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SENATOR CARAWAY ASKS FOR ELECTION

Mrs. Thaddeus M. Caraway of Arkansas was named by Governor Parnell to fill the vacancy created by the death of her gifted husband. It is said she promised to step aside at the close of the term in March, 1933. There are four male democrats campaigning for the seat now held by Mrs. Caraway. They have been led to believe that she would retire next spring. Now she has knocked the political wizards as well as the political machinery out of joint by declaring herself in the game as a candidate for a full term of six years.

Governor Parnell is a candidate for the toga. He made Mrs. Caraway a senator by appointment. Now his political nose has been dislocated. There is going to be fun in the mountains and in the hills and valleys of the state so long as Joseph Taylor Robinson until the showdown on November election day.

HOOVER AND THE TARIFF BILL

A democratic house and a coalition senate enacted a tariff bill and sent it to the White House. It stripped the president of his power to revise schedule "whenever necessary." A veto was anticipated when the bill was enacted. Well, the expected happened. The veto was sent in, the house sustained it, and that's that. Indeed the veto message was a vigorous defense of the Hawley-Smoot tariff act with the advice given to the democratic leaders the higher the tariff the more secure the protection for the American people.

Class Will, Prophecy, History And Poem Presented At Senior Day Exercises At Ranger High

The following papers were read by members of the senior class of the Ranger high school at their day exercises, held in the auditorium of the school in connection with the graduating exercises:

- CLASS WILL
By BOB KING
WE, the undersigned, do hereby solemnly and singularly bequeath the following:
I, Florine Killingsworth, will my talent at singing "Amazing Grace" to the high school quartet.
I, Ailia Ray Kuykendall, will my ability to captivate the hearts of all of the Eastland lads to Macdonald.
I, Evis Landers, do bequeath my ability to finger wave my hair to Royce Lee.
I, Katherine Martin, solemnly will my love for Sweet Williams to Marie Galloway.
I, Ruby Ray Mason, will my dignity to Red Earnest.
I, Pauline Matthews, will my weakness to sleep in the Study Hall to anyone who can get by with it.
I, Trilby McGee, will my desire to be a Weaver to anyone who is equally ambitious.
I, Albert Miller, will my unsurpassed ability to play a clarinet solo to Floyd Randolph.
I, Bobby Powell, will my genius to impersonate an English Lord to Wayne Mitchell.
I, Adron Pounds, will my dumb look in class to E. V. Robinson.
I, Roberta Prowell, will my meek and submissive disposition to Vencil Strong.
I, Pauline Randolph, will to "Goo-Goo" Standard's fiance, my extreme and sincere interest in the Ranger Fire department.
I, Jack Rawls, will to Gloyd Lyons my neat and well-dressed appearance.
I, Jean Sampson, leave my supervision over Squint Williams, captain-elect for 1932, to the Ranger Pop Squad.
I, Jimmy Stagg and Julia Anne Connelly, will our "fly-paper" attitude toward each other to Mr. Roy Stevens, will my hard work and extreme effort as the president of the Senior class to the president of the graduating class of 1933.
I, Bailey Anderson, will my ability to write poetry to "Cotton Lindsey."
I, James Steed, with tears in my eyes and all broken hearted, do hereby bequeath my place in the Senior Advisory to any ambitious junior.
I, Jack Waggoner, will my honors in athletics to Donald Flahie.
I, Roy Weaver, will my position as quarterback of the Bulldogs to Boris Bolovsky.
I, Inez White, do hereby bequeath my stately height to Oscar Denny.
I, Homer Wright, will my agreeable disposition to Buck Blair.
I, Margaret White, will my chewing gum on the back of my seat in chapel to the finder.
I, Desalva Shirley and Mary Drienhoff, will our common interest in "Bat-Eye" Townsend to Mary Brooks.
I, Mammy Robinson, will my beautiful attainments to Jack Love, from Alameda.
I, Wilbur Donowho, will my ability to relate Texas history to Royce Lee.
I, Myrtle May Williams, will my ability to play basket ball to Anita Jones.
I, Marie Jones, will my raven hair and brown eyes to Joe Baker.
I, Louis Gray, will my regular attendance at school to J. L. Hamilton.
I, Elsie Hamilton, will my

John Hart In Race For Tax Assessor Eastland County

John Hart, whose name appears in the announcement column of this paper is one of the best known of Eastland county's people. He is making the race for tax assessor and asks a careful consideration of his candidacy by the voters.

Having been honored by the people of the county in the past by being elected tax collector in 1920, and that he filled the office in a manner that was a credit to himself is proven by the record he left. This can be verified by the immense savings to the taxpayers by re-checking the tax rolls and finding double renditions on the same property.

While collector, Hart instituted a notification system of sending out cards advising the taxpayer the amount of his current taxes, also a poll tax order, thereby enabling him to fill out his poll tax order and pay his taxes through the mail. While this was a small matter, yet it proved a great convenience and saving to the taxpayers, especially those that live away from the county seat and didn't want to make a trip there in person in order to pay their taxes. Especially was this true as to payment of poll tax, and many voters retained their privilege of voting by filling out one of the poll tax orders and dropping it in the mail.

Hart filled the office of tax collector so efficiently in correcting the tax rolls, thus saving huge sums to the county as well as to the taxpayers, that when his tenure of office expired Eastland county people elected him sheriff through his efficiency enabled him to make another record as a peace officer as creditable as that which he left in the collector's office in a clerical capacity.

While sheriff the most heinous murder cases in criminal annals of the county, with the possible exception of the brutal murder of Hugh Maples. These were the Shook murders and the "Santa Claus" bank robbery, also the Carbon bank robbery. It was while John Hart was sheriff that those charged with these crimes were arrested, tried and convicted, each drawing a capital sentence. While the public gives much of the credit of convicting criminals to the prosecuting attorney, yet behind the prosecutor is the sheriff's department, who is never spectacular in the part it plays in being instrumental in convictions, but his is the part to gather up the evidence on which the prosecutor bases his prosecution and the pleadings to the jury that convicts criminals and protects society in the daily walks of life. Without an efficient sheriff, your prosecutor could do but little, as he is the right bow to the district attorney in all law enforcement.

After finishing school he secured a teacher's certificate and taught school for six years, then did postal work with the Cisco postoffice.

The call of the farm lured him, and after returning to the farm he was elected tax collector. Now Hart is asking the people to elect him tax assessor. His experience, both on the farm and in the tax collector's office splendidly equips him for the office he seeks. He understands the technical features by reason of his official experience, and having been born and reared on the farm, and being engaged in farming since retirement from public office, his practical knowledge of farm life and farm values will be splendid experience in enabling him to make equitable assessments of farm and other property values. He knows values, as they were in prosperous years, and as they now exist.

But his experience will enable him to properly appraise personal and intangible values, as if you elect John Hart you are assured you will have a tax assessor who knows his duty and who has the courage to do it.

MANISTIQUE, Mich.—Shadows from a street light a quarter of a mile away are believed to have caused the illusion of "dancing skeletons" on a tombstone in the cemetery. The large stone, whose smoothly polished surface made it only one of a group to stand out at night, provided an eerie exhibition for as many as 500 witnesses. Police investigators searched the immediate vicinity and reported no practical jokes.

Candidate For Tax Assessor



John Hart, well known Eastland county citizen, who has announced his candidacy for the office of tax assessor.

The Japanese government lost \$20,000,000 on a single sale in its efforts to stabilize the price of silk, thereby proving that the nation is not 100 per cent westernizer.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

This paper is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic primary election July 23, 1932:

For Judge 88th District Court: J. B. BARKEE, BURETTE W. PATTERSON, FRANK SPARKS

For Sheriff: VIRGE FOSTER (re-election) W. A. (Kid) HAMMETT

For District Clerk: P. L. (Lewis) CROSSLEY W. H. (Bill) McDONALD

For County Clerk: W. C. BEDFORD

For Tax Collector: T. L. COOPER (Re-election, second term)

For Representative, Eastland County: J. W. COCKRILL

For County Judge: CLYDE L. GARRETT (Re-election)

For Justice Peace, Precinct 2: T. W. (Pony) HARRISON J. N. McFATTER

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: V. V. COOPER, Sr.

For Tax Assessor: JOHN HART

For Constable, Precinct No. 2: G. J. MOORE JOHN BARNES

GRIPINGS Personal

Bob Love left yesterday morning for a visit to Carlsbad, N. M., where he will visit with Mrs. Love, who is spending several weeks in New Mexico. Mrs. Ralph Arnold attended the graduation exercises of her niece and nephew, of Lueders, Texas, Friday evening. J. Haig Johnson was a Fort Worth business visitor Saturday. Miss Frankie Clearman of Abilene is the house guest of her sister, Mrs. W. F. Creager, Pershing street. Pallie B. and Grace Brumbelow of DeLeon are guests of their brother, Carl Brumbelow. They will be numbered among the group of singers in the "Hallelujah Chorus."

Mr. and Mrs. Esker Curtis have as week-end house guests Mrs. Boyce House and Miss Helen Campbell of Fort Worth. Mrs. House, formerly of Ranger, is always welcomed by a host of friends when visiting here. Mrs. House is also remembered as one of the city's most popular and prominent club members. Sidney Smith, Lone Star Co. company employe, returned yesterday from several days business visit to Brownwood. Mrs. Harvey Vaughn of Eastland and Mrs. W. H. Johnson of son, Billy, of Shamrock, were Ranger visitors Saturday. Mrs. Johnson is a sister of Mrs. Vaughn.

HARLINGEN — Jones Motor Freight Lines of this place granted permit to operate motor freight line from Mission to Rio Grande City. PEGGY SHANNON IN "HOTEL CONTINENTAL" Tiffany Productions have assembled one of the most complete casts of the year in their mystery drama of "Hotel Continental" which is now playing at the Columbia, Ranger. They have borrowed Peggy Shannon, Paramount's new girl, for the stellar role. Mrs. Shannon, while a comparative newcomer to the screen, has all the requisites of beauty, charm and real ability for stardom, aside from this is said to possess a personality equal to the original "it" girl, Clara Bow. Theodore von Eltz, suave and handsome, is a favorite of the standing with theatre audiences and his portrayal of the leading masculine role opposite Miss Shannon in "Hotel Continental" is sincere and convincing.

The Most Attractive Excursion We Have Ever Offered --- Don't Miss It

Table with columns: Tickets on Sale, Saturday, May 28th, (Return Limit June 7th), Round Trip, To Fort Worth \$2.10, Dallas 2.80, El Paso 9.50. Includes text: Good in Coaches and Sleeping cars, Good on all trains—half rate for children, The World's Finest Transportation at the Lowest Fares in History.

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CLARKE'S RADIATOR & BODY WORKS 207 South Rusk Street RANGER Phone 211

Advertisement for 'MAKING DREAMS MORE PLEASANT' featuring an illustration of a woman and child. Text: When a woman dreams of her baby, in these days of advanced obstetrical knowledge and practice, there is not the same fear present in her mind that women have always had to bear. Pre-natal care and attention by the Doctor, fits the mother physically for her ordeal. Proper diet and supervised exercise and recreation insure the health of the child. When the baby arrives under expert guidance, in hygienic surroundings, with every scientific aid to allay pain and temper the danger, the mother's dreams are more pleasant—to say nothing of the fears of the father—and the welfare of the baby.

RANGER Church Notes

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Walnut and Marston streets.
G. W. Thomas, pastor.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Regular preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH
H. H. Stephens, pastor.
9:45 a. m., Sunday school, T. J. Anderson, superintendent. Teaching and officers on time at 9:30.
ON TIME.

Monday
9:45 p. m., Ladies will meet in circles taking the second chapter of our new mission book, "The Gospel Among the Red Men."

Wednesday
8:00 p. m., Prayer service. Last Wednesday we had a great crowd and a splendid spiritual service. Come praying for the power of the Holy Spirit to be upon us.

ST. RITA'S CHURCH
May 22nd, 1932.
Masses today will be at 7 and 9 a. m. by Rev. M. Collins.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
H. B. Johnson, pastor.
Sunday school, 10 a. m., H. S. Van Roder, superintendent.
Golden Rule Bible class, taught by Mr. Holloway. This class is in the midst of a sure enough contest, and it would be refreshing to someone to see the boys work.

METHODIST CHURCH
Gid J. Bryan, pastor.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., Walter Harwell, supt.
Preaching by pastor, 11 a. m. Epworth League, 7:30 p. m. Commencement sermon, a community service, 8 p. m.

FAIRMERSVILLE—East Collins county dairy and poultry show held here recently.

LODGE NOTICES
ATTENTION MASONS—Called meeting Ranger Lodge No. 738, A. F. & A. M., Tuesday, May 24, 8 p. m., Washington—bicentennial meeting. Refreshments.

SPECIAL NOTICES
PROQUIGNOLE WAVES \$3; two for \$5. Other waves, including combination waves, Mrs. J. Wright, 315 Pine, Phone 34, Ranger.

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous
FOR SALE—Blackberries and strawberries; priced right. Jack Taylor, Eastland Hill, Ranger.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—R. C. A. electric radio for good milk cow. Highway Garage, Eastland, phone 11.

The Newfangles (Mon 'n' Pop)

By Cowan



HERE--- AND THERE

Society Editor Eastland Telegram

The Little Theatre movement has swept the country, and with good cause, for through the study of classics and plays an informal way of teaching the public, in both cultural and elemental fashion, is pleasantly presented, not to speak of the artistic success that satisfies the Little Theater group.

An editorial in the Dallas News comments on the unusual recognition accorded Little Theater groups which bring honors to the city, admittedly important, and also proof that dramatic art can be developed on a high plane by home folks. Like smaller towns, the larger cities are embarrassed by lack of sustaining membership. In some cities the chamber of commerce allots itself this task of securing this support.

The Little Theater was organized in Eastland by H. E. Randolph, manager of the Western Union, upon his arrival last year. For several months charter members paid a goodly membership fee, and the original list was stimulated to success in the undertaking. Three productions have been given to date, each of which has drawn a crowded house.

To date, the houses have defrayed the expenses of the Little Theater. There are no dues now assessed against the members, though the membership list is open to those of dramatic talent, who are not as yet listed. The meetings are subject to the call of president of group. It has been difficult to secure proper places for rehearsals, the last play however, held rehearsals most pleasantly in the then vacant Charlotte hotel building. The Little Theater is consid-

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



ing a permanent place for rehearsals, in fact, a Little Theater home. Surely no more worthy project could be presented Eastland nor one that would bring her more recognition and publicity with less or no cost to the city. It would be a delightful thing, if the Business Mens association and the Chamber of Commerce would see fit to back the Little Theater group with prestige and influence.

The charter membership lists: Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Freyschlag, Loftin Witcher, Oscar Hudson,

Bring Us Your Old Shoes!

There are many people who need shoes... Many children nearly barefoot... Many shoes will be needed for the poor this Fall. We'll act as Old Shoe Depot, where you can deposit your surplus shoes from Spring house-cleaning. 25c per pair allowed on purchase of \$1 or more! However, it's not necessary to make a purchase if you have surplus shoes to give to the poor. Bring them here and we will put them in the hands of the Child Welfare Club.

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the MAN HUNTERS BY MABEL McELLIOTT



ed pride of the girl surged to the surface. She stood up proudly and menacingly. She said in a voice that trembled, "I think you'd better go before I say something I'll regret. After all, you are Bob's father."

"Don't be afraid," she said bitterly. "I shan't do any harm to you or Susan." The man, a power in the downtown world of affairs, departed feeling somehow humiliated and routed.

Susan fought a battle with herself that morning. Bob was to come at eight and through alternate chills and fevers she tried to make up her mind what to say to him when he arrived. She had explained to Aunt Jessie what had remained singularly unmoved by the news of the girl's change of plan that the caller had been Bob's father. Aunt Jessie had tactfully refrained from asking questions.

"I'm going for a walk," Susan told her abruptly a few minutes later. Scarcely conscious of the direction she was taking, she boarded a street car headed for the business district. She must do something. She must keep active. She stopped at a drug store telephone booth and called Ray Flannery.

"Well, stranger, where have you been 'peeping yourself?' Ray demanded. "I've missed you like the dick."

"Can you have lunch with me?" Susan asked. Ray agreed with enthusiasm. Half an hour later, in the square, white-topped table in a shop Ray stared at Susan with frank interest.

"Get into money or something?" she wanted to know. Susan tried to explain. Her aunt had been ill, she said vaguely, and she had been needed at home. Ray seemed satisfied with this answer.

"Say, the new girl in Heath's office sure is a lemon," Ray continued. "She looks like something the cat dragged in."

RAY'S doll-face with its fringed, unscarred lashes and its soft of yellow curling hair looked so believably childlike. The words which issued from those painted lips, however, were unmistakably adult.

"What do you think—I mean what would you do if you were going to marry a person and someone told you you'd be spoiling his life by doing it?" she floundered.

Ray's shrewd eyes searched her face. "What are you talking about? I don't get you."

Susan began to outline little squares and triangles on the table's gleaming surface with her spoon. "It's this way," she said. "I'm engaged—it's a secret and you mustn't tell anyone—to a boy whose family is frightfully rich. His father is going to cut him off with a cent if he insists on marrying me."

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823 Is Exact Number In Picture. The number of persons in the "crowd photograph" published Friday by this paper was 823. A number of readers, with sharp eyes, achieved the proper count and have been mailed a ticket to see Fannie Hurst's "Symphony Of Six Million," starring Irene Dunne and Ricardo Cortez, and which opens today at the Arcadia theatre.

Imagine That, Ye 'Sisters of the Skillet'. Six different kinds of food, without flavor blending, without a drop of water, under the same cover in 12 minutes on one low burner. A beef stew in only 12 minutes without a drop of water. Pork and beans in 45 minutes without soaking. A three-year-old rooster in 55 minutes, so that it will all but fall off the bones. BEGINNING MONDAY AND EVERY DAY THIS WEEK AT 3 P. M. The relatively new science of cooking under steam pressure will be demonstrated by H. D. Devitt, nationally known demonstrator. You are cordially invited to attend these demonstrations and sample the foods cooked. ROAST CHICKEN FREE Every Day At the 3 p. m. Demonstration Four Big Features of the Pressure Cooker: —Saves natural flavor and values of food —Saves two-thirds of the fuel —Saves two-thirds of your time in the kitchen —Stops meat and vegetable shrinkage Recommended by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Good House-keeping Institute, Home Economics Departments of our Colleges, Doctors and Dieticians. Makes canning a pleasure. MONTGOMERY WARD & CO. 407-09 Main St. Ranger, Texas Phone 447

NDAY, MAY 22, 1932

Rev. Geo. W. Shearer to Deliver Eastland Commencement Sermon

Scene From "Lety Lynton" at Lyric Today

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Recapitulation sermon tonight, Sunday, 8 o'clock. Methodist church.

BAPTIST W. M. S. —
 Circle 1—Mrs. John Norton, hostess; Mrs. Frank Lovett, chair.

Circle 2—Mr. John Williams, hostess; Mrs. W. J. Young, chair.

Circle 3—Mrs. Claude Mays, hostess; Mrs. W. J. Young, chair.

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In this handkerchief were tied two keepsakes of great value to owner. The value is small but it is a priceless keepsake to a child. The finder will instantly recognize this and will be anxious to return to the owner. The value is small but it is a priceless keepsake to a child.

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Finder please communicate with

Wash Tubbs



REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.



COMIC SCRAP BOOK

ONCE more Wash Tubbs steps out in some dandy clothes. And he thinks he's dressed up plenty good enough to step into your comic scrapbook. Also, he promises to keep right on entertaining you on this page each week. Watch for more sketches of comic characters.

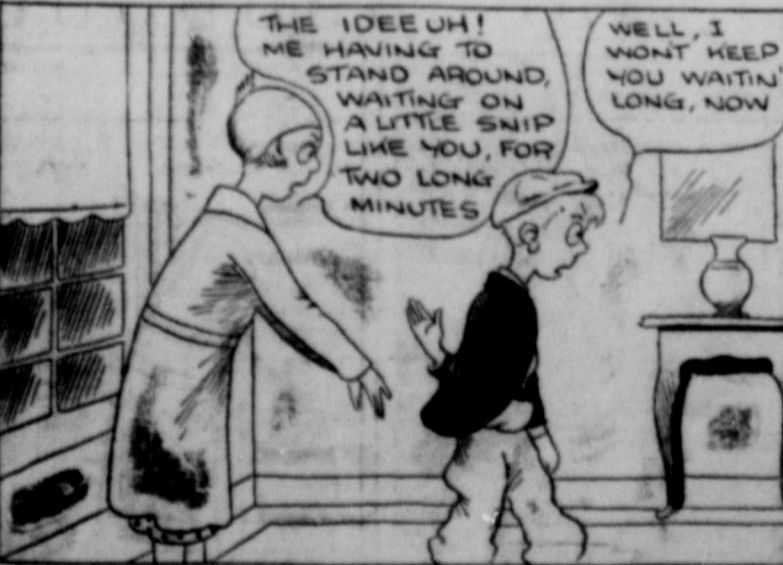
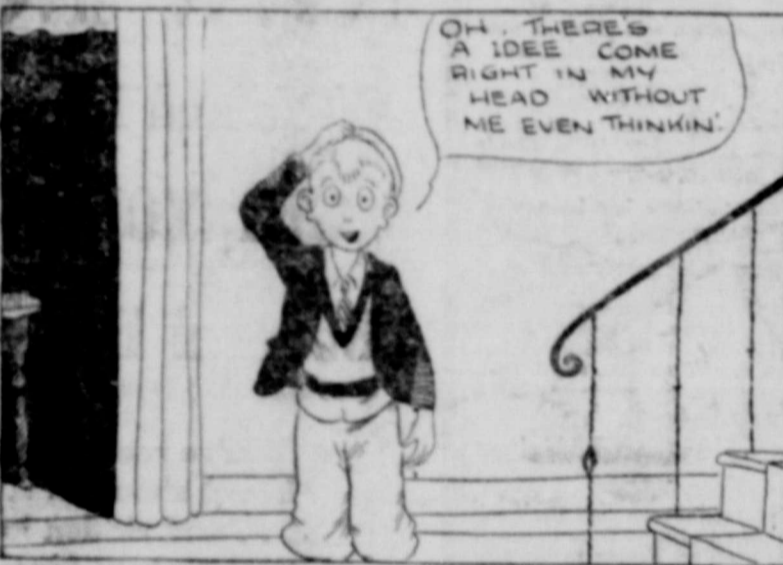
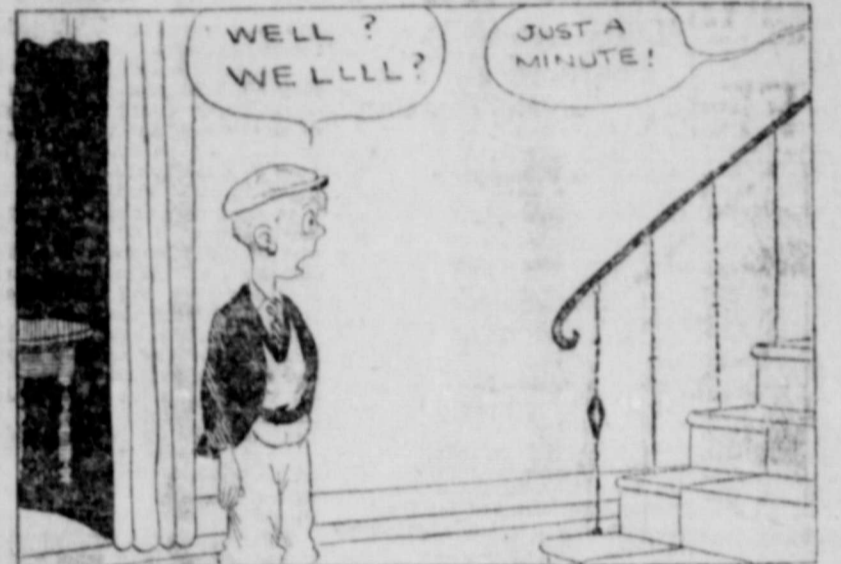


THREE cheers for Wash! He's all tugged out in tummy clothes galore. He got this suit when he was in a crazy foreign war.

THE WILLETS

Out Our-Way

By Williams



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JR WILLIAMS 5-22



POP!



THERE! MY OLD SHOES, TO BE FIXED. I'LL PUT THEM HERE BY THE DOOR WHERE I WON'T FORGET THEM



I'M GOING RIGHT NOW AND HAVE IT DONE WITH—



POP! FOREVER IS MORE!! ARE YOU DOING? THIS RADIO IS DRIVING ME CUCKY THE WAY IT SOUEAKS!!



TEST THESE WILL YA?



BUT DINNER IS ALMOST READY—



SHOES! BOY! NO WONDER YOUR SET HAD A SOUEAK IN IT!!

BY KING COLLIER
REG. U.S. PAT. OFF.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Blosser



I CAN'T PASS UP A SWELL DAY LIKE THIS WITHOUT GOIN' FISHIN'... HOSIR!!



ALL TO MYSELF... NOBODY TO TALK OR MAKE NOISE... BOY! I OUGHTA CATCH A LOT OF FISH!!



HUH, OSSIE! FISHIN' I SEE... KEECHIN' ANYTHING?



Y'KNOW, I'M NOT MARTIN' MY TIME BY FISHIN'... I'M GONNA BE A GEOLOGIST AN' LOOK FOR GOLD, OR OIL... OR ANYTHING = NEBBS THERE'S GOLD RIGHT HERE IN THIS POND!



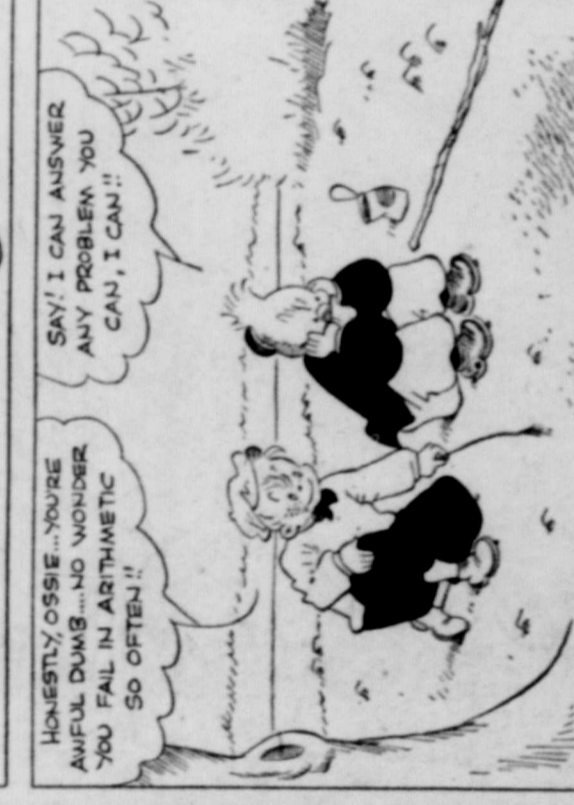
I GUESS YOU DON'T CARE WHETHER I FIND GOLD OR NOT, HUH? SEE... YOU'RE AN AWFUL SOCIABLE T'DAY, OSSIE!



BETCHA YOU DON'T EVEN KNOW WHAT GEOLOGY IS, DO YOU?



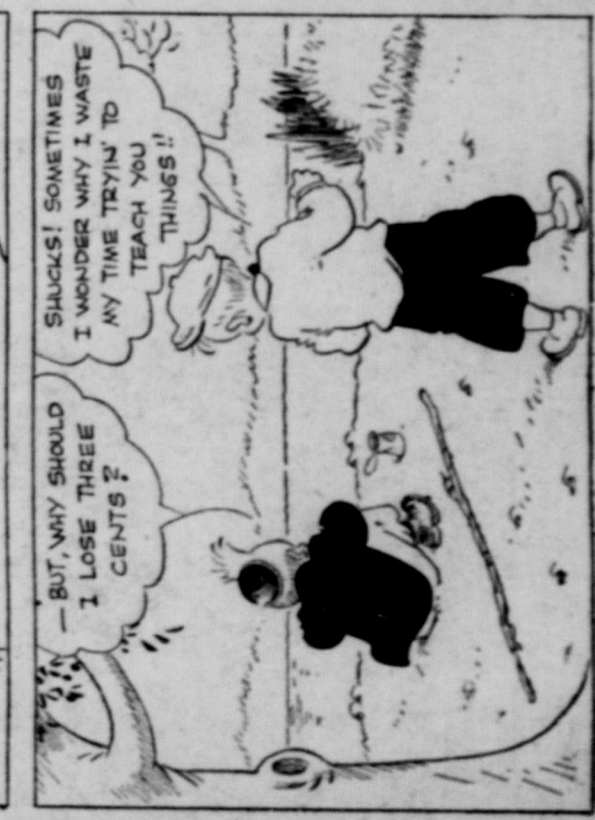
WELL, THEN, TELL ME WHAT YOU KNOW ABOUT ALABASTER!



HONESTLY, OSSIE... YOU'RE AN AWFUL DUMB... NO WONDER YOU FAIL IN ARITHMETIC SO OFTEN!!



ALL RIGHT! IF YOU HAD EIGHT CENTS AN' LOST THREE, HOW MUCH WOULD YOU HAVE LEFT?



SHUCKS! SOMETIMES I WONDER WHY I WASTE MY TIME TRYIN' TO TEACH YOU THINGS!!



I CAN'T BE FOOLIN' WITH YOU... SO LONG!!



HE THINKS I'M DUMB... WELL, LET HIM THINK IT... I'M SMART ENOUGH TO GET RID OF HIM!! NOW I CAN FISH, LIKE I STARTED OUT DOIN'!!

REG. U.S. PAT. OFF. 5-21



Society

Mrs. Bray Is Awarded Prize At Tacky Party.

Mrs. Owen Bray, was voted and awarded the tackiest garbed member present, when Mrs. T. D. Shaffer, entertained the Ruth class of the Central Baptist church last week with a tacky party given at her home.

Game prize went to Mrs. Barney. A gay afternoon was spent in a setting of colorful profusion afforded through the floral decorations of mixed summer garden flowers.

Ice cream cones were passed as refreshments to Meses. O. S. Driskill, Clyde H. Davis, T. D. Collins, Don Neville, E. C. Kirby, Owen Bray, Barney, and O. S. Parkwood, and class president, Mrs. C. C. Cash.

1920 Club Breakfast Proves Smart Affair With Eastland Ladies Honorary Guests.

To the spring calendar of parties, luncheons, dances, and other gala affairs, previously announced several others have been added of special interest.

Paramount in this month's round of gaiety came when 1920 Club entertained with a combined essay program and smart 9:30 o'clock breakfast at Acorn Acres tearoom, Strawn highway, Thursday.

To emphasize the brilliancy of the function artistic touches were given in the gorgeous floral setting, fashioned in the correct manner.

The spring blossoms were primarily of sweetpeas, larkspur, and roses, embedded with runners of greenery.

The program which fitted into the hour so appropriately was presented through the arrangement of Mrs. R. L. Hodges.

These essays were all original and given by members exclusively. The dining table from which the breakfast was served was prettily appointed with a mixed bouquet, its beauty more impressively expressed by other accessories and table service.

During the rendition of the program, pleasant interruptions were made when the out-going president, Mrs. A. H. Allison, who has served in a highly commendable manner gave a well received talk. Another talk followed serving as a response heard from the in-coming president, Mrs. Barney Carter.

To each of these ladies lovely essays were presented, a fitting token never to be excelled.

Places were marked at this function drawing to a close the study season for the club for 41 members and honorary guests: Mrs. Oscar Chastain, Mrs. Jim McLaughlin and Mrs. J. M. Perkins, president of the Eastland County Federation, all of Eastland.

The Junior College Seniors Bid Adieu

By LEO HEALER

Two years ago we entered this now cherished building. A dubious mist was then permeating our intellects, and the instinct of curiosity was strongly stimulated by our new environment. We had come directly from various high schools where we had been accustomed to lenient measures and dilatory efforts. The majority of our class was still in the adolescent stage of life. Most of our minds and reasoning powers were enveloped in a coma of uncertainty. But a novel cinema was to move before us in reality. By means of our own initiative we were to fail or succeed. At first the gap between the high school and college was difficult to span, but as the raft of life floats down the river of time, the veil of uncertainty and doubt is slowly but steadily lifting itself as we advance from adolescence to maturity. We have learned to conquer the thought-provoking courses that the curriculum has deemed necessary for our best education, and we have succeeded in overcoming fear and dubious expression with calm and certainty, as the years unfold themselves, we see their effects on us. Doubt has been impeached by self-confidence and reliance; indifference by ambition and lofty expectations, and a desire to learn dominates our intellectual faculty. We have begun to visualize life with the power of seeing, and reasoning, and solving physiological and psychological forces have contributed their part in making us the men and women that the world shall esteem and welcome with a candid pleasure. Our powers of authentic meditation have become finer and surer, and we are commencing to visualize the phenomena of life on the sunny side.

We, like thousands of other students and denizens of our native and other lands, have been compelled to necessarily abandon certain privileges and customs that leave a wee pang of regret in our hearts because we must do so. Our sun of happy existence has been partly covered by dark, gloomy clouds of economic reverses, but we have borne the punishment with a cheerful mien and with the spirit of a Red Cross Knight. For the past three or four years the sea of life has been tossed by the waves of the worst tempest of economic depression known to history. Nevertheless, we have boarded the good ship Faith; steered by the pilot Confidence, and if we just trust to our ship and crew and keep our noses to the grindstone of Education, we will eventually sail out of the seething waters into a sea of calm and restored prosperity.

We have had to sacrifice our school annual—a book that has always caused the pride of every student to expand to the nth degree. Some day in the mysterious future, when we are aged and decrepit, we will long for the reminiscence of our youthful days. But the logical thing to do was to abolish the annual, so we willingly sub-

mitted, because it was not our wish to place a further burden on the shoulders of our business men and citizens.

We have reduced our entertainments and recreations to a minimum. We have had few dances. We have omitted the major portion of the banquets, the fetes, the carnivals, and the gatherings of gay revelry which graced our predecessors. We have eradicated the lavish vesture of our class day and commencement night, and have cast our best effort toward making possible an agreeable environment for all. We have carried a chip of optimism on our shoulders, and have endeavored to make work comfortable and happy for our teachers and colleagues. We have learned that a laugh is better than a thousand groans, and that one word of kindness is more valuable than a ton of melancholy.

In spite of all obstacles our time has been advantageously spent, and our efforts have been happily rewarded. Confucius said, "What weighs on your father and mother is concern for your health." We have heeded the words of this ancient sage and strived throughout our education to lighten the burdens and make the way cheery for them. We have placed our trust in the philosophical poem that says:

"When the sun of joy is hidden
And a storm can never last,
Just remember light is coming,
And a storm can never last."
The seniors of Ranger Junior College wish to extend a trigonal appreciation to our teachers, parents, and to the denizens of Ranger. We especially desire to thank the Board of Education for its sagacious choice of such an assembly of teachers. In our opinion, each is a master in his respective work, and it is because of their feasible and relevant instruction that we wish to drink a deeper draught from the elixir of Education. When the tom-toms of Learning are calling forth its scholarly warriors to battle, we will always visualize you as being the viceregenta that issue the calls, you have vacillated us with a serum of veracious wisdom that will never take its egress from our minds. Your exhortations have ever been plenary and sterling and never plexiform. Your words have always been straightforward and straight-spoken and your instructions versatile and sagacious. We will never ostracize you from our memory, and a painful trauma lies in our hearts because we must take our leave. Regardless of our future instructors, you will always occupy a place in the clandestine recesses of our memory. As a result of your scrupulous conceptions of knowledge, we can cross our Babylon with quiescence and assuredness.

To the citizens and business men we are indeed grateful for the sacrifice that they have rendered. It is largely through them that our education thus far has been possible, and we extend our humble gratuity to them, and we hope to

reward them by making aggressive citizens and mentally and morally pure Americans. We go in quest of a higher education, and we wish to vociferate in extremely authentic expressions that we thank every individual who has made the milestones of education possible thus far.

Tom Love Not To Attend Convention

By United Press

DALLAS, May 21.—Tom Love, ultra-dry leader, and 1928 bolter of the democratic party, does not intend to attend the Houston convention, he said today.

"I don't suppose I'll go to Houston. I wasn't chosen as a delegate from anywhere," he said.



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Mrs. Alice True To Attend Convention

Mrs. Alice D. True, secretary of the Retail Merchants Association of Ranger, will attend the joint convention of the Association of Retail Credit Men of Texas, The Retail Merchants Association of Texas and the Texas Retail Credit Bureau, to be held in Mineral Wells on May 23, 24 and 25. True is treasurer of the latter organization. All members of local retail merchants associations are invited to be present at the convention.

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Mrs. McCarthy: "Well, I'll admit I enjoy 'visiting' on the telephone. I can keep in touch with folks I don't get to see very often. And the telephone does save a world of trips to the grocery, the drug store, the cleaners and the like. What if we should need the doctor... or the police... or the fire department?"

We're glad to find the telephone is something each of the McCarthy's uses... that it gives so much pleasure... is depended on in emergencies. Perhaps you do not have a telephone at home. If not, we really believe you're missing something. If you're interested, call the business office.

WORLD'S FAIR days in St. Louis... 28 years ago!

Remember the crowds along the Pike... the mace of palaces and colonnades... Igorrotes and whiskered Ainus... Parisian beauties and Geisha girls... exciting sham battles of the Boer War... brilliant beauty of the Cascades at night...

We hope you don't remember too clearly long distance telephone calls of those days. For there have been amazing improvements. Compare, for instance, a long distance call in 1904 with the "1932 model":

Clearness
In 1904... You often had to shout, sometimes could hardly hear at all.
In 1932... You speak in ordinary tones. People say "I can hear you as clearly as though you were in the next room."

Speed
In 1904... Ten to fifteen minutes was considered excellent time for a call to "go through." Delays of an hour or more were not uncommon.
In 1932... Connections are made while you hold the line, on nine out of ten calls.

Distance
In 1904... Most calls were to neighboring towns. About 1,000 miles was the maximum distance you could call.
In 1932... You can, if you wish, call 92% of the world's telephones. San Francisco, Chicago, Boston, Miami, New Orleans... are as near by telephone as a town ten miles away.

If you haven't been a user of long distance, we hope you'll try a call. You'll be surprised how easy it is and how pleasant. The cost, we wager, will be less than you think, especially if you call "station-to-station" after 8:30 p.m. Miss Long Distance will be glad to quote rates. For instance, such a call to St. Louis costs... \$1.40

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