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## ROADS DELAY OIL ACTIVITIES FIRE PREVENTION WEEK OCT. 3rd TO 9th

### STATISTICS SHOW THAT THERE IS A FIRE SOMEWHERE IN THE U. S. EVERY MINUTE OF THE DAY

Beginning Sunday Oct. 3 to Oct. 9 is national fire-prevention week. This week has been set aside to educate the people of the United States of the immense loss each year by fire, and to urge the public to use every means of safety so as to prevent destructive fires.

If the annual fire loss of the United States were represented by dollar bills, placed end to end, they would form a string 64,900 miles long, which would more than twice encircle the globe and stretch from New York to San Francisco four times.

### Building Permits Reach A Total Of \$146,000 In 23 Days

Building permits issued by the city from Sept. 1 to 23 inclusive total \$146,070. The permits vary to the cost of building from \$30 to \$40,000. Seventeen of the permits call for buildings to cost \$2500 or more.

The building permits issued for the first 23 days of this month exceed the total of the August permits by \$16,670. Most of the buildings for which the permits were issued are under construction.

**Mayor for Semi-Weekly**  
"I am glad to see The News making plans to start a semi-weekly newspaper," said Mayor F. P. Reid. "The people of Pampa and Gray County will appreciate the added service."

The members of the board of equalization of the Pampa Independent School District are busy nowadays adjusting the valuation of property. The members of this board are L. C. McMurtry, T. H. Lane and M. K. Browne.

Dr. L. C. Young of Lexington, Ky., arrived in Pampa last week in time to witness the Young and Osborne Holmes well No. 1 come in. This is the third oil well drilled in this field in which Dr. Young has been interested in. He was among the pioneer oil promoters when the first wells west of here were drilled.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hobart returned from Corpus Christi last week where Mr. Hobart attended a meeting of the executive committee of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association.

Mrs. Alex Schneider and Mr. and Mrs. Walberg attended the fair in Amarillo last Friday.

**EXPRESSION TEACHER.** I now have my studio at Mrs. Sroop's residence, across from the high school. Anyone interested phone 63. Ask for Mrs. Olys Hazelton.  
(21-17c)

### Make October Good Month; Let Printers Ink Aid

Make October a record month in your business. Times are good; Pampa has lots of people and you should get your share of the business. Quality job printing has been the policy of The News for nearly 25 years. You should place your order at once to get the forms you need to handle your October business. Few small city newspapers have the circulation and real interest of the Pampa News. News "Printers Ink" will help to make money for you.

### NEW TYPE RECEIVED AS PART OF NEWS EXPANSION PROGRAM

Part of the new type ordered by the Pampa News in the recently announced expansion program arrived this week. Within a few more days, all the type ordered is expected to be on hand.

The new type will enable The News to give still better service in the job department and also for newspaper advertising. The highest quality of type was ordered, and it should be of service to customers of The News for many years.

Scarcely a week passes without something additional arriving for The News. The News has already a well-equipped newspaper, but the additional equipment will make it still better.

Arrival of the new linotype in a short time is expected to usher in a new era of service by The News to this community. The linotype was shipped by water from Brooklyn, N. Y., to Galveston, and from there it will come by rail.

The growth of The News in recent months has been most encouraging to the owners. The owners consider it a pleasure to increase their investment in the Pampa News, knowing that it will enable publication of a better newspaper and the giving of the best job work service possible.

The linotype and other equipment will enable The News to become a semi-weekly newspaper and be in position to expand still further when local conditions warrant.

**Episcopalians Hold Services**  
The Rev. Hall Pierce of Amarillo who held services here Sunday under the auspices of the Episcopalians, returned home Sunday night. Due to the weather the services were held in the high school auditorium instead of in one of the school cottages as previously announced.

**R. H. Joyce Here Enroute To K. C.**  
R. H. Joyce arrived in Pampa Sunday enroute from his cattle ranch in New Mexico to Kansas City. He is shipping several carloads of cattle to the Kansas City market. He reports that he found the roads dry until he reached a point between Texline and Dalhart, but that from there on he found plenty of mud.

### TRANSPORTATION OF MATERIALS IS HELD UP TEMPORARILY HERE; SEVERAL WELLS MAKE SHOWINGS

Work in the Gray county oil field has been badly crippled for the past few days. The oil field road south of Pampa has been in such a condition that it has been practically impossible to transport material and equipment. As soon as the road conditions will permit the work is expected to resume as before. Many of the oil men have been spending their necessitated vacation in Pampa, while a few made short visits in nearby towns.

The Gulf No. 4 Worley Reynolds well came in Saturday for 20 barrels an hour natural flow. This is expected to rate among the best wells of Gray county when it is properly brought in, according to reports. The Gulf No. 3 Worley is making a light showing of oil but it shut down on account of weather conditions. The company's Worley No. 5 is drilling at 2,710 feet. Gas was encountered at about 2,682 feet. All of these wells are in section 83, block 3, Gray county.

The Gulf Production Company's No. 1 Holmes is drilling at 2,745 feet. Its McConnel No. 1 is running six and five-eighths inch casing at 3,072. These wells are in section 87, block 3, Gray county. A new location was made the latter part of last week in section 115, block B-2, Gray county. J. L. Duncan and George E. Matt of the Rock Island Townsite company announced the completion of a drilling contract. The test well will be drilled in the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter.

Several wells in the Gray county  
(Continued on Page 8)

### Jurymen Excused For Week Because Of Road Condition

The grand jury and the petit jury were both excused for the week, according to a message received here Wednesday morning from Judge Reese Ewing. Court will convene Monday morning if the roads are in a passable condition by that time.

Sheriff Graves and his deputies have arrested thirty men during the week. One under arrest is charged with the theft of a six-shooter, one with short-changing, and one is charged with adultery. The others arrested were charged with being drunk and for gambling.

**Demonstration Club Meets**  
The Bell Demonstration Club met Friday, Sept. 10 at the Warminski home. All of the members except one were present.

Miss Seelbach, the county home demonstration agent, gave instructions on making caps, aprons and bungalow aprons. Two caps, three bungalow aprons and two aprons were made by the members of the club at the meeting.

The next meeting of the club will be held in the near future at the Skibanski home.

**New Pipe Line Laid**  
The Magnolia Oil Co. is taking the oil from the Roxan Bryan well No. 1. A four-inch pipe line is being laid from the well to the main line which is two miles west. The pipe will join at a booster station in block 4, section 94, Carson County.

Mayor F. P. Reid and his wife returned from Amarillo last Friday where they attended the fair for several days. The mayor reports "a big crowd and lots of fun."

Mrs. Lee Cady and Mrs. J. T. Crenshaw have returned to Pampa from Tulsa, Okla., where they have been visiting for several weeks.

### Subscribe Now Can Save Money On Subscriptions

Many new and old subscriptions were received by The News during September. Totals have not been made, but it seems that September was the greatest month in subscriptions received since the present management took over The News last March.

The News will soon be a semi-weekly and the subscription rates will be raised 50 cents a year. You can take the paper at the present rate if you subscribe at once. All have received simple notices and subscriptions now waiting they should renew at once so that there will be no possibility of their papers being stopped for failure to remit promptly.

"The Thrill of a Lifetime"—Reaching the pavement after riding over the Pampa-Amarillo Highway



The above cartoon was drawn by Gordon "Boots" Rogers in memory of a ride over the road. He is now enrolled in the Academy of Fine Arts in Chicago.

# The Sandman Story

Martha Martin

## INDIAN PIPE FLOWERS

"CHILDREN love us," said one of the members of the Indian Pipe family to Fairy Ybab.

Fairy Ybab had gone out into the woods to practice some new music which she was going to teach to the members of the Fairies' orchestra. She had been singing the tunes to herself as she made them up, trying them



Stopped to speak to the G.oup of Indian Pipes.

over and over again to see where she could make improvements. Then she had stopped to speak to the group of Indian Pipes which she had seen.

"Yes," the Indian Pipe continued, "we are so different, so unusual, and children like us and they like our interesting name."

"We are fond of the family name ourselves. It's a nice name for a group of plants, we think. It has always been the family name, too. We have lived in these woods many years. And when I say that, you know, I mean our family has lived here. Oh, yes, my great-great-grandmother and grandfather used to see Indians coming quietly through the woods. Oh, how quietly they could walk, scarcely rustling the leaves as they moved along."

"We children have been told of all

that. And such excitement as there used to be in those old days. Such excitement! You see, we're all brave plants or flowers, or whatever you would call us. Oh, yes! We don't hang onto each other. We don't cling as vines do. Vines haven't half the strength of character we have, though vines have their own sweet, lovely ways.

"I don't want to say anything against vines. Vines are so good about giving shade and they make porches so pretty, and they do a great deal to aid in making the world lovelier than ever. Anything or any number of things doing that should never be criticized. But you see how we are! We're different, that's all."

"We are all solitary, single, alone. Each one of us flowers is by itself. You know how some flowers are clustered together—many little flowers in one group. But each of us has just one flower, standing all by itself."

"You see, too, how we haven't even any leaves with which to shield ourselves. You can always tell us when you see us, for we are so unlike any other plants or ferns. Usually a number of us make our home around a certain part of the woods. We dearly love the woods, and in the woods you should look if you want to find us."

"Yes, each one is by itself. Each one has its own stem, and each one has just one white flower hanging over its stem."

"Many other flowers grow together on a single stem—lots of them to one stem. And we're all white! You'll find no green leaves about us, nor any green or brown stem. Our flowers have little black spots about them, and when the bud of a flower is closed it looks dark at the top. We're brittle, something like some kinds of candy, easy to break off."

"But we're not good to eat. I suppose people thought we looked like an Indian's pipe and so that was why we were named his name. We do look something like a white pipe, it is true."

"Of course we're white, and Indians are always called red men. But if we were just like Indians we wouldn't be called anything else but Indians. We're flowers with many of the same ways as those thrilling red men. And we look like pipes. Oh, we're very proud of the family name!"

## H. S. Football Team To Meet Shamrock Oct. 8

The Pampa high school football team will play its opening game of the season Oct. 8 with the Shamrock team at Shamrock. New uniforms for the Pampa team have been ordered and will probably be here before the first game is played.

The first home game will be played against the Panhandle high school team here Oct. 15. Coach Verde Dickey is holding workouts almost every afternoon and expects to have his team in trim by Oct. 8.

## HIGH SCHOOL BREEZES

Due to unusual conditions at the school this week the pupils have not been able to write for the school column. Miss Whitey, head of the English department, who will supervise the writing, expects to have the classes organized by next week so that some time may be devoted to the column.

## The Senior Frolic

The Senior Class of 1927 gave a picnic, on Friday, September 17. The class met at the school house, and from there went to LeFors. The members of the class were present and entertained several visitors. Mrs. C. P. Buckler was the mother sponsor and chaperon for the occasion.



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F. A. TIPPEN, Pastor.

H. F. Wilcox and G. A. Dye, president and vice-president of the Wilcox Oil Co., are expected to arrive in Pampa today or tomorrow.

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## Several Hundred Pupils Are Kept From School Here

Several hundred pupils have been unable to attend the Pampa schools during the week because of the bad condition of the roads. The busses were unable to travel over the rural routes Monday and Tuesday. Many of the children were sent home from school because of the cold weather. This has been remedied now, according to R. C. Campbell, superintendent of the Pampa schools. Eighteen new gas heaters have been installed in the school buildings, which is believed to be sufficient to supply heat during the coldest weather.

The following superintendents were appointed as managers of the athletics for all the schools in the Panhandle at a meeting in Amarillo Saturday, Sept. 12: R. A. Burgess of Childress, B. F. Williams of Panhandle, Sept. Miles of Memphis, Sept. Dillabee of Hereford and R. C. Campbell of Pampa. These men will investigate any question that might come up in regard to the school athletics.

**Electrical Current Off Monday**  
 The city was without electrical current from 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon until 5:30 o'clock at night. Water which found its way into the fuel oil was at the source of the trouble. Business houses and residences took an air of bygone days and the candle held a prominent place until the current permitted a better light.

**Wife Met With Mrs. Tippin**  
 Circle number four met at the home of Mrs. J. F. Tippin Wednesday afternoon. Devotion was led by Mrs. Tippin. Mission study of the royal service was made at the meeting. Seven members and one visitor were present.

**Many Water Meters Now**  
 Phillip Kildine, who is in the wholesale sand and concrete business in White Deer, was in Pampa Monday. He says that he expects to establish an office here in the near future.

Mr. Herbert Hoover gave out all ways so busy with more important matters, he might make a visit to the president of the United States.



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appointed in a certain deed of trust,  
recorded in volume 12, on page  
412, records of real estate mortgages  
of Gray County, Texas, executed and  
delivered to me on the first day of  
January A. D. 1923, by A. B. Renner  
for better securing the pay-  
ment of one certain promissory note,  
for Eleven Hundred dollars, (\$1100.-  
00), and more fully described in said  
deed of trust, executed by the said  
A. B. Renner, and payable to the  
order of A. M. Renner at the First  
State Bank of Miami, Texas, due  
on the First day of October, A. D.  
1924, bearing eight per cent inter-  
est per annum, from date until  
paid, interest due and payable an-  
nually as it accrues, and providing  
for the payment of ten per cent  
additional on the principal and inter-  
est, if default is made in the  
payment of said note at maturity,  
and it is placed in the hands of an  
attorney for collection, as collec-  
tion fees. And also provides that  
all past due interest if not paid,  
shall draw eight per cent interest  
per annum. Said note given for  
money advanced to pay part of pur-  
chase price, for the following de-  
scribed tract of land, viz: All of  
the West half of Section 67, Block  
A. 6, of the H. & G. N. R. R. Co.  
surveys in Gray County, Texas, con-  
taining 320 acres of land.

And, whereas, the said A. M.  
Renner is the holder and owner of  
said note, and the said A. B. Renner  
has made default in the pay-  
ment of said note, and the same is  
now past due and unpaid, principal,  
interest and attorney's fees, by rea-  
son thereof and as provided for in  
said note and in said deed of trust,  
the said A. M. Renner, has declared  
said note and all of said indebted-  
ness immediately due, and has  
notified the said A. B. Renner; and  
whereas, said note is long past due  
and unpaid now aggregating, prin-  
cipal, interest and attorney's fees,  
Sixteen Hundred Fourteen and 82,  
100 dollars, (\$1,614.82.)

And, whereas, I have been re-  
quested by the said A. M. Renner,  
to enforce said trust, I will offer  
for sale, between the legal hours  
thereof, to wit: between the hours  
of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock  
p. m., at public auction, to the  
highest bidder, on the First Tues-  
day in October A. D. 1928, the  
same being the fifth day of said  
month, at the courthouse door in  
the town of Le Fors, in Gray Coun-  
ty, Texas, the following described  
property, to wit: All of the West  
one-half of Section No. Sixty-sev-  
en (67) in Block A6, of the Hous-  
ton & Great Northern Railroad  
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acres of land, more or less situated  
in Gray County, Texas, with all  
rights, members and appur-  
tenances thereto in anywise belong-  
ing.

Witness my hand this 1st day of  
September, A. D. 1928.  
H. E. BAIRD,  
Trustee.

Arraigned for drunkenness, Frank  
Norton of New York said to the  
Judge: "As one gentleman to an-  
other, I promise never to touch an-  
other drop."

### C. of C. To Meet Next Week

The meeting of the Chamber of  
Commerce which was set for Tues-  
day was not held. A meeting will  
be held sometime next week, accord-  
ing to M. A. Turner, secretary.

### SHE TELLS THE STORY OF MANY OTHERS

Dr. W. C. Rountree,  
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Dear Doctor—About 8 years ago I  
was taken with a bad case of stomach  
trouble. I got better in Winter and  
worse in Spring and Summer. I suf-  
fered untold agonies, took many kinds  
of medicine and found no relief. Af-  
ter four years I broke out with some-  
thing that looked like sun burn. At  
first it appeared on my hands, later  
on my face and neck. My mouth got  
sore, feet burned and swelled until I  
could hardly walk. My heart beat too  
fast and I had a hurting in my chest.  
Some one sent you my name and you  
sent me one of your little books and  
Questionaire, but I did not order your  
treatment at first. I waited thinking  
I would get better, but instead I got  
worse. Finally I got so bad that I  
could not walk 20 steps without rest-  
ing. I ordered your Pellagra treat-  
ment and on the 9th day of July 1926  
I began taking it. I soon saw that it  
was helping me and by the time I had  
taken one treatment the rash and  
many of the other symptoms had dis-  
appeared. I have taken four treat-  
ments and am entirely relieved of all  
symptoms of Pellagra. I appreciate  
the honesty and kindness with which  
you have dealt with me, for I have  
found everything that you told me  
about the treatment to be just like  
you said. I want to ask all who have  
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Everywhere you hear arguments over parking limits while you find just parking at all is the limit.

What will you do with your old straw lid? Run it through the meat grinder and use it for breakfast food.

Perhaps the auto accessory thieves go on the assumption that since the air in the tires is free, the tires are also.

Five schoolhouses burn every day of the year. Think this over the next time some one says fire safe schools cost too much.

One of America's few world championships of which it does not boast is that of being the "world's worst loser from fire losses.

Appropriately enough, a monument is proposed to be erected on the French coast, in honor of an American girl of German parentage, who swam the English Channel.

A French chief declares that music furnishes the inspiration for his most appetizing dishes. A jazz band should inspire a wonderful new brand of hash.

A Paris court has ruled that a wife has no right to open her husband's letters. Unfortunately, our wife is not within that court's jurisdiction.

Signs along the road reading, "Everybody loses when timber burns," meet the motorist's eye everywhere when driving through the state of Michigan.

Ashes ought to be cheap in Constantinople. Since it was founded in 330 A. D., it has been destroyed by fire twenty times. During one period of nine years the destruction included 80,000 houses. Fire prevention is an old problem.

**AN EDUCATION**

A skimmed education is a handicap in life, and it may be a sentence to failure for Pampa boys.

There are different degrees of education, of course. Some young men and women might spend the greater part of their lives in schools of higher learning and still be little better equipped to fill the niche in life for which they are fitted.

Considerable time and money may be wasted in an effort to inject higher education into individuals whose capacities and inclinations forbid it.

But it is an inescapable fact that every child should have a common school education. It is universally essential to equip boys and girls for the highly competitive fields which they will enter in mature years.

These things well worth remembering as the school year opens. Especially should parents not permit adolescent minds to be weaned away from school by the romance of business or the desire to have more spending money. Youth is liable to go up blind alleys. Adults of experience should give counsel and use their influence to keep boys and girls in school.

Pampa teachers, too, can be of great value in holding young people in school when the lure of the outside world threatens to draw them away. They can give valuable advice, and often it carries more weight than that coming from parents.

The responsibility is great upon both Pampa parents and teachers to use their greatest influence to keep boys and girls at their studies after

they pass the age where the law says they are at liberty to enter some gainful occupation.

**FIRE PREVENTION AIDS**

Science has contributed enormously to the advancement of fire prevention. How many millions of dollars have been saved by the instrumentalities perfected in the fields of mechanical and chemical engineering it would be impossible to circulate, but every day there are examples of such saving. In the last twenty-five years tremendous strides have been made, particularly in this country, in fire protection.

Fire-resistant construction and the development of non-combustible and slow burning materials have produced a great and effective check on fire destruction. Legislation which has barred the shingle roof, established regulations on construction and empowered the authorities

to eradicate fire traps and unnecessary hazards has accomplished much. Water systems and fire fighting apparatus have been improved and the human element—the professional fireman—has become a highly trained individual operating under the direction of experts.

Seventy-five years ago the first alarm telegraph was invented and in 1852 was installed in the city of Boston. This was the instrument originated by Dr. W. F. Channing and Prof. Moses G. Farmer. Electromagnets and the striking mechanism of an old clock formed the secrets of their invention. A glance somewhat further backward affords an interesting disclosure of the first automatic sprinkler. This was invented in 1728 (almost two hundred years ago) by Ambrose Godfrey, an Englishman. His sprinkler consisted of a keg or cask containing water or some other fire extinguishing liquid. In the cask was a pewter receptacle

containing gun powder. From the powder container extended a number of fuses, so placed that a fire in the surroundings would ignite them. The fuses in turn ignited the powder which exploded, spreading the water all about. This was the forerunner of the elaborate yet simple systems that today protect

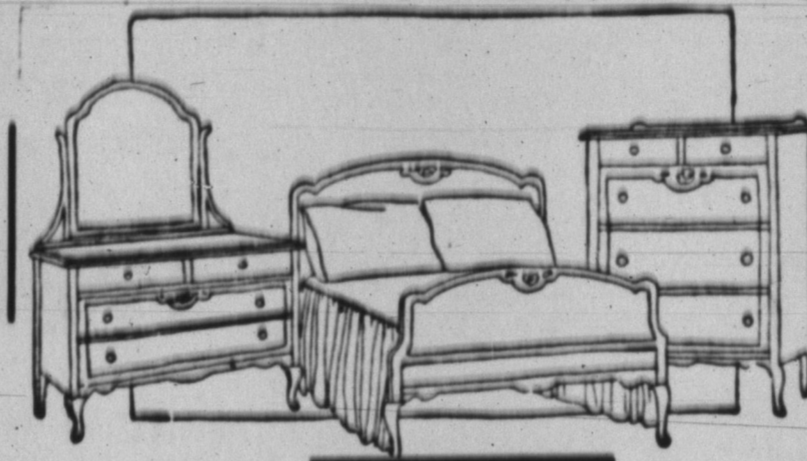
stores, shops and factories. The extent of the public and private investment in fire protection apparatus and the tremendous overhead required to maintain and make it is an ever present and practical argument for fire prevention measures and the necessity of practicing them every day.

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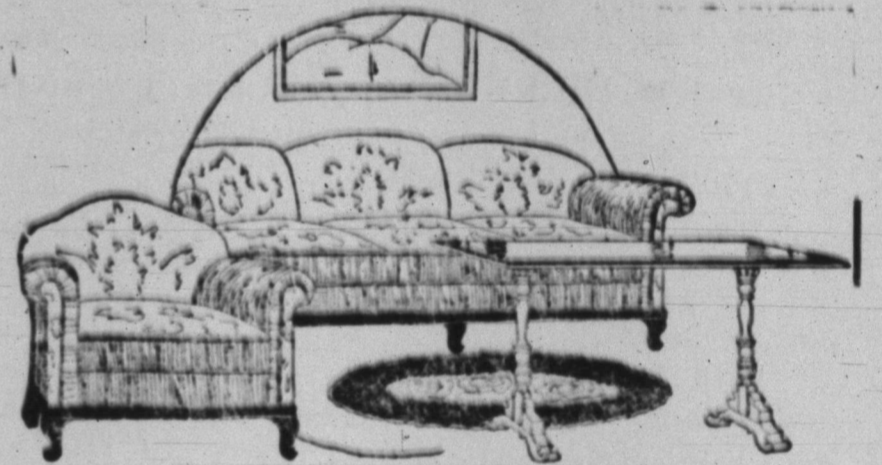


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Bedroom Furnishings are often difficult to select, because you have a certain design in mind and cannot find just what you are looking for. We have just received a car load of furniture and we welcome you to see our display. If we do not have just what you want, we can get it quickly.

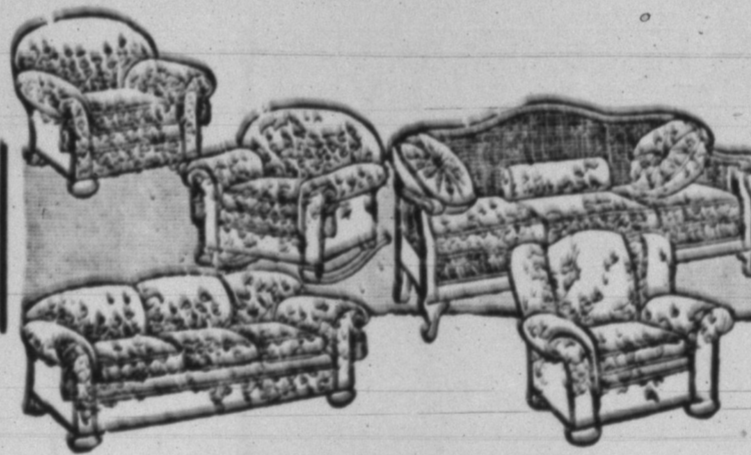
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It is a real pleasure to come here Furniture Shopping. The collection of Furniture we have provided for your approval comprises a choice that it is difficult to surpass, even at much higher prices than we are asking.



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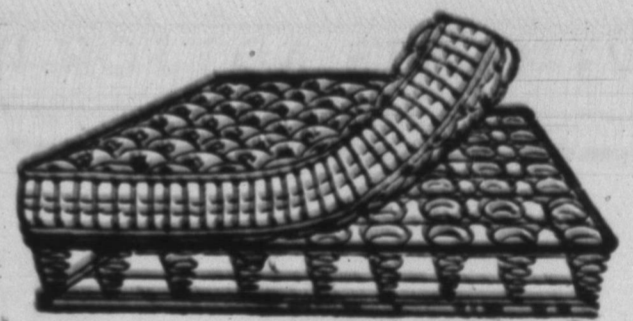
You may select from our showing of exceptionally attractive designs in Living Room Furniture, a single set or a complete set, just as you wish. Prices are unusually low, quality considered.



**CAR LOAD of Simmons  
Bed Springs**

Your best protection against the creeping attack of fatigue is deep, wholesome sleep. Get rid of your sagging bedspring which curves the spine and dulls the nerves. Learn the new pleasure of sleeping on "Simmons Bedsprings," the bedspring luxurious.

You'll notice the difference the first night you sleep on this bedspring. It supports the whole body in gentle, soothing balance. You wake up genuinely refreshed.



**GAS HEATERS**

**MORE HEAT—LESS GAS—NO ORDOR**

Cool nights, bad colds and sickness because you have not prepared yourself with the proper means of protection.

Gas Heaters take away that worry. They add comfort to the home. They give you more heat with less cost. And with their permanent finish they add beauty to the home.

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**Furniture & Undertaking Co.**



# FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

October 3 to October 9  
 Learn How to Prevent Fires

Fire is a preventable thing, yet through careless neglect of the most simple things, the loss by fire runs into millions of dollars each year.

Our part toward reducing this loss--a tax upon every pocketbook in the Land--is to do our share toward elimination of fire hazards.

What we practice this week in the way of fire prevention should be our standard for each week in the year. We can reduce the fire loss in this community by one-half if we exercise care.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK  
 G. C. MALONE  
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 GORDON STORES CO.  
 Pampa's Bargain Center

**Cary Sluder Dies At Home Thursday**

Mrs. Cary Sluder died at 10:30 Thursday morning at her home fifteen miles southwest of Pampa. Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Foote of the Baptist church at White Deer at 10 o'clock Friday morning.

The body was taken overland by G. C. Malone, funeral director, to Plainview for burial.

Mrs. Sluder was born Sept. 6, 1894 in Ohio. She was married to J. E. Sluder. Besides her husband she is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Burns.

Ladies' hair cutting the way you want it by Miss Viola Atwood. Phone 234. Mitchell's—The Ladies' Store.

**SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT**  
By F. A. WALKER

**ACTS OF KINDNESS**

HELPING the weak over rough places, being patient with the dullards, encouraging the despondent, aiding the poor and needy, placing flowers by the bedside of the ill and smiling as you go down the path of life, are little acts of kindness which brighten the niche of world in which you live, and go a long way toward making happiness.

A kindly look understood often sets sad hearts to singing and praising. A few well-chosen and softly spoken words become luminous when the days are dark and dreary.

Each soul knows more than can be uttered; each craves sympathy and affection though outwardly it may show no sign of its hunger.

Smile upon a time-worn man or woman and see the joyous light flash in the sunken eyes and an answering smile quiver on the thin lips.

You have touched the right key and the music of love thrills each hapless being. The sweetness in the smile may last for many days, lighten sorrows and smooth cares long after you have forgotten the kindness that cost nothing to bestow, save the thought that prompted it.

And there is another side to this in the fact that you are preaching the gospel of friendship more touchingly and eloquently than the pulpit, getting closer to hearts and stirring deeper emotions.

A grain of friendship is often all that is needed to keep nations from war. The progeny of a grain of wheat feeds the whole world.

The basis of human happiness lies in little things, in little acts of kindness, whether spoken or understood.

Such acts have a language of their own requiring no interpreter other than the glance of an eye or the curve of a lip.

But how many of us use this divine language as we elbow our way through the crowded streets and in the market places in quest of gold, unmindful of the starving thousands around us?

Let but the thought arise, who would not stop to do a little act of kindness in the season of life's when great organs throb and glad songs burst into songs of praise which reverberate from pole to pole and wing their way to the sky?

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**WHEN I WAS TWENTY-ONE**  
BY JOSEPH KAYE

At 21—Raymond B. Fosdick Was Without Even the Traditional Cent in His Pocket.

"MY POSITION in life at the age of twenty-one was nebulous, I was just out of college, with a B. A. and an M. A. to my credit and not one cent in my pocket.

"My ambition was to be a lawyer, not so much for the sake of law as an end in itself, but in order to use law in the service of certain social and economic developments in which I was, and am, greatly interested.—Raymond B. Fosdick."

TODAY—Mr. Fosdick is one of the best-known private citizens in America. He is a lawyer by profession, but, as he says, he has aimed to utilize law mostly as a means to further social and other communal work.

During the war, Mr. Fosdick was the representative of the War department in France, civilian aide to General Pershing and undersecretary general to the League of Nations. Before this he was chairman of the training-camp activities of the army and navy.

One of the social subjects which Mr. Fosdick has studied at length is the police system, on which he is an authority, and he is a trustee of the Rockefeller Foundation.

As early as at twenty-five years of age Mr. Fosdick already occupied a high position. He was assistant corporation counsel of the city of New York, and two years later he was made commissioner of accounts of New York, a most important post, carrying with it the power of investigation of all city departments.

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**NOTICE TO PATRONS!**

All pupils who were seven years of age on or before the first day of September 1926, and all pupils who were under fifteen years of age on the first day of September 1926, will be expected to attend school for six continuous months beginning Monday, Sept. 27, 1926. This applies to all the aforesaid pupils who live within the bounds of the Pampa Independent School District, and you are subject to the penalties of the law should you fail to send such pupils. The school board will appoint a truant officer to enforce the above.

Signed:  
PAMPA SCHOOL BOARD,  
R. C. Campbell, Supt.  
(27-2tc)

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meers were visitors in Amarillo last week for the Tri-State Fair. They returned a few days previously from a visit to Wichita, Kans.

**LOW-COST TRANSPORTATION**

**Star Cars**

**MORE POWER**

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

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JESS FLETCHER, Representative

A school teacher with a room full of kids asking foolish questions knows how a candidate for congress feels.

New Cloaks, new dresses, new hats, new tom boy skirts. Phone 234. Mitchell's—The Ladies' Store.

Bradford Drug Store To Open  
The Bradford Drug store will open sometime next week, according to J. P. Bradford who is opening the business. He will have an entire new stock as well as new fixtures.

**News Wants Ads Get Result**



**CABINET WORK**

Screens and Frame Done to Order. Work Guaranteed

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**Safe or Sorry**

THERE are no cut prices to health. The best is none too good. So, when you buy cheap plumbing fixtures, and think you are saving money, you are not. You are losing money. And what's worse, you are making your home a breeder of disease.

The only kind of plumbing worth having is the best. Anything else is dead loss.

When you buy "Seconds," "Damaged," "Defective" plumbing goods, you buy trouble, sickness, death.

A crack in a home for disease germs. A leaky pipe leaks away health.

Buy only quality plumbing—quality fixtures, quality materials, quality workmanship—the kind that is guaranteed.

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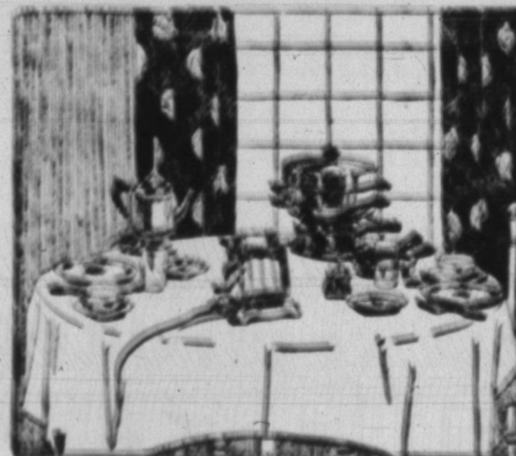
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Save Work---

**Cook With Electricity**



Just think of the convenience which cooking with electricity permits you to enjoy. Many meals may be prepared right at the table, saving countless steps each day.

**Ironing Ease**

An Electric Iron introduces into ironing an ease of performance it is difficult to imagine, yet so easy and economical to experience. Phone us for a test demonstration.



**Southwestern PUBLIC SERVICE Company**

**SCHOOL DAYS**



**Dr. Nicholas Opens Office**  
 Dr. W. F. Nicholas, formerly of Houston has opened a dental office in the Smith building. He has new dental equipment valued at \$5,000. His wife has opened the Georgette Beauty Shoppe in the H. and K. drug store.  
 Dr. Nicholas is an ex-service man, having spent a year and a half over seas with the 89th division. He is now an officer in the M. O. R. C. at the Fitzsimons Hospital, Denver, Colo. He has purchased property in Pampa.

**Urges Increased Service**  
 "The News should make a success with a semi-weekly", declared J. M. Smith, former owner of The News. "I believe that the people of Pampa and surrounding territory will support The News because of the increased service which will be given."  
**Attend Tri-State Fair**  
 Mayor and Mrs. F. P. Reid were among the visitors at the Tri-State Fair last week. Mayor Reid in former years has had a leading part in preparing the Gray county exhibit.

New and complete line of Jewelry. Quality Jewelry Store.  
**FOR SALE OR RENT**  
 Concrete mixer, engines, air compressors, pumps, saw rigs, paint sprays.  
**UNIVERSAL SUPPLY & MACHINE CO.**  
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 List your city property with me. I have calls for residence property, large tracts of land and exchanges for farms.  
 Good connections with oil firms and real estate dealers over the United States.  
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**FULLER BARNETT**  
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**FERGUSON CASH GROCERY**  
**Now Open For Business**  
 With full line of Fancy and Staple Groceries, Cured Meats and Mens Work Clothes.  
 —Prices Right—New Goods  
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**A. & C. Mercantile Company**  
 FANCY AND STAPLE GROCERIES  
 FRESH AND CURED MEATS  
 VEGETABLES IN SEASON  
**SPECIALS FOR Saturday and Monday**  
 Pure Cane Sugar, 100-lb. sack ..... \$7.15  
 Star Brand Coffee, very good, per pound ..... 47c  
 Armour's Pork and Beans, large cans ..... 10c  
 Pampa Bread, Pullman Loafs, 2 for ..... 25c  
 K. C. Baking Powder, 50-oz. can ..... 45c  
**HAMS—HAMS—HAMS!!!**  
 Special Picnic Hams, small size per pound .... 21c  
 We have just received a lot of ladies full fashion Chiffon Hose, regular price \$2.25, our PRICE \$1.95  
 Trade here and save the difference  
**SERVICE IS OUR MOTTO**  
 Remember the address, 216 Cuyler Street

**Snappie Stuff**  
 Arrested for cursing her husband in public, Mrs. Mabel Corth of St. Louis pleaded justification on the ground that he had punched her on the nose.  
 George Avery of Chicago wanted Robert Smith and wife arrested for "cannibalism", claiming that they had threatened to "eat him up."  
 Theodore Warburton, now a leading English baritone, practiced singing while wielding a blacksmith's hammer.

**District Court Postponed**  
 District court which was scheduled to convene at LeFors Monday morning was postponed until Wednesday. The date was changed due to the condition of the roads, according to C. P. Buckler who is on the grand jury.  
 Automobile thefts are reported on the increase. Why not? More desirable automobiles are being made.  
 A knocker is supposed to be an instrument to be used in case you haven't a door bell.

Dr. J. C. Gaithe of Davenport, Ia., set the broken legs of a pigeon at the request of a child, and the bird has recovered.  
 Victor Righini, a St. Louis waiter, was arrested for stealing a diamond which was found hidden under his tongue.  
 Mrs. Rose Cooke of St. Paul, seeking a divorce, testified that her husband only spoke to her on Christmas.  
 Mrs. Elvira Stone of Lemont, Ill., aged 80, escaped from a burning residence by climbing over a steep roof.  
 James Sewyer, a blind man of Bath, Eng., was awarded a medal for rescuing a woman from a burning building.  
 William Decker of Fond du Lac, Wis., was arrested for strutting tacks in the driveway of a former sweetheart's home after she had spurned his love.  
 In a campaign against kisses on the screen, Japanese censors have cut about 800,000 yards of film in the past three years.  
 George Bowyer of Desplains, Ill., wrecked Arthur Millars' radio set which disturbed his Sunday nap, and was arrested.  
 Sidney Carliss, a Chicago taxi-driver, was fined \$200 for kissing Mrs. Florence Rieth, a passenger in his cab.  
 At the request of Mrs. Elizabeth James, who died at Swansea, Wales, all the letters she had preserved during her lifetime were placed in her coffin when she was buried.  
 Miss Emily Fickett, 17, of Northampton, Eng., won a suit to compel her father to consent to her marriage.  
 Miss Nellie Cook, a farmer's daughter, won the contest for the most beautiful ankles at Folkestone, Eng.  
 A British peer of Birmingham paid an actress \$25,000 to call off a bunch of promise suit against his son.  
 Krishnamurti's claim to the title was somewhat strengthened by the fact that New York and Chicago did not take him seriously.  
 The Holy Land has marriage insurance. A good idea, but in this country the rate would be excessive.  
 If, as modern religion teaches, there is no hell, a lot of good breath has been wasted in fancied profanity.



**Charming Silk and Wool Frocks**  
**In a Special Selling**  
**\$5.95 - \$9.95 - Up**

Just received and of unusual smartness and individuality, they present an opportunity to purchase the latest thing in frocks at sale prices. The models sketched suggest the variety of the styles, which are matched by the excellence of the materials and workmanship. Many of the frocks are copies of expensive Parisian models.

We urge an early visit, for values of such extraordinary merit are certain of a large patronage

**Special sale of Ladies New Hats**  
 Balcony Floor

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



**ROADS DELAY OIL ACTIVITIES**

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field that are expected to come in soon, and some that have come in but have not yet been shot, are expected to make good showings. Work, however, has been delayed by weather conditions or these wells would have probably been completed by now.

The Young and Osborne Holmes No. 1 was flowing by heads when drilling ceased in order to run the casing. Its depth is 3165 feet. This well is located in the northeast quarter of section 106, and is a little less than three miles from the city limits of Pampa on the south. The predictions are that this well will make a good producer. It enlarges the Gray county field in a direction most favorable to Pampa.

The rapid increase in the pipe line building and kindred construction has opened employment for several thousand workmen in the Panhandle. Men are being sought by the various companies, and with a winter anything like last winter, there promises to be plenty of work for the entire winter. Prominent oil men say that the call of the cotton fields has kept a great many Texans from employment in the oil fields, and the natural result will be to obtain workmen from other states. Some workmen are being sought in practically all of the oil field trades, according to officials of various companies.

The estimated production of the Magnolia No. 9, Merten, located in section 82, block 3, Gray county, is reported to be holding at a good mark. This well is reported to have been drilled through nineteen feet of granite wash to a total depth of 3022 feet.

The McMann-Phoebe Worley No. 1 swabbed 400 barrels the first of the week, and is expected to stay in the gusher line.

Three important wells of the Pampa field have set eight-inch casings and are standardizing. These wells are Prairie No. 2, Shamrock No. 3 and Atlantic No. 5. All are located in the northwest quarter of section 83. They are north of the original Shamrock well which is still producing 1000 barrels a day.

F. E. Percival of Lawton, Okla., arrived in Pampa last week. He is here looking after his business interests of this community.

**SOCIETY NOTES**

**Entertains With Dinner At New Masters Home**

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Masters entertained with a dinner Sunday Sept. 19, at their new home in east Pampa. The honor guests were Mr. and Mrs. Edd Lytle of Los Angeles, Calif.

The other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Homes and children, Callie and Rufus; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Homes and sons, Roy, Ray, and Russell; Mrs. Bert Holmes and daughter, Clue; Mrs. Huss McKay; Mrs. J. C. McKay; Mr. and Mrs. Elgie Masters and son, C. W.; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Anderson; Mr. Hupp; and Mr. and Mrs. P. I. Crum and children, Fern, Ruth, Ollie and Roy of Panhandle.

**Miss Theima Glass Bride of H. B. Lively**

H. B. Lively was married to Miss Theima Glass in Wheeler on Thursday of last week. The marriage ceremony was read by the Rev. Mann of the Methodist church at Wheeler.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Glass of Shamrock. Mr. Lively is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Lively of Shamrock. The couple will make their home in Pampa where Mr. Lively will continue the managership of the Hayter Brothers' Furnishings Store.

We shall always have a crime in our midst until we begin to impose higher fines upon murders.

Mrs. Edith Cockrell of Woodward, Okla., has been elected to teach one of the fourth grades in the Pampa school.

W. D. Jordan of the Jordan and Brown Ranch stayed overnight in Pampa last Thursday night enroute to his ranch. He had been in Amarillo several days on business.

J. Sid O'Keefe and W. R. Arnold of Panhandle spent last Thursday in Pampa.

Roy Moore has moved into his new modern six-room home one mile south of town.

Juan Modesto of Havana shot off the ear of a girl who had jilted him.

**BOYS AND GIRLS**

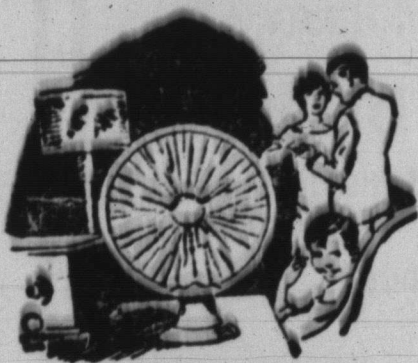
Raymond Duyer, 9-year-old boy of Mansfield, Pa., snagged a train with a handkerchief and averted a wreck, when he saw three trees which had been blown down across the track.

Elizabeth Austin, 12-year-old daughter of Mrs. Anne Austin, a brilliant newspaper woman of New York, is one of the remarkable child prodigies of this generation. Little Elizabeth has an intelligence quotient of 214, a world's record, and she will enter college this fall.

Hugo Marchetti, a young violinist of Frontenac, Kan., 14 years old, refuses to imitate the girls by wearing a boyish bob, so he has let his hair grow almost to his waist.

Moses Finklestein, 14, is a senior at Syracuse University, in addition to which he is taking a course in advanced psychology at Columbia University.

**News Wants Ads Get Result**



**ALL THE FAMILY ENJOYS A RADIO**

Educational features and classical music for the parents—jazz for the teens and bedtime stories for the kiddies. Better get yours now—one of those guaranteed receivers we offer.

**SETS \$37.50 AND UP**

**RADIO NEWS STAND 175 West Foster**

**Our Store Policy**  
**This Is A Chain Store Co-operation**

We do co-operative buying—Buy for the lowest Cash Price and **SELL FOR CASH ONLY**. Our merchandise cost us less and our operating costs are lower under this plan of merchandising, enabling us to serve the people more economically.

This Store will be a good place to trade—A Store for all the People.

Good Service — Quality Merchandise — And Right Prices Always.

We have come to Pampa to Stay, we believe in the future of your fair city and shall help in the development of a greater city.

Our Store will be open for business soon after October 1st, with a Brand New Stock of Dry Good, Ready-to-wear, Shoes, Clothing and Furnishings.

**Watch For Our Opening Date**  
**Come In and Lets Get Acquainted**



**Sharp Building, Next To Rogers Cafe**

**Don't Get the Idea this is in Amarillo, It's Right Here In Pampa!"**



**"JEMCO SERVICE" IS THE KIND YOU GET REAL RESULTS.**

- Q Whether it is a real cold and rainy day or the darkest late hour of night—we are at our place of business, eyes wide open, and on the indicator, ready to serve our patrons. Many such times we have responded to the call of our customers only to repair some small fishing tool that perhaps meant thousands of dollars and again we have lost twenty and thirty minutes changing pipe machine dies to thread only one drilling nipple that your work may go on, thus avoiding a costly delay etc.
- Q This "JEMCO SERVICE" is what the organization is justly proud to boast of and does not cost in excess of anything else which is good and reliable.

**Jones=Everett Machine Co.**  
**PAMPA, TEXAS**



**Notice To Bridge Contractors**  
Sealed proposals addressed to T. M. Wolfe, County Judge, LeFors, Texas, will be received by the Commissioners Court of Gray County, Texas, until 12 o'clock noon, October 1, 1926, for the erection of a steel bridge on Trout Creek at the crossing of the Pampa and LeFors public road in Precinct No. 2.  
Plans and specifications may be seen for examination, and information may be obtained at the office of A. H. Doucette, County Engineer, Pampa, Texas.  
A certified check for \$25,000 payable to the order of T. M. Wolfe, County Judge, must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into contract and make bond in accordance with requirements of the specifications. The right is re-

served to reject any and all proposals.  
T. M. WOLFE, County Judge, LeFors, Texas. (27-46)  
In Denver a man recently claimed to be Napoleon, but a clever reporter quickly proved that he was an impostor.  
The fellow who said "truth is stranger than fiction" referred only to the fiction that had been written up to that time.  
A health writer avers that "a perfect hase is a wonderfully constructed hinge." A good many have noticed that of late.  
One-sixth of the American farmer's net income goes toward replacing fire losses on the farm.

**City Councilmen Discuss Problem Of Finance Here**  
The question of finance occupied most of the time at a meeting of the city council Monday afternoon. At the present time money is needed to care for current expenditures and to operate until the 1926 taxes are collected in January.  
The taxes for this year will by no means be in proportion with the rapid advance of the city. The actual valuation of property here cannot be assessed until next year, which means that the revenue collected on the actual valuation will not be payable until January of 1928. The city has already borrowed \$7000, but can borrow no more from the same source until the present debt is paid.  
C. R. Woolsey of the H. C. Burt and Co., which deals in investment securities, met with the council and discussed the matter of buying or issuing warrants for the present \$7000 debt. If this were done, the city could borrow another \$7000. No definite steps were taken. Mr. Woolsey is going to meet with the council next Monday and will go over the city books.  
The present outstanding bills and estimates on the amount that will be required to operate until January will be presented at the meeting next Monday. It is expected that definite action will be taken in regard to the financial condition of the city.  
The Santa Fe Railway Co., has asked that the city close the crossing where Gillispie Avenue intersects the railroad. No action was taken, but a committee composed of Neil McCullough, Dave Pope and J. E. Murree, was appointed to investigate the situation. They will report at the meeting next Monday, at which time the council expects to take definite action on the matter.  
Geometrically and politically speaking, a fling is a crooked affair that has no ending.  
Princess Alexandrine Cantacuzene of Rumania is Europe's leading club-woman, being president of more organizations than any other woman on the continent.

**Survey of Pampa for Rotary Club to Be Made Soon**  
A survey of Pampa for a Rotary Club will be made in a short time. That was the information given here last week when Will C. Edwards of Denton, district governor, talked to Pampa friends when he was on a trip through the Panhandle.  
H. C. Pipkin, past president of the Amarillo Club, has been appointed special representative to supervise the survey of Pampa.  
Many former Rotarians have moved to Pampa, and it is believed that they could form the nucleus for a Rotary Club, Mr. Edwards said.

**O. W. Ferguson Buys Cloud Home Here**  
O. W. Ferguson who will manage the Diamond "C" store here, has purchased the residence known as the Cloud home located north of the high school building. He will get possession of his new home Oct. 1, and his family will move here at once.  
His son, Kenneth, will be employed at the Diamond "C" store. His daughter, Kathryn, will enter the Pampa high school as soon as she arrives here.  
"I am going to make Pampa my permanent home," said Mrs. Ferguson. "The future outlook for this community is certainly good."

**Fifty-two Room Hotel Is Under Construction**  
The foundation for a fifty-two room hotel was started here Wednesday morning. The new structure will be a two-story frame building and is located at the intersection of Barnes St., and the north and south highway leading to the oil field south of Pampa.  
E. L. Allen of Dallas is having the hotel building constructed. He expects to have it completed within thirty days. It is in the Wilcox Edition, a short distance from the oil well being drilled on that edition. The well is drilling at 615 feet and has just passed the quick sand.  
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**CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Some questions asked concerning the Christ in the provincialism of His home town will be discussed Sunday morning at the 11:00 o'clock service. In the discussion of these questions they will be considered also in the cosmopolitan spirit of the day. Every member of the church and friend not attending some other church in the city is urged to hear this discussion Sunday morning. The evening service begins at 7:30 o'clock. We want to make these evening services evangelistic. With the morning service one of the instruction and the evening service evangelistic the minister is able to carry out the full program of the church as taught and exemplified by the Christ. Come and bring a friend with you. A welcome awaits you at the Christian Church.  
The Bible School of the church meets promptly at 10 a. m. Promotion day will be observed in the departments from the beginners to the intermediates. Parents should be made to realize the added responsibility of parenthood as the passing from one department into another reminds us of the passing from one period of life into another in the life of the boys and girls. The Bible School is a vital and important factor of the church and should be supported loyally by all. Come and help in the best way you can Sunday.  
JAMES TODD, Jr., Minister.

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**FOR SALE**—Coal range cook stoves at bargain prices, \$5.00 to \$35.00. All in good condition. G. C. Malone Furniture and Undertaking Co. 3-tfc

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**FOR RENT**—2-two room houses, furnished for light housekeeping, also one nice bed room, half mile west on Borger road. See Mrs. M. J. Cary. 27-1tp

**FOR RENT**—Garage for small car. See Mrs. C. W. Stowell, second house East Christian Church. 27-1tp

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**Wanted**—Clean, Cotton Rags, Pampa News.

**WANTED**—A girl or woman to help with house work.—Mrs. Silas Faulkner. 27-1tc

**POSITION WANTED**—Bookkeeping and typing position wanted by young lady with eight years general experience. Utha Pershing, Pampa, Texas. 27-1tp

**WANTED**—At once, 1200 cotton pickers at Lorenzo, Crosby County, Texas. Best cotton on the plains. Plenty of work till January. Single hands or families. White, colored, or Mexicans. Cotton now ready to pick. Don't wait, come now. Aubrey Ashley, Secretary Chamber of Commerce, Lorenzo, Texas. 26-3tc

**WANTED**—Position by expert stenographer. Take dictation; good typist. Address K, care News. 26-2tp

**WANTED**—School girl to help with house work on Saturday. Phone 38. Mrs. L. C. McMurry. 27-4tc

**LOST AND FOUND**

**LOST**—Red-brownish bull pup with white spot on neck, had collar on. Reward if returned to Paul Crossman at Panhandle Lumber Yard at Pampa, Texas. 27-2tp

**LOST**—Brown horse, wearing elk-hide halter when lost, wire blemishes on both front feet. Notify Pampa Land Co. or T. W. Cottin, Pampa. 27-1tp

**MISCELLANEOUS**

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**NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC**  
All persons having bills against the City of Pampa are asked to present them at once so that they may be audited.  
M. A. TURNER,  
City Secretary.

People think Friday is unlucky because it comes the day before payday, and that's when you are broke.

Just received a nice line brassiers, step-ins, bloomers, chemise, etc. Phone 234. Mitchell's—The Ladies' Store.

It is said that deaf mutes can feel music. So do we, but we couldn't print just how we feel about some of it.

W. H. McCullough of Tulsa is here supervising the installation of a gasoline plant on the Wilcox lease.

Permanent waving by an expert. Call for Mrs. Johnson at Mitchell's Phone 234. The Ladies' Store.

Miss Louise Miller and Miss Dee Breeding spent the week-end in Amarillo visiting with friends there.

Young Rev. Stratton denies that we came from monkeys, but admits that we are going to the dogs.

**Too Late!**



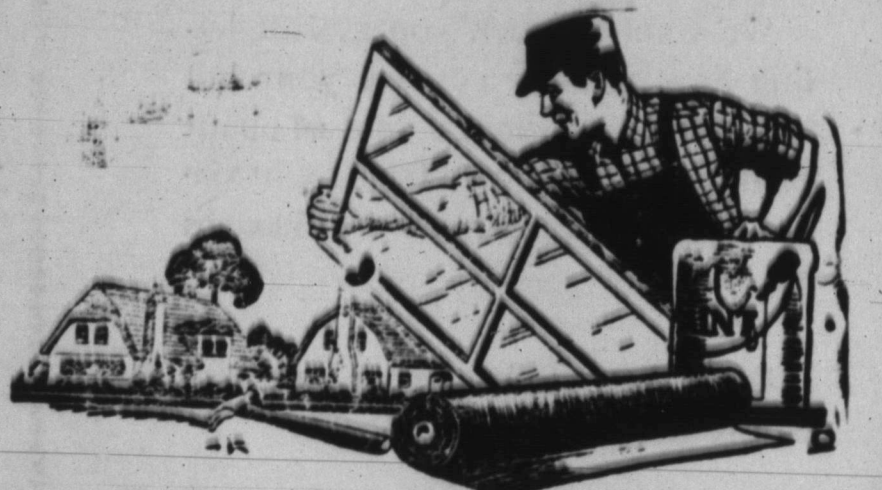
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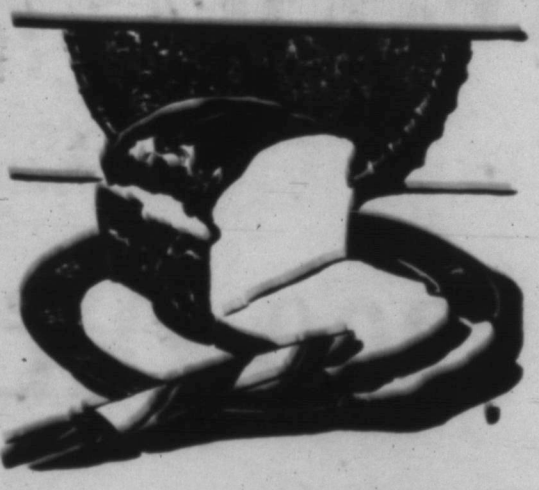


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