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Chamber of Commerce Annual Membership Banquet, Thurs. February 8, School Cafeteria

Garnet Reeves, Secretary-Manager Pampa Chamber of Commerce to Talk on "Team Work at the Top O' Texas" at Meeting

The annual membership banquet of the Perryton Chamber of Commerce will be held on Thursday evening, February 8, seven o'clock, in the high school cafeteria. The American Legion Auxiliary will serve the banquet. The ticket sale will get under way tomorrow under the direction of the following committee: Virgil R. Castle, chairman; Sam Hergert, E. W. LeMaster, O. E. Burk, A. N. Dowers and Harry Nail. Price of tickets, \$1.00.

JUST HERE AND THERE

A recent story in a North Platte, Nebraska newspaper states that the state highway engineers of Nebraska and South Dakota have informed the American Association of State Highway Officials that they approve that the present U. S. Highway No. 182 from just west of Dresden, Kansas north through McCook, North Platte and Valentine to Pierre, S. D. be redesignated as U. S. 83 and that the present route of U. S. 83 from just west of Dresden, Kansas to Norton, Alma, Kerney and Taylor to Pierre be redesignated as U. S. 183.

They stated that the approval of the Kansas state highway engineer is expected to be forthcoming as so little of the route is in Kansas. If this change in numbering is made, it will be due to the efforts of the Great Plains Highway Association. Three Perryton men, Judge Geo. M. Perry, W. B. LeMaster and R. T. Shindler have been active in the Great Plains since it was founded and work started toward getting a great north and south arterial highway through Perryton.

When U. S. 83 was redesignated, the route through Nebraska was dodged many miles to the east due to sand hills with no passable highways north from North Platte to Valentine. Part of this "bad lands" gap has been completed and the remainder will soon be under construction. So it appears that soon the dream of these pioneer road builders will soon be realized with the approved Federal route going over the same identical route as laid out by them about 20 years ago.

T. J. Hoodenspy, H. A. Miller, and E. L. Toegerstrom of Sanford, Texas, were in Perryton Wednesday afternoon conferring with Oscar C. Flowers and other interested highway men regarding the possible relocation of State Highway No. 136 running from Amarillo through Fritch, Sanford to Stinnett, where it connects with No. 117. They fear that there is danger of this route being changed to run from Fritch to Borger.

Perryton is interested in seeing No. 136 unchanged for there will come a day when a highway bridge, a dam or a combination highway and railway bridge will be built across the Canadian at Sanford and this highway improved on to Stinnett. When this

Red Flag Waves As Lewis Speaks



John L. Lewis, C. I. O. and United Mine Workers' leader, was moved to tears at ovation given him during mine union's Golden Jubilee convention at Columbus, O. Delegates were moved to rage when prankster unfurled Communist hammer-and-sickle flag over Lewis as he spoke.

Toys, Not War, Chief Interest



Shopping for toys interests the children of Europe's state leaders as they escape the war worries that beset their elders. Little Edda Goring, daughter of the German field marshal, doesn't even know there's a war going on. She is shown with her mother, top, in a Berlin doll shop. Princess Maria Pia and Prince Vittorio, children of the heir to the Italian throne, are seen at toy counter in Naples.

Perryton Pilot Puts Ski Equipped Plane to Practical Use During Snow

Shades of Alaska! For the first time in the history of Texas a plane has been observed taking off on a pair of skis at Perryton across the snow-bound prairie to wrangle a herd of marooned cattle and give them daily feed. Responsible for this extraordinary Texas sight is Harold Hawk, owner-pilot and wholesale-oil dealer, who when he found it almost impossible to reach his herd of 64 cows, went into collaboration with Howard Holt, local plumber, and Kenneth Crisp, jeweler, on something to remedy the situation.

It was on Sunday, December 31, that the group gathered in Holt's plumbing shop where around a pot-bellied red-hot stove the small talk turned from a discussion of extraordinary weather conditions prevailing at that time, to the possibility of clearing a runway for a take-off in Hawk's small homemade plane.

"Say, if we had a pair of skis to put on your plane we could find plenty of use for it in this weather," remarked Holt, who is also an amateur plane owner and pilot.

"What's wrong with building a pair as an experiment. After all Harold built the plane and learned to fly himself," Crisp broke in.

After a lengthy discussion of the possibilities of the venture, the group was crystallized into action by the idea, Crisp went to his home and secured two five and three-quarter inch by four feet planks of hard oak and upon his return found Holt and Hawk busily engaged in welding a tripod to fit on the axles of the plane on each side. Two one-foot sheets of metal were beveled and curved to be placed on the oak boards. Guy wires were placed to an advantage when the skis were assembled on the plane.

Hawk, who has more than 2300 hours in the air and holds identification license, took the plane off the ground easily after a few minutes.

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Executive Board Enjoys Luncheon

Mrs. Roger A. Burgess, president of the Methodist Missionary society, entertained the members of missionary executive board, for a one o'clock luncheon, in her home, 703 Southwest Second street, Wednesday, January 31.

Plans were discussed and outlines made for the years work of the society. Those present were Mesdames C. B. Rogers, D. D. Shanks, W. C. Herndon, Tom Ellzey, P. E. Yarbrough, H. C. Sanford, Glen Ragan, O. A. Bush, Herring Lane, Roy Orrill, Charles R. Garrett, Claude Jones, Jack Allen, W. E. McMillen, A. H. Nichols, Max W. Boyer, E. W. Thomas, M. L. Brillhart and Otis Shearer.

City Buys Electric Pipe Thawer

The City of Perryton has purchased a Darley electric pipe thawer for defrosting underground water mains and service lines. The machine was put in operation for the first time Monday morning and results were very satisfactory.

The thawing machine hooks on to the power line ahead of the meter with two lead out connectors from the machine to be attached to outside points of the frozen section of the pipe. The machine cuts down the current voltage and steps up the amperage, thus creating a heated pipe which soon thaws the frozen section. A small charge is made the water consumer where the machine is used from the meter box to point of service.

Three Injured In City Crash

Three local men were treated at the Perryton Hospital early Wednesday evening following an automobile collision at the intersection of Southwest Fifth Street and Brillhart Avenue about 7:00 o'clock. Two cars were almost demolished.

The injured were: Doc Keim, fractured knee cap; Dave Jacobson, broken right wrist and a gash over the right eye; Harve Holdeman, cuts and bruises about the face and suffering from shock.

The wreck occurred when Holdeman started to turn up Fifth street from the east and met the Keim car coming into the city from the west, according to witnesses.

All of the men were released from the Perryton Hospital Wednesday night. Keim will be confined in a cast for an indefinite period.

Leaves for Market

Virgil Castle left Sunday for a weeks trip to markets in St. Louis, St. Joe and Kansas City, Mo., where he will buy spring merchandise for the Castle Dry Goods store.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Maxwell, Darrouzett, announce the birth of a son on Saturday, January 20. He weighed 8 pounds and has been named Wayne Louis. Mrs. Maxwell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Johnson, Perryton.

Highway 117 Is On State Program for 1940

Perryton-Booker Road To Be Hard Surfaced During Coming Year

County Judge Dave Shanks has been informed by Julian Montgomery, State Highway Engineer, that Highway 117 between Perryton and Booker has been placed on the 1940 state program by the Highway Commission.

This means that the highway will be hard surfaced this summer and it is assumed that it will be a contract job. All grading and drainage structures have been completed. The road will be given a caliche base with rock asphalt topping.

With the completion of this highway, Ochiltree county's main highway program will be completed with arterial hard surface highways crisscrossing the county in all four directions from Perryton, the county seat.

The next development will probably be a program of hard surfacing on county farm-to-market roads.

Methodist District Meet In Borger

Delegates of the Methodist Church were in Borger Thursday to attend a Missionary Institute and Provisional District Meet of the women from all churches in the Perryton district. Mrs. Roger A. Burgess, district secretary, presided and Rev. P. S. Barcus, Dalhart, district superintendent, was in charge of the institute.

Delegates from this area were selected to attend the Provisional Conference in Oklahoma City, which will be held in April. Those chosen were Mrs. Burgess, Mrs. W. R. Finley, Spearman, and Mrs. W. A. Cox, Gruver. The purpose of the meetings is to acquaint the ladies with the new order of business since the unity of the Churches and to work out details of the union.

Churches represented at the Borger meet were Booker, Channing, Dalhart, Borger, Dumas, Darrouzett, Spurlock, Middewell, Gruver, Pollett, Phillips, Sanford, Spearman, Sunnett, Hartley, Texline, Texhoma, Sunray, Stratford and Perryton.

Attending the Perryton church were Rev. and Mrs. P. E. Yarbrough, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Ellzey, Mrs. Roy Orrill, Mrs. C. B. Rogers, Mrs. F. C. Spencer, Mrs. Claude Jones and Mrs. Roger A. Burgess.

Carroll Mallett and Knute Dowers, students in Texas State college, Canyon, were home over the weekend.

District Governor Arrant Delivers Charter to Perryton Rotary Club

At a banquet held last Thursday evening at the Hotel Perryton, the Rotary Club of Perryton officially became Club No. 5154 of Rotary International, an organization founded in 1905, with more than 205,000 members in nearly 5,000 clubs throughout the world. The charter was delivered by District Governor Hiram Arrant, Abilene, professor of chemistry in Hardin-Simmons University.

Carl Studer, president of the Canadian Rotary Club, acting as toastmaster and master of ceremonies, introduced visiting Rotarians and their wives and presented H. S. Wilbur, Canadian, special representative of the district governor, Mr. Wilbur introduced Governor Arrant, who made the principal address and presented the charter, in the name of Rotary International, to Walter LaMaster, first President of the Perryton Rotary Club. District Governor Arrant, in his address outlined the history of the growth of the Rotary movement, its aims and purposes, and predicted a bright future for the club recently organized in our city.

President LaMaster in accepting the charter, introduced the officers and members and their wives of the Perryton Club.

The following visitors were introduced: Judge Geo. M. Perry, Judge and Mrs. Jack Allen, and Brenta Norman, Perryton.

CANADIAN: Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wilbur, Rev. W. A. Pite, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hobby, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Gibson, Frank Phillips, B. M. Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Studer, Mr. and Mrs. John Caylor, Darrell Wiggins, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shaller, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blackmore.

AMARILLO: R. S. Tudal, Miss Vesta O'Dell, Arthur Osgood, A. A. Meredith, and Irving O. Tolzein, president of the Amarillo Club.

BORGER: C. S. Goldsmith, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Nichols, R. L. Johnson, Paul Potter, Ray Broadway, Frank Hawk, S. D. McKee, H. S. Benjamin, Ed Webster, D. E. Metz, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Pinger and

Snow Melting, Roads Are Muddy! Wheat? Roads Get Muddier!

The warm weather of the past three days has caused the greater part of the snow in the Perryton area to melt and soak into the fields and grass lands. But with the melting of the snow comes the problem of getting over the county dirt roads which are almost impassable. Another two days of warm sunshine will go a long way toward drying up the highways to where travel can be resumed without constant threat of bogging down. It is hard to calculate the immense value to the wheat farmer whose wheat was sprouted. There is a question mark about seed wheat that was not sprouted at the time of the first snowfall. Some experienced wheat raisers say the unsprouted seed will mature and produce. Others are not so optimistic. Anything can happen, and usually does, in this country. There never was a good wheat crop marketed in the Southwest that wasn't lost several times from seeding time to harvest, so we're still playing our hunch that 1940 is going to be the most prosperous year since 1930 for the Perryton community.

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First Team: Sterling, Panhandle, le.; Baker, Phillips, lt.; Wright, Perryton, lg.; Tow, Panhandle, rg.; Calder, Phillips, rt.; Morris, Perryton, re.; Hawkins, White Deer, lb.; Doby, Panhandle, rb.; Flowers, Perryton, fb.; McWilliams, Perryton, qb. It is interesting to note that four Perryton youths appear on the lineup.

Second team: Potter, White Deer, le.; Palmer, Perryton, lt.; Moore, Phillips, lg.; Williams, Perryton, rg.; Guerry, White Deer, rt.; Gores, White Deer, re.; Noel, White Deer, lb.; McClung, Perryton, lb.; Briggs, Canadian, rb.; Russell, White Deer, fb.; Cooper, Phillips, qb.

Others receiving honorable mention at the meeting were as follows: Lilly, Perryton, back; McGarrugh, Perryton, guard; Carpenter, Perryton, tackle; McCreary, White Deer, tackle; Denis, Panhandle, end; Coffey, Panhandle, back; Stalk, White Deer, back; Broden, Phillips, end; and Ogle, Phillips, back.

Tuesday Lions Club

Eighteen members and three guests of the local branch of the Lions International Club met for regular luncheon in the Hotel Perryton Tuesday, January 30. Guests present included Jas. Barbour, Irvin R. Buchanan and O. W. Dunkle. Following a business session O. W. Dunkle, plant superintendent of the Ochiltree County Herald, addressed the group on "What The Country Newspaper Contributes to Community Life."

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hoepfel were Amarillo visitors for the week-end.

Perryton Markets

Wednesday, January 31, 1940

Wheat	.....	.78
Hogs, Tuesday	.....	\$4.75
Heavy hens	.....	.10
Leghorn hens	.....	.07
Old Roosters	.....	.05
Slags	.....	.06
Turkey hens	.....	.12
Turkey togs	.....	.10
Eggs	.....	.18
Cream	.....	.30
Hides	.....	.06

Four Announce as Candidates For Nomination for Offices In Ochiltree County Primary

A. E. Devers, Fred Tarbox and Geo. B. Jackson in Commissioner Race; Oscar C. Flowers for County Attorney

Four more new candidates, three for reelection, tossed their hats into the Ochiltree county political ring this week for nomination in the Democratic primary to be held on Saturday, July 27. Fred Tarbox was announced by friends to succeed himself as Commissioner from Precinct No. 3. A. E. Devers, Commissioner from Precinct No. 1, is a candidate for reelection. Geo. B. Jackson enters the field as a candidate for Commissioner from Precinct No. 4. County Attorney Oscar C. Flowers will be a candidate for reelection.

Every indication points to a large field on candidates for county offices this year. With two candidates already out for sheriff, tax collector and assessor, there is a possibility that there will be two more in this race. Two have announced for Commissioner from the southeast Precinct No. 4, and it is very likely that there will be at least one more candidate from this precinct. There are rumors that there will be two more entries for Commissioner from Precinct No. 2.

Friends Announce Tarbox. The Herald has been authorized by friends of Commissioner Fred Tarbox to place his name before the voters of Precinct No. 3, the southwest quarter of the county, as a candidate to succeed himself. Mr. Tarbox is now serving his third term on the executive governing body of Ochiltree county. His is a most excellent record. A successful farmer-stockman and grain man, he has applied the same business principles to the county's affairs.

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Economy Mercury Amazes Populace

The scores of people who drove and witnessed the performance of the factory test Mercury 8 in the Economy Run sponsored locally by the Universal Motor Company were amazed at the demonstration of the automobile. The motor company is offering a valuable prize for the person driving the test car the farthest distance on one-tenth gallon of gasoline. Beno Truax and Lowell Wernake are tied for first place in the contest, each turning in a performance of 28 miles on a gallon of gasoline. The contest will close Saturday.

During the first 1,529 miles the car has traveled over the route seventy-two and three fourths gallons of gasoline were used or an average mileage record of 21.02 to the gallon.

The test car is being driven by C. T. Bullock, manager of the Oklahoma City Mercury branch. On the drive from Enid, Oklahoma to Perryton, 14 gallons of gasoline were used to make the 297 miles, an average of 21.21 miles to the gallon. The car was driven at a speed of 50 miles per hour and much of the trip from Woodward to Perryton was over muddy dirt roads.

That a car of the Mercury's size could make such a record is extraordinary. That it was made under ordinary driving conditions on city and country roads at speeds up to 50 miles per hour, is even more impressive.

"But these results have only echoed what Mercury owners have been telling us ever since this great car was introduced," stated Garland Redfern, manager of the Universal Motor Company.

Girl Wins Right To Stay In U.S.



Enigma of nationality that enmeshed Chow Gum Sik, 20, daughter of an American-born Chinese, was solved when federal court ordered her release by immigration authorities who had held her in San Francisco 10 months. Born when her father was on a visit to China, the girl contends she is entitled to entry here because he was a U. S. citizen.

Mary Martin and Two Fans



Here's the current darling of Broadway as she appears as the toast of the Main Stem of the 1930's. Allan Jones, second of the two fans in the picture, joins her in Paramount's musical, "The Great Victor Herbert," which shows Wednesday, January 31, one day only, at the Ellis Theatre. Walter Connolly takes the title role and Lee Bowman, Judith Barrett and Susanna Foster are featured.

Unexpected Chore



The gun-bearing farmer pointing the business end of a shotgun at Fred MacMurray and Barbara Stanwyck is about to march the pair off to a Justice of the Peace — the charge is trespassing. It's part of Paramount's romantic comedy-drama, "Remember the Night," coming to the Ellis Theatre, Thursday and Friday, February 7-8.

The War and the Farmer
A Trade Boom Is In Sight

Every allied ship sunk means money in the pockets of American farmers.

FORCE of the blast that follows the brief journey of a torpedo between Nazi U-boat and allied vessel thunders a mighty roar across the waters to echo as a jingling in the pockets of American farmers. For every time a British or French merchant ship is sunk, it means new trade ahead for U. S. producers.

Continued operation in the Atlantic by German submarines and sea raiders is making long hauls from India, Australia and South America increasingly hazardous. Because of this blockade of force across the shipping lanes, Britain may soon have to turn to the shortest haul on raw products—that from North America.

Economists see a billion dollar boom for American farmers if Europe's trade should be forced by the war for control of the sea lanes to seek the short, sea route to North America as food channel. Continuation of the sea conflict on nearly even terms would be more advantageous to U. S. trade than a decisive victory on either side.

So far there has been little war boom for American farmers, except for the sharp price jumps noted during early hysterical days of conflict.

CENTRAL Europe, including Germany and the three nations she has absorbed, have been lost to American farmers as a market for the duration of the war. Out of total U. S. cotton exports, Britain's naval blockade has halted the flow of the 15 per cent that normally goes to Nazi-controlled territory. To favor nations more likely

to become her immediate allies should the war spread, Britain is doing her shopping closer to home. Egypt and Turkey are high on the patronage list of the two allies, who normally take one-third of the American tobacco crop and are now filling their needs for the weed almost exclusively in the near east.

Europe today is in the unprepared condition she was when war came in 1914. U. S. prices surged then, and stayed high, because there was constant demand abroad for much-needed food products.

GOOD crops in Europe last year and foresight of the expectant belligerents fortified the farmers with large reserves. Unlike in the first world war, when food rationing was postponed until after shortage appeared, this process of conservation was organized early in all nations as a precautionary measure.

There are increases in farm prices and income due as 1940 brings on an era of increasing prosperity, partly due to the war. Slight speculative rises are being caused by the anticipation of the development of a wartime demand plus greater buying power of domestic consumers brought about by increased industrial production for war purposes.

One farm product blessed with a war boom is the soy bean. Present European demands have broken all other U. S. export records for the bean which, among other industrial uses, is used in the manufacture of nitroglycerine, a high explosive.

"Gulliver" Eye-Filling Treat
Mixes Fantasy, Humor, Romance

Paramount has kept the promise, made two years ago, that the close of 1939 would see that studio's first full-length animated cartoon reach the screen!

The result is "Gulliver's Travels," a spectacular Technicolor treatment of Jonathan Swift's classic of classics, brought to vivid life by the magic pen of Max Fleischer and his two hundred assistants and scheduled for its first local showing three days, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, February 4-5-6, at the Ellis Theatre.

With eight new songs and breathtaking color added as extra attractions, "Gulliver's Travels" hews close to the line of Dean Swift's immortal story of the English seaman who got shipwrecked on the shore of a land no one had ever visited before, a country of peanut sized people, the tallest of whom measured no higher than "Gulliver's" boot.

All the elements of romance, fantasy and humor that made Swift's yarn live through the centuries have been painstakingly transferred to the screen, including the biting satire on politics, international relations and human institutions.

"Gulliver" arrives in "Lilliput" to find a race of people who, although thoroughly engaging and delightful, are as petty in their actions as in their stature. The visitor from the outside world stumbles onto a burning crisis. A war with the neighboring kingdom of "Blefuscu" is imminent because the rulers cannot agree whether to play "Faithful," the "Lilliputian" national anthem, or "Forever," the "Blefuscu" hymn, at the wedding of their children. One of "Gulliver's" many tasks before departing from "Lilliput" is to resolve the controversy without bloodshed.

All the colorful, engaging characters you will see in the picture are, with one important exception, the same ones Swift created. "King Little" is the pompous, ultra-nationalistic ruler of "Lilliput"; "Bombo" is his confused but conceited rival. The sweethearts are beautiful and romantic "Princess Glory" and the handsome, brave "Prince David," who incidentally gets the chance to save the life of the giant-sized "Gulliver."

Those hit songs you've been hearing on the radio with credit to "Gulliver's Travels" pace the action of the story. Their titles: "We're All Together Now," "Faithful," "Forever," "Bluebirds in the Moonlight," "All's Well," "I Hear a Dream," "It's a Hap-Hap-Happy Day" and "Faithful Forever."

Jones' Record Includes
Long Line of Successes

Allan Jones, who shares the top spot with Mary Martin and Walter Connolly in Paramount's musical romance, "The Great Victor Herbert," has appeared in some of the screen's best-loved melody pictures. Among them are: "Show Boat," "Rose Marie," "The Firefly" and "Everybody Sing."

Jones' role in "The Great Victor Herbert," which will be presented at the Ellis Theatre, Wednesday January 31, is that of a turn-of-the-century matinee idol who finds fame in Victor Herbert's operettas and romance with the most popular leading lady of the day. In the supporting cast are Lee Bowman, Susanna Foster, Jerome Cowan and Judith Barrett.

"The Great Victor Herbert" brings back such memorable music as "Kiss Me Again," "I'm Falling in Love With Someone," "Ah! Sweet Mystery of Life," "A Kiss in the Dark" and "Thine Alone."

Pneumonia Takes
Beaver County Man

Geo. B. Stone, age 79, of Turpin, Okla., who homesteaded in Beaver County, 37 years ago, died Thursday night, January 25, in a Liberal, Kansas, hospital, where he had been brought for treatment.

In 1903, Mr. Stone homesteaded land in Beaver County, Oklahoma, 11 miles southwest of Liberal, on which he lived until the time of his death. For several years the post-office was in his dugout home and the office was named Lorena, Okla., for his wife, whose first name was Lorena. It was later moved and became Turpin, Okla., when the B. M. and E. railroad built through Beaver County.

Mr. Stone is survived by four daughters and two sons, all living in Michigan. He also leaves a brother in California.

● Boyd

The weather has been very cold the past week but moderated Sunday. The snow is beginning to melt and water is everywhere.

Jay H. Pierce was successful in getting around his mail route Wednesday.

J. H. Perdue is able to be about again. He was gassed January 20, while working on the highway.

Bill Henline narrowly escaped freezing during the recent blizzard. He was returning home from the store and his car stalled a mile from home. He worked with the car until he became badly chilled then walked in home. He was so exhausted he could not speak for three hours.

R. P. Duff, J. H. Perdue and Ed Claybrook were in Balco on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. McCurdy and children visited in the home of her brother, Frank Miller and family, Saturday.

Perryton shoppers Saturday were George Kruse and sons, C. A. Trim-mell, Oliver Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Hilderbrand and Homer, Frank Miller and Ed Claybrook.

Phone 67 when company comes!

Ernst Lubitsch
Directs Film Hit

Ernst Lubitsch brings his favorite of all stories to the screen in "The Shop Around the Corner," starring Margaret Sullivan and James Stewart and shows Thursday and Friday, February 1-2.

Because he was set on having Miss Sullivan and Stewart for the leading roles in his romantic comedy-drama, and they were not available when he signed to produce and direct for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, Lubitsch first directed Greta Garbo in the hilarious satirical comedy, "Ninotchka."

Then he turned his attention to "The Shop Around the Corner," which he personally purchased, a delightfully human narrative woven around the lives of a Budapest leather goods and novelty shop owner and his clerks, their everyday problems and how they solve them.

The colorful backgrounds and the gentle theme of the story presented many opportunities for the famed "Lubitsch touch" of which he took full advantage with a hand-picked supporting cast, which includes Frank Morgan, as the gruff but kindly shop owner, Joseph Schildkraut as the rascally clerk, Felix Bressart as the timid clerk, afraid of the boss, the butcher, and the doctor, and Sara Haden, William Tracy, Inez Courtney, Sarah Edwards, Edwin Maxwell, Charles Halton and Charles Smith.

Fred MacMurray Stars
With Barbara Stanwyck

Fred MacMurray, one of Hollywood's most sought-after male stars when it comes to casting, is co-starring with Barbara Stanwyck for the first time in "Remember the Night," the comedy-drama which shows Thursday and Friday February 7-8, at the Ellis Theatre.

Supporting MacMurray and Miss Stanwyck in this gay story of a district attorney who fell in love with a girl he was supposed to send to jail, are Beulah Bondi, Elizabeth Patterson and Sterling Holloway. The story is an original by Preston Sturges and was directed by Mitchell Leisen.

What's In A Name

James Gleason and his wife, Lucile, have become so accustomed to calling each other "Joe" and "Lil" in their portrayals of Joe and Lil Higgins in Republic's family comedy series that they often find themselves calling each other Joe and Lil in real life.

The Ellis Theatre will show the latest Higgins comedy, "The Covered Trailer" Saturday, February 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Morgan and Lloyd Morgan were Sunday dinner guests with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Morgan, south of Farnsworth.

Office Furniture at Herald office!

Process Server Uses Pony Express



This is neither Kit Carson delivering the mail nor a Northwest mountie. It's just Jesse Criss, Clarksburg, W. Va., deputy sheriff who must use a burro when performing his duties as process server because, according to Sheriff Moore M. Reynolds of Harrison county, court authorities won't supply deputies with safe automobiles.

UNUSUAL FACTS REVEALED

—by "Movie Spotlight"—

VICTOR JORY ENGAGED IN 30 MANY DESPERATE BATTLES DURING THE FILMING OF "THE SHADOW" THAT HE HAD TO GIVE FIVE REASONS OF HIS NEED FOR AN ANESTHETIC AT THE END OF EACH DAY.

FRANK LA RUE USED TO PLAY THE SLICE TOOTHMAN PROFESSIONALLY FOR EXCLUSIVE SERVICE IN THE CUBANCA COUNTRY CLUB.

THE TONS OF DYNAMITE USED FOR THE TOWER SCENES IN "THE PICTURE" CAUSED FOR THRELL SCENES IN "THE PICTURE."

FOUR PLANTS WERE COINED FOR THRELL SCENES IN "THE PICTURE."

VEDA ANN BORG MODELED FOR GOWNS FOR AN EXCLUSIVE DESIGN SHOP BEFORE EMBARRASSING ON A SUCCESS CAREER.

ROBERT FISKE, PETERMAN CHARACTER ACTOR, PLAYS HIS PART SLASHING HEAVY IN "THE SHADOW."

JUST FOR FUN

Check the services I performed for you last month

Provided _____ hours of radio entertainment
Irons _____ weekly washings
Washed _____ tubfuls of clothes
Provided _____ hours of refrigeration
Vacuum cleaned _____ rugs _____ times
Lighted living room _____ hours
Lighted dining room _____ hours
Lighted kitchen _____ hours
Lighted bathroom _____ hours
Lighted bedrooms _____ hours
Lighted garage _____ hours
Percolated _____ cups of coffee
Toasted _____ slices of bread
Baked _____ waffles
Cooked _____ meals
Operated food mixer _____ times
Kept accurate time _____ hours
Other uses _____

Says

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Your economical electric servant

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THURSDAY and FRIDAY

FEBRUARY 1-2

Margaret Sullivan and James Stewart in

"THE SHOP AROUND THE CORNER"

All that she knew about love came out of books! And he hadn't even read a book! Roar, America . . . as the great star of "Mr. Smith Goes to Washington" and the sweet heart of "Three Comrades" get the shy "Lubitsch touch" that made "Ninotchka" hilariously gay! There's romance just around the corner for you in this glorious, glowing love story!

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3

The Gleason Family in

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It's a gay highway the Higginses travel, even though they start out on a 'round-the-world cruise and wind up in the hinterlands with a trailer! Hold on to your head! . . . and just watch that hour go as the Higginses go cavorting in a trailer! Romance, comedy, action . . . it's the biggest laugh since the last adventure of the Higgins family!

SUNDAY
MONDAY
TUESDAY

February 4-5-6

Paramount Presents
GULLIVER'S TRAVELS
A Full-Length Feature Cartoon
in Technicolor!
PRODUCED BY MAX FLEISCHER
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ADVENTURE with the shipwrecked Gulliver among the Lilliputians—25,000 of them!



MEET the grandest cartoon characters ever created... laugh at their lovely antics... sing their lyrical songs!



THRILL to spectacle unequalled in its lavish splendor—the capture of the giant... Gulliver, single-handed, vanquishing the enemy fleet!



HEAR these smash song hits: "Faithful Forever," "Bluebirds in the Moonlight," "It's a Hap-Hap-Happy Day" and five more!

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7

Allan Jones and Mary Martin in

"THE GREAT VICTOR HERBERT"

A glowing, glorious love story of Victor Herbert's own Broadway, told to an unforgettable music of the grandest score ever written! 28 of Victor Herbert's best-loved songs! Starring Mary Martin, the girl who sang her way to fame with "My Heart Belongs to Daddy" . . . Allan Jones, whose heart now belongs to Mary . . . and Walter Connolly as the famous Music Master, himself!

THURSDAY and FRIDAY

FEBRUARY 8-9

Barbara Stanwyck and Fred MacMurray in

"REMEMBER THE NIGHT"

Fred and Barbara—two great romantic stars in the screen thrill you'll never forget! You'll laugh with them. You'll cry with them . . . you'll love them almost as much as they love each other!

CLASSIFIED ADS GET RESULTS

Jams in Northern Rivers Presage Spring Floods



Its channel choked with ice above Trenton, N. J., the Delaware is one of many northern rivers which present a flood threat should quick thaws follow cold wave now felt throughout the nation.

One-Handed Shot Picks Up In Popularity With Cagers

BY IRVING DIX

YOU can tab the one-handed basketball shot not only as a fixture from now on, but as a maneuver that rapidly is gaining favor with coaches and players throughout the country.

The one-handed shot which Hank Luisetti and his Stanford teammates exhibited before startled eastern and midwestern eyes two years ago is no longer considered unorthodox basketball by even the most conservative cage critics.

Its advantages are all too apparent, and scoring averages have proved it.

BASKETBALL has been speeded up tremendously with the elimination of the tip-off and the 10-second rule. The racehorse style of play is popular nearly everywhere.

And fast-moving hoopers have discovered they can get their shots off quicker with one hand. The extra half second it takes to get set for the two-handed shot often means the difference between two points and a blocked effort.

One-handed tricksters find it comparatively simple to get the ball off while on the dead run or while leaping into the air. It's a tough shot to stop.

The only reason why there aren't a lot more boys using it is because coaches consider it sheer folly to change after a lifetime habit of shooting two-handed.

In other words, it wouldn't do a college junior or senior much good to switch. It takes a little time for the player to adjust himself so that the maneuver becomes just as instinctive as the old-style shot.

THE breeding ground for one-handed shot-makers is high school competition. The preppers have been quick to see its advantages. By the time a boy has played three years of high school ball and has become quite



Bob Feerick... Santa Clara's ace forward shows how it's done.

adept at the one-handed toss he is ready to really swing out in college competition.

Most concentrated tendency along these lines is in the east. Joe Lapchick, coach at St. John's, and Ernie Messikomer of Temple, among others, publicly declare that the east won't be able to play the game on a par with midwest and far west teams unless the boys along the seaboard get wise to the one-handers.

"Heigh-Ho Silver!"



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Isolate Persons With Bad Colds

AUSTIN, Texas—Reports from widely separated parts of Texas to the State Health Department indicate that influenza is on the increase. Recent snows and markedly colder weather account for the upsurge in influenza prevalence, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer.

Influenza is believed transmissible from person to person through mucous discharges from the nose and throat. To protect yourself and others from contracting influenza or colds, here are precautions to be followed:

Influenza is highly infectious. Practically everyone is susceptible to it. No matter how many times you may have had influenza, you may contract it again. Therefore, keep away from people who are sneezing, coughing or sniffing, or who are actively ill with colds, influenza or pneumonia.

Keep away from crowded places. Never use towels, glasses, or personal articles other than your own to which the cold germs might adhere, and always wash your hands before eating.

Keep yourself as fit as possible. Drink plenty of water, eat simple nourishing food, exercise out of doors every day, dress according to the weather, and get plenty of sleep in a well-ventilated room.

If you feel an attack of flu, or even what you may think is an ordinary cold, coming on, go to bed. If the cold becomes worse, send for your physician and follow his directions. A cold can too easily develop into a fatal mistake.

Science in Game Protection Convicts

Ruel McDaniel, who wrote "Mass Murder in Santana Canyon" for "The Southern Sportsman," says that game wardens are resorting more and more to science in apprehending violators of the game laws. Several does were found slain in Santana Canyon last season, and Game Warden Ray Williams of Brewster County, Texas, "took to the trail." He found a bullet lodged in one of the deer.

Warden Williams succeeded in getting a list of all sportsmen who had hunted on that ranch during the past season. The bullet extracted from the deer was of 25-35 calibre. One of the hunters on this list owned a 25-35 rifle. Although the hunter was located several hundred miles away, Warden Williams succeeded in getting the sheriff of that county to borrow the hunter's gun. Thus, he obtained a bullet fired from this gun.

At the Department of Public Safety in Austin this bullet and the one found in the deer, after extensive laboratory tests, proved to have been fired from the same gun. The hunter pleaded guilty and was fined severely. Game science marches on!

Balko

Mrs. J. W. Cayler, Reporter

The entire community was saddened by the death of Clark Humphrey last week. He died in a hospital in Kansas City, Mo., where he has been spending several months receiving treatment. The community extends its sympathy to the bereaved family and relatives.

D. H. Unruh and Elmer have been working with the tractor and grader to open the roads. We appreciate this very much as we have had no mail at the boxes for two weeks.

W. R. Cayler and Glen Muir, Perryton, visited Thursday evening in the J. W. Cayler home.

Mrs. Paul Winter has been suffering with neuritis the past week. E. A. Swiger has been having well trouble. Monday he had help to work on it.

J. W. Cayler drove his team to the Harry Miller home Monday to make a track for the cars.

(Too late for last week) News these days is quite limited, beside the talk of storms and roads. There is no mail unless we are able to get to the postoffice.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cayler and Kay visited a short while Sunday with his parents.

School has been discontinued until the roads can be opened.

J. C. Case has a sleigh rig up and says "the old way is the sure way."

J. W. Cayler and Paul Winter went to Balko with a team Saturday.

Ervin Huguley has been home during the storm.

Debs Riley got thru last week with a load of feed for the A. N. Dowers cattle at the Paul Winters place.

Mrs. J. W. Cayler has been ill ten days with neuritis. Mrs. Blanche Winter stayed with her several days.

Large Holiday Trade

According to a report on business conditions made by secretary of Commerce Harry Hopkins, Christmas trade during the recent holiday season was the largest since 1929. He also announced that production in basic industries during that of the best quarter in 1929, the final quarter of 1939 matched boom year.

G. T. Leatherman and son, Ross, left last week on a trip thru the Rio Grande valley. They will return by Mineral Wells for a few weeks stay. Mrs. Ross Leatherman and daughter, Gaynell, accompanied them to Edmund, Okla., and remained there with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Ackley and daughters, Jane and Ellen, visited Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ackley, Canadian.

Greeting Cards for every occasion at Stewart Printing Co.

PERRYTON Chamber of Commerce ANNUAL REPORT

January 1, 1939 to January 31, 1940

RECEIPTS

BALANCE ON HAND, JANUARY 1, 1939		\$ 162.90
RECEIVED FROM PLEDGES	\$1,707.87	
Annual Banquet Tickets	96.00	
Ochiltree County Contribution to Sewing Room	260.00	
Rental on Public Address System	6.00	
City of Perryton for Holiday Decorations	50.00	
Sale of 244 Bushels of Wheat (County Tract)	126.96	

TOTAL \$2,246.83 \$2,246.83

Ochiltree County Golden Jubilee and Perryton Birthday Celebration Receipts

Admission	\$ 800.83	
Carnival	120.96	
Concessions	40.00	
Contestants Entrance Fees for Rodeo	194.00	
Ochiltree County Contribution	200.00	
Dance	30.00	
Beauty Revue	17.26	

TOTAL \$1,403.05 \$1,403.05

TOTAL RECEIPTS \$3,649.88

TOTAL AVAILABLE FUNDS \$3,812.78

DISBURSEMENTS

Annual Banquet	\$ 122.25	
Stationery, Printing and Office Supplies	140.25	
Telephone and Telegraph	33.36	
Perryton Firemen's Banquet and Visitors' Entertainment	8.85	
Sewing Room Expense	434.24	
Secretary Salary January 1, 1939 thru January 31, 1940	325.00	
Harvesting Wheat (County Tract)	60.00	
Perryton High School Band Expense to Regional Band Meet at Plainview, Texas	50.00	
Paid on Indebtedness of Improvements on County Tract	500.00	
West Texas Chamber of Commerce Pledge	35.00	
Expense Toward Securing Central Energy Telephone System for Perryton	20.60	
Contributions to 4-H Club	33.39	
Great Plains Highway Dues	12.50	
Battery and Repairs to Public Address System	25.15	
Perryton Sponsor to Anvil Park Rodeo	10.00	
Expense Toward Securing Establishment of Soil Conservation Office	100.00	
Perryton Holiday Decorations	111.32	
Other Miscellaneous Expense	26.35	

TOTAL \$2,048.96 \$2,048.96

Ochiltree County Golden Jubilee and Perryton Birthday Celebration Disbursements

Maintenance of Improvements on County Tract	\$ 56.49	
Advertising	184.45	
Rodeo Disbursements, including Material and Labor for Building Permanent Chutes	979.87	
Reception Committee and Visitors' Entertainment	65.20	
Baseball Game	100.00	
Old Timers Entertainment	100.00	
Entertainment of Bands	50.79	
Ice Water	30.00	
Prizes for Parade Floats and Parade Expense	137.88	

TOTAL \$1,706.68 \$1,706.68

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS \$3,754.64

Balance on Hand and Receipts \$3,812.78

Less Disbursements \$3,754.64

BALANCE ON HAND AT END OF FISCAL YEAR, JANUARY 31, 1940 \$ 58.14

The Above Statement is True to the Best of My Knowledge and Belief.

HARRY E. CAYLER, Secretary-Treasurer

1939 ACTIVITIES

Assisted in the establishment of Area Soil Conservation offices in Perryton — Instrumental in continuance of C. C. C. Camp for Perryton and surrounding country — Sponsored and defrayed expense of banquet for Perryton Fire Department — Have secured the assurance of the Southwestern Associated Telephone Company that they are ready to install a Central Energy Telephone System for Perryton, which, if given proper cooperation by the City of Perryton and its citizenship, will probably be installed within a year — Secured the cooperation of the Panhandle and Santa Fe Railroad Company for "On Time" east and west mail service — Defrayed the expense of the Perryton High School band to Plainview, Texas, for their regional band meet — Co-operated with 4-H Club activities and defrayed a portion of the expense incurred — Secured the service of Miss Ruth King to represent Perryton at the Anvil Park Rodeo at Canadian in which she placed among the cowgirl contestants — Sponsored the Ochiltree County Golden Jubilee and Perryton Birthday Anniversary Celebration held in Perryton, August 22, 1939 and in this connection was given the cooperation of Ochiltree County in building permanent rodeo chutes at the celebration grounds — The highway committee of Perryton Chamber of Commerce has secured paving facilities for Highway No. 117 east from Perryton to Booker.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEMBERS DURING 1939
128 Members — Total Pledges Paid \$1,707.87

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Castle Dry Goods Co.	Harold Hawk	E. W. Thomas	E. W. Thomas
Carter Hotel	Ralph H. Headlee	B. H. Peckenpaugh	Jack Todd Poultry & Egg Co.
City Cafe	S. N. Henry	Geo. M. Perry	Geo. C. Twombly
City Drug	Sam Hergert	W. E. Perry Studio	Universal Motor Co.
Club Cafe	Holdeman Motor Co.	Perryton Cleaners	W. W. Virtue Dry Goods Co.
M. R. Coffee	R. H. Holland	Perryton Coca-Cola	Wei's Cafe
Community Public Service Co.	Howard Holt	Bottling Co.	White House Lumber Co.
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R. T. Correll	Ideal Food Store	Perryton Implement Co.	Wolford's Sweet Shop
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Swastika, Vanishing Indian Sign

AMERICAN redskins may no longer be "vanishing," but there's an old Indian sign that we're beginning to see less and less of on this side of the Atlantic—all because a little man with a mustache is turning a good luck symbol into an emblem of hate.

Indians in the southwest are hiding blankets that bear the ancient swastika and are scraping the emblem off their picturesque teepees because tourists are beginning to suspect the Navajos have turned Nazi. Arizona national guardsmen have ripped the swastika epaulets from their uniforms and are substituting thunderbirds.

Far more than a mere symbol of Indian lore is the swastika. Its existence antedates history, for the quad-armed cross has been found etched in stone relics of prehistoric ages. When Teutonic tribes were roaming the land now ruled by Hitler, the swastika was already an aged emblem.

Its origin is reportedly among the Asiatics, but evidence of use of the design has been found in nearly all parts of the world. It has been variously esteemed as a magic sign, a symbol of fire and water, of wind and rain, of lightning and thunder, of a conventionalized octopus, of fruitfulness, coat of arms of an Austrian monarchy, and in 1935 made it the official emblem of the German flag.

Museums stock many relics bearing the swastika, but visitors aren't smashing showcases because they think the curator has been reading too much Nazi propaganda. No word has come that the Chinese are breaking up their old Buddha statues where the design appears as the heart.

It seems strange that Indians, and guardsmen, and others who have long used the swastika as a symbol must now give it up. But this arrangement, we know, is only temporary for as it has lived through the ages, the emblem will transcend the blight now cast upon it to regain the meaning of good fortune and long life that has clung to it for so many centuries.

Dispelling the Fog

By CHARLES MICHELSON
Director of Publicity, Democratic National Committee

Senator Vandenberg of Michigan agrees thoroughly with the theory so widely voiced by District Attorney Dewey of New York City and Senator Taft of Ohio that the simple remedy for all our economic ills is the election of a Republican President this year.

He goes a little farther in his survey of the situation by indicating what sort of Republican the next President should be.

The Michiganian's current article in the American Mercury lists the New Deal measures that should be salvaged even though of Democratic origin. In arraigning the administration of the measures he in-dorses, he mentions the disadvantages of having administrators "who never met a payroll."

A survey of the dozen Republican Presidents who have held office since the birth of the G. O. P. reveals that the one who filled the

specification was Warren G. Harding, who met a modest payroll as the publisher of a newspaper. It is a coincidence that Senator Vandenberg has also had his payroll experience as the publisher of a newspaper. It does not appear that any of his conspicuous rivals for the Republican nomination this year has the indicated qualification.

He is full of scorn for the Roosevelt administration as wasteful, inimical to business, reckless, and so on, but, as stated by the Kansas City Journal, which reviewed his program: "It is apparent that Senator Vandenberg is not against the New Deal at all. He accepts its basic principles in toto."

"How Much Better I Could Do It" That newspaper boils down the plan advocated by Senator Vandenberg in this fashion:

1. Retain the gains that have been made in farm relief, including the soil conservation program, crop insurance, crop loans, and the Surplus Commodities Corporation.
2. Continue legal guarantees of collective bargaining, but with changes in the Wagner Act.
3. Continue social security, but

Narrowly Escapes
Death From Gas Fumes

Mrs. W. B. Swim, wife of the Methodist minister at Spearman, had a narrow escape from death by asphyxiation on Monday of last week. Her experience should help people realize the danger of gas fumes, especially during this cold weather when houses are kept tightly closed.

The following account from the Spearman Reporter tells of the near tragedy:

"Mrs. W. B. Swim fell several days ago and injured her hip slightly. Monday of this week Mrs. Swim told Rev. Swim she felt some better, but remained in bed. Rev. Swim carried the children to school, came back for the mail and returned home. Mrs. Swim complained of a headache.

"Later the doctor was called but at the time he was out on a call. Mrs. Swim became sick at her stomach and her body became rigid and the pupils of her eyes enlarged and she became unconscious. Rev. Swim sent out an emergency call for the doctor and Dr. Gibner was located and rushed to the Swim home. He ordered the doors and windows opened and the fire extinguished. According to Rev. Swim the arrival of Dr. Gibner was only a few minutes short of tragedy—since Mrs. Swim's life was endangered. Mrs. Swim is much better today (Thursday).

"Her sudden illness was attributed to gas fumes or lack of oxygen."

MULTITUDES OF MACKEREL

Scientists who have made scientific collections on the spawning grounds have calculated that there may be as many as 500 million mackerel eggs floating on a single square mile of surface at one time. The principal spawning grounds of this fish are about 25,000 square miles. In that area there are often as many as 100 trillion eggs. We learn in the February issue of "The Southern Sportman."

Prolific as it is, the mackerel has very little chance of living to a ripe old age. In 1932, from the time the eggs were spawned until the end of the larval life, or about eleven weeks, the mortality amounted to 99,000 per cent. That means that for every million eggs spawned, only four young mackerel were alive at the end of eleven weeks.

Under the unusual conditions of 1932, a baby mackerel had an average life expectancy of about 27 seconds, as a life insurance company might reckon it.

with changes in policy and administration.

4. Continue the Federal guarantee of bank deposits, which he calls the greatest single achievement of the last eight years.

5. Retain the Securities and Exchange Commission. "Because the days of racketeering piracy in the financial market place are gone forever."

6. Continue Federal responsibility for the relief of all employables who are in distress. (The last Republican President opposed Federal acceptance of this responsibility.)

On relief Senator Vandenberg is quite specific. "The state," he wrote, "should receive an annual lump-sum grant from Washington representing the Federal Government's contribution to the state's relief problem as a whole." He continues: "Thus relief will go back to the neighborly jurisdiction of home rule, where it always heretofore has been better, more equitably and more economically handled."

We must suppose that such incidents as that which occurred in Ohio would not occur if the national government turned its administration over to the States to administer. It happened in Ohio that the Governor is, or thinks he is, an available candidate for the Republican presidential nomination on the ground that he has balanced the State budget. The newspapers charged that rather than let loose of any of his six million surplus, he permitted the reliefers in Cleveland, Toledo and other cities to be brought to the verge of starvation.

It Depends on Whose Experiment It Is

The Senator is eloquent about the farm problem, naturally! After an exhaustive analysis, he comes to this conclusion:

"It is impossible to draw a completely conclusive line of demarcation between the good and the bad in any farm program because all of them are essentially experimental. But the experiments must go on constructively until a stable formula arrives because there can be no general prosperity in America without prosperity for agriculture first."

The depth and wisdom of this perfect example of side-stepping is afforded by the Senator's ultimate paragraph, to wit: "I should hope the chief feature of the New Deal which would be abandoned would be its restless and unquenchable propensity to try a new experiment on us guinea pigs every twenty minutes."

Of course, according to the editor-senator-aspirant, anything new a Democratic administration proposes is a dangerous adventure tending to a frightful bureaucracy, and amounting to playing politics with human misery, while any Republican act along the same line would be high statesmanship, destitute of political taint and sure to be successful.

He thinks Secretary Hull's reciprocal trade agreements may be all right in some respects, but he would have them submitted to Congress. Shades of the Smoot-Hawley tariff bill! Wouldn't that be an advance in foreign trade relations?

Senator Vandenberg could have put his program in fewer and more comprehensible words. What he has said in ten pages of print amounts to this: "Elect me President and the millennium is here!"

TOUGH SHOT



Car Owners Shovel Off in Buffalo



Winter played no favorites this year, sweeping as far south as Atlanta, Ga., and Dallas, Texas, with cold weather and blizzards. But snow was deepest in Buffalo, N. Y., above, where cars and roads were buried in one of city's worst storms in its history.

American Food Service
Baffles Spanish Refugee

"You Americans make things so hard," says Conchita Genoves, Spanish refugee at Texas State College for Women, as she sits down to eat and is confused at finding meat and vegetables on the same plate. In Spain only one item of food is served at a time. One does not have to think—"will I eat this first or that?" An exchange student recently enrolled at TSCW, Conchita was forced to flee Spain last February with her mother and two brothers, who are now in Mexico. Her father is still a political prisoner in Spain.

The increase in the use of the combined harvester-thresher during the last 20 years has been widespread. Its limited use in harvesting less than 5 per cent of the 1920 wheat crop has increased until in 1938 it was used in harvesting about 50 per cent of the wheat acreage harvested for grain. During the same period the number of combines on farms in the U. S. increased from about 4,000 to around 100,000.

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Lv. Canadian	7:15	Lv. Childress	7:15
Ar. Wheeler	8:15	Lv. Wheeler	7:10
Ar. Shamrock	8:40	Lv. Shamrock	6:15
Lv. Shamrock	8:45	Lv. Childress	5:50
Ar. Childress	10:30	Lv. Childress	4:30

Connections to Southern Points
For Information Call 161, Hotel Perryton

Many Workers are Now Eligible for
Monthly Social Security Benefits

AMARILLO, Texas, January 29.—Steps are being taken by the Social Security Board to contact 528,575 account holders, who may be eligible to retirement benefits in 1940, and to inform them of their rights under the amended law, Dewey Reed, manager of the Amarillo Social Security Board field office, announced today.

"Data is currently being prepared to inform three groups of their eligibility under the retirement provisions," said Reed.

"First are those who have received lump-sum payment under the original Social Security Act. A total of 178,575 persons received \$9,930,751.83 in such payments up to August 10, 1939, when the act was amended and lump-sum payments ceased.

"Many in this group are now eligible for monthly benefits. Letters have been sent to such beneficiaries informing him or her of the changes in the act and of the person's possible rights as a result of the amendments. These are people who expected no further benefits and to whom the monthly benefits will come as a windfall.

"They must, however, show six quarters of covered employment to establish their claim. They must make formal application and the future monthly payments will be in lieu of the lump-sum payment they have previously received. Monthly payments will not begin until the amount of that lump sum has been deducted."

Illustrating this deduction of earlier lump-sum payments, Reed cited the case of a worker who had received a lump-sum payment of \$125 ten months ago when he attained the age of 65. If he and his family apply for monthly benefits, they would receive no check for January, no check for February, only \$25 for March, and thereafter they would receive the full \$50 each month. The \$125 would be deducted under the law to cover the previous \$125 lump-sum payment.

Mrs. Tom Calhoun, who is employed at the Helpy Self Laundry, was able to return to her work after several days absence to frozen feet.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Kelly Sunday dinner guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. LaMaster.

Mrs. and Mrs. Herman Moore were guests for waffles with and Mrs. W. E. McMillen, Monday evening. Miss Lois Mae Jones, Miss Onnie Fay Garrison and later in the evening.

H. C. Brillhart, who has been confined to his home several weeks, was greeting friends in town looking after business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Kelly were in Dallas to attend the finals in the basketball tournament.

Miss Ruth Jeffroy returned college in Canyon Tuesday after a few days at home. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jeffroy, and Cleo Payne took her and spent night in Canyon.

"The second group now contacted by the Bureau consists of account holders who have reached the age of 65 in 1937, 1938, or 1939, but who have never filed claims for benefits," Reed continued. "A group of numbers about 175,000 persons in this group will also be entitled to monthly retirement benefits upon their retirement. The third group is made up of those who will reach the age of 65 in 1940 and who will be eligible for benefits immediately upon their retirement. This group also numbers approximately 175,000 persons. The total for whom data are now being prepared is 528,575."

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SOCIETY NEWS

CLUBS PARTIES WEDDINGS PERSONAL MENTION
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"Youth" is Discussion for Parent Teacher Program on Monday Night

The regular session of the Parent Teacher Association was held Monday evening in the school auditorium.

Preceding the business, the Girls Glee Club, under the direction of Mrs. A. P. McCelvey gave a thirty minute concert of delightful music.

The project to be sponsored by the local unit this year is "Mental Control." A committee was appointed consisting of C. H. Williams, Mrs. Jack Allen, Mrs. P. B. Sumpter, I. R. Buchanan, and H. I. Hudson, to direct the project.

Those elected to represent the Perryton Unit at the County Conference, February 2, were Mrs. George Parker, Mrs. Arvie Hale, and Mrs. H. Holland. The Child Study Club was announced for Monday afternoon, February 5, in the home of Mrs. C. H. Williams.

A male quartet, Robert Lawrence, R. Buchanan, Rufus Bolerjack, and A. K. Wooten gave two enjoyable numbers preceding the Parent's Symposium on "American Youth." Mrs. T. V. Ellzey was leader.

Others participating and the program intelligently discussed by each were: "The Farmer and His Son or the Rural Side of Education," Mrs. W. B. Finck; "Factors to be Emphasized in Home Life, Getting Along Together and the Child's Sense of Security," Mrs. H. I. Hudson; "Financing the Child," W. B. Master; "The Social Balance in the Child's Life," Mrs. George Parker; "Yesterday's Child and Today's Child," Mrs. P. E. Yarbrough; "Youth and Liquor," I. R. Buchanan.

When the attendance votes were taken, the eighth grade won the honor.

Charming Hostess for Saturday Party

Guests were entertained Saturday afternoon with enjoyable bridge in the best home of Mrs. George Cienann, 107 Southwest Seventh Street.

When scores were tallied, prizes could be awarded to Mrs. Boston, high; Mrs. Ellis Kelly, second high; and Mrs. George Cienann, third high.

Phone scheme for her prize wrappings and for the attractive fruit served at the close of the party.

Those present were Mesdames Miller, Jerry Boston, A. J. Kellogg, L. Kengle, Harry Cayler, H. Sanford, Cecil Dodd, Jack Todd, Harley Kent, Ellis Kelly, Glen McComb, and Ray Nelson.

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Spring Swing in Mid Season Coats



Mid-season coats, suitable for early spring wear, are swing styled with jaunty flared skirts. Rough surfaced model at left is of brighter-than-navy wool with high waistline and yoke accented by scroll motif in blue glazed kidskin. Stunning black woolen coat, right, is trimmed with patches of black Persian lamb to keep those wintry winds from penetrating.

Four Hostesses At Bridge Party In Lynch Home

Mrs. H. E. Shotwell, Mrs. Ed Lynch, Mrs. Lester Evans and Mrs. Dean Blank shared the hostesses duties Friday afternoon when they entertained with a bridge party in the Lynch home, 915 Southwest Second Street.

A tasty salad plate was served at the close of the play. Score awards were won by Mrs. Beck, high; Mrs. Woods, second high; and Mrs. Jines, the traveling award.

Seated for the afternoons play were Mesdames D. D. Shanks, Claud Allen, C. E. Woods, A. J. Kelly, Leroy Hartman, Roy Orrill, Cecil Dodd, Van W. Stewart, W. L. Werneburg, W. L. Herndon, F. M. McGee, Jerry Boston, Virby Conley, D. C. Wilson, Sibley Jines, Roy Bell, C. B. Rogers, Ray Nelson, Clifford Beck, Charley Kent, Glen McGibbon, Oscar Flowers, L. T. Tucker and Ted Tidale.

The hostesses, Mrs. Cora Lawrence, Mrs. Eton Lawrence, Mrs. Arthur Daniels, Mrs. W. L. Werneburg, Mrs. W. F. Taylor and Mrs. LaRue Norris, served refreshments to those on the program and Mesdames Oscar Flowers, I. R. Buchanan, Virgil Castle, J. M. Grigsby, S. R. McClung, Tom Evans, L. L. Lance, H. E. Shotwell, L. T. Tucker, A. J. Kelly, J. L. Flowers and J. R. Gunter.

Has Party On Ninth Birthday

Little Miss Jane Perry celebrated her ninth birthday anniversary on Sunday, January 28, and invited a number of her playmates to spend the afternoon with her.

The guests arrived at two o'clock and after opening and examining the many birthday gifts, enjoyed a few games before going to the picture show at the Ellis Theatre. After the show, they returned to the Perry home for an hours play before Mrs. Perry served them ice cream and angel food cake. The "guess what" favors proved very interesting.

Those present to help Jane celebrate were Janet Hanson, Norma Jo Boyd, Diane Kent, Kathleen Lee, Betty Jean Quick, Kathleen Pinkerton, Barba Jean Jines, Guen Lee Vestal, Preston Jines, Sammy Phelps and Donald Rogers.

Townsend Ladies Have All Day Meet

The Townsend Ladies club met in the home of Mrs. A. L. Allen, Tuesday for an all day meeting. The president or vice president could not be present because of the bad roads.

Work was done on the quilt donated to the club by Mrs. Turner. Those enjoying the delicious noon meal were Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Phelps, Bud Phelps, Mrs. A. C. Smith, Mrs. H. C. Dodson, Mrs. Kate Smith, Mrs. Grace Morton, Mrs. W. T. Eads, Mrs. C. E. Cline, and Mr. and Mrs. Allen.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. H. H. Balzer Tuesday, February 13. A Valentine exchange will be enjoyed so everyone come, and bring a covered dish and a Valentine. Visitors are welcome.

Joe Carlson came in Tuesday from Lubbock to be with his daughter, Miss Josephine, who is convalescing following an appendicitis operation.

Mrs. Virgil Castle and son, Ray, are spending this week visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Henry, Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Anglin, Dumas, announce the arrival of a daughter on January 27. The name, Phyllis Yvonne has been chosen for the young miss, who with her mother is doing nicely in the St. Anthony hospital, Amarillo. Mrs. Anglin is the former Miss Waneta Bryan of Perryton.

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CLARA'S BEAUTY SHOP

America's Oddest Fur Bearing Animal

Do you remember the old riddle that ran something like this? "What has six legs and walks upside down?" The answer to that one is simple compared to this conundrum: "Front feet like a monkey, hind feet like a duck, and suckles its young on its back?" The strange part of this riddle is that the answer is a living fur-bearing animal—a curiosity whose fur many a woman has worn and never suspected that the original owner was one of the world's strangest animals.

We do not have to look to New Zealand and other lands for animal riddles, we have one of our own right here at home, and it is certainly as strange a beast as the Australian fur-bearing duckbill which has four legs but lays eggs like a bird just the same.

The writer has seen the duckbill, and this American newcomer is every bit as odd and, as it is destined to become common in the United States, it is probably best that you be on your guard. I mean that when you see one for the first time, don't rub your eyes and make any snap resolutions about passing up the third drink—it is only a coypu.

The coypu, or South American beaver, is known to the fur trade as nutria, by which trade name its breeders prefer the animal itself be called. This queerest of all American fur-bearers is now being successfully raised on at least one fur farm in the United States. As the coypu is found in both the temperate and tropical zones of South America, there is no reason why it could not be successfully introduced and raised in any part of the South. It is easily domesticated, gentle, hardy, easily cared for and a strict vegetarian, but being a semi-aquatic animal it must have plenty of fresh water in which to swim; for, and here is strange fact number one, it cannot drink water unless it is in the water itself.

This fur-bearing oddity is a large beaver-like rodent weighing when fully grown, about twenty-five pounds. It has a head and teeth like a beaver and long stiff whiskers resembling the bristles of a walrus. Its front legs are short and stubby with strangely curious five-fingered hands like those of a small monkey, while its long hind-legs have large webbed duck-like feet. The tail is long and hairless.

Still more strange is the fact that the female coypu has her mammary glands on her back instead of on the under side of the body, and she prefers to nurse her babies in the water.

The young are born in a burrow under ground which is dug by the parents. In this their den, from three to eight young are born with their eyes open, fully furred and with all their teeth, ready to step out with the old folks a few days after birth.

As mentioned in the first part of this article, the fur of the coypu is called nutria, and at present all nutria fur is imported from South America. The nutria fur-farms in the United States cannot begin to supply the demand for breeding stock.

The writer has been informed by the foremost coypu breeder that this odd fur-bearer will thrive any place our native muskrat will. With a steady market for the fur, the prospects of the nutria breeders seem bright in the United States. But regardless of the commercial value, the coypu wins, hands down, the what-is-it championship of America.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Phares, Borger, January 15, in the North Plains Hospital. The child weighed 6 pounds and 10 ounces and has been named Sybil Rae. Mrs. Phares is the daughter of Mrs. Lorena Kutch.

Irvin Hergert, who works with the highway department in Dalhart, spent the week-end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hergert.

Will Be Present For Sun. Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eason and Jesse Eason will be in Hutchinson, Kansas, this week-end to attend the wedding of their daughter and sister, Miss Ruth Eason to Mr. Fred C. Preble, which takes place Sunday.

Miss Eason has worked in the office of Sam Schneider Oil Company, Hutchinson several years. She formerly lived with her parents here and taught school in the county. Mr. Preble is an attorney in Hutchinson and they will make their home there.

Friday Club Meets With Mrs. Herndon

Mrs. W. C. Herndon was hostess for the Friday bridge club in her home, 707 Southwest Seventh street, January 26.

The afternoon passed pleasantly with games of contract. Mrs. Nichols played high for the club members and Mrs. Sanford high for the guests. Each received lovely gifts.

The hostess served refreshments at the close of the play.

Seated for the games were Mrs. H. A. Hawk, Mrs. W. B. LaMaster, Mrs. A. H. Nichols, Mrs. Manie Wood, Mrs. H. I. Hudson, Mrs. Max W. Boyer, Mrs. Carl Ellis and Mrs. H. C. Sanford.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bengt and Mrs. Roy Dodge, Borger, were supper guests Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McMillen.

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CLARA'S BEAUTY SHOP

"Just Cake and Coffee"



"Just Cake and Coffee" wins fame for the hostess when she serves this feathery light cake with mocha filling and seven-minute icing.

There seems to be three kinds of cake—the kind that mother used to make, the kind we see in pictures, and the kind we bake ourselves.

Is that right, or are you the person who makes them as good or better than mother's with each one a picture in itself? Here's much power to you if you are, and in the meantime maybe we can make some suggestions to still the homemaker's lament, "Oh, dear, I just can't understand what's wrong. I had bad luck with my cake again. I'm sure I followed the recipe exactly, and Mary's was so good too."

Of course each individual case may have its own peculiar circumstances, but often a failure can be traced to some fundamental fault.

Inez S. Wilson, home economist, thinks that your first consideration should be the shortening which you are using. It is the tendering effect of fat which is of major importance in giving us cake with admirable texture, and the texture is the most important quality in classifying a cake as good or bad.

Plasticity is one of the first requisites for a shortening to be used in cake making. Plasticity means its "workability" and pliable qualities. Lard has an advantage over many other fats in that it has a wide plastic range, remaining pliable over a range of temperatures.

Miss Wilson reports that recent studies on the use of lard in cake making as well as actual experience of homemakers have demonstrated that it can be used as the shortening in any type of cake—a dainty delicately flavored white cake to a highly flavored spice creation. You'll like the light, feathery texture and delicate crumb.

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2 1/2 cups sugar
1 1/2 teaspoons salt
3 1/2 cups sifted flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
1 1/3 cups water
2 teaspoons vanilla
7 egg whites

Reserve one-half cup sugar to beat with the egg whites. Cream lard, remainder of sugar and salt. Sift flour and baking powder together three times and add alternately with the water and vanilla. Beat egg whites until stiff and fold in the one-half cup of sugar. Carefully fold into batter. Bake in three 9-inch layer pans in a moderately hot oven (375 degrees F.) for twenty-five or thirty minutes. Put together with 7-minute icing.

Seven-Minute Icing
2 1/2 cups sugar
1 1/2 tablespoons white corn syrup
7 1/2 tablespoons water
3 egg whites
1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla

Combine all ingredients except vanilla in top of double boiler. Mix well. Cook over boiling water for three minutes. Remove from fire but leave over hot water and beat with rotary beater seven minutes or until consistency to spread. Add vanilla and blend well.

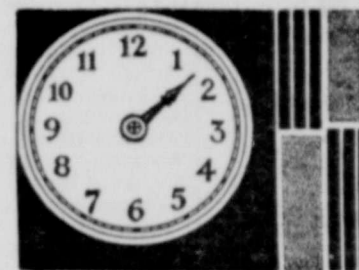
Mocha Cream Filling
5 tablespoons flour
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 1/2 cups milk, scalded
1/2 cup strong black coffee
2 eggs, slightly beaten
1 teaspoon vanilla

Combine flour, sugar and salt. Add a small amount of milk, stirring well. When mixed add rest of milk and coffee and cook in double boiler until thickened (about ten minutes). Pour small amount of mixture over eggs stirring constantly. Return to double boiler. Cook two minutes longer, then cool and add vanilla. Spread between the layers of the cake, then put the icing over the outside.

Mary Lou Reid, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Reid, is able to be up part time, after a three weeks illness.

Miss Della Bryan, Gray, Okla., was a guest for the night, Monday, with her sister, Mrs. Herman Morgan.

Mrs. H. J. Boisjard left Sunday for a visit with relatives in Los Angeles, Calif.



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Home Demonstration CLUB NEWS

Perryton Club

Mrs. Dell Taliaferro, Reporter
"For the kitchen select colors that are neutral and colors that you like to live and work with," stated Mrs. Hazel Martin, home demonstration agent, at the Perryton Club meeting Friday, January 26, in the home of Mrs. A. N. Dowers.

"The kitchen walls should always be washable. Wall-Tex is very suitable as a wall covering. When paint is used, three coats should be put on. Use linoleum for the floor and on top of the cabinets. For the window curtain select materials that are thin and crisp to let in the light. Use the bright colors in the accessories and you will not tire of the colors so easily," further remarked Mrs. Martin.

Mrs. William Dull and Mrs. W. S. Thomas joined the Perryton Club at the last meeting. It was discussed and agreed upon to change the date of the club from the second and fourth Friday. The change is to the second and fourth Wednesdays of the month.

Visitors present were Mrs. C. V. Hobbs and Mrs. J. C. Eberole. Members present were Mesdames Garland Redfern, Lake Patton, B. B. Lee, D. K. Baumann, W. M. Boston, William Dull, M. F. Hethcock, W. L. Phylaw, J. R. Gunter, W. S. Thomas, Hazel Martin, Dell Taliaferro and the hostess.

The mourning dove feeds its young with food prepared in its own body. The food, called pigeon milk, is regurgitated by both the male and female parent birds.

Mallard ducks are efficient as a mosquito control agency, Texas Game Department biologists say. They eliminate most of the larvae of the insect, even from the most badly infested places.



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Mrs. J. H. Kershaw, Reporter
"If the individuals start refusing to fight, war will become impossible," quoted Mrs. Fred Huston, program leader, as she gave a brief report on "Kill or Cure" by Muriel Lester, to the Missouri Avenue club which met in the home of Mrs. H. J. Wilson, Friday, January 26, at 2:00 o'clock.

"Who ever may be the enemy, our sons will be hidden to fight in the next war," continued Mrs. Huston. "We know their lives will be sacrificed in vain. War settles nothing. Even victory only leads to another war. No country is ever wholly in the wrong." In "Kill or Cure," Miss Lester convincingly presents the utter utility of war, and tells of the progress of the Peace movement since 1900.

"District meetings and Recommendations" was discussed by Mrs. C. O. Roach. Mrs. L. E. King was appointed chairman of the flower fund by Mrs. J. S. Slaughter, president. Program leaders for the second meetings were announced by Mrs. Fred Huston, program chairman.

Those present were: Mrs. J. S. Slaughter, Mrs. C. O. Roach, Mrs. Earl McGarrugh, Mrs. E. W. Witt, Mrs. Fred Huston and Mrs. Ed Cline, a guest, and the hostess Mrs. H. J. Wilson.

Sunshine 4-H Club

"Serve the chicken you cannot last summer creamed and on hot biscuit," Mrs. Hazel Martin, county home demonstration agent, told members of the Sunshine 4-H club. "If the ingredients are all very cold the biscuits will be better," she stated. "Brush the tops of the biscuits with milk for a crisp brown crust."

The girls answered roll call with their progress in sewing. The treasurer reported \$3.00 in the treasury.

Those present were: Carrie Nell Bremner, Irene Latham, Osella Pearson, Reta Anne Hurter, and Mrs. Norman Crum.

Home Demonstration Agent to Visit Club

Mrs. Hazel Martin, Ochiltree County home demonstration agent, has announced that she is to make a visit to members of the Missouri Avenue Home Demonstration Club on Friday, February 9. She will call at the Cooper, Plowman, Roach, Johnson, Henry, Key, McGarrugh, Slaughter, Kershaw, King, Dietrich, Copeland, Huston, Witt, Wilson and Lawrence homes in the order given during the day.

County Agent and Mrs. E. W. Thomas made a two-day business trip to Poyada and Plainview Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Kansas recently joined Texas in declaring a closed season on prairie chickens.

One Family Gets Concrete Evidence Of What New Deal Means to People

Bird Boy Teaches Flying Classes



At 16, Milton Lamoureux of Sacramento, Cal., is the youngest certified ground instructor in the nation. He holds solo pilot's license and is teaching 40 students the fundamentals of aerial navigation, radio, meteorology and civil air regulations. Milton plans to apply for commercial pilot license when he reaches 18.

Jots in Jest

NOW comes the report of the Iowan who ate 52 pancakes at one sitting. Such a feat must have left him in battered condition.

A new war cook book in Germany contains a recipe for sauerkraut pie. The Nazis are evidently out to wrest from the Chinese (bird's nest soup) the honors for queer culinary concoctions.

The President evidently hasn't told Mrs. Roosevelt his ideas on the third term. No woman could keep a secret this long.

The trouble with the movies these days is that producers shoot too many scenes and not enough actors.

Greeting Cards at Herald office!

"Social security" is a vague phrase. "Social security" is money out of the pay envelope. "Social security" is a tax upon the employer. But social security is becoming something else, something as concrete as money in the bank—and a lot safer than money was in some banks before the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation was set up.

Social security takes on a tangible and personal form to millions of American families when they read of the death of Archer K. Felton, 43 years old, who earned \$35 a week as a clerk.

Felton died four hours after midnight on New Year's Day, suddenly, of a heart attack. Before there was a Federal social security act, Felton's wife and son would have had to depend on a little insurance he carried and the help of relatives.

If Felton had died four hours sooner, before recently liberalized provisions of the act went into effect, his wife would have received \$191, in a lump sum.

But under the liberalized law, Mrs. Felton and her son will receive \$38.84 a month until the boy leaves school at 18. In the eight years between now and that time they will be paid \$3,728.64.

There are no humiliating strings attached to the money. Mrs. Felton does not have to prove need. She need not sell the family radio. Payments of the son's share would continue even if Mrs. Felton got a job.

In other words, the money comes to the Feltons as a right, not as charity. It is theirs just as insurance money is theirs.

Mrs. Felton does not remember that her husband mentioned social security in the same abstract manner. We predict that in the next few years this will change greatly. More and more individuals will have the meaning of it brought home to them as they learn of relatives and acquaintances who receive benefits, such as Mrs. Felton's under the act.

Of all the reforms of the New Deal, we believe social security will prove the most important and most popular.

Any political party that attacks or attempts to weaken it is doomed. It is based upon a deep-seated need of the people, which will be increasingly recognized as time goes on.—From Philadelphia Record.

Long Illness Fatal To Balke Youth

Clark Humphrey, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Humphrey of Balke, Okla., passed away Wednesday evening, January 24, in a hospital in Kansas City, Kansas, where he had been receiving treatment for some time. The young man had been ill with gland trouble for the past year.

His parents and his two sisters, Ava Ruth and Lazel, were with him at the time of his death and accompanied the remains to Liberal, Kan., enroute to Balke. They were also accompanied by three of Mrs. F. D. Humphrey's sisters, Mrs. Clara Rhodes of Paola, Kansas, Mrs. Roy Rhodes of Paola, Kansas, and Mrs. Melvin Ives of Canon City, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Humphrey and daughter Dixie, Mrs. Neil Beatty, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Blackweider, and Floyd Phelps and son Harold came from Balke this morning to meet the funeral party here. Neal Humphrey and Mrs. Beatty are brother and sister of F. D. Humphrey.

Clark Humphrey had lived in the Balke community since boyhood, graduating from high school there and later attending Northwestern State Teachers college at Alva, Oklahoma.—The Southwest Daily Times, Liberal, Kansas.

Manslaughter Charge

Seven members of a religious sect living in an isolated farm community near Lawrenceburg, Tenn., were recently indicted for involuntary manslaughter. All are charged with refusing to get medical aid for persons in need of it, and in each case the patient died.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell McGhee were indicted for refusing to bring a doctor to the bedside of their own child.

The religious sect believes healing powers come only from faith in God, and scorn medical treatment.

Prickly pear, or any other hard-to-get-ahold-of cactus sticker can easily be removed with adhesive tape. Press a piece firmly over the sticker, then remove. The stickers will come off with the tape.

Unless 13 per cent of the feed for cattle is made up of a protein, a very poor production is the usual outcome. The combination of the feed with a mixture of bone meal, salt and lime means that digestion and normal action are possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Allen, Claud Jr. and JoLayne, visited Sunday with the Henry Allen family in Liberal, Kans. Mrs. C. E. Woods accompanied them and visited with her sisters, Mrs. J. E. George and Mrs. Jennie Karau.

Relief At Last For Your Cough

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to loosen germ laden phlegm, increase secretion and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. No matter how many medicines you have tried, tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding that you are to like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back. **CREOMULSION** for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

Roast Loin of Pork Dressed for Dinner Party



Olives, on rib ends of frenched loin of pork add a festive touch for any occasion. When roasted to a turn and garnished with asparagus tips as the one pictured above, a pork loin is just right for the special dinner.

What better way is there to swing into the New Year than to demonstrate your culinary ability in top-notch manner with the meal centered on the loin roast of pork pictured above?

The loin roast is the same meat as the loin chops which you like so well. To bring out its very best flavor the roast should be thoroughly cooked in an oven moderately low, according to Inez S. Willson, home economist.

Cooking at this temperature will give a roast that is well done but not dry. The crust will be a uniform brown, crisp, but not hard. As you carve a perfect pork roast you should find the meat a grayish white, with no tinge of pink, and slices firm, juicy and tender.

Easiest Way to Prepare

We all like to know the easiest way of doing things, particularly when that method might well be the best way too, so here it is in one, two, three, four: Rub roast with salt and pepper; place in open roasting pan with fat side up; insert meat thermometer so that bulb reaches center of thickest muscle; place in oven preheated to 350 degrees F. and cook at the temperature until the meat thermometer registers 185 degrees F. If you have no thermometer, figure from thirty to thirty-five minutes per

pound for the roasting time. Simple, isn't it?

A loin roast does not need to be put on a rack in the roasting pan, for the natural arc of the ribs makes its own rack.

Simple to Carve

Here's a hint that will make you the lifelong friend of the person who does the carving. Have the meat retailer separate the backbone from the ribs by sawing lengthwise parallel to the chine bone. He will not completely remove the backbone, but after the meat is cooked the backbone becomes loosened and can easily be cut away from the ribs before the roast is brought to the table. Then your lifelong friend, the carver, merely has to slice between the ribs, cutting close against both sides of each rib, alternately making one slice with a bone and one without.

Roast pork is more tempting when sliced fairly thin, two slices usually making one serving. If it is a small loin, each slice may contain a rib, while a larger roast it may be possible to cut two boneless slices between the ribs.

Those nine little olives standing in a row were stuck on the ends of the rib bones, just for fun, but it does make a right perky way to serve the tempters, doesn't it?

Drop your matches in melted paraffin if you want to be sure to have water-proof fire sticks on that next hunting or fishing trip.

Constipated?

"For years I had occasional constipation, awful gas bloating, headaches and back pain. Adalrika always helped right away. Now, I eat sausage, bananas, pie, anything I want. Never felt better." Mrs. Mabel Schmitt.

ADLERIKA
Perryton Drug Co.

Huntoon PTA Be February 2

The January meeting of the Huntoon Parent Teacher Association was postponed because of weather and bad roads. The meeting will be held Friday, February 2. The men of the community are in charge of the program and assure everyone of a most entertaining evening.

Blue Mound

Mrs. H. E. Pattison, Blue Mound school teacher, was low due to bad roads. The Blue Mound school building from there to Balke. This was the first time since the school opened until all roads are open.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Lewis returned home from several days stay in the city.

Lewis Rorabough was a dinner guest in the H. E. home.

Warren Noe left Monday to turn to his home in Englewood. Enroute he will visit his family in Iowa.

Chess Campbell is working on the Sagar's car this week. Henry Pattison helped Campbell butcher Friday.

Bruce Saunders, who is PAMC, Goodwell, spent the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Saunders.

Mary Lou Slater has been in the home of Mildred

for several days.

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Herald's Classified Ad Phone No. 67

FOR SALE

HOUSEHOLD GOODS
SEWING MACHINES for sale. All makes repaired. Key Electric Co. 1-tf-c

MISCELLANEOUS

ABSTRACTS by "Those Who Know the Public Records" Ochiltree County Abstract Co., Dave Shanks, manager, Phone 200, Courthouse, Perryton, Texas. 15-tf-c

GRINDING—Realize more out of your grain by having it ground at the McKay Implement Co. 47-tf-c

MACHINE SHOPS

WELDING BROTHERS Machine Shop. Welding and machine work. 9-tf-c

BLACKSMITH work and welding of all kinds. All work guaranteed. Machine Shop. 24-tf-c

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RADIO AND ACCESSORIES
COMPLETE SERVICE ON RADIO REPAIRING. TUBES TESTED. WE CARRY A COMPLETE STOCK OF TUBES FOR ALL MAKES OF RADIOS. CRISP JEWELL CO. Ellis Theatre Building. 39-tf-c

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FARM SUPPLIES

TRACTOR MACHINERY: Several used cream separators, grain drills and tractors. Good condition. Priced low. Terms reasonable. PERRYTON EQUIPMENT CO. 2-tf-c

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BROOMS for rent. Night or week. 400 SW 1st St. Phone 77. 13-tf-c

APARTMENTS
FURNISHED apartment for rent. 119 SW First. F. H. Cox. 39-tf-c

ROOM apartment for rent. 14 S. Main. Oliver King. 4-2t-p

WANTED EMPLOYMENT

Wanted—Mending to do, or Embroidery work. Mrs. Anna Keller, 1 S. W. 4th. 2-4t-c

WANTED

CUPLE wants large unfurnished room with access to bath. Inquire at Herald Office. 5-1t-c

REAL ESTATE

ACRES good wheat land in cultivation for sale. One mile of water. Priced \$21 per acre. 1/2 cash, balance on terms. W. B. Laster Realty Company. 4-1t-c

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INTERNATIONAL Sunday School Lesson

Sacredness of Human Life

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for Feb. 4
Text: Genesis 1:27-31; 1 Corinthians 6:19, 20; 11 Corinthians 6:16-7:1

IT is the situation of war and violence today—when men, women and children are being slaughtered by the thousands—that makes it all the more necessary that Christians should not lose their faith or their vision. Great emphasis should be placed on teachings concerning the sacredness of human life.

It is fitting that for a lesson like this we should go back to the earliest book of the Bible; for there, in these earliest records of religion among the Hebrew people, is set down the profound teaching concerning war and peace and the means of achieving peace, as found in the story of Abraham and Lot. The portion from Genesis taken for our lesson emphasizes, perhaps, the general glory of God's creation—the sacredness of man as made in God's own image and likeness—and it is fitting that we should put this fact ahead of all.

BUT one would like to enforce this lesson with the story of Cain and Abel that so soon follows in the Genesis record; for there we have not only the teaching concerning man and the sacredness of life, but the emphasis upon tragedy of loss and the impossibility of restoring what was lost. It is true that often we do not realize the worth of things until we have lost them, and Cain did not realize the full horror of what he had

done until he realized that he had killed a brother, a man like himself, made in God's image.

The marvel is that, with such clear teaching, thus enforced by examples going so far back in the history of the race, the business of murder and killing should go on even in this twentieth century. How can we stop this terrible thing and turn the hearts of men from violence to peace and love? Is there any way of hoping to do this until we can bring to men above all things a new sense of the sacredness of their own lives?

WE need all the technique modern methods and government can supply, but leagues, and courts, and conferences, will never end war until we succeed in developing more fully in human life such a consciousness of its sacredness that men will feel the full horror of killing.

But there are ways of killing and injuring people that have little to do with violence on battlefields. There are evil trades, evil habits, evil things carried on for greed and profit, that injure the bodies of men just as much as if they were wounded in war. And these things, also, too often injure and destroy the soul.

God made man for health and strength, cleanness of body and cleanness of mind and heart. These are the things that He promises to those who will obey His laws and commandments. Should we not then say in the closing verse of our lesson: "Having therefore these promises, beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from all defilement of flesh and spirit, perfecting holiness in the fear of God."

CHURCHES

Church of Christ

Luke Priba, Minister
Lord's Day Services
Bible Study 10 a. m.
Preaching 10:50 a. m.
Communion 11:45 a. m.
Evening service at 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday
Ladies Bible Class 2:30 p. m.
Bible Study at 7:00 p. m.
Come and enjoy these services with us.

Christian Science

"Love" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, February 4.

The Golden Text is: "The love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us" (Romans 5:5).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Then came Peter to him, and said, Lord, how oft shall my brother sin against me, and I forgive him? till seven times? Jesus saith unto him, I say not unto thee, Until seven times; but, Until seventy times seven" (Matthew 18:21, 22).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Every trial of our faith in God makes us stronger. The more difficult seems the material condition to be overcome by Spirit, the stronger should be our faith and the purer our love" (page 410).

Send a Birthday Card from the Stewart Printing Co.

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In traveling 10,000 miles your motor turns 23,100,000 times; Ignition points open 69,300,000; coil delivers 69,300,000 sparks; spark plugs fire 69,300,000 times; fuel pumped 625 gallons; carburetor mixes 625 gallons of gas with 9,375,000 gallons of air. For Economy have your MOTOR tuned regularly.

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Lee's Electric Repair

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

The Perryton Girl Scout Troop No. 1 met Friday afternoon with Lieutenants Miss Virginia Vaughan, Miss Katherine Winkler and Mrs. S. N. Henry, and Captain Mrs. W. H. Lance in charge. Thirty four were present and heard the reports of activities for the month of January.

It was decided that the annual Valentine party will be held in two divisions. The first group composed of the seventh, eighth and ninth grade patrols will have a party on Friday, February 9. The sixth and seventh grade patrols will have their party on Saturday, February 10.

After the business session last Friday, those present enjoyed songs and games.

Panhandle Artist Exhibits in Chicago

Harold Bugbee of Clarendon was one of the Texas painters whose work was represented by Texas artists, held January 20, at the J. W. Young galleries, Chicago.

In a folder describing the exhibit, the Clarendon artist's work is described as follows: "In the far west Panhandle where under the stars at night, song of the cowboy is interrupted by the dismal howl of the wolf, and where the timid antelope can still be seen, Harold Bugbee is painting the ranchmen and sportsmen in a manner that convinces you he had always lived there and this work has not been inspired by the movies."

Other Texas artists represented in the Chicago exhibition were Paul Schuman, Texas gulf coast; Harold Roney, Kerrville; J. Walton Leeder, Austin; Frederick Becker from the Big Bend section; Joseph Lane and Frank Reaugh, Houston; Dawson Watson, Mrs. Athol, Porfirio Salinas, all of San Antonio.—The Clarendon News.

Joy Nowlin will leave Saturday for Denton, where she will attend Texas College for Women for the last semester.

Dr. J. W. Chase, who has an office in the Perryton Hotel, moved his family here from Booker last week. They are residing in the residence of Mrs. Ed Bryan, 412 South-west Fourth street.

Mrs. H. L. Heard and son, Bob, of Spearman were Perryton shoppers Friday.

Mrs. and Mrs. B. B. Kent write from Miami, Florida, that they are enjoying the southern climate. They expect to be gone until the middle of February.

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After Dark!!... by Rice

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SPEED X WEIGHT = IMPACT

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AT NIGHT WITHOUT TRAFFIC SAFETY LIGHTING YOU SEE OBSTRUCTIONS TOO LATE—HIT THEM AT GREATER SPEEDS WITH MORE DEADLY IMPACT consequently NIGHT DRIVING IS FAR MORE DANGEROUS!

Slow Down! of Sun Churn!!

Stratford Has Electric Thawing Machine

A small electric thawing machine was imported by the West Texas Utilities Company in Stratford last Tuesday morning. Continued freezing weather had caused some discomfort by preventing continuous water service for about 12 customers where mains and service lines were shallow.

It was thought that the new equipment would keep the water lines open, though it was possible that trouble might continue while the freezing weather lasted.

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A female snapping turtle lays from twenty to thirty eggs at one time. Nests have been found that contained as many as forty-four eggs.

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Hospital Notes

Arthur W. Partridge of the Blue Mound community has been a patient in the Perryton Hospital since Monday, receiving treatment for injuries which he received from a fall. Miss Josephine Carlson is resting nicely following an appendicitis operation last Thursday.

The condition of Attorney J. W. Payne, a patient since January 4, remains unchanged. Mr. Payne received a broken hip when he fell on the icy streets.

Arthur Gray of the Gray, Okla., community, was operated Wednesday morning. He has been in the hospital ten days.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Latham in the hospital Tuesday morning.

Andy L. Reese, an enrollee at the local CCC camp, was operated for appendicitis Tuesday. Dr. W. F. Pickett, camp surgeon, was assisted by Dr. G. L. Kengle.

Although the turkey vulture is a fearful looking bird with a wing spread of six feet, not even the youngest chickens in a barnyard show the slightest alarm when one of them alights in their midst. The turkey buzzard is said never to attack any living creature and is molested by none.

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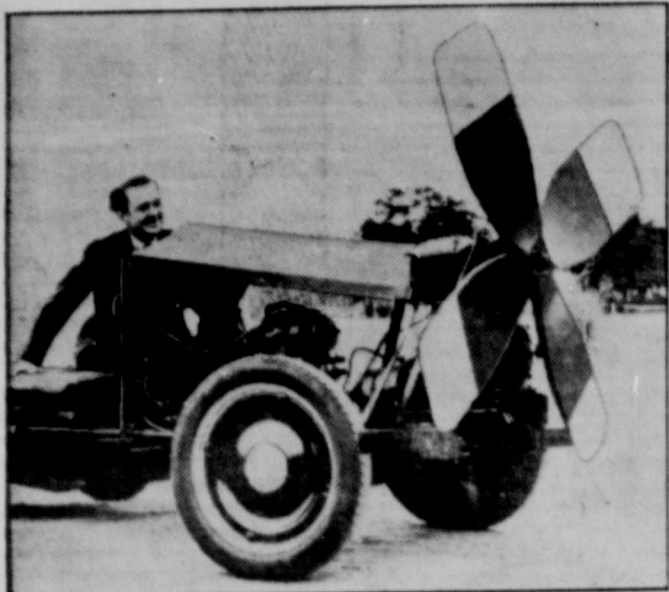
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Huff, Puff and Away You Blow



It must have been the GWTW influence, for J. C. Thomas, St. Augustine, Fla., inventor, has perfected a car that practically goes with the breeze. His "windmobile" runs economically on an electric motor driven by 12 storage batteries. These are charged by turning of propeller in front, so that car runs a mile on 1/4 of a cent.

Chimp Gives Hurley a "Howdy"



When Dr. Julian Huxley, famed English biologist and secretary of the London Zoological Society, visited Cleveland, O., he proved himself a typical busman by going to visit the zoo. Sammy, a chimpanzee, held by Curley Wilson, was one of first in line to greet the British scientist.

Baby Golfer Meets a Chicken



It's news when a birdie meets a golfer. That's what happened at the New Jersey state farm show at Trenton when Bobby Dawson, Jr., ran across this family exhibit. Son of a golf professional, Bobby recently shot a 71 for nine holes on his father's course.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Kelly were in Pampa Friday. She visited with her sister, Miss Kathryn LaMaster, while he attended to business.

Mrs. T. J. Powell came in Monday from Colorado, Texas, to spend a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Vernon McLanahan, and new granddaughter, Verona Kay.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. LeMaster and children, Barbara Kaye and Tommy, spent Sunday in Darrouzett visiting in the Basil Duke home.

Dr. Powell, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat specialist will be at Dr. Kengle's office Tuesday, February 6.

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Announcement Column

The Ochiltree County Herald is authorized to announce the following as candidates for nomination subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic primary to be held in Ochiltree county on Saturday, July 27, 1940.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
DAVE SHANKS (Reelection)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
MRS. ARTHUR SLAVIN (Reelection)

FOR COUNTY and DISTRICT CLERK
IRVIN R. BUCHANAN (Reelection)

FOR SHERIFF, TAX COLLECTOR AND TAX ASSESSOR
J. S. TALLEY (Reelection)
ERNEST GYGER

FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 1
A. E. DEVERS (Reelection)

FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 2
B. H. PECKENPAUGH (Reelection)

FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 3
FRED TARBOX (Reelection)

FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 4
J. H. CALLIHAM
GEO. B. JACKSON

FOR STATE SENATE, 31ST SENATORIAL DISTRICT
MAX BOYER

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY
OSCAR C. FLOWERS (Reelection)

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ten to Amarillo will be shortened is done, the distance from Perryton almost 20 miles.

There is probably a great need for the improved highway from Fritch to Borger and there is no doubt but what it would be built but let's not change the designated route of No. 136. A new road would save many miles for people of Hansford, Ochiltree and North Hutchinson counties. It would take traffic off the dangerous curves and hills and rough pavement of the Stinnett-Borger-Panhandle highway and the crowded traffic of the Panhandle to Amarillo highway. Let's keep No. 136 where it is and lend our every aid in having it improved.

The City of Perryton needs more revenue. We think Mayor Forbes is on the right track when he suggests a small service connection charge for sewer use. The revenue thus obtained could be used for upkeep of the sewer system and extension of mains to parts of the city now unserved. There's no reason why the city as a whole should be taxed to build and maintain sewers when there are portions of the city that pay taxes and have no sewer service.

Another source of revenue for the city could be used to a great advantage in Perryton would be a city poll tax. The city poll tax would make for more honest city elections. In cities that require a city poll tax, voters cannot vote in any election without payment of the city poll tax even though they have paid the county-state poll tax.

And still another item of taxation that will produce many dollars for the lean city treasury is levying of a city license fee for cars and trucks. The Memphis Democrat says that not one-fifth of the cars and trucks in Memphis are assessed, as tax collectors don't want to bother with them unless there is real property to back up the levy. They say "Own your home and business and get assessed for your car. Rent or be a transient and go free of car property taxes."

Mayor Forbes and the city council are overlooking a good revenue bet on the city poll tax and the sale of city license tags.

And while we're talking about city affairs let's put on the list of

1940 Political Calendar

- Jan. 31—Last day to pay poll tax. (First day, Oct. 1, 1939)
- Feb. 1—Residents of cities of over 10,000 population entitled by law to exemption from poll tax must obtain certificate of exemption before this date.
- Feb. 12—Election judges for counties appointed by commissioners' courts.
- March 10—Last day for tax assessor-collector to prepare poll lists.
- April 1—Deadline for delivery of certified poll list to election boards. In counties of cities over 10,000, supplemental lists shall be furnished until four days prior to election.
- May 4—Precinct conventions for presidential nominations.
- May 7—County conventions for presidential nominations.
- May 28—State convention to name delegates to presidential nominating convention; held where designated by state executive committee.
- June 3—Last day candidates for state office, and certain candidates for district and state offices in districts containing more than one county, may file candidacy with executive committee for place on ballot.
- June 10—State executive committee meets to select state convention site; and to certify to county chairmen names of candidates for places on ballot.
- June 15—Last day for county and precinct candidates, and district candidates in district composed of one county, to file.
- June 17—County executive committee determines by lot order of names on the ballot, and prepares estimate of election expense.
- June 22—Last day for candidates to pay ballot assessments.
- June 24—Primary committee makes up official ballot.
- June 27-July 1—Period for first campaign expense reports.
- July 15—Absentee voting begins.
- July 15-19—Second campaign expense reports. State and district reports filed with secretary of state; county candidates with county clerk.
- July 22—Last day for voters in city of over 10,000, who have moved to new voting box, to appear before tax assessor-collector for corrected certificate; or for voter who moved to new county or new precinct, to present his certificate in order to have his name added to list in precinct of his new residence.
- July 24—Last day for voters to appear before county clerk and cast absentee ballots.
- July 24—Last day for presiding judges of elections to obtain list of voters for use in first primary.
- July 25—County clerk sends absentee votes to presiding judges of precincts.
- July 27—First primary. Polls open 8 a. m. to 7 p. m. County clerk or county chairman telegraphs unofficial returns to secretary of state.
- July 27—Precinct conventions to name delegates to county conventions. Chairmen of county and precinct committees chosen.
- July 30—Last day for presiding judges to report election returns to county judge. County judge, within 48 hours after the returns have been canvassed by the commissioners' court, forward complete returns to secretary of state.
- Aug. 3—County executive committee canvasses returns.
- Aug. 4—Absentee voting begins for second primary.
- Aug. 6—Final day for third expense reports in first primary.
- Aug. 10—State executive committee meets in Austin to canvass primary returns and certify to county chairmen names for ballot in run-off primary.
- Aug. 12-16—Period for second primary first expense reports.
- Aug. 21—Last day for absentee balloting in second primary.
- Aug. 24—Second primary.
- Aug. 26—Last day that an independent and nonpartisan candidate may file with secretary of state application for place on general election ballot.
- Sept. 3—Final date for last campaign expense report.
- Sept. 9—State executive committee opens and canvasses returns of the second primary and prepares delegate list for state convention.
- Sept. 10—State democratic convention declares nominees, determines platform, elects new chairman of state committee, and canvasses returns for state offices. New state committee chosen by district caucuses. (Sept. 3—conflict in law apparently fixing state convention six days ahead of committee session to canvass returns was ignored by the democratic party in 1938, since the convention could not declare nominees.)
- Oct. 1—Poll tax paying begins.
- Oct. 16—Absentee balloting begins for general election.
- Oct. 16—Last day for party state committees to certify names of candidates for president and vice-president to the secretary of state.
- Nov. 2—Absentee balloting for general election closes.
- Nov. 5—General election; selection of presidential electors.
- Nov. 8—Presidential electors certified to county judges.
- Nov. 8—Final date ("within 72 hours" from close of polls) for presiding judges to report returns to county judge. Then, within 48 hours, county judge shall deliver returns to commissioners' court.
- Nov. 11—County judges forward returns to secretary of state.
- Nov. 11—(On Monday next after general election, and not before) commissioners' court shall examine returns and estimate result.
- Nov. 13—County judge shall, within 48 hours after commissioners' court examines returns, forward the same to secretary of state. (If court does not meet on Monday following election for this purpose, it shall meet "at earliest practicable time" thereafter.)
- Nov. 15—Candidates file sworn expense statement with county judge.
- Dec. 2—Governor, secretary of state and attorney general open election returns, canvass and declare results and issue certificates of election.
- Dec. 16—Presidential electors convene in Austin and cast Texas vote for President and Vice-President.
- 1941: Jan. 1—Terms of all elective state and district officers, except governor, lieutenant governor, senators and representatives, begin.
- Jan. 14—Legislature convenes. Secretary of state delivers election returns for governor and lieutenant governor to speaker of house for canvass within first week of session.
- Jan. 21—Governor and lieutenant governor inaugurated.

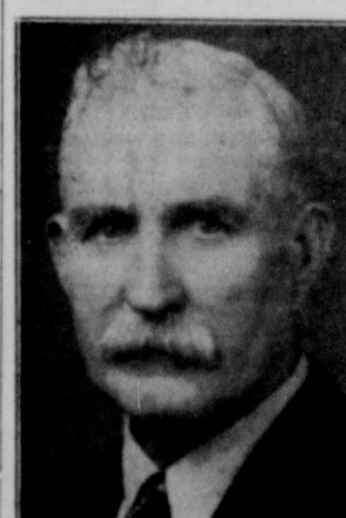
better things for Perryton in 1940: "Lower Gas Rates" and a "Central Energy Telephone System." Boy, but are the people of Perryton conscious of our high 66c gas rate after receiving their bills for the coldest 30 days in years.

The Herald office made about the best investment in years when we installed oil burning heaters three years ago. We filled our fuel tank about three weeks ago and the cost of oil up to that date for the winter's heat was \$13.20. Our gas bill for heating our home for the past month was more than twice the above amount.

We have just heard that our good friend H. C. Coffey of Pampa is a candidate for Commissioner for Precinct No. 2 of Gray county. Now we just wish that we could go down there to put in a vote for you, Henry, for you'll make your county a good Commissioner. Henry Coffey served as Commissioner in this county and was one of the builders of Ochiltree county and Perryton.

He was never too busy to take time out to promote or assist in any movement for the betterment of his community. We sometimes feel that Perryton has done a lot of "coasting" the past few years on the results of the unselfish community service of Henry Coffey and a small group of his co-workers who gave so freely of their time and money in building and boosting this community during its diaper days.

Asks 2nd Term



A. E. Devers, now serving his first term as Commissioner from Precinct No. 1, will be a candidate for reelection in the July primary. He is engaged in the farming and stock raising business and has an enviable record as county official.

Jas E. Barbour received word this week that his son, James Edwards was injured Saturday night when his car, a Chevrolet coupe hit a parked truck on North Thirteenth Street in Albuquerque. N. M. James was taken to the hospital in an unconscious condition but recovered shortly suffering only a few cuts on his face. His car was badly damaged.

For Reelection



Fred Tarbox, Commissioner from the southwest part of the county, will be a candidate for reelection, not by his own choice, but by the action of his friends who have placed him in the race for a fourth term.

Rites For Dobbs Infant Are Today

Funeral services will be conducted today at the Wilson Funeral chapel for Mary Arlene Dobbs, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Dobbs at 2:30 p. m. Death came Wednesday morning at the Perryton Hospital following an illness of several weeks.

The Dobbs infant, age five and one-half months, had been confined to the hospital the past thirty-five days with pneumonia and other complications.

Survivors are the mother and father.

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His record as a Commissioner entitles him to consideration for reelection on his own seeking and it is very evident that his friends and supporters are aware of his fitness for this office.

Devers for Reelection
A. E. Devers, now serving his first term as Commissioner from Precinct No. 1, is a candidate for reelection. Al Devers is making his Precinct and the county a fine Commissioner. He is a successful farmer and stockman living in the east part of the county. Mr. Devers makes the following announcement concerning his candidacy:

"In announcing for reelection for a second term as Commissioner from Precinct No. 1, I wish to say that it has been a pleasure to work with the present court throughout the year and I hope it continues the same. I, of course, stand for the betterment of my precinct at all times.

"For the benefit of the general public, I wish to call attention to the fact that there is more than 300 miles of road in the district and that the district has only one mail-tender to cover this mileage over which seven school and three mail routes operate. One machine can get over only so much road and we are getting to all roads just as soon as possible so we ask the public to be just as patient as possible.

"As for the count as a whole, the published statement of the County Treasurer speaks for itself.

"I have given you my best efforts and will thank you to return me for a second term."

Jackson for Commissioner
Geo. B. Jackson is the second candidate for Commissioner from Precinct No. 4. In this precinct, two former Commissioners will be in the race, Mr. Jackson having served as Commissioner a number of years ago. His opponent, J. H. Callihan, is also a former Commissioner.

Mr. Jackson is a pioneer son of pioneer parents. He came here with his parents when they settled on

Wolf Creek over 53 years ago. He resides near the old family homestead on Wolf Creek where he engages in farming and stock raising. If elected to serve the people of his precinct, Mr. Jackson promises that he will perform the duties of the office to the best of his ability and that he will not allow any personal business interests to conflict with the county's business.

Mr. Jackson is qualified to fill this important office and he will appreciate the consideration and support of every voter in his precinct.

Flowers Seeks Reelection
Oscar C. Flowers, now serving his second term as County Attorney is asking for renomination at the July primaries. Attorney Flowers, while yet a young man, is a seasoned office holder. Just a few weeks after he received his law degree from Baylor University, he was elected County Judge of this county, in which office he served for two terms with distinction and honor to himself and to his constituents.

After devoting a few years to private practice of law, he was elected and reelected as County Attorney. His record as a County Judge, attorney and County Attorney is his best recommendation for reelection. He is worthy of the support of every voter and will appreciate their consideration at the polls in July.

President. Introduction of our new citizens in the SCS. George M. Parker, Accordion Solo. Bill Hailey, Pampa. Introduction of Speaker, Van W. Stewart. Address, Garnett Reeves, Pampa. Adjournment.

General arrangements for the banquet are in charge of a committee composed of Garland Redfern, chairman; C. B. Rogers and F. B. Sumpter. The program committee is Irvin R. Buchanan, chairman, H. I. Hudson and Van W. Stewart.

plaque from Borger club.

The club, upon becoming a member of Rotary International, adopts the four objects of the organization which are:

To encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

1. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
2. High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying by each Rotarian of his occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
3. The application of the ideal of service by every Rotarian to his personal business, and community life;

4. The advancement of good will and understanding between nations; peace through a world of ship of business and professions united in the ideal of service.

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utes spent on the ground and the feel of the sky.

The plane was built in the Hawk and utilizes a four-cylinder automobile motor as a power source. Carrying a capacity load, the plane has a wing span of 30 feet, a fuselage length of 15 feet, and a total length of 15 feet overall. The small plane takes off at 50 miles an hour and 150 to 200 yards and has a maximum height of 12,000 feet above sea level or 9,000 feet above the ground.

Perryton. Top speed reached 150 miles per hour and a cruising speed of 85 miles per hour is maintained.

Hawk, who is 31 years old, married, learned to fly with a 3 hours instruction from Roy Hogland and Thrush, former Perryton pilot.

"However, I spent approximately 35 hours of ground taxi work before taking off by myself," declared.

Back in 1928 Hawk completed an air race at the Municipal port in Amarillo against entries and placed third with an average speed of 105 miles an hour by city merchants.

In addition to a daily trip, Hawk has been on the go recently to stricken motorists stranded in the deep Ochiltree County drifts and recently flew a family 26 miles south of Perryton with temperatures ranging from four degrees below zero.

He brought the marooned family to the Perryton hospital suffering from frozen limbs when their car skidded into a ditch during a raging blizzard.

Rising temperatures threaten to melt the snow-covered roads and the oddity of the air great fun while it lasts," commented.

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