

EDD McMINN WILL PILOT W. T. BUFF CAGERS

Pollard Players  
Are Secured For  
W. T. January 24

Booth Tarkington's  
"The Intimate  
Stranger"

The Pollard Players, who are now on their seventh annual tour, will present at West Texas State Teachers College on January 24, the Broadway comedy, "The Intimate Stranger." It is a three-act comedy written by Booth Tarkington. The exceptional popularity of the Pollard Players coupled with the fact that they are using one of Booth Tarkington's plays should insure a full house.

"The Intimate Stranger" is the story of a girl of yesterday and a lawyer of uncertain age who are found stranded in an out of the way railway station, hungry and absolutely uncertain as to the future, because a hurricane has paralyzed both the main and branch lines.

They, at last, reach the girl's home. There the blasé lawyer is put through some entertaining tortuous scenes after he has dared doubt the age of the girl, whose hand he has kissed quite reverently and intimately on such short acquaintance.

"The Intimate Stranger" is a joyous light comedy with true Tarkington types of youth, delicious in talk and philosophy.

It will appear here January 24, admission will be by student activity ticket.

"College Rhythm"  
Is Sponsored By  
Library Friends

Joe Penner and his duck waddle into the screen and score a hit in "College Rhythm," along with Lanny Ross, Jack Oakie, and Lydia Roberti. It is a peppy, spirited musical comedy about two rival stores that acquire two collegiate football teams and have a duel. The picture is sponsored by the Friends of the Library, and all students (and who isn't planning to see this show) are urged to buy their tickets from the Friends of the Library.

The date is January 17-18, and the admission price is twenty-five cents. Don't fail to see it. It's good.

Patronize Prairie Advertisers

Will Irwin Talked To Press Club  
Last Wednesday Afternoon On The  
Subject Of "Feature Story Writing"

"Prospects for college students with a class-room knowledge of journalism are good at the present, for newspaper and magazine editors give preference to the university men," Will Irwin, internationally known author and newspaper man, told a group of West Texas State Teachers College students here Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 8.

"Approximately one hundred college students were present as Dr. B. F. Fronabarger, Head of the English Department, introduced the celebrated speaker. In his introduction, Dr. Fronabarger pointed out the versatility of the writer.

Mr. Irwin chose as the subject of his extemporaneous address "Feature Story Writing." "The writing of feature stories is on the up-grade in journalism," Mr. Irwin stated, "a feature story is merely a good news story written at leisure." Civilization could not be conducted without the news element, he averred.

The art of reporting has increased enormously in the last quarter-century, declared the speaker, citing several examples; and the coming of the university men and writers from the journalism schools is responsible for this rise.

"Observation is a prime requisite

GILLIS DIRECTS  
MANY PROJECTS  
IN WOODWORK

DIFFICULT PIECES OF FURNITURE ARE BEING MADE

A carved mahogany bed, a secretary, and other beautiful and excellently made pieces of furniture are being completed in woodwork courses in the Manual Training Department under the direction of Professor John A. Gillis.

John Pool, student, has carved a design on the head and foot of a bed and is now cutting it out. The material of which it is made is mahogany.

A secretary, which shows signs of being one of the loveliest pieces of work is being made by Holland McMurray.

Two vanity dressers are being made by sophomores in the classes.

**Wooden Shoes**

At present wooden shoes are being made for girls in the Physical Education Department who will take swimming.

FERA boys are to make ten case fronts for the library. Books are to be put in these cases, locked, and placed in the hall.

WAA Tap Classes  
To Entertain With  
Chapel Programs

Tap and rhythm dance numbers will be the main features of the two assembly hours, to be given by the tap dance classes of Women's Physical Education Department, January 19 and 26 respectively.

Cross Direction  
Miss Cross and Mrs. Wallace O'Keefe will have charge of the program on Jan. 19. Several of these numbers will be given by the advanced tap class. Several boys will tap also.

Mulkey Program  
Mary Louise Mulkey will have charge of the program Jan. 26. This program will be given by the children of the training school. These children range from the tiny tots of the 2nd grade to the girls in the 7th grade. Miss Mulkey has had charge of this class since the first of the school year.

Misses Betty Rose Kerr and Mary Sue Howell of Olton are visiting Miss Mattie Devin.

The mother of Misses Gladys and Myrtle May Scales is visiting them for a few weeks.

Mr. Porter Montgomery of Dalhart was the guest of Miss Frances Finch, at Cousins Hall, Sunday.

W. T. Seniors Will  
Sponsor A Show

Class Play and Payment Of Dues Are Discussed

No doubt, all of the student body is wondering what unusual thing happened in Senior Class meeting Thursday morning. James Compton's announcement of the meeting in chapel was enough to make faculty members, as well as students wonder what it was all about. Seriously, though, some very important business was handled. Some of the Seniors have been quite negligent in paying their class dues, much to the sorrow of the class officers. There are definite obligations that the class must meet, and the co-operation of all of its members is absolutely necessary.

In order to raise some funds, the class voted to sponsor a picture show. Hosea Foster, vice president, will serve as head of a committee to carry out this task.

The Senior Class play was discussed, and the following committee appointed to work with Miss Brown: Judge Williams, Ernestine Walker, Charles Donnell and Bibb Jameson. Another important committee was appointed—the Gift (Continued on last page)

LOCAL Y. D. C.  
ORGANIZES  
WEDNESDAY

ANNUAL CONVENTION WILL BE HELD IN AMARILLO MARCH 15, 16

The annual West Texas Young Democrats Convention will be held in Amarillo on March 15 and 16. This district covers over half of the state and a delegation of more than three thousand members is expected according to G. L. Stanley, chairman of the convention program. This convention affords a wonderful opportunity for the students of W. T. to both take part in and see, first hand, a political convention in progress.

Every student in school is eligible for membership in the Young Democratic Club which has grown in the past two years into one of the most highly organized and influential political organizations with a nation-wide membership. This will probably be W. T. students' best opportunity to attend such a convention; and since this school is so closely situated it probably will have the largest delegation outside of the host city and consequently will be able to yield considerable influence.

Local Organization  
Every student, especially those interested in government and economics, is urged to attend a meeting for the purpose of reorganizing and forming pre-convention plans. Both men and women are eligible for this meeting which will be held in the auditorium Wednesday.

FIRST EXHIBIT  
OF 1935 IS IN  
THE MUSEUM

The first art exhibit of 1935 is now hanging in the Mary E. Hudspeth gallery of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society here. It is a collection of nineteen etchings and fifteen pencil drawings by Jimmie Swann of Dallas.

The exhibit has unusual local interest because the artist formerly lived in Amarillo.

In the exhibit are three pictures which were shown in the loan collection at the Texas State Fair in 1934.

"The Back Door," is on the Texas Fine Arts Association circuit show for this year.

Mr. Swann is one of Texas' young artists, a member of the Highland Park Society of Fine Arts and a member of the Southern States Art League.

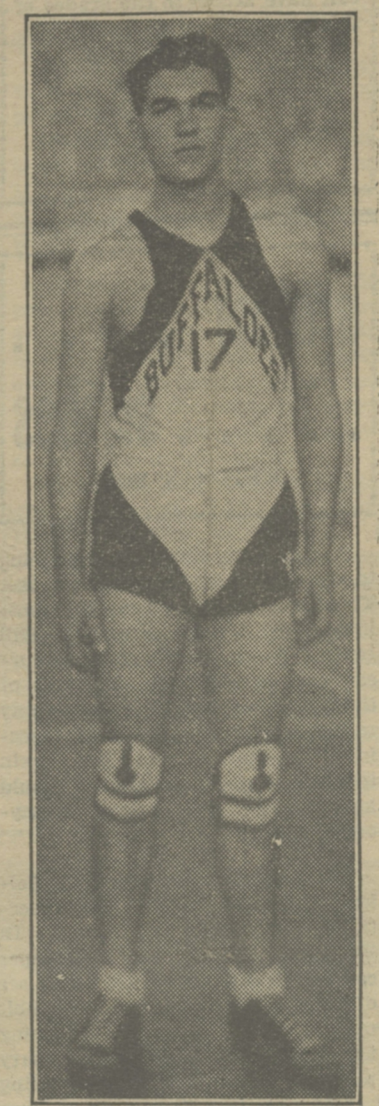
The exhibit can be seen Tuesday, Thursday, or Sunday afternoons through the remainder of January.

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He Was Best Freshman Prospect Since Colvin

PLAYS FORWARD

He Won Regular Berth As Soph.



At a meeting of the lettermen of the West Texas State Teachers College varsity basketball team last Thursday night, Edd McMinn, junior, from Kirkland, was elected as the captain of the 1935 Buffaloes.

McMinn came to West Texas in 1932-33 from Kirkland, and proved to be the spark plug of the freshman basketball team, being characterized by the late Coach Burton as the best freshman prospect since Colvin.

Last year McMinn won a regular berth when he was just a sophomore. Throughout the season he played a consistent game and was one of the dependable scorers.

McMinn is six feet two inches, weighs 183 pounds, is twenty-one years of age, and will lead his team mates in their season-opener Monday night against the Panhandle Aggies of Goodwell, Okla.

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Carl Chaudoin Is Re-elected To Superintendency

Carl Chaudoin, who has been in the Mobeetie schools for the last three years, the last two as superintendent, has been unanimously re-elected to head the schools another year. Mr. Chaudoin is an ex-student of West Texas State Teachers College, having attended here in 1934.

Turn In Your T. I. P. A. Material Now!

The date for the submission of material for the Texas Intercollegiate Press Association contests is here, and students are urged to begin collecting, polishing up, and submitting material to Betty Dale West, James Compton, or Gerald Brown, or label it and put it in the Prairie office in the basket on the desk.

Plays, poems, essays, short stories—all are to be submitted to this committee for grading and elimination.

Don't be timid about submitting anything you have written. The members of the Press Club are particularly anxious to have this material begin coming in now.

Five Day Plan Is Council Problem

Plan Gives More Time For Research, Study, and Leisure

Possible adoption of the Five Day Plan was the main topic considered at the Student Council meeting held last Monday afternoon. It was found that a called meeting with Mr. Shirley and Dean Jarrett will be necessary before any definite plans for changing the present system can be made.

Application Difficulties  
Although adoption of the Five-Day Plan will be very difficult and involve many changes, the Student Council is unanimously in favor of it, and it is believed that the student body will aid in the work to secure the change.

Under the new plan, students would attend class only five days, rather than six as called for by the present schedule. This would give much more time for research, study, and a profitable use of leisure time.

Some of the new projects now being carried out and planned were also discussed at the meeting.

MISS GRAHAM WILL PRESIDE AT MEETING

ALPHA CHI ENDEAVORS TO SECURE A SONG

Miss Edna Graham, president of the state Alpha Chi, and Roger George, official delegate from West Texas State Teachers College, will meet in Austin, February 21-23 with delegates from other schools for their annual meeting. Miss Graham will preside at the meetings.

Dr. H. Y. Benedict of the University of Texas is to be on the program. Mrs. Ruby T. Lomax, Dean of Women of Texas U., has been asked to take part on the program.

Emmett Redford of the Department of Government is to be the main speaker. Music and other numbers will be furnished by the chapters of Baylor University, Southwestern University at Georgetown, and State Teachers College at San Marcos.

Miss Graham is a speaker on the program, her address being on the topic of mirages in education or experimental colleges. The exact title has not, as yet, been worked out.

At present Alpha Chi is endeavoring to evolve a song for the order. Two prizes are being offered: ten dollars for first choice, five dollars for second choice. Only members or ex-members are eligible to enter. The song must embody the spirit of Alpha Chi, it must be dignified and scholarly, the words must be set to music, familiar, high class tunes may be used, and jazz music will not be accepted. Full particulars of the contest are on the bulletin board.

FOSSIL BED IN PALO DURO IS DISCOVERED

A fossil bed thought to be the largest yet discovered in the Panhandle of Texas has been found in Palo Duro Park.

Professor C. S. Johnston of the Archaeology Department of the West Texas State Teachers College and D. G. Vieau, of Eustis, Florida, discovered the great bone bed while seeking geological specimens in the State Park.

Fossilized bones of a horse, rhinos, camels, giant dogs, mastodons and several different kinds of turtles have been unearthed. According to Professor Johnston the bones are probably five million years old. Vieau, a professional collector of biological specimens, was visiting the park to collect specimen but became so interested in the fossil bed that he remained for ten days' work.

The fossil bed is to be the laboratory for a class of 19 college students who are studying paleontology.

MUSEUM GETS SMITHSONIAN INST. REPORTS

IS MADE POSSIBLE BY CONGRESSMAN MARVIN JONES

Congressman Marvin Jones has secured ten annual reports of the Smithsonian Institution for the library of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society Museum here. The volumes presented cover the work of the Institution in 1919, '20, '21, '22, '23, '24, '25, '30, '31, and '32.

Professor L. F. Sheffy, secretary of the Historical Society states that these books contain extremely valuable material on many subjects, as the papers contained in them are written by the foremost authorities in the fields covered. Astronomy, protection of wild life in America, the autogiro, annual rings of trees in study of climate, habits of animals, and geological problems are among the hundreds of subjects treated.

These books can be used by people doing research work in the Museum.

Former Student Re-enrolls After 22 Years Absence

Miss Emma Condon of Throckmorton entered W. T. for the first time on September 10, 1913. On January 8, 1935, she enrolled for a correspondence course.

1216 was Miss Condon's student number; 16,734 numbers have been issued to students since she received hers, the latest number, according to the Registrar's office, being 6950A which was issued to John S. Rippey of Dimmitt on December 3, 1934.

Although Miss Condon is teaching at Rule, Throckmorton is still her home address. Ewell Condon, a member of the same family and student number 709 of W. T., is county superintendent of Throckmorton County.

DR. HILL GOES TO AUSTIN SATURDAY

Dr. J. A. Hill left Canyon Saturday night to go to Austin where he will confer with other Teachers College Presidents upon mutual problems which will be considered by the legislature.

Dr. Hill expects to return Wednesday.

Captain Joe Richardson of the United States Navy has been promoted to the position of Rear Admiral dating from December 12, 1934.

New Bottom Is Being Put In Swimming Pool

Will Be Complete Last Quarter Of School

If present plans are executed the swimming pool, which for some time has been unfit for use because of cracks in the tile and concrete bottom of the shallow end of the pool, will be ready for use the last nine weeks of the Spring Semester. Classes are already being scheduled by Miss Cross, instructor.

Work tearing out the present bottom, which will be utilized in constructing a new foundation under the north end of the pool, was begun Friday, January 11, under the direction of Mr. J. D. Tucker, contractor, who has had wide experience in work of this nature. Approximately \$1,500 will be spent in repairing the pool, and six weeks are required for the work.

With the installation of new concrete and tiling, and foundation will, it is hoped, be all that is necessary to make the pool ready for use. As yet no deflection has been found in the south end of the pool.

Sophomore Prexy Called Meeting on Dues and Social

To plan an entertainment to be the first week of the second semester Sophomore Prexy Melvin Alexander called a meeting Thursday morning at 9:30 in Room 302. J. C. Baker was appointed head of the social committee; he will choose the other members of the committee to work out the plans for the social.

Class dues were discussed and the amount decided upon was twenty-five cents per quarter.

Kenneth Hohlhaus and Ralph McClure were appointed to collect the dues.

Miss Jean Day, '33, was here Saturday with Miss Frank Gover arranging for Miss Gover to enter college next semester. They were accompanied by Mr. Gover.

Superintendent J. W. Reid of Dumas was a visitor in the college Saturday enrolling for some correspondence courses.

Eminent Author Gives Evolution Of Present Use Of Propaganda In Patterning Opinion Of The Public

"With all the other facilities that are available, the people of the United States are educated by their newspapers," stated Will Irwin in his address to an audience of students and faculty members in the Administration Building Auditorium, Wednesday, 7:45 p. m. Mr. Irwin chose as his topic for the evening, the power of propaganda and cited numerous instances to illustrate his position in reference to this subject.

"Before 1914," he said, "the word propaganda, was used only in the sense as a means to advance one's cause. By 1916, when the World War was in full swing, the term was in use by all classes of people. Illiterate ditch-diggers and other uneducated people banded the word about freely without an inkling as to its real meaning. It came to mean a collection of half-truths and exaggerations designed to secure sympathy and support for either side in the great international conflict which was then raging."

Mr. Irwin related several colorful reports that were put in circulation by the crafty Germans in an attempt to win neutrals to their side and inflict irreparable damage against the Allied forces. Not

until it was almost too late, did the Allies awaken to the significance of skillfully directed propaganda and set in motion overdrawn accounts of their own concerning the "ruthless" Germans.

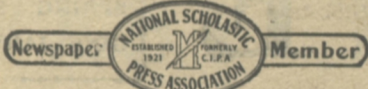
According to the veteran journalist and war correspondent, Hitler and his Nazis today maintain their power by precisely the same tactics. The same also applies to Mussolini in Italy.

"It was not until in comparatively recent years," says Mr. Irwin, "that journalists became aware of the fact that the news story exerts a great deal more influence in moulding public opinion than does the editorial. Previous to this discovery, editors everywhere pinned their faith on lengthy columns of editorial opinion in obtaining desired results from their readers."

In closing, the lecturer said, "The place of the university or college graduate in journalism is being recognized and generally conceded more and more. The trained mind has its place in journalism the same as in other fields of work. The day is coming when there will be no opportunity for the untrained, uneducated man to reach any great degree of success in journalism."



## THE PRAIRIE



## A WEEKLY NEWSPAPER

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The legislature is in session now, and the thing of primary interest to students is what they will do to affect education in the state.

"Since area-wide or state-wide planning is fundamental to the establishment of satisfactory units of administration, supervision, and support, appropriate legislation is required to provide guarantees that, in the placement and construction of school buildings, the physical and educational welfare of all persons occupying them will be safeguarded. Specifically, legislation should empower the state board of education through its professional staff to set up, promulgate and enforce accepted standards in the planning and construction of school buildings. Furthermore, the state by legislative appropriations should guarantee the financial resources necessary to provide, without inequitable local financial burdens, standard school building facilities to every child in the state. The provision of adequate school building facilities for all children is a fruitful field for the spending of funds by the public works administration of the Federal Government, and legislation providing for liberal grants for this purpose and for setting up and financing the facilities for the making of state-wide plans is highly desirable."—Vitalized School Journalism.

## Corrections in Library Regulations

## HOURS

Reading Rooms	8:15-12:00 A. M.	Reserve Book Room	8:45-12:00 A. M.
	12:30-7:00 P. M.		12:30-7:00 P. M.

Library will be closed on Saturday at 5:30.

## RESERVED BOOK ROOM

Reserve Books will be found in Room 212. Students may go to the reserved shelves and select the desired books. To locate what you want, consult the directory at the end of each shelf just under the sign RESERVED BOOKS. Students are asked to leave the books on the shelves in the order in which they find them.

There is a list of books for each reserve in the Kardex file on the desk in Reserve Book Room. When your teacher makes an assignment, for example in Education 101 look over this list to see what books she has put on reserve. This will help you locate your reading material. Later if you wish additional material use the card catalogue in the main reading room.

Each student will be permitted to take only one book at a time and will sign for it at the desk as they pass out. Neither texts nor large notebooks are permitted in the reserve room.

Reserve books must be returned through the chute in the hall and not to the shelves.

Each book may be kept out for only 1 hour from the time taken, except when permission is granted for a longer time. If you have not had your book 1 hour when the bell rings, you may keep it until your hour has expired if you care to do so. This applies to all hours except from 3:30 to 4:25. ALL BOOKS TAKEN FROM THE RESERVED BOOK ROOM MUST BE RETURNED TO THE RESERVED BOOK ROOM AT 4:25 ON THAT DAY OR BE ASSESSED A FINE OF 25 CENTS. It is necessary that the books be in at this time in order that they may be rechecked for over-night use.

Books will be checked for over-night use at 4:30 p. m., and must be returned the following school day during the first half hour after classes begin. A restricted list of books may not be checked until 6:30. All over due books draw a fine of 15 cents for the first hour, and 5 cents for each succeeding hour. Students who owe fines will not be permitted to check out books until their record is clear.

Each book may be kept out for only 1½ hours from the time taken, had your book 1½ hours when the bell rings, you may keep it until your returned by 8:00 A. M. on the following school day. A restricted list All reserve books must be returned at 7:30 on Monday.

## Fines Must Be Paid

One week of grace is granted in which to pay fines without extra charge. This does not mean, however, that you can draw books during the week. AFTER ONE WEEK AN ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF TEN CENTS PER DAY IS ASSESSED UNTIL THE FINE IS PAID.

## LOAN LIBRARY

All books from the Loan Library, Room 210, may be kept for three days, and are due at 5:00 on the third day. BOOKS FROM THE LOAN SHELF DUE ON SUNDAY OR HOLIDAYS MUST BE RETURNED DURING THE FIRST HOUR OF THE FOLLOWING SCHOOL DAY. If books are not returned when due they draw a fine of 5c per day.

When drawing books from the Loan Library a yellow slip must be correctly filled out; if you do not know the call number of a book consult the Card Catalogue—call number will be found in RED in the upper left-hand corner of the catalogue card. Yellow slips may be obtained at the Loan Desk and at the Card Catalogue.

If the Library is open, return all books to the desk from which you checked them. If the Library is closed, return all books through the chute, Room 212 regardless of where they were checked.

## MAIN READING ROOM

Room 217 is the Main Reading Room.

Bound magazines, reference books, and the card index are located here. The current periodicals are found in an adjacent room. No material in these rooms is to be taken out, except books from the Rental Shelf, but all material is available to students at all times during regular library hours.

## RENTAL COLLECTION

For the pleasure of the students, the Library maintains a Rental Collection. This collection is in the Main Reading Room and the books will be found immediately back of the Desk. The books may be checked for four cents per day, payable when the books are returned. Your record must be clear before you may use the collection. The rental fund is used for the purpose of placing more books on the shelf. We invite you to investigate this collection.

## GOVERNMENT DOCUMENT ROOM

Government Documents may be found in room 216. Students of government, history, geography, and agriculture will find the material in this room of special value in their courses. This material is not to be checked out, but is to be used in the Government Document room only. Documents are available at all times during regular library hours.

## IS SCENE OF RANDALL HALL NEXT DANCE

## "HIGH-HATTERS" OF PAMPA WILL FURNISH THE MUSIC

The next All-College Dance of the season will have as its scene the reception room of Randall Hall. It is believed that the dance, which will be on Saturday evening, January 19, will be one of the outstanding All-College Dances of the season, as the spirit of the college dancers is nearing its climax. The freshmen who have been too timid to attend the college dances are planning to seek a good time at this next dance. Those people who have already formed the habit of attending college dances can not afford to miss it, as it will be the hit of the season.

Coy Palmer, chairman of the dance committee, states that a very nice prize will be given away at dancing.

Music will be in the hands of the famous and well-known "High-Hatters" of Pampa. These musicians are very good, and they will furnish the very best music for those who seek great pleasure in the dance. Each individual will receive a ticket and numbers will be drawn. The one holding the lucky number will receive the prize. You might be the lucky one, so be at Randall Hall at 8 p. m., January 19, and bring someone with you.

The admission is fifty cents for couples, and seventy-five cents for stags.

## New Donations Are Placed In Historical Museum

Museum-goers will be pleased to learn that through the efforts of the patrons of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society, several articles of both historical and educational worth have recently been placed in the museum.

Through the generosity of the Hanson Post, No. 54, of the American Legion of Amarillo and thru the efforts of J. O. Guleke of the Post, a Texas Centennial half-dollar was donated to the museum collection. This piece was acquired at public auction on the capitol steps at Austin, and was the third piece of money offered for sale, the first and second coins having been obtained by former Governor, James E. Ferguson and Mayor Tom Miller of Austin, respectively. With the coin, and greatly enhancing its historical worth, was included an award, a "Certificate of Distinguished Service to Texas," which will be displayed with the piece in the museum.

## Carlander Articles

For those interested in bird lore, Kenneth Carlander, through the facilities of the Amarillo News-Globe, has donated an almost complete report of the extensive study and research done in his field. This summary is a review of the work done the past few years at the University of Minnesota, where Mr. Carlander is a student in ornithology.

## Confederate Money

Another contribution is that of Mr. J. D. Cole of Amarillo, and consists of some Confederate money including one certificate bearing the signature of President Jefferson Davis of the Confederacy.

## Campus Spotlight

Acoustics around this campus are swell. (Reference to the Bennett-Cohorts ukelele and song broadcast from the upper story of Cousins last Wednesday night.)

And R. M. Thompson must be back in his childhood daze—sporting a nigger shooter around like the barefoot boy.

Do you know who the new Basketball Captain is? Congratulate McMINN. He deserves it.

COW WILLIAMS is over his sickness and going strong again.

JOHNNY HOOD mailed his fountain pen and put his letter in his pocket. Really. Absent mindedness, is it?

Somebody says to WINFRED LEWIS, says they, "Your mustache doesn't look so good." And returns Winfred, "Well, you didn't look very well when you were three days old, did you?"

Will the boy who hiked to Canyon with REX TYNES in the summer of fall please see PATRICIA WEDERBROOK immediately. Very important.

## GIRLS! GIRLS! GIRLS!

Come to the Education Building Gym today at 12:45 and sign up for Women's Intramural Basketball Tournaments. We want you, we need you. You will love the sport.

## F. E. R. A. NOTICE

Effective February 1, the roll of F. E. R. A. student workers will be restored to approximately our original quota of ninety-one. In making up the new roll, present employees who have excelled in their school work, in their jobs, and whose attitude is commendable, will be given preference. Such places as may then remain to be filled will be given to worthy applicants whom the committee has not yet been able to give any work. In order that the committee may know the desires of the students in this respect, those who are interested in being considered for places on the new roll will please write a brief statement of his or her urgent need and hand it to one of the members of the committee. This should be done right away, both by those who are now working and those who have never been employed in F. E. R. A. work.

The list of appointments will be posted by February 1, which will be as early as the committee can have access to the grades of the present nine weeks.

C. A. Murray  
H. M. Cook  
Edna Graham  
Geraldine Green  
T. M. Moore.

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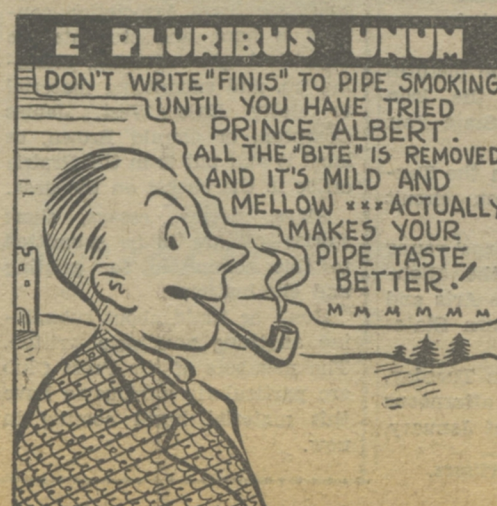
WHITMAN FISH

It was just short of disgusting to see such a small crowd out last Tuesday evening to hear the most interesting lecture given by Will Irwin. As a general rule, lecturers are usually very dry and of the sort that are of interest only to those who are interested especially in that subject, but Irwin touched on many topics that should have found fertile ground in anyone's mind.

The Arizona State Teacher's College Collegian notes that advertising really does get results. In Williams, Arizona, the newspaper carried an add to do with a raiser of rabbits. Mr. Savage, the rabbit owner, placed an ad informing the public that it was unnecessary to waste valuable time in hunting rabbits as fine fryers since very fine fryers could be obtained at the "Savage Rabbitry." Shortly after the ad was run, Mr. Savage missed several of his very fine animals. And from time to time after that, several more were missed. Thus he states that he is wholly in favor of little or no advertising in the future.

The University of California will have its own "Stein Song" and the beverage to go with it—provided the application from the University Cafeteria passes the California State Board of Equalization. Among the reasons for the permission to sell beer in the cafeteria was the whole hearted desire of the student body as well as that of several of the faculty.

It is most sad to relate that during the week the expected exchanges have failed to arrive due, it is supposed to, many of the schools not resuming classes until some days later than we did, however, we will be back next week with as much interest as possible—we hope. So, until next time, we leave you with this parting thought:



## The Tumbleweed

Editors: Helene Oliver and Mary McCaslin.

Reporters: Billie Norman, Cleo Bourland, Evangeline Baker, Joe McDonald, Bonne Rhea, Whittenburg, Shirley Ann Oliver, Anna Menke, Ruth Campbell, Jane Heald.

## Reeves Continues Lectures To the Journalism Students; Leads Stressed

"Leads are of prime importance in newspaper work, stated Mrs. T. V. Reeves in the second of her series of lectures on journalism given to the students of the Junior Press Club Saturday afternoon. Continuing, Mrs. Reeves pointed out that nine out of ten leads are of the who, when, where, what, or why type, and that the tenth is the suspense lead. She demonstrated each type on the blackboard, using "Tumbleweed" articles to illustrate her points. The speaker also demonstrated how the changing of a single word in an article may change its entire trend. She also brought out the fact that public opinion is strongly influenced by attitudes of newspapers toward various situations in life, both public and private. Among other important points emphasized in the talk was the fact that variety is the spice of newspaper life.

The members of the Junior Press Club are looking forward with interest to the next lecture in the series.

## W. T. Hi-Y Holds Meeting

Thursday evening, January 3, the W. T. Hi-Y Club held a joint business and social meeting at the home of Mrs. A. K. Goodman. The meeting was presided over by Brynild Vaughn, the newly elected president. After a round-table discussion on dues and other matters of business the boys answered questionnaires called "Interest Locators," to help find what things all the boys were most interested in. After the business meeting was over, the members played forty-two until the club adjourned at nine-thirty.

The present officers of the Hi-Y are: president, Brynild Vaughn; vice-president, Glenn Davis; secretary-treasurer, Egbert Neeley; student council representative, Velton Sogree; and publicity manager, A. G. Thornton.

## Dr. R. A. Neblett Talks to W. T. High Girls

"The Ten Commandments of health," stated Dr. R. A. Neblett, at the "What-I-Should-Like-to-Know" Club Friday afternoon, "are

1. Help yourself to health.
2. Health must be earned.
3. Adopt the policy "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."
4. Make foods your servant, not your master.
5. Breathe deeply.
6. Exercise for health, not for strength.
7. Seek sunshine, for sunshine and disease are always enemies.
8. Water—for tonic and cleanliness.
9. Keep a clear conscience.
10. Work planfully, read much, and play often."

After a brief discussion of these commandments, Dr. Neblett answered any questions which the girls of the club wished to ask. His explanations were appreciated by the club.

## Dickey Speaks in Chapel

The W. T. High students enjoyed thoroughly a short talk given by the Rev. Mr. Charles L. Dickey, pastor of the Presbyterian Church Thursday morning at the chapel hour.

The program opened with two songs by the high school quintet.

## Robinson Talked To AAUW Group

Miss Isabel Robinson, Head of the Art Department, spoke Tuesday afternoon before a study group of the Amarillo A. A. U. W., which met at the home of Mrs. W. W. Rusk. Miss Robinson's subject, "Pictures in the Home," brought out the fact that pictures in the home have a great effect on the occupants.

"Pictures may be inspirational through their subjects or their aesthetic qualities," she said. "They may be entertaining and interesting because of what we know about the artists who made them and because of the technique used. Or they may be just delightful and satisfying because of their color or the harmony they create with the general effect of the arrangements of the room. This may be true if they are framed well, hung to the best advantages, and chosen wisely."

## Choose Your Pictures

In conclusion, Miss Robinson stated that a person should never allow anyone else to dictate what picture he should have in his home. They should be selected because of their particular appeal to the individual, even though his taste may be quite low, for it is possible to develop a liking for the best of pictures.

Leo Duflet, Bomar Brown, John McNeill, Meredith Warren, and Thomas Campbell, accompanied by their director, Miss La Trice Quattelaum.

The theme of Rev. Dickey's talk was "What's in a name?" "Your name was given to you, but you, yourself place the value upon it," said Mr. Dickey. In discussing the significance of names, the speaker gave the etymology of several names of Biblical fame, and cited other people who, in more recent times, have added value to their names, through their deeds.

Boys' Chorus Sings Over Radio

Wednesday afternoon an interesting program was given over the radio by the Boys' Chorus of W. T. high school, sponsored by the music division of the Seventh District of Federated Women's Clubs. The boys, under the supervision of Miss Clark, sang a group of cowboy and sailor songs.

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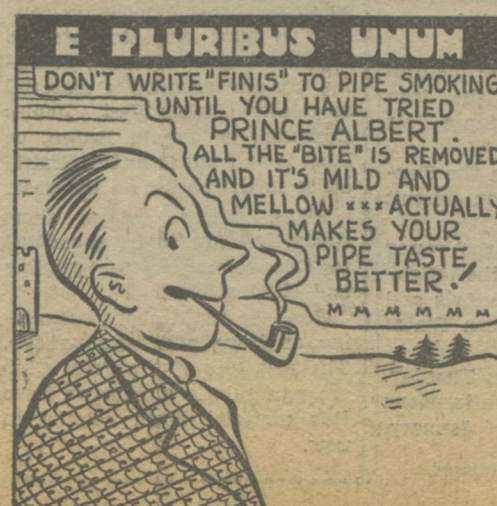
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# Society and Clubs

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## WRANGLERS PLAN ROUND-UP; SECURED MORE MEMBERS

Nine additional Wranglers were added to the organization and plans for a "round-up" during the coming week were made at the regular meeting of the group held Monday, January 7, at 4:30 o'clock in Dean Green's office.

The singing of several peppy scout songs gave the meeting its characteristic spirited send-off. An interesting program led by Nancy Strain followed the songs.

"The History of American Girl Scouts," by Irene Hurst.

"The Principles of Scouting," by Mary Jane Muse.

"Organization of Scouts," by Osce McCrerey and Nancy Strain.

"Qualifications of an Ideal Scout Leader," by Mrs. Green.

The organization of patrols was discussed in detail. The group will be divided into patrols at the next meeting. Definite announcement of the date of the "round-up" will be placed on the bulletin board at a later date.

Members in attendance were: Osce McCrerey, Kathryn Allison, Mrs. Green, Nell Green, Ora Anderson, Irene Hurst, Eddy Woodring, Etoile Simon, Anita Goodrich, Irene Beckett, Lela Hickox, Nancy Strain, Ruth Enoch, Mrs. A. K. Goodman, Mary Jean Muse, June Farnsworth, Lillie Mae Morris, Wilhelmina Calk, Flora Morris, Juanita Walker, Fannie Mae Reese, Norma Kidd, Kathryn Robinson, Lillian Crosby, Louise Jacobson, and Robbie Foster.

## DOROTHY STOVALL ROY FORBES WED

From Clovis, New Mexico, comes the announcement of the marriage of Miss Dorothy Stovall to Mr. Roy Forbes which took place during the Christmas holidays.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. G. F. Walker and is a graduate of Amarillo high school and an ex-student of West Texas State Teachers College.

The groom is the son of Rev. and Mrs. L. F. Forbes. He is a graduate of Clovis high school and the University of Missouri.

The couple are at home at 409½ Sheldon Street, Clovis, where the groom is employed by the Railways Ice Company.

## W. A. A. ALL-COLLEGE TAG DANCE IS SUCCESS

Last Saturday night the reception room of Cousins Hall was gaily decorated with the pennants of "Ye Colleges" as a setting for the All-College Girls Tag Dance sponsored by the Women's Athletic Association.

It was really a novel affair and the first of its kind to be enjoyed by some students at this college. The stag line consisted only of girls, but much fun was had and everyone reported an enjoyable evening.

The music was furnished by Durward Brown, Coy Palmer, Jim Bandy, and Glenn Brown. Fruit punch was served during the evening.

## METHODIST W. M. S. GROUP WILL MEET IN CANYON

An important meeting of Zone No. 1 of Methodist Missionary Societies of the Amarillo district will be held at the Canyon Church Wednesday. The theme of the meeting will be "Co-operation and Correlation." Miss Moss Richardson of the English Department, Canyon, will give the welcome address at the luncheon. Mrs. G. F. Branson will give the response.

## DR. AND MRS. HILL ENTERTAIN AMARILLO GUESTS

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Hill honored Mr. and Mrs. John E. Hill and Miss Margaret Hill, all of Amarillo, with a four-course dinner Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock in their home.

Those present were the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. Hill, Miss Hill, Miss Marion Hill, Mrs. J. M. C. Davis, and the host and hostess.

After the dinner the group went to hear Will Irwin speak.

## W. T. EXES ARE C. C. OFFICERS

The election of officers for 1935 will be held by the Abernathy Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night, January 15, during a supper meeting at Struve Hall. E. T. Beard, president announced. Ray Pinson, an ex-student of W. T. Ex, is one of the outgoing directors, while W. H. Ragland, another W. T. Ex, will remain a director for the coming year.

## POISE, GRACIOUSNESS TOPIC OF DISCUSSION

Have you ever been in a place where you did not know what to do? And didn't you just want to fall right through the floor? Oh, you don't have to tell about it, but we know you would like to hear Mrs. Green speak of "Poise and the Handling of Delicate Situations." Then be at Y. W. C. A. Wednesday afternoon at 4:30. We'll be looking for you.

## COUPLES ANNOUNCE RECENT MARRIAGES

Miss Maurien Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Warren, and Mr. Alvin Forrest, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Forrest, were married in Canadian on December 25. The bride is a graduate of Wheeler high school and attended W. T. S. T. C. last year.

Miss Ernestine Newberry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Newberry, and Mr. Hosea Weeks, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Weeks, were united in Marriage December 28, at Elk City, Okla. The bride and groom are both graduates of Wheeler high school and both have attended W. T. S. T. C. Mr. Weeks also did work at Amarillo College.

Among the recent marriages is that of Miss Zonelle McMurry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McMurry of Memphis, to Mr. Lee Struder of Conway, which took place in the manse of the First Presbyterian Church of Memphis. Rev. O. K. Webb officiated.

## CURRIE-LAFON NUPTIALS

Interesting to their group of friends is the marriage of Miss Roberta LaFon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. LaFon of Clarendon, and Mr. Hugh Currie, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Currie of Amarillo, which took place at the First Methodist Church at Clarendon, December 31. The ring ceremony was read by Rev. E. D. Landreth, pastor of the church.

Mrs. Currie attended Clarendon High School and Junior College, and received her B. A. degree at West Texas State Teachers College here. For the past two years she has been a member of the Childress public schools' faculty. The groom also attended school here.

After the ceremony, the bride and groom left by plane for Chicago and Detroit. On their return they will be at home on the Currie ranch near Amarillo.

## LIVELY DISCUSSIONS AT SCRIBBLERS' MEETING

Members of the Scribblers' Club met Tuesday night, Jan. 8, at 7 o'clock in Randall Hall for the regular semi-monthly meeting with Miss Leona Lockhart, presiding.

The program given was under the direction of Betty Dale West and consisted of a talk, "My Experiences as a Cub Reporter," by Jack Sinton; an essay, "The Future," by Alvie Redden; a discussion of playwriting by Betty Dale West, and a series of short poems by Dorothy Kinkadee. In the absence of Miss Kinkadee, Frances Finch read the poems.

Considerable discussion, headed by Miss West, followed each number on the program. The next meeting of the Scribblers' Club is scheduled for Tuesday night, January 22.

## HISTORICAL TRAGEDY SUBJECT OF TRAVEL CLUB

The Historical Tragedy in Kansas in the Nineteenth Century, was the topic of discussion of the Travel Club Monday. Miss Mable Wimberly presided.

Next week's program will be the showing of colored pictures of the Palo Duro Park by Miss Walker.

Mrs. Elise Mae Hood, president of the club urges all members and their friends to be present, as the program will be an aid to them in getting acquainted with West Texas.

## BRIDGE AND "42" PARTY GIVEN BY ROBBINS HOUSE GIRLS

The girls of the Robbins House entertained with a progressive forty-two and bridge party last Saturday night.

Delicious refreshments of hot chocolate and cake were served to Ina Haney, Annette Ruth, Beulah Robinson, Opal Foster, Jennie McCormick, Grace Sorenson, E. T. Evans, O. G. Eavers, Loyd Harris, Richard D'Armand, Edgar Frazier, and Ross Wilson.

## MISS RICHARDSON RECEIVED HONORARY MEMBERSHIP

An honorary membership to the Athenaeum Club was conferred on Miss Mary Moss Richardson of W. T. S. T. C. at the annual business meeting of the club at the home of Mrs. J. E. Griggs, 1417 Harrison Street, Amarillo, on January 3.

Frequently Miss Richardson is invited and accepts the invitation to speak to the members of the club on some topic of discussion in their Yearbook.

## SESAME LITERARY SOCIETY PLANNED SOCIAL

Plans were made for a social Jan. 31, at the Sesame Literary Society Thursday evening at 7:30 in Room 202 in the Education Building.

Joe Chambers was elected as a new member into the society.

Pauline Thompson favored the group with a piano selection, after which the members soon adjourned.

## MISS McDAVID IS BRIDE OF FLOYD COX, JR.

Coming as a surprise to their friends was the announcement of the marriage of Miss Geraldine McDavid to Mr. Floyd W. Cox, Jr., which took place on Saturday, January 5, at high noon at the parsonage of the Polk Street Methodist Church, Dr. C. C. Grimes officiating.

The bride was attractive wearing a becoming suit of blue wool and carrying pink rosebuds. She was attended by her sister, Miss Jean McDavid, who wore black crepe and carried pink rose buds.

Mrs. Cox is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. McDavid, 1116 Broadway. She is a graduate of Amarillo High School and attended Amarillo College and West Texas State Teachers College.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Cox, 3916 Cheyenne Terrace and is a graduate of Amarillo High School and attended Texas A. & M. College. He is now manager of the Lone Star Market.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox will be at home at the Lucerne Apartments.

## WILEY, SWAYNE, MONTFORT ENTERTAIN ELAPHELIANS

Misses Margaret Wiley and Maitie Swayne, and Mrs. Tommie Montfort were hostesses to the Elaphelean Society last Thursday evening at the home of Miss Swayne, 2106 5th.

An enjoyable evening was spent in playing bridge and games.

Refreshments of sandwiches, fruit cake, and punch were served to Misses Esther Lou Bandy, Dorothy Bennett, Evelyn Mayfield, Elizabeth Jameson, Louise Ramey, Frances Armitage, Mary Alice and La Trice Quattlebaum, Adella Beavers, Sarah Beth McGehee, Lonas Fortenberry, Ernestine Walker, Marjorie Tucker, May Kise, Kathleen Wade, Margaret Seay, Thelma Calliham, Virginia Leigh and Madelyn Bull, Claire Ruth, Nichols, and Miss Mary Moss Richardson, the guest of the evening.

## SHOWER GIVEN FOR BRIDE-ELECT OF W. T. EX.

Honoring Miss Thelma Trollinger, whose approaching marriage to Mr. Glenn G. Bobbitt, an ex-'33, has been announced, a lovely shower was given at the home of Mrs. John Trollinger, Thursday evening, in Amarillo.

## DELTA THETA TIPS



## ELAPHELIAN DOINGS

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I must tell you about the party Thursday night. It was a sort of a Twelfth Night celebration and ESTHER LOU and THELMA ruled as King and Queen of fools. They made everybody tell their most personal affairs, and embarrassing moments; some had to sing little ditties and dance—I really scooped up the scandal. Maybe you can persuade MISS SWAYNE to tell you her love story; BIBS can sing a song with some fancy gestures; and MISS RICHARDSON'S cat-ss in a bas-sket is about the best I've heard lately. We extend our deepest sympathies to those not present.

We learned that: MARY ALICE QUATTLEBAUM is a disillusioned woman. EVELYN MAYFIELD is not nervous nor full of play. She is just plenty cute. SARAH BETH MCGEEHEE looked truthful when she said she liked MILES and KOTTON better than any other boys in school. That would be brother love.

If you notice some of the Elapheleans looking refined you will know they have been attending meetings. Last week LA TRICE gave a talk on music. It was very cultural, and she explained everything so well that even I understood what it was about.

Elapheleans still meet on Thursday nights at 7:30, and every member should be present. It wouldn't be nice to threaten you so we will try to appeal to your conscience. In the first place, you are neglecting your education every time you miss a program, 2nd, think of your parents who are struggling to keep you in W. T.—they sent you here to grow broader (in mind)—you must not let them be disappointed in you; lastly but not leastly, you miss one

more keen time if you're not taking part. We'll see those with consciences in Room 101 Thursday evening.

### Name It and Take It

I am L. R. I am sort of tall and very good looking except for some freckles on my nose, and they are cute. I have my hair fixed with the prettiest little ringlets around my ears, and I get compliments on it all the time. My roommate (F. A.) doesn't appreciate me much, but she is sort of queer anyhow. Some day when I arrive she will be sorry. I used to go with K. T. all the time, but you can't guess who he is because those aren't his real initials. My name will be in The Prairie next week in big letters. Goody!

### "RECKONING" DIRECTED BY JUDGE WILLIAMS PRESENTED TO DRAMATICS CLUB

A grim little play called the "Reckoning," by Percival Wilde, directed by Judge Williams and played by William Hawkins and Arlin Hartzog was presented at the meeting of the Dramatics Club Thursday afternoon.

Miss Mary Morgan Brown gave a report on her trip to the Speech Convention she attended in New Orleans.

### New Plays

The play this week will be "Judge Lynch" by a Texas writer, John W. Rogers, of Dallas. This play won the first Belasco Cup in the Little Theater Tournament several years ago. The play will be directed by Thomas Newell.

The next week the play will be "Pearls" by Dan Totherah directed by Ruth Stapleton.

This completes the work of the Dramatics Club for this semester. One play has been assigned for next semester, "The Purple Dream" by Donald Breed, directed by Hazel Kirbie to be presented Feb. 7th.

### VAUGHN-MURRAY WEDDING ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Murray of Quail announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Hildred Murray to Mr. Dalton B. Vaughn, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Vaughn, also of Quail, on December 25 in Wellington. They will live in Canyon temporarily, where Mr. Vaughn is a student at West Texas State Teachers College.

## KERR HOUSE ENTERTAINS A. A. U. W. MONDAY

Misses Anna I. Hibbets, Margaret Wiley, Mattie Jordan, Jewel Foster, and Mrs. Laura Saunders very hospitably opened the doors of the Kerr House to local members of the A. A. U. W. Monday evening, January 7th.

After an hour of individual discussion the five study groups devoted to art, biography, creative writing, literature, and international relations, respectively, convened for social recreation and consideration of club business. At this time delicious cake and hot punch were served to the guests. General approval of the chapter's new chairs was tendered the purchasing committee. During the business meeting a donation of ten dollars was voted the fellowship fund. The group expressed its sympathy for Mrs. Hill and Miss Goodrich, absent because of serious illness.

At the close of the meeting Miss Mary E. Hudspeth graciously invited the group to hold its next meeting in her home at 1905 Fourth avenue, Monday evening, February 4th.

## ELAPHELIANS WILL HAVE OPEN PROGRAM THURSDAY EVE

The Elaphelean Literary Society are sponsoring an open program in the auditorium of the Education Building Thursday evening at 7:30. The program will consist in negro dialect readings by Miss Mary Morgan Brown, and a number of negro spirituals will be sung by Professor Wallace R. Clark.

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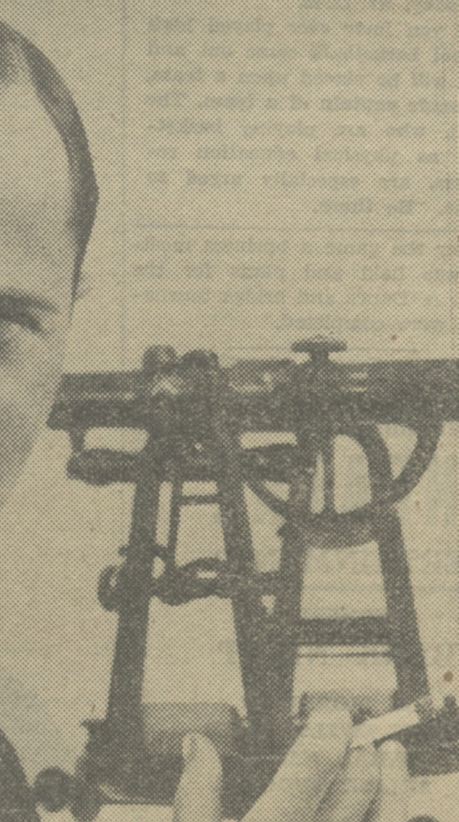
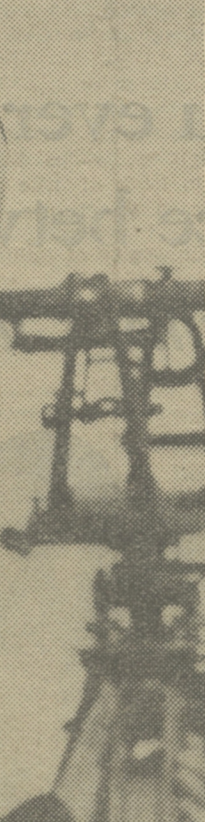
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# WEST TEXAS SPORTS

GERALD BROWN, Editor

## Varsity Basketball Season Is In Full Swing at W. T.

### Buffaloes Will Journey To Tech Next Week

Monday and Tuesday, January 21 and 22, the Buffaloes play their second varsity basketball series on foreign grounds, when they journey to Lubbock for a joust with the Texas Tech Matadors.

Again the Matadors will have a little edge on the Buffs as they will have played ten games to one for the Buffaloes. Up to last year a Texas Tech basketball team had never won a series from the Buffaloes in their eight years of competition.

Last year the Red Raiders won three out of four games from the Buffs, winning the last two game series in the Lubbock gym.

Coach Virgil Ballard who is taking over the basketball team for the first time, taking the place of Del Morgan, has four lettermen from the 1934 team in L. Crews, Houston Wester, and Co-Captains Will Gilmore and Laurence Priddy.

Russell Wilkerson, member of last year's freshman team, is filling in the other place on the starting lineup. Wilkinson is six feet four inches tall and jumps center.

One colorful Matador is Glenn (Tiny) Thornton who substitutes at the pivot position. Thornton weighs 250 pounds, is six feet three inches tall, and handles himself smoothly. In their Border Conference contest with the Arizona Teachers, which Tech won 40 to 23, Thornton was high-point man for the Matadors with nine points although he played only five minutes.

Capt. McMinn and company are pointing for the games at Lubbock, and their earnestness forebodes a basketball treat at Lubbock January 21 and 22.

### Volley Ball Team Wins Before WAA

### Women's Basketball Is Now In The Offing

At the Women's Athletic Association meeting on Tuesday night, the two winning volleyball teams of the Intramural Tournament met for the final game.

### BISON BULL



By Fizz n' Fuzz

Feeling depressed—lost ideals or sumpin—Have you seen our great big, strong, handsome? football players with their new form of entertainment yet? You should see those he men picking on defenseless little birds, each other, er sumpin with their Beanies, nigger shooters, sling shots, rock flippers, or what have you.

Someone felt the urge of childhood, which should have been lost long ago (THOMPSON, HOLSTON, CAIN, CHAMPION er—but you would expect that) and started the idea; and like this funny thing called the human race all took it up. OH! WHAT THIS MODERN GENERATION IS COMING TO!

NOTICE TO MRS. J. A. HILL—No one else need read this—DR. J. A. HILL was present and toastmaster of the Annual Football Banquet (Stags-only) Thursday evening, January 3, from seven-thirty to nine-thirty.

Five rooms of the BUFFALO COURTS are occupied. All of the boys are proud of their new home. There seems to be just one disadvantage—BILL ALLEN can no longer wait till one minute before breakfast time to get up and still get there on time.

Ilsa Mae Donald's team was defeated by the score 15-11 by the fast playing team of Lorraine Lyons.

Girls who wish to play in the Women's Intramural Basketball Tournament will meet in the Education Building Gym today, Tuesday, at 12:45.

If you have ever played high school basketball, come out and you will be placed upon a team, or made captain of a team. The girls, who are playing basketball as physical education requires, are especially urged to come. Be there.

After the game a business meeting was held and plans for the W. A. A. Dance and bridge tournament were completed.

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### Opened The Season In Game With Aggies

Last night after this paper went to press the West Texas Buffaloes opened their varsity basketball season with the Panhandle Aggies of Goodwell, Okla., in Burton Gym.

While the result of the game was not known at the time, it was certain to be an interesting game. In the Aggies the Buffs were meeting a team of experienced veterans. Coach Leon Field has three boys who are playing their fourth year together in Lucas, Leopp, and Hale.

Seven of the ten boys on the Aggie squad participated in the National meet last year where they were eliminated by the Ogden Boosters. Four of the five boys on the starting lineup were from the team of the year before, while the fifth, Persy Radney was a freshman who was winning a regular position from the old hands.

Edd McMinn, the newly elected captain of the Buffaloes, was expected to lead his team mates on the floor, and possibly to victory.

Most of the Buffaloes lack the experience which the Aggies possess, and some were predicting that the experience of the Aggies, coupled with the fact that they had played four games to none for the Bison Herd would be the margin of a victory for the Farmers.

However, the Buffs have been looking good in practice scrimmages, and Coach Baggett stated that his charges were ready for the test which the Aggies would offer.

John Walker will be out of the game, as he has not recovered his strength after having his tonsils removed. A possible starting lineup for the Buffs was: Clark and

## FOULS MAKE FROSH GAME SENSATIONAL

### Savage Turned the Game By Free Throw; Is Hero

Thursday night the return engagement which the West Texas Frosh Basketball Team had with the strong independent Santa Fe Team in Burton Gymnasium proved to be a sensation with the Yearlings winning from the Railroaders 28 to 27.

Just as the game ended with the score tied at 27 all, Savage, of the Freshman and B. Arnold of the Santa Fe, ran together, and referee Van Noy called a double foul. The game was over but as the foul had occurred before the whistle had blown, both men were allowed a free pitch.

With the outcome of the game depending upon the free tosses, and with the crowd holding its collective breath, Bud Arnold of the Santa Fe stepped up to the free pitch line and missed his toss with the ball rebounding from the rim.

Don Savage of the Freshmen took a deep breath and dropped his throw through the basket to win the game and become a hero.

Superiority  
From the beginning the Yearlings were masters of the affair until the last few minutes of the game. During the first half the Yearlings had clearly demonstrated their superiority with a clever handling of the ball and accurate tosses for the basket to run up

Boedeker, guards; Davis, center; and Clement and Capt. McMinn, forwards. Leonard Britt at one forward and M. E. Cleavinger at one guard were expected to see some service.

## Frosh Lose Game To Tune Of 31-27

### Was Fast Playing From Beginning To End

Last Saturday night in the Badger Gymnasium the West Texas State Teachers College Freshman basketball team dropped a thrilling contest to the Amarillo College Badgers 31 to 27.

With first one team and then the other taking the lead, the game proved to be replete with thrills for the fans from start to finish. The game marked the first defeat for the Frosh in three starts.

From the first it was a fast neck and neck race between two well-coached teams, displaying a clever passing of the ball and accurate shooting at the basket from every angle. At the half the Yearlings were leading 14 to 13. The Fish won the attention of the fans with their fast-breaking attack, and brilliant defensive work.

Going into the closing minutes the Badgers rallied to take the lead from the Yearlings. Then Taylor rang one to tie the score with just a minute and one-half to go. Then Kelly put the Badgers ahead with a wild toss going into the basket.

With the end approaching the fifteen points while holding the Railroaders to a single gratis pitch.

At the half the score was 17 to 5. With their large margin and a sure victory evidently in their hands the Freshmen stopped hustling, and the Railroaders began to find the basket with a steady barrage of field goals.

At first it seemed like a hopeless task, but the margin began to narrow, and Dee, lank Santa Fe center, jiggled the ball into the basket to tie the score with just a few seconds to go. Then occurred the crucial run-in of Savage and Arnold.

Dennis and Walling of the Frosh and Dee of the Santa Fe were all tied for high point with seven points each. Taylor of the Yearlings and Clyde Blackwell and Carter of the Santa Fe followed the leaders with six points each.

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Frosh became frantic and began shooting from everywhere on the floor. They failed to make their wild shots count, and Pletzsch scored with a one-hand toss entering the basket as the final whistle blew, giving the Badgers a four-point margin.

Taylor of the Yearlings was high point man of the fray with ten points, followed by Kelly of the Badgers with nine. One interesting sidelight on the game was the Affair of Hinger vs. Pletzsch. Coach Cox told Hinger, stubby Freshman guard, that he would have to walk home if he failed to guard Pletzsch closely.

Pletzsch is the Badger ace scorer, and seldom fails to mark up less than twenty points in each game. Although he was much taller than Hinger, Freshman Oscar stuck with Pletzsch like a burr, and held him to four field goals, a new low for the Badger.

### W. T. SENIORS WILL SPONSOR A SHOW

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Committee. Those who will serve are Yvonne Thomas, Hosea Foster, George Bishop, and Gerald Brown. Suggestions from the members of the class to this committee will be welcomed and appreciated.

The Seniors who failed to attend this class meeting are requested to wake up to their duty as dignified seniors, and show some response when a class meeting is called.

### MEET THE BUFFS

Name—Willie Boedeker.  
Position—Forward or guard.  
Years Lettered—One.  
Home Town—Lockney.  
Height—Six feet four inches.  
Weight—185.  
Age—20.  
Classification—Junior.  
Type of women preferred—Glamorous blondes.  
Pet Hobby—Gambling. (Ed Note, good loser?)

Name—Curtis Clement.  
Position—Forward.  
Years Lettered—One.  
Home Town—Wellington.  
Height—By stretching it a little six feet.  
Weight—152.  
Age—21.  
Classification—Junior.  
Type of women preferred—Ones with jobs who like to step. (A ladies man).  
Pet Hobby—Issuing equipment to Freshman football team.

### McMINN WAS

#### CHOSEN CAPTAIN

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From his forward position McMinn leads the Buffaloes with his unceasing hustle, chatter, smooth team work, and accurate basket tossing.

This selection is a well-earned reward for ability, and fans are predicting that this season will witness the continuation of McMinn's flashy work, and his high scoring with his ability to hit the basket from any angle.

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