, the American girl played the central part in Hindu religious rites performed in semi-privacy on the banks of the sacred river Godevay.

The Hindu priest who officiated placed a Puja, or Hindu worship, before a sacred fire of coals known as "Agahi." Then she bathed in Godevay waters.

The American girl was dressed in Indian attire and wore a richly embroidered sari, or loose flowing robe.

NEW TRAFFIC LAWS DRAFTED

Regulations to Become Effective on Next Monday

One of the most important changes in the new city traffic ordinance concerns parking on Russell and Frost streets, the narrowest thoroughfares in the city.

All vehicles parked on Russell street between Acheson avenue and Francis avenue and on Frost between the same streets, between 5 a. m. and 1 a. m. must be parked parallel to the curb with the right wheels not more than two feet away. No vehicle shall be parked with less than three feet, front and rear, between it and the nearest vehicle.

No vehicle shall make what is known as a U-turn at any point whatsoever on Cuyler street between Francis Avenue and two blocks south of the railway tracks and on Foster avenue between Cuyler street and Somerville street.

In turning corners or crossing streets the driver shall make observation both front and rear for approaching vehicles.

No vehicle shall try to pass another going the same way on an intersection. All persons riding horseback or on bicycles must perform with the regulations.

Because of the necessity of sweeping the streets, no vehicle shall be parked on the pavement between 1 a. m. and 5 a. m., except in the center parallel parked for a period not exceeding one hour.

No vehicle shall be parked within ten feet of any fire plug in the city. Although not mentioned in the traffic ordinance, but covered in the fire ordinance, no vehicle shall follow fire trucks to fires and shall immediately on hearing the fire siren drive to the curb and remain parked until the trucks have passed.

Angle parking on all streets, with the exceptions mentioned, are to be the same as formerly, at an angle of 45 degrees. No trucks with trailers may be parked in the center of Cuyler street but may park on the avenues in and Easterly and westerly direction for not more than one hour. All vehicles must come to a stop before crossing a street where a stop sign is placed.

The remaining provisions of the new city traffic ordinance, which goes into effect next Monday are the same as the original ordinance. It is the opinion of the city commissioners that Pampa is a large enough city to have traffic ordinances obeyed, and they request that motorists read carefully the new ordinance printed last in the March 9 issue of the Pampa Daily News.

BILL JACKSON WINNING

J. W. "Bill" Jackson, son of Mrs. Emma Jackson, owner of the famous lease in the Bowers Pool is making a name for himself and Pampa in the bulldogging contest at the Fort Worth fat stock show.

Mr. Jackson was the first contestant Sunday afternoon when the contest opened, and with an ease and grace that earned him the applause of the large audience won his way to the final event which will be conducted today. He is considered a sure prize winner.

In all more than 50 contestants entered the bulldogging event which was one of the most popular of the fair.

Mrs. C. N. Melton and sons, Bobby and Calvin, Jr., are visiting relatives in Shawnee, Okla.

MELLON TELLS HOW HAYS HAD SINCLAIR BONDS

Declares He Refused to Exchange Them for Donation

HE OBJECTED TO THIS EVASION

Amount Would Appear Too Large as Party Subscription

WASHINGTON, March 13.—(P)—Testifying under oath today before the Senate Teapot Dome committee, Secretary Mellon said that Will H. Hays in 1923 told him he had received a batch of bonds from Harry F. Sinclair to be used in wiping out the Republican national committee campaign debt of 1920.

Mellon said he declined to take \$50,000 in bonds from Sinclair on the ground that the deal would not be what it purported to be.

The secretary said Hays told him he had a large amount of bonds and that he did not want them used so as to appear as one large subscription to the party.

Mellon was placed under oath by Chairman Nye. The veteran cabinet officer's right hand wavered slightly as he held it soft during the oath.

Hays former chairman of the Republican national committee, reached the room just as Mellon began to testify.

"I had a phone call from Mr. Hays from New York saying he was sending me the liberty bonds and that he would come to Washington to see me about it," Mellon said.

"I was busy at the time and laid the package aside. I kept on being busy and forgot them. The next morning I opened the package and saw that it contained bonds."

"In what amount?" asked Senator Walsh of Montana, the committee prosecutor.

Kept Bonds for Time
"\$50,000. Mr. Hays did not come that day and I took the bonds home for safe keeping as I had mislaid the combination to my office safe."

"Mr. Hays came on here. He was going to Indiana and I said I would send them to him at New York. This I did through S. Parker Gilbert, then under-secretary of the treasury."

"What was the denomination of the bonds?" Walsh asked.

"I did not notice."
"Did you keep any record of the numbers?"

"No."
"When Hays came what did he say to you?"
"Generally, it was that he had a large subscription in bonds and he asked me to take these and hold them, and that I make a subscription to the committee (Republican national committee) to discharge the hanger of debt."

"I objected to doing so, because I would be making a subscription that was not what it purported to be. As far as I recalled, he asked me to make a loan and hold the bonds, but to me that was the same thing. I told him I would make a bona fide subscription and that I had expected to make a subscription as I felt I was obligated to make one. I said I would send one for \$50,000. About that time I sent a check to the treasurer, Mr. Upham at Chicago, for \$50,000."

Prior Donation Small
"As I said in my letter to you Saturday, I had given only \$2,000 to the Harding campaign."

"Early in the campaign Mr. Hays called on the phone from New York and asked me to invite some people to a luncheon and that he and William Boyce Thompson would explain the financing plan. He said subscriptions were to be limited to \$2,000; one thousand before the convention and one thousand after the convention. I had no thought then of entering public office."

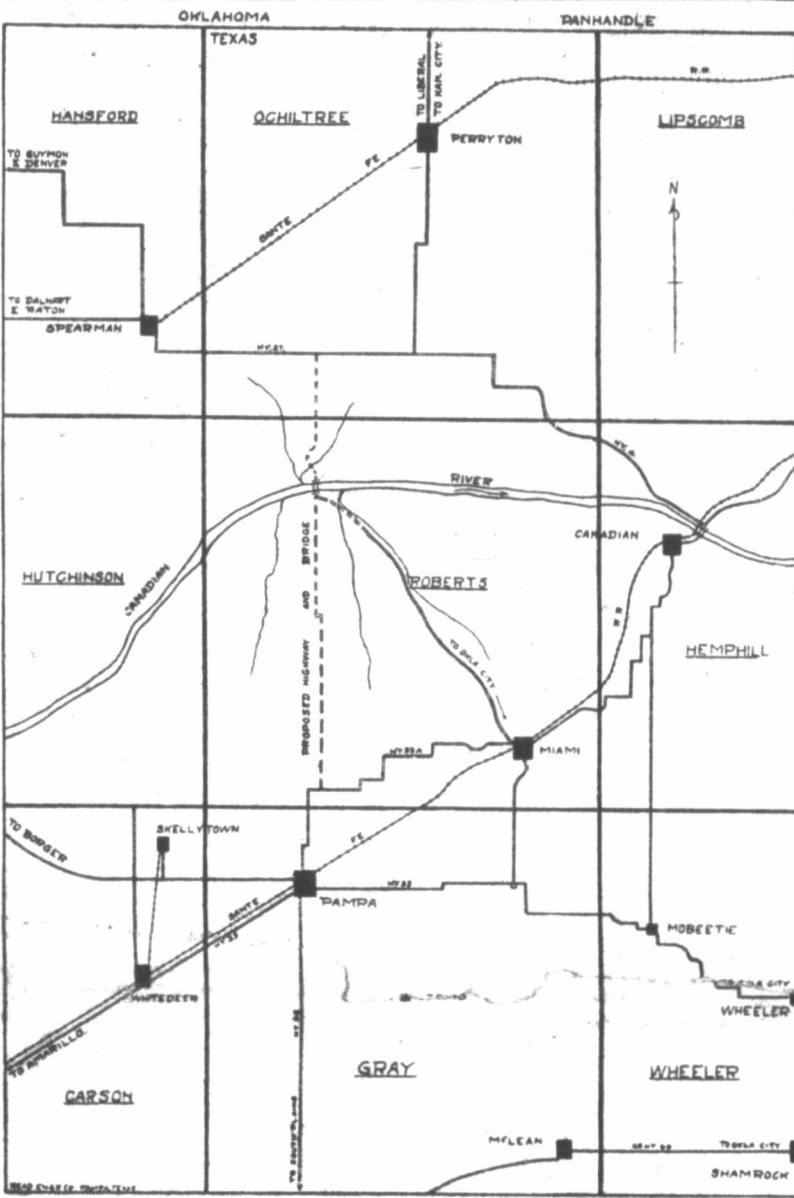
Mellon explained that he saw Hays in New York and was given a \$150,000 quota for the Pittsburgh district. He formed an organization, he said, and the quota was over-subscribed.

"It was all done consistently with that plan. I subscribed \$2,000 as did my brother and my nephew," the secretary continued.

As he talked the secretary sat far forward in his chair with his forearms on the table. Senator Reed, Republican Pennsylvania, a close personal friend sat near him.

Mellon had \$300,000
"What explanation did Hays make (See SINCLAIR, Page 8)

Roberts County Considers Toll Bridge



Slayer Asks to Be Electrocutated Without Trial

SAN ANGELO, March 13.—(P)—Nervously asking for cigarettes and something to read, Floyd Newton Byrnes, confessed slayer of two women and a girl, was lodged in the county jail here today after having been brought from Sulphur Springs, where he was arrested and confessed to the killings.

Deputy Sheriff Jim White, who with Sheriff Bob Hewitt, brought Byrnes to San Angelo from Sulphur Springs said that on the way here Byrnes asked whether it was possible to "take me on the electric chair and not back to San Angelo."

It was at San Angelo that on March 3 Byrnes said he killed Mrs. W. J. Juergens, her daughter Myrna, 13, and her mother, Mrs. Rosa Schirra.

The statement Byrnes made to officers was being held for the Tom Green county grand jury, which probably would be called in a special session today.

Grading Bids on South Road Are Wished by County

Sealed proposals for the improvements of the oil field highway, extending from the city limits south four miles and west one mile to the Clarendon highway, will be received by Judge T. M. Wolfe until April 19 when they will be publicly opened and read.

The work to be done on this road includes grading and conditioning for paving. Plans and specifications can be received from A. H. Doucette or C. L. Hasie, in charge of construction.

This is the first of the work to be done following the recent road bond election voted in Precinct 2 for hard surfacing precinct roads.

LADY CARBERY KILLED

NAIROBI, Kenya, Africa, March 13.—(P)—Lady Carbery, wife of Baron Carbery, Irish peer, was killed yesterday in an airplane crash. A pupil named Cowie with whom she was flying was also killed.

The plane lost speed while flying and went into a spin.

Lord Carbery saw the accident from the airfield.

Local Men Given Attentive Hearing at Miami Yesterday

Shown above is the location of the toll bridge proposed by C. H. Sharp, J. H. Lavender, and E. D. Reid of Pampa. It would be located on the Canadian river in section 14, block 46, Roberts county. The county judge and commissioners of Roberts county yesterday considered the plans and gave the local men a very attentive hearing as the advantages to the western portion of the county and this part of the Panhandle were pointed out. Owing to the absence of the commissioner from the northwest precinct, however, the court reserved its decision until he could be present. Another meeting probably will be held later in the week.

The bridge would make a big saving in mileage on the Great Plains highway, running from Regina, Canada, by way of Minot, N. D. and Garden City, Kans., to Brownsville, Texas, eliminating a general trend of the road by way of Canadian, and make possible a connecting highway through Pampa. Bringing of this trans-continental highway through this part of the Panhandle would be of great value to both Roberts and Gray counties, it is pointed out.

Local Doctors Suggest County Physician Work

The Pampa Medical society will ask the county and city commissioners to attend a banquet to be held at the Schneider hotel soon relative to employing a combination city and county health officer at a stipulated salary to take care of all cases such as the medical profession in the past have been caring for without charge.

This resolution was passed at a meeting of the Pampa Medical association last evening at the hospital. Those present were Dr. A. E. Martin, president of the association, Dr. Archie Cole, secretary; Dr. R. A. Webb, treasurer; Dr. W. E. Wild, Dr. J. C. McKean, Dr. W. Purviance, and Dr. W. O. Klein. Dr. von Brunow was confined to his home by illness.

The state health officer will be asked to attend the banquet and express his opinion regarding the need of a health officer. It is the opinion of the physicians of the city that a doctor could spend his full time on charity work.

The organization is on a business basis and in the future the doctors of the city will do no charity work.

HUGE WALL OF WATER RUSHES DOWN CANYON

Seepage Believe Cause of Great California Disaster

WHOLE CAMPS ARE WIPED OUT

Death Toll Estimated From 200 to 500 Today

OXNARD, Cal., March 13.—(P)—Grave fears were expressed by officials of Oxnard for two towns, Fire and Fillmore which were directly in the path of the flood pouring out of San Francisco Canyon today and with which it has been impossible to establish communication.

LOS ANGELES, March 13.—(P)—The famous Los Angeles aqueduct turned into a giant of destruction today leaving a death toll estimated at 200 to 500 persons and an unaccounted property damage when the St. Francis dam in San Francisco canyon 45 miles north of here broke and sent a wall of water down upon a sleeping community.

The dam, a part of the aqueduct system, gave way without warning, releasing 82,000 acre feet of water upon an unsuspecting mountain residence and farming community. The estimated number of persons, probably somewhere between 200 and 500, apparently were trapped between the canyon walls. They included about 25 families who made their homes below the dam, a working camp of about 75 employes of the Southern California Edison company and a group of employes at a power station in the path of the deluge. Sheriff's officers said there was no chance of escape for the vast majority of these.

Full Canyon Width
The dam, a structure 135 feet high, impounded the waters of San Francisco creek, forming a storage body five miles long and the full width of the canyon.

LOS ANGELES, March 13.—(P)—Eugene Biscuit, under sheriff of Los Angeles county and in charge of rescue work in the St. Francis dam area, wired his office here at 9:45 a. m. that 100 bodies had been recovered at the point where the flood waters of the breaking St. Francis dam had entered the Santa Ana and San Joaquin rivers.

Causes Is Uncertain
The exact circumstances, caused the great reservoir of the Los Angeles city system to give way suddenly, was almost as much of a mystery at 9 o'clock today as the number of dead that lay broad beneath the deep corners of yellow sand which now carpets the pretty little valley.

While thousands of officers from Los Angeles city and county, augmented by additional thousands of volunteer ranchers and farmers from the Newell and Saugus are slushed through the wastes searching for bodies, officials of the city water system survived the broken dam. The theory most credited a few hours after dawn was that seepage through an abutting hill had caused one of the supporting ends of the dam to crumble under its tremendous load of nearly a billion and a half gallons of water.

With only the flash of a short-circuited high power line to serve as a warning to the hundreds who lived in cabins and ranch homes the length of the valley, a great unshackled wave estimated to have been 75 feet high rushed furiously toward the sea. Nothing stood before it. Mountain cabins, ranch homes, a city power plant, and it is believed, a tented city inhabited by 75 or more Southern California Edison company workmen, were carried away.

Ten Bodies Found
Ten bodies lay in an improvised morgue at Saugus. These dead, however, represented in the opinion of William Bright, chief of the county sheriff rescue squad, only a small percentage of the loss of life.

So great was the volume of water that poured through the wide break in the dam that, despite the 36,000 acre feet of supply in the big reservoir, the flood spent itself in a few hours.

When dawn broke over the devastated area, only a small stream was left wherein the tragic hours of early morning death to a degree that may not be known for days, if ever, was done. By this time the vanguard of

(See DAM BREAK, Page 6)

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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.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The Higgins News, theorizing on how to run a bank, advocates all kind of trap doors, port holes, and the like to offset the cunning of bank robbers.

It is not a bad idea. In this highly progressive age, the robbers are doing more thinking about how to get the money than the average banker is on how to prevent in the doorways. We con- losses after the guns appear sider it inevitable that crime should grow more daring and scientific as time passes. De- spite drastic preventive steps, big crimes will continue.

This is not a pessimistic view point. Law and the forces of right will strengthen their lines, and they will go further by making more difficult the unlawful practice of appropriating valuables belonging to other people. For instance, there is no very good reason for leaving \$30,000 to \$150,000 within easy reach of a bank robber. The average day's business does not require so much money, and the major funds on hand could be kept under better protection, or under a time lock which would require an hour or more to open. In the bigger cities, it may come about that there will be central depositories for cash reserves, under such guard that robbery would be impossible save for an army of bandits.

That horned toad, which has brought fame to Texas without, it should be said, adding anything worth while to the section described in some geographies as the "Great American Desert," is involved

Not These Kinds of "Levies"



in court proceedings.

Just when we thought the story was dead, it bobs up when some side-show promoter sues the owner of the toad for breach of contract to exhibit, or something of that sort. Like your favorite desert, a toad story is fine for a time, but it soon sours and ought to be thrown out. Yet so great is the curiosity streak in the average person that it would be lucrative to pay thousands of dollars for the thing and start traveling. Sensation and the unusual are basic factors in certain kinds of success, and the deplorable feature is that much that is eminently more worthwhile seems flat beside the lurid appeal of the ridiculous.

This is the season when certain politicians, usually pretty good judges of mass psychology, fail utterly to delude the public press into the notion that campaign thunder ought to be printed in full "in the public interest."

A generous portion of matter for public consumption reaches our desk with the notation that the office seeker is barely able financially to pay for his speaking tour, and since the law limits expenditures, the newspapers must "kindly carry full text" without anything in return that will pay off the printers on Saturday nights.

Platforms are doubtful literature, written ones especially, and so full of I's that the old-time type case could not stand the strain. The daily newspaper prefers to let its political news come largely through the impartial Associated Press as time and interest dictate. This is often advantageous to politicians themselves, because few of them can do themselves justice in preparing matter for impersonal type, devoid of the oratorical flourishes which help to make black seem white, or at least grayish.

Moreover, in prepared plat-

WASHINGTON LETTER

By RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—Now that other candidates are in the field against Governor Al Smith, the forces opposed to Al appear to be considerably more confident of beating him than they were when he was the only aspirant in sight.

State conventions and primaries now imminent will provide light on whether this increased confidence is justified. A fight like that of 1924 is not at all unlikely, for it must be remembered that Smith has a hard combination to beat. It includes militant dry organizations, anti-Catholic prejudice and organizations, anti-Tammany prejudice, anti-New York prejudice, rival candidates whose only chance lies in the stopping of Smith and numerous politicians who claim to fear for their state tickets if Smith is nominated.

forms we usually have such illuminating declarations as: "During my eleven years in the House I have helped to pass every good law, and have vigorously and uncompromisingly fought every bad measure." This statement is about as clear as the average, and ranks with such subterfuge as "the Blank party pledges itself to the furtherance of such agricultural measures as may be helpful to the American farmer." Such farm relief and such public service is responsible for the poor showing of American governmental bodies, and such platforms explain why newspapers have so much waste paper to cart away.

A man in New York has designed a reversible vest. Only another way of dividing the gravy.

TWINKLES

Occasionally it happens that the hat makers hit upon a feminine style suited to our spring winds. Notice we said winds, not zephyrs; no old-timer of the Plains gets poetic in respect to our March wind movement.

It looks as if Will Hayes, the movie censor, cut too much off his pretty story to the Senate investigating committee.

Some of these ape mothers are almost as human as some people—we read where an orang-utang bounced her offspring to death the other day.

What is the matter with Texas? A few years ago no one would have suspected we had folks capable of such dastardly crimes as have been committed recently in this state.

If man evolved from monkey as claimed, the Alanreed Herald wants to know why he did not retain his tail to fight flies in the summer time. Probably just an oversight, Mr. Reavis; science expected to kill all the flies by the time the tail came off.

The ambitious attorneys of South Gray who claim to see 1,000 illegal votes would do well to consult some of their fellow townsmen who saw the voting and remarked that everything was above-board. Anyone who saw the school parade on that day does not doubt that Pampa had all her votes on the square.

Whatever the dirt farmer gets from Congress, there's bound to me some dirt in it somewhere.

BARBS

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

An Ohio man is waiting for the right kind of atmospheric conditions to fly to Venus in a specially-built rocket. Maybe he's doing it just for a little atmosphere. . . . Venus is 63,000,000 miles away. He might miss the planet by only a million miles or so, but that would be a close shave compared to the distance some people we know are going to miss the White House. . . . Of course, as the scientists say, 63,000,000 miles is the mean distance. We didn't know they had taken up slang. . . . He hasn't announced any companions for the flight. It seems a shame he doesn't take Levine of Heflin or some lady who has had her appendix and tonsils removed. . . . Oh, well, it seems to us just a kind of a balmy voyage, anyway.

They say President Machado rules the opposition in Cuba with an iron hand, conditions being the same as if Coolidge tried to suppress the Democrats. The idea in this country, however, is not to suppress the Democrats, but to goad 'em on.

Ford airplanes for the same price as fliovers are forecast. Is that a threat or a promise?

A couple of Americans were imprisoned in Mexico for highway robbery. They should have tried to prove they were Mexican citizens.

Women voters are to meet in Chicago April to study city rule. It's usually pretty hard to get interviews with gang leaders, they say, but an easy matter in Chicago.

Pampa's Business, Professional and Commercial Directory

Directory listing for Pampa, Texas, including categories: LAWYERS (STUDER, STENNIS & STUDER; H. E. FLOREY; W. M. LEWRIGHT), PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS (ARCHIE COLE, M. D.; DR. C. D. HUNTER; Nan L. Gilkerson, M. D.; DR. W. PURVANCE; W. B. WILD, M. D.; J. A. ODOM, M. D.), DENTISTS (DR. H. H. HICKS; DR. W. F. NICHOLAS; DR. A. R. SAWYER), CONTRACTORS (HENRY L. LEMONS), CHIROPRACTORS (DR. AURA W. MANN; DR. J. C. HIGGINBOTHAM), PLUMBING (PAMPA PLUMBING CO.), EYE SPECIALIST (DR. T. M. MONTGOMERY), ARCHITECTS (W. R. KAUFMAN), and MISCELLANEOUS (Public Stenographer, Picture Framing, Pampa Florists).

MOM'N POP
Changing Homes!
By TAYLOR

Comic strip panels with dialogue:
1. MOM: I'D BE A FIT SUBJECT FOR THE CUCKOO HOUSE IF I BELIEVED THAT STORY. YOU OUGHT TO BE WRITING FAIRY TALES.
2. POP: ALL I KNOW IS THAT I CAME STRAIGHT HOME FROM THE OFFICE AND—
3. MOM: ALL RIGHT! ALL RIGHT! I'LL SAY NO MORE, BUT IT'S A STRANGE COINCIDENCE THAT THE FIRST TIME YOU'VE BROUGHT CANDY HOME TO ME IN TEN YEARS I FIND A BLONDE HAIR ON YOUR SHOULDER.
4. POP: WHAT'S THE USE OF WRANGLING. NO MATTER WHAT I SAY YOU'LL KEEP ON INSINUATING THAT I WAS OUT GALLIVANTING WITH THE WIDOW DARE JUST BECAUSE SHE HAPPENS TO FLASH A PEROXIDE MOP OF WOOL.
5. MOM: HUH, BATTING AGAIN EH! AND TO SEE THOSE TWO TURTLE DONES IN PUBLIC YOU'D THINK THEY DID NOTHING BUT COO AT EACH OTHER.
6. POP: I'VE BEEN LISTENING TO THEM TELLING THE TRUTH ABOUT EACH OTHER FOR AN HOUR. MOM FOUND A BLONDE HAIR ON POP'S COAT. WE SHOULD HAVE TAKEN NO CHANCES AND USED THE WHISK BROOM.

Knockouts Result in Boxing Events Here Last Night

Pampa fight fans got what they have been wanting at the Pampa Athletic club last night when more glove and knockouts were handed out than has been seen in some time. It was a case of who could last the longest before kissing the canvas.

In the final bout Battling Walker, the Pampa slugger, gave Marion Coffee of White Deer fifteen pounds and kayoed him in the third round with a right to the jaw that lifted Coffee off his feet. From the opening gong it was a slug match with Walker having the advantage in the opening round with Coffee groggy at the gong.

Coffee came back strong and took the second round but in the third Walker put over the sleep punch which could be heard all over the arena. The White Deer giant didn't know what his him

Fighting the gamest fight of his career, Jerry Haley of Borger lasted five rounds with Billie Springfield, lightweight champion of San Francisco, who is here to get a crack at Kid Granite, but he would have to show more than he did last night to beat the Kid.

The boy from the Pacific coast out-weighted Haley by fifteen pounds, but couldn't make the game Haley leave the floor until he landed one to the jaw. He is a slugger and fast on his feet but Haley kept out of his way by nice footwork and landed some hard blows to the head before taking the count.

As Haley was coming out from under, he commenced to fight and Sam Fenberg, referee extraordinary, who felt one of Haley's rights last Monday night, landed on the ropes on his way out of the ring. Sam said he was playing safe, and that he couldn't repair watches with a black optic.

Tuffy Graham hit Al White of El Paso with everything but the water bottle, but couldn't knock him out. White was so groggy in the fourth round that he accused referee Rusty Cahill of hitting him. He probably hit Graham three times during the fight.

Rattlesnake Jones negro boxer from Wichita Falls, kayoed Dynamite Smith of Amarillo in the third round with a series of rights and lefts to the body. This bout was as funny as the similar one last week and had the fans yelling until the finishing blow landed.

Kid Sherrod, after a rest from the ring, came back last night and beat Young Leuter in the opening bout of the card. Sherrod is clever and packs a hard punch. He is the only boy who has ever stood up to the battling news-boy.

Johnnie Cable of Burbank, Okla., and Hi Wilson of Borger were introduced from the ring, and are ready to meet anyone in their class.

Newton Has Lead of Six Hours in Marathon Race

OATMAN, Ariz., March 13.—(P)—The rugged Black mountains of Arizona stood today as a barrier for the hundred-odd runners and walkers facing the tenth lap of the 3,400 mile marathon from Los Angeles to New York City.

A hard packed dirt highway, winding through the range, rose to an elevation of 3,500 feet at the summit. From there it dropped to 2,400 feet and rose again to 3,300 feet. Kingman, 28.5 miles distant, was the destination today of the throng that swung off March 4 on the long trek to the eastern coast where \$48,500 awaits to be divided among the ten leaders, with \$25,000 to the winner of the trans-continental grind.

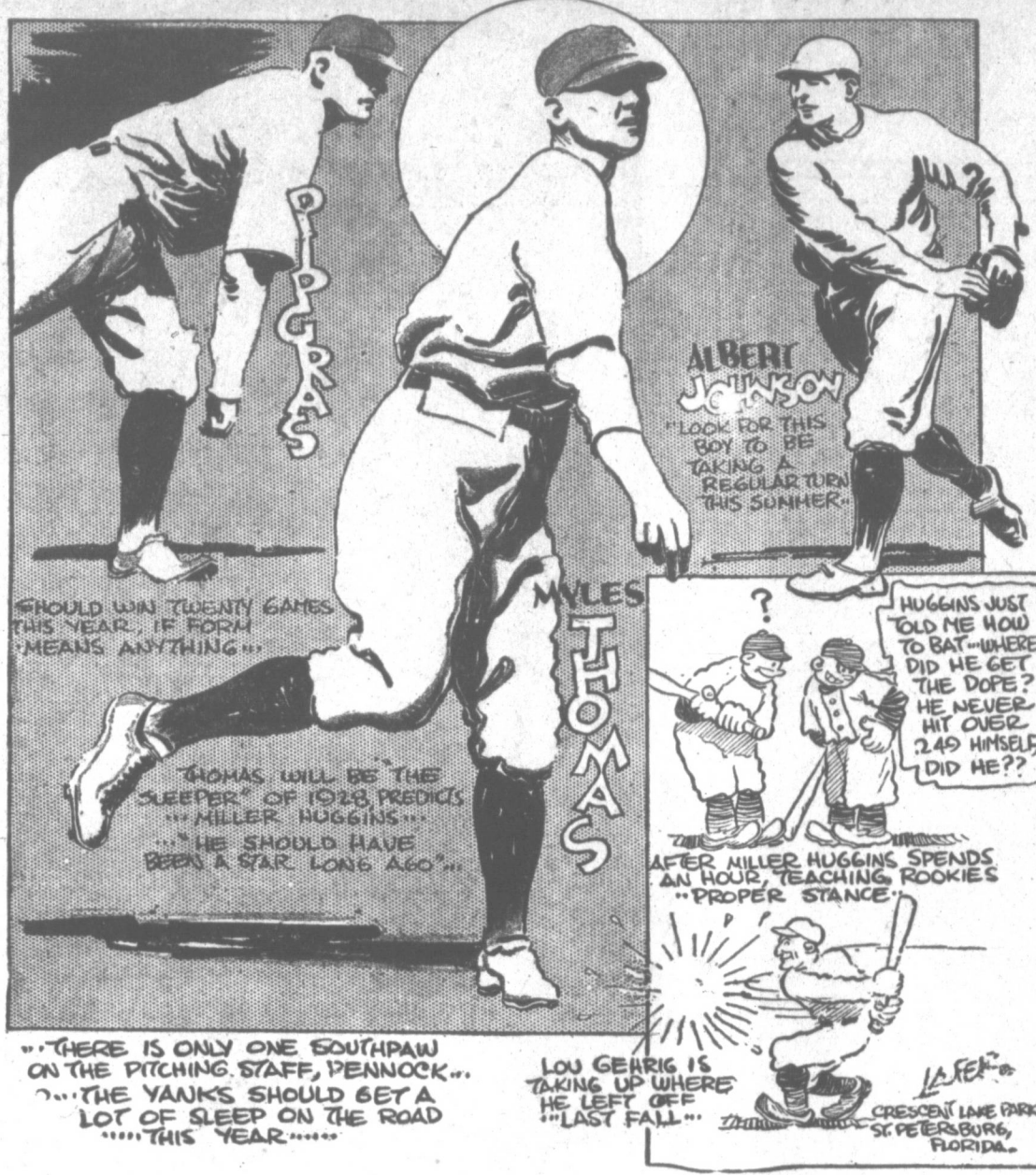
Some six hours advantage was held by Arthur Newton, the sun bronzed entrant from Rhodesia, South Africa, in total running time for the 316.9 miles covered since the race got under way. The sneaky Britisher jogged into this little mining community from Needles California, a distance of 20.5 miles, in four hours, 43 minutes and 30 seconds to set his elapsed time at 49 hours and 30 minutes.

SENATORS DESPERATE

TAMPA, Fla., March 13.—(P)—The Washington Senators went to St. Petersburg today with a whole lot of revenge stored up for the Boston Braves. Bucky Harris' crew has yet to win an exhibition game, having been defeated twice, once by Hornsby and his gang here.

Marberry, Van Alstyne, and Gaston were Washington's three-round pitchers today.

No Worries Are Found in Yankees' Camp



It is no great secret that the New York Yankees are expecting to win the American League pennant again this summer, and the only catch in the experts' predictions is that their aged pitching staff may wobble. However, that isn't anything to worry about, says Miller Huggins, the mite boss of the Yankees. And, as he says this, he points out several youngsters like Myles Thomas, George Pipgras and Henry Johnson, who are pretty good chuckers and who will be given plenty chance to take a regular turn this summer. Of course, Huggins is content with the rest of his club, especially that Ruth-Gehrig twin-thrilling act.

ROBINSON DEFIES JUPE

CLEARWATER, Fla., March 13.—(P)—Brooklyn's Robins now are convinced that Wilbert Robinson was in earnest when he said he was going to do everything he could to put a winning team in the National league race this season.

Nothing daunted by a heavy rain that left the Robins' park a quagmire Robinson put his charges through a hard three hours' drill yesterday. Two hours of batting practice were followed by another sixty minutes of work afield.

CARNIVAL BALL PLANNED

A carnival ball will be given at the Pla-Mor auditorium Friday night by Mrs. Mattie McDonald. Music will be furnished by the Riverside 7-piece orchestra from 9 until 1 o'clock.

Mrs. McDonald who was formerly manager of the Danceland dances plans to give a dance at the Pla-Mor Friday night of each week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Studer returned from Ft. Worth last night, where they attended the Fat Stock Show.

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Hornsby Has Edge in Exhibition Tilt

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 13.—(P)—The season's first opportunity for comparison between two of baseball's stellar figures resulted in favor of the Boston Braves' peerless Rogers Hornsby to the disadvantage of George Heisman Ruth, in the belief of the Rajah's mates here. The two met on the diamond yesterday when the Braves took the Yanks into camp. The Braves' captain scored a single, a bunt and a strikeout to offset Babe's single, base on Balls, and strikeout.

LYONS HAS CHANCE

FORT MYERS, Fla., March 13.—(P)—Johnny Lyons, Philadelphia high school athlete, probably has won a berth on the pitching staff of Connie Mack's athletics. Manager Mack plans to carry 10 pitchers through the season. He already has definitely selected eight.

"Lyons has a very good chance," Mack said today. "He has the stuff, plays baseball all the time and certainly possesses the physique. He looks better every time he steps to the mound."

"Balloon Tire" Is Colorless Winner in Heavyweight Bout

NEW YORK, March 13.—(P)—Whatever "logic" there was in Tex Rickard's campaign to produce a logical contender for Gene Tunney's title was swept out of Madison Square Garden today by the cleaners along with whatever hopes Jack Sharkey had of some time ruling the crowning heights of pugilism.

Theoretically, Johnny Risko, the pudgy Austrian baker, of Cleveland stands out today as the foremost challenger for the title the big marine won, and defended in two battles with Jack Dempsey. Almost on a par with Risko stands "Honest Tom" Heeney, the plugging blacksmith of New Zealand.

But there isn't an ounce of the color the promoting impresario has ought industriously in either Risko or Heeney. The baker boy whipped Jack Sharkey decisively in 15 rounds last night in mixing before the smallest crowd that ever saw an important heavyweight match here. Heeney did little better than a draw when he won a decision over Jack Delaney in the first of the elimination semi-finals on March 1.

Just as Heeney's victory was a tame colorless exhibition of what patient and painstaking endeavor, coupled with an iron constitution, can do, so was Risko's victory over Sharkey a most uninteresting brawl that merely dragged everybody concerned into mediocrity.

Nevertheless, Risko and Heeney stand today as the survivors of the tourney, haled far and wide as a last ditch effort to uncover Tunney's June foe. But the real sufferer appeared to be the promoter himself, who left the Garden last night with the boos of the discouraged fans drumming in his ears while his mind roamed to a \$1,000,000 contract he holds with Tunney for his next title defense. For there appeared little probability that the crowd of 10,000 who paid but \$100,000 to see the doughnut maker knead Sharkey out of shape would appear in sufficient quantities to watch either Risko or Heeney do battle with the champion.

From the opening round, the rotund shock absorber, a veritable balloon-tire of a man, leaped and plunged into Sharkey, belaboring him consistently with a left hook to the body that curled up from his heels. The Boston Sailor man boxed his rival and still the left hook zoomed out of nowhere to smack into its mark. Sharkey worked in close to evade the punch, grabbed the left arm, nailed both elbows to his ribs and tried every defensive trick of the game, but still the left hooking went on.

In the end, that left hook, the sole real offensive threat Risko carried for nine of the fifteen rounds.

News Classified Ads Bring Results

Attorney Leadbetter of McLean was a Pampa visitor today

Miss Grace Balthrope of Memphis is visiting friends here this week.

"Strangler" Two Much for Huge Russian Wrestler

CHICAGO, March 13.—(P)—In 32 minutes Ed "Strangler" Lewis tossed Alex Garkawienko for two falls last night, under the protection of a court injunction which prevented Samuel P. Luzzo, one of the two members of the Illinois State Athletic commission, from carrying out his threats to interfere with the match.

Luzzo sat across the ring from Chairman Paul Prehn of the commission, and declared the result proved his contention that the huge Russian was not fit opponent for Lewis in a match billed as a championship affair. Lewis flopped Garkawienko the first time in about 30 minutes, and again for the second fall in about eight minutes. Neither fall was obtained directly by the use of Lewis' famous headlocks.

Much Pep Shown as Texas Players Prepare for Games

(By The Associated Press)
With the reporting of late arrivals and resultant development of full strength in point of squad numbers in several camps for the first time this season, increased pep, stimulated possibly by rumors of impending cuts, is seen in training quarters of all Texas league clubs.

Outfielders and infielders made up the bulk of those reporting yesterday at Beaumont, and were treated to a brisk infield workout, the first at the Exporter camp this year. A candidate of Harris at first, Cimpi at second, Marshall at short, and Simon at third was tried out. All are newcomers to Beaumont.

In preparation for a scheduled game with Detroit Wednesday, the San Antonio Bears at Fredericksburg were given turns at batting practice. Manager Gibson also sent his large squad of hurriers through their paces.

The Buffs at Houston looked forward to their first practice game today. It was to be a six-inning affair.

Influence by the poor showing of his team against St. Paul in exhibition games, Manager Ellison at Dallas sent the Steers through one of their most strenuous workouts. He told his hurriers to show more stuff and lengthened the batting session.

Buddy Lewis, utility infielder last year with Wichita Falls, left the Supper camp for his home to recuperate from illness. Ed Roeta and Joe Lucina southern class B league rookies, are bidding for his place.

Manager Atz is concentrating on batting practice at Fort Worth, to fit his players for the hurling Chicago White Sox. Pitchers will serve next Friday.

George Blackerby, star outfielder who has been holding for a better salary, arrived at the Cubs quarters in Waco, and the Cub management announced he had agreed to terms.

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THE "CANARY" MURDER CASE

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

CHARACTERS

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

THE STORY THUS FAR

Skeel's finger prints had been found in the apartment of the murdered Margaret Odell, but Vance believes Skeel had been hiding in a closet while the stranger did his work. Mannix, Dr. Lindquist 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 through the door that nothing was wrong. Later Skeel is found strangled, after promising to reveal the murderer. Vance has Markham invite Cleaver, Spotswoode and Mannix to his apartment for a game of poker, promising to name the murderer the next day. After the game's end Vance is unusually sober.

CHAPTER XLIX

(Tuesday, September 1; 1 p. m.) Vance slept late the following morning and spent the hour or so before lunch checking a catalogue of ceramics which were to be auctioned next day at the Anderson Galleries. At one o'clock we entered the Stuyvesant Club and joined Markham in the grill. "The lunch is on you, old thing," said Vance. "But I'll make it easy. All I want is a rasher of English bacon, a cup of coffee, and a croissant." Markham gave him a mocking smile. "I don't wonder you're economizing after your bad luck of last night." Vance's eyebrows went up. "I rather fancied my luck was most extraordinary." "You held four of a kind twice, and lost both hands." "But, y' see," blandly confessed Vance, "I happened to know both times exactly what cards my opponents held." Markham stared at him in amazement. "Quite so," Vance assured him. "I happen to know both times exactly what cards my opponents held." Markham stared at him in amazement. "Quite so," Vance assured him. "I had arranged before the game, d'ye see, to have those particular hands dealt." He smiled benignly. "I can't tell you, old chap, how I admire your delicacy in not referring to my rather unique guest, Mr. Allen, whom I had the bad taste to introduce so unceremoniously into your party. I owe you an explanation and an apology." "Mr. Allen is not what one would call a charming companion. He is deficient in the patrician elegancies, and his display of jewelry was a bit vulgar—though I infinitely preferred his diamond studs to his pebbled tie." "But Mr. Allen has his points—decidedly he has his points. He ranks with Andy Blakely, Ganfield, and Honest John Kelly as an indoor soldier of fortune. In fact, our Mr. Allen is none other than Doc Willey Allen of fragrant memory." "Doc Allen! Not the notorious old crook who ran the Eldorado Club?" "The same. And, incidentally, one of the cleverest card manipulators in a once lucrative but shady profession." "You mean this fellow Allen stacked the cards last night?" Markham was indignant. "Only for the two hands you mentioned. Allen, if you happen to remember, was the dealer both times. I, who purposely sat on his right, was careful to cut the cards in accordance with his instructions. And you really must admit that no stricture can possibly attach to my deception, inasmuch as the only beneficiaries of Allen's manipulations were Cleaver and Spotswoode. Although Allen did deal me four of a kind on each occasion, I lost heavily both times." Markham regarded Vance for a moment in puzzled silence, and then laughed good naturedly. "You appear to have been in a phil-

anthropic mood last night. You practically gave Mannix a thousand dollars by permitting him to double the stakes on each draw. A rather quixotic procedure, I should say." "It all depends on one's point of view, don't y' know. Despite my financial losses—which, by the bye, I have every intention of charging up to your office budget—the game was most successful. Y' see, I attained the main object of my evening's entertainment." "Oh, I remember!" said Markham vaguely, as if the matter, being of slight importance, had for the moment eluded his memory. "I believe you were going to ascertain who murdered the Odell girl."

"Amazin' memory! . . . Yes, I let fall the hint that I might be able to clarify the situation today." "And whom am I to arrest?" Vance took a drink of coffee and slowly lit a cigaret. "I'm quite convinced, y' know, that you won't believe me," he returned in an even, matter-of-fact voice. "But it was Spotswoode who killed the girl." "You don't tell me!" Markham spoke with undisguised irony. "So it was Spotswoode. My dear Vance, you positively bowl me over. I would telephone Heath at once to polish up his handcuffs, but, unfortunately, miracles—such as strangling persons from across town—are not recognized possibilities in this day and age. . . . Do let me order you another croissant."

Vance extended his hands in a theatrical gesture of exasperated despair. "For an educated, civilized man Markham, there's something downright primitive about the way you cling to optical illusions. I say, y' know, you're exactly like an infant who really believes that the magician generates a rabbit in a silk hat because he sees it done." "Now you're becoming insulting."

"Rather!" Vance pleasantly agreed. "But something drastic must be done to disentangle you from the Lorelei of legal facts. You're so deficient in imagination, old thing." "I take it that you would have me close my eyes and picture Spotswoode sitting upstairs here in the Stuyvesant Club and extending his arms to 71st street. But I simply couldn't do it. I'm a commonplace chap. Such a vision would strike me as ludicrous; it would smack of a hasheesh dream. You yourself don't use Cannabis indica, do you?"

"Put that way, the idea does sound a bit supernatural. And yet; Certum est quia impossibile est. I rather like that maxim, don't y' know; for, in the present case, the impossible is true. Oh, Spotswoode's guilty—no doubt about it. And I'm going to cling tenaciously to the apparent hallucination. Moreover, I'm going to try to lure you into its toils; for your own—as we absurdly say—good name is at stake. As it happens, Markham, you are at this moment shielding the real murderer from publicity." Vance had spoken with the easy assurance that precludes argument; and from the altered expression on Markham's face I could see he was moved. "Tell me," he said, "how you arrived at your fantastic belief in Spotswoode's guilt?" Vance crushed out his cigaret and folded his arms on the table. "We begin with my quartet of possibilities—Mannix, Cleaver, Lindquist and Spotswoode. Realizing, as I did that the crime was carefully planned with the sole object of murder, I knew that only some one hopelessly ensnared in the lady's net could have done it. And no sutor outside of my quartet could have been thus enmeshed, or we would have learned of him. Therefore, one of the four was guilty." "Now Lindquist was eliminated when we found out that he was bed-ridden in a hospital at the time of Skeel's murder, for obviously the same per-

son committed both crimes—" "But," interrupted Markham, Spotswoode had an equally good alibi for the night of the Canary's murder. Why eliminate one and not the other?"

"Sorry, but I can't agree with you. Being prostrated at a known place surrounded by incorruptible and disinterested witnesses, both preceding and during an event, is one thing; being actually on the ground, as Spotswoode was that fatal evening, within a few minutes of the time the lady was murdered, and then being alone in a taxicab for fifteen minutes or so following the event—that is another thing. No one, as far as we know, actually saw the lady alive after Spotswoode took his departure."

"But the proof of her having been alive and spoken to him is incontestable." "Granted, I admit that dead woman doesn't scream and call for help, and then converse with her murderer." "I see," Markham spoke with sarcasm. "You think it was Skeel, disguising his voice." "Lord no! What a priceless notion! Skeel didn't want anyone to know he was there. Why should he have staged such a masterpiece of idiocy? That certainly isn't the explanation. When we find the answer it will be reasonable and simple."

"That's encouraging," smiled Markham. "But proceed with your reasons for Spotswoode's guilt." "Three of my quartet, then, were potential murderers," Vance resumed. "Accordingly, I requested an evening of social relaxation, that I might put them under the psychological microscope, as it were." Although Spotswoode's ancestry was wholly consistent with his having been the guilty one, nevertheless I confess I thought that Cleaver or Mannix had committed the crime; for, by their own statements, either of them could have done it without contradicting any of the known circumstances of the situation.

"Therefore, when Mannix declined your invitation to play poker last night I put Cleaver to the first test. I wigwagged to Mr. Allen, and he straightway proceeded to perform his first feat of prestidigitation."

(To Be Continued)

Local Men Given Attentive Hearing at Miami Yesterday

Shown above is the location of the toll bridge proposed by O. H. Sharp, J. E. Lavender, and E. D. Reid of Pampa. It would be located on the Canadian river in section 14, block 46, Roberts county. The county judge and commissioners of Roberts county yesterday considered the plans and gave the local men a very attentive hearing as the advantages to the western portion of the county and this part of the Panhandle were pointed out. Owing to the absence of the commissioner from the northwest precinct, however, the court reserved its decision until he could be present. Another meeting


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Leading Man at Crescent



This is Russel Murdock of the Pierce Murdock players who have opened a second week's engagement at the Crescent theatre. "The Dancing Girl" will be presented by the players tonight.

probably will be held later in the week. The bridge would make a big saving in mileage on the Great Plains highway, running from Regina, Canada, by way of Minot, N. D., and Garden City, Kans., to Brownsville, Texas, elimin-

nating a general trend of the road by way of Canadian, and make possible a connecting highway through Pampa. Bringing of this trans-continental highway through this part of the Panhandle would be of great value to both

Roberts and Gray counties. It is pointed out.

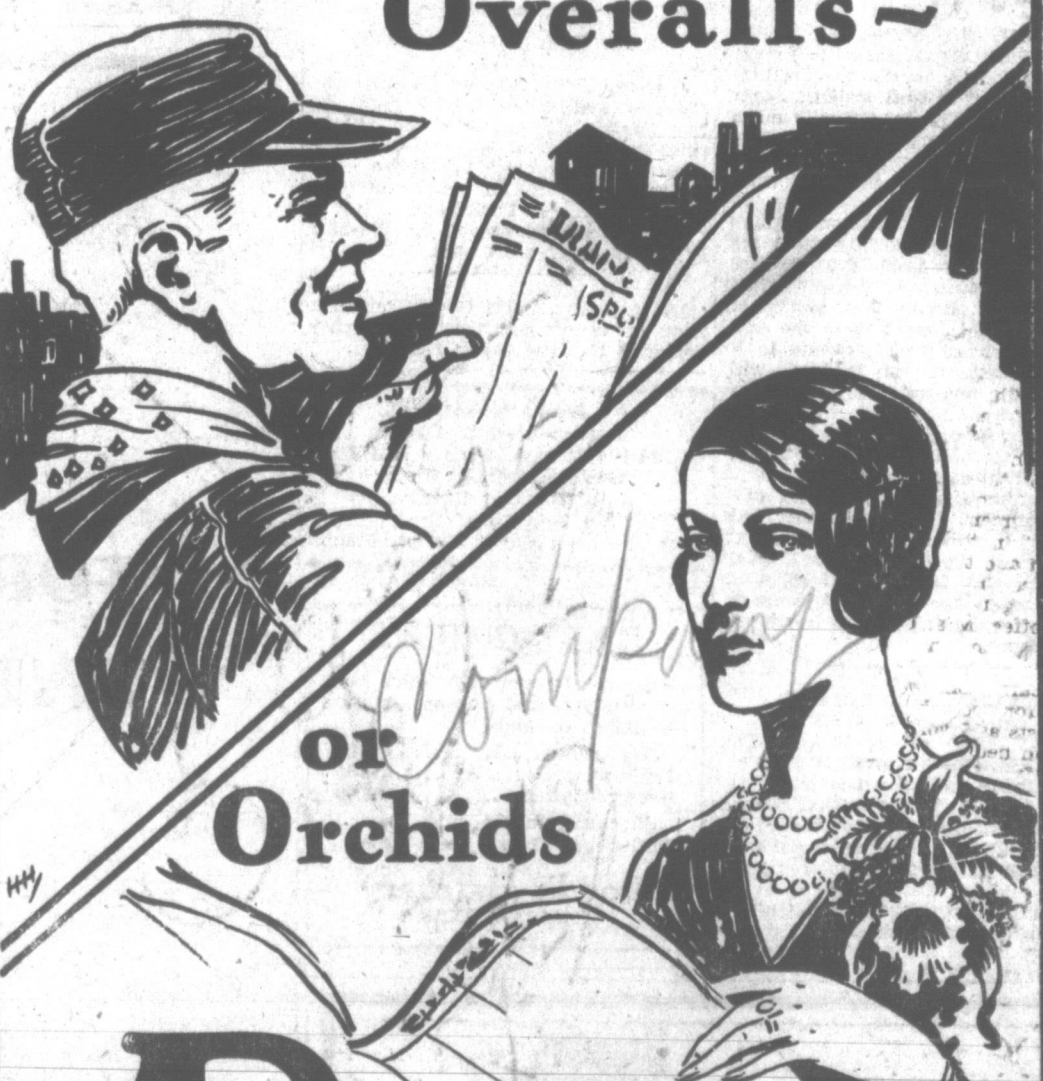
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McAfee and family are in Fort Worth this week attending the Fort Worth Fat Stock show.

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)
NELS WALBERG LEWIS O. COX
- FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT No. 3—**
H. G. McCLESKEY THOS. O. KIRBY (Re-Election)
- FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY—**
JOHN STUDER (Re-Election)
F. A. CARY
- FOR SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR—**
R. S. GRAVES (Re-Election)
WALT NEWTON JIM C. KING S. A. HURST JOHN V. ANDREWS
- FOR TAX ASSESSOR—**
F. B. LEECH (Re-Election)
- FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK—**
CHARLIE TRUT (Re-Election)
- FOR COUNTY JUDGE—**
T. M. WOLFE (Re-Election)
- FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY 84TH DISTRICT—**
J. A. HOLMES
- FOR CONSTABLE PRECINCT No. 2**
G. C. ADAMS, HERMAN WACHTENDORF O. T. SMITH H. B. LEWIS
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All charter members of the American Legion Auxiliary and others that are eligible are requested to meet at the Legion Hall Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

SOCIAL NEWS

BY MISS LEORA MAY

PHONE 100

Study of Presidential Possibilities Is Subject of Club

The Twentieth Century club met at the home of Mrs. I. B. Hughey Monday afternoon. Mrs. J. D. Sugg opened the meeting by the reading of Mary Stuart's Collect.

The members responded to roll call with various topics of interest. At the business session the president, Mrs. V. E. Fatheree, suggested the planting of memorial Christmas trees. It was voted to secure a picture show benefit for funds for the Girl Scouts.

Mrs. H. G. Twiford had for her subject Herbert Hoover. She told of his many activities in the service of his country, and how today he stands out as one of the most important characters of the nation.

Mrs. J. D. Sugg gave an interesting talk on Dan Moody, the youngest governor that Texas has ever had. She said that he was almost persuaded to aspire to a residence in the White House for the next four years.

Mrs. V. E. Fatheree concluded this lesson with an article of the advisability of Coolidge's re-election. She told of how well he loved the White House for his home, and assured those present that Mr. Coolidge would be the next president if the people would insist on his nomination.

Mrs. A. H. Doucette closed the afternoon's program with an entertaining vocal number entitled "The Sweetest Story Ever Told."

The hostess served delicious St. Patrick's day refreshments of angel food cake and brick ice cream to the following members: Mrs. C. Campbell, Mrs. Henry B. Tut, Jr., Mrs. H. G. Twiford, Mrs. T. E. Rose, Mrs. H. D. Lewis, Mrs. J. R. Mitchell, Mrs. H. H. Hicks, Mrs. J. D. Sugg, and Mrs. V. E. Fatheree. Miss Willis of Wichita Falls was the guest of the club.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Raymond Harrah on the fourth Monday of the month.

Mrs. White and Mrs. Bennett Are Hostesses Monday

Mr. Jim White, and Mrs. Loyd Bennett were hostesses Monday afternoon in Mrs. White's apartment, in entertaining with four tables of bridge. Novel decorations symbolic of St. Patrick were effectively used in a color scheme of green and white, and were carried out in the refreshment course and served and the cut prizes awarded.

Those receiving cut prizes at the close of the five games of bridge were Mrs. Walter Coffee, Mrs. Ivy Duncan, Mrs. H. W. Hildman, and Mrs. Ivan Kullman. Green carnations were used as centerpieces for the tables and were given to guests as favors. A delicious two-course luncheon was served the following: Mrs. J. S. Wynne, Mrs. John Tate, Mrs. Lee Ledrick, Mrs. H. W. Hickman, Mrs. L. N. McCullough, Mrs. F. C. Ledrick, Mrs. C. L. Thomas, Mrs. Lee Vicars, Mrs. W. P. Clark, Mrs. Roger McConnell, Mrs. Ivy Duncan, Mrs. Walter Coffee, Mrs. Van Carter, Mrs. Ivan Kullman, and Mrs. H. Edenborough, and Mrs. W. J. Stubblefield of White Deer.

Social Calendar

The Lone Star Bridge club will be entertained Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Fred Gilchrist.

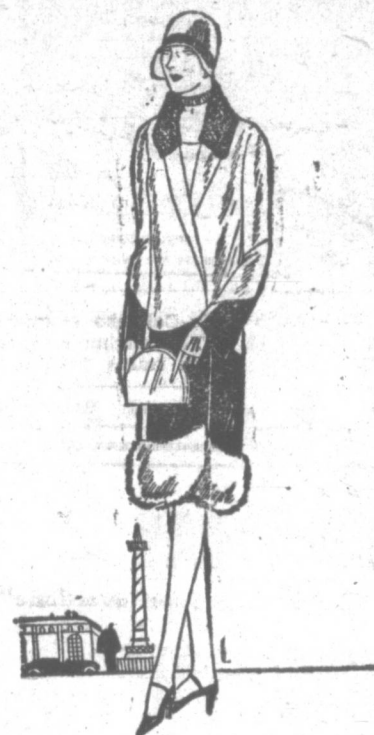
Mrs. J. W. Cram will entertain the members of the Duplicate Luncheon club Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Girl Scout Troop Hikes East of Town Saturday

Troop No. 2, composed of the younger Girl Scouts, accompanied by Mrs. Austin and Miss Jettie Mae Barber, hiked across country to Green's pasture Saturday. They carried their lunches on their backs and cooked over a camp fire built Scout fashion. They returned about 4:00 o'clock, thirsty, footsore and weary, but looking forward to the next hike with enthusiasm. This was the first of a series of tramps which will total 75 miles and count towards second class rank.

Miss Bonita Damron, Miss Della Trujillo, W. S. Fleetwood and Dallas Culwell spent Monday in Amarillo the guests of Arthur Spalding of Dallas who is transacting business in Amarillo.

Modes of the Moment



PARIS.—(AP)—Fur trimmed coats are the exception in spring styles. To make this model even more exceptional Jenny puts two kinds of fur on it, white ermine at the bottom and black Persian lamb on the collar. The coat proper is made of heavy crepe de chine, the skirt of black and the top of the coat of white.

LeFors Circle Meets With Study of New Book of Essays

The Chautauqua Library and Scientific Circle of LeFors met at the home of Mrs. George M. Clardy Thursday afternoon with six members present. The roll call was answered by a current event. The first lesson in the new book "American Character and Other Essays" was found to be very interesting. The following program was given:

"John Erskine, the Many-Sided Man" Miss Birdie Short. "Self-Expression in the Familiar Essay," Miss Mettie Pine. "The Essay Before the Nineteenth Century," "The Familiar Essay of the Nineteenth Century," Mrs. R. C. Bacchus. "The Place of the Essay in the Literature of Today," "Columnist and Essayists," Mrs. A. Carpenter. "The Chautauqua Movement for Popular Education," Mrs. George M. Clardy. The meeting was closed with a very good discussion on various current events.

Local Branch of University Club Are Guests in Amarillo

Members of the local branch of the A. A. U. W. were guests of the Amarillo Chapter Saturday afternoon at the Women's club at a lovely tea in which the Senior class of girls of the Amarillo high school were special honor guests of the occasion. A program was given, that included a selection of musical and dance numbers, and was presided over by the president, Mrs. E. H. Reedy.

Mrs. C. T. Hunkapillar, president of the Pampa A. A. U. W., introduced those who attended from here. Those present were Mrs. W. A. Bratton, Mrs. I. B. Hughey, Mrs. C. T. Hunkapillar, Mrs. H. H. Hicks, Mrs. G. E. Wolfe, Mrs. G. A. Holloway, Mrs. G. Clark, Mrs. G. C. Walstad, Mrs. W. C. Upton, Mrs. J. B. Diekey, Mrs. L. E. Chiles, Mrs. M. A. Finley, Mrs. R. W. Mitchell, Mrs. James Todd, and Mrs. G. C. Walters.

Dr. J. A. Hill of the West Texas State Teachers college, was the principal speaker of the afternoon and delivered a splendid address, in which he gave five cardinal reasons why a girl should attend college. At the close of the program tea was served from a daintily appointed tea table and hostesses presiding included Mrs. W. R. Clingsmith, Mrs. Porter Underwood, Mrs. L. McCormack, Mrs. Florence McMurtry, Miss Jewell Scales, and Miss Izora Clark.

F. A. Robinson was called to Waco to the bedside of his father Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Saunders and family visited in Silverton over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Carroll of Panhandle spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Blanton and family.

END OF LEVINE'S NON-STOP NEW YORK-HAVANA FLIGHT



First photos, these of the completion of the first New York-to-Havana non-stop flight, by Charles A. Levine, Mabel Boll and Wilmer Stultz (left to right) in the trans-Atlantic Bellanca monoplane Columbia. They covered the 1600 miles in fourteen hours. Above, a part of the crowd which greeted them.

Spanked



When Lorene Jones (lower) of Kansas City, Kan., took the family turn at a "respectable hour," she was punished by her mother, Mrs. Chris-car the other night an failed to retire Woodside, pictured at the top. The 18-year-old girl took refuge with a school teacher and the mother was haled into court on an assault charge. The mother denies she beat the girl; she says she simply gave her a good spanking.

MANY ATTEND BALL

A large crowd attended the Cooks and Walters ball last night at the Pla-Mor auditorium. Music was furnished by Jesse's orchestra which is making Pampa its home.

Miss Johnson and Bunk Lard won the prizes for the best waltzers on the floor. Miss Johnson received a pair of slippers donated by A. Gordon, while Mr. Lard was given a meal ticket by Perry Hodge of the H. and H. Cafe.

News Want Ads Pay

Baker School Contest for P.-T. A. Benefit To Close March 19

The Baker School beauty contest is getting more exciting every day. Some of the rooms are boasting of 1,800 votes already and are expecting to sell tickets for the program to be given March 22 and get many more votes. The contest will close Monday, March 19, at 4 o'clock.

If the children come to you with tickets be sure to buy them before 4 o'clock Monday as it will count on the votes for the queen of Baker school.

The queen will be crowned with a beautiful program in the Central high school auditorium March 22, with an admission fee of 35 cents. Come to the P.-T. A. meeting at Baker School Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock and learn the details of the program and the contest.

Mr. and Mrs. Heiskell Honor Out-of-Town Guests at Dinner

Honoring out-of-town guests, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Heiskell were host and hostess at dinner at 1 o'clock Sunday. The afternoon was spent in the enjoyment of a musical program.

Those present were Mrs. Handle Patton and daughter of Clayton, N. M., Mrs. Ray Fulton, and daughter of Shattuck, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Jess Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lard, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Lard, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lard, and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Myers.

STREETS ARE CHANGED

The city commissioners last night in regular session decided to close Russell street from Pennsylvania avenue to the intersection of block 1 North addition or along the west side of the Cook addition.

It was also decided to extend Cook avenue a block to meet Grace street, which will also be extended one block, making an intersection. These extensions will accommodate property owners in that section who have town-site lots for sale.

R. T. Rowe, of the Rowe Trucking company, was taken to the hospital yesterday seriously ill.

Dr. V. E. Von Brunow is confined to his home by illness but is reported to be improving today.

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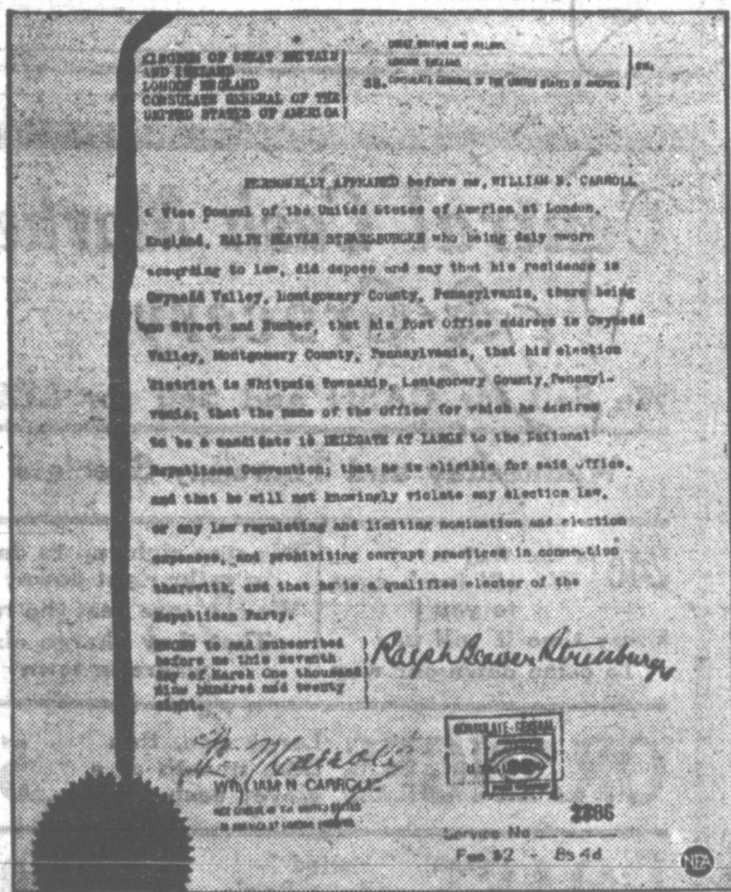
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Yes we're open, but on Friday and Saturday we will hold our Grand Opening with a treat for all—Watch for other announcements.

PHONE YOUR GROCERY AND MEAT ORDERS—CALL 30

WE DELIVER

Enter the Radioath—Seal and All!



Ralph B. Strassburger, Norristown newspaper publisher, found himself in London when the time came to take the oath as Pennsylvania delegate-at-large to the Republican National Convention. So he appeared before the American vice-consul, swore to an affidavit and sent this facsimile across the Atlantic by radiophoto—hence the radioath!

FRECKLES and His FRIENDS

Why, Mr. Tyte!!

By BLOSSOM

STILL MANY MILES OFF THE COAST OF AFRICA, THE SHIP THAT CARRIES FRECKLES AND HIS UNCLE HARRY BECOMES DISABLED... SIGNALS ARE SENT OUT TO A VESSEL THAT APPROACHES FROM THE EAST, WHICH HAS SIGHTED THE BOAT AND DRAWS CLOSE TO RENDER AID.



REX TODAY
ENTERTAINMENT
Without an APOLOGY

ELINOR GLYN'S
"MAD HOUR"

Suggested by her novel
"The Man and the Moment"

Coming Tomorrow
"LOVE ME AND THE WORLD IS MINE"

Delaney Well
Flows Natural
at 2,980 Feet

The Delaney, Eslick, and Rieger No. 6 Jackson in section 88, block B-2, which came in last Sunday night for about 4,000 barrels at 2,980 feet, flowed 2,500 barrels the last 24 hours from on top of the second pay. The well will not be drilled any deeper at the present time but will be permitted to flow natural.

The Gulf Production company's No. 1 Davidson in section 87, block B-2, a direct offset to the Delaney et al's No. 6 Jackson, is drilling in with a heavy show of oil at 2,945 feet. The big pay will probably be struck early tonight. It is making about 5,000-6,000 feet of gas.

The Edwards et al's No. 1 Case in section 182, block B-2, the wildest test of the South Pampa field, is making 70 barrels a day and drilling in at about 3,260 feet. It brought in for a gusher it will open up more than five miles of new territory.

OUT OUR WAY

—By Williams



SKATING
This Afternoon and Tonight

Wednesday Afternoon Skating
Wednesday Evening Skating

AMERICAN LEGION DANCE

PLA-MOR AUDITORIUM

Dancing, Roller Skating

Real Southern Barbecue Soft Drinks

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Kingsmill and Somerville

Calles Would Encourage Tourist Travel in Mexico

MEXICO CITY, March 13.—(AP)—President Calles received William T. Dewart, publisher of the New York Sun, who is visiting Mexico City as a guest of Dwight W. Morrow, the American ambassador, in audience yesterday. The president repeated in effect what he recently told a visiting group of midwest editors, that a new era of better relations between Mexico and the United States is resulting from Ambassador Morrow's work.

"Morrow is doing a man's job, doing it most capably and is precisely the man for that job," President Calles said.

The president declared he has no complaint at newspapers for criticizing and pointing out faults in Mexico; that he only wants them to tell all the truth—the good as well as the bad about Mexico.

Calles said he has concluded that tourist travel from the United States to Mexico is one of the best ways of improving relations between the two countries, giving many United States visitors a real understanding of Mexico. Therefore, he said, the Mexican government has decided to make special efforts to stimulate tourist travel to Mexico as much as possible.

Markets

KANSAS CITY, March 13.—(AP)—Hogs 10,000; slow; top 8.35; packing sows 6.75-7.35; stock pigs 6.50-7.25. Cattle 9,000; calves 1,000; fed steers very slow; light yearlings fairly active, slaughter cows steady; bulls and slaughter calves unchanged; vealers steady to 50c lower; bulk fed steers 11.50-13.25; light mixed yearlings 13.00; vealers 13.00 down. Sheep 6,000; steady; woolled lamb 15.25; top ewes 8.75.

Tugboat Captain Is Killed in Explosion

GALVESTON, March 13.—(AP)—Captain George Sorenson, 48, master of the tugboat Propeller, lost his life and two other seamen were injured when a blast caused by exploding gas fumes from a sewer exploded and swept the craft with flames, forcing the nine sailors on board to leap into the water here today.

Captain Sorenson was reported missing after the flames had been extinguished, and coast guards immediately dragged the harbor in the vicinity of the tug, recovering his body.

The oil exploded at the rear of the tugboat, shattering the vessel's propeller. In the fire that followed, I. Rubin and John Bolderson were burned. Both were taken to the hospital where attendants said Rubin's burns were severe.

Hickman Will Go to Penitentiary and Famous Death Row

LOS ANGELES, March 13.—(AP)—William Edward Hickman will leave for San Quentin penitentiary and the place in the prison death row against which he has waged a strenuous court battle since January 25.

The last barriers to the removal of the two-fold murder to the prison where he has been condemned to pay with his life April 27 for the slaying of little Marian Parker, were swept away yesterday. The first fell when robbery charges against the youth and his 17-year old co-defendant in his second murder trial, Welby Hunt, were dropped.

Some Burly, Boisterous Bucs



Out at Paso Robles, Calif., the Pittsburgh Pirates, National League pennant winners last season, are preparing for the summer baseball campaign. They hope to win another pennant. You've heard of the Waners, haven't you? Well, there's a third one around this season. He is Cousin Traves, shown in the upper panel with Brother Paul, center, and Brother Lloyd, right. Below the Waners are Managers Donie Bush and Sam Dreyfuss, son of the big boss of the club, who were you to ask their feelings about the summer campaign, would say everything was "jake."

SINCLAIR---

about where the bonds came from?" senator Walsh asked.

"He said he had a large amount. It seems to me it was about \$300,000. It's difficult to remember details now. He wanted to use them so that there would not be one large subscription to the party."

"Did Hays tell you where he got the bonds?" Walsh pursued.

"Oh, from Sinclair," said the secretary as he moved back in his chair.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—(AP)—William M. Butler, chairman of the Republican national committee, testified today at the Senate investigation that Will H. Hays met him late in 1923 in New York and attempted to have him accept a package which Butler said he was told contained \$25,000 in bonds.

Butler said he turned down the proposition flatly. He testified Hays asked him to give a \$25,000 contribution toward wiping out the 1920 campaign deficit, and did not disclose whom the bonds came from.

Butler said the package was not opened and Hays took it away with him.

DAM BREAK---

the thousands of rescuers was on the scene and a systematic search of the areas was begun.

In its pell-mell rush to the sea the flood traveled dozens of miles of territory, sparsely settled, and through which only tottering lines of communication in normal times are available. Consequently accurate estimates of loss of life and damage were impossible.

The flood tore through the ranch of the film actor, Harry Carey, and the fate of 30 Indians who had been living on the property at least until a short time ago was undetermined. Sixteen farmers living near the actor's cabin in post also were unaccounted for.

Wreckage of every kind and description was strewn for miles along the narrow canyon which winds its picturesque way into the rolling hills northward from Sagus. Orchards, garden areas and all manner of ranch equipment, with fowl and live stock were swept away by the waters.

Survivors there were, but they came in straggling groups and their total had not caused rescue officials to cut their estimate of possible loss of life as the forenoon hours passed.

A bit of all human tragedies that attended all disasters was present when the Associated Press staff correspondents penetrated the stricken area before dawn had mounted over the giant peak of the mountains.

Here a woman, hysterically wringing her hands, slushed up and down searching for her missing child; there a man a pitiful figure clothed only in a bathrobe, sobbingly ran aimlessly from point to point seeking the bodies of his wife and baby.

When the flash of the short-circuited high-power line threw its ghastly warning light to the southward, one man, so far as is known, sensed the coming disaster. He was Dr. C. C. Asjley, proprietor of a sanitarium at Sagus. He ordered all his assistants to

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CEYLON TRAIN WRECK
CEYLON, March 13.—(AP)—Twenty-one persons were killed today when a passenger train collided with the Galle-Colombo express near Kalutara. The engine and several coaches of both trains were wrecked.

News Classified Ads Bring Results

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PIERCE-MURDOCK PLAYERS
PRESENTING
"THE DANCING GIRL"
A Comedy-Drama of Chicago cabaret life. New specialties—Nite Club Orchestra on the stage

—ON THE SCREEN—
"BROADWAY AFTER MIDNIGHT"
A drama of the great white street of lawless lights

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Central Cash Market & Grocery
We Sell for CASH and Sell for LESS
Wednesday and Thursday Specials

24c is the way We sell fresh eggs to you
Every time it will pay To come down our way

We stay right up to date, or rather right down; We can sure beat the rate That they charge else where in town

ORANGES	Large size, thin skin, smooth as a glove; each	5c
ROAST	Rolled Baby Beef; Per pound	19c
MALT	Puritan, Large can	69c
BREAD	Large 15c Loaves for	12c
CHEESE	Full Cream, Long Horn, Per pound	32c
CARROTS	Fresh Bunches for	5c

Seed Potatoes . . . Onion Plants . . . We Deliver Orders Amounting to \$2.50 or Over—Phone No. 67

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The Daily News reserves the right to classify all Want Ads under appropriate headings and to revise or withhold from publication any copy deemed objectionable or misleading.

Notice of any error must be given in time for correction before second insertion.

For Sale

FOR SALE—7775 acre ranch in Roberts County, 800 acre ranch and farm in Hemphill County, Box 125, Miami, Texas. 3-12p

FOR SALE—Four-room house and 2 lots in Central Addition, 828 West Kingsmill, 2-1-2 blocks west Post Office. 6-12p

FOR SALE—Furniture, bed complete, large dresser, gas range, heater, sink, table, west Kingsmill, 6 1-2 blocks west Post Office. 6-10p

FOR SALE—Store building 6x30 in Berger. See Jim Forsythe at Jones & Everett Mach. Shops. 2-3p

FOR SALE—Two-room house, shingle roof, sheetrock, wall with throughout. Will sell with or without furniture. Address 777 R. Pampa News. 6-3p

For Rent

FOR RENT—Two-room furnished modern apartment. Channing Addition. Phone 155. 2-3p

FOR RENT—Modern 3-room house. Located in Channing. Call 4371. 2-3p

FOR RENT—Two-room house. Gas and light fixtures. Water free. Also good healthy Buff Orpington eggs for sale. Mrs. D. W. Cary, mile west city. 2-3p

FOR RENT—Two-room modern furnished apartment and one sleeping room. Call Owl Drug Store. 2-3p

FOR RENT—Furnished apartments with bath and garage. Prices reasonable. 531 South Somerville. 2-3p

FOR RENT—Apartment with garage, good residential district, evening furnished. \$40 per month. No children. Melton, Phone 100. 2-12p

Wanted

WANTED—Dressmaking. Satisfaction guaranteed. Prices reasonable. Phone 155. Bolcom Rice Tailors. 7-10p

WANTED—Your cleaning business. Moderate price. Ladies plain dresses cleaned and pressed \$1. Mens suits \$1. Rice Tailors, Phone 120. 7-9p

WANTED—Family washing. Rough dry 2 doz. for \$1.00. Finishes. \$1.00. Wash. 7-9p

WANTED—Used items, pay cash. Call phone 27-1. 12-12p

GROCERY CLERK with eight years experience, reliable, married, desires position, or will consider anything. Address 777 R. Pampa Daily News. 2-3p

LAUNDRY WANTED—Mrs. Southerland, north end Banks St. Country Club Addition. 2-3p

WANTED—Experienced lumberman open for position in Pampa or surrounding territory. Now employed, but will make change. Address T. R. care Pampa News. 2-3p

WANTED—Girl experienced in Kodak finishing. See Mr. Hester room 14 Smith Building. 2-3p

WANTED TO BUY—Second hand sewing machine. Phone 684. 2-3p

WANTED—Newly married cook for small family. Apply O'Clock, Gray County State bank. 2-3p

WANTED—Work of some kind by man. Experienced plumber, even consider anything. Address Box 1901. 2-1p

PRACTICAL REGISTERED nurse wants position. Bonnie Jayne White Rose rooms, North Cuyler Street. 2-3p

Lost and Found

FOUND—A place to save money. Mens suits cleaned and pressed for \$1. Ladies plain dresses \$1.00. Prices reasonable. Rice Tailors. Phone 120. 7-9p

LOST—Female Greyhound weight about 45 pounds; color yellow. Answers to name Lou by showing teeth. \$5.00 reward for information leading to recovery. Phone 990-7-1. 2-6p

LOST—\$24.50 Firestone tire, rim and tire cover, on Amarillo road between Amarillo and Pampa. Reward for return to Panhandle Sash and Door Co. Amarillo, Texas. 12-3p

FOUND—A place where they keep the small and remove the dirt. No-d-Lay Cleaners. Phone 535. First door west Post Office. 7-22p

FOUND—Two child's hats. Owner may have same by identifying and paying for this ad. 2-3p

Miscellaneous

CARPENTER AND BUILDER, furniture creating a specialty. A. P. Stark, block west and block south Hi-Way Station, Finley-Banks Addition. 6-12p

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