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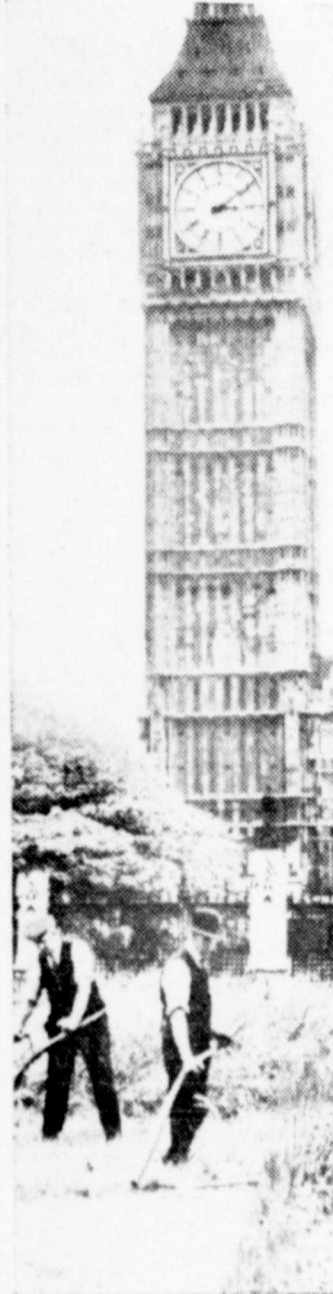
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Not since Henry VIII had the grass in London's Parliament Square gone unused, but waste is neglected making it to grass waste-high. So these men got scythes and started making hay in the shadow of Big Ben.

WEED-CUTTING DRIVE SOON BE UNDERWAY

City Commissioner Edward Lee of the sanitary committee said this morning that comparatively little has been done so far toward starting the weed-cutting drive authorized by the city commission at its last meeting. However, Mr. Lee said, it is expected that the drive will get under way by Monday morning and that it will continue until the work is completed. A man who had tentatively agreed to take the job under contract, and who was supposed to report to Commissioner Lee, has so far failed to put in an appearance. If this gentleman can not be secured other parties will be contacted some time Saturday.

Commissioners Lee and George Boyd will be in charge of the drive. Messrs. Lee and Boyd have already cut the rank weeds on L. avenue between Ninth and Tenth streets. This was done with a street grader. It was necessary to take the grader to that section of the city to open a drain, and while on the spot the rank weeds were destroyed, many of which were higher than a man's head. The grader not only cut the weeds, but all undergrowth, as well, Mr. Lee said.

WILL FIGHT FOR LOWER PHONE RATE

DALLAS, June 11.—Given the authority to spend as much as \$25,000 in the fight for lower telephone rates for Dallas, city utilities supervisor Frank R. Scheider will hire nationally known utility experts to aid in the fight. In the past few days Scheider has conferred with experts who were instrumental in obtaining a lower telephone rate for Houston and he hopes to close a deal with them soon.

EXTRA SESSION IF LEE O GOES TO WASHINGTON

AUSTIN, July 11.—County judges and commissioners will watch Monday's canvass of the vote for U. S. senator with especial interest.

If Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel is declared senator, one obstacle to a special session will be removed. County officials already are clamoring for a special session to avert an increase in county ad valorem taxes.

Harris county led with a resolution asking a special session to pass a road bond assumption bill. Judge Merritt H. Gibson of Longview, president of the County Judges and Commissioners' association, also has urged a session for that purpose.

Oil men will watch, too, for if O'Daniel becomes senator, the legislature at a special session may get another vote on house bill 942, which would authorize the kind of oil prorations that has been ordered recently by the railroad commission but has been enjoined in court.

Governor O'Daniel opposes special sessions of the legislature. He resisted strong pressure for one between the regular sessions of the 46th and 47th legislatures. Should he remain governor, chance of a special session will decrease. O'Daniel vetoed H. B. 942, and if he did call a session he would not be likely to submit the oil bill for another vote. A special session can act only upon matters submitted by the governor.

Lieut. Gov. Coke Stevenson of Junction will become governor if O'Daniel goes to Washington and Stevenson would take over the responsibility for calling a special session.

At the close of the last session, Stevenson expressed an opinion that an immediate special session would accomplish no good. He was author of the original road bond assumption act, and it is believed that he would call a special session to continue the policy and house and senate members show a disposition to bury their differences about it.

If a session is called, it probably will be early. Unless a bond assumption act is passed, counties must provide funds to service the outstanding road bonds that the state has been paying for many years. County tax rates are set by commissioners' courts in August.

Advices Russians



Foremost British authority on German tactics, Lieut.-Gen. Frank Mason-MacFarlane, above, has arrived in Moscow with British military and economic mission to help Russia plot battle against invasion.

COUNTY BOARD WILL KEEP NEW HOURS JULY 14

New office hours have been inaugurated by the county draft board, at Eastland.

Beginning Monday, July 14, the office will be open week days from 8:30 to 4:30 o'clock, on Saturdays from 8:30 to 12:30.

Registrants will please take notice of this change, which is made on order, from state headquarters.

P. O. WORKER FOUND SHORT AFTER 21 YEARS

DALLAS, July 11.—Marvin L. Bradley, post office employee for twenty-one years, pleaded guilty to theft of \$8 from the mails before United States Commissioner John Davis Thursday while his postmaster, the pastor of his church, his wife and a brother sat near by anxious to help him.

The complaint filed against Bradley by Post Office Inspector C. H. Rose charged that while employed as a carrier he embezzled on Wednesday a letter addressed to Mrs. K. E. Gardner, RFD 2, Ardmore, Okla., and extracted \$8 in currency. Bradley was released on \$500 bond after being bound over to the grand jury by Commissioner Davis.

Rev. Herbert Dudley, pastor of the Trinity Christian church, who attended the hearing to do what he could for Bradley, said the carrier had been director of the church choir for the last two and a half years.

WOULD TESLA DEATH RAY HELP WORLD?

NEW YORK, July 11.—Nikola Tesla, one of the world's greatest inventors, observed his 84th birthday by cancelling his customary anniversary interviews.

The man who last September said he was working on a secret "teleforce" which would melt airplane engines and explode bombs at a distance of 250 miles, said "I'll talk when the time comes."

He did not amplify his remark. Tesla, who before the turn of the century discovered electrical principles which made the radio possible, has remained in his hotel quarters most of the time in recent years. Recently, however, he entertained Fritzzi Zovic, welterweight boxing champion at dinner. One of his chief interests is sports.

In birthday interviews during the past decade, Tesla has predicted:

- Death rays capable of destroying 1,000,000 men with one 50,000-volt blast.
- Wireless telephone service to Mars.
- Rays travelling 50 times the speed of light.
- Harnessing of the sun's energy.
- Last September he said a dozen generating plants, built at a cost of \$2,000,000 each, could, by utilizing a brand new principle of physics, cast a beam that would destroy enemy airplanes before they could reach the country's coasts.

U. S. WORKMEN BUILDING AIR BASES, BRITAIN

(United Press)

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Senator Burton K. Wheeler today charged that American and British officials are discussing a plan to pool their naval resources under an arrangement whereby the United States will patrol the North Atlantic, while the British patrol the English Channel and South Atlantic.

Wheeler's statement was made after President Roosevelt, at a press conference, said he would not be surprised if American workmen and material are not being employed at British expense in the construction of air bases all over the British Empire, including North Ireland.

Britain today speculated on the possibility of a United States air-naval base being established in North Ireland.

The Irish press said the proposed bases might be nearer realization than indicated, while London said Americans employed on the project were hired by the British government.

The RAF bombed German-Italian targets.

Moscow said the German drive was dead.

Berlin was silent, but hinted of an important communique Sunday.

Cheers for China



Chinese honey, Sue Wong, makes decorative drum majorette as her people in New York celebrate great fight put up by 'homeland against Japanese.

PEARSON WILL COME TO TEXAS AND SWEAR TO ELECTION STORY IF WEINERT COM. IS SINCERE

(United Press)

AUSTIN, July 11.—Rudolph Weinert, chairman of the senate's general investigating committee, telephoned from his Seguin home this morning that his committee is ready to hear Drew Pearson, Washington columnist, "under oath" in connection with Pearson's radio comments on the recent U. S. senate election.

Pearson telegraphed Senator Weinert yesterday that he would gladly appear before a state senate committee investigating the recent election if the committee would show his sincerity.

Pearson's reply was to a telegram from Weinert in which the Texas senator asked him to appear before an investigating committee meeting in Austin Monday and present evidence upholding Pearson's statement in a radio-broadcast last Sunday that ten Texas senators met with brewery and distillery interests and decided that Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel should be elected to the National Senate.

"I have no objections at all to appearing before the investigating committee," Pearson wired Weinert. "However," he added, "having plenty to do up here, and before coming to Texas may I suggest that you first avail yourself of the evidence at your own fingertips, thereby giving some indication that you really mean to get to the bottom of things."

PLANE OUTPUT JUNE REACHED TOTAL OF 1,476

WASHINGTON, July 11.—The output of American warplanes reached its highest level in June despite a production loss of an estimated 70 planes caused by the strike at the North American Aviation company plant, defense officials announce.

Officials said the production was 1,476 planes. This estimate was based upon preliminary reports from manufacturers and the army and navy.

The previous production peak was 1,389 reached in April. May production dropped to 1,334 planes and some officials had felt that it would not increase appreciably again for several months.

Production and delivery of planes to Britain will be speeded by the new standardization committee within the OPM's aircraft section, which has representatives in London and Washington. The committee is attempting to eliminate differences in gun turrets, repair parts and other specifications of U. S. and British planes, an OPM spokesman said.

OFFENDERS OF TRAFFIC LAWS PAY PROMPTLY

"Enforcement of the traffic ordinance seems to be having the desired effect," Mayor G. P. Mitcham said this morning. "Besides the 22 persons who paid fines last week-end and the first of this week there were complaints against eight others who failed to report at that time, but they have paid off like a slot machine. Others who have violated the traffic ordinance are sending in checks for their fines and officers report there is a much better observance of the rules."

"As a matter of fact," the mayor added, "we would much rather there were no complaints, and no checks coming in to pay fines for traffic violations, but it appears that this was the only means to make autoists traffic conscious. If enforcing the law will put a stop to reckless driving and a better observance of traffic regulations, we will have accomplished the desired results. We have resolved to continue this enforcement against traffic violations until the streets of Cisco are perfectly safe."

Weather

CISCO and Vicinity.—Considerable cloudiness Friday and Saturday, with scattered thunder-showers.

WEST TEXAS.—Afternoon and evening cloudiness Friday and Saturday, with scattered showers and thunderstorms; cooler north and warmer central portions Friday; warmer in north portion Saturday.

DALLAS CANCER DOCTOR DRAWS RECORD FINE

DALLAS, July 11.—Harry M. Hoxsey, 38, Dallas cancer clinic operator, was fined \$2,500 and court costs and sentenced to five months in jail by a jury that found him guilty of practicing medicine without a license.

Hoxsey, who was in the courtroom with his wife, heard Judge King read the verdict which found him guilty in each of five counts in the complaint, and assessed him \$500 fine and 30 days in jail in each.

It was the heaviest fine ever imposed on a defendant in a case in the County Criminal court, attaches said.

Hoxsey's attorneys immediately filed a motion for new trial, and the well-dressed business manager of the Bryn and Peak Cancer clinic will remain at liberty on a \$2,500 bond pending appeal.

The five persons whom Hoxsey was alleged to have treated over the last two years without a license are all dead, Assistant District Attorney Kennedy said. Two other counts in the complaint were waived by the state.

Casual Meeting of Navy Men, Brothers

CHARLESTON, S. C., July 11.—Two navy men who had never seen each other before met in a service man's center here yesterday. They began to chat and after a brief talk found out they were brothers.

The elder was Chief Petty Officer Claude Page, 42, of New York, who enlisted in the navy in 1919. The other was G. D. Page, 19, who was born three years after Claude left home. G. D. enlisted three years ago.

Both the brothers have corresponded with their mother, Mrs. A. V. Hitesman in New York, but have never written to each other.

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THE VIRTUE OF BEING FIRST

It is a relief to see anti-Nazi forces move first. Always they have been fighting desperate rear-guard actions after the Nazi hushers had taken the initiative.

That's why the American move into Iceland is a logical, wisely foresighted step.

The precise meaning of the setting up of an American naval base beyond what has been traditionally regarded the Western Hemisphere has not been made officially clear. But this probably wouldn't be far wrong:

With vast Nazi forces now engaged in Russia, there is a tendency throughout the anti-Nazi world to sit back, relax, and enjoy the breathing spell.

Nothing could be more fatal. A breathing spell wasted in lolling around is gone for good; a breathing spell utilized to the full to catch up and speed up is really useful. The Russian diversion is no time to lay back and take it easy on aid to Britain. It is a heaven-sent opportunity to double and redouble that aid.

Now Iceland. By autumn, one of two things will have happened. Either the Nazis will have beaten the Russian army, or they will be deeply involved in a winter campaign in central Russia. We're not guessing which, since all forecasts on this war have been uniformly wrong.

In the first case, the whole German might may well be turned to a desperate all-out assault on Britain, probably before winter. In the second case, a redoubled campaign in the Atlantic will be almost certain, in desperate need to stop the aid to Britain which would by then be definitely harassing to Germany.

Note that it is the navy which is taking over Iceland from the British. That means a naval station somewhere in Icelandic waters, which are almost ice-free all the year around. That, in turn, means another and advanced link in the chain U. S. east coast-Newfoundland - Greenland - Iceland-north England. That is the vital supply line that the United States has undertaken to keep clear, which must be kept clear if England is not to be forced against her will into a peace as dangerous to the United States as degrading to herself.

The occupation of Iceland is obviously a step taken not for the present, but for the future. Iceland lies squarely within what the Germans have proclaimed to be a war zone, but which the United States has determined is a zone vital to its own protection now and in the future.

From steps like this there can be no drawing back. They must be made to stick, and stick firmly against any force likely to be used against them.

OTHER EDITORS

Nazi Indignant (Star-Telegram)

The monumental fallacy of "righteous indignation" meaning one's own anger against another and once exposed in its true light by the Russian writer Tolstoy, was offered by Berlin in its unofficial denunciation of American occupation of Iceland.

The United States, as a greedy aggressor, has stabbed Europe in the back while the sanctified Nazi crusaders are waging a holy war against bolshevism to save civilization—so Berlin relates Nazi Germany. It is claimed, had no design upon Iceland even as a strategic move for encircling the British Isles and later for launching a pincer movement against the Western Hemisphere. Since Germany is crusading for civilization against Russia, Berlin should have

The Big March in Asia



EDSON'S WASHINGTON COLUMN

Hit the Deck, Boys, Rough Sailing Ahead As Knox Charts Course Some Think Warlike

BY PETER EDSON NEA Service Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—The war of the isolationists against the ex-Republican, ex-Army colonel, Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox probably won't reach the shouting stage, even if the Navy itself has a decidedly on purpose already taken a shot or two at the Nazis.

When the congressmen, however, set Colonel Knox on the spot for a little questioning by the Senate Naval Affairs Committee on just what has been going on in the Atlantic, they may do a little shouting about the amazing log which the general secretary with the Sunny Jim grin has written on his shute-down cruises into the uncharted seas of the ocean and his test flights in trial balloons.

His record of war-like utterances, climaxed by his most recent and most amazing statement that the U. S. Navy should "clear the Atlantic of the German menace," has left Washington gasping. There is a little talk of impeachment, but that's with a "No." The rest seems to date is that not one word has Secretary Knox had to use substitute or life preserver to get back to the safe harbor of his desk, from which base he just grins broadly, saying nothing, or at the most, "No comment."

Though he is still running an unscheduled race with cotton-mouthed Senator Claude E. Pepper of Tallahassee, Fla., as to who can make the most warlike speeches, there isn't anything new in Knox's line, as a cursory examination of his speeches in the last 18 months will show.

In August he was talking about the "international brigades." In October, addressing an FBI graduating class, he was already in his steam up and a bunker full of coal. "If a fight is forced upon us," he said, "we shall be ready for them. We have never lost a war yet."

A month later, before the New England council, he paid his respects to aggression with this broadside: "It doesn't fit the American spirit, the American purpose, to talk of appeasement in a world like this where force and force alone determine the fate of nations. And we will not talk about what we are going to do. We are going to do it, and that speaks louder than words."

In January, before the House Foreign Affairs Committee considering the lease-land program, as well as in his Armistice Day speech before the American Legion at Columbia, S. C., Knox was ready to defend the entire hemisphere against all comers, and there was only one way to do that. "We should now," he said, "prevent Germany from overturning the British sea power which holds the Nazis in Europe."

From there, it was only a step to his declaration at the end of June: "Now is the time to put in motion the huge machine we have been building since the war began."

Some of the Army gold-branders in Washington can be heard to mutter through their teeth "what machine?" but Colonel Knox is in the Navy now.

gone the whole way, and disavowed any designs against the British Isles, surely an important element in past civilizations. Germany previously has assured America it is exempt from the Nazi program for world domination. There is grim humor, against a background of tragedy and blood, in the denunciation of the United States by aggressor, back-stabbing Germany. The humor is that which ever attends the spectacle of the devil quoting scripture, but the reason for this fantastic stand is the fact that some Americans, opposing our foreign policy, see world conditions just as Berlin professes to see them. The meat within the preposterous statement from Berlin is the charge that the United States as an "aggressor" is invading the war zone, meddling with Europe, and "will have to bear the consequences." How closely similar is that statement with the American claim that the president is leading us toward "a shooting war?" The inference intended to bolster up American isolationists is clear. America should keep safe within the frontiers of its shorelines, passively permit the sinking of British-aided cargoes, and await Nazi occupation of Iceland and later of the British Isles. Then America is crusading for civilization against Russia, Berlin should have

Do You Remember?

(Files of Cisco Daily News, November, 1927)

T. L. Overbey of Eastland became president of the Bankhead Poultry Producers' association as the result of a meeting of members of the association held here Friday afternoon. He succeeds R. L. Poe of Cisco, whose term expired. Other officers elected were: W. E. Davis, Eastland, vice president, and George W. Briggs, Eastland, secretary. T. E. Box for Poultry association of Tulare, Calif., and who formerly operated a produce house in Eastland, was elected manager to succeed W. R. Usery, who had resigned. The headquarters of the association are to be moved to Eastland at once following vote of the directors at a meeting here two weeks ago. Directors elected for the ensuing year were as follows: J. A. Frazar, Cisco; W. E. Davis, Eastland; W. G. Ramsey, Ranger; W. J. Spears, Carbon; M. T. Rogers, Gorman; J. B. Eberhardt, Rising Star; B. T. Leverage, Scranton; T. L. Overbey, Eastland, director at large.

Cisco fans today and tomorrow will be able to see the Cisco-Breckenridge football game of last Saturday played again before their eyes, just as it was played a few days ago. This is made possible by arrival here this morning of films made by Guy H. Allright of Dallas, Pathe News cameraman, who made a trip to Cisco to "cover" the game with his motion picture camera. Thrilling moments in the game, including the 89-yard run of Little, feature the film, which is to be shown at the Palace theater today and tomorrow. Mr. and Mrs. K. N. Greer, local picture show operators, are to be congratulated for their enterprise.

Cisco was awarded a 150-millimeter howitzer by the state adjutant general's department as the result of a visit to Austin this week of J. P. Elliott, director of the Cisco chamber of commerce and representative of John William Butts post of the American Legion. The huge gun, weighing 6,000 pounds, was captured from the Germans in the Argonne forest during the World war, and bears evidence of having been struck by an Allied shell. Mr. Elliott, who personally selected it from the mass of war trophies, said. The gun is to be shipped here at an early date, possibly with a huge British gun now at Galveston and awaiting shipment here.

The Texas Federation of Women's clubs will convene in El Paso November 8-12. The Cisco clubs will be represented by the following: Mrs. R. G. Lee, state treasurer; Mrs. J. H. Moyer, state credentials chairman; Mrs. G. B. Kelly, district membership chairman; Mrs. J. J. Butts, district hospital chairman and delegate from city federation; Mrs. William Reagan, district biennial finance chairman; Mrs. A. J. Olson, district rural chairman; Mrs. Philip Pettit, delegate XXth Century club; Mrs. J. D. Barker, First Industrial Arts club; Mrs. Jack Kelly, Wednesday Study club; Mrs. R. M. Pentecost, Cisco Garden club; Mrs. Philip Pettit, who won the prize in the district contest for "The Best Essay," "Why Clubs Should Federate" will be a contestant for the state prize.

"A hotel is Cisco's greatest need at the present time," declared Geo. P. Fee, Cisco banker, in a talk the other day before the Cisco Rotary club. "I believe that a modern hotel, added to our other projects here, would supply the impetus necessary to make Cisco advance to a point as one of the great cities of West Texas. The payroll of the construction company would stimulate business here right now when it needs a stimulant."

W. M. Miller, for six years sheriff of Johnson county, has joined the Cisco police force and has been assigned to duty with the night shift. For the present, he is engaged in marking the road to the city dump ground and correcting prevailing conditions there, and within a few days will take up his regular duties with the night force. Mr. Miller is the father of "Little Sheriff" Miller, star lineman on the Cisco High Lobo team this year, and it was from the fact that he was sheriff at Cleburne when his boys were young that they were nicknamed "Sheriff" and "Little Sheriff" Miller. The older boy was a star at Randolph college last season, but died of pneumonia shortly after the football season. This is "Little Sheriff's" first year with the Lobos.

Rev. Acker C. Miller has had his car stolen. The old wreck disappeared while the pastor of the First Baptist church, was inside admiring the magnificent new structure his congregation has erected under his leadership. But he isn't even looking for the old car. The "thief" left a brand new Studebaker Dictator sedan at the spot from which the old car was removed, and the minister has appropriated it to his own use, with no questions asked. It is understood that some member of his congregation acted in the capacity of the thief, and that the new car was presented him with the compliments of the members in testimony of his efforts in building up the church.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Garner and Miss Dorothy Garner passed through Cisco Thursday en route to California, where they will be for some time.

Marshall McCrea transacted business in Brockmorton Thursday.

Mrs. Ben McClinton and Mrs. Phillip Pettit visited in Ranger Thursday.

W. B. Chapman, "Curley" Kellogg and "Cotton" Phippen returned Thursday night from Lawrence, Kansas.

Bill Wender is transacting business in Brownwood today.

Mrs. J. E. Spencer is reported on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Burnett visited in Putnam the first of the week.

R. A. St. John is visiting his

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SOCIETY and CLUBS

By MRS. KATE RICHARDSON

Two Girls Are Complimented In Hazel Home

An enjoyable surprise party was given Thursday night in the home of Mrs. W. D. Hazel, honoring Misses Sylvia Hazel and Dorothy Nell Pugh. Mrs. E. L. Pugh was co-hostess with Mrs. Hazel and directed a number of interesting games and contests.

"Friendly 12" Club Meets in Osburn Home

The Friendly Twelve Sewing club met in the home of Mrs. A. V. Osburn Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, with the president, Mrs. Paul Culp, in charge. During the brief business session the members planned a luncheon which will be held in the near future.

Auxiliary Circle With Mrs. Watson

Presbyterian Auxiliary Circle One met with Mrs. W. F. Watson in her home, 300 West Sixth street. The meeting was opened by the chairman, Mrs. W. W. Wallace, who also led the prayer. After a brief business session an interesting devotional was given by Mrs. C. H. Fox.

Picnic Supper Held Tuesday At Lake Cisco

A picnic supper was held at Lake Cisco Tuesday night by members of Methodist Circle Two, which met there at 7 o'clock. The supper was spread on the tables in the park and was heartily enjoyed after the invocation by Mrs. J. T. Fields.

Brotherhood of E. Cisco Baptist to Meet Tonight

The Brotherhood of the East Cisco Baptist church will meet tonight at 8 o'clock to elect officers for the coming year. This is one of the liveliest groups of that live church organization and all members are urged to be present as the best man can be selected for leadership.

Woodmen Circle Felicitated By State Manager

The degree team of the Cisco Woodmen Circle, which attended the memorial meeting of the Grandbury lodge last Wednesday, have returned home and are laud in their praise of the hospitality of the members of the Grandbury Circle. While visiting the Granbury chapter the team put on the memorial program and received many compliments for the efficient member in which the work was done.

Mrs. Fred Grist Is Hostess to Circle

Circle One of the First Baptist Missionary society met with Mrs. Fred Grist Tuesday afternoon. The chairman, Mrs. Algie Skiles, presided over the brief business session. Mrs. J. E. Burnam, teacher, then directed the Bible lesson, which included several chapters of the Book of Proverbs. The meeting was closed with prayer.

BRIEFLY TOLD

Mrs. Elmer Jobe of Abilene is a guest of her sister, Mrs. C. B. Powell and other relatives in Cisco.

Mrs. Ida Huber of Houston is a guest of relatives near Cisco.

Mrs. Peter Handley of Garland is a guest of her sister Mrs. T. M. Moore and other relatives in Cisco.

Mrs. J. F. Lomax of Meridian, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. D. Hazel this week, has gone to Rockenridge to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reed.

Attorney Dudley F. Davis and Mrs. Davis have returned to their home in Center, Texas, after a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Paul Culp and Mr. Culp.

Bob Anderson of Lubbock is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Anderson.

Dick McPherson has returned from a visit with relatives in Big Spring, Denver City and other points in West Texas.

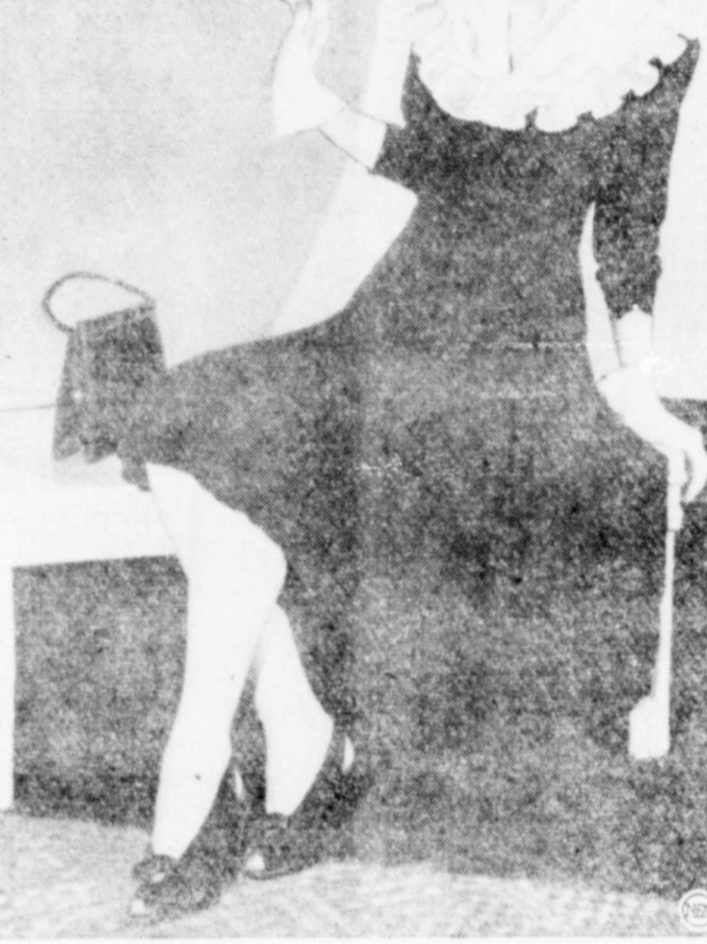
Miss Sara Suddell is having a pleasant trip with Mr. and Mrs. Garrett and family of Stamford, which they are spending in Brownwood, Lampasas and San Angelo.

Mrs. Martin Luker and son of Wichita Falls are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stroebel, in the Lutheran community and also visiting relatives in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Pierce, accompanied by their daughter, Miss Lucille Pierce of Wichita

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accompany her daughter, Mrs. D. G. Alford and infant son, David Gaston Alford II, to Cisco. David was accompanied on the trip by Mr. and Mrs. Pete Clements.

Mrs. Fred Cook of Putnam was a visitor in Cisco today.

The condition of Mrs. A. M. Freeman, who has been sick for the past ten days, is reported much improved.

John Strother, Cisco tailor, has returned from a brief visit to his boyhood home in Navarro county. He also visited his son Albert and Mrs. Strother in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubra Hull of Dallas are expected to spend the week-end with Mrs. Hull's mother, Mrs. Bessie Pass and his parents in Putnam.

Miss Mary Kaufman, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. B. S. Huey, returned to her home in Abilene today.

Mrs. Philip Pettit and daughters, Mrs. W. B. Chapman and Jack Kelly and her grandson Phil Kelly, are spending today in Abilene.

Mrs. L. H. McCrea, Sr., arrived today from Nashville, Tenn., for a visit with her sons, L. H. McCrea, Jr., Yancey McCrea and their families.

Mayor and Mrs. G. P. Mitchell left today for a few days' stay in Fort Worth and Dallas.

Dr. and Mrs. J. T. McKissick and daughter, Miss Ruth McKissick, left Thursday for Camp Dix, N. J., to visit their son, Dr. John McKissick, who is connected with the medical corps at Camp Dix.

Miss Lena McKey and Mrs. Dr. Bailey visited briefly in the home of Mrs. Randolph Lee Clark today.

Mrs. R. F. Holloway, who has been visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Randolph Lee Clark and other relatives in Cisco, returned to her home in Brownwood today.

Miss Ruby Love has returned from a month's visit with her sister and family in Norman, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Farnsworth and daughters, Norma Jean and Georgina Lee of Winfield, Kan.,

arrived last night for a visit with their brother, M. P. Farnsworth, Mrs. Farnsworth and children.

Mrs. Frances Grant of Atlanta, Ga., will leave Saturday for home after a two weeks' visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Latch. Mrs. Grant and Miss Lela Latch returned Thursday from a week's trip to Carlsbad and other points in the west.

M. C. Stivers is a business visitor in Dallas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Hurst and little son, Tommy Hurst are visiting relatives in Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pratt and babies of Sweetwater arrived to-

day for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Mabley hotel.

Little Miss Billie Foy is leaving today for a week in Walnut Springs, her aunt, Mrs. Hattie She will also visit her Hope Blanchard, in Gray.

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