

# THE SOUTHLAND NEWS

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## Howdy! Howdy!

Did we say Howdy? Well Howdy!

In this issue the first paper ever published in your little city we greet you all and say howdy to everybody in Southland and community.

We come to you for several good reasons. The first because we believe in Southland and her people and there is good money to be made in the newspaper business here for we expect to stay with you and help boost Southland until it will rank among the best little cities in this part of the State.

Second, we are still young, not only in this business, but in years as well and we are anxious to try out, from the ground floor as it were, and see what we can do as a newspaper man.

There are a number of other good reasons but these are sufficient incentives and we promise you to do our dead level best for Southland and the state and county in which we live and want you to feel that we are ready and willing to devote our time, talent and money to the up building of our community.

We shall play no political or religious favoritism but expect to treat you all the same way. We offer our columns free, at all times to any writer or booster who wants to say anything good for our community, and we will listen to, and appreciate any criticisms or suggestions that will help us to be a paper worthy of your patronage.

We ask that you cooperate with us in every way and we promise to do our part.

## Why Not?

As we see it one of our greatest needs right now is a Volunteer Fire Department.

It is some job to get fire insurance here and if we had a live Fire Department our insurance would come much cheaper. What do you think?

We can have one if we only try. You know it's an old saying that you can get anything you want if you want it bad enough. Let's organize a Fire Company.

Geo. Collins returned from Eastland, where he has been visiting his sister, Mrs. J. M. Corley, for the past week. He was accompanied there by his mother, who remained there for a longer stay.

## Our Band

Had you ever stopped to think what a band is worth to a town? It is one of the greatest advertisements that can be found any where, besides how many Saxophone Bands are there in the State?

Everyone enjoys good music and the Southland Band is there with the goods.

This band has been organized little less than a year and has made wonderful progress. It was organized by Prof. Byron, of Lorenzo, but has been under the direction of Prof. Neel, for the past three months. Prof. Neel is an artist at his profession and if you have never heard him play the clarinet and saxophone you have sure missed something, as it is a real treat. Neel lives at Lorenzo and is over to direct our band every Monday and Thursday night.

Since the band has been organized there has been something over thirty-three hundred dollars spent for instruments, the band has ordered now something over eight hundred dollars worth of uniforms which are expected to be here any time now.

Lets all get together and help boost our band, lets win the band contest at Brownwood and put Southland on the map.

Come out and hear them play it will make you proud that you live in Southland, and will prove to you what a little town can do. Be a booster.

## Introduction

You will probably ask who and what we are, and it's right you should know, hence a few words about our self and paper.

Our name is Ed A. Warren Jr., our age is just 21, we were born in Poplar Bluff Mo., and we are the only son of the editor of the Post City Post and our dad is a native of Arkansas. We are white, and like our dad, we don't know any better than to be a democrat hence the news will be a democratic paper from start to finish.

We have lived in West Texas for 15 years. Have gone through the hard dry years with you and have also seen a number of prosperous years. Our heart is with the people of this great west of ours and our interests (all we have) are here with you.

We are not afraid to work and boost for our people of the county and Southland in particular. To be a success as a newspaper we will have to have lots of readers and some help in writing and preparing a readable paper, so come in and leave us \$1.50 for your subscription for a year. Get in among the first and stay as long as we do. Show enough interest in your town and community to help us this much.

We have spent quite a neat little sum of money on our plant and we own it and expect to edit and publish it our self. We have a first class plant and will give you a paper that you will enjoy reading.

We are also prepared to print all kinds of job printing so don't send away for printing until you see us. We are now open for all kinds of business pertaining to a first class printing establishment. Who will be first with a subscription, an advertisement or some job printing?

## Panhandle Lumber Company Changes Hands This Week

This week I. C. Hallman, of Panhandle, Texas, was transferred to Southland to take the place of Ed Burran, who has been here for the past two months with the Panhandle people. Mr. Burran reports to Amarillo, where he will probably be located in the general office of the Panhandle Lumber Company.

We regret seeing "Slim" go but welcome Mr. Hallman to our little city.

## Announcements

In the announcement columns of the news will be found the following announcements, Judge H. G. Smith for County Judge, Will Cravy and J. W. Stotts for Sheriff and Tax Collector, T. J. Cook for Commissioner of Precinct No. 1 and Dan Haire for Public Weigher of this district.

Judge Smith has served as Judge and is asking for re-election and promises you the same faithful service if re-elected.

Will Cravy is also asking for re-election to the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector and also promises you good and faithful service if re-elected.

J. W. Stotts was a candidate in the last election and wants to succeed Mr. Cravy for this term as sheriff and Tax Collector. He also promises to do his best for you if elected.

T. J. Cook wants to be re-elected as Commissioner of Precinct No. 1 and promises to serve you faithfully and well if given the office again.

Dan Haire of our town wants to be your next public weigher here at Southland. He has lived in this community for the past six years and promises to weigh and look after your interest to the best of his ability if elected.

These are all good men and are well known to you. So we will not say any more in their behalf but leave their fate in your hands to be settled in the election when you go to

we will be re-elected for the office of Tax Assessor, we all know Clark 'nuff said.

J. H. Sisk also wants in, Mr. Sisk, wants to be our next Southland cotton weigher, he has been living in this Precinct for the past seven years and is known by everyone in the county. He promises to do his best in making us an A1 cotton weigher.

## Return From Oklahoma

T. H. Pennington, E. M. Basin and J. W. Stotts, returned from Oklahoma Saturday morning where they have been enjoying both a business and pleasure trip. They report a fine trip but found it a little disagreeable on their way home last Friday, as they think they brought part of Oklahoma back with them. "Some Sand Storm".

## Interscholastic League

The Interscholastic League of Garza County meets at Post Friday and Saturday, April 4 and 5. We wish to extend to the public and invitation, not only an invitation, but urge and ask that you be present to help make the meet a success.

The declamation contest will be held on Friday in the High School Auditorium, beginning at 9 o'clock. The final debate, Friday night. Saturday will be track and final day with contestants from each school in the county taking part. We hope to make this an interesting meet. Come and back your school.

Cor.

## \$35,000 School For Southland

Tuesday night the school trustees met with Mr. Butler and Mr. Peters, architects, from Lubbock, who are going to bid on our new brick school. They had quite a long meeting but did not get to finish their work. We have not been able to find out just when the work will begin but understand it will start right away.

Soon we will have one of the best school buildings that can be found in any West Texas City. Every town needs good public schools, and we will have one of the best. Come to Southland, the best little big place on the plains.

## New Residence For Southland

This week the Panhandle Lumber Company have a car of lumber on the track for the erection of S. N. Hendrix new residence. Work will begin some time next week. Southland is building every day.

## Southland Band To Pay Post A Visit.

The Southland Band under the direction of Prof. Neel has made arrangements with the Post people to play a band concert there in the near future. We are all worth advertising. We are all with you. We are all back and notice, when we bring our band down, we have a dandy.

## Bakery For Southland

We understand there is to be a bakery and restaurant installed in the building next to the News office. We have not been able to learn the parties name, but Southland people welcome them to our prosperous little city.

## Mrs. A. L. Payne

Mrs. A. L. Payne of Tahoka formerly of Southland, died at one of the Lubbock Sanitariums, last Wednesday. The remains were laid to rest in the Southland Cemetery Thursday. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Bentley of Abilene.

She leaves a husband, five small children, sister, brother an aged father, and many Southland friends to mourn her death.

## Southland To Have Rural Route.

This week, postmaster, Jacob Hatcher, is busy getting the required number of mail boxes to establish a daily rural route. The route will be put on the 16 of May and will be known as Route 1. What will be our next improvement?

W. T. Russell, of our city has purchased some land over near Amherse and young Russell is putting the land into cultivation with his new Fordson Tractor, which he purchased from Slaton Motor Company last Monday. We hope worlds of success with his new farm and tractor.

## BASINGER'S HOTEL

15 Rooms Sealy Beds Running Water

Three Big Meals Every Day

Chicken Dinner, Twice Week

Pay Us A Visit

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Basinger, Proprietors



**COOLIDGE ELATED OVER OIL PROBE**

REPUBLICANS DECLARE PROBE CASUALTIES ABOUT EVEN; PREDICT RE-ELECTION.

**PARTY HAS NOT SUFFERED**

Confident Democrats Sure to Make Clean Politics Campaign's Leading Issue.

Washington.—With the senate committees investigating the oil leases and the Department of Justice on the verge of their probes, interest on the part of politicians and the people is being directed to the presidential campaign, which has been almost overshadowed by the disclosures.

In the first place a quiet survey is being made in both of the leading political camps. Republican leaders claim the casualties are about even that neither party will profit much by the investigations, which led to the resignations of Secretary of the Navy Denby and Attorney General Daugherty.

President Coolidge and his close political friends and advisers are much elated over what they term the failure of the Democratic attempt to make a successful attack on the White House. Friends of the President say as he has come out of the baptism of fire with colors flying, they expect he will get the Republican nomination without a protest at the Cleveland convention in June, and that he will make an exceptionally strong candidate.

With public interest no longer diverted by new daily exposures of alleged corruption in the government departments, political leaders expect soon to get the real reaction to the sensational disclosures, which have been brought out by the investigating committees. Just how the folks in the outlying districts view the exposures is a matter of much concern and speculation on the part of the leaders.

Democratic leaders for the most part are disposed to believe their party has not suffered materially by the investigation, despite the damaging testimony given by E. L. Doheny, in which he told how he had employed four members of the Wilson cabinet soon after their resignation.

William G. Still contend Democratic

of his admission that for some years after leaving the Wilson cabinet he was an attorney for Doheny.

Despite disclosures reflecting on the Wilson administration and officials in his cabinet made by the senate probes, Democratic leaders make no secret of their determination to make "clean government" the chief issue in their campaign.

**LIQUOR PRESCRIBING INQUIRY IS STARTED**

Report Wholesale Violations of the Dean Law by Physicians.

Austin, Texas.—Alleged irregularities in the issuance of prescriptions for alcoholic liquors by physicians are being investigated by the Comptroller's Department, according to Comptroller Lon A. Smith. The latter said that the investigation was Statewide as a result of reports received by him of wholesale violations of that provision of the Dean liquor law which forbids physicians from prescribing alcoholic liquors for any person except upon careful personal physical examination of the patient. Where violations are found, permits will be suspended.

Mr. Smith said that this alleged practice is a direct violation of the law and, since the Federal permit is cumulative of the State requirements, the practice also is a violation of the Federal permit.

It was pointed out by the Comptroller that this provision of the Dean act is "a wise and precautionary measure and is for the protection of physicians from imposition by others than those who are entitled to receive prescriptions."

Some of the violations now being investigated are the result of such impositions, while others are caused by the failure of physicians to follow the law in this connection, Mr. Smith said.

"In both cases, the practice by physicians is inexcusable, since blanks furnished them, the very permit they receive and the form of prescription which they write, positively call the attention of the doctor to the existing law."

**People Talked About**

**Great Minds Move in Same Direction**

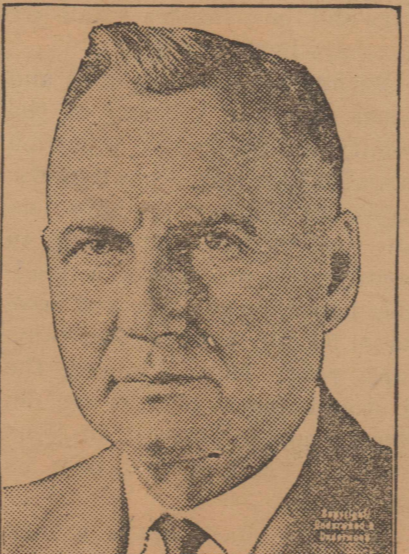


Sig. Guglielmo Marconi has announced that finally he has succeeded in harnessing the waves set in motion by radio energy. The inventor of wireless communication after two years of research can concentrate and direct these electrical waves much as light is controlled and directed in a searchlight.

With certain new controls at the sending station Signor Marconi can direct his message towards a specific country and none other can listen in. So far he has not been able to confine the waves at one station, but he is confident that he will achieve this. His discovery, he believes, will give greater speed in transmission and more secrecy, with less expensive stations operating at smaller cost. The discovery may revolutionize wireless and the horrors of modern warfare may be increased by the use of intensive waves to blow up warships and forts and to work destruction generally. At the same time Nikola Tesla, inventor and pioneer in the radio field, announced his perfection of a system of transmitting power without wires.

**Cameron of Arizona and Grand Canyon**

United States Senator Ralph Henry Cameron of Arizona (portrait herewith) is interestingly sketched in the Congressional Record by Representative Louis C. Cramton of Michigan, member of the appropriations committee in charge of the Interior department appropriation bill. Cramton was asking the restoration of the Hayden amendment—introduced by Hayden of Arizona and thrown out in the senate through the opposition of Cameron of Arizona—which, he said, sought to improve the approach road to the Grand Canyon National park to eliminate private ownership of Bright Angel Trail and "to eliminate private interests that now by opposition, intrusion, hostility and violence handicap and prevent proper development of the park for public use and safe enjoyment of the Canyon by the public."



These "private interests," it appeared, were Cameron himself, and Cramton told how the secretary of the interior had just sent a request to the attorney general that he "take appropriate action to protect the interests of the United States and the public in the Grand Canyon National park."

He said that Cameron had asked the attorney general to tell how Cameron had plotted with certain speculators to secure a lease of the Bright Angel Trail; how Cameron was trying to secure a lease of the Bright Angel Trail; how Cameron was trying to secure a lease of the Bright Angel Trail.

**Mundelein and Hayes Made Cardinals**



It was a remarkable scene when Archbishop George W. Mundelein of Chicago (portrait herewith) and Patrick J. Hayes of New York sailed from New York the other day for Rome to be consecrated cardinals—collaborators of the pope and princes of the church. Thousands of New Yorkers were on hand to wish bon voyage to their old-time playmates—little Georgie Mundelein and little Pat Hayes. The bands played "The Sidewalks of New York" and "That Old Gang of Mine."

Both men were born on the East side of New York, within a block of each other. They went to the same school and grew up together. Cardinal Mundelein was born in 1872 of poor German parents. After attending the parochial schools and the Academy of the Christian Brothers, from which he was graduated in 1887, he entered Manhattan college, where he remained for two years. Under the direction of the bishop of Brooklyn he was sent to Urban College of the Propaganda in Rome and was ordained a priest in 1895.

**Mustapha Kemal Abolishes Caliphate**

Mustapha Kemal Pasha (portrait herewith) has given new proof of the fact that he is supreme in Turkey. The Turkish national assembly of Ankara has declared the caliph deposed and the caliphate abolished. A few years ago one might as well have dreamed of the Roman senate announcing the pope dethroned and the papacy no longer existent. But now the action of the Turkish Nationalists does not come as a surprise. In November of 1922, Mustapha Kemal and his assembly abolished the sultanate and, for the first time since the death of Mohammed, in 632, separated the sultanate from the caliphate—severed the temporal powers of the ruler of Islam from the religious.



On that eventful occasion which marked the end of what had once been the most complete combination of state and church the world had ever known—Sultan Mohammed VI was sent into exile. His son, Abdul Medjid Efendi, was elected caliph. And now the caliph has been dropped.

**SAFE MUST STAND MANY HARD TESTS**

**Modern Strongbox Gets Rough Treatment.**

There must be no doubt about a safe. Therefore a safe that is being tested at the Underwriters' Laboratories has to undergo some pretty severe usage. If it does not weaken, says Mr. Harry Chase Brearley in a Symbol of Safety, it wins a label of utter trustworthiness.

First the safe is submitted to the "explosion test." Inside are magazines and loose papers and a recording thermometer. A photograph is taken of them. Then the doors are closed, and the safe is enveloped in flames. In less than three minutes the temperature exceeds a thousand degrees; and in 15 minutes it has reached seventeen hundred degrees. Those are extreme conflagration conditions.

For the second test the safe is placed in a furnace that consists of a box of thick masonry and that is heated with four rows of blast burners. After 20 minutes an observer looking through a peep hole at the back of the furnace can see the large sheet of steel that forms the back of the safe is beginning to show signs of distortion. That is only natural. Thirty minutes; tiny spurts of flame are issuing from joints in the safe from the generation of gases within the insulation. It is indicative of good design that they can escape without doing damage. Forty minutes, and the steel knob of the combination lock is brilliant red; one hour, and the entire surface of the safe is brilliant red. If the safe has been submitted for the highest classification it is subjected to an inferno of ever-increasing intensity for three hours longer; but at the end of the four hours the heat inside as indicated by a recording instrument connected with an external switchboard must not be sufficient to injure the most delicate papers on the shelves.

The "drop test" is even more spectacular. Toward the end of an hour's heating, which the safe must undergo for this test, eight men in overalls stand by at their stations like trained gun crews. Blocks and tackles are all set to open the wall door of the furnace and to roll out the bottom truck on which the red hot safe rests. The engineer at the instruments takes a last reading of temperatures, jots them down and puts his mouth to the speaking tube. "Ready!" he calls.

Two asbestos-gloved men disconnect the recording instruments and with-

draw the safe from the furnace and set it on the floor.

"Ten seconds!" shouts an engineer. "Five!"

A man grasps a lever. "Go!"

The flames go out with a pop. There is a thud as a man rams a timber against the door prop. The heavy door opens. Workmen, crouching to protect their faces from the heat, quickly hook the wheeled truck and draw it forth; then they raise the safe high in air until it is plumb above a massive concrete block set flush with the flooring of the yard and covered with a heap of loose bricks. The safe is dropped and, whizzing down from the height of a fourth-floor window, lands with a crash.

On a second day the test is repeated with the safe turned upside down. After that it is carefully examined and dissected, and, if it has done all that was expected of it, it wins its rating.—Youth's Companion.

**His Careless Ways**

"When you found you hadn't your fare did the conductor make you get off and walk?" asked the inquisitive man.

"Only get off," was the sad reply. "He didn't seem to care whether I walked or sat down."—Christian Evangelist.

**Clothes for Dogs**

A complete set of clothes for toy dogs costs from \$25 to \$100, and includes waterproof coats for wet weather. Some dog lovers keep a warm winter coat and a waterproof coat for each animal, the winter coat usually being fleece lined.

**Benefited Him**

Visitor—"How do, doctor! I've just dropped in to tell you how greatly I've benefited by your treatment." Doctor—"But—er—I don't remember you as a patient of mine." Visitor—"I'm not, but my uncle was—and I'm his heir."—Passing Show (London).

**No Strainers Needed**

Buttermilk ought to be much more popular than it is, since mustaches have more generally gone out of fashion.

**The Irony of It**

Teacher—Hector, what can you tell the class about the Iron age? Hector—"I'm a bit rusty on that subject, ma'am."

**Hall's Catarrh Medicine**

is a Combined Treatment, both local and internal, and has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh for over forty years. Sold by all druggists. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio

**Beware of Alcohol!**

Any man or woman who suffers with kidney trouble should not take medicines that contain alcohol.

There is an herb balm called Hobo Kidney and Bladder Remedy, famous through the Southwest for its healing properties—it is made from an herb plant that grows in parts of East Texas and Louisiana. It contains no alcohol, opiates, or habit-forming drugs, but does carry a powerful purifying property that has been used for years in the treatment of serious organic ailments.

It gives relief when other remedies fail. A treatment of six bottles costs \$6.00 and is guaranteed to give satisfaction even in the most serious cases. If your druggist does not have it write Hobo Medicine Company, Beaumont, Texas.

**Large Building Moved**

A 7,500-ton office building in Chicago, said to be the heaviest building ever moved, was recently transferred without any damage to a new site 85 feet away.

**Don't Forget Cuticura Talcum**

When adding to your toilet requisites. An exquisite face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume, rendering other perfumes superfluous. You may rely on it because one of the Cuticura Trio (Soap, Ointment and Talcum), 25c each everywhere.—Advertisement.

**Our Choice**

We like to listen to sprightly talk by people with tongues of sand paper; but for long-time company, we generally choose those with tongues of velvet.

Fresh, sweet, white, dainty clothes for baby, if you use Red Cross Ball Blue. Never streaks or injures them. All good grocers sell it.—Advertisement.

**"E" Most Common Letter**

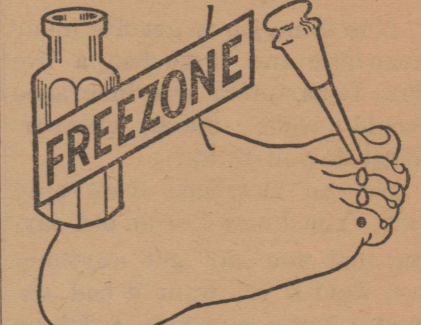
"E" is the most common letter. In 1,000 letters, e occurs 137 times in English, 184 in French, 145 in Spanish and 178 in German.

If Worms or Tapeworms persist in your system, use the real vermifuge, Dr. Peary's "Dead Shot." Only 50 cents at your druggist or 372 Pearl St., N. Y. Adv.

Maximize the Spot. If you see a spot on your face, shoot him on the spot. Guard—Yes sir; which spot?

**CORNS**

Lift Off—No Pain!



Doesn't hurt one bit! Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers. Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the foot calluses, without soreness or irritation.

**Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic**

Destroys Malarial Germs in the Blood. 60c

**Better Than Pills For Liver Ills**

The reason

Get a 25¢ Box

**NR Tonight Tomorrow Alright**



## Hail, Fire, Tornado and Life Insurance

Protect Yourself and Home

See Me

### Roy Stevens

E. J. Anderson, of Snyder, was a business visitor in our city Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Culwell, visited in Post Tuesday.

Sam B. Antony, one of Southland's prosperous farmers, bought something over 300 acres of land over near Ralls last week and is now breaking the land with tractors and mules.

### We Handle The Best Of Everything In

Hardware, P&O Implements,  
Dry Goods and Shoes

### It Pays To Buy The Best

## Hardware

G. W. Basinger, Owner

Ed Marton returned this week from Snyder Texas, where he has been for the past three months, working for the Fuller Gin Company.

Several of our business men are going to take the Civil Service Examinations to be held at Post April 26.

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We Have Plenty of Cars in  
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Come In And Let Us  
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### Baptist Church

Preaching: 2nd and 4th Sundays.

Sunday School 10 a. m. every Sunday.

B. Y. P. U. every Sunday 7:30 p. m.

O. J. Harmonson, Pator.  
J. A. Barnes, Clerk.

G. W. Basinger's truck is seen hauling farm implements every day. The farmers are busy and the land is "right"

Ross Harmonson and family of Roperville, were in Southland the first of the week, visiting his father, who is very ill.

## CHEVROLET

### For Economical Transportation

Do you know that you can buy a NEW CAR for a  
SMALL DOWN PAYMENT

and the rest in easy

MONTHLY PAYMENTS

Seventy five percent of the cars now sold are based on this plan.

Let Us Talk It Over With You

## Connell Chevrolet Company

Post

Texas

We Will Appreciate Your Business

## Post Steam Laundry

Soft, Sanitary and Service

## O. W. McCleod

Post,

Proprietor

Texas

## City Cafe

Appreciates Your Patronage

EVERYTHING IN SHORT ORDERS

Home Made Pies

CIGARS, FRESH CANDIES, and SODA WATER

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And Every Catarrhal Ailment The Family Standby for Over Fifty Years

Tablets or Liquid Sold Everywhere

**FOR OVER 200 YEARS**

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correct internal troubles, stimulate vital organs. Three sizes. All druggists. Insist on the original genuine GOLD MEDAL.

## SPOHN'S DISTEMPER COMPOUND

Are your horses coughing or running at the nose? If so, give them "SPOHN'S." A valuable remedy for Coughs, Colds, Distemper, Influenza, Pink Eye and Worms among horses and mules. An occasional dose "tones" them up. Sold at all drug stores.

**Resourceful**

A salesman was trying to induce an unsympathetic druggist to put in an assortment of valentines and displayed his offerings of gilt and paper lace with hopeful dexterity.

"No," stated the pharmacist, "I don't care much for stocking gim-cracks and folderols. They may be pretty, but they ain't drugs. I keep stuff for sick people."

"These are for the lovesick," suggested the salesman gently.

Sore and inflamed eyes, sties and granulations healed promptly by nightly use of Roman Eye Balsam. 35 cents. Adv.

**American Bill of Rights**

The first ten amendments to the Constitution of the United States became effective June 15, 1790, and constitute what is known as the American bill of rights. Freedom of speech and religion and the right of peaceable assembly are set forth in the first. The right of jury trial is guaranteed in subsequent articles.

Take It at Night Makes Morning Bright

**St. Joseph's LIVER REGULATOR** for BLOOD-LIVER-KIDNEYS The BIG 25¢ CAN

### FIGHTING BOLL WEEVIL

**Big Decrease in Cotton Production Attributed to Ravages of Pest.**

Production of cotton in the United States dropped from more than 15,000,000 bales in 1914 to about 10,000,000 in 1923 when the largest acreage in history was platted. This decrease can be attributed mostly to the ravages of the Mexican boll weevil which entered this country near Brownsville, Texas, in 1892, and has gradually worked its way across the cotton belt until the infested area reaches to the Atlantic coast and as far north as Virginia. In 1914 about three-fourths of the cotton belt was infested while in 1923 nearly the entire area was ravaged by the insect.

Conservative business men estimate that under present world conditions a 15,000,000 bale cotton crop would bring a price of at least 20 cents per pound. Figuring on this basis the loss of 5,000,000 bales in 1923 meant a loss of \$500,000,000 to the farmers of the South. There are approximately 1,000,000 cotton farmers and this amount divided among them shows that the average loss to each farmer was about \$500.

It therefore behooves the farmers to rid themselves of this pest and turn their losses into profit. If they do not, it not only means that they will lose this amount, more or less, each year, but that the high cost of producing the crop in this country and the subsequent losses will encourage and are encouraging other countries to increase production and with the cheap labor available to them they soon can make it impossible for the American farmer to raise cotton, and at the same time maintain a decent standard of living.

The seriousness of the situation is somewhat reduced, however, due to the fact that there are tested and proven methods of control. Scientists and experts, progressive farmers, bankers and other business men are convinced that if these methods are put into general practice the boll weevil can be controlled and the yield and profit increased.

These methods have been worked out and are explained in recommendations made by the Association of Southern Agricultural Workers, conducted by the experts of the

agricultural corporation. The first time since the boll weevil invaded the cotton belt and after thirty years of experiments and research, have assembled a definite body of knowledge to give to the farmers. These methods and recommendations, briefly stated, are as follows:

"Prepare ground early so as to have a firm, smooth and well settled seed bed at planting; delay planting until all danger from frosts and cold is past and the soil is warm enough to cause quick sprouting and vigorous early growth; plant one bushel or more of seed to the acre; plant only selected seed of an early maturing variety having a staple of not less than 7/8 inch.

"Cotton rows should be from three to four feet apart, according to the fertility of the soil, and spacing in the rows should be from eight to twelve inches with one to three stalks to the hill.

"An application of either a home-mixed molasses-calcium-arsenate mixture or calcium arsenate in dust form should be made when there are as many as twenty boll weevils on an acre of young cotton before the first indication of squaring.

"For the treatment of fruiting cotton generally, and especially on soils capable of producing one-third of a bale or more to the acre under normal conditions, the calcium arsenate dusting method is most reliable and profitable and is strongly recommended in preference to late season applications of any syrup mixtures.

"Dusting should begin when 10 per cent of the squares show weevil puncture and at least three applications of five pounds to the acre should be given at intervals of not more or less than four or five days. Thereafter dust should be applied only as needed to keep infestation below 20 per cent until after a full crop of bolls has set and become well grown.

"Community-wide action in weevil control may add greatly to the effectiveness of each of these measures. Therefore, the co-operation of all growers, whether owners or tenants, should be enlisted in putting into effect this fundamental program for weevil control."

The methods and recommendations as outlined do not advocate an increase in acreage and experts are of the opinion that a small acreage should be planted and intensive cultivation applied. This thought is best expressed in the slogan, "More cotton to the acre, not more acres to cotton."

Information on boll weevil control has been placed in the hands of county agents and it may be had from them or by requesting it from the state college of agriculture.

### USED MANY MODES OF TRANSPORTATION

**Suburbanite Has Exciting Time in One Day.**

"The younger generation, and probably most of the older people who have gone about to any extent in recent years, take modern traveling facilities as a matter of course and give little or no thought to the marvels of transportation today," reflected the suburbanite, "and most of us go through our daily trips to business and elsewhere so mechanically that we fail to realize fully how remarkably diverse are the present-day means of passenger conveyance.

"A man will think nothing nowadays of riding in a variety of vehicles in the course of a single day, from an elevator to a subway, being carried along the surface of the ground, above it or under the surface, and utilizing several kinds of power. But an experience I had not long ago made me realize more than most of us do, or than I probably would have otherwise, how wonderfully diverse are the means of travel available to the people of today.

"In one day I rode on the surface of the earth, under the ground and the Hudson river as well, and also flew above the earth, being transported in trolleys, electric trains, steam trains, automobiles and an airplane, and employed the advantages of three types of power which play such important parts in the daily life of most of us—electric, gasoline and steam.

"I started out in the morning from my home in northern New Jersey and walked a short distance to a trolley line, then boarding a trolley car in which I was carried, by electric power, over the surface of the ground to a Hudson tube station. There I got on an electric train which transported me along the surface. Later I changed to another which took me through an uncovered depression, sped along a subterranean passage, through a tunnel beneath the Hudson river and to the Pennsylvania station, New York.

"There I changed to another train which traveled underground for a distance, being drawn at first by electric power. Afterward it rose to the surface and, the locomotive having been changed, took me the rest of the distance to Mineola, L. I., above the ground—by steam power.

"At the railroad station in Mineola I kind of power, gasoline—me to Mitchell field.

"There I hopped off in an airplane which, also using gasoline, of course, bore me back over much of the same route I had followed to the field, with some deviations: soared over the community in which I live—almost above my own house—and then flew back to its starting point.

"Later I returned to my home by the same kinds of conveyances I had employed on my trip to the flying field, impressed with the marvelous transportation facilities available to modern people as I only could have been by such an experience."

### Famous Bunker Hill Order

On a night in June, in 1775, early in the Revolutionary war, Col. William Prescott of the American army had orders to seize and fortify Bunker hill against the British. The next day, as the British marched, firing now and then, the Americans gave no answering shot.

The British could see the muzzles of the rifles of the invisible defenders resting on the ramparts, but what they could not see or hear was the officers in the trenches running up and down the line, commanding the men to hold their fire.

It was at the battle of Bunker hill that the now historic command, "Don't one of you fire till you see the whites of their eyes," was given by Colonel Prescott. The officers knew how scarce powder was; the men did not.—Detroit News.

### Embarrassing Attention

"Do you know that you receive better attention from merchants who appreciate your patronage?" inquired an ad.

We can't say as to that, but we must confess that we're getting a lot of attention right now from merchants who have enjoyed our patronage in the past, if you get what we mean.—Buffalo Express.

### Rough and Rocky

Tourist—I thought you said this was a good trail, a path of romance?  
Tomaso—Well, it be so, ain't it?  
Tourist—You mean the world's worst road. It resembles a jazzy imitation of a disorderly stone quarry. The romance has been joggled out of it, and me.

### Petters' Grammar

"Two negations make an affirmation," exclaimed Professor Dryasdust.  
"Yup," agreed the youth from the rear row, who was leaving school, anyway. "Like when a girl says, 'Don't! Stop that!'"—American Legion Weekly.

### WOMEN CAN DYE ANY GARMENT, DRAPERY

Dye or Tint Worn, Faded Things New for 15 Cents.



Don't wonder whether you can dye or tint successfully, because perfect home dyeing is guaranteed with "Diamond Dyes" even if you have never dyed before. Druggists have all colors. Directions in each package.—Advertisement.

### Insidiousness of Wall Paper

The color of your wall paper may determine your weight and the number of children you will have, according to H. A. Gardiner, a researcher of the Smithsonian institution, who addressed the annual convention of the International Association of House Painters and Decorators.

"Shades of wall-covering have an effect on avoirdupois," said Mr. Gardiner. "Guinea pigs placed in light colored compartments become fat and those in dark-colored boxes become thin. Light colors of high reflective values appear to favor rapid growth of animals, while colors of low luminosity retard development.

"In compartments painted dark colors no young were born in a period of four months, while a baby guinea pig was born in the same time in each white, tan and pale blue compartment."—New York Sun and Globe.

### MOTHER!

Child's Best Laxative is "California Fig Syrup"



Tongue Shows if

Hurry Mother! Even a fretful, peevish child loves the pleasant taste of "California Fig Syrup" and it never fails to open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

### A Confession

One shouldn't complain too much about the town he lives in. People may think he is a fizzle.

Man wants to control rain; and that even he may do before he learns how to control himself.

## MY DAUGHTER WOULD CRY AT EVERYTHING

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Clinton, Wisconsin.—"My daughter was in a very run-down condition, and was irritable, and would cry at every little thing she was so weak and nervous. As Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had helped me when I was a girl I gave it to her to build her up, and the results were all that we could wish for. I wish that every mother with growing girls would try it for these troubles girls often have. I had taken it myself before my girl was born, and she was one of the nicest babies any one could wish to have. I recommend the Vegetable Compound to women and girls and cannot praise it too highly."—Mrs. I. A. HOLFORD, Box 48, Clinton, Wisconsin.

Mothers can depend upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve their daughters of those troubles they so often have. They know from experience the value of the Vegetable Compound in the treatment of these complaints and many, like Mrs. Holford, give it to their daughters.

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Just as the messy old mustard plaster does the work without blister. Just rub it on with your finger-tips. You will feel a warm tingle as it enters the pores, then a cooling sensation that brings welcome relief.

To Mothers: Musterole is now made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole. 35c and 65c, in jars and tubes.



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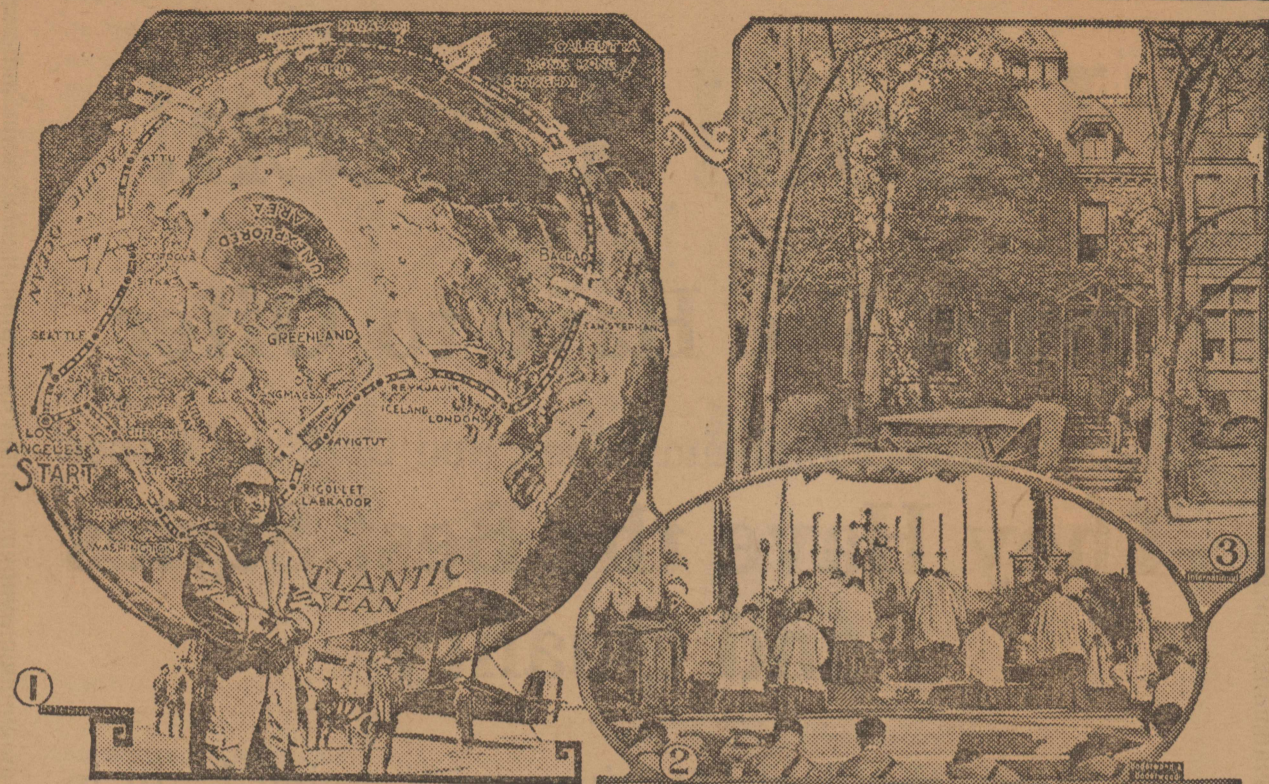
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1—Photo-diagram of route of army round-the-world aviators, Major Martin, commander of the flight, and one of the planes. 2—High mass in Luneta park, Manila, to celebrate second anniversary of coronation of Pope Pius XI. 3—The "little green house" in Washington where Attorney General Daugherty and his friends are said to have arranged deals.

## NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

### Wheeler Digging Up Lots of Stuff Against Daugherty—Oil and 1920 Campaign.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

SO comprehensive, discursive and "far flung" are the various investigations in Washington that only the Congressional Record could do them justice in the matter of space. In the Daugherty inquiry Senator Wheeler is having the time of his life and the witnesses, willing and reluctant, are numerous. Of these witnesses perhaps the most interesting of the week was W. A. Orr, one time secretary of Governor Whitman of New York. From him was drawn a story of conspiracy to withdraw liquor from bond in which Howard Mannington, a close associate of Daugherty, played the part of "fixer" and Orr that of "lector." He also admitted that a share in the Dempsey-Carpenter fight film and was supposed to have helped arrange things so that it could be exhibited free from prosecution. Orr acknowledged that he had used his influence to induce the attorney general to appoint Col. William Hayward as United States district attorney in New York, but modestly disclaimed credit for having "put over" Hayward's appointment.

Further evidence concerning the fight film deal was given by G. O. Holdridge, former Department of Justice detective, involving Daugherty, Orr, Alfred R. Union, Jap Muma, New York representative of E. B. McLean's publications, Fred Quimby and others, and Senator Wheeler declared the evidence was conclusive of the existence of a conspiracy. William J. Burns denies the implications drawn from Holdridge's story so far as they affect the honesty of the Department of Justice.

THE Teapot Dome committee heard a sensational story linking Harry Sinclair up with the financing of the last Republican presidential campaign and related to the reports that oil interests, after vainly trying to ensnare General Wood, brought about the nomination of Harding. According to the information received by the committee, Sinclair turned over to Will Hays and Harry Daugherty 75,000 shares of stock in his oil companies which was to be sold and the proceeds employed in liquidation of the million-dollar deficit incurred by the Republican national committee under the chairmanship of Mr. Hays in the 1920 election. A subpoena was issued for Mr. Hays. Tiffin Gilmore of Ohio related a lot of hearsay about the futile attempt to deal with Wood, and Carmi Thompson was called to tell what he knew about it.

From brokers' books the oil committee learned that these men traded in various oil stocks between Dec. 1, 1921, and Dec. 31, 1922: Attorney General Daugherty; C. Bascom Slemp, secretary to the President; Senators Curtis of Kansas and Elkins of West Virginia; Representatives A. B. Rouse of Kentucky, and former Representatives Goodykoontz of West Virginia, T. J. Ryan of New York and J. H. Hines of Ohio.

BRIBERY charges against two members of the lower house having been laid before a grand jury in Washington, the special house committee appointed to investigate them is holding its sessions in secret in order not to prejudice the interests of the government or of the possible defendants. Among the witnesses heard

have been the cashiers of four banks in the home town of Congressman Zihlman of Maryland.

YET another committee, of the senate, is investigating allegations of inefficiency and irregularities in the bureau of internal revenue. Assistant Commissioner C. R. Nash told it that in the last three years 796 revenue agents, inspectors and deputy collectors had been discharged because of dishonesty and graft. Commissioner Blair derided that appointment of principal employees in the bureau has been controlled by political considerations and told of his difficulties in that line with former Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Elmer Dover.

BY an overwhelming majority the house passed the new soldiers' bonus bill, and sent it on to the senate. That body will almost certainly pass either the house bill or an amended measure. What President Coolidge will do about it is not surely known. The vote in the house—355 to 54—insures the passage of the bill over a veto. It is not so certain that the necessary two-thirds vote can be obtained. Advocates of the measure are urging the senate finance committee to give the bill precedence over the tax bill now under consideration.

Regardless of the merits or demerits of the bonus bill, there is ground for criticism of the way in which it was jammed through the house. The rules were suspended so that all amendments were shut out and debate was limited. The representatives who voted for the bill undoubtedly have thus provided themselves with a strong argument for their re-election, whatever may be the final fate of the measure.

THE senate went on record in favor of another amendment to the Constitution by adopting the joint resolution to have presidents inaugurated on the third Monday in January and the new congress to take office on the first Monday in January after election. Only seven votes were cast against it.

INCOMPLETE returns from the North Dakota primary show that Mr. Coolidge was the winner of the Republican endorsement, with Senators Johnson and LaFollette running neck and neck for second place. North Carolina's delegation to the Cleveland convention was instructed for Coolidge. McAdoo won a big victory over Senator Underwood in Georgia, the returns making it certain that he will have the state's 28 votes in the New York convention.

To his close friends in Washington Senator LaFollette is said to have admitted that he desires to run for President this year on a third ticket. He wants to be nominated, not by a brand new third party, but by a convention of independent Republicans to be held after the convention in Cleveland has nominated Coolidge and to which members of all parties will be admitted. It is asserted that he has no hope of being elected next November but believes his plan would smash the regular Republican party, result in a Democratic victory and open the way for a third party that would be the leading party of the nation four years hence. Of course all this may be mere political gossip.

MAJOR MARTIN and Lieutenants Smith, Wade and Nelsoz, the army's globe-circling aviators, who started from Clover field, Santa Monica, Cal., have flown their four planes as far as Seattle without accident. There the machines are being equipped with large pontoons for what is regarded as the hardest part of the trip—from the United States to Japan by way of Alaska and the Aleutian

islands. This week a British aviator is to start from Southampton in an attempt to beat the Americans around the world. He will fly from west to east.

OF MORE than local interest is the sale of the New York Herald by Frank Munsey to the New York Tribune, for a price said to be in the neighborhood of \$4,000,000. The Herald has gone out of existence after a life of eighty-nine years. The combined papers are now called the New York Herald-Tribune. Mr. Munsey sold because he could not buy the Tribune. He says the amalgamation was inevitable for economic reasons.

SIR ESME HOWARD, the new British ambassador, made his first public address at a dinner of the Pilgrim society in New York. The most important of his utterances was this: "An attitude of complete aloofness and lack of interest in the affairs of the other white continents is not a wholesome for either of the two. I cannot but believe that America will unquestionably feel the impulse to work, in her own way, for permanent peace in Europe, on which, to put it on no higher grounds, so much of her own prosperity depends. We in England have long ago realized that a policy of 'splendid isolation' was but an idle dream and a vain imagining."

GENERAL DAWES' commission of experts, it is now said, will not report until April 3. The German elections are set for May 4 and those of France for May 11, and presumably there will be no decision as to acceptance of the report until the results of those elections are known.

Bears in the franc market, especially banks in Zurich, Amsterdam and Vienna, are in difficulties because they were caught short in the great squeeze resulting from the support that Morgan and Lazard of London gave the Bank of France. The latter institution bought all the francs offered and refuses to settle, demanding actual delivery.

THE Chinese government has refused to ratify an agreement with Russia which was signed by its representative and has ordered the soviet envoy to leave Peking because he wrote insulting notes to the foreign office. Moscow, therefore, has broken off the negotiations for a peace treaty. The situation is considered dangerous and correspondents say civil war in China is likely to break out again. The Chinese also are having disputes with Japan concerning the Shantung railway and two Japanese naval squadrons are in Chinese waters.

DOWN in Honduras, where a revolutionary movement has been going on for some time, the rebels have won a series of battles with the forces of Generals Arias and Busso, who assumed dictatorial powers after the death of President Gutierrez, and have occupied Tegucigalpa, the capital, and all the ports. There was wild disorder in the capital and the American ministers asked for protection, so a landing force from the cruiser Milwaukee was rushed to the city from Amapala.

GROVER CLEVELAND BERGDOLL, the draft evader, says he will soon return to America unconditionally and stand trial for draft evasion, pleading guilty. But he already is under sentence for desertion and presumably must serve five years for that offense if he comes back. G. W. Powell, director of the Americanization commission of the American Legion, says the legion has guaranteed the personal safety of Bergdoll if he will return and take his medicine.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

## Sunday School Lesson

By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D.D., Teacher of English Bible in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.  
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Lesson for April 6

THE KINGDOM RENT ASUNDER

LESSON TEXT—1 Kings 12:1-33.  
GOLDEN TEXT—"Pride goeth before destruction, and an haughty spirit before a fall."—Prov. 16:18.

PRIMARY TOPIC—The Story of a Foolish King.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Rehoboam's Folly.  
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—The Division of the Kingdom.  
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Why the Kingdom Was Divided.

The kingdom so gloriously administered in David's time reached its climax in the time of Solomon. Solomon was led astray through the influence of his heathen wives, and the kingdom had begun to wane. God had expressed his indignation toward him and made known the fact that the kingdom was to be rent from him, yet not in his time, but in the time of Rehoboam (1 Kings 11:9-13).

I. The Demand of the People (vv. 1-4).

This was occasioned by the burden of excessive taxation and enforced labor, which was required by Solomon in order to build costly houses and temples for his heathen wives. Owing to the multiplicity of his wives, this became very burdensome. They promised loyalty to him on the condition of lightened burdens.

II. Rehoboam's Foolish Decision (vv. 5-15).

1. Rehoboam Consulted With the Old Men (vv. 5-7). These were men of experience who had been Solomon's advisers. They advised that the people's request be granted.

2. Rehoboam Consulted the Young Men (vv. 8-11). These young men had grown up with him, possibly were his half-brothers, sons of Solomon's many wives. Being thus brought up in the luxury of the harem, they were ignorant of the legal right of the people. Therefore, they advised even that the burdens be increased.

3. Rehoboam Followed the Advice of the Young Men (vv. 12-15). At the appointed time he announced his purpose to increase their burdens.

III. The Revolt of the Ten Tribes (vv. 16-24).

Upon Rehoboam's announcement of his rash purpose, all Israel cried out, "What portion have we in David? . . . to your tents, O Israel."

1. Rehoboam's Attempt to Collect Tribute (vv. 18, 19). Adoram, his tribute gatherer, was stoned to death. So violent was the opposition on the part of the people that Rehoboam had to flee to Jerusalem to save his life.

2. Jeroboam Made King Over Israel (v. 20). They seemed to have lost no time in selecting a head so as to be strong in their opposition to Rehoboam.

3. Rehoboam's Attempt to Compel the Ten Tribes to Return to David (vv. 21-24). To effect this, he assembled his army of 180,000 men. Through the prophecy of Shemlah, which forbade them to go against their brethren they were persuaded to return.

IV. Jeroboam's Scheme to Unify the Ten Tribes (vv. 25-33).

1. He Established Calf Worship (vv. 25-30). His pretext for this worship was his fear lest the religious unity should heal the political separation. His fear was that the people would go back to Jerusalem to worship and therefore would gradually be led to acknowledge allegiance to Rehoboam and his own life would be taken. He was too shrewd a politician to do away with religion. He knew that religion was a powerful factor in man's life. The prevailing religion of the world today is a political one. It is used as a sort of cement to hold together people and political interests.

2. His Scheme of Worship (vv. 31-33).

(1) He built houses and high places (v. 31). This was against the direct command of God. God had directed His people to destroy the high places, to break down the idolatrous centers.

(2) He made priests of the lowest of the people (v. 31). God had set aside the tribe of Levi to fill the office of priesthood. In this again he disobeyed God.

(3) He changed the day of the Feast of the Tabernacle (v. 32). The time of this feast was set by the Lord (Lev. 23:33, 34). Jeroboam argued that the change in the time would be better suited to their northern climate, but God who made the climate ordained the time of the feast. It was his business, therefore, to obey God.

(4) Jeroboam himself intrudes into the priest's office. This act of presumption on his part was the climax of his godless acts, which all grew out of his wicked heart.

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As We Progress Impressed by some "better business" literature, an English chemist in a market town placed several boxes of golf balls in his window. On next market day he found a countryman gazing at these globular exhibits with interest.

"We are making progress, Giles," remarked the chemist. "Maybe so," responded the rustic, "but I vow I could never swallow a pill of that size, zur."

## LOVE MAY BE BLIND

But before you can impress some one of the opposite sex enough to get them to share this happy state of mind certainly must keep pleasing and attractive.

and new acquaintances. And even husbands, wives, parents and kin feel sorry for loved ones who suffer from such skin diseases. The way to get rid of all these drawbacks to unbroken affection and devotion from dear ones as well as new acquaintances, is to use the wonderful Black and White Ointment. It is economically priced, in liberal packages. The 50c size contains three times as much as the 25c size. All dealers have it.—Advertisement.

## A Model Husband

At 6:00 a. m. somebody proposed one more round of jackpots. "No," said Tenspot. "I've got to think of my wife." "What's that?" "I'm not going to keep breakfast waiting."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

"O Happy Day" sang the landress as she hung the snowy wash on the line. It was a "happy day" because she used Red Cross Ball Blue.—Advertisement.

## Sometimes Followed

Asked by her Sunday school teacher to give the Bible verse for that day's lesson, a little western girl recited: "Go ye into all the world and spread the gospel to all the people."—Boston Transcript.

## BACK ACHY?

Lame and achy in the morning? Tortured with backache all day long? No wonder you feel worn out and discouraged! But have you given any thought to your kidneys? Weak kidneys cause just such troubles; and you are likely to have headaches, too, with dizziness, stabbing pains and bladder irregularities. Don't risk neglect! Use Doan's Pills. Doan's have helped thousands. They should help you. Ask your neighbor!

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Examination**

The United States Civil Ser-  
vice Commission has announced  
an examination to be held at  
Post, Texas, on April 26, 1924 to  
fill the position of rural carrier  
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may later occur on rural routes  
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ard daily wagon route of 24 miles  
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thereof in excess of 24 miles.  
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routes and wagon routes are no  
longer held. Appointments to  
both positions will be made from  
the same register. The Exami-  
nation will be open only to citi-  
zens who are actually domiciled  
in the territory of the Post Office  
where the vacancy exists and  
who meet the other require-  
ments set forth in Form 1977.  
Both men and women, if qualif-  
ied, may enter this examination  
but appointing officers have the  
legal right to specify the sex de-  
sired in requesting certification  
of eligibles. Women will not be  
considered for rural carrier ap-  
pointments unless they are the  
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are physically disqualified for  
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**Base Ball**

Say fellow's! What are we going to do about a base ball club this season? Southland has had some A No. 1 teams, why not have one this year. The season is right on us so lets talk it up and have a winning ball team.

Mrs. Bill Gregory left Monday for a visit with her sister, who lives in Miland County.

J. W. Williams and G. W. Hofford, of Big Springs were business visitors in our city Tuesday looking after the interests of the Planters Gin Company.

Carl Clark, of Post, was in our city Wednesday.

A. P. Smith and C. Lacy of Post, were visitors Tuesday.

Mr. Marton and wife, of Ponca, Oklahoma, are the guest of Mr. Marton's aunt, Mrs. E. M. Basinger, this week.

Mrs. R. E. King, who has been real sick for some time is reported as being much improved.

J. C. Draper, wife and son, Otis, are off for a week or ten days visit at Haskell Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Basinger, Albert Basinger, Miss White, and Roy Stevens, made a little business visit in Slaton Wednesday.

Quite a bit of new land is being put into cultivation around Southland, everything is looking prosperous for a big fall.

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H. G. Whitaker, of Slaton, was a pleasant caller in our office Thursday. Mr. Whitaker is our Dad's fishing partner. Mr. Whitaker is with the Slaton Motor Co. and sells Fords in this part of the country. Come in again Mr. Whitaker.

J. D. Tyler of Girard Texas is visiting with his brother, Dr. R. E. Tyler of our city.

Don't forget the track meet at Post to-day and to-morrow, be a booster for our school.

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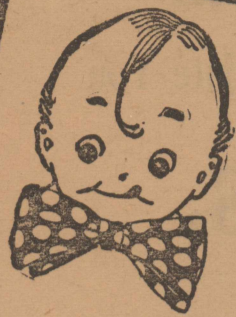
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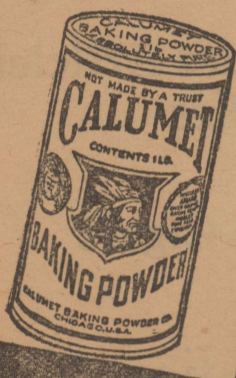
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## Knitted Material for Sports Wear

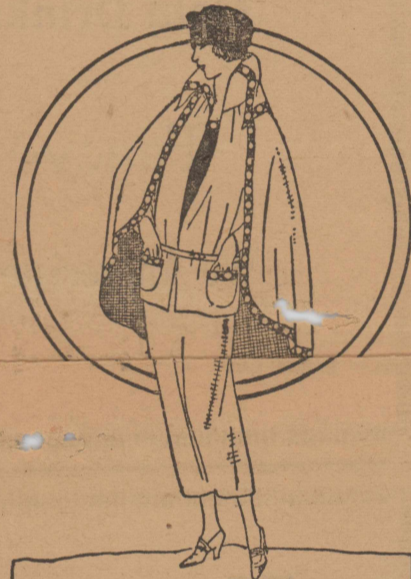
Outfit Is Better Suited to Country—Sweater Still Strong Favorite.

When one comes to speak of knitted clothes one notes first that, whether in the field of strictly sports models or otherwise, they have come to be accepted as indispensable. Whether the fact that clothes of knitted material disqualifies them for use in town or not is a question frequently brought up. Obviously, notes a fashion correspondent in the New York Herald, they are better suited to the country, but there are certain types which do very well for the city as well.

Although the sweater has gone through a decided change in the last six months, it probably is still the most important of the articles in knitted wools. If one does not recognize the sweater as such at first glance it is not to be wondered at. Matched to a skirt of fine plaited crepe and itself changed in line, it is quite the smartest thing that clothes for the country have to offer.

As to the silk sweater, it appears in glorified guise, heavily embroidered and with a deep fringed scarf to match. As most costumes for the country are combinations of white and color, the sweater is the thing that comes in for the color note.

In a straight slipover sweater the color is dark blue embroidered with a border and a few large disks of white, yellow and green, and the scarf is attached to the back at the wide bateau neck line. This scarf is very wide and hanging over the shoulders at the front, reaches well below the bottom of the sweater. The skirt, a box plaited model, has a binding of yellow around the bottom, a fashion in which many skirts, particularly



Knitted Suit of Gray Wool With Border Design About Dress, and Cape in Blue and White.

sports models, are finished. A white sweater suit of similar design has a separate scarf and the embroidery is done in a very vivid color scheme, blues and reds predominating.

A checked design in the weave as well as in the color is used for a suit with slipover coat, slashed at the throat and bound in white. A wide collar and large cuffs are also in white. A scarf of the same material makes this a very practical suit for the street or country.

## White Satin Blouses Now Bidding for Favor

Now that black satin has come into especial favor for dresses and some are shown with the white vests, it seems opportune for the advent of the white satin blouse. Undoubtedly it will have many uses in the wardrobe.

## Models for Young Ladies Are Chic and Snappy

This season's styles are particularly happy in their models for misses. The designs are chic and snappy, the materials charming and comfortable, the colors refreshingly pretty. There have been seasons when the young woman just out, or she that was just to make her debut, was either overelaborate or stupidly childish and unattractive in her dress.

The tendency of fond parents to bestow all at once the ornaments a girl may require one at a time, or to keep her as long as possible in the junior class, has transgressed, at times, the rules of taste and fine proportion in the fashions designed for young women. But these rules have become standardized and are now representing the best talents of the leading artists of Paris.

There is an obvious compensating joy in their creating, and most interesting, engaging things are shown in the new models; things lovely and expressive of youth in their design and colors. Many of the new ideas intend-

## Rich Cape and Frock for Dainty Little Miss



This darling frock for little sister is designed in radium silk of soft old gold color, trimmed with white and accompanied by winsome little cape that matches.

Most successful among these is the blouse which extends over the hips in usual fashion, but cut into vest points at the front and provided with pockets or at least one for the ubiquitous watch fob. Noteworthy in a group of these models seen recently was one with trimming in scroll embroidery done in black floss on the white satin, the pockets covered with the design and a panel of it in the front where it would be effective with a suit or coat.

Costume blouses are frequently of black satin with trimming motifs of Chinese inspiration lending color to the general effect of the Oriental cut. These are in evidence in the collections in Paris and are perhaps the newest thing that the display of spring blouses has to offer. Blues and pinks are enriched with motifs in silver and gold among the lighter color schemes. Paris also offers some of the shorter flit pointed blouse, in black satin richly embroidered.

Georgette blouses are equally suitable to the fragile or rather sheer fabric, for in reality georgette is extremely durable. Fine tucks and the use of platings are both part of the designer's way of treating them. In a blouse of salmon pink georgette, for instance, one finds a deep, oblong inset of fine tucks outlined with fagoting and a band of embroidery at the bottom of the tucks, which are perpendicular in direction. With so much elaboration above the hip pockets are simple slits with a narrow, straight edge of embroidery.

## Checked or Striped Hosiery for Spring

The plaids, block checks, square and diamond shape—and ribbed effects seen in the woolen stockings that have been so fashionable are being duplicated in the lighter weight wool and silk stockings for spring.

Colored socks are the rage, the sand color, tan, flesh, beige, gray and brown being the most popular. The most conspicuous styles are checked or striped in darker tones or contrasting colors, and the drop-stitch rib is the newest weave.

The orchid, flesh and seashell, two-tone and others of the more delicate shades in chiffon silk stockings are very smart for dress occasions and will be much in demand later in the season with lightweight frocks.

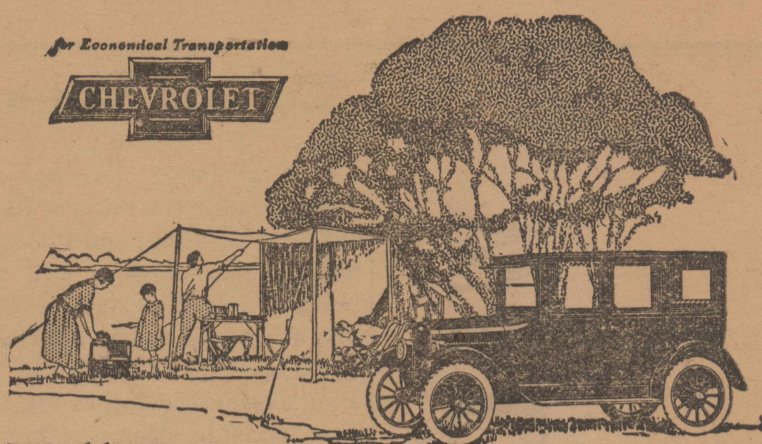
ed for young women are equally good for women at large, and there is no monopoly on the palette of colors from which they are developed.

## Shoulder Cape to Match New With Sports Apparel

If one is addicted to the use of capes, there is one of the very newest models in sports clothes which comes with a shoulder cape to match. Both dress and cape are in soft white wool, knitted in broad bands, to give the effect of plaits. The dress, a plain chemise model, is fastened at one side with a five-button slash and has two slashed hip pockets bound with the material. Quite as simple in design is the cape, which hangs well below the low waistline and has a high standing collar fastening with one button.

## Simple in Design

Many of the new evening capes are sumptuous in material and colors, but extremely simple in design. They fall in straight, voluminous folds, and are gathered into a somewhat narrow fur collar



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