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Opposite Talmage House

Kenneth Berry was a Butler visitor Thursday.

Miss Pearl Taylor was a Nevada visitor yesterday.

Dr. W. H. Lancaster was in this city from Nevada Tuesday.

The Kelley Hotel, at Walker burned Saturday morning.

The College students are all home for the holidays.

Earl Wilkerson, of Caney, Kansas, is visiting in this city.

Arch Frow who is travelling for the American Tobacco Co. is visiting home folks.

Madame Johnson the clairvoyant, was a pleasant caller at this office yesterday.

Mrs. Ivor Williams, of Columbia, spent Christmas with relatives in this city.

Miss Clara McMortry is attending the state teachers association in Kansas City.

Elks and their families are invited to the New Year's dance at the club rooms tonight. A good crowd is expected.

The greatest calamity of 1908 came just at its close. 100,000 people were killed in Italy and Sicily by an earthquake, volcanic eruption, and tidal wave resulting Tuesday. The entire world was shocked to hear of the great disaster.

Dec. 24th was one of the busiest days of the year with the Merchants. Everybody was buying and very few "just-looking-around"

W. H. Farrant and wife, of Vinita Oklahoma, who had been visiting Ed McMahan and family returned home yesterday.

Miss Lara Fisher, of Butler, visited her brother Hadley here this week.

John Creasey was confined to his home on account of sickness the first of the week. He was able to return to his work in the post office Wednesday.

Elder E. H. Williamson, of Springfield, Mo., is in this city. He preached at the Christian Church last night and will preach again tonight. All are invited. Elder Williamson paid the Tribune a pleasant call yesterday.

Abe Krieger and son Forrest of Kansas City spent Christmas with relatives in this city.

Abe Krieger, of Kansas City, and John Krieger spent several days this week hunting quail on the Rich Hill Gun Club's reserve.

W. G. Bensley, and wife, of Pittsburg, Kansas, are visiting his brother C. S. Bensley and family.

Miss Francis and Harry Booth are visiting their uncle J. H. Hedges, in Springfield, Mo.

Christian Endeavor Meets.

The Christian Endeavor of the Christian Church held a business meeting at the home of Frank Cheverton Tuesday night. Refreshments were served and a pleasant social hour was spent after the business of the evening was transacted.

Whist Club Meets.

Miss Lena Delamater entertained the Whist club Tuesday evening in a very delightful manner. A delicious luncheon was served. All present report a royal time.

Miss Sara Wilson won the ladies prize and Dan Walters the gentleman's.

Those present: Misses—Zetta Walters, Carrie Wilson, Sara Wilson, Allene Beasley, Harriet Cole, Kattie Bradley, Mabel Whitney, Lena Delamater.

Messrs.—Tom Johannes, Wm. Ferguson, Seymour Williamson, B. V. Geiger, Dan Walters, Frank Wilson, Paul Delamater, Louis Hulet, Geo. Dowell.

Boy Shot.

Don Depew Shot Yesterday Afternoon While Hunting—Dangerously Injured.

Don Depew, the young son of Ben Depew, section foreman on the Frisco was shot yesterday afternoon while hunting in Brook's pasture, east of this city. He and his brother Andrew, it seems were out with a party of boys and a 22 rifle carried by Andrew was accidentally discharged, injuring Don.

The reports at the hour of going to press are meagre but it seems that the bullet took effect in the head, and that the boy is fatally injured. A passerby was stopped by one of the boys and told that one of their number had been shot. He rode to town at once and Dr. Hulet went out.

The boy's father was working on the Frisco between here and Sprague and an order was sent for the afternoon passenger to pick him up and bring him to this city. No other facts were obtainable at this writing.

High School Notes.

The Athenian Literary Society held a very interesting session last Wednesday night. Several of the University students (ex-members) were present, most of whom gave talks on the values to be received from the society. The following program was rendered:

Piano Solo—Nina Richardson. Short Reading, Viola Bradley. Parliamentary drill, Al Wilson. Vocal Solo—Ethel Watson. Recitation—Ivan Corbin. Debate: Resolved: that the American Colonists were justified in evading the British trade laws.

Affirmative—Walter Gardener, Eda Alms.

Negative—Hazel Kerns, Geo. S. Smith.

Athenian Argus, Fanny Hook. Piano Duet, Agnes and Laura Heck.

Recitation—Georgia Ferrell. Dialogue—Lulu Barrows et al. After the program the boys from the University sang their song and yelled their yell.

Prof. A. Crenshaw and W. H. Halley are spending the holidays at home.

Ivan Corbin came over from Hume to play with the high school boys Thursday.

An oyster supper was given to the basket ball teams that played Thursday.

An informal party was given at the home of Miss L. Heck last Tuesday night. Various games were played during the evening, the most interesting of which was a test of the boys skill in trimming hats, sewing on buttons etc. Refreshments were served at the Marsh cafe.

Those present were: Misses Laura Heck, Edna Loeb, Agnes Heck, Viola Bradley, Mary Jones Treva Connell, Kathryn Maurer, Louise Barry, Mary Wilson, and Lulu Barrows.

Messrs: Alvan McCarty, Walter Gardener, Glen Craig, Rodney Grimm, Kenneth Berry, and Harold Templeton.

Meeting Dates of Courts.

Monday in February, May and October.

County court meets 1st Monday in February, May, August and November.

Probate court meets 2nd Monday in February, May, August and November.

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