

## CISCO BANK CASHIER SAYS HILL USED GUN RANGER'S FIRE LIMITS ARE EXTENDED

### UNSIGHTLY BUILDINGS ARE BARRED

#### City Commissioners Impose Restrictions Upon Newer Residential Sections.

The Ranger city commissioners, at the regular meeting held Tuesday night at the city hall, created new fire limits in order to check the erection of unsightly and obnoxious buildings within the residential section and along the public highway.

A petition from the chamber of commerce was presented by Wayne C. Hickey, secretary, requesting the city commissioners to take some action in curtailing the building of the flimsy and unsightly structures that are springing up in all parts of Ranger.

The petition stated that at a recent meeting of the directors of the chamber of commerce it was decided to start a movement relative to doing away with the ill-constructed buildings.

"An example of the unsightly buildings," the petition stated, "is seen in the junk yard on the Bankhead highway near the Prairie crossing, a sheet metal shack located on Hunt street and filling stations along the Bankhead highway to the east."

"In view of the fact that a campaign is now on for the building of homes in Ranger and that paving is being put in on several streets, we think that something should be done to protect the citizens who wish to build homes, from the encroachment of obnoxious businesses in the residential section."

"We therefore suggest that your honorable board investigate the matter and see if it is possible and practicable to pass an ordinance restricting certain residential sections to residences only, or form or create zones or districts in which residences only may be constructed or moved into."

L. R. Pearson, police and fire commissioner and legal adviser of the commission, said the courts were inclined to hold that a business was not a nuisance, in itself, as long as it was legitimate, unless the business was a health or fire hazard. He said further that it was hard to bar anyone from establishing a business unless much legal procedure was gone through.

All of the commissioners were of the opinion that inasmuch as Ranger was now entering upon its greatest building era, it would be advisable to extend the fire limits in order to stop the erection of buildings which do not meet the requirements of the fire ordinance.

"The primary business in Ranger used to be to get business houses established," Mayor John W. Thurman said. "Now residents are taking an interest in the erection of homes and it does not seem right to have a residential district completely marred by some unsightly garage or business establishment that is a fire hazard and a blight on the town."

The new fire limits extend from the north side of Elm street south to the Blackwell road, then west to South Rusk street, then north to Elm street. New fire limits were also created from the Texas & Pacific right-of-way out to the Strawn highway to the Wichita Falls, Ranger & Fort Worth railroad right-of-way.

It was brought out at the meeting that transient visitors got a bad impression of Ranger's business and residential section from the time they crossed the Blackwell road until they reached the Wichita Falls, Ranger & Fort Worth railroad crossing.

The commissioners favored the erection of well built brick or framed structures but contended that the creation of junk shops along the public highway and in the residential sections were bordering on nuisances.

### Legless Man Plans Trans-Atlantic Hop

WHEELING, W. Va., March 21.—M. R. "Dinger" Daugherty, known as the "flying assessor" because he is an aviator as well as assessor of Wetzel county, is planning a flight this summer from Washington to Rome, Italy.

Daugherty lost both legs and one arm in a railroad mishap, but he can operate his single motor Fokker plane with ease.

He expects to make his trans-Atlantic flight in July or August. He will take with him Captain Jack R. Adams, army reserve flyer.

### Candidate's Husband Dies at Galveston

GALVESTON, March 21.—B. J. Cunningham, 54, husband of Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham, candidate for the United States Senate, died Tuesday afternoon. He was in the insurance business in Galveston, where he was vice president and general manager for about 20 years of the First Texas Prudential Life Insurance company, which he assisted in organizing.

### Texan Claims To Own Oldest Green Necktie

By United Press.  
WICHITA FALLS, March 21.—John J. Pike claims to own the oldest green necktie in the southwest. Thirty years ago he bought the tie to wear in honor of St. Patrick. Each St. Patrick's day since then he has brought out the tie and worn it. The remaining 364 days of the year it remains in "storage."

### AGED COUPLE IS FOUND DEAD; NO MOTIVE SEEN

#### Man Beaten to Death With Blunt Instrument; Wife Drowned in Tub.

MARTINDALE, Texas, March 21.—A motive for the slaying of Charles Fosselman, aged gardener and his wife, whose bodies were found in their home here last night, was lacking today.

Fosselman had been struck over the head with a blunt instrument. Mrs. Fosselman had been drowned. Both bodies were taken to San Marcos today for burial. The body of Mrs. Fosselman was fully clothed, faced downward in the bathtub. The door had been locked from the inside. Fosselman's body was lying in front of the fireplace in the living room of the home. He had been hit three times on the head.

Justice of the Peace Cook, who was with the party that found the bodies, returned a verdict of murder and suicide.

Mrs. Fosselman recently had returned from a hospital.

### Expect Record Crowd To Inspect Ranger Stores Spring Display

Ranger merchants are expecting the largest crowd in the history of Ranger to view the new spring goods that will be on display Thursday and Friday at every store in Ranger, in observance of the annual spring opening and pre-Easter display.

A special section of today's paper carries advertisements of some of the stores that are participating in the annual spring event. All of the stores in Ranger, however, are showing their new spring wares that were recently purchased at the different markets.

Everywhere, in all of the stores, garages, automobile agencies and showrooms, will be found the new spring arrivals. With some businesses it is new spring frocks; with others it is the latest thing in men's wear; automobile agencies are displaying the newest of models; drug stores having on display their new supply of sport goods, golf clubs, golf balls, bathing suits and caps.

The stores will be opened tomorrow morning with all of the new spring goods ready for the shoppers to see. Special show window arrangements have been made and they will remain lighted at night to give those who cannot visit the stores during the day an opportunity to view some of the spring offerings.

### TEXAS MAN GIVEN POST BY PRESIDENT COOLIDGE

WASHINGTON, March 21.—President Coolidge sent to the senate today the following nomination: To be war claim arbitrator—Edwin B. Parker of Texas.

### Supreme Court Speeds Up Hearing Of Cases

#### National Tribunal Now Hears Arguments Six Months After Filing; Formerly There Was Three Years Delay

WASHINGTON, March 21.—The United States supreme court is setting an example to the other courts of the nation for speedy justice this year. In legal parlance, it has caught up with its docket.

A case involving the important question of the constitutionality of the "flexible tariff" law was reached by the court the other day in the regular sequence of cases, and argued. It marked the first time that a case appealed to the court was argued during the term in which the

### Lone Eagle of Atlantic Given U. S. Highest Award for Valor



WASHINGTON, March 21.—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh received from President Coolidge today the Congressional Medal of Honor—the nation's highest award.

The medal was presented at the white house in a simple ceremony.

It was only 10 months ago that Lindbergh, then a youth unknown to fame, hopped off on a voyage that marked an epoch in the business of flying. Great crowds greeted him at Paris and the nations of Europe lavished their highest honors on this courageous, unassuming boy. On his return to America, New York gave him the most stupendous greeting ever accorded in the history of the world.

### MRS. McDONALD TO SPEND LIFE BEHIND BARS

#### Canadians Officially Grant Clemency to Woman Convicted of Murder.

OTTAWA, Ont., March 21.—Doris McDonald, young American girl, escaped the gallows today through the clemency of Canadian officials. French Canadian sentiment against the execution of women probably played a large part in the decision to change her death sentence for the murder of Aledard Boucher, taxi driver, to life imprisonment.

The husband, George McDonald, partner in the crime, will go to the gallows alone early Friday morning.

The decision to spare Mrs. McDonald was made official today when the minister of justice signed the commutation. The final step will be taken at noon when Viscount Willingdon, governor general, approves the order.

### Ranger Paving Bonds Approved by State

Word was received in Ranger today that the Texas attorney general has approved the \$25,000 paving bonds for the city of Ranger.

The warrants approved today by the attorney general are the ones of the second issue. The first issue amounting to \$25,000 also, was approved by the attorney general some time ago.

The money is to be used in paying the city's portion of the paving now under construction.

### Prince Of Wales Falls Off Again

RISELEY, England, March 21.—The Prince of Wales today took his eighteenth recorded spill by riding his favorite horse in the inter-regimental challenge race. He was reported uninjured.

### WRECK OF PLANE SEEN ON MOUNTAIN

#### Bodies of Two Occupants Observed by Canadian Government Flyers.

BROWNVILLE, Me., March 21.—J. Kelley of the Pleasant River Pulp company, near here, has been requested by officials of the Canadian Pacific railroad to send men to White Cap mountain, where two bodies and the wreckage of an airplane were reported found.

Kelley said the report was made after the reported sighting of wreckage in the woods on the face of the mountain, 15 miles from here, by a Canadian government plane.

It is considered possible that the plane may be that of Captain Arthur Hinchliffe, which has been missing since he set out from England last week, accompanied by lion, Elsie Mackay in an attempt to fly to America.

### Ranger Rotarians To Try And Bring Next Convention to City

A committee from the Ranger Rotary club will go to the district convention to be held at Lubbeck in April, and try to bring the next meeting of the Rotarians to Ranger, it was decided at the regular luncheon of the Ranger club held at the Ghoslon hotel today at noon.

The committee appointed to attend the Lubbeck convention and try to land the next convention for Ranger is composed of Howard Ghoslon, W. N. McDonald, Joe Dennis, and Marvin K. Collic.

The program for today's luncheon was in charge of J. C. Smith, who delivered a short talk on the relationship between the employer and the employee. He concluded his talk by asking several questions along the same line and having them answered by the different Rotarians.

Visiting Rotarians at the luncheon were Jim Tischer and P. Pettit of Cisco. Mr. Hoger was also a Cisco visitor.

### Copeland Denounces Charge Against Smith

WASHINGTON, March 21.—Charges that Governor Al Smith of New York received campaign contributions from Harry Sinclair, central figure in the Teapot Dome oil scandal, were denounced as "vile, vicious and unfounded" by Senator Copeland, democrat, New York, at the opening of the senate today.

Authorities were positive that General Sandino had been in charge of the stronghold and that the attack by the bombers was upon a main division of his army.

It was believed he retreated and headed for the Honduran border, where he can get additional ammunition.

### Engineer Admits Dam Was Faulty

LOS ANGELES, March 21.—"Something" was overlooked by the engineers who built the ill-fated St. Francis dam, William Mulholland, chief engineer of the Los Angeles water board admitted at the coroner's inquest here today.

His voice shaking and his hand trembling, Mulholland made this statement as his only explanation for the disaster when asked if he could give any cause for the collapse of the mighty concrete structure which caused death and destruction in the Santa Paula valley.

### Illinois Aviator Plans Flight To Stockholm

#### Bert R. J. Russell Intends to Stop at Greenland His Way Across Atlantic Next June, He Announces.

ROCKFORD, Ill., March 21.—An attempt to connect America with the Scandinavian countries by air is planned for next June by Bert R. J. Russell, Rockford aviator.

The flight will be from Rockford to Stockholm, Sweden with a stop scheduled in Greenland for re-fueling. The Rockford chamber of commerce and business organizations are supporting the flight, which will be financed by popular subscription. Hassell will fly a Stinson-Detroit

### Letters Read



Letters expressing love and jealousy which John Wesley Faison (above) wrote to Mrs. Elsie Holt Snipes, were read in the new trial of Faison, former country club manager at Richmond, Va., for the murder of the pretty music teacher. The defense holds Mrs. Snipes shot herself. A former trial resulted in a hung jury.

### 3 BOYS HURT, 1 SERIOUSLY, IN AUTO WRECK

#### Edward Colvard of Gorman In Hospital With an Injured Back; Others Bruised.

One boy is thought to have been seriously hurt and two others were painfully bruised in an automobile accident that occurred about one mile east of Ranger on the Bankhead highway at 10:30 Tuesday night.

Edward Colvard, employee of the Eaton-Blewett company of Gordon, is in the City-County hospital suffering from injuries to his back and possibly one or two broken ribs. His physician will take x-ray pictures today to ascertain the extent of his injuries.

Wilbert Jones and Harold Overless both of Gordon, were painfully bruised around the head and body. Overless received a sprained ankle.

A Killingsworth-Cox ambulance was called to the scene of the accident and took Colvard to the hospital. Colvard said this morning that the trio were returning to Gordon from Ranger in a Ford roadster, and were attempting to pass another car. Both cars reached a culvert at the same time and the car being driven by the Gordon youths was forced to take to the ditch.

### New Ramsower Well Makes 150 Bbls. Daily

Production of the Jerome McLester-States Oil corporation's No. 2-P Thompson, located in the Ramsower district in the northwest portion of the county, was increased to 150 barrels when shot this morning.

The initial production of the newest producer in the rich Ramsower district was placed at around 90 barrels a day.

The well although a good producer is not as large as the others that have been brought in by McLester and his associates. The majority of the wells have ranged from 800 to 300 barrels a day.

### DEFENDANT TO TESTIFY IN OWN BEHALF

#### Hill Identified as Participant of Bank Robbery by Two Witnesses.

Robert Hill, on trial for his life in the Ninety-first district court on a charge of robbery with firearms in connection with the hold-up of the First National bank of Cisco on last Dec. 23, was positively identified by Alex Spear, cashier of the bank, as the second man of the bandit gang to come into the bank and as the first to draw a gun. Spear so testified on the witness stand this morning.

E. J. (Jewell) Poe, teller in the bank, did not identify Hill as one of the bandits. Oscar Clieft, a witness, identified Hill.

Spear, who was wounded in the jaw by a bullet during the holdup, testified that Hill fired the first shots he saw and heard and that he was firing towards the front part of the bank where more than \$400 worth of plate glass was shot out.

Mrs. W. B. Statham and W. B. Statham, the latter city secretary and the former assistant secretary of Cisco, testified as to officers bringing a sack of money to them and their turning it over to the bank officials a few hours later.

R. T. Redise, Cisco policeman, testified that he saw Hill coming out of the side door of the First National bank and that he had at least one gun in his hand. Redise said that Henry Helms drove the bandit car away from the bank, or at least he got under the steering wheel, and that Hill rode in the rear seat. Redise also told of capturing Davis, the wounded bandit, and taking the money from the car where the bandits left it.

Hill, when formally arraigned, pleaded guilty in a voice scarcely audible. Judge Davenport asked him to repeat his statement, which he did. Judge Davenport then said:

"Do you understand that under your plea of guilty it becomes the duty of the court to instruct the jury to find you guilty of the charge against you, and that the jury, in their discretion, may fix your punishment at confinement in the penitentiary for any term of years from five to 99, and that they may give you death?"

Hill replied, "Yes, sir."

"With this admission do you still desire to plead guilty?" Judge Davenport asked.

Hill replied, "Yes, sir."

Mrs. Rilla Carter, mother of Marshall Ratliff, sat for a while this morning by Hill's side. When the trial opened, however, she left the courtroom, having been subpoenaed as a witness by the defense.

Hill, it is understood, has no relatives.

### Moody on Way To Cattlemen's Meeting

AUSTIN, March 21.—Governor Dan Moody is enroute to Amarillo to attend the meeting of the Southwestern Cattle Raisers' association. He left Austin last night and is due to reach Amarillo tonight. He will speak before the cattlemen tonight.

### Dougherty Booming At Rail's Advent

DOUGHERTY, Texas, March 21.—With the laying of the rails of the Quannah, Acme and Pacific railroad branch line between McBain and Floydada into Dougherty, this new town of the plains has launched a building boom.

First building construction started this week when workmen laid the foundation for a grain elevator. A second grain elevator will be started before April 1. A garage also was started this week.

### Ducks Survive Pennsylvania Cold

FRANKLIN, Pa., March 21.—Franklin's "wild duck" colony, now numbering close to 50, is still intact, hovering close to the island of French Creek near here.

The ducks, a curiosity in North-western Pennsylvania, and only "tame" wild ducks in this section, it was believed have survived several ice gorges and floes. They are fed daily from dinner pails by men going to work. A fund has been subscribed to feed them until warmer weather.



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**The Eternal Feminine**

Every once in a while some old-fashioned person stands up on his hind legs and lets out a bitter yawn about the shamelessness of the present generation of women and, especially, the flappers.

The contrast is drawn between this generation and those that preceded it. In the good old days a woman's face was radiant and clean—nothing used but warm water and soap. Nowadays you can't see the face for the powder and the rouge and the lipstick. All wrong, all wrong!

But to take this attitude is to look bat-eyed at history.

Woman is what she has always been. If the Colonel's lady and Julia O'Grady are both alike under the skin, so it is equally true that the girl of today and the girl of all time have been very much alike—on the surface of the skin.

Just the other day, American and British scientific excavators uncovered the tomb of one of the queens who once reigned in ancient Ur of the Chaldees, the place where Abraham was born. This particular tomb belonged to Queen Shub-ad, who flourished about 4000 years before Christ.

And carefully stowed away in her grave, along with her crown jewels and ornaments, were her face paint pots and the vessels for her unguents.

How modern it all sounds! We seem also to catch a dim echo from that faraway time.

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tailed maps.

After re-fueling at Mount Evans, Hassell will fly across Greenland, over Iceland, and on to the Scandinavian peninsula. The distance from Rockford to Stockholm is 4,283 statute miles.

The flight will be made in almost continuous daylight because of the long days in the northern latitudes. Hassell said he expected to pass north of the fog and storm areas of the north Atlantic and will reduce the hazard of an ocean crossing to three short stops, the longest of which is 528 miles.

The flight is planned to demonstrate that Chicago and Rockford are almost as close to Europe by air as is New York City.

**Capt. Hamer To Repeat Charges To Grand Jurors**

By United Press.

RANKIN, March 21.—Ranger Captain Frank Hamer, who recently made the sensational charge that the payment of a \$5,000 reward for dead bank robbers has led to "framed up bank robbers," is expected to appear before the Upton county grand jury next week to present evidence substantiating his charge.

Hamer was invited to appear before the grand jury by county officials.

Two Mexicans were slain here several months ago by two men who claimed they saw them attempting to enter a local bank. The two men are awaiting trial in the case.

**Ranger To Pave On North Sue Street**

The Ranger city commission at its regular meeting at the city hall last night, designated one-half of a block on North Sue street for pavement.

The new designation covers from west Main street to the alley in the rear of the Leveille-Maher Motor company. The street runs between the Eureka Tool company and the motor company property.

Edw. R. Maher appeared before the commission to request the designation of the strip.

**YEGGS FAIL IN EFFORT TO BLOW BANK VAULT**

By United Press.

MT. VERNON, Texas, March 21.—Bank robbers made an unsuccessful attempt to rob the First State Bank at Sattilo, seven miles west of here early today. Blow torches used to cut a hole in the vault door of the bank were found.

**Next Time Maybe Willie Will Keep Away From Playmates**



**Society and Club News**

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**THURSDAY.**  
Mrs. Jerry Coleman and Mrs. Mozelle Cherry entertaining, at the home of the latter, the Adolphian class of the First Christian church.

Lions club luncheon, 12:15, Gholson hotel.

Mrs. Frank Brahaney will be hostess to the Thursday Bridge club at her home, 1009 Desdemona boulevard, at 2:30 o'clock.

Recital given by the High school pupils of Miss Gillian Buchanan, 7:45 o'clock, at the Gholson hotel.

Called meeting of Hodges Oak Park Parent-Teacher association at the school at 3:30 o'clock.

Prayer meeting at all the churches.

**ST. RITA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH.**  
There will be devotions this evening at 7:30. Father Collins will preach on "Is One Religion as Good as Another?"

**AD LIBITUM BRIDGE CLUB ENTERTAINED.**  
Mrs. Walter L. Jackson charmingly entertained the Ad Libitum Bridge club Tuesday with a 1:30 luncheon at Acorn Acres tea room.

In appointing her tables and decorating, Mrs. Jackson artistically used the purple and white color theme.

At 1:30 o'clock the guests found their places at the foursome luncheon tables by means of attractive violet place cards. The tables were centered with bowls of sweet spring violets, and table favors were individual bunches of violets. Dainty purple and white mints were served on the dessert plates.

At the conclusion of bridge the hostess presented the high club prize, a lovely blue glass basket with a silver mounting, to Mrs. J. W. Price, and awarded the second high club favor, a handy salad menu book, to Mrs. Stanley Snodgrass. High guest prize, a beautiful puff adorned with ribbon and lace, was presented to Mrs. C. C. Craig, and second high guest prize, a book of luncheon menus, was given Mrs. Walter Murray.

Others present were: Mmes. J. L. Wheatley, Walter Cash, J. A. Shackelford, Tony Lewis, Harry A. Logsdon, Elbert Pollard, E. W. Maben, and Ross Hodges.

**CHILD WELFARE ASSOCIATION LUNCHEON SATURDAY.**  
The Child Welfare association will have a 1 o'clock luncheon and regular business meeting Saturday, March 24, at Acorn Acres tea room.

All members are asked to please take notice and make their reservations early.

**AMARILLO VISITOR LUNCHEON HONOREE.**  
Mrs. L. H. Flewellen honored Mrs. A. G. Stanley of Amarillo, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Marvin K. Collie, with a delightful 1 o'clock luncheon Tuesday.

Easter suggestions were prevalent in the spring flowers, attractive place cards and candies chosen by the hostess in her scheme of decorating.

The guest personnel was Mmes. A. G. Stanley, the honoree; Marvin K. Collie, W. D. Conway, A. H. Allison, A. L. Duffer, C. D. Woods, Skillern, and the hostess.

**BLUE BONNET SEWING CLUB.**  
Mrs. Tuesday afternoon at her home, 1025 Vitalious street, to the Blue Bonnet Sewing club.

Mrs. Mendenhall served salad, cake and coffee to Mmes. W. H. Bollinger, E. A. Anderson, Frank Shoffstall, R. B. Peyson of Gorman, and Miss Vera Mitchell.

The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. W. H. Bollinger, Chestnut & Smith plant No. 103.

**CENTRAL BAPTIST CHOR RE-ORGANIZED.**  
The choir of the Central Baptist

church met Tuesday night at the church for re-organization and the election of new officers as follows:  
President, Mrs. Luther Gillispie.  
First vice president, Mrs. Ogg.  
Second vice president, Mrs. Percy Carr.  
Third vice president, Mrs. William Cross.  
Secretary, Mrs. George Rogers.  
Treasurer, Mrs. William Cross.  
Press reporter, Mrs. R. R. Sanders.  
There were 14 present and four new memberships were received.

**HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.**  
The glee club program scheduled for Saturday night, March 24, at 8 o'clock in the High school auditorium, and the box supper following, will furnish everyone a chance to enjoy themselves thoroughly.

Plans have been completed for the comforts of the visiting glee club. They will be the guests of the girls and boys of the senior class of the High school during their two-day stay in Ranger.

Tickets for the program and the box supper are being sold by the seniors and may be procured from any of them.

**CONTEST FOR THE BEST ALL-AROUND ATHLETE.**  
The contest for the best all-around athlete in the High school is in full swing, although the votes are coming in a little more slowly than the annual staff would like to see them.

At present Melba Love is leading by a few votes.

**RANGER PERSONALS**

Charles A. Conley has just returned home after spending 10 days in Amarillo, Tampa and Borger on a business trip.

Luther Gillispie is ill at his home.

C. A. Alexander, Dallas, Post Cereal company salesman, is in the city transacting business.

T. E. Burns, Abilene, who is a representative for the Wade Meat company, was a Ranger business visitor Tuesday.

W. C. Scott and T. S. Fitzgerald of Altus, Okla., are in the city transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Fox are in Rochester, Minn., visiting, where they will spend a month.

E. L. Ford, Sivals Motor company, returned home Tuesday from Altus, Okla.



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**Asserts Huge Loss Would Follow Cut In 'Phone Service**

By United Press.

FORT WORTH, March 21.—The enormous loss of life that accompanied the Mississippi valley floods is "not a circumstance to the loss that would follow a twenty-five per cent decrease in the efficiency of telephone service in Texas," Frank B. McInney, secretary of the Ohio Independent Telephone association, told the convention of the Texas Independent Telephone association here today.

"So far as legislation is concerned," McInney said, "interests of the Bell company and independents are closely allied. Often what would injure the Bell would wipe a lot of independents off the map."

**STOMACH SPELLS**

Oklahoma Lady Gives Interesting Account of Long Use of Black-Draught In Her Home.

Sageeyah, Okla.—"I have taken Black-Draught ever since I was a child, and can recommend it as a splendid medicine for family use," says Mrs. Cora Maberry, of this place. "My mother used it, in bringing up her family, and after I had a home of my own, I continued to use it, as I thought it was especially good to give the children."

"My children did not mind taking Black-Draught, and so when they got upset with stomach spells, or were constipated, I gave them Black-Draught tea."

"If I found that they were taking cold, I was quick to start giving them Black-Draught, as it helped them to throw off the impurities which caused the trouble."

"My children are all grown now and have homes of their own, but I still keep Black-Draught in the house and use it myself when I wake up in the morning feeling dull and 'headache', and have a bad taste in my mouth."

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**Phone in your Want Ad**

Another speaker at today's session was Clarence Gilmore, who spoke on building a public service from the point of view of the Texas railroad commission of which he is chairman. E. D. Hull, Dallas, discussed plant and maintenance from an engineer's point of view. C. C. Deering, Des Moines, Ia., spoke on "Work of this Convention and Value of Organized Effort."

**Easy Money Days Of 'Phone Financing' Past, Says Speaker**

By United Press.

FORT WORTH, March 21.—Denying that large sums of money have been made in the numerous recent sales that have been transacted in independent telephone circles throughout the country, Dr. C. L. Jones warned members of the convention of Texas Independent Telephone association here today not to count on the continued period of "easy money" in telephone financing.

"We all know that we have been riding on the crest of a wave of easy money and easy sales," he said. "During this period the investor has been seeking the investment rather than the investment seeking the man or woman with funds to invest. This situation has tended to create long prices for telephone and other utility properties. Some of our friends and pioneers in the telephone business have cashed in their properties."

The assembled telephone officials and employees discussed rights on and

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A new marvelous Cleansing Cream is on the market, containing Cocoa Butter. It melts right into the skin, cleansing every pore of grime and dirt, and will not stretch the skin or make it saggy. It's simply marvelous in keeping youthful complexions. Ask for MELLO-GLO, the new Cream with Cocoa Butter. Will not grow hair. Phillips Drug Store, Ranger.

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Workmen have just completed construction of a new clothing cabinet and show case for The Globe, popular Ranger clothing store.

The case was constructed in order to dispose of showing that has been used in the store for some time.

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uses of state highways by the telephone company. An address of welcome by Jack H. Hott, secretary-manager of the Fort Worth Association of Commerce, was responded to by C. J. Bain of San Antonio. Other speakers on the program were George K. Kemble of Fort Worth and R. B. Still of Tyler, who gave the annual president's address.

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OUT OUR WAY



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Gripings By GUS

Reading that story yesterday about Eastland county planning to be represented in that motorcade which is to go to Memphis made us wonder why the heck. What are they going to Memphis for and who is going and when are they coming back and who is going to foot the bill?

We suggest that the chambers of the county get together and elect Bill Speegle and us to go. We claim the honor for ourselves for thinking of the idea and we claim it for Bill for being the big sucker a couple of years when he planked down good money to be the official garage and service station for an organization of auto owners. The only thing Bill ever got for his money was if drives four miles five times, three trips of which were to change tires and two to take them gasoline. Then when they got back to town they went somewhere else to spend their money.

In that same deal there were upwards of 100 guys planked down something like \$5 each to get their names enrolled in the association and the privilege of hauling a little tin badge around on the front of their car, showing to the pop-eyed world that they "belonged."

If it ever done anybody any good we'll apologize for them harsh words. Of course it did help the boys along a little that dropped in here and pushed it over. We are told that they came to town in a big long roadster that they had to take out to the airplane landing field to turn around. They stored it in a garage and borrowed a touring car of ancient vintage and more or less popular make and used it for local transportation whilst they sung the blues to the prospects.

We wouldn't mention that, because it will no doubt bring back memories to some, but it's about time some Easterners come in and took the locals to camp for a few hundred berries and then go off and laff at them for being suckers.

Another thing that cramps our style is a little item about the Dallas chamber of commerce going to take 1000 horned toads away up north and give them away to advertise Dallas.

What Doctors Think of the Laxative Habit

In all history, no Indian was ever known to have constipation. Nor need YOU. He chewed the bark of a tree called cascara. Today, we have the candy cascaret.

Cascaring the bowels never forms a laxative habit. If already formed, an occasional cascaret will usually break the habit. For cascara strengthens the muscular walls of the bowels, and their need of any aid at all grows constantly less. What other cathartic has this characteristic? The writer knows of none.

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Physicians tell us cascara is the ideal laxative—and the tongue tells us candy cascarets are its ideal form.

CASCARETS They Work While You Sleep!

In the first place, Dallas has no right to publicity in connection with horned frogs—that rightly belongs to Eastland county. We have just as much right to take a picture of their big concrete viaduct over the Trinity river and put a line on it that says, "Scene on the Bankhead Highway that runs through Eastland county." Besides, it ain't doing the frogs right.

DRILLING REPORT

Records for March 19: E. B. Gilliam Shelton Bros. No. 2, Brown county, intention to drill. J. W. King et al. T. A. Sears No. 1, Brown county, intention to drill. G. G. Mortimer, Meredith & Benton Ace Hickman No. 1, Callahan county, producer.

Phillips Petroleum Roy Hickman No. 9, Brown county, well record and plugging record. M. E. Bishop W. S. Westcott No. 2, Brown county, intention to plug, plugging record and well record. Young Brothers & Alexander Inc. S. S. Diller No. 1, Callahan county, producer.

The Ledger Oil & Gas company P. J. Bush No. 1, Brown county, plugging record and well record. Swoveland (of House), Heyser No. 1, Callahan county, well record.

Records for March 20: Pandem Oil corporation A. L. Curry A No. 2, Brown county, well record, dry.

M. L. Richards Texanna Hutton No. 3, Brown county, intention to plug. E. N. Schaffner J. W. Guyer No. 3, Brown county, producer.

Archie Shaw W. T. Burns No. 39, Coleman county, intention to drill. W. T. Burns No. 38, Coleman county, producer. W. T. Burns No. 37, Coleman county, producer.

M. E. Wakefield Mrs. Eliza Lamar Nos. 1, 2 and 3, Callahan county, intention to plug.

Burke Addition Road Will Be Scraped

G. W. Leaverton, who lives in the Burke addition, Ranger, claims that his citizenship rights entitle him to road work in his section of the city at least every nine years.

He appeared before the city commission and requested that the road machinery drag at least one street in that addition.

He further told the commissioners that the road was worked just nine years ago but that it was beginning to wear.

The commissioners ordered the grader and its crew to drag the main road of the addition.

SUPREME COURT SPEEDS UP HEARING OF CASES

(Continued from page one.) speeding-up process. Congress enacted a law which prevented appeals of unimportant cases and of many cases not dealing with constitutional questions. The court also has exercised its power to dispose of cases summarily when it is found that the law governing a particular case has already been specified in a decision of the court.

Many years ago cases waited on the court's docket for three years before they were argued in the regular course. When Chief Justice Taft took office in 1921, following the death of Chief Justice Edward Douglas White, it took about a year and a half. Now it has been cut to approximately six months, although the number of appeals docketed each year shows no decrease.

Nearly 850 cases have been appealed to the court so far this year, with indications that before the regular eight-month term is adjourned early in June, last year's figure of 1,300 will be reached.

More than one-half of the appeals are rejected without a hearing after examination of the appeal brief and record of the case in lower courts.

Pioneer Poet Dies At Oklahoma Home

By United Press. ALVA, Okla., March 21.—Scott Cummins, pioneer frontiersman of Oklahoma and Kansas, and famed as the "Pilgrim Bard," author and poet, died here today. He was 82 years old.

The picturesque poet died at the home of his son, Dewey Cummins, on the old homestead which he settled at the opening of the Cherokee strip, Sept. 16, 1893.

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Mrs. A. A. Alexander Expires Suddenly As She Sits in Chair

Death came to Mrs. A. A. Alexander, 72 years old, resident of Peacock, Texas, at 8:30 Tuesday night, five minutes after she had finished eating dinner. She was sitting in a rocking chair when she died.

Mrs. Alexander had been making her home here for the past month with her son, J. D. Alexander, employee of the Blackwell grocery store. She had been caring for another son, H. T. Alexander, who is seriously ill at the home of his brother on South Oak street.

She is survived by her husband, A. A. Alexander, her two sons and six daughters, Mrs. A. B. Cook of San Angelo, Mrs. Ozello Robinson of Frost, Mrs. W. H. Sayton of Arizona, Mrs. Austin Eaton of Peacock, Mrs. M. A. Tarpley of Peacock and Mrs. L. M. Arnold of Coleman.

The body was taken to Peacock this morning for funeral service and burial.

Cotton Planting Light During Week

WASHINGTON, March 21.—Very little additional cotton was planted during the week though some was seeded in the east gulf district while most early planted cotton and corn received severe setbacks by the cold weather in South Texas, the weekly weather report said today.

500 Acres To Be Planted In Potatoes

WICHITA FALLS, March 21.—More than 500 acres will be planted to potatoes in the irrigated valley of Wichita county during the next week, according to G. C. McGowen, county farm agent. This will be a large increase over last year, he said.

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35 Mexican Rebels Slain By Federals

By United Press. MEXICO CITY, March 21.—Trapped in ambush, 35 rebels, including their leader, Miquel Loza, were killed by federal troops, according to a dispatch received here today.

COLLEGE TO GET BIDS FOR NEW DORMITORY DENTON, March 21.—Bids for the construction of a \$150,000 dormitory for the College of Industrial Arts will be received April 6, according to announcement at the college. The appropriation for the building will become available Sept. 1 and the building is to be finished by the end of the 1928-29 session.

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By order passed by the city commission of Eastland the public may pay city taxes for the year 1927 to and including March 31, 1928 without penalty. After that date the usual penalty will be applied.

E. W. CRAIG, City Clerk

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS!

—THE 1927 DELINQUENT LIST OF SCHOOL AND CITY TAXES IS BEING COMPILED FOR PUBLICATION. TAXPAYERS HAVE A FEW MORE DAYS IN WHICH TO PAY TAXES WITHOUT PENALTY.

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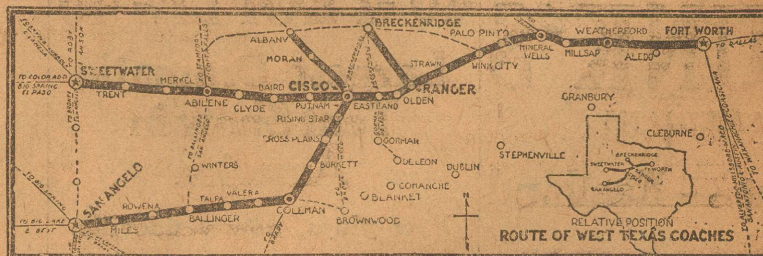
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North To Breckenridge at 9:15 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 5:00 p. m. "The Direct Route."

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**Honesty of Boxing**

While it proved of no value in bringing out a suitable opponent for Gene Tunney, the recent heavyweight elimination tournament conducted by Tex Rickard might be taken as evidence that boxing at least has its honest moments.

Rickard made no secret among his friends of the fact that he would prefer to have Jack Sharkey in the ring for one of the summer bouts that Tunney has demanded and that he would rather have any other challenger than Tom Heeney or Johnny Risko, but they turned out to be the winners if there were any winners.

Those who think that all of Rickard's big championship shows are the result of shrewd pre-arrangement believe that he is a power who can do any business he wants with the fighters. But if he ever did have any influence it didn't work for him this winter.

He figured after the Chicago fight last summer that the heavyweight championship battle this year would be worth about \$3,000,000 at the gate. But he hasn't a challenger now who would be sure to furnish a million-dollar show.

**Influence Didn't Work**

In connection with the failure of Sharkey to come through for Rickard against Heeney or Johnny Risko, there is another angle that lends an honest look to the game. That angle involves Jimmy Johnston, who was announced before the Heeney fight as a purchaser of a 10 per cent interest in Sharkey.

Johnston is supposed to have a tremendous influence with the New York Boxing Commission and with

other unofficial powers of the sport. When he was admitted to a membership in the Sharkey firm the wise boys said—"Ho, Ho! They're lining up the works for Sharkey."

But the influence of Johnston, if there is a Johnston influence, didn't work for Sharkey. The same Johnston influence hasn't been working for other fighters in his control during the past year. He has been behind a parade of losers including Mike McTigue, Johnny Dancoe, Phil Scott and Sharkey (twice.)

After watching Johnston in action for a number of years, it was easy to become convinced that he got all the breaks possible for his fighters. He was on the job every morning when some of the other managers were just waking up, and he thought three times to their once.

**Rickard Will Profit**

Rickard may deserve some sympathy over the failure of his heavyweight tournament. On the other hand, his accounts may show a better profit than in 1927, even if he doesn't have more than a million-dollar heavyweight attraction or no heavyweight show at all.

It will be recalled that the Dempsey-Tunney fight in Chicago did draw almost \$3,000,000, but that the net profit to Rickard's corporation was only some comparatively few hundred thousands. Directors of the corporation yelled all over the place. There was serious talk, in fact, that Rickard had been threatened with removal from the general management if he did not cut down the guarantees to fighters, or consult the board before he made big matches.

Without a heavyweight show this year, Rickard and his firm are bound to show a nice profit from matches for the light heavyweight, lightweight, welterweight, and featherweight championships. Rickard has them all lined up one or two of them, at least, are certain to run up to a half-million each in receipts.

**Dallas Signs Up Basketball Stars**

**By United Press.**

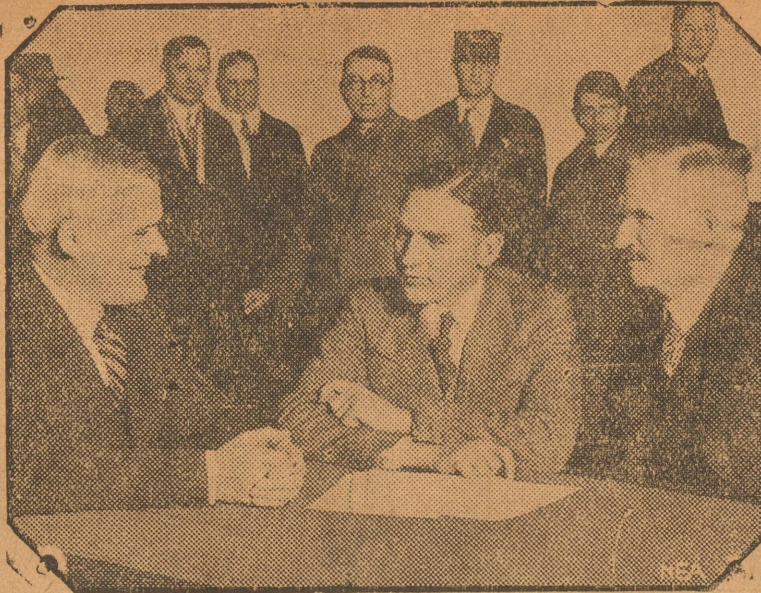
DALLAS, March 21.—In an effort to build up a crack team, the Dallas Athletic club's basketball team has obtained two nationally known stars for next season, it was announced by Bill Caples, business manager.

Pinkie Pinkerton, former Oklahoma University star, and Frank Smith, member of the Kansas City A. C. quintet will join the Dallas squad. Both are guards.

**EASTLAND CHURCH CLASS MEETING POSTPONED**

The Booster class of the Eastland Methodist church which was to have been entertained by Miss Mary Sue Rumph this afternoon has been postponed.

**Packer Testifies in Oil Quiz**



Thomas E. Wilson (left) wealthy Chicago meat packer, is shown here testifying to Senator Nye (center) chairman of the Senate Public Lands committee which is investigating the Teapot Dom oil scandal, and Senator Norbeck (right). Senator Nye is on the trail of the Liberty bonds which Harry Sinclair gave the Republican national committee in 1923.

**Former Ranger Boy Director Of Largest Movie House in World**

From playing a worn saxophone to the directorship of the largest of the Public theatres, is the story of Raymond Elgin Teal, youngest son of Raymond Teal, fire commissioner of Ranger. This is probably the largest motion picture theatre in the world.

It seems like yesterday that young Teal, who is 26 years of age, was playing the saxophone in a popular California orchestra to earn the money with which to attend the University of Southern California.

Today, his father has been informed, he is the director and master of ceremonies of the Paramount theatre, New York City.

Teal was graduated from the University of Southern California in 1924. The following winter he spent in Florida playing in numerous leading theatres. That summer he studied in Europe and played in various orchestras in Europe.

He spent one season as the musical director for the West Coast theatres of California and filled contracts as the conductor at a theatre in Richmond, Va.

Prior to the time he went to the New York theatre, he was musical director and master of ceremonies of the famous Howard theatre of Atlanta.

In 1926 he was married to Miss Louise Laraway, formerly of Grand Rapids, Mich., and a graduate of the University of Southern California. Teal is following in the theatrical footsteps of his father, who, not many years ago, was among the headliners.

Raymond Teal managed the largest musical comedy troupe that has ever been taken to Honolulu. The name of his show was "Teal's Ducklings."

**Detroit Runner Leads In Trans-U. S. Race**

**By United Press.**

HOLBROOK, Ariz., March 21.—With Arne Scumines, Detroit runner, holding the advantage in the C. C. Pyle cross continent "bunion derby"

**Ranger City Dads Argue About Shirt Styles Worn in Old Days**

Finance Commissioner Raymond Teal, Mayor John W. Thurman, commissioner J. C. Smith and E. A. Ringold, held what bordered on a heated discussion fifteen minutes before the regular meeting Tuesday night.

Commissioner Smith started the argument by stating that he knew a man—an old man—who said that boys used to wear long shirt tails and were not bothered with pants. He declared the man said that all the boys used to wear many years ago was the "covered wagon" shirts.

Commissioner Teal, who usually is a dependable authority on pre-meeting arguments, said he used to be a country boy and didn't know buildings were made out of brick up to the time he was 17 years old. He further stated that in all his days he had never seen nor heard of anyone donning such wearing apparel as his confere described. He further contended that he had his doubts.

The instigator of the argument received some support from City Secretary S. J. Dean, who said that he used to know some boys down in Parker county who were wearers of the elongated shirts.

E. A. Ringold would not commit himself either pro or con.

The argument was continued to next Tuesday night until Smith could gather more evidence on what the well dressed young man wore years ago.

today started out on a jaunt of 39 miles to Navajo, the next control station.

Andrew Payne, Claremore, Okla., youth who held the top position after Arthur Newton, flying English man was forced to drop out, finished well back in the field yesterday.

Payne suffered a fever and was not able to make fast time.

**2 Boys Fined, Charge Of Disturbing Peace**

Two Ranger boys learned last night that to run up a dark alley when two policemen come near is the next thing to pleading guilty.

The two boys started running with full speed when Policemen Vire and Ricker walked towards them as they were talking on Main street.

The boys were caught on north

Rusk street and taken to the police station where they told Chief of Police Jim Ingram that they were "just running."

The boys each paid fines of \$15.70 on charges of disturbing the peace.

**Short Course For Women Opens May 3**

DENTON, March 21.—The second annual short course for women will be offered May 3 at the College of Industrial Arts for the benefit of the women of the state. Guests are

expected from 26 counties of the state.

Home and yard improvement and a clothing demonstration will be the chief subjects of interest on the program.

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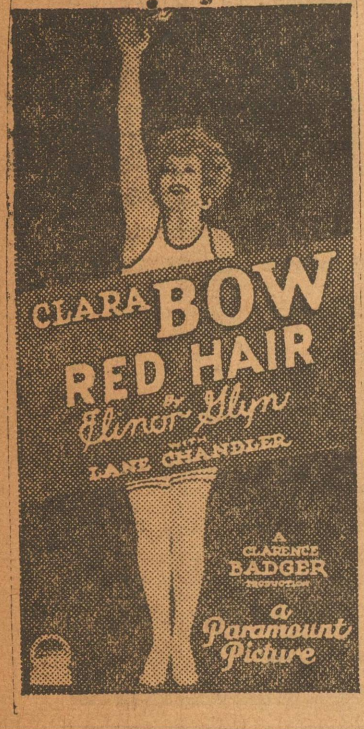
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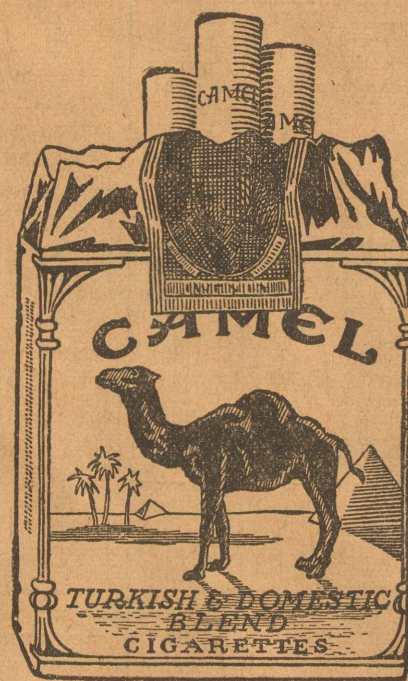
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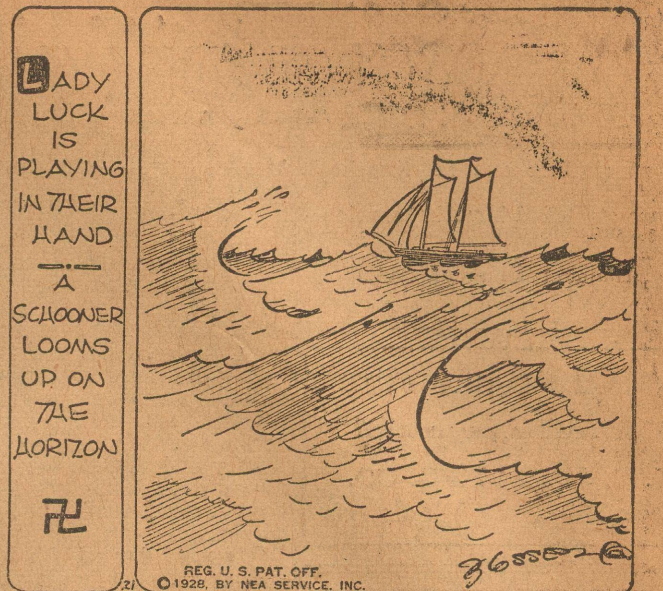
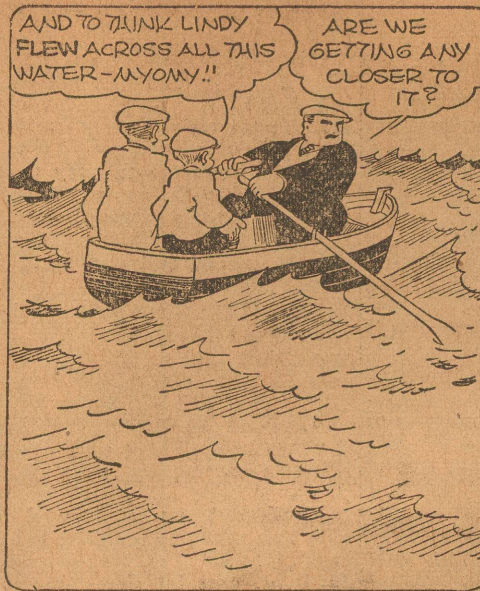
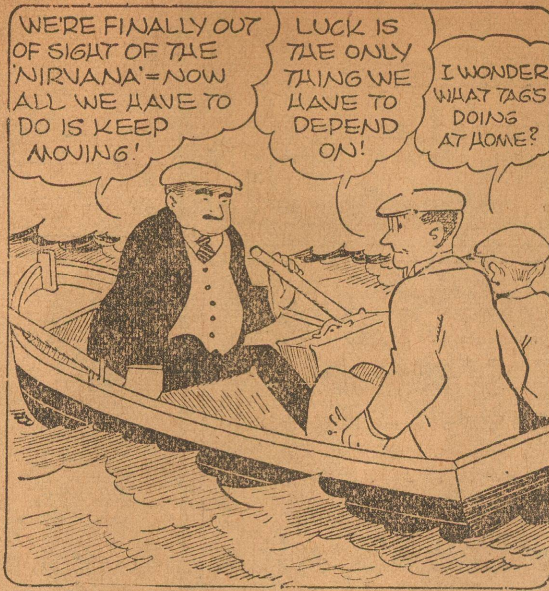
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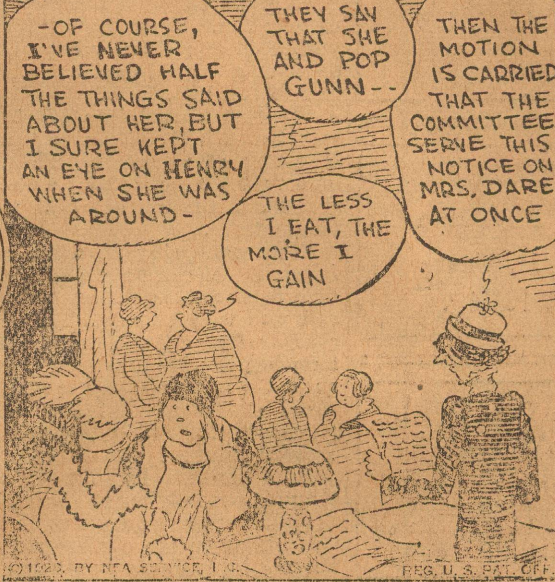
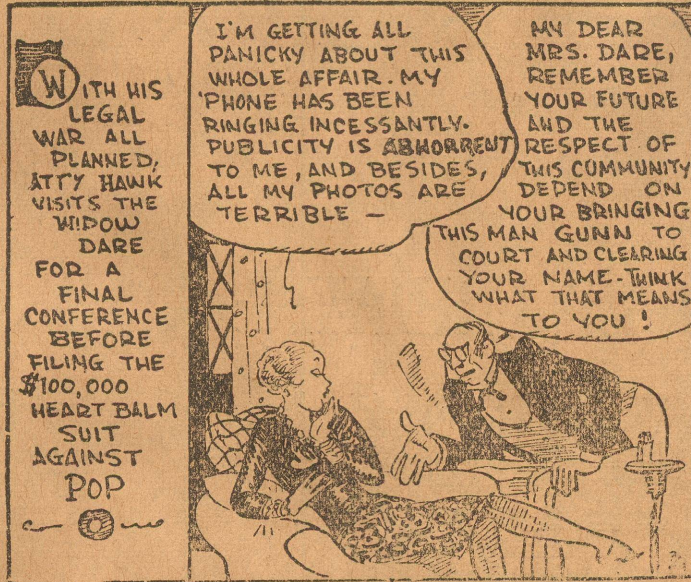
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**THE "CANARY" MURDER CASE**  
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**THE STORY THUS FAR**  
Skeel's finger prints were found in the apartment of the murdered Margaret Odell, but Vance does not believe him guilty. It is proved later that Mannix, Cleaver and Dr. Lindquist all had been lying about their whereabouts the night of the murder. The truth comes out that Mannix had been calling on a young lady in an apartment adjoining the "Canary's"; that Cleaver had been in the building around midnight and that Dr. Lindquist, knowing that Spetswoode was calling on Margaret Odell, had planned in a jealous fit to kill him. But this plan was frustrated when Spetswoode jumped into a cab. Later a street cleaner finds Margaret Odell's jewels wrapped in a newspaper. The paper has punctures in it, suggesting that it came off a club reading rack.

Heath grunted and look disconsolate. "Even without no other way of getting in or out except that side door," he said to Markham, "couldn't we get an indictment against Skeel, now that we know the door was unlocked Monday night?"

"We might, Sergeant. But our chief snag would be to show how it was originally unlocked and then rebolted after Skeel left. And Abe Rubin would concentrate on that point.—No, we'd better wait a while and see what develops."

Something "developed" at once. Swacker entered and informed the Sergeant that Snitkin wanted to see him immediately.

Snitkin came in, visibly agitated, accompanied by a wizened, shabbily dressed little man of about sixty, who appeared awed and terrified. In the detective's hand was a small parcel wrapped in newspaper, which he hid on the district attorney's desk with an air of triumph.

"The Canary's jewelry," he announced. "I've checked it up from the list the maid gave me, and it's all there."

Heath sprang forward, but Markham was already untying the package with nervous fingers. When the paper had been opened, there lay before us a small heap of dazzling trinkets—several rings of exquisite workmanship, three magnificent bracelets, a sparkling sunburst, and a delicately wrought locket. The stones were all large and of unconventional cut.

Markham looked up from them inquisitively and Snitkin, not waiting for the inevitable question, explained.

"This man Potts found 'em. He's a street cleaner and he says they were in one of the D. S. C. cans at 23d street near the Flatiron building. He found 'em yesterday afternoon, so he says, and took 'em home. Then he got scared and brought 'em to police headquarters this morning."

Mr. Potts, the "white wing," was trembling visibly.

"Thass right, sir—thass right," he assured Markham, with frightened eagerness. "I allus look into any bundles I find. I didn't mean no harm takin' 'em home, sir. I wasn't gonna keep 'em. I laid awake worryin' all night, an' this mornin', as soon as I got a chance, I took 'em to the p'lice." He shook so violently I was afraid he was going to break down completely.

"That's all right, Potts," Markham told him in a kindly voice. Then to Snitkin. "Let the man go—only get his full name and address."

Vance had been studying the newspaper in which the jewels had been wrapped.

"I say, my man," he asked, "is this the original paper you found them in?"

"Yes, sir—the same. I ain't touched nothin'."

"Right-o."

Mr. Potts, greatly relieved, shambled out, followed by Snitkin.

"The Flatiron Building is directly across Madison Square from the Stuyvesant club," observed Mark-

ham, frowning.

"So it is," Vance then pointed to the left hand margin of the newspaper that held the jewels. "And you'll notice that this Herald of yesterday has three punctures evidently made by the pins of a wooden holder such as is generally used in a club's reading room."

"You got a good eye, Mr. Vance," nodded Heath, inspecting the newspaper.

"I'll see about this," Markham viciously pressed a button. "They keep their papers on file for a week at the Stuyvesant club."

**CHAPTER XXXIX**

When Swacker appeared, he asked that the club's steward be got immediately on the telephone. After a short delay, the connection was made. At the end of five minutes conversation Markham hung up the receiver and gave Heath a baffled look.

"The club takes two Herald's. Both of yesterday's copies are there, on the rack."

"Didn't Cleaver once tell us he read nothing but the Herald—that and some racing-sheet at night?" Vance put the question offhandedly.

"I believe he did," Markham considered the suggestion. "Still, both the club Herald's are accounted for."

He turned to Heath. "When you were checking up on Mannix, did you find out what clubs he belonged to?"

"Sure." The sergeant took out his note book and rifled the pages for a minute or two. "He's a member of the Furriers' and the Cosmopolis."

Markham pushed the telephone toward him.

"See what you can find out."

Heath was fifteen minutes at the task.

"A blank," he announced finally. "The Furriers' don't use holders, and the Cosmopolis don't keep any back numbers."

"What about Mr. Skeel's clubs, Sergeant?" asked Vance, smiling.

"Oh, I know the finding of that jewelry gums up my theory about Skeel," said Heath, with surly illna-

ture. "But what's the good of rubbing it in? Still, if you think I'm going to give the bird a clean bill of health just because the Odell swag was found in a trash can, you're mighty mistaken. Don't forget we're watching the Dude pretty close. He may have got leery, and tipped off some pal he'd cached the jewels with."

"I rather fancy the experienced Skeel would have turned his booty over to a professional receiver. But even had he passed it to a friend, would this friend have been likely to throw it away because Skeel was worried?"

"Maybe not. But there's some explanation for those jewels being found, and when we get hold of it, it won't eliminate Skeel."

"No; the explanation won't elimi-

nate Skeel," Vance said, "but—my word!—how it'll change his standing."

But before he could answer, Swacker stepped alertly into the room, his eyes animated.

"Tony Skeel's on the wire, Chief, and wants to speak to you."

Markham, despite his habitual reserve, gave a start.

"Here, Sergeant," he said quickly, "take that extension phone on the table and listen in."

He nodded curtly to Swacker, who

disappeared to make the connection. Then he took up the receiver of his own telephone and spoke to Skeel.

For a minute or so he listened. Then, after a brief argument, he concurred with some suggestion that had evidently been made; and the conversation ended.

"Skeel craves an audience, I gather," said Vance. "I've rather been expecting it, y' know."

"Yes. He's coming here tomorrow at ten."

"And he hinted that he knew who slew the Canary—eh, what?"

"That's just what he did say. He promised to tell me the whole story tomorrow morning."

"He's the lad in a position to do it," murmured Vance.

"But, Mr. Markham," said Heath, who still sat with his hand on the telephone, gazing at the instrument with a dazed incredulity. "I don't see why you don't have him brought here today."

"As you heard, Sergeant, Skeel insisted on tomorrow, and threatened to say nothing if I forced the issue. It's just as well not to antagonize

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# THE CANARY MURDER CASE

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and put another one in Swacker's office." Vance stretched himself luxuriously and rose. "Most considerate of the gentleman to call up at this time, don't you know. I had a longing to see the

Monets at Durand-Ruel's this afternoon, and I was afraid I wasn't going to be able to drag myself away from this fascinating case. Now that the apocalypse has been definitely scheduled for tomorrow, I'll indulge my taste for Impressionism. A demain, Markham. By-bye, Sergeant." (Sunday, Sept. 16; 10 a. m.)

A fine drizzle was falling the next morning when we rose; and a chill—the first forerunner of winter—was in the air. We had breakfast in the library at half past eight, and at nine o'clock Vance's car—which had been ordered the night before—called for us.

We rode down Fifth Avenue, now almost deserted in its thick blanket of yellow fog, and called for Markham at his apartment in West 12th street. He was waiting for us in front of the house, and stepped quickly into the car with scarcely a word of greeting. From his anxious, preoccupied look I knew that he was depending a good deal on what Skeel had to tell him.

We had turned into West Broadway beneath the Elevated tracks before any of us spoke. Then Markham voiced a doubt which was plainly an articulation of his troubled ruminations.

"I'm wondering if, after all, this fellow Skeel can have any important information to give us. His phone call was very strange. Yet he spoke confidently enough regarding his knowledge. No dramatics, no request for immunity—just a plain, assured statement that he knew who murdered the Odell girl, and had decided to come clean."

"It's certain he himself didn't strangle the lady," pronounced Vance. "My theory, as you know, is that he was hiding in the clothes-dress when the shady business was being enacted; and all along I've clung lovingly to the idea that he was an secret to the entire proceedings."

"The keyhole of that closet door is on a direct line with the end of the davenport where the lady was strangled; and if a rival was operating at the time of his concealment, it's not unreasonable to assume that he peered forth—oh, what? I questioned him on this point, you remember; and he didn't like it a bit."

"But in that case—" "Oh, I know. There are all kinds of erudite objections to my wild dream.—Why didn't he give the alarm? Why didn't he tell us about it before? Why this? and why that? I make no claim to omniscience, you know; I don't even pretend to have a logical explanation. My theory is only sketched in, as it were. But I'm convinced, nevertheless, that the modish Tony knows who killed his bona roba and looted her apartment."

"But of the three persons who possibly could have got into the Odell apartment that night—namely Mannix, Cleaver and Lindquist—Skeel knows only one—Mannix."

"Yes—to be sure. And Mannix, it would seem, is the only one of the trio who knows Skeel. An interesting point."

Heath met us at the Franklin street entrance to the criminal courts building. He, too, was anxious and subdued, and he shook hands with us in a detached manner devoid of his usual heartiness.

"I've got Snitkin running the elevator," he said, after the briefest of salutations. "Burke's in the hall upstairs, and Emery is with him, waiting to be let into Swacker's office."

We entered the deserted and almost silent building and rode up to the fourth floor. Markham unlocked his door and we passed in. "Guilfoyle, the man who's tailing Skeel," Heath explained, when we were seated, "is to report by phone to the homicide bureau as soon as the Dude leaves his rooms."

It was now twenty minutes to ten. Five minutes later Swacker arrived. Taking his stenographic notebook, he stationed himself just inside of the swinging door of Markham's private sanctum, where he could hear all that was said without being seen. Markham lit a cigar and Heath followed suit.

Vance was already smoking placidly. He was the calmest person in the room, and lay back languorously in one of the great leather chairs as though immune to all cares and vicissitudes. But I could tell by the

ever-deliberate way he flicked his ashes into the receiver that he, too, was uneasy.

Five or six minutes passed in complete silence. Then the sergeant gave a grunt of annoyance. "No, sir," he said, as if completing some unspoken thought, "I can't get a slant on this business. The finding of that jewelry, now, all nicely wrapped up—and then the Dude offering to squeal. There's no sense to it."

"It's tryin', I know, Sergeant; but it's not altogether senseless," Vance was gazing lazily at the ceiling. "The chap who confiscated those baubles didn't have any use for them. He didn't want them, in fact—they worried him abominably."

The point was too complex for Heath. The previous day's developments had shaken the foundation of all his arguments; and he lapsed again into brooding silence.

At ten o'clock he rose impatiently and, going to the hall door, looked out. Returning, he compared his watch with the office clock and began pacing restlessly. Markham was attempting to sort some papers on his desk, but presently he pushed them aside with an impatient gesture.

"He ought to be coming along now," he remarked, with an effort at cheerfulness.

"He'll come," growled Heath, "or he'll get a free ride." And he continued his pacing.

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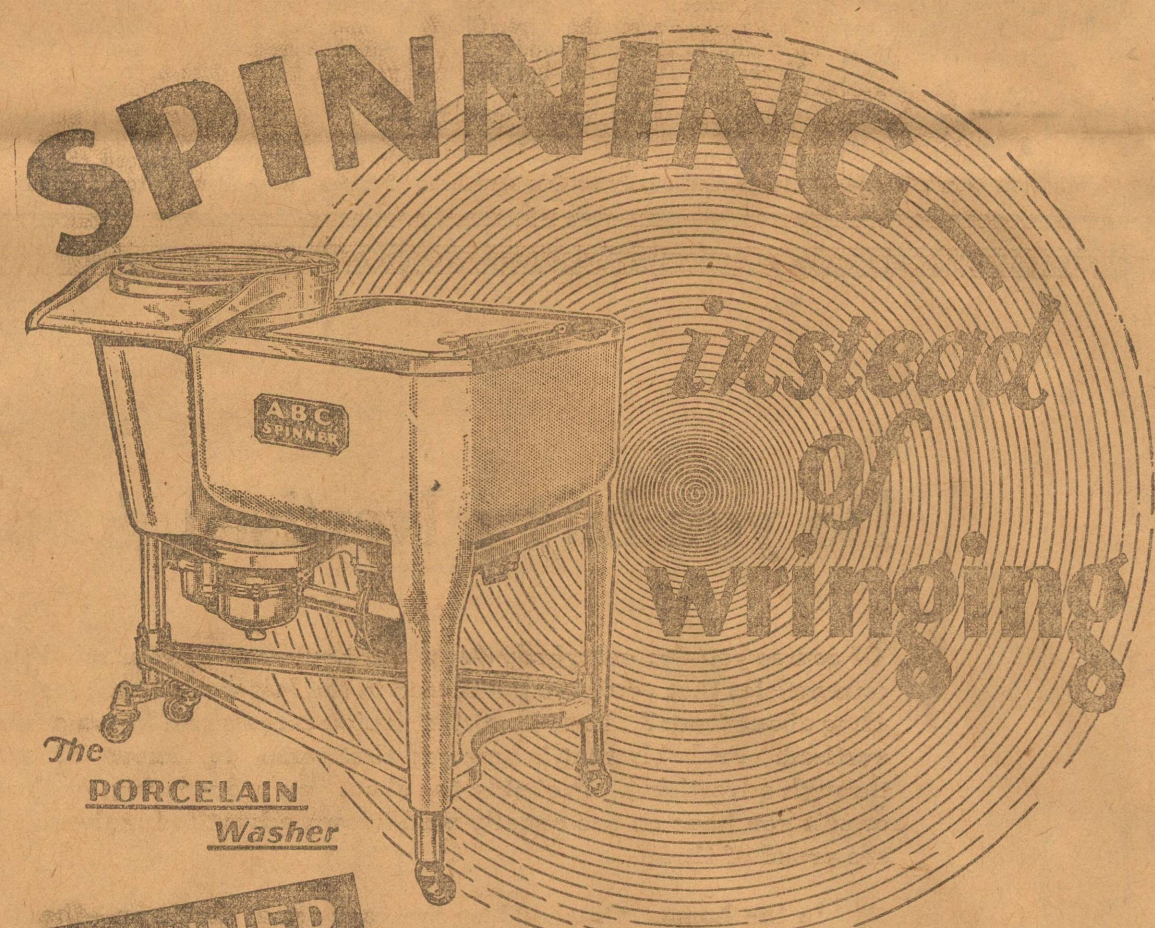
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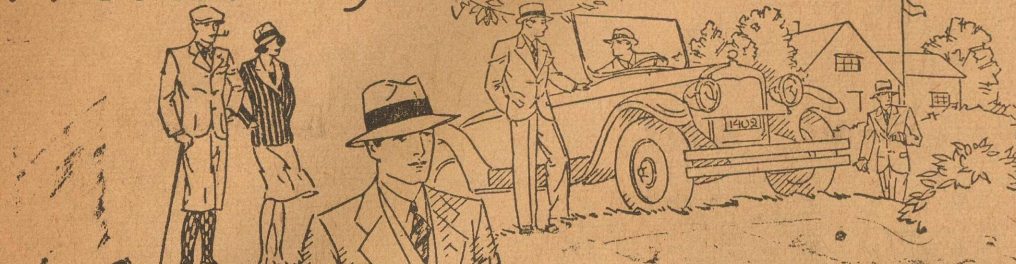
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A year ago, if you recall, some of the grays, for instance, ran up the scale very nearly to a light oyster shade. And some of the tones of tan were almost as light.

They looked very smart and cool in the spring sunlight when they were first worn, but they soon lost their immaculacy. And many a young man's weekly stipend suffered serious inroads by reason of unduly heavy cleaners' bills.

### Light Tans, Grays and Blue Grays Have the Call.

This spring, while colors continue to sing in lively tones, they're somewhat more subdued. And more attention has been paid to harmonious blending, not only in the ground colors, but in the decorative patterns as well.

Light tans, sand shades, and new blue gray mixtures seem to have the call, judging by the reports of leading manufacturers. Blues, of course, are always good; and there is still some demand for Oxford gray, though a lighter Cambridge shade is more in evidence.

An entirely new note is green—a light, lichen shade—that is making its appearance also in shirts and other accessories.

### Neat Stripes Favored.

The stripe motif will be a favorite in patterns, but the stripes will be neater, less bold, and in many cases shot through with decorative threads of lustrous silk. This gives a very pleasing, enlivening effect, particularly in the worsteds now fast regaining some of their eclipsed popularity with the young men.

Herringbones, too, are receiving considerable attention; and in the more expensive "customized" lines, small broken check and all-over Scotch motifs are being shown.

The whole tendency is to neater, smarter effects than formerly and away from bill-board loudness of design.

### More Fitted Lines in the Suits.

One of the outstanding trends in suit styles is the fitted body lines. As one witty style observer facetiously remarks: "Fat men stand a slim chance in 1928 styles."

In other words, the man of average build is going to have a chance to show his figure, an advantage hitherto almost entirely monopolized in certain respects by the fair sex.

Wide shoulders, closer-fitting body lines, snug hips—these are the details that produce the wedge effects now coming into vogue. Trousers, too, are revealing a narrowing trend—all of which makes for a much smarter appearance.

Among college men, the three-button model continues to be popular,

though there is a tendency to get over into the two-button's preserves by leaving the top button of the three unbuttoned.

However, the two-button suit appears to be steadily gaining in general popularity, especially among the younger element in responsible business circles.

The double-breasted vest with pleated top, straight-hanging trousers and two-button single-breasted coat is a combination increasingly favored by smart dressers. It looks particularly well when topped off with a hombourg hat.

### Fancy Vests Coming Back from Oblivion?

And speaking of vests, it looks very much as though the old fancy waistcoat of a couple of decades or more ago is going to be given the pulmotor and brought back to life.

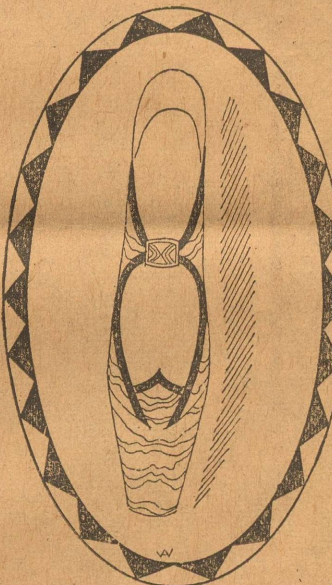
One of the leading men's stores of Chicago is now showing a suit with two vests—a plain and a fancy. The plain vest is of the same material as the coat and trousers. The fancy vest has the same ground color as the plain, but there's a neat figured design woven into the fabric which gives it the fancy effect.

### Little Change in Topcoat Styles but a Tendency to the Short Side

The regulation straight-lined box model in the button-through style seems destined for the big play again this season. There's a tendency away from the extreme lengths of last spring, with 44 and 46 inches the leading lengths.

Very light colors—tans, gray mixtures, and heather effects—are the predicted favorites, with tweeds leading the procession in fabrics, and homespun a close second. More attention is being given to camel's hair and apaca mixtures than heretofore, especially in moderately priced topcoats.

### On the Square



An evening slipper of beige moire and gold kid trimming shows the new square toe.

## The Mode Does Much with its Accessories

There are so many interesting accessories in the stores and shops for the spring season that it is difficult to know just where to begin. On every side there are things new, things exotic and things typically modern for us moderns to wear with chic spring costumes.

For no reason at all, except that they are so unusually smart and interesting this year, umbrellas will be mentioned first. The most important are imported affairs with hook and crook shape handles of compositions of tortoise-shell and these will face spring showers with silk coverings of solid colors. Changeable silks in shades of green are much seen; and diagonal, slightly rounded hooks of crystal are combined with contrasting composition in handles that top umbrellas of changeable silk.

### Spring Handbags.

When you go to select your handbags for spring, you will be beset with a multitude of considerations, for all are so lovely, so chic and so utterly Parisian. Since it is a rule of the mode that shoes and bags must match, it is not to be wondered at that the newest bags are appearing in pastel and light colored glazed kid-skins and pastel patent leather, as those are some of the smartest shoe leathers for spring, 1928.

Bags with top handles are most important and the more tailored ones

favor pouch styles. Unusual shapes of new and contrasting colors appear to be very prominent as we enter the season. For afternoon and semi-formal wear metal frames of fine lacy filigree ornaments inset with colored stones harmonize with the color of the bag. Alligator and snakeskin are used in new and novel ways as appliques on calf and patent leathers.

### Gloves are Versatile.

The gloves for spring go hand in hand with fashion and are to be seen in both novel and simple versions. Some of the fascinating ones have cunning cuffs with contrasting leather insets, often in a very vivid shade. It is doubtful if fashionable women will ever give up the popular slip-on glove. Washable suede and antelope in all its well-known guises appear to be most in favor and the smartest of these are hand sewn.

### Scarfs Flutter.

In the spring neckwear family, there is nothing more favored than the silk scarf. Great squares of silk they are, exotically colored in all the new and brilliant colors of the mode. Many of them were designed by famous artists both in this country and in France and are to be worn with trim little tailored suits or smart spring frocks. These are to be thrown nonchalantly around the shoulder and tied either in the front or cowboy fashion, on one shoulder.

## Fashions for Future Debutantes

When little ladies of fashion put in their important appearance at the smart affairs of the springtime, you will see them garbed in modes that are veritable replicas of older sister's. This idea started in France and is sweeping this country with any amount of success.

The vogue among the "grown-ups" for brightly colored fabrics has extended to the younger generation and little girls' school and play dresses are in bright colors to keep pace with the elders in the family. Gay harmonizing tones appear to take the place of the practical navy blue of former years and cunning little frocks are to be seen in delicate pastel shades. Dresses that tub easily and successfully are in high favor,

both with mothers and with their fashionable little daughters and these are smartest when in linen or cotton.

Printed silks are important, too, in the more dressy type of girl's frock, and these are generally trimmed with harmonizing band of plain materials.

It is our opinion, after our jaunt through the shops and stores, that the tan shades are to be the most popular for spring. All shades of blue are good, too; and red, always a favorite with the future debutante, appears in brilliant profusion.

### Costume Ensembles.

Already the costume idea is pervading the children's realm of fashions. One of the smartest we noticed had a coat of navy blue twill that was in the fashionable seven-

eighths-length and this was worn over a one-piece tailored frock of bright red crepe de chine and the coat was lined with the red crepe.

Other adorable ensembles were of tweed, much in the manner of feminine elders.

### Coats Wear Capes.

It is the fashion this spring for little sister to wear her coat wrapped snugly about her, thus emphasizing the importance again of the slim silhouette, so much favored just at this time. Capes are here to stay and one smart little model was of a lovely soft shade of blue, in kasha, and the cape was scalloped.

### Scarfs of Material.

If the youngsters become vain over

the new little coats, most certainly they are to be pardoned for although she is young, she is already very feminine and conscious that when she throws the smart little scarf that accompanies her new coat about her neck, she catches the admiration of all eyes.

### Red Coats.

The shops are showing more red coats this season than ever before and the brick shades are the most prominent. Other popular coat shades for the spring season are navy, tan, rose and green.

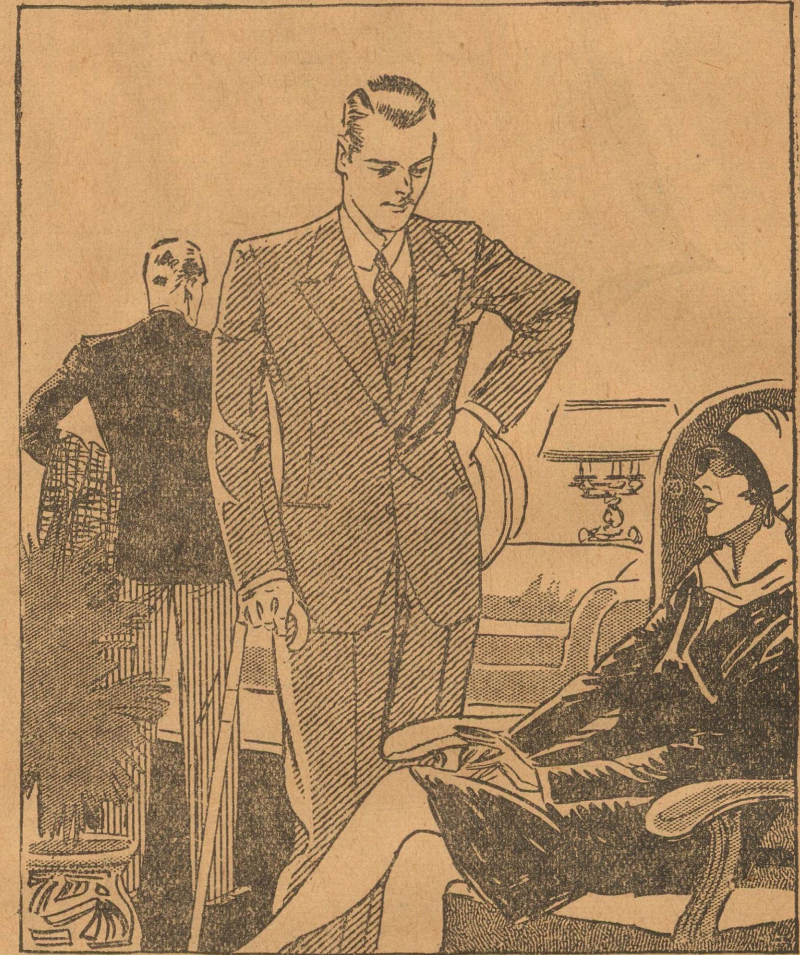
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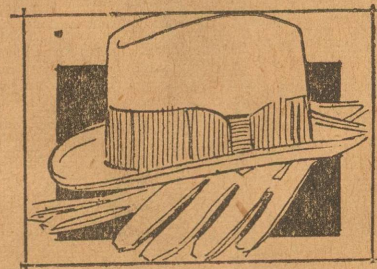
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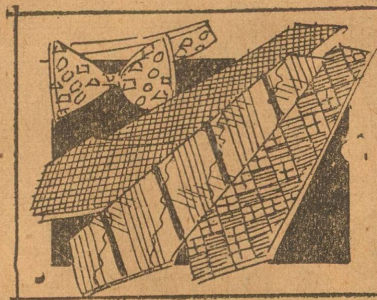
### Shoes—

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# Fashion News of the SPORT WORLD



Fashion scouts have been scouting around Paris and cables have been flying back and forth across the Atlantic, flashing the latest news of fashion as it affects the sport world for spring.

And how interesting and fascinating it is... containing all sorts of sparkling new and very choice information for American women who take their sports so strenuously and the matter of their sportswear so seriously.

Before we even begin to tell you about all the fascinating new things about spring sportswear, we want to tell you just how important the ensemble theme has become. It began its career several seasons ago and because of its chic and practicability, it has grown by leaps and bounds until now it appears at every smart sports occasion with equally smart nonchalance.

Twoed—that sturdy material popular for centuries in Scotland—is the leader of a merry band of fabrics that go to make the charming costumes for both sports and travel wear. The tweeds that are smartest for spring, however, are not the small patterned woolens, rather the fine mixtures and plain cloths. For street wear, light-weight woolens are extremely important.

**One and Two Piece Frocks.** Whether you go in for active sports or are content merely to be a fashionable bystander, you will be interested to hear the news that the one and two-piece dresses are equally important. Three-piece jumper dresses are even more smart and are most informal in nature insofar as they are developed of novelty knitted and woven fabrics.

While wandering about the fashion shops and ready-to-wear sections

of the stores, we saw many interesting variations of the one-piece dress. One that particularly caught our eye was a white kasha which was appliqued in unusual modernistic designs in black. Another was a tan beige cashmere, accented by handings of brown. Another dress that would be equally at home on the street or in the field of sports was a gray tweed with triangular insets of black. We also noticed one of rose-beige wool crepe with insets of a darker shade. This darker shade appeared again around the neck and cuffs.

### Feminine Note.

There is a decided feminine note struck in the woolen costumes for spring with the introduction of pastel tones. We saw a luscious violet blue woolen outfit. Another was in bright yellow.

For many seasons, prints have made very serious attempts to enter the world of sports fashions. This year it is our guess that they have exceeded their fondest expectations for the reason that we see prints prominent in sports costumes. Sometimes the print fashions the coat, with a frock of plain material and in just as many cases the idea is reversed. Plain crepes in all the rough surfaces, such as pongee and shantung, are self trimmed and extremely simple, yet utterly chic.

### Cardigan Reappears.

When the Cardigan was introduced not so many seasons back, little did the world of fashion realize the heights of favor that it has apparently reached in the spring collections. Those for spring, however, are longer and belted and fit more snugly around the hips.

Others come with capes—and by the way, capes are one of the out-

standing features of the 1928 spring sports wear. These little capes are often merely coverings for the shoulder, yet in many cases reach to the wrist. One of the smartest sports coats we noticed, had a cape that extended almost to the hemline in back and was cut away from the front of the coat.

With the Cardigan and one and two piece frocks, huge scarfs of silk are thrown nonchalantly about the shoulder and appear in brilliant colors or in plain shades to harmonize with the costumes with which they are worn. These squares can be folded to conform to oblong lengths or can be folded on the triangular and draped over one shoulder, either tied in back or front or on one shoulder.

### Sweaters Important.

Sweaters are no longer an accessory to fashionable sports wardrobes. They have assumed the importance of a necessity. Sweaters are particularly favored by debutantes and young matrons who take their golf and tennis seriously for they realize and appreciate the comfort of a sweater, to say nothing of its smartness.

The newest sweaters feature two-tone contrasts that are attained through stripes, sometimes encircling the shoulder and just as many times extending only halfway around. Diagonal effects seem just as important. A few lovely sweaters attained importance by the use of metallic stripes and gleaming threads.

### Sports Jewelry.

The vogue for sports jewelry continues to be most important. Vivid color effects are seen in jade green, lapis blue, rose and ruby shades and various shades of purple are combined in unique links of silver or

gold. Sweater chokers are made of transparent stones in a large variety of colors. Crystal pins are introduced for sportswear and golden necklets, bracelets, brooches and earrings of the pendant type are exceedingly smart.

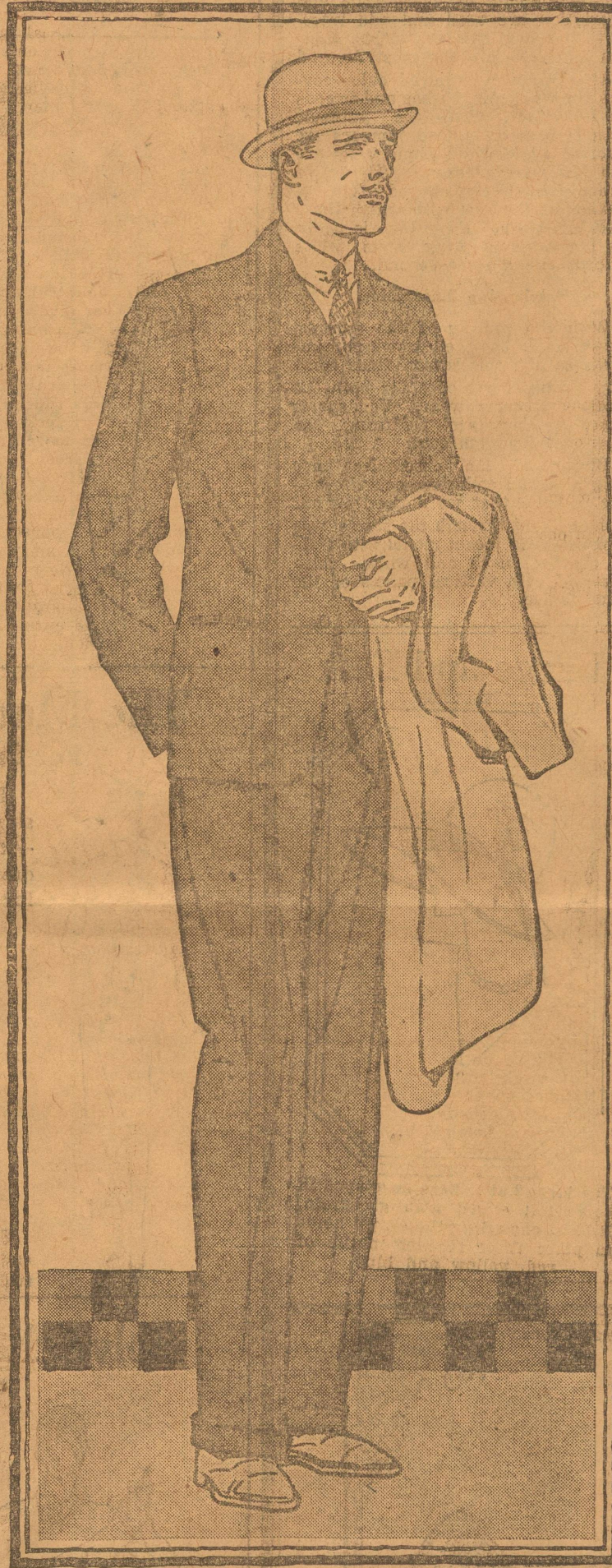
Novel ornaments for sport hats are introduced in silhouettes of feminine figures playing tennis or golf. Serpent jewelry in both gold and silver and composed of several strands that are flexible, remain exceedingly smart.

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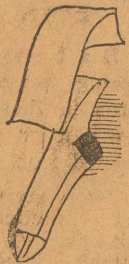
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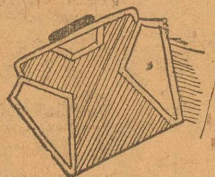
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This is not to be wondered at, for the recent Paris showings launched any number of fascinating new styles with the American woman particularly in mind.

For regardless of what anyone has to say in the matter, the women of this country have considerable effect on the trend of style and French designers are most conscious of this—hence we find the styles as they are being shown in the shops particularly suited to smart American types of femininity.

**Longer Skirts Introduced.**  
It begins to appear that the very definite attempt toward longer skirts by designers, for several seasons, is beginning to have some effect, as the very latest word from Paris indicates that such is the case. This may or may not become a fact, for women have grown fond of the freedom of the short skirt and it will be decided entirely by the favor with which it is received.

Other big news in the world of fashion, so far as the spring mode is concerned, is the expansion of the silhouette. This is accomplished in a number of ways. Hemlines grow more irregular as the season advances and we see width being introduced in circular cuts, flounces, tiers or gathered fullness.

Hips, however, are fitted snugly and with the fullness extending from the hip line to the skirt hem. Jabots are entered into the lengthening process in many of the newest models for spring that naturally were conceived in Paris—beginning at the neck line and extending to the hem of the skirt.

The only species of the mode that resists the irregular hem line to a large extent is the sport mode, although scallops appear in some of the most exclusive models that the shops are showing. There is no added length, the plaited skirt continues to be the favorite for sports wear although the circular cut, being more feminine, is favored by some of the smartest women.

**Variety in Dresses.**  
There is a world of variety in the new dress collections as they are being offered for spring, 1928. Colors run rampant and gay figured materials are important. Intricate cut and manipulation of fabric continue to be the high light, thus carrying out the elaborate formal air that has been so important for the last few seasons, perhaps because it gives the tall and slender look so favored by the fashionable women today. We find tunics in extremely good standing—many are wrapped tightly around the figure with shirred or plaited or circular fullness appearing at the opposite side.

Perhaps the most important single feature of the spring frocks is the scarf, either attached or separate, and in most cases, it is possible to be draped around the throat as a mi lady wishes it. Oftentimes, the scarf is

found in the shops appear in pattern tweeds in check and herringbone designs and it appears that soft tans and greens are the most favored.

**The Tailleur Prominent.**  
Without a question of a doubt, suits are to be the outstanding feature of the spring mode. For what woman doesn't revel in the feeling of smartness that a two-piece tailored suit gives her? This year the tailleur is perhaps more interesting than ever and especially are the skirts cunning. Plaits of every type and description are used and add interest to the new little suit skirts. Manish materials are the most favored in the two-piece tailored suit—coverts, reps, oxfords, kashas and tweeds are important. With the tailleur, satin blouses or knitted jumpers are favored, while white pique vests are also frequently seen. These of course are strictly tailored after the manner of the suit with which these vests are worn. Navy blue is again the favorite for spring suits while oxfords run a close second.

**Lace is Important.**  
At all the smart afternoon gatherings this spring, lace will be most important. It appears in many new and unusual ways and places and is always extremely becoming and unquestionably dainty. The more formal afternoon frocks favor entire yokes of lace that appear again on the sleeves in deep and narrow cuffs, and invariably the lace cuff extends over the hand.

**Two-piece frocks appear again in great abundance with lovely monograms, fascinating little pockets and interesting color bands serving as decoration.**

Never has there been such a selection in delightful printed silks as are to be found in the shops this season. Sheer and heavy crepes come into their share of popularity with small designs in cluster arrangement favored. Sheer crepes and flat crepes in plain colors are also favorites. Light weight woollens have been developed in all sorts of interesting styles for street wear and sports wear.

**Coats Have Capes.**  
Perhaps the two most interesting fashion features of the spring coats are the cape themes and the three-quarter length effects. Capes are cunning little affairs that flare about the shoulder—some reaching to the elbow—others to the wrist, while a few of the most exclusive models have coat that reach almost to the hem of the skirt. There is a decided tendency toward the normal and slightly higher placement of the waistline on the newest coats.

Women will be glad to hear that kasha and kasha types—materials so popular for balmy spring days—appears again to be the fabric of supremacy in the cloth coat realm, while silk coats are developed of dull finished silks. Other materials popular are chevots, twill, novelty reps, covert, kasha and broadcloth.

Fur trimming for our new Spring coats is more a matter of Madames choice for the reason that both are equally smart but perhaps the very newest in the furless coat which strangely enough and smartly too, is entirely collarless, depending thoroughly upon its smart simplicity for its success. Bleached red fox and beige fox are the most favored furs and appear in some of the more intriguing sport coats as well as coats of the more formal silk type.

One thing to remember when you set about to select your Spring coat is the fact that the fur must be either on the cuffs or on the collar, but it rarely appears on both. Scarfs of the coat fabric flutter from many of the smartest necklines and are drawn through slots of material.

Sport coats have wide tuxedo collars of self material with great pockets, narrow front belts and large fox cuffs. The smartest coats to be

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**Fascinating Ensembles.**

With the passing of the seasons, the ensemble has been growing in importance and this season finds some very fascinating modes for both the sports and dress wear. For sports wear, the shops are featuring the seven-eighth length coat.

Blouses of the ensembles have snug hips and collarless neck lines—one in batik that we noticed on our fashion jaunt through the stores, was a black kasha jacket model with finely checked black and white skirt, trimmed with vertical panels of the same fabric.

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# Upon your HAT Spring Smartness Depends

The time is at hand when madame and mademoiselle must select her spring wardrobe. Of course, she has been thinking and planning and contemplating that very thing for many weeks... but the time has come when important selections must be made... for spring is here!

Being a woman of fashion and a very wise one at that, she knows full well that any costume can be made or marred by a hat. For that reason, she goes about this business of hat hunting very religiously and before choosing, considers her new spring chapeau from every angle.

### Variety is Infinite.

But in selecting her hats for spring, 1928, she will find little difficulty in finding the hats of her dreams for the variety is infinite, the colors are spring's own and the models were conceived in Parisian minds... what more can we ask?

And so realizing the fashion importance of hats, she sets about to make her selections. And here is some millinery style information that she kept in mind, when making her all-important selections:

### A New Silhouette.

There's an entirely new silhouette in the hats as they are being presented for spring. This quite naturally was conceived by the French and the whole secret lies in the novelty of the brim. The general idea, however, is one of simplicity, but the lines are unusually complicated. This new silhouette pertains solely to the brims, the crowns remaining snug and following the contour of the head closely, and are just as simple as ever.

Not only do we notice in the first spring hats that this complicated idea is limited to felts alone, for the straw hats appear to be very soft and flexible in that they are creased, tucked, draped and plaited in every way the felt is used. Straws are particularly

prominent for spring, although felt never will lose its smartness and chic. In the straws, ballbuntl, sisal, bakou and paramant are the most prominent.

One thing is certain; that with so much variety, it is a simple matter to find a hat that adapts itself to one's face. Spring hats are utterly becoming. We notice that new more feminine spect—the reason is they have more trimmings—and the silhouette is framed about the face in soft flattering lines, thus getting away from the plain sports-like effect so long in vogue.

### Turn Up in Front.

Turned up in front hats are being sponsored by many of the leading Paris designers and we notice this effect throughout most of the spring collections in the stores and shops. Brims take on width and are turned up and slashed, plaited and laid back flat to the crown. Some are flat under the brim itself and render a smart note of novelty.

For the reason that turned up in front hats are youthful and flattering, it is expected that they will meet with no end of success. Hats for sports wear take on the wider brims; perhaps this idea was conceived by quick thinking designers who realized the importance of the collarless coat.

## Narrowing The Toe a Spring Trend in Men's Footwear

The outstanding style development in men's footwear fashions is the trend toward the narrowed toe and custom lines.

You can recollect, no doubt, the time when shoes assumed tabletop dimensions and "dogginess" was the thing. But the old order changeth and the keen edge of style smartness trims down the toes until they resemble the higher priced custom made lasts.

This movement, however, is not carried to its extreme, and the medium broad toes will still prevail as popular models, especially among the young men. This change finds a synchronization in the trend toward narrower trousers and is commendable because it creates harmony in one's turn-out.

Oxfords will predominate, and as the season advances toward warmer weather, weights will decrease so as

to provide a full amount of foot comfort.

The real light shades of tan are being replaced by the richer looking, medium shades. Black is holding its own, and in several centers is becoming more popular. Patent leather will find some adherents in shoes for general wear.

The wing tip is staging a revival on shoes shown by some leading manufacturers, but is evidenced by a simpler and smarter presentation. Neater stitching effects are also supplanting the heavy pinkings and perforations commonly associated with the balloon toe.

Heels find partisans for both rubber and leather. Individual preference makes the selection here and either will be in good taste. The higher heels promised for last season failed to materialize and so the medium height heel still supports the manhood of the country.

### Shoes for Sports Wear.

All signs point toward a big sport season. Here your taste for color can reveal in the black and white, tan and white, and two-tone tan combinations. Soles will be either of rubber or leather. The golfer who longs for a solid foothold in anticipation of a long and mighty drive will instantly select the spike sole shoe.

# SPRING STYLES for BOYS show GROWN-UP SMARTNESS



Youngsters who are smart sartorially as well as scholastically will be pleased with the dapper attire that is destined to be popular this spring. Suit colors will be medium-light and light, reflecting the brightness of the season. Cassimeres and twists will be the most popular fabrics with tweeds not far in arrears.

Blue chevots will surely be good; the same material in a diamond weave and in herringbones will find plenty of favor likewise.

### Brown Shades Popular.

In hue the various shades and grades of brown will prevail. One manufacturer asserted that seven out of 10 of his spring suit orders were for this color. Excepting for reddish browns, however, the general tenor of the color range will be light, as stated above. Tans—yellow tans, in particular—will find favor.

### Suit Models.

In general suits from sizes 6 to 13 will have golf pants, and 14 to 18, long trousers. There will be few of the two-pants suits with one long and one short pair of pants. Most suits will have two buttons and peak lapels in the single-breasted style. The blues will be mainly double-breasted with three buttons in sizes 2 to 11. The few double-breasted vests that will be sold will be found in the cadet suits (sizes 13 to 18) with six buttons.

### As to Topcoats.

Redolent of vernal gaiety will the topcoats be, running to light colors and plaids principally. Tans and grays will be the colors as usual. While most of the topcoats will be of medium weight, the light but relatively warm camel's hair coat will surely find favor. The latter is found in sizes 1 to 18. For the juvenile—sizes 1 to 8—the reefer coats of blue chevot with the naval emblem,

double-breasted effect, and brass buttons will sell big, it is freely predicted.

From sizes 12 to 18 the single-breasted topcoats with three buttons, notch lapels, and set-in sleeves will be noticeably popular.

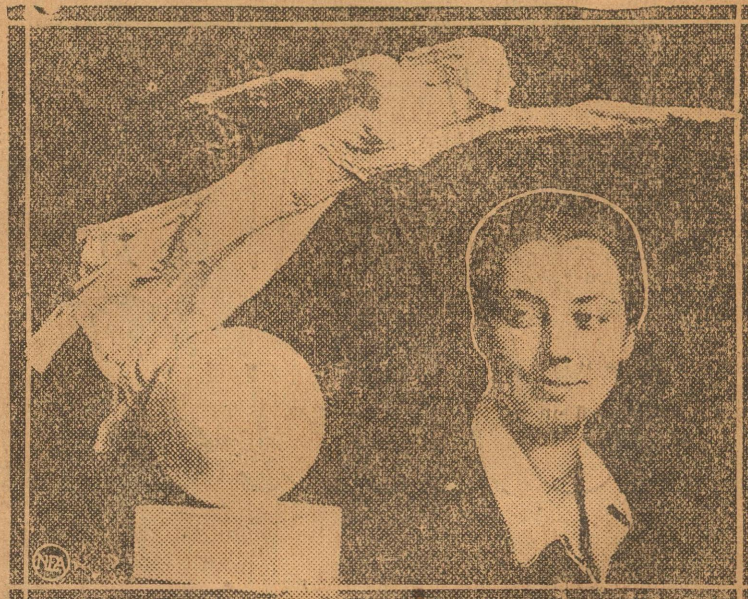
### —And Odd Pants.

Mothers with the economy instinct will buy their progeny odd pants as

usual. Plus fours will be light of hue and fancy in patterns in sizes 10 to 18.

For sizes 2 to 8 the "flapper pants" with the short cut, wide bottom, and belt to match is prescribed by many. One other item that is increasingly popular is the blue flannel double-breasted sport coat, just the thing for spring outdoor wear.

## World Aviators' Honor to Lindy



The symbolic trophy to be presented to Colonel Lindbergh by the International League of Aviators for the best aerial performance of 1927 is pictured here in the Paris studio of its sculptor, Princess R. Mdviani.

### "Justified?"



"She was justified; don't prosecute her—" were reported as the dying words of Oakley Harris, New Orleans sportsman and gambler, after he had named his common-law wife, Mrs. Lucina Gutras Haarberg Kelloway (above) as the woman who shot him. Harris died shortly after and Mrs. Kelloway was arrested. A charge of murder was to be filed against her. Mrs. Kelloway attempted to kill herself after shooting Harris, according to police, but Harris prevented her.

### Becoming



The latest is to have your hat match your scarf. This is a natural baker straw with ribbon and scarf of henna-dotted cream silk.



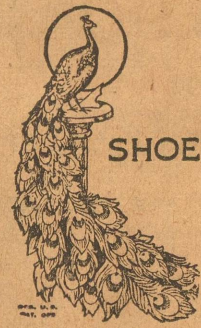
## Easter HATS Are the most important part of your Costume

What woman is there that doesn't select her Easter Hat and then build her costume around it? It's the proper thing to do. Large, medium and small shapes are all good and just the right twist of the brim will give the hat a world of style.

## PEACOCK SHOES are favored for Easter

The chic pump, the slenderizing strap, the tailored tie are all equally important in Easter Footwear. Patents and soft kidskins are to the front and satin has its place.

Our showing of Easter Footwear is complete.



## EASTER STYLED FROCKS Are Here Aplenty

Crepe Romain, flat Crepe, Printed Crepe and printed Chiffon vie with each other for a favored place in the Easter costume.

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You are invited to visit and select your Easter Outfit during **Spring Opening and Pre-Easter Display** Thursday and Friday, March 22-23



The fashion wise woman will select Easter apparel now while stocks are at their best. Since April 8th is Easter it is time now to start selecting your Easter outfit.

A visit to our ready-to-wear section will solve many vexing problems for you.



This season a woman has more to select. There's the coat—the frock underneath—the soft straw hat—the trim shoes—and accessories for one costume to complete her wardrobe she will select a tailored suit and a smart Ensemble. May we show you the many new styles?

### Fabrics

—Those who like to sew and fashion many delightful styles will find here many fascinating fabrics. Lustrous silks in all the wanted colors. Prints in many geometric signs. Sheer georgettes share honors with wonderful crepes. In fact, a complete line of piece goods and at prices that are reasonable.

### Hosiery

—Hose plays an important part and can add much to or mar the looks of any costume. Sheer chiffons in the newest colors with a newly developed high heel of irregular lines are the favorite for Easter. You will find just such a Hose here in the Romillia—the Hose of the hour at \$1.95 pair.



### Easter Millinery

Shapes are large, medium and small for Easter. The brims take all sorts of turns and twists to smartness. There are so many that classification is difficult, yet you are assured all are chic, authentic and of the mode.

We have styles for the Miss and Matron.

### Easter Footwear

In Footwear as in Millinery, no one style, color or material dominates. Honey Beige is a new color that's good in kid while black patent is as popular as ever. Straps vie with pumps and ties are by no means obsolete.

Showing many new styles that are priced from \$7.95 down to \$5.48.



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*Sport Frocks*

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**\$9.85 to \$49.50**

Dull crepe fashions the majority of this fine collection of sports frocks for spring. Others are of sheer tweeds and knitted fabrics. Elegance and femininity are achieved through skillful details—tucks, pleats, scarfs, interesting belts and collarless necklines. Our collection of finer dresses embodies the new and the modern in materials, colors and styles and are truly representative of the current spring mode.



*Easter Coats*

Will Fascinate You  
by Their Details  
**\$12.50 and up**

Easter brings an excellent collection of Paris inspired coats that will positively intrigue you with their flaring scarfs, swinging capes, intricate stitching and unusual collars, cuffs and pockets. And then their lovely tints. Fashions here are always first fashions, yet our prices are right.

**~ and Hats**

This spring the hats are unusually pretty. You'll find here the hat to match any outfit and you will be doubly pleased with their low prices.

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**30 Cities Report Cut  
Of 6 Percent on Deaths  
From Tuberculosis**

By United Press.  
NEW YORK, March 21.—In advance of the annual announcement of mortality statistics by the U. S. Bureau of the Census, which is usually issued July 1, it was disclosed here today that the death rate from tuberculosis in 30 major cities with a population exceeding 25,000,000, decreased 6 per cent in 1927 over 1926 with actual death from the disease number 1,002 less.

The figures have just been compiled for the National Tuberculosis association from reports of Health commissioners of large cities by Godias J. Drolet, statistician of the New York Tuberculosis and Health association.

"As recently as 1923," states Drolet, "the tuberculosis death rate in most American cities averaged 160 deaths annually per 100,000; yet in 1927, only four year later, in 30 of these cities we find a rate of only 85.6. This includes New York City, where the rate was 86 per 100,000 against 93 in 1926, a decline of 8 per cent; Chicago with a rate remaining stationary at 83, Philadelphia, where it was reduced from 96 to 85 or by 11 per cent; Detroit, from 94 to 92, or by 2 per cent; Cleveland from 95 to 86, or by 9 per cent; Boston from 101 to 86; or by 15 per cent; Pittsburgh from 79 to 73, or by 8 per cent; San Francisco from 94 to 89; or by 5 per cent; Buffalo from 95 to 81, or by 15 per cent. In the remaining 20 cities, a tuberculosis decline is shown in 12 and an increase in only eight.

"Cities showing increases are: Los Angeles, 2 per cent; St. Louis, 6 per cent; Milwaukee, 1 per cent; Washington, D. C., 2 per cent; Cincinnati, 2 per cent; Portland, Ore., 4 per cent; Toledo, 1 per cent; Providence, 6 per cent.

"Yet in the other 12 remaining cities where local official advance figures have been obtained, there was a decline in the death rate per 100,000. Newark, 10 per cent; Minneapolis 17 per cent; Indianapolis, 1 per cent; Jersey City, 18 per cent; Rochester, N. Y., 12 per cent; Denver 5 per cent; St. Paul, 3 per cent; Columbus 12 per cent; Birmingham, 13 per cent; Atlanta, 5 per cent; Omaha, 25 per cent; Kansas City, Kan., 22 per cent.

"In general," added Drolet, "while the tuberculosis death rate in the United States is being constantly reduced, it is still important to note that in the aggregate, because of the continued increase in population, the total number of patients to be cared for tends to be constant, and the entire tuberculosis situation still remains at a high and serious level. There are still in the large American cities more than 21,000 lives taken annually by this preventable disease, indicating that there are also several times that number of living cases in the throes of active tuberculosis, of families and homes threatened, which need and should have every support and means of defense which can be given them."

**Taxes or Liquor Is  
Problem Confronting  
People of Russia**

By United Press.  
MOSCOW—Prohibition authorities here are in a quandary. If they enforce prohibition strictly they automatically decrease government revenue derived from the sale of vodka (the national drink), a state monopoly. If they fail to enforce the act, excessive consumption of alcohol takes place which results in a decrease in the efficiency of labor.

According to statistics, the state's annual revenue from the sale of vodka amounts to 510 millions of rubles. The figure represents almost one sixth of the entire yearly revenue. Other figures show that at one time, vodka caused the state to lose 25 million days of labor.

During the early days of prohibition the peasants turned their wheat, rice, maize and potatoes into home-brewed vodka. This home brew became known under the name of "samogon." The consumption of samogon increased with the strictness of the enforcement of prohibition. It reached such a stage that the country, in spite of its huge production of grain and cereals, became short of both.

To overcome the crisis, the government relented. As a preliminary measure intended to encourage the peasants to cease using their produce in the manufacture of home brew, the sale of 30 per cent vodka was allowed.

After a time, the government found that despite the new measure, soviet moonshiners continued to prosper. Then it was they authorized the sale of 40 per cent vodka. It was hoped that by increasing the strength of the drink by 10 per cent the peasants would be satisfied to buy government produce and definitely give up their home brew.

Up to the present time, this does not seem to be the case. Despite continual propaganda against the consumption of alcohol, the government is having great difficulty in driving moonshiners out of business. So far the sale of 40 per cent vodka has attained its aim in large cities only. A certain quantity of it is sold in villages but the inhabitants still continue to consume their home brewed samogon.

After the Missouri legislature had appropriated \$10,000 to strengthen the sinking Missouri Memorial at Cheppy, France, the French contractor who had been awarded the job announced that his figure had been high and that he could do the work for \$7,500. Just try to picture how far that man would go in the contracting business in America.



**Fashions Arrive to  
Tell You About  
Glorious Spring**

They are here in gala array . . . the fashions for spring, 1928. Smart new frocks with the wider and longer silhouette. Straight-line coats and coats with interesting new capes. Ensembles with gay printed frocks and printed silk linings and trig little tailored suits, so beloved by the chic Parisienne. All these and more are here awaiting your selection tomorrow when we show, for the first time, these arrestingly new modes for spring, Easter and afterwards.

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**Millinery to Top the Easter Mode**

These hats comprise all that is new and chic and Parisian for spring. In Felt, Crocheted Visca and Ballibuntl in independence blue, Napoleon blue, cafe creme, peach beige, mother goose and red.

Close fitting shapes, medium shapes and large hats in brimless effects and with brims that are turned up and down into the smartest styles.

Joseph has a fine selection of Easter Hats to choose from.

**Footwear Gay as Easter**

THE NEW STYLES—JUST ARRIVED!

Just after their creation, we are showing the latest spring models developed in kidskins, patents and satins and set off by rich shades, such as Stroller Tan, Honey Beige, Rose Blush, Black and combinations.

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