

ARMISTICES SIGNED IN CHINESE-JAPAN WAR

GRIPINGS By GUS This column is published as a daily feature and may not be construed as representing the editorial views of this paper.

Arrangements have been made for a benefit show to be given at the Lyric Theatre in Eastland next Thursday night.

In looking over the bills allowed by the county commissioners court at the January term of court, I see where a Fort Worth printing firm was allowed something like \$125 for stationery.

What's all this hooey about the newspapers paying taxes? If it's anything to brag about, this company slipped the public till a nice piece of money here this week.

The pressure brought to bear on the county purchasing department to see that all printing establishments in the county get a square deal must be enormous.

"Me, too! Me, too!" Egad, I've heard that cry on the part of printers and newspapers ever since I started peddling papers on the streets of the old home town.

Only a short time ago we were all joining hands around to cuss the public utilities. Then along comes a farmer's short course.

Now I don't know that it was any more their place to give the cash prizes than it was mine.

Maybe you didn't know it, but this Ruth Ramey actually goes out into the farming community and does the work of canning beaves and pork and vegetables.

And this J. C. Patterson actually goes out with his transit level and helps the farmer terrace his land, shows his neighbors how it's done and is a real help to the tiller of the soil.

Then somebody wanted to sell some farm tools. And they come in here and put all to work to get them a crowd to talk to.

And won't it be a great two days for the candidates?

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TONY TREVILLE (above), hostess in a New York dance hall, resented the "high hat" manner of Ellen Rossiter, another hostess, and immediately there was trouble.

GUARDS ARE WATCHING TORTURERS

Joint Banquet Considered Best Ever Held In City of Ranger; Molyneux and Coombes Speak

A total of 198 people from over this section of the country were present at the Retail Merchants' Chamber of Commerce banquet held at the Elks lodge, Ranger, Thursday night and heard one of the best banquet programs ever rendered in this section.

The crowd gathered in the ante-room to the dining room, where friends from over Eastland, Stephens and Palo Pinto counties mingled and talked prior to the beginning of the banquet.

H. C. "Andy" Anderson, acting as toastmaster, called on J. E. Moneoy, who led the assembled guests in singing the verses of "America," followed by an invocation by Rev. M. Collins.

The toastmaster introduced a host of distinguished visitors, after which he called on Mayor John Thurman for an address of welcome.

The mayor said that he was like the lead-off man on a baseball team, that he was called on to make a few remarks while the dispensers of oratory, who would follow, were getting up their nerve to address the gathering.

C. B. Pruett, president of the Retail Merchants' association, made a few remarks in which he told of the splendid organization to be found in the city.

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Montgomery Winn, attorney for the defense, who already had accused Judge A. M. Christy of coercing the jury, amended his motion for quashing the indictments to include charges that the foreman of the jury refused to report "no true bill" against the defendants as the jury had instructed him.

Mexican Announces Censorship Today

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 29.—A rigid censorship over all public communications was enforced today "to prevent circulation of news which might excite the clerical sentiment."

Ranger Men Are Indicted in Stephens County

The Stephens county grand jury has indicted two Ranger men, according to reports from Breckenridge, where the jury has just recessed, and one indictment was returned against Lee Jackson, alleged to have attempted to set fire to a building occupied by Hasen company at Breckenridge.

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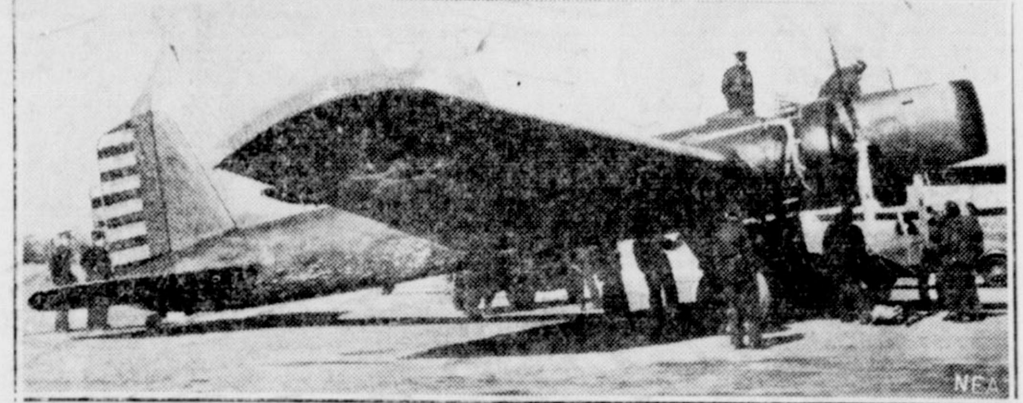
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TON OF BOMBS IS CARRIED ON THIS GIANT PLANE AT 190 MILES AN HOUR



Canals of carrying a ton of bombs and a crew of four, at 190 miles an hour, the newly built Boeing bomber is shown above as it arrived at Rolling Field, Washington.

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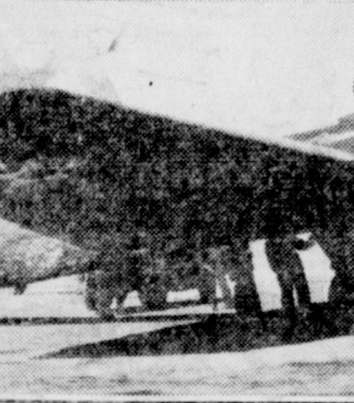
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Fifth Sunday Young People's Conference To Be Held Sunday

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Afternoon Program. Miss Janet Holmes, presiding. "Onward Christian Soldiers," 3 p. m.—Devotional, led by Seaborn Collins. Music by Ranger Glee club, the Melody Maids, and the Breckenridge Young People's choir.

3:30 p. m.—"Loyalty to Christ and the Church," Gordon Weir. Violin solo, Miss Julianna Connolly.

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Third Sunday Young People's Conference To Be Held Sunday

The following program has been announced for the third Sunday young people's conference in the eastern district, Presbytery of Abilene, to be held at the First Presbyterian church of Ranger on Sunday, Jan. 23:

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The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)



By Cowan



THREE KINDS OF LOVE



Ann and Cecily Fenwick have for years supported themselves, their younger sister, Mary-Frances, and their grandparents, known as "Rosalia" and "Grand." Because of this financial responsibility, Ann, who is 23, is unable to marry Phil Ecroyd, young lawyer to whom she has been engaged for eight years. Cecily, 22, loves Barry McKee, an engineer, but when he proposes she refuses to name their wedding date for the same reason.

Mary-Frances, 15, and still in school, believes herself in love with Earl De Armount, vaudeville actor whom she has met without the knowledge of her sisters. He urges her to leave home and become his stage partner.

Ann and Phil quarrel when she hears Letty King, who works in Phil's office building, address him with endearments. Ann tries to forget Phil by going about with Kenneth Smith, rich and attentive, but when Smith asks her to marry him she refuses.

Mary-Frances agrees to go away with De Armount. They set out in his car. The same day Cecily quarrels with her grandfather. She comes home with new ideas that she and Barry are to be married that evening. Ann discovers Mary-Frances is missing, learns she has eloped with De Armount. Immediately a search is begun. Phil Ecroyd comes to help. Ann is nearly frantic until a telephone call comes from Mary-Frances.

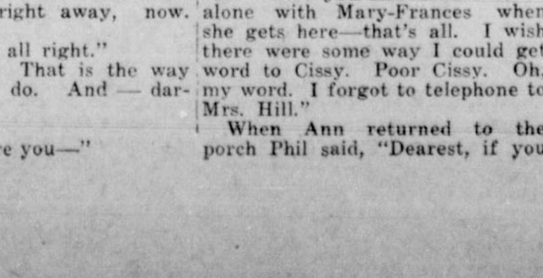
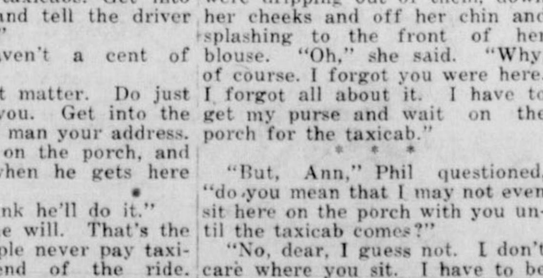
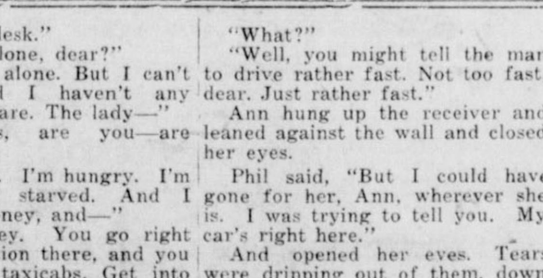
CHAPTER XLV "Yes, darling. Where are you?" "I'm down here at the Union Station. I haven't any money for carfare nor anything. The lady here is letting me use the telephone on her desk."

"What?" "Well, you might tell the man to drive rather fast. Not too fast, walk home, and I haven't any money for carfare. The lady—" Mary-Frances, are you—are you all right?"

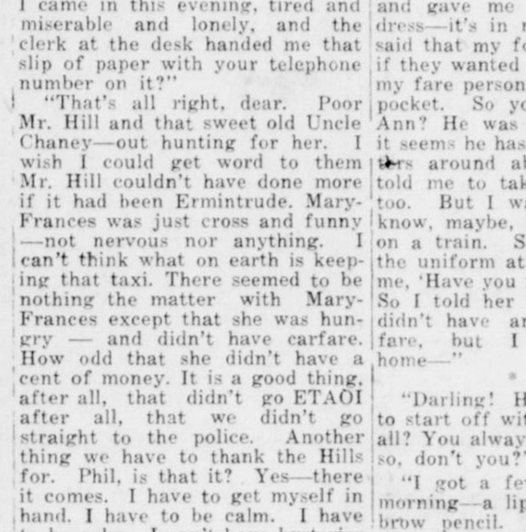
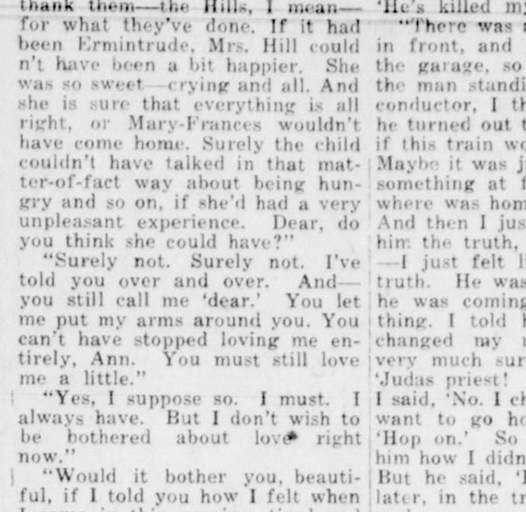
"No, I'm not. I'm hungry. I'm just naturally starved. And I haven't any money, and—" "Listen, honey. You go right outside the station there, and you will see some taxicabs. Get into one of them, and tell the driver your address—" "Ann, I haven't a cent of money—" "That doesn't matter. Do just as sister tells you. Get into the cab and tell the man your address. I'll be waiting on the porch, and I'll pay him when he gets here with you."

"I hardly think he'll do it." "Of course he will. That's the way to do. People never pay taxicabs until the end of the ride. You do that, right away, now. Will you?" "Yes, if it is all right." "It is, dear. That is the way people always do. And—darling—" "What?" "Are you—are you—"

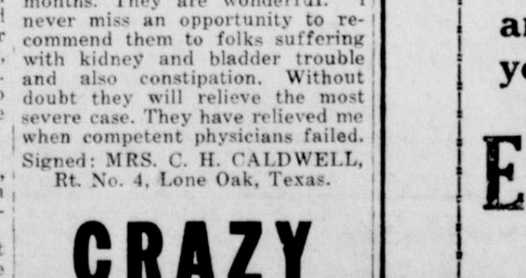
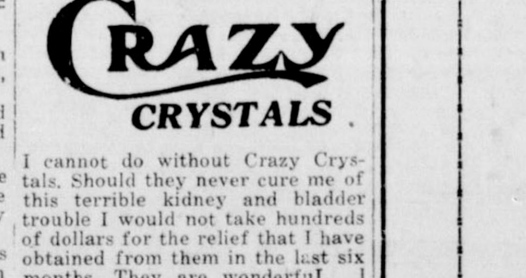
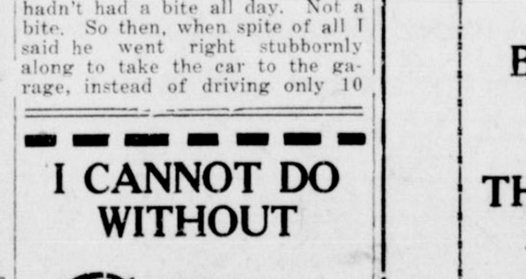
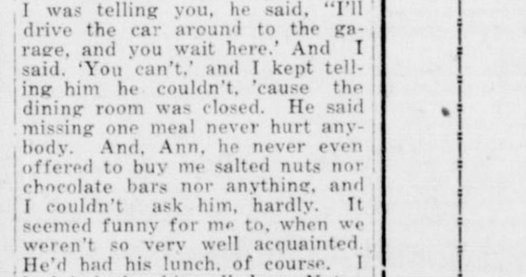
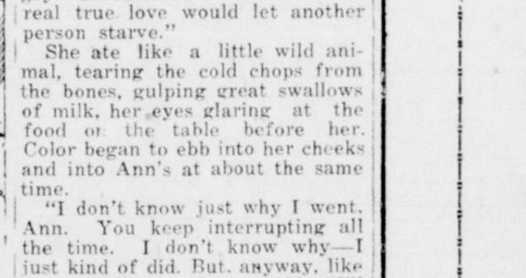
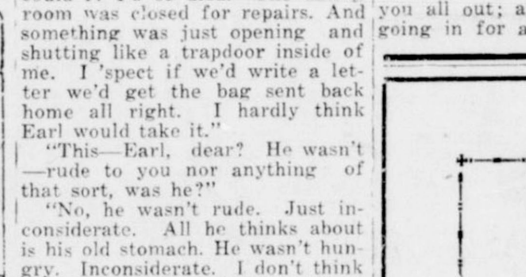
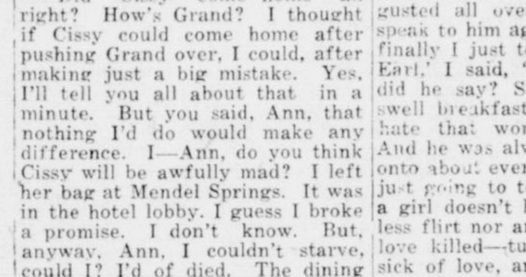
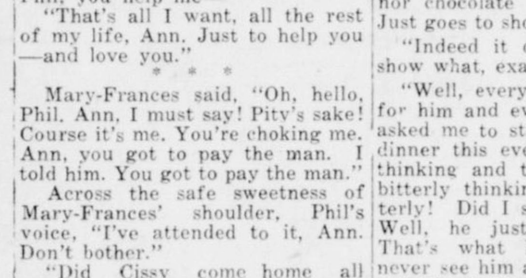
FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



By Blosser



BABY FRETFUL, RESTLESS?



Bill Dorsey Will Open a Cafe In Ranger Saturday

According to an announcement made today by Bill Dorsey, manager of the New Paramount hotel, Ranger, he will open a cafe on North Austin street Saturday morning.

Mr. Dorsey says that he will specialize in home-cooked meals and has adopted the slogan, "Better Kats for Less Money."

Mrs. May Singleton, who has had years of experience in the cafe business, will be in charge of the kitchen. Special meals will be prepared as well as special dishes. A modern lunch counter will be maintained as well as tables for ladies.

CHICAGO—A one-reel talking picture of work among the negroes, entitled "Our Neighbors," has just been completed by the United Charities. It records social service and rehabilitation work. Professional actors portray the main characters. The support of practically all other welfare organizations in the city was enlisted during its filming.

COTTONWOOD FALLS, Kan. Many signs of spring have been reported here—and it's really mid-winter. Oscar Altemus, farmer, said he heard frogs croaking in his pasture, which he said is a "sure sign." Another farmer reported he saw a snake crawling on the ground.

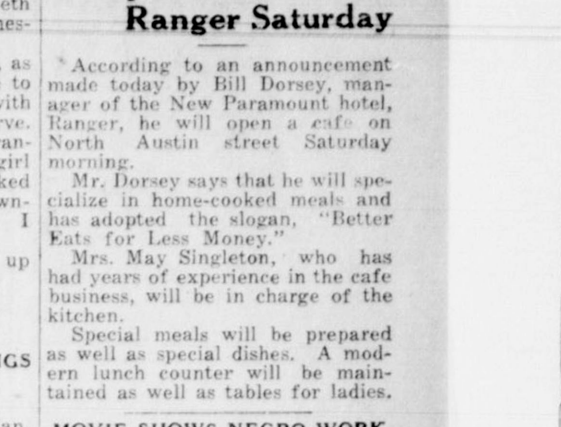
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