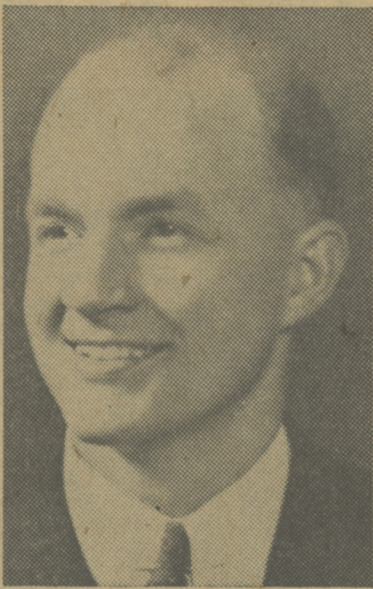


19 New Instructors Added to West Texas Faculty



Elinor Smith

Elinor Louise Smith is the new Dietitian and Manager of the College Cafeteria at West Texas State. Miss Smith received her degree from North Texas State majoring in foods and nutrition with a minor in chemistry. She has taught at Highland Park High School in Dallas, North Texas State and Southwestern University in Georgetown. Included in her hobbies are sports and reading.



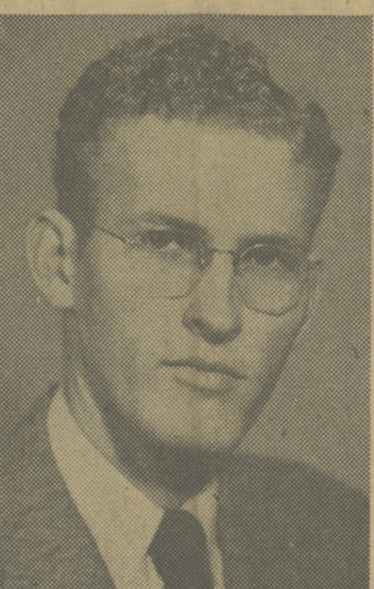
William Wilson

A newcomer to West Texas State and also to Texas is William R. Wilson who was recently appointed assistant professor of Biology. He received a Master of Science Degree from Ohio State University and taught there this past summer. He was born in New Castle, Indiana.



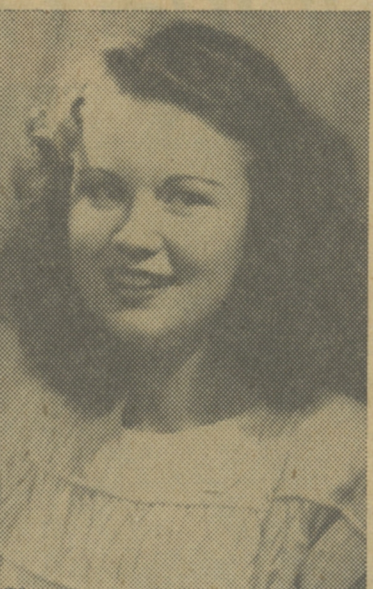
Dr. Onah Jacks

Dr. Onah Jacks, new member of the Home Economics Department at West Texas State, holds her Bachelor's, Master's and Doctor's Degrees from the University of Chicago. She received the Doctor of Education degree in 1947 and for the past year has done special research work. She has taught in several schools including Texas A&M and Texas State College for Women.



Riley Baker

Riley E. Baker, a new government instructor at West Texas State, is a graduate of North Texas State and received his Master's Degree there last month. He also attended John Tarleton at Stephenville. He served with the 77th Division during the last war and was in Japan for several months.



Mary Wilson

Mary Jeannette Wilson, a new member of the Business Administration instructional staff at West Texas State, received both her Bachelor's and Master's Degree from this school. She is a graduate of Amarillo High School and also attended Amarillo College. She has been assistant to Dr. Lee Johnson, Head of the Business Administration Department for the past two years.



Dr. Robert Busted

Dr. Robert C. Busted, newly appointed Head of the Department of Biology at West Texas State, is a native of Indiana. He comes here from the University of Georgia where he taught for the past two years. He previously had taught in the University of Indiana for four years. Dr. Busted received his Doctorate from the University of Indiana in 1936. He and Mrs. Busted have four sons.



Ruby Nell Ruth

Mrs. Ruby Nell Ruth, graduate student of North Texas State College at Denton, has been selected as an addition to the staff in the Department of Home Economics at West Texas State.

(Editor's note: This is the first in a series of three articles to appear in which the new faculty members of West Texas State will be presented to the student body.)

THE PRAIRIE

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Student Prexy Lists Election Requirements for All Offices

Cheerleader Elections Next Thursday; Petitions for Senate, Classes Due

George Black, president of the Student Association, has issued a notice to all prospective cheerleaders to exercise their vocal cords and brush up on their routines in preparation for cheerleader auditions and elections next Thursday morning, September 23, in assembly.

As students file into the auditorium they will be given ballots on which they will write their choices of the best three boys and best three girls who perform on the stage that morning.

Black also issued the call for petitions of candidates for all classes offices, Freshmen senators and Senior Senate Post 1. These petitions are to be in the hands of Dr. S. H. Condon, Government Head, by Thursday afternoon, September 23. Elections for these important offices will be held in the hall Thursday, September 30.

To explain the petition routine to newcomers—Each prospective candidate or their managers or friends may obtain the name and student number of ten classmates. These petitions when certified will place the name of the candidate on the official ballot. On the day of the election, September 30, students may vote on their choices at the central polling booth in the main hall of the Administration Building between the hours of 8 a. m. and 5 p. m. Unless ballots have the voters student number on it—election judges will declare the vote illegal. Student elections here in the past have been spirited and hotly contested with campaign speeches and placard campaigns abundant. Freshmen are expected to create a large majority of this activity since valuable Senate posts are open there.

Further election news and the official ballot will appear in The Prairie next week.

Flight Training Classes Started

Two New Airplanes Give College Initial Self-Owned Aviation

West Texas State has now the beginning of their own Air Force! That is, two new airplanes have been purchased by the college and will be used in Flight Training classes which are now open.

Flight Training has been on the curriculum of West Texas for several years but this will mark the first time that training will occur in college-owned craft. In the past students took the classes through a contract with the Canyon Aviation Service.

The two planes purchased are of different type—one is a primary trainer and the other is for secondary flight students.

This Flight class is open to all West Texas State students who can meet the requirements for this type training.

Interested parties are urged to contact Ted Reid, Director of Aviation Training, in the Veterans Office immediately. Classes will be limited.

Smith Announces Film Planning

Mrs. W. L. Smith, Film Director, urges all faculty members to plan now for the use of the films concurrent with their classes and for the use of the film room in the basement of the Education Building.

Instructors may contact Mrs. Smith and gain her aid in selecting suitable materials for their classroom needs. A list of all educational moving pictures owned by the college will be furnished each instructor.

Educational films, slides or slide films will be ordered to supplement those owned at the present.

School Dismissed At Noon Oct. 4

By action of the Administrative Council, classes at West Texas State will be dismissed at 12:00 noon, October 4, in order that students and faculty may attend the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo.

This announcement was made by Dr. Cornette, Thursday morning.

Smith Sets Cafeteria Hours for Meal Service

Elinor Smith, college dietitian, has announced the following hours for the serving of meals in the Cafeteria:

Weekdays Breakfast 7:15 to 8:15 Lunch 11:30 to 1:30 Dinner 5:30 to 6:30

Sunday Breakfast 8:15 to 9:00 Lunch 12:00 to 1:30 Miss Smith also reported that students who do not live in dormitories but who wish to eat in the cafeteria may buy meal tickets from her at her office.

Prexy's Message

To All Students:

Welcome to West Texas State, the friendliest and most democratic campus on earth, to begin what all of us hope will be the best year in the glorious history of a fine school.

Dr. James P. Cornette President West Texas State College.

Frosh Assemblies Begin on Tuesday

"Orientation assemblies for freshmen will begin next Tuesday and will be in the Administration Auditorium at 10 o'clock," Dr. A. K. Knott, Dean of the Lower Division, announced yesterday.

"These assemblies will last for six weeks," he continued, "and will contain information and guidance to freshmen which we believe will prove essential."

Counsellors will be assigned and after the Orientation assemblies have been completed those Tuesday morning 10 o'clocks will be used by the freshmen in meeting with their counsellors.

1949 LeMirage Staff Announces Dates for Pictures To Be Made

Beginning this Monday, September 20, annual pictures for the 1949 Le Mirage will be taken. The annual staff is requesting YOUR cooperation in having YOUR picture taken.

An arrangement has been made for Autry's studio from Amarillo to set up in 207 of the Administration building. They will take both individual pictures and organization pictures. The studio will be open from 8:30 to 12 and 1 to 5 each day except Friday which will be set aside for club pictures and faculty pictures. Clubs are asked to make appointments in the publications office.

The men on the campus are requested to wear a coat, light shirt, and tie when they come to have their pictures made. Girls are requested not to wear sweaters except for club pictures. This is to give a better over-all effect for the page. Space fees were collected at the time of enrollment. Anyone failing to pay at that time may pay by coming to Publications office any day after 10 o'clock before Oct. 1. The price is ninety cents for freshmen, sophomores, and juniors, and one dollar for seniors and graduates.

When students report to have their picture taken, they are asked to pay fifty cents for the print which will be used in the class division and 35 cents for each additional print to be used on the organization pages. (Examples: Alpha Chi, Alpha Psi Omega, Mu Kappa Delta, or social clubs).

An information card will be filled at this time so that a complete check can be made on their campus activities.

The following schedule has been worked out for students to refer to about the time they should go to the studio. It is essential that every one adhere to this schedule to avoid confusion.

A, B, C, Monday P, Q, R, Tuesday D, E, F, Wednesday G, H, I, Thursday J, K, L, Friday Faculty, Clubs, Friday Second Week M, N, O, Monday P, Q, R, Tuesday S, T, U, Wednesday V, W, X, Y, Z, Thursday This schedule will be posted on the bulletin boards so that none can forget on which day he is supposed to go to have his picture taken.

1175 Students Enroll for Fall Term During First Two Days

Education Dept. Holds Meeting

Panhandle Administrators And Educators Invited To Attend Conclave

A one-day conference for elementary teachers, principals, supervisors, and superintendents will be held on the campus Saturday, October 16. The meeting devoted to a discussion of current problems in the elementary schools, is sponsored by the Department of Education. It is expected that a large number of teachers and administrators from some thirty counties of the Panhandle will be in attendance.

Guest speaker will be Dr. Mary C. Wilson, associate professor of education at Northwestern State College, Natchitoches, Louisiana. Dr. Wilson will contribute to a panel discussion at eleven o'clock and will speak again at the luncheon program.

Miss Ruth Lowes of the Department of Education is chairman of the committee which is making arrangements for the conference. Others on the committee are Professor F. E. Savage, Miss Ada V. Clark, A. K. Goodman, Miss Novella Goodman, Miss Jean Moore, Miss Mae Simmons, Mrs. Earline Moreman, Mrs. Mary Silgar, Miss Sarah Thompson, and Dr. James L. Russell. Mrs. A. K. Goodman represents the Classroom Teachers, an organization at the Canyon Public Schools.

All Postal Space Taken for Present

Officials of the Post Office at Station 1 on the campus reported yesterday that all presently available box space in the new station has been taken.

Difficulties in summer students not cancelling box space has lead to a temporary shortage of boxes. As soon as the rent expires on these spaces they will be turned over to present student use. Students may place their names on the waiting list at the station now.

Faculty Breakfast Held in Cafeteria

Faculty members started "back to school" one day earlier than students when the group met in the College Cafeteria for a breakfast-business session at 8 o'clock Monday morning.

Dr. James P. Cornett, president, presided. He introduced new faculty members and explained in detail the various administrative functions of each department in the college.

Take Activity Ducats To Tech Saturday

All students who bought tickets to the Tech game will have to take their Activity Tickets to Lubbock and present them along with their ticket at the game. This is very important that students comply with this and check before they leave to see if they have their Activity Ticket with them.

LIBRARY HOURS

8:00 a. m.-5:00 p. m.—Monday through Friday. Loan closed from 12:00-1:00. 7:00 p. m.-9:00 p. m.—Monday through Thursday. 8:00 a. m.-4:00 p. m.—Saturday.

Present Figure Does Not Count Center Predict New Record Before Week End

Although a number of students are still in the enrollment procedure, the long lines of registration for the fall semester at West Texas State have begun to dwindle and with it a new record being established.

At the time this paper went to press 1175 full-time resident students had completed the job of arranging programs, paying fees, securing books and, in general, getting set to settle down to study.

THANKS!

The students of West Texas State wish to take this opportunity to thank the Amarillo Sandie Band for their performance at the football game last Saturday night. The performance and conduct of the band was of the highest calibre and a re-visit by this colorful organization is awaited. Again—hats-off to the Amarillo Sandie Band. Maybe we can return the favor someday.

Prexy Black Sets Three Fish Rules

Let it be known to all Freshmen: Three important things to do for the present—

1. Buy your slime cap at the bookstore and get your name printed on the bill of it. And wear it, too.
2. Be present tonight at 6:30 o'clock at the Pep Rally in front of the Ad Building.
3. From now through Saturday you will speak to all upper-classmen. You will not say "Hello"—but instead only the two magic words—"Beat Tech."

Failure to comply with the above requirements will be reported to the proper authorities—namely the upperclassmen in your dorm. George Black Student Association.

First Pep Rally Tonight at 6:30; Tech Exodus Begins Tomorrow

RALLY!

"Tonight is the night—seven o'clock is the time," Cheerleader Rosie Bates announced this morning. "The always special pre-Tech game rally will be staged in front of the Administration Building and everybody better be there—especially freshmen."

Festivities will begin promptly at 6:30 and will last until —? In years past this particular game rally has always produced thrills and excitement and this year's affair is expected to create even more activity than any other because of the enormous factors hanging in the balance for this game.

West Texas State has not defeated Texas Tech since 1930. That means 18 long, lean, cold years without a taste of victory over the Red Raiders. Could this be the year? Will 1948 see the end of Tech domination on the gridiron? It could very well be.

In 1945 the Raiders eked out a 12-6 win. In 1946 they turned the trick by a 26-14 count. Last year victory was almost within the grasp of the Buffaloes before they stumbled and fell 21-13. But maybe this is the year!

"You want to see that eighteen-year 'pell broken, don't you?" says Rosie. "Well be sure and be out there Friday night and let's do what we can as students to win that game on Saturday night."

TRIP!

Tomorrow afternoon students of West Texas State and fans of the Buffaloes from over the Panhandle will start their exodus to Lubbock for the annual Texas Tech-West Texas State game.

Ticket sales here have been very heavy and a sell-out crowd for the game has almost been assured. Tech's new stadium will seat approximately 20,000.

The special buses to the game will arrive in front of the Administration Building at 4:30 Saturday afternoon and will depart for Lubbock at 5. Fans planning to travel on these buses are asked to be on time or else—

This game exceeds all others (even Hardin-Simmons) in the hearts of Panhandle folk who have been waiting years to beat the Red Raiders. This year a victory could be possible and people are showing the effects of long-awaited dreams come true. Of course—the game has not been won. Nor for one minute think that the Tech students have ideas of losing to us. Their pride would be deeply hurt and above all they could not take a defeat by West Texas. They will be there en masse to root for the Raiders.

So everyone who can possibly go is being urged to attend this game and help us even things up with that "team down south."

BEAT THE TECH

Life of a Slime--or Ida Taylor Comes to West Texas State



Pictured above is Ida Ruth back of her mother's car Oh, well—when ya' gotta bring Taylor, freshman from Pampa shortly after her arrival on the 'em all—ya' gotta bring 'em! who served as our representa- campus Monday afternoon. After unloading all the stuff tive of the entire Class of '52. How she managed to cram all Ida Ruth had to lug it up the In the first picture she is shown those suitcases and boxes into stairs in Cousins and she is "gathering her gear" from the that little space is a mystery. shown trying to straighten out the whole mess. She doesn't look exactly unhappy though. Maybe college life in a dorm is beginning to agree with her. Ha! Ha!—Just wait until "Hell Week" begins!

Wednesday she finally began the routine of registration. She is pictured here with Professor Joe Findley who is handing out a little advice. Better watch him, Ida—he's a Psychology Prof! On second thought—maybe you better take that advice—an A is an A even if it is on a report card. What's this? Could this be Louanna Price that mild, meek junior from Amarillo giving out with that "watcha' step, sister" look? My, my—don't hit her now Lou—that all comes later. Well, in the last picture, the Class of '52 gets enrolled.

Not a Lecture---Just a Friendly Suggestion on Life Here at WT

Presenting the True Life Story of a Typical Member of 'The Class of 1952' and Starring

Slime Ida Ruth Taylor

To you whose feet have never before tread the hallowed halls of WT—this is written.

To you whose brains have never labored under the quiz of a WT professor (this might include upper classmen)—this is written.

To you whose husky voices have never before echoed across the air of Buffalo Field—this is written.

Yes, to the Freshmen—the Class of '52—your attention, please.

We of WT are glad you are here. And, we are not in the habit of extending such greetings unless we really mean them. We are really, truly, sincerely glad you are here.

You know, we, ourselves, would not be in WT unless we liked the school and unless we had a deep and abiding faith in her future. That feeling of respect and admiration is what we, the upperclassmen, want you to acquire and never lose.

WT can be a bore to you and your college career can mean nothing. You only get out of something what you are willing to put in. If you garner a feeling of belonging here and that what ever you do is what WT is doing or whatever WT does is what you are doing—then, and only then can you be assured of time well spent here.

One of the prime factors which has guided WT students in years past is friendliness. We will try, in this WT's 39th year, to carry on that tradition. We hope you have noticed the air of cordiality and will respond accordingly.

Another major point denoting a WT student is his cooperation and willingness to support whatever projects are being carried on. You too can acquire this will to cooperate and do your share. This is another element in which you can either sit back and become a separate little unit out of touch with everything and everyone or you can join in and participate and become a part of the school. The decision as to your action rests entirely with you. We hope you will choose the right course.

There will be hardships to survive. The post-war period with its myriads of difficulties is still upon us and just as the world has not yet worked out all its problems—WT, also, has not fully recuperated. Progress—definite progress is being made along these lines and soon everything should be functioning perfectly.

The little item of homesickness and the breaking of family and "pals and buddy" ties are hard we know. Yet we have gone through them and have managed to survive. If you feel depressed and lost at first—just turn to your neighbor—you may find out he is experiencing the same thing—and a little talk among you may make you both feel better. Time cures all—if you have the patience to wait out that time.

This has not been a lecture—we are not in the habit of getting on soapboxes and expounding thoughts—this is just a friendly talk which we hope will serve the purpose of indoctrinating you to the way of life at WT.

A way of life which we think is just pretty good—and one which we like.

Again we say—"Howdy"—we're mighty glad you are here.

Homecoming Committee--Are You Awake???

Don't Quote Me...

By Duane Burrows

Shades of the Shamrock and Blarney stone! Sure and it looks like an Irish holiday, with all this wearing of the green. Let's hope all you freshmen have dreams of the Shannon bells when you're ringing the old victory gong for W. T.

The senatorial race has been hot as the September weather on the plains. Too bad we can't have a contest as fabulous as last year's Georgia governors.

Two familiar faces will not be seen on the campus this fall. T. C. Brown scurried to Syracuse and George Turner has clomped off to Chicago. Bon voyage and good luck guys. We'll miss you.

Somebody in Randall Hall has suggested that the name of the new theatre on the campus should be changed to the Library. She says her conscience will feel much better when she signs out every night.

Orchids to the new student union. This year there will be more room, more facilities, and more of everything. George Black, president of the student association, heralds new improvements and additions. Contrary to the general opinion, the new location will be handier than the proverbial pocket.

Here's a sure sign that the semester is in it's infancy. Three different fledglings have asked me how far it is to Amarillo.

A brand new felony has been fashioned. It is prevalent among the freshmen and should probably be captioned "cap-copping." It seems that the more worldly wise or larger fish walk up to the unsuspecting and demand his slime cap. The losers no doubt think that the former is an upper-classman and they give up the lid without argument. Wise up guys, we more than freshmen have no use for your fedora.

Build a better mouse trap. To use a Jolson expression, we ain't heard nothing yet. Here is definitely the place for the line. Hot on the market now is a creation known as the wig-hat. Milady will soon be wearing a topper with false hair issuing from the bottom of it. Of course the hat will be made with all the different hair colors, so the gals can choose the color hair they want to wear on any occasion. It is so confoosin' it ain't even amooosin'.

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Famed United States Navy Band Scheduled For Two Performances Here on October 14

Students of West Texas State and citizens of the Panhandle will be honored on October 14 when they have the opportunity to hear the famous United States Navy Band.

Jerry Newman, Buffalo Band director, has secured the performance of this celebrated organization for two appearances here on that date. The band is on a tour of the southwest and this is the only place in the Panhandle where they will play.

The afternoon performance scheduled for three o'clock will be primarily for the band students of this area but college students and the public are invited and urged to attend. Prices for this afternoon show are set at ninety-cents each. No reservations will be handled for this show.

Tickets and reservations for the night performance can be had by either calling or writing Mr. Newman at the Band House here on the campus. Prices for this appearance will be \$1.80 for the main auditorium and \$1.20 for the balcony.

"This is the first time in about ten years that this colorful band has made a tour of this section," states Newman, "and we are very fortunate indeed that they picked this school for a performance. It is well worth anyone's money to attend a show of this kind."

Directing this band will be Commander Charles Brendler, well-known and well-liked figure in America's music world.

When he was only a lad of 15, Charles Brendler enlisted in the United States Navy and went to sea aboard the U. S. S. Florida with a "landsman for musician" rating that drew him the princely pay of \$17.16 a month.

Four years of the sea and service discipline didn't discourage the clarinet-playing youngster in the least, for he found that Navy life agreed with him. Because it did, he has remained in the service ever since.

In 35 years, he has played his way to the top—and a higher top than any musician has ever achieved in the Regular Navy before. He holds the rank of Lieutenant Commander and is conductor of The United States Navy Band, "The World's Finest."

The Navy Yard in Washington (now known as the Navy Gun Factory) has been home base to Commander Brendler since 1917, when he came to the Navy Band to fill a clarinet vacancy. After 20 years as a member of the Band (it is now the official United States Navy Band), his qualities of leadership won him promotion to assistant leader. Five years later, in 1941, he was appointed leader.

Internationally Known

In his capacity as leader of the band, Commander Brendler has achieved notable distinction, both in Washington and throughout this country and Canada. He is a member of the National Press Club in Washington, as well as the Variety Club and is the one and only honorary member of the exclusive White House Correspondents' Club.

He is an affable, friendly and very human, though very strict musician. His band must be all things to all music-lovers. The 80-piece military band, thunderous and stirring on official occasions or in Band Concerts, can (and on occasion must) change color like the chameleon and be a Symphony Orchestra or a dance band as well.

Despite its very heavy schedule in Washington, however, it has always been the feeling of The United States Navy Band that it belongs, not simply to the Capitol, but to all the people of the United States. Hence its eagerness to go on tour for two months annually.

Likes Tours

Commander Brendler, in particular, is an enthusiast for the annual tours. He believes America is the most musically-minded country in the world and that Americans have the finest appreciation of music and can cite any number of reasons for his belief.

It is an invigorating experience to him and to the members of his band to encounter proof of this in every town and city the band visits each year. He finds the enthusiasm for music genuine and universal throughout the country.

Commander Brendler likes this. He likes people as much as he loves music and he respects the tastes of high school youngsters who go for jazz and fun in music as sincerely as he does the tastes of those who like their music "square." The Band repertoire covers the tastes of all and, by its manner of playing, gives all groups the finest music the ear can listen to.

Brendler

Slime Taylor can now look forward to her coming frosh days when she will go through "Hell Week," Orientation Assemblies, counselling, exams, and so forth.

When at last she was cornered by this reporter and quizzed, information was revealed to the effect that: She did attend the Flagstaff-West Texas Game Saturday night—The most impressive thing about the school so far is the extreme friendliness of the students—Definitely plans to attend the Tech game tomorrow night—That the reason she chose this school is she wanted to go to a good school and other Pampa students who have attended here recommended it to her—she knows West Texas State qualifies in both reasons.

Bufs Down Flagstaff; Prepare for Texas Tech Fracas

6,500 See Opener; Reserves Sparkle

Right now the West Texas State Buffaloes stand in first position in the Border Conference, after beating Arizona State of Flagstaff in their opening game last Saturday night 28-0 in an impressive show of offensive power and defensive prowess. It was the first time since 1945 that the WT gridders have started their season at home and also the first time since 1945 that they have won their first game.

Not much time had to pass before the Bufs showed their ability to the Lumberjacks, for scarcely five minutes after the initial whistle started the game, flashy little Bill Cross, sophomore from Canadian, scooted 19 yards for the first tally. Freeman 'Junior' Melton converted for the extra point.

BUFF CAPTAINS



The next WT touchdown was only four minutes behind the first as Cross again took the ball, this time from the 39, and whizzed across for the score. He carried the ball only these two times for a total of 58 yards, or an average of 29 yards per try. Melton again made the conversion, as well as the other two. His toe was aiming true and he hit 1000 per cent for the night.

After these two first scores were made, Coach Frank Kimbrough pulled the first team from the game and for the remainder of the time, reserves had charge. All those suited out for the game saw action for the Bufs and all but two or three of the Lumberjacks also got into the fray.

Early this week, Coach Kimbrough said he thought the first string defense could have done better and the backs could have more practice, but from the viewpoint of those who saw the game, there was no need for much more practice, at least for that game.

Attendance at this season's opener, according to Clark Jarnigan, ticket sales manager, was around 6,500, an all-time record for attendance at an opening game.

No scoring was made in either of the two middle quarters, though some long runs and passes by both teams added life to them.

In the final period, Bill Cofer, a transfer to WT from the Cameron Aggies, threw a 25-yard pass to Ernest Kendrick to set up the third score. Only two plays later Melton tossed a pass to Roy Dunn to run the WT total up to 20-0. Melton added the extra point.

The last score of the tilt, which put the Bufs in the No. 1 slot, came later in the last quarter as Kendrick plunged over from the nine yard line, and with Melton's extra point brought the score up to the final 28-0.

During the half time period, the Golden Saddle band from Amarillo High school put on a top-notch performance, subbing for the Buffalo Band, which had not been formed since school had not yet begun.

THE BELLHOP

I'm ready and willing and waiting, With my smile and my uniform splendid,

To do your command With a strong, helping hand. (The palm only slightly extended) No, there's no one more friendly than I,

I'm eager as eager can be! There's no one more anxious to merit your thanks Than . . . THAT one? That TRUNK there? Not me!

Most candidates know that they can't fool all the people all the time; but are content to fool the majority for a short time—around election time.

Canyon Eagles To Play First Game Here Friday Night

The Canyon Eagles will open the season at Buffalo Stadium Friday night at 8 o'clock, meeting Price College of Amarillo.

This will be a non-conference game, and the opening game for each team.

The Eagles have been in training for the past week getting ready for the opener. It is anticipated that a large crowd of local fans will see the Eagles in this game.

New York was once called New Amsterdam.

BOOKS

Latest editions in which you are interested.

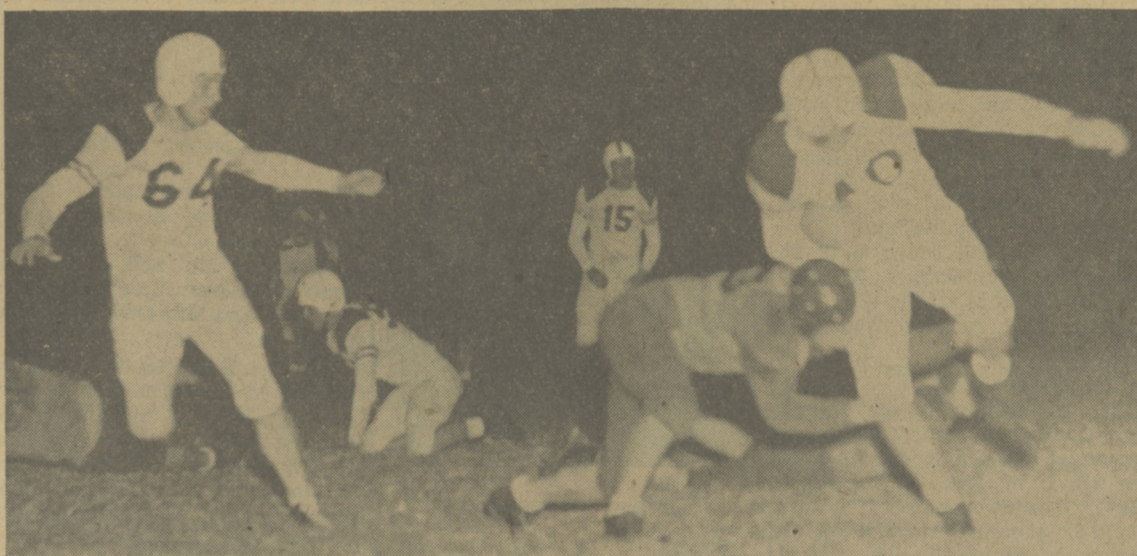
Children's Books

We have the largest selection of beautiful books for children ever shown in Canyon.

Come in and make your selections at once.

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ACTION DURING THE OPENER



Charles Wright, No. 40 hit the dirt only seconds after this shot was made during the first Buffalo football game of the year last Saturday night as the WT gridders whipped Arizona State of Flagstaff 28-0. The Flagstaff men in the photo are unidentified. To the left is Frank Wise, No. 64, who, it seems just missed his man. Boyd Williams, No. 15 is in the background.

Passes . . . and . . . Repasses

By Frank Stallings

All Buff Games Aired by KVAI

Radio Station KVAI in Amarillo has been granted a contract to broadcast all Buff games at home and on the road, and starting Saturday, with the game at Lubbock, the road games will be broadcast over a loud speaker in the auditorium of the Administration Building.

This announcement was made early this week by President James P. Cornette, who also said that as the season progresses, entertainment will be provided during the half-time periods. All students, faculty members and townspeople who are unable to attend the games can hear them directly from the scene of the action.

Jarnagin Issues Ticket Schedule

"Tickets for all home games for students will be purchased at the Book Store," Clark Jarnigan, sales manager, announced this week. "Students will bring their activity ticket to the Book Store where it will be punched and a ticket—assigning them a seat in the stadium—will then be issued."

Students will be seated in Sections I to J this season. These sections extend up to the 42-yard line on the east side of the field. Students are urged to secure their tickets early in each week in order to avoid the inevitable last-minute rushes such as were experienced in the Flagstaff game when advance tickets ran only about 1,000 and then 6,500 turned out for the game.

A chip on the shoulder usually indicates that there is wood higher up.

Silk stockings were first seen in the 16th century but they weren't really observed until the 20th century.

at the Arizona State-Flagstaff tilt the other night. The Golden Saddle band from Amarillo High School provided some of the most extraordinary halftime entertainment seen by Buffalo fans. It was a good show and the Buffalo Band will have to go some to beat it. However, it would be an easy bet that Mr. Jerry Newman and his boys will cook up something to surprise the crowds with. If his shows even compare with those of last year, the WT band should have no trouble in making an even bigger name for themselves.

Students of WT turned out in fine style for the game, too. There were almost no empty seats, as viewed from the pressbox, in the section reserved for students. However, from across the field the yells would not indicate that the crowd was at all what the gate receipts revealed. But the first game is just a karmar-upper anyhow. Just wait until the people at Tech get a load of the spirit like they did last year.

It was without doubt the largest crowd ever to see an opening game in Buffalo Stadium. It certainly shows that some people have been working hard to make this one of, if not the most, successful grid season in the history of the school. Of course, there are still 10 games to go, but as the weeks pass and the crowds throng to the stadium, both in large numbers and in bigger spirit, then we shall know just how much effort has been expended.

Right now the coaches of the Bufs have but one thought in mind, and that is, as any student of WT and loyal Buffalo supporter should know, that we must BEAT TECH this year. To the freshmen who are still unlettered in the spirit that prevails here on the campus, all this rousing talk of the Tech game may seem a little out of place, but they will no doubt remember their high school

No football game would be complete without halftime entertainment. And that was not lacking

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Once again, with the opening of football season, comes the time when the Bufs travel to Lubbock for the annual tussle with the Red Raiders of Texas Tech. And it promises to be one of the mightiest struggles in the history of the series as the West Texans again try for their first win over the Raiders since 1930. Tech will, of course, be trying to give the Bufs their seemingly 'usual' treatment.

It is hard to tell just exactly what to expect from the Techmen, since the WT fray will be their first of the season, and also since the WT first string has had only about 9 minutes of playing time so far this season. But just seeing these two teams meet on the field can assure fans of a bang-up game.

days, which probably aren't so far behind them, at which time there was always at least one rival which stood out over the rest. Such is the spirit which WT students feel toward the Tech game Saturday.

The more who go to Tech Saturday, the better chance the Bufs have of making this a clean record for the season, so far. There are many going down in cars, special buses and even resorting to hitchhiking, but still more ought to make a definite and sincere effort to go to Lubbock for that all-important game which means so much to those of us who have been here. We've just gotta BEAT THOSE RAIDERS!!!

Which all reminds me that there is a big pep rally tonight. It is the first one of the year. I know there will be at least 400 in attendance, but for the most part those will be required to attend—being freshmen. All you guys in the upper bracket who have never been to a pep rally just don't know the fun you miss by not going. Just for the fun of it, why not take a jaunt over tonight and join in the fun? After all, this is the game of the year, so far, and we must show the team that the whole student body is behind them. (Sounds a little on the high school editorial side, but it's in plain words and should be simple enough even for the freshmen).

Frankly, that seems to be about all on the docket for the week, but still there's always next week and some 34 more after that one. So, I'll be seeing you around, probably. And don't forget to yell your loudest tonight and Saturday for the Bufs to BEAT TECH!!!

The white man's real burden seems to be a lot of other white men.

The time will soon be here when we'll wonder once more why Noah didn't swat both those flies.

When Coach Frank Kimbrough and his 40-man squad journey to Lubbock, they will carry with them a strong remembrance of the tragic game of last season when the Bufs piled up a 13-point lead, only to see it snowed under by Tech.

However, Coach Dell Morgan will not be without something to hold back the Bufs, in fact, he will probably throw all his force into the game, including Charlie Reynolds, the guy who last season had a lot to do with the Tech win. Reynolds holds two letters from Tech and since this will be his last season with them, he will be on his toes against the West Texans.

A strong defensive line, chuck full of powerhouses, will be one of the mainstays of the raiders this season. Though some of the 1948 line will be new, they will outweigh the Bufs and will give trouble when and wherever they can.

But the team from Canyon is not without a forward wall of its own. Such stalwarts as Pete Bromley and Elvin Lyons will hold down the guard positions while Leon Chapman and Wayne Hill will do their stuff at tackles.

At ends will find Marvin Bowman and Charles Kitchens, both pass snappers and good blockers. Co-captain Homer 'Buck' Garrett will be back at his position as center. Buck will see a lot of action in this and all other games this season as one of the hardest blockers and tacklers in the conference.

In the backfield will be four who played most of last year's game at Tech. In the quarterback slot will be Cloyce Box, who slings numerous passes, little Bill Cross, whose quick changes of direction are a menace to any tackler, hard-driving Eddie Conner and Co-captain Lloyd Johnson, fleet-footed fullback.

Many other members of the Bufs will see action in the Texas fracas Saturday night.

Of the games left in this season, none compare in spirit and importance of the students of WT than this one with the Raiders.



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Formal opening of THE VARSITY theatre on the campus of West Texas State will be Monday night, September 20 at 7 o'clock.

W. J. Wooten, owner of the new theatre, has selected the Texas Premiere showing of "Triple Threat," the story of professional football, as his initial film. This picture is headed by Sid Luckman and Charlie Trippi plus scores of other top-name pigskin stars.

Scheduled to follow this movie, "The Babe Ruth Story" will be shown Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, September 21, 22, and 23.

Designed and built in order to give the college and Canyon a show which is ultra-modern in every respect, The Varsity is a dream of color, comfort and sound. Special care was taken to give the theatre an air of serenity, charm and appeal.

Built to accommodate 550 patrons, the Auditorium is outset with beautiful cushioned seats of dusty rose color. They harmonize with the rose aise carpet and the decorative scheme of the walls. Special agents from the DuPont Company worked on the color harmony of the walls which is in 4-color. All lighting is indirect.

The artistic stage is draped with gold curtains.

In the spacious lobby, candy and popcorn concessions will be operated in order to give customers adequate service.

Neat and attractive lounges for men and women have been completed.

Upstairs, in addition to the smoking lounge, is the "cry room." This is a relatively new thing to the picture show business and only the latest and most modern theatres offer this service to mothers with very young children. This room, arranged very informally with slide-about-chairs, has a large glass panel separating it from the main auditorium and is completely sound-

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Musical Groups Seek Personnel

Madrigal Club

Tryouts for the College Madrigal Club (West Texas State's cappella choir) are being held this afternoon at 4:30 in Room 101. These tryouts are not rigid, and many voices with little formal training are accepted for membership. The first full meeting of the Madrigal Club will be Monday afternoon at 4:30 in the Administration Auditorium. Tryouts, however, will continue to be conducted every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 4:30 until all applications have been received.

Men's Chorus

The first meeting of the College Men's Chorus will occur Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 in Room 101. All men who have signed up for either "Men's Chorus" or simply "Chorus" should be present. In addition all other men interested in doing choral work are urged to attend and become members of this organization, which is open without restriction to all male students.

Women's Chorus

The first meeting of the College Women's Chorus will be held Thursday afternoon at 4:30 in the Administration Auditorium. All women who have signed up for either "Women's Chorus" or "simply "Chorus" should be present. In addition, all other women interested in doing choral work are urged to attend and become members of this organization, which is open without restriction to all women in the college.

—Houston Bright, Choral Director.

Buffalo Band

Jerry Newman, band director, invites all prospective band members to be present at band rehearsals scheduled each day except Saturday in the band are yet to be filled and day at 12:00. A few more vacancies any player may see Newman about these vacancies. Several attractive trips already have been arranged for the band including trips to El Paso and to Dallas.

Orchestra

Lewis Stoelzing, newly elected orchestra leader, sends forth an invitation to all players of string instruments to report Thursday, September 23, at 3:30 o'clock in the Band House.

"We are going to try to build up the orchestra and glamorize it," voiced Stoelzing, "and we are going to have trips and all kinds of performances when we do get the orchestra in shape."

He added further that, "We are competing with the glamour of the band during football but we aim to be strong enough and appealing enough to compete, adequately. This appeal is made especially to freshmen and sophomores. Even if you cannot play but have the desire to learn—I will start sophomores as beginners even."

Square Dancing At Randall Hall

Square dancing for the western minded will start next Wednesday night, Sept. 22, announced Miss Ruth Cross, director of physical education.

The dances will be held in Randall Hall from 7 to 9 o'clock p. m. Each person will be charged 10 cents to cover expenses and buy new records, said Miss Cross. Everyone is invited to take part.

Callers for the dances will be eight boys who participated in square dancing classes last year and specialized in calling.

Tri Tau Meeting

There will be a meeting of Tri Tau Fraternity Monday evening, September 20, 7:30 in the Music Room. Club President Steve Self urges every member to be there.

Philharmonic Sales Open Here Friday



Rose Bampton

Representatives of the Amarillo Philharmonic Orchestra Association will be in Canyon September 17 at the City Hall where season tickets will be available for the series of 1948-49 concerts in Amarillo.

Ten top-flight concert artists will be presented by the orchestra, some of them in solo recital and others as guest artists with the orchestra.

The artists will include James Melton, leading tenor of the Metropolitan Opera, October 9; Joseph Battista, brilliant young American pianist, October 29; The Teltschiks, outstanding duo-pianists, November 23; William Kapell, considered one of the finest contemporary pianists, December 3; Leonard Warren, leading baritone of the Metropolitan Opera, January 21; DePaur's Negro Infantry chorus, February 12; Erica Morini, famous Viennese violinist, February 22; Paul Draper and Larry Adler, tap dancer and harmonica player, a combination hailed as tops by Eastern audiences, March 9; Rose Bampton, leading soprano of the Metropolitan Opera, March 15; and Nelson Eddy, famous concert and movie star, April 30.

Tickets will not be available for single concerts, now or during the season. Season ticket prices have been ranged so the top price per concert is only \$1.50, and the least expensive is 60 cents. Prices for the ten concerts are \$6.00, \$7.20, \$8.40, \$13.20 and \$15.00.

The box office will be open from 10:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m.

Faculty Reception Tuesday Evening

The annual Faculty Reception for students will be given in the lounge of Cousins Hall, Tuesday night, September 21, at 8:00.

Following the reception, a dance will be given in Cousins Hall ballroom.

The reception is formal for the faculty and semi-formal for the students.

Canyon Churches To Hold Socials

Freshmen will be given an opportunity to get acquainted and all students will be welcomed by the churches of Canyon at their various socials to be given at 7:30 tonight.

Six churches plan parties. The main theme of all of them will be getting acquainted with other students, and games and refreshments will be featured.

Students are invited to attend the party given by the church of their choice. The addresses of the various parties are:

Assembly of God, 508 6th Avenue. First Baptist, 1717 4th Avenue. First Christian, 1717 5th Avenue. Church of Christ, G. W. Cox Residence, 1905 4th Avenue. Methodist, 1818 4th Avenue. Presbyterian, 1315 5th Avenue.

Following these get-togethers, everyone will meet at the Baptist Church for a sing-song, refreshments, and get-acquainted hour.

Wedding Bells

The month is September, not June, but September weddings are as fashionable as June weddings as far as the students of WT are concerned, if one is to judge by the number who have already been married this month. Several more are altar-bound.

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Campbell-Small

The marriage of Maxine Campbell and Carl A. Small, took place on September 3. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Campbell of Amarillo and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George N. Small of Canyon.

Reverend H. C. Smith, pastor of the First Methodist Church at Pampa, officiated and vows were exchanged before an improvised altar of white gladioli and branch candelabra in the home of the bride's parents. Lemon leaves interwoven with maroon daisies on the mantel of the fireplace and a kneeling bench completed the decorations.

Miss Lillie Larsen played a medley of pre-nuptial selections, "Love Came Calling Me One Morning," "The Bells of St. Mary's," "Traumerei," "Liebestraum," "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life," "Because," "Ave Maria," and "I Love You Truly."

Mrs. Fred L. Yelton, Jr., of Lubbock, attired in an ice-blue slipper satin dress, attended her sister as matron-of-honor. She carried an arm bouquet of pink roses.

George Black of Canyon was best man.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of cream slipper satin, designed with a high neckline, rolled collar, fitted bodice, adn flared skirt extending in a cathedral train. A tiered finger-tip veil of bridal illusion fell from a tiara studded with pearl orange blossoms. Her bouquet was of yellow roses centered with a white orchid.

Following a wedding trip to New Mexico and Colorado, the couple is at home in Hereford.

Mrs. Small is a graduate of Amarillo High School. She attended Amarillo Junior College, the University of Colorado at Boulder, and West Texas State where she was a member of Pi Omega sorority.

Mr. Small served in the army and received his degree in August from West Texas State. He was a member of Tau Tau Tau fraternity.

Coker-Hall

On Friday evening, September 3, Norma Coker, daughter of George W. Coker of Crosbyton, became the bride of Charles Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Hall of Amarillo.

The double-ring ceremony was performed at the first Baptist Church in Amarillo. Dr. A. D. Foreman, Jr., officiated.

White gladioli and palm branches flanked by candelabra bearing lighted tapers, formed the setting for the marriage vows. Tapers tied with huckleberry, fern and white satin, marked the processional aisle.

Pre-nuptial music was furnished by John Josey, organist, who played "Liebestraum," "Clair de Lune" and "I Love Thee." He accompanied Mrs. H. R. Fulton as she sang "Through the Years" and "Because." The traditional wedding marches were used.

The bride's sister, Mrs. J. D. Little,

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Democracy and Progress by David McCord Wright — Professor of Economics at the University of Virginia, is more than a technical study of economic problems. It discusses not only the economic problems of democratic progress but the question of aesthetic and moral values as well. The author desires a democracy—but a democracy which must prove itself through an informed and active citizenry.

Zorach Explains Sculpture; What It Means and How It Is Made by William Zorach, one of America's foremost sculptors, is directed to the average person and gives the philosophy and inspiration that lies behind great works of sculpture. It presents a most complete guide to sculpture, its understanding and its appreciation.

Newman Issues Call For 1948 Dance Band

M. J. Newman, director of the college dance orchestra, has issued a call for all persons who wish to audition for places in the band to report to the Band House Friday, this afternoon, at 4:30. "Anybody who would like to tryout for this orchestra are invited to be there," he suggested.

white satin streamers.

The couple is now at home in Canyon. The bride, a graduate of Clarendon High School, has attended Clarendon Junior College, Texas Tech, and West Texas State. She has taught in the Memphis schools. The bridegroom graduated from Borger high school and served in the Army. He is now a student at West Texas State.

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