

MUSEUM FUND CAMPAIGN IS GETTING HOT

\$25,000 Fund to Match State Appropriation Nears Completion

DEADLINE IS JULY 1

Students, Faculty, Clubs Give Voluntarily to Building Fund

There are only seven more weeks in which to work to complete the \$25,000 fund for the museum building. If that amount can be raised in W. T. and surrounding country by July 1, the state has promised an equal amount to complete the building. If the money cannot be raised in that length of time, it will have many years before W. T. will have a museum, if ever.

According to L. F. Sheffy, head of the department of history, and manager of the museum fund campaign, the student body and people of the town have responded to the campaign. Several organizations in the college and in the town have also made contribution to the fund. Less than \$8,000 remains to be raised.

A great interest has been shown by a number of universities that are working from the outside. They have voluntarily proposed to put some of their material in in our museum. For example, the fossil remains that have been found in this section of the country could be used to much better advantage if studied in their natural environment rather than take them north and east where they are entirely out of place.

Why We Should Have It

There is an advantage from every angle in W. T.'s having the museum. From a commercial point of view, the country would take on new interests. There would be more visitors and tourists here. A museum connected with a park in the Palo Duro canyon would be one of the greatest advertising units Canyon and West Texas State Teachers College could have.

There would be many possibilities from an educational and scientific standpoint. A part of the museum is to be devoted to records, histories and other research material, and if the museum cannot be obtained this material must be put into other places.

The officers of the Society have been working on this thing for 11 years, and failure to put over this project will mean the loss of exactly 11 years of work.

There is no museum in Texas, and the closest one is at Santa Fe, New Mexico. The museum here will be the first one in the state and will act as a great drawing power for the city, school, and for West Texas. This is a new country and now is the time to begin to preserve its history, thinks Mr. Sheffy. It will be a mistake to wait until the country has grown old before becoming interested in a museum. Many things will have been lost if there is no way provided by which they can be preserved.

There are a number of people now holding collections, waiting for the building of the museum before donating them to the College.

Building Specifications

The museum building is to be approximately 50x100 feet and one story high. It will be located on the campus north of Randall Hall and will face the east. Later, wings will be added to the north and to the south of the structure, and a library will be built immediately west of the museum and will face the west. The library and

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Richardson Talks to Amarillo Club

Miss Mary Moss Richardson of the English department talked to the Twentieth Century Club in Amarillo, Friday, May 6, on the "Prose Writers of Texas." Her talk developed the theme that most of the prose writers of Texas are in the future but that a vast wealth of material is lying ready to their hand when they come to avail themselves of it.

Miss Richardson says, "The descriptions of the early settlers looking toward the colonization of Texas, the half-breed and Mexicans, the cowboys, the desperados, the colonizers, pioneers on whose work the present day has built—all these are preparing the way for the writers of tomorrow."

L. N. George to Talk to Dr. Cook's Conference Class

Next Tuesday Dr. Cook's conference class will be addressed by L. N. George. Mr. George's topic will be, "The Teacher and His Ex-Student Relationship." The conference class will meet Tuesday, May 10, at 3:30 in room 302.

F. E. Savage addressed the conference class last Tuesday. His subject was "The Teacher and His Community Activities." The main points of his speech were as follows:

1. He set forth the attitude that a teacher should take toward the community in which he was working and try to make himself a part of it.

2. A teacher should belong to and work in certain activities of the community.

3. He said that it is impossible to change a community set-up entirely but that a teacher who lives in and is a part of a community may aid in bringing about a desirable change.

His talk was interspersed with choice bits of wit and philosophy.

Student Employees Pledge \$25 Toward Museum Building

Office employees and student assistants of W. T. have pledged \$25.00 toward construction of the museum to be built by the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society with possibilities of a larger sum, inasmuch as several have not yet been interviewed.

L. F. Sheffy, field secretary for the Society, in a letter of thanks said:

To the Office Employees and Student Assistants, West Texas State Teachers College, Dear Friends:

Will you please accept my thanks in behalf of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society for your splendid donations to the museum building fund.

I can assure you that it is greatly appreciated and will be a great help to this movement in several ways. I shall see to it that each of your names goes in our permanent record book so that people in the future may know who made the museum building possible. This record book will be carefully preserved in the museum.

Again thanking each of you for your donation, I am,

Very sincerely,

L. F. Sheffy.

Sponsors of the move advise that pledges should be paid direct to Mr. Sheffy rather than at the office of the Business Manager as first stated. Florence Throckmorton, editor of Le Mirage, was responsible for the circulation of the pledge budget.

Tennis Tourney Is Still Going Strong

Members of W. A. A. are engaging in a Round Robin tennis tournament, under the management of Mary Orton. Due to the wet courts, all of the girls have not yet had an opportunity to play, so the time limit will be extended until everyone has played.

The winners in singles up to date are: Mary Orton against Ima Scott, 6-1, 6-3; and Theresa Robinson against Aleene McCullum, 6-0, 6-1.

None of the doubles teams have played yet.

Methodist Church To Honor Seniors

For seven years the Methodist church has been honoring their graduating students of W. T. S. T. C. with a breakfast given some time during the final month of the spring term. This year will be no exception to the rule. Plans are already under way to honor these young people with a farewell breakfast on Sunday morning, May 29, at 7:45, in the church dining room.

A new feature to be initiated this year will be the bestowal of a special honor upon a senior for outstanding church work and exemplification of high Christian ideals. All members and students participating in any way in the work of the Methodist Church will be entitled to cast a vote in an election to determine the recipient of this honor, the winner to be announced at the senior breakfast. The election is to be held next Saturday morning after regular assembly. A list of eligible seniors will be placed on the bulletin board the early part of the week.

Willie Bennett, class of '31, who is teaching at Kress, was a visitor to the campus Saturday.

HOME EC AGENTS TO MEET HERE NEXT FRIDAY

FROM 200 TO 300 WOMEN MAY ATTEND THIRD ANNUAL SHORT COURSE.

The Home Economics Department of the College is making preparation to entertain between two and three hundred women on May 13, this being the third annual Home Demonstration Day. Home Demonstration Clubs of the sixteen counties included in district one and district two will participate in the meet. The program has been planned by Miss Minnie Mae Grubbs and Miss Myrtle Mae Murray, supervisors of the two districts, cooperating with Miss Marian I. Norrington of the College.

A special program by the physical education department of the College, a talk on "Places of Historical Interest of Texas" by Professor L. F. Sheffy, an illustrated lecture by Miss Darthula Walker, head of the Geography department and music by the college band and college chorus will be features of the day.

Home Demonstration Agents who expect to be present include: Lula Mae Martin, Hereford; Mary Sittin, Amarillo; Margie Lyon, Panhandle; Ruby Adams, Pampa; Mrs. Gladys Weaver, Canadian; Viola Jones, Wheeler; Martha Buttrill, Clarendon; Doris Leggett, Vernon; Elsie Phillips, Quanah; Helen Cowan, Childress; Clara Pratt, Spur; Martha Faulkner, Floydada; Mrs. Julia Kelly, Plainview; Izora Clark, Dimmitt; Pauline Lokey, Tulsa; and Ruby Mashburn, Amherst.

Le Mirage for 1932 Expected to Come During Next Week

"Le Mirage" heads, Florence Throckmorton and Guilford Miller, in attempting to answer a question voiced by hundreds of W. T. students, have announced that the 1932 year book will be ready for distribution about May 20.

Exact date of its arrival here is not available. However, definite word is expected daily from the publishers.

Miss Throckmorton in describing the book states that it will be a continuation of a theme carried out in past editions: traditions and lore centered around the Palo Duro Canyon and the Southwest. Art work, sketches of canyons and those features denoting the romantic and peculiar characteristics of West Texas growth, has been done by Estelle Bourland.

The annual, since it does follow a chronological order, should prove of especial interest. Upperclassmen will find it essential in filling their set, while freshmen will see its necessity for completion four years hence.

Faculty Rules Agents Barred W. T. Campus

At its regular meeting Tuesday the faculty of the College voted to bar all agents and salesmen from the campus of the college, except those who are selling supplies or books to be used within the college itself. This means that agents and salesmen having wares to offer faculty members or students must see them off the campus, the faculty believing that their time while on college property belongs to the state.

July 18 to 23 is set aside, however, for representatives of magazines, book companies and school supply houses to show their materials to both students and faculty.

The action taken by the faculty came as a result of unfortunate experiences of students with agents and salesmen and to conserve the working time of instructors and administrators of the college.

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IN ASSEMBLY

Saturday, May 14—Program in charge of C. W. Batchelder. Public speaking students enrolled in public speaking 233 will take part in a debate, the subject of which is to be, "Resolved, that co-education should be abolished."

Tuesday, May 17—Program in charge of Wallace R. Clark. D. A. Clippinger, authority on madrigal music and director of the Chicago Madrigal Club, will give a talk.

Typing Labs Teach Students Profanity, Investigation Shows

A typing lab is not the poorest place to do psychological observing. To all eyes the guy next to you is speeding along nicely, indifferent to time and tide. Everything is perfectly harmonious. Then, without warning, the guy next-to-you bangs his fists down on every key at once. He picks up his eraser (they're illegal in the lab, too), and throws it at the offending paper he has been writing on. The eraser lands with a loud "pop," and bounces northeast-ward and hits an altogether innocent and laborious student on the nose.

The injured one usually doesn't mind, for he picks up the ammunition, returns it to first base, and gently whispers, "Try, try, again." The remaining typists are unaffected. Such scenes are common. And who knows? You may be the next one affected thus.

MADRIGAL CLUB CONCERT TO BE GIVEN MAY 17

D. A. CLIPPINGER OF CHICAGO TO BE GUEST CONDUCTOR AND GIVE LECTURE.

A new milestone will be passed in the history of the Canyon Madrigal Club when, on May 17, it gives its annual concert, with D. A. Clippinger of Chicago as guest conductor. Mr. Clippinger is the foremost American authority on madrigal music, and a part of the Madrigal Club concert Tuesday night at eight o'clock will be his lecture, "Madrigals and Madrigal Music."

The Madrigal Club at the West Texas State Teachers College was organized in 1918 and has functioned ever since. Wallace R. Clark, director, was for more than two years a pupil of Mr. Clippinger and is considered to be one of the best teachers of madrigal singing in the United States. It was thru Mr. Clippinger's interest in Mr. Clark, that the 40,000-copy library of the Chicago Madrigal Club this year became the property of the College at Canyon. During the fifteen years of the Club's existence, this is the first time that a guest conductor has been in charge of the concert. Few cities of any size have a madrigal club. (Continued on page four)

Training School Library Receives Several Donations

The library of the College Demonstration School is growing thru the gifts that are made to it. The student council of the high school department has donated twelve books recently, fifteen books have been donated to the Robert Manning Osgood shelf and several other books have been given by Miss Jennie C. Ritchie, Miss M. Moss Richardson, Miss Mary Morgan Brown, L. A. Osgood and others.

Among the recent gifts are "Songs of the Cattle Trail and Cow Camp," by John A. Lomax; "North of Boston," by Robert Frost; "New Russian Primer," by Count Luckner the Sea Devil," by Thomas Lowell; "The Epic of America," by James Truslow Adams, and the "Barretts of Wimpole Street," by Rudolf Besier.

Duflot Talks to 20th Century Club of Pampa Thursday

Professor J. L. Duflot addressed the Twentieth Century Club in Pampa on Thursday, March 5. The club was organized for the purpose of studying the problems of the twentieth century. The title of Professor Duflot's talk was "Human Nature and Its Control."

Professor Duflot expressed the idea that the social order is responsible for human nature in all of its ramified and variant aspects. Whatever human nature is, it is the product of our social order.

The club met at the home of J. B. Hughey. A musical program preceded the address and refreshments were served to about sixty guests.

Mrs. Lila Dean was visited Friday by Mrs. Luella St. Clair-Moss of Columbia, Missouri. Mrs. Dean was formerly a student in the College of which Mrs. St. Clair-Moss is President. Mrs. Moss was on her way to California.

Eddie Cantor took a leading part in picking out the "best looking coed" at Midland College, Fremont, Nebraska.

BUFFALO CAGERS START PRACTICE FOR 1933 GAMES

PROSPECTS BEST IN HISTORY OF COLLEGE, THINKS BIG BUFF MENTOR.

About 25 candidates for the Buffalo basketball team reported to Coach Burton Tuesday of last week, and they were immediately set to work on the fundamentals of the game. The old and well as the new men went through these fundamentals with a snap.

It is hinted around that the Big Coach is changing his entire system for the next campaign on the basketball court. It is known that he has contemplated doing this for some two or three years; but so far the changes made have been slight, and it has often been remarked that a man of the team of 1927 could substitute for a man on the 1932 club and not be under much of a handicap so far as knowing the system is concerned.

1932 Squad Best

But the Buffs have kept winning right along and last season's team was probably the greatest ever developed at West Texas. With Bob Clark and Leo Cooper the only losses from the 1932 squad, fans are freely predicting a greater team in 1933.

When asked as to his opinion of the outlook for next basketball season, Coach Burton said, "Of course, lots of things could happen to our team between now and next season, but I am looking forward to next season with greater anticipation than I have ever looked forward to a season before. I really believe that we will have one of the great teams of the nation next winter. It will take lots of work on the part of the coaching staff and a world of work and much sacrifice on the part of the boys on the team, but I believe we are now ready for our greatest basketball year."

Lockhart, O'Keefe Attend State Meet Held at Austin

W. E. Lockhart, director general of District One Interscholastic League, and Mrs. Rubie Barksdale O'Keefe, head of the physical education department for women, were in Austin the past week end acting as chaperons for the District One contestants at the state meet of the League.

A special train over the Santa Fe railway left Amarillo at 8:30 a. m. Wednesday, May 4, carrying all the contestants who were eligible to compete in the state contests. Among the contestants who won places at the state meet include Les Cazzell of Amarillo who won first place in the 120-yard high hurdles, and Wayne DeGrasse, also of Amarillo, who placed third in the half-mile run.

The train is to return the early part of this week with the contestants and chaperons.

Hill Is Asked to Judge National Oratory Contest

Dr. J. A. Hill, president of the Texas State Teachers Association and of the West Texas State Teachers College, will be one of the judges at the zone finals of the National Oratorical Contest when it is held in Kansas City, May 13. This contest is sponsored in this area of Texas by the Amarillo News-Globe. The representative from this section is William Ordway of Amarillo. The winner at Kansas City will compete in the finals at Washington, D. C.

"Capitalistic control of the news in the modern paper is very slight however, the editorial opinion is very likely to be dictated by some controlling capitalist or trust," observed Fred M. Snyder, commissioner of the Press Congress of the World, in commenting in an in-ton Sinclair in his well-known book, "The Brass Check." Snyder spoke at Teachers College, Milwaukee, Wis.

COMING EVENTS

Wednesday, May 11—Banquet for 1932 basketball squad in the College Cafeteria.

Wednesday, May 11—Scribblers to be guests of Mrs. Page at Little House of Fellowship.

Thursday, May 12—Dutch treat for men members of the College and Demonstration School faculties at the Canyon Country Club.

Friday, May 13—Home demonstration short course.

Amarillo Pastor To Deliver High School Sermon

The graduating class of the Demonstration High School, has chosen Rev. R. C. Snodgrass, pastor of the First Christian Church of Amarillo to deliver their commencement sermon.

Dr. J. A. Hill, president of the college, has been chosen to give the commencement address for the class.

The names appearing on the class roll include: Irene Abbott, Willie Faye Bartlett, Amy Bennett, Faye Bible, Frances Alice Clark, Verne Cook, Russell Dixon, Emily Fincher, Nancy Graham, Maxine Hammond, Marion Hill, John Horton, Lucy Jo Louder, Eva May Orr, Irma Lee Paige, Alvin Ream, Tommie Service, Willie Smiley, Opal Smith, L. E. Stewart, Charles Stratton, Landon Terry, Elene Ina Thomas, Quentin Ward, S. B. Whittenburg, Bill Nelson, Florence Dees, and Audell Kimmins.

S. B. Whittenburg, of Canyon, is class president.

Shaw Explains Mystery of Trust Fund to Students

Students have an unaccountable difficulty in understanding the various angles of the trust fund of \$3.00 deposited by each student upon his entrance into the College, says Travis Shaw, business manager of the College, and, to forestall a lot of useless trouble, he makes the following explanation of the "complexities" of the system.

Upon entrance to College, each student paid into the office of the Business Manager the sum of \$3.00 as a trust fund deposit. This amount is returnable to the student upon his or her presenting to the said office a clearance card from the library and the book store showing that there are no charges against the student at either place. Many students have assigned their trust fund deposits to the annual (Le Mirage) as a part payment on the purchase price of the book. Students who have thus assigned their trust fund deposits have, by that act, already disposed of the deposit and need not call at the business office for same but should be sure to see that there are no charges against him or her at the library or the book store. In case a student has not cleared his or her record at both places mentioned, the amount owing to library and book store will be deducted from the amount of the trust fund deposit of \$3.00.

In case a student leaves school without having attended to all matters pertaining to the withdrawal of the trust fund deposit, the amount lapses, and may not be withdrawn by letter or in person after June 1, 1932.

All students who leave school before the final exercises and who have not assigned their trust fund deposits to the annual, must call at both the library and book store and procure from each a "clearance card." This card must then be presented to the business office upon the student's application for the refund. Students who have assigned the trust fund deposit to the annual, will please remember that, in making the assignment, it was agreed that any charges against the student are to be deducted from the amount assigned to the annual, up to \$3.00, the amount credited on the payment to the annual being reduced in the amount of charges against the student so deducted.

Men Teachers to Get 'Dutch Treat'

For the past two or three years it has been a custom for all of the men teachers in town to have an annual outdoor meeting and discuss problems of interest to the whole group. This year the men teachers of the College, the Demonstration School, and the Public Schools will meet with the directors of the Country Club for an informal Dutch luncheon, Thursday, May 12, from 6:30 to 8:30 o'clock. Dr. Hill wishes to meet with the group to discuss common problems.

The committee which planned the Dutch treat is composed of Registrar Shirley, Bill Brian, and Professors Condron, Barnett, Terrill, and Savage.

W. A. A. CO-ED DANCE
Handsome young men escorted beautiful young ladies to the co-ed dance, Tuesday, May 3. Dusty Brown's orchestra furnished good music. The gym was attractively decorated in pink and lavender crepe paper. Delicious punch was served throughout the evening.

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GENE ELO IS VICTOR IN EDITOR RACE

Is Elected Prairie Editor For Next Year In Hot Election

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Was Second Election; In First Nobody Had Majority

Theodore Eugene Elo is to be editor of The Prairie next year, decided the student body in the runoff election held Thursday, May 5. A total of 550 votes were cast, 302 of which were in favor of Elo. Dee C. Blythe, present editor of The Prairie, received 248 votes, 54 less than the winning candidate.

This run-off election was held as a result of the decision of the Student Council concerning the last election held April 21, in which Gene Elo polled 158 votes; Dee C. Blythe, 156; and Dorothea Martin, third candidate, 49. The state election laws were used as a model, with some alterations, by the Student Council, and it was in compliance with the state law for election by a majority vote that they decided on the run-off election. Members of the Student Council had charge of the polls, which were open from 8:00 to 5:00 o'clock, and both candidates had representatives at the polls at all times of the day. Each vote was numbered, and no votes were counted until after the polls closed.

Campaigning Is Hot
A valuable insight into political methods should have been gained by the students in the past two weeks. Campaign speeches were made in chapel Tuesday, in class meetings, club meetings, and various other organization gatherings. On election day, banners floated in the halls in true campaign style. The candidates spent the entire day in electioneering, and their loyal supporters canvassed the halls for their champion.

The idea of self-government seemed to appeal to the students a great deal, for they took more interest in this election, as shown by the number of votes cast, than in any other such affair in the history of the College.

Is New Policy
This year marked the beginning of a new policy in the selection of the editors and business managers of the two student publications of the College. Heretofore they have been selected by a publications committee composed of faculty members, but, through the efforts of the Student Council, all that was changed this year, making these officers subject to popular ballot. In the first election there were only two candidates or less for every office except that of the editor of The Prairie, and the winning candidate, of course, had a majority, precluding the necessity of a run off.

Dee Blythe will continue to edit the paper during the summer session, and Gene Elo will assume the position of editor at the opening of the fall term.

Last Call Issued for Intramurals

Mitchell Jones, assistant on the W. T. coaching staff, announced yesterday that all men interested in intramural sports, including boxing, wrestling, and track, must meet with him this afternoon at 4:30 in the gymnasium if they want these sports to be carried on this year.

This is absolutely the last call, and all intramural sports will be dropped if the turnout is not sufficient to warrant their continuance. It is planned to begin the eliminations this week end or early next week, and contestants have no time to waste. Mr. Jones says that if anyone who cannot meet with at the gym this afternoon wants to enter, they had better make arrangements with him by this afternoon.

PIANO RECITAL

The music department of W. T. S. T. C. will present Laura Virginia Bills in a piano recital at the college auditorium at 4:00 Thursday afternoon. She will be assisted by Dorothy Clark, pianist. The public is invited.

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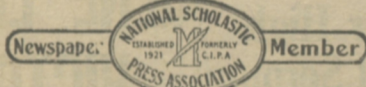
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KEEPING THE LIBRARY OPEN AT NIGHT

All universities and a great many colleges the size of West Texas keep their libraries open at night for the convenience of students. In fact, this has long been recognized by institutions of higher learning as a necessity, and the need of this facility here is rapidly becoming acute. It has been the subject of much speculation and discussion among the students, many of whom can't see why the library couldn't be very easily kept open for a while in the evening. There has been some agitation for this movement, but, considering the acuteness of the need, we are only surprised that the clamor has not been louder.

Any organized movement in this direction on the part of the student body, however, would be foolish, for there is no opposition to the idea. Everybody we have approached on the matter has seemed to be in favor of it, but there are almost insurmountable obstacles in the way. In the first place, the library is in the Administration building, an unfortunate situation. If the library were kept open nights, the whole building would have to be kept open, and obviously this would bring certain evils in its wake. Also, there is the matter of money. We have no idea how much it would cost to keep the library open a few extra hours, but whatever the cost it would probably be more than the College could afford at this time. We seem to get even less than our share of money, anyhow. Then, too, a difficulty might be encountered here that has been met in other colleges; girls might use the library as an excuse to get out of the dormitories at night when they have no intention of going there. These, briefly, are the principal objections, and any one of them, unless overcome, would probably be sufficient to prohibit night library facilities.

But the advantages of the scheme are so great that they should prove to be sufficient incentive to everybody concerned that they should be encouraged to try to overcome the obstacles or at least to effect some working compromise. In the first place, the number of copies of certain books very much in demand is sadly insufficient, and if the library were kept open longer more students would have an opportunity to use them. This plan would also work to the advantage of those students who have classes or other occupations until late in the afternoon. By the time one of those unfortunates who has a 2:30 class reaches the library, almost any book in the reserve room for which one would have any use is no longer available, and there are dozens of students who have jobs that keep them away from the library all afternoon. Another factor that merits attention is that the atmosphere of a library is much more likely to be conducive to concentration than that of a boarding house or a dormitory. One might rave on at great length on the advantages of keeping the library open in the evenings, but perhaps those listed cover the subject well enough.

North Texas State Teachers College at Denton has had night library facilities for the past two years, and while inspecting their library recently we asked countless questions. They keep their library open from 7:45 a. m. to 9:00 p. m. during the long session, not even closing up for lunch or dinner, and during the summer they open up at 6:45 and close up at 10:00. And as far as we were able to observe, the students seem to take advantage of it. The plan was inaugurated after long discussion and some opposition, and we were curious as to just how it put it over. It seems as if the English and history departments went into a huddle, combined their forces, and pushed it through at a regular faculty meeting. The present system has some evils, but they have no intention of reverting to the old order.

North Texas, however, did not face exactly the same situation as we have here, for they are fortunate enough to have a separate library building. Their tactics, however, might be worthy of emulation. To say the least, the need is urgent enough to warrant some action. It was bad enough when W. T. offered only the bachelor's degree, but it is much worse now that we offer the M. A. To get an M. A. one must do a lot of research, and to do real research one must have easy access to the library. But we may have to wait until we get that long-talked-about library building, whenever that may be.

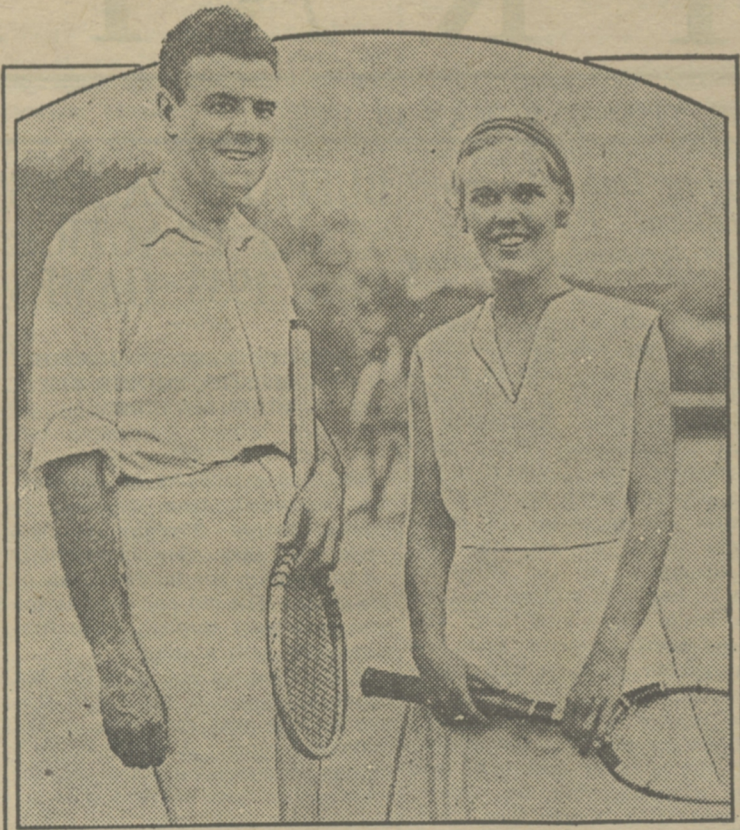
THE STUDENT PULSE

Now that the long session is drawing to a close and nobody can accuse us of having an axe to grind, we would like to get a matter off our chest that has been there for some time. We hope to reap no benefit from airing our opinion on this matter, but it is our hope—probably a vain one—that some benefit may accrue to our successors. Now that the foreword is complete, we will go on with the story.

It seems to us as if the editor of The Prairie, of all people, should have an inside track on the various movements—reform and otherwise—on foot around the Campus (stop us if you've heard this before). Now an editorial writer must by all means write on timely topics, and how can he do this when he is kept in the dark? If he has to rely on the "grapevine" route for his information, it is likely to be stale and still more likely not to be authentic.

But to the point. The Student Council seems to be the chief reforming agent around here, and we flatter ourselves that, if we had been allowed to attend their meetings, we could have, by means of a little timely publicity, helped them while we were helping ourselves. We tried to bring this about, but to no avail. Their sessions are seemingly as secret as the Spanish Inquisition. Why, most of the sessions of Congress are open to whomever desires admittance. Of course, we are quite aware of the fact that the present Student Council could not be justly forced to shoulder the blame, if any, for they have merely been abiding by their constitution, which, so we are told, expressly excludes outsiders from the meetings. What we should suggest, as a boon to posterity, is an amendment to the constitution. No doubt that suggestion is all out of order, but we repeat that we expect to get

Jacoby Doubled in "Love" Game



Besides being no mean shakes of a bridge player, Oswald Jacoby, well-known bridge expert, is somewhat of a dashing Romeo. While in Dallas, Tex., recently, Jacoby met Mary Zita McHale, state tennis champion. Before a week was over their engagement was announced and they were married. Above are shown Mr. and Mrs. Jacoby after a tennis match.

One Dies, Other Lives in Jungle



Privation that few men endure was survived by Harold Foard of West Virginia, above, last year, but claimed the life of his fellow explorer, Thomas J. Walsh, Jr., below. The two men were exploring a section of the Paute river, Ecuador, never before visited by white men. Their boat wrecked in the jungle, and they wandered for five weeks with little food and water. Walsh died, but Foard struggled on until he reached friendly Indians.

Those who regard an A. B. degree as a touchstone to success very often cause an "inflation" of our A. B. which leads to a crash of disappointing returns on the investment, Dean Ficken, Macalester College, St. Paul, remarked recently.

Depression may have knocked the bottom out of prices, but the News, Mount Holyoke, South Hadley, Mass., has discovered that it costs the modern miss 15 times more to start to college now than it did in 1837.

It was 4 o'clock on a cold, wintry morning when the coeds in one of the dormitories at State College, Brookings, S. D., had to roll up their pajamas and swim to safety—the cause, a broken water pipe.

"More people try their hand at journalism than at any other profession—and few stick with it," remarked W. E. Drips, associate editor of Wallace's Farmer, in an address at Grinnell, Iowa, College.

An "unheard of" plan which requires graduates to speak "king's" English was inaugurated recently at Oklahoma University, according to the Stylus, Park College, Parkville, Mo.

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College Men Share in Shaving Cream Prize Money

Here is a cash prize contest that does not discriminate against college men. A check of the winners in the Palmolive-Colgate Shaving Cream Contest reveals that seven of the cash awards have been won by undergraduates. To date honors are divided between Princeton, Columbia, Carleton, Duke University, State Teachers College of Arkansas, University of Dayton, and St. Thomas College.

In order to further stimulate interest among college men, free sample tubes of both Palmolive and Colgate's Shaving Creams have been or are being distributed in college towns. Each month from February to July 1932 inclusive, 464 cash prizes totalling \$4200 each month will be awarded for the best "blurbs" explaining why the writer prefers either one of these two world's largest selling shaving creams.

This contest, like many others, is a direct result of present economic conditions which have brought the need of new selling methods. They are intended to induce more consumers to try the products and to secure opinions of the products' acceptability. It is estimated that more than \$200,000 per month is being distributed to contest participants. It costs nothing to enter most of these contests. Some, however, call for proof of having made a purchase.

Probably the largest money prizes are being offered by the Colgate-Palmolive-Peet Company, Chicago, in connection with their monthly shaving cream "blurb" contest. They are giving a total of \$25,000 in cash. Each month two first prizes of \$500 each are awarded—one on Colgate's and one on Palmolive Shaving Creams. In February these were won by men from Manchester, N. H. and Bridgeport, Conn. In March the \$1,000 first prize money was divided between men living in New Orleans, La., and Spartanburg, S. C. Details for entering this contest are included in the manufacturer's advertisements which are appearing in national magazines and in The Prairie.

English Teacher: Johnnie, make me a sentence with the word "diadem" in it.

Johnnie: People who run on to railroad crossings die a dam sight sooner than those who stop, look, and listen.

Fat Lady: Can I get through this way to Cousins Hall?

Johnnie Hood: I guess so, a truck load of furniture just went through. (True story.)

Dorothy Harris: Why does Birdcage have a hyphen in it?

Perry Williams: For the bird to sit on, of course.

J. B. Speer, Superintendent at Morell, was on the campus Saturday.

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LOST: Pair of horn-rimmed reading glasses. Liberal reward offered for return to Winston Wofford.

all the blame and none of the benefit from this editorial. But that is all in the day's work for any editorial writer for a college newspaper who is presumptuous enough to offer suggestions or criticism, even if his offerings are made humbly and with constructive intentions. Any criticism he hands out is like trying to empty a water bucket against the prevailing south wind—everything he throws comes back to him. And yet he is expected, as it were, to keep his finger on the student pulse, diagnose the symptoms of any illness he detects, and write out prescriptions of bad-tasting medicine he knows will not be taken.

Sociology classes at Normal School, Cortland, N. Y., are directing their efforts toward relief of the needy families of the city as the major part of their term's school work.

The entire institution, including all the colleges, will be moved from the State College's present location in Santa Barbara, Calif., to a new campus in Leadbetter, Calif.

Electrical students devised illuminated Indian clubs which could depict the antics of fire-fliers for use in a demonstration at Cortland, N. Y., normal school.

Alfred "Ox" Jameson, teacher in the Liberty School near Plainview and an ex-student of W. T., was in attendance at the football game Saturday night.

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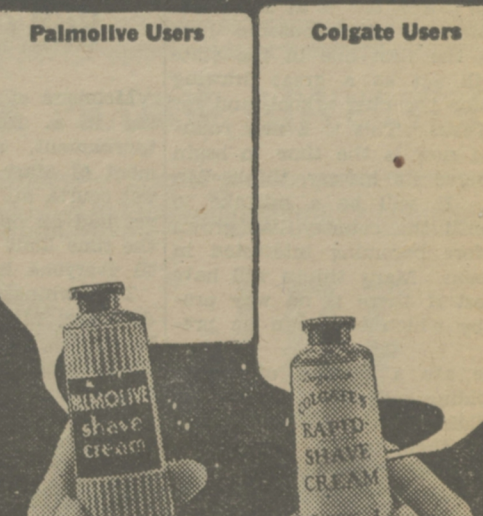
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Here's what you do. In ONE of the empty "blurb" spaces (not both) at the right, or on a sheet of paper, help Joe out—or help Al out. If you're a Palmolive shaver, write a boost for Palmolive. If you use Colgate's, write a "blurb" in favor of Colgate's. Just "horn in" on the argument—and may the best "blurbs" win.

Write your "blurb" here, men!
Get some of that \$25,000

What can you Palmolive users say to help Al out? Or what can you Colgate shavers add to Joe's side of the argument? If you don't use either, start now and take a shot at this real money!



CONTEST RULES

MAIL your "blurb" with name and address to Contest Editors, Dept. C-143, P. O. Box 1133, Chicago, Illinois.

The prize money (totalling \$25,000) is divided into six sets of monthly prizes (each set totalling \$4200). At the end of each month prizes are awarded (see list at right) for the best "blurbs" received during that month, as follows:

Feb. 29, \$4200	Mar. 31, \$4200
April 30, \$4200	May 31, \$4200
June 30, \$4200	July 31, \$4200

[Contest closes July 31, 1932]

Contest is open only to residents of the United States and Canada. Employees of the manufacturers and their families are not eligible to compete.

In event of a tie, each tying contestant will be awarded full

amount of the prize tied for. Decision of the judges shall be final. All contributions shall become the property of the manufacturers, to be used in any way desired.

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2nd . . . 125	2nd . . . 125
3rd . . . 50	3rd . . . 50
9 next . . . 25	9 next . . . 25
20 next . . . 10	20 next . . . 10
200 next . . . 5	200 next . . . 5

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Society and Clubs

SOCIETY BANQUET PROVES TO BE COLORFUL AFFAIR

Antlers and Elapheians held one of the most colorful and entertaining banquets scheduled this year Thursday night, April 28, in the dining room of the Methodist church. Approximately 75 were in attendance.

A pirate motif was attractively carried out in decorations, menu and program. Cross-bones and skulls were in abundance, and small treasure chests were used as favors and place cards.

Realistically, the orchestra echoed the sound of the waves throughout the banquet. The delicious menu included sea food from salad del albatros and shark jawbone to a skipper's delight.

The chart, or program, under the direction of John Long Silver, or Mike Hunt, included a salute to the pilots by Clarice Matthews, a salute to the captains by L. G. Harris, storm at sea by Mary Hellen Hardin, shipmates by George Archer, Barnacle Bill the Sailor by Thelma Calliham, Dorothy Faye Rusk, and Elizabeth Croson, love pirate by Betty Sternenberg, walking the plank, a tap dance by Amogene Fowler, the treasure as presented by Mr. T. M. Clark, the presentation of the pirate crew, and the singing of thunder claps by the Antler quartet and Alma Mater.

ELAPHEIANS DISCUSS ART THURSDAY, MAY 5

Elapheian Literary Society in their meeting Thursday, May 5, discussed "What Art Means in Our Life." Two new pictures in the possession of the Phidias Art Club were shown to the group. Mary Jo Gates discussed "Art as a Development of Character," and Elizabeth Croson played a piano selection.

A nominating committee composed of Mary E. Martin, Elizabeth Croson, and Bertha Paltenghe was appointed to nominate candidates for president of the organization next year.

Miss Corela Nuzum will speak before the society May 12 on "The Decorations of a Girl's Bedroom and Its Position to Her Personality."

MISS DANNIE MAC STEWART IS GIVEN FAREWELL PARTY

Complimenting Miss Dannie Mac Stewart, who is leaving Friday for Corpus Christi, Miss Wilmoth Gamble entertained Tuesday afternoon with a farewell party at her home.

Miss Stewart has accepted a position with an insurance firm at Corpus Christi and will make her home with a cousin, Mrs. Knox Culton, there.

A color scheme of yellow and white was developed in the reception rooms with bowls of tulips adding an attractive note. A handkerchief shower for the honoree was a feature of the afternoon. Tables were placed for bridge and the games were enjoyed until the refreshment hour when a salad course was served.

Those present were: Miss Stewart, honoree; Misses Dorris Lynn Loudder, Maurine Nisbett, Georgia Whittenburg, Lenna Foster, Lillian Chambers, Ruth Wiseman, Mary Martin, Mildred Bishop, Mary Jo Chamberlain, Ethel Brasuel, Ethel Ruth Collins, and Mrs. G. C. Fitzgerald.

ANNUAL JUNIOR-SENIOR FROM HELD SATURDAY

Dancing and bridge were the diversions of the Junior-Senior prom held Saturday evening, May 7 at Cousins Hall. Dusty Brown's orchestra furnished the music for the dancing. Punch was served throughout the evening. Frank Monroe, president of the junior class, was in charge of arrangements, and was assisted by Edwin Comer, Elmer Wooten, Hedley Reeve, J. W. Cole, Otis Burk, and Florence Throckmorton. Approximately 60 attended the affair.

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A. A. U. W. COMPLIMENTS HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

The American Association of University Women complimented the 1932 seniors of Canyon High School and West Texas Demonstration High School Thursday evening, May 5, at the home of Mrs. Thos. B. McCarter.

The dining table was lovely with a lace cover, tall tapers, and a centerpiece bowl of purple pansies, which carried out the color scheme of purple and gold. Corsages of pansies were given to the guests as favors. Tulips and iris were attractively arranged throughout the other rooms.

Individual angel food cakes with purple '32 on the icing were served to approximately 60 guests.

A program consisting of a group of songs by six girls of the college glee club under the direction of Miss Pauline Brigham and accompanied by Miss Frances Usery, a reading by Dorris Lynn Loudder, piano solo by Mrs. Mae Coffee, and a talk by Mrs. T. V. Reeves was given. The affair was under the direction of Misses Marian Normington, Corella Nuzum, Elizabeth Cox, and Marguerite Dickenson.

COUSINS-SESAME HAVE ANNUAL BANQUET MAY 6

Carrying out an airplane motif in menu, program arrangement, and decorations, the Cousins-Sesames Literary Societies held their annual banquet at the dining room of the Methodist Church, Friday evening, May 6.

The programs were designed by Beth Blythe, former president of Sesames. Numbers on the schedule, or program, included warming up by Otis Rawlins, identification of passengers by Bill Brian who was chief pilot of the evening, the hum of the motor, a guitar and mandolin number by Coy Palmer and Bob Clark, laughing gas by Doris Harvey and Dorothy Speer, flying through storms, a talk by Miss Anna I. Hibbets, sponsor of the Sesames; barrel roll, a humorous reading by Dorothy Harris; a vocal solo by Mrs. C. O. Huber; observations from a high altitude by L. P. Sheffy, sponsor of Cousins; air pockets, a piano solo by Laura Virginia Bills; and crack up, a tap dance by Kay Brian.

MARRIAGE OF ILA SLACK, J. C. JENNINGS ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Slack announce the marriage of their daughter, Ila, to Mr. James C. Jennings, July 9, 1931 at Portales, New Mexico.

Mrs. Jennings is well known in Canyon as she has lived here most of her life. She is a graduate of the West Texas State Teachers College, receiving her degree from that institution last summer. She has been teaching in the public schools of Wildorado the past year.

Mr. Jennings is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Jennings of Canyon. He, also, has lived here for a greater portion of his life and is at present engaged in wheat farming in the Panhandle.

The couple will make their home in Canyon.

FRANCES USERY ELECTED '33 PRESIDENT PI OMEGA

Frances Usery was elected president of Pi Omega for 1933 at the meeting of the society Tuesday evening, May 3. Martha Nell Lang was elected vice-president, Laurene Alvord, treasurer, and Constance Wayland, secretary. Farris Sears was president for the past year, Frances Usery, vice-president, Virginia Jarrett, secretary, and Margaret Sheers, treasurer.

Margaret Sheers and Dorothy Staley, hostesses, served refreshments of Eskimo pies to the guests.

MRS. HARRIS M. COOK IS HOSTESS TO CLUB

Mrs. Harris M. Cook of 1307 Sixth Avenue delightfully entertained the members of the Priscilla club at her home Wednesday afternoon. Spring flowers in a variety of shades were fragrant decorations in the rooms where the guests were assembled.

Needlework and conversation were diversions for the afternoon and at the tea hour delicious refreshments of strawberry mousse, cake and fruit punch were served.

Those present were: Mrs. Alfred Bellah, Mrs. Joe Black, Mrs. A. H. Bryant, Mrs. J. Madison Daugherty, Mrs. Ray V. Davis, Mrs. J. L. Duflot, Mrs. G. A. Farlow, Mrs. A. K. Goodman, Mrs. H. W. Hartman, Mrs. Frank Hicks, Mrs. Hud Prichard, Mrs. Carl Scott and Mrs. R. McGee.

THE CROW'S NEST

By Gus

Well folks, we are going to have a real all-college dance Friday week. It is being sponsored by the Pi Omegas, and they are making every effort to make it the best school dance of the year. Ireland's Irishmen will play the "hop." If you are not acquainted with this orchestra you have something to look forward to in the way of good dance music. As we understand it the affair is to be held in the women's gym. The gym is to be decorated in some artistic color scheme—well you see you just can't afford to miss this last and best dance of the year. MARTHA NELL LANG has even gone so far as to say that we will have a different kind of punch to drink—what she meant, Gus doesn't know.

Can it be possible that CHARLIE MAE CARPENTER and FRANK WINSETT are stirring up a little romance? . . . MISS MCMURTRY may make you work hard, but it is a cinch that she is one of the best teachers in W. T.

Madge Cornwall has said, "some body gave football suits to Sing Sing. It is going to be a toss up whether a young fellow goes to college or to jail." L. V. Raynor says, "girls of today wed men for better or worse; then divorce them for good."

It is understood that MISS NORMINGTON of the home economics department can ride horses bareback. . . . Word has come to us that LEX BAKER delights in repeating sentences. . . . Did you know that JOE FORTENBERRY wears trousers fifty-four inches in length?

Through the courtesy of DR PIERLE some twenty-five or thirty chemistry students journeyed to Amarillo the other day and were allowed to visit the United States Helium Plant and the United States Zinc Smelter. If BOB ROWAN didn't find out about every thing that he saw it wasn't because he didn't ask questions. If hell is any hotter than a furnace room in a zinc smelter Gus warns each of his readers that he should begin living right at once.

We just can't help mentioning the fact that "BIBS" JAMESON and MARY CLARK are pleasing to the masculine eye. . . . GEORGE BISHOP can get away with more

in the way of class comments than any individual Gus knows. . . . It is rumored that TOMMY DRAPER likes to help the girls keep up in their laboratory work.

Gus said that he would have the name of that best dancer in print this week, but it would be an unheard of thing for us to do anything that we agreed to do. So we will let that proposition "ride" for awhile yet, but some "sweet" day that name will be in this column—so help us.

It is no wonder that Calvin Coolidge didn't waste words during his administration—he is getting over a dollar a piece for them now. . . . Some one has accused the United States of having most of the gold in the world. We should have—we have most of the gold diggers. . . . We wonder where FLORENCE THROCKMORTON gets that sweet disposition.

Gus feels that he must compliment DURWARD BROWN on the most decided improvement of his orchestra. In this connection we must say that we feel that the junior-senior prom was a success. Everybody seemed to have a "darn" good time. To whoever made that punch: It was excellent!

Poul happenings have been taking place, brethren! Attempts have been made to bribe Gus, the idea being to keep us from printing certain names in this column. Ladies and gentlemen, what will Washington say? What would Lincoln say? What would DOROTHY CASH say?

We suppose that it is next to impossible to get around the fact that JESSIE McDONALD is right up to par. . . . Now that all of the voting is over, we trust that no great number of students are in deep mourning. . . . GWENDOLYN BLACK said that if her game was ever used in this section again she would cut Gus's throat—but here it is! . . . MR. JONES says that it is a privilege to be born a man. What do you think?

"SLIM COMER has something to say for everybody—just ask him about that t. l. he has for you. . . . Our advice to the Buffalo is to

watch closely while WINFRED FOWLER plays that ball machine. . . . There really ought to be a law against afternoon classes on days such as we had the past week.

DON'T FORGET TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THAT ALL-COLLEGE DANCE FRIDAY WEEK!

Spring Football Training Closed; Coaches Pleased

"Our spring training in football should be worth a lot to us," said Coach Burton when interviewed this week. "I believe that we are as far along, if not farther, right now than we were after our first game last fall. In fact, I believe that we will start our season in the fall as nearly ready for the season's campaign as we were at the end of the second game last fall," continued the Buff Mentor.

When asked as to any weak spots that showed up in the spring game with Texas Tech on April 30, Coach Burton stated that our guards didn't look good, but anyone will remember that we lost our last year's guards and that the boys we had in there the other night were playing their first college football. "I expect great things of the three boys who played guard against Tech. Walker did some good kicking when called back to punt, and, with experience, he will make a powerful lineman. Higgins and Lovelace are mighty good young players; we are lucky to have them."

Football togs were checked in Monday after Saturday's game with Tech, and the coaches will turn their attention to spring basketball. About 25 men are expected to report for the hardwood drills.

W. T. has a correspondent student who lives in New York. She is Miss Ida Duke, 3005 Broadway, and she is taking Government 231 under Mr. Condron.

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The Tumbleweed

Editor: Marlon Hill
Sponsor: Mrs. Tommie Montfort.

Warwick Speaks to Social Science Class

Friday afternoon Representative Clyde W. Warwick spoke to the 2:30 section of the Social Science class on the present status of the Texas Legislature, and of his own experiences as a member of that body. He told his experience in introducing a bill, and the different steps taken in proposing and passing a bill. According to Mr. Warwick, 1600 bills were presented to the last Legislature. Mr. Warwick also discussed the age and occupation of the members of the House. The ages of the present legislators range from twenty-two to seventy-nine years, and the majority of them are lawyers and farmers, with a sprinkling of newspaper men. Mr. Warwick considers the greatest defect in the Legislature the large number of representatives and believes that if this number were decreased, there would be more and better laws passed and a better representation in general.

Assembly Program

The students of the W. T. High School enjoyed an interesting chapel program Saturday morning. Esther Lou Bandy made a report on her recent trip to Mineral Wells. Following the report, Miss Richardson, of the English department, told a story which she was told when she was in the tenth grade in high school.

All Organizations Contribute to the Museum Fund

All classes and other organizations in the Demonstration School have contributed to the Panhandle Historical Museum building fund. The organizations contributing include the freshman, sophomore, junior and senior classes; and the

Student Council. "Le Petit Mirage," "The Tumbleweed," Spanish Club, and Home Ec Club. The total amount donated by the preparatory school has exceeded the goal set for it by the student sponsors.

Home Ec Students Compete in Selection of Toys and Table Service

In addition to entering the clothing contest at the State Homemaking Rally held at Mineral Wells recently, the W. T. girls entered the contests in the selection of children's toys and in selection of table service for different occasions. Esther Lou Bandy entered the toy selection contest and Marcene Penick the table "cover" contest.

First honors went to W. T. High School in the group entry of children's garments, with a prize of five dollars. The contestants with their teacher, Miss Corella Nuzum, returned from Mineral Wells Sunday morning.

High School Commencement Schedule

Junior-Senior Banquet, April 25.
A. A. U. W. Reception to Senior Girls, May 5.
Senior Sneak Day, May 7.
All-night picnic for Seniors, May 14.

S. B. Whittenburg's party for Seniors, May 21.
Tentative grades for Seniors, May 21.

Scholarship Society Tea, May 23.
Latin Club Banquet, May 25.
Senior practice or Commencement Exercises, May 25.

Seniors with average of C excused, May 26-27.
Examinations at regular class periods, May 27.

Final grades turned in, May 28.
Commencement Sermon, May 29.
Commencement Exercises, May 30.

Alvin Ream has had as his guest the past week, Marvin Calliham, of Conway. Marvin intends to enter Canyon High School next year as a senior.

Senior Sneakers

The Senior class sneaked away from school Saturday to the Palo Duro canyon, where they spent a "rip-roaring" day. Besides climbing about in the canyon, wading, killing snakes, playing base-ball, and eating hamburgers, some excellent specimens of sunburn were obtained. (Reference: Opal Smith). Those desiring information about "snake belts" may see Quentin Ward.

Frances Alice Clark showed poetic genius by the use of such phrases as "pure and white as the driven snow."

We must credit Bill Nelson with sense when he kindly left opportunity for Quentin Ward to drive. Maxine Hammond is an excellent "crane" when it comes to "hoisting" people over streams. Ask L. E. Stewart.

How far is it to the bottom of the canyons? Willie Faye Bartlett probably knows.

Museum Fund

(Continued from page one)
museum will be so connected that they will be practically the same building when finished.

The campaign committee is now busy collecting the various pledges and is pleased to see the great amount of interest that is being taken by the students, townspeople, and others in the surrounding territory. A year ago in March the legislature made the promise of \$25,000 to W. T. for the purpose of building a museum, and the committee that is working on this say they cannot afford to fail. It will mean too much to the college.

LIFE

By Elvia Davenport—1926
There was a Magic Garden once,
Where fairest flowers grew,
Rosy mist and amethyst,
Flowers of every hue.

A maiden, wandering, entered there
On a merry morn, they say,
Her eyes as bright, her heart as light
As the songs they sing in May.

Came a knight a-riding by,
Brave and boldly wise,
Pausing marked her glowing cheeks
And the stars that were in her eyes.

Ah, the Southwind saw it all...
Saw and wept to see
As he softly went his way
Knowing what must be...

Saw the wicked spell was cast...
All her dreams were gone...
Rosy mist and amethyst,
They vanished in the sun!

Now in the Magic Garden, where
Ah, that it is so!...
Flowers lived and laughed and loved,
Cabbages grow!

NEW BOOKS YOU SHOULD READ

Harrison, Charles Yale. Clarence Darrow man of the people, 395p. \$4. Cape. 1931.

"I have stood for the weak and the poor. I have stood for the men who toll." This, in Clarence Darrow's own words, is the theme of his biography as told by his friend, Charles Yale Harrison. From his sobbing experiences in an Ohio schoolroom to the quietness of his Chicago home after a long life as philosopher, lawyer, iconoclast, anti-prohibitionist, anti-fascist, humanitarian, the orator and criminologist is presented in a lucid picture. Following a chronological order the account takes one into courtroom after courtroom only to suffer the pangs of anxiety that one never knew he felt. The fascination of the work lies not only in the charity of its presentation but also in the frequent quotations from the man, Darrow, whose very presence is felt on each page. For those who wish to know Darrow this book is to be commended; those who wish a criticism of the lawyer's opinions will not find it in this work.

This and the following are new additions to the rental shelf. Ask to see them.

Marie, Grand Duchess of Russia: Education of a Princess.

Deland: Captain Archer's Daughter.

Parrish: Loads of Love.

Fitzwilliams: 70,000 Witnesses.

Tessdale: Flame and Shadow.

Murchie: Men on the Horizon.

Barry: Tomorrow and Tomorrow.

Sayers: Second Omnibus of Crime.

Hughes: Murder in the Zoo.

Deepling: Old Wine and New.

WRANGLER ROUNDUP

Como ti-yi-yi-yi-yi-yi! Whoopee! What a round-up! What a round-up! Hot cowboy cooked right out in the open; everything in games from "follow the leader" on up and down the scale; short, peppy patrol meetings; and troop "sing-song" hour around the camp fire all went to make the Wrangler meeting Wednesday evening the best of the season. And can those Wranglers put the vim, vigor, and vitality into those old cowboy songs! Strangers passing along the way must have thought that a group of wild, "frontier days" cowboys who had come back to stir up the western plains.

As the last embers of the fire died out, the Wranglers joined hands and sang "Taps," vowing to make every future meeting as lively and interesting as the last one.

The next round-up is to be a joint meeting of the Wranglers and the Demonstration School scouts. It will be held Thursday afternoon, May 12, at 5:20 o'clock and will take the form of a weiner roast. Weiners will be furnished—provided every troop member turns in one dime for eats to her patrol leader. Each individual will bring a cup and spoon, pickles, fruit, cookies, or whatever else she wishes to add to the main dish—also a pocket knife if possible.

As a part of the program, the "Crafts" patrol will lay a trail which will be followed by the whole troop, the patrol working on games will provide four new games to be played, and the patrol working on songs will be prepared to teach some new songs to the troop. Also, Miss Militia Hill is to accompany the troops and give a demonstration in craft work.

Scouting books are now available in the children's library, and Wranglers are urged to prepare to pass their tenderfoot tests as soon as possible.

W. A. A. MEETING

W. A. A. held the last meeting of the quarter Wednesday, May 4. Mattie Jordan, president and senior, gave her "farewell address," expressing her appreciation for the co-operation of W. A. A. members with her during the year. Louise Holgate and Hazel Merritt, also seniors, told how they had enjoyed working in W. A. A.

The following officers were elected for the year 1932-33: Pauline Wilson, president; Allie McGehee, vice-president; Lillian Davis, secretary; Thelma Holly, corresponding secretary; Freda Gill, treasurer; Doris Harvey, publicity manager; Joseabel Rice, Prairie reporter; Mary Orton, President of T. O. C.

Alfred E. Smith, former candidate for United States presidency, was given first choice by the students at Loyola university, Chicago, in a recent straw vote. Ritchie and Dawes followed next in the order named. Hoover was fourth choice.

Madrigal Club

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and Canyon is fortunate in having one that has kept the same singers until they are thoroughly familiar with madrigal singing. The Madrigal Club in Canyon is the only organization of its kind in north-west Texas.

What Madrigals Are

Madrigals are sung a capella, that is without accompaniment. They may be arranged for three or more voices. They are a form of music particularly loved by English people since the days when every trade, every profession and every occasion had its appropriate madrigal expression. The revival of the form in America has been largely due to the efforts of Mr. Clippinger, who for years conducted the Chicago Madrigal Club, which held a contest in madrigal composition every year.

This program was to have been presented on April 26, but because of the illness of Mr. Clippinger, it was postponed. Mr. Clippinger is no doubt the best authority on madrigal music in the United States. In fact, it is largely through his efforts that this form of music attained such prominence it now enjoys in the United States.

Music Teachers Invited

Members of the Panhandle Music Teachers Association and of the South Plains Music Teachers Association have been invited to attend the concert as the guests of the College.

The 32 singers in the club from Canyon and Amarillo are: Sopranos: Ada V. Clark, Mrs. Wallace R. Clark, Mrs. L. F. Sheffy, Mrs. Carrie P. Stevenson, Mrs. C. O. Huber, Frances Snodgrass, Jennine Nelson, and Marie Bryan.

Altos: Pauline Brigham, Florence Snodgrass, Freda Oberst, Mrs. Lila Dean, Josephine Duflot, Thelma Brummett, Esther Boulware, and Novella Goodman.

Tenors: Dr. Frank M. Darnall, F. E. Savage, L. F. Sheffy, Roy Walrabenstein, Jordan Miller, Aubrey Wimberley, Broughton Hardin, and Wallace R. Clark.

Bassos: Dan K. Usery, C. E. Strain, Rev. L. R. Hudson, C. O. Huber, Noel Gollehon, Herschel Coffee, Maurice Williams, and Howard Trigg.

Program

The program as it is to be given is as follows:

"Now Spring in all her Glory," Arcadut, 1515.

"Matona, Lovely Maiden," Orlando Lassus 1530-1594.

"I know a Young Maiden," Orlando Lassus 1530-1594.

"Love Me Truly, Shepherdess," Jacques Lefeuere, 1613.

"Now is the Month of Maying," Thomas Marley, 1557-1603.

"Adoramus Te," Palestina 1525-1594.

"In these delightful, pleasant groves," Purcell, 1658?1695.

Address—"Madrigal and Madrigal Singing," Mr. Clippinger.

"Turn Ye to Me," Old Highland Melody, arranged by Roseter G. Cole.

"Dring to me with thine eyes," Old English, arranged by Roseter G. Cole.

"Would God I were the tender apple blossom," Old Irish, arranged by Roseter G. Cole.

"Here in Cool Grot," Earl of Morington.

"As Torrents, in Summer," Elgar.

"In Pride of May," Macfarlane.

"Goin' Home," Negro Spiritual, arranged by Dvorak-Fisher.

Besides this appearance at the concert, Mr. Clippinger will give a popular lecture, "The Meaning of Music" at the college assembly Tuesday, May 17, at eleven o'clock. This lecture is open to the public and Mr. Clark states that out-of-town guests will be especially welcome. The evening lecture is 50 cents. Students will be admitted on their student activity tickets.

IMPORTANT, MORE IMPORTANT MOST IMPORTANT

Hear Ye! Hear Ye! Students of W. T.!

No, this is not the heralds proclaiming a tournament among the noble knights of King Arthur's Round Table. It is an announcement of something far more interesting—a girls' amateur swimming meet. This vitally concerns all students.

Girls, here's your chance to show your stuff. You can swim, life-save, and dive to your heart's content. Any of you can do it.

Boys, you're not going to be left out either. Come see the girls turn their flips and race through the pool. You won't be bored.

Now for the usual questionnaire—When? Thursday night at 8:30.

Where? College swimming pool.

How Much? Just one dime for those who swim and those who watch.

Benefit? Museum Fund. Interested? Why, of course. Well, see Mrs. Shaw about entering. Come on! Where's your hat? Let's Go!

A model disarmament conference to which many colleges in the state plan to send delegates will be held at Augustana college, Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

Students enrolling in the school of dentistry at the University of Indiana are requested to bring in as many specimens of extracted teeth as they are able to locate.

Troutman, Senior Prexy, Has Made Good at West Texas

Herman Troutman of Dumas, Texas, who is taking his degree in June, is an example of what an ambitious West Texan can do. He has worked his way during all his college career. During his freshman year, he attended Colorado College, at Colorado Springs, where he washed dishes at one of the halls for his room and board. He then came to W. T. and worked in different yards over town to help pay his expenses. When he became a junior, he secured the position of assistant to L. S. Baker, head of the biology department and he has worked in the biology laboratory for two long sessions and one summer term. He has been president of his class this year.

These, briefly, are the highlights of his college career. Mr. Baker is expecting to send out a potential scientist when Herman takes his degree this spring.

PRAYER

Grant me, O God, the power to see

In every rose, eternity.

In every bud the coming day;

In every snow the promised May.

In every storm the legacy

Of rainbows smiling down at me!

—Virginia Wuerfel.

With a map of the universe in one hand and a world globe in the other, those in charge searched the earth's surface for a "theme" and finally decided to use "Finland" for that purpose. The event is an annual senior party, the school is Wheaton, Ill., College.

Visitors to the Panhandle Plains Historical Museum numbered 64 Saturday. Twenty of these came from Farwell, while many others came from Lazbuddy and some came from various rural schools of Randal and Potter Counties.

Irene: "Just think, man has learned to fly like a bird."

Carroll: "Yes, but he hasn't learned to sit on a barbed-wire fence yet."

Wayne Eubanks '30, brought a debating team from Friona for the meet.

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