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REDUCTION OF ARMAMENTS IS JUST STARTING

Democrats Want Another Conference to Advance Peace Program.

By WALLACE BASSFORD
WASHINGTON, April 16.—It is probable that the question submitted to a vote of the white people, it would be found that nothing in the history of the Harding administration met with such hearty endorsement as the adoption of the treaty bringing about a moderate reduction of armaments, though it was limited to the larger types of war vessels. Very general credit was given the administration for this accomplishment, though it will be recalled by those who followed the movement from its very genesis that the president was strongly suspected of having to be dragged into the plea at the eleventh hour. Just here a bit of history will help clarify the matter.

Back in 1915, Mr. Hensley, a Missouri democrat, on the naval affairs committee, became something of a thorn in the side of the big navy crowd. He was one of several democrats who became known as the "little navy men." He introduced a bill directing the then president (Wilson) to call a conference for the limitation of armaments as soon as practicable after the close of the pending war. When the naval bill of 1916 was being considered he offered it as an amendment to the bill. Three speeches were made for the amendment—by Hensley, Decker of Missouri, and Champ Clark, then speaker of the house. It was opposed by several republican congressmen, notably Mr. Gardner of Massachusetts, Senator Lodge's son-in-law. It went into the bill, though largely opposed by the republican minority. The bill carried an appropriation of \$200,000 for the expenses of the proposed conference, which money never has been used.

Republican Repeat.
Then in 1921 Mr. Connolly of Texas and Mr. Moore of Virginia, both democrats, undertook to amend the naval bill then pending with a conference proposition, but were overwhelmed by the republican leaders. Then the bill went to the senate, where Senator Borah, republican of the progressive group, attempted a similar amendment. At the time the newspapers represented President Harding as hotly opposing it as an encroachment of the congress on the prerogatives of the executive.

Within a few months, however, Mr. Harding seemed to get a new light on the subject, whereupon the same proposition, with a carefully prepared all-republican setting and sponsorship, was put through congress, with the late conference as its result. Curiously enough, though the democratic legislation of 1916 was on the statute books and the appropriation of \$200,000 lying in the treasury unused, the republican congress proceeded to legislate afresh, in almost the exact language of the existing legislation, even to the extent of the money appropriated, though attention was called at the time to the fact that the legislation, including the appropriation, was already provided for by the law of 1916. It was necessary to do this non-partisan thing with a strongly partisan setting.

The results of the conference were good as far as they went. It seemed to Mr. Byrnes of South Carolina that the time is propitious for another attempt to secure more far-reaching results, so he tried a few days ago to amend the naval bill so as to request President Coolidge to call a conference, but Mr. French of Idaho, republican, succeeded in amending the Byrnes proposition so as to defer action until the president thinks "there is a reasonable prospect of agreement." Mr. Moore of Virginia warmly seconded the efforts of Mr. Byrnes in favor of the original proposition and against the "whittled down" form advocated by Mr. French but the republican majority ruled.

Reduction of Armaments.
Since that occurrence the military bill has come up in the house and again the democrats were busy seeking legislation to reduce armaments, this time in reference to land and air forces, and again the republicans were in opposition. Mr. Moore of Virginia offered the amendment providing for the calling of such a conference and spoke ably in support of his proposal, but Mr. Anthony of Kansas, republican, made the point of order that it constituted legislation on an appropriation bill, and the republican chairman of the committee of the whole house sustained Mr. Anthony. Mr. Boyce of Delaware requested Mr. Anthony to withdraw his point, but without avail.

These are plain matters of record set forth in the official proceedings of the house, and should have a profound effect upon the minds of those millions of Americans who are yearning for greater assurances of peace in the world. As Mr. Moore pointed out, the time is very propitious for further attempts at reduction of the burdens resting so heavily on the people.

Rotary Club Hears Inspiring Speaker

Jack Campbell Set Free on Habeas Corpus Hearing

Jack Campbell was set free this afternoon in habeas corpus proceedings in the district court of Eastland. More than 15 witnesses testified that the Campbell held in jail was not the Campbell who was owner of a roadhouse near Eastland, and was subsequently killed. Campbell was arrested in Pawhuska, Okla., last Friday on suspicion as being the Campbell slain in the old "Stone House."

Bud Faircloth and John Barnes, of Ranger both testified that the man held was not the Campbell of roadhouse fame.

"MOTORCADE" WILL PASS TO ALBUQUERQUE

It Will Travel Bankhead Highway All the Way From Memphis, Tenn.

Judge J. M. DeArmond, state director of the Bankhead highway national highway association with office at Midland, who was a visitor in Eastland county Tuesday, is enthusiastic in his plans for a "motorcade" that will lead to Albuquerque, N. M., for the eighth annual convention of the Bankhead association in conjunction with the United States Good Roads association and the United States Good Roads show. The date is May 26 to 31.

Plans now being made provide for the start of the "motorcade" from Memphis, Tenn., traversing the Bankhead highway from that city to Albuquerque, N. M., gathering momentum as it travels westward. The motorcade, says Judge DeArmond will replace the old time cavalcades which were at one time so popular at conventions in the past.

Chambers of commerce, automobile clubs and civic clubs interested in the great national highway will have decorated cars with the banners of the cities represented. The plan was started last year by Col. J. A. Rountree, director general of the Bankhead national highway when with a few cars at points in the Mississippi valley it was swelled to some 200 cars at Greenville, S. C., at which place the convention was held last year.

In addition to the party from Memphis which is expected to have a hundred cars by the time it reaches El Paso, and which will gain rapidly in numbers as it nears Albuquerque, there will be a like party started from cities in California and Arizona on the Bankhead highway. With this highway ready for easy travel in every direction, it is an excellent chance to get tourists going both ways to plan their summer trips at the time of the convention and make the journey there with other enthusiasts. In addition to being a feature of enjoyment to the members of the party, Judge DeArmond says an excellent opportunity will be afforded to enterprising cities and towns to get a bit of good advertisement and publicity.

Judge DeArmond conferred with Chamber of Commerce officials in Ranger, Eastland and Cisco and was given assurance that a number of cars from Eastland county could be counted upon to take a leading place in the proposed motor train of the Bankhead highway boosters, and that Eastland county would have a good delegation at the convention, which promises to be one of the largest good roads conventions ever held.

GOOD SAMARITAN GIVES AID AND LOSES CLOTHES

CHICAGO, April 16.—The Rev. Adam C. Thomassen lost his clothes when he played the role of "Good Samaritan." The parson told Judge Barsaw that two men approached him on the street with means and other signs of distress and begged for alms. He took them to the hotel and gave them food and spiritual comfort and looking for the night. When he woke the next morning the men and his coat and pants were gone.

LYNCH DAVIDSON FOR INSTRUCTED DELEGATION

DALLAS, April 16.—Lynch Davidson, candidate for governor, Texas an instructed delegation from Texas to the democratic national convention, he told a meeting of democratic women here, because of the danger of "mob psychology sweeping the convention."

"Delegates through the admitted medium of mob psychology may be swept off their feet and vote for the popular candidate," he declared.

AMERICAN FLIER FORCED TO LAND BUT NOT HARMED

Major Martin, Commander of Squadron, Awaits Aid by U. S. Warships.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Major Frederick L. Martin, commander of the American round-the-world fliers, who was forced to descend in Kiangviak yesterday, en route from Seward to Shigrik is in no danger, Lieutenant Lowell Smith, acting commander of the fleet, wired the army air service from Chignik today.

The destroyers Hall and Correy, sent to aid him, were expected to arrive at the bay at 5 a. m. (coast time) today, the message said, and they momentarily waited word of his safety.

Herrin Again Upset Over Election and Acts Of Violence

MARION, Ill., April 16.—Fears of further trouble in Williamson county were expressed today following two disturbances affecting a klan leader and a judge who called the grand jury which indicted several klan leaders.

The home of Sam Sterns, klan cyclops of Marion and chairman of the county board of supervisors, was fired into by unknown assailants. About 10 shots were fired.

E. N. Bowen, city judge of Herrin, who called the grand jury which indicted more than a score of klan leaders for activities in the recent boozey war, during which Glenn Young, dry agent, seized control of the Herrin city government, was arrested by Young and Chief of Police John Ford on charges of filing a false affidavit in the hotly contested city election yesterday.

THAW AWAITS WITH IMPATIENCE TIME TO TAKE WITNESS STAND

PHILADELPHIA, April 16.—Chimax of the Thaw sanity trial is to be reserved for tomorrow.

"There is no chance of Harry Thaw taking the stand today," Judge Patterson, his counsel, declared this afternoon after examination of medical witnesses had dragged beyond their expected length.

The millionaire, who is seeking freedom after seven years confinement as a lunatic, was downcast and disappointed that his turn to testify in his own behalf was delayed. The slayer of Stanford White in confidence he can prove himself sane, and has steeled himself against the severe cross-examination that is sure to come.

The first witness, T. R. Phillips, a court stenographer, told of taking a deposition of 30,000 words made in a single day in May, 1918. Dr. George Wilson of the University of Pennsylvania, gave evidence that Thaw was sane.

AGED, DOWN AND OUT, BUT HE HAS SEEN BETTER DAYS

HOUSTON, April 16.—Henry Joseph Miller, 83, a Confederate veteran, physician and adventurer, was outfitted in new clothes by members of the First Christian church here. Miller was recently picked up on the street after he had fainted from exhaustion and illness. He is a product of Vanderbilt and has studied abroad. In an epidemic of cholera in 1873 he lost his wife and six children. He later served as a ranger, and later as a bush ranger in Canada.

DALLAS POLICE DETAIN GAMBLING HOUSE ON WHEELS

DALLAS, April 16.—Mounted on a high-power automobile, a "portable" gambling house was uncovered here by police.

Attracted by clarion calls to the cubes, and vociferous pounding on gaming tables, officers brought the big "covered wagon" to a halt.

In the rear they found a group of men seated around a card table. Nearby another group were "concocting the ivories."

Several arrests were made and considerable gaming equipment confiscated.

Jamie Heron Captivates Heart of Ranger

Rotarian Poet-Lecturer Addresses Rotary Club on "Service Above Self" and Will Speak in Liberty Theatre Tonight on "Building Better Business."

Jamie Heron is to address the high school students at 3 o'clock this afternoon, and will speak in the Liberty theatre tonight on "Building Better Business By Being Better Men." He will speak at 9 o'clock.

It was agreed at the Rotary luncheon today that the revival services in the several Ranger churches would be begun a half-hour earlier tonight and adjourn promptly at 8:45 o'clock, so that the audience could hear Heron, who is in Ranger as the guest of the Ranger Rotarians and the Ranger Chamber of Commerce jointly.

Jamie Heron, Rotarian, poet, lecturer, Scotchman (by ancestry), comrade and now on a tour of Rotary clubs in Texas, addressed the Ranger Rotarians at their luncheon in the Gholston hotel today. Now he has many friends in Ranger and none is afraid to address him as "Jamie."

Heron hails from Chicago, but has been lecturing in all parts of the country for a year or two, and now claims the United States as his home. But during his address today, he read an original poem, "I Want to Live in Texas," in such an impressive manner that Dr. L. C. G. Buckman, president of the Ranger Rotarians, felt impelled to extend him an invitation to come to Ranger at once and make this his home, as he would find no warmer welcome anywhere.

But Heron declared he was not the spokesman for any one section of Texas. He wanted the whole state, which he regarded much too large in every way, too full of the finest opportunities, too exceptional in climate, soil, people and promise to be divided into sections or parts of sections.

He said that Texas was getting new life and new inspiration, and with good reason, for nowhere else were such splendid opportunities to be found, such resources waiting to be developed, such fine, health-giving air, and such fertile soil which had only been scratched.

"Texas will become what it should be by co-operation of the people, all working together for advancement," he said. He pointed out that the civic clubs are building a moral force in the individual, and then the chambers of commerce take these individuals and mold them into a compact and forceful whole for the upbuilding of strong, Christian, influential and progressive communities.

Rotary measures by the Golden Rule in business and in life, Heron told Rotarians. Rotary is a code of life, putting into action the very principles of life," he declared. "The Rotarians must exemplify humanity, and build the man on force of character."

Heron read a three-character playlet, which was better than a sermon, to illustrate how Rotary teaches service above self, and is applying the Golden Rule to business throughout the nation, so it is beginning to govern today the largest and most influential business and manufacturing establishments in the country.

As an encore he read a short poem, "The Building of a Man." Twenty visitors from Eastland and several from Cisco and a few from Fort Worth and Dallas attended the luncheon today, the fame of Jamie Heron having preceded him and attracting many. The Rev. Ernest Baldwin, who is conducting the revival services at the First Baptist church, pronounced the invocation.

President Buchanan read a letter with reference to a Rotary band from Texas to the Rotarian national convention, and introduced James King, of Fort Worth and Eastland, to further explain that it is desired to have a musician from each Rotary club as a delegate to the convention, so that they may form themselves into a band. The question of sending a musician as a delegate from the Ranger Rotarians was left to the board of directors.

E. A. McNew, a former Rotary president, introduced Jamie Heron.

SENATE WILL HAUL ACCUSED TO ITS BAR

Mal Daugherty and Howard Mannington May Be Put in Jail for Contempt.

The senate Daugherty investigating committee has decided to bring Mal Daugherty, brother of the former attorney general, and Howard Mannington, former occupant of the "little green house in K street," before the bar of the senate for contempt.

While the courts are handling the case of Harry F. Sinclair, indicted by the grand jury for refusing to answer questions asked by the senate investigating committee, Chairman Brookhart intends to bring these others directly before the senate for alleged contempt. Daugherty, for refusing to permit the committee to examine the books of the Midland National bank of Washington Court-house, Ohio, and Mannington for refusing to answer the committee's subpoena.

If adjudged guilty by the senate, these two men may be committed to a common jail until they consent to testify. They may resort to habeas corpus, and appeal to the supreme court, but it is said they can escape only by claiming immunity on the ground of incriminating themselves.

Baron Matsui Of Japan Sees Only High Ideals Harmed

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Fear that the passage of the Japanese exclusion bill by the United States will "undoubtedly affect that spirit of friendship and esteem in which we have been happy to regard you," was expressed by Baron Matsui, Japanese foreign minister, in an interview with American press representatives.

"It cannot do more, however," he added, "but with the nation, the character of yours we believe it a consideration of first importance."

British Press Is Fearful Of Danger Lurking In Pacific

LONDON, April 16.—The British press sees in the adoption of the Japanese exclusion amendment to the immigration bill before congress, "grave danger in the Pacific."

The Daily News ridicules the allegation that Ambassador Hanihara's note to Secretary Hughes urging against the adoption of the amendment, "a threat against sovereignty," and insists that the senate action on the amendment demonstrates a dangerous spirit of enmity towards Japan.

The American senate should go slow, the newspapers say, and "consider what it is—an explanation, and think carefully of the dangers towards peace which lurks in intolerance."

All the newspapers print dispatches from Washington in prominent positions, telling of the progress in debate on the measure.

FOREIGN NATIONS ACCUSED OF ROBBING SHIP BOARD

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Foreign nations robbed the shipping board during the period following the war, Huntington T. Morse, European director for the emergency fleet corporation today told the committee investigating the shipping board.

Morse said American ships were sold unnecessary supplies at exorbitant prices, excessive charges for services made and constant discrimination against American vessels practiced in European waters.

CONDEMNED MAN TO LIVE THROUGH "HOLY WEEK"

DENVER, April 16.—Joe McConigal will live an extra week because it is "Holy week." Governor William E. Sweet, at the request of the Catholic clergyman, granted McConigal a week's stay of sentence that the sanctity of "Holy week" might be preserved. He is to be hanged for murder.

Klan Issue Causes Rift In Democratic Convention Program

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., April 16.—After a spectacular battle lasting until dawn today, the democratic state convention voted down a platform plank denouncing the Ku Klux Klan. During the discussion of the anti-klan declaration, the speakers' platform was filled with dozens of delegates seeking recognition by the chair.

Personal encounters were narrowly averted during the bitter debate. Whistles and catcalls sounded constantly from the floor of the convention. When the resolution was declared defeated on a viva voce vote, accusations were hurled against Frank H. Farris, chairman of the state committee, that he had ordered Chairman R. C. Culver of the convention not to allow a record vote to be taken.

A compromise resolution by Charles M. Hay, St. Louis, upholding political and religious liberty was then adopted and the convention adjourned.

WATER PLANT IMPROVEMENT NEXT IN LINE

Bids To Be Received Next Week and Work Soon to Be Started.

Improvements for the municipal waterworks, including the filter house, sedimentation beds, new pump and engine equipment and an additional standpipe will be received by the city of Ranger early next week.

The blue prints of the design of the filter house and the sand beds, prepared by N. Werenkiold, civil and consulting engineer of Dallas are now in the hands of F. A. Brown, city water commissioner. Several details in specifications are still to be forwarded here, but these are expected in near the end of the week.

The settling basins will have a potential capacity of 2,000,000 gallons, but construction for only one half of this capacity will be completed at the present time. It will consist of four units, each with 500,000 gallons capacity.

When the city grows to a point where a greater capacity is needed the two uncompleted units can be put to functioning at a moderate cost. Excavation will be done for all four units when the work is started.

The bids will be opened 10 days after the first advertisement, Brown said today. Actual construction will be started as soon as the successful contractor can get his material on the ground. The entire improvement should be done within 90 days or about Aug. 1.

As the plant is designed, it will be as modern and thorough as any in the country, Brown said. "The specifications will call for the best of materials and equipment," he said.

The pump house at Haganam lake now has three engines. One will be removed and a new one installed.

BUREAU PROBE AIMED AT SECRETARY MELLON

WASHINGTON, April 16.—The senate investigation of the internal revenue bureau was "aimed at Secretary Mellon, to break him down because he was the principal figure in framing the tax bill," Senator Lodge, republican floor leader, charged in the senate today.

"Mellon knew when this investigation started," Lodge said, "that it was directed not because he was a republican or secretary of the treasury, but because he was the dominant figure in drawing up the tax bill. The investigation has assumed the proportions of being something more than politics."

CARL BARNES POST TO PLAN FOR MEMORIAL DAY

At a smoker tonight, the matter of the proper observance of Memorial day in Ranger will be brought up for the first time by the Carl Barnes post, No. 69. Committees to decorate the graves of sleeping comrades, to arrange for the day's program and parade details will probably be appointed.

A report on the seventeenth district legion convention held in Cisco last Sunday will be made tonight.

EXTRAORDINARY DIFFICULTY IS ENCOUNTERED

Investigation of Alleged Land Frauds Always Stopped by "Things Are Fixed."

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Handling of Texas land frauds by certain government agencies was "extremely unusual," Postal Inspector J. L. Donaldson of Kansas City, testified today before the senate investigating committee.

Donaldson said he encountered "extraordinary difficulty" in his own investigation and that many reports came to him that "things had been fixed," and the land companies would never be prosecuted.

Donaldson said when the case was laid before the grand jury, witnesses for the defense were permitted to appear before that body but he was not. While an indictment was returned in the case in September, 1921, the case was not tried until February, 1923, he said.

British Airmen Get Away From Corfu; In Athens Are Cheered

ATHENS, April 16.—The British round-the-world amphibian plane arrived at the old Thalerion airfield today. The big plane, piloted by Major Stuart MacLaren, winged its way gracefully into the harbor. The start from Lake Korissis, west of Corfu, was made at 11:30 o'clock this morning.

The British airmen were greeted with cheers from the big crowd that was waiting along the water front. Guns boomed a salute as the British fliers came ashore. MacLaren was smiling and happy. "We are under way again," he said.

The aviators said the flight from Corfu had been made in good time. They expect to get under way as soon as possible for Egypt.

Achievements Of Republicans Are Lauded By Hughes

WASHINGTON, April 16.—The republican state convention got down to business today and elected State Senator Burton Swift of Buffalo as permanent chairman. Delegates were elected to the republican national convention to be held in Cleveland.

Swift spoke of the achievements of the party in the state, following Charles Evans Hughes, who spoke of the party's national achievements at the open session last night. Hughes spoke for 65 minutes before a capacity crowd, condemned tale bearers and scandal mongers and stressed a declaration that the administration condoned no wrong and extenuated no crime. The people should keep President Coolidge in office, Hughes said, because his character is the best assurance for the future.

TWO MEN IN JAIL INTERRUPTED BY WIRE IN SCHEME TO DEFRAUD

SALINA, Kan., April 16.—A scheme, whereby two prisoners at Fort Leavenworth sought to obtain \$8,000 worth of goods from the United Farm Sales company was revealed when a telegram demanding part cash on the order was intercepted by Warden Biddle. The prisoners, Clarence Tucker, Washington, D. C., and Herman Glock, El Paso, both serving terms for forgery and receiving stolen goods, were the principals in the scheme.

Tucker accompanied his order with a sight draft for \$8,000 drawn on Herman Glock, to whom the goods were to be consigned. Glock was in prison. The fatal telegram followed. The United States Farm Sales company has done business with Tucker before. All letters were sent to Box 7, Leavenworth. The telegram sent to this address proved the undoing of the two men.

DALLAS MEDICAL OFFICER VETERANS' BUREAU RESIGNS

DALLAS, April 16.—Dr. Miles J. Duncan, district medical officer of the U. S. veterans' bureau here the past three years has resigned, effective May 1. Dr. George E. Tooley, assistant district medical officer, will succeed him, pending appointment of a permanent successor.

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BIBLE THOUGHT.
THE BEST GIFT—Silver and gold have none; but such as I have give I thee: In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth rise up and walk.—Acts 3:6.

GATEWAY TO THE CEMETERY.
There is an old and trite saying that most people dig their graves with their teeth.

A big insurance company claims that half of the illness of its policy holders originates in indigestion, and our greatest English and American surgeons assert that character is considerably regulated by what goes into the stomach.

A celebrated French physician declared that "Man's best friend was his stomach but he abused that friend like a dog."

Hebert Spencer, the philosopher, always ate a heavy dinner an hour before going to bed—and never was able to figure out why he had indigestion and indigestion.

Shakespeare's marvelous plays could never have been written by a dyspeptic. He ate carefully, sensibly and had excellent digestion.

Every lover's quarrel, every spat between husband and wife, begins in the stew pot or the oven, says a celebrated English surgeon. Good cooks cause more indigestion than bad cooks, for tasty victuals entice people to over-eat. Most folks, when the stomach is upset, blame it on some particular things they have eaten.

When you can master and control your own appetite you can master and control other things. The stomach can easily be the gateway to the cemetery.

"COUNTY HOUSES" BITTERLY

Secretary of Labor Davis does not mince the English in his criticism of the conduct of county alms houses and orphan homes as shown by a nation-wide survey made by his department. He asserts that they are "a century behind the times" almost as bad as the workhouses exposed in the past generation. He admits that the abuses are not traceable to penuriousness on the part of the public, but to the greed, or ignorance, or utter wickedness of those who seek to profit, at the expense of their unfortunate charges, by their positions as guardians or caretakers.

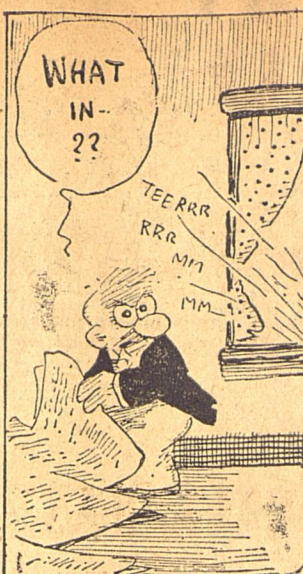
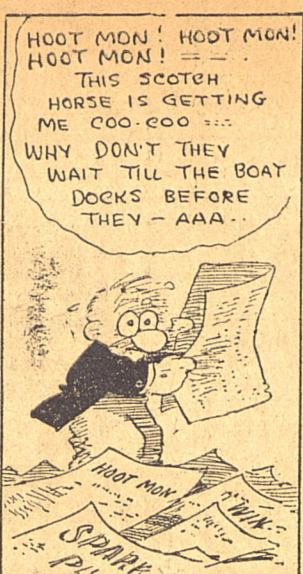
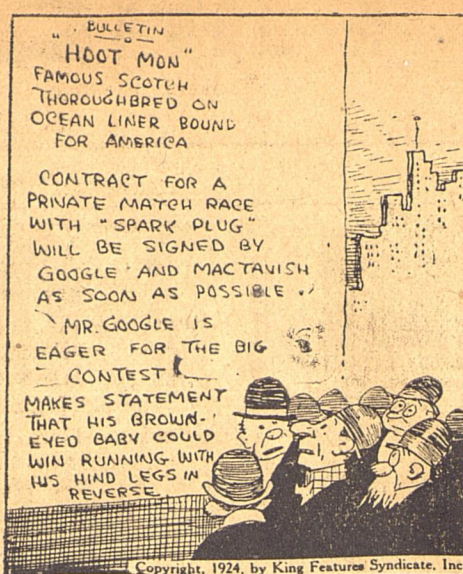
Secretary Davis makes it plain that the remedy to be sought is in centralization. Concentration of county institutions into state or regional homes would make possible that thorough and competent supervision which alone will protect the unfortunates from those who heartlessly subject them to cold and hunger and other abuses.

The American people have never been slow or selfish when the time came for giving. They pay uncomplainingly, but too many who give liberally of their worldly goods are inclined to make the gift and forget it—letting some disinterested individuals have full swing as to its application.

CISCO MEDICAL SOCIETY GRATEFUL TO EASTLAND

By unanimous vote of those present, the Cisco Medical society, at a recent meeting passed resolutions thanking the Eastland Medical society, the Eastland Chamber of Commerce and the citizens of Eastland in general for their assistance in entertaining the delegates to the Northwest Medical association which held a convention in Cisco Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. Special mention was made of the barbecue given the visitors by the Eastland Medical society and the Chamber of Commerce.

BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG—



By Billy DeBeck

CAMERON MAYOR RESIGNS FROM KU KLUX KLAN

Says He Cannot Endorse Secret Political Policy and Practice.

CAMERON, Texas, April 16.—J. E. White, mayor of Cameron and editor of the Cameron Herald, one of the weekly newspapers here, has renounced his affiliation with the Cameron Knights of the Ku Klux Klan. The reasons for his resignation are stated in the following letter, which appeared in his paper Friday: "Cameron Klan No. 111, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Cameron, Texas: I herewith tender my resignation as a member of the Ku Klux Klan to take effect immediately.

"My decision in this matter has come as a result of mature deliberation and is cumulative of a number of objections to the practice of the Klan to which I can not subscribe, chief among which is its secret political activity and the tendency on the part of its leaders to control the suffrage of its members.

"The recent circulation of a referendum on the governor's race in Texas, in my mind, is indicative of a maturing political dictation to which no man who loves freedom of thought and action can subscribe. The Klan knows no party allegiance, nor does it respect the qualifications of any man for public office who opposes it. I esteem the fortunes of the democratic party above any and every kind of political cleavage, be it secret or be it crowned with the garish light of day. Secret political groups will eventually lead, if already they have not led, the people into political anarchy, with no lines of cleavage as to principles or party. I can not sin against democracy. It has also become increasingly difficult to apologize for the corruption of Klan leaders throughout America. I have never been afraid to speak my conviction upon any question, anywhere, any time. I simply do not know how to vacillate on any question, and I am glad I have the candor to state my position. Yours very truly, (Signed) "J. E. WHITE."

ARTISTS AND POETS DEFEATED BY TRADERS

CARMEL BY THE SEA, Calif., April 16.—Groceries triumphed over art in the municipal election here. Artists and poets were unable to defeat an ordinance permitting grocery stores, soda fountains and lunch counters to run rampant over Carmel's sacred landscape. The dealers in potatoes, hot dogs and real estate won the election by two votes.

MANY TEXAS GIRLS ARE COMPETING IN NATIONAL MEAT STORY CONTEST

FORT WORTH, April 16.—Texas high schools have 415 girls entered in the national meat story contest, according to a statement made public today by E. B. Spiller of Fort Worth, a director of the national live stock and meat board, which organization is conducting the contest.

Mr. Spiller expressed the hope that in this number will be found the national champion and other winners. "San Antonio and Houston schools head the list in this state with 100 girls entered in each city," said Mr. Spiller. Dallas has 17 entered and Fort Worth has four. Other Texas cities represented in the contest are: Tyler, McAllen, Sour Lake, LaPorte, Athens, Lubbock, Baird, Atlanta, Galveston, Port Lavaca and Mineral Wells.

More than 11,000 high school girls representing every state in the union and the District of Columbia are now competing, according to Mr. Spiller. The United States has been divided into four districts and in each one of these prizes are offered ranging from \$100 down to \$10. The national champion will be picked from the four district winners and will receive a total of \$300.

Contestants are required to do two things—write a story on meat of 1,000 to 2,500 words and submit with it four meat recipes. They have until May 1 to get their story and recipe into the office of the board at Chicago. In commenting further on the national meat story contest, Mr. Spiller said that the purpose with which it was launched was to furnish an incentive to all high school students of home economics for a more thorough study in that field.

BANDITS AT AKRON, OHIO, OBTAIN \$17,000 PAYROLL

AKRON, Ohio, April 16.—Three bandits held up a messenger of the American Hard Rubber company today and escaped with a payroll amounting to \$17,000.

FOR SALE
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RESOURCES:

Cash Due from Banks	\$ 328,642.48
Cash in Vault	41,458.02
U. S. Liberty Bonds	102,800.00
U. S. Treasury Certificates	50,000.00
Bankers Acceptances	48,920.11
Commercial and Demand Paper	127,632.50
Warrants and Securities	16,692.53
Due From Banking Department	32,040.33
Total Liquid Assets	\$ 748,185.97
Loans and Discounts	259,773.20
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	100,000.00
Interest in Guaranty Fund	2,250.00
TOTAL	\$1,110,209.17

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	\$ 75,000.00
Undivided Profits	3,863.01
Cashier's Checks	5,297.22
Individual Deposits	1,026,048.94
TOTAL	\$1,110,209.17

THE ABOVE STATEMENT IS CORRECT
H. BRELSFORD, JR., Cashier

KNICKERBOCKER OPENS REVIVAL IN EASTLAND

Noted Methodist Pastor and Preacher Addresses Large Audience in Tabernacle.

An audience that comfortably filled the large auditorium of the First Methodist tabernacle, greeted Dr. H. D. Knickerbocker of Dallas last night on his first appearance in Eastland to conduct a series of meetings which will continue throughout the week.

Dr. Knickerbocker delivered his famous lecture, "How to Get Married, Stay Married, and Live Happy Though Married," which is a humorous religious lecture and one well worth hearing. Though punctuated with humor and wit it contained much wholesome advice to both sexes and every story had a good moral as a climax.

Dr. Knickerbocker announced that tonight his subject would be "A Dead Game Sport." This lecture, he said, included a \$1,000 bird dog story and also a story about the biggest poker game ever played in Texas.

Before beginning his lecture Dr. Knickerbocker told his hearers why he was in Eastland, declaring that he was here to co-operate with the people in the worship of God by assisting them in raising a fund of \$50,000 with which to erect, in the city of Eastland, a house of worship worthy of the cause it would represent. He said he would not ask for

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No. 10557, SHERIFF'S SALE. THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Eastland.

By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the honorable 91st District Court of Eastland County, on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1924, by Roy Nunnally, clerk of said court, against C. L. Bordeaux or the sum of Nine Hundred and Seventy-Nine and 91/100 (\$979.91) Dollars and costs of suit, in case No. 10,557 in said court, styled Joe Young versus George Speer and C. L. Bordeaux and placed in my hands for service, I, J. D. Barlow, as sheriff of Eastland County, Texas, did on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1924, levy on certain real property situated in Eastland County, described as follows to-wit: Lots five (5) and six (6) in the block of ten (10) lots known as the block of Mrs. A. D. 1924, at the court-house door of Eastland County, in the City of Eastland, Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m. I will sell said real property at public vendue, for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said C. L. Bordeaux by virtue of said levy and said order of sale.

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

Witness my hand, this 25th day of March, A. D. 1924.
J. D. BARLOW, Sheriff, Eastland County, Texas.
By HADDEN NEAL, Deputy.

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SHERRILL AND WILLIAMS DECLARED ELECTED AS COMMISSIONERS OF CITY

The city commission of Eastland met yesterday evening at 5 o'clock and canvassed the returns of the recent municipal election, as a result of which canvass J. M. Sherrill and Jess Williams were declared duly elected as members of the commission to succeed R. L. Perkins and James A. Beard. All members of the board were not sworn in but will take the oath of office at some future meeting.

Bids were received and contracts let for the paving of Roswood street from East Main to East Commerce, and Walnut street from West Main to West Commerce, and North Seaman from the Texas & Pacific depot to St. Charles street. The contract was let to Chapin-Kent Construction company.

Bids for the paving of Bassett street from the Methodist tabernacle north to East Main, had not been received and this work was not included in the contract awarded yesterday.

any donations, but that they were to be investments and that he would not accept one penny from anyone who did not believe that Christianity was the greatest investment on earth.

Rev. H. L. Munger, pastor of the Methodist church, stated last night that services tonight would begin at 7:45 and urged those attending to be on time. He also announced that as many as would assist in the singing were invited to come to the choir.

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POLITICAL Announcements

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For County Superintendent Schools: MISS BEULAH SPEER.
For Tax Collector, Eastland County: F. O. ROSENQUEST. JOHN S. HART.
For District Attorney: FRANK JUDKINS.
For County Commissioner Precinct No. 1, Eastland County: V. V. COOPER. LEE WILLIAMS.
For Tax Assessor: GEORGE BRYANT.
For County Clerk: ERNEST H. JONES. E. E. (ERNEST) WOOD.

AMERICAN LEGION
Carl Barnes Post, No. 69, American Legion, will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in C. of C. room, Guaranty bank bldg.
J. A. SHAW, Post Adjutant.

2—MALE HELP WANTED.
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3—HELP WANTED—FEMALE
WANTED—Saleswoman for Ranger and vicinity; pleasant work and good pay. Write Colorken Fabric Co., El Dorado, Kan.

BEAUTY WORK—5 women to travel, demonstrate and sell dealers well known toilet goods; \$25 to \$50 per week; ry. fare paid; if not free to travel ask about our local representative proposition; experience desirable but not necessary as we train you. Write quick, Goodrich Drug Co., Omaha, Neb.

4—SITUATIONS WANTED.
WIDOW wants washing; work guaranteed; 35¢ dozen. Next door 1105 Strawn road.

7—SPECIAL NOTICES.
DO YOU need money? You can borrow on your auto and pay it back in easy monthly payments. C. E. Maddocks & Co., Ranger.

9—HOUSES FOR RENT.
3-ROOM house for rent. Apply Mrs. Jehn Dunkle, S. Austin sts., Ranger.

11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT.
CARTER APARTMENTS—325 Elm st., Ranger, phone 565-J.
FOR RENT—Apartment in my home for nice couple. Mrs. Nannie Walker, Caddo highway, Ranger.

13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous.
FOR SALE—Several used women's dresses, waists and hats. In nice condition and will sell for what you think they're worth. Call at 315 Pine st., Ranger.
FOR SALE—One steel rig, steel bull wheels, one 40-hp. boiler, good 2,000 foot 2-inch line, 900 feet 8 1/4 32-lb. pipe, one 250-steel tank. A. W. Samberson, Gorman, Texas, Lock Box 722.

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15—HOUSES FOR SALE.
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18—AUTOMOBILES
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18—WANTED—Miscellaneous
We will buy your white cotton rags at 10 cents per pound, but they must be clean. Ranger Daily Times.
FURNITURE WANTED—Highest cash price. New and Second Hand Store, 121 No. Austin. Phone 278.
WANTED—Second-hand furniture. Wright Furniture Co., 207 S. Rusk st. Phone 154, Ranger.

22—POULTRY AND PET STOCK.
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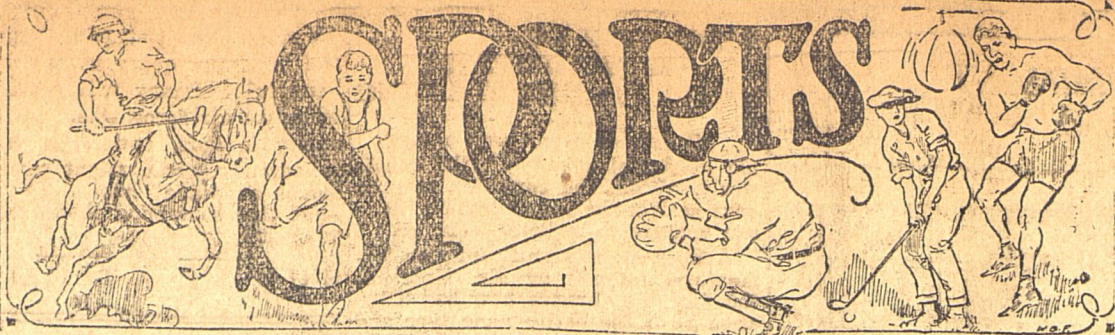
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**KANSAS SHOULD
HAVE CHANCE AT
BENNY' TITLE**

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Sports Editor)
NEW YORK, April 16.—Benny Leonard laments the lack of lightweight opponents that may force him to graduate into the welterweight class. The champion's plea for sympathy is endorsed by leading promoters who want to employ Leonard, but can't find a job for him.

There has been talk for more than a year about the necessity of building up some good lightweight challenger for an outdoor bout. Tex Rickard tried to hustle Louis Vicentini into the role, but he was stop-

ped temporarily when he lost a decision to Johnny Shargie.

Pal Moran, the New Orleans boy, measured up to the specifications of a candidate for a while until he was beaten by the veteran Johnny Dundee.

Dundee claims that he is entitled to the first crack at Leonard, but his first duty is to defend his featherweight and junior lightweight titles.

In the general scramble it seems that Rocky Kansas, the little Buffalo Italian, has been overlooked.

Kansas, perhaps, has a more legitimate claim for another chance at the title than any other contender in the class. It is certain that his record makes him more qualified than any other contender who has to be "built up" into a card.

Kansas has built himself up by beating practically every man in the class, with the exception of Leonard.

His best known role in recent years was that of a built-up wecker. When Willie Jackson was worked almost up to a fight with Leonard two years ago, Kansas beat him and spoiled the plans. When Tendler had worked up into the dominating position among the contenders, Kansas beat him and set him back, and when Charley White had been advanced to within a step of a title bout, Kansas beat him and removed him almost entirely from consideration.

Kansas knocked out Richie Mitchell when he was in his prime, and he beat Sailor Freidman and every other lightweight of importance in the class.

In his Benton Harbor fight with Leonard, he broke his arm in the third round, and he continued for

five rounds before his manager, Dan Rogers, tossed in the towel and made him stop.

Just recently he had Jack Berstein on the floor and badly beaten when he hurt his arm, and, even with that handicap, he earned a draw.

**MAVERICKS BEAT
ARKANSAS, 3 TO 0**

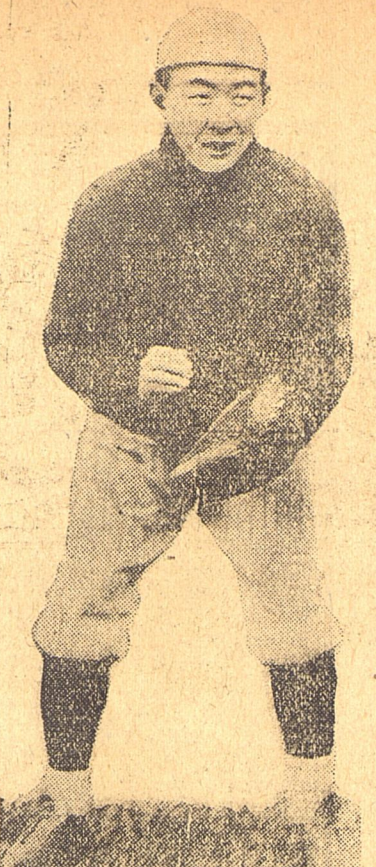
Eastland Mavericks substituted for Arkansas Natural Gas company Tuesday evening in the Sunset league and put up a nice game against the States Oil corporation team despite the lack of practice. States Oil won in a four-inning game, 3 to 0.

The teams lined up as follows:

States	Position	Mavericks
Grimes	Pitcher	Harrison
Seals	Catcher	V. Day
J. Whatley	First Base	Miller
Keith	Second Base	F. Laffoon
Commers	Third Base	Coleman
B. Whatley	Shortstop	Downtown
Harbin	Left Field	Harrell
T. Henderson	Center Field	Cox
C. Henderson	Right Field	Hunt

For Mavericks, Hunt pitched last two innings and Harrison went to right field.

**Japanese Is Catcher on
Harvard Nine.**



JUNE MIYAKAWA

June Miyakawa, member of the sophomore class at Harvard, is one of the most likely candidates for the catcher's berth on the Crimson's varsity nine. He has one of the deadliest throwing arms on the squad. Miyakawa entered Harvard after a year at the University of California. He graduated from the Sacramento, Cal., High School, catching on the school nine for two years.

For States, Commers went behind the plate, Seals to pitcher, Grimes to third.

Play by Innings.
First—Game opened with Mavericks in the field. C. Henderson out at first; B. Whatley out at first; J. Whatley walked; Commers reached first by error of third baseman, and Whatley advanced two bases; Keith hit over short; J. Whatley scored; Keith stole base and Henderson out to short stop.

F. Laffoon walked, thrown out on first; Downtown hit to pitcher, put out at first; Day hit to right field and flew out.

Second—Grimes struck out; Harbin struck out; Seals singled over short; Henderson struck out; Coleman out at first; Cox and Hunt struck out.

Third—B. Whatley flew out to center field; J. Whatley flew out to second base; Commers out at first.

Harrell out at first; Miller bunted, catcher threw him out at first; Harrison out at second.

Fourth—Keith struck out; Henderson walked, stole second; Grimes hit single to left field, Henderson scored; Grimes stole second, third, and scored on passed ball; Harbin struck out; Seals walked; Henderson fouled out to catcher.

Fifth—Laffoon flew out to left field; Downtown struck out; Day got on first by third baseman's error; Coleman singled to left field; Cox thrown out on third strike.

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DALLAS, April 16.—Louisville, St. Louis and Minneapolis have entered bids for the 1925 convention of the Association of Reserve City Bankers, in annual session here. The next meeting place will be selected at the final session of the bankers this afternoon.

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So many thousands of people have testified to the invigorating and health-building properties of Tanlac that its wonderful merits cannot be doubted. Further striking evidence of this fact is given by John H. Hahn, 7218 West McCarty st., Jefferson City, Mo., well-known employee of the Missouri Pacific railway.

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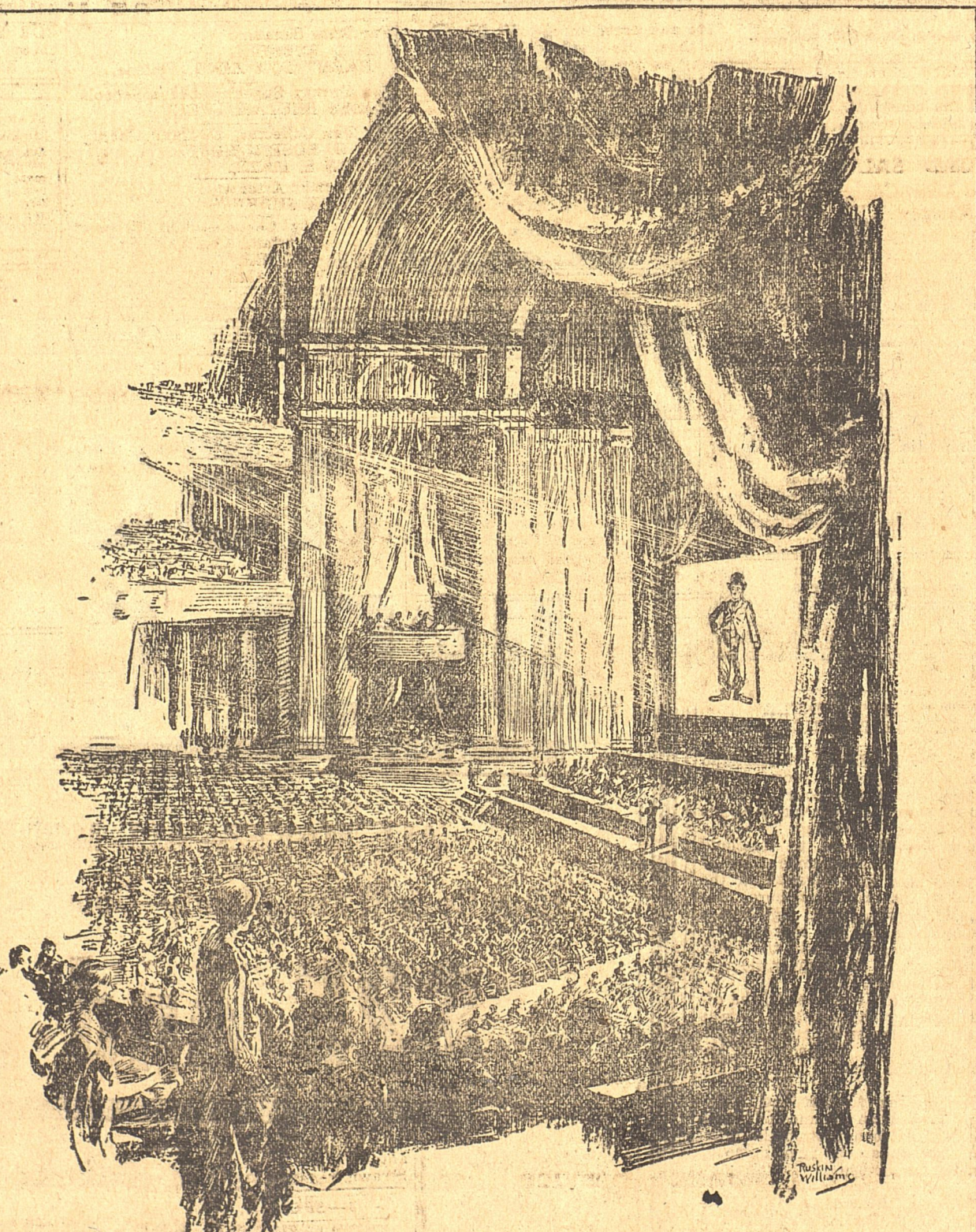
eight hours of work every day.

"For five years, I suffered dizzy spells that nothing would relieve. At times they almost beat me and I would have to be in a chair in the roundhouse. I could walk straight on the street and when I bent over to fasten my shoes in the morning, I would topple over on the floor. My system was just so loaded down with poison, or whatever caused this dizziness, that I would have spells as often as once a month, and I tell you, they were terrible.

"My friends put me on to Tanlac a year and a half ago, and, sir, my very first bottle made me feel so much better that I went straight for another and then another. Tanlac made me relish my food, built me up fine and just worked wonders in relieving those dizzy spells. I still use Tanlac occasionally and when it comes to heading off dizzy spells, Tanlac sure does it. If any man doubts that Tanlac is a good tonic, just let him look up John H. Hahn."

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COMEDY NEWS
THURSDAY—FRIDAY



Pola Negri
—in—
"The Spanish Dancer"

SUNDAY—MONDAY
Gloria Swanson
—in—
"Society Scandal"



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PREACHERS TO DEBATE WHICH DAY OF THE WEEK IS THE TRUE SABBATH

A debate that will have for the subject, "Which is the True Sabbath, Saturday or Sunday," will be held Friday night at 8 o'clock in a building formerly used by the Bon Ton bakery on the Strawn road in Ranger. There will be three judges to award the decision, and the debate will be open to the general public.

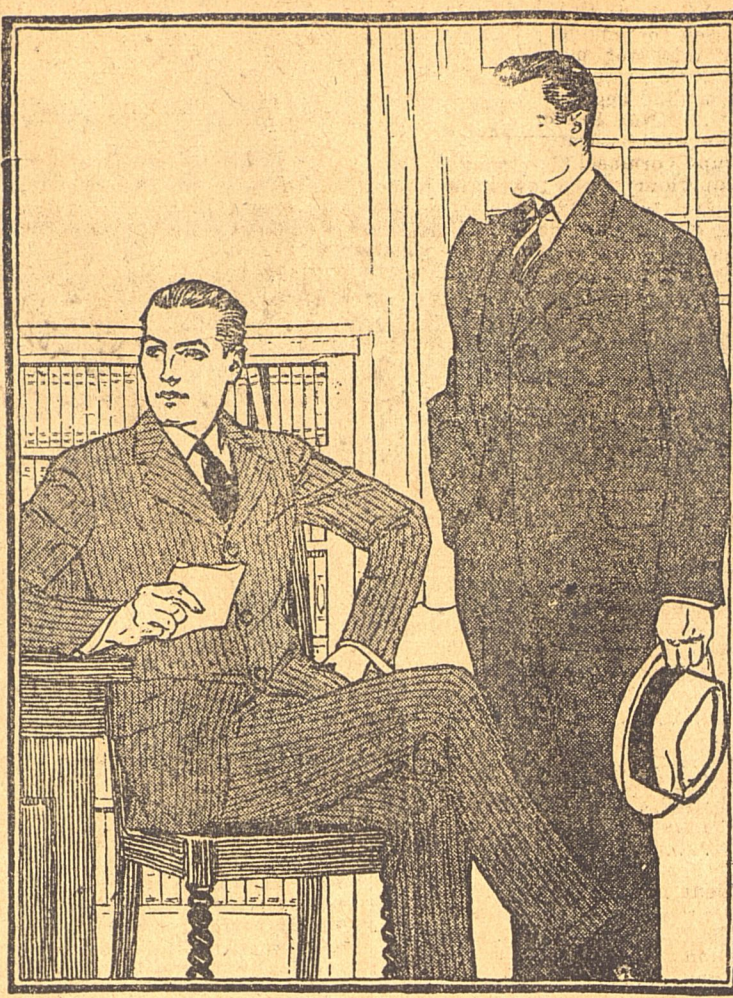
Rev. Mr. Drake of the Church of Christ, Ranger, will take the affirmative side and Rev. Mr. Cotman of the Church of God, Thurber, the negative side. Both men will be supported in their arguments, the former by members of his church, and the latter by Seventh Day Adventists.

TEN-STORY STRUCTURE TO REPLACE OLD EL PASO HOTEL
EL PASO, April 16.—A 10-story hotel of Spanish renaissance architecture will replace the old Orndorff hotel, overlooking San Jacinto plaza, here.

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EASE IS THE DOMINANT STYLE NOTE



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There has never been a time when men's clothes were more sensible than they are for spring and summer 1924; or better looking.

These facts are worth telling and they're worth reading. The new styles fit easily and hang informally. They're not loose or baggy; they have a little more room than clothes of previous seasons.

The whole idea is relaxation; the coats look relaxed—not snug or stiff; they feel relaxed; the trousers are wider and more comfortable.

Men look better in such clothes because they seem to be so completely at ease and so unconscious of their clothes. The clothes wear better because there isn't so much strain on them—they drape over the figure; they don't hug it as previous styles have.

At the left is shown an easy-fitting three-button type which is the correct thing anywhere. At the right is the more extreme straight hanging style that is a favorite with the men in the more exclusive colleges.

REDUCTION OF ARMAMENTS IS JUST STARTING

(Continued from page one.)
The fact that France now has 3,300 airships of the battle-plane type and has provided recently for adding 50 per cent to this great force. Curiously enough, this last provision followed two days after Great Britain's announcement of an increase in her fleet of airplanes. And yet this warlike competition is between nations which have been allies for the past

10 years! This naturally suggests to the mind the query as to what revengeful Germany will consider an adequate air force when the opportunity is hers, and what vast air squadrons Russia might put in the clouds a decade hence. It would seem that something should be done while it is yet time.

JURY FINDS RUFÉ TODD NOT GUILTY OF CHARGE
The jury in the R. M. (Rufe) Todd case, which was tried Tuesday in the Eighty-eighth district court, returned a verdict of not guilty last night. Todd was charged with selling liquor at Pioneer during the oil boom days in that city.

A number of other charges of a similar nature are pending against Todd.

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Shriners To Escort Party Of Pilgrims Over the Hot Sands

Special.
FORT WORTH, April 16.—Moslah temple's spring memorial will be a reality, Friday, April 25, with the staging of the best and biggest ceremonial ever held in Fort Worth. Nobles and novices will congregate here for a day of fun and jollity, the like of which has never before been attempted by any temple.

Visiting ladies accompanying nobles and novices will be registered by the ladies' entertainment committee at the Texas hotel during the morning and will be guests of Moslah's temple at a noon-day luncheon at which members of the Fort Worth Grand Opera association and orchestra will give an interesting program. Among those taking part will be Mrs. Pearl Calhoun Davis, soprano; Mrs. Louis Morris, contralto; Mrs. Dot Echols McCutcheon playing the accompaniment; Mmes. Bruce Galloway and W. H. Fogelman, violinists, and R. C. Forman, reader. In the afternoon a theatre party will be given at the Majestic theatre and the day will be brought to a grand final with an informal dance at Moslah temple's mosque at Lake Worth, which is the best and largest dance floor in the entire Southwest. An augmented orchestra will furnish music for the dance and refreshments will be served during the evening.

Nobles of Terrell, Texas, have made arrangements to come to Fort Worth on special cars for the ceremonial, while special cars will come from Weatherford, Ranger, Breckenridge, Cisco, Abilene and several others yet to be heard from are expected.

EASTER SERVICES WILL BE HELD IN CATHOLIC CHURCHES OF OIL BELT

The Lenten season will be brought to a close in the Catholic churches of the oil belt with the traditional ceremonies this week. The sanctuaries in all of the chapels and churches of the Ranger parish will be decorated with Easter flowers.

The chapels at Eastland and Breckenridge will be served Easter Sunday by Rev. Fr. Thomas Higgins of St. Rita's parish of Ranger. Father Higgins will celebrate mass at St. Francis chapel of Eastland at 10:30 a. m. He will participate in the Easter services at Breckenridge at 8 a. m. Confession will be heard in the St. Francis chapel Sunday morning, preceding the mass, at Breckenridge on Saturday afternoon.

Masses will be said at the usual hours at St. Rita's, or 8 and 10 a. m. There will be holy Thursday services and Good Friday services at 9 o'clock, both days. Saturday's services will be at 8 a. m. There will be evening services Thursday and Friday at 7:30 o'clock.

W. H. SEWELL TO ENTER RACE FOR DISTRICT JUDGE

Judge W. H. Sewell of Eastland will be a candidate for judge of the Eighty-eighth district court, according to an announcement made by his friends here this morning.

Judge Sewell came to Eastland five years ago and engaged in the practice of his profession here. He is an able lawyer, stands high and is well qualified. He will make an active campaign and solicits the votes and influence of the democratic voters of the county.

In the case of Judge Sewell the office is seeking the man, as it was only at the earnest solicitation of a large per cent of the people of the county that he decided to offer for the place.

Since coming to Eastland Judge Sewell has been connected with Judge N. N. Rosenquest in the practice of law under the firm name of Rosenquest & Sewell.

HABEAS CORPUS HEARING FOR JACK CAMPBELL POSTPONED

The habeas corpus hearing in the Jack Campbell case, which was scheduled for yesterday afternoon, was postponed indefinitely because of the absence of state witnesses. County Attorney Barnes stated this morning that the state was endeavoring to get in touch with parties in Dallas and Fort Worth who are wanted as witnesses in the case, and that his department would be ready for a hearing just as soon as their witnesses could be here.

WOMAN FEARS HUSBAND SLAIN FOR REVENGE

DALLAS, April 16.—Fear that her husband had been slain by a drug ring operating in Juarez, Mexico, was expressed in a telegram to local police from Mrs. Edwin Mootz of San Francisco. According to Mrs. Mootz, her husband checked out of a hotel here on April 7. She said her husband's life had been threatened by a notorious drug peddler. Police said Mootz had left town, and agreed to help locate him.

Marshall A. R. Ponton will have charge of the street parade which will feature Moslah temple's famous concert band, under the direction of E. Cecil Meadows, as well as Moslah's drum corps and incomparable patrol, all of which are making elaborate preparations for the trip to Kansas City in June to attend the imperial council session, June 3, 4 and 5. Moslah's special train will be composed of 10-12 section Pullman cars, two diners, observation car and the usual baggage cars. Reservations may be made by writing Morgan H. Jones, recorder, Fort Worth, for space.

The special train will leave Fort Worth via the Rock Island, June 1 in the early afternoon according to the present schedule, arriving in Kansas City early June 2.

CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG ILL FROM OVERWORK

FORT WAYNE, Ind., April 16.—Clara Kimball Young, the noted actress, was seriously ill in her hotel here today, following a sudden collapse last night in a theatre. Physicians said today she was slightly improved, but feared she might have to cancel her engagements for several weeks. Overwork was given as the cause of her illness.

NEW YORK PUBLISHER'S WIFE OBTAINS DIVORCE

PARIS, April 16.—Mrs. Frederica Webb Pulitzer, wife of Ralph Pulitzer, New York publisher, has been granted a divorce. Proceedings were begun several weeks ago. They had been married since 1905.

The following authorized dealers will attach Panco Soles and Panco Heels: Courtney Shoe Repairing, rear Ranger Shoe Store; Sole Entrance Shop, 101 Main street.

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THURSDAY EVENTS.

Lions club meets at 12:15, Gholson hotel.
1920 club meets at 3 o'clock, Gholson hotel.

COURSE OF STUDY FOR NEXT 1920 CLUB BOOK.

The course of study for the next year will be decided Thursday at the meeting of the 1920 club to be held at 3 o'clock at the Gholson hotel. All members having books for the county circulating library are asked to bring them to this meeting in order that a full report may be had for the Saturday afternoon meeting of the County federation.

CHILD WELFARE CLUB TRANSACTS BUSINESS.

Considerable business of importance was transacted Tuesday at the meeting of the Child Welfare club and plans made for a food bake sale which will be held next Saturday at the Texas Drug store. The members of this club are trying to raise sufficient funds to pay for the milk furnished undernourished children of the Ranger schools during the school year. Owing to lack of funds the milk supply will be discontinued after May 1.

FINE ARTS CLUB HAS ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING.

The Fine Arts club of Central Baptist church had a splendid meeting this morning and enjoyed a report of the sixth district meeting recently held at Colorado which was given by Mrs. J. M. White. The members voted to join the Texas Federation of Women's clubs. The session was closed with a prayer service.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. E. D. Bryant and daughter, Peggy, of Fort Worth, are visiting in the home of Mrs. Bryant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. White. Mrs. Bryant will be remembered as Willie Pitcock. Her daughter, Peggy, who is an enthusiastic athlete, and was last year the youngest teacher in the Fort Worth public schools, recently gave a pint of blood to a child in the city-county hospital at Fort Worth, receiving considerable notice in Fort Worth papers. In consequence, Mother and daughter will spend some time in Ranger visiting relatives. Judge A. E. Firmin left this morning for Fort Worth expecting to return on Friday. G. J. Moore, Texas & Pacific railroad baggage master, is in Terrell for a few days visit with his mother.

STYLE SHOW IN EASTLAND IS BIG SUCCESS

The style show presented by the Eastland merchants in Connellee theatre under the auspices of the Music club of Eastland, proved one of the popular events of this season, as an estimated attendance of 600 or more enjoyed the beautiful costumes, the pretty models, the attractive music and the program arranged by the club last evening.

The feature film, "Nellie, the Beautiful Cloak Model," with Claire Windsor and Lew Cody stars, was a feast and a thrill. The picture preceded the musical numbers by the recently organized Dragoo orchestra, Miss Wilda Dragoo, director; Mrs. E. Alford, piano; Mr. Wood Moore, trumpet; Charley Scott, clarinet; Raymond Whitley, trombone; Horace Conlay, traps.

The rhythmic strains of the orchestra introduced the Girls' Glee club, about 35 members, in attractive black and white uniform costume. The numbers, "In the Land of Broken Dreams," and "That Old Gang of Mine," brought repeated encores. The club was directed by Mrs. Joseph B. Leonard.

Music and Dancing.

The opening style showing number by the Boston store showed Mrs. Tiff Harrell, Mrs. Carl Churchill and Miss Williams in costumes listed below. During intermission, a wonderful ballet was given by Miss Genevieve Lyon, in pearly iridescent skirts, with lavender hose and silver slippers. Miss Dragoo charmed with the wonderful violin solo, "The Rosary," with piano accompaniment by Miss Anna Barbara Nunn. The clever staging of the models in their gay attire, seated at small tables, made a colorful background to the musical numbers of early half of program. Light refreshments were served the groups, the stage reminding one of a roof garden.

The showing of dinner gowns and evening frocks followed, and in succeeding intermission a vote number by the popular Mrs. C. F. Smith, "Swing Low Sweet Chariot," given by request. Miss Nunn was at the piano.

One of the most popular features of the entertainment was the dainty dancing of Little Louise Day, Mary Lacey, and the wee Buella Package, Abby Jones. The announcements were made by the sons of Mrs. Frank G. Hoffman, who acted as pages, standing either side of stage, and changing the lettered announcements as the various groups modeled. The stage setting was attractively flanked with tall pedestals, filled with immense branches of lilac and wisteria.

The active committee in charge for the Music club, Mrs. Rivers B. Mizell, president, assisted by Misses F. G. Hoffman, George A. Davidson, C. F. Smith, J. P. Little and others, have reason to be proud of the success of the style show.

Want Ads Will

The Art Of Beauty

By B. M. DOUGLAS

The American Senorita

SPANISH women are the most beautiful women in the world—so runs the fable. For my part I know that American women are not less beautiful. They seem less beautiful when they do not dress to their type.

Why are our dark American beauties ashamed of their smooth dusky skin and their gleaming black eyes, and straight black hair? I long for a return to the age of the pillory when I see one of these rare and lovely creatures ruined by her lack of sartorial imagination. Hair fluffed and dull! Cheeks mottled with pink powder that only serves to make her look untidy.

If you are the Spanish type, rejoice, and make the best of it—a best that is superlative.

Shall I start at the hair or the heels? The heels which should always be high and effective. The hair which should be always trembling with a desire to dance. The gown—decided in tone, whether it is red and black, or yellow, or green, or black and white, should be bold and point upwards, to the shoulder. The throat, the proud column on which the neck is poised with the utmost grace, the vivid head. Practice your poise of the head—you Spanish women of America. And remember that it is the color of your face that makes you Spanish. Your dark smooth skin. To blend with its rich warmth, add the vitality of color of peaches powder then touch your cheeks with ashes of roses. The subtle deep color will make your eyes brilliant. The light reflected from the bit of coloring doubles the sparkle of the eyes. Use the rouge sparingly in the daytime, lest it look garish and de-



Luella Gear in "Poppy"

stroy the distinction of the type you represent. A trifle more color or at night is absorbed happily. Your hair is important. You must compromise with the ideal of the painter Zuloaga and the demands of the mode. No woman of fashion can afford to ignore either the mode or the natural demands of her own beauty. Wear your hair parted in the center, drawn smoothly down to make a brilliant background for your features. Try to wear it high in back, and in the evening top it triumphantly with a Spanish comb. You may wear jewels artistically on your ears, your throat, your wrists, your fingers. Your vividness permits you a latitude in jewelry prohibited to your fairer sisters.

Senorita Beauty Syndicate

SALADS MAKE AN IDEAL YEAR ROUND SPRING TONIC

By HELEN HARRINGTON DOWNING,

Director Home Economics, Calumet Baking Powder Co., Chicago.

There are few dishes more refreshing to the sight and to the appetite than a tasty salad served, chilled until the greens are crisp, and daintily garnished. From the standpoint of health we should consider salads as an all-year dish.

Because of their refreshing quality and because of the minerals and vitamins contained, salads should become a part of every day's menu. Eminent nutrition specialists advocate a salad at least twice a day.

Salads were first served by the Greeks and Romans at the beginning of a meal to create an appetite. At later date salads appeared at the end of the heavier part of the meal to bring back or sharpen the appetite to greater enjoyment of the dessert.

Although served upon American tables for a comparatively few years, their popularity has increased daily. Green plants such as lettuce, celery and cress, are the salad plants—cabbage, too, has become popular in this guise. And, although not conspicuous for their nutriment, turnip tops, dandelions and even mustard may be considered. They contain valuable mineral substances, are slightly cooling, stimulating to the appetite and give food value.

In experimenting with the effect of certain diets on young animals, it has been found, there are vital principles in leaves which are not found in roots and seeds. These life giving substances are called "vitamins." Some scientists refer to them as "protective foods."

Aside from the mineral and protective value of such greens, they have little value, as they contain very little of the solid substances found in seeds, and roots. The majority of salad plants are nine-tenths water and in order to make them a more complete, "all-round" food, we

find that by combining them with foods containing other food principles, the greens fill an essential place in the dietary.

In various salad combinations, one can see how one material provides protein, another fat, and the salad plant itself yielding minerals and water—there being no carbohydrates or starch in this combination, we serve crackers or a sandwich to complete the dish.

The selection and care of materials for salad is important. Every one should realize the necessity for washing and chilling these greens in advance of the time they are to be used.

Salad dressings are many—sufficient in variety to serve any taste. These should also be well mixed and chilled before serving.

Many questions are asked me as to what accompaniments are suitable to serve with the different salads, so I suggest the following:

- Boston Brown Bread.**
(3 Loaves—)
2 cups graham flour
1 cup corn meal
1 level teaspoon salt
1 level teaspoon soda
1/2 cup syrup or molasses
1 1/2 to 2 cups sour milk
1 tablespoon melted shortening
3/4 cup seed raisins.
2 level teaspoons Calumet Baking Powder.

Sift together dry ingredients, returning the bran to the flour mixture. Add together the shortening, shortening, and sour milk, and blend with flour mixture to which raisins have been added. If necessary, add a little more milk until a thick batter is formed. Beat well, and place in greased coffee or baking powder cans and steam three hours.

Whole-Wheat Biscuit.
(10 Biscuits)

THE MONOGRAM INSISTS ON ITS RIGHTS



Wearing your monogram on your tummy has come to be much more dangerous than wearing your heart on your sleeve, and much more usual. To be really chic now you must sport no substitute of ready-made heirlooms which could be interpreted as anyone's initials, but must have your own embroidered with a decipherable clearness so that he who sits opposite you may read. If this seems to you to be too bold a step you may compromise by having a Mah Jong character face the world on the front of your blouse instead of your own insignia. But something you must have, especially for the type of frock which is shown in the picture and is known as the chemise-blouse frock.

This dress has a delightfully boyish appearance which can almost be guaranteed to make any woman under fifty look, if not sixteen, at least ten years younger. The little tailored collar is cut in a tiny V that exhibits only the best part of the average neck. As a country club dress it would of course be perfect, for the freedom allowed in skirt and shoulders would permit golf or tennis at a moment's notice. It is smart enough, however, to make a most satisfactory costume for summer shopping. The large pockets are in the front of the dress and are held fast above the waist by a narrow outlining cord. The material is Drapaca a new supple alpaca created by the South Manchester looms and was seen in a grey-beige shade, the tie and buttons being black and the aforesaid monogram black on a red ground.

- 2 cups graham flour (measured before sifting)
 - 2 1/2 level teaspoons Calumet Baking Powder
 - 1/2 level teaspoon salt
 - 1 or 2 tablespoons sweetening
 - 2 tablespoons shortening
 - 2-3 to 1 cup milk.
- Mix as for other baking powder biscuits, returning the bran to the mixture after sifting, and dissolving the sweetening (if used) in the liquid used for mixing. Roll slightly thinner than for plain biscuit and bake a light brown slowly and thoroughly, at 350 degrees F.

- Nut Bread.**
- 1/2 cup whole wheat flour
 - 1 1/2 cups cornmeal
 - 1/2 cup flour
 - 2 1/2 level teaspoons Calumet Baking Powder
 - 3 tablespoons sugar
 - 2-3 level teaspoon salt
 - 1 cup chopped nut meats
 - 1 cup milk
 - 1 cup water
 - 2 teaspoons melted butter.
- Mix all dry ingredients thoroughly. Add water, milk and melted butter. Pour batter in well greased one-pound baking powder cans. Bake 45 minutes, at 400 degrees F.

Ambitious Students In Ranger High May Win Highest Honors

"With highest honors." This is the distinction many of the students of the Ranger High school are working for to have inscribed on their graduation diplomas. The semester of 1924 are the first ones in which a properly enrolled student could work for this and two other lesser distinctions. The other two scholarship honors are graduation "with honor" and "with high honor."

The grading system to obtain honors is based on specific grades and honor points. For example, if a pupil makes an average grade of 95 to 100, he is given six points. If the average is 90 to 94 he makes five points, and so on. The candidate for this honor has his grades averaged up for all four years he is in high school. If he has made at least 100 honor points with his 16 units, he shall be graduated "with honor," if 132 honor points with 16 units, "with high honor," and if 164 points, "with highest honor."

The student has his honor points figured up with this method: Number of courses taken each year times the honor point made in each course. A student can make a possible 48 honor points each year if he has attained a grade of from 95 to 100 in all of his eight studies. In four years he has obtained 192 points if he made 48 points each consecutive year in school.

LAND OWNERS SUE FOR ROYALTY ON WET GAS OBTAINED BY LESSEES

Oscar Harris and wife of Eastland county have filed suit in the Ninety-first district court against the Magrolia Petroleum company in which they ask \$50,000, alleged to be due them under the terms of an oil and gas lease made with the defendant company in 1917.

Plaintiffs allege in substance that in 1917 they leased to defendants 120 acres of land near Olan to be developed for oil and gas, that they were told at the time the contract was made that there were no difference in the commercial value of wet gas and dry gas; that the defendants developed the lease for oil and gas, by artificial means, extracted gasoline from the wet gas; that the value of the gas, made is \$400,000 and that they are entitled to one-eighth of that amount, which is \$50,000.

HEALTH DIRECTOR ADVISES WHOLE VACCINATIONS

DALLAS, April 16.—Wholesale vaccination of passengers who ride on the Lake avenue trolley line here was recommended by Dr. Lane B. Cooke, health director, when a mormon was stricken with small-pox. Dr. Cooke said the health department would perform the vaccinations free.

HEAD STUFFED BY CATARRH OR COLD?

If your nostrils are clogged, your throat distressed, or your head is stuffed by nasty catarrh or a cold, apply a little pure, antiseptic, germ destroying cream into your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage, soothing inflamed, swollen membranes and you get instant relief. How good it feels. Your nostrils are open. Your head is clear. No more hawking, snuffling, dryness or struggling for breath. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from any druggist. Colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed up. Relief is sure.—Advertisement.

KEEP TOO MUCH TO THEMSELVES

Many men and women of middle age feel that they have never had a chance to make anything out of themselves. But the main reason for it usually is that they let such things as pimples, rash, "breaking out," eczema, tetter, etc., on their face, neck, hands or arms make them feel that they are not wanted around and they keep themselves too much. You can get just as much out of life as anyone. All you need is confidence in yourself, which you get naturally when you rid yourself of those skin troubles, if you just use the wonderful Black and White Ointment. It is economically priced, in generous packages. All dealers have it. The 50c size contains three times as much as the 25c size.—Advertisement.

Health Hints by the Father of Physical Culture

Bernard Macfadden

Broadly considered, all physiological or life processes relate to nutrition, and are affected, directly or remotely, by food. Digestion is most immediately and wholly related to food, since digestion is the process of converting food into those substances which they become the living tissue, or which supply the living tissue with materials for its activities. A second group of physiological functions or activities most directly connected with food or nutrition, includes the transformation of food elements in the liver, the distribution of these elements of food in the muscles, and elimination of waste products of the body through the lungs and through the kidneys.

The process of digestion is primarily a chemical one, but there are also mental or nervous factors and physical factors to be considered. The chemical process of digestion begins in the mouth and continues throughout the length of the alimentary tract. The transformation which the food undergoes in the different digestive organs varies with the nature of the food. The digestion of starch begins in the mouth and is checked in the stomach but is completed in the small intestine. When the food passes into the stomach it meets the gastric secretions, the strong hydrochloric acid which counteracts the alkaline effect of the saliva and gives the contents of the stomach an acid reaction. This acid it seems, is necessary to enable the ferment pepsin to get in its work—dissolving the protein elements of our food. Digestion in the stomach is not completed, however, even for protein. The main function of the stomach seems to be to act as a warehouse to take care of our irregularly eaten food and to regulate it out in a slow and carefully regulated stream to the more important digestive organ, the small intestine.

During this period of temporary storage, a certain churning about and thorough intermixing of the food occurs. The chemical transformations, however, are of a preliminary nature. We are inclined to give the stomach more credit and attention because of its prominence and because when overloaded it makes its presence known.

Equipped with oil-spraying machines, a special mosquito crew is making daily rounds of the city, covering all water holes and other breeding places of the malaria carriers. Street Commissioner Wylie, joining in the anti-mosquito drive has planned a tin-can day when all citizens will be urged to assemble their old cans and other worn out receptacles for the garbage men to haul away.

TIME TO BEGIN WAR ON MOSQUITO BREEDING SPOTS

DALLAS, April 15.—Following the report of the first case of mosquito bite here, Sanitary Officer Thomas S. Moore has declared war on the insects.

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Take Alotabs for the liver

Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 5c packages bearing above trade mark.

CONFINED TO BED

Birmingham Lady Took Cardui for Relief of Change of Life Troubles and Says It Helped Her "So Much."

Birmingham, Ala.—"I first took Cardui for that tired, worn-out feeling that comes from being dreadfully run-down," says Mrs. Catherine E. Smith, of 2106 Stout Street. "Twenty-five years ago, I was suffering from womanly weakness.

I read of Cardui in an almanac, and thought I would try it. I got a bottle and it helped me from the first. After that, during the whole of my married life, I took Cardui when I needed it. "About four years ago, change of life came on me. I grew weaker and weaker, and was confined to my bed, where I lay on my back for days. I was told that only a severe operation could do me any good, and this depressed me very much, for I dreaded such an ordeal. "I remembered how Cardui had helped me for female trouble in the past and I had read of how it had helped other women during change of life, so one night I told my husband to go to the drug store and get me a bottle. I began taking it at once. From the first dose I could feel myself getting stronger. I continued to take Cardui until I was entirely through this very trying period of a woman's life." Cardui, at all dealers. NG-158

J. E. Brewer, Gorman oil operator, was a business visitor in the city Tuesday afternoon. Walter Gilbert was here Tuesday from Carbon. B. W. Patterson was here Tuesday from Cisco.

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You too can have a Clear Skin!

WHY worry and fret—wish and hope? Why be jealous of those with clear, soft skin? It is within the reach of all. A rich, ruddy, wholesome complexion is possible. It is not something that is just beyond our reach. Neither is it something that requires years and years of toil to acquire. That clear, soft skin is within the reach of each and every one of us. Not like precious stones available to a chosen few—clear, soft skin—rich and pure—the sparkle and brightness of youth—is available to each and every one—rich and poor—young and old. S. S. S. since 1826, has been casting impurities from the system and building red blood cells. Impurities make that complexion you long for impossible. Red blood cells send rich blood coursing through your veins. Clear, soft skin is simply the result of a healthy red blooded condition. Within the grasp of all—Yes—S. S. S. will help you have the very skin you seek. When the skin is hard and drawn—the cheeks sallow and withered—the figure listless and lifeless—the system is not on edge. Something is wrong. Right that wrong. Possess that clear, soft skin—bring the youthful glow back into the cheeks. S. S. S. will do it. Miss Ethel Rose, 422 E. Water St., Painted Post, N. Y., writes: "All that has been said in favor of S. S. S. is true as applied to my case, as it has certainly purified my system and my complexion is now clear." S. S. S. is made of carefully selected and scientifically prepared and proportioned herbs and barks. It is sold at all good drug stores. The large size bottle is more economical.

S.S.S. The World's Best Blood Medicine

No Wonder Portland Cement Stucco Endures

No wonder it is unaffected by weather conditions—that rain only makes it harder. For Portland Cement Stucco in all essentials is Concrete. And you know how well Concrete serves in foundations, in homes, in hospitals, in mighty dams, in roads and skyscrapers. Be sure, therefore, that you always specify stucco by the full name, Portland Cement Stucco, and get the enduring strength which that tenacious binder, Portland Cement, assures. Architects will tell you that Portland Cement Stucco assures a home of distinction and beauty. No other exterior treatment offers such a variety of color and texture. It harmonizes perfectly with any landscape setting. And the ideal backing for Portland Cement Stucco is Concrete Masonry—Concrete Block or Tile. Watch for advertisements telling about the many other uses of Portland Cement. And remember that the Portland Cement Association has a free personal service to offer you. Whether you use concrete or have it used for you, this service will give you more for your money. Write today for your free copy of "A Plain Talk on Beautiful Homes." PORTLAND CEMENT ASSOCIATION Southwestern Life Building DALLAS, TEXAS A National Organization to Improve and Extend the Uses of Concrete OFFICES IN 30 CITIES

34 CANDIDATES WORKING FOR HI SCHOOL DIPLOMA

Three More Than Last Year; Five Weeks of Classes Remain Until Graduation.

Five weeks more and the seniors will say their final adieu to the halls and class rooms of the Ranger High school. They are to receive their diplomas on the night of May 19.

The class has 34 candidates for graduation, three more than last year. The candidates are, according to J. W. Owsall, principal: Cecilio Black, Edna Brasher, Marjorie Bowman, Virginia Brookes, Kenneth Campbell, Annie Dempsey, Claude Durham, Thurman Gholston, Hilda Gray, Clara Haden, Helen Hall, Harriett Heasley, Oneita Lee, Harriett Hodges, Cottie Lemley, Mavrine Lemley, Laurence Lowndale, Ivin Masters, Naomi Matthews, Willie Matthews, Norine Maxey, Ruby McCollum, Roy Dale Meyers, Murkle Mills, Verner Mitchell, Waurine Reagor, Ted Ramage, Christina Schmuck, Rex Thomas, Octavia Trantham, Evelyne West, Murray White, Phyllis Williams, Veda Winsett.

JAPANESE NOT IN ACCORD OVER EXCLUSION PROVISION

TOKIO, April 15.—Japanese public opinion and Japanese officials today seemed to be in a turmoil over the action of the American house of representatives in passing the Japanese exclusion measure. While the leading Japanese newspaper in Tokio, the Nichi Nichi, declared that the Japanese honor had been mercifully destroyed, the foreign office was disturbed and apparently undecided what should be done, and many prominent Japanese were privately condemning their government for bringing on the bitter controversy.

HOOF AND MOUTH DISEASE MUST NOT REACH TEXAS

HOUSTON, April 15.—The hoof and mouth disease which has caused heavy losses to the cattlemen of California, and which has spread to Colorado, will not reach Texas, in the opinion of Dr. F. C. Palmer, head of the bureau of animal industry here. The bureau is spending large sums of money and is maintaining 150 men in the field attempting to combat the disease, Dr. Palmer said. Quarantine is maintained against infected areas. He expressed the opinion that first infection in California came from Japan. The disease has been prevalent in many foreign countries for several months.

BUY IT AT HOME

GHOLSON HOTEL GUEST ROOMS BEING PAINTED

Workmen have completed painting about 75 per cent of the 290 rooms of the Gholson hotel, Ranger. The walls and ceilings are being painted an ivory color. The halls are finished.

The work will soon be through, Arthur G. Jury, manager of the hotel, said today. "We will keep it till it is through," he said. The club rooms of the Knights of Columbus and the Mystic Shrine will also be painted.

SUITS FILED.

Suits filed in district courts: J. L. Chapman, commissioner, vs. Texas Pipe Line company et al.; Josephine Johnson vs. Paul Edward Johnson; Ranger State bank vs. Sidney C. Lackland; Oscar Harris et ux. vs. Magnolia Petroleum company et al.; J. M. and R. W. Higginbotham vs. Joe Burkett et al.; G. Struck vs. D. R. Williams et al.; Willie May George vs. John H. George.

NATIONAL BANK EXAMINERS MEETING TODAY IN DALLAS

DALLAS, April 15.—Leading American bankers were among delegates here today for the annual convention of national bank examiners. Approximately 400 bankers, representing every reserve bank center, attended the opening session. Following a business meeting this morning, the bankers with their wives motored to Fort Worth, where they were entertained by the city's clearing house association.

A special rodeo was staged by committeemen at the "cow town" for the dele gation of visiting bankers. Tonight the delegates and their wives will be guests at a dinner at the Fort Worth River Crest club.

STRAW WINS COUNTY CONTESTS FOR SIXTH TIME

In winning the Palo Pinto county interscholastic essay and track and field meet recently the Straw High school captured the honors for the sixth consecutive year.

Straw won easily over its nearest competitor, Mineral Wells, getting a total of 231 as against 78 for the latter.

BERGDOLL FOREVER BARRED FROM CITIZENSHIP RIGHTS

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, draft dodger, has lost his citizenship rights but not his citizenship, Commissioner of Naturalization Crist has ruled. "Bergdoll is forever incapable of holding any office or trust or profit under the United States or of exercising any rights of citizenship," Crist said, replying to inquiries of Secretary of Labor Davis.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., April 15.—Arthur Sisson, former mayor of Maysville, Mo., died Monday from bullet wounds received, it is alleged, during an altercation with Newman Estes, over an election campaign, in which the Ku Klux Klan was the principal issue. Sisson was accused of turning against the Klan after it supported him for re-election.

THREE DAYS EASTER SPECIAL

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Just three more days until Easter. We have a heavy stock of merchandise and are going out after the business for the next three days. Here is your opportunity to buy not only your entire wardrobe but many other articles at a great saving.

For these three days every department will give unusually rare bargains. Many specials all over the house. We don't attempt to quote them all here.

Sale of Entire Stock of Dresses

Not just a select few but our entire stock of Dresses go on sale for three days. You know the style and quality of dresses offered you by "Ranger's foremost department store." The prices quoted below will show you the saving in dollars and cents.

- \$12.95 Dresses for .. \$ 9.95
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- \$28.50 Dresses for .. \$23.50
- \$29.50 Dresses for .. \$25.50
- \$32.50 Dresses for .. \$27.50
- \$35.00 Dresses for .. \$29.50
- \$36.50 Dresses for .. \$31.50
- \$39.50 Dresses for .. \$34.50
- \$42.50 Dresses for .. \$37.50
- \$45.50 Dresses for .. \$39.50
- \$49.50 Dresses for .. \$41.50
- \$52.50 Dresses for .. \$42.50
- \$55.00 Dresses for .. \$45.00
- \$59.50 Dresses for .. \$48.50
- \$62.50 Dresses for .. \$49.50
- \$69.50 Dresses for .. \$57.50
- \$72.50 Dresses for .. \$58.50
- \$79.50 Dresses for .. \$59.50



Group Ladies' Hats \$4.95
All Ladies' Spring Hats, values up to \$8.50, go in group at this low price

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Easter--the greatest of all Symbols

Today is carrying the message and meaning even to the habitats of Fashion. Every woman and most men, know the well-nigh uncontrollable impulse to portray the ephemeral sweetness and triumphant beauty of Nature's awakening, in fresh, radiant apparel, a wholly natural desire to express the intangible with the tangible.

Almost a rite, then, becomes this Easter quest for clothes and at the Boston Store this rite becomes a pleasure—so beautiful is the merchandise—so punctilious is the service, and so satisfying are the values offered to the one on purchase bent.

Spring Coats

These models express all that is new in Fashion. Changes in Fashion in weather, make spring coats the first consideration of the smart woman. Either a cape or a coat that is smart in the new Paris Cote de Cheval, wool juina, kashmirian fabrics or twills.

25% Off During Our Easter Sale

The Newest Frocks FOR WOMEN OF ALL TYPES

With due regard to all other preferences in clothes this spring, women ultimately turn to the daytime frock, with renewed zest, for many are its charms. In colors of navy blue or black, or becoming tailored dresses with effective introductions of lace or buttons, are largely in favor.

Save 25% This Week

Spring Coats

Now is the time to buy Suits because now is the time to wear suits. Some are finished with silk braid binding, even to the edges of their mannish pockets. Others have the severe tailored seams. Many have the smart wrap-around skirt. They come in navy black twills, also hairline stripes and checks in tans and grays.

25% Off During Our Easter Sale

Only three days left in which to do your Easter shopping. Remember we can save you 25 per cent this week on all your needs for Easter.

NOTICE OUR WINDOW DISPLAYS



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Extraordinary Hosiery Values

Beautiful and Serviceable Allen A Silk Hosiery

Whether it be heavy silk stockings or the sheerest chiffons, into every pair of Allen A hosiery is woven exceptional wear as well as beauty. See the new colors. Unusual values this week.



- \$3.50 Black Cat Hose \$2.85
- Regular \$2.50 Black Cat Hose \$1.95
- Black Cat Hose, \$1.95 value now \$1.48

Specials Picked at Random

- 45c value 32-in Gingham and 30-in. Imperial Chambray 35c
- 32-in French Gingham, fast color, at only 39c
- 21x40 Turkish Towels, regular 35 grade, for 28c
- 42-in. linen-finish Tubing, 50c value, for 38c
- 70c value 54-in. Indianhead, on special at 55c
- 81x90 fancy Bed Spreads, \$4.50 value, for \$3.95
- 36-in. New Spring Cretonne, 35c value, for 28c
- One lot New Spring Percales, to close out 11c
- 95c Quaker Lace Curtains, 36 to 44 inches wide 75c
- 36-in. Gold Bond Percale, all colors, for 22c
- 30c Gold Bond Gingham, 27 inches wide, for 22c
- Colored Cotton Crepe, in white, pink, yellow and blue, for 28c
- 36-in. colored Indian, guaranteed not to fade, 65c value, for 48c
- 65c Printed Voiles in very new patterns, for 48c
- 95c value plain colored Ratine, for 78c
- 36-in. fancy Sans Soe Satin, \$1.25 value, for 78c
- 36-in. Silk Eponge, in white and tan, \$4.50 value, \$3.48
- \$1.25 value fancy Ratine, at only 95c
- 40-in. \$3.50 value Canton and Flat Crepe, all colors, for \$2.85
- \$1.25 value Melba Toilet Water, all kinds, for \$1.00
- Melba Piney Woods Face Powder, \$1.00 size 85c
- \$2.95 and \$3.50 Chiffon Hose, all brands \$2.38
- All Children's Sox on sale 5c
- 200-count Pins, 2 papers for 5c

Children's Hats \$2.95

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