

SUMMER MUMBLES

BY THE MUMBLER

HOT HANDS

Did you ever hear of the 'warm hand, or the 'glad' hand? Many, many, girls have 'em, but few, if any, boys. I don't know why it is that girls are less fortunately blessed than boys, unless it could be that God, being a male, favored his own kind.

By a 'warm' hand we mean the manner in which people go around to instructors spouting off such impulsive outbursts as, "Oh, I just love your course," "I wouldn't have missed taking it for anything in the world!" "I think you are the grandest person in the world!" and a lot of other things that, of course, before the grades are turned in. And you'd be astounded if you only knew the number of sentimentalities that are written at the bottom of exam papers! Here's an example. Mr. Whoosit—Again I want to tell you how much I have enjoyed this course, and I can't begin to tell you how much I have learned. There is nothing like trained eyes and skilled hands. If I knew one-fourth as much as you I would be perfectly pleased!"

Do you think for a minute that gets over? Why, certainly not! After a canvass of the nine thousand two hundred and ten colleges in the United States, the Mumbler found that nine out of every ten instructors have a tendency to mark such papers with a big "F."

THE BIG PARADE

If we had Harley Sadler's drawing power, do you know what we would do? We'd build a Pyramid! We'd advertise our show real big and hang out a sign: "Admission, one rock." In a week's time we'd have enough rocks stacked up to make all the Pharaohs turn over in their puny little sand piles.

GOLF HOOEY

There is only one way of making a project a success no matter how good the quality. And that is to keep it before the eyes of the public. Now, consider our Golf Course—there is no logical reason for continually ballyhooing it except that people are apt to decide it has lost its prestige if they can't read about it. Some new phase should be brought out each week—something startling, something that will draw a crowd just to see that one thing if nothing else.

So this week the Mumbler put his initiative to work and found something that is the biggest sure-fire drawing card we've run across in any kind of sports. Men, women and children—we speak of nothing less than the face of the Club manager! The Mumbler would like to ask every one in school this summer be sure and go out to the Club. When you go take good look at that face. If a single person returns disappointed and will swear an affidavit to that effect, the Mumbler will spend two hours of the hottest day next week on top of the Club Sanctuary!

MUMBLER ORATES

You should have been at Cousins Hall one day last week. The Mumbler and "Red" O'Keefe went over and made speeches and as a reward, got to eat lunch with all the girls. Sure was exciting, too. The Mumbler had a big long talk all fixed up his mind, a talk just brimming over with brilliant wit and quips, and when he got up, he forgot everything but the sea of faces looking at him so expectantly, so he sat down again and finished his okra while Red talked to the girls. We both wish to publicly thank both the fair maids and the old maids for listening to Red.

LADIES GOLF

As near as we can ascertain, Mrs. Golden holds the championship in feminine golfing circles. She, we understand, has hung up a 54 which isn't a bad score at all. If any golfs has bettered the above score, please make a protest, because this column has adopted the slogan, "Fair with the Fair" and it wouldn't do any girl in the world an injustice!

THE THINKER

We are in favor of the Students Activity Ticket. For three days we did nothing but try to think of a single reason why we shouldn't buy one and, with our psychical self at its best, we couldn't think of one! And, while we were doing all this thinking, we thought of so many reasons why we should that we had to get two blanks from Mr. Dufflot to write down all our ideas, slogans, and propaganda!

Saturday, we went down to the polls and cast our votes, doing it as intelligently as a ten year old child. There were names on that ballot we had never even thought of before.

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Dr. Buettner Visits Museum Of P. P. H. S. And Is Surprised At Value of Collections Here

Collector for Michigan University Museum of Paleontology Believes Texas Should Take Active Interest.

PIERLE PARTY IN SERIOUS AUTO ACCIDENT

DR. AND MRS. PIERLE TAKEN TO HOSPITAL; OTHERS RETURN TO CANYON; ALL IMPROVING.

Dr. C. A. Pierle, head of the Chemistry Department, Mrs. Pierle, their eight year old daughter, Ida Martha, and companions, Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Wirt and C. E. Brown chief Engineer for the Texas Utilities, all received painful injuries Wednesday night in an automobile accident near Hollywood on the Canyon-Amarillo pike.

Dr. Pierle and party were returning from Amarillo where Dr. Pierle has a special class in chemistry when they ran into a truck parked on the highway. The heavy rain of Wednesday night made driving difficult and was partially the cause of the collision. Mr. Wirt and Mr. Brown were members of Dr. Pierle's class.

Passing motorists took Dr. and Mrs. Pierle and their daughter, the more seriously injured, to the Northwest Texas Hospital for emergency treatment. Other members of the party were able to continue their return to Canyon.

Dr. Pierle received cuts on the forehead, his back badly wrenched, and is thought to be injured internally. Mrs. Pierle received a severe gash on top of the head and was badly bruised. Ida Martha was cut about the face, twelve stitches being taken in dressing the wounds. Mr. Wirt was also severely cut and bruised. Mr. Brown was badly shaken up and bruised about the face and body.

Last reports announce that there is danger of infection in Dr. Pierle's arm.

1931 LE MIRAGE IS WELL UNDER WAY BY EDITOR

SOUTHWESTERN ENGRAVING CO. COMPLETES THE PENCIL SKETCHES AND DIVISION PAGES FOR BOOK.

Miss Margaret Sheers, editor of the 1931 Le Mirage, announces that plans for the year book are materializing with rapidity. Such work as it is possible to do now is being done these summer months.

A letter from the Southwestern Engraving Company outlines their part of the work. It also acknowledges the completion of pencil sketches for the opening and division pages.

"After a study of this book and these wonderful photographs, which you submitted, both Mr. Lore and myself arrived at the conclusion that it was best to carry out this idea, of the early development of the Plains section—and to work out on the subdivisions the modern development of the wheat fields, the coming of oil, etc.

"It is our opinion there is so much romance and a wonderful background of historical events in the Plains section that we became enthused over your wonderful idea, incorporating also the old buildings and the new buildings in the open pages and have worked with much zest and animation in securing some effects which I am sure will meet with your whole-hearted approval," the letter reads.

Athletic Star Has Operation Last Wk.

Heck Ward, W. T. student and football and basketball star, was operated on for appendicitis in the Tulla Hospital at Tulla Wednesday of last week.

According to the latest reports he is doing well and is making rapid progress on the road to recovery.

Thelma Cook, graduate with the class of 1930, is to teach the second grade and public speaking in the Dumas school during the coming term.

Dr. W. H. Buettner, collector for the Museum of Paleontology at the University of Michigan, was a visitor at the Museum of the Panhandle Plains Historical Society last Tuesday. Dr. Buettner expressed his surprise at finding such a splendid museum collection.

"I am startled to find such a splendid nucleus both for a museum collection and for a collection of historical materials as you have here," he said after inspecting the museum collection. "You have something of interest for everyone who is interested in things historic as well as prehistoric."

"For years I have heard Dr. Case who has been coming to Texas for twenty years to speak of the Texas Longhorn. I have had my first opportunity today to see a typical specimen of one. I can tell the people of Michigan now that I have seen a real Longhorn."

"I am glad to learn of the movement you have started for the building of a new museum," he continued. "It should be done. Texas is going to wake up some day to the importance of preserving the great abundance of paleontological and archaeological materials she has all about her. You are close to these materials and can go to them quickly after the erosion after rains has done its work. We can only visit these places annually and at great expense. The people of northwest Texas are sleeping on the job by not taking a more active interest in conserving the vast wealth of materials to be found here."

"If this material is worth thousands of dollars to us why should it not be worth something to you people here where it belongs?"

Dr. E. C. Case, who is director of the Museum of Paleontology of the University of Michigan, has been coming to Texas for the past twenty years. He is working in Europe this year.

Dr. Buettner was accompanied by Floyd V. Studer of Amarillo who is recognized as an authority in the field of paleontology and archaeology. Mr. Studer has one of the finest collections of specimens in these fields to be found anywhere in the southwest and takes an active interest in the work.

Robert Hext, a member of the party, of southwestern New Mexico, is a cattleman. He was also enthusiastic in his praise of the work of the society here and has promised to secure for the organization some very valuable and interesting material.

CIVICS CLASS HAS REGULAR ELECTION SAT.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ARE TAUGHT PRINCIPLES OF VOTING IN SOCIALIZED CIVICS RECITATION.

A striking example of the attempts being made by W. T. High School to turn out young citizens who will be adequately equipped to cope with the social, economic and civic problems of life was the socialized civics recitation held last Saturday by members of Mrs. T. H. McDonald's senior class in the form of a primary election.

This election was carried on by the students exactly as the real political election, and of course entailed the same process of action and thinking on the part of those who participated as on that of those who the same day cast votes in town.

The polls opened Saturday at eight o'clock and closed at four. In all there were sixty-two votes cast. Ballots identical with those being used in the election which took place at the polls in Canyon were used by these young voters.

With the advantage of the experienced advice of their teachers the students in this project learned the methods of voting, and gained the much more important experience of evaluating the candidates in terms of what they already knew or could find out by questioning and observation. The votes were counted after the closing of the polls Saturday, students taking part in this also. The returns were posted on the bulletin board.

For the benefit of those who are interested in this kind of socializing.

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HEAD FOOTBALL COACH



CLAUDE E. REEDS

FACULTY WILL GIVE COMEDY AS LYCEUM

MISS GOODMAN IS DIRECTOR OF "THE FIRST YEAR"; C. W. BATCHELDER WILL PLAY THE MALE LEAD.

Coming as a pleasant surprise is the announcement of a play, "The First Year," a three act light comedy, to be presented by members of the faculty this summer.

No definite date has been set for the presentation other than that it will be within the next three weeks. The cast has not yet been announced. Miss Novella Goodman is directing, and it is understood that Mr. Batchelder of the Public Speaking department will play the male lead.

The play will be given in the auditorium of the Education building and will take the place of the scheduled lyceum number. Those holding blanket tax tickets will be admitted upon presenting same. A ticket sales campaign is to be inaugurated soon and a prize of \$5.00 given the person selling the greatest number of the cardboard.

There is to be found ample talent in the faculty for the making of this play. It was written by Frank Cravens, a playwright of considerable renown, and has enjoyed immense success, winning the reputation of being highly entertaining and void of dull moments so derogatory to the pleasure of the theatrical patron.

Miss Richardson's Ship Letter Has Tang of the Sea

Breathing of the personality of the writer is the message which comes to The Prairie from Miss Mary Moss Richardson as she was crossing the ocean for her tour of Europe.

The letter follows:

Dear Prairie:
How strange it is for a land-lubber like me to be riding alone on the lofty sea, with the blue beneath and the blue above, racing away from the land I love! And the slinky waves underneath the boat and the chugging engine to keep us afloat till the day and night with a quivering charm, while God above protects from harm. The "Roma" is an Italian ship and the liquid Italian is on every lip. It makes me feel kind of out of things when my next deck mate a strange tongue slings; but a smile is a speech that all understand, and I scatter smiles on every hand.

The food we have is new to me, and I taste a bit of all I see. I am raking in experience fine at breakfast and tea and when I dine; I am planning things for Rest Cottage, dear, that I mean to practise for many a year. The fruit is very varied and fine, and I try each piece and call it mine. The bread alone leaves a painful lack since it resembles the hardest tack and makes me long for a biscuit hot—the butter too its salt has not; but O the oranges like a dream, the meddlars, pears, and apricots seem like fruits in heavenly gardens grown, which for the time I call my own.

The Azores Islands we have passed; even the best of trips can't last; tomorrow morning at half past five we pass Gibraltar as I'm alive; on Monday morning at eight o'clock, our "Roma" will at Naples dock and I'll be ready to taste adventures to tell my friends and receive their censures. And now I'll say though earth I roam, I still can see no place like home.

M. Moss Richardson

HOLMES ENJOYS UNUSUAL TOUR OF EUROPE

IS MEMBER OF MORNINGSIDE TOURS CONDUCTED BY HER AUNT. TO TAKE NORWAY EXTENSION.

Another W. T. traveler in Europe this summer is Miss Cleo D. Holmes, who is traveling with a party conducted by her aunt, Mrs. Campbell, wife of Professor Campbell of Morningside College, Sioux City, Iowa. The organization is named Morningside Tours. This particular unit is taking the Norway extension seldom taken by people from here.

The trip being taken by Miss Holmes is first and last a pleasure trip, though, according to letters received by her Canyon friends, she is obtaining fresh ideas to be applied to her work on her return. The tour is to be of longer duration than most, Miss Holmes planning to return to Canyon barely in time for school this fall.

The party landed in Ireland, where Miss Holmes visited a large linen factory. In a letter to a former pupil she expresses a wish that all of her domestic art students might have been with her on her tour of the great and interesting plant.

From Ireland and Scotland, the party went to England, and from England to Heidelberg, Germany. Here they made the ever marvelous trip up the Rhine, which, as Miss Holmes has written, "is, after all, really down the Rhine." They are now in Italy. On the eleventh of August they will be in Switzerland, from whence they go to France.

After a brief stay in Paris, and a return visit to London, the party will take the extension into Norway where the longest stay will be made. From Norway they go again into Germany. According to word from Miss Holmes, she will sail from Germany for America September 9.

STUDENT ASST'S. FOR NEXT YEAR ARE SELECTED

VARIOUS DEPARTMENT HEADS ANNOUNCE STUDENT WORKERS FOR COMING TERM; MANY ARE NEW.

Various departments in the college are having to fill student assistantships with new individuals for the year 1930-31 due to graduations and withdrawals from school.

Miss Neville Wren will continue her work in the chemistry department as student assistant through the 1930-31 terms. She has served in like capacity for the past year.

Miss Wren will be a senior this fall. She has done all her college work here, majoring in chemistry under Dr. Pierle. Her home is at Memphis where she has had several years teaching experience in the junior high school math department. After finishing next spring, Miss Wren will resume her teaching, this time in chemistry rather than mathematics.

L. S. Baker, head of the biology department, announces a new assistant to fill the vacancy made by Miss Eula Tucker's graduation this summer, Herman Troutman.

He will be a junior this fall, his second year at W. T. His freshman work was done at Colorado College in Colorado Springs, Colo. His home is at Dumas. Troutman is a biology major and has shown much innate knowledge of the science.

Maintaining almost an "A" aver-

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Football Training Camp Will Begin Sept. 5; Good Bunch of Old and New Men Expected

Allows Men Two Weeks of Hard Training to Get in Shape and Nearly Four Weeks of Work Outs.

PREXY APPOINTS BLANKET TAX COMMITTEE

DUFFLOT, GRAHAM AND COOK, INVESTIGATE SMALL SALES; STUDENT BODY ASKED FOR SUGGESTIONS.

An extensive campaign is underway to interest and convince the students of West Texas of the necessity of their purchasing Student Activity tickets.

A committee composed of J. L. Dufflot, Miss Edna Graham and Harris M. Cook, has been appointed by President Hill to direct and formulate the drive this fall. Blanks have been issued each student now in school for the purpose of gathering their ideas about the blanket problems in a manner suggested by students and acceptable to students. This action relieves the impossible task of seeing each individual student at the beginning of the Fall term.

It has been pointed out that unless blanket tax tickets are sold nearly one hundred per cent strong, student activities in the college will have to be omitted. Such a condition is unthinkable and demands the favorable response of those most vitally concerned; the student body. It would be like a diet of bacon and beans, day after day, without desert of any kind and would lead to a segmental existence that of all places, should not be found in a college atmosphere.

Student activities—athletics, lyceums, and other enterprises conducted under this heading—all have a tendency to solidify the student body. They have a unifying force that the curriculum alone fails to provide.

Everyone should comply with the request coming from the committee, giving their solutions, suggestions and outline any plan which they themselves would adopt were they responsible for the continuation of student activities.

OBERST GIVES PH. D. THESIS TO LIBRARY

W. T. GRADUATE IS AMONG FIRST OF EXES TO COMPLETE WORK FOR DOCTOR'S; IS AT IOWA UNIVERSITY.

The Library of the West Texas State Teachers College recently received a copy of the thesis by Fred W. Oberst which was submitted in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the department of chemistry in the graduate college of the State University of Iowa.

The thesis is the result of a research study of the effect of substituents in the formation of stereoisomeric aldoximes. The work was directed by Professor Chas. L. Raiford of the University of Iowa. The thesis contains specific methods for inversion and determination of configuration with a statement of the problem and suggestions for further work, discussion and results, and all summary and conclusions.

The biography of author in the latter part of the publication is of interest to the West Texas State Teachers College. Mr. Oberst moved to Canyon at the age of six years. He received his elementary, high school, and four years of college training in Canyon. He received his B. A. degree from W. T. in 1927. In 1927-28 he held a scholarship in chemistry at the University of Iowa. The following year he was half-time instructor in the chemistry department and during 1929-30 he held a fellowship.

Mr. Oberst is graduate member of the Southern States Scholarship Society, a member of Phi Lambda Upsilon, the Sigma Xi Society, and the American Chemical Society. He is one of the first graduates of W. T. to receive his Doctor's degree.

Some of the week end visitors at the college were Loree Tabor of Goodlett, Marie Price of Clarendon, Naomi Malone of Tulla, and Jesse Padgett of Panhandle.

The football training camp at the West Texas State Teachers College will start on the morning of September 5, 1930. This statement came from Coach Reeds the other day and from what he says, he is expecting a good bunch of last year's men to return as well as a host of Freshmen, who have indicated their intentions of being on hand.

By starting on the 5th gives the team two weeks of hard training to get in shape; and unless there is a game scheduled between September 20 and October 3, there will be nearly four weeks of work-outs. This training camp has proved its worth in several respects and last year is a good example. The boys had a good start and continued their beginning.

According to schedule our first football game will be on October 3, with the Panhandle A. & M. College from Goodwell, Oklahoma, but the Department of Athletics is working for a game one week before that time.

Although nine regulars graduated from school last year, Coach Reeds hasn't the least doubt but what West Texas will have the best team in the T. I. A. A. He states that the following men from last year will be here: Otis Burk, Clarence Kayler, Alfred Jameson, Weldon Logan, (Capt.) Bill McClen-don, John Gillham, Hassell Rhodes, Leo Cooper, D. V. Biggers, Glenn Daugherty, Lloyd Harris, Lloyd Devin, G. N. Lott, Edwin Comer, Ted Williamson, Doble Johnson, Prentiss Balengee, L. B. Penick, Dock Haley, Robert Jarrett, Milton Cotton, Farris Bass, Guy Fuller, Robt. Clark, Clayton Devin, John Johnson, Raymond Powell, Arthur Campbell, Lloyd Hunt, Bill Leggett, Dutch Morris, Ernest Carter, Price Barrett, Willie Bennett, Ben Porter, H. R. Harvel, Rusty O'Donald, Walter Dubbs, and Leon Penick.

The Football Schedule
October 3, Panhandle A. & M. at Canyon.
October 11, A. C. C. (Dad's Day) at Canyon.
October 24, Daniel Baker at Brownwood.

November 1, Texas Tech (Homecoming) at Canyon.
November 8, New Mexico Military Institute, at Roswell.
November 15, Stephen F. Austin Teachers at Canyon.
November 22, Simmons University at Amarillo.
November 27, McMurry (Thanksgiving) at Canyon.

Leo Forest Takes Post Grad. Course
Mr. and Mrs. Leo Forrest and daughter, Cheery Ann, are making Canyon their home for the remainder of the summer.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Forrest are graduates of 1929. Leo, during his senior year, was business manager of the Prairie and Big Chief of the Red Men. Mrs. Forrest was associated with the Secretary's office while in school here. Mr. Forrest is taking one course in the College in addition to his employment with the Texas Utilities.

Flowers telegraphed anywhere. Phone 806 4th ave.

Intramural Golf Tourney To Be Staged

W. T. is to have an intramural golf tournament in which any member of the student body of faculty may participate. The tournament will be conducted by Coach Claude Reeds.

Each person who enters must play thirty-six holes to qualify. The score cards on these holes must be turned to Coach Reeds by Sunday afternoon, August 3. From these qualifying scores the players will be classified into four groups. Those making 40 or under on 9 holes will be class A. Those making 41 to 47 will be in class B. Scores from 48 to 53 will be class C and the D group will have a score of 54 and over.

The matches will be determined in a play off the week following August 3. They must be complete by August 17.

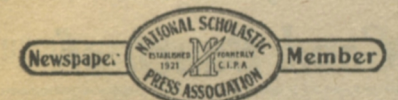
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ENDURANCE RECORDS
AND WHAT HAVE YOU

We cannot help but wonder what the world is coming to and what kind of record people will be trying to break next. It seems to us that the daily newspapers had might as well have a section devoted entirely to news concerning endurance records which are being smashed daily and employ a special editor for that section.

When we first began reading about the tree sitters, we heaved a sigh of relief and said there was one kind of endurance contest which would not likely make its way to this part of the world, but now all Amarillo is agog over its Jimmies and Johnnies and Janes who have been perched on their tree-top houses for nearly 300 hours. Then in Sunday's paper Amarillo comes out with the announcement that a dance marathon would begin that evening in which the participants would endeavor to break the record of more than 63 days. Across town from the dance marathon one may see the marionette golfers who are engaging in an endurance contest.

Amarillo is only a small example of what is going on all over the United States. In some newspaper we see that Betty Wilson of New York broke all talking records as she talked continuously for 97 hours. One just wonders if the world is any better off for her having done so. In another paper we read of the old negro woman who decided to start a new kind of endurance record to be broken and stationed herself on a street corner and announced that she would read and sing just as long as it were possible for a human to do so. Sounds rather foolish, but along in that same category come those who broke all endurance records for rocking in a rocking chair, for rolling peanuts, for sitting on housepeas, for sitting on poles, and for eating pies, watermelons, etc.

Things have reached a rather critical stage of affairs when human beings can find no better ways to entertain themselves nor to make money than by torturing their bodies and probably injuring themselves permanently.

The writer happened to see the dance marathon in which the present record of more than 63 days

Ex-Student
Notes

Chapel exercises Saturday morning were devoted to the interests of the Ex-student Association. Speakers of the morning were President J. A. Hill, J. T. Glass, T. M. Moore, and W. H. Younger. The chief ideas given in their speeches is stated below:

President Hill brought out the following facts:

1. The interests of the Ex-students and the college are mutual.
2. Each should seek to promote the welfare of the other.
3. The College depends upon the success of its products for a good name.
4. It greatly needs their good will and their active support.
5. Ex-students need the help of the College in many ways and will naturally profit by a relation of helpfulness.
6. The Ex-students can greatly enhance their service to the College through organization.
7. In enhancing their usefulness to the College they enhance, likewise, the value of the College to themselves.

He urged that all those who go out from the College join in a program of expanding and improving the services of their Alma Mater.

J. T. Glass of Panhandle is a member of both W. T. and T. U. Ex-student Associations. He said that he could not afford to remain out of the W. T. Ex-student Association and teach in the Panhandle Plains country.

In discussing the activities of the A. & M. Ex-students Association, T. M. Moore called our attention to the following points:

1. It enrolls members and keeps track of them by means of an up-to-date office file. In addition, it publishes a directory of Ex-students periodically. Another publication that serves this end is the bi-monthly Aggie.
2. It helps in the organization and promotion of county and city clubs composed of ex-students of the institution. These meet all over the country on April 21 and gather the most promising graduates of their respective sections and communities.
3. It works in various ways with the administrative authorities. Two of these are legislative influence and serving as a sentinel.

was made. She saw the couples use every possible means to keep each other awake. Often they would practically reach the fighting state, while their feet were moving and their bodies swaying. She saw them drag themselves over the dance ring when their swollen ankles, inflamed eyes, and general weariness practically made it imperative that they gain some much needed rest.

There may be those endurance contests which will benefit the world. The world of aviation says that records which determine how long aeroplanes can stay up in the air are beneficial in the problem of international commerce and trade. In that case time and money is not spent in vain. Also in this case those participating are not injuring their bodies.

One is reminded of the statement: "Just ally yourself with some unpopular cause and you may feel sure that you are in the right."

Just at present nothing seems more popular than breaking endurance records. The moral is self evident.

4. It conducts an employment bureau. This is of particular value to both the association and its members.

5. In various other ways it serves to keep alive the spirit of the institution and to look after its out-lying interests.

W. H. Younger, superintendent at Tulla, now professor of History in W. T. for the last six weeks of the summer school, told the students who are going out to teach that they would all be wanting recommendations from the College. May be not now, but sooner or later. He then asked them how could the College recommend them unless it knew something of their work in the field, and how could it know about their work if they were unwilling to join an association whose chief function and duty was to strengthen the ties that bind the ex-students and college together.

As a result of this rally several ex-students have joined the Association, and a number have become missionaries, so to speak, in spreading knowledge of what the W. T. Ex-student Association is actually doing.

The following are some of the students who are here this summer and the places in which they will teach this fall:

Kate Spurger, Lorraine; Katherine Shearer, Booker; Fanie Maning, Bethel school near Dimmitt; Nellie Freeman, Jumbo school near Hereford; William Graves, Conlin school near Perico; Helen Estis, Dimmitt; Mrs. Odel Ryan, Snyder; Zenobia Denis, Childress; Minnie Hood, O'Donnell; Martha Lawson, Post; Leslie Mullins, Iowa Park; Inez Walker, Shamrock; Grace Reaves, Iowa Park; Ethel Kidwell, Iowa Park; Mrs. Carl Hoffman, Iowa Park; Mrs. Hester, Iowa Park; William Allen, Klondike school near Lamesa; Zell Ellis, Spur; Mrs. Bessie Gill, Dimmitt; Daisy Oliver, Divide school near Sweetwater; Margie Moore, Electra; Mable Alice Grewell, Oklahoma City; Maetha Griffin, Phillips school P. O. Whitteburg; Lydia Martin, Amarillo; Frank Andrews, superintendent at Albany; Ina G. Smith, Bourland school near Vernon; Mary Bob Hukebee, Lone Wolf school near Lorraine; Katherine Smith, Tulla; Lorena Dennis, Williams rural high school, Hardeman county; Madelle Scroggins, Aspermont, Stonewall county; Wilma Jarrell, route 4, Wellington; Mamie Hensley, Marie, Rannels county; Lucile Hinder, route 3, Wellington; Flossie Sweat, route 3, Shamrock; Chas. King and his sister Helen, Frio school near Hereford; Thelma Kinard, Floydada; Beulah Fort, Ralls; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Neelley, Estelline; Eula Tucker, Amarillo; Harmon T. Copeland, Anson; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Rose, Kress; Jewel Copeland, Kress; Lila Neal, Memphis; Ethie Pendley, Morton; Mildred King Shamrock; Nina Collins, Hamlin; Lucelle Hughes, Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown, Dozier school, Collinsworth county; Sadie Summers, Silvertown; Anna Mae Lasseter, Spur; Alice Wright, Spur; Vera Brown, Liberty school, route 3 box 476 Amarillo.

Helen Cook, Bowie school, El Paso; Anna Ross, Childress school, Tulla; L. R. Atkinson, Lark school, Carson county; Verna Delzell, Van Buren, Arkansas; Bessie Russell, Perryton, teach near Spearman; Hazel Rambo, Hereford; Lena Word, Temple; Mrs. Nannie Smith, Black; Nanie Crouch, Pampa; Bessie Peck, box 606, Tarleton Station, Texas; Helen Martin, route 3, Clovis, N. M.; Inez Nolen, Winona, Texas.

Mrs. Arthur C. Haley, Farwell, Miss Nell Rayburn, Red Top, Amy Davis, Turkey, Stansell Clements, Childress Community Center. Rachael Ream, Allenreed. Sadie Johnson, Vernon. Johnnie Genge, Shamrock. R. M. Rarkham, Davis School in Wheeler county. Mrs. H. G. Guill, Allenreed. Lois Clark, Olton. Winnie Freeman, Newmore. Mrs. Viva Humphreys, Newlin. Fern Coon, Lorraine. Susan Board, Stinnet. Syble Thompson, Bowie. Margurite Love, El Paso. Ruth Ansley, Amarillo. Daltis Rea, Floydada. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Miller, Arlie.

Mr. Kelly McGeehee a W. T. Ex now living in Canyon, and his mother Mrs. L. Z. McGeehee, were recently called to the bedside of Mrs. McGeehee's father at Grapevine, Texas. The father died before their arrival.

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1930 GRADUATE TAKES UP
WORK WHILE REGULAR MAN-
AGER, LEE JOHNSON, IS
STUDYING.

Howard Golden, graduate of W. T. with the class of 1930, is acting manager of the college book store for this summer and for the coming regular session while Lee Johnson is studying for his master's degree in the University of Texas.

Mr. Golden was employed as assistant in the book store during his senior year in college. Howard Golden first enrolled at West Texas in 1921. The enrollment at that time was considerably less than is now chalked up on the records of the college, giving Mr. Golden an opportunity to watch his alma mater grow from a mere child into a mature institution of state importance.

In 1921 there was no book store. The work of the present store was all handled by and through the library. At that time the Buffaloes were playing football games with high schools and junior colleges. Both Clarendon College and Wayland College were considered the most formidable opponents. And it was in 1921 that Coach Burton first took charge of athletics at W. T.

Golden has noted the wonderful improvement of attitudes in student bodies of the last few years toward college faculties and the various departments. Morals and traditions are being built up. The school has a past, a background of sturdiness that tends to establish its prestige and to invite the confidence of prospective students.

Mr. Golden came to Canyon from Hereford. He is now considered a true citizen of Canyon. He took his degree here the last day of May and will continue his work in the Book Store after the return of Lee Johnson in September.

"There has been so many improvements since I first came here that there is very little similarity in the college of 1921 and the present institution. One would hardly recognize it as the same.

"I have enjoyed my work this summer and the opportunity to meet so many of the summer students. Despite the heat and the brief sojourn of many of them, the esprit-de-corp has been good."

George Launches
Ex-Student Assoc.
Membership Drive

L. N. George, Secretary of the Ex-Student Association, during the past several weeks, has launched an extensive campaign for members.

He, as well as others interested in the organizing factors, have spoken at both Randall and Cousins Halls in the interest of the association. Mr. George has also visited a number of boarding houses where he spoke to students and assisted them in plans for heading as many of next year's high school graduates toward West Texas as is possible.

According to Mr. George, students who are going out to teach this fall are falling in line and showing a real enthusiasm in the Ex-Student Association and its work. The townspeople in whose homes he has visited have shown a willingness to co-operate with him, realizing the benefits of attracting new students to this college.

Miss Etoile Lumpkin, West Texas student of Amarillo who is driving back and forth this summer, and Miss Margaret Chesnutt, former W. T. student and also of Amarillo, were visiting friends about the campus Friday afternoon. Both Miss Lumpkin and Miss Chesnutt contemplate entering Texas University this fall.

Publishing Houses
Have Displays In
Halls Last Week

Making this College their last stop in Texas, six publishing companies divided last week between W. T. and Lubbock Tech in displaying and advertising their wares.

Each company, working independently, had a booth in the first floor corridor where school supplies of every description were to be inspected by students and prospective teachers.

For the benefit of those failing to get names and addresses of these publishing houses and who may wish to in the future, the Prairie is giving them here:

F. A. Owen Pub. Co., Dansville, N. Y., B. G. Combs, representative. Practical Drawing Co., Dallas, Tex., M. L. Duffel, representative. Newsom & Co., New York, W. E. James, representative.

Webb Publishing Co., Oklahoma City, Okla., A. J. Crawford, representative. Southwest Publication Co., Dallas, Reagan Long, representative. Webster Publishing Co., St. Louis, Mo., representative.

Dean Harris M. Cook and Mrs. Cook have had as their guests the past two weeks Mrs. Cook's father, J. S. Wilson, and her brother, J. L. Wilson, wife and two children. All are of New Albany, Miss.

Mr. Wilson and family left for their home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Bennett of Taylor were visitors in the home of Travis Shaw last week. The Bennetts are former residents of Canyon.

J. W. Simmons and Lee Simmons of Memphis were guests of Miss Mae Simmons in Canyon yesterday. Mr. J. W. Simmons is Miss Simmons' father and the other Mr. Simmons is her cousin.

Burney Slack is
In Run Off For
Co. Tax Assessor

Burney Slack, an ex-student of W. T., goes into the run off on August 28 as a result of winning his place as tax assessor in the recent election.

Mr. Slack expresses himself upon the race as follows: "I wish to thank you for your support in the past race, and hope you will remain loyal to me in the election of August 28.

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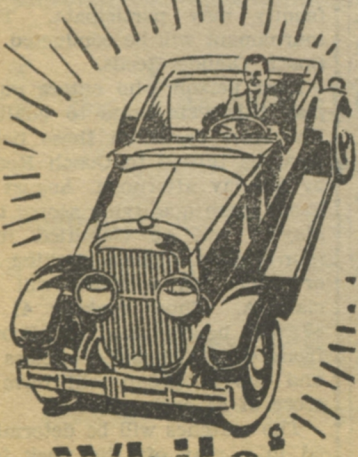
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Society and Clubs

Ruth Handley and George Heath, Two W. T. Graduates, Wed Sunday Morning

The Rev. W. C. Kunze, minister of the Presbyterian Church of this city, officiated at the quiet, ring ceremony which united Ruth Handley and George Heath in marriage Sunday morning at the eight o'clock hour at the Presbyterian Manse, 1010 Fifth avenue.

The bride was lovely in an egg shell georgette. Her costume was made complete with a tan hat stitched in blue and other tan accessories.

Miss Thelma Brummett and Mitchell Stewart were the only attendants of the bride and groom.

Those witnessing the ceremony were Letha Handley, sister of the bride, Lois Goodrich, and Willie McCarty.

The couple left immediately following the ceremony for a motor honeymoon trip. On their return they will be in Lubbock until the fall term of school opens. Mr. Heath will be principal of the Friona High School and Mrs. Heath will teach English in the high school there.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Heath are graduates of W. T. with the class of 1929. Mrs. Heath held a position in the office of the secretary of the college while she was doing her senior work. She was a member of the Sesame Literary Society, and Mr. Heath of the Cousins Society.

Mrs. Heath has taught the first grade in the Canyon public schools for the past two years. Mr. Heath was principal of the Friona High School last year.

MRS. ALLEN HONORS MRS. GUENTHER WITH DINNER

Friday afternoon Mrs. L. G. Allen entertained with a very informal dinner party in honor of Mrs. F. P. Guenther who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hill this week. Guests of Mrs. Allen at the dinner Friday were President and Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Guenther, and Miss Jennie C. Ritchie.

PICNICKERS SPEND DAY AT ENCAMPMENT

Among other groups of Sunday picnickers were a group of the faculty and one student who went to the Methodist Encampment for the day.

Those going on the picnic were Misses Mattie Swayne, Jean Moore, Hattie M. Anderson, Agnes Nelson, Novella Goodman, Helen White Moore, Horace Morelock and Wayne Griffiths.

Compton Performs at Harley Sadler's Twice Last Week

Eurith Compton, speech major and graduate of 1930, was given an opportunity for expression of his dramatic talents Friday and Saturday when he performed during the evenings for Harley Sadler and his patrons.

Compton gave a reading, "A Man and His Symptom" Friday night and a minor part in Saturday night's play, "The New Editor." In both appearances, he distinguished himself as an actor of immense possibilities.

During his four years at W. T., Eurith took an active part in college theatrical productions and in his last, 1929-30, won the Harley Sadler Scholarship of one hundred dollars.

Carl C. Periman, West Texas graduate of 1928, spent the week-end with friends in Canyon. Periman is now manager of the Draper-Ross Produce Co. in Plainview.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS HAS ALL DAY PICNIC

The Hill Class of the Methodist Sunday School which is taught by Stuart H. Condon had its annual summer outing at the Methodist Encampment Grounds all day Sunday.

About thirty young people chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Murray left here Sunday morning at nine o'clock and returned at five in the afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Condon were unable to go.

TWO FORMER W. T. STUDENTS VISIT CAMPUS WEDNESDAY

Ethel Rice of Hereford and Ethel McMasters of Corpus Christi were visiting on the campus last Wednesday.

Miss McMasters, student at W. T. in 1926, went from here to Boulder, Colorado, where she will do the second quarter's work on her Master's degree in the University of Colorado. Miss Rice, West Texas student 1922-25, will teach at Pampa this year.

Mrs. Hill's Y.W.C.A. Talk is Postponed Until Tomorrow

Mrs. J. A. Hill, who was to speak at the Y W C A meeting Wednesday evening, on Girls and Clothes, will speak next Wednesday, July 30 instead.

The postponement of this meeting was due to the heavy rain at the Y W C A hour. Since so few girls were present, Miss Ruth Lowes, sponsor of the organization, thought it would be better to put the meeting off in order to have more girls present.

The meeting will take place at the usual hour, 7:30, and at the usual place, the south lawn of the Administration building.

Batchelder Shows Make-Up Problems at Dramatic Club

At last Thursday's meeting of the Dramatic Club, C. W. Batchelder of the public speaking department, gave a very interesting lesson in make-up. He explained and demonstrated the straight powder and semi-grease make-ups, using Clifford Henry and Mabel Draper as subjects.

There were no plays given. The first plays of this term will be presented at three thirty Thursday afternoon. These, "At the Junction," a fantasy, and "The Dear Little Wife," a Japanese play, offer to spectators a rare treat in theatrical productions.

Shirleys Expected To Return Aug. 25

D. A. Shirley, Registrar, and family will return from Ann Arbor, Mich., where they are spending the summer, about August 25th.

Mr. Shirley is taking work in the University of Michigan.

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Two Exes Will Be In Run-off For Co. Attorney in August

One of W. T.'s ex-students led the political ticket for county attorney of Randall County Saturday evening when J. D. Barker received more votes than Flannigan Smith, also an ex-student of the college. Both Mr. Smith and Mr. Barker will be in the second primary in August.

Mr. Barker is a graduate of W. T. with the class of 1928. He was formerly of Canadian. After finishing school here, he went to Cumberland University at Lebanon, Tennessee where he completed the work for his L. L. D degree.

Mr. Smith has been a resident of Canyon for many years. He is the present county attorney, having held the office for the past four years.

Former Instructor and Wife Visit in Canyon Sunday

Dr. George M. Mullins and Mrs. Mullins visited in Canyon Sunday evening. Dr. Mullins is a former member of the English department here and Mrs. Mullins was formerly Miss Isobel Marsh and was a student here in 1928-1929. For the past year they have been located at Edmond, Okla., where Dr. Mullins was head of the department of chemistry of the Teachers College.

They are spending several days at the home of Mrs. Mullins' parents in Amarillo before Dr. Mullins leaves for the military training camp at Ft. Logan, Colo. He is a Second Lieutenant in the R. O. T. C.

Mr. O. E. Thomas, graduate of '27 will visit friends and relatives in Canyon soon.

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Student Returns After 8 Years as Member of Faculty

Returning to an educational institution as a member of the faculty after spending one's youth in that institution as a student is perhaps a partial realization of many a young man's dream.

So it is with Horace Morelock who as a youngster solved the problems of boyhood on and about the campus of West Texas and, in his more serious moods, thought of a day when he would assume the dignity of an instructor in those vast halls where mature people gathered, discussing problems that left him all at sea. It was not only the responsibilities of instructorship that had drawing power, for Bus admits that there was an idea of atonement for all the injustices he had suffered at the hands of cruel and haughty teachers. However, being on the other side of the bench has clarified and made rational the acts of those teachers.

Ordinarily, in returning to the scenes of one's childhood, one finds the objects of his most vivid memories have deteriorated, for the eyes of youth exaggerate tremendously, retain last impressions until they are sorrowfully cast away because of new views brought about by age and experience.

But such does not hold true with Bus Morelock, who in returning to W. T. as a member of the English department, finds many improvements have taken place with the passing of years. He has enjoyed renewing friendships of his own and acquaintances of his family. He is, especially, enjoying his work with Dr. McColey and other faculty members.

Bus completes his four years of work in the Law School at Texas University next spring after which he contemplates taking the Law Course at Harvard University before entering the law profession.

Wallace R. Clark returned this morning from Ft. Worth where he interviewed several applicants for vacancies to be made by leaves of absences in the Music Department this fall.

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Laugh Results In Sombbrero for Prexy

"Ha, ha, ha; Ho, ho, ho!" laughed the Prexy of W. T. S. T. C.

"What are you laughing at?" inquired Judge H. E. Hoover, of Canadian, indignantly.

"That ha! Ha, ha! Ho, ho!" and the President of a College stood on the streets of Pampa laughing at a Judge of the District Court.

"Well," surmised Judge Hoover, "I know what's the matter with you. You don't have one and you are envying me all the pleasures of this hat! What size do you wear?"

And so it came about that President Hill is wearing a big sombrero, a real Mexican sombrero, made in Brownsville, Texas, out of real palm leaves.

It makes more shade than any whole palm tree ever discovered and besides, serving as a hat and an umbrella, it has the additional value of a natural fan. While in motion the brim of the hat goes up and down, creating a draft that keeps the wearer cool from the brow to the tip of his toes. While standing still, the same effect may be had by simply bending gently to and fro at the knees causing the brim to get in action.

Besides its other features, the hat is very becoming to President Hill and detracts not a bit from his dignity.

Dr. Barnett Goes To Conference of Superintendents

Dr. Albert Barnett left Saturday night for College Station where he will attend the state-wide conference for county school superintendents which will be in session there next week.

Dr. Barnett is scheduled to deliver a paper on the subject of, "The Improvement of Rural Teachers in Service," on Tuesday afternoon of next week. He will remain at College Station until the close of the conference next Saturday.

Dr. Marion Witt, a member of the English faculty of Hunter College, New York City, is the most recent member of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society. Dr. Witt was formerly a member of the faculty here.

Harold Bugbee, who has made several contributions to the P. P. H. S., was a visitor at the college the past week.

Home Economics Club Makes Miss Vannoy President

In addition to electing new officers, the Home Economics Club met Thursday morning for a business meeting and program.

After old business had been attended to, Dorothy Gore offered her resignation as president of the club. Joeline Vannoy was elected to succeed Miss Gore and Sue Wallace was elected to fill the vacancy in the vice-president's office made by Olivia Fincher's withdrawal from school at the end of the first term. Jessie McIlroy, Ozella Hunt, and Maude Eldson were appointed members of the social committee.

Following the business meeting, Miss Vannoy gave an informal talk on "The Etiquette of a Week-end Guest."

As yet no date for the next meeting of the Club has been decided, but will be posted on the Home Economics bulletin board later in the week. All girls interested in Home Economics are invited to attend.

Mrs. Witt Leaves Recently for Visit In Colorado Spgs.

Mrs. Marion Witt, supervisor of Cousins Hall, and her daughter, Dr. Marion Witt, left recently for Colorado Springs, Colo., where they will rest a month. After this they will go to central Texas to spend the remainder of the vacation period with Mrs. A. C. Amsler of McGregor, daughter of Mrs. Witt.

Mrs. J. B. Brown, sister of Mrs. Witt, is in charge of the dormitory during Mrs. Witt's absence. Mrs. Brown has been filling this position for the second term of the last three summers.

At the close of the summer Mrs. Witt will return to her work here, and Dr. Witt will return to her teaching position at Hunter College, New York City.

William Lockhart, Jr., will arrive this week from Austin where he has been studying for the past year in the University of Texas. He will spend the remainder of the summer here with his parents. He has practically completed the work for his B. A. degree at Austin. He will go to Galveston in the fall to work toward his M. D. degree. Mr. Lockhart did his first three years of college work here.

Miniature Golf is Still Good Means of "Daily Dozening"

Golfing on the miniature course on fourth avenue continues to be one of the chief sports of college "eds" and "co-eds." From the crowds seen on the course this Orange Golf Course might adopt the Wamba Coffee Company's slogan: "Morning, Noon and Night."

Just about the time one feels that he has the hazards mastered, up goes a different kind of hazard. Something new and different confronts the golf fans almost every day. If it is not an orange well from which hangs the old oaken bucket, it is any number of posts placed at deceiving angles or a tower with four legs all too ready to receive the little orange ball.

Along with other innovations made by the manager of the Orange Golf Course is the enticing offer that if one aces the second hole he may play his next game free.

Students seem to find no better way of taking their daily dozen than golfing.

Hill and George Are Speakers at Panhandle Rotary

President J. A. Hill and L. N. George, at the request of the club, spoke to the members of the Rotary Club of Panhandle at their weekly luncheon last Friday.

Mr. George spoke on the citizenship of Canyon as a background for the West Texas State Teachers College. Mr. George is secretary to the Ex-Students Association of the college. President Hill gave general information concerning the college and the museum project which is now underway.

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1. Always talk while your partner is shooting.
2. Never forget to shoot out of order.
3. Always ask the score keeper your score before every stroke.
4. Don't forget to tee off immediately behind the last foursome.
5. Always remind your fellow golfers of what you did in your prime.
6. Always talk about what was wrong with your last shot.
7. Yell "fore" and shoot through a foursome. Never thank them or beg their pardon.
8. Be sure you dig a hole in the tee to stand in.
9. Always drag the green to the edge.
10. Don't forget to throw your cigar or cigarette on the green before you leave.
11. Leave the scraper on the green. Never stick it straight up in the hole in the bottom of the cup.
12. Always start putting before your mates have approached the green. It is impolite not to do so.
13. Be sure you sling your bag between your partner's ball and the cup.
14. ALWAYS tip Trav Shaw, Jr. before you leave. He needs the money.
15. Don't stay around a golf course if you are smiling or laughing.

Mumbles

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fore, so we just crossed out all that didn't appeal to us. That's no way for citizens to do and we are ashamed of ourselves, but how's a fellow going to do anything else when they all live downstate and they don't come up here and they don't get their names in the papers? Politicians should do something to get in the papers, that's all there is to it!

ESSAY ON BEAUTY

This play that the faculty is going to give—the Mumbler hates to be pessimistic but he just has to predict that it will be a big, flat, event. The Mumbler has said before that no play is good in his eyes unless it has a beautiful heroine, and he can't, to save himself, see how they are going to get a beautiful heroine out of our faculty! Now, we don't say they won't—cosmetics have marvelous powers, and if they can manage it through any means, we'll be satisfied. The Mumbler has no objections to synthetic heroines that have beauty. Beauty is what we idolize, beauty that makes you forget all else in the world. Of course, in primary contacts we want beauty that is more than skin-deep, but in secondary contacts, we see nothing but the surface, therefore it is satisfying.

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The Mumbler was pretty disgusted with this Sadler show, but since he has given our old friend, Comp, a chance to emit his emotions upon the ozone and tender hearts of the people, we feel better toward him. His show would be made if he'd hire Comp. That boy can imitate anything, whistle like a bird sing like a prima-dona, and act like a John Barrymore!

Have you seen all the turtles out by the power house? We don't suppose that so many turtles ever were brought together before, at least so many different sizes of turtles. The Mumbler is very fond of turtle soup, and seeing it in the raw that way was very gratifying because he will no longer be bothered with that particular appetite.

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ization of subject matter, as well as for the pleasure of those people who might not otherwise learn of this project, the results of the election are given below:

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Governor: Ferguson 5, Mayfield 2, Love 3, Moody 5, Small 43, Sterling 1, Miller 1.

Lieutenant Governor: Rogers 8, Sterling 5, Parnell 8, Hair 1, Witt 13, Strong 12, Darwin 6, Arnold 6.

Attorney General: Allred 15, Storey 16, Bobbitt 22, Becker 7.

State Comptroller: Mills 19, Sheppard 41.

State Treasurer: Davis 25, Ball 8, Clark 8, Lockhart 9.

Commissioner of Agriculture: West 8, Waller 10, King 13, Maddux 4, Freeman 8, McDonald 17.

Gen. Land Office Com.: Walker 24, Johnson 21, Burkes 13.

Railroad Commission: Neff 34, Johnson 5, Hatcher 2, Patton 1.

Chief Justice: Thomas 40, Cureton 17.

Criminal Appeals: Stephens 44, Lattimore 14.

District Congressman: Cade 8, Jones 50.

District Judge: Bishop 45, Northcutt 14.

District Attorney: Thomerson 30, Sparks 29.

County Judge: Orton 22, Jennings 18, Flesher 8, Foster 12.

County and District Clerk: Service 13, Mayfield 45.

Sheriff and Tax Collector: Johnson 26, Fry 24, Mitchell 7.

County Attorney: Smith 32, Barker 20, Woodward 7.

Tax Assessor: Slack 15, Donnell 19, Redfearn 1, Prichard 6.

Commissioner No. 1: Guthrie 11, Borgan 6, Smith 3, Hazlewood 13, Heath 3, Rockwell 7, Covington 8.

Student Assts.

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age in physics has won for Victor Dunlap the student assistantship in that department. He succeeds Susan Meador who received her degree in May. Dunlap has finished two years of work here. His home is in Quana.

Mildred Wheat, whose home is in Canyon and who is a graduate of the college training school, will hold the assistantship in the commercial department.

Miss Wheat will be a sophomore this year. While in training school she was editor of "The Tumble Weed," the high school column.

W. T. Has Composer of Musical Moods In Student Body

The following story of talent is of particular interest to the West Texas State Teachers College because the one concerned, Nancy Dawes, is a student of the college this summer. She is the sister of Alice Dawes, a member of the college music faculty. This story appeared in the Sunday issue of the Dallas News.

"Four years old. Shy. Ashamed. But oh, so grown-up and defiant. 'I'm composing, father!' And so she was. 'A tune was running through my head.' And it had been.

At 4 years old Nancy Dawes of Big Spring completed her first original melody. Her father transcribed it. It won fourth prize in a national contest sponsored in Chicago. There were only three prizes to be given, but when the judges saw Nancy's work, they decided there must be a fourth. Dr. Olaf Anderson of the American Conservatory of Music wrote, urging Nancy on.

Nancy is in high school now. Since then she has composed many pieces, waltzes, marches, moods put to music. She played some of her own compositions over the radio when she visited in Dallas. She has little time for parties. She is busy at the piano. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dawes of Big Spring. Her father teaches music. Her mother sings. Her brother plays the violin, her sister the piano. But Nancy is going to be a composer.

She says so herself."

Lee Gibbs, West Texas student in 1924 and collegiate debater, spent last Thursday on the Campus.

Gibbs now holds a law degree from the University of Oklahoma where he won a medal three out of his four years there. He is now practicing law in Oklahoma City, and is the member of an honorary law fraternity.

Steve: "Don't you think the flaming youth type of college student is passing?"
Sammy: "No, flunking."

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