

SLAYER HANGED BY KANSAS MOB

I. C. C. Recommends Federal Regulation of Truck and Bus Operation

PROponents OF SOLDIER BONUS CLOSE TESTIMONY



We call attention today to the ending of the old serial story and the begin-



ning of a new first-run novel, "You Can't Marry".

The new story is that of a girl who knew she would lose her job if she married—and how she needed that pay-check, especially when her secretly-acquired husband landed in the hospital a few hours after the wedding. Julia Cleft-Adams, the author, is a resident of Cornwall, England, but is of Norwegian descent. She went to London when a young girl and worked on a number of newspapers and magazines there. She has traveled extensively.

Note To Will

The Will Rogers Hotel in Claremore has been robbed, and the dispatches do not mention that it was a movie scene either. Will quite possibly may be neglecting his own home town. It's often done. Claremore, like Manchuria, has bandits to cope with.

Whoa, There!

Of interest to merchants: A woman in a neighboring town went recently as follows: "In Pampa, it's either take it or leave it as far as the clerks are concerned." Courtesy pays.

Correction

American girls are still attracted by foreign titles. Correction: Un-American girls are still attracted by foreign titles.

Paying the Fiddler

Big business fears a panic if it is taxed much more. And the rest of us know what will happen to us if such taxes are not passed. Paying the fiddler for economic orgies is still the world's most unpopular necessity.

Changing News

We quote the McLean News: Medical associations are slowly but surely changing in their attitude toward paid advertising in the newspapers. Several medical

(See COLUMN, page 2.)



WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy, somewhat colder, probably frost in the Panhandle tonight; Tuesday generally fair.

Oklahoma: Cloudy, local thunder-showers, cooler in west and central portions tonight; Tuesday partly cloudy, cooler in central and east portions.

—AND A SMILE

AVON, N. Y. (P)—The sparrows are smart, but they can't fool the folk out this way. One bird lover built a house for wrens last year, using an entrance about as large as a quarter. During the winter the sparrows have pecked at it with their bills, enlarging it sufficiently so they could use the house. The bird house owner, however, has chucked them out and fitted the opening with an iron washer. Let the sparrows try pecking at that awhile.

OPPOSITION IS TO BEGIN ITS SIDE TUESDAY

UNEMPLOYMENT USED TO BOLSTER CASE THIS MORNING

DETROIT ONE EXAMPLE

SENATOR OWEN TO BE IN REBUTTAL ARGUMENT

WASHINGTON, April 18 (AP)—Advocates of passing the \$2,000,000,000 soldiers' bonus today closed their case before the house ways and means committee and opposition testimony presented by administration and democratic leaders against the plan will begin tomorrow.

Advocates have spent more than a week in presenting their contentions that inflation of the currency to pay the remaining outstanding on the bonus certificates would prove a spur to business. Numerous representatives, both Republican and Democratic, have joined veterans and leaders of some veterans organizations in favoring it, although Democratic and Republican leaders have expressed opposition to it. Henry L. Stevens, national commander of the American Legion, has opposed it also.

After the opposition concluded, Representative Patman said, advocates of the money expansion plan will present former Senator Robert L. Owen, of Oklahoma, in rebuttal. David V. Addy, of Detroit, representative of the Wayne county council of the American Legion, including 52 posts, was today's first witness.

"Detroit has suffered greater injury from bad economic conditions than any other area," Addy said. "In the last three years Detroit has spent \$25,000,000 on welfare, and this does not include the huge sums spent by private charities."

Addy said 600,000 persons in Detroit are dependent, at least partly, on charity. "Under the circumstances, these men look to the adjusted service certificates as their last resort. Sentiment for immediate payment has grown rapidly in Michigan."

Jury in Slander Suit Dismissed

The jury deliberating in M. P. Downs' \$75,000 slander suit against the Panhandle Building & Loan association failed to agree on a verdict and was dismissed yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Judge W. R. Ewing. The twelve men were out almost two days.

The court in his charge directed the jury to reach a verdict by answering five special issues. In answering to the judge, the jurors said they failed to agree on the fourth issue. The jury stood eight to four from Friday morning until discharged yesterday.

Mrs. Ihrig, Cooking Expert, Working in Panhandle Now

Mrs. Leona Rusk Ihrig, who will conduct the Pampa Daily NEWS cooking school the week of May 17, will hold a cooking school for the Panhandle HERALD, Panhandle, beginning Tuesday, April 19, and continuing through Friday, April 22.

The Romance of a Modern Business Girl
by Julia Cleft-Adams
You can't Marry
A Secret Wedding Almost Destroyed Love
STARTS TODAY
(Begin first chapter of this new serial)

LITTLE THEATER CAST TO HAVE DRESS REHEARSAL

Most Ambitious Effort Will Be Made Tuesday at The City Auditorium.

Final dress rehearsal for the Little Theater's play, "Adams and Eva", to be presented in the city auditorium tomorrow night, beginning at 8 o'clock will be held this evening.

Discerning critics who have seen rehearsals say that it is the most sophisticated comedy yet attempted by the organization. Mrs. H. H. Hicks is director. Tickets are on sale at the DeLuxe cleaners. Part of the proceeds will be given the Baker school cafeteria.

Mrs. Hicks has been getting the play ready for presentation for the last month. She reported this morning that every player knows his speeches and that it would not be necessary to have a prompter. Members of the Little Theater are enthusiastic about Mrs. Don Conley's interpretation of Eva. Her enunciation and accent and voice have been highly praised. Mrs. Conley has had much experience. Mrs. Hicks is especially proud of her stage presence.

Leading male roles will be portrayed by Julian Barrett as Adam, I. E. Freeman as the father, and Dick Hughes as the complaining neighbor. Female parts will be played by Miss Arless O'Keefe, Mrs. E. M. Conley and Mrs. James Todd Jr. Ray Weedman has the role of a society physician, and Jack Foster, who directed "The Crisis" and gave a feature performance in "Dulce", will play the part of the doctor. The play is a comedy, but it is not a farce or a burlesque. It is sophisticated and clever enough to interest Broadway for three seasons. The spirit and temperament of the players conform to the subtleties of the drama.

Single Teachers Are Employed in County Schools

Teachers elected to fill positions in the two schools in the wealthy Hopkins district during the 1932-33 session were announced this morning.

M. L. H. Bays will be superintendent of both schools. W. B. Wengther, now a teacher in Pampa junior high school, will be principal of the south school. A Mrs. Slaughter, now attending school at Canyon, a widow with three children, will be the other teacher in the south school.

C. H. Parker was elected principal of the north school. Ben Guill, teacher in the Panhandle junior high school during the last year, was elected head of the intermediate department. Other teachers for this school will be a Miss Dunsworth, Miss Katherine Brooks of Groom, Miss Nan Crouch, and a Miss Hamrick of Sanford.

W. R. Barrett, superintendent of the Phillips gasoline plants in that part of the county, said that the reason for the many changes in the faculties of the two schools was because most of the teachers this year were married women, whose husbands have employment, and that it was thought best to elect unmarried women teachers. The student body of the Hopkins schools is made up largely of the children of employees of the Phillips gasoline plants in that area.

TWO DIE IN PLANE

LIVERMORE, Maine, April 18 (AP)—Two men were killed today when their small airplane cracked up on the bank of Androscoogin river and burst into flames. The dead are James Malloy, of Berlin, N. J., pilot and owner of the plane, and Fred Maxwell, of Livermore.

COMPETITION WITH RAILWAY HAULS CITED

UNEQUAL CONTROL OF TRANSPORTATION IS ALLEGED

WATERWAYS INVOLVED

INEXPERIENCE IN NEW PROBLEM GIVEN WEIGHT

WASHINGTON, April 18 (AP)—The Interstate Commerce Commission today recommended federal regulation of motor vehicles engaged in interstate commerce and that railroads, and water lines be encouraged to use the public highways.

The commission's decision, in the form of recommendations which are expected to be transmitted to congress, makes the following findings: That transportation by motor vehicles, buses and trucks, over the public highway is, within certain distances, and in certain respects a superior service and that the rail and water lines should be encouraged in the use of this instrumentality of commerce wherever such use will promote more efficient operation or improve the public service.

"That there is substantial competition between rail and water carriers on the other for the transportation of both passengers and freight and that this competition is increasing;

"That such competition is conducted under conditions of inequality particularly in regard to regulation;

"That a contributing cause, aside from the general business conditions, of the present unsatisfactory financial condition of the railroads is the existence of unrestrained competition by rival transportation agencies;

"That there is today and probably would be under normal conditions an excess of carrying capacity of existing transportation facilities;

"That unrestrained competition is an impossible solution of the present transportation problem and is incompatible with the aims of coordination under regulation.

"That federal legislation relating to the regulation of motor vehicles operating upon the public highways and engaged in the interstate commerce is needed.

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HOPKINS HAS SUNDAY SCHOOL OF UNUSUAL TYPE—PHILLIPS OFFICIAL IS SUPERINTENDENT

Enthusiasm Follows Selection of W. R. Barrett by Community—Denominational Lines Are to Be Ignored.

By A. F.

There is a real Sunday school out at the Hopkins school house. Pampans who would like to visit a Sunday school that is basically different should drive out there next Sunday or the next. Enthusiasm and mutual enjoyment of each other's society engender something fresh and vibrant into the spirit and atmosphere.

The Sunday school at Hopkins began to be different recently when W. R. Barrett, Phillips superintendent, became superintendent. That's not what he says, but what any man, woman or child who attends the Sunday school says.

Until recently a Sunday school struggled for existence in the school house. There was some discussion about using the school house, and about this and that. Finally Mr. Barrett told some of the women, "If you are really in earnest about this matter we'll have a Sunday school, but it's going to be a Sunday school."

The people of the community met and organized, and put one over on Mr. Barrett. They elected him superintendent. Yesterday there were 149 present at Sunday school, 51 of whom were adults. The men's class had 31 out yesterday. That was not only fair but good. Better than any men's class in Pampa, considering the population of the city.

Last night, a Young People's league was organized. The Sunday school is not Methodist, Baptist, Catholic, Presbyterian, Christian, or anything like that. It is strictly non-denominational Union Sunday school literature is used.

Much Business Before Chamber

Much important business will be discussed following 15 minutes of entertainment at the Pampa Junior chamber of commerce meeting in the city hall auditorium tonight. Members are urged to be in their seats by 7:30 o'clock. The sing-song led by Millard Humphries will start on time.

Committee reports and a call for volunteers to go to Cheyenne, Okla., to a celebration tomorrow will follow the program. President Bob Brashears says the meeting will be brief, but of importance.

Two new directors will be selected during the meeting.

SHE SUES



Charging that her husband was taken away from her so he could "keep his mind on his business," Mrs. Virginia McElvain of Chicago, shown above, is suing her millionaire father-in-law, James M. McElvain, Illinois and Texas coal and oil operator, for \$100,000. The senior McElvain according to Mrs. McElvain's suit, influenced her husband, Thornton, to leave her for the management of family properties without marital interference.

KILLER TAKEN FROM OFFICER EARLY TODAY

TWO HUNDRED ARMED MEN RUSH JAIL, SEIZE READ

STATE TO INVESTIGATE

SCARCITY OF TREES IN VICINITY DELAYS EXECUTION

ST. FRANCIS, Kan., April 18.—Mob vengeance today claimed the life of Richard Read, 53, confessed attacker and slayer of 8-year-old Dorothy Hunter.

Read, who was protected twice Saturday from rapidly forming mobs by a quick thinking plains sheriff, was located in the Cheyenne county jail where he had been hidden away.

A mob estimated at 200 heavily armed men, motored swiftly into St. Francis late last night, seized Sheriff A. A. Bacon and Deputy J. H. Indors, obtained keys to the jail and departed with their prisoner.

Leaving St. Francis, the automobile caravan headed eastward toward Seldon, 75 miles away, home of the school girl victim and her attacker.

About midway between the two small towns and near Atwood, the motorists halted. A rope was suspended from a tree and Read was swung to his doom.

Governor in Atwood! Only a few miles away, in Atwood, was Governor Harry H. Woodring of Kansas, who arrived today on a political campaign tour. Police officers of Rawlins county, of which Atwood is the county seat, failed to intercept the mob when the caravan left the main highway.

The lynching took place on the Ed Lynam ranch. More than a score of years ago one Chauncey Depew was hanged on a neighboring tree.

(See KILLER, Page 8)

No Bids Received On County Bonds

No bids for \$300,000 worth of Gray county road bonds had been received when the county commissioners met in regular session this morning. C. M. Smith, representative of the Brown-Cranner investment company of Dallas, was present and was expected to discuss the bonds.

Today was fixed as the date for sale of the bonds. Several bids were expected. The commissioners have stated in court that they hoped to sell the bonds for at least par, and that the bonds should bring that much. It was suggested that this attitude of the court might have discouraged bidders.

If the bonds had been sold the money would have been used to buy right of way and finance dirt work and paving in the county. A committee is almost ready to complete final negotiations for right-of-way on highway No. 32. Cost of obtaining this right of way was recently estimated at \$30,000.

Police Chief Is Shot To Death

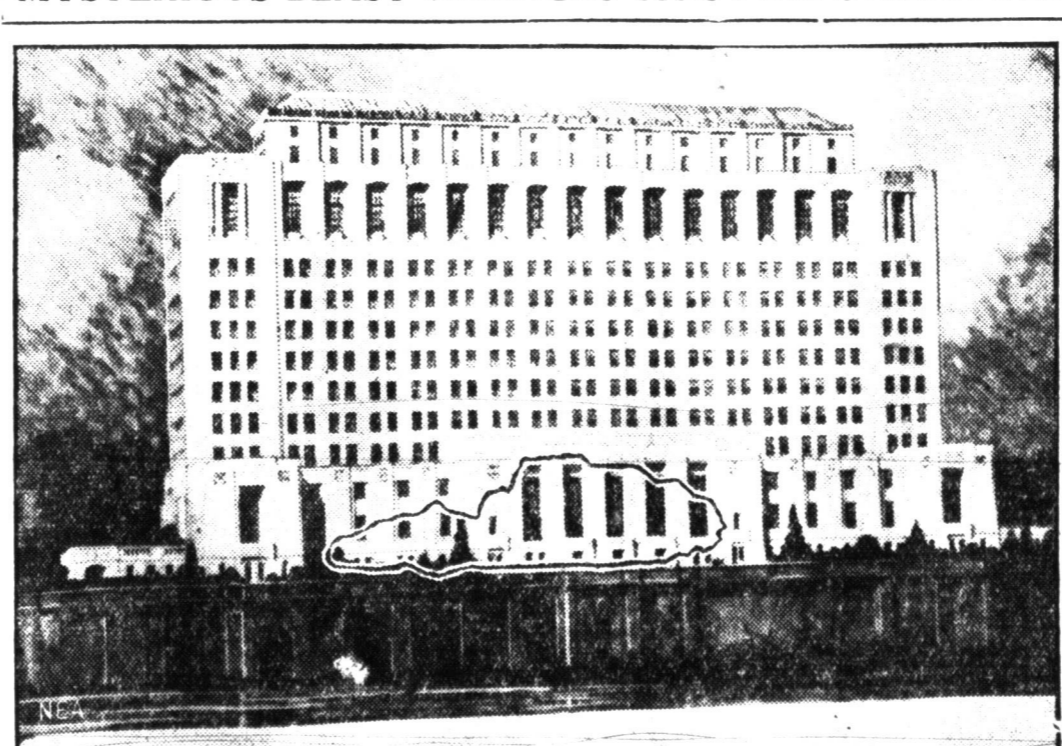
SHAWNEE, Okla., April 18 (AP)—Believed by officers to have fatally wounded Chief of Police Grover Butler of Tecumseh, Joe Smith was sought today after an early morning escape from A. L. Blackwell, Shawnee policeman.

Chief Butler was shot fatally while patrolling a Tecumseh street at 1:30 a. m. His assailant, hidden behind a platform at the rear of the patrol-office, was said to have opened fire without warning. The officer returned the fire but did not hit the man.

Later, Claude Polk, alleged friend of Smith, was picked up for questioning at a warehouse here where Smith and companions were known to gather frequently.

Butler was one of the best known officers in Pottawatomie county.

MYSTERIOUS BLAST DAMAGES THIS FINE STRUCTURE



Five men were killed instantly, others fatally hurt, and \$12,000,000 damage was done when an explosion of mysterious origin ripped out the side and wrecked a large portion of the interior of Ohio's new state office building at Columbus. Above is a general view of the huge structure, with an outline marking portion blown out by blast. The structure is located on the east bank of the Scioto river about two blocks from the state capitol. Construction was nearly completed, at a cost of \$6,500,000, and the building would have been occupied this summer.

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Mrs. Jones Goes Away for Good—That Is, Maybe

No foolin' this time, Maude Jones has left town. One day last week she left in her 1918 truck with a '28 chassis. She said she 'ain't comin' back no more, but Mrs. W. H. Davis, manager of the Welfare Board, gave her two months.

Mrs. Jones was equipped for traveling far and wide when she left. In her truck were drums containing 350 gallons of gasoline which were donated to her by gasoline plants in the area.

Among her effects was the diary written while she was a prisoner in the Gray county jail on a charge of disturbing the peace and dignity of the state and her neighbors.

A seven-pound daughter was born last night to Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Pryor. Mr. Pryor is an employe of the Magnolia Petroleum company

OUT OUR WAY..... By WILLIAMS



LOOKS - J. WILLIAMS



BY BYRON PRICE Chief of Bureau, The Associated Press, Washington

pedient of living more simply. A corporation in financial trouble just stops paying out so much for wages, promotion and betterments. That is a comparatively simple process of fiscal mathematics.

Not the Way

Samuel Insull, utility magnate, has his troubles. Buying up electric plants on short-time loans isn't the way to keep out of trouble, especially if too much is paid for the plants.

An Exception

One of the giant concerns which has not lost appreciably is the telephone monopoly. In fact, the earnings of American Telephone have been a little too consistent to fit into the picture of the customer's ability to pay.

He's Right

Mr. Hoover says the country is too pessimistic. Especially about Mr. Hoover, the big personality who arrived too late.

Hounds on Trail Of Negro Slayer

NEW ORLEANS, April 18 (AP)—A hundred men with blood hounds searched a swamp 30 miles above New Orleans today for a negro who shot a white man to death, wounding eight negroes and another white man.

Without warning, the negro, armed with an automatic shotgun and two revolvers, appeared yesterday at the drag line machine at work on the Bonnet Carré spillway and opened fire, instantly killing John Hancy of Algiers, and narrowly missing his helper, G. Dunkel.

The negro, unidentified, had lived in a hut near the spillway.

SACRIFICE SALE SUNDAY - MONDAY - TUESDAY Used and Nearly New Cars. Look Them Over Boys. TERMS TRADES. Easy Financing Plan. Used Car Lot Back of First National Bank.

General Motors Program Is To Feature Texas

The "Parade of the States" radio program sponsored by the General Motors corporation will reach Texas at 8:30 o'clock this evening according to word received by the local American Legion post from the department adjutant of Texas.

PIONEER SUCCUMBS

MARLIN, April 18 (AP)—W. W. Hummelt, 80, pioneer trail driver, peace officer and surveyor, died last night at his Marlin home.

Classified Advertising Rates Information

All Want Ads are strictly cash and are accepted over the phone with the positive understanding that the account is to be paid when our collector calls.

Waggener Hall Is Dedicated At T. U.

AUSTIN, April 18 (AP)—Waggener Hall, new class room building on University of Texas campus, was dedicated last week as the main feature of the university's annual Texas round-up.

Political Announcements

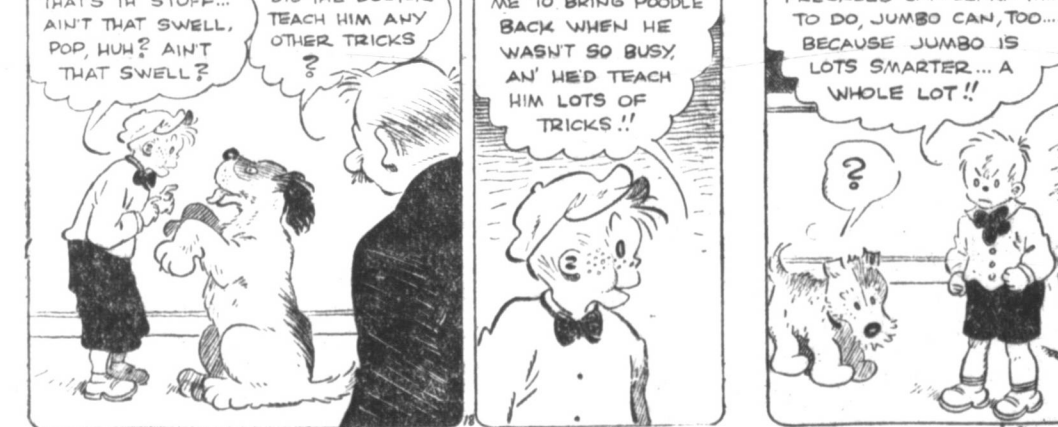
The Pampa Daily NEWS is authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries, July 23.

- For County Treasurer: MISS MABEL DAVIS (Re-election)
For District Clerk: MRS. LOUISE MILLER DUNN (Re-election)
For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: JOHN R. WHITE (Re-election)
For Commissioner Precinct No. 2: HARRY A. NELSON CLEM V. DAVIS
For Commissioner Precinct No. 3: H. G. McCLESKEY (Re-election)
For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1: JAMES TODD JR. (Re-election)
For Constable Precinct 2: JESS HATCHER FRANK JORDAN
For County Clerk: CHARLES THUT (Re-election)
For County Tax Assessor: EWING LEECH (Re-election)
For Tax Collector: T. W. (TOM) BARNES (Re-election)
For Sheriff: LON E. BLANSCET (Re-election)
For Representative 122 District: JOHN PURYEAR Of Wellington
D. O. BEENE Of Hobetts
H. E. HILL Of Shamrock
For County Judge: S. D. STENNIS (Re-election)
For Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals: PERRY S. PEARSON Of Amarillo
HAL C. RANDOLPH, Plainview, (Re-election)
For District Attorney: LEWIS M. GOODRICH, Shamrock.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



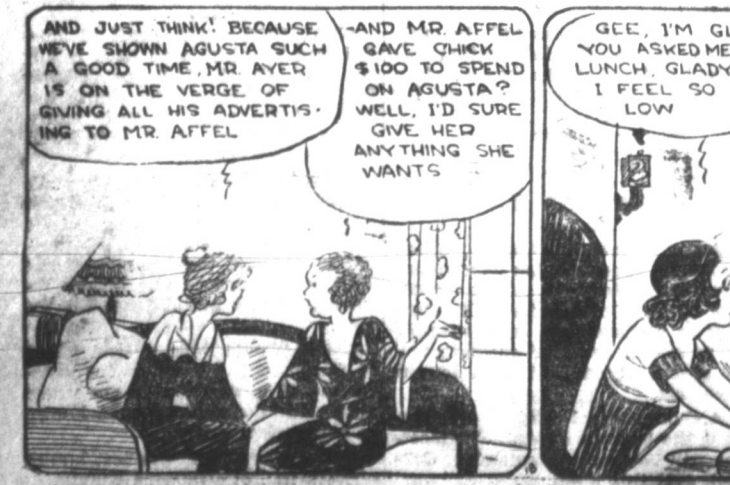
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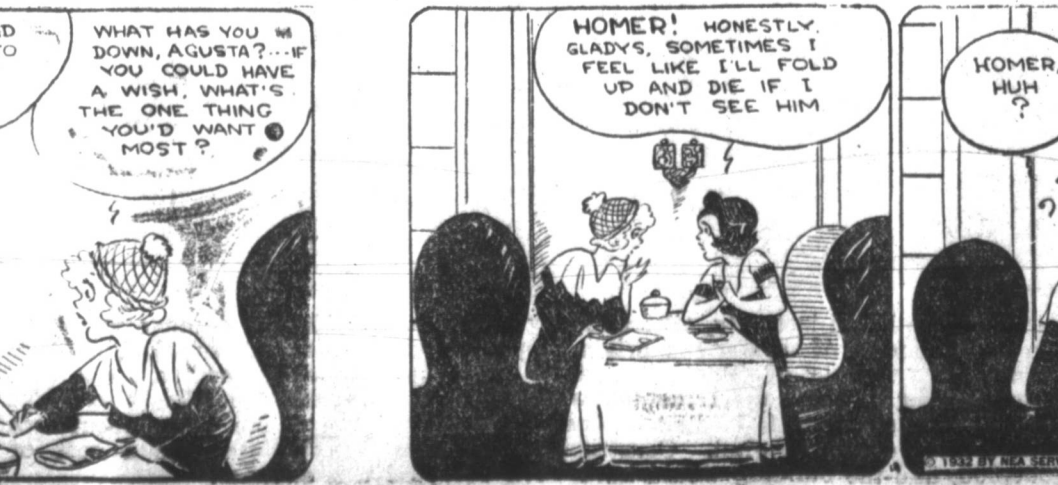
By Blosser



THE NEWFANGLES (Mom'n Pop)



HER ONE WISH!



By Cowan



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HOLE-IN-ONE FEATURES TOURNEY WHICH CLARENDON WINS

DONLEY TEAM CONSISTENT IN LEAGUE PLAY

PAR TO ELUSIVE WITH WIND SWEEPING COURSE

The Clarendon Country club golf team in the Cap Rock league proved too strong for the Pampa Country club here yesterday afternoon and the visitors won 11 of the 15 matches.

Clarence Barrett had the prize play of the day when he made a hole-in-one on the 12th hole.

How they played: Allen Cook, Clarendon, beat Dr. R. A. Webb 6 up.

Barrett is Member of Hole-In-One Club

Clarence Barrett, member of the Pampa Country club, is "one of the boys" today.

THE STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE Results Yesterday Philadelphia 2; Brooklyn 0 (11 innings).

Today's Standing Philadelphia 3, W. L. Pct. 1.750

Where They Play Today Chicago at St. Louis.

AMERICAN LEAGUE Results Yesterday Philadelphia 11; Washington 3.

Today's Standing Philadelphia 3, W. L. Pct. 1.750

Where They Play Today St. Louis at Detroit.

TEXAS LEAGUE Results Yesterday Beaumont 2; Galveston 3, 11 innings.

Today's Standing Houston 4, W. L. Pct. 1.800

Where They Play Today Wichita Falls at Fort Worth.

HE MAKES COMEBACK

MINERAL WELLS, April 18 (AP)—Byron Nelson of Fort Worth staged a comeback yesterday to defeat Gordon Young of Dallas 6 and 5.

BRUSHING UP ON SPORTS By LAUFER

Illustration of a man on a horse with text: 'This Boy defies the leg split! WILKINS NUTTAL IS ONE OF THE MAINSTAYS OF THE BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY WRESTLING SQUAD ALTHOUGH HE IS MINUS HIS LEFT LEG.'

Barrett Is Member of Hole-In-One Club

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Golf Director Uses Freak Idea In Getting "Line"

Dr. H. H. Hicks, tournament chairman at the Country club "pulled a fast one" on local golfers last week and yesterday.

Magnolia Wins Under Attack

The Magnolia Mags defeated the Texas Co. Stars of Amarillo at Metro Park yesterday afternoon 9 to 7.

Cabot Company Team Is Victor

The Cabot Co. ball team from the Kingsmill plant won a 11 to 7 game from the Pampa Home Labor nine yesterday afternoon.

Dempsey Again Is Under Suspension

CHICAGO, April 18 (AP)—Jack Dempsey, former heavyweight champion of the world, today was under suspension in national boxing association territory and champion Max Schmeling was in danger of being barred by the group.

NOTABLES CHARGED

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 18 (AP)—Charged with drunkenness and assault and battery in complaints signed by his wife, Mrs. Caledonia Henshaw and her brother, James Pulliam, George A. Henshaw, Jr., wealthy young oil man, was free on \$600 bond here today.

HURLERS ARE MASTERFUL IN EARLY GAMES

Members of the Panhandle office of the oil and gas division of the railroad commission located at Pampa can do more than see that the rulings of the commission are obeyed—they can shoot golf.

HITS VERY SCARCE IN MANY CONTESTS OF SEASON

By HERBERT W. BARKER Associated Press Sports Writer Not since the days before the lively ball have major league pitchers demonstrated such striking early-season mastery.

TEXAS LEAGUE BACK TO 1931 FIGURES NOW

HOUSTON SHOWING OLD ABILITY TO NOSE OUT RIVALS

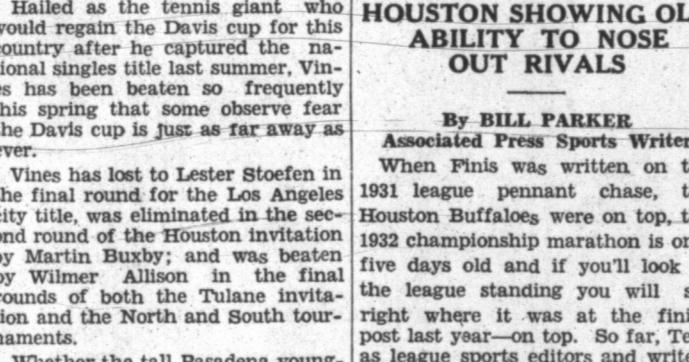
Skellytown Nine Beats Panhandle

The Skellytown Oilers, strong contenders in the Gray-Carson league last year, defeated the Panhandle Panthers 8 to 5 in Skellytown yesterday afternoon.

SUSPECT IS ARRESTED

DALLAS, April 18 (AP)—Officers today held a 22-year-old man for questioning in connection with the \$38,000 robbery of a messenger for the Mercantile bank Friday.

The Derby Parade



Main hope for the West in the 58th running of the Kentucky Derby May 7 at Churchill Downs will be Burning Blaze, chestnut son of Big Blaze-Mexican Tea, from the Valley Lake stables.

OIL AND GAS GAUGERS WIN

Defeat Scribes Sunday In All Matches—Hamilton To Putting Sensation.

PAMPA TRACK SQUAD WILL BE SEEN IN MEET TUESDAY

Pampa's young but fast track and field squad will be seen in action here tomorrow afternoon in a dual meet with the Panhandle Panthers.

STEERS TO FACE RICE IN CRUCIAL CONTEST FRIDAY

DALLAS, April 18 (AP)—Baseball, tennis and track form this week's sport program for the Southwest conference.

AMERICANS SAFE

PEIPING, April 18 (AP)—All Americans have not been removed from the Hinterland beyond Amoy where fighting broke out last week between Chinese forces, the American legation was advised today by the U. S. Consul there.

HAIR CUTS MASSAGE SHAMPOO TONICS OR SHAVE 25c

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DR. R. M. JOHNSON Formerly associated with Dr. Hicks announces the opening of his office at Suite 201-02 Combs-Worley Building. Phone 431

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"THE LASS OF LIMERICK TOWN" WILL BE PRESENTED

SHE SHEARS HER PIGTAILS



The pigtails that once distinguished the flying figure of Helen Wills when, as a girl, she set the tennis world on fire, at last have fallen before the barber's shears. Mrs. Helen Wills Moody is shown above in her first pose after having her hair bobbed in what she termed a "modified" fashion.

ARTISTS OF AUSTIN DELIGHT LOCAL CROWD SUNDAY NIGHT

ARE TO GIVE PROGRAM AT HIGH SCHOOL ON FRIDAY

Music lovers filled the First Presbyterian church Sunday evening to hear a sacred recital presented by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Byrd Kline of Austin. The crowd was delighted by the versatility of the program, and by the familiar, yet appealing, selections.

Local Girl Is in Special Workers Band at College

BELTON, April 18. (Special)—Miss Ruth Binford, daughter of Mrs. Mary A. Binford of Pampa, has recently been elected president of the Special Workers band at Baylor college.

Mr. and Mrs. Kline will give programs in Borger, LeFors, Morse, and Sisseton this week, and on Friday morning will entertain at the chapel services at high school and junior high school. Entirely different programs will be selected from that of Sunday.

Sister of Pampa Residents Dies in Wichita Falls

Mrs. Charles Johnson, 43, a sister of F. E. Leech, county tax assessor, Miss Helen Leech and Mrs. Tom Clayton of this city, died of pneumonia yesterday at Wichita Falls. She had been ill a week, it was learned.

Mrs. Kline to Be Guest at Meeting

Mrs. Harry Byrd Kline of Austin will be guest entertainer at a meeting of divisions 5 and 6 of the Women's council, First Christian church, this evening. The meeting will be held at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. F. Meskimen, 404 N. Somerville.

REAL HARMONY IS KEY NOTE OF HAPPINESS

BEAUTY EXISTS ONLY IN MIND OF FAMILY OR INDIVIDUAL

BY HOLLYCEE SELLERS THINKLE: Home! Beauty! How enchantingly suggestive are these words—dear to the poet, teachingly sweet to the reader of poetry. And when found together in reality, how refreshing they seem in contrast to the work-a-day world.

Not all, however, have analyzed their desires to the extent that they hold their home in such a way as to bring happiness. Some say it is vanity, but perhaps it is an ill-directed home-loving instinct that causes a person to buy (regretting it later) a suite of lavishly ornate furniture which cannot be paid for until it is virtually worn out and which, compared with its surroundings, is totally out of harmony.

Harmony—this is the real watchword for living the spirit of beauty in the home, whether it be in decorating that home, in entertaining one's friends (or one's husband), or in assuming the role of pedagogue to one's baby.

When we absorb beauty we become beautiful. Hence to reflect the spirit of beauty one should spare no effort in securing those things which are beautiful to the eye, the ear, the taste.

Money Counts Little For the average family, the home should be the best that can be afforded. But fortunately, beauty, even in material things, cannot be measured by cost.

Strangely, however, that many a home-maker recognizes the importance of harmony in furnishings and decorations, but here her ideas on the subject of harmony are cut short, and she forgets the more important principle of keeping herself in harmony with her surroundings.

ALABAMA'S COTTON QUEEN



While other southern states are pondering selection of their royal representatives, Alabama's Governor B. M. Miller named Miss Helen Stuart, Montgomery society belle, as Cotton Queen of the state.

VARIED PROGRAM GIVEN BY PUPILS FOR THEIR PARENTS

REFRESHMENTS SERVED AT MERTEN SCHOOL GATHERING

Scores of parents gathered at Baker school Friday evening to see one of the cleverest programs ever presented by pupils of the school. Parents were surprised at hearing their children recite poems, play musical selections, and sing songs that had not been heard before by these parents.

The program was as follows: Fourth grade—Song, Welcome Sweet Springtime; Valse Bleue, by the Rhythm band; reading, Trees, Charley Ray Zarnall.

First grade—Song, News for Gardeners; song, The Robin; reading, Going Fishing, Wesley Haney; Dapple Gray, song and Rhythm band; Blacksmith, song and Rhythm band.

Second grade—Folk dance, Bleking, second grade accompanied by first grade Rhythm band; Klapp Danzen, Rhythm band; La Czarine, Rhythm band; who, by eight children of the second grade.

Third grade—Song, The Field Daisy; song, Morning Compliments; Rhythm band, Moment Musical; reading, My Shadow, J. W. Lawson; piano solo, Canoe Ride, Charisey Ray Zarnall; The Day Before April, Orene Alford.

Kongential Kard Group Is Favored In Robinson Home

Mrs. T. A. Robinson was hostess Thursday afternoon at a party for the Kongential Kard club.

Mrs. Hartson Is Buried Yesterday

Funeral services for Mrs. Elnor Jane Hartson, 29, who died Friday morning were held at 3 o'clock at the First Baptist church yesterday afternoon under the direction of Stephenson mortuary, with the Rev. C. E. Lancaster officiating.

Many to Attend Merten Carnival

The Pampa high school orchestra and I. A. Freeman will take part in the program at the Merten school Friday night when members of the good will committee of the Junior chamber of commerce and Board of City Development and Pampans attend the Merten school carnival.

NOT UP TO STANDARD

WASHINGTON, April 18. (AP)—Amos W. W. Woodcock, prohibition director, in a statement today said he believed prohibition agents N. D. Heaton and L. C. Smith who shot and killed Marion McGlothlin at Dallas April 8 were not guilty of any crime, but had not measured up to the standard set for prohibition agents.

MANY SCHOOL STUDENTS ARE TO HAVE PART

DIRECTION IS BY MISS IVA JUNE WILLIS, INSTRUCTOR

Many Pampa high school students are preparing eagerly for "The Lass of Limerick Town," an opera to be presented in the city hall auditorium April 29 under the direction of Miss Iva June Willis, public school music supervisor.

The story begins as follows: Sir Charles Worthington had promised his old friend, Donovan McCoy, when the latter lay dying, that his son, Pomeroy, should marry McCoy's daughter, Rose, when the son should come of age.

The captain comes of age and is sent by his father to Limerick to win the hand and heart of Rose. He has seen neither of the cousins, but has a strong sense of duty.

Interesting situations follow which surprise even the sisters themselves. The following cast has been selected: Sir Charles Worthington, Curtis Stark; Lady Worthington, Florida Freeman; Capt. Pomeroy Worthington, Joe Kahl; Betty McCoy, Dorothy Doucette; Rose McCoy, Dorothy Dodd; Judge Hogey, Malcolm Carr; Justice O'Flynn, Ed Whittenburg; Mrs. O'Flynn, Hester Lester; Ezra Q. Hicks, James Groom; Pat, Ralph O'Keefe; Mike, C. A. Rogers; Molly, Eura Rose; Mr. Smith, Charles Frost; Mr. Partington, Norman Carr.

Record Set by First Baptist Sunday School

Record attendance has been reported for the First Baptist Sunday school. There were 770 persons present yesterday morning, and several departments reported that all previous attendance records had been broken.

PAMPA HIGH'S TEACHERS ARE RE-EMPLOYED

All high school teachers were re-elected by the school board, but five have resigned and not been members of the 1932-33 faculty, it was learned this morning.

The high school faculty next term will be smaller by one and one-half teachers than this year, Supt. R. B. Fisher said. The "half" teacher is the holder of a part-time position.

A list of high school and grade school teachers recently elected and re-elected by the school board will be available later in the week.

Old Man Dies in Quest for Work

FORT WORTH, April 18. (AP)—A verdict of suicide was returned today at the request of D. M. Matthews, 60, Abilene, who died in a hospital after a passerby reported a man was ill.

Justice Prichard said the man had taken poison. His body will be taken to Caddo where relatives were located.

FORT WORTH, April 18. (AP)—A discouraging search for employment ended in death last night for D. M. Matthews, 60, of Abilene. He was found ill in a park here and died an hour later at a hospital.

Before the end Matthews said he was "still a good, strong man, but no one would believe me and I couldn't get a job."

He was identified through a note in his pocket addressed to Abilene relatives. It read: "The package you sent me is in my hotel room; no charges against it. But won't need it." It was signed "D. M."

Home Is Wrecked by Heavy Blast

FREDERICKSBURG, April 18. (AP)—A terrific explosion today wrecked the residence of Edgar Kordzik, causing a fire which completed the ruin of the building and its furnishings.

None was injured by the blast. The Kordzik family was away on a visit at the time. They told officers they could offer no explanation as to cause of the explosion.

One of the stone walls of the two-story building was blown down knocking over a windmill. Houses for miles around were shaken.

PICNIC HELD IN SPITE OF L'FORS RAIN

GROUP RETURNS HOME, BUT FEAST IS SPREAD

Pampans hoping to open a well-filled lunch basket at LeFors last evening were not to be discouraged when they ran into a rain. They returned to Pampa, spread the feast in the home of Mrs. E. S. Horner, and enjoyed many lively games.

Those attending the "picnic" were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hibbs and son, Mrs. O. P. Naylor, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Blanton and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hibbs, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Horner and children, and W. Stufing.

COMING EVENTS

TUESDAY London Bridge club will be entertained at 2:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. John Sturgeon.

Little Theater will present "Adam and Eve" at the city auditorium. The production is for the benefit of Baker school cafeteria.

Miss Madeline Tarpley's recital will appear in piano recital at 7:30 o'clock at the Methodist church.

Civic Culture club will meet at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. F. J. Huddell.

Mertjen Parent Teacher association will elect officers at a meeting to be held at 3 o'clock.

WILL HANDLE OILS R. L. Webb, father of L. R. A. Webb, has arrived in Pampa and will take over the duties of district sales representative of the B and B Lubricating company recently organized by Clarence Barrett and Roy Bourland. Mr. Webb has had more than 30 years experience in the oil and lubricating business.

CARD OF THANKS We desire to express our thanks and gratitude unto all who have so kindly assisted us during the brief illness and death of our precious wife and mother, who has gone to be with the Lord.

We wish to especially express our thankfulness to the various ministers for their kind words, the physician and hospital staff for their aid, and to the great host of friends who came to our rescue, financially. Your deeds of kindness have been manifested, but the memory shall linger long.

Mrs. M. C. Mitchell and children

Man's Heart Stopped By Bad Stomach Gas W. L. Adams boasted so with gas after meals that his heart missed beats. Adierka brought out all gas and now he eats anything and feels fine.—Fatheree Drug Company.—adv.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Sturgeon had as their guests yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hinkamp and Mrs. R. Rogers of Amarillo. The group spent a part of the day in Borger.

CHEVROLET

This week's bargain special for Chevrolet owners

VALVES GROUND CARBON CLEANED

For week of April 18th only

\$3.75

Here's another bargain offer that proves the economy of owning a Chevrolet. For only \$3.75, you can get an expert job of valve grinding and carbon cleaning. Your Chevrolet will run smoother, accelerate faster, and reach higher speeds, if you have this job done occasionally and have it done right.

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Misses Arabelle and Helen Stahl of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Johnson during the week-end. Miss Helen Stahl will remain for several days.

BULL INJURES MAN SWEETWATER, April 18. (AP)—An enraged bull severely injured F. M. Lockett, 75, on a ranch near Roscoe today. The fact that the animal had been dehorned, probably saved Lockett's life.

Earl Stone of Amarillo transacted business in Pampa this morning.

STEEL OUTLOOK BETTER PITTSBURGH, April 18. (AP)—Staple prices and an increase in orders gave encouragement to the steel industry in the Pittsburgh district today. The mills are operating at about 25 per cent of capacity.

KITTY FREW

by JANE ABBOTT

SYNOPSIS: Kitty Frew opens a shop with her sister-in-law, Carol, to help target the sudden death of her husband, Gar. She has taken for granted the friendship of Gar's half-brother, David, though she has known he loves her. Now she is in a successful vocation and she misses his companionship.

Chapter 41 ON THE HILLTOP

FROM outside of the office came the sound of Josie's high brisk voice talking to a customer, from a back room the hum of a sewing machine where alterations were being made.

Kitty wrote letters. She visited the fitting room. She met some customers who called for her. One was Diana Close. Diana did not buy anything.

"I had a letter from Marge yesterday. She's coming home before Christmas."

"That's nice." Kitty could say it quite calmly, because she felt no smallest interest in Marge's coming or staying away.

"Mrs. Frew! Some one to see you." It was Josie again, in the office door.

Kitty went out to the waiting room. She gave a little glad cry. David stood there.

"Oh, I wanted you to come today!"

"Did you think I'd forget what day it is?"

"But you're so busy—"

"Not too busy for that. What say to celebrating?"

"But I can't—"

"Of course you can, Mrs. Frew," put in Josie from the office door.

"Mrs. Somerset will be down after lunch and if we get in a jam Miss Foster can come out."

"Of course you can," echoed David, laughing. "We'll drive out to the little house if you'll use your car."

"Oh, David, I'd love that!"

"I've telephoned Mrs. Dundy to have some lunch ready for us. Put on your bonnet, quick."

"But how did you know I'd go?"

"I intended to kidnap you if you balked at all. This is my day as much as yours."

The new David, assertive, charming, spirited. He wore a new cut, a new hat.

"It seems to me you are looking particularly well, to-day, Mr. Frew!"

They drove swiftly out of the city, out into a russet-brown and gold country. The wind in her face brought the old high color to Kitty's cheeks; her eyes had darkened in the old way of delight.

"It's been five weeks since I've seen you!"

"Don't I know that?"

He told her of changes he'd been making in the new book, of the people he'd met. David, going ahead, she thought. Well, she was, too. And she told him of the precious balance that marked the success of the shop.

"It's a go, David."

"Of course, I knew it would be."

"I'm most pleased on account of Carol. Sometimes I can't believe she's the same girl. And Paul's getting—well, he's nice, David. I like him now."

She told the latest of Dorcas, laughing. Dorcas had gone to live with her Aunt Lydia. Aunt Lydia had had a slight stroke which made an invalid of her. And she needed Dorcas. But Dorcas had simply transplanted her flag of independence. She'd taken Old Timor with her and Emil and Max and Mark and the others ran in and out of Aunt Lydia's house, as much at home there as they'd felt on Ketchum Street. Mrs. Gentle was running a boarding house at 22.

She told him of his father. "He's very well and I think he's happier, David. We have good times together."

They found the little house almost buried in gold and red-yellow leaves. Chrysanthemums were blooming in the garden, some late roses and gladioli and dahlias lingering, portulac bright along the borders. A few grapes still hung on the vines, deeply purple against the yellow leaves.

"Oh, it's lovely," cried Kitty, drawing in a long breath. "It's like—coming home!" And then she added, hastily: "That's what your father said, David, once. I don't think he'd felt that way for a long time. You made it like that for him."

"Well, I'm glad."

Mrs. Dundy had a lunch waiting for them. David built a fire on the hearth and they ate before it. David told her amusing experiences he had had in New York, of plays he had seen. Kitty told him of some of their customers.

But while they talked Kitty had the feeling of distance between them—they'd both changed, she said to herself.

Jan, at David's heels, was coaxing for a walk. When they had finished their luncheon they climbed the hill. And reaching its top, they sat down under the old trees.

"I used to sneak away from the others and come here every day. I called it my own. Wasn't that presumptuous in me, when it's really yours?"

"It's a big hilltop," David answered easily.

David had no need, now, for his seclusion, Kitty thought.

"Do you remember that first day we came here, David? How long ago it seems now. That girl that I was then is—almost—a stranger to me now."

She looked soberly out across the valley, not seeing it but seeing that Kitty Frew of those days when she had had to lean on David. What a foolish, bewildered, uncertain, blind girl she'd been! But, even thinking that, she felt a wistful tugging at her heart; there was something *lonesome* in going ahead—without David!

"You're happy, now?" David asked brusquely.

"Yes, I guess I am." Then she straightened, laughed. "How absurd to put it so doubtfully! Of course I am! Ought I not to be with the Treasure Island Shop so safely established? I like the work. I like seeing Carol so sure of herself. I like the way your father depends on me. I like Pound. You can't know how nice it is when I have Pound waiting for me when I go home, to have him fuss over me. And David, he's so proud of you, as proud as your own father. He asked me if he might take Little Lady to his room. I gave him my autographed copy to keep. David, can you know how proud we all are of you?"

He sat clasping his knees, his chin bent to his hands.

"I mean—" his tone was gruff, "are you contented to go on like this—the rest of your life? Is it going to give you—everything you want?"

She answered quickly. "Oh, yes, of course." And then as though another voice had asked the question she repeated: "Of course I am!"

She could not see his face. It was turned from her. But she saw him give a little expressive lift of his shoulders.

"I had to know that. I'm going away, Kitty, abroad. Norwood wants me to write a biography. It will necessitate digging up some gay old scandals from their respectable toches. Norwood says I have the touch he wants. I can't tell you much more about it now."

"How perfectly wonderful! David Frew, with such an assignment! Do you remember when Dorcas used to send you home like a bad boy who had not done his lessons? But there was a sharp pain under the lightness of her voice. "David, when are you going?"

He turned to her. He did not touch her but his eyes betrayed his longing. "Oh, right away, I guess. I told Norwood that I could go now, unless—Kitty, I came back hoping that you'd tell me that you needed me. But you don't need me now. You're walking very well on your own two feet. I see. I ought to be glad. But you're so young—if you were thirty or more I could reconcile myself to seeing you contented with business. But you—"

"I'm not!" She cried it involuntarily and the words released all the longing in her heart. "It isn't all that! But, David, what else can I want for me?" She said it in the old troubled way of appeal to him. With the old gesture she put her hand on his arm.

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She drew her hand away, trembling. She put it to her face. "I'm afraid, David." Her voice faltered. He saw a deep flush spread from her cheek to her throat. He waited patiently, his eyes caressing her.

"I've missed you awfully—this year. It's your not being here—made a difference with everything I guess—I do—need you, David! I guess I've always needed you. What you gave me—"

He drew her gently to him until her shoulder rested in the hollow of his arm. He said no word, content to feel her relax against him, content to see the happiness slowly suffusing her face.

She broke the silence first.

"But, David, you ought to go to write that—"

"I'll wire Norwood to-night—that I'm staying. I'd rather work here, Kitty—with you."

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THE END

WHEN MILK WAR BROKE OUT ANEW IN HARRIS COUNTY



When Houston milk distributors recently cut the price of milk from 26c to 16c per gallon, members of the South Texas Milk Producers' association dumped their milk into the sewers rather than sell at the low price. Independent producers immediately supplied the distributors with milk. Several of these independents have been hijacked. The lower right photo is of A. B. Spradley who now carries arms, since being fired on. He has received two threatening letters, demanding that he quit bringing milk to Houston, or his life, and that of his wife and babies will be taken. Lower left shows J. Tucker, independent, also armed against hijacking. Above is the other side of the story, the ashes of B. E. Stallions, manager of the Producers' association. It burned to the ground Monday and Stallions says independent producers set it afire.

Faculty Will Help to Raise Museum Funds

CANYON, April 18.—A committee from the faculty of the West Texas State Teachers college will assist the building committee of the Panhandle-Plains Historical society to finish raising \$25,000 to match the same amount appropriated by the Texas legislature for the erection of the first unit of a museum building.

T. D. Hobart of Pampa, president of the Historical Society, says that the money must be raised by July in order to have the contract let for the building before August, or the Panhandle will lose its opportunity to have a real museum. Heading the college committee is R. A. Terrill, who has had much experience in raising funds.

Associated with him are Field Secretary L. F. Sherry, who will spend much of his time soliciting funds over the Panhandle, J. H. Humphreys, Miss Jennie C. Ritchie, Mrs. Tommie Montfort, Mrs. T. V. Reeves with Dr. J. A. Hill as an adviser to the committee. This committee will work with the building committee headed by Judge H. E. Hoover, Canadian. Other members are W. H. Patrick, Clarendon, Horace Russell, Mrs. Olive K. Dixon, Amarillo, T. D. Hobart, Pampa, Colonel R. P. Smythe, Plainview.

hooks and slides

william braucher

Pieces of Ivory

Chick Hafey was a nice piece of ivory. For six years he was prominently displayed at the St. Louis Cardinals' main store. But he was too high-priced. The depression came, and readjustment. So Hafey was whisked off the shelf and traded away. Two cheaper pieces of ivory were installed in his place.

Brutally, that was the deal that brought Benny Froy and Harvey Hendrick—plus some very handy cash—to the Cardinals, and sent last year's leading hitter in the National League to a tail-end team at Cincinnati.

Business as Usual

It was just another business transaction, and it was a typical Cardinal deal, seemingly devoid of sentiment, but actually a lasting lesson to every piece of ivory in the Cardinal chain.

Hafey's salary demands were deemed unreasonable by Head Salesman Branch Rickey. Hafey was insistent. These other St. Louis athletes can see what happens to an unreasonable and obdurate ball player. Hold out and you are traded to a tail-end team, and lose your world series share.

Hafey led the National League. Cardinals only won the 1931 world series.

Bargain Miracles

The miracle that was Burleigh Grimes in the world series of 1931 was peddled for Hack Wilson was bartered for \$40,000.10, the dime representing a ball player named Parham, obtained from Brooklyn.

The miracle that was Grover Cleveland Alexander, stepping into the box to accomplish the impossible in a world series, was wrapped up neatly and sent to the Phils, another tail-end team, in exchange for twenty cents worth of ivory tagged Homer Peel and Bob McGraw.

Center Fielder

Taylor Douthett, losing his batting eye, was shipped to the Reds, in exchange for Walter Rottger last year.

Rogers Hornsby, one of the greatest ball players who ever lived, was traded to the Giants for Frankie Frisch, because Frisch was younger, a better fielder and would play more games than the high-priced Rajah.

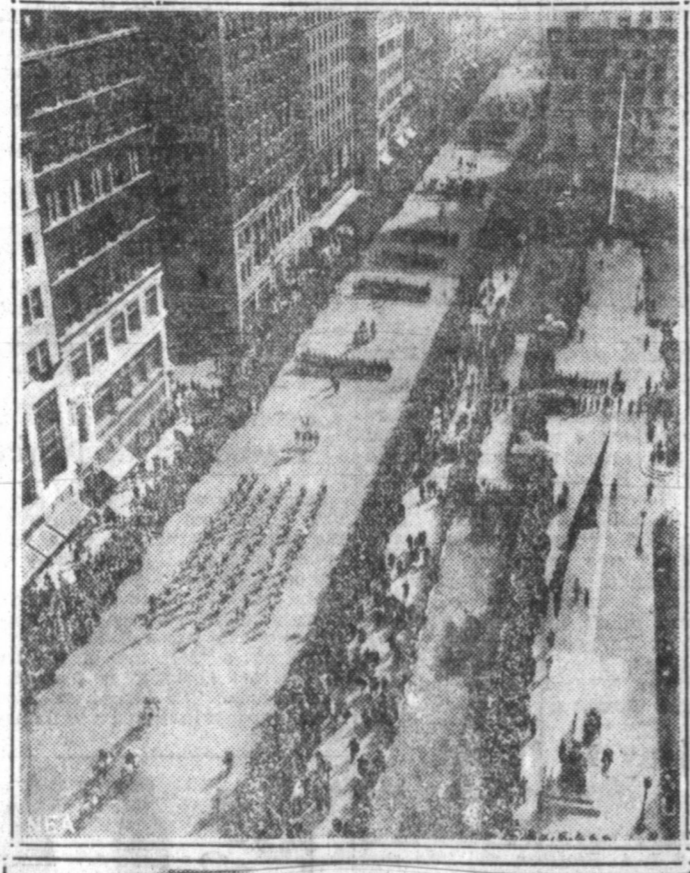
How Many Cylinders?

A ball player after all, isn't unlike an automobile. By the way, did you know that Sam Breadon, owner of the Cardinals, also sells automobiles?

A ball player is good for only a specified period. Like Hornsby, it may be an exceptional model, and run for a good many years. But in the end, of course, the automobile has to be junked.

The ball player has to be junked, too, unless he can be sold or traded for a better model.

NEW YORK MARKS ARMY DAY



It was Army Day in New York, and 18,000 men, women and children marched along Fifth Avenue in a preparedness parade. The upper picture shows crowds jamming the sidewalks to witness the spectacle while military and naval units and veterans' organizations marched by. Below John J. Pershing (right) and Major General Dennis E. Nolan, commander of the Second Corps Area, are pictured in the reviewing stand.



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Thousand Will Be Participants In District Meet

CANYON, April 18.—Preparations are complete for the annual first district Texas Interscholastic League meet which will take place here April 22 and 23 under the general direction of W. E. Lockhart.

About 1,000 visitors representing the 20 member counties will meet in Canyon, for contests in athletics, declamations, debate, music memory, essay writing, typewriting, art, and home economics.

Local officers will be assisted by Superintendent H. A. Finch, Dahlart, E. L. Hunter and T. L. Hill, Amarillo, Superintendent Guy Taber, Farwell, and W. E. Sherman of Plemoms.

During their visit to Canyon the boys and girls will be given an opportunity to use the college swimming pool and to visit the entire college plant.

Professor T. M. Moore is chairman of the rooms committee and arrangements are being made to entertain visitors with the least possible expense to them.

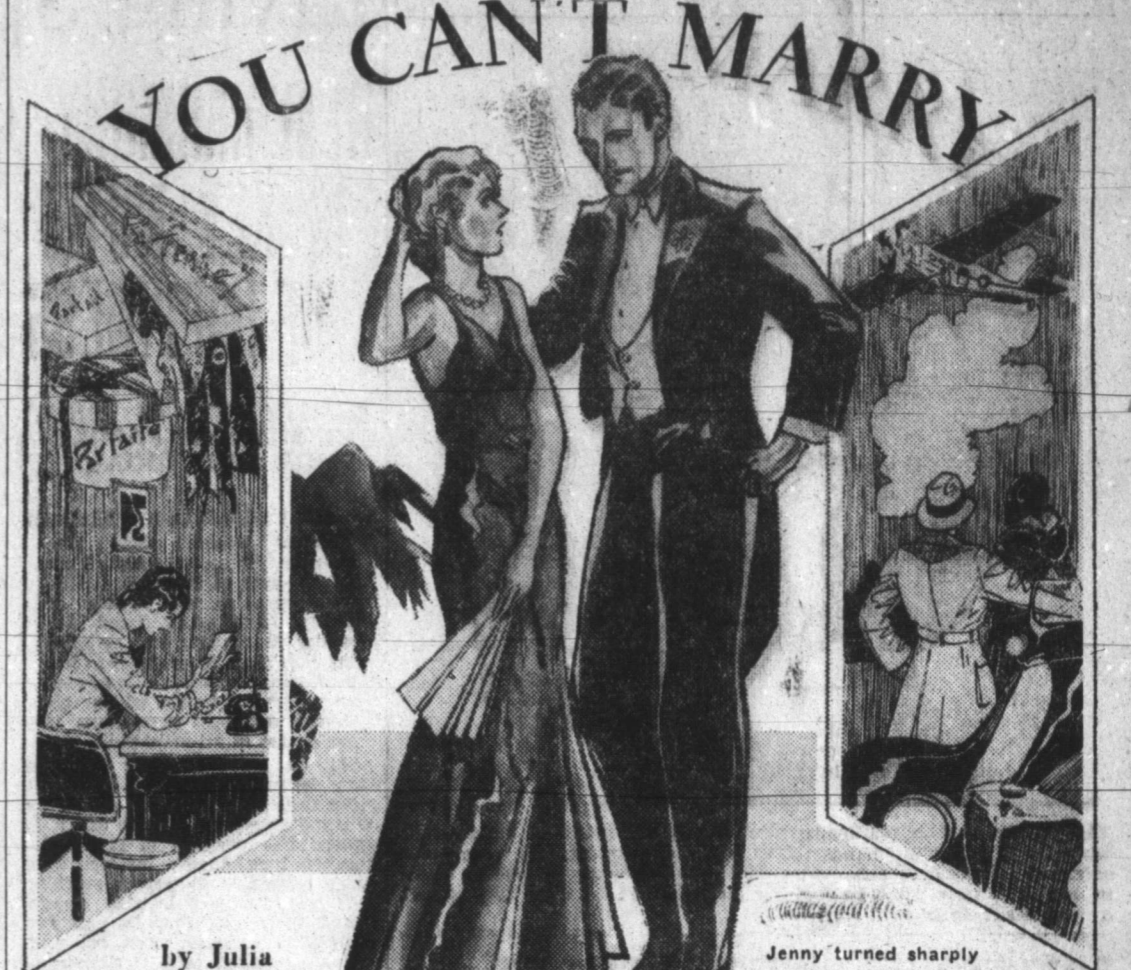
Roosevelt May Reply to Smith

ST. PAUL, April 18 (AP)—The agricultural northwest took a close look today at Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York and wondered whether it would hear an echo of his recent radio speech and the apparent exception taken to it by former Gov. Alfred E. Smith.

For tonight Gov. Roosevelt, giving one of the rare public addresses of his presidential campaign and the first since Smith denounced him inferentially for a "demagogic attitude," will deliver a speech he traveled nearly 2,500 miles to make.

You Can't Marry

by Julia Cleft-Addams



by Julia Cleft-Addams

Chapter 1
A LOST ICICLE

JENNY REVELL looked down from her high window-sill, that was still warm from the summer sun, and watched the daylight creep step by step a way from the corner of Eyle Street. Soon it would be dark.

She had never, in all her twenty-four years, grown quite indifferent to the coming of dusk; it called all manner of little magick, little flickering fantasies into her mind. In the country, she thought drowsily, evening comes like a bat, everything darkens under its wings, but in the city it drops like a dragonfly agile with light and awbirl with enchantment.

"Jenny!"

She signed a little and turned away from the window, rubbing her eyes with her hands like an awakening child. Midway between the window and the voice that was still gaily calling, stood a tall mirror atop its stand. She hovered there, it despairingly conscious that she seemed barely twenty, when she was actually 24 today, and far more competent than anyone believed.

"Jenny! Get ready!"

The shadows she loved were crowding into the room but still she dawdled at the graying mirror. She saw a tumble of pale-gold hair, so silvery blond and fine that it lay like gossamer about her face. Her dark brows and her dark long lashes painted little shadows on the faint flush of her skin; they gave mystery to her eyes. Very wondering eyes, wide-set and of that pansy-black that has purple in it, under the sun. . . .

But here came George from her bath; fresh, glowing, scented.

"Jenny! We shall have to pretend we thought they said supper instead of dinner—oh, you've left the blinds up!"

Jenny blinked. The light by the mirror, the light by the dressing-table, the two lights over the bed—with a clinking rush George had turned them all on. The room that had been full of velvety twilight was now a stream of color. Color was everywhere; and most glowingly of all, in George. George was color.

George, thought Jenny, looked most wonderfully aglow tonight. The thick creaminess of her skin seemed to have a golden tone under it. Her eyes had the amber gleams in them that Jenny loved; even in the shadow their brown was not dull or slow. She picked up the bright enamel brushes and her splendid arms moved up and down like sails. George's red-brown hair was short and she meant to keep it so.

"But the blue is really a dancero-frock."

"I know, love. But strange to say, people do dance quite often, on an evening, in this naughty little old hamlet. Especially at Millie's. . . . What an amazing infant you are!"

Jenny chuckled. It was a sweet, deep, sudden sound, more appropriate, somehow, to George's throat than to Jenny's. "You call me a scatter-brain but do you know what you've forgotten?"

George, halfway into her frock, was struck rigid in the midst of fold upon fold of apricot velvet.

"Jenny! Oh, Jenny, whatever possessed me to forget!" She flashed into the frock and threw her arms round the younger girl. "Many, many happy returns, Jenny-sweet! Jen, I didn't forget altogether! Wait—look!"

A little breathless, Jenny waited. George was rooting energetically on the floor of the wardrobe and presently she swung out a flat, jade-stringed box, stamped superbly—*Parfalte*.

"Oh, but you shouldn't have!" stammered Jenny. "Parfalte is most terribly expensive."

"Open it, pet, and put it on. Ryder Vaie is always worth looking nice for. Besides, there's that unknown stalwart he's bringing with him. . . . It fits you 'quite wonderfully. And here are the shoes to go with it. . . . They fit, too."

Jenny, blinking again, gazed at herself in the long glass. It was a silver dress—silver touched with a faint, cold green and, where it dropped to the silver shoes, with an even colder, steely blue.

"Come here and let me see to your hands," George told her cousin. "I believe you've been putting them into greasy water again. Didn't Mrs. What's-her-name come?"

"Oh, yes. But there's a lot of work and I like helping her. I feel so useless, doing nothing here in the apartment and with no job. I ought to earn my keep either here or somewhere else."

"Twenty-four! Heavens, you chicken, wait till you're my age."

"You're only 28."

"Nearly 30." On George's lips it sounded a gay, reckless achievement—being nearly 30. "A jolly good age, too. You don't go nagged or patronized and you can spend your money as you like. I should be a fool to marry yet, Jen."

"Shall you tell Eddie that you won't marry him for ages yet?"

George's big, creamy shoulders shrugged. "Oh, my dear infant—!" She began to redden her mouth lavishly but with competence. "Yes, I suppose I shall tell him," she agreed, presently. "Seems a shame, in a way, when he's so proud-making. He is proud-making, isn't he, Jen?"

"He's nice," Jenny said softly. "And good-natured and fire-sider; and he adores you. And he's famous in his way. There was a lot in the *Record* this morning about his last flight. When is he coming in to town again?"

"Not this evening, I hope," George said, grimacing. "I do so dread arguing with him. 'Fraid I'll give way, I suppose, and find myself in a semi-detached house, with a daily maid."

"And yet you want to marry Eddie," Jenny said. "I do wish that you didn't have to leave Mr. Matching if you marry. Is it absolutely out of the question that he would make an exception in your case? Couldn't you possibly persuade him to let you stay on?"

"Not a hope." George slithered into her cloak and led the way rapidly down the stairs. "All his ferro-concrete—if a woman in his employment marries, she must go."

Jenny followed her splendid cousin into the waiting car. Was there another word that so well described George, wondered Jenny?

"By the way, Jen, when we get to Millie's, go straight into the lobby while I tip this chauffeur. Ryder phoned that he might be late but the man he's bringing is to wait just under the light."

SLAYER AT LARGE

HOUSTON, April 18 (AP)—Officers today had made little progress in their search for a 69-year-old tenant farmer who shot a woman to death in an argument over strawberries and wounded her husband. He then bade neighbors farewell after trying vainly to borrow more ammunition.

Joe M. Smith has returned from a visit at San Antonio.

AMERICAN SENTENCED

SHANGHAI, April 18 (AP)—Paul Crawley, American promoter, was convicted here today of smuggling opium into the United States aboard the U. S. naval transport Chaumont and sentenced to two years in the McNeil federal penitentiary.

Archer Fullington visited friends at Panhandle and Canyon yesterday.

NEARLY TWO POUNDS

KANSAS CITY, April 18 (AP)—Charles Bernard St. John is almost a 2-pound baby now. The infant, whose weight when he was born April 4 was estimated by a physician at 16 ounces, weighed 1 7/8 pounds on his first trip to the scales yesterday.

Mrs. C. Cargile underwent a major operation yesterday at Worley hospital.

SENATOR IMPROVES

WASHINGTON, April 18 (AP)—A slight improvement in the general condition of Senator Harris of Georgia, who is critically ill with an intestinal disorder, was noted today by his physicians.

ARMS REDUCTION IS TOPIC

GENEVA, April 18 (AP)—A proposal recommending that reduction of armaments be achieved in successive stages received wide approval from delegates at the world conference here this morning and was referred to the conference drafting committee.

QUAKE KILLS THOUSANDS

HANKOW, China, April 18 (AP)—Belated reports reaching here today through Chinese sources from southeast Hupeh province said an earthquake took a toll of "several thousands of persons" there April 6 in several towns and villages of the province.

MURRAY TO OHIO

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 18 (AP)—Governor W. H. (Alfalfa Bill) Murray, Democratic presidential candidate, will take his speaking campaign to Ohio the last week in April unless something unforeseen happens to change his plans.

OLD AGE? MARIE DRESSLER LAUGHS AT IT



Middle-age is the best part of life, take it from Marie Dressler, who is past 60, but who says she feels as though she were just approaching her 20th birthday. The film star is shown above as she appears in real life and on the screen.

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—It's a foolish woman who folds up her hands at 50 with the idea that "life is over" and it's a foolish one, too, who tries to hide her age behind flapper paint, and gown.

So believes Marie Dressler, film star, who is past 60—and proud of it.

"I don't know anything that is much more pitiful, even tragic, than the middle-aged woman who slumps back under the weight of her perhaps 50 years," Miss Dressler says with conviction.

"They are such fools. As soon as their families have grown and their hair turns gray they quit."

Miss Dressler doesn't believe in quitting, or even in being tired more than absolutely necessary. Despite clouds and rain that darkened the day, she seemed to be especially young and gay during this conversation about her "unaging age."

"Why if those middle-aged ladies just knew it," she said, "life is just beginning for them. Finally their responsibilities are over. They can quit sacrificing for their children. They can live for themselves. I feel younger today than I did at 25. I didn't really begin to live until I was 50."

Years ago Miss Dressler was a star on the stage, quite a famous one, too. With advancing years she lost much of her popularity, and then began her race with age, her determination not to let the public forget her.

She kept on working, although she reached and even passed middle-age during her "comeback" trial. She never thought of quitting because of age—because "age is a state of mind."

"I wish I could stand on the rooftops and shout to all women, 'Don't dread middle age. Look forward to it instead. It's the best part of life,'" she said, and she meant it.

"Youth doesn't depend on outside appearance. It comes from within. I may look a well-preserved 60 but inside me I know I'm just approaching my twentieth birthday."

"And another thing, I'd like to say a word or two about this trying-to-look-young business. There's no fool like an old fool, and the silliest thing in the world is a middle-aged woman trying to look and dress and act like a flapper."

Real Spills in 'The Crowd Roars' At LaNora Now

When "The Crowd Roars" starring James Cagney and Joan Blondell opens at the LaNora Theater today, movie audiences will see seven spills, a few of which were not in the original scenario. Fourteen racing cars were wrecked during the making of "The Crowd Roars". Many of these are the real articles which took place while the cameras were grinding and which were retained in the final print of the film.

With Howard Hawks doubling as author and director, it was a mere or less simple matter for him to change the script to allow the accidental spills to be incorporated into the story.

Supporting James Cagney and Joan Blondell in "The Crowd Roars" are Eric Linden, who plays the part of Cagney's kid brother, and Ann Dvorak who is cast as Jimmy's girl, Frank McHugh, Guy Kibbee and other well known actors are in the cast besides several professional racing drivers of international reputation.

"The Crowd Roars" is said to be one of the most exciting productions that has been screened in years, surpassing the thrilling action of "The Dawn Patrol" which Howard Hawks also wrote and directed. It tells the story of a racing champion who loses his nerve because of the death of his pal and partner, through his (Cagney's) daring driving. His regeneration and subsequent winning of the Indianapolis Speedway contest is vividly pictured in an exciting climax.

CAUGHT BY UNDERTOW LOS ANGELES, April 18 (AP)—One bather drowned and 194 other were rescued from heavy surf along Southern California beaches yesterday. The drowned man, Guy Forbes of Los Angeles, was caught in an undertow near El Segundo.

TATE UNDER ORDER OF SALE NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF GRAY

WHEREAS, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the 31st District Court of Gray County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 18th day of March, 1932, in favor of J. M. Carpenter, plaintiff, against E. E. McLain, L. G. McMillen and Marie E. McMillen, defendants, in said suit No. 3096 on the docket of said court, I did on the 8th day of April, 1932, at 11 o'clock a. m., levy upon the following described real estate situated in Gray county, Texas, and belonging to the said E. E. McLain, L. G. McMillen and Marie E. McMillen, and described as follows, to-wit:

All of lots 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 in Block No. 30 of the original townsite of McLean, Gray county, Texas.

And on the 3rd day of May, 1932, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on said date, at the courthouse door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all of the right, title and interest of the said E. E. McLain, L. G. McMillen, and Marie E. McMillen, in and to said above described real estate.

Dated at Pampa, Texas, this 8th day of April, 1932. LON L. BLANSCET Sheriff of Gray County, Texas. By J. F. Archer, Deputy. (Apr 11 18 25)

GAME COMMISSION MEETS

AMARILLO, April 18 (AP)—The Texas game, fish and oyster commission was in session in Amarillo today, guests of Gene Howe, member of the commission. Senator A. E. Wood of Austin, chairman of the commission, presided. Other members were Murrell G. Buckner of Dallas, J. H. Bibb of Marshall and Gus H. Schriener of Kerville, executive secretary W. J. Tucker and his Beal Jester. The party will inspect the Palo Duro canyons this afternoon.

OUR HONEYMOON, SEZ ZEZ



Nobody knew a thing about it until Zev Confrey, author of many popular songs and star orchestra conductor, and his bride were discovered in Chicago, where this picture was taken. "We're on our honeymoon," Confrey admitted, surprising his friends with first news of their secret wedding in New York recently. The bride formerly was Miss Wilhelmina Mathies of London, England.

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All of lots Nos. 11 and 12 in Block 30 of the original townsite of McLean, Gray County, Texas.

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SAYS SMITH COULD WIN

BOSTON, April 18 (AP)—U. S. Senator David I. Walsh last night attacked those who have been asserting that Alfred E. Smith cannot be nominated and predicted, at a large Smith rally that the "happy warrior" would secure Massachusetts' 36 votes in the Chicago convention.

County Clerk Returns

County Clerk Charlie Tut returned last night from Sherman, where he and his son Dale, accompanied Mrs. D. M. Dickey, Mrs. Tut's mother, to her home. The trip was made by automobile.

Hollywood Sights Sounds

BY ROBBIN COONS

HOLLYWOOD—To a large group of devoted movie fans one of the vital questions in the world today is: What about Garbo?

The town rings with reports and rumors of her plans, but definite information still is lacking. She is free from M-G-M, unless she signs again there, after her current picture, "As You Desire Me."

Will she carry out that old threat, "I go home"? Will she go to Sweden, as one report has it, to make pictures independently? Will she stay in Hollywood, at an increase in salary, or will any salary keep her here if she wants to go, as we take it she does?

Garbo does not talk—it's an old habit of hers—nor seemingly does anyone else who knows about her plans. Her business manager, Harry Edington, has resigned from M-G-M which is significant.

It might mean that negotiations with that studio are over, or that he wishes to confer with other studios. The latter is scarcely believable, since Garbo has never been off the M-G-M lot professionally.

If Garbo wants more money, much more than the studio is willing to pay, there's an interesting angle in M-G-M's experience with John Gilbert.

To those suffering with Garbo-mania this may be a treatable suggestion. But it is not illegal.

Priceless Stars

Garbo today, now, is well-nigh priceless to any studio. At the time Gilbert signed his contract, soon to expire, he, too, was priceless.

United Artists was bidding high for him, and M-G-M loath to lose a star it had built to such proportions, was equally eager to please.

M-G-M got Gilbert, at that reputed \$10,000 a week, and what happened? The talkies sent the Gilbert popularity zooming downward, and the Gilbert salary won, on as if nothing had happened. He was getting it, soaking it away, no matter what his films earned.

That anything should happen to the Garbo popularity, now or ever,

—AND ALONG CAME RUTH!



may seem unthinkable. But it's an item movie makers have to consider.

Fame? He Likes It

Douglas Fairbanks Jr., star of "It's Tough to Be Famous," said at the premiere in response to applause: "If this is fame, I'm very grateful!"

The picture will never have a more appreciative audience than that of Hollywood first-nighters—yet the majority of stars, even those who protest the penalties of fame, feed on the adulation they feign to protest.

TELLS OF ESCAPE

DOUGLAS, Ariz., April 18 (AP)—Reporting he had been kidnaped and held for ransom in Agua Prieta, Sonora, Mexico, a man identifying himself as C. R. Messer of Hugo, Okla., was questioned by police today. The man walked into the police station late last night, saying he had escaped Thursday and gone to Phoenix, although Agua Prieta is across the border from this city.

Mrs. E. Berg of LeFors was a Pampa shopper this morning.

ATTORNEY COLLAPSES

WASHINGTON, April 18 (AP)—William Wolff Smith, general counsel of the veterans bureau, Saturday collapsed under the grilling cross examination of the house military affairs committee after definitely stating so long as he remains with the government he will return his army retirement pay to the treasury. Smith was pronounced by Dr. George Calver, house physician, unable to continue as a witness.

J. W. Rausin of Oklahoma City is here this week.



- Get these 7 Hot Weather Precautions
- 1 Drain, Flush and Refill Crankcase with Proper Grade of Motor Oil.
 - 2 Correctly Lubricate Your Car for Summer Driving.
 - 3 Drain, Clean and Refill Transmission with Summer Grade Lubricant.
 - 4 Drain, Clean and Refill Differential with Summer Grade Lubricant.
 - 5 Fill Gasoline Tank with Magnolia Summer Grade Gasoline.
 - 6 Check Battery. Put in Fresh Distilled Water. Remove Corrosion, and Grease Terminals.
 - 7 Drain, Clean and Flush Radiator.

WINTER is gone! The winter lubricant in your crankcase, transmission and differential is certainly not the proper grade for summer driving. Your last grease job has served its purpose and worn away. Your radiator is probably corroded, rusted or partially clogged. Your battery has been through a tough session—it ought to be checked.

Neglect at any of these points can cause endless trouble and expense when hot weather sets in. To help you prevent hot weather troubles and enjoy carefree motoring, we have devised a special Magnolia 7-Point Service to SUMMER-IZE your car. Study the 7 important points that are covered when you have your car SUMMER-IZED by Magnolia. Notice how thoroughly we are prepared to relieve you of summer driving worries. Drive in today and get this much needed protection.

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Markets

New York Stocks

By The Associated Press

Am Can	436	50 1/4	46 1/4	46 1/4
Am T&T	679	102 1/2	100	100
Ans	43	6	5 1/2	5 1/2
Atch T&SF	60	45	42 1/2	42 1/2
Avl Cor	19	3	2 1/2	2 1/2
Ben Avl	10	7 1/2	7	7
Ches & O	105	17	15 1/2	15 1/2
Chrys	29	9 1/4	8 1/2	8 1/2
Colum G&EL	96	9 1/4	8	8
Cont Oil Del	9	5 1/4	5 1/4	5 1/4
Drug Inc	67	39	37 1/2	37 1/2
Du Pont De N	269	32 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
El P&L	61	8	7 1/2	7 1/2
Gen Ele	188	15	14 1/4	14 1/4
Gen G&EL A	3	1 1/4	1 1/4	1 1/4
Gen Mot	176	12 1/4	11 1/2	11 1/2
Gdrich	2	3 1/4	3 1/4	3 1/4
Gdyr T	1	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Int Harv	12	19 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Int Nick Can	37	6	5 1/2	5 1/2
Int T&T	39	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Kel	5	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Mid Cont Pet	3	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Mont Ward	30	7 1/2	7	7
NY Cen	136	20 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Packard	18	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Penny JC	16	28 1/2	28	28
Phair O&G	1	4 1/4	4 1/4	4 1/4
Pure Oil	5	4 1/4	4 1/4	4 1/4
Radio	46	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Sears	78	21 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Shell Un	11	3 1/2	3	3
Skelly	10	3 1/2	3	3
Socny Vac	50	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Std Oil	49	17 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
SO Cal	33	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
SO NJ	140	23 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Tex Cor	27	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Nhit Atre	29	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
US Stl	365	33 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK:
Stocks heavy, Can, steel and telephone at new lows.
Bonds heavy; all groups decline.
Curb heavy; utilities sag.
Foreign exchanges irregular;
French franc steady.
Cotton lower; lower cables, local selling.
Sugar lower; increased spot offerings.
Coffee higher; European buying.
CHICAGO:
Wheat easy; senate investigation cast of future trading.
Corn easy; sympathy reaction wheat, unsettled cash market.
Cattle weak to lower.
Hogs lower.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, April 18 (AP)—Wheat No. 2 red 59 1/2-60; No. 2 hard 59 1/2-60; No. 2 yellow hard 58-59; No. 2 57-58.
Corn—No. 2 mixed 33 1/2; No. 3 mixed 32 1/2-1/2; No. 2 yellow 33 1/2-34; No. 3 yellow 32-33 1/2; No. 2 white 34 1/2; No. 3 white 32 1/2-33.
Oats—No. 2 white 24 1/2-1/2; No. 2 white (heavy) 25-26; No. 3 white 23-24 1/2.
Wheat closed unsettled, 1/2-1 1/4 under Saturday's finish, corn 1/2-3/4 down, oats 1/2-1/4 off and provisions unchanged to 5 cents lower.

LIVERPOOL LOWER

NEW ORLEANS, April 18 (AP)—The cotton market opened somewhat easier today owing to Liverpool cables than due. First trades here showed losses of 1 to 3 points which was not a full response to the weakness of cables. There was a slight rally right after the start but prices soon eased off again when the stock market opened lower. May dropped to 6.08, July to 6.25 and October to 6.47, or 4 to 6 points down from Saturday's close. Near the end of the first hour the market was barely steady and at the lows.

GRAINS OPEN LOWER

CHICAGO, April 18 (AP)—Influenced by reports of showers in drought territory and also by predictions of further moisture, grain prices averaged lower early today. Declines, however, were retarded by Liverpool advices that European continental countries were purchasing freely and by a big decrease in the amount of wheat on ocean passage. Opening at a shade decline to 1/4 advance, wheat afterward sagged all around. Corn started 1/4 off to 1/2 up and subsequently receded.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY, April 18 (AP)—(U. S. D. A.)—Hogs 8,000; 10 lower than Friday on 240 lbs. down; bidding 15-25 lower on heavier weights; top 2.80 on 170-220 lbs.; packing sows 2.75-5.00 lbs. 2.75-3.15; stock pigs 70-130 lbs. 9.25-7.5.
Cattle 14,000; calves 800; indications steady to 25 lower on killing classes; stockers and feeders steady; best fed steers 7.00; steers 6.00-15.00 lbs. 6.00-8.00; heifers 6.50-8.50 lbs. 5.00-6.50; cows 3.50-4.75; vealers (milk-fed) 3.00-6.00; stocker and feeder steers 4.50-6.25.
Sheep 10,000; practically nothing sold early; opening bids lower; best woolled lambs above 7.00; spring lambs 7.00-8.00; lambs 90 lbs. down 6.25-7.00; ewes 150 lbs. down 2.75-4.00.

STOCKS DROPPING

NEW YORK, April 18 (AP)—The stock market had a quiet sinking spell today, carrying several leading issues into new low ground for the 1929-32 decline, but trading dwindled to the smallest volume in weeks. The turnover was well under a million shares but there were several net losses of one to four points. The closing tone was heavy.

TAKINGS ARE REDUCED

DALLAS, April 18 (AP)—Reduction of the East Texas oil production and takings of the Magnolia Petroleum company and of the East Texas Refining company to 63 barrels daily per well effective today has been announced here by officials of the two companies.

LaNORA OFFERS THESE TODAY



James Cagney and Joan Blondell as they appear in "The Crowd Roars."

KILLER---

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tract. He died for the slaying of a family in a cattleman's feud.
Read was hurried to Sain. Francis yesterday ahead of fifty automobile loads of angry men, after he had led Sberiff Ed McConley of Thomas county to a hay stack in which he had hidden the girl's body. Dorothy had been missing since Thursday evening when she returned to the Selden school house for a forgotten dinner bucket.
A neighbor, was arrested because of his previous conviction of assaulting a 15-year-old girl in Colorado. Officers said he confessed he had lured Dorothy to his car with a string of beads, then attacked and beat her to death.

Will Investigate

TOPEKA, April 18 (AP)—Roland Boynton, state's attorney general, said today an investigation would be made of the lynching of Richard Read, confessed slayer of eight-year-old Dorothy Hunter.

ATWOOD, Kan., April 18 (AP)—

Darkness and scarcity of trees in the prairie country here for a while thwarted the intentions of the mob which hanged Richard Read early today.
A witness, who declined to permit use of his name, said it was necessary to go about 5 miles from the scene of the death of Dorothy Hunter to find a tree.
As the caravan arrived, the motor cars in it were deployed about the tree in a circle, the headlights supplying the light by which the mob carried out its preparations. The alleged attacker was bound by barbed wire.
"If it wasn't for liquor," Read said, "I wouldn't have done it. I would not do it again."
He asked that his watch be given to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Read, who live three miles north-east of Rexford.
The mob dispersed rapidly after the hanging.

HARDWARE MEN MEETING

AMARILLO, April 18 (AP)—Delegates from Northwest Texas and New Mexico attended the opening session here today of the twenty-third annual convention of the Panhandle Hardware and Implement association. Attendance was expected to reach 125 by night.
Speakers included Ed. W. Hardin, pioneer hardware dealer of Amarillo and first president of the association, and Dan H. Wilcox, Roswell, N. M., past president. Acting President Ed. N. Neer of Portales, N. M., presided in the absence of President H. E. Williams of Lamesa, who recently moved from this section.

La Nora

Today and Tuesday
1000 THRILLS

THE CROWD ROARS

Starring
JAMES CAGNEY
JOAN BLONDELL

Also
Slim Summerville
Comedy
Fox Movietone News

No Explanation in Resort Killing

DALLAS, April 18 (AP)—A motive had not been established today for the mysterious killing of King Watson, 40, at a resort near Bachman's Lake last night.
Mrs. Harry Goodman, wife of the resort operator, said two men known as "Red" and "Sam" drove up to the place in an automobile and got out. She said "Red" carried a shotgun and "Sam" a pistol.
Without a word, the man with the shotgun fired at Watson, who was standing near the cash register she said. Watson died before an ambulance arrived. Watson was employed at the resort.

U. S. OFFICIAL DIES

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18 (AP)—Col. Nelson E. Margetts, who acted as observer for the United States of the Manchurian occupation by Japan, died at the Letterman general army hospital here yesterday. He was military attache at Peking two years.

Striking Miners Turned Back as Guardsmen Fire

CANDIZ, O., April 18 (AP)—Three men were shot as guns of Ohio national guardsmen protected mines in the eastern Ohio bituminous coal field today.
The three, said to be striking miners, were wounded after a crowd of 400 twice stormed a barricade erected in a road leading to the strike-ridden Somers mine of the Good-year Tire and Rubber company near Adena. The first time the crowd retreated after guardsmen fired into the ground but the second assault was not stopped until three men fell, all shot in the legs.
Convinced that guardsmen intended to halt their march, the assailants retreated and miners employed in the pit went to work as the soldiers stood guard nearby.
Two more guard strongholds were the scene of shootings today. One was the barricaded outpost on the Georgetown road and the other on Buchanan road, not far away.

Personal

Miss Molita LeFors and Mrs. Otto Studer went to Amarillo today.
Mrs. Lon L. Blanscet and daughter, Lola Mae, and Mrs. Blanscet's mother, Mrs. George Vance, returned this afternoon from a visit with relatives in Kansas. They were met in Woodward, Okla., by Sheriff Blanscet who accompanied them home. They came through a bad rain in Oklahoma.
F. P. Reid made a business trip to Amarillo this morning.
H. L. Holbrook of Fort Worth spent the week-end here.
Jack Carrol of Skellytown was a Pampa visitor this morning.

CASH IN WITH A WANT AD

George Sidney
Charlie Murray
June Clyde

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Mickey Mouse
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Strange As It Seems

Present This Ad
And Be Admitted Free Tuesday!
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MRS. ESTHER MCKAY

REX —TODAY—

TOMORROW

Little Rain Is Falling Over West Texas Territory

ABILENE, April 18 (AP)—Much thunder and a brilliant display of lightning over a wide west Texas area last night produced very little moisture, with the result that rain is as badly needed as ever over most of the territory.
Winters got the only rain that amounted to anything, the fall being 33 of an inch. Showers were reported at Stamford, Merkel, Munday and a few other points with some rain and hail at Quanah. There was no rain in the southern part of the area, around Mason and Meard.
Abilene got a tenth of an inch Sunday night. Today is partly cloudy.
Meantime planting operations are being held up for want of moisture.
A hard dry crust on the surface must be softened before operations can go forward. Beneath the plowed surface however, there is plenty of moisture and even a moderately heavy rain would go a long way.
Wheat and oats are suffering for want of rain. Damage already is widespread. In many fields oats have stopped growing and are beginning to head out.

WRECK FATAL TO ONE

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Little Rain Is Falling Over West Texas Territory

ABILENE, April 18 (AP)—Much thunder and a brilliant display of lightning over a wide west Texas area last night produced very little moisture, with the result that rain is as badly needed as ever over most of the territory.
Winters got the only rain that amounted to anything, the fall being 33 of an inch. Showers were reported at Stamford, Merkel, Munday and a few other points with some rain and hail at Quanah. There was no rain in the southern part of the area, around Mason and Meard.
Abilene got a tenth of an inch Sunday night. Today is partly cloudy.
Meantime planting operations are being held up for want of moisture.
A hard dry crust on the surface must be softened before operations can go forward. Beneath the plowed surface however, there is plenty of moisture and even a moderately heavy rain would go a long way.
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state commerce is desirable in the public interest.
The commission's decision brings to a close an investigation which has been underway for five years.
Leo J. Flynn, an examiner, who with Commissioner Brainerd conducted the investigation, several months ago submitted a proposed report recommending regulation of trucks and buses.
The commission's decision carries out his recommendations to a large extent.
Asserting that "the federal government is wholly inexperienced in this field of regulation" the commission said it deemed "it wise to make haste slowly."
"Our recommendation is, therefore," said the report, "that congress provide at once to put federal regulation to the test so war as transportation of passengers by motor buses is concerned. This would provide an organization which would serve as a nucleus for such further steps in motor vehicle regulation as experience and added information may show to be desirable and practicable."

ALLRED RETURNS

District Attorney Raymond Allred returned during the week-end from Marlin where he took medical treatment for an injury suffered recently in his neck.

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