

# The Grapeland Messenger

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## NEGRO SHOT AND KILLED SATURDAY WHITE MAN SURRENDERS TO OFFICERS

Willie B. Smith, negro about 30 years old, was shot and instantly killed Saturday morning about 11 o'clock in a warehouse, following his apprehension early that morning on a charge of attempted criminal assault upon Mrs. Tom Marshall, who resides about two miles northwest of town.

The negro attacked Mrs. Marshall late Friday afternoon near her home, while she was picking berries on a branch. Her husband came to her rescue, but the negro fled before he could return to the house and secure his gun.

A posse headed by officers searched for the negro all night Friday. He was found early Saturday morning several miles west of town, brought here and secreted in the warehouse to avoid violence.

He was killed in the warehouse by Garland Ellis of Crockett, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Marshall, who returned to Crockett and surrendered to Justice of the Peace Callier. Mr. Ellis was released on a \$50 bond signed by 30 men of Crockett, whose aggregate wealth was placed at \$250,000.

The negro's body was pierced by at least one load of buckshot, two shots being fired. An inquest was held by Justice of the Peace John A. Davis.

Following the shooting, the situation was quiet and has remained so since. No further trouble in connection with the affair is anticipated.

### A GOOD PLAY

One of the best home talent plays seen here in a long time was presented Wednesday night of last week by the Lovelady Dramatic Club, the title being "Hidden Riches." It was greatly enjoyed by a fairly good size audience.

### NOTICE, MASONS

All Masons of Grapeland Lodge are urged to be present Saturday night, June 14, as officers for the new year will be elected.

Clarence McCarty, W. M.

### NOTICE, DOG OWNERS

After Friday of this week the dog ordinance will be rigidly enforced and all dogs caught running at large, regardless of where they are found within the city limits, will be impounded. The tags are now here, and if you wish your dog to run loose, you must have a tag on it.

R. T. Bobbitt,  
City Marshall.

### HOUSE WIRING

If you wish your house wired in time for connection when the current is turned on see me and make arrangements to have it done right away. I represent Mr. Easterling, an electrician of Palestine. His charges will be \$3.25 per drop, switches and meters counting as drops, everything furnished. Nathan Guice.

### NO SUMMER SLUMP

The weather is getting warm—almost hot—and with the season comes that lazy-loungy-sleepy feeling. We all have it, and the question is, what shall we do with it? We must do it or it will do US. But how? Keep moving. Step on the gas and create a breeze in which to live.

The above words are merely introductory. The thought in mind is this: There will be no summer slump at the Christian Church. Just the opposite. We are going through the next three months in high gear and at full speed. Better take a ride with us. Filling station service hours will be Sunday morning from ten to twelve, Sunday evening from eight-thirty to nine-thirty, and Wednesday evening at the same hour. Lets go.

Reporter.

### FOR CONSTABLE

In the announcement column of the Messenger this week appears the name of Henry Shaw, who asks for election as Constable of Precinct 5, subject to the action of the Democratic party in July.

Mr. Shaw has served this section as Deputy Sheriff about one year and has had much experience as a peace officer during this time and feels that he is able to serve the people well as their constable.

We commend his name to your consideration.

### NOTICE

All members of the Farm Labor Union of Sun Set Local are requested to be present Friday night, June 13. Members of neighboring locals are invited to meet with us. Important business matters to discuss.

W. Y. Watts, Pres.,  
Sun Set Local.

## OLD MAN TROUBLE

Old Man Trouble he come stumpin' up de lane;  
A-takin' to hisse'f de sorrow an' de pain—  
An' now an' then he'd whimper an' then again he'd yelp.  
A-tellin' 'bout a lot o' things nobody couldn't help.  
Now an' then he'd murmur an' then again he'd sigh  
'Bout all de mournful things he said would happen by an' by.  
Until he got Aunt Mandy riled wif his incessant gloom  
She rolled her sleeves an' waded in an' hit 'im wif a broom.  
I hit 'im wif a pickax; Sister Susie she jine in  
An' flattened Old Man Trouble underneath a rollin' pin.  
De boys dey all got busy in de Anti-Trouble raid.  
Some hit 'im wif a handsaw an' some hit 'im wif a spade.  
Old Man Trouble he set up an awful shout—  
"Oh, won't you please unlock de gate an' let a feller out.  
I wants to wander on my way, because I plainly see  
Where evrybody's working hard, dar ain't much chance foh me!"

## AUTOS FURNISHED FOR VETERANS

Confederate veterans and their wives from this vicinity will be furnished automobile conveyance by the citizens of Grapeland to the reunion at Crockett next Tuesday, June 17. If you wish a seat in one of the cars, please notify Mr. Will Darsey. Cars will leave from the front street at 9 o'clock.

### WIRING CHURCH

Since the announcement last week that the Texas Light & Power Co. would build a line to Grapeland from their Crockett plant, Mr. W. S. Easterling of Palestine has been given the contract to wire the new Methodist church now under construction.

### MEMORIAL SERVICE

Memorial services will be held at the Davis cemetery the fifth Sunday, June 29th. An interesting program will be arranged for the day and all interested are cordially invited to attend.

J. J. Brooks,  
T. H. Leaverton,  
J. E. Hollingsworth,  
Committee.

## SECOND MASONIC LECTURE TONIGHT

The second lecture of the Masonic Educational and Service Association will be given at the Masonic hall tonight (Thursday) by Hon. Nat Patton of Crockett. The subject of the lecture will be "The Dignity of Labor." Members of Grapeland and Augusta Masonic Lodges and sojourning brethren are requested to attend the meeting. The following program will be carried out:

Invocation.  
Introduction of the speaker,  
W. A. Riall.  
Address, Hon. Nat Patton.  
Short talks by brethren.  
Announcements.  
Benediction.

### NEW FIRE TRUCK

Crockett, Texas, June 7.—Crockett Friday received its new triple combination fire truck, ordered several weeks ago. This machine is said to be the latest in fire fighting apparatus. This, with the truck already in use, gives the city ample protection. The trucks are operated by one of the liveliest volunteer fire companies in the state.

## MAYFIELD WINS IN FIRST COUNT



HON. EARLE B. MAYFIELD  
U. S. Senator from Texas.

The Senate committee investigating the election contest against Senator Earle B. Mayfield of Texas Saturday upheld his right to a seat in the Senate.

The evidence presented by his republican opponent, Geo. E. B. Peddy, was held to be insufficient to support charges that excessive campaign funds had been spent in his behalf by the Ku Klux Klan or any other organization or individual in 1922.

Chairman Spencer in announcing the view of the committee, explained that the full elections committee still must act on the contest, and that it would be necessary then to obtain action by the Senate.

## RABIES INCREASE; KILL STRAY DOGS

Austin, Texas, June 6.—Dr. J. T. Wilhite, director of the State Pasteur Institute, said Friday that rabid dogs continue on the increase in Texas and that with the coming of the hot summer days rabies will increase unless the people take the situation in hand and stop the stray dogs.

### FOR PUBLIC WEAIGHER

In the announcement column of The Messenger this week will be found the name of Homer Jones for public weigher of Grapeland, Justice precinct No. 5, subject to action of Democratic primary in July.

Mr. Jones is well known throughout this precinct and states, that due to the fact that he is very busy trying to make a cotton crop himself under difficult conditions and a late start, he will be unable to canvass the voters as thoroughly as he would like to, and asks that every voter give his name due consideration before casting their ballots.

### AT METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 10 a. m.  
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Preaching at New Prospect at 3 p. m.

The public has a cordial invitation to attend these services.  
B. C. Anderson, Pastor.

## TEXAS L. & P. CO. GIVEN FRANCHISE

The City Council met in special session last Thursday, June 5, and granted to the Texas Light & Power Co., of Dallas, a franchise for a period of fifty years, giving that company the right to furnish light, heat and power to citizens of the community.

The company was represented by Mr. H. E. Borden of Dallas and Mr. J. T. McDonald of Palestine. Mr. Borden stated that a construction crew of the company, now at work building a line from Palestine to Oakwood, would be transferred here to build the line from Crockett to Grapeland. The line to Oakwood should be completed in the very near future.

Barring no delays that might unavoidably take place, the representatives of the company stated that current should be ready to turn on within ninety days.

### OUR HONOR ROLL

The following have our thanks for their subscription:  
Route 1—Marvin Caskey, J. S. Weisinger.

Route 2—Mrs. Emma Whitaker.

Crockett—Nat Patton.  
Augusta—Henry Newman.  
Percilla—W. W. Sullivan.  
Salmon—W. B. Murdock.  
Alpine—Miss Esther Darsey.

### THE CRADLE ROLL

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Wednesday, June 4th, 1924.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bridges announce the birth of a son Thursday, June 6th, 1924.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harrison announce the arrival of a boy, born June 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Marshall announce the arrival of a girl, born June 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robbins of Houston announce the birth of a son, Herman Daniel, Sunday, June 8. Weight, 9 1-2 pounds.

### TO CONFEDERATE VETS

The annual reunion of Crockett Camp No. 143, U. C. V., will be held at Crockett next Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, June 17th. Every confederate veteran in Houston county is urged to attend this meeting as there is some important business to transact. Come and bring your wife.

J. J. Brooks,  
Commander.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank those who were so faithful to us during the illness and death of our darling little Prudie Vern; also for the beautiful floral offerings. Especially do we thank Dr. McCarty for his constant and faithful service. May God bless him in his work. We also wish to thank those that are helping with our four year old daughter, who is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Campbell. Rev. C. A. Campbell and family.

## Completing the Wall





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OUR PURPOSE—It is the purpose of The Messenger to record accurately simply and interestingly the moral, intellectual, industrial and political progress of Grapeland and Houston County. To aid us in this, every citizen should give us his moral and financial support.

THURSDAY, JUNE 12, 1924

There's no doubt about it. The party that can command the bobbed-hair vote will win.

What we want to know is, what are we going to say to Mars when we get her on the line?

Why a third party? Human nature would be the same if we had a hundred.

The bonus voted ex-service men will look like 30c beside the expense of the next war.

Will "Lunch" Davidson be able to hand us out three square meals a day if he is fortunate enough to be elected governor?

Back to the soil movement just now is more interested in the baseball fields than in the farm lands.

Congress adjourned Saturday thus dispelling the belief among some that they were afraid to.

There is entirely too much srap in the gubernatorial timber this year.

Hy Johnson made such a poor showing as a candidate for president that his name will not even be presented to the convention. Hy started out roaring like a lion, but he is now meek as a lamb.

David was anointed with oil when he was made king over Israel, but in this day and time some other fluid would have to be used if he cared anything for his reputation.

"What is the country coming to?" is a question frequently asked. Well, just now it is coming to the time when feasting on delicious watermelons will be the chief occupation of a lot of us.

Another little improvement in The Messenger we wish to call your attention to is that each page is now numbered and carries the date line of the week published. We made this improvement upon the suggestion of one of our good subscribers.

There was a time when real men went to the senate and congress, who had the interest of the country and all the people at heart. We said there was a time when such men were elected to public office, but now there are too many holding office who were sent there by some special interest, or bloc, or group. A government by bloc or group is no government at all and the people will not get representation in such an outfit. Let's get back to real Jeffersonian democracy where the whole people will have representation.

The men of the country who complain of political conditions are usually the men who take very little interest in matters of a political nature. Too many of them do not manifest enough interest to go to the polls and vote. It is a sad fact too, that a large per cent of the voters do not know who and what they are voting for. What this country needs is an enlightened and an intelligent electorate.

Before adjourning last Saturday congress passed a law restricting campaign contributions and requiring full publicity of all funds. This is well and a healthful sign. The amount of money spent in each presidential election is increasing every year. So is the amount spent by other candidates for other and lesser offices of trust. The increasing and exaggerated use of money in attempting to influence voters is one of the real dangers confronting the nation. Regardless of party, everyone ought to be interested in clean elections. They will never be clean with large amounts of money circulating freely in the interest of any candidate. All elections should be honest and we should see to it that they are. In passing this law congress has given us a chance to make elections open and above board—if we see to it that the law is enforced.

A fellow dropped into town recently and sold seventy-two potato slicers for \$1 each. The same slicer was on sale at local stores for 35c. Smooth salesmen always reap the long green when people are inclined to be so generous.—Grapeland Messenger.

It's not generosity every time that causes people to be hornsogged by potato peeler peddlers, patent hay fork swindlers, new wrinkle churn dashers, grafters, etc. Most times it's a desire to try to economize on labor, the pur-

### HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

TALK BOUT A 'PEACEFUL SMOKE' BUT 'YWON' BE PEACEFUL ER YOU GITS HOL' ONE DEM SE-GARS LAK WHUT DE STO-KEEPUH GIMME WEN AH PAID 'IM UP YISTIDDY!!



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## The Legislative History Of the Commission

By Walter Splawn, R. R. Commissioner of Texas.

The act of April 3, 1891 required the Governor to appoint three men who should compose the Railroad Commission of Texas. These men were to hold office from the date of appointment until the second Monday after the inauguration of the next succeeding Governor. The Governor had asked for an appointive commission.

Governor Hogg said in his speech at Wills Point on April 21, 1892: "Half the session had expired before any suggestion was made to elect the commission. Never had there been during the fourteen years struggle a bill proposing to elect commissioners. If the Commission should be made elective, then what question could be discus-

chaser being of a tired disposition and thinking perhaps the new device will save him many peels, or grabs, or flaps in the churn, or from expending energy on something he is led to believe can be done by machinery. And occasionally it is like the late P. T. Barnum said.—Teague News.

### HISTORY OF THE BAPTIST CHURCH

(By Ozelle Haltom)

(Editor's Note—This is third of a series of articles dealing with local history written by students of the Grapeland High School.)

When the Baptist church was organized in Grapeland there were very few Baptists. There was no Baptist building so services were held in the upper story of the old school building.

Dr. Woodard was the first to preach to the Baptist people here; he was superintendent of the Sunday school and also main worker. Dr. Woodard was very faithful and true on duty; if he was not present there was no Sunday school nor church.

The next pastor of this little band of Christians was a Bro. Anderson from Palestine. At the end of his term this church was still very, very small but had progressed some little bit.

It was in 1889 that Brother H. E. Harris was called as our pastor for the first time, and much of the preaching during his time was done under a small brush arbor beside the little school house, the crowd usually getting wet if a little rain came. At the end of Brother Harris' ministry the church had grown to the number of thirty four members. Yes, it was really showing some progress, though sometimes even some of the more faithful members grew tired and discouraged.

Amid all hardships the little church kept growing until in 1909 the members planned and started the new church building, the one now standing. The three most faithful members through all this time were Dr. Woodard, Mrs. Jim Leaverton and Mrs. Henry Leaverton. They had great influence over the other workers and were the greatest cause of the new building. Dr. Woodard was an old doctor who was one of the oldest citizens of this community; Wesley Woodard's father. Mrs. Jim Leaverton was Mr. Dave and his brothers' aunt. Mrs. Henry Leaverton was Mr. Herbert Leaverton's mother.

The first year that the new building was made, Brother Mainer was called as pastor but soon resigned to do missionary work and Brother H. E. Harris was called to take his place. By the end of the year 1910, the little church had grown to the number of seventy six members. In the summer of 1911, a revival meeting was held and nine new members were added to the church, thus making eighty five members.

About the first year that the new church was built one of the most faithful members died, Brother F. C. Woodard. In his stead as superintendent Mr. W. D. Granberry was elected. Mr. T. S. Kent was elected assistant superintendent and C. L. Haltom as collector.

By 1914 the church had grown still more, having ninety three members. In November 1914 conference was held and Brother S. W. Edge was called as pastor and served until late in 1916. In the summer of 1916 Brother Clapp came down from Palestine to help hold a revival meeting and twelve new members were added

to the church list. It was on July first, 1915 that one of our best workers and teachers was taken away by death, Mrs. Jim Leaverton. The church felt keenly the loss of this faithful member and worker.

It was in the latter part of 1916 that Brother Fullbright was called as pastor and there filled the stand for only one year. The church progressed very little during this year; maybe from lack of interest on pastor's part or maybe from lack of interest on members part or from various other reasons.

The following year Brother H. E. Harris was our pastor again. He only kept it for one year this time, but the church grew rapidly even during the one year.

In September 1918 Conference was again held and Brother W. E. Ray was called to the pulpit and there served for two years as a very faithful pastor and worker.

Before this year the church had been having services only once a month, the first Sunday, but now had grown until it had church on both the first and the third Sundays. During the revival meeting of the summer of 1919 thirteen new members were added to the roll. It was during the second year of Brother Ray's term that the church worked on the building, bought new seats and lights. This added much to the attractions of the church. At the end of Brother Ray's term the church had grown until it now had one hundred sixty four members.

Late in 1920 we again called a new pastor, Brother Fred J. Newland, who only served one year. He was a young, unmarried man, not very serious except in the church house. But he was really a good preacher and had a good influence over the church.

In November 1921 Brother Parker was called to be our pastor. He also stayed only one year. At the end of his term the church did not call a pastor and so that place has not been filled yet.

We have been having preachers from various places to come and preach on trial and think that we've finally found a man who will suit

this place. Brother McCall has promised to accept the position and everybody is just waiting and hoping that the new man will make a good pastor and that the church will again pick up its progress. There are now two hundred twenty four members in the Baptist church of Grapeland.

The people decided to elect the commissioners instead of leaving their appointment to the Governor, but they did accept the suggestion to elect them for a term of six years. Governor Hogg also suggested that a commissioner should be disqualified from holding any other public office for two years after the expiration of his term. This suggestion was not adopted in the law.

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### POINTED PARAGRAPHS

There is reason in all things, but not in all people.

Children should be seen more and talked about less.

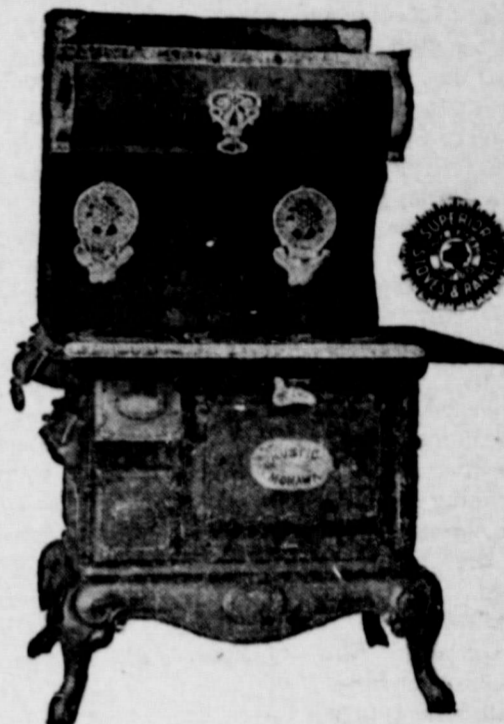
A promising young man is good, but a paying one is better.

He who has health and owes nothing is both young and wealthy.

Those who work for the wages of sin try to postpone the date of reckoning.

Lack of originality in some persons' conversation displays their good judgment.

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  - 65c Organdy ..... 59c
  - 35c Organdy ..... 29c
  - 20c Organdy ..... 14c
  - 25c Bleached Domestic ..... 19c
  - Silk Hose in all new shades 50c values for ..... 43c
  - \$1.50 Pin check pants at ..... \$1.25
  - 85c Blue work shirts at ..... 69c
  - Scott's Level Best overalls at ..... \$1.75
  - 4 lb. Best Grade Roasted Coffee ..... \$1.00
  - 3 bottles Garrett, Rooster or Devoe's Snuff for ... \$1.00
  - 5 lb. Calumet Baking Powder ..... \$1.10
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**"NINETEEN YEARS AGO"**

News Items Taken from File Copies of The Messenger Nineteen Years Ago

The issue of June 8, 1905, was the first issue gotten out by the present editor, who arrived in Grapeland to take charge of the paper after its suspension. The paper only suspended one week. In his salutatory Mr. Luker said: "It will be the policy of The Messenger to encourage everything that tends to the upbuilding of Houston county at large and the Grapeland community in particular." Those of you who have followed The Messenger through all these years will recognize that The Messenger has strictly adhered to that policy.

Arthur Owens is holding down the "devil's job very credibly in The Messenger office.

Maj. J. F. Martin attended the old soldiers' reunion at Crockett Friday.

Advertisers in this issue were: S. E. Howard, Grapeland Public School, J. J. Brooks, Carleton & Porter, Robert E. Caskey, George E. Darsey, W. B. Farris, Agent, Jim Saxon, Bon Ton Cream Parlor.

Miss Willie Browning left Friday for Palestine, where she accepted a position in a millinery store.

Misses Susie and Vera Gainey and Messrs. Carl and Jim Gainey of San Pedro were visiting in the city Sunday.

Miss Annie Saxon of Crockett is visiting relatives in the city Mrs. J. P. Millar and Mrs. R. H. Lacy of Crockett and Mrs. Claude Sadler of Kountze are here attending the bedside of their sick mother, Mrs. S. T. Anthony.

D. C. Hutcherson, representing the Houston Drug Co., was in the city Tuesday. (Dave Hutcherson is still coming to Grapeland selling drugs and is as popular as ever. He is a member of the Grapeland Chamber of Commerce and renewed his membership last week when he was here.—Ed.)

Miss May Caldwell is visiting relatives in Crockett this week.

C. H. Beazley and family of Reynard were visiting in the city Tuesday.

Prof. A. W. Cain had business in Crockett Friday afternoon.

**MEETING OF DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CALLED**

By virtue of the authority vested in be by law, I hereby call a meeting of your Committee to meet at the Court-House at Crockett at 10 o'clock A. M. on Monday, the 16th day of June, A. D. 1924, for the following purposes:

First—To determine whether nomination for county and precinct officers shall be made by a majority vote or a minority vote, that is, whether one or two primary elections shall be held.

Second—To determine the order in which the names of all candidates for each office in the county or precinct shall be printed on the official ballot, the same to be ascertained "by lot."

Third—To estimate the cost of holding the primary election, or elections, as the case may be, and of printing the official ballots, and to apportion such cost and expense among the various candidates for nomination for county and precinct offices.

Fourth—To name the Presiding Judges of the several voting precincts in the county.

Fifth—To assist the County Chairman in the selection and appointment of a Sub-Committee of five members, to be known as the "Primary Committee" to make up the official ballot for the general primary election, and to provide for the printing and distribution of the same to the several voting precincts.

Sixth—To transact any other and further business that may properly come before the Committee.

**Members of the Committee**

As at present constituted, the Committee is composed of one member from each Justice Precinct in the county, as follows:

Precinct No. 1, G. Q. King, Crockett.

Precinct No. 2, J. M. Sheridan, Augusta, who takes the place of W. H. Holcomb who is ill and not able to serve.

Precinct No. 3, J. M. Creasy, Kennard.

Precinct No. 4, H. M. Barbee, Lovelady.

Precinct No. 5, W. G. Darsey, Grapeland.

Precinct No. 6, A. B. Mulligan, Porter Spring's.

Precinct No. 7, H. D. Clanton, Weches.

Precinct No. 8, J. A. Hanner, Weldon.

I earnestly request that each and all the members of the Committee be on hand promptly at the time and place above mentioned without further notice.

J. W. Madden, Chairman Democratic Executive Com. of Houston County, Crockett, Texas, June 3, 1924.

**MEETING OF CANDIDATES CALLED**

To all the Candidates in the Democratic Primary:

You are hereby respectfully requested to meet with the County Democratic Executive Committee at Crockett on June 16, 1924, to aid the Committee in determining whether to have one or two primaries in the county, to be advised of the assessment against each of you for defraying the expenses of the primary elections, and to make arrangements for the campaign you expect to make before the election.

J. W. Madden, County Chairman.

Wife (as car sputters and stops): "What's the matter now?"

Hubby: "Engine's missing." Wife: "Well, for the love of Pete, walk back and find it!"

Now that the light rays have been translated into sound, we may learn whether or not the morning stars when they first sang together had anything to say about bananas—Boston Transcript.

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# THE PASSING DAY

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This is certainly a "jazz" age through which the world is passing. Jazz music is merely the reflection of the average state of mind of the people. Most people who keep right up with the times are jazzing their way through life almost as madly as the Marathon dancers of a year or two ago danced until they fell to the floor. But like that craze, the jazz craze will soon pass and many think they see evidence of its passing now. It is noticeable that at all public functions, except perhaps the dance, the people are demanding a better class of music than pleased them a few years ago.

Bobbed hair bandits are becoming so common in the cities that the average man is beginning to regard himself as helpless in the presence of any female with short hair, for he never knows when a gun will be flashed from beneath the blouse with a demand for "your money or your life." It is axiomatic that when women become depraved they sink lower in depravity and become more reckless than men. Burglary and robbery, as well as loss of self-respect, may be expected to follow smoking, drinking and profanity on the part of women, as surely as night follows the day. Not all the women who smoke, drink and curse will become bandits, but enough will do so to bring women from the pedestal which they have always occupied.

It is very hard to watch the political game at close range without becoming disgusted, until one has lost his sense of disgust. At times one is made

to wonder if there is a vestige of political honesty left among the people, even a shadow of political decency. Politics is on a huge jazz along with everything else, but the day of reckoning is surely coming and the world will swing back to normalcy. Those who are most optimistic are hoping that the day may not be too long delayed.

Occasionally politics or political fear results in some relief to the helpless taxpayers. The student of governmental affairs knows full well that there would have been no hope for a reduction in income taxes but for the fear of both the great political parties that defeat would follow inaction in tax matters. Fortunately both parties become scared at the same thing at the same time and tax reductions followed. However, most of the readers of this column are not affected much one way or the other by income taxes, and they have been little concerned by income discussions.

Possibly it may have been worth it, but the average citizen is left to wonder just what benefit he received from the shooting of about a half million dollars worth of ammunition at Fort Sill the other day for the entertainment of army men, members of the National Editorial Association and other visitors. Just why such extravagant "maneuvers" should be given in times of peace is somewhat of a puzzle to the citizen who does not make a study of war. Perhaps it impressed the rest of the world with our

resources in war and with extravagance in peace.

Yoakum, down in the "Turkey Trot" section of the state, is boasting of a young turkey with four legs and sixteen claws, probably a creation due to too much trotting. But it would be more interesting to hear of a breed of turkeys with four breasts. Having made that bright (?) suggestion, I will follow it with the statement that the turkey and chicken business has lately proven to be one of the most important vocations in Texas and is annually bringing more clear money to those who seriously devote their time to it. Not many years ago, only women, children and invalids gave their time to raising poultry. Turkey trots and poultry shows, aided by the regularity of the cash returns, have given us greater respect for the business.

A Detroit wife has brought suit against her husband for divorce because he stays around home and sleeps too much, and it appears that she has just cause for complaint. Many wives have obtained divorces because their husbands stayed away from home too much and slept too little, but as between the two kinds the perpetual hanger-around and sleeper is the worst nuisance. Laziness is among the worst and most inexcusable faults. No self-respecting woman wants to associate constantly with a regular loafer.

**Sickly, Peevish Children**  
Children suffering from intestinal worms are cross, restless and unhealthy. There are other symptoms, however. If the child is pale, has dark rings under the eyes, bad breath and takes no interest in play, it is almost a certainty that worms are eating away its vitality. The surest remedy for worms is White's Cream Vermifuge. It is positive destruction to the worms but harmless to the child. Price 35c. Sold by WADE L. SMITH

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**NOTICE TO BREEDERS**  
My registered Jersey male will be here for the next two or three weeks. Those desiring his services had better take advantage of this opportunity. Fee is cash—no exceptions.  
C. C. Hill.

Grapeland is destined to lose another good family in the near future, Frank Leaverton having been appointed distributing agent for the Pierce Oil Corporation at Crockett. He is now on the job, going down from here in his car every morning, but expects to remove with his family in the near future. We regret exceedingly to lose them.

When food gives you distress you need a dose of Prickly Ash Bitters to relieve the stomach and help digestion. It is a man's remedy for the liver and bowels. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Wade L. Smith Special Agent.

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You will find my prices most reasonable on all kinds of work. I will appreciate a share of your business. Knob's old stand.  
All Work Guaranteed  
Any work done by me that does not stand up will be made good free of charge.



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The greatest shoe values of the year are offered for the next few days in our women's low shoes. All styles, all leathers, all colors.

\$4.50 to \$5.50 values at \$3.89  
\$6.00 to \$7.00 values at \$4.89  
\$7.50 to \$8.50 values at \$5.89

## Silk Hosiery

Most a score of summer shades are included in our special silk hosiery offering this week:

\$2.50 Paris full fashioned pure thread silk hosiery at only \$2.19  
\$2.00 Cadet full fashioned pure thread silk hosiery at only \$1.79  
\$1.50 Cadet full fashioned silk hosiery, and a value at only \$1.25  
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## MEN'S SUMMER SUITS

You can get as many summer suits as you will need at this store. We sell genuine brands with copyrighted labels.

Genuine Palm Beach suits at \$12.50, \$15.00 and \$17.50  
Genuine Lorraine Seersuckers \$10.00  
Genuine Lorraine Spanish Linens \$10.00  
Extra trousers in same quality as above, at \$4.00  
Good quality seersuckers at \$7.50  
Extra trousers to match at \$2.50  
Summer weight, extra trousers at only \$2.50 to \$7.50

## THESE ARE NEW

"The Dix," Arrow's latest collar, 3 \$1.00  
Selecto dress shirts, all styles \$1 to \$2.50  
Perfecto dress shirts, all styles \$1.50 to \$7.50  
Kerry Kut Underwear at \$1.00  
Other Athletic union suits at 50c to \$1.50  
New silk four-in-hand ties at 75c to \$1.00  
New silk knit ties at 50c to \$1.50  
Best straw hat styles and materials at \$2.00 to \$5.00

## SPECIAL SHOWING THIS WEEK

Saving values are here this week in things you'll be proud to wear. Bathing suits, children's dresses, ladies dresses, underwear, men's work clothes, dress goods, etc.

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Where you are always welcome.

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## Link after Link

Franklin plucked a zigzag of lightning out of the sky. Bell linked it with a bit of wire and gave the human voice more power than the thunder. Now scientists, discarding the wire, hurl one voice—undiminished—in countless radii across the world.

Each day the ingenuities of men are bettering, strengthening yesterday's progress. In foods, clothing, house-furnishings, inventions, minds are adding link to link—trying to lift you closer to cotentment.

Records of this progress flash in advertisements before you. They are personal, timely messages of products that will please.

The advertisement suggests not only the new—but the best; spread them out honestly before you so that you can conveniently choose. They show you highest values at sensible cost. They help you to live better—and save.

Read the advertisements to learn of the latest ways you can make your life more pleasant.

KEEP UP WITH THE ADVERTISEMENTS TO KEEP A PACE WITH PROGRESS

## ANTRIM NEWS

Antrim, June 9.—Allie Little and family visited at the home of Jim Gray Sunday.

Edgar Lasiter and family and Tony Woods and family of this community visited in the Rock Hill community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Woods entertained the young folks with a party Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Martin visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Martin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Durnell visited at the home of A. N. Edens Sunday.

Arch McQueen and family visited Virgil Lawrence and family Sunday.

Chester Martin and Rencher Simpson visited Verdaman Gray Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodard Price visited at the home of Jim Gibson Sunday.

John Lawrence and family of Ephesus visited Virgil Lawrence Sunday.

Misses Mamie and Eula Durnell attended singing at Oak Grove Sunday. They were accompanied by Boyd Smith of Grapeland.

Hubert Gray visited Homer Little Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Gibson and her two daughters recently visited at the home of J. F. Martin.

## UNION DOTS

Union, June 8.—Miss Laura Robert has returned home from Mrs. Tom Sanches', where she spent a few weeks.

Miss Ruth Smith spent Sunday with Evaline and Elsie Kolb.

Miss Elma Brown and Alfred

Brown spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Annie Lea Robison.

Miss Frances Brown spent Saturday night with Mrs. Joe Nelson.

Mrs. Adelia Matteson and Mrs. Sam Duitch spent Sunday with Mrs. Ben Brown.

Quite a crowd from this community went to Elkhart to preaching, where Bro. Leamon is holding a meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Herod of Oak Grove spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Rob't Montgomery.

Miss Mabelle and Pauline Brannen returned to Huntsville Monday, where they are going to school.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Beason and family of Elkhart spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Beason.

Johnnie Brannen of Huntsville spent Saturday night with Oran Caskey.

## SERVICE AT EPHEBUS

There will be an all day service at Ephesus next Sunday, June 15. Everybody invited to come and bring their song book and a well filled basket of dinner.

Emma Graham,  
Molly Reed,  
Deckart Anderson,  
Committee.

Prewitt DuBose of Lamesa came in Monday for a two weeks' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. DuBose, just north of town. He reports crop prospects very good in that section, although, like East Texas, they have had excessive rains.

## W. M. S. NOTES

In spite of the unusually warm weather, the attendance was fair at the meeting of the Missionary Society Tuesday afternoon. Much interest was shown in the work being undertaken and plans were discussed for the future.

The program for the afternoon was from the yearbook, the lesson being on the theme of social service. Mrs. Boykin led the devotional, using as her subject, "The Personal side of Prayer." The special topic of the day was "A Problem in Child welfare," which was presented by Mrs. W. G. Darsey. Mrs. Anderson read a paper on the subject.

The hour of the meeting was changed to four o'clock for the summer months.

Reporter.

Miss Loye Yarbrough of Ft. Worth is here on a visit to relatives.

## \$5.00 REWARD

I will pay \$5.00 reward for 3 quilts and 2 pair of blankets lost or taken while moving from Elkhart to Grapeland last Thursday. Mrs. Mollie Murdoch.

See me for tires, tubes, light bulbs, spark plugs, fan belts, motor meters, fender braces, Bull Dog accelerators, blow out patches, tire chains at Guice's Filling Station.

T. S. Kent of this city and W. H. Kent of Crockett attended the old soldiers' reunion at Memphis, and from there they went to Mississippi to visit relatives.



# Locals

Darsey's big trade campaign now going on.

Bargain prices, good goods. C. H. Sewell & Co.

Keds for all purposes at The Darsey Co.

For nice blackberries call at Howard's Store.

Get Genuine Keds at The Darsey Co.

Mrs. Nesbit Lively is visiting relatives in Livingston.

White kid and canvas pumps at The Darsey Co.

Children's silk top hose 21c to 35c per pair while they last at The Variety Store.

Try a package of the new Teaberry gum at Ryan's Drug Store.

You won't sunburn if you get your creams and powders at the Darsey Co.

For work pants and overalls Howard can fit you at lowest price.

Summer millinery in white straws and braids at The Darsey Co.

89c buys a 10 qt. pure aluminum dish pans at the Variety Store this week.

Mrs. W. H. Lively and daughter, Miss Anna Cecil, are visiting relatives in Port Arthur.

Treat 'em rough. They are waterproof and stand the wear. Naugahyde bags at The Darsey Co. Best for traveling.

Nesbit Lively, who has been with Ryan's Drug Store, has resigned and accepted a position as traveling salesman for a drug firm. His place at Mr. Ryan's was taken by Tom Scarborough.

Genuine Sealy mattresses in Grapeland at Darsey's.

Buy your June corn at Howard's.

Field hats from 25c to 65c at The Darsey Co.

98c will buy any percale dress or apron at the Variety Store during this sale.

Bob Parker, who has been in San Antonio, has returned much improved in health.

When you want the best gum, just call for Teaberry, at Ryan's Drug Store.

There's something in your chickens and eggs when you sell them at Darsey's.

Alton Lively and family left Wednesday for Kernes where they will reside in the future.

79c will buy a 6 cup percolator at the Variety Store this week.

Miss Helen Sexton of Crockett is spending the week with Miss Pearl Murchison.

Remember it pays in the long run to use the very best gas and oil. I have them at Guice's Filling Station.

Come early if you want a seat at the Star Theatre next Monday night when "Trifling With Honor" will be shown.

Sale at the Variety Store will close June the 21st. Get your share of the bargains before the sale is closed.

Rencher Brewton has returned from Austin, where he has been attending school at the State University.

A good cool place, plenty of good cool water to drink while we fill your car at Guice's Filling Station.

Girls, listen. The famous Beauty creations known as the Black and White can be had at the Variety Store. We carry a full line of it.

Porch swings complete with chains only \$4.50 at Darsey's.

Beautiful line of ladies dress collars at the Variety Store.

If you need a grip, get a Naugahyde at The Darsey Co.

Good Overalls at Howard's for \$1.50.

Palm Olive Cold Cream at The Darsey Co.

30c will buy 38 feet of plow lines at the Variety Store this week.

Take your chickens and eggs to Darsey's if you want most for them.

Mrs. A. A. Allen and children spent last week with her son, Willie Allen, out on Route 3.

49c will buy a 14 qt. dish pan in a good grade of granite at the Variety Store this week.

Mrs. Jack Murchison has gone to Camilla to visit relatives.

When you need air or water drive your car to Guice's Filling Station. It's free and we will be glad to wait on you.

Ned Morris Jr. of Palestine was here Saturday in the interest of his candidacy for district attorney.

High grade gold band cups saucers and plates selling at \$1.20 per set at the Variety Store during this sale.

Miss Nuna Mae Anderson returned Saturday from Livingston, where she visited friends several days.

Miss Eula Mae Riall has returned home for the summer from Oklahoma City, where she has been teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Walling have moved back to Grapeland from Lamesa and Mr. Walling will be associated with his brother, Julian, in the sawmill business.

Plenty of screen wire at Darsey's.

3 dozen good brooms going at 49c at the Variety Store.

A good blue work shirt for men for 50c at The Darsey Co.

Old hats made new. Have Clewis to clean and reblock them

Big line of granite ware going at 12c each at the Variety Store.

Miss Ruth Warner of Runge, Texas, is here on a visit to relatives.

Lanier Rook of Tyler is visiting the family of J. O. Edington.

WANTED—1000 boys, ages 16 to 99 years to look over my new spring samples. Clewis.

Ladies dresses, gowns and brassieres received this week. C. H. Sewell & Co.

Mrs. C. W. Kennedy and son, J. C., are in Huntsville this week visiting relatives.

One thousand bargains to be had now at the Variety Store while this sale lasts.

If you are not able to buy a new suit. Clewis will have the old one dyed

Beautiful line of girls gingham dresses from 7 to 14 years old going at 98c while they last at the Variety Store.

FOR SALE CHEAP Planer, 2 boilers and 2 engines. See George Shaver, Grapeland, Texas.

Little Miss Eddie and Master "Son" Brock are in Huntsville this week visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Chance.

Mrs. Chas. Royall and children of Oakwood are here visiting her mother, Mrs. J. W. Jones.

Mrs. G. H. Rook and children of Tyler were here last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Edington.

Mrs. F. E. Foster and daughter, Miss Ruth, of Palestine are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dyal this week.

John Anderson, Lewis Nance Murchison and Walter Gainey are at home from A. & M. College.

"Trifling With Honor"—a great baseball picture with a thrilling ninth inning finish—coming to Star Theatre next Monday and Tuesday nights.

Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Wright spent the week end in Palestine visiting relatives. They were accompanied home by Miss Eva Rose of Palestine.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lively of Palestine were the guests of the later's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Covington, Saturday night and Sunday.

Don't miss "Trifling With Honor" at Star Theatre next Monday and Tuesday nights. Come see how cool we will make the house, and see how we do it.

Miss Ethel Covington, who has been attending school at the Teachers College in Denton, has returned home to spend a few weeks with her parents.

**CATARRH**  
Catarrh is a Local disease greatly influenced by Constitutional conditions. HAL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which gives Quick Relief by local application, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces and assists in ridding your System of Catarrh. Sold by druggists for over 40 Years. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

## Day Dream Preparations

We have just received another shipment of Day Dream toiletries. We have the face and talcum powders, the rouge—the torch rouge—a dandy, lip stick, toilet water perfume and a week end package. Also Day Dream Brilliantine.

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FRIES BAKES TOASTS BOILS anything easily crisply quickly  
Easy to operate. Saves time and fuel.  
Makes the kitchen and cooking a pleasure. Heat can be regulated to any temperature.  
The four burner size is 53 inches long and 31 inches high without the high shelf. 55 1-2 inches high with the high shelf. This size and style is recommended for general all purpose use.  
No. 214 4 burner type complete with high shelf and oven \$45.00  
Same without high shelf but with oven \$35.00  
Same without high shelf or oven \$29.50  
Prices on two and three burner types on request

### ALUMINUM UTENSILS

We received this week another shipment of our famous popular priced line of good weight aluminumware.

5 qt. Tea Kettles	\$2.00
8 qt. Water Buckets	\$1.00
Syrup Pitchers	65c
5x9 Cake pans	35c
Dippers	25c
1 1-2 qt. Percolators	\$1.00
2 1-2 qt. Pitchers	\$1.00
Dish Pans	\$1.00
Frying Pans	\$1.00
Cake Pans with stem	75c
Sauce Pans	65c
Wash Pans	75c
1 quart Boilers	25c
2 qt. Boilers	40c
3 qt. Boilers	50c

You'll find here many things that will help you enjoy a vacation at home. We can fit you out complete for any kind of fishing, hunting or camping trip. Let us serve you.

Iced Tea Glasses 75c  
Special values in all kinds of glass ware, china ware and other table and kitchen necessities.

## George E. Darsey & Co.

THE SERVICE FIRST STORE

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. Ryan left Sunday for San Antonio to spend a few days, and will return to Austin to attend the state druggists' convention.

Messrs. J. J. Brooks and H. M. Brown returned Saturday from the Confederate Veterans' reunion at Memphis, and report a most enjoyable time. Dallas secured the reunion for 1925.

Mrs. Laura Goodson returned Sunday from Memphis, Tenn., where she attended the Confederate Veterans' reunion and visited relatives.

Political circles are said to be buzzing, which is likely to mean that the people are in danger of getting stung.

## Summer Dress Goods

### HUMMING BIRD HOSIERY

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Our stock of Hosiery is always complete. Try a pair of our Humming Bird. They will be a revelation to you and so economical.

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Irish Linen, thoroughly shrunk . . 85c  
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Toile Du Nord Gingham (guaranteed) for . . . . . 30c  
Percale best grade, yard wide . . 18c  
Crepe for underwear, Famous Wash-anrede . . . . . 25c  
Batiste all colors . . . 22 1-2c and 25c

#### WORK CLOTHES

Blue Shirts for men, Famous Carleton	\$1.00
Khaki shirts for men, Famous Carleton	\$1.00
Khaki shirts extra heavy	\$1.50
Blue Overalls, good grade	\$1.50
Blue Overalls, best grade	\$1.75
Blue Jumper, good grade	\$1.50
Blue Jumper, best grade	\$1.75
Yellow Duck pants and coats best	\$1.75
Pin Check Pants	\$1.25 to \$1.75

We also have a complete line of boys Overalls and Unionalls, shirts, blouses, etc.  
Boys Overalls at . . . . . 85c to \$1.15  
Unionalls at . . . . . 75c to \$1.00

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HOME CANNING OF VEGETABLES

There are three great reasons why we can fruits and vegetables. (1) To make ourselves healthier and better nourished; (2) to provide a pleasing variety of fruits and vegetables throughout the winter, instead of having them only during the few days or weeks when they are in season and (3) to save food which otherwise would go to waste.

Foods spoil because of the growth of very small plants of various kinds such as yeasts, molds and bacteria. These are found to a greater or less extent in the air, in water, on our skin and on all animal bodies in the soil and in the dust. If we are canning food which we expect to keep for a period of weeks, months, or even years, we must take every effort to see that we do not allow any bacteria, yeasts, or molds to remain in the jar or can, to grow on the food in the sealed container and spoil it. All utensils and materials must be kept clean and carefully handled

to prevent the entrance of bacteria, so that the chances of spoilage will be lessened.

The safest way to preserve all vegetables is by canning under a high pressure of steam. This method will insure thorough sterilization, if the materials canned are fresh and sound, and are kept in a cool place.

Always sort fruits and vegetables before packing in the jars, putting small sizes together medium together and large together, thus giving uniformity to each can. The cold pack method of canning is much better than the open kettle method, even for fruits that are easily kept, in that it insures a firmer product in the can, and there is less danger of bacteria getting in the jar from the hands.

Berries—For dewberries, blackberries, huckleberries, grapes and currants practically the same methods of canning can be used. Glass jars or enamel-lined cans are needed. The condition of the fruit will have much to do with the quality of the product. Berries should be gathered in shallow trays or baskets,

and not in deep vessels which will allow them to be bruised or crushed. They should be uniformly ripe and sound and as large as possible. Sort the berries carefully, removing stems or hulls. Place a shallow layer of the fruit in a large colander or strainer and wash carefully by pouring water over them or dipping the colander in and out of the water. Pack in hot jars as close as possible without crushing. This may be done by putting a few berries at a time into the jar and pressing them into place gently. Proceed layer by layer until the jar is full. Fill the jars with the hot syrup given below

Process pint jars in water bath or water seal for 10 to 15 minutes; quart jars for 15 to 20 minutes. Remove the jars from the center and seal at once. Tin cans should be plunged immediately into cold water and cooled as quickly as possible. When cool store in a dark, dry, cool place.

Syrup for Berries—For a medium syrup use 3 lb. 9 oz. (3 pints) of sugar to 1 gal. of water. No allowance is made for evaporation of the water during cooking, but if the syrup be merely brought to the boiling point and then taken at once from the fire, very little will evaporate.

For a thicker syrup use 5 to 8 pt. sugar to 1 gal. of water.

Plums—Select firm, uniform fruit. Pack as firmly in jars or enamel-lined cans as is possible without crushing. If the skins of the plums have been pricked in several places it may help to keep them from bursting. Fill the jars with a medium syrup or if they are quite acid, use a thicker syrup; use same proportions as for berries. Process in water bath or water seal for 20 to 30 minutes. Remove the jars from the canner and seal at once. Tin cans should be plunged immediately into cold water and cooled as quickly as possible. When cool store in a cool dry, dark place.

Beans, String—Either the green string beans or the wax bean may be used. The beans should be tender and fresh. When the beans in the pod have grown to any considerable size canning is more difficult and the product of poorer quality. Only well sorted, small, tender beans should be used. String the beans and cut them into 2 inch lengths. Cutting diagonally or "on the bias" gives an attractive product. Very small tender beans may be canned whole. Blanch 3 to 5 minutes in live steam. Drain well and pack immediately into hot glass jars or in tin cans. Add boiling water to cover and 1 level teaspoonful of salt per quart. Paddle or stir to remove all air bubbles. Process under 10 lb. steam pressure for 40 to 50 minutes. In some localities beans are kept successfully by the water bath or water seal, but if there are spores present, it is practically impossible to be successful except by canning under pressure. When the water bath is used, remove from the canner and seal at once. Tin cans should be plunged into cold water and cooled as quickly as possible. When cool store in a dark, dry, cool place.

Beets—Only young tender beets should be canned; they should be graded according to size and color. In preparing beets for blanching, be careful to leave them with at least 1 inch of stem and all of the root. This will help to prevent loss of juice, color and flavor. Wash thoroughly and blanch 5 to 10 minutes, or until skins will slip easily. Dip for only an instant into cold water; if this is desired in order that they may be more easily handled. Drain and peel by slipping the skin from the beets. Pack the whole beet if possible, in layers of three or four, fitting the second layer into the spaces left by the first, and repeat until the jar is full (if cans be used, be sure to get the enamel-lined as the plain ones are affected by the acid). Cover with boiling water and process in water bath or water seal for 180 minutes or under 5 lb. steam pressure for 60 minutes, or under 10 lb. pressure for 40 minutes. Remove from the canner and seal at once. Tin cans should be plunged immediately into cold water and cooled as quickly as

possible. When cool store in a cool, dry, dark place.

Well canned beets may show a slight loss of color when first removed from the canner, but often brighten up within a few days.

Peas—Use fresh, young peas. They are best when gathered in the early morning or when cool. Work should be done rapidly and the peas should not stand either before or after being shelled. Wash, shell, and sort, putting the peas of the same size and degree of maturity together. Be sure not to use the harder or nearly ripe peas among tender ones.

Blanching is very important. If well done, it helps to prevent cloudy liquor, makes the peas more tender, and removes some of the gluey substance which may coat them. Blanch 3 to 8 minutes, depending upon the maturity of the peas. If starchy, plunge for an instant only, into cold water. Drain and pack to within one-half inch of the top of the jar. If the container is filled too full, some of the peas may burst and make the liquid cloudy. Fill the jar with boiling water and paddle or stir well to remove air bubbles. Add 1 teaspoonful of salt and 2 teaspoonfuls of sugar to each quart and process under 10 lb. steam pressure for 40 to 50 minutes. Remove from the canner and seal at once. Tin cans should be plunged into cold water immediately and cooled as soon as possible. When cool, store in a cool, dark, dry place.

A cloudy or hazy appearance of the liquid of peas which are keeping well indicates that the product was roughly handled in blanching, or that split or broken peas were not removed before packing. Peas which are too mature or too much cooked in the blanch may burst, allowing the starch to escape into the surrounding liquid. Then, too, some waters of high mineral content have a tendency to harden the peas.

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Don't expect to get through a hot summer of hard work without a sick spell if you start with your system full of impurities. To avoid a break-down in the busy season begin now taking Prickly Ash Bitters, the remedy for men. It will purify the blood, liver and bowels and put the system in healthy condition. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Wade L. Smith Special Agent.

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NOTICE OF SPECIAL STOCK LAW ELECTION

On this the 9th day of June, 1924, the Commissioners' court of Houston County, Texas, being in regular session came on to be considered the petition of Glen Beasley and one-third other freeholders residing in the territory now described as Common school District No. 55 of Houston County, Texas, praying for an election to be held within the territory now covered and described as Common School District No. 55 of Houston County, Texas, to determine whether or not horses, mules, Jacks, Jennets, and cattle shall be permitted to run at large within this subdivision of Houston County, Texas, said election being petitioned for under the Chapter 6 Articles 7235 to 7255 of Vernon Sale's Statutes as amended by Chaper 72 General Laws of the 33rd Legislature, and chapters of 26 and 99, General Laws of the 34th Legislature, and Chapter 131, General Laws of the 35th Legislature and Chapter 10 of the 3rd. Called Session of the 35th Legislature and Chapter 13 of the 4th Called Session of the 35th Legislature, and Chapter 35 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the 36th Legislature and Chapter 105 of the Acts of the 36th Legislature, and Chapter 50 of the General Laws of the 3rd Called Session of the 36th Legislature, and chapter 32 of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the 37th. Legislature and Chapter 10 of the General Laws of the First Called Session of the 37th Legislature with reference to the mode of preventing horses and certain other animals from running at large within all counties mentioned in the statutes, and it appearing to Court that said petition is in due form and signed by the proper number of freeholders who are qualified voters, said petition is therefore in all things granted.

It is therefore ordered that an election be and the same is hereby ordered held in said territory, a subdivision of Houston County, Texas, which is a duly defined school district heretofore designated by this court as described in Vol. 1, page 64 of Record of School District Field Notes of Houston County described by field notes as follows:

Beginning on La Riviere & Greenwood Leagues line half way between the N. E. & S. E. corners of La Riviere League.

Thence S. 55 W. through La Riviere & Thompson Surveys about 9650 vrs. to Trinity River.

Thence down said River to mouth of Elkhart Creek.

Thence up said creek to mouth of Little Elkhart Creek.

Thence up Little Elkhart Creek to a point S. 35 E. from Daniel McLean & Chairs Leagues corner.

Thence N. 35 W. at about 3050 vrs. passing said corner and with the line of said surveys 550 vrs. to the S. line of the La Riviere League.

Thence N. 55 E. 20 vrs. to S. E. corner of same.

Thence N. 35 W. 2790 vrs. to the place of beginning containing 11600.5 acres.

Said election shall be held on the 12th day of July, A. D. 1924.

Qualified voters who are freeholders in this district shall be permitted to vote, and those in favor of the above named animals being permitted to run at large in the district shall have written or printed on their

ballots the words "against the Stock Law", and those against the animals mentioned in this petition from running at large in this district shall have printed or written on their ballots the words "For the Stock Law", and said election shall be governed by the General election laws of the State of Texas.

Said election shall be held at the special voting box of Reynard, Texas, Houston County Texas, and Mr. Herman Beasley is hereby appointed manager of said election, which voting box is situated in said school district number 55, and a copy of this order signed by the County Judge shall serve as a proper notice of said election, and the County Judge is directed to cause said notice to be published in a newspaper published in said district, if there be one, and if no newspaper be published in said division of the county then by posting copies of such order within three public places within the subdivision, for not less than thirty day preceeding the date of said election.

Leroy L. Moore, County Judge.

Cuthbert—Father, what is tact?

Father—Tact, my boy, is what prevents a gray-haired man with a wrinkled face from reminding a youthful-looking woman with the complexion of a rose that they were boy and girl together.

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AW, WHAT'S THE USE

By L. F. Van Zelm

Some Men Get Fooled, Too





# POULTRY DEP'T.

J. R. Owens Poultry Editor



## SOME WAYS OF SERVING EGGS

In urging women and girls to take up poultry work one of the purposes in view has been the supplying of additional food for the home table. The surplus birds in a flock, which are culled out from time to time, will take the place of other meat. Eggs, when properly cooked and served, can be used in an almost unlimited number of dishes, which will not only give variety to the meals, but also help to save meat.

**Soft Cooked Eggs**—Heat the water in a saucepan to the boiling point. Remove from the fire and place eggs in the water with a spoon. Cover the pan and allow to stand 6 to 8 minutes, keeping the water at the same temperature. The water should be deep enough to entirely cover the eggs.

Allow to stand 15 to 20 minutes if medium hard boiled eggs are desired.

**Steamed eggs**—Butter slightly the bottom of a custard cup and slip an egg into it. Place the cup in a pan of gently boiling water (water should come half way up the side of cup); cover and steam until white of egg is done. Steamed eggs may be served on crisp toast if desired.

**Poached Eggs on Toast**—Break each egg into a saucer. Combine an equal quantity of milk with water and let this reach the boiling point. Carefully slip the egg into the boil-

ing liquid, cover and remove from the fire. Cook until the white is firm, and baste the yolk to form a film over it. Take up carefully with a skimmer and serve on slices of toast. Season to taste.

**Eggs Baked in Tomato**—Cut a slice from the stem end of a small tomato and scoop out part of the pulp. Refill this with an egg, sprinkle with salt and pepper and add a few small bits of butter. Cover the opening with buttered bread crumbs and bake in a moderate oven until crumbs are a golden brown.

**Escalloped Eggs**—2 tablespoons butter, 2 cups bread crumbs, 6 hard boiled eggs, 2 cups cooked macaroni or rice, 1 cup milk, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 2 table spoons flour, 3 table-spoons grated cheese, 1-8 teaspoon pepper, 1 cup sauce.

Make a sauce of the flour, butter, salt and pepper, and remove from the fire to add grated cheese. Stir until melted. Combine carefully the cooked macaroni or rice, sliced eggs and salt. After covering the bottom of baking dish with buttered crumbs, add the mixture. Then add the rest of crumbs, brown in hot oven and serve with tomato sauce.

**Dutch Eggs**—1-2 cup grated cheese or cottage cheese, 6 hard cooked eggs, 1 cup white sauce, 1 sweet red pepper cut into strips.

Cut the eggs into quarters and place about one-fourth of the amount in a buttered baking dish. Cover this layer with sauce, and sprinkle over it a layer of the cheese; then a few pieces of the pepper. Repeat until the dish is full. Sprinkle bread crumbs on top, dot with butter, and brown in a hot oven.

Gladys Mitchell, Home Demonstration Agent.

### A Poultry Mash

A good mash, containing only seventeen percent of meat-scrap, for breeding and laying hens of general purpose breeds, has been developed by the United States department of agriculture. The remainder of the portein in the mash is con-

tained in vegetable form, and the thirty-three percent of ground oats and bran gives the desired bulk. The mash seems to be particularly good in raising the hatch ability and fertility of eggs. The more stimulating ration seem to cause an overfat condition in general purpose birds, especially during the second year of production. Especial attention is now being given to the vitamine content of eggs and their fertility and hatchability as affected by rations.

### A Laying Ration

Two distinct rations are fed the poultry flocks at the University of Wisconsin. The scratch feed consists of one part wheat and two of cracked corn. Such feeds as barley or oats may replace the wheat. The hens get this ration in a deep litter in the morning.

The second ration is fed in self-feeders. It is placed where the hens can reach it any time. It is mixed from equal parts of beefscrap, bran, gluten, rolled oats and cracked corn. To each hundred pounds of the mixture, one pound of charcoal and salt is added.

At noon a light feed of scratch grain is given to keep the hens busy. At night they get shelled corn. Green feed such as mangels or cabbage is fed at noon.

### Market Clean Eggs

If you wish to retain the keeping qualities of the eggs you expect to market, do not wash them in water, or do as I have seen so many people do—allow them to soak in water for a time so that the dirt and soil will wash off easily. The tiny pores of an egg are naturally sealed with a gelatinous substance, and water will readily dissolve it. The air is allowed to reach the egg then, and decomposition begins. Water also tends to harden the shell, thus allowing too much moisture to escape, which injures the vitality of the egg.

We clean our eggs, if necessary, before marketing, by rubbing them with a soft cloth slightly dampened with warm water. If this fails to remove any stains there may be on the surface of the egg, a little cider vinegar is used instead of the water.

But it is rarely that an egg from our farm needs cleaning before shipping. Clean litter is kept on the floor of both the laying house and the scratching house, so that no dirt will be carried to the nests on the feet of the fowls. The nests are also kept clean and the litter in them is changed at least twice each week. During warm weather the leaves from black walnut trees are used as a litter in the nests, as we find they help to keep away mites and lice.—N. P.

### HICKORY GROVE NEWS

(Delayed)

The people of this community are getting some rest while the grass is growing. However, crops look pretty good at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rich of this community visited Bert Lively and family at Waneta Sunday.

Simon Famar attended singing at New Hope Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Hogan are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hogan.

Misses Maudie Mae Jones and Lillian Alice Lively spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rich.

Jesse Rich spent Saturday night and Sunday with Clyde Lively.

Claude Cliburn and family have returned home from West Texas, where he taught school.

Mrs. Estelle Hendrick spent

Sunday with Mrs. Venie Miles. Rev. Joel Bowman failed to fill his appointment Sunday on account of sickness.

### PERCILLA NEWS

Percilla, June 9.—We have not had any rain now in about six days and the farmers around here are beginning to try to work out some of their grassy cotton and some of them are trying to plant some yet. If it does not rain soon we may make enough cotton here to pay half of the fertilizer bill. The merchants may have to carry over the feed and gasoline bills.

Singing at Percilla last night was well attended and there were a number of singers from other communities, among whom was Norman Lasiter and Jim Owen Herod.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cross and Miss Mattie Lou Coleman visited Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Brimberry near Enon Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Conway, Boyce Smith, and Mrs. Willie Scott and her two sons of Palestine spent the week here visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Rawls.

Misses Annie Mae and Nannie Elizabeth Sullivan are visiting their sister, Mrs. Arte Harris, at Gallatin, Cherokee County.

Miss Mary Alice Bobbitt of Grapeland is here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dickey of Palestine visited Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Fitchett here yesterday.

Mrs. Ora Harris is back again after quite a stay away.

**"TRIFLING WITH HONOR" WILL BE HERE NEXT MONDAY AND TUESDAY**

One of the best pictures that has ever come to the Star Theatre will be presented next Monday and Tuesday nights and it will please everyone. It is an especially clean picture and teaches a good moral. It is not without thrills and tense situations. Don't miss it.

It is the story of a man who looked upon life with frenless eyes, but who was heralded as a hero in the world of baseball and held the esteem of thousands of fans. The subtle effect of this esteem had tangibility in the form of a boyish hero worship in the extreme which literally forced the man to warm up to his world's applause and live up to the dreams of his fondest admirers.

Bat Shugrue had left a dark mark in the world as the "Gas Pipe Kid," and it cost him a term in San Quentin. He was paroled for good behavior, but there was no change in his character when he walked through the steel gate to freedom except an increased hatred for the laws that sent him to prison. To mask his identity he changed his mode of living and turned to professional baseball.

He became the crack hitter in the league and the favorite in every game in which he played. But his was a twisted nature, and the spark of fire that flamed so highly on the baseball diamond burned to a low ebb in his life away from the ball field. He was still a crook at heart and lived the life, termed in street parlance, of a "rounder."

But when it came to a showdown between "making a killing" by double-crossing his own team and remaining true to the ideas believed of him by his boyish hero worshippers, Bat Shugrue "went to bat" with himself—and won a moral victory.

The story was written for Collier's Weekly by William Slavens McNutt, and was directed at Universal City by Harry Pollard. The cast includes Rockcliffe Fellowes, Fritz Ridgeway, Buddy Messinger, Hayden Stevenson and other popular players.



The ex-service men of Grapeland and surrounding communities are requested to meet at Ryan's Drug Store Thursday, June 12th, at eight o'clock. The local post of the Legion has a hundred copies of the "Victory Number" of the Legion Weekly which will be passed out. This issue explains the recent compensation bill in plain everyday language that you can understand. Come out and figure up your bonus.

The brave and bold persist even against fortune, the timid and cowardly rush to despair through fear alone.—Tacetus.

Man is not the creature of circumstances, Circumstances are the creatures of men.

### TRINITY RIVER RIPPLES

(Delayed)

Reynard, June 2.—Bro. Anderson did not fill his appointment here Sunday afternoon on account of the heavy rains Sunday morning.

Miss Quennie Dean of Shreveport, La., spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Douglas Beazley.

Miss Fannie Pridgen of Daly's spent a part of last week with her sister, Mrs. Glen Beazley, who has been right sick.

Homer Beazley spent last week at home and is still here, water bound.

Mrs. Jesse Eaves and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Beard spent Sunday on the farm with Mr. Eaves.

Arch Murray is getting up a petition for an election to pass a stock law.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Beazley entertained the young people with a party Saturday night.

Miss Mary Allen spent Saturday night with Miss Louise Beazley.

Mrs. Douglas Beazley accompanied her sister to Grapeland Saturday.

What's a fine person, a beautiful face, Unless deportment gives them decent grace? —Churchill.

### STOP THAT ITCHING

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## These Warm Days

Calls for fewer and thinner clothes and men who care to save money in buying these articles will find a good line of Summer weight underwear, shirts, hose and straw hats priced down right.

### TO CLOSE OUT MEN'S STRAW HATS

We are going to close out our line of Men's Straw Hats and there are yet many months of straw hat time. So you better be lucky and get one of these before your size is sold.

### FOR SUMMER SEWING

For their summer sewing, ladies will find a big assortment of trimmings, buttons and other novelties to select from.

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WHEN ALL ELSE FAILED ONE WOMAN WON A MAN WHO SUNK TO THE DEPTHS AND WAS LIFTED BACK BY A GOOD WOMAN

This is one of the greatest heart interest that you have had a chance to see this year.

You'll leap to your feet and shout when you see the eager thousands in the stands focusing their eyes on ONE MAN swinging a bat and waiting. Two strikes three balls! A Woman's Honor and his own happiness at stake on the next ball pitched!

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# SOME SMILES



Rae—Betty is very slow.  
Mae—She certainly is. It has taken her 30 years to reach 20.—Penn Punch Bowl.

Towley—Did you ever get any profit out of your garden?  
Subbubs—Oh, yes. A while ago I got sunstroke and received \$200 from a sick benefit organization.—Boston Transcript.

Aunt Lucy—I trust you found yourself surrounded by good company at the party last evening?

Philippa—I sure did. I was surrounded by Jack Huggins and he's awfully good company.—Virginia Reel.

It was a wet day, and as the pretty girl entered the crowded car a man rose.

"No, you must not give up your seat; I insist," said the young woman.

"You may insist as much as you like, miss," was the reply. "I'm getting out here!"

A little crowd was gathered in the great man's studio to see his pictures before they were sent to the academy.

A girl strolling 'round turned to the artist and remarked:

"Strange that angels are always women, isn't it?"  
"Yes," said the artist, with a

twinkle. "Shows artists don't know much about women, doesn't it?"

"It may be so," retorted the girl quietly, "but it certainly shows that they know a lot about men."—Modern Art.

Two men were telling about their abilities to see and hear. Then one said: "Do you see that house over there on the horizon?"

"Yes."  
"Do you see that fly walking around on the roof?"

"No, but I hear the shingles crack when he steps on them."

Pat Hegarty had just purchased a mule, but did not obtain from the animal all that he required from it.

So he wended his way back to the horse dealer.

"You said this mule was quite tame," said he to the dealer.

"And so he is tame, isn't he?" replied the dealer, in an aggrieved tone.

"Not altogether—only partially so," the disconsolate Hegarty replied. "He is tame in front, I dare say, but he is desperately wild behind."—Answers (London.)

### ADVERTISING PAYS

Miss Grace Dunn in Princeton Union Princeton, Minn.

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guarantee of merit. Merchants must "deliver the goods." Where they do not so intend they seldom advertise. Competition compels honesty even in those who would otherwise wish to avoid it. The desire to see, to investigate is a very human trait. It rests with the merchant and the advertising journal, to suggest what to see. Given the incentive and fair play then producer, purveyor, purchaser and publisher reap a mutual benefit.

The general public has the catalogue of the mail order house come to its door. When the demand of need manifests itself, the catalogue containing the supply for that demand is at hand. If the advertisement of the local merchant cannot be as easily reached, the home market often loses the customers. If you have anything to sell, say so and state the price.

When a duck desires to lay her egg she seeks some out of the way place, performs the task and quickly steals away. When a hen lays her egg she tells the world around. Consequently, while the duck eggs are a glut on the market, the hen eggs are as valuable as dollar bills. It pays to advertise.

### Political Announcements

These announcements subject to action of democratic primary in July.

For Congress, 7th District: H. L. Nelson (Galveston Co.) Clay Stone Briggs (Galveston Co. Re-election.)

For District Attorney, Third Judicial District: Ned B. Morris, Jr. (of Anderson County) W. D. Justice (Henderson Co)

For Representative: C. C. Rice (Re-election)

For County Treasurer: Frank H. Butler Willie Robison (Re-election)

For Sheriff: O. B. (Deb) Hale (Re-election) J. L. Hazlett R. R. (Boss) Scarborough

For Tax Assessor: Will McLean (Re-election.) Ben Brimberry

For District Clerk: A. B. (Poor Albert) Smith (Re-election)

For Tax Collector: John L. Dean (Re-election.)

For County Superintendent: Mrs Gertie Sallas (Re-election)

For County Clerk: W. D. Collins (Re-election)

For County Attorney: Earle P. Adams (Re-election)

For County Judge: Leroy L. Moore (Re-election) Nat Patton

For Commissioner Prec. 1: S. W. Duitch, C. B. Lively, W. H. Holcomb Jr., C. W. Jones, Jack Manning

For Commissioner Prec. 2: C. A. Story (Re-election)

For Public Weigher: C. A. Mills, Homer Jones

For Constable Precinct No. 5: H. J. Shaw.

### WHAT WOULD LIFE BE WITHOUT LOYALTY

Loyalty is the finest fibre in the human breast—it awards alike the humble and the great—makes the small man big and the big man bigger.

Take loyalty from the heart of a saint and you have the likeness of a devil.

The greatest thing in life is a man's loyalty to man—that heart quality of true manhood—that innate stamp of fair play which prompts us to hand out the square deal instead of the double-cross.—Dakota Wheat Grower.

times had under arms. The United States Steel Corporation has 267,000 men at work. Standard Oil also employs a huge number, figures not given, and spreads all over the United States and parts of Europe. In Detroit 362,495 men are employed in making motor cars, something the world didn't use and didn't know about twenty-five years ago.

Misses Prudie and Moggie Campbell were called home Saturday morning from Huntsville on account of the death of little Prudie Vern, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Campbell.

Our captains of industry are well named. Henry Ford now employs more than 162,000 men, a larger number than some of the greatest generals of ancient

Some people can show calloused hands and furrowed brows as the result of their labors, while others can merely show worn trouser seats.



## Summer Suit Time

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The time has arrived for you to buy your summer suit. We are making special prices on our suits. We have the Gabardine suits in light and dark colors, also the mohair suits in light and dark colors.

You will find a nice line of shirts here to wear with the new suit. In white and colors with and without the collar in any kind of material from an English broadcloth to a percale.

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