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# **Senate Starts Work on Better** Social Program

A questionnaire designed to determine the number of students who dance and to find what type of entertainment is most desired by students, was distributed in the general assembly Saturday morning.

The questionnaire is the first step in the Student Senate's effort to provide the campus with a more complete social program. Lawrence McBee was appointed Tuesday to head a committee to draft a new program for the entire campus. Other members of the committee are Billy Norman and Dick Smith.

Results from the survey had not been tabulated late yesterday, but the committee will report its findings to the Senate this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. The questionnaire provided blanks for suggestions for campus entertainments. These suggestions will be considered by the Senate this afternoon, although it is thought likely that many of the suggestions will call for equipment which cannot be provided by the school at the present time.

The Senate will also hear reports from a committee appointed last week to formulate plans to assist in West Texas State's drive for a new science building. Members of this committee are Taft Holloway, Marvin Miller, and Margaret Esther

# Story of Lincoln Fascinates W. T. **Student Assembly**

Saturday by a new interpretation of an old story when Dr. Ray K. Immel, dean of speech at the University of Southern California, read a monologue depicting the virtues

A little country store where Lincoln had visited was the scene of the story, and an old chair where Lincoln had sat and swapped yarns with the storekeeper, Billy Brown, became the starting place of the storekeeper's tale. Someone had asked the storekeeper if he had known Lincoln, and he related a long story which traced the career of Honest Abe through the White scriptions of the honesty and other and acquired another. virtues of Lincoln related by a man

Dean Immel was scheduled to acting head of the speech depart- is aviation engineering. ment and a graduate of U.S.C.

Dr. Immel has written several books on speech work, and his latbooks on speech work, and his latest is "Speech Making," which was A Story of Dead Hands in Their Beer and released only two months ago.

## Lettered Sweaters For West Texas' Feminine Athletes

eight members of the Physical Ed- workshops of three young graduates ing onto a bush was he able to sur- vaded for protection. The snow gate and rescue her companion. last month. ucation Majors Club.

not permitted to order emblems.

sweaters are: Ivey Howard Terry, Relations Club speakers, who spoke the wanderers were forced to change lowed by the authorities of Persia. Imogene Dalton, Betty Lou O'Brien, Wednesday night, have traveled their course and cross a desert In fact, the three young men were Opal Pinnell, June Cope, and Ro- 39,000 miles on their bicycles since where the heat was almost unbear- suspected of being spies, but were Opal Pinnell, Julie Cope, and the mona Hamblen. Freshmen are 1933. They plan to continue their able. When their food supply gave exonerated by a letter from a mem-Doris Gee and Maybelle Tomlin.

## WILL PRACTICE LAW

Edwin Boedeker, graduate of West Texas State, recently was granted a license to practice law in this state. He is now a student in Baylor University. He plans to open a law office somewhere in West Texas ued. next summer. Boedeker, son of religion." All of the men were while they are in his house, he may the narrative of their journey. He Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Boedeker of near Plainview, taught three years at the Aiken school east of Plainview years ago to escape religious per- is the universal game of Afghanis- pared with Vienna, "the old lady." and was principal at Girard two

## WRITES CHRISTMAS TABLEAU

issue of Childhood Education mag- since India is under English rule. azine. Detailed suggestions were Experience Difficulties given for staging the exercise.

# Personality Queen Vote Opens Today Under New Ruling

Only those students who have turned in class pictures for Le Mirage, college yearbook, will be eligible to vote in the college personality Feature of Today's queen election it has been announced by the Student Senate.

Balloting will start today, and will continue until the close of this semester Jan. 26. Those who wish to vote must bring their ballots to itor, or Margaret Esther Hill, business manager.

Nine Nominees

Nine co-eds were nominated for songs and two old English songs. personality queen in the general assembly Saturday. Those Morning ... nominated are: Gaynelle Douglas, Drink to Me Only With Thine junior from Silverton; Dorothy Dickenson, senior from Silverton; Marian Miller, freshman from Sylvia Claude; Ernestine Ballard, sophomore from Amarillo; Charlotte Alice Tubb, senior from Canadian; Betty Jean Ball, sophomore from Tucumcari, N. M.; Mary Kerr, freshman from Vernon; Dolores Little, senior from Borger; and Kate Donnell, sophomore from Canyon.

Co-eds for the Le Mirage beauty Duna section will be chosen from photographs by an outside judge. Those nominees from each class will be eligible for the honor. Members of chose their nominees in class meet-

Senior, Sophomore Nominees Representing the senior class are: Reba Pool of Groom; Dorothy Dickenson, of Silverton; and Dolores Little from Borger. Sophomores are Betty Jeane Ball of Tucumcari,

W. T. students were fascinated N. M., Trula Mae Phegley of Lockney, and Mary Collins of Canyon. Each of the beauties selected will be given a full page in Le Mirage, and two pages will be devoted to the personality queen. The queen will also be crowned in a special ceremony late in February, and the three beauties selected will attend

## Just One Honor After Another For Joe Hill

Joe Hill, son of Dr. and Mrs. J.

who had known him well—Billy as president of the University creational basis. For the first time Texas Colleges are carrying almost branch of the American Society of this year a recognition is being intolerable teaching loads as one The monologue was written by Ida Mechanical Engineers, he was given to everyone taking part. Miss means of providing for larger stu-M. Carvell and has been classified elected president of the Pi Tau Hazel Evans is in charge of intra-dent bodies. as the best tribute to Lincoln in Sigma fraternity, a national honor- mural sports.

speak here Jan. 7 originally. His at the University of Texas next Gehee Lodge-will be presented at Williams, Ariz. She expects to reappearance was sponsored by the spring. Then he will either continue a tea in the home economics dining turn soon to Texas. local speech department, and he his studies in the University of room Friday evening from 5 until was introduced at the student as- Michigan or join an airplane man- 6 o'clock. Physical Education masembly by Dr. Baxter M. Geeting, ufacturing firm. His chief interest jors and captains of the team will elected to a position in the Floydada

# **Assembly Program**

West Texas State's Men's Chorus student assembly today.

The program included:

Eyes Passing By I Love a Parade. Stouthearted Men.

Battle of Jericho....

arr. by Bartholomew Less Than Other States Hoo-day Day arr. by Bartholomew Sourwood Mountain arr by Malin The Old Barn Dance arr by Lorenz McGill

Thanks Be to God.... Dickson The popular group will be featured over station KGNC in Amarillo on Monday, Jan. 23, at 8 o'clock. the senior and sophomore classes Prof. Clark will direct the chorus in a fifteen minute broadcast. Miss Frances Usery is accompanist for

## **Girls Participating** In Volley Ball Play Will Get Awards

More than one hundred awards will be presented to girls participating in intramural volley ball, it has

took part in intra-mural sports. The per cent. other 81 girls who played in the Need for Expansion tournament will receive only the buffalo heads.

House, re-election, and later to his A. Hill, recently relinquished one years that any kind of awards have meeting rising demands, and to death. The story gave many de- honor at the University of Texas been made to girls. There has been indicate the necessity for some plant a reorganization of the Women's and personnel expansions in the On the same night that he retired athletics to make it more on a re-

ary society of mechanical engineers. The letters, buffalo heads, and a Young Joe will complete his work plaque for the winning team-Mc- winter vacation in the mountains at be co-hostesses.

# Yearly Enrollment Buffaloes Make Home Cage Hike Reported by Debut With Victory Over College Presidents St. Mary's Rattlers

ported colleges of Texas have been called upon to accommodate a 10 per cent increase in enrollment over the previous long session, it was revealed at a conference of the senior college presidents of Texas, attended by Dr. J. A. Hill in Austin last week.

even more accelerated, and indi-Compositions by five modern cations point to another hike in the composers were included on the fall of this year. Legislative appro-Oley Speaks is \$175 for each full time student on the lower class levels, \$225 for each Old English student on the upper class and grad-Purcell uate levels, and in addition thereto Oley Speaks \$25 for each full-time student in Arlin technical courses. Estimates for the coming bienniel have been formu-Sigmund Romberg lated on the basis of a continuation of this formula.

A comparison of the appropriations for higher education in Texas with those of other progressive tax dollar for the purpose. Missouri and Wisconsin are spending twice as much as Texas, calculated as a percentage of the tax dollar. Of the total state expenditures, the amounts spent for higher education Will Visit W. T. in typical states were: Missouri, 8.48 per cent; Wisconsin, 7.96 per cent; Iowa, 6.58 per cent; California, 5.75 per cent; Illinois, 5.23 per cent Minnesota, 4.15 per cent; Texas 3.75 per cent.

This comparison is of 1936-37. Over the same period, Texas expended a total of \$144,572,102.11, of which the amount for higher education was \$5,424,595.36.

Increases during summer sessions were not considered in showing Members of the two winning that 62 per cent more students atteams, McGehee and Cousins, and tended Texas state colleges during the outstanding member of each the year 1937-38 than a decade team participating in the tourna- earlier. But while enrollments inwill receive letters, and a creased 62 per cent in this period, buffalo head, symbolizing that they appropriations increased only 6.3

The comparisons were made to

Seva Welch, '38, is spending a

Robert Earl Linder, '39, has been Schools.

## **Chairmen for Press** Contests Will Be **Chosen Tomorrow** The increase since 1936 has been Committee chairmen to assist with of forty-two voices under the direc- 6,088 students, bringing the total in entries in the Texas Intercollegiate tion of Prof. Wallace R. Clark were the state-supported institutions to Press Association will be appointed the publication office and turn them scheduled to appear at the regular 34,360. Registration this term was at a meeting of the Type High Club

tomorrow at 12:45 p. m. Chairmen, with the aid of Prof. Olin E. Hinkle, director of journalprogram with four American folk priations, based on a per capita ism, and members of the English system, are directly affected by the Department staff, will select the increases. This basis of support now best material from that submitted ing. by students. The T. I. P. A. conlication staffs.

with arrangements for the annual whistle blew. was made the permanent head- as the game ended. quarters of the organization last spring, and Prof. Hinkle was elected adviser. Members of the W. T. spending a smaller per cent of the School newspaper staffs are also assisting with arrangements for the series.

# Kirby Page, Author, Campus Feb. 2

Kirby Page, author of "Must We Go to War," one of the latest volumes of national interest, will visit the campus Feb. 2, as a guest of Y. W. C. A.

Mr. Page has made a definite contribution to the study of the ethical view of economic and social rela-

"Must We Go to War?" has been ordered by the local library, and should be on the shelf early this

Following is an evaluation of the volume from Booklist: "It is a realistic examination of present and past causes of today's tension which seems to point inevitably to a world show the burden which the state war. No powerful nation is shown This is the first time in several institutions have been carrying in to be lameless. It considers in detail States and international action which will help to keep this country out of war. One chapter con- the forum. tains thirty-one suggestions for peace action to be undertaken by the individual."

## Co-Eds Trapped in Room With Musty History Documents

Historical documents may be in-Society museum.

The two girls visited the museum be prepared? to obtain material for term themes. After gathering their data, they ATTENDS MEETING OF of the University of Bombay in In- vive. His bicycle was lost, but later sometimes reaches a depth of fif- However, to the surprise and A series of panel discussions were party. they attempted to open it.

other museum visitors, who had been Princeton,, Stanford, and Rice. attracted by the commotion, the blushing girls rushed from the building, clutching their documental of the Business and Professional

A motion picture dealing with Uhl, '38. swimming and life saving will be shown this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the auditorium of the Education All students who wish to attend

swimming classes are required to

Of the sixteen persons who compose the executive committee of the Texas State Teachers Association, three are ex-students of W. T. They are Superintendents A. D. Cummings, Floydada, Joe R. Humphrey, Iowa, is the author of a Christmas then begin the study of English, are trained to toss the goat to their societies there. A wealthy of the begin the study of English, are trained to toss the goat to their societies there. A wealthy of the begin the study of English, are trained to toss the goat to their societies there. A wealthy of the begin the study of English, are trained to toss the goat to their societies there. A wealthy of the begin the study of English, are trained to toss the goat to their societies there. A wealthy of the begin the study of English, are trained to toss the goat to their societies there. A wealthy of the begin the study of English, are trained to toss the goat to their societies there. A wealthy of the begin the study of English societies there. A wealthy of the begin the study of English such as the societies there. A societies there is the societies the societies there is the societies the societies there is the societies there is the societies there. A societies there is the societies the soc teacher at Hereford.

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## Raymond Shackelford, tall West Raymond Shackelford, tall West Texas center, used his hook-shot with rare accuracy last night in Burton Gymnasium to lead the Buffaloes in a 59-32 rout over the shorter St. Mary's University Rat-

Shackelford paced the scoring activities with 19 points followed by Croswell, Rattler center with 13. Joe Hayes, Buff speedster, handed his teammates an early lead by tossing in 3 baskets in rapid-fire order. Captain Lother Stephenson, cool and precise, turned in the stellar defensive performance of the even-

With but a few minutes of play tests are open to all students of the time remaining the Rattlers, unable College as well as members of pub- to work the ball in close for crip shots, turned to long range firing Type High members are assisting and rifled several in before the final

meeting of the Panhandle High Ernest Schur gave the crowd a School Press Association which last minute thrill when he made a meets here Feb. 4. West Texas State basket from the center of the court

Full squads of both teams were used during the game.

states showed that this state is High School and the Canyon High ans outplayed the Rattlers all the N. Hill of Borger, was the winning way in the first of the two game subject matter for sixth place. A large crowd of students and

stage fans filled Burton Gym to the jury included: cheer the Buffs in their opening

Gym. The game is again slated to

start at 8:00 o'clock.

# IRC Program on Theories of Reform **Tomorrow Night**

By Jerry Manzer

The Speech Forum, "Advocating Theories of Social Reform" which was originally scheduled for last week's meeting of the International Relations Club will be held tomorrow night in Room 202 of the Education building at 7:30 Communism, Socialism, Conservativeism Progressiveism, Liberalism, and Fascism, will be discussed by Alton Paul, bel Robinson, head of the West Tex-Glen Davis, Ruthe Klein, Elizabeth the foreign policy of the United Wood, Nell Stevenson, and Paul Photographic Artists Smyers. Dr. Baxter M. Geeting of the Speech department will conduct

The Forum seeks to present each of these theories from an intelligent point of view. With so many "isms' crowding the minds of the world today it behooves the college student to take advantage of this opportunity to get at the bottom of the situation and derive an honest opinion of the real facts presented. That is the thing that makes your opinion one to be respected and makes you a person of prominence teresting to read, but it's no fun to in your daily associations. The be locked up in a room full of them! complicated maze of modern civil-Such is the opinion of two W. T. ization makes it necessary that you co-eds who spent an uncomfortable be in a position to know. The time FATHER JANSEN TO DISCUSS half hour in the document room of is not far off when you are going to COMMUNISM AND THE U. S. the Panhandle-Plains Historical be called upon to make a decision

Coach Anthony Dougal, assistant night. where the people sleep outside in One of the first of these was the honor of being declared the best the gate was locked and being unable to attract anyone's attention, the forty-second annual meeting of FRESHMAN CLASS MEETING Another group of students will be discussed and where by Kharas as "the roof of the In Persia the wanderers were one of the girls finally managed, the College Physical Education Asdisplaying new athletic awards in control of their party fell into a meeting of the meeting of their party fell into a meeting of the meeting of their party fell into a meeting of the meeting of the meeting of their party fell into a meeting of the me white "W. T. Team" across the cycle or an automobile have been of their party fell into a rushing drift of snow which blocked the climb over the iron gate. She called the climb over the iron gate. white "W. T. Team across the cycle of the control of short were ordered Thursday by for six years the playgrounds and current of water, and only by hold-door of a hut which they had in- the person in charge to open the Chicago during the latter part of torium to nominate candidates for the control of the

chagrin of both girls the gate was led by such leading coaches as Lou not locked but merely stuck when Little of Columbia University, Elmer Layden of Notre Dame, and Embarrassed by the smiles of the representatives from Harvard,

> W. T. Exes are prominent in work Club at Plainview. Planning for the Pioneer Roundup which is an annual occasion are Maxine Sloneker, '39, Mattie Jordan, '29, and Augusta

Mody C. Boatright, '22, now a member of the faculty of the Uni- Building. versity of Texas, is co-editor of 'Coyote Wisdom," a new publication of the Texas Folklore Society. Mr. are invited, and girls enrolled in Boatright is author of another book entitled "Tall Tales.

> vertise BUT-Blue Books, fountain 202E. pens-for finals. Confections, sandwiches, malts, candy-for energy to stem the tide of the final test. THE COLLEGE OASIS.

Blake Lyde, '39, has been elected to teach history and coach at Loop, Texas, where J. G. Miller, '36, is superintendent. He begins his work

The Panhandle section's first general photographic exhibit is on the walls of the art room of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society museum here—99 prints selected by a salon jury from a larger number submitted.

The grand prize went to J. G. Dickenson of Amarillo, whose toned print, "Butane Tanks," won unanmous praise from the judges. Second place went to C. W. Seibel of Amarillo for his print of a statue of Abraham Lincoln, entitled "Let Your Light So Shine." Amarillo attorney, won third and fourth places with "Green Grapes" and "Ranch Bell." "Topper," a portrait of a dog, won fifth place for W. L. Pearson of Plainview. A small group silhouetted on the rim Coach Baggett's taller West Tex- of a horizon, the work of Lemore Honorable Mentions

Honorable mentions granted by "Experience," by Carl Benefiel,

Pampa; "Sylvan Pass," by W. L. The two teams play the last of the Darrah, Amarillo; "Storm Over two game series tonight in Burton Gym. The game is again slated to "Neighbor," by Fred Hart, Canyon; 'Power," by S. D. Burton, Canyon; "Sthelli," by Floyd V. Studer, Amarillo; "Dallas Mill," by R. R. Jarrett, Amarillo; "Glenn," by D. W. Godsey, Amarillo; "Winter Blossoms," by C. Don Hughes, Amarillo; "Summer Clouds," by Bud Wilson, Amarillo; "Anticipation," by J. G Dickinson, Amarillo; "North Shore," by R. R. Jarrett, Amarillo; "Coast Guard," by D. W. Godsey, Amarillo; "Cowboy," by W. L. Darrah, Amarillo; "Colts," by H. E. McCarley, Pampa; "From the Opery House, by Raymond Holbrook, Amarillo.

Many of the prints are photographically splendid and well composed, in the opinion of the judges, who were Jack Edwards and John R. Korkner of Amarillo and Miss Isaas State College department of art.

"There are many fine photographic artists who make their living doing something else," it was pointed out by Mr. Edwards.

More than two hundred persons saw the exhibit Sunday afternoon as it was being placed on the walls. Thousands are expected to see it, and other museum attractions, during the remainder of this month. The museum is open from 9 to 12 and 2 to 6 o'clock daily except Sunday, when the hours are 2 to 6 p. m. The exhibit is sponsored by the College department of art, with Olin E. Hinkle, director of journalism, as the director.

"Communism and the United in these matters. Are you going to States" will be the subject of the Rev. Charles Jansen's discussion at the weekly meeting of his discussion group in Room 202 of the Education Building at 7:30 o'clock Thursday

President Arvo Goddard has called beauty queen and to discuss a class

4:30 p. m. Student Senate. Wednesday 12:45 p. m. Type High Press Club.

6:30 p. m. Delta Zeta Chi Formal Initiation, 2008 Sixth Ave. 7:30 p. m. Tri Tau, Ed. Building.

7:30 p. m. I. R. C., Room 202, Ed

## Thursday

11:00 a. m. Freshman class meeting, auditorium Ad. Building. 11:00 a. m. Sophomore class meeting, room 211.

8:30 p. m. Father Jansen speaks We don't have anything to ad- on Communism and the U. S., room

## 5:00 p. m. Volley ball Tournament Tea.

8:30 p. m. Delta Zeta Presentation Dance, Ballroom, Cousins Hall.

Monday 8:00 p. m. Men's Chorus broadcast over KGNC.

# True Hospitality Related by Three Travelers Countries where the inhabitants | difficulties on their trip through | animal is literally torn apart. The | tried the gate of the room but were | COACHES stir beer with dead human hands, Afghanistan, Turkey, and Persia. winner's reward is the doubtful unable to open it. Concluding that

Another group of students will be order that travelers may enjoy the crossing of the Himalayas, described man of the year.

Freshman who won sweaters were dia, who spoke here Wednesday. Kaikee Kharas, Rustam Ghandhi, Upper classmen who will receive and Ruttan Shroff, International Tiber pass because of hostile natives,

trip four more years. Bombay to Europe

was told by Kharas. "Other nations passing caravan. do not have the right conception of Unusual Hospitality India," he said. "Most people think In Afghanistan they encountered our own efforts," Kharas com-

recovered.

Being unable to cross through the traveling virtually impossible. out, the men ate fruit which they ber of royalty in Afghanistan. Roads mistook for watermelon. They were were very bad in this country, and material tightly in their hands. The account of their trip from poisoned by the food and narrowly progress was slow as a result. Bombay to the European continent escaped death, being rescued by a "When we left Asia, we left hospital- FILM FOR SWIMMING

ours is a land of snake charmers." unusual hospitality. "However," mented. "We are not Hindus," he contin- Kharas laughed, "although the host Ghandhi Continues Narrative, "Hindu is the name of a must be very polite to his guests descended from natives from Persia shoot them after they leave if they mentioned Budapest as "The modwho fled to India more than 1300 displease him." Equally primitive ern young girl of Italy," as comtan, which is "played" by at least In Germany they were surprised by Kharas revealed that in India the 200 men each year. In this sport the strictness and cleanliness of ON EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE boys are first given a chance for a goat is killed and placed in an the tourist camps, where they were an education, and if there is enough open ditch. The object is to see examined by a doctor, forced to re-Miss Ruth Lowes, W. T. education money, the girls are allowed to go which man can get the goat back move their clothes and take a bath, Miss Ruth Lowes, W. 1. character to school. There the students learn to the starting point first without before being ordered to bed. Arrivand studying in the University of their provincial language during dismounting during the entire course ing in London with only \$15, they and studying in the University as their first three years in school and of the tourney. The riders' horses were hired as lecturers by one of the masters. After someone gets pos-session of the goat, the game re-bursed them handsomely, making it The travelers experienced many verts to a tug of war, in which the

teen or twenty feet deep and makes

No pictures or sketches were ality behind. From there we had to STUDENTS TODAY make our expenses, even lodging, by

From this point Ghandhi took up Building. (Continued on page two)

"Though we travel the world over to find the beautiful, we must carry it with us or we find it not."—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

# Dallas Columnist Gives W. T. Boost in Drive For Science Bldg.

As a rule, college professors ignore this column. No doubt they are justified in reading some other parts of the paper, and leaving this alone, for college professors get as far away from juvenility as possible after leaving their various classrooms. We are not saying we are juvenile, but we are fresh. At any rate, we have a letter from a professor working in West Texas State Teachers College, Canyon, and he is not feeling as good as he ought to. "We now have more than 1,000 resident students, hence we are larger than the average college in America," writes our professor. "We have and have had hundreds of students from dust-bowl farms and ranches-students who are able to live on as little as \$15 a month here. These students thumb rides to and from college two or three times a year, and they need an adjacent college where they can live frugally without embarrassment." It is true.

A little college well taught is like a little farm well tilled—a substance to begin our job as host to the Panand support for intelligence and ambition. The Canyon school needs a handle High School Press Associanew building, our friend the professor, says, "We are asking for our tion which meets on this campus" students a new science building," we read. And why not? Some may February 4. We must remember that have prejudice against the smaller colleges because they are supposed to we are playing host to about 250 rillo's most attractive young ladies. lack the facilities for instruction had by the larger and better advertised high school students from over the was suggested as candidate for institutions. But scholarship is in the scholar, not in the school. The big, Panhandle and it is our duty to show Beauty Queen of West Texas State expensive and famous seats of learning have their place in the educational them the time of their lives. They College in Assembly Saturday mornlife of our country, but the smaller and more localized institutions have are potential college students and ing. Miss Hoover is one of the most their places also. Many a youth has found his start and his inspiration in a small school relatively near his home, without which he could not in a small school relatively near his home, without which he could not hang out the hearty welcome to high in the selection. have hoped to gain a foothold in the world of art and letters and the these youngsters and send them sciences. State Press hopes the Canyon school will get its building and away as walking, talking, adverthat it may long continue to afford collegiate facilities for young men and tisements for our institution. That young women within neighboring distance.—State Press (J. J. Taylor, is the thing that gives us pride in the editor) in Dallas News.

### THE BUREAU OF STUDENT OPINION

Importance of student opinion is being recognized by the nation-wide have to wait for Dutch Longbine to interest shown in the results of the Student Opinion Surveys' reports. tell you that one. Meanwhile Sen-All classes and sizes of colleges are included in the bureau's membership of seventy-one.

The Bureau of Student Opinion sponsored by the Daily Texan at the University of Texas was formed under the guidance of Joe Belden final examinations, who was also responsible for starting the national bureau. Mrs. Roosevelt is included in the number who advocate the plan.

Recently a Mutual Broadcasting coast-to-coast hook-up carried a discussion on the national opinion bureau, and the results of recent surveys Hog Callers, went on a spree Satur- He sure gets in my hair. of student opinion on national and international situations is considered opinion of the citizens of the future.

These polls conducted through co-operative college branches are primarily attempts to sound out student thought.-D. H.

## IMPROVE YOUR READING ABILITY

The average college student of today must read five times as much as the older generations did. Just keeping up with those English and history assignments requires some sprinting.

Well, wouldn't it be nice to improve one's reading speed from 50 to about some trivial matter. 100 per cent? It can be done.

Best results are obtained from the use of remedial machines for that specific purpose. But a little practice will work wonders. Now get a rough estimate of your speed by reading an ordinary page

of textual material and having someone keep time. At the end of one minute, count the number of words read. As a college freshman you should cover 300 words a minute; as a senior, 350. An ordinary adult of the girls were rung. Appeared at Whether he be tall or short, can work up to 500 words a minute easily with practice. Some reviewers last, they with their sprouse, went And has a great big beaker. average 750.

With your deficiency in mind (Americans as a whole are a nation of reading cripples) try the following receipe for speeding up reading and, incidentally, speeding up education:

Don't say the words to yourself.

Read by phrases, not word-by-word ,and force yourself to absorb the meaning at a glance—one glance. Never glance back. This is the During the next half-hour Cousins largest time consuming habit.

Read rhythmically. A metronome, or even beating time with ment of music never before equaled. ployed an artist to touch up a large And I have given it to you. the hand, helps at first.

4. Force yourself to read at a glance a little faster than is com- gled with the assorted music, such Disregard your inability at first to grasp the meaning satisfactorily.

5. Approach your reading with an attitude of genuine concentration. The more purposeful your reading, the more rapid it will be.

Eliminate whispering and pointing.

Try to anticipate the author, so it won't be necessary to read every fight over Canyon girls? Further word

Learn the art of skipping.

9. Finally, progress from phrase-reading to sentences and even paragraphs.—T. C. U. Skiff.

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Edited by Jerry Manzer

Believe it or not, but here is the unvarnished truth. Activity chatter is running shy this week because students of this institution are having to study. From every nook and corner there seems to come the same answer. What can be the meaning of this? And all after I sent out warning last week that one should not let studying interfere with his college education. Will someone please tell me what this college life is

Since we are in a more serious'

And there's the one about the girl and the setting sun, but I'll ator Billy Norman of the sophomore class tells me that the new song hit, "It Makes No Difference Now," is going to be his theme song after

The new organization on the Slumped over in a chair, day night according to the latest report. The president and the vice- I feel this hour will never end. president gargled throat-medicine That dreadful monotone! to ease the longing pain in their He speaks of pain and suffering throats, until they were no longer able to call hogs or indulge in any My God! I think we've known! preliminary procedure. Free cigars were passed to the general public I've heard of Hell and awful things by Senator Philbert Schuhart. Where one could get no rest, Senator Schuhart differed with him Ranks high among the best.

night during intermission, Alton Paul, Jerry Knowles, and several others gave Randall Hall the bum's rush. For at least one hour they Now words of wisdom may be spoken sat and rang bells and all but two From every blessed speaker, to the remainder of the dance.

Cousins Hall was awakened at But if he cannot put it over, 6:30 a. m. by a thickly said, "Change We have to sit and nobly listenpartners and dance!" When they looked out of the window, what did Dear Reader, WHERE IS THE they see but a car on the front lawn. Hall was presented with an assort- decided to repair its properties em- It is the greatest I can give, In an undertone was heard, minexclamations as, "Ain't she pretty, and, "Change partners and dance." For particulars see some of the town's chronic drunkards.

Why is it that Amarillo boys details will be furnished by Mary quiet when the travelers were visit-Kate Bourland and Jerry Dodd.

PRATTER. and may the best woman win.

this one with all his love: "The in the ground." height of indifference is, when a Visit Pyramids man sees a black speck in his pudding and doesn't give a hoot wheth- enjoyed a visit to the pyramilds er it is a fly or a raisin."

wins have something in common. tion which is called, "The Lion. Who's afraid of the big bad wolf, The name originated from the habit eh girls? Bill didn't you know of some of the lions of the jungle that women would drive you to an nearby, who frequently sit on the early grave?

Trips to the Dean. Trips to the Library.

Trips over the curbing. Trip-lets.

THE PARTS OF SPEECH

librists try to write sentences with- in California.

ADJECTIVE: A word of richness in polite society

ADVERBE: split an infinitive.

writing a telegram or a thousand would be a better language to know word theme.

**EPITAPH** 

Miss Googie Hoover, one of Ama-

CIGARETTES

Let 'em refuse 'em and abuse 'em, I don't care if they don't choose 'em But I hate their air of virtue To their "Thanks, I never use 'em.'

Roommate (during intermission): How do you like the date I dug up for you?

Ditto: Rotten! Throw her back and start digging some place else!

AN EDITORIAL IN VERSE by Elizabeth Hardgrove and Bill Lonbine

Here I sit with eyes half open campus, The Royal Order of the The speaker farther onward drones,

minds,

Buzzy Stapleton was injured when But as for pain, this dreadful hour

His words of woe are killing me, At the senior party Saturday He seems in greatest pain; He blows and blusters like the wind They are the footprints of Angels. Before a four inch rain.

BLAME?

A old church in Belgium having painting. Upon presenting his bill,

possible for them to continue their travels at once Spain was comparatively quiet

ing there, as the civil war did not break out until ten months later. One of the most interesting sights PRATTER . . . . . (F. W. L.) One of the most interesting sights of that country was the unusual nees for personality queen of the dance which was seen in one of College. A group of very beautiful public squares. "I could not tell young ladies have been nominated, that they were dancing by watching them," stated Ghandhi. "The men merely stomped their feet on the It is reported that Peg Word is ground for many hours. Then the giving our honorable bus driver, Guy judge awarded the prize to the Ivey, the old maid's rush. Luck to best dancer. I was curious as to how he could decide the winner, but the man pointed out that the Dick Smith of Canyon sends us winner had made the biggest hole

On their visit to Egypt the men and Ghandhi related the history of these century-old monuments. The Bill Ferrell and the McGowan speaker was told of a railroad staplatform. When this occurs the TRIPS WE COULD DO WITHOUT train usually goes by and waits on a siding until the lions leave. Of their trip through South

America Ghandhi remarked, "Rio de Janeiro is the most beautiful city we have visited.'

The little party made its way to NOUN: What you call your girl. the United States through Central There are proper nouns and com- America. After their arrival, they mon nouns. The proper noun is visited the southern states and then what you introduce her to other returned to the East. From there folks by. The common noun is they went to Canada. They plan to travel to China, Japan, the Phil-VERB: What freshmen and vers ippines, after they spend some time

Speak Eleven Languages

The speakers declined to discuss and vigor which must not be used politics or religion in their addresses here. Ghandhi revealed that the CONJUNCTION: What you stall trio spoke eleven languages. These around with when you don't know included English, Persian, Turkish German and Spanish. He remarked What you use to that if a person planned to travel first-class in Europe, English was ARTICLE: Word of indefinite a valuable language; but if another value, depending whether you are means of travel is used, German He was reluctant to express his

opinion of the United States, finally admitting that the American Breathes there the man with soul people are never satisfied with the riches which they possess, but al-Who never to himself hath said— ways want more than they have.

the committee in charge refused Of praise, I longed for thee. My THE PRAIRIE payment unless the details were specified; whereupon he presented O let my soul recall thy mighty love! the items as follows:

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putting new ribbons on his bonnet \$3.02 Putting new tail on rooster of

St. Peter and mending his

Repluming and gilding left wing of Guardian Angel Renewing Heaven, adjusting the stars and cleaning up

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Rebordering the robes of Herod and adjusting his wig Cleaning Balaam's Ass and putting on new shoe. Putting ear-rings in Sarah's \$2.04 with the Rev. Alfred M. Dorsett

Putting new stone in David's sling and extending Saul's legs Mending shirt of Prodigal Son and cleaning his ear ....

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Foster Watkins. Whispering-Jack Pate. Alone-William Mayo Fields. It Isn't Fair—Peggy Word. Say It With Music-E. C. Carver. Deep in a Dream-Bill Cone. Deep as the Ocean-Bill Ferrell Cross Your Heart-Jerry Manzer. Take Me Out to the Ball Game-L. Riley.

CELESTIAL PRINTS You call them stars, But I know They are the footprints of Angels Every night, God's Angels walk across the sky;

And where they step, Golden dust glistens till dawn. Call them stars if you will. I know

-'Beth M.

You may be a genius, Try to make a moron

PROVERB

Believe it.

Beloved, know that I trust you:

Know that I have confidence in you. More than my faith I can give to

PSALM FORTY-TWO As pants the heart after the waterbrook.

So pants my soul for thee, O Lord; I thirst For thee! In vain, through tears, O

God, I look For thee. E'en in the temple, 'midst the burst

soul is sore!

Thy blessing shall sweep over me! Once more,

\$5.12 I know thy songs shall thrill me in the night! And I will say to thee: Mighty Rock

My Soul, why hast thine heart for-

gotten me? \$2.20 Why do mine enemies reproach my

\$4.17 And cause my soul to question after thee?

Be not cast down within me, Soul but praise The healing God, and hope thou in

his ways! -Mary Beth M.

MRS. IRENE J. BECKETT AND

\$7.18 PARK CHAMBERLAIN MARRY Mrs. Irene J. Beckett, daughter \$4.00 of Mr. and Mrs. George Jones, and Park L. Chamberlain of Clarendon \$1.70 were married at the First Presby-

terian Church here Friday evening

officiating. Mrs. Chamberlain attended high \$6.13 school here and was graduated from West Texas State College. She has \$3.90 been instructor of art and drawing

at the Memphis Junior High School The Eyes Have it-Kaki West- for the past two years and has taken an active part in the Palo Duro

Mr. Chamberlain, son of Mrs. B. There ought to be a moonlight W. Chamberlain of Clarendon, resaving time—George Wright and ceived his education at the University of the South and the University of Texas. He succeeded Don't Tell a Soul-Ruth Roberts. his father, the late B .W. Chamberlain, pioneer of Donley county, in the ranching industry.

Those attending the wedding were Mrs. George Jones, Edith Joe Beckett, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gidden, of Canyon, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerome D. Stocking of Clarendon.

Mrs. Gidden attended the bride, and Jerome Stocking was best man. Mrs. T. V. Reeves is speaking to the Presbyterian Women's Auxil-

terian church. Miss Isabelle Robinson, head of the W. T. Department of Art, spoke on "Art and Religion" at the Presbyterian Christian Endeavor Sunday

iary and Guild today at the Presby-

Supt. Blake Bolton and Prin. H. H. Jackson of Dalhart were interviewing prospective teachers here service obtainable. Thursday.

evening.

Rutgers University has opened a new course for city officials in the fundamentals of municipal finance

A scientist at the University of Michigan has uncovered evidence which he says indicates that the first barbecue was held 1100 years ago.

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## son, Virginia Murray, Fred Hart. SPEAKS AT DEDICATION

President J. A. Hill made the principal address at the dedication. ceremonies for a new gymnasium, manual training room and home economics room at the Adrian public school Friday afternoon, Jan. 6.

He stated that Adrian had one of the most modern school plants of any town its size in the Panhandle. J. C. Baker, Jr., Mr. Hammit, and Mrs. Levi, W. T. exes, are on the faculty of the school. Mrs. Hill and J. C. Baker, Sr., ac-

ceremonies Supt. Knox Kinard of Hereford visited the campus Thursday.

companied President Hill to the

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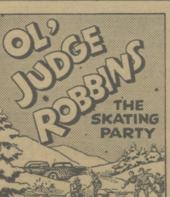
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# **TriTauPresented** At Formal Dance

Friday the thirteenth lost its conventional meaning to eight W. T. eds Friday night when their status was officially changed from Tri Tau pledge to member at the organization's formal presentation dance held in the ballroom of cousins Hall.

New members were introduced by President Bryan Morgan as they entered the ballroom through the Red Room door which was surmounted by a large silver "T."

The ballroom was cleverly decorated in the club colors, red and gray. Large club emblems were spotlighted with colored lights at each end of the dance floor.

Raymond Raillard and his Tophatters read their notes from behind huge music racks in the form of Tri Tau emblems.

Pledges and their guests were: Srnest Vernon, Mary Alice Patterson; Branch Archer, Evangeline Baker; Howard Williamson, Dorothy Yearwood; L. F. Cleek, Virginia Edmondson; Billy Cass Harter, Anne Dell Sligar; Lymon Davenport, Martha Jo Newlin; Guy Ivey, Peggy Word; and Russell McKinley, Ruth

Members and their dates included: J. D. Smith, Ruth Ann Hill; Ardis Patman, Dorothy McCormick; Bryan Morgan, Carmel Lee Guinn; Marvin Sams, Maxine Hoyle; Bill Klein, Jaunita Goettsche; Ed Spann, Mary Rose Keim; Dan Hemphill, Ernestine Cundiff; Chris Blondi, Bertie Belle Culp; Lannie Line, Frances Wilkens; E. C. Carver, Ruth Mc-Cullen; Jack Pate, Jane Williams; Ira Hutchens, Edna Brillhart.

Former members of the club and their guests were: W. J. Hill, Mrs. Evelyn Dale Hill; Owen Thornton, Mrs. Kathleen Thornton; Owen Harvey, Mrs. June Guinn Harvey.

Guests included: Ralph O'Keefe, Kay Sawyer; L. G. Penick, Ruth Erma Garrett; Calvin Craig, Ruth Hill; Glenn Culberson, Doris Gee; Kenneth Hohlaus, Margaret Esther Hill; Melvyn Cullender, Jerry Tomlinson; Burwood Brown, Billie Ruth King; Dick Smith, Jane Boone; Ed- for chiffon over taffeta. Many of ward Line, Kay Wakefield; Harley them are done with multi-layers of Goettsche, Helen Whittenburg; Bob sheer material. In connection with Linder, Dorothy Powell; Malcolm this dominance of full skirts, it Bull, Mary Margaret Pate; Jack Ed- must be remarked that hoops are Schur, Maurine Hoyle; Wyndon proven too cumbersome for dancing. Fain, Kaki Westmoreland; Jarold Evans, Mildred Merchant; Joe Rog- for pale shade or white, but beige ers, Betty Jean Ball; Roger Town- is the color that's really coming to send, Joan Thompson; Taft Hollo- the front, and also a great deal of way, Mary Walton; Raymond Rail- pink. Dark colors and bright colors lard, Frances Pitts; Bill French, are making a fast exit. Rhinestone Pearl Kilmer; Leon Williams, Ferne trimmings are conspicuous on frocks Fry; Bill Longbine, Mary Kerr; and another aspect of studied for-Kenneth Gibson, Dorothy Jean mality is the very low decolletage Mullins; Royce Jones, Veda Mae front and back, although the strap-Peterson; Paul Smyer, Ruthe Klein; less are fewer. Foster Watkins, Ann Pallmeyer; George Wright, Dorothy Dickenson; quilted must be over-lorked Davis Thompson, Charlie Mae Winkler; George Stapleton, Patri- what you haven't cia Jean Smith; Lawrence McBee, Charlotte Tubb; Le Roy Davie, Fer- have you noticed the trend toward menetta Sawyer; Chester Hunkapil- comfort in footwear? Flatheels and lar, Bette Sample; Pete Woods, anklets are the thing now. Wool Helen Eoff; J. C. Bellah, Reba Pool; suits with short coats are really Robert McKenzie, Hope Bussey; Arvo Goddard, Mavoureen Gofford; taken these over as the best things Rex Galloup, Annette White; Sam to put on and wear almost anywhere. Burton, Jacqueline Tabor; Robert Orton, Roberta Turner; Bill Ballard, for this week, but if anyone has Trula Mae Phegley; James Vaug- anything they would like to add to han, Vera Storey: Bill Harris, Effyle this column, why don't you just jot Whitsett; Glyndon Riley, Marcelete it down and turn it in at the Prai-Reid; L. B. Floyd, Nell Midclaf; A. rie office. G. Thornton, Bonnie McDonald;

Faculty guests included: President At Wellington and Mrs. J. A. Hill, Mrs. Anne Wofford, Mrs. Agnes Smith, Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Pierle, Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Jarrett, Miss Edna Graham, Mrs. Geraldine Green, Prof. and Mrs. J. L. Duflot, Mrs. L. S. Baker, Dr. B. F. Fronabarger, and Registrar and Mrs. D. A. Shirley.

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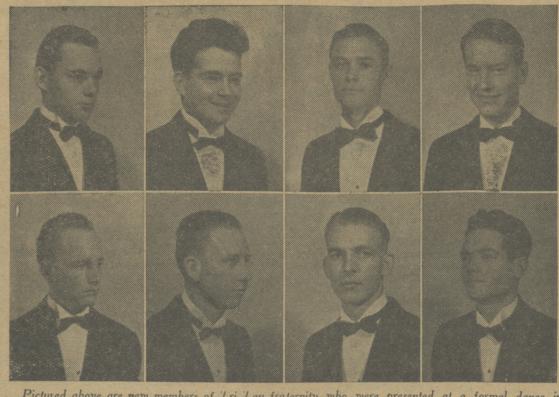
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# Eight Members | New Members of Tri Tau



Pictured above are new members of Iri I au fraternity who were presented at a formal dance in Cousins Hall ballroom Friday night. From left to right they are: First row, Russell McKinley, Amarillo; Guy Ivey, Amarillo; Branch Archer, Canyon; Howard Williamson, Hereford; second row, Lyman Davenport, Childress; L. F. Cleek, Panhandle; Ernest Vernon, Amarillo; Billy Harter, Canyon.



With all these presentation dances coming and going, all the babes on the campus are wondering which dress to wear and why. Let's take see what's the latest thing for evening and we might glance at other styles.

For evening, skirts are fuller than ever, and there is a definite trend Mary Collins; Ernest considerably less worn, having

There is definitely a preference

In mentioning fabrics, lace and

Now, go home and look over those Northcutt; Alva Clary, Odessa frocks and see what you have and

Looking at other styles for school

having their day. The campus has I suppose that's about enough said

Louis Cole, Mildred Cole; John Hop- Martha Faye Handley kins, Mary Elizabeth Seeds; and Weds John Lee

> Miss Martha Faye Handley became the bride of John Lee, former W. T. student and athlete, in a candlelight ceremony at Wellington. Saturday. The Rev. R. L. Butler of Dimmitt read the ceremony.

> The bride wore royal purple with silver accessories. She carried white

> Miss Mary Lee, sister of the brideroom, was maid of honor. Charley Crouch of Amarillo was best man. Mrs. Lee is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Handley of Wellington. Mr. Lee attended Amarillo High School and Amarillo College. He was graduated here in 1936. He taught in the Farwell schools one year, and now teaches mathematics and physical education in Wellington Junior High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McLaury attended the wedding from here.

HOME ECONOMICS TEA HELD TUESDAY

The Home Economics Club served a tea Tuesday afternoon in the Home Economics Dining Room. Tea was poured from a silver tea service by Margaret Walker. Nut cookies and caramels were served with the tea.

Decorations were symbolic of disappointed New Year's resolutions A large stork formed the center piece for the tea table, and small tables were arranged in the back of the room, representing a cozy tea

shop. Home Economics teas are given twice monthly. All home economics majors are invited to come and bring their friends.

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Delta Zetas Will

Present Fourteen

**New Members** 

Delta Zeta Chi will formally present fourteen new members to W. T. Saturday night.

beginning at 8 o'clock.

Shirley Ann Oliver, Canyon; Cleo Bourland, Canyon; Jerry Alvey, Wellington; Kaki Westmoreland, Canyon; Jimmie Sullivan, Amarillo; Ruth Roberts, Amarillo; Kay Sawley; and Retti Meek, Lamesa.

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minent books are to be given at a Sanders spoke on "Establishing a general meeting of the Y. W. C. A. Sense of Security" at the personal-The reception, presentation, and on Friday, Jan. 20, in the demondance will be held in the ballroom stration room of the Education and reception hall of Cousins Hall building. Miss Oscie Sanders will in general meetings to bring out survey his works in the field of re- the results of the group thinking New members to be presented are ligion as particularly shown in "Jesus or Christianity."

Miss Mary Moss Richardson, program. Vernon; Virginia Lee Fortenberry, speaking on enrichment of personal living, will review "Living Creatively." Prof. S. H. Condron will discuss the socialogical and intera peek into some style notes and yer, Canadian; Bette Sample, Ama- national relations problems. This rillo; Maxine and Maurine Hoyle, program is being given in prepar-Plainview; Eula Faye Foster, Mc- ation to Mr. Page's visit on Feb. 2, Lean; Dorothy Jean Mullins, Hart- and all college students are invited to attend.

Under the direction of Miss Oscie Love and Mystery in a Co-ed Sanders, teacher of Bible, and College! Read "DEATH AND THE Frances Campbell, general program MAIDEN"-a New Thriller by Q. chairman, the five groups formed at Patrick-Appearing in The American | the beginning of the year completed Weekly, the Magazine Distributed the first half of their work this with the SUNDAY CHICAGO HER- week. An interesting laboratory project was carried on by the "Art in Everyday Life" group, directed

See the COLLEGE OASIS for your by Frances Somerville and Mattie coration and home beautifying, they have set up and furnished model Lee Gordon, '38, has been elected houses in the different income

larrive at a religious philosophy ham University

## Y. W. Will Hear Reviews of Books By Kirby Page

Reviews of Kirby Page's most product, and La Nelle Scheihagen. Miss

the Pennsylvania College for Wo-

Elaine Oliver and Anita Cleland with their group have attempted to eleven student publications at Ford-

### Speaker-Whistler Variety Featured



Miss Esther McRuer of Chicago, who is a famous whistling soloist and speaker, will appear at the Presbyterian Church Sunday morning. She is a representative of the Presbyterian Board of National Missions and speaks at a Youth Conference in Amarillo Saturday before coming here Sunday.

# **Historical Project** Will Get Under Way Very Soon

Dr. L. F. Sheffy has been named "Personality" and "Preparation for sponsor of the WPA project which has been approved for the benefit of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society. WPA has approved \$26,094 for this project, which will be carried on in 26 Panhandle counties.

Dr. Sheffy will name a supervisor Next semester the groups will meet for the project within the next two weeks and a crew will be started on the work. Historical data will be in this semester. Each interest gathered from each of the counties group will be responsible for one and this material deposited in the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society An authority now tells us that if Museum on the campus of W. T. Abraham Lincoln had studied Latin

A Columbia University cloakroom attendant who had been employed by the university for twenty-eight Latin would have so changed his years left that institution \$500 in her vocabulary that his speech would not have lived. Why didn't we learn will. that while we were in high school?

In the U.S. there are 675 en-

dowed colleges and universities which have a total of more than Harvard University students have started a movement to provide \$1,500,000,000 in endowment. special scholarships for citizens of Frances Tidwell, '39, has been

collection of 4,000 old and rare Wheeler.

per cent of the students enrolled in the remainder of this school year.

Etaoin: I know that girl well. She was little.

sat on my lap last night.

# **Restored Shovel-**Jawed Wastodon **Attracts Visitors**

Little Johnny, visiting the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society museum here for the first time will probably call it-with exclamations -an elephant, but to scientists it is Amebelodon Hicksi.

The long extinct mastodon, which inhabited these plains five million years ago, has been restored to life size and appearance and placed in the basement annex of the museum. There it gives a surprising reception to persons who turn a corner on the stairway and see the huge specimen for the first time. The model was made under the direction of Prof. C. Stuart Johnston, head of the department of geology and anthropology, by G. T. Sundstrom, a preparator of many skills.

The restoration is the only one ever made of this species of mastodon, a 4-ton, shovel-tusked vegetarian which frequented the water courses. The life-like model resembles an elephant, but has small ears and a longish body. It was modeled after bones found near Higgins. The museum staff laid out the bones-a rare find-and traced the shape and bulk before making a small model. Then work was started with timbers papier-mache, plaster of paris, hail screen, burlap, and other materials The completed model weighs about 400 pounds but is easily moved because it is on rollers placed under

The restoration was made possible by the fact that a WPA scientific project is providing the museum with excavation crews and specialized workers who preserve the specimens. The museum has the most complete fossil collections of record in many phases of paleon-

tology Contemporaries of the mastodon which has been restored were the camel, 3-toed horse, saber-toothed tiger, rhinoceros, and bear-like dog. However, the tiger was much smaller and weaker than the one represented by a complete, and rare, skeleton at the museum, obtained

from the asphalt pits of California. A complete skull of the Amebeloelected to teach in the primary don Hicksi, the only one in exist-The University of Michigan has a grades of the Corn Valley School, ence, is on display at the museum. Visitors are enabled to compare this skull and other bones with the big Shirley Turk, '39, has been elected model. Much skill was required in Marriage is the life-goal of 96 to teach home economics in Turkye the modeling, but Mr. Sundstrom is an artist, sculptor, taxidermist, photographer, amateur paleontologist, and preparator of unusual versatilused to sit on my lap when she ity. He is now working on cases which will show the bob white and Shrdlu: I know her better. She the lobo wolf in their native habi-

# SKIING IS EXCITING! "But don't let nerve tension spoil your fun . . .

Exactly 125 students work on the

Cousins Hall Saturday night.

Music for dancing in the ballroom

was furnished by Billy McEachern

and his Orchestra. Table games

were played in the reception room

by members of the faculty, seniors

through studying the topic of "Coming of Age in Religion." It has been

their purpose to apply Christianity

to everyday relations in the church,

"What Do We Do After College'

has been the problem of Ruth Reeve

and Mary Byerly's group. This

week they applied vocations to the

The other two groups working on

Marriage" have been guided by Mil-

dred Lust, Edythe Wise, Lela Loud-

there would have been no Gettys-

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# City for Next Game Buffaloes Go To Oklahoma

# In Classen Gym

According to the calendar, the Buffaloes, following the Rattler game tonight, will prepare to move over into Sooner territory for two tilts with the Oklahoma City University Goldbugs, Jan. 20-21.

Coach Melvin Binford's Goldshirted Bugs will be set to revenge a twin licking the locals pinned on them last year in a whirlwind melee The tall Buffs had to depend on some sharp offensive thrusts to sift through the smaller Goldbugs' airtight defense and open the latent offensive power of both clubs. Slaughter and Bryan are back performing for the Binford crew and they are bolstered by a fine bunch of last years' freshmen including Otis Lisle, who has been playing ball with the Park's Clothiers, a widely known amateur club.

Coach Baggett has sharpened his offense by speeding up the Buffaloes game to take advantage of a quartet of speedy guards. This defensive crew breaks down the floor fast with the ball while the lanky and slower forwards and center are leaving the enemy's basket zone.

# Frosh Competition **Expected Soon**

Possibility that competition for West Texas State's sensational freshman cage team will be forthcoming in a short time has many cage fans eagerly looking toward the future. Negotiations are being carried on with New Mexico Military Institute, Eastern New Mexico Juninor College, Texas Tech, and Wayland Junior College.

Present plans call for a twogame series here and a series away from home.

The first year crew has been working out daily under the guidance of Coach Jack Curtice, and it flashes new improvements in some form every day. For years they have been literally "straining at the bit" to get at some tough competition from the outside. So far their only game has been against Amarillo College, and the one-sided score offers a poor index to the strength of the club.

Still holding the spotlight in the rose of Owensboro, Ky., Price Brookwin of Anton. All are well on their

### CALVES WIN OVER KAFFIR TEAM

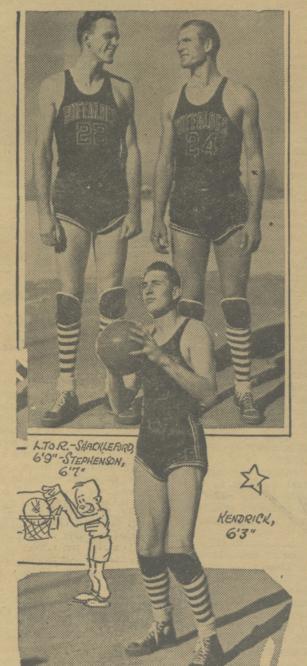
West Texas high school pulled one out of the books in downing a scrappy Kaffir quintet, Tuesday afternoon, 23-21. Under a sevenpoint handicap, the success-minded Kaffir five staged a last minute rally that tied the score 21-21. Harlev Gordon. West Texas forward. then sank the winning shot from the side court just as the final whistle sounded

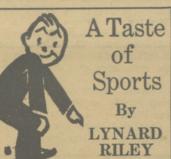
Both teams played a fast brand of ball, which kept the spectators on their feet as the game rocked back and forth, with the Calves and Kaffir alternating in the lead role. Ebling, captain of the Kaffir squad, was the spear head of their offensive drives. Playing all over the court, he sank five baskets to tie with Gordon for the high point in the Oklahoma City All-College

Tulia for a return game with Kaffir, a team in the tourney that surpassed Tuesday night. And on Saturday, the towering Buffaloes in ability. Jan. 21, West Texas high school will They had to spot nearly every team stage their first basketball tourna- in the meet several days practicement. Teams from Tulia, Happy, and that spells a bit of difference Amarillo and other outlying towns in the final results. have been sent invitations to enter.

Dr. E. H. Hereford, college examiner from the State Department of Education in Austin, made his annual visit to W. T. Thursday.

To Play Sooners Three of the Tallest on the World's Tallest Team





This corner was no little surprised daily workouts are: John W. Prim- on learning of the marital step of field of Friona, Charles Halbert of was your columnist's roommate House, N. M., Franklin Stockman down in the Courts last year and a of Malta Bend, Mo., and Elvis Ed- darn keen guy. In fact if a popularity poll was taken down at the way toward becoming stellar varsity Buffalo Courts, Taylor, I'm sure, would rate the honor. His shy, unassuming manner makes him tops with everyone he meets.

> The impending series with the Oklahoma City University Goldbugs reminds me of a story I heard some time ago. Back in '36, the Goldbugs invaded the Panhandle with a touted outfit that had just thrashed the daylights out of the California University Bears. They were pretty cocky about it too until game time when a duo of West Texas State stars, Willie Boedecker and George Ray Colvin, showed the clever Oklahomans how to play the game. The Buffs walked off with both games of the series and sent the Sooners home with a new opinion of Panhandle basketball.

After seeing some fine basketball tournament the Buffs are snapping The W. T. Calves will journey to out of it tremendously. There wasn't

I hate to see the ear-pulling and fistic sports fade out of the picture on the W. T. campus. Too well I recall the fervent, zealous followers created by this sport last

year. West Texas has some fine scrappers as portrayed by the fact they ran off with most of the honors in tournaments around the

A student from Puerto Rico has won her class spelling championship at College of New Rochelle.

Most popular non-athletic extra-curricular activity at the University Geo. I. Taylor of Maine is the stage.

# Forfeits Mar **Cage Tourney**

Forfeits led the field in the last week's intramural play. El Pueblo forfeited to the Court's Freshmen, Moonshiners forfeited to the Epsilon Betas, Tri Taus forfeited to Edmondson, i the Whirling Dervishes, Epsilon Davis, g Betas forfeited to the Moonshiners, L. Williams, c. and Alpha Sigs forfeited to the B. Lyde, 8\_\_\_\_ Freshmen. Also Epsilon Betas, Top Matney, g o' Texas and the El Pueblo fives DeGregory, g have withdrawn from the tournament due to their forfeits.

Out of the maze of forfeits four Rosebuds (14) clubs establish themselves as the Culp, f pre-finals favorites. The T Club, T S. Burgess, f Anchor Aggies and Whirling Der- Walker, c ... vishes are undefeated, while a dark Erts, g horse, Hillbillies, after getting a slow start are climbing to one of Edmondson, f the top positions.

Results last week: Dervishes (46) fg ft Brown, f ..... Morgan, c Brown, g Totals... Alpha Sigs (26)

Sisson, f Childers, f Townsend, c. Schuhart, g Totals. Rosebuds (15) fg Walker. f ..... S. Burgess, c. E. Burgess, c...

Mules (11) Devin, f ... Lyde, f Culwell, c Tibbetts, g

Howard, g r Anchor (50) Jones, f

Kelley, g \_\_ Totals Freshmen (26) 14 E. Ricketts, f 4 Lockhart, f 18 Richardson, c Hill, g H. Ricketts, g Tri Tau (12) Harter, f Hutchinson, f Cleek, c Morgan, g Hembree, g Totals. T Club (35) Edmondson, f Williams, c DeGregory, f Matney, f 15 Davis, f Wood, g Horton, g Mules (21) 0 Noble, f ... Ralls. f 11 Tibbetts, f

Totals\_\_\_\_25

Alpha Sigs (15) fg ft

S. Schuhart, f \_\_\_\_ 1

Jones, f ..... Hill, c Childress, g

T Club (25)

6 Bachelors (43) "IT PAYS TO LOOK WELL"

J. M. Daugherty

THE BUFFALO BARBER SHOP

6 Bailey, f - Smith, f 50 Harvey, c tp Mitchell, c 3 Taylor, g 4 Tri Tau (9) Cleek, f Harter, f tp Hembree, c Hoile, g Dervishes (37) fg Brown, f \_ Ward, f Morgan, c Brown, g Moonshiners (28) fg ft pf tp Canyon in 1930.

6 Haley, c 2 Milner, g NOTICE TO FACULTY Faculty members are notified,

that they need not worry about pictures for the 1939 Le Mirage. These will be taken by members of Those leaving school at the end of

the term, must make reservations for their yearbooks now.

Miss Ruth Elaine Shotwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shotwell of Perryton, both ex-students of W. T., died Jan. 7 and was buried 4 last Monday. She was thirteen years old and the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Shotwell. They moved from

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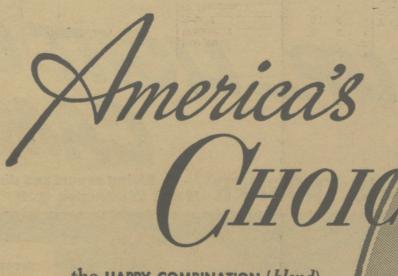
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