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## 1929 Was Banner Year For Perryton Community Representative Election Will Be Held Saturday, January 4th

### EVERYONE IS URGED TO VOTE IN SATURDAY'S SPECIAL ELECTION

**C. JOHNSON, DALHART, IS OPPOSED BY  
C. M. ARMSTRONG, HUTCHINSON COUNTY OIL COMPANY EMPLOYEE;  
DON'T FAIL TO VOTE**

Next Saturday, January 4, is the day for the special election in this, the 124th Legislative District composed of the counties of Dallam, Hartley, Sherman, Moore, Hansford, Hutchinson, Ochiltree, Roberts, Lipscomb and Hemphill, for the purpose of electing a representative to fill the vacancy caused by resignation of John Herron White, Borger lawyer, resigned during the recent session in Hutchinson county.

Two candidates have filled for office. A. C. Johnson, Dalhart, Texas insurance man, and C. M. Armstrong, an employee of the Hutchinson County Oil Co., one of the major oil companies operating in the Hutchinson county field. Armstrong, in his application for place on the official ballot, gives his address as Hamburg, which is the north end of Borger.

The Herald urges every voter in the county to go to the polls Saturday and cast a vote for A. C. Johnson of Dalhart. He is a man of unquestionable integrity, honesty and ability. Johnson was in Perryton for a short time Tuesday. He has been unable to make a campaign of the district on account of being tied up as a member of the federal grand jury in Amarillo. Johnson is forty years of age, has been a resident of Dalhart for years, and with the clerical department of the Rock Island for a long period, resigning to enter the insurance business for himself several years ago. Dalhart is one hundred per cent behind Arthur C. Johnson. He is a man who has lived for years as a farming and cattle country and who is the support of over ninety per cent of the district. Johnson is alert, educated, well informed, he knows the needs of the farmers and cattlemen of this district and we are sure that he will make the 124th District a representative of whom we will be proud.

Of Mr. Armstrong, the candidate from Hutchinson county, we know nothing. If he has ever been in Perryton, we have not heard of it. This paper did receive a rather lengthy statement of his announcement stating that he stood for law, enforcement, economy in government, agriculture, schools and highways and TO DEAL SQUARELY WITH THE PETROLEUM INDUSTRY. As far as we are concerned, Mr. Armstrong hails from the wrong locality to get our support. He is an employee of the Shelly Oil Co., so he states, and we feel that what we need down at Austin is a man who will look after the interests of the farmers and cattlemen, not the big oil companies.

Now don't stay at home on election day, expecting your neighbors to go to the polls. Get out bright and early and put in a vote for Arthur Johnson. You know! the voters of this district stayed at home before and let White from Borger win over that fine and honest gentleman, Judge E. C. Gray of Higgins, Texas. Let's don't let it happen again. The oil interests may run Hutchinson county (and a fine job they are doing of it), but let's show them that they can't run the 124th Legislative district.

### MRS. R. C. JOHNSON'S MOTHER PASSES AWAY

Mrs. O. W. Dean, mother of Mrs. R. C. Johnson, passed away at her home in Morgan, last Friday morning, at the age of 70 years. Funeral services were held in the afternoon and burial was made at Kappert.

Mrs. Dean has been in bad health for a number of years and has been bedfast for nearly five months.

D. B. Johns has returned to Perryton and is express cashier at the Santa Fe depot. His many friends are very glad to see him return to Perryton.

### To Buy Shorthorns

E. W. Rogers and Guy E. Sheets  
Now Inspecting Dairy Cows  
In Northern States

E. W. Rogers, farmer and stockman of Farnsworth, left Wednesday, accompanied by County Agent Guy E. Sheets for Iowa, Illinois and Wisconsin. They plan to inspect a number of registered milking short-horn breeders and Mr. Rogers will purchase a carload of the pure bred animals for his Farnsworth ranch. John Burns, secretary of the Short-horn breeders association will meet Rogers and Sheets enroute and will make the trip with them. The shipping in of registered milking Shorthorns will greatly stimulate the dairy business in Ochiltree county, and Mr. Rogers is to be complimented on his move.

Miss Opal Tepe, Canadian, is visiting in the home of Mrs. H. C. Brillhart and Mrs. Paul Bowen a few days this week.

### FACTORY IS IN OPERATION NOW

PARAMOUNT WATER SOFTENERS BEING MANUFACTURED AND DISTRIBUTED FROM PERRYTON

The factory branch and offices of the U. S. Water Softener Corporation in Perryton is now open and a number of the new Paramount water softeners have been installed in the past few weeks. Among those who have purchased are Geo. M. Perry, J. T. McLarty, B. B. Kent, Mrs. Ida Becker, Walter Allen, Jack Allen, J. W. Wright, W. B. Dennison, J. H. Myneer and W. H. Douglas, Texoma.

The officers of this concern, whose headquarters are at Amarillo, are H. Holdeman, president; J. W. Steffen, vice-president; R. C. Cummins, treasurer. W. W. McLarty, pioneer business man of Ochiltree county, is managing director.

The Paramount water softening unit converts the hardest of water into soft mountain water in any quantity. The unit can be installed as a part of any kind of a water supply. Those who have used the softeners are very high in their praise of the product of the local factory.

Mrs. Sam Hergert and son, Irvin, were in Liberal, Kans. Friday visiting with Mrs. Nell Hergen and baby.

### ORGANIZE JOHN DEERE COMPANY

McDIVITT HEADS COMPANY  
BUYING JOHN DEERE  
AGENCY FROM THE  
WHITE HOUSE

Work is practically finished on the new home of the Perryton Implement company, according to W. L. McDivitt, manager of the new firm, and the opening will be announced later. The new structure is located two blocks east of the First National Bank.

The Perryton Implement company recently purchased the John Deere agency from the White House Lumber company for this territory.

The new business structure is 35 by 100 feet, of sheet iron construction with masonry ceiling. The front forty feet will be used as an office and parts room while the rear end will be converted into a first class repair shop for overhauling tractors and machines.

Walter E. Bowen has been placed in charge of the shop. Mr. Bowen is an experienced mechanic, working in similar capacity with the White House Lumber company for the past year.

The size of the shop and the equipment will be equal to any tractor needs. The building will be heated with gas.

Mr. McDivitt, manager of the new firm, has had a world of experience with John Deere products. For the past seven years he has been a salesman out of the Kansas City branch house. For the eight years prior he was connected with a John Deere agency and hardware store at Shawnee, Okla.

### FORMER PERRYTON BOY BADLY HURT IN WRECK

Roy Murray, age 19, son of W. W. Murray, formerly of Perryton, was seriously injured in a car accident, Christmas day, on the highway south of Drummond, Oklahoma. Roy is well known around Perryton, having attended school here and worked here during the summer months.

Roy was taken to the Enid general hospital where it was found that he had a vertebra in his neck badly crushed, the pelvis bone broken and severe cuts and bruises on the head and body. It is thought that it will be several months before he is able to leave the hospital.

W. W. Waters visited Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Waters at Enid.

### Commencement Speaker

Dr. Clark Buckner Will Make Commencement Address to 1930 Graduating Class

Dr. Clark Buckner, pastor of the First Christian Church at Amarillo has been secured to make the commencement address to the members of the 1930 Perryton high school graduating class. May 16 has been set as a tentative date for this occasion.

Dr. Buckner is one of the most sought after speakers in the Panhandle. He has delivered two wonderful speeches in Perryton during the past few months. His last appearance was at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet when he was the principal speaker of the evening.

E. C. Cudd of the northwest part of the county was a caller at the Herald office last Saturday to order the Herald sent to his brother, W. F. M. Cudd at Plano, Texas.

### KENT SELECTS COMMITTEEMEN

PART OF STANDING CHAMBER OF COMMERCE COMMITTEE ARE NAMED BY PRESIDENT OF BODY

B. B. Kent, newly elected president of the Perryton Chamber of Commerce has already started the selection of committees for the 1930 program. He says that the organization will not select a large number of committees, but that he expects to have the ones he appoints to work. He has just selected a Highway committee; one for membership, one on advertising, a committee to plan a program of work and one for the entertainment features. Names of the advertising committee will not be announced at this time. Anyone wishing to bring something before this committee can present the proposition to either the president or the secretary of the organization.

Here are the committees that Mr. Kent announces at this time: Highways; W. B. LaMaster, George M. Perry and R. T. Shindler; Membership; W. L. McDivitt, C. B. Rogers and Sam Hergert; Program of Work; Fred Hood, Guy Sheets and M. R. Coffee; Entertainment; C. W. Callaway, Chas. Claybaugh and A. J. Kelly. Other committees will be selected within the near future.

Carter Pens at The Herald Office.

### OVER MILLION DOLLARS SPENT ON IMPROVEMENTS IN PERRYTON

**BUSINESS BUILDING AND INDUSTRIAL EXTENSIONS TOTAL THREE-QUARTER MILLION; MARKET 6,000,000 BUSHELS WHEAT**

By T. D. Moss

The year that has just closed proved the banner one in building and development in Perryton for the entire period since its founding just a little over ten years ago. Approximately three quarters of a million dollars was spent for business buildings, paving and the laying of gas mains here. Then in the residence section at least 150 new homes were built ranging

### LYCEUM WED- NESDAY NITE

VOCESTRAL PARTY IS NEXT  
NUMBER OF P. T. A. LYCEUM COURSE ON JANUARY 8

The Vocestral Party, Beulah Frazier-Crick's own versatile company, will appear at the school auditorium on Wednesday evening, January 8, in the next number of the Perryton Parent-Teacher Association lyceum course.

The program offered consists of vocal, orchestra, novelties, cartoons, crayon art, impersonations, bird imitations and many other numbers of mirth, music and melody. The three members of the company play a total of eleven instruments.

Beulah Frazier-Crick, the manager of the Vocestral Party, is so well known to the schools and to the lyceum going public of America and has so endeared herself to them that she is affectionately known as just "Beulah." For fifteen years she has been part and parcel of the Columbian Artists. During this time she has appeared in various capacities with the Frazier Concert Company, The Lost Opera, The Eleventh Hour, Toha Nai and the Columbians. Thus the public knows her as a teacher assistant, musician, singer, actress and scenic portrayalist.

She offers you now, for your approval, the Vocestral Party. Five years ago, we saw the need and opportunity for a company of ladies on our circuits. To head such a group, one must be worthy and well qualified. None other could have filled the place so well as Beulah. Three ladies composed the personnel of the attraction, known as the Columbians. For two seasons they appeared with ever increasing popularity. At this time Gale Giles, the official pianiste of the group, entered as an accompanist in the Marjorie Talley Scholarship contest, easily won it with the national honors, and went east to study under the scholarship. The next season, the two remaining members of the Columbians gave the entire program. If possible the program was more popular than ever. At the close of this season, The Columbian Artists Union recommended Miss Genevieve Cullen, the other member, to the Chicago Civic Opera for a try-out. The result was a three year contract with that organization. She is now fulfilling that contract with them. Thus the career of the Columbians came to a close and Beulah took a year of vacation and travel.

Meanwhile, she learned that A. A. Thornburg and wife, Patti Ray, the principal characters of the Castle Square Entertainers, were available. The Castle Squares enjoy an enviable reputation in the East. An audience was arranged with them, and the Vocestral Party was organized. This coined word was chosen to express their combined outstanding capabilities both in vocal work and as an orchestra. Three voices and eleven instruments, in addition to their bird imitations and chalk talking, places this organization in a class all by itself.

Mrs. Harve Cook and little niece of Range, Okla. were Perryton visitors Tuesday.

Of the impressive things about the building development here is the fact that no shack business buildings or residences were put up, but all were substantial and reflect permanence.

Outstanding among the building achievements of 1929 are: The new Hotel Perryton built by the Panhandle Lumber company at a cost of \$90,000; the new Ellis Theatre, erected by Carl Ellis at a cost of \$65,000; the new power plant of the Texas-Louisiana Power company and electrical store, costing \$125,000. twenty-three and one-half blocks of paving representing an expenditure of \$180,000; and the laying of several miles of gas mains in the city and the construction of the line from Canadian here by the Public Service Corporation. Figures could not be obtained on the cost.

Other business buildings either completed or now under construction: Perryton Laundry, \$15,000; new Buick garage, by F. P. Rogers, \$10,000; Winingham-Shepherd Motor company building by K. K. Thomas, \$9,000; Dr. J. C. May's new hospital, \$30,000; Hotel Haven, by Mrs. George Lilly, \$20,000; Masonic Hall, \$20,000; North Elevator, \$15,000; Browning Hardware building by W. B. LaMaster, \$7,000; four brick buildings by R. H. Holland, \$15,000; W. C. Bryan & Son Store, \$9,000; Jones-Dunlavy building by T. W. Johnson, \$5,000; C. E. Stone company building, \$7,000; Piggy-Wiggly building, Mrs. J. C. Hickernell and Mrs. P. H. Sebastian, \$7,000; John Cook, implement, \$3,000; Perryton Implement company, \$3,000; O. H. Black Land company by Jno. N. Stump, \$1,500; addition to Wilson Funeral Home, \$4,000; addition to Champlin Service station, \$7,000; city water and sewerage extensions, \$7,000; new Maxedon Lumber company, between \$30,000 and \$40,000; Perryton Wet Wash Laundry, by K. K. Thomas, \$3,000. Both the Panhandle Lumber company and Burrow Lumber company made substantial improvements, but the amount of money spent was not obtained for this report.

There is no boom here but the growth is substantial and was brought about by the development of farming in this section. In 1929 Ochiltree county marketed approximately six million bushels of wheat and over half this amount was sold in Perryton. Local produce men paid farmers an average of \$2.50 per day for cream, eggs and chickens. Between \$15,000 and \$20,000 was paid farmers for turkeys during the holiday season.

With a much larger acreage of wheat and with prospects bright for another big crop, with more farmers keeping chickens, hogs, and dairy cows, and with the raising of sheep becoming ever more popular, the outlook for 1930 is exceedingly bright for Perryton and surrounding country.

The Reverend L. O. Byerly, pastor of the Perryton Christian Church, Mrs. Byerly, Dr. John W. Fewkes, and B. B. Kent, president of the Perryton Chamber of Commerce, left Wednesday for Dallas where they will attend the State Ministerial convention, which will be held the last of the week. The four are going by car and will return Sunday.

Carter Pens at The Herald Office.

### Six Announce For Ochiltree County Offices

Activity in local politics picked up with a bang this week so the Herald has been authorized to announce six candidates for county offices subject to the action of the voters of Ochiltree county at the polls in the Democratic primary to be held next July.

First on the list comes Dave Shanks, present county and district clerk, who is seeking reelection. Dave is one of the most popular officials ever to serve the citizens of the county. He has been very efficient, courteous and accommodating in conducting the business of his office which is one of the most important in the county. In addition to giving the best of attention to the affairs of his office, Dave finds time to take an active part in all civic affairs. He is a good citizen, a worthy officer and entitled to the consideration of every voter.

Judge J. M. Grigsby who for the past several terms has served Ochiltree county faithfully as County Judge, once more has cast his hat in the ring and is up before the voters as a candidate for reelection. The Judge is a real pioneer, native Texan who answered the call of the wild and came to the Plains in the days of the Indians and the buffalo. Fair and impartial and honest in his decisions as judge is the record that he has made for himself. As the executive officer of the Commissioners Court, Judge Grigsby

has saved the county many dollars and made for himself a host of friends and admirers by his record during his tenure in this office.

Another aspirant to the office of County Judge is Oscar C. Flowers, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Flowers, pioneer citizens of this country. At the present time Oscar is past twenty-six years of age. He is not so well known to a great many of the voters owing to the fact that for the past seven years he has been away from home attending school. After graduating from the Plainview high school in 1924, he attended Wayland College for two years, going from there to Baylor at Waco, where he received his A. B. degree in 1928. He is now a student in the Baylor Law School and will receive his degree this spring. There is no question about his ability or qualifications to fill the office and we feel that if he is elected he will serve the county with credit to himself and the voters.

Now comes a man who needs little introduction to the people of the county. That man is Abe Green, who comes before the voters as a candidate for the office of tax assessor. Abe has had much experience in public work. Prior to entering public life, he worked for years in the lumber business. He was city clerk of Perryton for a number of years where he did all city assessing and tax collecting.

Then for a number of years, he served as office deputy under Sheriff Talley in the county tax collectors office. Abe is well qualified for this office. He is an expert accountant and clerical man, he has the ability and if the people see fit to elect him to the tax assessors office, he will make an excellent official.

J. N. Conley comes before the people as an aspirant to the office of County Treasurer. Mr. Conley is one of the county's pioneer and most esteemed citizens. His friends are many and he is well fitted to fill this very important position. There are none that will doubt his integrity, ability or worthiness. Mr. Conley states that he will not be able to make a thorough campaign of his entire county but he will appreciate the consideration and support of every voter when they go to the polls next July.

Another candidate for the County Treasurers office is Mrs. J. M. Willey of this city. Mrs. Willey comes before the voters for the first time seeking a public trust. She has been a resident of the county since 1914, coming here from Oklahoma. Prior to that time, she lived in Tennessee, where she engaged in the teaching profession, being a high school principal for a number of years. Mrs. Willey has had much experience in bookkeeping work. She will appreciate your vote and support at the polls next July.

# LETTERS from OUR READERS

The Herald will print communications that are acceptable to it. They must be free of libel and personal abuse. Short ones will be given preference. Author's names must be signed to manuscript and their addresses must be given. Only original communications addressed to The Herald will be printed; open letters or letters otherwise addressed to various persons in public life are not acceptable.

## WE SHOULD BE REASONABLE AND REASON

The Perryton Independent School District is faced for the first time with disruption. The school, its greatest and most valuable asset is faced with ruin, and why?

The issue, "Shall the taxpayers of the ENTIRE district pay \$30,000.00 for no better reason than to purchase votes to continue its progress? We challenge every proponent of the ward proposition to advance one single argument backed with a reason for "the faith that is within him". Now, this is no time for vitriolic and harsh accusations, it is a time for cool and deliberate reflection and reason. This, (and, as we believe, there never will be), is not the time to divide the town by streets or other political designation, into hostile camps. There is no more "East Side" and "West Side" to this town than there is to the district as a whole, or to the country as a whole, and whoever coined the phrase certainly did a bad days work. Even if there was such a division into hostile camps, we should divide on those questions, local to the town, and not include those who have no interest in the controversy. The present school is no more a town school than the courthouse is a town court house. This school belongs to and is paid for by the district as a whole, and is a "District School" and not a "Town School", and the town has no more right to vote a bond issue and tax the district as a whole to build a ward school at this time, than we have to vote bonds to build another court house on the "West Side" and make the county as a whole pay for it. There is as much reason for the one as for the other.

We have heard no argument that justifies the voting of the proposed bond issue of \$90,000.00 with a tentative understanding that \$30,000.00 of that sum will be placed east of Main Street, other than the lame proposition that "The east side is entitled to some consideration". A complete answer to this is they are entitled to the same consideration as the "North Side", the "West Side", and in fact, all sides. That is the best school system that the money we spend will buy. Now the school board is against this present issue on principal, the superintendent says that it is not to the interest of the school to split the system; every level headed man we have asked to, town and country, says the same, then why is the matter being urged? There is but one answer, that is, "The use of public money to enhance private property values." The home builder is not looking for an advance in property values, if he is interested at all, it is to reduce them; he has nothing to sell, it is home; he intends to stay; hence he is not the man to be boosting property values. There is but one man interested in this line of argument, he is the man that wants to sell, pocket the money, buy a ticket and leave town, or invest for the next "catch."

We have had it stated to us by

One of the proponents that it is too far from the extreme eastern portion of this town to the present school site for small children to walk. Gentlemen, how does this appeal to you when you consider that the farthest child from the present school is less than one mile, it is protected by buildings from its home to destination and return; it has pavement and sidewalk from the main street on; and you then turn to the man in the rural section of the district whose child walks as far or farther over bleak prairie, stands in the cold, unprotected by structure, and there waits for the truck to pick them up, then rides in a cold conveyance from 2 to 12 miles to school; this rural child and its mother gets up and eats their breakfast by lamplight in order that they may be in time to catch the truck; their vigil is in the early hours of the morning, still they are not complaining; yet shall we be duped into insulting these rural children by saying that such is sufficient for them, but it is absolutely wrong for a child living in town, protected as above stated, and who can take his "beauty nap", his mother take her well deserved morning's rest, get up at eight o'clock, prepare the morning meal, wrap up the kiddies who merely have to hasten a few city blocks to the best school in the Panhandle with all the protection and convenience above named. We shall say we will not, nor do we believe that the thinking men are going to stand for such a proposition, and especially is this true of these rural folks. This same exponent of the rural idea argued to the writer that Main Street was a hazard, and actually asked me the question, "How I would like for my little children to have to cross Main Street, four times daily?" My answer was that I had ten times rather take a chance on their crossing Main Street a dozen times a day than to place them in a car on a cold, rainy, slick, slippery morning to drive over country roads two miles to school. Any sensible man knows that this is true. There is no more hazard crossing Main Street in this town than there is in traveling on the public highway in a school truck. This is "Bosh" and

## WHEN IT LOOKS DARK to any

weak, nervous or ailing woman, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription comes to her aid. Women in every walk of life today say Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a reliable medicine. It is made from roots and herbs, sold by druggists, in both fluid and tablet form.

Our woman said: I was rundown in health and a neighbor recommended Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. She told me about the wonderful benefit she had received from it so I started taking it right away and in a little while my health was wonderfully improved. I continued taking this one medicine and soon was perfectly well and have needed no medicine of the kind since. —Mrs. M. A. Walker, 1811 E. Annie St., Fort Worth, Texas.

\* Send 10c for trial pkg. tablets to Dr. Pierce's Invalids Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

is not believed by the people who talk it because it has no reason in it. The town has been here for ten years and not a single school child has yet met with a misfortune on Main Street; the only sad accident that has occurred here was on a side street. Main Street is the safest place or street in town for little tots.

Further, to show that it is a question of property, and not a question of schools, we cite you to the location of the proposed ward school. So that you, (as you should), may find this location, view it, understand the proposition that is being urged upon you, we here direct you to the northwest corner of the proposed site: Go down Main Street to the southwest corner of the courthouse block, or to the end of the pavement on Main Street; cross to the south side of the street running south of the courthouse; go two blocks east on that street, crossing the second street, you will then be standing on the northwest corner of the proposed ward building site, or the northwest corner of Block No. 51. When you arrive, we ask that you view the eastern portion of the town; where the children are located; come back to Main Street and follow across the railroad track east to the folks living on the north side of the railroad track, look closely for street crossing over the railroad track after leaving Main Street, and check up the situation there; then come back to some responsible man, ask him to loan you a map of this town that is official, take it home, invite in a few friends that want to do the "right thing" and go over the same carefully; figure out the various distances that children would have to walk as compared to the present school and the proposed ward school on Block No. 51, and from this, without any comment from us, ask and answer the question for yourself whether or not the present plan can be defended on any ground, except to use public money for private gain. You are to be the judge in this case, jury and all. While you are still down at the proposed school, please look over the territory there, its drainage, the probability of any extensions to the south and east, the probable conditions that will prevail in severe weather in that locality. If you were just prospecting with a view of buying a location for a home, had a family to school, and if you bought east of Main Street, all your children from the 6th grade down would attend school at this location; if you could get across Main Street, they might attend the present school as now situated. Do you believe that you would settle on the "East Side" or the "West Side?" Do you believe that such an arrangement will help

the man on the "East Side"? Do you believe that such a proposition will increase values over there? Do you believe people will move in on account of this proposed school or move out? These are nice little questions of common sense for you, not me, to answer.

Now we just simply can't go on forever voting bonds and building school houses here in town, unless we are in a position to go to our fellow man and, "Give a reason for the faith that is within us", and justify our expenditures. The total assessed valuation of this school district, (which includes the town), is less than \$10,000,000.00 and the value of the town for school purposes is less than \$2,000,000.00, but for easy figures we are going to say that is just what it is. Now where do we get; every time there is paid into the school fund of this district \$10.00, \$8.00 of that sum is paid on property outside of this town; so we have less than 1-5th interest in the school here from a financial standpoint. Still, here we are trying to ignore the man who pays the \$8.00 and fighting between ourselves to apply his \$8.00 to suit our convenience the same as if we had won it at a "lucky poker game" and ignoring the fact that this school question is not a town question, but is a district question and concerns more folks than those living in town. We appreciate that much of this country property is owned by folks living in town and who have substantial interests here; but this does not change the argument that the school system of this town is not local to Perryton, but is a central school system for more than one-half of Ochiltree County. This, being true, when we come in here and begin to raise such issues as we now are urging, we believe the very fact that we have always been assured of, and denied: that is, "That the whole scheme of the district was to build a town and make the country pay for it." Is the town supports the present \$90,000.00 bond issue, if it is ever called to a vote, I aver that we have by that vote demonstrated that we are willing to use the school money for private gain, if it takes it to get by. We are against any such a proposition with all the might we command. We do not want impute disloyalty or corruption to anyone, and if we have, we shall gladly apologize, but how under Heaven can any man reconcile the fact that a \$60,000.00 bond issue for the extension of our present and honored school system failed, and then right on the heels of that failure, the voter turn round and support that \$60,000, (which is included in the \$90,000.00) included in the proposed \$90,000.00 issue, unless he is willing to acknowledge that he is willing to support anything for \$30,000.00

We are sure that no man that we know or have talked to would do such a thing intentionally if he would just stop and think, but in a political matter of this kind so many people are too busy, or do not have the inclination, to delve into the real issue and may be misled on superficial representations based partly on sympathy, partly wilful misrepresentation, and partly in an honest, but mistaken, belief in the justness of the matter, that we may wake up to our mistake too late to correct it.

Now, the proposition is to build a five room ward school on the site above designated, together with an ASSEMBLY HALL. The five rooms might be defended, but how on earth will we defend the ASSEMBLY HALL portion of this issue when it is admitted by all that the present auditorium is amply sufficient for all needs of the whole system? No man except on commencement, has ever seen the present assembly hall overcrowded, and that even when the balcony was not fully seated. Why then duplicate this space in our system? Are we to just go on taking the taxpayer's money and casting it to the dogs in compromises for votes? I say that sensible people will not do it. This \$90,000.00 bond issue is doomed and we here pledge our unflinching efforts to see that it does. We can think of no justifiable ground to cast a vote for it. We will give \$10.00 reward for the first man who will advance one single ground justifying any man, east or west, of Main Street, to vote to split up our present school plant. I will select one man, the man advancing the argument to select on, them to select the third, and if they say that he, or she, as the case may be, has advanced a single reason why any man in Perryton should vote to split the system and go the ward proposition, I will pay it on the spot. It simply can't be done on principal or otherwise. All we ask is to have our day before the three men, the other fellow to have his. Come on

in now, the water is fine, I have the \$10.00 and it is yours when you can win it on the offer made.

Of course I have assumed all through this article that all the folks know and appreciate that all the children, including the 5th grade and down, east of Main Street, or as far west of Main Street as it may take to fill and utilize the five teacher ward school, will be forced to use such ward school. On other words, when the 1930 census is made up and the number of scholastic ascertained, they will be carefully checked with reference to location "east and west" of Main Street, then there will be a "DEAD LINE" drawn on some street sufficiently west of the proposed ward school to fill the grades to be taught there, and all the children within that "Zone" will be required, as a matter of law, to attend such ward school. This may be Main Street, it is an absolute certainty that it will not be farther east than Main Street, or it may be as far west as West 2nd or McMillen Street; but wherever it may develop, the line must be drawn, the children east of that line from and including the 5th grade will have to attend the East Side ward school on Block No. 51, which we have directed you how to find without a possibility of mistake.

In this election there are two vital question, with other minor ones: (1) Shall we at this time divide up our school system into ward schools and tax the district as a whole in

that behalf?

If it shall be determined shall at this time divide them, then: (2) Shall the first unit on Block No. 51 be a ward school?

As minor issues: (1) In town, are going to strict to reduce the distance to a mile to school, with buildings for and side walks to walk, accord the same courtesy to the rural children?

If the answer to this "we will", then what, in ment, would be the boldness of this district scheme has been carried out and the average within the district and

Respectfully  
R. T. Tucker.

FOR HAULING of any  
L. T. Tucker.

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## "Sam's Sayings"

We don't want to put the Ochiltree County Herald out of business so we've decided to run our newspaper inside of theirs.

You'll find us on this page each week. We hope you'll enjoy our news and views on many topics and that you'll help us make our newspaper interesting by sending us news items about farm sales, school and church socials, and other local gatherings and events. It is our aim and desire to publish a little newspaper that is chock full of newsy, interesting, helpful items. Watch for our first issue next week.

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# A MOMENT OF MERRIMENT



Harry Kolker and George Jessel in a scene from the all talking Fox movietone drama, "Love."

## THE EXTRAS ARE PROBLEM

AND SCHOEDSACK  
PROBLEM IN  
MAKING FOUR  
FEATHERS

Their extras in camp are one of the big tasks of Ernest B. Schoedsack, co-director of "The Four Feathers," during their stay in the African desert. Making the location production a success is largely Fuzzy-Wuzzie's class fighting men, as in song and story by the British, chiefly because of breaking the "British" almost invulnerable military.

For pay, they at once place to spend it. For keeping their players and not for any material and Schoedsack carrying post with them, in the native warriors might wander afield to obtain of their desire.

Among the featured of the cast of "The Four Feathers" is the famous novel, are in film, Fay Wray, Clive Brook, Noah Beery, and Noble Johnson and others.

which was voted by the greatest action picture of 1929, comes to the theatre, Friday night.

## Picture in Fox Film

Romance and Gripping  
Runs High in Fox  
Production

The romance of the west that makes the picturesque locale of Rio Grande, the all-talking Fox Movietone picture, with Warner Baxter, Mary Duncan, Antonio Moreno, and others, is the attraction at the theatre, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

Scenes of the Rio Grande are dotted with enormous battle, and rare grandeur of Mexican estates, give testimony to the gigantic scale of the picture, which Fox Films staged as a romantic picture of the west, which is an Alfred Santell effort.

"The Man From Mars," title of the novel, adapted, relates the thrilling adventures of those daring who set out to conquer an alien planet.

With the dialect the reason is said to be the western drama to appear the advent of the talkies.

## "The Man From Mars"

Players At American  
Tuesday Night; Present  
New Play

The play, "The Man From Mars," will be the offering of the American Players at the American Theatre, Tuesday, January 7. Playgoers are compelled to see this hard and long for new picture. Many are turning to the stories to create sensation while others delve into the risqué channels. Not Clark, who has perhaps many good, wholesome

## WHAT IS A KIBITZER

What, or who, is a "kibitzer"?

The answer is found in the all-talking moving picture, "The Kibitzer," a Paramount production, showing at the Ellis Theatre, Saturday night only, where Harry Green, character comedian, in the title role, has been rocking audiences with mirth. Green is remembered for his exceptionally funny character portrayals in "Close Harmony" with Nancy Carroll and Buddy Rogers; "The Man I Love" with Richard Arlen and Mary Brian; and "Why Bring That Up?" with Moran and Mack. The "Two Black Crows." In "The Kibitzer" he is ably supported by Mary Brian and Neil Hamilton in the romantic leads, and a clever group of stage-famous actors in the character supports.

plays as any author of this day. Everybody is interested in the possible forthcoming possibility of communication and even travel to the planet Mars. In writing "The Man From Mars" Mr. Clark let his imagination have full swing, but his rare sense of humor manifests itself abundantly.

After having witnessed the powerful radium lights and radio signals of the American Astronautical Society on his native planet, this man built a rocket plane that would travel thru the space lighter than air and take wing again when it arrived in air and the earth's gravity. The story purports to be in the year of 1950. It is said the play affords a most interesting evening's entertainment whether it reveals a possible scientific solution of the future or not. The company will be most suitable cast, Fred J. Twyman playing

Carter Pens at The Herald Office.

## OUTSTANDING SCREEN PLAYS

JANUARY CALANDAR AT ELLIS  
THEATRE INCLUDES SEVERAL  
PICTURES OF REAL NOTE

The list of screen productions announced for the month of January at the Ellis Theatre, includes several pictures of high calibre, each of them outstanding in their particular field. If you can see only a limited number of pictures during the month, be sure to include these six programs in your list.

The first will appear Saturday night, "Kibitzer," an outstanding production from the great stage hit. The following Friday and Saturday, January 10 and 11 is the date set for the "Romance of the Rio Grande" which is another special attraction you should see.

On Friday and Saturday, January 17 and 18, is the great musical comedy hit, produced by Zeigfeld, "Glorifying the American Girl." An epochal picture will be shown the following week, January 24 and 25, "The Virginian".

During the last week in the month are two pictures of note "Marianne" on Monday and Tuesday, January 27 and 28 "The Cockeyed World" on the following Friday and Saturday. All of these pictures are all talking. Of course Harold Lloyd's new picture, "Welcome Danger" should be included in the list but most of you have seen it. If you haven't, by all means attend the last showing tonight, Thursday.

"The Man From Mars" and, Pat Patterson in the part of Snub Johnson, handy mechanic, will be seen in one of the best comedy parts he has had.

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# Attractions at the ... ELLIS THEATRE FOR COMING WEEK

Friday, January 3



## "THE FOUR FEATHERS"

A COOPER-SCHOEDSACK Production

Sound-Thrill  
Film Epic

WILLIAM POWELL  
RICHARD ARLEN  
FAY WRAY  
CLIVE BROOK  
NOAH BEERY



His sweetheart, his comrades call him a coward, but he proves his indomitable courage in the face of the most staggering adventures a man ever dared. Into the heart of Africa's lawless Sudan and danger-infested jungle went the cameramen to produce this stupendous wonder film. It holds you spell-bound with its mighty thrill-power.

A Paramount Picture

Also: All talking comedy and Fox Movietone News.

Monday--Tuesday, January 6-7

William Fox presents George Jessel in the all talking movietone drama —

## "LOVE, LIVE and LAUGH"

With Lila Lee, David Rollins, Henry Kolker and Kenneth MacKenna. Broadway's famous comedian singing, loving, playing on your heart-strings in a colorful drama of New York and Italy. Also: All talking comedy and Fox Movietone News.

Saturday, January 4

## "SURE, I CLEAN UP ON THE MARKET—"

and he cleans up on the Laughter Exchange, too!



## "THE KIBITZER"

WITH HARRY GREEN  
MARY BRIAN  
NEIL HAMILTON

Also: All talking comedy and Fox Movietone News.

Wednesday--Thursday, January 8-9

Lashed drama of hell-bent youth—drenched with jazz and lovely melody!

## "HALF MARRIAGE"

Featuring Olive Borden, Morgan Farley, Ann Greenway and Sally Blane. Spectacular music by Gus Arnheim's Hotel Ambassador Syncopators. Ken Murray, vaudeville favorite, and his merry-makers. Also: All talking comedy.

FRIDAY--SATURDAY, January 10-11



At The  
AMERICAN  
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Friday and Saturday  
Milton Sills and Dorothy  
Mackaill in—

## "The Barker"

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## CHRISTIAN CHURCH

L. O. Byerly, pastor—Phone 249  
Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.  
Communion and preaching, 10:45  
a. m.  
Young peoples meeting, 6:45 p. m.  
Preaching and singing 7:30 p. m.

Another year has gone. It has  
been a history making year. Many  
good and worthy enterprises have  
filled its pages. A new year is  
here with its pages white, its record  
yet unmade. What will be written  
upon its pages depends on what we  
"will" to do. Let us all "will" to  
do our best and 1930 will be the won-  
der year of our lives.

The subject of the Sunday school  
lesson "The Childhood of Jesus" of-  
fers us one of the best lessons we  
have had for many days. Come  
and join with us in a discussion of  
this subject.

The morning sermon, "Jesus, The  
Word of the First Confessor". This  
will be one of the best of the en-  
tire series on "Jesus" and we invite  
your attendance at our morning  
service.

At the evening hour we will speak  
to the subject "Memory and Hope".  
Special music at this service by or-  
chestra and choir. Plenty of good  
old time singing of songs you have  
loved for years.

The young people's meeting will  
be in charge of Rogers and Nies  
as leaders and from what I can hear  
they are planning on a very fine  
program. Let's all turn out and  
see what they can do. The juni-  
ors upstairs had nearly as many as  
the seniors down stairs last Sun-  
day evening and we don't want them  
to get ahead of us. Let's work hard  
for the biggest and best meetings  
ever held in Perryton.

## SERVICES AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school—10:00 a. m.  
Preaching services—11:00 a. m.  
and 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting, Wednesday—7:30  
p. m.  
Senior league, Sunday—6:30 p. m.  
Hi league Sunday—6:30 p. m.  
Junior league, Monday—4:00 p. m.  
Missionary society, Thursday—2:00  
p. m.  
Stewards meeting, second and  
fourth Monday—7:30 p. m.  
You are cordially invited to attend

## METHODIST CHURCH

There will be the regular services,  
Sunday. Communion at the morn-  
ing service. The evening sermon  
will be a New Year's message.

The date, January 19, is approach-  
ing when our revival services are  
to begin. Rev. Ed Morgan, Tex-  
arkana, will do the preaching. Let  
us all look forward to this time and  
do all in our power to make it a  
time when God's name will be hon-  
ored and men and women, boys and  
girls will acknowledge Christ as  
their Savior.

Last Sunday evening, the officers of  
the Woman's Missionary society  
were installed. This is one of the  
fine organizations of our church  
and we hope that 1930 will be a  
banner year in their work.

A welcome awaits all who wor-  
ship with us.

C. E. Pike, pastor.

## UNITY CHAPEL

Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. A  
good live class for everybody. E. S.  
Trollinger, superintendent.

Revival meetings at the Unity  
Chapel started this week and are  
now being held daily. Rev. Jack  
Neville, the "flying evangelist", is  
in charge. Rev. Neville is a mem-  
ber of the World Missionary coun-  
cil. He is a Union evangelist and  
a straight shooter. He is not a  
church fighter. Ministers and  
Christian people from all denomina-  
tions will be welcome in this  
meeting.

Services start at 7:30 p. m. Come.

## BAPTIST CHURCH

C. Lex Shelby, Pastor  
Sunday, January 5, 1930  
10:00—Sunday School  
11:00—Sermon: "The Real Christ  
His Love for Souls"  
6:30—Adult and Junior B. Y. P. U.  
The Seniors and Intermediates will  
render a program at Spearman.  
7:30—An evangelistic sermon.  
Tuesday, January 7.  
3:00—Dorcas class meeting with  
Mrs. Haskell Holland  
Wednesday, January 8  
7:30—Mid-week prayer meeting  
Thursday, January 9  
3:00—W. M. S. meets in circles  
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Allen had for  
their dinner guests Sunday Mr. and  
Mrs. R. T. Correll and children.

## B. Y. P. U. NOTES

The following program will be  
rendered Sunday, January 5, 1930  
at the Spearman Baptist Church at  
6:00 o'clock.

Reading—Laura Mae Sharpe  
Piano solo—selected, Mr. Funk  
Our Goal of Excellence—Miss  
Hicks.

Excellence in Organization—Anna  
Lee Hodges.

Excellence in Programs—W. J.  
Newman

Excellence in Social Life—Miss  
Mitchell

Excellence in Daily Devotion—  
Frank Mitchell.

Excellence in Giving—Glen Wil-  
son

Excellence in Church Loyalty—  
Marion Tucker

Faith is the Victory—Rosamond  
Jarvis.

## ORDINANCE 119

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING  
ORDINANCE NO. 56 WITH REF-  
ERENCE TO TREE-LINE ON  
STREETS IN THE CITY OF PER-  
RYTON, TEXAS, AND ADDITIONS  
THERE TO.

Be it ordained by the city coun-  
cil of the city of Perryton, Texas:  
SECTION 1. That all trees plant-  
ed or set out along the streets of  
the city of Perryton shall hereaf-  
ter be spaced and set as follows: On  
the sixty-foot streets in width, the  
trees shall be set on a line ten feet  
from the property line abutting on  
said street, which means ten feet  
from the property line towards the  
street which the same are plant-  
ed or set out.

SECTION 2. On all streets eighty  
feet in width, all trees shall be  
planted or set in a line fourteen  
feet from the property line abutting  
on said street, which means four-  
teen feet from the property line to-  
wards the street upon which the  
same are planted or set out.

SECTION 3. Trees planted upon  
any other line on the several streets  
of Perryton, Texas, other than as  
hereinabove provided, shall be sub-  
ject to removal and the expense  
of removing the same, after due  
notice to the owner of the prop-  
erty, or his agent, shall become a  
charge against the property and  
collected in the same manner as tax-  
es are collected, and be a lien upon  
such property where the same is  
not homesteaded, until fully paid.

SECTION 4. It shall be unlawful  
for any person, firm or corpora-  
tion, to set out or plant any trees  
upon any other line except as pro-  
vided herein and any person violat-  
ing this provision shall be deemed  
guilty of misdemeanor, and fined in  
any sum of not less than \$5.00 or  
more than \$25.00 for such violation.

Ordinance No. 56 is hereby im-  
paired and all other ordinances in  
conflict hereto.

This ordinance shall go into ef-  
fect and be in full force and effect  
from and after its passage and pub-  
lication as required by law.

Passed at a regular session of the  
City Council of the city of Perry-  
ton, Texas, on this 24 day of De-  
cember, 1929.

(Seal) C. E. FORBES, Mayor  
Attest J. C. BEEVER, CITY  
Secretary. 49-17-c

## NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that any  
and all contracts made by Sibley  
Jines, concerning any lands owned  
by the undersigned are null and  
void from this date. Signed at Per-  
ryton, Texas, this 28th day of De-  
cember 1929.

Mrs. Sherman Jines.

Mr. and Mrs. Arley G. Hurt, Shal-  
tuck, Okla. visited Mr. and Mrs.  
L. O. Byerly, Tuesday.

## LADDIE TUCKER

A pall of gloom was cast over the  
entire Perryton community Mon-  
day when the word went out that  
Laddie Tucker, thirteen year old son  
of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Tucker of  
this city, had passed away early  
that morning at the home of his  
parents. Laddie Tucker was born  
May 5, 1916 and died December  
30, 1929.

Laddie was favorite among his  
many friends in school, Sunday  
School, church, athletic affairs and  
Scouting. He was a very valuable  
member of Troop 3, Perryton Boy  
Scouts. Funeral services were held  
at the Baptist Church on Tuesday  
afternoon, Rev. C. Lex Shelby of-  
ficiating, with the Scouts of Troop  
3 assisting.

In Scout life, he came as nearly as  
possible to living the twelve Scout  
laws, and the simple ceremony at  
the grave where the Scouts laid  
twelve flowers on the casket rep-  
resenting the twelve Scout laws was  
very appropriate for Laddie was  
trustworthy, loyal, kind, helpful,  
friendly, courteous, obedient, cheer-  
ful, thrifty, brave, clean and rever-  
ent. More could not be said of  
any boy, and his loss is deeply felt  
by all who knew him.

To quote Rev. Shelby, "Laddie was  
the result of good training in the  
home, good blood in the family, and  
a real true spirit in the boy". The  
body was laid to rest in the Ochil-  
tree cemetery after the Scouts ren-  
dered the Scout benediction. Pall  
bearers were Dan Newman, Orville  
Newman, Dean McLarty, Charles  
Whippo Jr., Earl McClung and Claud  
Shearer. Scout Wilford Lance, Sen-  
ior Patrol, Troop 3, was in charge  
of the Scouts. Surviving relatives  
are the mother and father, three  
brothers: Marion, Lee and Eugene,  
and one sister, Doris.

Mrs. Toney Whitacre and daugh-  
ter, Mary Lucinda, of Oklahoma  
City, who are spending the holidays  
with relatives at Booker, visited with  
friends in Perryton Monday and  
Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Conley enter-  
tained with a delicious dinner on  
New Years day. Guests present  
were: Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Conley,  
Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lance and son,  
Wilfred, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Clay-  
baugh, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reagan,  
Mr. and Mrs. Audie Conley and  
daughter, Caroline, Myrtle Conley,  
Billie Ann, Stella Beth, Nora Jeanne  
and Peggy Jane Lamb.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Mynear,  
Mr. and Mrs. Ira Pellers, Spearman,  
Mr. and Mrs. M. T. McLain and  
family, Spearman, Mrs. Ida Merri-  
man, Kenneth Rayzor and J. M.  
Lawrence were dinner guests in the  
T. P. McLain home Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bull and  
granddaughter, Elouise, visited over  
Christmas with her sister, Mrs. R.  
L. Mound, Plainview, and with his  
brother and family, Bill Bull, Buf-  
falo Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Testerman and  
son of Tipton, Okla. spent Christ-  
mas with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Her-  
rell and Miss Anna Lee Hodges. Mrs.  
Testerman is a daughter of Mrs.  
Herrell.

Cherry pie with whipped cream,  
coffee and cocoa were served to the  
following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Sam  
Herger, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Shanks,  
Mr. and Mrs. W. B. LaMaster, Mr.  
and Mrs. E. E. Shupe, Mr. and Mrs.  
W. B. Irvin, Mr. and Mrs. A. C.  
Witt, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dodd and  
Mrs. M. R. Coffee.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Shearer enter-  
tained Christmas with a big turkey  
dinner. Guests present were: Mr.  
and Mrs. J. H. Shearer, Mr. and  
Mrs. Roland Shearer, John E. John-  
son and son, Homer, Mrs. O. E.  
Blank and son, Junior and Dean,  
and Miss Melba, Viola and Ralph  
Shearer.

Mrs. Fred Butler and children  
spent Thursday and Friday visiting  
in the home of her sister, Mrs. Ted  
Bail, Texhoma, Okla.

Miss Elizabeth Richardson and  
Miss Lorna Hutchinson left Tues-  
day to return to their school work  
after spending the holidays with  
relatives and friends here.

Henry Coffee, and daughter,  
Amarillo, were in Perryton Mon-  
day staying in the home of  
and Mrs. Roy B. Orrill and at-  
tending school in Perryton.



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cowl finish strip. All have roomy in-  
teriors. All bring you the safety, com-  
fort, power, speed, acceleration, ease of  
control, economy and long lived reli-  
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## SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY and SATURDAY

|               |                                  |        |
|---------------|----------------------------------|--------|
| HOMINY        | Van Camp's No. 2 1-2 can         | 10c    |
|               | Van Camp's Medium, 3 cans        | 25c    |
| RAISINS       | 4-lb. package                    | 29c    |
|               | 2-lb. package                    | 19c    |
| CATSUP        | Van Camp's large bottle          | 19c    |
| COMPOUND      | 4-lb. Swift's Jewel              | 59c    |
|               | 8-lb. Swift's Jewel              | \$1.19 |
| PICKLES       | per quart, sour                  | 25c    |
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At one o'clock refreshments of sandwiches, hot chocolate, cake and candy was served to Mrs. Carroll Dodd, Mrs. Don Penn, Miss Ione Packard, Miss Lorene Coffee, Miss Bessie Littleton and Miss Lola Belle Barbour. Next morning after an enjoyable and fully earned breakfast, the guests returned to their homes.

**Miss Coffee Entertains**  
On Friday afternoon, December 27 at three o'clock Miss Lorene Coffee, who is home from S. M. U. for the holidays, entertained a few friends for bridge at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Coffee. For success in playing, Miss Elizabeth Richardson received first prize and Mrs. Vance Apple won the consolation.

Unique and delicious refreshments were served to the following guests: Miss Kathryn Shearer, Miss Lola Belle Barbour, Miss Helen Bucklin, Miss Ione Packard, Miss Elizabeth Richardson, Mrs. Vance Apple and Mrs. Don Penn.

**Entertains With Party**  
One of the most delightful parties of the holiday season was given Friday evening with Miss Lola Belle Barbour as hostess at her home, 504 McMillen St.

A variety for the evening was a twenty minute carnival that bore amusing resemblances to a real carnival. A new kind of contest was introduced at which Mrs. T. C. Shaw and Marion Tucker proved the lucky ones and were awarded prizes, the consolation going to Helen Bucklin and T. C. Shaw.

Guests in attendance were: Miss Ione Packard, Miss Helen Bucklin, Miss Lorene Coffee, Miss Elizabeth Richardson, Miss Lorna Hutchinson, Jack Todd, Henry Richardson, Marion Tucker, Ralph Shearer, Leon Myers, Mansel Coffee, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E. Barbour.

**Six O'clock Dinner**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shearer, who have just recently moved into their new home, entertained with a six o'clock dinner on last Thursday evening. Plates were laid for Miss Fern Leatherman, Miss Ione Packard, Paul Packard, Roy Thrush and Ralph Shearer.

**Celebrate Birthdays**  
Mrs. W. G. Hibbs prepared a delightful turkey dinner on last Sunday. The occasion was in honor of the sixty-first birthday of her husband and the eighteenth birthday of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. James Hibbs. Both anniversaries fell on Sunday. Others to partake of this celebration were Mr. and Mrs. Russ Thomas, Ludene and Ralph Taliaferro, J. F. Day, James Hibbs and daughter and Mary and Frank Hibbs.

**Forty-two Party**  
Guests for an evening of progressive forty-two in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richardson helped to make the holiday season more gay.

After several hours of delightful playing, Mrs. D. D. Shanks and Sam Hergert were awarded prizes for successful playing and Mrs. W. B. LaMaster and W. B. Irvin were given the consolations.

**Watch Party**  
On New Year's Eve, a party to "watch the old year out" was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Claybaugh. Bridge was enjoyed throughout the evening. Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Claybaugh, Topeka, Kans. Mr. and Mrs. Miles Edwards, Mr. and Mrs.

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T. D. Moss, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hays, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Penn, Anne Sellers, J. B. Cartwright, Arch Talley and Myrtle Conley.

**Kodak Party**  
On Sunday afternoon a party of young folks enjoyed the beautiful afternoon kodaking at the Jines Springs. Included in the happy crowd were Elizabeth Richardson, Ione Packard, Lorene Coffee, Lola Belle Barbour, Bessie Littleton, Ralph Shearer, Marion Tucker, Henry Richardson, Jack Todd, and Mansel Coffee.

**Honoring Elizabeth and Marie Hurter**  
An enjoyable card party was given Monday evening, December 30, at the J. B. Cartwright home in honor of Misses Elizabeth and Marie Hurter, home from college for the holidays. At a late hour dainty refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pletcher and children, Misses Faye Morris, Pauline Devers, Freda Lindaman, Blanche and Bessie Rogers, Ella Mae and Esther Pletcher, John Pletcher, Bernard Hurter, Jesse Morris, Clyde and John Devers, Dallas Taliaferro, Allen Wagner, Robert Roberts Jr., Russell Nowlin, Quin Lemon, Billie Pletcher, Frank Holdeman, Miss Gabrielle Black, Miss Nina Helton, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Whippo, the honor guests and the Cartwright boys.

**Another Holiday Gathering**  
Robert Roberts Jr., a student at Lubbock Tech, gave a most delightful party at the home of his parents on last Saturday evening. The time passed quickly with "42" as chief amusement. Phil Cartwright and Cyrus LaMaster proved the lucky players.

Guests for the evening were Blanche and Bessie Rogers, Bessie Littleton, Vivian, Esther, Ella Mae and Wilma Pletcher, Viola and Lucile Francis, Ludene and Woods Taliaferro, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Pletcher, Mrs. R. H. Francis, R. S. Campbell, Harvey and Jake Pletcher, Travis Flowers, Robert Waller, Walter and Cyrus LaMaster, R. P. Garrison, Phil Cartwright, Harold and Truman Garrison, Ralph Francis and Mart Wagner.

**Family Gathering**  
The J. C. Beever home was the scene of a happy gathering last Wednesday as all the children and their families were home for Christmas. Mrs. Beever served a big turkey with all the fixings. Enjoying the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Beever and daughter, Audrey, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Black, Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Isley and son, Junior, Roy Beever and E. E. Marshall.

**Mr. and Mrs. Shanks Entertain With Party**  
Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Shanks very charmingly entertained a few friends on last Thursday evening with forty-two. Christmas decorations adorned the rooms, tastefully arranged for the games. Mrs. A. C. Witt and A. C. Nies won prizes for high

score and Mrs. A. C. Nies and E. E. Shupe were consoled by the "boobies".

**Beardsley-Mann**  
Wedding bells and Christmas bells intermingled their joyous chimes Tuesday evening, December 24, when Miss Marguerite Beardsley and Mr. Horace Mann were united in marriage at seven-thirty o'clock in the home of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beardsley.

Rev. L. O. Byerly performed the ceremony in the presence of the brides parents and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mayo, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hutson, Vilas, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Foster, Springfield, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Christopher.

Mrs. Mann is a graduate of the Perryton high school and attended the University of California one year. At the time of her marriage she was employed as stenographer for the Allen Abstract Company. During her school days and since Mrs. Mann has won many a friend by her winning personality.

Mr. Mann is the son of E. E. Mann, Mammouth, Ill. where he spent the greater part of his school days, coming to Perryton as a senior, the last half of the season to graduate with honors. He later attended Mammouth college. He is employed as clerk at the post office.

At present Mr. and Mrs. Mann are visiting with her parents. Their new home in the Glendale addition will be completed for them in a few days. The good wishes of their many friends goes with them in life's journey.

**Dinner Guests**  
Guests for turkey dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wilson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Hobbs Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Wilson and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wilson and daughter, Mrs. Margaret Evans and daughter, Mrs. W. W. Blackburn and her brother, Mr. Maddock of Sayre, Okla., Jim England and John Schollenberger.

**Entertain With Dinner**  
Mr. and Mrs. French Lawrence had as their guests for dinner Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. Ecton

Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lawrence and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown and children, Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Lawrence and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Stark and children, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Gibson, Claude Stephenson, Miss Lella Graham, Quitaque, Misses Verna, Okla Mae and Ruth Lawrence.

The above party was entertained again on Friday with a big dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ecton Lawrence. Mr. and Mrs. Delos Word and daughter were also present.

**Bridge Guests**  
Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hartman had as their guests for an evening of progressive bridge, Friday, December 27, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Apple, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dodd, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lemon, Booker, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Whippo, Mrs. Mervil Bybee and son, Elmer, of Pollett, Miss Helene Orr, Alice Evans, Ralph Hatchett and Arthur Turner.

**Entertains With Charming Party**  
Mrs. Robert Lawrence and Mrs. J. R. Thomas were hostesses for an evening of progressive bridge on Monday, December 30 at the home of Mrs. Robert Lawrence.

After a delightful evening refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Delos Word, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Jim King, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Key, Myrtle Conley, Arch Talley, J. R. Thomas and Robert Lawrence.

**Christmas Dinner**  
The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Willey was a scene of beauty and mirth on Christmas morning, when Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dodson and baby, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Halsey and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Russell and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wagon and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Willey and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Willey, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Willey and Miss Helen Gaye, Spearman, gathered in to spend the day with them.

The house was beautiful in its Christmas decoration. Santa had been good to the children and they were happy.

After a splendid dinner, the young folks came in town to a picture show. The older people enjoyed a social hour with games and visiting.

**Sherman Enterline assisted at** the post office during the holiday rush.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keith, who recently sold out the Perryton Cleaners, left last Thursday for Canjilon, New Mexico, to make their future home. Mr. Keith has several sections of land there which they will improve.

**A delightful Christmas dinner** was served at the A. L. Collingsworth home for the family, several relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Johnson, Perryton; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Collinsworth and family, Hardesty; Ralph Parsons, Guymon; Bob Johnson and family and S. L. Johnson and family of Range; Lonnie Johnson and family, Springfield, Colo.; and Paul Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown spent New Years visiting with his parents at Higgins.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hutchinson, Newkirk, Okla. and his sister, Mrs. A. C. Ware, Stillwater, Okla. visited Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Orrill and with Miss Roberta Hutchinson. Mrs. Hutchinson is a sister of Mrs. Orrill and Miss Roberta is a sister of Mr. Hutchinson and Mrs. Ware.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Malvin Jackson and daughter, Anita, spent Christmas with his parents at Hollis, Okla.

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by ARTHUR SOMERS ROCHE  
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Faunce dived into his cabin; he returned carrying a double-barreled shotgun. And now Lucy noted a bulge in her husband's hip pocket; a delightful anticipatory shudder ran up and down her spine. This promise excitement. Well, she'd always thrived on it.

Over his shoulder, dog-trotting toward the waterway, Stevens called back to his two followers:

"They've probably blocked the roads leading down to the development, and we'd never get through the guard."

"If we sneak up in your rowboat, Fergus, old kid, we'll beat 'em to the punch."

What, thought Lucy, had inspired, or caused, or aroused this apparent intimacy between Tim and Fergus? Was it money, the surest bond of all? Did Fergus accept Tim because he hoped to be made wealthy? But that didn't seem like Fergus.

Tim ceased rowing. Ahead could be heard the confused murmur of many voices.

"They're on the first bridge," whispered Tim.

"Then we're too late," she groaned.

She heard an inarticulate ejaculation from her husband. Then:

"Thought you wanted to see a fair fight, Lucy. Well, be patient." He leaned toward Faunce, yet in the calm night she heard his words.

"If I can keep one bridge standing, I'm all right," he said. "So . . . we'll throw 'em off this first one. All set? Aw-right!"

He dug his oars into the water, and the skiff shot around a bend; it was beneath a bridge before the men on it realized what was in their midst. Stevens stood up; his hands gripped a bridge timber and he had climbed, like any huge cat, upon the bridge itself. She heard his great booming voice:

"Welcome, friends! Didn't expect you or you'd have had a better reception. But, surprised as we are, we'll do the best we can. Do you prefer to be pushed off this bridge or thrown off? We aim to please."

The skiff had drifted under the bridge, and now Faunce was standing up, gripping at the timbers above. She would not be left alone; rising, she stepped the length of the boat, and placed her fingers upon the plankings of the bridge. She was standing by her husband just as a voice cried:

"Knock him over; he's all alone."

"Oh, I wouldn't say that," commented Faunce. His shot-gun was slung across one arm.

From the shore of the stream another voice called:

"Three of them. Well, there are twenty of us."

Tiger-like, her husband moved. There was a stifled cry, a choking protest, something whirled through the air, and a splash from the stream.

"Only nineteen now," his great voice boomed. "Who's next for the bath?"

There were four men upon the bridge, but as he moved closer, they shrank back.

"Wait a minute," cried a third voice. "I'm the sheriff of this county, and I came here to see that law and order is observed. These people expected trouble and called on me for aid. These men are all

my deputies and I order you to cease resisting their lawful occupation and consider yourself under arrest."

"No one could put it more beautifully," laughed Stevens. "Getting a nice fat bribe, sheriff?"

"By God! don't you hint at me doing anything crooked!" cried the sheriff.

"Was I hinting? Didn't mean to. Let me state it again. I accuse you of being bribed. You're a nasty fat crook, and if you don't take your men to hell off my property I'll kill a few of you. Do you get me?"

The humor had died from his voice; it was menacing, ugly, fraught with deadly intent.

"Look here, Stevens. This is Clem Clary speaking. The copper magistrate stood upon the bank, close to where the man hurried into the stream had clattered soggy ashore."

"Well, speak," said Stevens.

"The law's with us, Stevens," said Clary. "Better give in, or we'll rush you."

Stevens's answer was not made in words but in actions. He leaped forward; his big fist thudded on the jaw of one of the men on the bridge.

The man went down, rolled over, and fell into the water. The skirmish ended there. The other three fled. Stevens pursued to the end of the bridge.

With Faunce at his elbow, he addressed Clary.

"I'm armed; so is Dr. Faunce. If one man puts his foot on this bridge we'll shoot to kill. Got it?"

"You're under arrest!" bawled the sheriff.

Stevens laughed.

"All right; come take me."

The sheriff moved toward the bridge, but stopped ten feet away.

"Go on, Maddox!" cried Clary. "Go on to let him bluff you out of it!"

"The only way to find out if a man's bluffing is to call him," said Stevens, sweetly. "My chips are right in the center of the table. Who calls?"

"Resisting arrest, breach of the peace."

Stevens cut short the sheriff's cries.

"I haven't resisted arrest, Maddox. In fact, I've invited you to come over here and arrest me. But you're such a shy little crook."

"Maddox! You're yellow! Your parents ran away from the Confederate Army and came down to the Florida swamps and spawned like the vermin they were. You'd lynch a nigger when you're a hundred to one, but one bandit laughs at a thousand like you. You shoot in the back and never face to face. You want to arrest me. Well, here I am."

He paused and turned to Lucy.

"Sorry; promised you a real fight, but it takes two to make one."

"You'll regret this, Stevens," said Clary.

"Not half so much as you're regretting it right now," retorted Stevens. "But you're not going to pull down these bridge this night, old man. Nor any other night. You may buy a sheriff or a marshal, but a judge is something else again, old top. And say, I'm getting tired of all this. The land you're on is my property, just as this bridge is. Get off it!"

"Don't overplay your hand, Stevens," advised Clary.

"No? Much obliged for the advice. But when I gamble I bet all I have. Now I'm betting that there isn't a man in your gang that has the real sand of a rat. . . . Fergus, let's clean 'em out. Shoot the first man that hesitates."

Lucy had read of men dominating a mob, frightening them, but this was no mob that Stevens and Fergus overawed. These were obviously hired bullies, and among them was an officer of the law. Yet as Tim and Fergus advanced upon them the superior numbers retreated. Even old Clary, who stood ground until the last, suddenly turned and ran. What had promised great excitement, even tragedy, degenerated into farce, into burlesque.

And yet it had not been Tim's fault. The way he had tossed a man into the water, knocked another off the bridge. . . . And Fergus had shown gallantry. These were two magnificent men, no matter what else might be said about one of them. As fighting animals. . . . They returned to the bridge.

"This midnight stuff is my justification," Stevens was saying. "But when they come back, in daylight, with a proper warrant for my arrest, I shan't have the excuse that I didn't believe Maddox was the sheriff."

Fergus, we must have an injunction by morning. Now, Judge Leaming is in Palm Beach. He has jurisdiction over this territory. He's at El Verano Hotel. Wake him out of bed, get him to issue an injunction against Clary, against the sheriff, against the town officials, against everybody, ordering them to restrain from destroying these bridges. We've saved the others, you'll notice. They're afraid we mean business and will start shooting. Come back here. Round up a few people to make it look better. They might buck an injunction, you know."

He whistled gustily.

"Slip into the skiff; you'll have to wade or swim for it; see it down there, against the bank? Row back to Mango Key, hop into your car, and make your get-away. Of course they may be laying for you on the way, but show them the old shot-gun."

"We'll hope you make it."

"Why couldn't I go, leaving you two to handle them if they decide to try again. If they summon up courage enough," suggested Lucy.

Stevens frowned.

"They won't rush us, but they might try to surprise—block the way for a car, and when you stopped jump you. I don't like the idea of my wife in the hands of that gang."

"Mr. Clary wouldn't let them actually harm me," said Lucy. "He's a wicked odd devil, but after all, I'm a friend of his wife."

"How in blazes is she going to find her way back to Mango Key?" objected Stevens.

"I can row a boat," said Lucy, "and when I reach the mouth of the creek I simply turn north, to the left, and when the waterway narrows I'm opposite Mango Key. The moon's gone, but the stars give enough light. Of course I can do it, if you'll get the boat for me. I hate to be all muddy."

"She's right, Tim," said Faunce, again.

Stevens shrugged, then yielded. He fetched the boat, placing the oars carefully in Lucy's hands, and shoved her off.

"I think I owe you a lot of thanks," he whispered. "You certainly saved my bacon."

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my digestion is perfect and all my stomach trouble is over. I am well and strong and full of new strength and energy. Sargon Pills stimulated my liver and cleansed my system of all poisons."—Dan J. Thompson, 903 Waverly Ave., principal of the Reinhardt Public School, Dallas, City Drug Co., Perryton, Texas, Agents. 49-11-c

Many a circular finds the waste-basket without being read.

When you buy valve caps, get the kind that fit your valves. Some wheels require bent valves and some use the straight ones. There are caps to fit both.

### A WINTER FORECAST

There's something funny about the weather shark. No matter how far he may miss it, he always manages to forget his failures and turn up a little later with another prediction.

We feel sure many citizens around Perryton recall the prediction of the Chicago scientist, a Mr. Brown, that two years ago would be "a year without a summer." They will also probably remember how far he missed it. Well, Mr. Brown wasn't squeaked with that failure. He is with us again, and this time to predict that the winter just ahead of us is going to be composed of a little of everything, though not enough cold to class it as a "hard winter." He says there will be many light falls of snow, but that most of them will come toward the end of the season. He predicts plenty of sleet and ice and an unusual amount of high wind. Foliage, still green at the time he made his prediction, leads him to believe that this will be what we

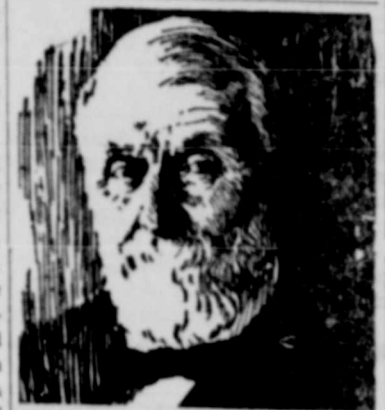
usually call an "open winter," and one without excessive moisture.

We have no means of knowing how many of our readers, if any, set any store by these self-appointed forecasters. Neither do we know whether or not they follow their predictions, or if they prefer to do their own guessing. But we do know that the weather is still the favorite topic of conversation, so we are offering Mr. Brown's forecast in the hope that it may add a little interest to the subject.

### MARRIED WOMAN FEARS GAS—EATS ONLY BABY FOOD

"For 3 years I ate only baby food, everything else formed gas. Now, thanks to Adlerika, I eat anything and enjoy life."—Mrs. M. Gum.

Just ONE spoonful Adlerika relieves all GAS so you can eat and sleep better. Acts on BOTH up-



### SAME PRESCRIPTION—HE WROTE IN 1892

When Dr. Caldwell started to practice medicine, back in 1875, the needs for a laxative were not as great as today. People lived normal lives, ate plain, wholesome food, and got plenty of fresh air. But even that early there were drastic physics and purges for the relief of constipation which Dr. Caldwell did not believe were good for human beings.

The prescription for constipation that he used early in his practice, and which he put in drug stores in 1892 under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is a liquid vegetable remedy, intended for women, children and elderly people, and they need just such a mild, safe bowel stimulant.

This prescription has proven its worth and is now the largest selling liquid laxative. It has won the confidence of people who needed it to get relief from headaches, biliousness, flatulence, indigestion, loss of appetite and sleep, bad breath, dyspepsia, colds, fevers. At your druggist, or write "Syrup Pepsin," Dept. BB, Monticello, Illinois, for free trial bottle.

per and lower bowel removing poisons you never knew were there, and which caused your stomach trouble. No matter what you have tried for stomach and bowels, Adlerika will surprise you!—Perryton Drug Company. F-3

### Long Struggle Nearing An End

"Few Bottles of Orgatone Have Done Me More Good Than All Else Combined," Says Amarillo Mother

"I've had a long hard struggle with ill health, but by the help of Orgatone I have found relief at last," said Mrs. L. M. Hassell, re-

siding at 1610 Buchanan St., Amarillo, Texas.

"I had gall bladder trouble and indigestion so bad for two years that my life was miserable, but I'm a whole lot better since I began taking Orgatone, and medicine that is doing so much for suffering people can't be praised too much. I've spent lots of money trying to get some ease but it's the truth, two bottles of Orgatone has done me more real good than everything else I ever took combined.

"When I first began taking it I couldn't eat anything without it hurting me. Any of the heavy or nourishing foods sour on my stomach and I would be very bilious. I

was fearfully nervous and when I fell asleep at night the least noise would wake me. My head would get so dizzy at times that I would reel.

"What caused me to take Orgatone was reading so many statements about others in the papers and now I'm talking Orgatone every chance I get. I can eat just anything I want and enjoy it and never feel the slightest bad effects from it. I sleep every night and as to my gall

bladder trouble it is so much better that I hardly notice it any more. I'm still improving every day and it's a pleasure to tell others about the medicine that done so much for me."

Genuine Orgatone is manufactured by one of the world's largest laboratories and is not a so-called secret or patent remedy but a new scientific bile treatment and is sold in Perryton by the Shindler Drug Co. 49-11-c

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On Display Saturday At The—  
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**SINGER SEWING Machines**, standard of the world for 77 years. We give free service. See our Deluxe electric. Sold on easy payments. L. E. Byrd agent at Stansberry Electric Co. 48-1f-c

**RADIATORS** repaired, brakes re-limed—the place to get your soldering done. Cone's Radiator Shop. In first block south of City Hall. 48-1f-c

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—Going produce business with real estate, trucks, etc. Shearer Produce Co., Perryton, Texas. 36-1f-c

**GLASS AND TOPS**—Replaced and radiators repaired at Perryton Body and Fender Works. 11-1f-c

**NO HUNTING ON KING RANCH**

This is to notify any and all persons that no hunting will be allowed on any of the lands belonging to J. A. King and sons. Trespassers will be arrested and prosecuted for violation of this order. 48-9f-p

**EXPERT RADIO REPAIRING**—All models and makes. Latest up-to-date service equipment used. Guaranteed work. Just phone 230. City Electric Shop, J. C. Reagan, prop. 48-1f-c

**FOR SALE**—Universal gas ranges, full enamel, insulated oven. Brand new. Call Herald office. 48-2f-p

**FOR RENT**—Sleeping room. Phone 213. Mrs. Orval Jacobs, 315 McMillen St. 49-1f-c

**FOR SALE**—Fresh Holstein cow. G. E. Wilson. 49-1f-c

**FOR RENT**—Two room furnished apartment with adjoining bath. 920 South Main, Mrs. C. A. Pryor. 49-1f-c

**FOR RENT**—Light housekeeping rooms. Mrs. J. T. Guthrie, phone 181. 49-1f-c

**FOR RENT**—Light housekeeping rooms. Mrs. R. N. Enfield. 49-1f-c

Dr. Powell, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, will be at Dr. Brewer's office, Tuesday, January 7. Glasses fitted, tonsils and adenoids removed. 49-1f-c

Mrs. W. R. Slaton, Las Vegas, New Mexico, is visiting with her mother, Mrs. B. H. Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Whippo had as their guests for dinner Christmas day: Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Wilson, and son, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Thurman, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Whippo and sons, Charles Jr. and Bobbie, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Correll and children and T. W. Mead.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Payne Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Payne, Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ayers and children, Canadian, and Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Walde and Jack Payne.

Among the out-of-town guests present at the big Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Terhune in this city, were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Webb and children, Vernon, Texas; and H. L. Terhune and daughter, Miss Earline, also of Vernon. Mrs. Webb is a daughter of the Terhunes.

Misses Eva and Gertrude Glasgow had as their dinner guests Christmas day, Miss Dorothy McLarty, Brewer Guthrie, Seldon Caradine and Wayne Paet.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Flowers served dinner Sunday to a number of relatives and old schoolmates who were home for the holidays. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Lester Portwood, Tulsa; Oscar Flowers, home from Baylor college; Clem Flowers, a student at Wayland college; Noel Keith, Canadian; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Buchanan, Miss Alice Roberts and Miss Jewel Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Moss and daughter, Mary Ellen, visited over the Christmas holidays with his parents at Erick, Okla.

Sanford Dodson left Tuesday evening for Texhoma, Okla., where he will take charge of the Magnolia wholesale company.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Leatherman had turkey dinner for their children Christmas day. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Oyger and sons, Mr. and Mrs. John Brodie and daughter, and Misses Fern and Ada Leatherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Bowen of near Booker entertained Christmas with a turkey dinner. Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cutter, Mrs. Elizabeth Cutter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Cutter, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Thrower and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bowen and daughter, Ena Mae of Booker.

## HOUSE FOR SALE!

Three room house, close in, three blocks from the schoolhouse. Water and lights. Fifty by one hundred forty lot. Good garage. Van W. Stewart at Herald office. 44f-dh

**CEMENT WORK**—If you want cement work done right now, we can serve you. Our motto is "Service and Quality". J. W. Ferguson, Perryton, Texas. 47-1f-c

**FOR SALE**—Jersey springer heifers. After seven years of weeding and breeding I can now offer you choice Jersey heifers of proven dams. L. M. Sims, Booker, Texas. 48-4f-p  
toms, \$10.00; pullets, \$5.00. Phone 31-53. J. A. Depew, box 24. 47-1f-c

**FOR EXCHANGE**—A Detroit-Jewell stove for an oil range. See stove at Herald office or write Carl Free, Booker, Texas. 47-1f-c

**FOR SALE**—White porcelain gas range with oven. Call at B. Y. C. Store. 37-1f-c

**FOR SALE**—J. R. Watkins products, spices, extracts, toilet articles and medical preparations. See or call J. T. Carlson, 718 Hanna St., phone 123. 27-1f-c

**FOR RENT**—Light housekeeping rooms. Mrs. Ed Garrison. 49-2f-c

**FOR RENT**—Light housekeeping rooms. Mrs. J. M. Bull. 49-1f-c

**LOST**—Rose felt hall rug, Thursday. Reward if return to A. E. Nowlin at Trolinger Apt. No. 4. 49-1f-p

**LOST**—Bentus wrist watch between Baptist church and C. E. Stone store Sunday, December 22. Reward for information leading to recovery. Frank Mitchell, phone 70. 49-2f-c

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—Cheap. A 1928 Chevrolet Landau Sedan, in good condition. H. T. Henry at Wilson Funeral Home. 49-1f-c

Mrs. Cal Harris, who has been employed at the Perryton Mercantile company for several months left Saturday evening to join her husband at Goodwell, Okla. Mr. Harris has been there for the past few weeks connected with the Ideal Food company's store at that place.

The Scott Brothers grain company was broken into again last Friday night. The money drawer was riddled of change, which was only a few pennies. The robbers were unable to get into the safe. Nothing else was missed. Several fingerprints were taken. No other clue has yet been found.

Mrs. Jack Lusher served dinner Christmas day at the home of her mother. Plates were laid for Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Brewer, Dr. G. L. Kengle, Joe Bockman and Jack Lusher.

Mrs. Frank McNulty entertained with a surprise dinner Monday honoring the birthday anniversary of her husband. Other dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Nowlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Key had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Key, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dodd, Arch Talley, Miss Elizabeth Henry, and V. W. Richardson and Myrtle Conley.

Guests for Christmas dinner in the home of Mrs. Bula Yoakley were Grandma Dowers, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dowers, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dowers, Harold Apel and the Yoakley children.

Mrs. Allen King spent the Christmas holidays visiting with relatives at Snyder, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Virb Conley visited Sunday and Monday with friends at McLean. Miss Sybil Graham returned with them for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Blakemore, Liberal, spent Saturday and Sunday in the A. B. Hammon home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Wallace have moved into their new home in the Glendale addition.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Ranspot, Denver, Colo. and Mrs. J. M. Woods, Albany, sister and mother of Mrs. Jack Allen, are visiting in the Allen home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Allen of Grandview, Okla. are the parents of a nine and one-half pound daughter born Sunday December 29, 1929.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Partridge and daughter, Mrs. Marie Ferguson and son, of near Gray, Okla. recently returned from a three months trip visiting with relatives in Illinois and Arkansas.

**FOR SALE**—Brand new Coleman gasoline heating stove. Can be had at a bargain. Call at Herald office. 48-1f-c

**PAINTING**—Paper hanging. Prices right. Work guaranteed. Samples shown in your home. Phone 235. Jack H. Steele. 2-1f-c

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**ALWAYS READY** to do your concrete work. We are better equipped than ever before and are prepared to do all kinds of concrete work. I. F. Berkstresser. 39-1f-c

**FOR RENT** bedroom in modern home. Chas. Orr. 48-1f-c

**WANTED**—To hear at once from owner only who has one-half section of improved land for sale near Perryton or Booker. Have cash for right party. For information see Editor of Herald or write N. C. Morris, Booker, Texas. 48-3f-p

**FOR SALE**—Five burner Perfection oil range at a bargain. See F. P. Rogers. 49-2f-c

**FOR SALE**—One three year old Duroc-Jersey boar, registered, weight about 500 pounds. Pois and Shultz. 49-2f-c

**STRAYED**—Black saddle horse, two white spots on front of face. Notify Herald office if found. Pois & Shultz. 49-2f-c

**FOR RENT**—Three room furnished house. Call Mrs. B. H. Murphy. 49-1f-c

**FOR EXCHANGE**—A Detroit-Jewell gas stove for an oil stove. See stove at Herald office or write Carl Free, Booker, Texas. 49-1f-c

Beca, Zora and Arlie Gray visited Thursday with Delta, Alice and Idlene Winfrey.

Judge J. M. Grigsby, Mrs. J. C. May and daughters, Helen and Maxine, and Mrs. T. W. Carver, Canadian, and Clyde Grigsby, Dallas, left last Thursday for Chickasha, Okla. to visit in the homes of Mr. Grigsby's brothers where they were having a family reunion. They returned Sunday evening reporting a grand time.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Landtroop, Plainview, spent the holidays visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Gibson. Sunday morning Mr. Landtroop had charge of the services at the Baptist church.

Mrs. Theo. H. Pickle visited several days last week with Miss Gabrielle Black and Mrs. Spencer Whippo in the J. B. Cartwright home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lawson drove to Guymon, Okla. Sunday to take E. J. Cosgrove, who has been employed for several months at the Stewart Printing Co. From there he will go to Boise City, Okla.

Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Jarvis drove to Guymon, Okla. Saturday to meet Mrs. Jarvis's brother, D. H. Powers of Spearman who is returning from a six weeks stay at the Mayo clinic, Rochester, Minn.

Miss Beatrice Blakemore who is a student in the St. Charles college at St. Louis, Mo. visited Thursday in the home of her sister, Mrs. A. B. Hammon. Mrs. T. J. Blakemore and Mrs. S. H. Blakemore of Liberal, Kans. accompanied her.

Mrs. W. B. McLarty and children visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Travis, Follett.

Carter Pens at the Herald office.

## LEGION AND AUXILIARY MEETING NEXT MONDAY

The first regular meeting of the Pierce Johnson American Legion Post and Auxiliary Unit will be held at Legion Hall next Monday evening, January 6. A full attendance of all members and eligible members of both organizations is desired. Remember the date.

## A CORRECTION

An error appearing in our story of the car wreck of Saturday, December 14, has been called to our attention and we are glad to make this correction.

It was the Meyers car that was going north from Perryton and in attempting to pass another car going in the same direction collided head-on with the Kerns car, headed south.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Christopher and Key and Willen were Christmas guests in the home Mrs. Christopher's mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Davis, Miami.

Calvin Flowers was in Amarillo last week and had his tonsils removed. He is at home now and getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Whippo, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Byerly and Mrs. Theo. H. Pickle were dinner guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Whippo.

Miss Kathryn Shearer, teacher in the Booker school, spent New Years with home folks.

Mrs. Louie Tucker and daughter, Doris, returned Friday from a few days visit with her parents in Oklahoma.

Maxine and Glen Wright who have been attending school in Wisconsin spent the holidays visiting with their mother, Mrs. Cleo Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Claybaugh returned to their home at Topeka, Kans. Wednesday morning after a weeks visit in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Claybaugh.

Mrs. W. J. Mitchell returned Sunday from spending the holidays with her parents at Oklahoma City.

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Miss Margaret Shearer, Milton, Pa. Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Dierberger, Oklahoma City, and Misses Elizabeth and Ruth Pope, Enid, Okla. spent last week-end visiting in the homes of Mrs. Dierberger's brothers, J. H. and Otis Shearer.

Roy Christopher left Tuesday for San Antonio to attend a convention of the Hartford Insurance company. He expects to be away about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Keim and children, Spearman, and Mrs. Walter Keim and Frank Keim were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Carlson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hartman had for their dinner guests Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Jones, Phil Milam and daughter, Betty, and L. D. Garrison.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Herrell and daughter, Anna Lee Hodges, motored to Amarillo Thursday to visit with Mrs. Herrell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Welch.

Mrs. G. L. Waltman, Miss Posey Waltman and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilson and son, James Andrew, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Irvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward McLain, Lamar, Colo. are visiting this week in the home of his brother, M. T. McLain and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Willey, Oru-ver, visited Christmas day in the home of Mrs. J. M. Willey.

## EAT MEAT OR BE EATEN

New York. — Lorenze Hagenback, who has come to America to act as adviser to leading zoos, says that persons who eat a great deal of meat can walk right up to lions and tigers without having the trouble of

being picked for a says this authority. smell like a lion or wildcats will give him tenion. Antelope however, feel no fear meat-eater. Vee come within the range tigers, Hagenback d

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