1922 THE YEAR You were born

1920s AVERAGE COST

A first class stamp \$0.02
A gallon of gas \$0.25
A dozen eggs \$0.55
A pound of bacon \$0.47
A half gallon of milk \$0.28

AVERAGE NET INCOME \$3,143

'20s SLANG

Ankle - To walk
Bearcat - A lively woman
Berries - "Bee's knees"
Darb - Splendid
Giggle water - Liquor
Hotsy totsy - Attractive
Sinker - A doughnut

IN Style...

Art Deco fashion
Felt hats • Bonnets
Chemise dresses
High heeled shoes
Bobbed hair • Fur coats

MEN

Knickerbockers
Wingtip Shoes
Custom tailored suits
Fedora & newsboy hats
Shiny, slicked back hair

U.S. PRESIDENT

Warren G. Harding





U.S. POPULATION 110 MILLION

IN THE NEWS...

In the Bronx, construction begins on the Yankee Stadium.

The Lincoln Memorial in Washington D.C. is dedicated.

King George V opens a new concrete tennis stadium Center Court at Wimbledon.

The first issue of Reader's Digest magazine is published.

Gandhi is arrested on charges of sedition by British officials in Bombay (now Mumbai), India.

The Tomb of Tutankhamen is discovered on November 4th in the Valley of the Kings in Egypt.

POPULAR SONGS

My Man - Fanny Brice
Three O'Clock in the Morning - Paul Whiteman
April Showers - Al Jolson
Toot Toot Tootsie (Goodbye) - Al Jolson
Second Hand Rose - Fanny Brice

TECHNOLOGY

Over 500 commercial radio stations are in operation in the United States.

The first public radio broadcasts in Britain and France.

The first US Aircraft
Carrier The USS Langley
commissioned.

POPULAR FILMS

Blood and Sand

Grandma's Boy

Smilin' Through

Rags to Riches &

Robin Hood



Television...

Charles Francis
Jenkins makes his
first public
demonstration of
television principles