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## BROWN WELL PRODUCING 400 BARRELS

## SINCLAIR SHIPS FIRST OIL FROM PAMPA; 5 CARS TODAY

### Oil Comes From Wilcox Holdings

**First Oil Shipped From Pampa**  
Along with the latest oil well for Pampa came the news that the first oil to be shipped from Pampa was shipped out today. H. L. Pohl, local superintendent of the Sinclair Crude Oil Purchasing Company which recently completed their four and one-half inch pipeline from the Wilcox field, announced that three cars were shipped this morning and two more cars were shipped this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The oil is being shipped to Sineo, Texas, and is 40 gravity oil. The oil was loaded at the Sinclair loading racks one mile east of Pampa. These loading racks were only recently completed and the completion of the pipeline came only last week.

### MILAM OPENS NEW ELECTRIC LAUNDRY HERE THIS WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Milam recently moved here from Dalhart, Texas, and have opened the Pampa Electric Laundry, which is located near the light plant. Mr. Milam has installed all new electrical equipment and states that he intends to enlarge the plant as rapidly as the business justifies it, adding that he believes Pampa will need a large up to date laundry within the near future and that he is preparing for this.

**Named Assistant Secretary.**  
B. A. Butler, former editor of the Breckenridge Daily American, has been appointed assistant secretary of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce by O. C. Goodwin, secretary who was given authority to select his assistant.

**Will Install Signals.**  
Amarillo has voted to install electric traffic signals. A short time ago the commission passed up any action on signals, preferring to use stop and slow buttons.

## Pampa Chamber of Commerce Starts Membership Drive

A small but enthusiastic group of merchants of Pampa attended the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce in the White Deer Land Company offices last Friday night. The meeting was called by President J. E. Murfee and the dispatch with which various questions were brought up and disposed of demonstrated the new life the city of Pampa is taking on.

One of the most important questions taken up was the progress made on the road to the Carson-Hatchinson county oil fields. "The Pampa Chamber of Commerce believes this road is of vital importance to the growth of this city," President Murfee stated. "A great number of people coming and going to the oil fields lose their way, necessitating road signs to direct the traffic," he said. A committee is appointed to place these signs along the road, but the work has been temporarily halted on account of the heavy rains of this week.

A brief report was made by the committee in charge of the work on the road, which report showed much work is still needed, although eight mile posts and one center line are ready to be installed, as well as guard

### SANTA FE ROAD OFFICIALS HERE TO SEE OIL FIELD

Prominent officials of the Santa Fe railroad visited Pampa and the Wilcox oil field here Friday of last week, according to B. E. Finley, who states that the principal purpose of the visit was to secure definite information concerning the further development of the Gray county field. N. W. Finley states they were very favorably impressed with the field. Among those here were Mr. Leland, of Chicago, vice president and general manager of the Santa Fe road, J. M. Freeman, Amarillo, secretary-treasurer of this division; T. B. Gallier, general passenger agent at Amarillo; Mr. Blanchard and Mr. Myers, also officials of the road.

### Brain Appointed Berger Postmaster

Former Mayor L. E. Brain has been appointed postmaster at Berger, but he said that he does not know whether he will accept the post. Should he take the office, he would employ assistants to handle the work, he said.

### Emergency Hospital in Field

An emergency hospital has been located at the Prairie camp on the main highway to the oil field located one mile south of Berger. There are two doctors in attendance 24 hours of the day. Dr. David H. Cobb and Dr. E. J. Langworthy are the originators of this institution.

They are fully prepared to take care of all kinds of accidents and have a well equipped operating room.

There is also an eight room ward which enables them to take care of all kinds of sickness and two nurses in attendance.

This new feature of the oil fields is looked upon with interest by medical science and these men are to be complimented on their undertaking.

J. W. Kethley returned last week from a visit to Wellington. He reports work going rapidly forward on water, gas sewerage lines.

J. D. Hill returned to Wellington Saturday.

## EDITORIAL

The management of The Pampa News wishes to thank the merchants of Pampa for their assistance in making possible the first extra edition of The News the city has ever had.

The News management is grateful for the cordial reception the merchants and citizens of Pampa have accorded us and the hearty cooperation they have shown at all times.

The News will endeavor at all times to cooperate with the citizens of Pampa and Gray county and will spare neither effort nor money in order to publish one of the best papers in the Panhandle.

## Pampa Boy Places In District Meet

Clarence Cobb will represent Pampa in Austin next month at the State Interscholastic Meet, having won first place in the 100 yard dash at the District Meet in Canyon Saturday. Cobb outclassed all competition in this event, finishing the dash in 11 seconds. He also went to the finals in the javelin throw but lost.

Frances Finlay, Thelma Mathews and Virginia Rose won third place in the Music Memory contest. These girls did not know that there was to be any other competition until shortly before the contest and had not practiced for the event. Dorothy Doucette, winner of the Junior Declamation at the county meet, was ill and

could not attend the District Meet. Bonnie Carr went through the preliminaries and semi-finals in the Senior Girls' Declamation, but lost in the finals.

McLean tied Clarendon for second place in the track meet with 28 points each, Amarillo winning first place with 42 points. Dwyer of McLean was second high man for individual honors, having 16 points. He will represent this district in the shot put, broad jump and high jump.

Mr. Green wishes to take this opportunity of thanking those who furnished was for the contestants from Pampa to attend the meet at Canyon.

## Oil Field Notes

Preparations are being made to shoot the Texas well on the Brown property west of Pampa. This well has a small showing of oil, but it is thought a heavy shot will make a producer out of it.

The Republic Supply Company recently opened offices and a supply house in the west part of Pampa. This is one of the largest supply houses in the Panhandle. T. C. Hendricks is manager here.

The Fox Rig Company are unloading rig and building materials in the west part of the city preparatory to opening their business in Pampa.

The first oil was pumped through the pipeline from the Wilcox field the early part of this week. This is a four and one-half inch pipeline and being installed by the Sinclair Crude Oil Purchasing Company.

Drilling has been resumed on the Texas Well east of Lefors. A good amount of gas was struck several days ago in this well, but it was shut off at about 2500 feet and the Texas Company is preparing to go after oil in producing quantities.

The Wilcox Oil and Gas Company produced 5888 barrels of crude oil during the month of March, which figure was exceeded by seven companies in the Panhandle field.

## CITY COUNCIL TO MEET MONDAY NIGHT

Mayor Reid announces there will be a meeting of the City Council Monday night, April 26th, for the purpose of considering bids on whether or not the booster pump will be equipped with natural gas engine, oil engine or electric motor. This will be the last regular meeting for the month of April, and all council members are requested to attend.

## PAMPA BASEBALL TEAM MEETS GROOM HERE TUESDAY

Pampa Baseball team meets the Groom team here Tuesday afternoon at 3 p. m. on the local diamond across the railroad tracks.

The Pampa team was unable to get a game for this last Sunday, but it is expected that regular Sunday afternoon games will be played throughout the season.

## FOUR ADDITIONS ARE SURVEYED OUT DURING PAST WEEK

City Engineer A. H. Doucette reports surveying four new additions in the City of Pampa this week. Those surveyed are the J. E. Wright addition, north of the school grounds; the Bob Campbell addition also north of the school grounds; the Dooley addition south of the railroad tracks on the oil field road, and the O'Leary addition on South Caylor street.

## HEISKELL ERECTS STANDARD RIG FOR THIRD WATER WELL

H. H. Heiskell erected the rig for digging the third water well for the City of Pampa this week. He is using standard tools and expects to complete the well within the near future. The new well will have an eight and one-quarter inch casing and it is hoped that it will make as much as the two other wells, which are making between sixty-five and eighty gallons per minute each.

## UNDERWOOD AND ASSOCIATES TO BUILD BRICK HERE

Advertising even made a dog famous. Just look what it did for the famous Victor pup that listened to his master's voice.—Sayre Journal.

Morgan Jones Dies.  
Morgan Jones, considered the builder of the Fort Worth & Denver railway, died Sunday, April 11, at Abilene. His estate was left to seven nephews and nieces. Abilene Christian and McMurray colleges received \$10,000 each and Simmons University \$30,000 in the will just made public.

## Pampa Wins Baseball Game From Amarillo, 6-5 Errors Hurt Both Teams

Pampa's home town boys defeated the Amarilloans here Sunday afternoon by a score of 6-5 before one of the largest crowds attending a baseball game here in some time. Outstanding players in Pampa's win were Wilson, left field, who sacked five long hits to his section for five put outs and Big Swanner, pitcher, who held the visitors to three hits and struck out nine players.

Had it not been for a homer Jones pulled in the first inning, the score would have been a much different story. Jones went to second on a runner on third, one man down, and then started to return to first base when the Amarillo short stop told him the batter had fouled a ball; first baseman put the ball on him and Pampa lost a wonderful opportunity to score.

Pampa scored two runs in the fourth, two in the fifth and one in the eighth to win, while Amarillo scored five runs off two hits in the sixth inning.

The Pampa boys had Amarillo outclassed in every department of the game, walloping the two Amarillo pitchers for ten hits. Amarillo walked three men and struck out three, while Swanner did not give a base on balls and struck out nine men.

At the meeting of the baseball team Monday night Wade Duncan of Wade's

## Well Shot Sun. 7 p.m.

WOWEE! Another oil well for Pampa. Old Lady Luck finally broke down and admitted she was highly in favor of Pampa and that henceforth this "little city need have no fears.

On Sunday afternoon two unsuccessful attempts were made by Tex Thornton to shoot the Texas well No. 1 on the Brown land three and one-half miles west of Pampa, and again Sunday night at 7 o'clock a third, but at that time unsuccessful charge was lowered to the 520 quarts of nitroglycerine in the bottom of the 3,250 foot hole. The shot looked like a fizzle, having apparently filled the hole with rock; but drilling was started immediately to clean the hole.

The hole bridged in two places, both near the surface of the ground and by 8:30 this morning the Texas well was flowing between three and four hundred barrels, according to J. L. McMahon, general manager for the Texas Company in this district.

Practically every citizen of Pampa visited the oil well Sunday and returned disappointed; but the same citizens returning Monday morning showed more enthusiasm than has been displayed in Gray county since the first buffalo was eaten by a white man.

Promising developments are daily expected from the Heitholt No. 1, drilling one quarter of a mile north-west of the Texas well. The Heitholt well is down about the same depth as the Texas well.

## GRAY COUNTY GETS INCH MORE RAIN THIS WEEK; WHEAT CROP ASSURED

A slow rain began falling in Pampa Tuesday morning about 8 o'clock, continuing steadily until noon. The rain amounted to about an inch in and around Pampa. Being a slow rain with very little wind, it soaked into the ground as it fell.

The farming interests stated that while the rain was not needed for the wheat it is always welcomed in this section of the state. Some held it will retard cotton and row crop preparations, but will furnish more moisture for a late crop, and practically assure an average wheat crop here.

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A LIVING RATE

White Deer merchants are paying M. B. Cavanaugh, editor of The Review, 30 cents an inch for advertising these days. He is giving the people of White Deer an excellent newspaper, and he deserves a living rate.

The News management knows that Mr. Cavanaugh has had many months during which his volume of business hardly justified a newspaper in White Deer. It was a temptation to abandon the field.

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LET'S SEE THE ROAD

On the State Highway from Pampa to Amarillo are a number of signboards that should be removed to other locations, for they are a nuisance to automobile drivers and are a menace to safety.

The News refers to the huge signs just this side of the Santa Fe railway crossing five miles this side of Amarillo. When motorists get ready to cross the track going toward Amarillo, they find their view obstructed by a number of signs to their right.

The State Highway Department should see that the signs are taken down from that location. When a clean view of a railroad track is possible, as is in this case, the Highway Department should take action without delay.

There is always an element of chance in crossing a railroad track.

That chance should not be heightened by unnecessary sign boards.

WE ARE SORRY

The Amarillo News and Globe were damaged about \$12,000 in a fire Monday afternoon. It is estimated the damage was \$10,00 to the paper and the loss on the building, owned by Lindsay Nunn, was \$2,000 all of which was covered by insurance.

The News suffered the loss of its files, which were becoming more valuable as the years went by. The present editor of The News was with the Amarillo News for many years and fully appreciates the value of these files to The News-Globe management.

The fire was caused by gas becoming ignited in the basement near the boiler. The press was damaged, and it was necessary for Monday's Globe to be published in the old Globe plant.

FARRINGTON FILES

Bird Week is past, but do you know that the meadow larks food consists of 72 per cent injurious insects? "Don't bite the hand that's feeding you."

"If you want to have beautiful roses, you must first grow them in your heart."

Earl Lewis, James Lacy Good and the A. Converse were among those from Farrington who attended the Gray County Track Meet Saturday.

Mrs. Arch Chesher was in Pampa Saturday.

Mrs. Roy Huff, Mrs. Dabbs and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Davis were callers at the A. Converse home Friday.

Jack Spearman made a business trip to Amarillo Saturday.

James Jackson has been helping Mr. Arch Chesher renovate a tractor.

Mr. J. C. Farrington has been setting out onion plants.

There will be a program at the Farrington picnic supper May 15.

A. Converse has just purchased a new 1,000 chick Sol Hot brooder for his rapidly increasing flock of Jersey Black Giants.

Mrs. C. C. Stockstill was in Pampa Thursday.

The Good Are Fat

American Mutual Magazine: "So you went after the job? I thought you believed that the office should seek the man?"

"I do, but that is a fat job, and I was afraid it might get winded before it reached me."

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following candidates present their names to the voters of Gray County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

FOR SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR:
JOHNNIE R. BACK
E. S. GRAVES
(For re-election)
I. S. JAMESON
A. R. (CAL) CALAWAY

FOR COUNTY JUDGE:
A. C. HUSTED
T. M. WOLFE
(For re-election)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER:
MIRIAM WILSON
(Re-election)

FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK:
CHARLIE THUT
(For re-election)

FOR TAX ASSESSOR:
F. E. (EWING) LEECH

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:
JOHN F. STUDER

FOR COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 2:
W. A. TAYLOR
(Re-election)
JOHN TURCOTTE

FOR COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 3:
THOS. O. KIRBY

FOR COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 1:
C. W. BOWERS

NOTICE—ODD FELLOWS AND REBEKA'S

Honoring the 107th anniversary of the founding of our order, Pampa Lodge No. 934 and Carnation Rebekah Lodge No. 355, I. O. O. F., will hold joint services at 8 o'clock p. m. Sunday, April 25th. Rev. James Todd Jr. will deliver an interesting and fitting address especially for this occasion.

All members, both lodges, will meet promptly at 7.30 p. m. at the I. O. O. F. hall where the regalia of your rank and station will be secured and worn. Be sure to be on time.

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**A Cutting Answer.**  
American Mutual Magazine: It was a sunshiny Sunday morning and Pat had brought his shaving tools out on the back porch. Mrs. McGinnis looked over the back fence. "Shure, Mrs. Murphy, does your old man shave on the outside?"  
"And phwats bothering you," said Mrs. Murphy, "did you think he was furlined?"

**"Two Papers a Treat."**  
"Two papers a week are a treat to me," writes Frank E. Peacock of Chicago, Ill., in renewing his Herald subscription. "Where can I get a cheap oil map of Hutchinson and Carson counties? I have land in both counties and like to watch oil movements."  
Prof. Julian Huxley predicts that able parts of the globe. This decides us to leave before the egress gets too congested.—Punch.

**Repaid.**  
Tit Bits: Middlesex Magistrate: "Did you give him that black eye?"  
Man: "No, sir; I only lent it to him. He gave me one back afterwards."  
**Come, Kitty!**  
Leschen's Hercules: "I'm very careful. I always send my children out of the house before I quarrel with my husband."  
"The little dears, they look so healthy from spending so much time in the open air."

**Big Game.**  
Items: Train Robber—Say, Bill, don't bother about blowin' open the express safe.  
Bill—But there's twenty thousand in it!  
Train Robber—That's small potatoes. I've captured a Pullman porter.

Mix the flour, baking powder, salt, shortening, and milk and make a soft dough. Put the chicken on a rather shallow pan, add slices of 1 hardboiled egg. Cover over the top with the dough. Do not use a bottom crust.

**Cruel Husband.**  
Wife: "If I were to die what should you do?"  
Husband: "Oh, the same as you would yourself."  
Wife: "You wretch! I have always suspected it."

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Jane—"What does he do?"  
Liza—"He's the tester in the mattress factory."—California Pelican.

**Cream Mold.**  
To 3 cupfuls of sweet milk add 2 eggs, 1 cupful sugar and 3 heaping tablespoons of corn starch. Beat with an egg-beater until creamy and well mixed. Cook until stiff, stirring constantly. Remove from fire and beat again until very smooth. Add vanilla to taste. Pour into small molds, and in the center of each mold drop a teaspoonful of jelly. Place on ice to chill. To serve, turn out on sauce dishes and add cream—plain or whipped. This is quickly made and is delicious.

More than 90 million Bibles were put into circulation last year, but the system of distribution appears to be faulty and somehow we don't seem able to place them in the hands of people who need them most.—Columbus Dispatch.  
**Tapioca With Peaches.**

**Another Ozark Story.**  
Prof. E. L. Morgan tells of being down in the Ozark region of South Missouri last summer. One day he came across a boy pushing a wheel barrow half full of sand up a steep hill.  
"What are you doing that for, sonny?" Prof. Morgan asked the boy.  
The boy stopped, let go of the handles of the wheel barrow, and looked up at the stranger:  
"Waal, stranger, I don't reckon as it's any of your business," the boy replied. "But seein' 's how you've had the gall t' ask me, I'll just tell you. I'm a-takin' this here sand up there t' scatter on our front yard so's my dog can get a toe hold t' bark!"

**Chicken Pie.**  
Boll 1 chicken. Cut at all points and remove bones.  
**Crust.**  
1 cup of flour.  
2 level teaspoons of baking powder.  
1-2 teaspoon of salt.  
4 tablespoons of shortening.  
1-2 to 2-3 cup of milk.


**Rickory Branch Jottings.**  
Bill Teether has all of his property in his wife's name, including his religion.  
Jim Tuttle and Dud Fairway had a fight the other day. Jim was so scared he couldn't run, and surprised himself by licking Dud.  
Dr. Burryton says Mrs. Nancy Cloverdale was the hardest case to cure he ever had, because there never was nothing the matter with her.

Deacon Sidewell is now well on the road to recovery and the undertaker has given up hope.  
Ted Singleton proposed to his girl over the telephone the other day. To date he has had five acceptances.

**Cream Tarts.**  
Make a crust as for pies, and bake in patty or gem pans. Prick well with a fork to prevent blistering. Allow them to become cold and fill with the following: 1 cupful thick cream made as cold as possible without freezing; beat with an egg beater until it will pile up. Flavor with vanilla, and sweeten with pulverized sugar. Keep cold until ready to serve, then place a spoonful in each crust.

**Putting the Others Out of Step.**  
Back in the days when men took their politics straight a group was sitting around the old barrel stove in the grocery store, discussing the forthcoming election.  
"Well I'll tell you one thing sure," Squire Turner announced. "I'll never vote for Cleveland for president."  
"Well, I don't know as that'll make any difference much, Squire," the groceryman replied. "Every other Democrat in the country will."  
"Let 'em!" the Squire exclaimed. "Just let 'em if they want! I'll cause a split in the party, anyhow!"

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ALTRUISM IN ADVERTISING

Fort Worth Star-Telegram: Life insurance writers of Fort Worth are engaged in an advertising campaign interesting because of its unusual combination of the elements of self-interest and altruism. Life insurance has taken its place as one of the foremost contributors to economic safety and soundness and human well-being. Therefore to seek to extend its scope is a work of public service, whether this effort comes from those who may expect private benefit from the extension. The Underwriters Association of Fort Worth, which is sponsoring the advertising campaign, is responsible for the high plane on which it is pitched. The "copy" carries a dignified, reasonable appeal to public intelligence to make increased use of a facility for bettering private as well as public conditions. Fort Worth representatives of 20 life insurance companies are concerned in the campaign, which pre-

sents the advantages of life insurance generally without reference to individual business. The plan recently was employed, by Canadian insurance companies with great success. Use of it by the Fort Worth Underwriters is the first instance of such advertising in the United States, and the first institutional advertising for life insurance in Texas. It is at once a tribute to the co-operation and high professional understanding of the Fort Worth underwriters.

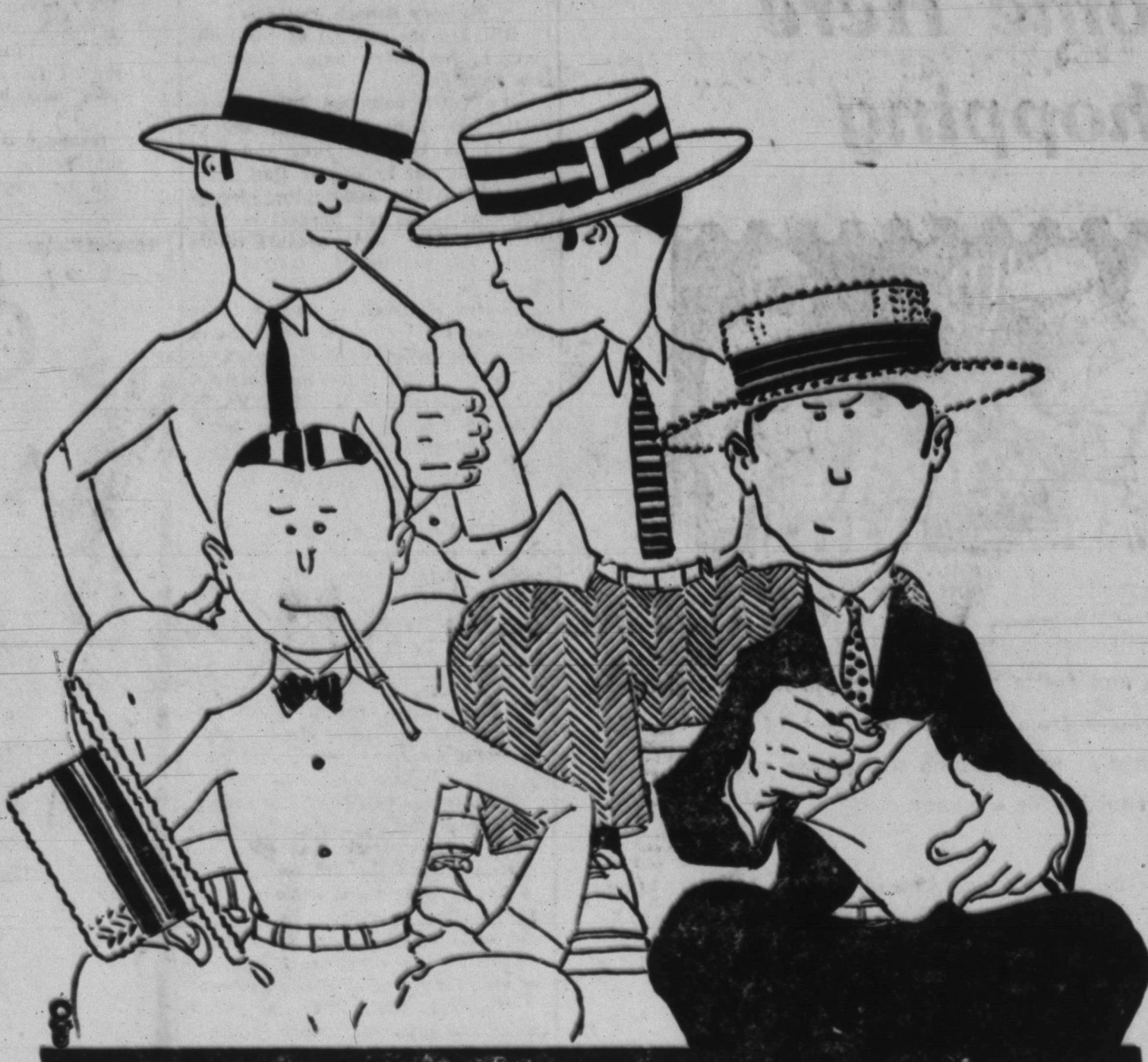
A Political Outcast.

A Missouri historian tells of an occasion when the state legislature had under consideration the selection of a chaplain. "My friend, the Rev. John Smith, is the very man for the place," one member insisted. "What's his politics?" a politician demanded. "He hasn't any," the first replied. "He's a Christian!"

A NEW STRAW HAT FOR EVERY MAN

Pick Your Style --We Do the Rest

With head comfort a matter of paramount interest these days, you best answer and satisfy it by coming here to select a new Straw Hat. From the many styles we show, you pick the one you prefer. We will fit you correctly and comfortably.



FROCKS

For Afternoon and Evening Wear

Delightfully Different, these new summer Frocks, for afternoon and evening wear. Touches of color here and there, a chic bit of hand work, exceptional good making and the best materials, all combine to make these Dresses much above the ordinary value at the prices we have them marked.

Shoes For Children

Sturdy and Smart

Why sacrifice appearance in children's Shoes when it is not necessary? Our children's Footwear combines sturdy service with smart appearance--and at reasonable prices.



Throughout this store the customers will find high grade lines of Merchandise reasonably priced, with courteous, efficient, well-trained salespeople to assist the customer in making their purchases.

We Give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps

J.E. Murlee & Co. Outfitters to the Whole Family



From J. E. McMurtry  
Salesman, Minn.

# THE PAMPA NEWS

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## Pampa Chamber of Commerce Starts Membership Drive

A small but enthusiastic group of merchants of Pampa attended the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce in the White Deer Land Company offices last Friday night. The meeting was called by President J. E. Murfee and the dispatch with which various questions were brought up and disposed of demonstrated the new life the city of Pampa is taking on.

One of the most important questions taken up was the progress made on the road to the Carson-Hutchinson county oil fields. "The Pampa Chamber of Commerce believes this road is of vital importance to the growth of this city," President Murfee stated. "A great number of people coming and going to the oil fields lose their way, necessitating road signs to direct the traffic," he said. A committee was appointed to place these signs along the road, but the work has been temporarily halted on account of the heavy rains of this week.

A brief report was made by the committee in charge of the work on this road, which report showed much work is still needed, although eight cattle guards and one culvert have already been installed, as well as grading and maintenance work on the road.

An intensive membership campaign will be launched this spring by the chamber. "The magnitude of the field of service a chamber of commerce in a town the size of Pampa should shoulder and carry forward makes it imperative that a greater percentage of the merchants and citizens of Pampa enroll in the local chamber," stated a member of the chamber who has been an active business man here for more than twenty years. It is planned to have representatives of the chamber visit every business man in Pampa who is not now a member and make the membership one hundred percent for the city.

## CITY COUNCIL TO MEET MONDAY NIGHT

Mayor Reid announces there will be a meeting of the City Council Monday night, April 26th, for the purpose of considering bids on whether or not the booster pump will be equipped with natural gas engine, oil engine or electric motors. This will be the last regular meeting for the month of April, and all council members are requested to attend.

## MRS. T. E. ROSE TO GIVE RECITAL NEXT THURSDAY NIGHT

Mrs. T. E. Rose will present her pupils in a recital next Thursday night at 8 o'clock at the High School auditorium, and will also give an operetta, "Cinderella," or "The Maid with the Golden Slipper." Mrs. Rose states that no admission will be charged and a cordial invitation is extended to everybody to come.

## J. S. SHERIDAN OF IOWA VISITS HERE THIS WEEK

J. S. Sheridan of Creston, Iowa, was a visitor in Pampa this week. Mr. Sheridan was a citizen of this county for many years before moving to Iowa. He states that he has made thirty-four trips to Pampa and Gray county since leaving.

## Christian Church

The audiences at both services last Sunday were large and much interest manifested. Many visitors were present. A cordial invitation is extended to all coming to Pampa to attend the services of the Christian church if not members of one of our other churches here.

The minister will be in the pulpit at both services Sunday, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. At the evening service the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs will be in attendance in observance of the 167th anniversary of Oddfellowship. The services will be appropriate to their presence.

James Todd, Jr., Minister.

## Junior-Senior Party

Saturday evening, April 17th, the members of the Junior class of Pampa High school entertained the Senior class and High school faculty with a delightful Easter party at the beautifully decorated L. C. McMurtry home. As each guest arrived, the name of an animal was pinned on his back. Then several exciting minutes were spent in each guest trying to learn what animal he was. Then the guests enjoyed progressive forty-two for a brief time. A stunt track meet which furnished much laughter for all, was held in the basement. Those winning the various events were: Miss Emma Lasater won the standing broad grin, her mouth measuring two and one-half inches; Miss Clara Brown won the shot put by dropping more beans in the jar than anyone else; Miss Lola Posey won the ball contest by bawling the loudest; Mr. Alex Rainourd won the foot race, having the largest feet of anyone entering the contest. While refreshments were being served to those present, Mr. W. R. Hess Jr., of Canadian, entertained the guests with his saxophone. Delicious refreshments of ice cream, cake and punch were served to the following guests:

Misses Emma Lasater, Norma Lee Brown, Minnie V. Haynes, Lulu Peters, Lillian Mullinax, Elizabeth Corson, Ruth Henry, Clara Brown, Frankie Barnhart, Delpha Wood, Rosie Baggerman, Hazel Moore, Lorene Blanton, Doris Gilliland, Helen Anderson, Grayce Russell, Mollie Bird Rieley, Margaret Buckler, Vera Kretzmeier, Leora May, Bonnie Carr, Daisy Dean, Lola Posey, Ina Johnson, Edna Patten, Mary Meers, Juanita Osborn, Eoritha Henry, Nellie Hardin, Christine Campbell, Susie Mae Meador and Bernice R. Whiteley; Messrs. Clarence Coffin, Jones Seltz, Jonnie Lee, Hallie Gantz, John Parviance, Frank Converse, Clarence Cobb, George Walstad, Bruce Cobb, Roy Kretzmeier, Willard Johns, Thomas Clayton, Alex Rainourd, W. R. Hess Jr., or Canadian, Alfred Gilliland, John Strange, Don Duncan, Author Rankin, and also Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Rose, W. F. McMurtry and Mrs. L. C. McMurtry.

Ruth Henry, Junior Class Reporter.

## MILAM OPENS NEW ELECTRIC LAUNDRY HERE THIS WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Milam recently moved here from Dalhart, Texas, and have opened the Pampa Electric Laundry, which is located near the light plant.

Mr. Milam has installed all new electrical equipment and states that he intends to enlarge the plant as rapidly as the business justifies it, adding that he believes Pampa will need a large up to date laundry within the near future and that he is preparing for this.

## SAN JACINTO DAY OBSERVED BY BANKS

San Jacinto Day, April 21, was observed in Pampa by the local banks. This day is celebrated annually in Texas because of the victory which General Sam Houston and his forces won over Santa Anna and his Mexican army in a war for Texas freedom. The battle occurred at the junction of the San Jacinto river and Buffalo Bayou near Harrisburg. The Texas army won the battle, taking the Mexicans completely by surprise. The battle occurred on April 21, 1836, ninety years ago.

## MEMORIAL COIN SALE IS PUT OVER BIG IN PAMPA

J. T. Crawford, Sr., who is in charge of the sale of memorial coins in Pampa, reports 243 coins sold up to date, which is almost fifty per cent more than the number allotted to this section.

The specially marked coin, Texas No. 176, was bought last Saturday by Dave Osborne for \$19.

## GRAY COUNTY GETS INCH MORE RAIN THIS WEEK, WHEAT CROP ASSURED

A slow rain began falling in Pampa Tuesday morning about 8 o'clock, continuing steadily until noon. The rain amounted to about an inch in all around Pampa. Being a slow rain with very little wind, it soaked into the ground as it fell.

The farming interests stated that while the rain was not needed for the wheat it is always welcomed in this section of the state. Some held it will retard cotton and row crop preparations, but will furnish more moisture for a late crop, and practically assure an average wheat crop here.

## HEISKELL ERECTS STANDARD RIG FOR THIRD WATER WELL

H. H. Heiskell erected the rig for digging the third water well for the City of Pampa this week. He is using standard tools and expects to complete the well within the near future. The new well will have an eight and one-quarter inch casing and it is hoped that it will make as much as the two other wells, which are making between sixty-five and eighty gallons per minute each.

## FOUR ADDITIONS ARE SURVEYED OUT DURING PAST WEEK

City Engineer A. H. Doucette reports surveying four new additions in the City of Pampa this week. Those surveyed are the J. E. Wright addition, north of the school grounds; the Hob Campbell addition also north of the school grounds; the Dooley addition south of the railroad tracks on the oil field road, and the O'Leary addition on South Caylor street.

## ETHEL WILLIS IN CAR ACCIDENT HERE LAST SATURDAY

Ethel Willis, step-daughter of F. H. Paronto, sustained a broken leg last Saturday afternoon when she was knocked down by the car driven by Mr. Paronto. Her condition is reported as being not serious and she is rapidly recovering. The small bone in her left leg was broken just above the ankle.

Advertising even made a dog famous. Just look what it did for the famous Victor pup that listened to his master's voice.—Sayre Journal.

## Pampa Wins Baseball Game From Amarillo, 6-5 Errors Hurt Both Teams

### SANTA FE ROAD OFFICIALS HERE TO SEE OIL FIELD

Prominent officials of the Santa Fe railroad visited Pampa and the Wilcox oil field here Friday of last week, according to B. E. Finley, who states that the principal purpose of the visit was to secure definite information concerning the further development of the Gray county field. N. W. Finley states they were very favorably impressed with the field. Among those here were Mr. Leland, of Chicago, vice president and general manager of the Santa Fe road, J. M. Freeman, Amarillo, secretary-treasurer of this division; T. B. Galliter, general passenger agent at Amarillo; Mr. Blanchard and Mr. Myers, also officials of the road.

### UNDERWOOD AND ASSOCIATES TO BUILD BRICK HERE

T. K. Underwood of Willow, Oklahoma, announces that he and associates are erecting a brick and tile building on West Foster avenue. The building will be 70x100 feet and will house the new Dutch dealers here. Mr. Underwood states that work on the building will start early next week and will be pushed to completion. Mr. Underwood will be associated with C. H. Rutter and Walter Check of Mangum, Oklahoma, who will be sole dealers for the Dutch here.

## Oil Field Notes

Preparations are being made to shoot the Texas well on the Brown property west of Pampa. This well has a small showing of oil, but it is thought a heavy shot will make a producer out of it.

The Republic Supply Company recently opened offices and a supply house in the west part of Pampa. This is one of the largest supply houses in the Panhandle field. T. C. Hendricks is manager here.

The Fox Rig Company are unloading rig and building materials in the west part of the city preparatory to opening their business in Pampa.

The first oil was pumped through the pipelines from the Wilcox field the early part of this week. This is a four and one half inch pipeline and being installed by the Sinclair Crude Oil Purchasing Company.

Drilling has been resumed on the Texas Well east of Lefors. A good amount of gas was struck several days ago in this well, but it was shut off at about 2300 feet and the Texas Company is preparing to go after oil in producing quantities.

The Wilcox Oil and Gas Company produced 9,888 barrels of crude oil during the month of March, which figure was exceeded by seven companies in the Panhandle field.

Dick Hughs and C. M. Hitchcock of White Deer were business visitors in Pampa Thursday of this week.

### KINGSMILL CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. McDONNELL

The Kingsmill Club was entertained Thursday, April 15, at the home of Mrs. Floyd McConnell. The meeting was led by Miss Seelbach, president of the club. Plans for the County Club Rally Day, May 15th, at Lefors, were discussed. An interesting letter from the Household Searchlight was read by the hostess, Mrs. McConnell. Mrs. Roger McConnell and Mrs. Walter McConnell assisted the hostess in serving delicious refreshments. Besides ten members present there were the following guests: Mrs. A. McKay, Mrs. Noah Coud, Miss Elsie Cobb, Miss Seelbach and Mrs. Walter McConnell. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Chas. Mullin, May 20.

## Pampa's home town boys defeated the Amarilloans here Sunday afternoon by a score of 6-5 before one of the largest crowds attending a baseball game here in some time.

Outstanding players in Pampa's win were Wilson, left field, who socked five long flies to his section for five put outs and Big Swanner, pitcher, who held the visitors to three hits and struck out nine players.

Had it not been for a boner, Jones pulled in the first inning, the score would have been a much different story. Jones went to second with a runner on third, one man down, and then started to return to first base when the Amarillo short stop told him the batter had fouled a ball; first baseman put the ball on him and Pampa lost a wonderful opportunity to score.

Pampa scored two runs in the fourth, two in the fifth and one in the eighth to win, while Amarillo scored five runs off two hits in the sixth inning.

The Pampa boys had Amarillo outclassed in every department of the game, walloping the two Amarillo pitchers for ten hits. Amarillo walked three men and struck out three, while Swanner did not give a base on balls and struck out nine men.

At the meeting of the baseball team Monday night Wade Duncan of Wade's Store, was elected secretary and treasurer for the baseball team. Headquarters for the team will be at Wade's Store hereafter.

## Pampa Scores High Points In County League Meet Here

### Mrs. Jud H. Wilson

Mary M. Gteller was born June 19th, 1875, near Junction City, Kansas, the eldest of ten children of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Gteller.

In November of 1896 she was married to Jud H. Wilson, and to this union were born nine children: Roy J., Mable E. (Mrs. Gilbert Behringer), Bessie (Mrs. Geo. Inman), Harold J., Harry M., Verna (Mrs. Long), Ethel Pearl, and La Vera.

Fourteen years ago the family came to the Panhandle, locating three and one-half miles north of Pampa, where they have resided and made for themselves a host of friends, their home being a true "house by the side of the road."

Three years ago this past November her health became impaired, and in the hope that it might be regained she underwent an operation in the hospital in the city of Amarillo, which rendered only temporary relief. Within a few months the long hard fight began which ended last Sunday, April 18th, at 2:30 p. m., in the home to which she had been so devoted, when the will power that had for so long sustained her became too weak to longer wage the battle against disease and even death. When the last relative who could come to her arrived last Saturday evening she made her last supreme effort in making known to them that they had been recognized, and then closing her eyes, passed into that stupor that at last the great beyond opened the heart that had so bravely fought to the end.

She left her home for the last time a year ago Sunday to attend the morning service of the special at the Christian church, known as "Victory Day." The ladies of the church served dinner in the Bible school annex, and after dinner on account of her suffering she was obliged to leave and return home. Thus one year to the day, and almost to the hour, she passed on to eternal rest.

Those who have been left to mourn her loss, yet to cherish the memory of her beautiful life, are the husband and children mentioned above, and little granddaughter, Virginia Inman; her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Gteller of Chapman, Kansas, who were unable to attend because of age and distance; five brothers, Herman, Philip, Theodore and Elvin of Chapman, Kansas, and Jack of Los Angeles, Calif.; four sisters, Emma (Mrs. Read of Manhattan, Kansas), Lillie (Mrs. Leatherman of Chapman, Kansas), Lydia (Mrs. Burns of Junction City, Kansas) and Verna (Mrs. Strobe of Chapman, Kansas.)

At the age of fourteen years Mrs. Wilson was confirmed in the German Lutheran church, and a few years ago united with the Christian church of Pampa. All through her life she has been known by all for her consistent christian life, her bright smile, her pleasant way, and patient and gentle acceptance of the task in life that became hers. Her life has been a benediction to all who have known her, and the memory of her will ever be an inspiration to those among whom she has lived.

The funeral service was conducted Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at the Christian church by the minister, James Todd, Jr. The passage of Scripture used were the last three verses of the fourth chapter of Second Corinthians, which Mr. Todd said were fittingly appropriate to her life and death. Just before Mr. Todd spoke Mr. and Mrs. DeLea Vicars sang very impressively "The City Four-Square." The large assembly of friends and many beautiful floral offerings were equally significant of the high esteem in which the deceased was held.

The bearers, active and honorary, were W. T. Wilkes, W. A. Taylor, Nels Walburg, H. L. Ledrick, Guy Roberts, Frank Hudgel, Frank Meers, Z. H. Wundy, Hugh Isbell, H. R. Taylor, Lawrence Taylor, E. C. Carr, Jack Keahy, H. H. Huskell, L. C. McMurtry, Chris Baer, Bush Huggard and E. M. Groves. Mesdames Hugh Isbell and Scott Keahy carried the floral offerings.

Pampa won the all round championship in the annual interscholastic League Meet this year by defeating her closest contender, McLean, by a margin of 206 points to 169 points. The meet was concluded here last Saturday on a heavy field that considerably slowed up the athletic events. Below is given the point winners and the school they represented:

The essay contest was won by Doris Gilliland of Pampa. Senior track, 130 high hurdles—Howard, first; Jordan, second. McLean by default. Two twenty yard dash—Mars, McLean, first; Clark, McLean, second; Pampa, third. Two twenty yard low hurdles—McLean by default. One mile run—Sanders, McLean, first; Powers, McLean, second; Converse, Pampa, third. One hundred yard dash—Cobb, Pampa, first; Clark, McLean, second; Abbott, McLean, third. Eight eighty run—Robison, McLean, first; Clayton, Pampa, second; Naholson, McLean, third. Relay won by McLean. Field: Broad jump—Dwyer, McLean, first; Strange, Pampa, second; Cobb, Pampa, third. Javelin throw—Cobb, Pampa, first; Huff, McLean, second; Jordan, McLean, third. Pole vault—Dwyer, McLean, first; Jackson, McLean, second; Wolf, McLean, third. Shot put—Dwyer, McLean, first; Lester, Pampa, second; Mars, McLean, third. High jump—Dwyer, McLean, first; Howard, McLean, second; Strange, Pampa, third. Discus throw—Waters, McLean, first; Dwyer, McLean, second; Poe, Pampa, third. Junior track. Fifty yard dash—Raymond Tippet, Pampa, first; Albert Lard, Pampa, second; Irvin McLean, third. One hundred yard dash—Raymond Tippet, Pampa, first; Lard, second; Neal, Pampa, third. Junior high jump—Tippet, Pampa, first; Townsend, Pampa, second; Lard, Pampa, third. Junior broad jump—Tippet, Pampa, first; Lard, Pampa, second; Neal, Pampa, third. Junior relay won by Pampa—Tippet, Townsend, Neal and Lard. Indoor baseball—Default to Pampa. Tennis—Won by McLean. Volley ball—Won by Pampa: Vivian Frashier, Golda Jameson, Margaret Davis, Marjorie Noel, Ruth Noel, Addie Bradford, Edith Peason and Deva Dean. Volley ball undefeated in series for entire season.

Principal B. Q. Green issues the following statement concerning the county meet:

"I wish to take this opportunity to thank the good people of this community for their cooperation in putting on the county meet. Without your cooperation in providing houses and lodging for the contestants we would have been swamped. I wish especially to thank each of the teachers for his or her work with each group of students that helped so much to put the thing over. I would like also to say in their behalf, to the patrons that each point won in this meet represents weeks of faithful tireless effort on the part of splendid co-operative teachers. Lastly, I wish to compliment both communities for their splendid spirit and sportsmanship in the various competitions which made the meet go off smoothly and without friction or hard feelings to either side."

F. B. Carlson returned this week from Omaha, Nebraska.

Dr. Sawyer will leave Monday, April 26, for Wichita Falls to attend the 46th annual convention and training course of the Texas State Dental Society. He will return Sunday, April 29.



### Drilling Hazards Given in Review of Oklahoma Wells

The hazards of producing petroleum are clearly defined in a review of 133 tests completed in the state of Oklahoma during a recent week. Eighty-six were producers and forty-seven were dry and abandoned. Of the dry holes, thirteen were drilled to more than 4,000 feet, and one test, in Noble county, was drilled to 5,242 feet before drilling operations were suspended.

In view of the fact that the average deep sand well in the Garber field, of Garfield County, Oklahoma, is costing about \$60,000 to drill and connect with a pipe line, the necessity for large financial backing is seen in the work of producing oil in the Mid-Continent fields today. A number of wildcats in Oklahoma have cost the operators approximately a quarter million dollars, with no production.

As a result of the increasing hazards of drilling in Oklahoma, the work is passing from the individual oil operator or small producing company to the large integrated oil company which embraces all branches of the industry.

Osage County had the best record of any producing section of Oklahoma with twenty-three oil wells completed and only two dry holes. Stephens county had 7 small oil wells completed and only two dry holes. Five deep dry holes were completed in Lincoln County during the week. Two in the vicinity of the Davenport field and three others in the southern part of the state were failures. All these went below 4,000 feet. Three deep dry holes were finished in the Garber field.

Operators started 124 wells during the same period, or 33 more wells than the number of producers completed. It is significant to add that a survey of the new wells started shows that above 75 per cent of the wells are being drilled by the larger, better financed concerns and that but few of the wildcats were attempted by individual operators.

Kansas operators had slightly

worse luck than Oklahoma operators during the past week, completing only twenty-one producing oil wells and fifteen dry holes. Greenwood County continued to lead. Operators there finished seven oil wells and seven dusters in the 7-day period.

### Why Take a Risk

**Childress Index:** A few days ago an advertising salesman worked the merchants of Childress for business. In the deal two cards were printed and placed in a cigar lighter. The machine cost perhaps \$5 and the printing job was \$8. The salesman complained of the price asked for the printing, saying he could get it in other towns for \$5. He wanted a two-color job and in showing samples of work done in other shops not one was printed in two colors. He was caught there, for two-color printing required double the time and in this instance stock cost was not more than 20 cents.

Printing and machine cost \$13. The salesman sold six spaces at \$12.50 each and the advertising is to run a year. For a day's work he netted himself \$62 and say traveling expenses amounted to \$6 that would leave a net profit of \$56 for a day's work. The printer worked three hours to turn out the job.

The Index wonders how many merchants in Childress have a business that will net \$50 a day profit? Not many if any. The merchants who can take \$10,000 profit out of an investment of \$60,000 is doing fine. This advertising salesman is netting \$17,528 yearly out of an expenditure of a little more than \$5,000.

If business men would stop to think how easy money can be made by merely using one's wits we believe it would only be a short time until there would not be a retail store. Why invest \$60,000 and risk fire, poor crops, and many other things to make an honest living and a just return upon the investment?

### WEST TEXAS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

**Stamford—**Rules for the "My Town" speaking contest have been compiled in pamphlet form and are ready for distribution. Persons interested may obtain copies of this pamphlet by writing the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at Stamford.

**Childress—**Immense deposits of guano are believed to have been located in Bat Cave near here. Geologists who have investigated the deposit declare that at least a million tons of guano exist here and that it will be commercially profitable to mine the deposits.

**Archer City—**The Archer County Chamber of Commerce held its quarterly banquet here. E. H. Whitehead, publicity manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, was principal speaker. The Archer Chamber was just recently organized but already has more than one hundred members.

**Big Springs—**C. T. Watson, formerly secretary of the Lamesa Chamber of Commerce, has been engaged as secretary of the Lamesa Chamber of Commerce to succeed Miss Nell Hatch, resigned.

**San Angelo—**Unusually fine crop of lambs are reported by sheepmen throughout the region, who declare that the births of twin lambs exceed all previous records. A great year for the sheep and goat raisers is anticipated.

**Rising Star—**An oil boom of great proportions has struck this city and region. Usually high gravity oil shallow depths has been found here and a great period of development is under way.

**Snyder—**A five year farming program has been adopted by the farmers of Scurry county.

**El Paso—**A new steel bridge over the Rio Grande is to be constructed here soon as a result of favorable action by congress on a bill introduced by congressman Hudspeth authorizing the bridge.

**Abilene—**A constructive farm program for Taylor county was formulated at a meeting of bankers, farmers and Abilene business men held here. R. Q. Lee, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and other prominent men spoke at the meeting.

**Cross Plains—**R. W. Haynie of Abilene was formally announced candidate for the presidency of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. The

announcement was made by Mayor C. E. Coombs of Abilene, who presented Mr. Haynie at the banquet during the district convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce held here.

**Pecos—**Citizens of the Pecos valley are elated over the action of Congress passing the bill for Red Bluff. The bill is now before the Senate and it is expected that it will pass that body soon.

**Lubbock—**Texas Tech is planting many ornamental shade trees of several varieties about the college grounds. This is a part of the landscape program of the college.

**Floydada—**The Floyd County Fair is assured for this year. It will be held in Floydada in September.

**Rails—**A new ice factory has been placed in operation here by the West Texas Utilities Company. It is the first plant of its kind to be operated in Crosby county.

**Paducah—**More than \$1,700 has been raised by the Paducah Chamber of Commerce to be used in pushing a constructive agriculture program for Cottle county.

### Arnold Accepts Secretaryship of Panhandle C. C.

W. R. Arnold, now of Plainview, today wired the committee, headed by Frank A. Paul, that he would accept the position of secretary of the Panhandle Chamber of Commerce and will begin his duties at once.

Mr. Arnold met with the committee a few days ago and was elected at that time. However, he asked for a little time to give his final decision.

He was mayor of Iowa Park and also served as city secretary. The committee feels that it has a secretary who will be able to handle the work of the Panhandle Chamber of Commerce. It was stated today.

**Greatest.**  
A. I. B. Bulletin: Our greatest undeveloped resource is the odd-looking spherical knob attached to the upper end of the spinal column of each American citizen.

### BID ON PUMP, MOTOR AND ENGINE FOR WATER WORKS

Sealed proposals will be received by the City Council of the City of Pampa, Texas, until eight o'clock p. m. Monday, April 26th, 1926, for the furnishing and installing complete, on foundations furnished by the City, one centrifugal pump and one oil or gas engine or electric motor. Combination designed and guaranteed to deliver 275 to 350 g. p. m. against a static head of 143 feet plus friction in 4130 feet of 6 inch C. I. pipe; also guarantee cost per 1000 gallons pumped. Operating cost to cover fuel or electric current and lubricating oil, based on a current market price specified in proposal. Basis of awarding at operating cost to be 150,000 gallons pumped in each 24 hour day. Installation to be made in building 10'-8"x24'-8" furnished by the City.

Proposals must be addressed to J. T. Crawford, Jr., secretary-treasurer, Pampa, Texas, and must contain a certified check, or its equivalent, made payable to said J. T. Crawford, Jr., for \$200.00 as a guarantee that the successful bidder will make a satisfactory bond in the sum of 50% of the contract price and will within 10 days after award is made, enter into a contract with the City Council for the

completing of the work which may be awarded to him, otherwise said certified check is to be forfeited to said City Council as actual damages.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

F. P. Reid, Mayor.  
J. T. Crawford, Jr., Sec.-Treas.  
City Council, Pampa, Texas.  
A. H. Doucette, City Engineer. 3-26

### Hall's Catarrh Medicine

is a Combined Treatment, both local and internal, and has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh for over forty years. Sold by all druggists.

F. I. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio

### LOW-COST TRANSPORTATION

### Star Cars

MORE POWER

Commercial Chassis	\$425
Roadster	525
Touring	525
Coupester	595
Coupe	675
Coach	695
Sedan	775

(F. O. B. Lansing, Mich.)  
DURANT MOTORS, INC.  
JESS FLETCHER, Representative

### Jersey Black Giants

The largest American breed of Poultry. Excel as range birds. Beat the Leghorns as winter layers, and superior to any bird in the world for caponizing. Beautiful in appearance and eventually will become the standard fowl of Panhandle. Chicks hatched in April and May, when sold as capons in January and February will bring \$4 to \$5 each. I sold my late hatched capons through the poultry association for 30 cents a pound net last January. Weight at 1 year old: Capons 17 to 20 lbs; hens 10 lbs and roosters 12 lbs and up. Can only fill orders as filed, since I have orders ahead. Prices \$1.50 per setting of 15, \$6.00 per hundred. Cash with order.

**ALBERT CONVERSE**  
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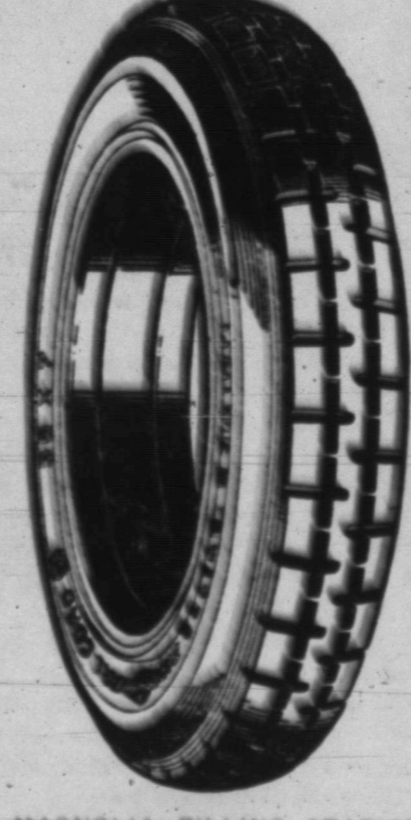
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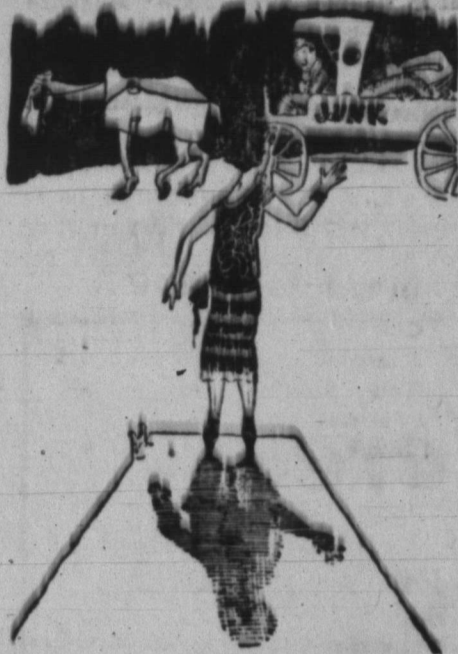


CALIFORNIA LETTER

BY J. F. VICARS  
San Jose, California

Editor Pampa News:

We had a fine rain yesterday, which was Easter Sunday, and last night, altogether making about an inch with predictions for more today. This will probably be our last rain until next fall. We have no rain during the



How's Your Vent?

A YOUNG woman was singing. Her voice sounded flat and dead. A friend said, "The trouble is the acoustics." The young woman gasped, "Law, I didn't know I had such a thing!"

Maybe you don't know you have a vent—in your plumbing system? But you have. And unless your vents are good, your plumbing is bad.

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summer months. March was an exceedingly dry month, there being no rain and the lowest temperature was 38 degrees.

The annual "flower show" at Saratoga was held this year on March 27 and 28. The attendance for the two days was estimated at between 8,000 and 10,000. Saratoga is located near the foot hills of the Santa Cruz mountains and is reached from here by railroad, interurban electric cars and concrete roads. These run through beautiful orchards all the way, to the delight and admiration of all who travel over them.

J. W. Weeks, ex-secretary of war, and a party of eleven notables from Washington, D. C., were here last week taking in the entrancing beauties of the Santa Clara valley.

In my last letter I referred to the election of Mrs. Bertha K. Gandes, sister-in-law of Dr. David Starr Jordan, as mayor of Seattle, and now I read that the liquor resorts are planning to move outside of Seattle and establish their dives along the highways north of the city before she takes office June 7.

Dr. Jordan spoke here a few days ago at the First Baptist church. His speech was a stirring appeal to keep California for those who come after us, to keep the flowers, scenery, birds and other wild life as rich and beautiful as we found it.

"We all love California," he said, "for she has shown her love to us. I might go on at great length to tell of the grandeur of the scenery of California. I might tell you of the beau-

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ties of the lakes, the rivers, the waterfalls, the chaters of volcanoes, everything that makes the mountain regions beautiful. I have been in most parts of the world but I do not know of any place as attractive as the Santa Clara valley."

He also spoke of the climate, which is a par with the beauty and grandeur of the state. He told of the beauty and great profusion of the wild and prairie flowers when he first went to Dubuque, Iowa. But he said he had been recently told that there is not a wild flower in the state today.

His speech was broadcast over the radio and was delivered on the occasion of an exhibit of wild flowers gathered from over the state by experts. More than 250 varieties were in the collection. He was pale and weak and visibly agitated by the recent death of his son, Eric, of whose accidental death I wrote in my last letter.

Since making the above speech Dr. Jordan discussed the much talked about subject of evolution, outlining the "documents" which substantiate the evolutionary hypothesis in his judgment. The term "missing link" is a fiction of non-scientific men according to this man of science. There were no missing links in the entire chain of man's evolution from lower orders to the present day, and scientists have discovered from a comparison of the structure, their similarity in development and this has been corroborated in the evolutionary development in embryology.

The explanation of "the descent of man" is only a theory, he said, and an inference because we have no way of finding out for certain if these things exist. There are no Heidelberg men or Cro-Magnon animals on the earth today.

Owing to the beauty of its location and the perfection of its climate this little piece of the earth's geography attracts men and women from all parts of the world—scholars, poets, painters, lecturers, scientists, musicians, and there is hardly a day that you cannot hear, if you wish, some famous person.

I heard an astronomer recently lecturing on the mysteries of the universe. In fact, it is known now that there is not one but many universes, scattered throughout limitless space. The nearest one that has as yet been discovered is 700,000 light years away and it is 7,000 light years across it. You can figure for yourself its size and distance when you remember that a light year is the distance that light will travel in a year at a speed of 186,000 miles per second.

I attended an old fashioned spelling match not long ago. In fact two of them. There were some forty or fifty persons who spelled at each match. In each instance the medal for spelling was won by the oldest man present, aged 70 and 72 respectively. These spelling contests are put on by the W. C. T. U. Sixteen contests will be held in the county and the sixteen winners will spell in a final contest where a gold medal will be the prize.

After writing the above I took a walk down to the Chamber of Commerce to hear Dr. Wyche in an address to the Santa Clara County League of Women Voters. He is pastor of a Unitarian church here and his subject was the cause of the rapid growth of crime and its cure. I could not see that he had anything new to offer on either proposition.

On my way back I stopped to talk a while with my friend Graham whom you will see on almost any fine day sitting in his wheel chair on or near the sidewalk under the trees in front of his lawn and beautiful flower garden. We always has a sniff on his

face and a kind word for everybody that goes by. His limbs are paralyzed to his hips and he has not walked a step in 18 years. I feel happier and more contented every time I talk with him, for he is the very personification of optimism and cheerfulness, and you cannot fail to catch his beautiful spirit by contact with him. He has his flowers arranged in most orderly fashion and I don't think I ever saw anything more beautiful than the rows of tulips, thousands of them, arrayed in most gorgeous colors stretching from the walk almost to the rear of his bungalow. They are just now in the height of their glory.

There is a vacant lot stretching along the side of his own that he rents for \$1,000 a year and turns it over to a neighbor who raises dahlias on it and sells the flowers and bulbs. Graham says he gets more than \$1,000 a year out of it in having those lovely flowers so near him to rest his eyes upon. He thinks it makes one not only happier but better by having beautiful things about him. He does not think one could be mean and sordid if he spent his days among the flowers and beautiful shrubbery. I asked myself this question: Does he love the flowers because he is good, or has his association with the flowers made him good?

Let me tell you a little secret I got hold of a few days ago. There is a widow living on my street whose son was her main support until about a year ago, when in an auto accident, he got his back broken and has not walked a step since. Well, every month since that happened Graham has sent that boy a check for \$40. He does lots of things like that but if you ever find it out somebody else has got to tell you for he won't. But he reaches and helps so many more people with his money, for thousands go by every day who are blest by their beauty and their fragrance.

Before I walked away from his presence this afternoon I recited to him the following lines:

The roses red upon my neighbor's vine  
Are owned by him but they are also mine;  
His was the cost and the labor too,  
But mine as well as his their charms to view.  
They bloom for me and are for me as fair  
As for the man who gives them all his care;  
Thus I am rich because a good man grew  
A rose clad vine for all who pass to view.  
I know from this that others plant for me,  
And what they own my joy also be,  
So why be selfish when so much that's fine  
Is grown for me upon my neighbor's vine.  
And he said, "I am glad you feel

that way about it. If that expresses the sentiment of the people who go by I think myself abundantly rewarded."

Mrs. J. T. Fryer, of Emporia, Kan., is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. C. Walstead, and brother, G. C. Walstead, and sister, Mrs. H. L. Ledrick.

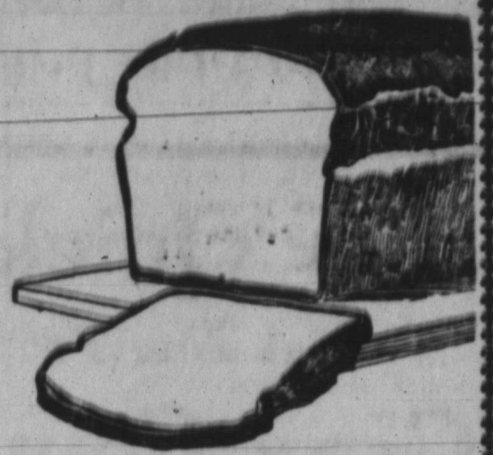
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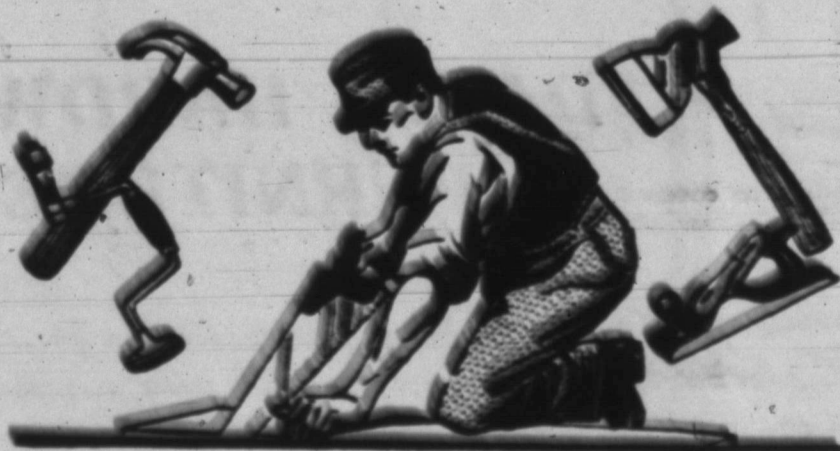
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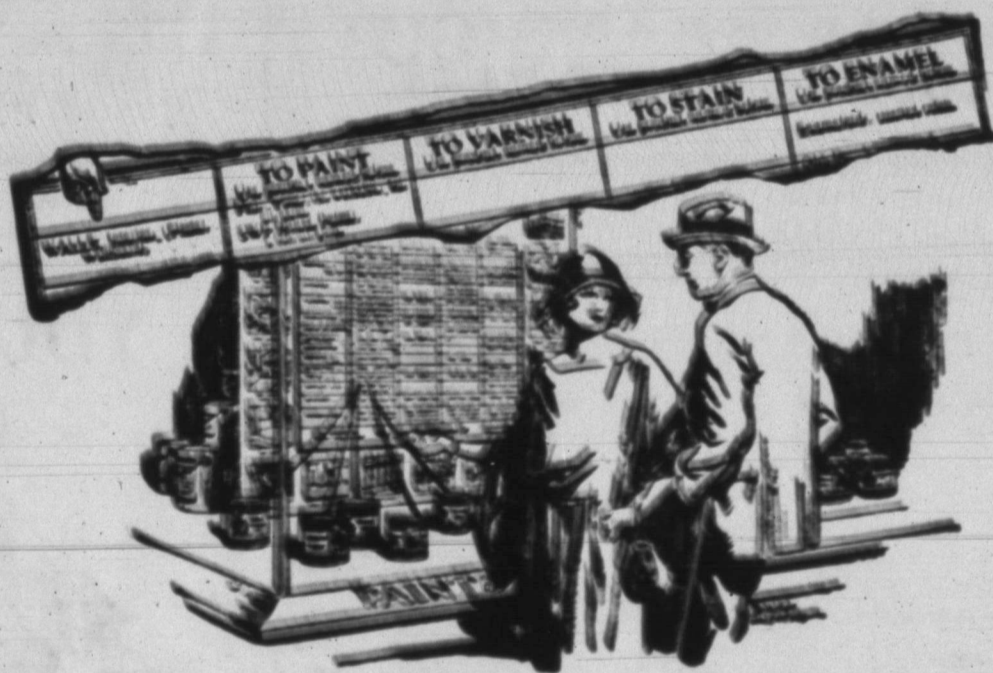
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**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE  
FIRST NATIONAL BANK**

at Pampa in the State of Texas, at the close of business on April 12, 1926.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, etc.	\$415,595.42
Total loans	\$415,595.42
Overdrafts, secured	3,226.55
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	6,260.00
Total	6,260.00
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.	4,317.40
Banking house	5,000.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	20,000.00
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	48,312.45
Cash in vault and amount due from national banks	252,969.02
Miscellaneous cash items	1,286.78
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	313.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$757,380.42</b>
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	25,000.00
Undivided profits	\$ 13,158.46
Less current expenses paid	4,521.39
Circulating notes outstanding	6,260.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	13,355.43
Individual deposits subject to check	501,527.33
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	4,201.20
State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond	17,500.00
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve	523,228.53
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)	135,915.07
Total of time deposits subject to reserve	135,915.07
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$757,380.42</b>

State of Texas, County of Gray, ss:  
I, DeLea Vicars, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
DeLEA VICARS, Cashier.  
Correct Attest:  
J. R. HENRY, D. E. FINLEY, P. C. LEDRICK, Directors.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of April, 1926.  
(SEAL) CHAS. C. COOK, Notary Public.

**OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE  
GRAY COUNTY STATE BANK**

at Pampa, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 12th day of April, 1926, published in the Pampa News, a newspaper printed and published at Pampa, State of Texas, on the 22nd day of April, 1926.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, undoubtedly good on personal or collateral security	\$154,876.52
Loans secured by real estate, worth at least twice the amount loaned thereon	4,000.00
Overdrafts, undoubtedly good	1,911.11
Bonds, stocks and other securities	26,000.00
Real estate (banking house)	7,800.00
Other real estate	4,063.00
Furniture and fixtures	2,919.55
Cash on hand	8,983.50
Due from approved reserve agents	122,723.45
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand	3,200.43
Interest on depositors' guaranty fund	3,614.17
Assessment depositors' guaranty fund	6,136.80
Acceptance and bills of exchange, undoubtedly good	954.08
Other resources, collection items in transit	1,735.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$348,795.81</b>
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	\$ 25,000.00
Undivided surplus fund	3,000.00
Undivided profits, net	8,495.30
Individual deposits subject to check on which no interest is paid	248,727.07
Time certificates of deposit	20,573.44
Public funds on deposit:	
County	\$22,408.82
City	5,085.00
School	20,308.82
Cashier's checks outstanding	4,048.82
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$348,795.81</b>

State of Texas, County of Gray.  
We, C. L. THOMAS, as president, and W. H. DRYE, as cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.  
C. L. THOMAS, President.  
W. H. DRYE, Cashier.  
C. B. BARNARD, J. W. KELLER, D. W. OSBORNE, Directors.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of April, A. D. 1926.  
(SEAL) JOHN F. STUBER, Notary Public, Gray County, Texas.

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**FOR SALE—One gray pony, broke to** ride. Reasonable price. See Vera Ledrick. 4-2f

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WITNESS, Charlie Thut, Clerk of

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at my office in the Town of Lefors, Texas, this 21st day of April, A. D. 1926.  
(SEAL) CHARLIE THUT,  
Clerk County Court, Gray County, Texas.

A true copy, I certify:  
E. S. GRAVES,  
Sheriff Gray County, Texas. 4-4f

**WHITE DEER**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Nicholson spent Sunday at the home of their son, Russell, and family at White Deer.  
J. S. Botkin and John Haggard were Amarillo visitors Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Nicholson at White Deer are the proud parents of a son, born Monday morning.  
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### LOCAL GOSSIP

Mrs. Lewis Meers visited in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Sanders visited in Wheeler last Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hughey and family were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Sloan and Mrs. Ed Duncagan spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mel Davis near Lefors.

O. V. Vernon and Mr. Amacker were business visitors in Pampa last week.

Miss Annie Laurie Sawyer, daughter of Dr. Sawyer, is attending business college in Amarillo.

Mrs. Tom Rose, Mrs. Joe Smith and Mrs. B. E. Finley were Amarillo visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tipton of Amarillo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sloan last week end.

Mrs. Edwin Vicars spent last week-end in Amarillo as the guest of Mrs. Ford. Mrs. Ford will be remembered as Miss Georgia Vicars, formerly of this city.

Editor Dave Warren was a business visitor in Pampa Saturday.

Miss Lella Rorex spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rorex, in Panhandle.

Vasel and Mildred Richardson and Dallas Waters of McLean were guests last week-end at the Peters' home.

Mrs. Ed Duncagan of Panhandle visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Sloan, during the past week end.

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Mr. and Mrs. Amacker, of Amarillo, were Pampa visitors last week. Mrs. Amacker is a sister of Mrs. P. O. Sanders of this place.

Mrs. John Hash of Plemons was a Pampa visitor during the early part of this week. She was a guest of her sister, Miss Lella Rorex.

Mrs. A. E. Stairs of Los Angeles, California, arrived in Pampa Wednesday of this week. Mr. Stairs has been here for three weeks and has established a jewelry repair shop in the Pampa Confectionery. Mr. Stairs states that in all probability he and Mrs. Stairs will open an up to date jewelry shop here.

Miss Lillian Callaghan, of Panhandle, and Howard Anderson of Amarillo, were in Pampa Sunday.

Mrs. Van Carter and little daughter visited in Panhandle last week with her parents, Sheriff and Mrs. O. L. Thorp, and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Line.

Miss Eula Seelbach attended the District meet of the State Federated Clubs at Childress April 13 and 14. Mrs. Chas. Talley, representing the Home Service Club, and Miss Fannie Hogan, representing the Wayside

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C. P. Buckler is recovering rapidly

from the injuries sustained three weeks ago in an explosion in the White Deer Land Company building. He was removed this week from the hospital to his home, and it is expected that he will be up within the next two weeks.

Mrs. J. R. Henry, who has been spending the winter at Itasca, Texas, has returned home. She was accompanied home by her niece, Miss Lottie Ince, who will remain here during the summer. Miss Ince has visited here a number of times before and is well known here.

White Deer Elects Mayor. J. C. Jackson has been elected mayor of White Deer. Councilmen are Bob McCoy, J. H. Skaggs, W. D. Lee and W. J. Stubblefield. An election will be held shortly so that the city may be formally incorporated.

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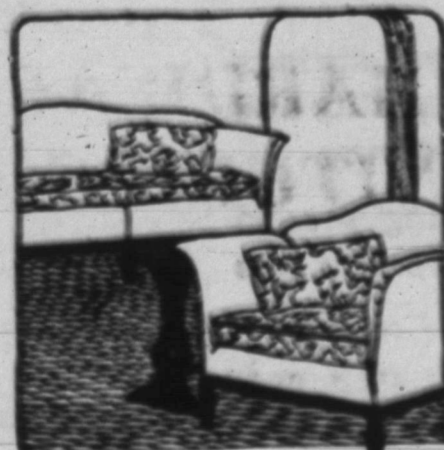
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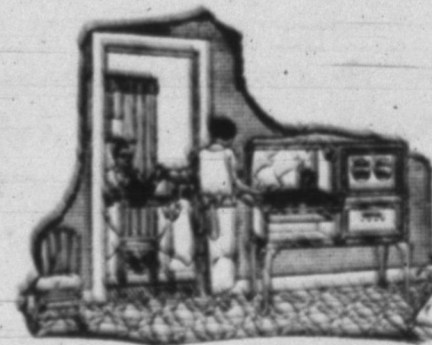
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A LIVING RATE

White Deer merchants are paying M. B. Cavanaugh, editor of The Review, 30 cents an inch for advertising these days. He is giving the people of White Deer an excellent newspaper, and he deserves a living rate.

The News management knows that Mr. Cavanaugh has had many months during which his volume of business hardly justified a newspaper in White Deer. It was a temptation to abandon the field.

Newspaper men are too prone not to ask a fair and living price for their products. If editors of the Panhandle obtained a minimum of 30 cents an inch up to 45 cents an inch for advertising, The News believes that the quality of the publication could be improved.

It takes more than mere volume of business to get out a good publication. If the advertising rate is low, a large volume of business means that the income is used to buy more print paper, employ more help and purchase more supplies for getting out the paper.

A publication's profits come within the last few cents of the advertising rate. Expenses must first be paid, and it is from the remainder that the publisher must get his profit and improve the quality of his product.

LET'S SEE THE ROAD

On the State Highway from Pampa to Amarillo are a number of sign-boards that should be removed to other locations, for they are a nuisance to automobile drivers and are a menace to safety.

The News refers to the huge signs just this side of the Santa Fe railway crossing five miles this side of Amarillo. When motorists get ready to cross the track going toward Amarillo, they find their view obstructed by a number of signs to their right.

The State Highway Department should see that the signs are taken down from that location. When a clear view of a railroad track is possible, as is in this case, the Highway Department should take action without delay.

There is always an element of chance in crossing a railroad track.

That chance should not be heightened by unnecessary sign boards.

WE ARE SORRY

The Amarillo News and Globe were damaged about \$12,000 in a fire Monday afternoon. It is estimated the damage was \$10,000 to the paper and the loss on the building, owned by Lindsay Nunn, was \$2,000 all of which was covered by insurance.

The News suffered the loss of its files, which were becoming more valuable as the years went by. The present editor of The News was with the Amarillo News for many years and fully appreciates the value of these files to The News-Globe management.

The fire was caused by gas becoming ignited in the basement near the boiler. The press was damaged, and it was necessary for Monday's Globe to be published in the old Globe plant.

FARRINGTON FILES

Bird Week is past, but do you know that the meadow larks food consists of 72 per cent injurious insects? "Don't bite the hand that's feeding you."

"If you want to have beautiful roses, you must first grow them in your heart."

Earl Lewis, James Lacy Good and the A. Converse were among those from Farrington who attended the Gray County Track Meet Saturday.

Mrs. Arch Chessher was in Pampa Saturday.

Mrs. Roy Huff, Mrs. Dabbs and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Davis were callers at the A. Converse home Friday.

Jack Spearman made a business trip to Amarillo Saturday.

James Jackson has been helping Mr. Arch Chessher renovate a tractor.

Mr. J. C. Farrington has been setting out onion plants.

There will be a program at the Farrington pie supper May 15.

A. Converse has just purchased a new 1,000 chick Sol Hot brooder for his rapidly increasing flock of Jersey Black Giants.

Mrs. C. C. Stockstill was in Pampa Thursday.

The Good Are Fat

American Mutual Magazine: "So you went after the job? I thought you believed that the office should seek the man?"

"I do, but that is a fat job, and I was afraid it might get winded before it reached me."

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following candidates present their names to the voters of Gray County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

FOR SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR:  
JOHNNIE R. BACK  
E. S. GRAVES (For re-election)  
I. S. JAMESON  
A. R. (CAL) CALAWAY

FOR COUNTY JUDGE:  
A. C. HUSTED  
T. M. WOLPE (For re-election)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER:  
MIRIAM WILSON (Re-election)

FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK:  
CHARLIE THUT (For re-election)

FOR TAX ASSESSOR:  
F. E. (EWING) LEECH

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:  
JOHN F. STUDER

FOR COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 2:  
W. A. TAYLOR (Re-election)  
JOHN TURCOTTE

FOR COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 3:  
THOS. O. KIRBY

FOR COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 1:  
C. W. BOWERS

NOTICE—ODD FELLOWS AND REBEKA'S

Honoring the 107th anniversary of the founding of our order, Pampa Lodge No. 934 and Carnation Rebekah Lodge No. 355, I. O. O. F., will hold joint services at 8 o'clock p. m. Sunday, April 25th. Rev. James Todd Jr. will deliver an interesting and fitting address especially for this occasion.

All members, both lodges, will meet promptly at 7:30 p. m. at the I. O. O. F. hall where the regalia of your rank and station will be secured and worn. Be sure to be on time.

The public is cordially invited to attend this service, also all visiting brothers and sisters.

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Parasites, Worms and  
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powerful laxative, cleanses the  
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prevent than try to cure. Contains no  
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kinds of stock, all birds and turkeys, any kind  
of weather with good results.  
Do not be very cheap. One dollar bottle  
will last 100 fowls more than 100 days.  
The manufacturers are anxious for all  
country dealers to try it 30 days at their  
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using 30 days, if your flock has not im-  
proved in health, produced more eggs—  
get back original money and bottle. If  
improved—come back to your dealer to be  
authorized to refund your money."  
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**Dodd's Hatchery**  
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Retailed at the following prices:  
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Chick Scratch	\$3.35
Alfalfa Linn	\$2.00
Roll'd Oats	\$4.85
Pearl Chick Grit	\$2.00
Pearl Hen Grit	\$2.00
Oyster Shells	\$1.75
Charcoal (50 lbs)	\$2.50
Corn Chops	\$2.50
Ground Barley	\$2.50
Ground Oats	\$2.50
Shorts	\$2.25
Brn	\$1.85
Tarbage 50%	\$4.75
Bone Meal	\$4.25
Meat	\$1.25
Cotton Seed Meal	\$2.25
Sol Hot Brooder 300 chick size	\$35.75
Sol Hot 500 size	\$38.00
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Poultry Supplies. Call and see them.  
Baby Chicks from 11c to 15c, accord-  
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Nerve Specialist: "You must give up your cocktails and night clubs, and you must stop smoking."  
Lady: "But I don't do any of those things."  
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**A Record Made a Verdict Rendered**

Here is a record to make you pause:  
70,599 Dodge Brothers Motor Cars and Graham Brothers Trucks sold in the United States from January 2nd to April 3rd, 1926!

The greatest quarter in the company's history.  
37 per cent greater than the same period last year, when 51,318 units were sold.

This record was a foregone conclusion. Since the first of the year demand increased week by week. Each period showed greater sales than the one preceding and greater than the same period of 1925.

During the last week recorded, ending April 3rd, 9104 units were sold, against 6530 for the best week last year—a gain of 39 per cent.

Sales figures are an index to the buyer's preference.  
Buyer's preference, these days, springs from clean-cut convictions on quality and comparative worth, penny for penny.

Although the peak of the selling season has not yet been reached, the verdict has already been rendered.

Touring Car \$899.00 Coupe .....\$ 980.00  
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**COBB MOTOR COMPANY**

**DODGE BROTHERS MOTOR CARS**





# WAKE UP YOUR CAR

Don't tolerate slow, uncertain starting or sluggish pick-ups. Plenty of power and plenty of pep are what you want—and can get with a special Stromberg Carburetor on your car. The reason is plain.

## SPECIAL STROMBERG CARBURETORS

are engineered specially to meet a motor's individual requirements. They develop a motor's greatest efficiency and give it real pep and performance. Don't be satisfied with "half asleep" engine operation. "Cost?" Never mind that. A Stromberg Special Carburetor quickly pays for itself in fuel savings.

Drive in today. Have one installed.

Buick	\$24.00
Cadillac	22.50
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Chrysler	24.00
Cleveland	24.50
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We do all kinds of Renovating and have the best equipment in the Panhandle for cleaning cotton mattresses. We also make staple cotton mattresses, and are always glad to figure with you.

### All Work Guaranteed

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Two Blocks West of Main Street on Highway  
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There is a group of safe yet extremely valuable remedies for growing children, which should be in every home

We Have Everything Carried in a First Class Drug Store

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## New North Plains Highway Hinted As Joint Bridge Talked

A North Plains highway that would follow the proposed route of the Rock Island railway is suggested in an offer made by that road to the Hutchinson county commissioners that a joint rail and highway bridge be constructed across the Canadian river.

The offer was made by A. S. Stinnett, at the direction of Rock Island officials. He appeared before the commissioners court with the request that they take no steps toward the building of a bridge across the river until the railroad engineers arrive there to make surveys for the proposed rail line.

Mr. Stinnett reported the commissioners were impressed at the proposal for a jointly-operated bridge and took the matter under advisement.

He pointed out the site selected by the railroad, which is near the mouth of Antelope creek, north of Pantex, would be an ideal one for a highway, and that its connection with the rail bridge would insure its permanency and upkeep.

"There will be a North Plains highway along the railroad," said Mr. Stinnett, "but any other highways through Hutchinson county could also use the same bridge."

"A highway crossing the river at that point would link the North Plains with Amarillo. One branch could turn east north of the river and connect with the Spearman road while the other would follow the railroad to Liberal."

### FARRINGTON FILES

"Lonely is the man who understands."

Mr. C. C. Stockstill is back to business at Panhandle again.

Mr. J. C. Farrington was in Pampa Tuesday.

Grover and Vernon Lewis are in school again after over a week's absence due to illness.

Earl Lewis was at A. Converse's Monday buying Black Giant eggs.

A. Converse was in Pampa Tuesday. Mrs. Jess Good has been on the sick list, but is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Turcotte and Mrs. Bert Benton visited Mother Gillis of the Miami vicinity Friday. Mrs. Gillis has been very ill, but is much improved.

James Jackson brought out a load of cake for his cattle Tuesday

Mrs. Roy Huff had a birthday guests Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Pervis, Meador and Mr. and Mrs. Smith Meador of the North Plains. Mrs. P. M. Meador was the guest of honor.

The Farrington Dramatic Club are working on "Gas," a high class one act play to be presented in the near future.

Ralph Conser had the misfortune of getting two fingers mashed in a car door while helping get it out of a mud hole.

Miss Rose: "Clifford, make a sentence using 'shark'."

Clifford: "The shark pecked me." The Farrington pie supper is coming April 24. Hope you are too.

### COME!

Where? To Farrington!  
What? Pie supper!  
When? Saturday night, May 15.  
Who? Everybody!

### SHERIFF'S SALE

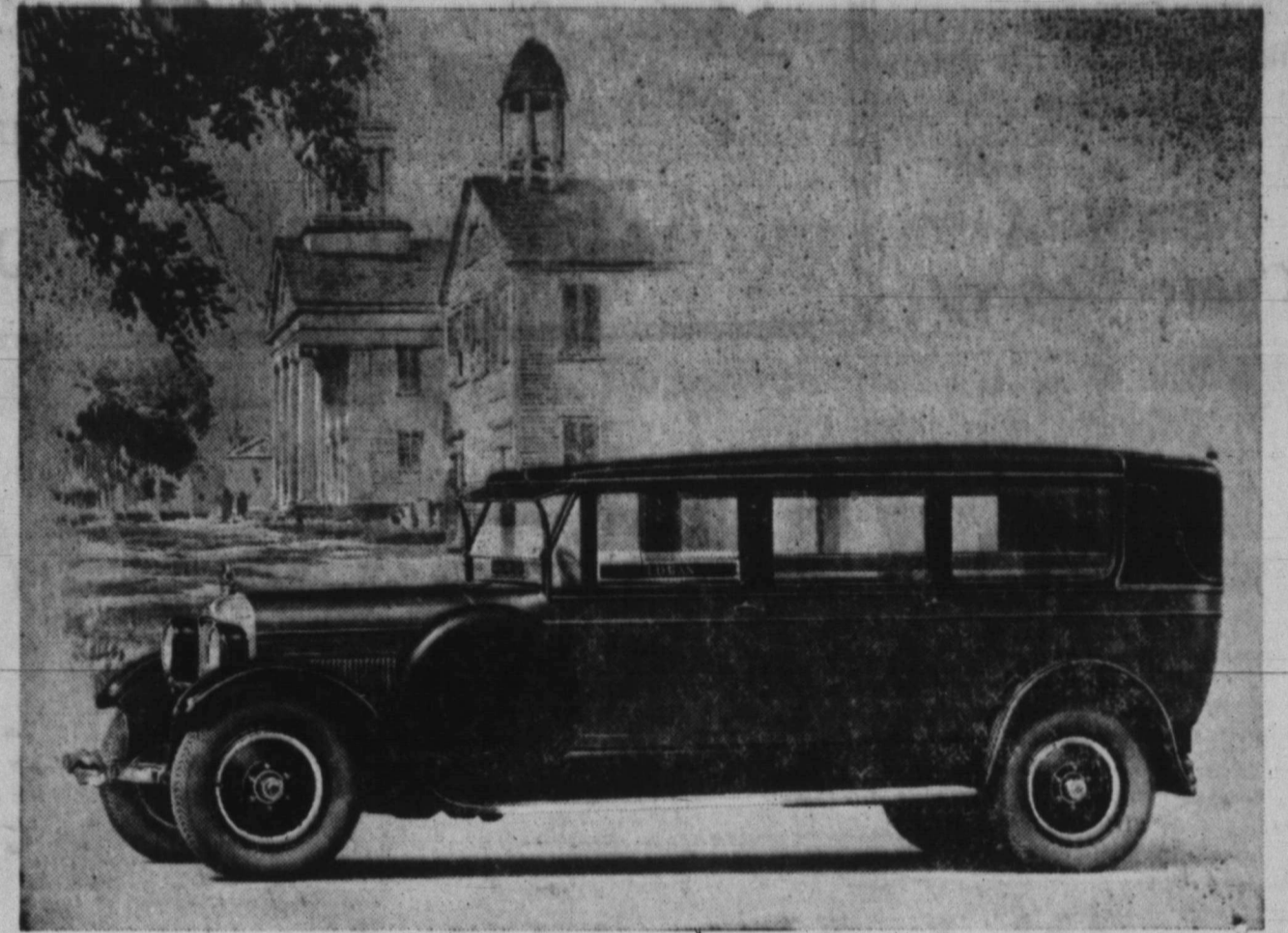
THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Gray.

By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Gray County, on the 1st day of April, 1926, by Charles Thut, Clerk of said Court against E. M. Taber for the sum of Six Hundred Fifteen and 90-100 (\$615.90) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 1571 in said Court, styled Chas. C. Cook versus E. M. Taber and placed in my hands for service, I, E. S. Graves as Sheriff of Gray County, Texas, did, on the 2nd day of April, 1926, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Gray County, described as follows, to-wit:

Being all of Plot No. 52 of the Suburbs of Pampa, according to the map or plat of said Suburbs recorded in Volume 17 on page 114 of the Deed Records of Gray County, Texas, and containing 2.19 acres of land be the same more or less,

and levied upon as the property of said E. M. Taber, and on Tuesday, the 6th day of May, 1926, at the Court House door of Gray County, in the Town of Lefors, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. I will sell said property at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said E. M. Taber by

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Phone 181

Pampa, Texas

virtue of said levy and said order of sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, one week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Pampa Weekly News, a newspaper published in Gray County.

Witness my hand, this 2nd day of April, 1926.

E. S. GRAVES,  
Sheriff Gray County, Texas.

### THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Gray County—Greeting:

J. W. Thomas, executor of the estate of D. T. Thomas, deceased, having filed in our County Court his final account of the condition of the estate of D. T. Thomas, deceased, together with an application to be discharged

from said administration and as executor of said estate, you are hereby commanded that by publication of this writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the County of Gray and State of Texas to give due notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said estate to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the May Term, 1926, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said County in the Town of Lefors on the 3rd Monday in May, 1926, the same being the 17th day of May, 1926, when said account and application will be considered by said Court.

Witness,  
CHARLIE THUT,  
Clerk of the County Court of Gray County, Texas.

said Court at my office in the Town of Lefors, Texas, this 21st day of April, 1926.

(SEAL) CHARLIE THUT,  
Clerk of the County Court of Gray County, Texas.

### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that H. W. Johns and P. O. Sanders, composing the partnership known as Gray County Abstract Company, intend to incorporate, without change of the firm name, thirty days after this the 15th day of April, A. D. 1926.

Partners  
H. W. Johns,  
P. O. Sanders.

Highest price paid for poultry and eggs. Call at the Hatchery before you sell your produce.

## Chevrolet Dealer Announcement to Public

We are now located in THE TEXAS GARAGE and have a complete line of Chevrolet parts. We also have secured the services of an expert repairman who makes a specialty on work on Chevrolet Automobiles.

We have a number of the NEW CHEVROLETS in our display room and cordially invite the general public to come in and see the New Models.

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At the Texas Garage

W. E. DUNCAN

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What Have You Selected for

Mother's Day

We have a choice selection of Candies, done up in appropriate boxes for

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Come in today and get Her something to let her know you remember her.

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In the Limelight. "How modestly she dresses, and

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**MILLINERY**  
*For Summer That's Different*



Whatever else may be said of summer Millinery styles, this one fact stands out above all others—it must be different. Let us show you how well

**WE CAN MEET YOUR NEEDS**

**BARNARD DRY GOODS STOR**

TO THE VOTERS OF COMMISSIONERS, PRECINCT NO. 2 OF GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS:

I take this means of stating to you that I am in the race for County Commissioner for this precinct, subject to the Democratic Primary.

Will say that I am forty years old, have lived in Gray county twenty-two years and in Precinct No. 2 since 1909.

I have at all times tried to be a respectable law-abiding citizen in every respect.

I believe the office of County Commissioner is one of the most important in the county, which involves the expenditure and handling of the county funds. I believe these funds should be guarded and expended in just as careful and efficient a manner as I would my own personal funds.

I believe that the road and bridge fund of this precinct should be expended upon our roads in a fair and impartial manner, also that all duties pertaining to this office should be accorded the same careful consideration

that I would my own personal affairs. I invite a thorough investigation, not only as a citizen, but as to my ability to fill the office, and after so doing if you decide that I am the man for the place, I will greatly appreciate your vote and your support.

Yours Resp., JOHN TURCOTTE.

The Home Service club met with Mrs. A. B. McAfee with Mrs. C. C. Parnell as hostess. The president called the house to order and all answered roll call with "What I know about the better homes in America campaign." The subject of the afternoon was Better Homes. After the usual routine of business the election of our delegate to the seventh district meeting of the T. F. W. C. at Childress came up. Mrs. C. V. Davis was elected delegate and Mrs. Chas. Tally alternate. There was not a full attendance on account of so much illness. At a late hour the meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. Chas. Tally April 27th. The report of the delegate will be read, and a full attendance is requested.

# A NEW STRAW HAT FOR EVERY MAN

**Pick Your Style**  
**--We Do the Rest**

With head comfort a matter of paramount interest these days, you best answer and satisfy it by coming here to select a new Straw Hat. From the many styles we show, you pick the one you prefer. We will fit you correctly and comfortably.



## FROCKS

*For Afternoon and Evening Wear*

Delightfully Different, these new summer Frocks, for afternoon and evening wear. Touches of color here and there, a chic bit of hand work, exceptional good-making and the best materials, all combine to make these Dresses much above the ordinary value at the prices we have them marked.

## Shoes For Children

*Sturdy and Smart*

Why sacrifice appearance in children's Shoes when it is not necessary? Our children's Footwear combines sturdy service with smart appearance--and at reasonable prices.



Throughout this store the customers will find high grade lines of Merchandise reasonably priced, with courteous, efficient, well-trained salespeople to assist the customer in making their purchases.

**We Give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps**

**J. E. Murlee & Co.**  
*Outfitters to the Whole Family*