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ter this year than last, as there is evidence that our room table. farmers have some money to spend.

the merchants do not sell. No merchant can enlarge will plant in the backyard garden in the Spring. his stocks until there is a demand for the goods. Mer-

merchant might mean more building activity. Every grown-up folks are lying dead. man and woman, working for a living in Montgomery The erroneous impression that Spring fever is 42 percent greater than the t County, depends upon the money kept at home for first contracted in the Spring from the early buds or the same period in 1935 and 107 Montgomery County payday prosperity.

HOW FREE ARE WE?

It has always been the pride and boast of Amerfederal and state laws, to say nothing of city ordi- business as well as man's failings. nances, what citizen can go through a day of 24 hours without consciously or unconsciously violating one or more of them?

And yet, again, not one official in a hundred is familis is no exaggeration to say that upon what the House iar with all the laws and ordinances which he is and Senate do with that question depends the hapsworn to enforce.

It is true, of course, that the ever increasing complexity of our civilization-or is it civilization?-apbreaking which this country has witnessed in recent is still in doubt.

ly serious crimes, such as murder, burglary, arson Reynolds. Both call for neutrality of the mandatory and the like are punished with laxity, while the ordi- type. They put automatic embargoes on arms and FALL FABRICS AND STYLES narily decent citizen is harassed in his business and munitions and loans and credits, which apply equally THAT MEET FALL IN FASHION in his private life by a maze of laws and bureaucratic regulations which require an army of officials to enforce. And at that they are not enforced.

for government, the principal object of which ap-bill says that no materials shall be allowed to leave pears to be the destruction of those fundamental this country until all ownership and title in them has rights for which our forefathers fought and died.

WHO MAKES THE RICH?

Since the days of William J. Bryan complaints against and condemnation of the rich have been inmany of these same despised rich.

The wealthiest newspaper man in the United nothing overnight. States, if not in the world, is William Randolph Hearst. Who gives him his enormous wealth? The plain people, the workers, give it to him. Forty years thoughts of others and compare them with our own. the well-to-do and wealthy have been denouncing Indeed, contact with other minds is a polishing pro-Hearst newspapers and the working people have been cess for our own, sharpening our viewpoints and enbuying them.

Who gives Miss Mae West her income of more = than \$300,000 a year? The rich are not one-twentieth To drive a nail into plaster withof one per cent of the people who go to her shows, and in hot water for a few minutes, or that is true of all the popular actors and most of the dip it into melted paraffine.

popular entertainers. Why is a citizen whose organizing or inventive NOTICE TO CREDITORS a talents bear fruit in the erection of a great factory or chain of factories giving employment to 5,000 people a rascal and oppressor because he is paid a salary has obtained from the Orphans of \$50,000 and accumulates \$3,000,000 in a lifetime, Maryland, Letters of Administration so berated, while publishers of cheap newspapers and the low-brow entertainers who earn double as much

are considered saints? It is a singular fact that most of the prejudice against the rich has its expression in attack on those of the rich who are most useful.

The so-called "common people" seem eager t part with their last dime to the spectacular rich. is inconsistent, to say the least.

Joy does not happen. It is the inevitable result and thrity-seven. of certain lines followed, and laws obeyed, and so is a matter of character.—Babcock.

SEED CATALOG HERE

Business in Montgomery County ought to be bet- it is also the most popular picture book on the sitting

What visions of giant corn stalks, balloon size ing to records kept by L. M. Dean. cabbage, over-populated potato hills, tender lettuce, of the Bureau of Animal Industry, DO YOUR TRADING AT HOME

dazzlingly beautiful flowers and trim hedges are reared in the mind's eye of dad and mother when the under the tariff law.

who is responsible for certification of pure bred animals for free entry under the tariff law. largely upon the extent of the stocks kept by its mer- new catalog from the seed company arrives. They More than four-fifths of the pure- "A campaign for clean hands—the chants. People do not come to a town to buy what pore through its leaves selecting the varieties they draft breeds. There were 469 Bel- So spoke a thinking citizen.

And the kids are not immune from this seed- dales, and a few each of 4 other housewives, for children-for every- Apr. 16 chandise bought from peddlers fails to create any mania. They fight for the new seed catalog and of these imported horses of the light thumb through its pages in search of good things to breeds were thoroughreds, of which Clean Hands carry no tuberculosis The Expense is a Matter of Your Every local citizen should buy everything at eat and the plants and vegetables they will have in hey, represented by 44 animals. home that is possible. Dollars sent away by money their gardens in the Spring. With the seed catalogs Importations of other livestock, orders, or checks, seldom get back to home circula- the kiddies extend their planting, cultivating and as shown by the latest summar tion. The carpenter who buys his tools by mail sel- harvesting over all 12 months of the year with the cal year ended June 30, 1936, show dom thinks that a better business for the hardware best results attained when the garden patches of the a total of 15,366 head of all classes

the twitter of the north-bound birdlife is corrected percent greater than the total every February when the mail man delivers the first 1934. seed catalog, with its appetizing pictures of fresh garden vegetables, early flowers, corn on the cob, red ica that it is "the home of the free". But just how lucious strawberries, mellow cantaloupe and ripening filmed in Hollywood, photographs MARIE S. MEEM et al., free are we? With our hundreds and thousands of fruit. The mail-order and seed houses know their of your favorite stars and interest- (Estate of Albert F. Meem.)

FOOLPROOF NEUTRALITY

Congress is now facing the gravest issue since Yet, "ignorance of the law excuses no man". the declaration of war in 1917-NEUTRALITY. It piness and welfare of every individual in this community and in this country.

That Congress will enact a new and permanent pears to make new laws necessary from time to time. neutrality law is certain. Sentiment against Ameri-But is there any justification for the orgy of law- can participation in another war is determined and making, with its inevitable accompaniment of law- strong. What kind of neutrality policy we will have

Two bills are being weighed, that of Senator The most disturbing result of all this is that real- Key Pittman and that of Representative Sam D. Mcto all belligerents. No American ship can carry arms in there and tashion to nations at war. American ports cannot be used as dividual supply bases for belligerent vessels. The President It looks as if we are paying a tremendous price can list materials other than munitions which American ships cannot carry to belligerents. The Pittman been transferred to the foreign purchaser. The Mc-Reynolds bill contains this provision, but gives the President the right to invoke it as he sees fit.

Many of the men who fail are no less able, no less cessantly heard. And strange as it may seem, it is honest, no less agressive than the men who succeed. for the most part the poor who insist on creating Many may have accumulated fortunes, only to lose them. They may have seen investments reduced to

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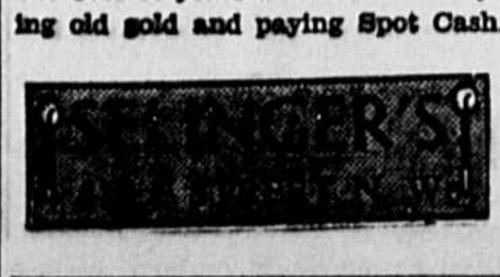
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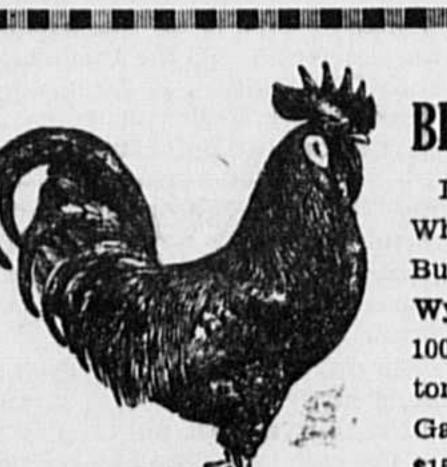
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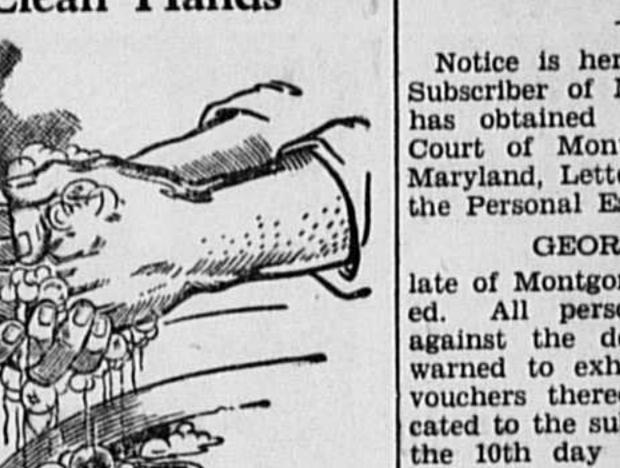
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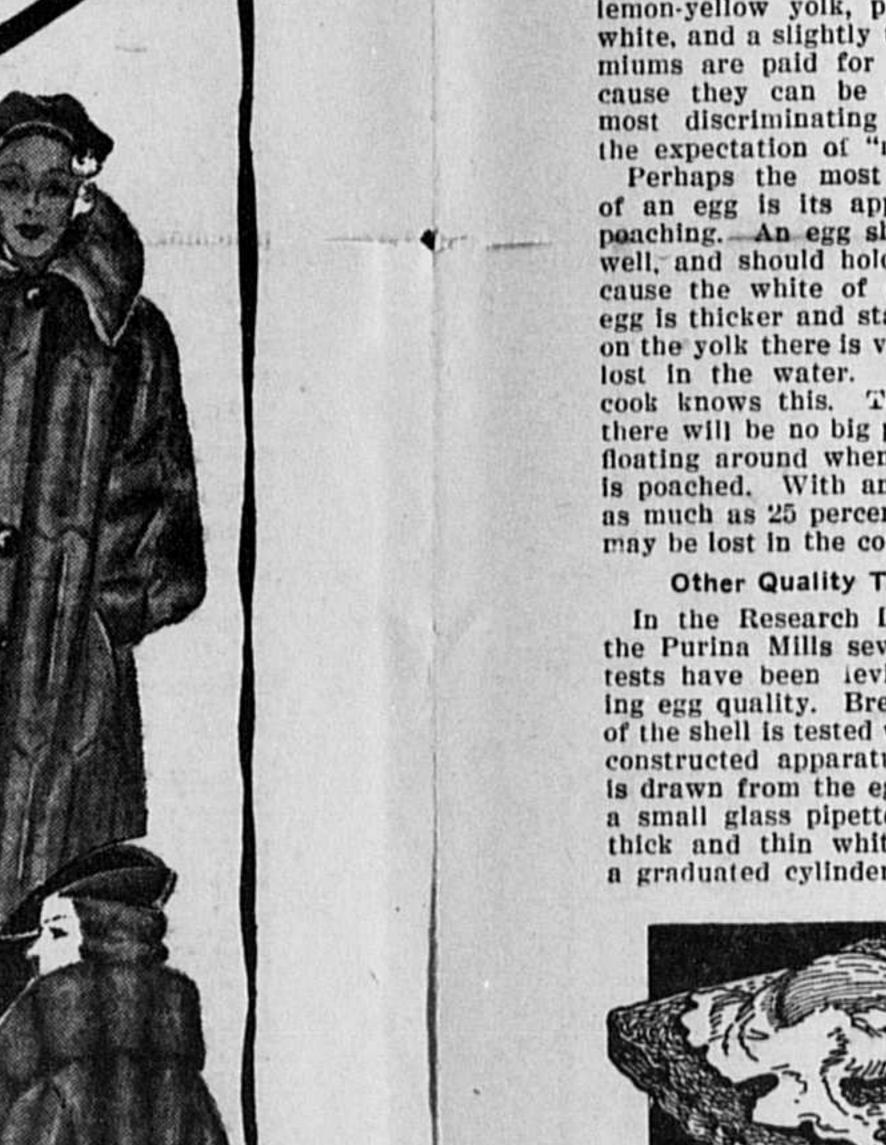
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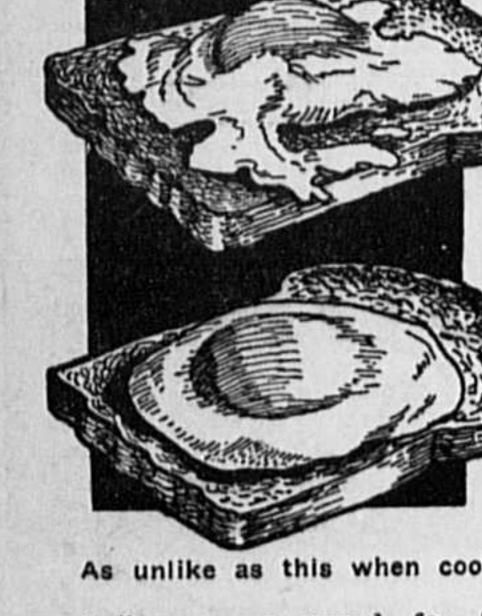
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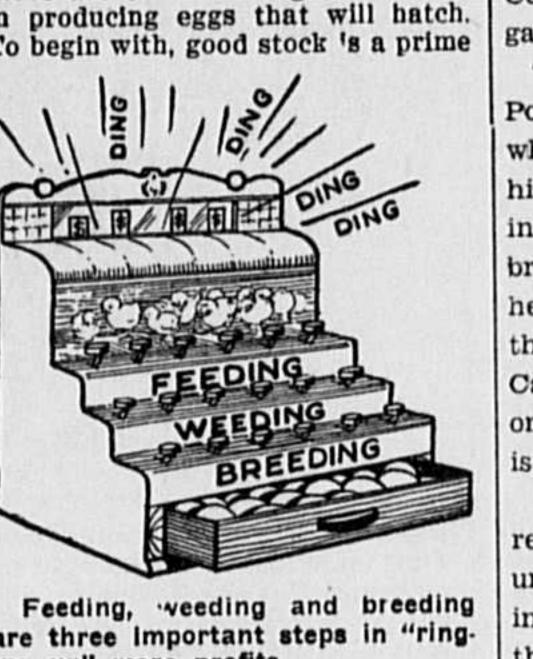
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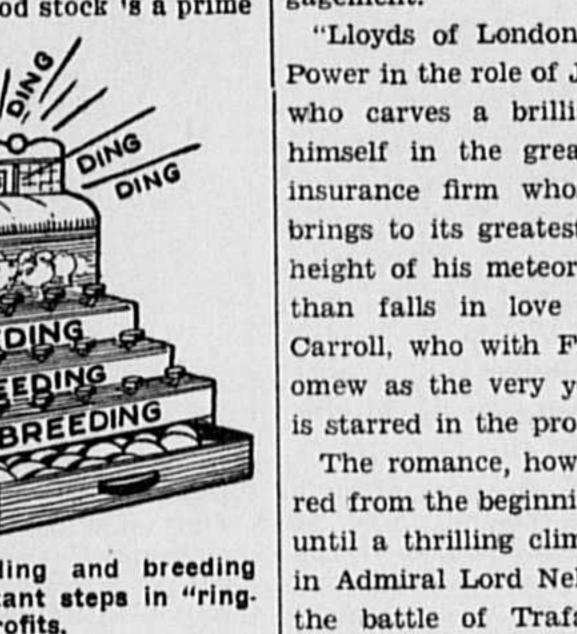
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