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World War Ace and Liquor Plane Are Held

RIPINGS

By GUS
column is published as a daily feature...

Here's Olympic Games Hostess



Olympic athletes are packing tuxedos in their bags...

BACK TO FARM MOVEMENT IS RELIEF PLAN

AUSTIN—A back-to-the-farm movement, supported by federal funds...

Mr. "X" Makes a Dress



In the above picture Mr. "X" is seen putting the finishing touches on a dress he made for a lady...

FIREMEN PUT OUT BLAZE IN RECORD TIME

Fire which broke out in the Joseph Dry Goods store of Ranger shortly after closing time...

FLIERS PLAN TOKIO FLIGHT FROM SEATTLE

DALLAS, May 26.—Harold Bromley, commercial flier, today planned two lengthy test flights...

CUSTOMS MEN PURSUE SHIP FROM BORDER

Says He Just Took A Sporting Chance With Load.

LUXURY TAX IS RESTORED BY THE SENATE

WASHINGTON, May 26.—Yielding to the demands of a minor revolt, the senate finance committee today restored to the one billion dollar revenue bill...

River Crest Golf Tourney to Open On First of June

FORT WORTH.—Invitations have been sent to more than 200 leading golfers of the southwest for the thirteenth annual River Crest Country club invitation tournament...

Mr. "X" to Bake Biscuits, Model Dress, Be Detective, And Tell Fortunes In An Effort To Make Good All His Promises

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WALKER TELLS OF HIS STOCK MARKET DEAL

NEW YORK, May 26.—Mayor James J. Walker admitting he had profited almost \$300,000 in stock market pools through the goodness of his friends...

Nomination of Officers Held By Ranger Lions

Officers of the Ranger Lions club for the coming year were nominated at the regular meeting held today at noon...

Three Held In Theft of Trousers

Three men were being held in the Ranger city jail today for investigation in connection with the theft of a pair of pants from the Starn Dry Goods store.

Grand Jury Has J. H. Curtis Case

HOPEWELL, N. J., May 26.—The Hunterdon county grand jury today considered the case against John Hughes Curtis...

Body of Boy Is Found In River

FORT WORTH, May 26.—Rescue workers discovered the body of Albert Dennis, 10, early today, several hours after he drowned...

STOCK MARKET TODAY

Table with columns: Closing, Selected, New York, etc. Lists various stock prices.

Amelia Earhart Shatters Traditions

LONDON, May 26.—Amelia Earhart Putnam, first woman to fly the Atlantic alone, is shattering two British traditions...

Akron To Return To Eastern Base

SUNNYVALE, Calif., May 26.—The naval dirigible Akron will start its return flight Lakehurst, N. J., Monday, May 30...

Mrs. Darden Will Remain In Race

HOUSTON, May 26.—Mrs. Ida M. Dardene, Fort Worth candidate for congresswoman-at-large, will file for place number one...

Pipkin Brothers Visit In Ranger

Jess and Grady Pipkin, owners and operators of Piggy Wiggy stores in Eastland, Ranger, Breckenridge and Graham, were business visitors in Ranger today.

D. E. Pulley Has Downtown Office

D. E. Pulley, agent for the Morris Plan bank of Fort Worth, has opened an office in the building at 209 Main street, Ranger.

QUADRUPE TULIP GROWN

BETTENDORF, Ia.—Clarence P. Brown raised a quadruple tulip in his garden this year. The flower had four blossoms on one stalk.

WEATHER

West Texas.—Partly cloudy. Cooler in east-central portion tonight. Friday partly cloudy with a few local thunder showers.

PLAN CROP SALVAGE

THE DALLES, Ore.—All surplus fruit and vegetables grown in this district will be salvaged this year by Wasco county relief agencies for relief purposes.

Qualifying For Ranger Tourney Starts Friday

Qualifying rounds for the local golfers in the second annual invitation golf tournament of the Ranger Country club end this afternoon with qualifying rounds for the visiting golfers starting on Friday morning.

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Island Is Over Women

by NEA Service.

MADEIRA, O.—The south group of its Confederate soldiers, buried in Johnson cemetery at the entrance of the island, into the keeping of the federal government.

The island hotel room was the scene of the transfer when Mrs. McGraw, Paris, Ky., of the Cincinnati chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, led to the island cemetery to Captain T. J. McGrath, O., representing the federal government.

The transfer was, as some have called it, the "surrender of the north," the little island at the ceremony found in the fact that McGrath, a southerner, Descendant of Confederate soldiers, he was reared in Augusta, Ga.

Miss Well, Mrs. S. Allen and Mrs. Charles Fisher, driving members of the first chapter, witnessed the ceremony.

Ohio Prison Camp.—The island, most isolated of lying off the mainland at Sandusky, O., was used as a camp for officers of the army during the Civil War. At that time there were more than 600 Confederate prisoners there. There, now, the bodies of 604 Confederate soldiers who died on the island are buried.

Many years after the Civil War, the Union army for the cemetery. Then, in the Cincinnati chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, Robert Patton Post acquired property for \$1. They placed monuments on the graves, an iron fence around the island and arranged a small building for upkeep.

1919 a costly monument was erected at the entrance to the island, the first monument to Confederate soldiers in the north. With the advent of the World War the old burial ground was almost forgotten.

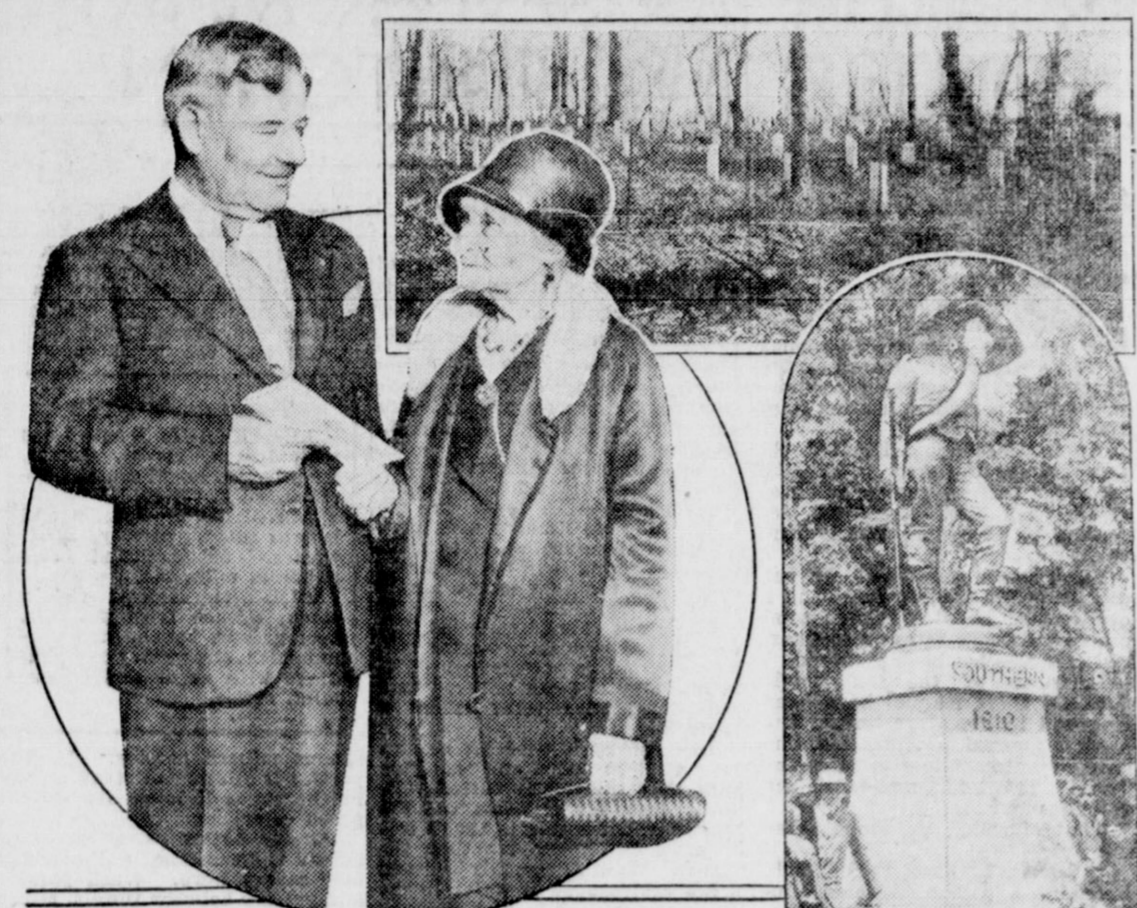
Under the guidance of Mrs. Al. Sidney Porter, Lakewood, O., president of the Ohio Department of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, a memorial program was held at the cemetery in 1924.

Island Chapter Formed.—To make sure that the plot would not be forgotten again, Mrs. Porter brought about the organization of Johnson's Island Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, at Sandusky, to have the care of the graves. The Sandusky chapter was organized in 1931 in getting Mrs. Porter to authorize acceptance of the island as a federal reservation. It is hoped the entire island will be converted into a national park. The island, now accessible only to small boats, once used for breakwaters throughout the Great Lakes region.

Now, except for a few cottages the summer, a farmer, his wife and children are the sole inhabitants of the island.

The more we read about Kruschen, the worse it gets. Next time he'll be saying he didn't pay his come tax.

CEMETERY OF CONFEDERATE WAR DEAD TRANSFERRED TO FEDERAL CONTROL



Captain T. J. McGrath (left), of Camp Perry, O., representing the United States government, is seen accepting the deed to the Johnson Island Confederate cemetery from Miss Ivy McCarney, Paris, Ky., treasurer of the Cincinnati chapter, Robert Patton Post, United Daughters of the Confederacy. Rows of tombstones marking the graves of 604 Confederate officers on an island off Sandusky, O., are pictured above. At the right is seen the monument erected by United Daughters of the Confederacy.

Ranger Society and Club News

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Lovely Tea Honors 1920 Club
And Guests at Hagaman Home.

One of the loveliest teas ever to have been planned was given at the pretty M. H. Hagaman home, Tiffin highway, Wednesday afternoon from 4 till 6 o'clock, with Mrs. Hagaman and members of the New Era club as hostesses.

Each spring this club entertains in some elaborate manner, emphasizing the close of an interesting study course. This prominent club, a member of the Sixth District of the Federated clubs, and federated in 1922, has just completed the course of study South America, Historical and Descriptive, offered by the University of Texas extension library.

The entire home of the co-hostesses was realistically presented in spring's splendor adorned in a profusion of flowers, flinging notes of blending colors. Upon entering the receiving line was composed of Mrs. Hagaman, wearing a femininely alluring colonial costume; Mrs. E. C. Byars, wore a ravishingly becoming orchid evening dress; Mrs. O. L. Phillips looked stunning in a cream lace, and Mrs. A. Neill was perfectly frocked in a yellow marquisette fashioned for afternoon and evening wear.

Mrs. Byars, outgoing president, extended the word of welcome to the 1920 club's members and honorary guests: Meses. W. C. Palmer, Herbert J. Stafford, V. O. White of Blackwell, Okla., the former Miss Ella Driehof, Stanley McAnelly, John Thurman, Oscar Chastain of Eastland, sister of Mrs. Hagaman, and Lonnie Herring, Mouth of Mingo, and J. A. Shackelford.

Mrs. Byars graciously introduced Mrs. Neill, who in turn introduced the personnel of the playlet, "The Professor's Magic," with the incoming president, Mrs. B. E. Garner, taking the role of "Professor."

Mrs. Byars gave a piano solo; the ever favored song theme appropriate for this season, "Flower Song;" Miss Mary Dalmont sang "Drowsy Water," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Byars. Miss

Dalmont wore an Indian costume, effecting a colorful picture for the selection given. Miss Gene Williams beautiful song "My Mom," accompanied by Mrs. Martin Walker. A reading was given by Mrs. Clyde H. Davis, "A Woman." The darling little Miss Jane Matthews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Matthews, favored the program with a tap number in adorable costume.

Mrs. Phillips introduced Mrs. George Rogers, who read a number of her original and personally composed poems.

Just as the program was brought to a close with warm applause following each number, guests were ushered into the beautifully decorated dining room, by Mrs. Johnnie Ducker, where the out-going and in-coming presiding guests were seated.

As each plate was passed it was appointed with a dainty bouquet of orchid and pink sweetpeas by Mrs. Neill. Mrs. Walker served the pretty and delicious refreshment course.

This brilliant function brings about the listing of another perfect entertainment for 1932.

The list of members and guests marked 50.

Dorcas Club to Hold Meeting
At Home of Mrs. Avant.

Mrs. W. R. Avant will entertain the Dorcas club at her home, Strawn highway, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

All members are invited to be present for this afternoon affair.

Election of Officers Held
By Columbia Study Club.

This week's society calendar is filled to the brim with gala, formal and informal functions each adding color in individual fashion.

Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock, at Acorn Acres tearoom, a prettily appointed luncheon complimented members of the Columbia Study club, together with honorary guests.

The table's mound of flowers were touched in colors of pale orchid and yellow tinted with a deeper shade of green serving as

sprays embedded in the clusters. Substituting for a program came the election of officers for the new year of study. Mrs. J. A. Matthews was elected president, and Mrs. W. D. Conway, secretary and treasurer.

Places were indicated for honor guests and 25 club members at this lovely affair.

Civic Chorus Program Well
Rendered at Arcadia Theatre.

The Ranger civic chorus, presented by the director, Carl Brum-below, at the Arcadia theatre, Wednesday evening preceding the feature, "The Man Who Played God," was again well received.

The combination of organ and piano accompaniments supplemented greatly in the rendition of

this sacred concert. The organ number, Largo, by Handel; another, "All Hail Emanuel," was splendidly given followed with a vocal solo beautifully sung by Mrs. P. M. Kaykendall, titled "Consider and Hear Me," "Hallelujah," chorus by choir.

Accompanists for this concert, Miss Marguerite Adamson, daughter of Judge and Mrs. W. S. Adamson, and Carl Brum-below.

Ranger is indeed proud of so accomplished a group of fine singers and outstanding musicians.

Clayton Hunt and Orchestra
Playing for Elks Dance
This Evening.

Just as the clock chimes 9 this evening, Clayton Hunt and his orchestra will dispense popular tunes, filling the Elks clubrooms with notes of harmony where dancing will be enjoyed on the smooth and well kept floor.

Hunt needs no introduction in Ranger as a talented musician, having lived here since childhood, and noted for his ability and merit as a musical entertainer.

Included in this group of harmony producers there is a special feature, Randall Gray of Hot Springs, who plays a trumpet, has been approved as one of the very best. Mr. Gray will offer special numbers, which promise a pleasant treat for the dance guests this evening.

Mrs. Sappington Attends
Woodman Circle Meeting.

Julia Alexander Grove No. 1954 of the Woodman Circle, met at the hall Wednesday afternoon with 11 members and one guest present. Mrs. Della E. Sappington, district manager and national delegate took prominent part in the program.

The hour was called to order in the customary manner by the guardian, Mrs. C. C. Cash. Several communications were in readiness for reading. One of special interest was that in which members were strongly urged to attend the district convention to convene in Mineral Wells, Thursday morning, June 2. Mrs. Mary E. La Rocco, national president, of the Woodman Circle, will be honor guest for the day. A large number of Ranger grove members plan on attending.

Following a talk made by Mrs. Sappington, expressing the importance of the convention more enthusiasm was manifested, and plans openly discussed for attending.

A contest known as the Greens and Orchids is progressing nicely under the leadership of captains. Up to the present report the Greens are in the lead.

Friday afternoon at 2:30 Mrs. Vaughn will entertain at her home with a "bunco" party, complimenting all members. Assistant hostesses for the afternoon, Mrs. Ruby Greer.

Immediately following lodge, the guardian, Mrs. Cash, was given a surprise shower in honor of her birthday. The response to this pleasant compliment was well expressed by the honoree.

The members sang in unison "Happy Birthday to You," after which many pretty gifts were presented. Refreshments were served to Meses. Carl Paige, Annie Vaughn, Claude Barney, Minnie Shirley, Ruby Greer, Lena Patterson, Helen Murrell, Ruby Mosley, Emily Hodges, Eva Jackson, Loretta Bray, Della E. Sappington, Ruth Elmore, Margaret White, Louis Calder, and Pauline Fry.

The party was planned and presided over by Meses Pauline Fry, Claude Barney and N. O. White, who each proved pleasant hostesses.

E. C. Ballinger, Secretary of Chamber of Commerce at Idabel, Okla., Visiting in Ranger.

E. C. Ballinger, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Idabel, Okla., is visiting in Ranger as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davenport and Mrs. and Mrs. Charles A. Bobo.

Menu is Prepared in 20 Minutes
At Demonstration at Ward's Store

The Ranger ladies together with a number of out-of-the-city guests are taking advantage of the menus and demonstrations offered at 3 o'clock each afternoon at the local Montgomery Ward & Co. store.

The attentive audiences have aided greatly in making this series of demonstrations quite pleasant, according to the demonstrator, Mr. Devitt.

At the session yesterday a program proved highly interesting when Mr. Devitt prepared, in the modern Windsor pressure cooker, Swiss steak, green beans with bacon and potatoes, and prunes, in 20 minutes.

A demonstration worth while will be the demonstration of beef stew cooked in 12 minutes without water. These suggestions are making marked impressions on the housewives, particularly during these summer days.

The last program will be given on Saturday afternoon, at the usual hour, at which time all ladies are asked to attend.

CHICAGO—All suitable vacant land belonging to the Pennsylvania railroad will, as for the past several years, be made available to active and furloughed employees for cultivation of vegetable gardens.

SPECIAL PRICE ON Children's Haircuts 25c
(High school students included)
GHOLSON HOTEL BARBER SHOP
Basement of the Gholson

In Only 12 Minutes a Complete Meal Is Cooked Ready to Serve with a

WINDSOR PRESSURE COOKER

3:00 Friday and Saturday

is Your Last Chance to See How This Simple Task Is Done

Think of it! In less time than you can set your table a complete meal, including meat, is cooked and ready to serve. Sounds impossible, but Mr. Harry Devitt, a nationally known demonstrator will demonstrate how this is done at 3 tomorrow, at Ward's.

FREE! ROAST CHICKEN Tomorrow at the Demonstration 3:00

6 DIFFERENT KINDS OF FOOD UNDER THE SAME COVER WITH MINUTES AND NO OIL OR GREASE PLACING IN A PAN

A BEEF STEW IN ONLY 12 MINUTES WITHOUT A DROP OF WATER

PORK WITH BEANS IN 45 MINUTES WITHOUT SOAKING

AN OLD ROOSTER IN 15 MINUTES SO THAT THE MEAT WILL ALL BEAT OFF THE BONES!

See the food put in, taken out . . . Taste It!
Entire Demonstration Lasts Less Than 45 Minutes

Satisfaction Guaranteed or Your Money Back

MONTGOMERY WARD & CO.

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Reduced 30 Pounds Never Felt Better

Safe Way To Lose Fat

Take the case of Miss Madelone Krewley, for instance, who lives in Little Rock, Ark. Just read her story:

"I have used Kruschen Salts for one year—when I started I weighed 140 pounds—now I weigh 110 pounds and never felt better in my life."

That's the big reason a host of men and women take Kruschen to lose weight—as the fat goes you gain in health—skin clears—eyes now bright—activity replaces in-laziness.

Take one-half teaspoonful of Kruschen in a glass of hot water every morning before breakfast—cut down on fatty meats, potatoes and sweets—a jar of Kruschen that costs but a trifle lasts four weeks—get it at any drugstore in the world—but for your health's sake demand and get your Kruschen Salts.

Betty Jane Bread Speed's Bakery

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M' SYSTEM
GROCERY & MARKET
Ranger, Texas

OUR OWN Patterns, 15c
Every Pattern Guaranteed
HASSEN COMPANY
Ranger, Texas

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Ranger's Foremost Department Store
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Specials

Permanent Wave \$2.25

Hot Oil Shampoo and Finger Wave \$1.00

Shampoo and Finger Wave 50c

\$2.50 Facial \$1.00

Manicure 50c

\$3.50 Book for \$2.50

Madame "X" has selected this Beauty Parlor for her hairdressing and other Beauty Work whilst in Eastland. Why don't you? There must be a reason.

Samuels Beauty Shop

TEXAS STATE BANK BUILDING
Telephone 491 Eastland, Texas

Do you inhale?

Almost an "untouchable" subject in cigarette advertising

...yet 7 out of 10 smokers inhale knowingly—and the other 3 inhale unknowingly!

REALLY now—how often have you wondered why the subject of inhaling has been generally avoided in cigarette advertising?

Why the mystery? Why the silence? We all inhale—knowingly or unknowingly! Each and every one of us breathes in some part of the smoke from our cigarette.

Do you inhale? Lucky Strike has dared to bring up this vital question—

for Luckies have the answer! Luckies assure you the clean, pure cigarette you want . . . because certain impurities concealed in even the finest, mildest tobacco leaves are removed by Luckies' famous purifying process. Luckies created that process. Only Luckies have it!

"Fifty million smokers can't be wrong!"

"It's toasted"

Your Throat Protection—against irritation—against coughing

LUCKY STRIKE CIGARETTES
"IT'S TOASTED"

O. K. AMERICA TUNE IN ON LUCKY STRIKE—60 modern minutes with the world's first dance orchestra, and famous Lucky Strike new feature, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evening over N. B. C. network.

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HERE--- AND THERE

By Elvie H. Jackson

Eastland is going through the busy days of school commencement, programs, musicals, parties and other social diversions, that usually attend the last days of school terms. Parents have been busy, students have been busy, and schools have been in a frenzy of preparation and participation for the past two or three weeks. School plays, school recitals and school activities have taxed the ingenuity and patience of school authorities, but with no appreciable loss of their good humor and patience. The layman seldom realizes the feeling of responsibility in a man or woman teacher feels toward each individual student in her own class, and the anxiety she secretly experiences, that each may succeed in "passing" and that the final entertainment of the school will be creditable to both student and parent, and a pleasure to the city.

Among the many Eastland teachers, whose work has shown a quality of heroism, in their tactful repression of self, their ability to preserve harmony and good fellowship amongst students and parents, possibly there is none that more fully deserves admiration than E. E. Layton, whose quiet personality, low voice, and dignified manner, bespeak the kind of man he has proven himself in the ten years of his Eastland teaching. In an interview with Mr. Layton, held yesterday, he remarked that several of the 71 students graduating from the Junior High school, of which he is principal, had been under his care since their primer days, when he started teaching in Eastland at the South Ward school. This naturally makes a feeling of personal interest in these boys and girls, and fortunate are the ones who can experience this kind of care in public school life. To Mr. Layton is due the beginning of the school campus playground, games, and equipment for Eastland schools. In interesting the Parent-Teacher association of South Ward school in the health giving habits formed by school playground devices, and their providing these, at a cost that was then very high, he started something in Eastland which has since been followed in all schools here. The P. T. A. at that time, had Mrs. J. P. Little as president, and under her chairmanship much of the substantial and expensive playground equipment was installed and later was added to by Mrs. Joseph M. Weaver, president P. T. A. Mr. Layton was also instrumental in interesting the Civic League in planting trees around the school campus. The league presented a flag and flag pole to the school at the request of Mr. Layton and the presentation was made by Mrs. W. B. Sutton whose husband was then manager of the Prairie Oil & Gas company. The gift was made at the solicitation of the principal, and the flag ceremonial was conducted under Mr. Layton's direction for several years by the students.

Layton is Texas born. He began teaching in the Eastland schools in 1922, though he has been in educational work for 15 years. Before coming here he was principal of the high school of Gorman, two years, then principal of the high school of Pecos (Reeves county) three years, and then was engaged as principal of the Eastland South Ward school, where seven years service marked his career. A real school romance took place, as he and Miss Ruth Roquemore, the then teacher of drawing and writing, were married two years after his assuming the South Ward school work. Mrs. Layton continued teaching in South Ward for four years. Layton's service as principal of the Junior High school began three years ago, when the school was opened and has proven signally successful.

He laughed and remarked that once he thought he was tired of teaching and tried his hand at Uncle Sam's job, as postmaster at Gorman, in 1919 and 1920, but found that he did not care for, as he called it, secular work. He came to Eastland from his postmaster job, and stated he had definitely decided that so long as he was useful, teaching would be his life work.

"The world has known great teachers whose fame has spread abroad or been handed down through the ages. But the world hears little of the self-sacrificing teacher who lives his or her most of life in doing the duty assigned them as well as human minds and hands can perform and who directs youth in clean and careful ways, and finds their reward in their inward satisfaction, that they have done their part in building good citizens for our country."

BRUSHING UP SPORTS . . . By Laufer

THE BOY VETERANS



Two Democratic Chiefs Sandwich in a Little Fun as Guests of Press



It was a "Texas Barbecue" that Washington's National Press Club staged, and right at home at the fair of that kind was Spenser John Garner (right). He's showing folks how this dish from his native state really ought to be eaten. Equalling him in enthusiasm if not in technique was Governor Albert Ritchie (left) of Maryland, seen here as he put one over the plate. Many other national leaders were the newspaper men's guests at Chesapeake Beach, Md.

HOKY AND SLIDES

By Henry L. Farrell

Apology to Howley

THIS is an open letter to Dan Howley, ex-manager of the Grand Rapids, Toronto, St. Louis American League and other ball clubs, and now the pilot of what is beginning to look more and more like a baseball club in Cincinnati. It is somewhat in the nature of an apology, addressed to a game guy who never gives up. Here it is:

Dear Dan: When I saw you down at Tampa in the spring, the Reds didn't exactly appear to be the team the Cardinals would have to beat to win a pennant this year. To be candid, your club seemed to me to be the one assurance that any one of the seven other clubs wouldn't finish at the tail end of the National League procession.

You Didn't Fool

When you said you would trade anybody for anything, even an old pocket knife, I'm afraid I didn't take you seriously enough. I didn't see what the Reds had to trade. I wrote that your club not only had no players to trade but that it had no cash with which to buy.

Well, Dan, I was wronger than the snake-eyes on dice. For it seems you not only had players to trade but had scratch with which to do business, too. In a month you changed the Reds from a drab and hopeless tail-end team to a colorful contender.

They'll Like the Babe

When you traded Stripp, Cucinello and Sukeforth for Herman, Lombardi and Gilbert, a lot of the boys expressed the opinion that you had given Brooklyn the very power they needed for a pennant winner, but that remains to be seen. Herman will bat in plenty of runs, and say, he's not

COMMISSION OPENS BIDS ON STATE ROADS

AUSTIN, May 25.—Highway contracts totaling approximately \$900,000 were to be let today at the final May session of the Texas highway commission.

Bids on projects for base courses, surface treatment and drainage were to be opened.

Among the projects were:

Reagan County—Stone base course on 19 miles of highway 99.

Cherokee county—Surface treatment of nine miles of highway 43.

Andrews County—Asphalt surfacing of 18 miles of highway 137.

Gray County—Grading, drainage, and surface treatment of 14 miles of highway 33.

Pecos County—Grading and drainage of 11 miles of highway 27.

Sutton County—Grading and drainage of 21 miles of highway 27.

Bexar County—Surfacing approach to Salado Creek bridge on highway 81.

Val Verde County—Surfacing eight miles of highway 85.

Jefferson County—Bridge over Intracoastal Canal on highway 87. Estimated cost, \$80,000.

Falls County—Bridges over Big Creek on highway 6.

Sutton County—Culverts and bridges on highway 27.

Pecos County—Culverts on highway 27.

YOAKUM—Four new tomato sheds under construction here.

THE NEEDS OF THE FAMILY CAN BE HAD HERE

Montgomery Ward & Co. Ranger, Texas

INSURANCE ON AUTOMOBILES MAY BE RAISED

By United Press.

AUSTIN.—Proposed increases in liability, fire and theft insurance rates on private automobiles in Texas will be considered by the Texas board of insurance commissioners at a public hearing here Thursday, May 26.

An increase approximating 29 per cent for the state in liability rates for private passenger automobiles has been suggested, according to Chairman W. A. Tarter.

An increase of about 59 per cent in public liability rates and a decrease of about 2 per cent on property damage rates on commercial cars also has been proposed.

Revisions of the automobile fire and theft manual have been proposed by the department. The present manual provides but one level of automobile fire rates for Texas. Two additional levels are recommended.

The following are to be taken up:

1. Dallas, El Paso, Fort Worth, Houston, and San Antonio, including their suburban areas. Statistics for 1931 show a loss ratio of 27.5 per cent in this area. A rate reduction of 45 per cent is recommended.

2. Wichita Falls and its suburban area. The loss ratio in this section last year was 57.3 per cent. A rate increase of 14.6 per cent is recommended.

3. Remainder of Texas. Last year's statistics show a loss ratio of 100.4 per cent. A 100.8 per cent increase is recommended.

The average fire rate increase for the state in general approximates 40 per cent. An increase of 17 per cent in automobile theft insurance rates in Dallas, El Paso, Fort Worth, Houston, and Wichita Falls will be considered. For the remainder of the state an increase of 44.8 per cent is recommended.

Other topics among the 49 proposals scheduled for attention are:

Fairness of present public liability and property damage rates on garages.

Changes in school bus collision rates.

Increase in motorcycle and trailer collision rates.

Reduction of the minimum premium for automobile fire and theft policies.

Well, you can't say the democrats aren't for normalcy. Just look at their pre-campaign fights.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

BY SISTER MARY
SEA Service Writer

ALTHOUGH parsley is one of the oldest plants on record, it has been only within the last few years that investigations regarding its food value have been made. There are various quaint superstitions connected with parsley, some surviving to the present day in Scotland and England.

We have proof that parsley was used, by the ancient Greeks, for reference is made to it in the Iliad. The old Romans used it as a symbol of mourning. The Carthaginians found it in Sardinia and introduced the herb to the inhabitants of Marseilles.

There are several varieties that are always available, winter and summer, but it becomes plentiful in late May and can be used in a number of ways other than a garnish.

One variety is used for greens. It is straight-leaved and less pungent than the tightly curled varieties. Strip the branches from the main stalk, for this is tough and requires longer cooking than the leaves. Wash thoroughly and add a few tablespoons of water to the kettle in which it is cooked. Cook uncovered and serve well seasoned with butter and lemon juice.

Recent investigations have revealed that parsley has even a higher percentage of iron than spinach. So, although parsley cannot be eaten in the same large quantity that spinach is, it should be used whenever possible. Foods rich in iron are so essential that every source should be used to its best advantage.

Varied Uses for Parsley

Parsley sauce is good with almost any vegetable. New potatoes served in parsley sauce gain interest and food value. Parsley butter for fish and vegetables is another excellent means of adding iron to the diet.

Veal and fish both are improved if served with parsley sauce. Make a plain white sauce with milk or use half milk and half veal or fish stock. Just before serving add two or more tablespoons minced parsley. If the parsley is allowed to stand or boil in the sauce it loses its bright green color.

Parsley butter as a sandwich spread is an unusual way of using this savory herb. Wash parsley and pat dry between towels. Mince finely or put through fine knife or food chopper. Combine one-half cup minced parsley with four tablespoons creamed butter. Add a few grains of salt and a little lemon juice if extra piquancy is needed. Spread on thin slices of whole wheat or white bread and garnish each with a tiny sprig of crisped parsley. These sandwiches are particularly delicious with a chicken or fish salad.

Little children may have finely minced parsley added to their baked potato and sprinkled over their soup. When it is used as a garnish, be sure it is carefully washed and crisped and encourage children in the habit of eating it.

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Coming Events:

Special Announcements.

Commemoration exercises, Warner Memorial university, in auditorium, May 20, 10 a. m. Program later.

Rally, Sunday night, May 29, 8 o'clock, auspices Warner Memorial university, Eastland churches attending. On vacant lot, rear Chamber of Commerce building.

Eastland community chorus, 7:30 p. m., Methodist church, all who sing invited to join, Monday, May 30.

Mrs. Spencer's kindergarten class, school commencement and operetta, 8 p. m., Monday, May 30, high school auditorium.

Eastern Star, public installation, incoming officers, Tuesday night, May 31, 8 p. m. Masonic hall. Open night.

Pythian Sisters, open meeting, Knights and Sisters of Ranger, special guests. Tuesday, 8 p. m. K. of P. hall, May 31.

Ballyhoo Club

Mrs. W. B. Pickens Hostess.

Wednesday afternoon, the Ballyhoo enjoyed a delightful meeting at the home of Mrs. W. B. Pickens. Four tables prettily appointed in tallies and other devices, carrying the purple and yellow color scheme, were arranged for bridge. Seasonal bouquets of yellow daisies and purple thistles were employed in artistic ways in decoration. High score for game, a silver bon-bon dish, was awarded Mrs. Joe Stephen.

The wrappings, a rose of cellophane, fashioned with orchid ribbon, in harmony with color scheme of entertainment, was almost as charming as the favor. Low cut, a vase for house wall, was awarded Mrs. Jerry Gerard.

Guest favor, a jar for cactus, in miniature frog shape, was presented Mrs. O. S. Hockaday, of Fort Worth, who arrived Tuesday for several days' stay with Mrs. Pickens.

At 5 o'clock a delicious salad plate, with open faced sandwiches in odd shapes, ripe olives, chocolate ice box cake and iced spiced tea, was served to Mmes. Roy Birmingham, Frank Hightower, C. W. Geau, Jack Ammer, Johnny Collins, Curtis Kimbrell, Wilbourne Collie, Marvin Kelley, Jimmie Jarboe, Charles Fagg, M. J. Pickett, Joe Bludworth, Francis Jones, Brothers, Joe Stephen, Gerard, and honoree, Mrs. Hockaday.

The next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. M. J. Pickett, Hillcrest avenue, at 2:30 p. m.

Calendar.

Friday—Fidelis Matrons; home of Mrs. F. V. Williams, 2:45 p. m., South Seaman street. Social and business meeting. Members and associate members invited. Mrs. W. Muston, teacher; Mrs. A. Owen, president.

Miss Oneita Russell Presents Expression Pupils.

A program of interest by parents and friends in reading, or expression, was presented by Miss Oneita Russell's students, in high school auditorium, last night, to a crowded house. The stage was beautifully decorated for the occasion, and the program was put on by junior expression students, and climaxed with numbers by several senior expression students. The routine were broken at intervals by playlets, and charming dances, including: Tap dance, by Alice Jones, in Turkish pajamas; butterfly dance, by Elizabeth Ann Harrell in gauzy costume; and playlets, "The Fairies," with Opal Barsley, as queen, and six little attendants, for whom Alice Jones danced in honor of the royal party.

Second playlet, "Hard Times," was presented by Mary Jane Harrell and Alice Jones, in the roles of a grandmother and a flapper, and was very clever.

Third playlet, "As Often Is," was cunningly given by Virgil and Nancy Seaberry.

Piano duet by Mary Frances Hunter and Cecil Seale, presented senior students in the musical phase of program.

Students in expression included Winston Fritchard, Dorothy F. Brown, Donald Jones, Billie Hart, Dorothy Praty, Sue Bender, Melba Ruth Wood, Dorothy Heron, Beatrice M. Jones, Eloise Lizon, Earling Brawner, Bobby Leslie, Daphne Ann Bludworth, Amy Ruth Pool, Nancy Seaberry, Mary Jane Harrell, Kathleen Cottingham, Alice Jones, John F. Bida, Virgil Seaberry, Ray Gene McDonald, Lucy May Cottingham, Wynema Bond, Jackie Belew, Elizabeth Ann Sikes, Robert Childress, Onal Barsley, Virginia Garrett, Ruth Meek, Urrline Brawner, Leo Wolfe, Jessie Ruth Barnett, and Mary Frances Hutner. A piano duet, "Spring Song," was interpolated in junior group by Nina Mae Seale.

Unfortunate Accident. Mrs. W. D. R. Owen is laid up at home for possibly three weeks

or more, due to an unforeseen and painful accident, sustained Wednesday morning. Mrs. Owen was on her way down South Seaman street, and as she stepped off the walk at the Prairie corner, onto the driveway, slipped, not knowing there was a drop off in the pavement, and fell, twisting her left foot under her, and so severely that she heard it crack. She was taken to Dr. Payne's office, where an X-ray disclosed that a fan-shaped ligament had been ruptured. The ankle was dressed, but she was told to not use the foot, try to stand or walk for at least three weeks, and then possibly crutches will be necessary for a time.

Program for Warner Memorial University Rally, Sunday, May 29, 8 P. M.

Cornet duet, Prof. I. F. Parker and Prof. Carl H. Kardatzke. Vocal selection, university octet, "No Shadows Fall."

Invocation, Rev. George W. Shearer. Piano solo, Miss Grace Bailey. Reading, Aubrey Forrest. Vocal selection, university male quartet.

Address, Dr. J. T. Wilson, president of W. M. U. Vocal selection, university octet.

Eastland churches are co-operating in this great rally, and many dispensing with regular Sunday night services. All are cordially invited. A profitable evening planned, a practical demonstration of the work in this Eastland college.

The rally site is that of the usual summer meeting place of churches of Eastland, and located back of Chamber of Commerce building, south of Methodist church. All are welcome.

Charming Children's Party Jeanne Johnston Hostess.

Mrs. E. R. Johnston opened her home to the little friends of her daughter, Jeanne, Tuesday evening, when a gay time was had playing on the lawn until the rain-drops came, when the evening was

finished within doors. Piano solos were played by Jeanne and Jenny Tolbert, and various games filled the evening with fun. As this is the last week Jeanne will have with her playmates, until the summer is over, she entertained her little friends in a revival. The Johnstons leave next Monday for an overland trip to Idaho to spend the summer.

At close of a merry evening refreshments of sandwiches, potato flakes and iced lemonade were generously served to Jenny Tolbert, Alice Jones, Maxine Coleman, Edith Rosenquist, Janie Stover, Eileen Maye, Marjory Yeager, Katherine Garrett, Katherine Uttz, and James Dabney, Jim Connelley, Horace Garrett, Buryl Williams, Thomas Dabney, Junior Lovett, Gates Brelford, Junior Ashley, Charlie Griffin, and Helen Adams, Howard Adams, and Jo Barney Arthur of Olden.

Workers Conference in Rising Star.

Tuesday an all-day session of the workers' conference of the Cisco Baptist association was held at Rising Star, in the First Baptist church, with an attendance of over 200 people. At noon a delicious luncheon was served by the church, the women of the societies assisting.

The session was presided over by Rev. H. D. Blair of Cisco, the missionary of the association.

Eastland people attending included Dr. O. B. Darby and Mrs. Darby, Mrs. J. B. Overton, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pierce, Mrs. G. W. Dukan, Mrs. E. L. Darby of Stephenville, and Miss Frances Laverne Darby.

Program for Fidelis Matrons Tomorrow.

Mrs. F. V. Williams of South Seaman street will be hostess at 2:45 tomorrow afternoon to the Fidelis Matrons class of the Baptist church. A devotional period will be conducted by Mrs. O. B. Darby, following the usual business routine, presided over by the president, Mrs. W. A. Owen. An honor of social diversions arranged under chairmanship of Mrs. W. D. R. Owen, Mrs. Wilbur Irons and Mrs. F. V. Williams, will be held, though Mrs. Owen will be unable to be present, owing to an injury sustained to her ankle on Wednesday.

EASTLAND Personal

Elmer Neil and son, R. E. of Houston, Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Neil and daughter, Virginia Ann, of El Paso, on their return trip from Dallas, where they attended the Dr. banquet, also nice. Rev. George W. Shearer left yesterday, during his absence he will visit the Shearer rabbity which was recently moved to Arlington, Texas, and owned by Charles E. Shearer. On Rev. Shearer's return he will be accompanied home by Charles for a week-end visit. Troy Gaston of St. Louis was a visitor in Eastland yesterday.

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"SMOKY JOE'S" SON
By United Press
NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 27.—The big league pitcher coaches the Yale baseball team. "Smoky Joe" Wood, Jr. recently pitched a run game for the Yale Junior nine of this city. It may be true that nesses in the United States running at a profit, King certainly has profited otherwise for the horse.

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