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STATE DEMOS CHOOSE THIRTY-SIX OF FORTY NATIONAL DELEGATES

Hottest Fought in Favor of Administration Forces; McAdoo's Name Is Cheered Frequently.

DALLAS, Texas, May 25.—When the state democratic convention recessed for one hour at 7:30 tonight it had completed the greater portion of its work, including the naming of 36 of the state's 40 delegates to the national democratic convention at San Francisco, June 28.

Judge A. B. Watkins of Athens was named permanent chairman of the convention. Thomas B. Love of Dallas, re-elected national committeeman and contest in four counties between anti-administration delegates and those supporting President Wilson settled in favor of the administration forces. These contests were from Comanche, Nueces, Titus and Aransas counties.

Sixteen delegates-at-large, with one fourth vote each in the national convention remain to be chosen when the convention re-assembles at 8:30. Four of these will be women.

The convention is virtually unanimous in its support of the national administration, while the name of William G. McAdoo has been cheered at its every mention by various speakers.

A feature of the early evening session was ten minute addresses by four democratic gubernatorial candidates during which Dwight Lewelling of Dallas withdrew his candidacy "for financial reasons" in favor of Pat Neff of Waco. Besides Neff, R. E. Thomson of El Paso and B. F. Looney of Greenview remain in the race for governor.

First district—W. H. P. Anderson, Lamar county; M. B. Sherwood, Hopkins county; Alternates—L. W. Davidson, Franklin; J. T. Rontrea, Delta.

Second district—Stuart R. Smith, Jefferson county; E. A. Blount, Nacogdoches county; Alternates—B. S. McMillan, Jasper county; T. W. Davidson, Harrison county.

SENATE PASSES ARMY APPROPRIATION BILL WITHOUT TEXAS RANGE

House Appropriation of \$88,880 for Camp Travis Rifle Area Overruled By Upper House.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The senate today passed the annual appropriation bill, carrying \$415,919,909 and sent it to conference.

The bill provides for an increase of approximately \$42,000,000 over the house bill, but \$23,000,000 less than the appropriations for the present fiscal year. The principal senate increase was \$12,745,000 for the army air service, making the total for this purpose \$49,000,000.

The senate eliminated house provisions which would give army air service control of all military aerial operations from land bases and would confine naval aviation to fleet operations, fleet shore bases, training of personnel and construction and experimental work.

The senate over-ruled the committee in voting to retain house appropriations of \$88,880 for the acquisition of land near Camp Travis, Texas, for a target range.

Y. M. B. L. INVITES ALL GOVERNOR CANDIDATES TO SPEAK IN CISCO

All the gubernatorial candidates are to be invited to come to Cisco during the campaign. This was the decision of the Young Men's Business League at their meeting Tuesday night.

Secretary Stuart Williams was instructed to write a personal letter in the name of the league, to each of the Democratic candidates, to the Republican candidate, and to Joseph W. Bailey, inviting them to come to Cisco and make an address. They will be received under the auspices of the Y. M. B. L. A committee of supporters for each will be named to make the proper arrangements and to greet them at the depot.

At their meeting Tuesday night the league discussed the textile factory proposition, without any definite action.

With regard to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce film and history advertising proposition, the league deemed it too expensive for the character of advertising they would get and instructed the secretary to write the West Texas Chamber of Commerce secretary that they so viewed the proposition.

"WHAT'S ONE MAN'S POISON, SIGNOR, IS ANOTHER'S MEAT OR DRINK"



STILL RUNNING AMUCK WILLA NOT IN ACCORD WITH MEXICO REGIME

Revolutionists Have Much to Do to Establish Stable Government—San-Law of Carranza Fights.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 25.—Advices from Mexico indicate the revolutionists have much to do before a stable government can be established. Military leaders are reported at various points with small armed forces either still loyal to the Carranza regime or for other reasons hostile to the de facto government.

These groups are recognized by Mexican observers here to be possible nucleus for the organization of new revolts. Representatives of the new government, however, minimize their importance, asserting part of them already negotiating for terms while others are on the defensive.

Francisco Villa, whose force of men is variously estimated at from a few hundred to several thousand, is reckoned the most important of the independent leaders. It is evident from news dispatches that Villa is not in accord with the new regime.

WILSON SENDS MESSAGE ON MEMORIAL DAY FOR WORLD WAR VETERANS

NEW YORK, May 25.—A Memorial Day message from President Wilson to American veterans of the world war was received here today by the American Legion Weekly. It read:

"We approach the annual celebration of Memorial Day with our hearts filled with interest and grateful memories of those who have given their lives for America. The day has by its custom been consecrated to the country's heroic dead. This is observed by those who were comrades in arms and who shared with the well-remembered dead the experiences, the hardships, the perils and the glory of war, this is celebrated by the people of the country generally who take it as an annual occasion to renew their loyalty to the country and to draw fresh inspiration for the tasks of peace from the memory of the sacrifices which were made so freely in times of war.

"Progress moves like an army; it has its days of training and its days of vindication; it has its camps and its memories. To you, who were soldiers of America in the great war, I send affectionate greetings. What your arms have done for liberty in France your spirits will still continue to do for justice at home. Great experiences made great men, and out of the tragedy of this test, a new heroic quality has come to the American manhood you represented, and your country's affairs never or would be concerned in it.

For Senator Owen, J. W. Beller, a manager, said \$10,410 had been collected, and expressed the opinion that more might have been used to advantage. Senator France told the committee he had no manager or funds to finance his campaign. Senator Kenyon after adjournment, ordered notices of the investigation sent Nicholas Murray Butler of New York, and Governor Coolidge of Massachusetts, or their representatives.

SENATOR FRANCE USED NO MONEY TO FINANCE PRESIDENT CAMPAIGN

SENATE INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE DEALS IN QUICK SUCCESSION WITH CANDIDATES' EXPENSES.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—In its inquiry into pre-convention campaign expenditures and pledges of presidential candidates, the senate investigating committee dealt in quick succession today with the candidacies of Herbert Hoover and Senator France of Maryland, republicans, and Governor Edwards of Oklahoma, democrats.

From E. M. Baruch, the committee sought information about the campaign for W. G. McAdoo, democrat, but learned nothing. Mr. Baruch testified to utter ignorance of campaign financing for any candidate.

John F. Lucey, a Hoover manager, said the national campaign fund raised for Hoover was about \$82,000, with a deficit of \$1,000 exclusive of that spent in California. He said he would ask the head of the Hoover campaign in California for information as to expenses there.

GULF GETS SHOW OF WOOD SEEMS TO HAVE OIL AND GAS IN RAY PREFERENCE IN STATE WELL NORTH OF CITY

Test Catches Fire From Spurt of Oil and Gas at Depth of 3580 Feet. To Drill Deeper.

A new well was heralded for Cisco Tuesday. It is the Ray well, four miles north of the city. At a depth of 3580 feet the gas pressure brought a spurt of oil. This became ignited in some way, and the Gulf Production Company drilling the test, were notified and had the boiler and machinery moved back. After a sharp fight the fire was extinguished.

A thousand feet off bottom the well began caving and the well would flow intermittently as the gas pressure lifted the impediment.

Crab & Davis, the contract drillers have set their machinery for a little further drilling.

The oil men expect the well to come in for a good producer.

SEVENTEEN ARE TO BE GRADUATED FROM HIGH SCHOOL HERE FRIDAY

Seventeen will be graduated from the Cisco High School this Friday night, at which time the diplomas will be presented. Superintendent Godbey is making effort to have Judge E. B. Nuse of Dallas deliver the address on that occasion. Judge Nuse is reputed to be one of the most pleasing talkers in Texas.

There will be rendered a splendid musical program, accompanying the exercises.

Thursday night the exercises of the Grammar School will be held in the city hall auditorium. The school will be held in the city hall auditorium. The school will be held in the city hall auditorium.

NEGROES HOLD REGULAR CONVENTION AND HOLD MEETING OF OWN; INDORSE THE LEAGUE WITH RESERVATIONS.

SAN ANTONIO, May 25.—With the grind of two state conventions over tonight, Major General Leonard Wood appears to have won another battle in the campaign for the republican presidential nomination.

Negroes favoring the nomination of General Wood booted the "regular" convention shortly after the reading of the report of the executive committee on delegates to be seated at their convention nor the "regular" convention endorsed the candidacy of any candidate. But the negroes are known to favor the nomination of General Wood, and, according to a statement issued by Eugene Nolte of Seguin in charge of the Wood forces, the resolution will receive a majority of the votes of the "regular" delegates from Texas on the first ballot, if that delegation is seated. Other supporters of General Wood estimated that he would receive 15 of the state's 23 votes on the first ballot.

The convention of the Green-McCarthy faction, attended largely by negroes, adopted a resolution endorsing a league of nations with reservations. This came as a surprise and some of the members afterwards said they believed it was a "mistake." The resolution was lumped with several others and was adopted without opposition.

The "regular" convention adopted a resolution opposing any league of nations without reservations, declaring against any treaty without "proper protection of American interests," and endorsing the congressional declaration of peace.

The same convention also adopted a resolution asking congress and the state legislature to so define the term "intoxicating liquors" as to permit of the use of light wines and beer, and demanding that enforcement of the eighteenth amendment shall be "same and reasonable."

Repeal of war-time measures vesting extraordinary power in the president, was asked. "Inequalities and intricacies" of taxation were condemned and a removal of taxes retarding production requested and lynch law in any form denounced.

J. J. Dickinson of Paris was temporary chairman of the regular convention and Sam L. Gross, of Dallas, presided. These officers later were made permanent.

Delegates to the national convention, elected by the "regular" convention are as follows: Delegates-at-large: Colonel H. F. MacGregor, Houston; Phil E. Baer, Paris; Charles A. Boynton, Waco, and J. E. Elgin, San Antonio.

LOVE RE-ELECTED DEMO NATIONAL COMMITTEEMAN

DALLAS, Texas, May 25.—Thomas B. Love of Dallas, was re-elected by acclamation as national democratic committeeman from Texas by delegates at the state democratic convention here tonight on motion of Marshall Hicks of San Antonio.

Responding to calls for an address, Mr. Love declared he would not stand for a temporary chairman at the San Francisco convention who favored light wines or beers. "But I shall stand for one who supports President Wilson and the League of Nations without reservations," he added.

The road is already doing a splendid freight business to Leary, said Lee.

CISCO RAILROAD RACING TOWARD BRECKENRIDGE

"There was no damage done to our roadbed or tracks during the recent heavy rains," was the comment Tuesday of R. Q. Lee, general manager of the Cisco & Northeastern. "And," he added, "this is because we are building a new line to Breckenridge was progressing nicely, and that within a few days the big bridge 4 1/2 miles north of Leary will be completed, and then track laying will be rapidly pushed on toward the Stephens county capital."

DISTRICT GRAND JURY CONVENES AT EASTLAND

EASTLAND, May 25.—The grand jury of the District Court convened again on Monday morning and have a large number of witnesses before them. Rumors have been going round that the Desdemona recent troubles were having a thorough examination before this tribunal. Persons interested in the Sangers, who had something to do with the final happenings down there, have interested themselves in behalf of these officers. No one knows what the results will be till the findings of the grand jury are turned in, which will not be until the last of this week.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZED AGAINST LOWDEN WISH

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 25.—Mayor William Hale Thompson of Chicago, demonstrated his control of the republican state central committee tonight by proceeding with the organization of the committee against the wishes of Governor Frank O. Lowden. Congressman Frank L. Smith of Dwight, was re-elected state chairman, and Harry Ward of Duquoin was elected secretary. Both had the approval of the Chicago executive.

Weather Forecast: Louisiana, Arkansas, East and West Texas: Wednesday and Thursday generally fair. Oklahoma: Wednesday a s. s. Thursday party cloudy.

Back from convention of Texas undertakers: H. C. Hippurn returned Tuesday from Waco, where he had attended a state convention of undertakers. He says that they garnered new ideas in their mingling—even for an undertaking business.

Things you should know about Cisco: There are 11 geologists with headquarters in this city and embrace a wide knowledge of many minerals besides oil.

CONSIDER ACCEPTANCE OF ARMENIA MANDATE AT TO-DAY'S MEETING

Surprise and Comment Evoked by Early Discussion of Matter. Opposition Expressed.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The house foreign affairs committee will meet tomorrow to consider President Wilson's request that congress give him authority to accept a mandate over Armenia.

Announcement tonight by Chairman Forster that the committee would meet at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning to consider the request.

Some democrats, outspoken in opposition to the mandate, said they can not see how the committee can mean that the republicans had decided to act immediately and refuse to grant the president's request.

Chairman Forster in a statement said he regarded "the proposition of sending American soldiers to Armenia or any other foreign country to settle their political and economic quarrels as utterly absurd."

ADVANCE OIL TAXES PAID NEW MEXICAN GOVERNMENT HOUSTON, Texas, May 25.—May oil export taxes to the amount of about \$300,000 were paid today in advance to the new Mexican government.

SENATOR OWEN SCORES THE RAISING OF LOAN INTERESTS PONCA CITY, Okla., May 25.—Senator Robert L. Owen tonight issued a statement in which he took issue with the views of W. P. G. Harding, governor of the federal reserve board.

President of Picture Syndicate Held. CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 25.—F. W. Parker, president of the Pictorial Picture Play syndicate, and Miss Margaret E. Mills, secretary, were held to the federal grand jury late today on charges of using the mails to defraud.

Writing is very puzzling to savages. In South Africa, on one occasion, a native was sent by a missionary to a friend with a note and four loaves of bread.

To celebrate the advance of the printer's art, particularly its increase in speed, a Caxton memorial Bible was wholly printed and bound in 12 hours in 1877. Only 100 copies were struck off.

DENIES THAT ENGLAND IS SEEKING MONOPOLY OF WORLD'S FUEL OIL

Sir Auckland Geddes, British Ambassador, Says Great Britain's Policy is for Peace.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Sweeping denial that Great Britain was seeking to monopolize the world's fuel oil supply, was made here tonight by Sir Auckland Geddes, British ambassador, speaking at the Higgins dinner.

"I am not a student of international politics," Sir Auckland declared, "but British foreign policy is directed against no man but is inspired by the desire to seek peace, to bring order out of chaos, to extend the boundaries of freedom, to improve the lot of the oppressed and to increase the material prosperity of the world."

Local consumers waiting for lower prices are due for a long wait, according to the merchants here who have aired their ideas in the following articles. They see no general lowering in prices in the cut price sales now sweeping over the country.

TEXAS NATIONAL DEMO DELEGATES INSTRUCTED TO VOTE THE PLATFORM DALLAS, Texas, May 25.—Delegates from Texas to the national democratic convention at San Francisco were instructed to vote as a unit on all questions coming before that convention in a platform adopted tonight by the state democratic convention.

Final adjournment of the convention was not reached until 12:30, the counting of ballots for 18 delegates-at-large having prolonged the session.

Wants Other Candidates Called On. CHICAGO, May 25.—Declaring that a complete statement of the Lowden presidential campaign finances had been presented before the senate investigating committee at Washington, Lowden campaign committee said tonight that other candidates should be called upon to make a full presentation of their receipts and expenditures.

At Lima, Peru, the sun is scarcely ever hidden by clouds for a day throughout the whole year.

Jerusalem woman comes to America to buy paper for new Jewish daily.

Miss Rivka Aaronsohn (right) photographed with Mrs. Julian Mock, wife of Judge Mock of the U. S. commerce court.

DECLINE IN DRY GOODS PRICES NOT PROBABLE SAY LOCAL MERCHANTS

Predict Higher Prices in All Lines of Merchandise, With Exception of Silks.

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The prices on shoes for fall delivery are higher and even in the cheaper grade the prices are firm, with a slight upward trend in some lines.

CITIES CHANGE RANK WITH CENSUS FIGURES OF NINETEEN-TWENTY WASHINGTON, May 25.—The population rank of the cities will show a large number of changes when the statistics of the 1920 census have been completed.

MARRIAGE LICENSES EASTLAND, Texas, May 25.—Following is the list of marriage licenses issued in the office of County Clerk Earl Bender for week ending May 22, 1920.

ENGINE TROUBLE? No need to have engine trouble long—just let us know about it and in a jiffy one of our expert engine mechanics will be there to start it going.

Former Cisco J. P. Visits. Squire T. K. Neal, former justice of the peace and citizen of Cisco, but now a resident of Mineral Wells, is visiting here with friends.

Auto Electric Co. TWO BLOCKS SOUTH DANIELS HOTEL (In Willard Service Station) TEMPORARY PHONE 463

Men and Boys— This is Your Opportunity to get a Suit or a Pair of Pants in Nime's Great Clearance Sale AT GREAT SAVINGS

Men's and Boys' Suits Here is your chance to obtain wonderful values in the latest model suits for men and boys at reductions which mean great savings to you.

JERUSALEM WOMAN COMES TO AMERICA TO BUY PAPER FOR NEW JEWISH DAILY



Miss Rivka Aaronsohn (right) photographed with Mrs. Julian Mock, wife of Judge Mock of the U. S. commerce court.

Miss Rivka Aaronsohn, member of a famous family whose name is linked with Jewish settlements since the first pioneer colonists established themselves in Palestine thirty-eight years ago, and one of the founders of the Jerusalem Daily Mail, is now in the United States to purchase modern equipment and print paper for that publication.

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CISCO OIL FIELD NEWS

VALPARAISO BUYING NORTH TEXAS LEASES

The Valparaiso Oil Lease & Drilling Syndicate, which has recently been organized, is acquiring extensive lease and royalty holdings throughout the North Central Texas oil fields.

SIPA SPRINGS FUEL HAS BUSY WEEK The past week has been the busiest for many months in this field and many of the large companies have had their representatives in both the shallow and deep pools.

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NOTED CLUB WOMAN TELLS OF MESSAGES FROM DEAD MATE



May Wright Sewall.

Mrs. May Wright Sewall, one of the best known among the pioneer progressive club women of America, is the author of a newly published psychic volume entitled, "Neither Dead Nor Sleeping."

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STAMFORD SLEEPS PEACEFULLY AFTER CAPTURE WILD MAN

Officers Arrest Young Man Believed Guilty of Mysterious Night Visits to Stamford Homes.

STAMFORD, May 25.—Stamford slept peacefully last night for the first time in many nights when local police effected the arrest of a man whom they assert has been guilty of mysterious night visits to houses, cutting screens, and terrifying the occupants.

Night Policeman Clark arrested a youth in the alley in the rear of the Methodist church about four o'clock yesterday afternoon as he was evidently making ready to leave town. Chief of Police Sanders and Policeman Clark declared that this was the man for whom they had been watching for several nights.

When captured, he was dressed in a suit of blue denim overalls and brown shoes. He carried a paper wrapped package which contained a suit of khaki overalls and shirt with brass buttons. Officers say that at least one of the attempts to enter homes here can be fastened on him. He is said to have come here about two weeks ago with a carnival company and to have worked two days for a local hotel company and that his actions had been erratic since.

The youth is of low stature, inclined to be portly, but has no heavy beard as previously described, which might be accounted for by a false face or a mustache. He was incarcerated in the Stamford jail pending investigation.

Previous to the arrest of this man, the officers picked up a heavy set, bearded man, dressed in overalls, whom they put in jail. He was picked up as a suspicious character. Soon information spread over the town that the wild man had been captured and during the day the city hall was besieged by hundreds of persons who had heard of the exploits of the alleged wild man. The officers used him as a blind to quell the terrible anxiety and fear which had taken hold of the women of the town, but explained later that the man they had been really looking for was captured when the second man was brought in.

The night deceptions which have caused a sensation here for about two weeks, but which became pronounced in the last week, started all sorts of rumors. One was to the effect that the marauder would enter the city and enter and cut the light wires down and then get into bed with the occupants of the house. Then when he had alarmed them, he would break away and flee.

Officers now believe that the repeated intrusions into homes in this city will cease. So diligent became the search for the burglar that scores of persons armed with shotguns, pistols and other weapons patrolled parts of the town. It became so serious Saturday that Chief of Police Sanders issued a strict order to his force to arrest every man found on the street carrying any sort of arms, because of the danger which might occur should some stranger in town appear suspicious to the gun toter and be shot as a "wild man."

When seen in his cell in the city jail by a representative of this paper, the man had nothing to give out. His face was emaciated and he showed little fear or trepidation. In his personal effects were found letters addressed to him in an Oklahoma town, towel, comb, knife, cotton, keys and other trinkets.

BUSINESS SLUMPED DURING LAST MONTH IN ELEVENTH DISTRICT

General Slowing Up of Agricultural, Business and Financial Operations; Heavy Rains Brought Recovery.

DALLAS, Texas, May 24.—The following monthly review of the business and industrial conditions in the eleventh federal reserve district, for the month of April, has been made public by the Federal Reserve Bank at Dallas:

April witnessed a general slowing up of agricultural, business and financial operations in the eleventh federal reserve districts. In each of these three lines of activity the change of pace was not without its compensations.

Agricultural processes, after being arrested by the very unusual occurrence of a spring drought, made a rapid recovery at the close of the month when heavy rains, fairly general throughout the district, ushered in the month of May.

The slump in trade was sufficiently noticeable to accentuate the dizzy pace of previous months, yet did not seriously impair the intrinsic strength of the general situation. In fact the inherent soundness of trade conditions as a whole was emphasized by the fact that business failures in the district for the month of April were, with the single exception of those of September, 1919, the smallest of any month for the past three years, as measured by the amount of liabilities involved.

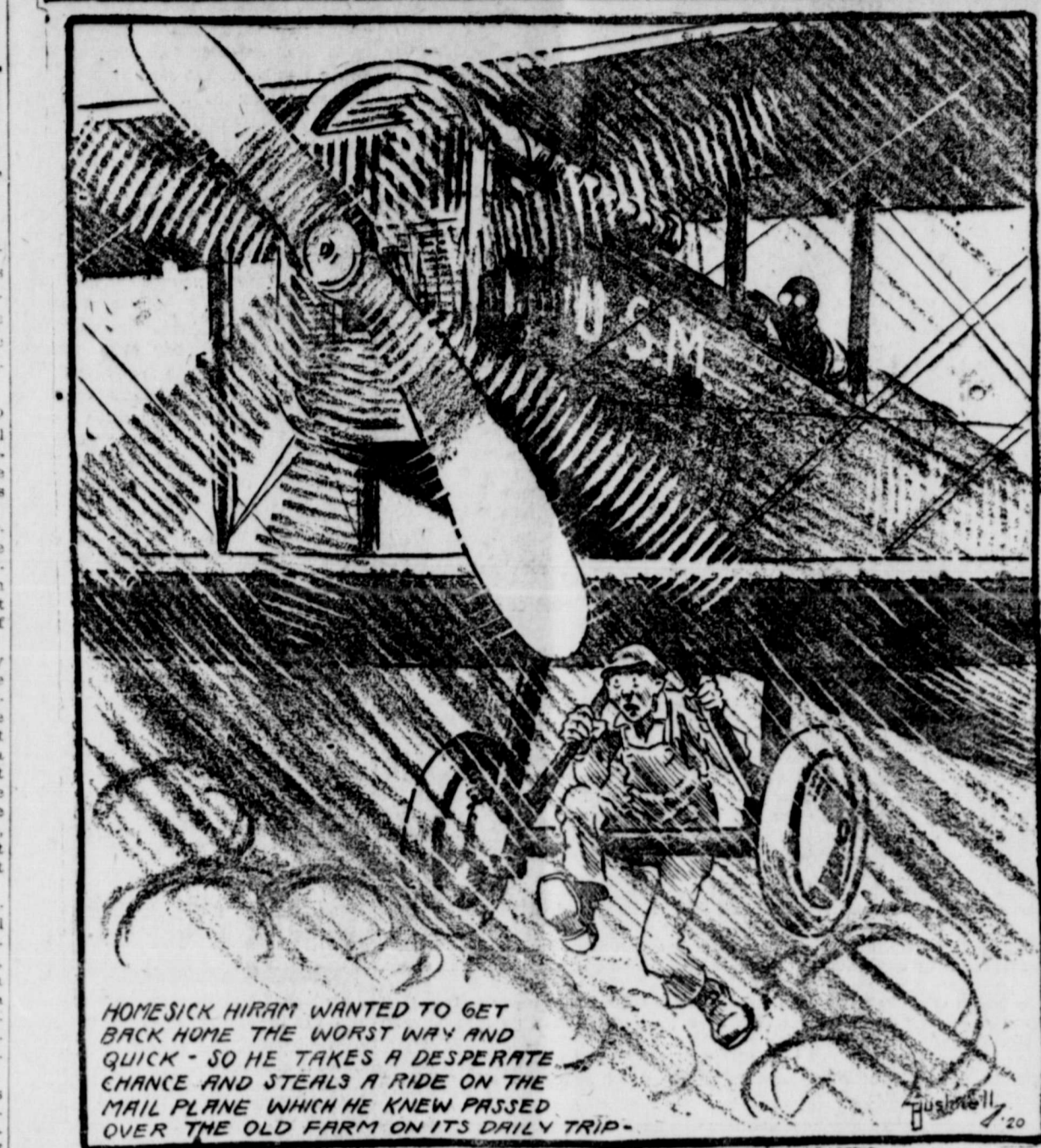
While there was no variation of importance from the previous upward trend of prices, the rate of their increase was visibly diminished, and, what is more important, there was a diminution, even more pronounced than in the month of March, of the extravagant buying on the part of the public which has borne prices steadily upward.

One of the most hopeful symptoms of the time is the unanimity of our reports from retail and wholesale merchants to the effect that the falling off in April sales was confined largely to the higher priced articles that fall in the luxury or semi-luxury category. One of the largest dealers in automobile supplies in Texas, in replying to our questionnaire for April, said:

"There seems to be a growing tendency toward conservative buying, which indicates that the people are beginning to slacken their consumption of living which has been in vogue for the past several months."

Department stores report that the demand for silks is noticeably on the decline. While these developments, and other indications that might be mentioned, point to the growth of a reaction from extravagance, it must be recognized that there is still such a serious spread between production and consumption that the situation calls for a more rigorous observance of economy, thrift and intelligent buying than now obtains.

HOMEAGAIN HIRAM—Homeward Bound.



HOME SICK HIRAM WANTED TO GET BACK HOME THE WORST WAY AND QUICK - SO HE TAKES A DESPERATE CHANCE AND STEALS A RIDE ON THE MAIL PLANE WHICH HE KNEW PASSED OVER THE OLD FARM ON ITS DAILY TRIP.

is generally poor. Much replanting has been found necessary. Showers throughout North Texas and part of West Texas during the first weeks in May were of material benefit to corn and small grain. Planting of rice is progressing under favorable conditions.

Non-Cotton Zone Plan. Following the conference last month between Texas and federal officials in connection with the pink boll worm situation, the governor of Texas is reported to be preparing a proclamation establishing a non-cotton growing zone to include a section bounded by Galveston, Harris, Orange and Liberty counties in Southeast Texas. It is understood that the proclamation will become effective following the special session of the legislature to be held today, which is expected to provide for reimbursing the affected cotton growers.

Reports indicate that the establishment of a non-cotton zone will be resisted by some of the growers. It is believed, however, that eventually a plan will be worked out that will provide an equitable and suitable solution of the boll worm menace.

Cotton Movements. The movement of the 1919 cotton crop continued to slow up through the months of April. Receipts and shipments at Galveston and Houston show a substantial reduction as compared with the movement through those cities for the previous month. Foreign exports through the port of Galveston were 118,283 bales in April, compared with 222,929 bales in March. Total exports for this season up to April 30, 1920, were larger by 45 per cent than the season's exports at the corresponding date last year.

Grain Movements. Notwithstanding April wheat receipts at five grain centers in this district exceeded those of March by 46 per cent, reports from over the district indicate that a considerable amount of wheat is being held for higher prices, on account of the continued rise in the market. Supplies of corn and oats fell off in April, as compared with March, to the extent of 31 per cent and 5 per cent, respectively.

March Grain Prices. Local grain quotations worked steadily upward during April. No. 1 red wheat making a gain of 9 cents, No. 2 corn 25 cents, Texas red oats 11 cents. Increased demand, scarcity of supplies as a result of railway strikes, and encouraging prospects for the 1920 crops were factors in the generally bullish trend of the market.

LEWELLING DROPS FROM RACE FOR NEFF OF WACO IN STATE DEMO MEETING

DALLAS, Texas, May 25.—The demagogue here late today awaiting reports of committee on platform and resolutions and credentials and permanent organization. Should the committee reports be ready at an early hour it was planned to name delegates to the national convention and clear up all other convention work.

The convention, which stood adjourned from one o'clock to four, was hearing brief speeches by the various gubernatorial candidates and by Governor W. P. Hobby.

The most important announcement in this connection was by Dwight Lewelling of Dallas, who announced his withdrawal from the governor's race in favor of Pat Neff of Waco.

TO TEACH CRIMINAL LAW AT STATE UNIVERSITY

AUSTIN, Texas, May 25.—It is announced by Judge C. S. Potts, assistant dean of the Law Department of the University of Texas, that criminal procedure will be taught in the Law Department during the summer session in addition to four courses for which arrangements had already been made. These are elementary law, 40 hours; Partnership, 60 hours; domestic relations, 30 hours, and conveying, 30 hours. Of these five courses two criminal procedure and elementary law are open to juniors, which will give them a full fifteen hour week.

Beginning next September students, in order to enter the Law Department will be required to present two years in the College of Arts, equivalent to ten college courses. Heretofore the entrance requirement has been five college courses.

MORGAN OFFERS EMBASSY HIS LONDON RESIDENCE

WASHINGTON, May 25.—President Wilson today transmitted to congress without recommendation, an offer of J. Pierpont Morgan of the gift of his London residence as an American embassy building. Mr. Morgan asked for prompt decision by the government, saying he did not want a residence to stand unoccupied while there was such scarcity of housing in London.

T. P. TEACHING WORKERS GREATER SHIPPING CARE

The O. S. D. conference of the Texas & Pacific Railroad was held in Fort Worth last Saturday and Sunday. Cisco was represented by P. A. Caldwell, T. & P. freight agent at this point. The purpose of this meeting was to discuss and plan to eliminate as much as possible the overs, shorts and damages in shipping. They seek to educate their employes to exercise more care in receiving, loading and the general handling of freight. And to this end they will meet regularly the last Saturday in each month at Fort Worth.

The public has but little conception of such damages that railroads have to bear. Alone on the T. & P. this burden run \$100,000 per month for the first five months of this year, said Caldwell. And this would mean about a million and a quarter dollars per annum for this road.

They are going to see that cars are inspected, and that shippers exercise care in loading.

Labor Is Greatest Obstacle to Producing High Grade Cotton

DALLAS, Texas, May 25.—"Every producer of cotton knows that the greatest obstacle, in producing high grade cotton, is the question of labor, for with the new cleaning devices, the picker depends on the machinery to clean the trash and hulls, to say nothing of the additional weight, such trash and hulls gives him," says A. H. Wickler & Company of Ennis. Few producers, however, realize to what extent, labor on the other hand, is responsible for the lack of demand for low grade cotton.

"Just as it is harder to pick cotton clean, it is harder to spin cotton which is not clean. A very small piece of leaf in a fibre, will cause it to slip, pull loose, or 'break' as the term goes, thus breaking permits two little metal rollers in the loom held apart by the thread of yarn, to come in contact, by which an electrical short circuit is formed, which automatically stops the loom, and the attendant must stop and tie

the broken thread before work can continue. "In the older times, the attendant took such 'breaks' as a part of her work, and was constantly on the watch for them. Today, she sits and observes the weaving, taking things easy, and in event too many breaks come from low grade or short staples, promptly 'serves notice' and quits. "For this reason, spinners who could use low grade cotton, are forced by their employees, to buy the best, which incidentally adds to the high price of the finished article, which might just as easily be made of cheaper cotton. Again we have an example of results of organization, gone too far to the extreme, perhaps, but shows what results might be obtained by Organization of the producers, to market their cotton gradually, carrying part of the crop to sell every month in the year, the burden equally distributed, and buried forever. By organization, the producer could demand, and get what he demanded, just as the mill employes do today.

Apart from the human species, no land animals can sing.

The Ones They Whistle

ALL the latest popular hits, the ones they whistle on the Great White Way, are recorded for Columbia while they're still being whistled by the New York public.

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A PAGE OF HOME

DEFINING A LADY

If anyone ever should ask us, and we've often wished somebody would, "What is a lady?" we'd answer so fast that the words would step on one another's heels: "A lady is a nice voice and a fine, clean, high heart, and a mind that never lets anybody down, and a soul that sees the good in things and people as long as it possibly can—all done up in an exquisitely clean body that carries itself around as if the ground were a thing one just touched and it sped along behind, and that wraps itself up in self-contained, well-bred, immaculate 'underlings' that never have colored ribbons in them or cheap lace on them."

And then because we'd know that we hadn't even touched the subject, we'd add: "She couldn't possibly chew gum, or wear shoes that have their heels somewhere in the middle of them, or carry a 'hankie' that looks like a grimy ball, or lie, or cheat, or marry for money, or hurt an animal, or break her word to a baby. But she could wash windows, or sell eggbeaters, or be very stiff and shy, or careless and gay and have her hat tumbling over one ear, or wear the same 'clothes' four years, or eat with her knife or even write."

And then because we'd know that we hadn't covered it yet, we'd add: "Why, a lady just is, that's all. And you can tell her from the ones that aren't, almost instantly. For one thing, she never whines, no matter what happens or how unjust it is. And for another thing, no matter how shabby she is or velvet-and-lacy, she's clean."



NEAT FROCKS FOR THE SUMMER DANCER

FOR the girl who sews, these three frocks are offered today. Not one is too difficult of construction for the amateur, yet all are as lovely as a dance frock could possibly be. Chiffon is chosen for the frock with the lace-edged skirt. The bodice, however, and the skirt yoke are of soft pussywillow taffeta. Lace dyed to match the chiffon would be an excellent choice for such a frock, as the dyed laces are very lovely in such combinations. Perhaps the most unusual part of this frock is the use of chiffon bands to extend down to the hips, and thus give the wide hip line which is one of the fashionable outlines. The chiffon folds act as shoulder straps over the bodice, while a weighted scarf end of the chiffon on one shoulder gives that unusual touch which elevates a gown to distinction.

The Blouse Skirt.
A combination blouse skirt, with straight side panels gathered up under a ribbon girde, is the feature of another gown which any girl would not find hard to make. She will need a foundation skirt of net, at the front and back of which a flounce of metal lace is attached. The front and back panels of the overskirt of satin are bunched up on this underskirt, though apparently held in that position by the ribbon which descends from the belt. The side panels are applied perfectly straight and their edges turned over and faced at the top with a contrasting color. The bodice is swathed from the satin and draped with a width of the metal lace used on the skirt. Wisps of sleeves are added from tulle to match the color of the facing on the

skirt frill. It is the ribbon garniture, however, which gives the finishing touch to this delicate frock. Either a metal ribbon can be chosen, or one to match the contrasting facing and tulle. A strip of it is run from the top of the bodice to bottom of the skirt, punctuated by roses, and two loops at the waist line, where it meets the girde ribbon. This ribbon is not repeated in back. Picture this frock made up of lettuce-green satin, lined with a soft violet silk, with silver lace and ribbons and dull pink roses wouldn't it be just too lovely for words?

Easy to Make.
Something rather unusual for evening wear, and yet not inappropriate for summer festivities, is shown in the frock with the long tulle sleeves. The skirt of this frock is also bloused, it is such a pretty way to make the skirt of an evening gown if the material is soft and lustrous. Satin is used for this frock also, though chiffon would not be out of place. Side panels of rich embroidery in Oriental colors are inserted to relieve the skirt's monotony and a strip of the same embroidery forms the foundation for the simple blouse. Two things in this frock are particularly worthy of note. One is the arrangement of the sash ends hanging from over the top of the bodice strip at the front and hanging perfectly straight with ornamented and tasseled ends. This sash accentuates a high waist line hinted at by the placing of the embroidered strip in the bodice. The other noteworthy feature is the sleeve draping. Where the front of the bodice shows only strips of tulle going over the shoulders, the back is cut with a wide extension which covers the arms and is caught

into a frill at the wrist. This is the easiest thing in the world to make, and is a godsend to the girl with thin or unsightly arms. It makes the tulle scarf which some girls always wear unnecessary. This frock, if cut higher in the neck, or if filled in with a few more folds of tulle, could be used for afternoon, if a darker color, such as peacock blue or bronze, were selected for the satin.

A Word About Sewing.

I have adopted this method of putting pin tucks in waists or baby garments by hand; "Put your tucker on your machine, adjust the stitch, then run the material through tucker, as if tucking (but do not have thread in needle). The machine needle leaves a tracing of tiny holes which show you exactly where to place your stitches, and no other guide is needed. I also use the hemmers in the same way when I do hand hemming, which is especially nice for table linens.

THREE LITTLE FROCKS THAT STAYED HOME

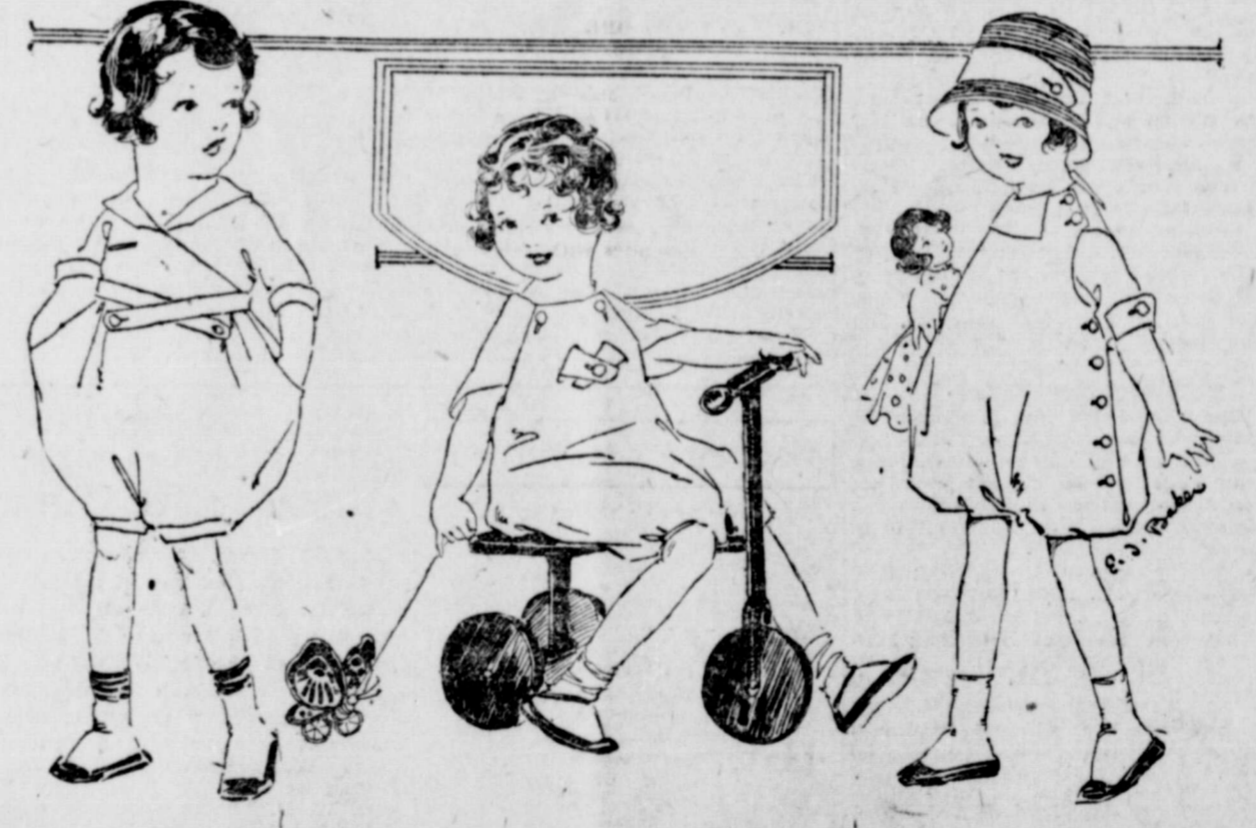
SOME little frocks you know "go to market," but some little frocks stay at home, you know, and sometimes those little frocks that stay home are every bit as pretty as those who go out and see the world a bit. Sometimes, too, these little frocks slip out the side door when nobody is looking and take a run over to a neighbor's for a morning sewing bee, and it has happened that some even ventured

downtown disguised under a sports hat for a spool of cotton or a view pair of curtains. There is little doubt about it that women are thinking more about house frocks in these times of the "new thrift" than they did before. They can be the most practical of affairs and, at the same time, show enough style to make them a pleasure instead of a duty to wear. Take the dress with the odd diagonal line of buttons and corresponding buttonholes. This looks almost too good for a house frock at first glance, doesn't it? But just remember that it is nothing more than a long-waisted frock of linen with a funny little set-on belt and an up-standing collar to match, and the buttoned and button-holed bands are set on with either hemstitching or a heavy torchon beading. The square-cut armholes are outlined and the sleeves set in with the same beading, as are also the cuffs on the oddly slashed sleeve. True medieval lines are worked out in this house dress and, strange as it may seem, they fit in beautifully with the materials at hand.

Just to prove that novelty is not a matter of expense but of a "bright thought," another simple little house frock takes on an entirely different air of distinction by means of the small silk workbag which finishes the ends of the sash. Whoever thought before of a workbag as a trimming? You see the draw strings of the workbag really make the sash of the frock. Pongee would be an exceptionally appropriate material for this house frock, as it lends itself to the lines suggested. Contrasting buttons and stitching to match the colors of the workbag would brighten up the frock considerably. If one did not care to use the

little bag as a workbag, it would be very convenient to hold keys, small change, a pencil and memo book, bills to be paid, etc., which every housekeeper likes to have within easy reach. But say, can't you just see this little frock stealing out the side door the very first afternoon it is done to a meeting of the sewing circle across the street?

Very Demure.
There are some women who say, "Oh, those pretty flowered volles are all very lovely, but not for me. I'm not the fussy type." These ladies do not know whereof they speak. Just look at the fluffy volles included among the house frocks? Could the wildest imagination call that fluffy? Of course not. And yet it is a relief from plain materials and a little more dressy for afternoon wear in the house. Its chief decoration is the three tucks in the upper part of the skirt. Tucks are always good in volles, as they give that sometimes flimsy fabric more body. These tucks can be hemstitched in with cotton to match the figure in the material if an extra touch is wanted. The waist is the simplest thing in the world. You wouldn't look at it twice if it were not for the organdie collar of a color to match the figure of the material. This organdie collar can be partly set in with hemstitching or merely set on with its edges plied. The ends tie in soft knots to carry out the idea of a kerchief arrangement, while belt and cuffs are cut from the same material for balance. Note that the little turnover collar is very much like the one on your mother's basque which she wore as a young girl. Yes, indeed the whole thing is just as demure as possible and warranted absolutely to stay at home.



KIDDIES' ROMPERS---THE OPEN-OUT-FLAT KIND

THE nicest play weather of the whole year is pretty nearly here, the time when Mother does not have to tell you to be sure and keep on your coat and not sit on the grass. Coats and grass are such nuisances! It's nicer, even in the hottest time of summer, to play, if you have a nice cool romper on that doesn't matter how dirty it gets and doesn't need much of anything under it, cept panties and a panty body.

Mother says the best kind of rompers are those that open out flat, or almost flat, because they can be ironed so much easier. She puts rompers on all of us for playtime, from Billy, who's 18 months, to Mollie, who's most 3, and I even wear them sometimes. They save so much, Mother says. Billy's new rompers are just too cute for anything. Sister says they have the new petgot effect. I saw Mother making them, and she just took a long piece of chambray and folded it in half and cut two holes in the fold for the legs to go through, and then sloped up the sides to the stand-out pockets, and made seams as far as the pockets. In the back she cut off the strip above the waist and sewed it on a belt, which she made long enough to

cross over and button in front. One side of the front and the front of the right kimono sleeve she just cut out of the remainder of the folded-up bloomers; but the other front, the back and the whole left sleeve, as well as the back of the right sleeve, she cut from another piece of goods and made seams on the shoulders. She took some white stuff for the collar and cuffs and bands around the knees. I watched Lizzie ironing them, and she could lay them out almost flat; anyway, her iron could get into the bloomers lovely.

Billy has a little chum who has a new push auto. Mother says: "That child always looks just too cute for anything," and I guess he does. His mother made him the cutest romper suit, with a little cape instead of sleeves. I heard her telling Mother that she usually uses crepe, because it doesn't have to be ironed much, but that she had made this romper out of some new stuff which they sell just for kiddies' clothes. She said she cut the back of the romper with sort of wings and then slipped the tabbed ends of these wings through slits in the front of the romper and buttoned them on top of each other. Then she put a buttonhole in each corner of the front and buttons on the under part, to hold them together. She didn't sew

the side seams of this up, she told Mother, but put some of this tape on them that has snap fasteners on it, and she can unfasten it and lay it perfectly flat on the ironing board.

A SPLENDID IDEA.
THAT'S what every one said when the little bride proudly displayed her new plaything at her first day at home. She had had it made from her wedding invitations—that is, from the plate from which her invitations were engraved. You see, it was copper, and all they had to do was to curve up the edges into a rim, and polish it all off beautifully, leaving the engraving just as it was. What was it? Why, a card tray, of course. This little bride was square, but she knew a girl who had had a round one made, and another was oblong. They make such a charming way of preserving the original wedding "bid."

To Prevent Knees of Bloomers Stretching.
I find by stitching a strip of an old kid glove on the under side of the knee band of boys' bloomers that they will never stretch or the buttonholes tear out. Cut a slit for buttonhole and sew down tight around edges to allow button to pass through.

TRIED RECIPES

Mock Hamburger Balls.
REMOVE meat from two dozen "left-over" steamed clams; drain and season with salt and pepper, cut in small pieces and add a little sliced onion. To this add two cups cold boiled "left-over" rice, mould into balls the size of hamburger balls and roll in corn meal. Fry and serve hot.
One and one-half pounds hamburger steak, one cupful cracker crumbs, one cupful milk, salt and pepper and onion juice; mix all together and form into a roll; cover with thin bits of salt pork and bake one hour; keep about one cupful water in pan.
Cream Puffs.
One cup hot water, half cup butter, boil together; while boiling stir in one cup flour, take from stove and stir to a smooth paste; when cool add three well-beaten eggs, stirring about five minutes. Drop by spoonfuls on buttered tin and bake in quick oven 25 minutes.

Graham Gems.
One and a half cups of sour milk, one teaspoon of soda, half a teaspoon of salt, half a cup of sugar; graham flour enough to make ordinary batter thickness.
Cream for Puffs.
One egg, one teaspoon vanilla, half cup sugar, one cup milk, one tablespoon flour; cool before adding to puffs.
Salad Dressing.
One teaspoon salt, half teaspoon mustard, speck cayenne, one and a half teaspoons sugar, two teaspoons butter, one egg, half cup milk, one-fourth cup vinegar, two teaspoons flour. Mix all together. Cook over hot water. Beat with egg beater.
Oatmeal Gems.
One cup cooked oatmeal, one teaspoon sugar, one egg, one-fourth teaspoon salt, one cup milk, two heaping cups flour, three teaspoons baking powder. Bake in gem pans 20 minutes in a hot oven.

HELPFUL HINTS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

Keep a bottle of strong borax solution on sink for general use. It is excellent for cleansing dishes as well as clothes and the hands.
Throw corks into hot water before using. Keep a variety of sizes on hand. They are as valuable to put in mouse holes as in jugs.
To remove mildew from clothes rub the spots with juice of a raw tomato, sprinkle with salt and lay in the sun to dry. Repeat if necessary.
To improve clothes when pressing them add a few drops of ammonia to the water in which you damp your press cloth.
To remove rust stain from clothes wash first, then pour peroxide on the stains and dry in the sun.
To clean white paint use warm water with a little whitening on the cloth; then rinse with clear water.
Oilcloth covers for school books; White oilcloth (the kitchen table va-

riety), is the most practical, being much more sanitary than the old-fashioned cloth covers and outlasting a paper covering. Put on just as you would a paper covering, only stitch together on inside of front binding and inside of back binding of book. One covering will last the entire school year.
To renovate feather pillows: Remove the bag from your vacuum cleaner. Rip the end of pillow large enough to fit on the cleaner; fasten it tightly and turn on the electric current. The air thus created dries the feathers. In a few minutes they will be as light and fluffy as new.
Cracks in furniture should be filled in with beeswax. Soften the beeswax until it becomes like putty, then press it firmly into the cracks and smooth the surface over with a thin knife. Sandpaper the surrounding wood, and work some of the dust into the beeswax.

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PERFORMS DARING STUNT FROM RUPE IN MID-AIR



RALPH MILLER.

Thursday evening at 7 o'clock, Ralph Miller, known as the "mid-air daredevil," while hanging head downward from the roof of the Judia theatre, with hands and feet tied, will endeavor to free himself from a straight-jacket. Miller will be secured in the straight-jacket by two men from the audience. He freed himself from this position in Houston recently in three minutes, sliding to the ground below in that time.

Thibetan women, when leaving their houses, smear their faces over with a dark and sticky substance. It is said that they do so in compliance with a law made by a certain Lama, King Momekhan, in order to protect them by making them look ugly when in public.

A leading woman physician of New York city is stated to have cleared from her practice a steady annual income of \$25,000 for some years.

Army Service of Negro Brought Him Suspended Sentence

EASTLAND, Texas, May 25.—A special jury was summoned by order of the court Tuesday morning to try the criminal charge against a negro by the name of J. W. Reynolds. He pleaded guilty to forgery of a check for \$45 on the American National Bank by signing the name of C. W. Henson to such check. The defendant said he was 34 years old, divorced, and had served fourteen months in the army, having been in action in France, where he received a bullet wound in the knee and a broken arm.

Colonel Gordon was placed on the stand by the defendant's counsel and he testified to the character of the defendant in the army service and also to his habits of industry and expressed himself very positively that he was interested in the negro and wanted his sentence suspended. The jury very promptly returned a verdict of two years in the penitentiary with suspended sentence. The jury had been in service about thirty minutes when the verdict was handed in, and were then discharged with instructions to draw their \$30.00 each.

The first woman suffrage societies in Great Britain were formed in London, Manchester, and Edinburgh in 1857.

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THREE good furnished rooms for rent, 166 East 11th St. 25-31
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COTTON Livestock Financial MARKETS Grain Produce Stocks—Bonds

GOTTON ADVANCES WITH GAINS IN STEADY CLOSE
NEW YORK, May 25.—Unfavorable crop news and an optimistic view of financial conditions in the goods trade seemed responsible for an active covering movement and sharp advance in today's cotton market. The general market closed steady at a net advance of 41 to 80 points.

The market opened firm at a decline on July and August but generally higher in response to relatively firm Liverpool cables and reports of rain in Georgia. Liverpool was a large buyer of July, October and January, and after some early irregularity, the market became active, with covering more general.

Numerous telegrams were received from the south complaining of crop progress, and as today is the last day of the government crop reporting period, these advices strengthened the expectation of low conditions figures.

Exports today \$18, making \$859,602 so far this season. Port receipts 11,217; United States port stocks 1,088,783.

FAILURE OF RECEIPTS, BULLISH CORN MARKET
CHICAGO, May 25.—Failure of receipts to increase acted as a decided bullish factor today in the corn market. Prices closed strong 2 1/2 cents to 6 1/2 cents net higher, with July \$1.44 1/2 to \$1.45 1/2 and September \$1.54 to \$1.54 1/2. Outcomes varied from 10 cents decline to 42 cents advance.

Bulls in the corn market made much talk that country shippers apparently were not so anxious to sell as had been supposed, and in some cases were refusing cars offered by the railroads. On the other hand, shippers here were free buyers. It was said that eastern shorts covered on a large scale and that some corn was sold for export at the seaboard.

Oats were helped upward by gossip of renewed liberal export business. Provisions averaged a little higher in sympathy with grain and hogs.

Fort Worth Cattle Market.
FORT WORTH, Texas, May 25.—Cattle, receipts 6,000; 15 to 25 cents lower. Beaves \$8.00 @ \$10.00; stockers \$8.00 @ \$9.50; cows \$4.00 @ \$9.25; heifers \$5.00 @ \$10.50; bulls \$6.00 @ \$7.00; calves \$5.00 @ \$11.75.

Hogs, receipts 2,000, steady, to 10 cents lower. Heavy \$18.75 @ \$14.00; light \$14.00 @ \$14.25; medium \$13.00 @ \$13.75; mixed \$12.00 @ \$13.00; common \$11.00 @ \$12.00; pigs \$8.00 @ \$13.50.

Sheep, receipts 1,000; unchanged. Lambs \$11.00 @ \$13.00; yearlings \$10 @ \$11; wethers \$8.00 @ \$9.50; ewes \$7.00 @ \$8.50; culs \$4.50 @ \$6.50; goats \$4.00 @ \$4.75.

Wanted—A
WANTED—By young man, board and room in private family, or board with room convenient. Address T. D., care News. 26-31
WANTED—This week, second-hand Perf. 2 or 3-burner oil stove, and sewing machine; must be A-1 condition. See me, 402 East Sixth St. 26-21
MALE STENOGRAPHER desires extra work out of office hours. Phone "Cotton," office 508, residence 501, 25-46
WANTED—To clean and smooth old floors like new with an electric machine. R. W. Smith, Phone 329, 25-47

Miscellaneous—B-2
HOME LAUNDRY—East Cisco on the Brocktonidge road. Family washing specialty. Satisfaction guaranteed. Mr. M. E. Lucas. 25-51
FOR SALE—One paint pony, weighs 700 lbs., age about 10 years. One Chestnut sorrel pony about seven years. One Overland No. 25 Touring car, good running order. K. P. Schafer, Hotel Hartman. 25-31
FOR SALE—Or will exchange for chickens, Belgian hares, or white Angora rabbits. Price \$2 per pair. Apply 601 W. 9th St. 25-47

Automobiles—D
FORD COUPE with self-starter and 1913 Cadillac, in good condition, for sale at bargain prices. Whitaker & Mahaffey. 26-31
FORD TOURING CAR BODY with good top for exchange for roadster body and top, windshield for sale or trade. 200 W. 7th St. after 6 p. m. 25-47

Cotton Oil Features.
NEW YORK, May 25.—Cottonseed oil was quiet and featureless, closing unchanged to 4 points net higher for active months. The firmness in cotton served to restrict offerings. Sales 5,400 barrels, no tenders. Prime 16.00 nominal; Prime Summer Yellow spot 18.25; May 19.25; July 19.08; September 19.14; Prime Winter Yellow and Summer White nominal.

Anti-Tuberculosis Work in United States Shows Big Increase
AUSTIN, May 25.—Forty times as much anti-tuberculosis work is being done in the United States in 1920 as was done 15 years ago. This is the declaration of the Texas Public Health Association, basing the statement on the amount of money spent in the elimination of tuberculosis. The results show that in the past 15 years the death toll from the white plague in this country has been reduced from 200,000 to 150,000 yearly.

In 1905, when the National Tuberculosis Association, the first widely-organized volunteer anti-tuberculosis agency, held its first meeting at Washington, D. C., the total budgets of the organizations which fought the white plague amounted to not more than \$100,000. In 1920 the amount which will be spent by the National Tuberculosis Association and its 1000 affiliated organizations is over \$4,000,000 for education on prevention and cure of tuberculosis and other communicable diseases, open air schools, clinics, preventoria for children, sanatoria, summer camps, dispensaries, tuberculosis nurses and relief work, etc.

Over \$2,500,000 was spent on anti-tuberculosis work in 1919. In Texas more than \$66,000 was spent in the activities mentioned, by the Texas Public Health Association and its local affiliations in various cities and counties of the state.

Fifteen years ago there were only five states, making active efforts to cope with the ravages of tuberculosis; today every one of the 48 states has an anti-tuberculosis association, and so also have Porto Rico, Hawaii and the Philippines. In addition there are nearly 100 other local associations and societies engaged in the work of stamping out the white plague.

Mrs. Somerville, the famous English astronomer, and mathematician, had perhaps the finest mathematical intellect of her age, and yet she was 33 years old before she began with elementary study.

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PREFERABLE TO TRAIN FOR OLYMPIAD IN LOW ALTITUDE
ANTWERP, May 19 (By Mail)—Athletes who wish to train for the olympic games at Antwerp would find training in a low altitude preferable. Antwerp is only a few feet, perhaps, six above the sea level and the climate generally is about that of London—some fog and a bit of murriness.

As to what effect this climate would have on athletes trained in a high altitude, none of the atmospheric experts in Belgium venture a prediction. During August, at which time the games are to be held, the weather at Antwerp is usually warm and perhaps as dry as any other time of the year. Records show that rain is comparatively rare during this month.

Retail Jewelers Elect President. DALLAS, Texas, May 24.—B. T. Burgess of Wichita Falls was elected president of the Texas Retail Jewelers' Association at the annual convention here. Forty-one applications for membership were received. The next annual convention will also be held in Dallas.

Mrs. Edna Chandon has been assistant observer to the Paris Observatory since 1913.

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MAMMOTH CAVE MAY BE PURCHASED FOR A U. S. NATIONAL PARK

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 24.—Mammoth Cave, Kentucky's contribution to the wonders of the world, may soon be purchased and transformed into an extensive national park.

Reports from Washington are to the effect that the rules committee of the house of representatives contemplates calling up for passage shortly a measure with this in view. This is house bill No. 2110, introduced by Representative Robert Y. Tamm, of the third Kentucky district, which would appropriate \$1,000,000 for the government to purchase the great cavern and 32,000 acres of virgin forest land lying immediately around it.

The movement to make a national park of the famous cave has been carried on by the Bureau of Land Protection and Order of Elks for many years, and other organizations, including the National Conservation Congress, Southern Commercial Congress, National Forestry Association and National Geographic Society. These organizations have joined in the movement with resolutions urging the government to preserve the cave as a national park.

Many letters also have been received by Kendrick R. Lewis, chairman of a committee of the Louisville lodge of Elks, from individuals all over the country supporting the project. Stephen Mather, national park commissioner, and Coleman Du Pont are among them.

Mr. Lewis, who is just exalted ruler of the Louisville lodge, said the Elks are supporting the house bill because "preservation of the gigantic cavern as a national park would be one of the greatest accomplishments for the public good ever attained."

"Mammoth Cave," he said, "ranks as a world wonder equally with Niagara Falls and Yellowstone Park. Situated in Edmond county, Kentucky, it is one of the most picturesque sections of the country and is surrounded by a primitive forest of hardwood timber comprising approximately 32,000 acres. The property is to be sold at public auction in the near future. I understand, and many timber men are endeavoring to purchase it. The nation in general and Kentucky in particular wishes the government to buy the cave and land in order to save the natural wonder for future generations to see."

From the year of its discovery, 1809, by a hunter, explorations have been made over 100 miles of its interior. The cave's first exploitation came in 1812 during the war with the British, when men went into it to mine the soft soil for saltpeter for use in making gun powder.

Mammoth Cave is today the greatest subterranean area known to exist. It has five different levels and its temperature is at all times 54 degrees. Eternal darkness and stillness reign supreme. Stalactites and stalagmites take on the form of fluted columns, of festoons and of draperies. There are great auditoriums with lofty ceilings, one where the formations resemble a starlit sky, domes hundreds of feet high, the sides formed of the after tier of fluted columns, and a river, the Echo, navigable for half a mile, which derives its name from the fact that the slightest noise is intensified a thousandfold.

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK OPENING BIG POPULAR CRUSADE

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 25.—Widespread support of the special drive now under way against man-caused fires in the Nation's public and private forests is indicated in reports received here by the Forest Service of the United States Department of Agriculture, regarding the observance of Forest Protection and Fire-Prevention Week, which opened May 23 in many Western States. The campaign to reduce the damage by conflagrations, amounting annually to millions of dollars, has received the hearty endorsement of civic bodies, business organizations, churches, schools and colleges. The response has been particularly enthusiastic in the nine States—California, Colorado, Montana, Wyoming, South Dakota, Utah, Oregon, and Washington—whose governors officially designated the current seven days as "Fire-Prevention Week."

E. T. Meredith, secretary of Agriculture, on receipt of reports showing the earnest support given this new crusade to eliminate carelessness in handling fire in the forests, has written each of the governors in the nine states a congratulatory letter, in the course of which he declares: "Our decreasing timber and paper supplies are beginning to make clear to all the need for concerted action. The States and the Nation must join hands in the effort to halt forest destruction. Not only are sources of permanent supplies of timber but also are conservators of water supplies, our forests are essential to our industrial, economic, and social welfare."

Fire-prevention week originated with the National Park Association at Seattle, and has quickly spread from State to State, indicating that the public now recognizes the peril involved in continued carelessness in the forests. "The great out-of-doors, ours to enjoy, not to destroy," is the keynote of the many slogans which, according to reports, are being conspicuously displayed by participants in this popular movement.

In giving its support of Fire-Prevention Week, the Forest Service calls attention to the appalling losses which fires of various origins have caused in recent years. The average annual loss from forest fires during the last three-year period for which the Forest Service has statistics (that ending with 1915) was \$20,727,000, for the United States. The average of the areas burned annually was 12,969,000 acres. The burning of brush in the process of clearing land for cultivation was responsible for a yearly average of 5,173 fires in the period. Railroads were also responsible for a large number of conflagrations.

Next to these two causes stands incendiarism. According to the Forest Service 4,597 was the average number of fires of malicious origin in the three-year period. The average number of fires per year started by careless campers was almost as great as those caused by incendiarism, 4,094. The number of such fires is particularly high in the West. Other principal causes are lightning and carelessness by men engaged in lumbering operations.

LIVES IN SECOND-HAND AUTO TRUCK, BEATS RENT PROFITEERS



Exterior and interior views of J. Edward Burr's auto truck home.

Here is one way to beat rent profiteers.

J. Edward Burr, a shoemaker of San Jose, Cal., discovered it. "I'll not pay it," said Burr when the landlord raised his rent. And he has not done so. Instead Burr purchased a second-hand auto truck and built a house of his own on it. And today Burr and his wife, with their cat, dog and parrot have a one-room traveling apartment fitted up with a cozy corner, disappearing kitchen sink, wardrobe, disappearing bed, window seat, dining table, china closet and comfortable chairs, as well as an oil stove for cooking.



NEARLY BILLION DOLLARS A YEAR WASTED IN FUEL POWER

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 24.—Approximately \$1,000,000,000 in fuel and power is wasted needlessly every year in the United States, according to views held among delegates to the conventions of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, the American Society of Refrigerating Engineers, and the American Society of Heating and Ventilating Engineers, which opened here today.

Although the respective organizations will hold separate conventions, the programs interlock, and some of the sessions will be held together.

Victor J. Azbe, a local consulting engineer, asserted the present waste of fuel, with the resultant loss of power, was due largely to carelessness and ignorance of economy on the part of many American firemen and engineers. He urged rigid conservation in the use of fuel.

Resolutions urging that secretary of engineering be added to the president's portfolio were prepared for introduction at one of the joint sessions. They declare such an office necessary because of the important part engineering is playing in the country's welfare.

Subjects scheduled to be discussed include airplane construction and operation.

SEEK REHABILITATION OF ORIENT RAILROAD IN TEXAS

SAN ANGELO, May 25.—A brief of the meeting held last week at San Angelo to take action on the Orient Railroad abandonment matter, has been prepared and circulated extensively throughout the west. Arrangements are being made by practically every town on the Orient line to have a representative at the meeting before the Interstate Commerce Commission in the near future, when an effort will be made to secure about \$3,500,000 for the rehabilitation and extension of the line.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce will have a representative before the Interstate Commerce Commission from its Washington office.

stay with Mrs. Jacob, Mrs. Shepard's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stockton, of Bronte, have been the guests of Mrs. Joe Kilbourn the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Noble of Carbon are the guests of Mrs. J. R. Noble and E. C. Hendricks in their new home in South Cisco.

Sailings.

NAVOE, France, May 23.—Sailed: La Navoe, New York.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Sailed: New York, Southampton.

Mrs. Rees at Home.

Mrs. Jack Rees has returned from a pleasant two weeks' visit to Wichita Falls.

CONSIGNMENT TEXAS BEES "HOLD UP" BAGGAGE CAR

BIG TIMBER, Mont., May 24.—Local bee man sent to Texas for a large consignment of the insects.

While still some miles from here, a case broke and the inhabitants sallied forth and took possession of the baggage car, holding it until the train arrived here.

Luckily, the bee man was on the platform waiting for his pets and he soon rounded them up.

Decoration Day May 30th

This is the day set apart by the whole nation to lay a floral token on the graves of our loved ones departed. The unusual demand for flowers suggests that you place your order early. We will have Cape Jasmine and other seasonal flowers. Phone 110, Cisco Floral Co. 25-51

MISS TRAIN SEND MONEY TO BANK BY AEROPLANE EXPRESS

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Iowa, May 24.—A delivery of money by airplane to a bank at Dow City, Iowa, 60 miles distant, was made by a local bank. The shipment amounted to \$5000. Money to this bank ordinarily is sent by express, but the train was missed, the bank wanted the money, and the plane was called in service.

Work Starts on New Church.

BROWNWOOD, Texas, May 25.—Preliminary work in building the new First Presbyterian church started here today. The church will cost about \$60,000, and will be modern in every particular.

In Cuba a woman never loses her maiden name. After marriage she adds her husband's name to her own.

Re-Organization Visual Instruction Dept. of Extension

AUSTIN, Texas, May 25.—Reorganization of the Visual Instruction Division of the Department of Extension of the University of Texas is being undertaken by W. R. Duffey, head of the division, in preparation for the expected increase in service for the coming year. The closing of many schools in Texas for the summer has not lessened the activities of the division to any great extent, owing to the increased patronage of community centers.

Records of the division for the year ending May 1, 1920, show unprecedented increase in visual instruction in the schools and community centers over the state. During the year 511,000 art slides were exhibited, as compared with 116,000 shown during 1919. The number of persons reached during March was 54,675; during April, 82,186. Exhibitions during March totaled 435; during April, 874. The slides and reels were distributed over seventy counties of the state. The visual aids were shipped mostly to schools, county superintendents and agents, churches, chambers of commerce, and parent-teachers associations, and were used both for class room work and mass instruction. Text book matter is coordinated with slide material.

The division now has on hand 14,000 slides for distribution, covering a majority of the subjects taught in schools, and a large number of slide sets on travel. Two hundred reels of numerous industrial and educational subjects are available.

Laboratory records of the division show that the commercial price of the slides has been cut more than one-half through the saving brought about by

making the slides by the division. Slides are now being made covering Texas history and geography. Faculty members are writing the lecture material and furnishing the original pictures for the negatives. Slide sets have recently been prepared for the State Board of Health, the State Highway Commission, and the State Board of Fire Prevention. Good roads campaigns have been started in a number of counties through the interest created by the slide sets. In the reorganization of the division the making of slides as aids in school room work will be emphasized.

DISTINGUISHED SPEAKER FOR HOME ECONOMICS WEEK

AUSTIN, Texas, May 25.—Mrs. Henrietta W. Calvin, director of the home economics bureau of education at Washington, D. C., will be one of the speakers of Home Economics Week to be held at the University of Texas during the first week in June.

Mrs. Calvin was head of the home economics department at Kansas State College during 1901-1908. From there she went to the University of Indiana, where she had charge of the home economics department. In 1912 she became dean of home economics at Oregon Agricultural College, where she remained until 1915, when she became connected with the bureau of education at Washington.

THREE BILLS BY GRAND JURY AT BROWN COUNTY

BROWNWOOD, Texas, May 25.—The grand jury for Brown county, which was in session nearly two weeks, returned only three bills, according to the report made public today and only two for felonies. This is said to be one of the best reports ever made by any grand jury in this county.



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FARMERS PLAN INCREASED ACREAGE IN SUGARCANE

WATERLOO, Iowa, May 24.—Farmers of Black Hawk and surrounding country are preparing their own relief from the sugar shortage. They are planning increased acreage of sugarcane this year for syrup making. Indications are that fully 500 acres of cane will be planted in Black Hawk county alone. Many farmers intend to plant five and ten-acre tracts and will use the sorghum for their own families. There are numerous cane mills in this part of Iowa.

Joint Birthday Party.

My blue note paper was used in sending to many friends an invitation to attend a birthday party Saturday at the home of J. A. Jensen in South Cisco, given in honor of little Ruth Jensen, and Rosie Waters, this being the natal day of these two little friends. It was decided to celebrate them together at the Jensen home where children came at the hour of three to stay until six o'clock. Many games were played upon the lawn, where swings hung from the tall trees, and after spending the hours romping and playing the announcement came that many good things were waiting in a pretty dining room, to be served from a decorated table, where Mesdames Jensen and Waters, assisted by Miss Lydia Jensen, and Miss Edith Thompson pinned on the favors, hearts for boys, and May baskets for girls. Many pretty gifts adorned the table that delighted the hearts of the two little girls that were passing the tenth mile stone in their lives.

Mrs. H. C. Poe and daughter, Miss Gertrude Poe, arrived home from St. Louis, Saturday where they have been spending the past ten months. Miss Poe has been attending school in that city.

Mrs. Homer Lee, of Fort Worth, and Mrs. William Richard of Caddo, are visiting their sister, Mrs. R. H. Gracey for the week.

Mrs. J. B. Ammerman, of Ft. Worth, but an old time resident of Cisco, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. J. Winston, and Mrs. John Stamps.

Miss Addie Lee Goran visited Miss Lorena Leisure in Sipe Springs. Upon her return Miss Leisure accompanied Miss Goran to spend a week at the Alexander Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Alexander visited friends in Eastland Sunday.

Miss Eulalia Howard, of Eastland, visited her parents Sunday and attended the services at the City Hall Sunday morning.

Mrs. George Langston accompanied by her daughter Miss Joyce Langston, left Saturday night for Dallas to attend the State Democratic Convention.

Mrs. E. M. Hall left Monday for Colorado, Texas to visit Misses Moselle, and Joe Dry, old time friends.

Miss Theresia Lee who has been attending school in Dallas the past ten months, arrived home Saturday to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Shepard and son W. Shepard returned home from Ft. Worth Monday night from a two weeks