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BLACKSHEEP!

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It was the Van Doren that burnt itself into Archie's consciousness. It was an old name of honorable connotations, one with which he had been familiar all his life. It was chiseled in the wall of the church near the pew held for a hundred years by his own family; it was a name of dignity, associated with the best traditions of Manhattan Island; and this, presumably, was the Governor's name. Graybill was unfamiliar, and this puzzled him, for he knew and could place half a dozen Van Dorens, probably relatives in some degree of the Governor but he recalled no woman of the family who had married a Graybill.

"Regret that I must act on my promise of several weeks ago and use the address given in confidence. Encouraged to believe that the patient will recover. Suggest, however, that you come at once."

He and Congdon were at the supper table when he received the answer:

"Thank you. I am just leaving. J. V. D. G."

Archie was not permitted to enter the sick room, but from time to time he received assurance that the patient's condition was "satisfactory," and at intervals Dr. Reynolds recited with professional brevity data as to temperature, respiration and the like.

At eleven o'clock Archie saw the Heart o' Dreams launch approaching Huddleston and leaving Congdon to answer any call from the Governor's bedside, hurried to meet it.

Ruth and Isabel had crossed alone and their stress of mind and heart was manifest before they landed.

"I felt it; I knew that it would come!" cried Ruth. "If only you hadn't gone there! It wasn't worth the sacrifice."

The obligation to cheer them raised his own spirits as he explained the nature of the Governor's injury while they sat on the hotel veranda. He described the fight at the barricade with reservations, mentioning not at all the fact that a man had died as the result. They understood as fully as he that the whole affair must be suffered to slip into oblivion as quickly as possible.

"The complications are so endless!" said Isabel with a sigh. "In that mass of mail you delivered last night I found a letter from Mrs. Congdon saying that she would arrive today—almost at once, in fact!"

"The prospect isn't wholly pleasing!" he exclaimed, looking at his watch. "I've played the very devil in the Congdons' affairs. I suppose I should lift my hat politely as she steps from the train and tell her that I'm the brute who attempted to make her a widow. She will of course recognize me instantly as the gentleman who escaped with her in a taxi after kidnapping of her daughter."

"And there's the train now, and you must permit me to satisfy Mrs. Congdon that her husband is in a mood for immediate reconciliation before I break the news that he is here."

Mrs. Putney Congdon more than justified the impression he had formed of her in their encounter in Central Park by the manner in which she heard his story. He told it with all brevity on the station platform.

It was so incredible that it was not until he described his journey to Huddleston in Putney's company that she was able to see any humor in the series of events that had led them all into the north.

"Poor dear Putney! And he doesn't know yet that you nearly killed him!"

"Oh there are a lot of things he doesn't know. Your father-in-law has given his solemn promise that he will not again attempt to meddle in your affairs. The umbrella that symbolized his tyranny is at the bottom of the lake and if he should die you and your children wouldn't be thrown upon charity."

"This is all too wonderful to be true," she exclaimed. "After all the misery I've endured it can't be possible that happiness is just ahead of me. Tell me everything."

"In due season you shall know all. Just now I haven't the heart to keep you from your husband, and I'm going to send him to you immediately. And as I shrink from telling a man I like so much that I tried to kill him not so long ago, I'm going to turn that agreeable business over to you!"

Archie was beset with many fears as he waited the arrival of Mrs. Graybill. His utter ignorance of

any details touching the life of his friend seemed now to rise before him like a fog which he was afraid to penetrate. And there was Ruth with her happiness hanging in the balance; she was in love with a man of whom she knew nothing; indeed the mystery that enfolded him was a part of his fascination for her, no doubt; and if in the Governor's past life there was anything that made marriage with a young woman of Ruth's fineness and sweetness hazardous, the sooner it was known the better. But when he caught a glimpse of Mrs. Graybill in the vestibule of the train his apprehensions vanished. The poise, the serenity of temper, an unquestioning acceptance of the fate that played upon her life, which he had felt at their first meeting struck him anew.

"Our patient is doing well. The news is all good," he said at once. "I felt it would be; I couldn't believe that this was the end!"

Putney and his wife had moved to Heart o' Dreams for a few days. It would be a second honeymoon, Putney said. Mrs. Graybill was introduced into the hotel without embarrassment. She won Dr. Reynolds' heart by the brevity of her questions and expressed her satisfaction with everything that had been done. When she came down to the dining-room for luncheon she avoided all reference to the sick man. In her way she was as remarkable as the Governor himself.

"I've never been in these parts before," Julia remarked to Archie. "I should be glad if you'd show me the beach. We might take a walk a little later."

The hours in which he waited for her tried his soul. The Governor was the one man who had ever roused in him a deep affection and the dread of finding that under his flippancy, his half-earnest, half-boastful make believe, he was really an irredeemable rogue, tortured him.

"I'm going to ask you to bear with me," said Mrs. Graybill when they reached the shore. "If I seem to be making this easy for myself as possible, I know that my brother cares a great deal for you. He sent me little notes now and then—he always did that, though the intervals were sometimes long; I know that he would want you to know. Things have reached a point where if he lives he will tell you himself."

"My brother is Philip Van Doren, and there were just the two of us. An unusual sympathy bound us together from childhood, and there was never a closer tie between brother and sister. I married his most intimate friend. My husband betrayed him; it was the breach of a trust in which they were jointly liable. It was not merely a theft, it was a gross, dastardly thing, without a single mitigating circumstance. My husband killed himself."

"It broke Philip's heart; it broke his spirit! It destroyed his generous faith in all men. He was a brilliant student in college and promised to go far in law; but he felt keenly the dishonor. The financial part of it he of course took care of; that was the least of it. There was always a strain of mysticism in him; and he had gone deeply into astrology and things like that; and when the dark hour came he pretended to find consolation in them. He was born under an evil star, he said, and would not free of its spell until he had passed through a period of servitude. It sounds like insanity, but it was only a grim ironic distortion of his reason. He said that if honor was so poor a thing he would seek a world that knew no honor. I dread to think how he has spent these years!"

"In one of his brief messages he spoke of a young woman who had interested him, but I never can tell when he's serious—"

Archie met the question promptly.

"A charming young girl, Ruth Hastings, whose antecedents and connections are the best. You need have no fears on that score. You shall see her very soon."

She permitted him to describe the meeting with Ruth and Isabel at Rochester, and her face betrayed relief and pleasure as he made it clear that the Governor's romance was in no way discreditable.

"It is curious, and in his own way of looking at things may be significant, that your telegram reached me on the day following the seventh anniversary of the beginning of his exile."

"He had looked forward to the seventh anniversary as marking the

end of the dark influences; he believed there would be a vast change in his affairs."

"If only he lives!" she exclaimed. "Is it possible that he can ever step back into the world he left?"

"You may be sure he has planned a return, with marriage at the very threshold."

"Then God grant that he may live!" he said fervently.

The following evening, after Dr. Mosgrove's visit had left their hopes high, Archie carried her to Heart o' Dreams. Happiness shone in the stars over the northern waters. Putney Congdon and his wife were enjoying to the full the peace that followed upon the storms of their married life.

Isabel gave Archie no opportunity to speak to her alone, and he found her aloofness dismaying. She made a candid confession to Mrs. Congdon, with Putney and Archie standing by.

"With malice aforethought I practiced my vampish arts upon these two men! And Alice, the cruellest thing you could do would be to forgive me! I couldn't bear it. I flirted with Mr. Congdon; not only that but I took advantage of his distress over his father's efforts to estrange you two to counsel him to lead a reckless, devil-may-care existence. And I tried the same thing on Mr. Bennett, only he was much more susceptible than your husband and took me more seriously. I want you, one and all, to be sure that I hate myself most cordially!"

"The end justified the mean, I think," said Mrs. Congdon.

"I found a friend I'm not going to lose as one result," said Putney. "And if the sick man across the bay recovers I hope I have another lifelong friend there."

"Oh, it's all so strange!" cried Mrs. Congdon. "One might think that we must suffer tribulation before we know what perfect happiness is! And I never expect to understand all that has happened to you men. Is it possible that you'll ever settle down again?"

"That depends—" Archie remarked, glancing meaningfully at Isabel, a glance which Mrs. Cong-

don detected and appraised with that prescience which makes every woman a match-maker.

On the eighth day Dr. Mosgrove announced that his visits were no longer necessary; he ran up to Huddleston he told Archie, for the pleasure of meeting the agreeable people he found there. The Governor was making an extraordinary recovery, and the bracing northern air would soon set him up.

Dr. Mosgrove had made a careful examination of Carey, and recommended that he be sent to a sanatorium for treatment. Perky undertook to carry him to a private institution near Chicago suggested by the doctor, and this became another of the series of strange errands that fell to the lot of Arthur B. Grover. Elphaleet Congdon had been importuning Archie to release him, but it had seemed wise to give the erratic millionaire more time in which to meditate upon his sins.

When the tug returned Archie found that the old gentleman had taken advantage of a day's parole in Chicago to do considerable shopping. In a new suit of clothes he really looked, as Perky said, like a white man; but the change in him was not merely as to his outward person. He opened a bag on deck and displayed with pride a pearl necklace he had purchased for his daughter-in-law, a handsome watch for young Edith and another for his grandson, whom Mrs. Congdon had left with a friend in the east.

Though so many visits were brightening, Archie was still troubled by Isabel's persistent refusal to see him alone, or to give him any opportunity to break down the barriers she had raised against him.

"You are running away from me," he said sternly. "And that's not fair."

"Oh this is my busiest day! You mustn't think a place like this runs automatically."

"I think nothing of the kind. But your studied efforts to escape from me are embarrassing. Ruth the Congdons, Mrs. Graybill—everybody is noticing it!"

"Certain matters are one's personal affair," she answered. "Really I must ask you to excuse me."

"I refuse to be snubbed again! You are trampling me under foot and I refuse to be stepped on any more. I wish to assure you, Miss Perry, that my love for you is not to be spurned with impunity!"

"Please be careful! Those girls over there are watching us."

"A wonderful opportunity for them to see a desperate man making love! An invaluable part of their education! They will never forget how I fell upon my knees and declared myself!"

"Oh, you wouldn't! You really wouldn't! You forget that these children are highly impression-

able!"

"So am I, and extremely sensitive. It would be fine if you'd join me in a little walk. If you refuse I shall follow you the rest of the day singing. The Governor and I had a good deal of singing in our travels and—"

As he filled his lungs as though about to burst into song she hastily turned toward the wood.

"You seem to forget that I'm miserable here while you're merely a guest! I hate to say it, but you're in serious danger of becoming a

nuisance."

"You're not resentful and hateful enough yet to frighten me away. He either fears his fate too much, Or his deserts are small, That dares not put it to the touch To gain or lose it all."

"I insist that I love you! That's the only thing that matters!"

"Except," she corrected, "your cheerful assumption that I reciprocate the feeling, when—"

"You call it an affair! Calamity would be a better term for it."

This silenced him for some time.

As she walked before him, carrying her head high, his heart ached with love for her. It would be perhaps not to urge her further to wait until the camp closed, then see her in a different environment. It might be that his slow courage from the thought.

"It has been in my mind for a day or two that May must be wonderful what's become of me. I always write to her, you know; and she imagines

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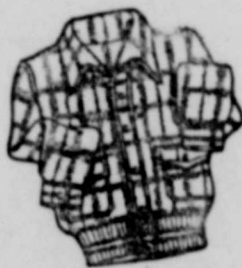
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Jesus and the Sick
Text: Mk. 1:21-45

John the Baptist having been put in prison, "Jesus went in to Galilee, preaching the gospel of the kingdom of God and saying, The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand: repent ye and believe the gospel" (vs. 14-15).

God keeps time and punctually fulfills it. Up to this point, the messenger of Nazareth in meekness, had been performing the common things of life. Now He comes forth as the Christ of God, the Light of men. His private life ended in the Jordan.

The call of Peter, Andrew, James and John is next recorded by Mark (vs. 16-20). Note in passing that Jesus always called busy, never lazy. These men were fishermen, and at the call of Jesus changed their nets for a new kind. They were all to follow Him and to prepare themselves to be "fishers of men" (vs. 17).

We read that James and John with their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired servants and went after Him" (v. 20). So should the call of Christ ever be considered superior to parental claims or even those of a prosperous business. If He calls—go. Business can never give satisfaction if His call is not heeded.

Mark opens the story of our Lord's ministry with His casting out of demons at Capernaum (vs. 21-28). On the Sabbath day, Jesus entered the Capernaum synagogue and began to teach. "They were astonished at His doctrine for He taught as one having authority and not as the scribes" (v. 22). He did not quote the Rabbis but said: "I say unto you," and He made statements that no man could make.

We never hear any real authority speaking on religious topics apart from association with Jesus and a profound belief in His word. "After they had heard of His word, they were amazed, saying, 'How does this man speak? He teaches as one who has authority, and not as the scribes'" (1 Pet. 4:11). The preacher, teacher who is willing to be the outcast of Jesus Christ will find that He has peculiar power over the hearts of men and that "they are astonished at His doctrine."

A man possessed of a demon became a man in the midst of our Lord's message in the synagogue. He began to cry out, "Let us alone; what have we to do with Thee, thou Jesus of Nazareth? Art Thou come to destroy us? I know who thou art, the Son of God" (v. 24).

This was no mere case of hallucination, a nervous disorder, a mental ailment. This man's personality was under domination of a foreign spirit. He was deprived of the normal control of his own spirit. He was mastered by a superior will. Modern psychiatrists are not so hasty as some have been to ridicule the Bible accounts of demon possession and to classify them as ordinary lunatics. There are cases in asylums known to be more than mentally deranged. They are affected by the influence of some more powerful spirit. They are a dual-personality. Illness of any kind often accompanies such cases, as is recorded in several of the New Testament stories. All the faculties become deranged. Such a case is beyond the power of medicine or any other healing system.

Nothing but the power of Jesus (or the use of His name in the power of the Holy Spirit) can deliver those in such bondage. "Jesus rebuked him saying, Hold thy peace and come out of him" (v. 25). It was the demon speaking through the man. Jesus' omnipotence in silencing the demon's testimony concerning Him, shows that it was intended for mischief in the end could accomplish nothing else.

To the amazement of all after seeing the man into convulsions, the foreign spirit departed from the man, and he stood before them in possession of his faculties. Thus the Lord's disciples learned the secret of delivering men by commanding spirits "in the name of Jesus Christ" to depart from men.

Jesus not only had a public, but a private ministry. He regarded individuals as well as multitudes. He must call true servants of His. Peter's wife's mother who "lay sick of a fever" (v. 30), was lifted up by the hand of Jesus, and at once she began to minister unto others (v. 31). A hint for all who have been blessed by Him.

That evening many "who were diseased and some who 'were possessed with demons'" (v. 32) were brought to Peter's doorstep that they might experience the deliverance of the Master. How the power must have lingered in Peter's memory—that crowd of suffering men and women in his yard—himself all going away rejoicing in the power of the Master. It should be noted that clear distinction is made between cases of demon possession and demon cases were, in every instance, treated differently from cases of sickness or lunacy.

The balance of the chapter pictures Jesus in His Galilean ministry. Mark loves to describe the ceaseless activity of Jesus, yet he notes fourteen of the Savior's retirements for prayer. He sees Him "in the morning, a great while before day," in a solitary place in prayer (v. 35). On no account would Jesus forego daily prayer, nor did He let devotions interfere with work.

These frequent withdrawals of Jesus for prayer evidently chafed the impetuous Peter. He, with others, interrupted Jesus with the words: "All men seek for thee" (v. 37). That was a lame excuse for intruding upon the Son of God. Did He not know when He was ready to leave the power-house and deal with men?

Once more the son of a king called upon Mr. Spurgeon and was told by the servant that the great preacher was at prayer, it was thought necessary to interrupt. The word went back to the caller: "Tell him I am talking with the King." No matter how many wait for us, we cannot afford to leave out of our program what Jesus would not omit from His.

A leper comes to Jesus saying, "If thou wilt, thou canst make me whole" (v. 40). Some seem to doubt His willingness who do not doubt His power. When another man came with an "if," the Savior turned the tables and placed the "if" where it belonged, upon the man's unbelief (v. 23). We cannot always say it is His purpose to heal, nor can failure to be healed be always charged unbelief. Where faith is not given, our prayer must be "Thy will, not mine, be done."

The leper was healed. Strange to note, Jesus charged him not to advertise the fact. There are several of these injunctions to silence about His miracles. The reason in this case revealed in the closing verses. It is evident that our Lord desired to check, so far as possible, the tendency to regard Him simply as a "miracle-man," a wonder-worker. This would draw great crowds of curiosity seekers, hinder His movements and blind men to the primary object of His mission, the salvation of men.

The Savior seems to have placed a different estimate upon miracles than do some today. It was no "advertising medium" to draw crowds, with Him. He did not desire crowds who were drawn by news of miracles. When the leper started "broadcasting," Jesus left town and did work in desert places.

There is something worth pondering here. Careful students have of-

ten suspected that miracles may often be a burden to the Gospel, rather than a help—at least a certain kind. They cause too many mouths to run away. Furthermore, too many are deceived by "lying wonder," against which the Scriptures have warned us in the last days. Many do not discern the fact that the world has always been full of so-called miracles, from an infernal source.

Miracles like unto those our Lord performed—miracles performed in the spirit in which He performed them—are rarely heard of today. That many are healed through the prayer of faith, there can be no doubt. Those who are so healed may well praise God, and then remember that their gratitude can best be shown by living for Christ and winning men to Him—not by parading their faith before the world (Rom. 14:22).

When it comes to some of the widely advertised healing operations today, it might be well, before starting to testify to their divine powers, to recall the story of the man who for five years sat in a wheel chair so crippled with rheumatism that he could scarcely move. His wheel chair had been taken one day to a nearby park that the cripple might enjoy the sunshine. A swarm of bees came along. The invalid jumped from the chair, ran a block to the house, and was never afflicted thereafter.

Pith and Point

"Let us alone" (v. 24). That's all sin asks of purity.

A man can be orthodox and in the bonds of iniquity at the same time (v. 24).

Jesus wants no compliments from those who are possessed of the devil (v. 34).

Some think much business excuses them from prayer; others think God is pleased with prayer in lieu of work. Christ's example answers all such trifling.

"Nothing we do can ever fail. If God directs our way; then let us seek His guidance sure. Let us should go astray" (v. 35).

It is never a question of conquering our Lord's reluctance, but always of appropriating His willingness (v. 40).

Great faith is not always obedient (v. 45). More than one immature testimony has hindered the Lord's work.

Suggestive Questions

Are the expressions "gospel of the kingdom of God" (v. 14) and the "gospel of the kingdom of heaven" (Mt. 4:17) synonymous?

What is to be preached in all the world before Christ comes? (v. 14, Mt. 24:14).

Has "this gospel" of the kingdom of heaven (or kingdom of God) evidently been preached throughout this dispensation? (Mt. 26:13).

Did this kingdom Gospel have to do with a temporal proposition of

outward pomp and glory? (Rom. 14:17).

How did the demon-possessed man get his knowledge of Jesus? (1:24-25. Cf. Jas. 2:19.)

What was the reason Jesus rebuked the healed leper not to advertise His miracle? (v. 43. Cf. v. 45.)

Golden Text Illustration

He hath done all things well; He maketh even the deaf to hear, and the dumb to speak (Mk. 7:37).

The writer once owned a French clock which became out of order. For many months it remained useless because no clock-maker could be found who understood its mechanism. One day he met a man who had been in the clock factories of France and understood the workings of these complicated clocks. Quickly he put the timepiece in order. So it is with the spirit disordered by sin and Satan. Not until the divine Maker, Jesus Christ, comes and repairs men, can they be capable of that for which they were originally made.

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me in the Rockies. There must be a stack of mail waiting for me at Banff, I must wire and have it forwarded."

"You needn't necessarily give up the trip."

She turned her head to dodge an overhanging bough and he caught a glimpse of her face; she was crying; and new and world-shaking emotions were stirred in him by the sight of her tear-wet cheek.

"Do you know," he said, "when we talk about clearing up things I'd forgotten about that buried treasure. I think it would be a mistake for me to leave without exhausting all the possibilities of finding your grandfather's buried gold. I wonder if poor Carey knew any more about it than you do!"

"I'm sure he didn't. There are holes here and there in these woods that he dug in his search. 'Why she exclaimed, stopping short and glancing about thoughtfully, 'that's strange.'"

"We're lost, I hope!"

"Not lost; but there was a fork in the trail and I must have made the wrong turn. I don't remember that I ever saw that fallen tree before."

"That old fellow must have made a mighty crash when he went down. I'm sure that I never came this way before."

"Here's an old scar," said Archie "where some one must have blazed the tree years and years ago. It's the mark of an ax or hatchet. And look! Three other big trees bear the same mark. They define a square and must have been made for some purpose!"

Discussion of the markings brought them immediately into ac-

cord. Isabel was perplexed to find herself in a spot she had never visited before though she had spent the previous summer on the land planning the camp and thought she knew every foot of it. She peered into the pit torn by the roots of the huge tree. The sunlight glinted brightly upon something that lay half hidden in the earth.

"Oh, how wonderful!" she cried and placed a gold piece in his hand. They knelt together, tearing up the weeds and loosening the earth.

It was Archie who quickly found a second coin, a ten-dollar gold piece stamped 1859. With a stick he dug into the hole and soon they had made a little heap of bright coins, laughing like children with each discovery. A deeper probe resulted in the unearthing of a splintered cedar plank evidently torn from a chest that had contained the money.

"Of all the astonishing things that ever happened this is the most utterly paralyzing!" exclaimed Archie jubilantly.

Using the board as a spade he scooped out a capful of coins—gold American, English and French, which the Southerner had buried in the northern wilderness.

"It won't do to leave this place unprotected, and we must stop or we'll have more than we can carry. We must bring Putney back to help. It's my guess that there's a chest of money at the foot of each of these blazed trees."

"And pretty good hiding places, too, where the gold might have remained forever if—"

"If you hadn't been hating me so that you lost your way!"

They stood with the heap of gold between them, the bewilderment of discovery in their eyes.

"This is the end of the rainbow and the gold lies at our feet!" he said; and he took her hands, and the one still wearing the bandage he held very, very gently. "Love we know to be better than much fine gold; and wouldn't it be a pity for the finding of these coins to mark the very end with nothing beyond? And life is so big and wonderful I want your help to make mine of some use."

She looked at him long and searchingly, and her eyes were so grave, their questioning seemed so interminable, that he did not know until she spoke that her lips had trembled into a smile.

"If you can forgive me," she said; and she laid her hands upon his shoulders lightly as though by their touch she were investing him with her hope in life renewed and strengthened, and giving pledge

that they would walk together thereafter to the end of their days. In the loveliest of Colorado's valleys you may, if you exercise your eyes intelligently note three houses in the Spanish style, with roads that link them together as though publishing the fact that the owners of the surrounding ranches are bound by the closest and dearest ties. As an adjunct of his residence Putney Congdon maintains a machine shop where he finds ample time for experiment. The Archibald Bennetts are learning all there is to know about fruit culture; and they are so happy that they are in danger of forgetting the existence of cities. Farthest of the three homes from the railroad, and where the hills begin, Philip and Ruth Van Doren chose their abode. And you may see them any day that you care to penetrate to their broad pastures, riding together, viewing with contemplative eyes the distant peaks or the cattle that are the Governor's

delight, a link, he says, between the present and the olden times when the world was young. And often at night, when they are not with the Congdons or the Bennetts, they ride for hours in silence, so great is their happiness, so perfect their understanding, so deep their confidence in the stars.

Mr. Clyde Lane and Buck Garrison of Perryton, spent Monday with friends. Miss Effie Phillips, of Perryton is spending the week with Miss Aileen Hamker. Mr. and Mrs. Banks Ranson and daughter, of Perryton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Ranson Sunday.—Lipscomb Items in Follett Limelight.

Miss Cleo Tennison and Mr. Cecil Brown were united in marriage by Judge J. M. Grigsby on December 28th.

Hy-Grade Premium School Supplies at The Herald office.

Seven days
without food makes
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Eveready PRESTONE—the perfect anti-freeze—mixes with water, raising the boiling point instead of lowering it, and when mixed in a ratio of one part of Prestone to two parts of water, will not freeze at twenty below zero. Ask us about it!

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NOTICE!

WE WILL finish moving by the last of the week and will be located in the building formerly occupied by the Wilson-Sherman Motor Company, previously known as the Forbes Garage, where we will be permanently located.

We are arranging and adding new facilities with the view of greatly improving our service to automobile owners in Perryton and vicinity and when final improvements are made we will be in a position to offer a service second to none.

During the three years we have been in Perryton, we have enjoyed a very nice business indeed and with this enlargement and improvement of service facilities, we feel that we will be able not only to hold this patronage but to merit a greater patronage than has been ours to enjoy in the past.

With this announcement, therefore, we wish to thank each and all of our customers for their past and future business.

Johnson Motor Co.

PERRYTON, TEXAS

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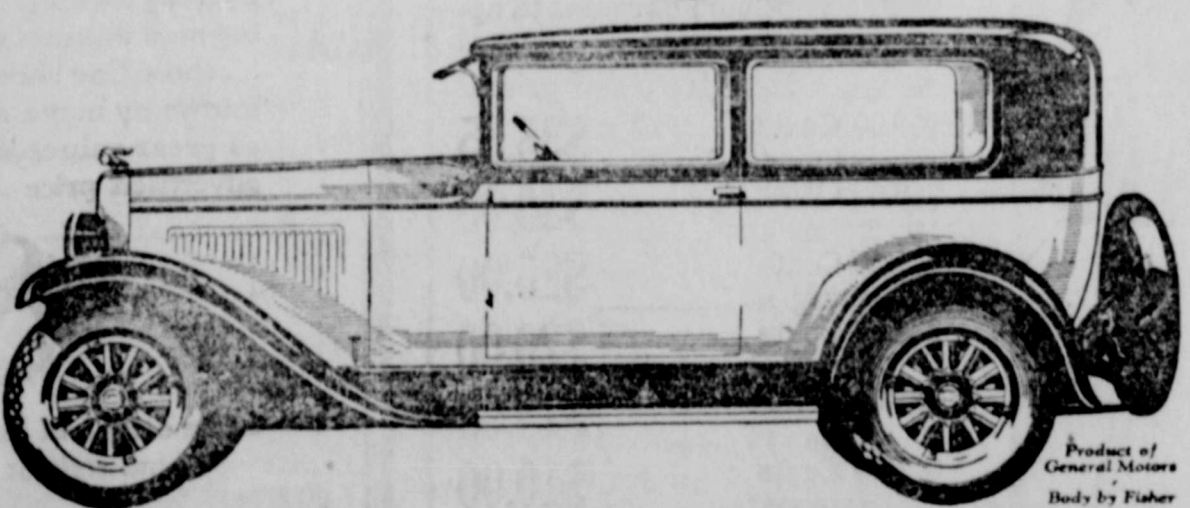
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Announcing the New Series

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EVEN the impressive array of new features given heretofore cannot convey the extent to which the New Series Pontiac Six surpasses all previous attainments in the field of low-priced sixes. After enjoying a spectacularly successful career, Pontiac Six now bids for even greater success with a car greater in every way.

Emphasizing the importance of this announcement are two entirely new and additional body types: the Four-door Sedan and the Sport Landau Sedan, a close-coupled, swagger creation, exemplifying the highest art of Fisher closed body craftsmanship. Come in and see this history-making line of Sixes, available in six body types.

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\$745
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SPORT ROADSTER
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4-DOOR SEDAN
SPORT LANDAU SEDAN

Read This Partial List of Added Features

New Fisher Bodies
New Fenders
New Four-Wheel Brakes
New GMR Cylinder Head
New Fuel Pump
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New Carburetor

New Manifolds and Muffler
New and Greater Power
New Cross-Flow Radiator
New Thermostat
New Water Pump
New Wheel

New Instrument Panel
New Coincidental Lock
New Dash Gasoline Gauge
New Step-Light
New Clutch
New Steering Gear
New Frame
New Axles

DONLEY MOTOR COMPANY

PERRYTON MERCANTILE

GREATEST AFTER CHRISTMAS SALE STARTS FRIDAY, JANUARY 6th

DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT

This section of our big store has not been slighted in this great price slashing event. Everything goes at reduced prices. Just cast your eye over these few items. They are just a sample of the many opportunities to save real money by buying your dry goods during this sales of sales.

Turkish Towels, 18x40.....	2 for 45c
Crash Toweling, good quality, per yard.....	12c
Crash Toweling, a better quality, per yard.....	16c
Satin Crepes, all colors, \$2.75 to \$3.00 values per yard.....	\$1.89
All Wool Dress Materials on sale at 1/2 PRICE! Big Discount on Sheetings, Pillow Tubings and Muslins.....	
Dark Outings, 36 in. width, per yard.....	18c
Voile Curtains, all colors, per pair.....	\$1.98

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING

\$10.50 Children's Coats on sale for.....	\$7.00
\$6.75 Coats go for.....	\$4.50
\$9.00 Coats for.....	\$6.00
\$7.50 Coats cut down to.....	\$5.00
1 Lot Children's Sweaters at ONE-HALF PRICE	
1 Lot Children's Gingham Dresses.....	75c to \$1.25
Children's Bloomers, all sizes.....	50c
Children's Gloves.....	18c and 35c per pair
Dr. Denton's Sleepers for children at 20% OFF	
Little Boy's Dress Suits, beautiful flannel and tweed materials at.....	1-3 OFF
Children's Outing Gowns, \$1.00 value for.....	75c
Children's Underwear, \$1.00 value for.....	80c
Children's Underwear, 75c value for.....	60c
Children's Underwear, 65c value for.....	52c

THE HOLIDAYS are over and our inventory is taken, showing us that we are heavily over-stocked on many items in our big store, and rather than carry these over longer, we are passing you this great After Christmas money-saving event in appreciation for your valued patronage during the past year. Lack of space prohibits us from listing but a few of the hundreds of real bargains which are being displayed on our counters and shelves. But to realize fully on this offering means that you must act at once! Such prices as we are making will move this high quality merchandise mighty fast. Don't delay! Get in on these values now! You'll regret if you don't!

DRESSES HOSIERY GLOVES

Everything cut to the very lowest price. Hundreds of bargains in every department which space will not permit us to list. Come and see the stupendous array of low prices and high quality that we have assembled for your approval. To see is to buy!

Ladies Gingham House Dresses at.....	75c to \$2.40
1 Lot of Ladies Hose, a wonderful value at.....	50c
1 Lot of Rayon and Silk Ribbed Hose for.....	55c
Ladies Gloves, excellent suede materials, \$1.25 value for.....	89c
1 Lot Silk Rayon Bloomers for.....	\$2.00

LADIES CREPE and WOOL DRESSES

In this department of our ready-to-wear section will be found many dresses that have to go at less than cost. The latest styles, the newest colors and the best materials. We must reduce our stock—look these prices over:

\$30.00 Dresses going at.....	\$16.75
\$16.50 Dresses cut to.....	\$9.75

LADIES WINTER COATS

Never before in the history of the southwest has there been offered such wonderful values in Ladies fine winter coats. Our prices were low to start the season. Now they are cut to bed rock. You will just have to see these exceptional bargains to appreciate the sacrifice that we are making. Here are a few prices:

\$50.00 Coats going at.....	\$33.35
\$45.00 Coats going at.....	\$30.00
\$37.50 Coats going at.....	\$25.00
\$30.00 Coats going at.....	\$20.00
\$27.00 Coats going at.....	\$18.00
\$15.00 Coats going at.....	\$10.00



Watch Our Remnant Tables! Bargain Tables in All Departments. Merchandise Purchased During This Sale Will Be Exchanged But No Cash Will Be Refunded!

LUMBER-JACKS-SWEATERS

Our great After Christmas Sale is the event you have been waiting for. Now is the time to buy that lumber jack or sweater that you have been wanting. We are over-stocked and we have cut our price to the bottom. They must sell. Come and get 'em.

Men's \$4.50 Shaker Knit Sweaters, cut to.....	\$2.25
Men's \$5.50 Quality Sweaters, on sale at.....	\$3.25
Men's \$7.50 All-Wool Sweaters go at.....	\$3.25
Men's and Young Men's fancy pull-over, button fronts, coat style and novelty fasteners, silk and wool, jazz colors, regular values, on sale for.....	\$4.00
Boys' Sweaters, a \$3.50 value for.....	\$2.25
Men's all Wool Lumber-Jacks, were \$6.00, now.....	\$4.00
Men's Cotton Jersey Lumber-Jacks, \$2.25 seller cut to.....	\$1.25
Men's Wool Lumber-Jacks, were \$5.00, going at.....	\$3.25
Men's genuine Buck Skin Lumber-Jacks, elastic bottoms, two pockets, buttoned sleeves, were \$5.50, an exceptional value for.....	\$4.00
Boys' Lumber-Jacks, age 8 to 14, all wool, \$3.50 value for.....	\$2.25
Boys' All Wool Lumber-Jacks, age 8 to 14, were \$4.50, going at.....	\$3.25



On FLORSHEIM SHOES

Now, for a short time, we're offering most unusual values. Florsheims... those fine shoes that every man knows by name and by reputation as great values at the nationally advertised price..... now on sale

at \$8.85

Come early and be fitted in your size and style at this saving.

Everything in our Florsheim stock of shoes and Oxfords offered in this sweeping After Christmas sale

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**Eight
Selling
Days**

MEN'S AND BOY'S OVERCOATS

This great After Christmas Sale is the chance of a lifetime for the man or boy who needs a new overcoat. Buy now and save money. You can get a coat during this sale and put it away until next fall. Look at these phenomenal bargains.

Boys' Overcoats, \$12.50 values cut to \$9.85
Boys' Overcoats, \$8.25 sellers for \$6.60
Boys' Overcoats, \$9.75 value on sale for \$6.75
Men's Overcoats, were \$15.75 go at \$12.00
Men's Overcoats, \$20.00 value, cut to \$15.00
Men's Overcoats, were \$14.00, slashed to \$10.95
Enormous reductions on every overcoat in our big stock. They must go!

AND SHEEP LINED COATS

Wool Coats, Sheep Lined Coats and Vests are included in the sale. We have all sizes and styles and the prices are right. We defy these quotations and quality of offerings.

Wool Coats, were \$13.50, now \$9.85
Wool Coats, cut to \$7.35
Wool Coats, regular \$5.25 sellers, on sale for \$3.35
Wool Coats with beaver collars, were \$8.50, now \$5.75
Wool Coats, 36 in. length, full belt, a regular \$10.00 value cut to \$7.35
Wool Coats, 42 in. length, full belt, leather lined, were \$11.50, now \$8.65
Wool Coats, black, wool blanket lined, 26 in. length, a \$11.25 value for \$7.35
Wool Coats, full belted, wool blanket lined, 32 in. length, a \$12.95 value for \$9.75
Wool Coats, wool blanket lined, 30 in. length, two pockets, a \$12.50 value for \$9.75

SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!

Bargains galore will be found in our shoe department. We believe we are safe in stating that we carry the biggest stock of shoes for Men, Women and Children that will be found in this part of the country. We cannot list the many money saving values that we have for you.

Men's Mahogany Dress Lace Boots, mostly small sizes, 17 in. tops, regular \$10.00 value for \$5.00
Men's 14 in. Smoked Elk Lace Boots, a \$6.00 seller for \$4.95
Boy's Lace Boots, sizes 3 to 5½, were \$5.50, now on sale for \$4.45
1 Big Lot Ladies Dress Shoes, all sizes, colors and styles, a splendid value, your choice for \$3.45
1 Lot Ladies Shoes, mostly satins, an exception value at \$1.95
1 Lot Children's Shoes and Oxfords, sizes up to 2, your choice for \$1.95
1 Lot Boy's Shoes, sizes 13 to 6, Tan Elk with composition soles, values \$2.50 to \$3.00, on sale for \$1.95-\$2.35
Ladies Felt House Slippers, your choice for 79c

GO!

*we must
clear the decks!*



MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS AT ONE-HALF

Off

How can we do it? Well, we are just losing money on this lot of fine Men's, Young Men's and Boy's Suits. They have got to move. Our inventory showed that we were overstocked. We've got to cut loose. Our loss is your gain. New snappy styles and best of materials made by Westchester and Owens-Schneider. They all go at one-half price in the After Christmas Sale.

\$32.50 Suits for	\$16.25	\$20.00 Suits for	\$10.00
\$30.00 Suits for	\$15.00	\$15.00 Suits for	\$7.50
\$22.50 Suits for	\$11.25	\$10.00 Suits for	\$5.00

Men's and Boy's Caps—Hats—Shirts

Our entire stock of Men's and Boy's Hats and Caps, with the exception of Stetson Hats, are put on the bargain counter in this great money saving sale. Look at these:

1 Lot Men's Dress Caps, values up to \$2.50, your choice	\$1.00	\$1.35 Men's Winter Caps for	85c
1 Lot Men's Dress Hats, regular \$5.00 sellers, your choice	\$2.95	\$1.75 Men's Winter Caps for	\$1.20
\$1.25 Men's Winter Caps for	85c	\$2.00 Men's Winter Caps for	\$1.60

Shirts! Yes, we have them in all sizes, colors, materials and styles. You can find anything that you want in our large and complete stock. How about these for value?

Men's and Boy's part wool and all wool shirts, regular \$2.25 to \$5.50 values, they all go at big reductions		1 Lot Men's Dress Shirts, all patterns and materials, collars attached and neck band styles, plain and French cuffs, values up to \$2.75, your choice in this sale for	\$1.79
1 Lot Men's and Boy's wool shirts, \$3.50 to \$5.00 values, all sizes at	\$2.50		

FOR OUT DOOR WEAR

Space will not permit us to enumerate the many exceptional money saving values offered in this department. Here are just a few. Look them over!

Men's Bedford Cord and Corduroy Norfolk Jackets with breeches to match, were \$12.50 per suit, now on sale at \$9.50
1 Lot Men's Corduroy, Moleskin, Canvas and Duck Coats, values up to \$6.00, for \$1.95
1 Lot Men's Hunting Coats, full canvas, sizes 38 to 44, a \$4.50 value for \$3.50
1 Lot Men's Leather Sheep Lined Coats, loud color combinations, regular \$10.00 to \$15.00 sellers, they all go at \$5.00
Men's Corduroy Breeches, button or loose leg, at 29% DISCOUNT
Men's Khaki, Moleskin and Duck Work Pants at 10% DISCOUNT

**EIGHT
SELLING
DAYS**

DAY NIGHT, January 14th

CASH---No Green Stamps During Sale!

FULTON ITEMS

(Too late for last week.)
Mr. and Mrs. Luther Browder and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Freeman drove to Fowler, Kansas last Friday for a visit with relatives.
Frank Gift and son, Jesse, returned Thursday from a visit at Wichita, Kansas.
Miss Freda Kerns, who is attending college at Dodge City, Kansas, is spending her vacation in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kerns.
The school teachers of Fulton, Miss Jefferies and Mr. Adams, left Friday for their home in eastern Oklahoma.
The Christmas Tree at our school was well attended by the people of the district and surrounding communities. There were lots of presents and treats for all.
Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Ferguson and family visited their son and brother, Rufus, last week.

ALFALFA ITEMS

Chas. Jackson has a new radio in his home.
The young people are probably enjoying the extremely cold weather more than any one else as it has given them fine skating.
There was an oyster supper at Val McClanahan's, Saturday night.
Bad colds are prevalent in the community just now.
School opened Monday after a week's vacation for the holidays. Most of the children were in their places but some could not return because of sickness.
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Moore gave a turkey dinner to a few of their friends last Thursday evening. The guests were Dr. and Mrs. Johnson, Lipscomb, Mrs. Mattie Branham and Miss Fay and Fred Branham and Lawrence Callahan. Dr. and Mrs. Johnson remained over night in the Moore home.
Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Guy Widmer that their little daughter, Qubell is very little

better than when they left home.
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Handley spent the holidays with Mrs. Handley's people at Vernon.
Mr. and Mrs. Reeder and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jones and children, Corona, N. M., were visiting old friends and neighbors here last Thursday. Mrs. Reeder and Mrs. Jones were formerly Misses Mary and Sallie Bull and spent their childhood here their home being the place now owned by Dutcher Brothers.
T. V. Ellzey was in Amarillo and vicinity for several days last week on business.
Several persons from this community went to a taffy pull at Mr. Wilkerson's last week.
Jack Ellzey was an over night visitor in the Moore home, Friday.

STAR CALLS "SENORITA" HER GREATEST PICTURE

"This is the best story I have ever had. And this is the first time I have said that, too."
Thus does Bebe Daniels characterize her latest Paramount comedy-drama, "Senorita," an original screen play by John McDermott written expressly for Miss Daniels which comes Monday and Tuesday to the American theatre.
In this production Miss Daniels dons hirsute adornment on her upper lip, for in this picture the fascinating Bebe, whose femininity has been so pronounced in previous works, launches into a totally different characterization from any before attempted.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH SERVICES

Martin T. Pope, Minister
MORNING SERVICES:
Bible School Study-Subject, "Jesus and the sick."
Sermon: "The Breath of God in the Winds." Text "Come from these Slain, that They May Live" Eze. 37:9.
EVENING SERVICES:
Christian Endeavor, Topic: "What

Prayer Can Accomplish."
Sermon: "The Song Sermon" This evening service promises to be an unusually interesting one. The entire audience can take part in preaching this sermon and will surely enjoy taking an active part in the service.
ANNOUNCEMENTS:
Church night every Wednesday evening at seven-thirty. The whole church is reading the Book of Mathew's Gospel day by day with the Christian World. Remember that a "Chapter a day will keep the Tempter away."

Mrs. Jas. W. Wilson and son, Jim Andy, are visiting with Mrs. Wilson's mother, Mrs. Nichols, at Ardmore, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Audie Conley left Monday for Chillicothe, Texas, where they will visit with relatives. Mrs. Conley's grandmother, who has been visiting here for the past month, left with them to go to her home at Plano, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Conley, who have been visiting with Mrs. Conley's mother, Mrs. W. H. Lance, at Chillicothe, will accompany Mr. and Mrs. Audie Conley home.

J. H. Neufeld came in Friday from Reedley, Calif., to look after business interests. The Neufeld family are living in California this winter.

R. P. Hurn returned Monday from a Christmas visit at Mineral Wells, Fort Worth and Dallas, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Crisp visited last week end with relatives at Alva, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Allen, Gate, Okla., are visiting in the homes of E. M. Allen and P. E. Gidley.

Wm. Stringfellow returned on Wednesday of last week from a visit with relatives at Houston, Texas.

Mrs. J. J. Long who has been visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. R. Coffee, left Monday for an extended visit in the home of her son in California.

Miss Frances Barber, who is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Barber of the Wawaka country during the Christmas vacation, will return the fore part of next week to Wichita, Kansas where she is attending business college.

Miss Lois Davidson, who is teaching the Wawaka school this year returned Monday from a Christmas visit with relatives at Cisco, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Burns, teachers of the Farnsworth school returned Sunday from a Christmas visit in south Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. David Steiner, Canton, Kansas, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Pletcher, last week.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The public is hereby notified that no liability will be accepted by the undersigned on account of the burning of weeds along public highways, unless such damage shall be incurred by an authorized agent, instructed to burn weeds.
Commissioners' Court,
46-41-c Ochiltree County, Texas

PIANO TUNING-REPAIRING

See or call A. H. Townsend for piano tuning and repairing. Type-writers, adding machines, phonographs, etc., cleaned, overhauled and repaired. If it needs repairing, take it to Townsend, the "Fixit Man," located in first house east of Church of Christ. 44-tf-c

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See the
New Chevrolet
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Today, Chevrolet presents the crowning triumph of sixteen years' continuous progress—a great new automobile so impressive in appearance, performance and staunchness that it marks the opening of a new era of luxurious transportation at low cost.

Built on a 107-inch wheelbase—4 inches longer than before—the Bigger and Better Chevrolet is impressively large, low and racy. Its new Fisher Bodies are finished in new Duco colors and offer rich new upholstery and handsome appointments. Its improved valve-in-head engine has numerous impressive features such as alloy "invar strut" pistons, hydro-laminated camshaft gears, mushroom type valve tappets, AC oil filter and AC air cleaner. The chassis also has been redesigned. As a result, the new Chevrolet provides delightful smoothness throughout the entire speed range—a wide margin of power for hills—

click-of-the-heel acceleration—the ability to maintain 50, 55 and 60 miles an hour without the slightest sense of forcing or fatigue—the safety of four-wheel brakes—the steering ease that can only result from a ball bearing worm and gear steering mechanism—and comfort over all roads at all speeds due to semi-elliptic shock absorber springs—84% of the wheelbase.

Come in—see the car—and learn how Chevrolet has again electrified America by creating a bigger and better motor car and offering it at prices so low as to be actually amazing!

Every feature of advanced design demanded in the finest cars now offered in the New Chevrolet! Read this partial list.

Improved valve-in-head motor.	Safety gasoline tank at rear.	Improved Delco-Remy Distributor ignition.
New stronger frame 4" longer; wheelbase 107".	Larger balloon tires 30" x 4.50".	Combination tail and stop light.
Thermostat control cooling system.	New streamline bodies by Fisher.	Large 17" steering wheel, spark and throttle levers located at top.
New alloy "invar strut" pistons.	Alumite pressure lubrication.	Fisher "VV" one-piece windshield on closed models.
New instrument panel, indirectly lighted.	New Duco colors.	Automatic windshield wipers on closed models.
New two-port exhaust.	Theft-proof steering and ignition lock.	Semi-floating rear axle.
New ball bearing worm and gear steering.	AC oil filter.	
Semi-elliptic shock absorber springs; 84% of wheelbase.	AC air cleaner.	
	Single-plate dry disc-clutch.	
	New crankcase breathing system.	
	Heavy one-piece full-crown fenders.	
	Vacuum tank fuel supply.	

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The Touring - \$495	COACH	The Imperial - \$715
The Coupe - \$595		Landau - \$375
The Four-Door Sedan - \$675	\$585	(Chassis Only)
		Utility Truck - \$495
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Public Sale

At the C. E. Pattison farm located 2 1/2 miles ea st of Gray, Oklahoma, on—

Tuesday, Jan. 10, 1928

THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PROPERTY:

HORSES

- 1 Sorrel Mare, age 7, weight 1400
- 1 Bay Gelding, age 5, weight 1600
- 1 Bay Gelding, age 4, weight 1400
- 1 Bay Gelding, age 4, weight 1300
- 1 Bay Gelding, age 3, weight 1300
- 3 Colts, age 2

- 4 Heifers, age 2
- 4 Steers, yearlings
- 1 Guernsey Bull, pure bred, age 5. This bull was bought off of the Santa Fe demonstration train which was through this section several years ago.
- 1 Guernsey Bull Calf, pure bred
- 1 Guernsey Heifer Calf, pure bred
- 4 Heifer Calves, part Guernsey

MILK COWS

- 5 Guernsey Heifers, pure bred, four giving milk, the other fresh soon. These heifers are extra good and were shipped into this country from Roodhouse, Ill.
- 5 M. H. Cows, extra good, all giving milk
- 2 M. H. Cows, extra good, fresh soon
- 1 Guernsey Heifers, yearlings
- 1 Red Heifer, yearling

FARM IMPLEMENTS

- 1 One Row Lister
- 1 Two Row Monitor
- 1 Disc Harrow
- 1 Feed Wagon with Barge
- 2 Sets Leather Harness
- A number of double trees and 4 and 6 horse eveners.

TERMS—All sums under \$10.00 cash. On sums over \$10.00 six months time will be given on bankable note to bear 10 per cent interest from date. 5 per cent discount for cash on sums over \$10.00. All property must be settled for before being moved.

C. E. Pattison Estate

OWNERS

COL. ED. LITTLETON, Auctioneer

R. H. HOLLAND, Clerk

SALE STARTS AT 10:00 A. M.

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FOOTS WELL GOING DOWN

W. W. Windsor, drilling contractor on the Coots well, located in Gus Coots' pasture in the north part of this county was in town on Saturday. Mr. Windsor, who is the drilling man that put down the Whitson well, seven miles southwest of Spearman, says the Coots well is going down at a satisfactory pace. The company that made this location was spudded in the hole has turned the entire job over to the Hope Oil Co., a strong concern, and a thorough test will be made at this place. Spearman Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bray, Miss Gertrude Bray and little Miss Betty Bray came up Monday from their ranch on the Canadian to visit with relatives and friends. All Mrs. Bray, who is still visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. S. Allen, returned Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan R. Gregg, Beaver, Okla., were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Van W. Stewart, last Tuesday.

Vance Apple has resigned his position with the Perryton Drug Company and accepted the appointment of clerk in the Perryton postoffice. Vance is only working part time at the postoffice, his hours being in the morning. In the afternoon he is employed in the insurance department of the W. B. McMaster Realty Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Blodgett and Mrs. Ralph Blodgett and children were shopping in Perryton Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Barnes, Fort Worth, accompanied their mother, Mrs. H. W. Lusher, and brother, Jack O. Lusher, home the first of last week, for a visit. On New Year's day, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Newman and children, Woodward, visited with Mrs. Bowman's mother, Mrs. Lusher.

Mrs. John N. Stump and C. O. Carter drove Miss Chester Carter to Liberal, Tuesday, where Miss Carter took the train to McPherson, Kans., where she will resume her college course.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hartman visited in Stinnett and Berger, Sunday.

Miss Lorene Coffee, Miss Juanita Bales, Miss Wilma Sue Elmore, Charley Kent, Ray Christopher, and Henry Richardson motored to Canadian, Sunday. Henry Richardson returned to school at A. & M. college, Bryan, and Charley Kent to Canyon.

Music rolls at Wilson Funeral Home.
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About Your Health

Things You Should Know



by John Joseph Collins, M. D.

Prevention of Colds

To prevent a cold at this season of the year, is, possibly to prevent a much more disastrous illness; colds lead to serious diseases, especially when neglected; a chronic cough may develop to last all winter; a chronic throat is usually initiated by a common cold. Pneumonia is too often a consequence; hence my topic is timely.

The proper time to fortify against taking cold is, right now. No delay is permissible. Our every-day task should be supplemented by sane precautions against disease. At this time of the year taking cold is the foremost thing to be dreaded, even if the attack be a mild one.

First of all, don't overload the stomach. To eat more than the digestion can dispose of, is the surest way of inducing feebleness of the body; and disease does not appear, as a rule, unless one's system is in some way weakened in resisting power. The "run down" constitution is the waiting host for infection.

Then drink plenty of pure water.

At least two glasses should be taken on arising each morning, hot or cool, as preferred. Eight glasses of water daily keeps the ashes of the body-fire moving toward elimination. It is a good practice to take a good drink of cool water just before starting on a trip in the wintry air,—it renders the throat and mouth fit for the dash of much colder air outside.

Keep the surface of the body, and especially the feet—warm. To keep the head cool, the feet warm, and the bowels open, is advice as old as the hills, but it is as sound today as it ever was. And, lastly, don't worry. A contented, capable nervous system is one of the best safeguards against disease that I know of. I would mention clothing, more specifically, but you wouldn't obey—so there!

SHORTAGE OF ELIGIBLES FOR PROHIBITION JOBS

Washington, D. C., January 1, 1928.—The Civil Service Commission has reannounced the examinations for prohibition administrator, assistant prohibition administrator for enforcement work, assistant prohibition administrator for permissive work, and deputy prohibition administrator, for those who have bona fide residence, domicile, and post-office address within the State of Texas.

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Applicants will not be required to report at any place for a written examination but will be rated on their training, experience, and fitness. Experience in prohibition enforcement is not required; any ex-

perience which, in the judgement of the commission, qualifies the applicant for the duties of the position is acceptable. The experience requirements of the original examinations have been materially changed for these new examinations.

Personal investigations of applicants, which may include oral interviews, form a part of the examinations. Fingerprints will be made to check the accuracy of the applicant's statements as to arrest, indictment, or conviction for crime or misdemeanor.

Full information may be obtained from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., or the secretary of the local board of

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What Is Education?

There is much confusion as to what constitutes a true education. Some think that it consists in acquiring a great volume of facts. But facts alone do not bring good sense and wisdom. One may know much and understand nothing. A boy may be taught three or four languages and yet never be quickened to germinate an idea of his own. He may be educated in a sense but if he is incapable of dealing with life as he finds it, he is not educated. Thus education means not pumping in of facts but drawing out of inner ability. A child is not an empty tank to be filled but a deep and hidden well. We need to find what nature has bestowed upon the child, and then, the education consists of the cultivation of these original gifts.

Education trains in the art of making a being and in the art of life itself. It trains the head, the hand and the heart. In order to survive in the complex economic struggle of our modern life the mind must be trained to think straight, and the hands to perform skillfully, useful labors through which a living may be secured.

But a person with intelligence, knowledge, and skill without right ideals is not truly educated. "Character is higher than intellect." Reading, writing and arithmetic are fundamentals in education only in that through them we learn to read five things, to write beautiful thoughts, and to know that the sum of our happiness cannot be obtained by subtracting from others.

—Mabel Smotherman

TO THE STUDENTS

The Christmas vacation is now over and work has again begun and it is hoped that each student realizes that it has begun.

The mid-term examinations will begin Tuesday, January 10 and will continue through Wednesday.

The proper time for study should have been for the past four months but it is very evident that all the time has not been utilized by the students. There are a few days of

grace in which each and every pupil may improve his work for the semester and by intensive study may be able to keep his mental balance out of the "red."

NEW MACHINERY

For the past week or ten days the manual training classes have been very busy working to install a mortising machine, large motor-driven saw and sander. This machinery, with that already installed, will make the department one of the best equipped in the Panhandle.

CHAPEL PROGRAM DEC. 21

On Wednesday, December 21, the last chapel program before Christmas, we had with us Rev. M. P. Timberlake, pastor of the Methodist church. Rev. Timberlake brought a very interesting message in keeping with the occasion.

Next, a good program carrying out the Christmas spirit was given by Miss Anita Young's room.

TRAVELING ABOUT WITH THE FACULTY

On December 23 the teachers of the Perryton High school departed for various parts of the state to spend their Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Irvin spent a portion of the week in Pampa with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pollitt considered Perryton a proper place for a vacation.

Mrs. Mamie Powers stayed at home in Perryton.

Miss Anita Young drove through to her home at Sherman.

Miss Lovenia Guthrie visited friends and relatives in Matador.

Miss Effie Phillips visited Miss Aleene Hamker on the ranch thirty miles south of Perryton.

Miss Della Landers was at home in Ovalo.

Miss Pauline Shifflet visited home folks in Denton.

Forest M. Baker was at home in Abilene.

Miss Lorna Hutchinson spent the week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barbour in Perryton.

Grover Carver drove through to Clarendon for the vacation.

Wilmer E. Still spent the vacation at his home in Italy, Texas.

Miss Wanda Johnson went to her home in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Miss Eugenia Mitchell was at her home in Denton.

Miss Ruby Jane Simmons spent the vacation at the home of her brother in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Stanley Key spent the week in Perryton.

Mrs. J. W. Wilson motored to Sherman to see her mother.

Hy-Grade Premium School Supplies at The Herald office.

BASKET BALL GAMES

Rangers vs Shattuck "Indians"

The Rangers made their first appearance on the local court Monday and Tuesday nights, December 19-20. The first game with Shattuck was lost by a score of 29-23.

but the second night the Rangers played a better and faster game and came out with a victory of 22-18. Kelly and Thrush were the referees.

The line up was as follows: Monday, forwards—Todd, Yeary, Morris. Center—Newman, Witt. Guards—Black, Tucker, Tindle. Tuesday, forwards, Todd, Bryan, Yeary. Center, Morris, Witt. Guards, Black, Tindle.

Union vs Perryton

Thursday, December 22, the Rangers and Rangerettes added another victory to their list by defeating Union. The games were close and both teams had to play for their points.

Liberal Defeats Perryton

The Rangers and Rangerettes went down before the snappy Liberal teams Friday night, December 23. It seemed that neither team was up to par, the girls being badly off-form. The scores were close but there was not necessary vim and vigor for the victory.

Perryton Again Victorious

Monday night, January 2, Booker lost a well fought game to the Perryton Rangers. The teams were well balanced and the score was about equal until in the last few seconds of play when Yeary gave Perryton a lead of two points. The score was 22-20.

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The team is justly proud of the suits and there is no doubt but that they are appreciated by the spectators.

LATIN PARTY

A number of Latin students and ex-Latin students gathered in Miss Elizabeth Card's room Wednesday evening at 4:00 o'clock. Miss Eugenia Mitchell entertained us very nicely and all were certainly glad we came. After the games Miss Anita Young brought a sack of candy and nuts for each person present.

SECOND LYCEUM NUMBER

Manlove, the man of many faces, appeared before a full auditorium, December 28. So far the lyceum numbers have been very well attended, both by school children and the older folks. This number was well enjoyed by every one who was there. Mr. Manlove imitated people from various nationalities very cleverly. The program was interesting as well as entertaining.

RANGER GOSSIP

Mr. Todd: I heard that your son had to quit football?

Mr. LaMaster: Yes, he was told to tackle the dummy and he tackled the coach.

Freshman—I want to go to the show.

Sophomore—Please, may I go to the show?

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A quick picture of the new car seems destined to write a new chapter into the history of the automobile business may be had by the following highlights of the 1928 Chevrolet:

Extended wheelbase, greater speed, power, four wheel brakes, long-wheelbases, thermostat cooling, shock absorbers, springs, motor inclosure, indirectly lighted instrument panel and other advantages built in as a result of lessons learned through thirteen years of constant progress.

The "Bigger and Better" Chevrolet gives its outstanding virtues to manifold facilities at the disposal of the Chevrolet Motor company. In the General Motors research laboratory, the Chevrolet experimental laboratory, the Chevrolet engineering department and the skill and resources of the Fisher Corporation.

When passenger cars, including closed and two open types, come to the line. Every driving requirement is cared for in the make and appointments of the various types.

Beauty in appearance, performance in driving and economy in operation are the keynotes of the car. Every detail has been proved true in exhaustive tests. As a result, the line achieves to a degree hitherto unexampled in the low priced class a standard of smartness, added performance, striking color combinations, completeness of equipment and minute attention to comfort and luxury.

The new car has a distinctive big appearance entirely foreign to the price class. This is achieved by the four inches to the wheelbase bringing the present total to 108 inches.

The frame also has been deepened and strengthened to make a sturdier, sturdier and better road car.

The four inches that have been added to the frame materially increase the beauty, and the effect of the finished product. Increasing the beauty of lines are honeycomb Harrison radiators, deep, slender, graceful design. Added depth has so raised the base of the car that from the cowl the line is unbroken and near-perfect.

Radiator shells are of non-rust-impregnated metal; while thermomonitoring of the cooling system is an additional feature. Supplementing the extra four inches in wheelbase is increased length in several of the body types. Each is five inches longer than the previous model. The sedan likewise has increased two and three-quarter inches.

Among the many new body refinements is a fully inclosed and indirectly lighted instrument panel, in shape, with the speedometer, water and oil gauge, in full view day or night driving.

Passenger models have larger 450 balloon tires and steel wheels as standard equipment. Standard equipment includes front, rear vision mirror, gasolene, complete tool set, and proof steering and ignition. Additional equipment is standard with individual models.

Closed bodies are by Fisher, and designed with the smartness and beauty for which the Fisher is famous. All are of composite steel and hardwood construction of the type found on the highest priced cars. And all are finished in Duco colors—five beautiful combinations on the seven

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Cossack brown Duco with mountain brown body beading and gold striping; the coupe and sedan in Faunce green Duco with black body beading and striping in golden yellow; the sport cabriolet in Dundee gray Duco with Brocatelle green Duco beading and gold stripe; the coach in Avenue green Duco, Tartan wheels, black beading and striping in gold; and the open touring and roadster in Falmouth gray Duco with body beading in black and striping in French gray.

Mechanically the car has been improved to parallel in performance, speed and roadability its new beauty and advanced body design. It is powered by an improved valve-in-head engine that in road tests developed 34.6 per cent more power and approximately five more miles per hour than the previous Chevrolet engine.

New features developed in the engine include a new motor enclosure which completely covers the valve lifts and makes for a quieter and cleaner engine; new crankcase breathing system which eliminates the leakage of engine fumes through the body of the car; new two-port exhaust; new alloy constant clearance "invar strut" pistons; new hydro-laminated camshaft gears, improved mushroom valve tappets, and larger camshaft.

An oil pump provides efficient lubrication to all bearing surfaces; while an AC oil filter and an AC air cleaner protect all moving parts of the engine from dirt and other foreign matter, thus adding materially to the life of the motor.

The new four-wheel brakes represent an outstanding achievement of General Motors and Chevrolet engineers. They are the non-locking type, with positive brake linkage.

Front brakes are internal expanding and rear brakes external contracting. Front and rear brakes have been proportioned to prevent side drag or pull. Their total braking service amounts to 189 square inches.

Each brake has an individual, easily accessible adjustment, while "stops" are provided at the wheels to simplify the adjustment operation. So accurately has the leverage on the foot pedal been worked out between the front and rear brakes that maximum application of the brakes is obtained with a very slight pedal pressure.

In addition to the four wheel brakes the new cars have an emergency brake, with an additional braking surface of 70 square inches. It operates entirely independent of the four wheel service brakes, thus assuring adequate braking facilities at all times.

Another important achievement in the 1928 line is the new shock absorber semi-elliptic springs which run parallel to the frame and equal 84 per cent of the increased wheelbase of the car. The springs represent still another innovation pioneered by Chevrolet engineers.

They provide 50 per cent better riding qualities than the old type of spring according to observers.

In developing the new springs,

Chevrolet engineers strove not only for smooth boulevard driving but also for maximum comfort at high speeds over rough roads.

This end could be attained, they discovered after exhaustive testing and experimenting, through increasing spring friction by putting reverse "checks" two to each spring—midway between the center shackle and the spring end. These "checks" resemble inverted steel bows with the center section pressed down against the top spring leaf under 600 pounds of pressure.

The new models have a slender seventeen inch walnut finished steering wheel, while increased steering ease has been attained by the inclusion of several new features. Ball bearing thrusts have been added to the steering mechanism, and the steering ratio has been increased from eight to nine and one-half to one.

Transmission, universal joint and rear axle are of the dependable construction that gave such satisfactory service in the "Most Beautiful Chevrolet," as is the electrical system. An index of the safety of the electrical equipment and the approved vacuum feed type of system with safety tank in the rear, is the

that underwriter's approval gives the lowest fire insurance rates.

The chassis, in addition to its four inch increase in length, has a new extra strong front axle. The frame is of channel steel four and three-quarters inches deep, with five rigid steel cross members.

Stewart vacuum fuel feed has been retained, and also the safety ten-gallon gasoline tank with a gas gauge in the rear where a wide steel rear cross member protects it.

The lubrication of the chassis is by the Alemite pressure gun system.

All models have one-piece, deep full crowned fenders of heavy gauge steel, deep-cushioned comfortable seats, ribbed rubber-covered steel running boards chromium plated hood catches and hood handles with aluminum bead on the hood demountable rims with a tire carrier, extra rim, indirectly lighted instrument panel, theft-proof steering and ignition lock, rear vision mirror, and complete kit of tools with tire pump and jack.

In addition the closed models by Fisher have plate glass windows, Ternstedt window regulators, one-piece VV windshield, remote door controls with lock in handle, mil-

tary type sun visor, automatic windshield cleaner and dome light in certain models as well as foot rest, ash tray, robe rail, etc.

In anticipation of the demand of these bigger and better cars, Chevrolet factories are running night and day on capacity production. Shipments are leaving daily for all parts of the world, so that Chevrolet dealers may make prompt delivery on all models.

FAMOUS MYSTERY COMEDY COMING TO THE AMERICAN

Combining the last word in chills with the last laugh in merriment, the picturization of Ralph Spence's famous mystery-comedy, "The Gorilla" is coming to town next Friday and Saturday, January 13-14. It will be shown at the American theatre.

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was on the stage. Charles Murray and Fred Kelsey, as the two celebrated sleuths, Mulligan and Garritty, who hear all, see all and know nothing, provide the comedy. The supporting cast is all-star, headed by Alice Day, petite leading lady.

Cull Whisenant, Forgan, Okla., visited friends in this city last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Jacobs spent Christmas with Mr. Jacobs' parents at Texhoma, Okla. Mr. Jacobs returned the fore part of last week, Mrs. Jacobs remaining over until last Friday. Miss Eva Jacobs returned home with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Handly visited with Mrs. Handly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. McDougal, Odell, Texas, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bull returned Tuesday from Fulton, Mississippi, where they were called on account of the illness of their son-in-law, William Fain. Mr. Fain's many friends and acquaintances in this country will be glad to hear that he is now on the road to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stimson and family visited with relatives at Mangum, Okla., during the holidays. Mrs. Stimson's mother, Mrs. S. H. Title, accompanied them home.

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The Livestock Situation.

Considerable has been said about an eastern city having advocated placing a boycott upon beef due to prevailing price levels which, in the estimation of sponsors of the plan, are too high.

It is unlikely that anyone would advocate the boycotting of a food stuff as competitive with other commodities as beef if they had approached the subject on a sound basis of economics. Admittedly beef is numbered among the most highly competitive of food stuffs and for this reason the price will take care of itself without the attempted breaking down of the natural laws of supply and demand by any section in fostering a boycott, which is directly opposed to good economics.

Should beef prices reach a level where they are prohibitive, other food stuffs will enter the picture and the resulting curtailment of demand will bring about a reaction of price levels governed by supply and demand. For instance, in the past few weeks there has been a sustained downward movement in the hog market and in the middle west the point has been reached where hogs are sold around eight cents and at the same time top steers have brought seventeen cents making the dressed beef of this class cost thirty-four cents and pork around twelve cents. It is not reasonable to presume that this margin between beef and pork, which are absolutely competitive in the retail meat market, can long be maintained. The American housewife, who after all represents the bulk of the purchasing power of the country, and will equalize the situation by turning to the purchase of a larger proportion of pork or other meat foods. This will stimulate hog prices or at least hold them steady and, no doubt, will serve to stabilize beef prices at a certain level although it is unlikely that any substantial change in beef prices will be experienced within the near future.

These readjustments will come about, however, for entirely natural reasons without the necessity of boycotts or the injection of other foreign elements into the situation. Aside from this natural adjustment, of course, the law of compensation enters the picture in the shape of a recollection of the many years of poverty through which the cattle industry has passed, and even with a sustained period of present prices the cattle producer who was fortunate enough to survive the long siege of liquidation will still be far from having recouped his past losses to say nothing of the industry recovering the loss of many of the main stays who were forced out of business.

It is naturally no more reasonable for any section in the east to boycott beef as a supposed remedy for raising of price levels than it would be for the western cattle country to boycott shoes or some other necessity manufactured in the east and it should not be overlooked that even at present cattle prices the purchasing power of cattle is not entirely out of line when it is considered how many shoes may be bought with the returns from the hide of a steer or how many other manufactured products may be purchased from the returns realized by the producer for his cattle.

The cost of purchasing any article we do not produce ourselves should be gauged by what it costs us to produce that which we exchange for it, whether the exchange be in goods or money. In illustration, not so long ago it took the proceeds of the sale of several hides to purchase shoes for the producer's family, although the shoes could probably have been furnished from the hide of one of the critters. Careful thought should be given the beef price situation before judgement is passed as to whether or not present market prices are justifiable.

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Texas ranks first among the states both as to total production of sorghum and as to the number of varieties grown. The most phenomenal crop developed in Texas in the last 16 years has been in the introduction of grain sorghums.

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Texas is one of the leading watermelon producing states. Parker County is considered the biggest

melon producing county in the United States. Weatherford frequently shipping as high as 1000 car loads in a season.

Texas produces a tremendous crop of wheat, but could increase the output fourfold if all the wheat land were fully utilized. The state has a large milling industry, there being at least 118 flour mills producing more than \$40,000,000 annually in flour and other products.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our sincere and heartfelt thanks to the kind friends who did so much for us during the illness and death of our father.

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Society

Miss Witt Entertains

Miss Navis Witt entertained, Thursday evening, with a "forty-two" party in honor of her former Camp Fire associates and their escorts. Refreshments were served in keeping with Camp Fire rules to Miss Louise Garrett, Miss Marie Kent, Miss Juanita Bales, Miss Nora Richardson, Miss Virginia King, Miss Mary Ragan, Addison Custer, Vance Apple, Charley Kent, Cecil Dodd, Roy Beever, Olan Timberlake and Paul Shrader.

New Year Eve Party

A very enjoyable evening was spent playing "forty-two" at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hergert, New Years eve. Sandwiches, apple pie with whipped cream, and coffee were served at twelve o'clock to Dr. and Mrs. O. E. Blank, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nies, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lance, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shanks and J. H. Neufeld.

Honoring Geo. L. Hyde

George L. Hyde, who has been director of the Perryton municipal band and orchestra for the past few years, was very much surprised on last Friday evening when a large number of his friends gathered at the regular band practice at the courthouse, to give him a farewell party. Mr. Hyde leaves shortly for Woodward, Okla., where he has accepted a position as band and orchestra leader.

Mr. Hyde was given several beautiful presents by the members of the band and orchestra. Among the gifts was a floor lamp, a tilting table and a fountain pen desk set. Refreshments consisting of cake, cocoa and sandwiches were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Wilson and son, Melvin; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Myers and Miss Graceva and Leon; Mrs. S. R. George and son, Lawrence; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pittman and children, Willis, Roy, Ruby and Opal; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lilly; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bales and children, Elmer, Juanita and Winbern; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keliam and son, Junior; Mr. and Mrs.

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New Years Eve Party

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Rogers had the following as their guests for bridge on New Years eve: Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Whippo, Mr. and Mrs. Alec Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Liel Lewellen, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley D. Key, Miss Myrtle Conley and Arch Talley.

Whippo Bridge Party

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer E. Whippo entertained the following guests at bridge in the country home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cartwright on Thursday evening of last week: Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lemon, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley D. Key, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Dodson, Miss Myrtle Conley, Arch Talley and Phil Cartwright.

New Years Party

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Edwards, assisted by Mrs. F. A. Edwards, entertained a number of friends at bridge on New Years evening. High scores were held by Mrs. Van W. Stewart and J. C. Hickernell, the low score prize going to Mrs. C. B. Rogers and Horace Lackey. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Liel Lewellen, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Claybaugh, Mr. and Mrs. James F. Bray, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lackey, Mr. and Mrs. Van W. Stewart, Mrs. Lucy Nelson, Mrs. Tess Stewart Rardin, Miss Myrtle Conley, Arch Talley and J. C. Hickernell.

Forty-Two Party

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shanks had as their guests for "forty-two" Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lance, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hergert and Mrs. A. C. Witt.

Honoring J. H. Neufeld

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Witt entertained with "forty-two" Tuesday evening, in honor of J. H. Neufeld. Ice cream, cake and coffee was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Callaway, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lance, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shanks, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hergert, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richardson.

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Hook Party

Several friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Ragsdale, Tuesday, and a delightful evening was spent playing "Hook." Cocoa and cake was served to the following guests: Miss Arlene Patterson, Miss Bernice Walker, Miss Rhoda and Miss Gladys Phillips, Louis Bryan, Donald Hahn and John Corbin.

Farewell Gathering

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Corey was the scene of much delight, Monday evening, when a host of friends gathered to bid "the Coreys" farewell. The evening was spent in dancing with old time music. Mr. Corey and family are moving to Pampa, Texas.

Surprise Gathering

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Key were delightfully surprised Friday evening when a number of friends walked in. The evening was spent playing bridge. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Liel Lewellen, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Whippo, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Allen, Miss Myrtle Conley, Arch Talley and J. B. Cartwright Jr.

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The New Fliver

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