

MAY DAY FETE AT DALLAS IS TAKING SHAPE

Dallas, Apr. 21.—Plans for the annual May day fete of the Dallas schools are nearly completed, although the exact date has not been announced as it will depend somewhat upon the consideration of old "Jupe" and his watering pot, but weather permitting, it will be held May 1, or as near that date as is possible.

Two hundred ten students of the Dallas grade and high schools will participate in the pageant which will be directed by Miss Dorothy White, instructor in girls' physical training, assisted by other teachers.

The May queen is being selected by ballot. As has been the custom, all the girls of the graduating class were nominated and each given 100 complimentary ballots. All additional ballots are purchased at one cent per ballot and are placed in the ballot boxes where they are counted every week and the one having the lowest number of ballots is automatically declared out of the race.

Original candidates were: Laura Bolleau, Ruth Butler, Mildred Clayton, Sarah Ediger, Winnifred Elliott, Dixie Gaymon, Barbara Hall, Myra Gibson, Mary Hinamon, Margaret Leitch, Nina O'Connell, Dorothy Paige, Lucille Reddekopp and Edith Robinson. This list has been reduced to Lucille Reddekopp with 677 votes; Margaret Leitch, 474; Myra Gibson, 396 and Sarah Ediger, 251 votes. The next count of the ballots will be Thursday, April 19, when the one having the lowest number will be dropped.

The proceeds from the one cent per ballot will be used in defraying the cost of costumes and other expenses in connection with the pageant. The contest will close April 30, at 7 o'clock when the committee in charge, Mayor Staffin, Mrs. J. R. Craven, member of the school board, and S. E. Whitworth will announce the winning candidate.

FORMER RAILROADER MAKES SHORT VISIT

Independence, Apr. 21.—A former Southern Pacific agent of this city was renewing friendships and old acquaintances, George A. Wilcox, now retired and living at Cornelius, Wash. Wilcox was agent here for 13 years, living most of that time in what is now the Violette home on 2nd and D streets.

Prior to coming here Wilcox was agent at McMinville for 20 years. He was the guest of C. W. Butler while here and expressed great pleasure at meeting old friends and commented upon the growth and activities of the city.

NEW VOLUMES FOR LIBRARY

Independence, Apr. 21.—The following list of books was selected by the committee from the public library, the same having just been received and added to the library shelves.

The Cabin at the Trails End, Sheba Hargreaves; Dawn, Irving Bacheller; Moby Dick, Herman Melville; Red Lilly and Chinese Jade, Louise Gordon Mills; Cabages and Kings, O'Henry; The Bridge of San Luis Rey, Thornton Wilder; Water, Albert Payson Terhune; God and the Greengrass, Harold Bell Wright; Bean Sabreur, P. C. Wren; Steel of the Royal Mounted, James Oliver Curwood; The Mind of the Minx, Bertha Ruck; The Greene Murder Case, S. S. Van Dine; The Gentle Orator, O'Henry; Ginger Ella, Ethel Hueston; Crimsons Roses, Grace Livingston Hill; Political Papers and Addresses, Vol. I, II and III, Woodrow Wilson; The New Moon, Cornelia Melus; The Young Folks Books of the Sea, T. C. Bridges; Doctor Dollittle's Garden, Hugh Lofting; The Boy with the U. S. Foresters, Robert Wheeler; The Boys Life of Colonel Lawrence, Lowell Thomas; Story Manor, Ethel Cook Elliott; The Little Bear who Ran Away from Brantown, Frank Ver Beck; Nicketa, Grace Moore; Civilizing Cradick, Forrestine C. Hooker.

Mrs. Jessie Hewett is librarian.

QUEEN THELMA WILL RULE MAY AT AMITY HIGH

Amity, Apr. 21.—The annual contest for May Queen for the May day exercises closed here this week, resulting in Miss Thelma Vincent of the senior class being elected queen to preside over the May day activities which are to be held Friday, April 27 on the high school grounds. Miss Beatrice Hawley is maid of honor for Queen Thelma. All the seventh and eighth grade students of the schools in this high school district are invited as special guests for that day and will be welcomed by a high school student here and shown a good time. A splendid program is being prepared and a dinner will be served at noon to all the invited guests and their escorts. A ball game will be one great attraction during the afternoon. A good time is anticipated and everyone in the school district is invited to come and enjoy the program.

MRS. KELLY HOSTESS FOR BRIDGE PARTY

Independence, Apr. 21.—A lovely event of the week was the three table bridge luncheon for which Mrs. V. O. Kelly was hostess Friday afternoon at her country home on the highway north of the city. The rooms were very attractive in pink sweet peas and ferns.

Club members present included Mrs. M. J. Butler, Mrs. G. G. Mattison, Mrs. K. L. Williams, Mrs. M. C. Williams, Mrs. T. D. Pomeroy, Mrs. R. E. Smith, Mrs. H. R. Steiner, Mrs. C. J. De Armond, Mrs. J. L. Clark, Mrs. Ed. Jensen, Mrs. R. M. Walker and the hostess, Mrs. Kelly.

On account of illness in her home Mrs. C. W. Wiprud was absent and Mrs. Jensen substituted for her. The prize for high score was won by Mrs. R. E. Smith.

MOVE TO DALLAS
Hopmere, Apr. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tave have moved to Dallas where they will "make" their home.

Polk County Court

Dallas, Apr. 21.—The jury, after a 12-hour debate, returned a verdict in favor of the defendant in the Terhune vs. Elliott suit for \$10,000 damages for personal injury received in an automobile collision which occurred last June between the automobile of Mr. Terhune and Senator Elliott on the West Side highway near Monmouth. This case was tried in the January term of court, but the jury failed to agree after being out 24 hours and the case was held for re-trial.

DIVORCE IS SOUGHT
A suit for divorce was filed by William Schuett vs. Katherine Schuett. The couple were married in Portland, May 3, 1925, and the plaintiff claims that the defendant deserted him April 9, 1927, going to Detroit, Michigan.

TRYING TO COLLECT
Suit for the collection of a promissory note anticipated and verified 15, 1925, has been filed by the Bank of Falls City against Shem Sedro and Edith D. Sedro.

CLUB ENTERTAINED
Woodburn, Apr. 21.—Miss Myrtle Neldert entertained the "I" bridge club at her home on Second street Thursday evening. Two tables of bridge were played. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Marshall Hicks. Those enjoying the evening were Miss Juanita Hicks, Miss Gertrude Shorey, Miss Rose Richards, Miss Corinne Wurster, Miss Vivienne Nelson, Miss Lola Johnson, Miss Erma Ginther and the hostess, Miss Myrtle Neldert.

VANCOUVER CALLER
Independence, April 21.—Mrs. Carl Sandstrom of Vancouver, Wash., is the guest of her sister, Miss Florence E. Beardsley of Monmouth. Miss Beardsley was formerly a critic teacher in the training school and was here Thursday purchasing pictures for her class in Monmouth.

Independence, April 21.—Mrs. Ben Johnson, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Portland this week returned to her home Friday. She found her sister, who has been quite ill for some time, much improved.

INDEPENDENCE GRADE PUPILS PLAN OPERETTA

Independence, Apr. 21.—An operetta "The Isle of Chance" is being prepared by the pupils of the seventh and eighth grades of the training school, under the supervision of Mrs. Sylvia Osborn and will be given in the school auditorium Friday, April 27.

Mrs. Osborn is supervisor of the music department of the Oregon training school at Monmouth.

The cast of characters is as follows: Principal characters, Greed, King of the Isle of Chance, Clark DeForest; captain of the good ship, Ease, Ross Osborn.

Subjects of King Greed, First Folly, Emma Werline; Second Folly, Lurel Busby; Third Folly, Marjorie Plant; Fourth Folly, Lillie Burch.

On-a-Grouch, a derelict on the Isle of Chance, Tom Pomeroy; Despair, his widow, Hugh Hanna.

Survivors from the good ship Ease: Lord What's-the-use, Marvin Kelly; Lady Frivolous, Thelma Clarke; Simplicity, Blanche Johnson; Who Cares, Omer Baker.

Spirits of spring: Helen Newton, Carol Bristol, Margaret Schoeler, and Atha Fisher.

Follies chorus: Mildred Matthison, Grace Mumford, Frances Corson, Ione Bridges, Viola Cuthbert, Sylvia Swearingen, Mildred Bassett, Vera Ramey, Hazel Rash, Eleanor Kurze, Ruth Stryker, and Myrtle Fox.

MATTESONS HOSTS FOR DINNER PARTY

Independence, Apr. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Matteson entertained with an attractive dinner party, Friday evening in their home on West Tenth street. The dining table was centered with a lovely combination of spring flowers. Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Swope, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hubbard and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Matteson. The evening was spent in playing "500".

TUITION FUND GAINS AT NORM

Monmouth, April 21.—Over \$8000 has been taken in for the spring term tuition. This amount is greater than that taken in during the winter term. Out of each \$11 that the student pays, \$8 goes into the state treasury for tuition; \$1 is used for health service and the remaining \$4 used to promote the various student activities.

The way in which it is divided is: The Norm, 40 cents; Lamron 35 cents; athletics 30 cents; library 30 cents; motion pictures 50 cents; lycium 50 cents; social advantages 45 cents; miscellaneous student body fee, 30 cents; examination paper five cents and sinking fund 25 cents. The sinking fund is at the disposal of the student council, to be used to some advantage of the school.

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DISTRICTS ARE NAMING PUPILS FOR BIG EVENT

Dallas, Apr. 21.—Reports on the contestants chosen to represent the various districts at the Polk county grade school declamatory contest to be held in the auditorium of the Dallas high school, May 19, are beginning to come in and Josiah Wills, county school superintendent, anticipates there will be at least 150 contestants in the four divisions.

Pop Corn district has chosen Dorothy Southwick to represent them in the second division; Grand

Ronde will have five contestants: Tena Hammell, Pearl Harrington, Doris Wilson, Mary Doran and Doyle Talbot. Bethel held their try-out on Thursday evening and have selected Robert Walling, Amy Robinson, Myrtle Stauffer and Amy Prong.

GUESTS FROM BEND
Independence, Apr. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Guy McCoy of Bend were recent house guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Moyer of North Independence. They are old time friends of the Moyer family.

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People have come to know that a Sale at Shipley's really means a substantial reduction in price on regular stock articles and we would not betray this Public Confidence for the world.

To "Thin out" our heavy stocks of summer undies including Crepe de Chines and rayons we have gone through them and marked them down to sell quickly. Buy as many garments as you wish, and when you see them you'll want to buy plenty. They will be ideal for graduating gifts, bride gifts, birthday gifts and for ones self.

Some odds and ends of "perfect" hose. The different lots are on sale because we do not have a run of sizes in all shades, or possibly there is just a few pairs of a kind left, but in every case they are perfect hose and should not be confused with "seconds" or "soiled." We are only sorry that we cannot quote comparative prices because they would surely cause some comment at this sale.

The first thing we find is a high stack of Crepe de Chine dainties beautifully trimmed with lace and ribbon and ribbon flowers. The material is of heavy weave and most desirable in every way. They are from our regular stock and comprise step-ins with lace bottoms, skirt effect step-ins, teddies and two-piece dansets. Your choice at each

\$1.98

Next we come to a lot of Rayon slips, bloomers and shorties with fitted band front and elastic back. These are quality rayon in the new pastel shades for summer. One can hardly afford to miss this group because about the only difference in buying these at this price and stealing sugar is that you'll be "within the law." Take as many as you like at, each

98c

Then, not so many, but quite a few at that, silk combinations and Pongee and rayon pajamas. Your choice of this lot.

\$2.48

Suits are good this summer and here is a wonderful chance to obtain a very high class waist at the price of a most ordinary kind. We are going to offer, for as long as they last, Crepe de Chine suit waists with long sleeves in a variety of color and sizes. They are mostly all plain colors but a few novelty prints are to be found. The necks are cut both high and low so one should be able to find just about what one would desire.

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And Oh, look at these rayon gowns in the beautiful soft shades. Some are perfectly plain and others are elaborate with lace yokes and shoulder straps. We can't imagine anyone wearing the ordinary nightgown when these will be sold for

\$1.98

Crepe de Chine, heavy grade, gowns, step-ins, dansets with kick skirts, teddies, shadowproof slips and rayon "Cats Pajamas." There are many articles in this lot that will surely make her eye twinkle with joy and contentment.

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Several boxes of Wayne knit, white only, pure silk, full fashioned, cotton top hose to clear away at per pair 35c, or

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Women's mercerized lisle hose, some with ribbed tops. A good assortment of colors and sizes. Pair 35c, or

3 PAIR \$1.00

Women's full length woolen sport hose in plain and novelty weaves. Just at this opportune time, just before vacations start, if anything in the world should be acceptable it is this hose at 35c pair, or

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Phoenix rayon and wool sport hose, ribbed. Also rayon and wool plaid sports in a great variety of color combinations. Your choice at per pair

79c

Kiddies Wayne knit, full length, white or brown, mercerized hose in plain weave or ribbed. Sizes 5 to 9½, pair 15c, or

2 FOR 25c

Mercerized, silk and wool hose in black, white or tan, sizes 4½ to 6½. Pair 15c, or

2 FOR 25c

Mercerized, lisle and rayon half sox in the light summer shades with fancy tops. 15c pair, or

2 FOR 25c

Three-quarter ribbed sport hose, mercerized and wool, sizes 6 to 9c. 15c pair, or

2 FOR 25c

Three-quarter sport hose in silk, wool and mercerized. There are many colors, some with plain, others with fancy tops. The lot includes golf hose "just like Dad's" and dainty silken hose for little sister, sizes 7½ to 10. Pair 35c, or

3 FOR \$1.00

