

Record Vote Gives Decisions to Goddard and Wilkerson

Play Marks End
Of Year's Dramas

"Room Service" On Senior
Program For May 16
And 17—Butler Directs

"Room Service," senior play to be presented in the auditorium of the Education Building May 16 and 17, marks the end of the dramatics season for the year. The complete casts of "Room Service" and the two previous plays of the year, "You Can't Take It With You" and "Night of January 16th," have totaled nearly a hundred roles besides 25 stage managers, prop men, and stage crew workers.

All parts were filled by try-outs under the direction of Prof. James Butler of the speech department. The dramatics opportunities for West Texas Students have been enlarged also by an acting class, which has 53 members, and an advanced dramatics class of about 15 members. The first production of the year, "You Can't Take It With You" which had 24 characters, included everything from fireworks to an arrest of the entire cast for a plot to dynamite the White House, and everybody from toe-dancers to Russian nobility.

This hilarious farce was followed by a more serious play, "Night of January 16th," a murder trial which was presented before a packed house for three nights in the Randall County court room. A verdict for the trial was given by a jury selected from the audience. The final production of the year, "Room Service" has been cast and is in the fourth week of rehearsal. Two changes have been made in the cast since previously announced; the romantic lead will be played by La Verne Pollard, and Jim Tout will play the part of Dr. Glass.

Comedy Promised

"Room Service" promises to be a brutal assault on the funny-bone. In it a shoestring producer named Miller, who has an unpaid \$1,200 hotel bill, a hungry cast of 22, and no backer for his play, resorts to a series of masterful devices to keep going. On the theory that no hotel may eject an invalid, he arranges the bogus illness, and ultimately the bogus death of his playwright, Leo Davis, a fresh-faced boy from Muleshoe, played by Mickey Ledrick. But Producer Miller, Joe Crisler, (See ROOM SERVICE, page 3)

Dalhart Girl
Named Older
Girls' President

Miss Helen Bernson of Dalhart was elected president of the Older Girls' Conference at the organization meeting of the group here. She and other officers were installed during a candle light ceremony, April 27.

Other officers elected were Miss Marcella Weigley of Amarillo, vice-president; and Miss Rena Rae Renfro of Hereford, secretary.

Breakfast was served buffet style Sunday morning in the home economics room of West Texas State College, and a picnic style lunch there at noon.

Amarillo senior high school girls were in charge of a banquet Saturday night, when red, white, and blue colors were used and small flags were used as favors. Miss Juanita Kinsey of Wichita Falls Junior College spoke on "Spring-time"—theme of the conference—as a time for preparation for life's winters. Miss Mary Byerly, president of the College YWCA, welcomed the group, and Mrs. T. V. Reeves invited the conference to return to Canyon for its regular meeting. Group singing was led by Miss Jane Williams. Miss Elizabeth Hudspeth was pianist.

Group discussion Sunday morning were led by Miss Kinsey and by Miss Alma Hall of Hereford.

Nicholson Speaks
On Education and
The World Crisis

Capt. A. A. Nicholson spoke before the general assembly Tuesday morning on the subject, "America's Future Depends Upon Education." Capt. Nicholson, who is personnel director of the Texas Company, is on an extended lecture tour through the Southwest.

Speaking rapidly with a complete mastery of the English language, Nicholson praised the opportunities offered by an educational institution as West Texas State, and compared the facilities here with those in the war-torn countries abroad.

New Editor



DELBERT MCGUIRE

President Hill
Appoints Heads

Student Senate's List
Of Publication Officers
Officially Approved

Names of paid executives of student publications for the 1941-42 session of West Texas State College have been announced by President J. A. Hill, who approved recommendations of the Student Senate. The Senate's selections were made from a list of eligibles compiled by Olin E. Hinkle, director of journalism, and present publications executives.

The editorship of The Prairie, student newspaper will go to Delbert McGuire of Wellington. Roy Cheatham of Panhandle will be business manager, succeeding himself in a position he has held one semester. They will be juniors next year.

Le Mirage, the yearbook will be edited by Miss Charlotte Buchanan of White Deer. Miss Mabel Back of McLean was the choice for yearbook business manager. They will be juniors next year.

Three present executives will be graduated this spring. They are Fred Hart, editor, and Miss Nell Stevenson, business manager, of the yearbook, and Dan Hemphill of Littlefield, editor of the student newspaper.

The Prairie placed second in the state in its classification at the recent annual meeting of the Texas Intercollegiate Press Association. Le Mirage, now in production at Russell Stationery Company in Amarillo, will have six pages in full color this year. The cover shows a herd of buffalo passing the light-house formation in Palo Duro canyon.

Campus Menjous
Will Vie For
Recognition Here

Five best dressed men will be selected from College males this week and announced next Tuesday in a contest sponsored by The Prairie.

Only students will be considered by the unannounced committee of judges.

The student paper annually sponsors a contest to name the men who display the most acceptable wearing apparel. The decisions will not be based wholly on the appearance of the week, but it is hoped that the contest will encourage men to be the campus' best dressed every week.

Prof. Condron
To Nashville

Prof. S. H. Condron of the department of government will attend a meeting of the General Board of Education of the Methodist Church in Nashville, Tenn., May 6-8.

Prof. Condron is a member of the Local Church committee, one of the three divisions of the Board. Two other groups are the Church and Higher Education and the Church Press committees. He is one of two laymen and two ministers attending from Texas. The annual policy of the church in the field of education is to be outlined at this annual meeting.

In addition Prof. Condron will make plans for his teaching at one of two National summer training schools in August at Mt. Sequoia, Ark. He is the author of a recent article appearing in the Adult Student, Methodist Church magazine, entitled "A Strong Study Program for Adults."

Seniors Consider
Vocations Here

Experts Advise And Instruct
High School Graduates On
Their Chosen Profession

A new program was introduced on the campus of West Texas State during Senior Day, when each visiting high school student was assigned a meeting wherein his chosen vocation was discussed by an expert in the field.

Starting at 10:30 in the morning with a general assembly in the Education auditorium, President J. A. Hill welcomed the visitors, and Dr. A. M. Meyer gave requisites for choosing a vocation.

The Swing Four, College orchestra, and Miss Louise Roach, vocalist, entertained the group with two selections, and Norman Whisenand gave imitations.

This program, originated by the Marlin, Texas, High School, is to be an annual affair on Senior Day and is designed to acquaint the graduates with the workings of this college in the field of a chosen profession, and to furnish an expert to answer any questions on which they might desire information.

Speakers for the special session included: Don Scromburg, Braniff Airways; chemistry, George Bishop and James Divilbiss; government workers, J. C. Ely, head of the Amarillo post office; journalism, Louis T. Nordyke of the Amarillo News and Globe staff, and radio, Johnny Lynn of KGNC.

Other speakers were: Health, Hellen Hickman, College nurse; home economics, Margaret Barrett, head of the W. T. home economics department; music, Wallace R. Clark, head of the music department; office work, Lee Johnson, head of the business administration department; woodwork, John A. Gillis, head of the manual training department; army, Sgt. R. D. Short; agriculture, B. W. McGinnis; beautician, Mrs. M. Hancher; education, Dean Harris M. Cook; and engineering, Bob Rea.

President Hill
In Austin for
Board Meeting

Dr. J. A. Hill is in Austin attending the annual meeting of the Board of Regents.

While in the capital he will be called upon to re-allocate the budget for the College when the free conference committee has completed its work. The House and Senate bills for the support of higher education are similar in the case of West Texas State, although in general the upper chamber was the more thoroughgoing in reducing institutions' requests. The Senate allowed \$200,000 for a local science building, however, while the House specified \$175,000. The governor must approve the appropriation before it is final.

Dr. Hill also will attend a meeting in Houston called in connection with an endowment plan for encouraging aviation. He will attend a banquet there Wednesday evening.

Virgil Henson, business manager of the College, was in Austin last week on official business.

Dr. Williams
Will Return for
Summer Session

Don G. Williams will return to the West Texas State College summer session June 4 and he will be Dr. Williams by virtue of having received the Ph. D. degree from Stanford University since he was here two years ago.

He is coming back to teach radio and audio-visual education. He is the most popular and accepted of several instructors in this field who have taught here.

Last summer the local course was the second largest in Texas, with 90 students enrolled. Only the University of Texas, of sixteen colleges offering similar work, had a larger group. For several years the course here has been one of the largest in the country.

Films used in the course include many taken from the film library of the College. This growing library includes only films approved after careful examination of the pictures. Distribution is centered in the Bureau of Public Service.

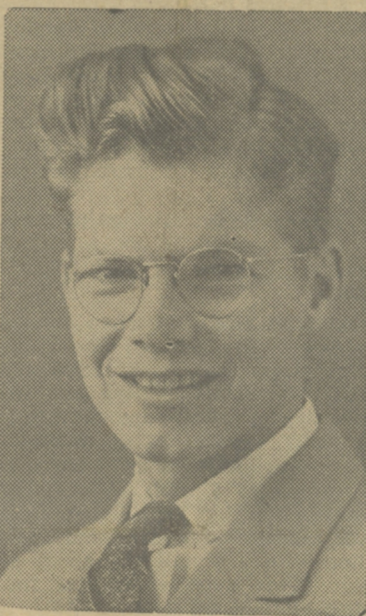
Leslie Stitt, '37, who has been employed by the Franklin Serum Company in Amarillo, has accepted a position in San Antonio with the Crockett Laboratories.

New Prexy Is
'People's Choice'

Arvo Goddard's Promotion
To Association Presidency
Marks First Test

It didn't take an election to make it known that Arvo Goddard is a favorite of West Texas students.

Unopposed last year in his race for the vice-president's job in the Students' Association, his win last week for the highest student office as president of the Association marks the first test of the Lil Abner's following. Arvo, next year a senior, came here from Pampa,



ARVO GODDARD

married a Canyon girl, and lives here now.

This husky, 22-year-old, dusty blond really goes to town best as a spontaneous yell leader. His enthusiasm emanates in other ways, however. His real political career started as a freshman. When Pampa moved in virtually all of its high school graduates, the near majority vote made Goddard president of the freshman class. This year he has served as chairman of the Student Senate.

Applications for
N. Y. A. of Next
Year Are Due

The NYA Committee, assuming that aid to students will be continued, is already considering the student personnel for next year. Students who are interested in securing NYA work for next year should secure proper blanks from the committee and place their applications on file immediately.

This includes those who are now doing NYA work who find it necessary to continue working for part of their college expenses in order to return to school next year.

The amount of aid this year through the NYA is \$12,060 as compared with \$12,690 last year. Aid has been extended this year to 143 individual students. The average amount earned monthly per student this year has been a little over \$12.

The NYA Committee is composed of Prof. S. H. Condron, Dr. Harris M. Cook, Dr. B. F. Fronabarger, Mrs. Geraldine Green, and C. A. Murray. The committee desires to express its full appreciation for the splendid cooperation throughout the year of NYA students and supervisors," said Mr. Murray, chairman of the committee.

High School Teachers
Of Spanish Banquet

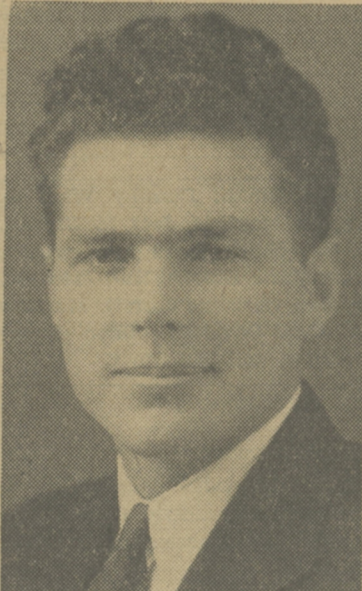
Spanish teachers from Panhandle high schools were entertained with a banquet served in the Home Economics dining room by Home Economics club members.

Miss Mary E. Hudspeth, head of the Spanish department, was in charge of the program.

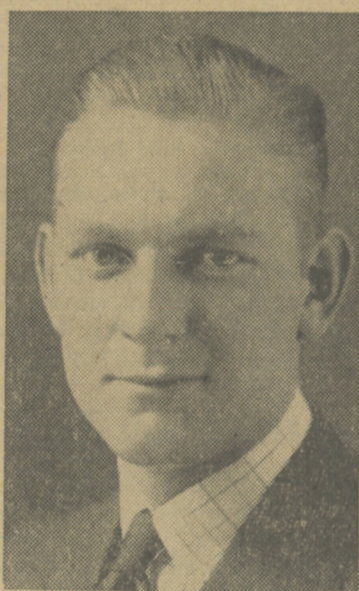
Happy Band Has Charge
Of College Assembly

The Happy High School band was scheduled to present a full hour program in general assembly today at 11 o'clock. Directed by Douglas Forbes, the band played selections of several types.

Officers for 1941-42



CHARLES WILKERSON



GARLAND TURNER

Madrigal Club
Presents Concert

Wednesday Evening is Date
Of Spring Recital By
Department of Music

The annual spring concert of the West Texas State College Madrigal Club will be presented on Wednesday evening, May 7.

Prof. Wallace R. Clark, an outstanding madrigal authority, will open the concert at 8:15 p. m.

The first half of the program will consist of old madrigals, many having their origin in the early 15th century. These are taken from the club's great madrigal library, a gift of the late D. A. Clippinger and his Chicago Madrigal Club. Many of the songs are almost priceless and are no longer obtainable. Some are very early lithographed copies.

At the intermission, Prof. Houston Bright will make a short talk on the development of the madrigal. He did much research on this subject while working on a Master's thesis.

In the last half of the concert, the songs will be more modern selections.

The College Madrigal Club is one of the comparatively few American organizations doing madrigals in the traditional manner. Mr. Clippinger, foremost American madrigal authority, gave his library—a collection of a lifetime—to the local club in recognition of its outstanding work. Prof. Clark was a pupil of Mr. Clippinger.

The spring concert will be presented in the auditorium of the Education building at 8:15 p. m. Thirty-two selected voices will be directed by Prof. Wallace R. Clark.

The madrigals will be sung in two groups. In the first will be the following: "Now Spring in All Her Glory," Arcadelt, 1515; "Adoramus te Christe," Giuseppe Corsi, 17th century; "When All Alone," Girolamo Converso, 1580; "Ah, Could My Eyes," Lassus, 1581; "When Flow'ry Meadows Deck the Year," Palestrina, 1590; "Ye Banks and Braes," Scottish melody, Lambeth; "Richard of Taunton Dene," Somersetshire folk song.

In the last group of songs will be the following: "Madrigal," Geo. B. Nevins; "Rest Comes at Eve," Adolf Jensen; "I'll Never Turn Back No More," Nathaniel Dett; "Summer Evening," Houston Bright, WTSC; "Hospodi Pomilui," Russian prayer, Lvovsky; "Cherubim Song in G," Tschalkowski; "A Roundelay," Adolf Weidig.

The song by Houston Bright is one of a number the young music instructor at West Texas State has written this year. "The Roundelay" is a prize song of the Chicago Madrigal Club included in the gift to West Texas State.

Art Exhibit
In Museum

An exhibit of prints by Texas artists is on display in the art room of the Panhandle-Plains museum, where it will remain through May 15.

The pictures are the work of the Lone Star Printmakers. Prints are offered for sale at prices ranging from \$5 to \$8.

Exhibitors include Olin Travis, William Elliott, H. O. Robertson, Merritt Mauzey, Alexander Hogue, Ward Lockwood, Chas. T. Bowling, Edmund Kinsinger, Otis Dozier, E. G. Elsenlohr, Don Brown, Everett Spruce, Jerry Bywaters, William Lester, John Douglass, and Reveau Bassett.

The prints are etchings, lithographs, and block prints.

Turner, Maddox
Carry Classes

Senate Seats Are Objects
Of Close Battles—Hoskins
Wins Secretary Position

In a record vote with 770 ballots cast, the election was fired by Arvo Goddard Wednesday in winning the office of Students' Association president with the largest margin of any race. The popular former Panaman left a home town boy, Mickey Ledrick, behind 450 to 308.

Charles Wilkerson of Houston topped Jim McCray of Panhandle by four votes to gain the vice-presidency of the Association for the 1941-42 term. Wilkerson, currently a Senate member and chairman for next year, received 376 counts in the race. Both Goddard and Wilkerson were sponsored by the Average Students' Party.

Wide interest in the election had been predicted but placards and party sheets intensified student participation beyond any previous campus poll. In 1938, 596 students voted in the election—the first under the present constitution. Several officers selected Wednesday won by tight squeezes; two offices had candidates tied for first.

Hoskins Edges In

Twenty-one votes made a comfortable margin—in this election—for Vera Beth Hoskins in winning the secretary-treasury position of the Association. Viola Archer, who received 368 votes, was a Students' party candidate for the office. Similarly, Garland Turner of Donie, current Association head, received a favorite nod from the senior class when he polled 17 more votes than B. Raymond Evans for the class presidency. Turner was sponsored by the Average Students' ticket. Evans was checked by 74.

Alvin Lee of Booker bowed to Jack Maddox of Quanah in a 90 to 86 dash for the junior class president position. Maddox claimed "honkeytonk sponsorship"; Lee was an Average party candidate. The sophomores divided their votes between B. A. Davis, of Pampa, John Thomas Sharp of Canyon, and Bill Webb of Kirkland, but they gave a clear majority to the latter classmate.

Five Names Withdrawn

Five names were dropped from the ballot after printing on request of the candidates themselves. The withdrawal of O. T. Schupbach, Martha Frances Campbell of Canyon, Howard Weatherly of Panhandle, Jack Hesse of Pampa, and Richard Kilgore of Pampa, was interpreted as party action.

Perhaps the wildest battle of all was for membership in the Student Senate. In the senior division, Bob Miller of Olton overpowered Olin Reed of Abernathy, 83 to 80; (See ELECTION, page 3)

B. A. Department
Will Continue
Short Course

The business department, second largest in the college, will continue the two-year short course in business administration next fall. In addition it plans to offer courses in sophomore shorthand and advanced typing. Classes in typing, shorthand, and bookkeeping will be offered for freshmen attending summer school.

The special course will be run on one or two year courses and the department will issue a Certificate of Proficiency for the work completed. In this way a student can take two years of business work and then enter the business world.

At present the department lists six teachers: Prof. Lee Johnson, Prof. Robert Hibbits, Prof. Herschel Jennings, Miss Louise Holgate, Mr. Tom Langston, and Dr. A. Kirk Knott. There are 459 student tickets registered in this department.

"My Home Town"
Contest Tomorrow

A contest sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be held in the Education Building auditorium on Wednesday. At that time, high school students from all over the Panhandle will speak on the subject "My Home Town."

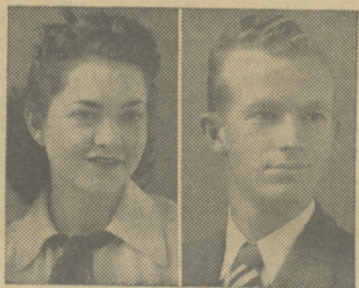
The speeches will be five minutes long, and the winner will be given an opportunity to speak before the state meeting of the Chamber of Commerce. Local chapters of the Chamber are expected to pay the expenses of the winners attending the state meet.

Entrance applications have been received from Memphis, Clarendon, West Texas High, Canyon High, Perryton, and Amarillo high schools.



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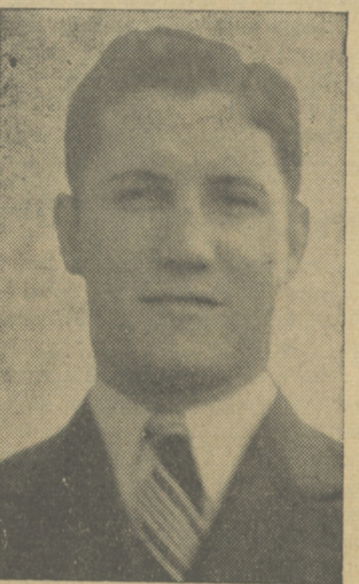
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BEN COLLINS



CHARLES JOHNSON

Future Farmers Hold
Annual Spring Dance

Future Farmers of America sponsored an annual Spring Dance Saturday night in Burton Gym.

Alva Thornburg is president and Prof. T. M. Moore and Prof. Milton Morris were the faculty members at the dance.

Hart Palpitations

By Fred Hart

Wandered into Mrs. Green's office last week to get a little information on a matter or two. While waiting, I began to browse through a book, and when I finally left, I borrowed the book.

Now why I borrowed the book, I'll never know for I am not one of those needing to ponder "Gentlemen Behave," a book of etiquette for men.

Interested in reading the article on Business conduct to find it is permissible to take your secretary to lunch if you don't sit in a dark corner. Now all I need is lunch and a secretary.

In the group under College: College life is divided into two classes, steady thinkers, and steady drinkers. (No reference to the election.)

And with only so many more college days this term, study is becoming even more popular.

The next thing that should come before the Student Senate is a plan for another All-College picnic. Surely all those who attended the one last year would favor another.

A sight you should see is Dr. and Mrs. Freed and Prof. and Mrs. Butler on a bicycle trip. They ought to take up horsebackriding—it's more Western.

And at the Gamma Phi Spring Fiesta, Muriel Fay Phlegley was clad in an ensemble resembling a lady-bug. A stunning outfit with a white top and motley red skirt.

The pledges were all decorated with high combs and flowing pieces of net cloth in the approved Spanish style.

"And the Rains Came," and many picnics have had to be changed to another day.

How is your health? With Spring comes the old-fashioned time for lasses and sulphur; but, most of the moderns do not continue this practice, and several are not feeling so "hot" these days. So, to have an enjoyable end to a wonderful year, watch your health.

RECOMMENDATION OF THE WEEK:

A floating bridge between the Ad and Ed Buildings.

Museum Banquet To Be May 9

Dr. Carroll, Coombes Will Speak At Annual Panhandle Society Meet

Reservations for the annual banquet of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society already are being received by Dr. L. F. Sheffy, executive secretary and Prof. W. L. Vaughan, treasurer.

Plates will be one dollar each. Reservations will close at noon on Thursday, May 8.

The annual sessions will be held Friday, May 9. These will include two program meetings with outstanding speakers. In the afternoon, beginning at 3:30 o'clock at Cousins Hall, Dr. H. B. Carroll of the University of Texas will speak on the significance of the Texan Santa Fe expedition. He is a leading authority on western trails. The public will be invited to attend this session.

Judge James D. Hamlin of Farwell, president of the Society, will be toastmaster at the banquet, which is set for 7 p. m. The main speaker will be Judge C. E. Toombes of Stamford, pioneer West Texas builder whose subject will be "Ways and Means of Yesterday."

Among the visitors at the sessions this year will be Mr. and Mrs. Temple H. Morrow of Dallas. Mr. Morrow is a grandson of Sam Houston.

Among the developments at the Panhandle-Plains museum lately has been Dr. J. A. Hill's announcement that, beginning next August 1, C. Boone McClure will join the museum staff as assistant curator.

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Learning by Doing

It is well known that employers put a high value upon ability to accomplish tasks which not always are regarded as properly a part of the educative process. Sometimes new employees are expected to fit into a situation with a minimum of "Breaking in."

Fortunately, we think, employers in general are coming to recognize that such factors as personality, background, and ability to become quickly adjusted to situations are more important than detailed knowledge of some routine or progress. For the routine may be mastered, often, in a fortnight, whereas the other factors involve years of training.

Educators, at the same time, have recognized that formerly too little attention was given to personality development, leadership, and understanding of human relationships. Increasingly are opportunities being afforded for experience in handling people.

West Texas State College students are taking responsibilities as groups. Some recent examples are the trips to high schools being arranged by the Student Senate, the Vocational Day promoted by the Class of 1941, the entertainment of the Older Girls' Conference by the Y. W. C. A., and the responsibility for feeding several groups assumed by home economics girls with a minimum of faculty supervision.

These accomplishments represent a democracy at work. They are important because they are adventures in democracy rather than studies about democracy, merely. Education too long has contented itself with conversation—certainly a safer method of studying folks, but largely a barren one in terms of well-rounded development of citizens.

Times of national crisis always produce leaders, often from unexpected sources. Minor crises, similarly productive, occur in the lives of students suddenly faced with responsibilities touching other persons. Educators should deliberately and diligently seek such opportunities for students. West Texas State is pointed in the right direction. There should be an intensification of the program.

Schools, Too, Have "Public Enemies"

Defacement of property and bad manners are problems well known to school authorities and not unknown to colleges.

An interesting campaign against these evils is being waged by the Little Harvester, weekly newspaper of Pampa High School. The paper, a page in the Pampa Daily News, is printing a series of pictures on right and wrong ways to enter doorways, go up and down stairways, and otherwise exhibit judgment and courtesy. Noise in hallways is being discouraged by a war on "heels."

Another picture shows Public Enemy No. 1—the student who defaces a school building or by carelessness makes it untidy. The student shown is defacing a desk with a knife. During Cleanup Week, Pampa students are using sandpaper, varnish, soap, water, rags, and especially energy in removing evidences of their thoughtlessness in recent months. Other students have repaired and in some instances have refinished desks.

Pampa high school students have an unusual motive in their clean-up. Next year they will occupy a fine new building. They wish to leave the old one in good condition for the junior high students who will occupy it next fall.

And that's good citizenship at any age and in any institution.

Go to Church Sunday

Is an attack on the churches unjustified? Is going to church an adventure? A condensed article in a January issue of the Reader's Digest fairly answers several pertinent questions. A few excerpts have been selected.

I have found out that churches today are dispensing something I need, and that church and religion go together. And I state with assurance that the critics of the churches today don't know what they are talking about. True, a minority of churches still offer a dull, repellent form of salvation, some in ugly buildings, some with painful music, some with humdrum ministers. But you don't have to go to those churches, nor need you condemn all churches because some fail.

Now I am for the churches because they have something for me, and something for civilization.

In a world haunted by violence, churches do their human best to represent the spirit. I am warmly grateful for that when I am in church. Significantly, the two nations which are officially anti-church are the nations of Communism and Nazism; the nations where the churches flourish are the democracies, where the spirit of man is free.

William Penn said, "Men must be governed by God or they will be ruled by tyrants." The world today is his witness.

It is an exciting spiritual adventure, this going to church.

Whether or not we realize it, each of us has a personal spiritual quest. It is only ourselves we cheat if we ignore it. In this, or all ages, it is time we were about that quest. I find the churches a good place to pursue it.

He also will be field representative for the College. Mr. McClure, a graduate of West Texas State and of the University of Texas, is principal of Childress High School. He has specialized in history.

Nichols Praises Students In Entertainment Of Older Girl's Conference

Harold L. Nichols, executive director of the Great Plains YMCA, has written his appreciation of work of West Texas State students in entertaining the Older Girls' Conference here recently.

"I appreciated deeply the work which you did," he wrote. "I trust that this conference may become an annual event at W. T. S. C. I feel that everyone would be greatly benefited by it."

Clara (visiting round-house): What is that enormous thing?

Foreman: That is a locomotive boiler?

Clara: And why do you boil locomotives?

Foreman: To make the engine tender.

Board of Regents Hears Report on Improvement and Enrollment

Dr. J. A. Hill Makes Annual Survey—1203 Students Included In This Session

Enrollment at West Texas State College this session has reached 1203, including 519 men and 684 women—the largest in the history of the institution.

In making his annual report to the Board of Regents in Austin May 5 and 6, Dr. J. A. Hill, president, pointed out that 58.8 per cent of this enrollment is in the lower division—freshmen and sophomores—and 41.2 per cent is in the upper division. There are 439 freshmen, 276 sophomores, 254 juniors, 179 seniors, 45 graduate students, and 10 post-graduates. Compared with figures from other institutions of the country, the percentage of upperclassmen is rather high, Dr. Hill notes. Ten years ago the College had an enrollment of 870. The increase in the decade has been 38 per cent. Male enrollment has increased from 276 to 519, or almost 100 per cent. The most noticeable increase in the number of men was in the 1938-39 session, when the curriculum was broadened.

"It is my judgment that further concessions in this direction are desirable and that our next year's course of study should take another advanced step toward the liberalization of our offerings," Dr. Hill says in the report.

Purchases Property

During the last year the College has purchased most of the property between the campus and the main highway. Dismantling of the larger structures purchased must await completion of the annex of Randall Hall, now under construction. Several smaller buildings have been razed. The annex will house 92 girls and provide kitchen, dining room, and laundry for 200 girls, including those in the present building.

The College construction program is being directed by Joe Angier, a building foreman of long experience.

An auto mechanics shop erected by men of the National Youth Administration has been completed except for some painting and installation of new equipment. It is in daily service. The concrete-structure is 110 by 90 feet and is valued at \$20,000. Also under construction by NYA labor is a rock-concrete dining room and kitchen to accommodate about 60 men. This structure will be finished by June 15.

Pampa Freshman's College Training Breaks Down Under Nephew's Grilling

From the Pampa Daily News:

Mickey Ledrick is finding the privilege of being an uncle to little Lee Ledrick, 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ledrick, a strain on his imagination and knowledge of elemental forces. After taking little Lee out to the ranch on Chicken Creek for the branding recently, Mickey is beginning to think that perhaps they don't teach the right things in college. At any rate Mickey has to hedge quite a lot when answering Lee's blunt questions. For instance, here's an example of their conversation:

"Did my daddy go to college?" queried little Lee.

"Did my mommy go to college, too?"

"Yes," monotoned Mickey.

"Well, where did I stay while they were going to school?"

He had Mickey stumped there, so Mickey stalled for time, but little Lee went on:

"Did I stay with Grandpa?"

"Yes," said Mickey, glad for any way out.

A little while later wee Lee asked: "What's under the ground?"

"Dirt and more dirt," said Mickey.

Buffalo Courts Improved

Buffalo Courts, home of College athletes and the summer home of the Palo Duro School of Art, has been improved by installation of new light fixtures, venetian blinds, landscaping, and a light housekeeping apartment. Most of this work has been managed by the Athletic Club.

In his report, Dr. Hill pays tribute to Miss Jennie C. Ritchie, who has retired after 30 years of service to the institution. "Attractive in person, beautiful in spirit, keen of mind, skillful in instruction, a master of juvenile psychology, always imperturbable, and loyal to the nth degree, she has been these thirty years the type of faculty member college presidents dream about and don't find enough of," Dr. Hill wrote.

Outlook Not Encouraging

Somewhat contrary to a general belief, Dr. Hill pointed out that the outlook for appropriations, except for a possible science building, is not encouraging. The House bill carries \$1,571 less for salaries, summer school, and departmental maintenance than the appropriation for the current year, and \$20,000 less than was given for these purposes in 1929.

Attention is called to the failure of the State to keep a contract signed in 1933 with the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society to maintain a museum should one be placed on the campus. The museum was built and has a value of \$500,000, while costing the State less than \$40,000. But cost of maintenance has not been appropriated.

The present Legislature is being asked to finance maintenance of the museum.

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Coming Events

May 9, Alpha Sigma Xi All-College Dance.

May 9, Spanish Club Dinner.

May 9, Panhandle-Plains Historical Society Banquet.

May 10, Epsilon Beta Presentation Dance.

May 15, W. T. High School Banquet, Cousins Hall.

May 16, Senior Play, "Room Service."

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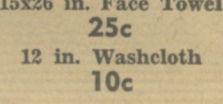


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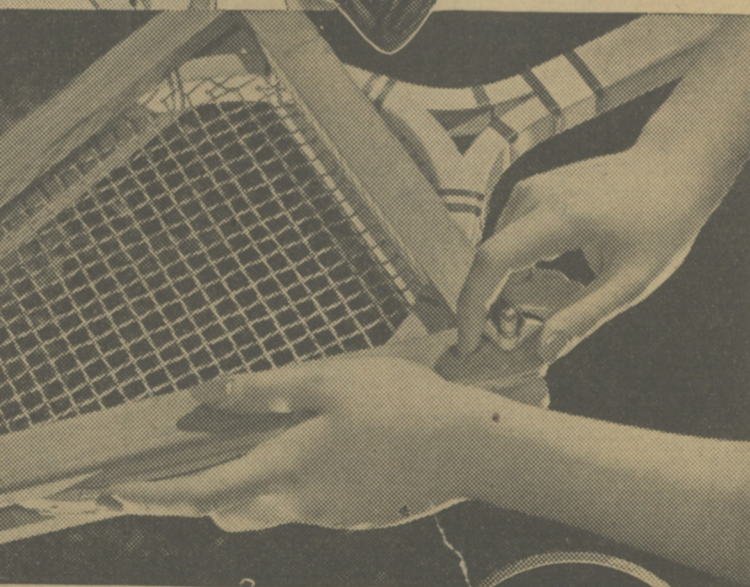
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Coaches Pleased With Prospects

Spirit Shown By Buff Gridmen

Bruises Prominent As Two Teams Play Full Game Twice a Week for Curcice

There are smiles on the faces of Coaches Jack Curtice and Leslie Van Meter of West Texas State College, but bruises on the faces of the Buffaloes, now well advanced in spring football training.

For blocking and tackling which please the fiery Curtice are all-out performances and little short of war. Injuries have been limited to chronic ailments and none approximates the condition of Co-Capt. Cletus Kuehler, who last winter fractured a leg bone while idly practicing a basketball shot. Kuehler is a spectator this spring.

Current rehearsals have stressed pass throwing, receiving, and protection. The Buffs know they can run against most any competition, but they have missed the brilliant chunking of Foster Watkins, now a pro. Throwing of little Ben Collins, fourth high scorer in the nation last fall, has improved sensationally this spring.

If the fall schedule were opening tomorrow, Curtice likely would start the following team: Left end, Kuehler; left tackle, Meek; left guard, Watson; center, Winfield; right guard, Ricketts; right tackle, Schubach; right end, Barron; blocking back, Hill; wingback, Brandon; fullback, Sanders; tailback Collins.

The newcomers would be Watson, transfer from Oklahoma Baptist University, and Winfield, a big freshman from Amarillo.

The above lineup is speculative and it might prove to have less "fire power" than another group, which probably would include: Left end, Jones or Emblen; left tackle, Reed; left guard, Lockhart; center, Toombs or Allen; right guard, Forbus; right tackle, Love; right end, Tanner; blocking back, Winters; wingback, Flowers; fullback, Brock; tailback, Anderson.

The Buffaloes will be strong through two lineups, but weak in reserves behind several positions. Guards will have to avoid injuries if the team is not to be weakened. There are no veteran centers available.

The Buffs will have the most formidable schedule in their history, with four Border conference teams listed and games as far away as Fresno State in California.

Dramatics Society Accepts Members

Alpha Psi Omega, national honorary dramatics fraternity initiated at Cousins Hall Friday afternoon new members and a banquet at Madens in Amarillo followed.

Glen Davis acted as toastmaster and each person participated in the program. New members are: Christine Jarrett, La Verne Pollard, Mrs. Joe Coffee, Lucille Weast, Fern Stephenson.

Members present were: Dr. and Mrs. Freed, Prof. and Mrs. James Butler, Mable Routh, Jim McCray, Glen Davis, Ruth Reeves, Marjorie Kirk, Doris Kirksey, Luzelle Bryan, Nell Stevenson, and Lynn Edwards.

Marion Miller To Head Pi Omega

Marion Miller of Claude was elected president of Pi Omega for 1941-42 at a regular meeting, Thursday night.

Other officers are: Vice-president, Jo Word, Clarendon; secretary, Margaret Ann Barnett, Childress; treasurer, Martha Frances Campbell, Canyon; annual representative, Marjorie Kirk, Floydada; reporter and historian, Charlotte Word, Clarendon; corresponding secretary, Merrie Lib Duflet, Canyon; and pledge captain, Jerri Dromgoole, Dalhart.

Museum Has Dugout Replica

Dr. L. P. Sheffy accepted a plaster paris replica of the first half-dugout home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Britain this week. The model was built by Dave Dark and will be placed in the Panhandle-Plains Museum.

The small reproduction was built to scale according to specifications provided by Mr. Britain. Miniature furnishings made of wood and plaster paris, a tiny broom, and other articles furnished the interior. The outside is complete with plaster paris grass, cactus plants, and even flowers. The house was built near Tulia, during the winter of 1889.

Election

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Ed Line of Canyon defeated Juanita Langston of Canyon with 84 to 78 ballots; and Weldon Dowlen of Panhandle lost to Daisy Lee Dotson of Amarillo 95 to 68.

Junior senate memberships were in hand after a considerable clash. Roy Cheatham of Panhandle gained 92 votes to Orval Allen's 82. Louise Novak of Spearman carried a 89 to 82 lead to beat Davis Thompson. Ben Collins of Wichita Falls defeated Bob Middlebrook of Crowell, 89 to 70.

Bill Collins of White Deer ran up a 40 vote margin over Lawrence Hohlhaus of Lockney, who received 109 votes for post one of the sophomore senate division. Hud Prichard of Canyon topped Estelle Burgess' 100 votes with a 114 poll. Billy Mitchell, a write-in, received 51 tallies. Chatty Johnson of Turkey beat Melvin Kiker of Wellington in a 133-127 race.

Ties Show Competition

In an 83-vote tie, Betty Whitlock of Tucumcari, N. M., and La Verna Evans of Briscoe sought the office of vice-president of the senior class with an equal following. And Marshall Baxter of Wellington and W. J. Wooten of Canyon ended in the race for a similar office in the sophomore class with 130 votes each.

Gail Ross of Pampa with 118 ballots defeated Andy Anderson of Amarillo and Dorothy Jane Day of Pampa, both write-ins, for secretary-treasurer of the junior class. Gwendolyn Coutts of Pampa beat a write-in campaign for Lynn Edwards of Knox City. Miss Edwards polled 40 votes. Merle Myers of Lockney and Mae Gene Fritts of Shamrock won without competition the offices of secretary-treasurer of the junior and sophomore classes, respectively.

Leroy "Kinki" Francis of Canyon was election judge.

Heads Museum



Judge James D. Hamlin of Farwell, now serving his third term as president of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society, will preside over annual sessions of the organization here next Friday. Judge Hamlin has made a magnificent gift of art objects to the Society, to be delivered when the proposed new wing is completed.

Buff To Play In Buffalo

Coach Baggett Matches Game With Niagara University For 1942

Bigger things for the world's tallest basketball team are coming fast under the guidance of Al Baggett, athletic director of West Texas State College and cage coach.

Coach Baggett has completed plans with Ned Irish, director of basketball for Madison Square Garden, for an additional game on the trip which will take the Buffaloes to the Garden next winter. This game will be played with Niagara University in Buffalo on January 31. A re-arrangement of dates will permit a mid-semester schedule which will include:

January 28, Long Island University in the Garden, New York City.
January 30, Temple University in Philadelphia.

January 31, Niagara University at Buffalo.
February 2, Baltimore University at Baltimore.

Coach baggett returned to the campus early this week from a trip to New York and to the National Physical Education Association at Atlantic City. He will head a delegation which will leave Thursday to attend sessions of the Border Conference at Tucson, Ariz. It is no secret that West Texas State would like to belong to the strong

Co-Captain Kuehler Watches As His Teammates Scrap in Scrimmage

A squad of thirty-five men, including fourteen lettermen, is nearing the final stages of spring football practice under the direction of Coaches Jack C. Curtice and Leslie Van Meter of West Texas State.

The Alamo champions, contemplating the most ambitious schedule of local history next fall, have delighted their mentors with their high spirits and willingness to "mix it." Having mastered the fundamentals of the intricate Curtice system, the Buffaloes are obviously enjoying the spring rehearsals. They will meet four Border conference teams next fall and will journey as far as Fresno State in California, where they will play on Sept. 27.

The squad includes the following men:

Wallace Allen, 187 pounds, center, freshman of Lockney.

J. W. Anderson, 170 pounds, half back, squadman of Lamesa.

Dalbert Barron, 190 pounds, end, junior letterman of Borger.

Eugene Brandon, 170 pounds, half back, junior letterman of Crane.

I. W. Brock, 200 pounds, fullback, sophomore letterman of Owensboro, Ky.

Ben Collins, 175 pounds, halfback, sophomore letterman of Wichita Falls.

Louis Conrey, 163 pounds, halfback, freshman from Owensboro, Ky.

Leslie Curb, 215 pounds, tackle, freshman from Happy.

Buford Emmer, 175 pounds, end, freshman from Wheeler.

William Flowers, 165 pounds, end, junior squadman from Perryton.

Joel Forbus, 193 pounds, guard, sophomore letterman from Happy.

Co-captain Fairy Hill, 165 pounds, quarterback, junior from Canyon.

Roy Jones, 192 pounds, end, junior letterman from Pampa.

Virgil Kelley, 180 pounds, quarterback, freshman from Lockney.

Duncan Kirkpatrick, 180 pounds, guard, freshman from Gatesville.

Co-captain Cletus Kuehler, 200 pounds, end, junior letterman from Groom.

Border circuit. It is believed there is considerable support for the colorful Buffs in the nearby loop.

West Texas State will play four Border conference football teams next fall.

Warren Lockhart, 185 pounds, guard, junior letterman from Big Spring.

James Love, 195 pounds, tackle, freshman from Vernon.

J. P. Mahon, 170 pounds, halfback, freshman from Wichita Falls.

J. P. Meek, 212 pounds, tackle, junior letterman from Gageby.

Ralph Owens, 200 pounds, guard, sophomore from Tulia.

O. C. Rampley, 195 pounds, quarterback, freshman from Silverton.

Olin Reed, 220 pounds, tackle, junior letterman from Abernathy.

Elwin Ricketts, 210 pounds, guard, junior letterman from Amarillo.

Larry Sanders, 180 pounds, fullback, junior letterman from Samnorwood.

O. T. Schubach, 260 pounds, tackle, junior letterman from Sander-

son.

Leo Steinkoenig, 185 pounds, end, freshman from Wichita Falls.

Ferman Tanner, 190 pounds, end, junior transfer from Fox, Okla.

C. M. Teague, 202 pounds, tackle, sophomore from Olton.

Johnny Thomas, 190 pounds, tackle, sophomore squadman from Canadian.

Pat Toombs, 180 pounds, center, sophomore from Amarillo.

Clark Walling, 185 pounds, end, freshman from Farwell.

Glen Watson, 195 pounds, guard, sophomore from Henrietta, Okla.

V. Winfield, 195 pounds, center, freshman from Amarillo.

Mack Winter, 185 pounds, quarterback, freshman from Perryton.

Peggy Caldwell, '36, is state publicity director for the American Society for the Control of Cancer. Her address is Santa Barbara, Calif. Miss Caldwell is also doing free lance writing and Little Theater work.

Jack Curtice, head football mentor, won a golf tournament in Amarillo Saturday. The tournament was open to coaches and school superintendents of the Panhandle.

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Cage Game For Visiting Grads

Reds Lose to Whites But Scrap All the Way on Senior's Day

Before a crowd of appreciative high school seniors, the Buffalo cage squad played half a game of fast basketball, that was mid-season in caliber, on Senior Day at W. T.

Engaged in spring workouts, the Tall Texans showed excellent form as they battled their teammates on the courts. No plays were tried, because the opposing team had been drilled in defense by the same coach who taught them the plays. Giant O. T. Schubach, substitute center, did not suit out in a uniform, but explained the game and named the players through a megaphone from the sidelines.

The Whites defeated the reds by a score of 49-34. Playing for the Whites were: Halbert, Brookfield,

Room Service

(Continued from page 1)
has some hard going before final success. When hotel room service is cut off by an enraged management, he insists that a tray be brought to Davis because a tape worm is killing him. "The tape-worm will have to register," the hotel desk man replies.

"Room Service" is put on by no shoestring producer but is directed by Prof. James Butler and sponsored by the senior class. Christine Jarrett is stage manager.

Plans have been made for next year for three, and perhaps four, productions in the Speech Department. These will include "The Male Animal," which has just closed on Broadway, Ibsen's "The Doll House," "Cradle Song," and "The Late Christopher Bean," by Sydney Howard.

Maddox, Price, and Frank Stockman. For the reds, Bill Stockman, "Chatty" Johnson, "Deacon" Johnson, Paul House, and Ledru Jacobs.

A full game of football with an interscholastic league referee from Amarillo presiding was called off because of inclement weather.

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Seis Senioritas Presented by Gamma Phi Sorority at Spanish Fiesta

Guests Conga To Heart of Mexico At Presentation

Spring was given an added boost Friday night when Gamma Phi sorority presented their second-semester pledges at a Spanish Fiesta.

To begin the evening guests received their programs from the brim of a large white sombrero; then forming a chain, members and guests conga'd into the heart of Mexico when they entered the ballroom of Cousins Hall. Dim lights softened the brilliant colors of serapes that draped the walls and furniture. Strings of colored fruit and red peppers hung in Mexican style complimenting huge sombreros. The backdrop behind the orchestra was a mass of brilliant color and the windows of the ballroom were draped in panels of the same colors, completing the picture.

The center of attraction was the artificial adobe arch opening into the red room. With a fanfare from the orchestra to quiet the audience, Lynn Edwards, president of the club announced the presentation. A blue spotlight was trained on the arch, revealing the girls wearing colorful mantillas. The indolent Mexican leaning at the side of the opening in the person of Senior Fred Hart then announced each girl. As she stood in the doorway, her escort wearing a white mess jacket met her and together they walked to the stage forming a line in front of the orchestra. All club members wore white gardenias in their hair.

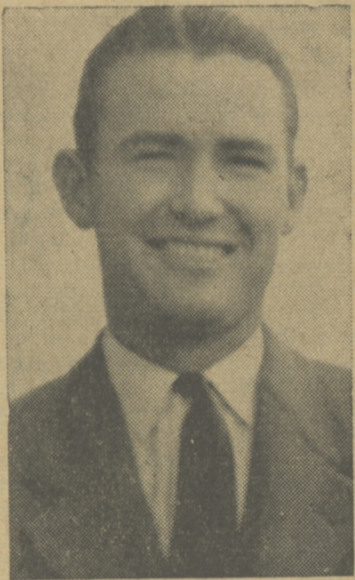
Dancing continued until twelve, with music furnished by Sunshine Butler and his band.

Pledges and their dates were: Joan Gurley, Pampa, Ira Brock; Dorothy Jarvis, Pampa, Walter Word; Merrielle Hazard, Pampa, Jack Cross; Rheita Lee Eller, Pampa, Jack Hesse; Louise Schulze, Panhandle, Bonnie Rapstine; and Dorothea Harter, Canyon, Hud Prichard.

Members and dates were: Lynn Edwards, Bitz Hoover; Betty Freeman, Wayne Freeman; Bettie Whitlock, B. Raymond Evans; Lucille West, Fred Simpson; Grace Margaret White, Bird Wright; Ruth Barnes, Dick Kilgore; Marie Billingsly, Bill Jones; Gretchen Andrews, Bill Harter; Mary Kerr, Eldon Huffaker; Mabel Back, Wayne Rives; and Louise Roach, Overton Donnell.

Ex-members and their dates: Ann

Junior Prexy



Jack Maddox of Medicine Mound received a vote of confidence by the Junior class and will head that organization next year.

Watkins, Foster Watkins; Billie Jean Wilson, Bob Wilson; Joan Thompson, Pat Slavin; Adele Hays, Choppo Murphy; Sarah Virginia McGowan, Claude McGowan.

Guests included: Shirley Potter, Donald Crumpacker; Dorothy Dickenson, Earl Wilbur; Betty Edkins, Roy Lee Jones; Virginia O'Neill, Choe Smith; Joe Miles Kinard, Florence Clark; Winifred Carroll, John King; Kate Donnell, Mickey Ledrick; Gladys Hill, Bill Lofland; Mogie Routh, Jim McCray; Elizabeth Dunn, Jack Maddox; Jo Troutman, Olin Reed; Frances Thompson, Earl Stagner; Jean Dunniven, Donald Crow; Dorothy McNeill; Holl Ed Toles, Jerri Dromgoole, Davis Thompson; Annie Lord, Norman Trimble; Maxine Barnett, Bernard Warren; Nikki Everage; Howard Weatherly; Eloise Tout, Bill West; Gloria Stanley, Austin Wiggins; Denzil Henderson, L. M. Womble; Orvella Hill, R. A. Daniel; Ruth Cole, Roger Barton; Sue Davis, Jesse Cornell; Mary Ruth Curl, Travis Currin; Dick Arthur, J. W. Foust; Christine Jarrett, Kenneth Gibson; Hallie Nell Sligar, Ballard Graves; Bonnie Rose, Bob Ferguson; Juanna Jo Wigham, Bill Hawkins; Norma Lee Blue, Frank Stockman; La Verne Pollard, J. L. McDonald; Wilma Baber, Jim Tout; Charlotte Word, Bill Cooke; Lodena Tooley, Todd Cone; Jerry Daniels, Bill Favors;

Type High Holds Presentation Saturday Night

Type High, college press club, held its formal presentation in Amarillo Saturday night. The program was under the direction of Dan Hemphill, toastmaster, and Prof. Olin E. Hinkle, sponsor.

Fred Hart, pledge captain, gave the welcome to the new members. Ray Brack made the response for 18 journalists who are entering this service. Prof. Hinkle showed technical pictures of the trip to the Texas Intercollegiate Press Association made last month.

Members and dates were: Sam A. Thomas, Dorothy Jarvis; Joe Crisler, Barbara Hale; Delbert McGuire, Virginia Wright; Dorothy Warwick, Jack Haley; Dorothy Jane Day, Fred Simpson; Mabel Back, Wayne Rives; Carolee Payne, George Irby; Fred Hart, Anna Belle Lard; Dan Hemphill; and Mr. and Mrs. Hinkle.

New Members were: Hud Prichard, Dorothea Harter; Betty Jane Phillips, Tommy Cowart; Jack Cross, Maribelle Hazzard; Olyne Cowart, Harold McKee; John Thomas Sharp, Martha Frances Campbell; Ray Brack, Jackie Wafford; Fern Stephenson, Clinton Cook; Maxine Ratten, Kennard Smith, and Carol Ely, Charles Hess.

Guests included B. A. Davis, Marjorie Kirk; Joe Kinard, Florence Clark; and Mr. and Mrs. Dan K. Usery.

De Alyss Eddins, Pete Wood; Mary Griffin, Eugene Lemon; Betty Brandon, H. F. Robinson; Marian Crain, Andy Anderson; Virginia Giles, Johnny Sharp; Daisy Lee Dotson, Loyd Shackelford; Jackie Wafford, Ray Brack; Muriel Fay Phegley, Paul House.

Faculty guests included: Mrs. Geraldine Green, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Hill, Miss Florence McMurtry, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Sheffy, Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Derald T. Swineford, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Freed, and Miss Edna Graham and Mrs. Ann Wofford, co-sponsors.

Music Week Will Feature Piano Recitals by Three

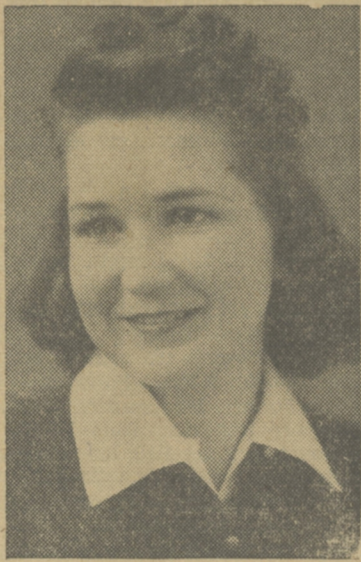
Three recitals by the students of the piano department are the contribution of West Texas State College to National Music Week.

The first recital, May 1, was presented by students from the demonstration school in Cousins Hall. The second of the series will be May 6 at 4:30 o'clock in Studio 103-5 of the Administration Building. On the program are "Fugue C minor" by Bach, "Etude" by Liszt played by Virginia Vaughan; Beethoven's "Allegro, Sonata op. 2 No. 1" and "Berceuse" by Palmgren played by Cleo Bourland; Beethoven's "Allegretto, Sonata op. 14, No. 1" and MacDowell's "Shadow Dance" played by Elvia Speer. Earline Lust will play Wright's "Springtime" and "Dance Creole" by Chaminade; and Mary Jane Turrentine will play "Whims" by Schumann and "Prelude, e minor" by Mendelssohn. Weldon Bright concludes the program with Debussy's "Girl with Flaxen Hair" and "Sparks" by Moszkowsky.

The final program of the series will be May 7 at 4:30 in Studio 103-5 in the Administration Building. These are invitation programs. Anyone wishing to attend may see Miss Pauline Brigham, head of the piano department.

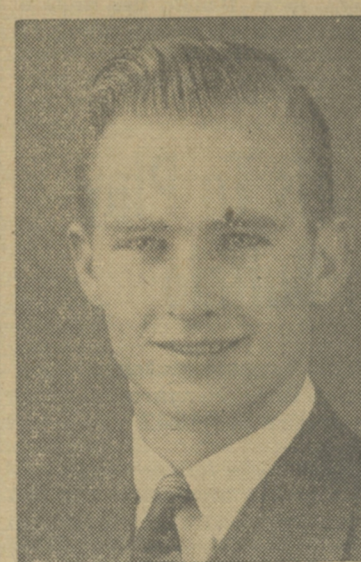
Lela Louder begins the final program with "Romanza" Mozart, and "General Valine, eccentric" by Debussy. Others on the program are "Allegretto, Sonata in A" Mozart, "May Night"—Palmgren, played by Dan Gillham; "Bagatelle"—Beethoven, "Spanish Dance"—Granados played by Merrie Lib Duflot; "A La Bien Aimee"—Schuett, "Humoresque" played by Martha Frances Campbell; "Valcik"—Mokrejs, "Tango"—Neimann, played by Geraldine Warner; and "Intermezzo"—Brahms, "Lotus Land"—Cyril Scott, played by Mary Helen Lindsey.

New Officials



Charlotte Buchanan has been named to edit Le Mirage, College yearbook, for the next term, and will be assisted by Mabel Back, assistant editor and business manager.

Appointed



Pictured above are new officers in the student organization at West Texas State. Bill Webb is president-elect of the Sophomore class for 1941-42. Hud Prichard will fill Post No. 2 of the Sophomore class in the Student Senate.

Formal Dinner Honors Senior Girls At Cousins Hall

With a festive May Day background, Cousins Hall honored its thirteen seniors with a formal dinner at 6:30 last Wednesday evening, April 30, at the hall.

The May Day Motif was carried out in the decorations, with pastel colored May poles centering each table, and with tiny May baskets at each place. The dining room was lighted by white candles. The place cards were black and white diplomas.

Music on the program consisted of a piano solo by Miss Frances Usery, two vocal solos by Houston Bright, accompanied by Miss Usery, and a violin solo by Robert Axtell, accompanied by Hall Axtell. Dr. Conrad W. Freed gave the seniors friendly advice. Dr. J. A. Hill presented the seniors with white diplomas tied in maroon ribbon, which contained handkerchiefs to the seniors from Miss Agnes Smith and Mrs. Anne Wofford, supervisors of the hall.

The thirteen seniors who were the honor guests were: Nell Green, Ruth Clay, Aletha Hastings, Dardanella Whatley, Luzelle Bryan, Marcelle Reid, Marcella Fryar, Dorothy McNeill, Willie Mae Wilson, Mildred Cole, Frances Smith, Zanella Bowe, and Mogie Routh.

Initiation For 18 In Press Club

Formal initiation for the new members of Type High, journalism fraternity, was held at the home of the president, Sam Thomas, last Thursday night. The eighteen new members taking pledge vows were Estelle Burgess, Betty Phillips, Ray Brack, Jackie Wafford, Fern Stephenson, Hud Prichard, Dorothea Harter, Jack Cross, Cecil Davidson, John Thomas Sharp, Marie Brooks, Charlotte Buchanan, Sally Cowart, Mary Lemons, Carolyn Mayfield, Maxine Rattan, Mary Alice Wilson,

Minutes of Student Senate Meeting Include Election

The Student Senate met in regular session on April 22, to elect the remaining officers of the publication staffs.

The meeting was called to order, and the minutes of the last meeting dispensed with. Donald Hawkins took over the Chair as Arvo Goddard was absent.

The Charter of the Mary E. Hudspeth Honor Society was read and approved by the Senate. Then election of the business manager of The Prairie was called before the house, and Roy Cheatham received eight votes for this position. Next the office of editor of Le Mirage was considered, and Charlotte Buchanan was given nine votes. Mabel Back was voted business manager of Le Mirage by receiving six votes. The office of editor of The Prairie had been filled at the last meeting.

Melvin Kiker moved that these officers be elected by acclamation; Mogie Routh seconded, and the motion carried.

Mr. Tarlton spoke to the Senate about the school flower, and suggested that a choice be made from the Dahlia, Petunia, Pansy, Snapdragon, Canna, or Chrysanthemum. Mr. Hinkle, speaking for the Canyon Chamber of Commerce, invited some of the members to go on the Goodwill trip, on May 5. Jo Troutman moved that the Dahlia be submitted to the student body as the school flower, and the motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned.

HOME ECONOMIC CLUB MEETS

Plans for club pins and uniforms were discussed by the members of the Home Economics Club Thursday morning. An important call meeting will be held next Thursday to elect officers and discuss plans for next year.

ALPHA SIGMA XI PICNIC IS MAY 9

Ed Line, president of Alpha Sigma Xi, announced that the picnic which the club planned for last Saturday will be held in Ceta Glen, May 9.

FARM PICNIC POSTPONED

The Farm Picnic has been called off and a date has not been decided on, announced Luther Moore, president of the T-Ancor.

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Seniors of Randall Will Be Honorees

A formal dinner honoring the Randall Hall Seniors will be held Wednesday evening at 6:30. A short program has been planned by Mary Helen Lindsey including a piano solo by Miss Pauline Brigham, and a vocal solo by Miss Ada V. Clark.

Guests will include: Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Hill, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Jarrett, Prof. and Mrs. Frank R. Phillips, sponsor of the senior class Mrs. Geraldine Green, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Henson, and Misses Elizabeth Cox, Elizabeth Hudspeth, Edna Graham, Florence McMurtry, Lilla Clark and Pauline Brigham.

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