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SENTENCE SERMON.
Gravity is a mystery of the body, invented to conceal the defects of the mind.—La Rochefoucauld.

ITALIAN AIRMAN IS LOST IN THE FAR NORTH

THREE ROUSING SPEAKERS PULL FOR FERGUSON

Closing Rally in Ranger Marked by Enthusiasm; People Urged to Vote.

Three eloquent speakers closed last night the campaign in Ranger in the interest of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson for governor of Texas, but each in turn urged insistently that it was merely the speaking part that had been brought to an end and that every supporter of the wife of the former governor for chief executive officer of the state must keep up the fight until the polls close Saturday night. It was an open-air rally and the Gorman band came over to give added zest to the meeting.

Judge A. E. Firmin, the first speaker, and L. H. Flewellen, the last speaker, declared that prohibition was not an issue in the campaign. The former said he had fought prohibition until it had become the law of the land, since when he had not tasted liquor and would not, for he believed every good citizen should obey the law. The latter said he had always been for prohibition and now more than ever. And both of these joined with E. Pearson, the other speaker, in the closing rally in declaring that with federal and state constitutions and statutes to be amended and repealed before prohibition would cease to be the law of the land, it was manifestly beyond the power of any man in this day and time to reopen the saloons, and was not and could not be an issue of the campaign, as had been told by Felix D. Robertson, klan candidate, and his supporters.

Klan Is the Issue.
All the speakers united in declaring that the ku klux klan was the real issue in the campaign, whether the state of Texas should continue to be ruled by a few people, guided by their consciences and their own good judgment, or to be ruled by a visible emperor of an invisible empire who would have the people shackled to him by fear of a phantom "boogie man" and swing them to vote his will as a showman swings to crack his whip.

The speakers spoke in high terms of Mrs. Ferguson, declaring her a life-long prohibitionist, a woman of unusually good sense and judgment, having clear understanding of people and issues and a firm will that would not be subservient to any other.

They united also in praising James E. Ferguson, the former governor, and while not approving every action of his when governor, it was pointed by one and another that at no time had the state lost one cent of money through James E. Ferguson and that it had, on the contrary, gained much through his careful and able administration of the duties of governor.

Approval of the firm of Ferguson & Ferguson was expressed, especially by Mr. Pearson, who said that while he did not vote for Mrs. Ferguson in the first primary it was not because he thought less of her but preferred another not now in the contest, and that in his opinion, as between the firm of Ferguson & Ferguson and the firm of Marvin & Robertson, the former undoubtedly was to be preferred.

People Must Vote.
The people of Ranger were urged to turn out Saturday and vote. Judge Firmin and Judge Flewellen insisted that it was a critical day in Texas history, and Flewellen declared that if the klan be defeated in the primaries tomorrow it would prove its death knell in the state, and that two years hence it would be regarded by virtually every Texan as a slander or libel to be named as a klanman then or at any time previously.

But it was insisted that if the klan won the election and Felix D. Robertson was made the democratic nominee for governor and was elected governor of Texas it would prove a disaster from which the state would be long in recovering. It was pointed out that Robertson has had no experience in state affairs, that he had been dismissed from the army during wartime because of inefficiency as an officer, that he had served merely as judge of a corporation court in Dallas until elected by the klan to be judge of a criminal district court in Dallas and that more of the cases tried by him had been reversed by the higher court than would seem possible of a judge claiming to have a knowledge of the law.

Message From Mars Is Heard But Not Fully Understood

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 22.—"Mystery signals" heard on the radio at Point Grey, near Vancouver, last night by operators listening for a message from Mars were again heard at 7:14 a. m. today, Pacific coast standard time. Operators at the Point Grey station and W. G. Walker, radio expert and connected with the Vancouver Merchants exchange, listening independently, heard the signals.

DEBATE CALLED OFF, STUCKEY SPEAKS ALONE

Abilene Preacher, Speaking in Cisco for Robertson, Faces Hecklers.

CISCO, Aug. 22.—Believing that they were going to hear a joint discussion between Rev. Louis N. Stuckey of Abilene and Senator Brelsford of Eastland or Major Dalrymple of Fort Worth on the klan issue and the candidacies of Felix Ferguson, an audience estimated at 1,500 people from over Eastland county, congregated at St. John park in Cisco last night. It had been announced in the papers that a joint discussion would be held.

But, in the meantime, Jake Alexander, an honored pioneer citizen of Cisco and Eastland county, died and was lying in a casket in the family home. Out of respect for his memory and his family and friends, it is stated that the mayor of Cisco, through the local press, had asked that the meeting for last night be called off. Those representing Mrs. Ferguson and anti-klanmen readily agreed, but the klan and Robertson people, it seems, declined.

When it was learned that only the Rev. Mr. Stuckey was to speak and that he had refused to postpone the meeting on account of the death of Mr. Alexander, a large portion of the audience began to show disapproval and contempt. For some time it looked as if a larger part of the audience was going to leave and quite a number did.

No sooner had the Rev. Mr. Stuckey begun his speech than some of the audience began to heckle him, and kept it up throughout his entire speech. At times it almost broke up the meeting. Someone turned in the firm alarm and two fire trucks, with their sirens blowing, passed by the meeting going and coming from the fire. After the audience had quieted down from this interruption, a number of parties went through the crowd announcing that there would be another fire within five minutes.

Rev. Mr. Stuckey was introduced by Rev. Mr. Vaughn of Cisco and immediately launched into a bitter and scathing denunciation of James E. Ferguson. Throughout his speech he read from what he termed the record. At one time during his speech he held up an American flag and made some remarks about it, but what he was saying could not be heard except possibly by those close to him. When he first unfurled the flag the entire audience cheered and then the crowd on the outer portion of the park set up a yell for "Ma" and "Jim."

At another time in his address the speaker held up a woman's skirt, which he had wrapped in a newspaper, and exhibited this to the audience. What he attempted to say about it could scarcely be heard for the cries of "put on your gown," "get your pillow slip," etc.

Audience Sympathetic.
A large part of the audience was with the speaker and often applauded him, but the remainder of the crowd kept yelling, "What about Zeke Marvin, Bob Hanger and that gang?" "What are you going to do with your drug store saloons?" etc.

Mr. Stuckey never seemed to lose his temper and although he attempted several times to answer those heckling him, he did so in a courteous manner.

OPEN-AIR REVIVAL SERVICES BEGIN SUNDAY AT CHURCH OF CHRIST
The Church of Christ, Ranger, has an announcement to make. Nothing new, but an old-time revival meeting, beginning Sunday morning, Aug. 24, and continuing one week. Services will be in the open air, at the Church of Christ building, South First and Mesquite streets.

WOMAN WHO WOULD HOLD OFFICE LEADS IN RACE FOR GOVERNOR OF TEXAS



Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, of Temple, Texas, is opposing Felix Robertson, of Dallas, self-entitled klan candidate, for the governorship of Texas. She is a member of the Episcopal church, mother of two splendid daughters and a woman of rare common sense and executive ability. Her candidacy is endorsed and being actively supported by every one of the seven other candidates for governor eliminated in the first primary.

GANGSTER FEUD THROWS STREET INTO TURMOIL

Lone "Badman" in New York Wounds Five in Reckless Shooting, Some Serious.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—A young man dying and four innocent bystanders wounded was the toll of a gangsters' feud which late yesterday threw Bleeker street, in the heart of Greenwich village, into a panic.

A lone man, who did all the shooting, passed quietly down the street until within a few steps of a cafe on the steps of which sat Edward Cambicorta, smoking a cigarette. When the gunman was within a few feet of Cambicorta he suddenly pulled an automatic and began firing at him and generally in his direction. Cambicorta fell over with four wounds, one of which is in his chest and will probably cause his death.

The air hummed with bullets. Eleven-year-old Lena DeFazio, playing in the street, fell with a bullet in her back. Mrs. Mary Tuccini, bargaining with a pedlar, fell with a bullet in her side. The pedlar, Salvatore Fenelli, as he was about to help Mrs. Tuccini, felt his right leg give way as he was hit by a bullet. Another bystander was slightly wounded.

Suddenly the firing ceased and the warlike gangster disappeared. He is being sought by the police.

CARBON PASTOR SPEAKS IN RANGER TONIGHT IN ROBERTSON'S INTEREST

Rev. Bascom Morton of Carbon is to speak in Ranger tonight at 8:30 o'clock, closing the campaign here on behalf of Felix D. Robertson, klan candidate, for governor of Texas. He will speak at Main and Marston streets and plenty of seats are promised for those attending.

CUNNINGHAM FAMILY, TEXAS PIONEER, HOLDS TWENTY-FIFTH REUNION

The Cunningham family, descendants of the grandparents of Tom J. Cunningham, have just concluded their twenty-fifth annual reunion. This family, now consists of 446 living descendants of Capt. James Cunningham and wife, who settled in Comanche county, Texas, in 1842, serving with Sam Houston, and fighting Indians.

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ONE-HALF THE NEEDED NUMBER OF HENS SIGNED

Plans for Cooperative Marketing Organization Proceeding Quietly; to Be Rushed

Eastland county agricultural agent, R. H. Bush, who was a visitor in Ranger today is enthusiastic over the outlook of increased poultry production in this county. Mr. Bush recently returned from A. & M. college where he attended the annual summer short course in agricultural subjects, and reports that he found all eyes turned toward Eastland county as the Petaluma of Texas and the chief locality of the poultry industry. In company with C. C. Patterson, secretary of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Bush expected to visit the communities of Bullock, Cross Roads and Chaney today and arrange for the signing of the contracts for the Eastland County Poultry Producers association.

Approximately 12,000 hens have been signed by owners to date, this being only half of the desired amount. As soon as the necessary 25,000 hens are signed up the contracts of all poultry signers will become legal and the association will be ready to elect officers and proceed with its business of marketing, etc.

Bush Plans Campaign.
The county agent, Mr. Bush, is now ready to make poultry culling demonstrations, explain contracts of the association and organize the various communities he visits, and plans are now being made for a real signing campaign. Before leaving for A. & M. college, Mr. Bush distributed the contracts of the poultry association in all communities in order that those interested might have plenty of time to read and digest them before joining the association. He is receiving material assistance from Secretary Patterson of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce, who will assist in organizing communities of this locality and ask all those desiring Mr. Bush to come to their community to notify the Ranger Chamber of Commerce, in order that a convenient time may be arranged and that time may be saved by taking as many adjacent communities as possible in one day.

Mr. Bush states that Ranger probably has the greatest poultry production of any Eastland county community and he hopes that 100 per cent will sign the contract and become members of the association, using their influence to make a success of this needed organization.

With the hatching season just opened there will be an increase in this work. Eastland county now owns hatcheries with a capacity of 42,000 chicks every 21 days and others are being installed to be ready for the spring season, which will greatly increase the Eastland county poultry output.

Terracing Demonstrations.
Mr. Bush is ready and glad to assist the farmers in any of their problems and will visit any community if called upon personally or through Secretary Patterson. Last spring he personally terraced 45 farms, but the work has grown so that he is now only able to give demonstrations of the work and show the farmers how to do it themselves, which he states is by far the best in the end as they then become proficient themselves. The demonstration accomplishes better results when conducted so that all interested members of a community can be present, as it is Mr. Bush's desire to reach as many farmers as possible.

The services of Miss Ruth Ramey, county home demonstrator, will also be available, either in city or rural communities, to all those who need her assistance. The return of farming interest to Eastland county and the present promising season has put heart into the work and County Agent Bush looks for a splendid season.

Board of Control Estimates State's Expenses 2 Years

AUSTIN, Aug. 22.—Estimates of appropriations to be asked of the next legislature for support and maintenance of the state's varied interests were completed today by the state board of control. It totals \$32,502,291 for the biennial beginning Sept. 1, 1925.

Of this amount, \$15,946,863 is for the first year and \$16,555,328 for the second year. The appropriations are to be asked in four separate orders as follows: Departmental \$3,662,105 for first year and \$3,335,624 for second year. Elementary institutions, \$4,174,825 for first year and \$3,788,845 for second year. Education, \$10,788,444 first year and \$5,219,112 second year. Judiciary, \$321,491 first year and \$306,747 for second year.

Italian World Flyer Ez Route.



The Italian, Lieutenant Locatelli, who is attempting a flight around the world, is following the route taken by the American army aviators. He was photographed at Brough, Eng., where he landed a few days after the Americans had hopped off for Iceland, where he caught them.

CANDIDATES IN RUN-OFF RACES HELD TOMORROW

Polls Will Be Open 8 A. M. to 7 P. M.; All Voters Urged to Cast Ballots.

Polls will be open in every voting precinct in Eastland county tomorrow, as in every other part of Texas, for the second or run-off democratic primaries to decide those contests of the first primary where the candidates failed to receive a majority of the votes cast. Polls will open at 8 a. m. and close at 7 o'clock p. m.

The following ticket to be voted in Eastland county includes the candidates for state and the local candidates who had to get into the runoff:
For Governor: Felix D. Robertson of Dallas county.
Miriam A. Ferguson of Bell county.
For Lieutenant Governor: Barry Miller of Dallas county.
Will C. Edwards of Denton county.
For Attorney General: Edward B. Ward of Nueces county.
Dan Moody of Williamson county.
For Comptroller: S. H. Terrell of McLennan county.
O. D. Baker of Milam county.
For Railroad Commissioner, regular six-year term: Clarence E. Gilmore of Van Zandt county.
Ed E. Weaver of Bowie county.
For Railroad Commissioner, four-year unexpired term: W. A. Nabors of Wood county.
Lon A. Smith of Travis county.
For Chief Justice Supreme Court: C. M. Curreton of Bosque county.
William Clayton Weir of Hill county.
For Judge, County Court-at-Law: Tom J. Cunningham.
C. L. (Clyde) Garrett.
For Sheriff: J. D. Barton.
R. W. Edwards.
For Constable, Precinct No. 1: W. E. Richardson.
M. N. Seabourn.
Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 2, place No. 1: Hayden Neal.
L. C. Gorton.
For Chairman, Precinct No. 21: J. L. Nobles.
R. L. Smith.
D. W. Switzer.

A special appeal has been made by the rival interests in the election, the ku klux klan and the anti-ku klux klan, for all voters to get out tomorrow and cast their ballots. It is believed by each that a large vote will insure victory for its candidates, but in any event it is the duty of every citizen to vote.

SLATON COMMUNITY FAIR GATES OPEN SEPT. 26-27
SLATON, Tex., Aug. 22.—The dates for the Slaton community fair have been set for Sept. 26-27. J. J. Ross, secretary of the local chamber of commerce will have charge of the details and plans in connection with the community fair. Products from this fair will be shown in the "All West Texas agricultural exhibit" to be sent out by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. It is likely that exhibits from Slaton will be shown at the regional fairs at Amarillo, Abilene, and Wichita Falls.

American Flyers To Delay Flight Until Italian Is Found

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—The American flyers will hop northward on the west coast of Greenland to Ivigtut today, according to word received at the army air service. The flight from Frederiksdal to Ivigtut is a little over 300 miles and can be completed in a few hours.

It may be necessary, however, for the American flyers to delay continuance of their hop in order to join the search for the missing Italian. The last word received of him was when he passed the cruiser Richmond, 70 miles west of Iceland. Word has been sent to the five cruisers stretched along the route from Iceland to Greenland to be on the lookout for any sign of the Italian.

GEORGIA'S NEW MARRIAGE LAW ANNOYS CUPID

Happy Honeymooners Find Weddings Illegal and New Ceremony Needed.

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 22.—Countless honeymooners have been interrupted in this state in the last three days by the awful realization that the happy honeymooners were not married.

Owing to the official ignorance of the full meaning of a recent law passed by the Georgia legislature every marriage contracted within the state since the morning of Aug. 18 is void, and scores of honeymooners are unwarranted, according to S. G. McLendon, secretary of state.

The worst of it is that the honeymooners, if they are to continue legal, must wait a full five days before resuming and that is a tremendous gap in a honeymoon.

Scores of couples are affected by the decision, McLendon believes. Georgia has thus become the only state in the union in which marriage is not legal—at least, in which marriage has not been legal for the last four days and will not be for another five.

The difficulty was brought about by the recent legislature, which passed a law requiring the posting for five days of application for marriage licenses before they can be granted. License officials, somewhat confused over the law, have failed to comply with the five-day posting provision. Licenses have been granted and couples presumably married for four days, only to be told Thursday that the marriage was illegal and would have to be performed again.

But there's another catch to it. Should an application be filled out and posted Thursday no license could be granted for five days. Thus Georgians are slated for at least another week in which no legal marriages can be performed.

Old and young alike are affected by the provisions of the new ordinance which was originally intended to prevent child marriages.

Body of Mrs. Mors Is Taken East for Burial
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 22.—While Kid McCoy continues his inquiries about "Tessie," the body of Mrs. Mors, for whose slaying the former pugilist is now awaiting trial, was taken today to New York, where it will be received by Mrs. Mors' mother. Albert Mors, divorced husband of the dead woman, will remain here.

McCoy was to undergo further examination today by alienists. It is believed he will plead guilty to the murder charge and may decide to escape gallows on a defense of insanity. Police have been unable to locate Miss Dalmar Dahlgren, the Kid's eighth wife, who is said to have reported she was able to prove the Kid's innocence.

DETECTIVES SEARCHING FOR DEAD WOMAN'S JEWELS
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 22.—Intimations that the casket of Mrs. Mors may be opened in the presence of officers when it reaches New York were made today by detectives searching for jewels said to be worth \$100,000 and which cannot be found. They are said to have been smuggled into this country.

JOHN W. DAVIS VOICES HIS OPPOSITION TO KLAN
SEACIRT, N. J., Aug. 22.—John W. Davis in his first major address since formally accepting the nomination for president, came out today squarely in opposition to the Ku Klux Klan. He challenged President Coolidge to do likewise and thereby remove the klan as a political issue. He opposed any organization raising any racial or religious prejudice and contrary to the spirit of American interests.

ITALIAN PLANE WITH 4 FLYERS MISSES COURSE

American Airmen Reach Frederiksdal Safely, But Companion Appears Lost

ON BOARD UNITED STATES CRUISER RICHMOND, Aug. 22.—Admiral Magruder has ordered the American cruisers Richmond, Raleigh and Barry to search the east coast of Greenland around Cape Farewell for Lieutenant Locatelli, the Italian pilot. The order was issued at 11:20 Greenwich mean time and ordered the planes aboard the vessels to be launched in the search.

Naval officers are inclined to believe that Locatelli may have continued to Ivigtut instead of stopping at Frederiksdal. It was pointed out that he was leading the American flyers yesterday afternoon and, if he lost them, he might have recalled that Lieutenant Smith hoped to continue to Ivigtut and have gone ahead instead of stopping at Frederiksdal.

The Italian plane is larger than the American planes and carried sufficient fuel to carry it to Ivigtut. Inquiry is being made to learn if the Italian flyers proceeded on to Ivigtut.

FREDERIKSDAL, Greenland, Aug. 22.—Lieutenants Lowell Smith and Eric Nelson, after bucking a strong northerly gale all afternoon arrived at Frederiksdal last evening having completed their 825-mile jump in a little less than 11 hours of continuous flying.

Lieutenant Antonio Locatelli, the Italian airman, who joined the American airmen at Reykjavik and hopped off there with them for Greenland, had not arrived here early today. Word had been sent to the American cruisers and other vessels along the route of the flyers to make an immediate and thorough search for him. He was with the two Americans when the three planes passed over the cruiser Richmond, about 70 miles from Iceland, and was leading the trio. Three men were in the plane with him.

At that time clouds were beginning to gather in the north, although the wind, which had been boisterous during the early morning hours, had begun to subside. About 100 miles further on the wind had freshened and when the planes reached the Reid that vessel was riding out a gale which ruffled the surface of the sea, but did not seem to interfere with the steady progress of the airmen.

There appears to be some doubt, however, if the Italian was with the two American flyers when they passed near the Reid. The air had grown very hazy and it had become difficult to see very far or to glimpse any object very clearly.

J. D. Alexander, Leading Citizen Of Cisco, Is Dead

The death of J. D. Alexander of Cisco, which took place at the family residence Thursday, removes from that community one of its oldest and most respected citizens. Although in ill health for a long time, Mr. Alexander was not confined to his home until recently, and only a short time ago drove to Ranger with his wife and spent the day here. He had not been actively engaged in business for many years, being a man of independent means. He is survived only by his widow, a son having died five years ago and an adopted son dying about two years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander had resided in the same house for more than 35 years. He was a prominent member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows and a member of the grand lodge committee on D. D. grand master appointments. The funeral services will be held this afternoon at 5 o'clock at the family residence, West Sixth street, Cisco.

Interment will be in Cisco cemetery.

S. TAKING STEPS TO GUARD HONDURAS PROPERTY
WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—Intervention by the United States government in Honduras was expected today for the reported murder of George Gatewood Hamilton, an American citizen in district of Chertoles, north coast.

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BIBLE THOUGHT.
 Better is a dry morsel, and quietness therewith, than a house full of sacrifices with strife.—Proverbs 17:1.

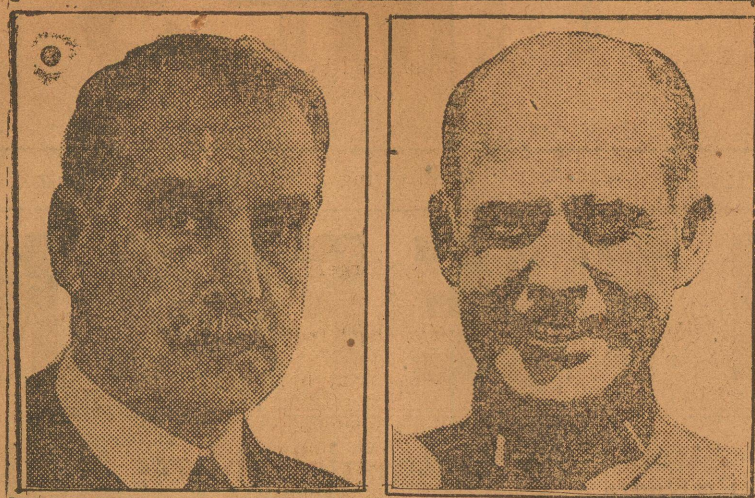
HOPELESS MUDDLE OF LAWS.
 What are the true functions of government? To what degree may legislation go in its purely restrictive features, beyond the preservation of equal liberty? The question is not easy to answer. The volume of laws is so great in every state as to beggar calculation; federal legislation is almost equally voluminous. Many of these laws are so full of absurdities and contradictions as to add greatly to the number of lawyers, thus making an unnecessary addition to a largely unproductive class of population. No theory of limitation or check upon the output of these legislative factories is applied, the only limit being the length of the sessions and the physical endurance of the legislators. According to Thomas R. Preston, president of the Hamilton National Bank at Chattanooga, congress and the forty-eight states have passed 132,000 new laws.

James M. Beck, solicitor-general says the supreme court of the United States is frightfully overworked. He says the court does literally ten times as much as it did in Marshall's time, while its problems are ten-fold more complex. There are 260 volumes of supreme court decisions, aggregating over 25,000 opinions. Over 1,000 cases comprise the usual court calendar. This terrifying multiplicity of laws also increases the number of state and federal employees until today we have the staggering total of 3,400,000 on the public payrolls.

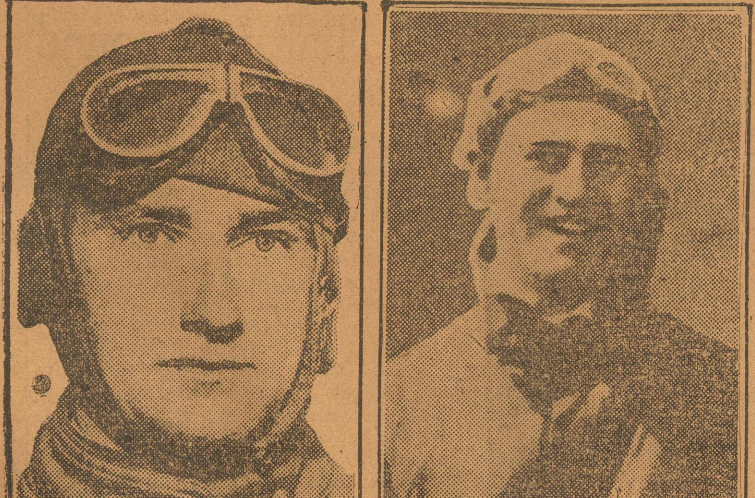
It is to the interest of the people to have "least government," it is to the interests of the politicians to have "most government," for this means more salaries for their class and more jobs for their underlings. This furnishes the "irrepressible conflict" between the forces that make for and against good government. It is time the whole process was reversed, for as it is, ideal citizenship is becoming impossible, and the people are being swept into an engulfing anarchy of law. Laws multiplied without restraint, of whose meaning and intent few can be certain, are little better than no laws, and by making of today's situation a hopeless muddle for the citizens, are fast bringing government into contempt.

MOTOR OUTPUT SHOWS A DECLINE.
 The automobile industry is entering the second half of 1924 under somewhat different circumstances than those which attended the beginning of the current year. A good deal of enthusiasm and highly optimistic feeling which prevailed immediately following the national automobile shows in New York and Chicago in January, and which continued throughout the first quarter, has disappeared and leading manufacturers are now convinced that the 1924 output will not equal the record-breaking output of approximately 4,000,000 cars and trucks during 1923. Indications now point to a total sales for this year of 3,250,000 cars and trucks, and possibly 3,500,000 at the most, a falling off from the 1923 totals of half a million. While this has caused momentary disappointment in some quarters, the general feeling throughout the industry is far from pessimistic or discouraging. In fact, manufacturers have met the situation courageously and retrenched all along the line, at the same time exerting every effort to stimulate sales.

CHIEF FIGURES IN NEWS OF THE DAY.



Sen. C. W. Pepper Lt. Eric Nelson.



Lt. Lowell Smith Lt. Leigh Wade

Lieutenant Erik Nelson, after being separated from his companions on the hop from Orkney islands to Iceland on the round-the-world flight, continued through the fog and reached Hoefn Hornafjord in safety. The following day Lieutenant Lowell Smith made the jump, but Lieutenant Leigh Wade was forced down on the open sea and his airplane wrecked while being hoisted on board the U. S. S. Richmond. U. S. Senator George Wharton Pepper, of Pennsylvania, "worked" his way as deck hand on a trip to Maine for his vacation. He sailed from New York with Frank B. Noyes and a party of friends on Mr. Noyes' yacht, *Asahara*, with a full Corinthian crew.

LABOR DAY GAME TO BE PLAYED FOR BENEFIT OF HIGH ATHLETES

The entertainment committee of the Ranger high school athletic association will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce to complete plans for the Labor Day game to be played for the benefit of the local high school athletes. Members of the committee are: W. N. McDonald, J. A. Shaw, J. B. Heister, Julius Krause and C. C. Patterson. Arrangements have been made to have the ticket sale handled by the "R" association. The city will be divided into districts, each district being in charge of a captain who is a member of the "R" association. All committees on arrangement are functioning nicely, according to a report from Secretary Patterson of the Chamber of Commerce, and it is expected that the game will be a real financial help to the Ranger high school athletes.

BIG BROTHERS' BIBLE CLASS MEETS SUNDAY

All members of the Big Brothers' Bible class are expected to be present at the Methodist church Sunday morning at 9:45. The lesson will deal with John the Baptist's ministry and the baptism of Jesus. Such questions will be discussed as the time of John's ministry, his general appearance and habits, what he preached, and its effect upon the multitude. Under the baptism of Jesus such questions as "Why was Jesus baptized?" and "How was he baptized?" It will also be stressed that the most essential thing about his baptism is a thing that we rarely hear mentioned. "Read carefully what your Bible has to say about these questions and come and let us compare notes on our findings," said the Rev. A. W. Hall, teacher.

JUSTICE McFATTER HOLDING UNCLAIMED FORD COUPE

Justice of the Peace J. N. McFatter of Ranger is holding a Ford coupe that was found Thursday night hidden in a clump of brush near Ranger. From numbers on the machine an effort is being made to determine the ownership.

PASTOR OFFERS BIBLE AUTHORITY TO EXPLAIN ACTION COMPLAINED OF

By United Press.
 POMEROY, Ohio, Aug. 22.—L. G. Davis, prosecutor, cited today the statutes of Ohio against the teachings and practices of Rev. Thomas Spear, pastor of the Pentecostal church, and 42 members of his flock. The pastor and his followers were at liberty under bond to answer charges of contributing to the delinquency of the young people of the church in conducting emotional orgies. The young folks of the congregation were said to work themselves into frenzy by indecent dancing. The pastor said he was following scripture teaching that "a little child shall lead them."

Twenty-nine children and their parents were arrested Wednesday night when county authorities raided the tabernacle.

TEXANS BEING URGED TO OBERVE DEFENSE DAY

AUSTIN, Aug. 22.—Adjutant General Thomas D. Barton, chairman of the Texas committee arranging for observance of national defense day, Sept. 12, said it was hoped to have every community, large or small, help celebrate the day. All chambers of commerce and patriotic and civic societies will be asked to participate in the observance of the day. Adjutant General Barton is getting into touch with as many of these organizations as possible through the mails, but hopes to get the co-operation of others by extending a general invitation through the press to all patriotic, public spirited organizations to participate in defense day plans. A copy of these plans and suggested program will be furnished on application.

MARX AND STRESSMAN REPORT TO THE REICHSSTAG

BERLIN, Aug. 22.—With the public in a tense state of expectancy the reichstag convened today to hear Chancellor Marx and Foreign Minister Stressman give their reports of the reparations conference in London. Every available seat in the gallery was taken.

ONLY ONE CANDIDATE IN RACE FOR EASTLAND CITY COMMISSIONER

The election for Eastland city commissioner to fill the unexpired term of Virgil T. Seberry, resigned, will be held tomorrow. The place of voting will be at the usual place at the city hall and the polls will be opened and closed as in other elections. Tom Crutcher is the only candidate that has filed and his name will be the only one appearing on the ticket. He has been a resident of the city for many years and has been identified with its progress.

RANGER BAND TO PLAY WITH GORMAN BAND TONIGHT
 The Gorman band has invited members of the Ranger band to come to Gorman this evening and help them with a special concert. Since the Gorman boys have so generously responded to the call of Ranger whenever asked, the Ranger band members have decided to postpone their regular rehearsal this evening and go to Gorman.

BANDITS ROB PASSENGER STATION IN OKLAHOMA
 By United Press.
 HOLDENVILLE, Okla., Aug. 22.—Three highwaymen obtained \$176 from the passenger station here at 11 o'clock Thursday night. One of the bandits drew a gun on Henry Swearingen, night ticket clerk, who was alone in the station when the hold-up men appeared. Another bandit rifled the cash drawer while the third remained on the look-out. Search by officials Friday revealed no trace of the robbers.

PANHANDLE CROPS ARE REPORTED VERY PROMISING

AMARILLO, Aug. 22.—Harmon Benton, agricultural expert to the Panhandle, located at Amarillo, and Porter A. Whaley, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, have just completed a three thousand mile drive in various parts of West Texas, making an inspection of the crop situation and they report the best general crop situation since 1919. While the cotton crop is spotted and missed being a bumper crop because of the failure of rains in many localities in late July and early August, it is nevertheless larger than last year and in some sections much larger. The row crops are about 25 per cent better than in 1923.

The automat restaurants, the famous nickel-in-the slot eating places, began using electric trucks 15 years ago. Recently they placed the 33rd repeat order for electric trucks with the same manufacturer who supplied the original electric back in May, 1909.

The Cake Eater We Always Have With Us



ALTHOUGH the "cake eater" in the slang sense of the word is a strictly modern product, there has always been cake making from earliest days and consequently cake eating and cake eaters. And cake pans. The immaculate lady in the picture is not a housewife indulging in a cake making orgy but one of an army of equally immaculate women who daily in the great Ward Bakery bake cake pans with white enamel. For the huge output of 2,000,000 pan eighty-five million packages of cake a year. Two thousand years ago, the ancient Romans had a pretty taste in cakes, as will be seen by this dressy bronze cake pan unearthed in the ruins of a Pompeian bake-shop. Coming to the New World, before (considerably before) the advent of our modern bakeries, the native redskin had her own way of baking. The squaw would gather and shell acorns from the black oak tree. These were placed in a solid granite mortar as shown in the above photograph and then ground to the consistency of cornmeal with the use of a pestle. After this water was added, and the result baked in the sun. Above are shown typical native Indian bake and cake pans.

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WESTERN ELECTRIC GETS TEXAS BUSINESS PERMIT
 AUSTIN, Aug. 22.—The Western Electric company, New York, capital \$53,000,000, was today granted a permit to do business in Texas. Headquarters in Texas are to be in Dallas and in Houston. R. Van Naeken, of Dallas is designated as the state agent.

DON'T GIVE UP HOPE PIMPLES GO FOREVER

Even if you have about decided that you are destined to have those pimples, blotches, bumps, eczema, rash, scrofula, tetter, "breaking out," etc., the rest of your life you will be surprised that you are mistaken if you will simply begin using the wonderful Black and White Ointment, and Soap. Black and White Ointment, and Soap, are now selling at the tremendous rate of more than two million packages a year. Any dealer can supply you. Be sure you get Black and White Ointment, and Black and White Soap, because they are the ones people are depending on to get rid of their skin troubles and worries. The 50c size of the Ointment contains three times as much as the liberal 25c size. All dealers have both the Ointment and the Soap.—Advertisement.

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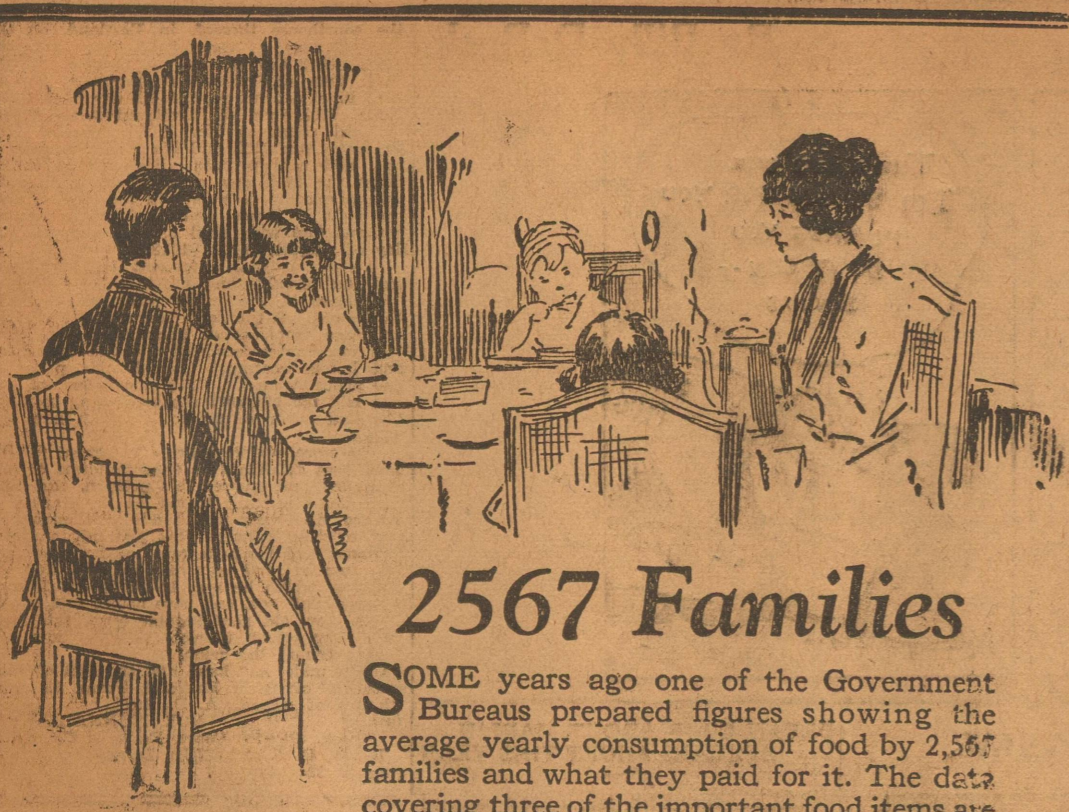
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2567 Families

SOME years ago one of the Government Bureaus prepared figures showing the average yearly consumption of food by 2,567 families and what they paid for it. The data covering three of the important food items are given in the first three columns below; and to this we have added, in the right-hand column, the number of calories or energy units contained in one dollar's worth of each of these three foods at the cost indicated.

Food	Pounds per year	Cost	Calories for \$1.00
Sugar	268.5	\$15.76	30,921
Butter	117.1	28.76	14,214
Fresh Beef	349.	50.05	6,903

Prices have changed, but these figures emphasize the high food values of sugar in relation to its cost, and the economy in giving it an important place on your table. The best to buy is

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Above—Mrs. Morgan Belmont Below—Bob McAllister Gov. A. V. Donahy and Harry L. Davis

Harry L. Davis, former Mayor of Cleveland and former Republican Governor of Ohio, has been renominated by Ohio Republicans to try again for the Governor's office. He will be opposed by A. V. Donahy, Democrat and present Governor, who also was re-nominated. Mrs. Morgan A. Belmont, noted New York society leader, is reported about to abandon society and sell goods in a Fifth Avenue shop. Bob McAllister, famous sprinter and now a member of the New York police force, stepped into first pages when he brought down an alleged bandit by shooting him. The man tried to outrun the former champion.

year. In 1922 and 1923, it averaged about 13.3 per thousand, or about 5,500 less deaths per year than in license years.

"I also have here the annual report of the department of health of New York city, which shows a falling off in the amount of deaths of over 19,000 in 1921, and an average of 16,000 in 1922 and 1923—the bootleggers had become more efficient.

"According to government reports there is a falling off of an average of 222 per 100,000 in the United States, or for 11,000,000 people equals 244,000 less deaths per year than if the lowest death rate during license had continued. The greater part of this drop was experienced in previously wet states.

"The second point of evidence is closely allied to the first. Life insurance companies are much more prosperous, not only because the death rates have fallen off, but because people have had more savings to invest and have put considerable of it in life insurance. Most of the life insurance companies are mutual, and most of us have some sort of life insurance; therefore, we are all benefited in better dividends or lower premium rates.

Marvelous Profits. "Third—Savings. Savings deposits throughout the United States in 1913 were \$6,972,000,000. There was an increase from then to 1920, when \$7,493,000,000 was deposited. But in 1923 there was deposited in the savings department of banks and trust companies in the United States \$15,268,000,000.

"The retail drink bill in the United States before prohibition was about \$2,400,000,000 per year. As everything else has doubled in cost, had the sale of liquor continued unrestricted it would have reached an annual cost of over \$5,000,000,000. There is less than 10 per cent of the liquor consumed now than there was before prohibition though at higher price, so that there is a saving of over \$2,000,000,000 per year, or on the doubled rate of \$4,000,000,000. What has been done with these savings? They have gone into better houses, so that the house building program has been enormous. People also have bought more furniture, better clothes, pianos, talking machines, radios, automobiles, etc. They have had more money to spend and they have put it into theatre tickets and baseball games, etc. All lines of merchandise and amusements have prospered.

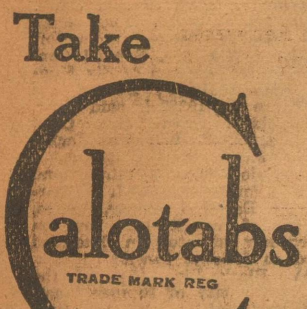
"Our industries were so expanded during the war that at the same rate of consumption they could not be kept going by domestic consumers alone, so that it seemed as though it would be absolutely necessary for us to have an export trade to take 15 or 20 per cent of our products in order to keep our factories going. The chaotic conditions in Europe and the rest of the world, however, have prevented this, and we have been astonished to find the domestic market has improved to such an extent that with the exception of the wheat farmers we are getting along very well without a large export trade.

"Schools and colleges are all crowded to capacity. More children are going to school; more young men and women are getting high school and college educations. "More hotels are being built than ever before. "There has been an increase in the use of automobiles. It is true there are more automobile accidents now than before prohibition, but less in proportion to the increased number of automobiles. "The steam laundry business has increased out of proportion to the increase in population. Many former washerwomen are now supported by their husbands and do not have to work at their wash tubs. "A great many people desire the return of wine and beer. As to the one-half of 1 per cent being the definition of alcoholic content. This percentage was suggested by the liquor people themselves, and it has ever since been so recognized by the United States and the several states. We know that less than one-half of 1 per cent is intoxicating. We do not know just the alcoholic content that becomes intoxicating to some people. A few will be affected by a very low alcoholic content, say 2 per cent, while others would not get drunk on 5 per cent, but we engineers know of the value of a factor of safety which we use in our business; in no case do we allow a safe load of more than one-fourth the breaking strength and for some materials we provide a breaking strength of as high as eight or 10 times the safe load. Why

ARMY WORM THREATENS COTTON ABOUT BASTROP

BASTROP.—A sudden influx of the army worm into this territory has threatened 4,000 acres of cotton. Demand for poison and machines for spreading it has exhausted the supply of all local merchants.

Every known means is being used to combat the dread pest, and farmers are sparing no expense in their efforts to check the spread of the worms.



Take Calotabs for the liver Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 35c packets bearing above trade mark.

VALUE OF PROHIBITION

Engineers Hear Address on What Dry Laws Have Done for People and Country, Proving Blessing That is Steadily Gaining in Extent and Effectiveness.

PHILADELPHIA.—"The public has been so fed up on the violations of the prohibitions laws, and the great amount of propaganda by brewers of the country, that we are apt to forget the great and startling benefits of the eighteenth amendment and its enforcement laws," said Mr. Walter F. Ballinger, nationally known architect of Philadelphia, in an address before the Engineers' club of Philadelphia.

"I have facts of a great many kinds to bring before you, any one of which would be sufficient to justify the suppression of the traffic in alcoholic liquors. The first is the large decrease in the death rate in New York, Philadelphia, and in the whole country, but particularly in the states where liquor was previously legally sold.

"My attention was called to this in November, 1920, in a rather surprising way by a client of mine who is a coffin manufacturer. We had designed and supervised the erection of a large building for his company in Philadelphia several years before, which he had told me in 1918 they had outgrown and would need a

Staying Hand of Death.

"The vital statistics of Philadelphia showed an average death rate in the years of license of over 16 deaths per thousand of population. This continued pretty steadily for a few years, but rose in 1913, due to the influenza epidemic. In 1919, half of which was legally dry, it dropped to 14.2, in 1920 about the same; 1921 to 12.7. This is a difference of 3.3 per thousand, and in a city of two million people, this amounts to 6,600 less deaths for the

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should we not have a factor of safety on drinks?

"There was a whisky rebellion in Pennsylvania during the time of President Washington, which was suppressed by him by sending United States troops. There is an insidious beer and whisky rebellion going on now and many so-called good citizens, as well as many newspapers, are giving aid and comfort to the enemy.

"To patronize the illicit liquor traffic, you must encourage smuggling, forgery, all forms of counterfeiting of revenue stamps, of labels of famous brands, bribery of officials, theft from warehouses (and by the way, many of these thefts are connived at by the owners), the distilling of denatured alcohol, moonshine, disloyalty to our government, and even murder, and encouraging the lowest class of society, who pay no income taxes on their unlawful gains."

COVERED-WAGON DAYS.

During the summers of '66-'67, there were Mormon immigrants passing through to Salt Lake City with wagon-trains three and four miles in length. Many of their men and women wearing wooden shoes had walked the entire distance from the Missouri river, some of them pushing hand-carts which contained all their worldly goods. There are some who will say they must have had wonderful faith in their religion to undergo and endure such months of grief and hardships. But I take a different view of the matter. They had got into a jack-pot and had to play it through—win or lose.

Being at the same time a member of the garrison at Old Fort Casper, I remember how we were kept on the jump up and down the line rescuing corralled immigrant trains from Red Cloud's horde of Sioux, Cheyenne and Arapahoe braves, and burying the dead they had left along the trail of slaughter when they caught any one of those parties at a disadvantage—which was quite often.—From Adventure Magazine for August.

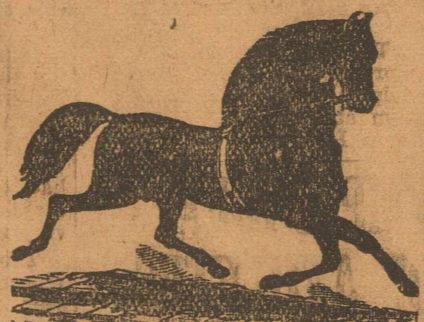
Dr. Harry A. Logsdon and Dr. J. A. Shackelford Have returned and resumed their practice. Office Hodges-Neal Bldg.

NOTICE!

All accounts due Dixon & Ames that are not paid by the 1st of September will be given attorneys for collection. These accounts can now be paid at Rust & Dixon or to either Mr. Dixon or Mr. Ames.

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SCIENTISTS WANT CHANCE TO CATCH SIGNALS FROM MARS

WASHINGTON.—Application has been made to the department of commerce here that radio signals be silenced during the period that Mars is nearest the earth in the hope that some signal from the distant planet might be caught.

The petition was made by Professor David Todd, former head of the astronomy department of Amherst, who also asked foreign embassies here to make a similar request to their home governments.

Officials did not indicate whether the request would be complied with but some favored giving the experiment a chance, even though the likelihood of success seems negligible.

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POLICE ON LOOKOUT FOR SUSPICIOUS LOOKING RUSSIANS WHO MAY BE CARRYING CONCEALED BOMBS.

I SHOULD WORRY ABOUT THOSE RUSSIANS CARRYING BOMBS AROUND - I'LL HAVE A FEW OF EM MISELF TO TESS AROUND IF THEY GET GAY -

AAAA - A LITTLE MORE T.N.T. AND THIS ONE IS FINISHED - I'M SOME CHEF!

NOW SPARKY, WHEN YOU GO TO THE POST TOMORROW DON'T GET SCARED - IF YOU HEAR AN EXPLOSION DON'T PAY ANY ATTENTION TO IT - ALL YOU GOTTA THINK ABOUT IS TO BEAT "TROTSKI" NOW, I'LL DEMONSTRATE ONE OF THESE BOMBS I JUST COOKED UP - SEE THAT SHAKK OVER THERE NOW, WATCH.

UP SHE GOES!! THAT'S WHAT YOUR PAPA'S GONNA DO TO THOSE RUSSIANS IF THEY START ANY MONKEY BUSINESS - ONE BOMB DOES THE TRICK!

THIS OTHER ONE I'M SAVING FOR YOU IN CASE YOU DON'T WIN - SAVVY?

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Baseball Results

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Split Season Standing of the Teams

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Fort Worth	40	11	.784
Beaumont	29	22	.569
Dallas	27	23	.540
Houston	22	26	.458
Shreveport	22	27	.447
Wichita Falls	22	29	.431
San Antonio	22	29	.431
Galveston	18	35	.340

Yesterday's Results.

Fort Worth 8, Beaumont 1.
Galveston 6, Dallas 2.
Houston 11, Wichita Falls 3.
San Antonio at Shreveport, rain.

Today's Schedule.

Beaumont at Fort Worth.
Galveston at Dallas.
Houston at Wichita Falls.
San Antonio at Shreveport.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	67	49	.578
Washington	67	52	.563
Detroit	64	53	.547
St. Louis	61	56	.521
Cleveland	54	64	.458
Boston	53	64	.453
Chicago	51	64	.443
Philadelphia	52	67	.437

Yesterday's Results.

St. Louis 11-4, Philadelphia 2-5.
Boston 2, Cleveland 1.
Washington 2, Chicago 1.
Detroit at New York, off day.

Today's Schedule.

St. Louis at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at Boston.
Only two games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	72	43	.626
Pittsburgh	67	48	.583
Brooklyn	66	51	.564
Chicago	62	51	.549
Cincinnati	61	58	.513
St. Louis	49	66	.426
Boston	43	72	.374
Philadelphia	42	71	.372

Yesterday's Results.

Cincinnati 11, Philadelphia 0.
Brooklyn 2, Chicago 0.
Boston 7-0, Pittsburgh 6-5.
New York 8-12, St. Louis 4-1.

Today's Schedule.

New York at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.
Brooklyn at Chicago.
Boston at Pittsburgh.

PONZI, FREED, FACES NEW TRIAL

Mrs. Ponzi, Charles Ponzi Jr. & Mrs. C. Malasuiti.

Charles Ponzi, of Boston, whose famous "get rich quick" schemes netted him \$5,000,000, has been released from the Plymouth County Jail, where he served three years as a Federal prisoner. He was immediately rearrested on State charges. Broke, he could not raise the \$14,000 bail required, but it was furnished by Mrs. Charles Malasuiti, a friend of Mrs. Ponzi. Ponzi will be given a hearing in September.

PECAN CROP ABOUT MARLIN APPEARS SHORT THIS YEAR

MARLIN.—The pecan crop around Marlin promises to be short this year according to those in close touch with the situation. Belief is expressed by many growers that hardly enough pecans for home consumption will be produced this year, although the Marlin district normally has a surplus for export.

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1—LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Engineer's field book on Eastland-Desdemona road. Reward, \$5. Treeves, Engleman hotel, Eastland.

2—MALE HELP

WANTED—Four \$100 per week men to sell best Ford oil gauge made; automobile furnished. Standard Products Co., 2142 W. Main, Granville, Ohio.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES

LET US do your fall hatching; eggs set each Tuesday. Dudley Bros., 105 So. Marston st., Ranger.

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8—ROOM FOR RENT.

BOARD AND ROOM—Good meals, clean rooms. Loflin Hotel, 319 Elm street.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT

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THREE-ROOM HOUSE FOR RENT—Apply at John Dunkle, So. Austin st., Ranger.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Apply 623 N. Marston, Ranger.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished apartment; kitchenette, water, gas, and lights; on pavement. Apply at Mother's Eat Shop, in rear 419 Pine st., Ranger.

13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Glass show case in good condition. Apply at Vogue Hat Shop, Ranger.

15—HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good six-room house with servant house and garage; Hodges Oak Park. Phone 371, Ranger.

FOR SALE—Three-room house and two lots; easy terms. A. J. Ratliff, phone 450, Ranger.

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18—WANTED—Miscellaneous

FURNITURE WANTED—Highest cash price. New and Second Hand Store. 121 No. Austin. Phone 276

WANTED—Second-hand furniture Wright Furniture Co., 207 S. Rusk st. Phone 154, Ranger.

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20—OIL, GAS AND MINERALS

OPEN FOR OIL LEASE with drilling contract 500 acres, in Ranger shallow pool. L. A. Galloway, Weatherford, Texas.

22—POULTRY AND PET STOCK

FOR SALE—Jersey milk cow and pointer dog. S. S. Smith, two miles west of Ranger on Taylor's lease.

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New way to brighten teeth

Beauty specialists recommend new polishing brush

HERE is added prettiness you can have—now! A quick method of whitening yellowish teeth. Which makes them gleam like pearls—adds charm to smiles.

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The new way is this new polishing brush. Discovered by an eminent dentist it is today recommended by world's highest priced beauty experts. Now be proud of your teeth when you go out! Have a smile that men admire.

A new principle

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Eastland County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon J. C. Hammik, M. Thompson and The Bay City Oil and Refining Co., a corporation, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the 91st district court of Eastland County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, in Eastland, on the 1st Monday in September, A. D. 1924, the same being the 1st day of September, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 30th day of July, A. D. 1924, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court as No. 5964, wherein Eilena Current joined by her husband, R. A. Current, J. G. Walton, Jake Walton, Henry Walton, W. E. Walton, James Allison, are plaintiffs, and J. T. Hammill, M. Thompson and The Bay City Oil and Refining Co., a corporation, are defendants, and said petition alleges:

That on or about the 12th day of April, 1918, plaintiffs were and now are lawfully seized and possessed of the tract of land hereinafter described, situated in the said County of Eastland, holding the same in fee simple; that on the day and year aforesaid defendants entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom and unlawfully withheld from plaintiffs the possession thereof, to their damage Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars, the premises so entered upon and unlawfully withheld by defendants from plaintiffs are bounded and described as follows:

100 acres out of the southwest corner of the E. Kruger 480-acre survey, being about 7 miles southeast of the town of Ranger, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at the southeast corner of the Ringer pre-emption survey, thence north to a B. J. mcd X in the E. E. line of the Ringer pre-emption, the same being about 150 yards south of the northeast corner of said Ringer pre-emption; thence east, thence south, thence west with the south line of the Kruger survey to the beginning, containing 100 acres, and being a square out of the southwest corner of the Kruger survey.

Wherefore plaintiffs pray that defendants be cited to appear and answer this petition and that they have judgment for the restitution of the above described premises, and for their damages and costs of suit.

Herein fail not, and have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, to wit with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Eastland, Texas, this 30th day of July, A. D. 1924.

ROY NUNNALLY,
Clerk District Court, Eastland County.
By M. E. LAURENCE, Deputy.
Aug. 1-8-15-22

SHERIFF'S SALE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Eastland.

By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the honorable 91st District Court of Eastland County, on the 6th day of August, 1924, by Roy Nunnally, clerk of said court, against Mrs. Orla Moore, a feme sole, H. R. Williams, Jackie Lenore Moore, a minor, James Harvey Moore, a minor, Samuel Carlyle Moore, a minor, for the sum of Six Hundred Ten and 15/100 (\$615) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 10787 in said court, styled D. M. Williams versus Mrs. Orla Moore, a feme sole, H. R. Williams, Jackie Lenore, a minor, James Harvey Moore, a minor, Samuel Carlyle Moore, a minor, I, J. D. Barton, as sheriff of Eastland County, Texas, did on the 7th day of August, 1924, levy on certain real property situated in Eastland county, described as follows, to-wit:

Lot Nine (9), Block Five (5), of the Young Addition to the city of Ranger, Eastland County, Texas, together with the five-room house situated thereon, and levied upon as the property of said Mrs. Orla Moore, a feme sole, H. R. Williams, Jackie Lenore Moore, a minor, James Harvey Moore, a minor, Samuel Carlyle Moore, a minor, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of September, 1924, at the courthouse door of Eastland county, in the city of Eastland, Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m., I will sell said real property at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder as the property of said Mrs. Orla Moore, a feme sole, H. R. Williams, Jackie Lenore Moore, a minor, James Harvey Moore, a minor, Samuel Carlyle Moore, a minor, by virtue of said levy and order of sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Ranger Times, a newspaper published in Eastland county.

Witness my hand, this 7th day of August, A. D. 1924.

J. D. BARTON,
Sheriff Eastland County, Texas.
By EDW. C. BETTIS, Deputy.
Aug. 8-15-22-29.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Eastland.

You are hereby commanded to summon E. A. Williams by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the 91st district court of Eastland county, to be held at the courthouse thereof, in Eastland, Texas, on the 1st Monday in October, A. D. 1924, the same being the 8th day of October, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 13th day of June, A. D. 1924, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court as No. 10987, wherein Ruth Williams is plaintiff, and E. A. Williams is defendant, and said petition alleges that the plaintiff and defendant were legally married on or about 3rd day of October, 1923, in Taylor county, Texas, and lived with him as wife until on or about the 3rd day of April, 1924, when by reason of the facts, that on said 3rd day of April, 1924, the plaintiff learned the fact that defendant was at the time of their marriage was diseased, with an incurable impotency of the body, which then she abandoned the defendant and now ask that the said contract be held to be void by reason of said impotency of the body of the said defendant. Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein and that she have judgment dissolving and annulling said contract, and costs of suit, and for such other and further relief general and special in law and in equity that she may be entitled to, etc.

Herein fail not, and have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Eastland, Texas, this 8th day of August, A. D. 1924.

ROY NUNNALLY,
Clerk District Court, Eastland County.
By M. E. LAURENCE, Deputy.
Aug. 15-22-29-Sept. 5.

18—WANTED—Miscellaneous

FURNITURE WANTED—Highest cash price. New and Second Hand Store. 121 No. Austin. Phone 276

WANTED—Second-hand furniture Wright Furniture Co., 207 S. Rusk st. Phone 154, Ranger.

SECOND-HAND furniture bought and sold at the right prices. Main Street Second-Hand Store, Marston Bldg., Ranger.

20—OIL, GAS AND MINERALS

OPEN FOR OIL LEASE with drilling contract 500 acres, in Ranger shallow pool. L. A. Galloway, Weatherford, Texas.

22—POULTRY AND PET STOCK

FOR SALE—Jersey milk cow and pointer dog. S. S. Smith, two miles west of Ranger on Taylor's lease.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Eastland.

You are hereby commanded to summon J. Taylor by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the 91st district court of Eastland county, to be held at the courthouse thereof, in Eastland, Texas, on the 1st Monday in October, A. D. 1924, the same being the 8th day of October, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 13th day of June, A. D. 1924, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court as No. 10987, wherein Ruth Williams is plaintiff, and E. A. Williams is defendant, and said petition alleges that the plaintiff and defendant were legally married on or about 3rd day of October, 1923, in Taylor county, Texas, and lived with him as wife until on or about the 3rd day of April, 1924, when by reason of the facts, that on said 3rd day of April, 1924, the plaintiff learned the fact that defendant was at the time of their marriage was diseased, with an incurable impotency of the body, which then she abandoned the defendant and now ask that the said contract be held to be void by reason of said impotency of the body of the said defendant. Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein and that she have judgment dissolving and annulling said contract, and costs of suit, and for such other and further relief general and special in law and in equity that she may be entitled to, etc.

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Clerk District Court, Eastland County.
By M. E. LAURENCE, Deputy.
Aug. 15-22-29-Sept. 5.

LINGERIE ERA ADOPTS SILK IN PLACE OF LINEN

Fashion Writer Tells of the Changes That Are of Interest to Women.

By HEDDA HOYT, Fashion Editor of the United Press. (Written for the United Press.) NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The feminine fashion world may be divided into two eras as far as underwear is concerned—the white lingerie era and the colored silk era.

Not so long ago, women of refinement would include no undergarments in their wardrobe unless they were made of the finest of white linen and embroidered in handwork. They considered silk underwear too "Parisian" and colored underthings lacked the refinement required by the gentleman.

Today white undergarments are decidedly passe. The poorest of shop-girls adopt imitations of the flimsy colored silks and wear colored voiles. We sleep in silk nightgowns which would have shocked our grandmothers. These are minus sleeves, and with decollete necklines. We defy winter's snow by wearing gauze stockings and low satin pumps and seem to grow harder by doing so.

Whenever something new is brought out in the way of underwear we take it with a grain of salt and wait until the faddists have adopted it before purchasing it for ourselves. But the flimsier and more colorful it

is, the surer it is to remain in style.

Black Undergarments. Just now the black underthings are being introduced and women have their fingers crossed, waiting to see how these will go with the fashionable world. There are black satin girdles lined with pink georgette, black undervests, step-ins and brassieres. At first, we think, "How terrible to wear black next to the body." But a few years ago we thought it would be terrible to wear colors of any description.

Even white handkerchiefs have passed out of fashion, and today we carry little colored silk or linen squares which match our costumes. Of course, handkerchiefs are small items in the wardrobe, but they show the way styles are changing. No well-dressed woman carries a white, lace trimmed handkerchief these days. On the other hand, her kerchief may be of brilliant red crepe de chine or purple chiffon.

Those who have felt the luxury of silk underthings will never be content to return to cheerless linens. The average woman would rather own one silk petticoat than three cotton ones. And in the long run, the silk garment is, perhaps, the most durable. It is easily laundered, lends itself better to the present slender silhouette, and wears well. It can be recolored at every wash if one wishes. The satisfaction of knowing that one is silk from the "skin" out is well worth the additional cost.

Just now lace is being used more extravagantly than ever on undergarments. Step-ins have yokes of lovely lace and are edged about the legs with corresponding lace. Medallion insets are again coming into style and contrasting colored ribbons adorn everything. Costume slips also follow the vogue for lace being scalloped and lace-edged about the hems and with lace yokes. Fine pleating is also being used, despite the fact that the first laundering plays havoc with the pleats.

Silks Have Wide Range.

Lingerie silks have a wide range from China silk, crepe de chene, triple silk voile, satin, etc., to the sheerest of georgettes and chiffons. Recently introduced are step-ins which use two tones of georgette or chiffon, one layer posed over the other. This does away with the transparency of the material and, at the same time, produces softer colorings. Ribbons, which trim these models, are also two toned.

Black trims everything these days, even to the shoulder-straps on the colored underthings. One no longer has pink or lavender satin straps showing beneath one's sheer frock, unless the frock itself is of those pastel shades. With all dark gowns, the narrow black satin shoulder-strap is being used. For evening occasions silver or gold straps are preferred.

At the notion counters one can buy little tape shoulder-strap confiners, which can be worn in one's frocks. These come in black and white and have snappers so that when they are attached to the shoulder seam of the frock, they hold the straps of the undergarments secure from view. Nothing is more untidy than half-soiled shoulder-straps showing at the bateau neck-line. Dark frocks always have a tendency to fade on one's shoulder-straps and one must be extremely careful to keep these straps from view.

Pajama lounging robes are both new and interesting. Many of these

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS TO HAVE NEW BUILDINGS

One to House Chemistry Department, Another for Library.

AUSTIN, Texas.—Architects of the University of Texas were recently authorized by the board of regents to draw up plans for a new chemistry building. This great laboratory building will be built by piecemeal, it is stated, and the ultimate cost has not yet been specified. It will probably be the largest building on the campus.

The architects have also been authorized to begin plans for the enlargement and reconstruction of the library building, which will be the chief element in determining the quadrangle in the plans for the permanent campus, and to present plans for a building for offices and classrooms, the next building to be constructed.

Buildings of the main university, not counting temporary frame structures, now number nine—seven for instruction purposes, and two dormitories. The largest and most conspicuous, the main building, begun in 1882, completed in 1899, contains class rooms and laboratories of the college of arts and sciences and a number of offices and consulting rooms. It contains, also, on the first floor a branch of the Austin postoffice, known as University Station.

The chemistry building, 1891, the engineering building, 1904, the law building, 1908, the Power building, 1910, the shop building, 1919, show their uses by their names. The old heating plant, shortly of its stack, now houses the laboratories of the bureau of economic geology and technology. Handsomer than any of these are the library building 1911, and the education building, 1918, the latter of which houses the school of education and most of the university administrative offices. The biology building is now in course of construction. To satisfy pressing needs, a large number of inexpensive frame buildings have been erected.

University hall, erected in 1890, through a gift of the late George W. Brackenridge, of San Antonio, and enlarged in 1900 by the regents, provides sleeping accommodations for 120 men. The basement of the dormitory houses the bureau of economic geology.

The woman's building, erected in 1903, is a dormitory for women. It contains 61 single rooms and 12 double rooms.

can be quite easily made by the home dressmaker as they are very simple and rely upon contrasting combination for their charm. Black satin rousers combined with jaquettes of colorful figured silk are very easily made of the more ornate models.

What Do You Think About Such Tactics

Charges against an opponent should not be withheld to the eye of the election. Every statement I have made in my campaign is true. I have been courteous and clean in the matter. My opponent is putting out statements too late for me to answer. I refuse to campaign in such manner. My record has been before the people many months. My opponent has no certificate signed by Roy Nunnally, district clerk, purporting to convey that I have filed no suits since June 24. Note the following affidavit:

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared O. F. Chastain, an attorney of Eastland, who, on his oath deposes and says: Tom J. Cunningham is associated with me in the practice of law, and is equally interested with me in all district court matters, and we have filed 50 suits since the 23rd day of June. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 21st day of August, 1924.

L. V. DODSON, Notary Public, Eastland County, Texas.

We should all play fair, and I believe the people of Eastland county demand fairness. I believe you will resent such politics. I can't answer all the things said now, and absolutely make no charges against my opponent without giving him time to reply.

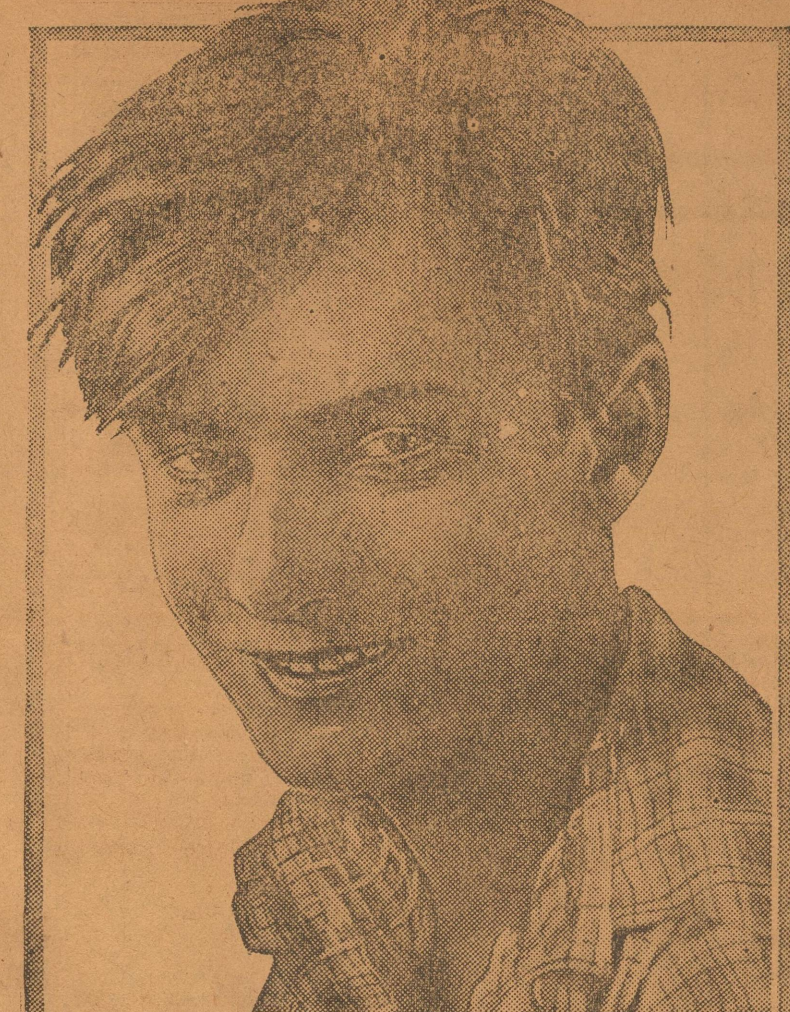
Gratefully yours, TOM J. CUNNINGHAM, Candidate for Judge, County Court-at-Law. (Political Advertisement)

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REORGANIZATION OF DIPLOMATIC SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES IS CONSIDERED VERY NECESSARY

By A. L. BRADFORD, United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—The American diplomat has obtained his Magna Charta.

Out of the sensational events in the national capital incident to the last session of congress came a piece of legislation—the Rogers, bill re-

FALSE!

A circular is now being circulated by my opponent, Tom J. Cunningham, in which he brands as "False" a statement made by me in my letter to the voters to the effect that I had secured a certificate from the district clerk certifying that Mr. Cunningham had not filed a single suit in the district court within the period of time which he advertised in the "Ranger Times" of July 24, that he had filed 15 or 20, between June 24, and July 24, 1924. In the above mentioned circular he says, "Mr. Nunnally has signed no such certificate."

Please read the following certificate referred to in my letter and determine for yourself by whom misrepresentations have been made.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Eastland:

"I, Roy Nunnally, Clerk of the District Courts, in and for Eastland County, Texas, do hereby certify I fail to find where Tom J. Cunningham has filed a suit or appears as an attorney of record representing the plaintiff on any case filed in this court since June 1, 1924, as it now appears from the files of this office.

"Given under my hand and seal of office at Eastland, Texas, this 12th day of August A. D. 1924.

ROY NUNNALLY, Clerk District Court, (Seal) Eastland County, Texas

By M. E. LAWRENCE, Deputy.

C. L. (CLYDE) GARRETT, Candidate for Judge County Court at Law. (Political Advertisement)

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Fancy seeded Sun Maid raisin, 12-oz. can.....10c
White naphtha soap, 5 bars for.....20c
Crystal White table salt, 2 lbs for.....5c
Wamba coffee, 1 lb.....45c; 3 lbs.....\$1.30
Saltine crackers, 2 for.....23c
Calumet baking powder, 1 lb.....28c
Carnation milk, small, 9 for.....50c; tall, 5 for.....55c
Good flour, 48 lbs.....\$1.65
No. 2 sliced pineapple, each.....25c
Jello, any flavor, 2 for.....22c

MEAT DEPARTMENT
Baby beef stew meat, 5 lbs. for.....25c
T-Bone and round steak, per lb.....25c
Decker's sugar cured bacon, per lb.....25c
We have plenty of fresh Tomatoes, Peppers, Lettuce, Cabbage, Bananas, Lemons, Apples and Fryers.

garded the diplomatic service with a good deal of suspicion. At the mention of the word diplomat, there has been conjured up the picture of a gentleman of Machiavellian countenance, constantly adorned with white spats, who spends his time between inciting foreign wars and sipping tea.

But such a description is exactly what the foreign service of the United States is not and is not supposed to be. If the duties of the members of the American foreign service can be described so generally and briefly they are to protect the lives and interests of American citizens all over the world and to work in the interests of world peace.

What foundation there is for the suspicions of many people regarding the diplomatic service—and the foreign service admits there is some foundation—is almost entirely due to the people of the country themselves, officials here respectfully submit.

As an indication of the state of mind that long existed in the United States regarding this country's foreign service, and still does exist to some extent, there is the fact that the American congress for some time held up the elevation of the American minister at London to the ranks of ambassador, after Great Britain had so agreed to recognize this nation as one of the first rate powers of the world, on the ground that an ambassador would be an undemocratic institution!

The argument was made that an ambassador would be undemocratic because under the traditions of diplomacy an ambassador always is recognized as the personal representative of the sovereign of his country, while the minister is held to represent his government.

What Hugh Gibson Saw.

There is general agreement here with the statement of Hugh Gibson, the American minister of Switzerland, who, in appearing before the house foreign affairs committee, declared that the "diplomatic service is more spat upon than spatated."

The principal faults in the diplomatic service as it has existed heretofore are generally regarded as the practical necessity for so many rich of the meagerness of the salaries off-

young men in the service because of the political "pull" that was exercised to secure advancement, etc., and the fact that no material opportunity was offered for betterment within the service, since the "big jobs" as ambassadors and ministers, in years gone by, always have been filled by political appointees.

The majority of the members of the foreign service are the first to desire remedies for these conditions that have brought on the charge that the diplomatic service is a haven of rest for "spatted", snobbish sons of wealthy families. As Gibson, one of the men who has fought his way to the top from the ranks of diplomatic service, said in his testimony before the house of foreign affairs committee:

Undesirable Got In. "It is not surprising under the circumstances that some undesirables have managed to get in (the diplomatic service); it is really surprising that so few of them have got in and that we have got so much excellent material."

There are three things deemed necessary to correct the evils that have existed heretofore in the foreign service—the diplomatic service specifically is meant in these criticisms of the foreign service, as salaries have been better and conditions more efficient in the consular service under the old separation, despite the fact that the diplomatic service is regarded as a more important branch than the consular service, with which it now goes to make up the reorganized foreign service. These three things are:

- 1—Payment of a living wage.
- 2—Assurance of tenure of office so long as there is good behavior and efficient service.
- 3—Opportunities for real advancement.

These three remedies the Rogers bill affords to a great extent. At least the Rogers law is a magnificent start. The workings of the new law will be described in the next article.

ROCK SPRING, Wyo.—Scattering flakes of snow fell here shortly after noon Wednesday. Simultaneously the price of coal became the main topic of conversation.

WEAK AND NERVOUS

Georgia Lady Says She Has Grown Stronger by Taking Cardui—Thoroughly Convinced of Its Merits.

Clyattville, Ga.—In a statement which she gave at her home on R. F. D. 1, here, Mrs. T. A. Copeland said: "I have, I believe, avoided a good deal of suffering by the use of Cardui, and am thoroughly convinced that it has been of great benefit to me.

"Before the birth of two of my children, I grew so weak and nervous I could hardly go, and suffered. . . I had a friend who told me of Cardui, so the next time when I grew so weak and run-down I began to use it. I used it three months. I grew stronger and less nervous. The baby was stronger and a better baby, and I really believe it was because I built up my strength with this splendid tonic."

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CHRISTIAN CHURCH MISSION BAND MEETS ON MONDAY.

The Mission band of workers of the Christian church met on Monday with Mrs. Walton, the superintendent leading the lesson on "How Kindness and Unkindness Are Shown." The scripture lesson was read by Marie Crutsinger, Edgar Walton, Lucile Grant and Jabe Pratt. The lesson story was read by Mattie Ben Shipp. After the lesson the meeting was called to order by the president, Mattie Ben Shipp, and Marie Crutsinger was elected vice president. Two new members were added, and it was decided that the children would get a stamp book and fill it for the church the children are building in Japan. Those present were Misses Walton, Clay and Carlisle; Mattie Ben Shipp, Marie Crutsinger, Hazel and Genevieve Eaves, Lucile Grant, Ruby Pearl Clay, Edgar Walton, Douglas Reeves, Jabe Pratt, and George Clay. The mission band will meet again next Monday at the church at 4:30 o'clock.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS TO HAVE PROGRAM TONIGHT.

In addition to an initiation of candidates and drill work by the junior members the Royal Neighbors will have a program of songs and recitations at their meeting tonight which all members are asked to attend.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. W. T. Semans and daughter, Madalyn, of Cross Plains, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Earnest at Prairie camp.

VEGETABLE MENUS FOR DINNER.

- Menu 1—(Hot)
Baked Stuffed Squash
Lima Beans Creamed Spinach
Ear of Corn Sliced Chilled Tomato
 - Menu 2—(Hot)
Baked Tomato-and-Corn Pudding
Mashed Summer Squash
Brussels Sprouts
 - Menu 3—(Hot)
Baked Eggplant Stuffed with Rice and Cheese
Buttered Shredded Cabbage
Braised Onions
 - Menu 4—(Hot)
Parsnip Cutlets
Green Peas Fried Green Pepper
Stewed Tomatoes
 - Menu 5—(Cold)
Tomato Baskets Stuffed with Asparagus Tips
Mayonnaise
Potato Salad
String-Beans with French Dressing
- From the Delineator Magazine for September.

LIQUOR PERMITS AND POLITICS

Jack O'Donnell, writing in Collier's Weekly, asserts that government officials are issuing withdrawal permits whereby millions of gallons of alcohol are finding their way to bootleggers all over the country and are being concocted yearly into considerable more than 150,000,000 gallons of bad whisky and synthetic gin. Mr. O'Donnell declares that "if prohibition has failed, the blame belongs to the officials at Washington."

That a "leak" does exist in the internal revenue department appears to be incontrovertible, but this "leak" is being utilized for political purposes, as has been charged, is a matter that affects the administration and calls for a denial from authoritative sources. The average law-abiding citizen, of whom there are millions in the country, would cast his ballot in November with a far greater sense of satisfaction if he felt assured that such a state of affairs as is represented in this leak in the permit division had not had the remotest thing to do with the campaigning for the presidential election.

HEN CAUSES THREE NEGROES IN HOUSTON TO DISAGREE

HOUSTON.—One lone hen put a negro man in jail here, and may send him to the "pen." Fred Bradford was arrested when officers found him in the custody of two other negroes, who said they owned the hen. The hen herself, unconscious of the turmoil she had aroused, was tied to Fred's wagon. The complainants told officers they had missed a number of hens during the past few days, and that this particular hen was not only the prize of the flock, but almost the last one.

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ACTRESS SUES MAGNATE FOR \$250,000.



Miss Margaret Linden



Robert M. Catts

Miss Margaret Linden, beautiful Australian actress, has filed suit in New York City for \$250,000, alleging that when she visited Robert M. Catts, millionaire theatrical magnate in his luxurious apartment on the roof of a New York City apartment house, to discuss a new play with him, he beat her cruelly because she disagreed with him. Catts denies that he even knows Miss Linden. The roof garden conservatory of Catts' is a show place.

FALL FASHIONS CREEPING OUT OF INCUBATORS INTO FULL LIGHT OF CRITICAL ANALYSIS

By HEDDA HOYT,
Fashion Editor of the United Press.
(Written for the United Press.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—The fall fashion egg has burst its shell! Fashions that were hatched in the minds of the designers are now full-fledged and ready to take wing.

The "infant mode" combines the characteristics of the current mode with those of bygone days as will be seen in the following summary of fall styles.

Fall colors will be dull for afternoon and daytime wear, featuring black, browns, and navy blues. Tete de nigre will be a popular shade. More brilliant shades that have been sponsored are shutter green, Venetian fushia, burnt russet and lip-stick red.

Suits will have seven-eighths length coats in almost all instances, and frocks worn beneath them will be straight-lined and unbelted. There is a tendency towards the flare at the bottom of the frock such as the circular flounce which begins below the knees and extends around the skirt. Tailored suits are looked upon rather dubiously and will not be as popular as they have been. Suits show a tendency towards elaboration of trim.

The cown and long coat combination will be very popular, in which case the gown is straight-lined and of the same material as the coat.

Coats.
Evening coats will be more popular than capes. Gold metal-embroidery trims many of these. Sometimes the sleeves are embroidered, the rest of the wrap remaining plain.

Skirts will remain short and silhouette will remain tube-like. Fur trimming adorns the bottoms of many of the skirts both in wide

and narrow band effects.

Many of the suit coats, which extend within 10 inches of the hem of the frock have three rows of fur banding placed at intervals about the bottom of the coat. Sleeves of the coats are generally rather snug-fitting from shoulder to wrist, and are finished with four or five-inch cuffs of fur. Unstanding collars of fur will be popular.

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Where fur forms the hem-border on the slender frock, the accompanying coat extends just above the fur. Collar and cuffs of the coat match the fur used on the frock.

Buttons are used in numbers on many of the frocks, but do not appear on the accompany coats.

As to the sleeves of the frocks, they are either long and snug-fitting or there are no sleeves whatsoever. A few models use the tiny puffed sleeve, but these are not as becoming as either the sleeveless or long sleeved types.

Elaborate trimming is in evidence on the dresser types of suits. Embroidery appears above the fur border at the hem of the coat and is also carried out above the fur cuff on the sleeve. Many of these dressy suits are shown in the latest shades. Shutter green is often combined with gray squirrel. Burnt russet is trimmed with brown fur and lip-stick red is often trimmed with black seal.

New Evening Shade.
Fushia is a new evening shade, which is loveliest in velvet. One very simple model using this shade is designed for the youthful figure and shows a fitted bodice with the normal waistline and a circular skirt, which is finished at the hem with fushia-toned ostrich in wide border effect. White will not be as important a factor in the evening wardrobe as it has been. Rose and pinkish beige are now evening shades which promise to be popular.

The evening silhouette offers more contrast than does the silhouette for daytime. Both the straight, unbelted line and the fitted waist with bouffant skirt, is stressed. Many of the straight-lined models show the tunic skirt, the tunic being heavily embroidered with beads or sequins. The underskirt is invariably scant and short on these tunic models. The tube-shaped frock is generally trimmed with a fur border at the hem and otherwise left severely untrimmed.

Long-waisted basque models, with full, circular skirts, also use the fur treatment at the hem.

Evening models have a tendency toward the low V-shaped neckline at the back, although the rounding front neckline remains in vogue.

HOUSTON PRESENTS STORAGE BILL TO OFFSET CLAIM

By United Press.

HOUSTON.—T. E. Gamage had unearthed an old claim against the present monkey cage in the Hermann park here, and incidentally brought to public notice a "near tragedy." Many years ago, Gamage says, he took a mortgage on the cage, which in the days of its youth was the chief attraction in a show known as "The

Diving Venus." The claim was never satisfied, Gamage told the city fathers, and he wanted his wagon.

Whereupon, the city promptly presented him with a storage bill totaling \$150 and offered to turn over the wagon to him, at once if this claim was paid.

The result was more or less of a standoff, and Gamage is still trying to discover a way to get control of the wagon without paying the big storage bill.

As the result of negotiations be-

tween Mexico and Russia, full diplomatic relations have been resumed.



SEVENTY SUMMER DRESSES GO ON SALE SATURDAY MORNING AT CLOSE-OUT PRICES

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