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Dean R. P. Jarrett Passes Away Monday

Two Members Appointed To Health Dr. A. M. Meyer Elected Head of Center; Education Dep't Staffs

University System of Georgia will be Professor of Secondary Education New Equipment at West Texas State College with the opening of the fall semester on In Use In Chem-

Dr. Russell is no stranger to the istry Department Southwest. He was born in Arkansas, went to high school at Floresville, Texas, did his undergraduate work at Durant, Oklahoma, was granted his M. A. degree by the which was received here in Feb-University of Oklahoma at Norman ruary, is now in use in the Chemisand earned his Doctor's degree at try Department according to Dr. George Peabody College, Nashville,

years ago, in Oklahoma where he added. was class room teacher, high school principal, and later superintendent of school for eight years at Che-

Research Fellowship. He went, in them. 1941, to the University System of

teacher and as a community work- trifuge mechanical stir, miscellaneer. He has been president of a civic ous laboratory glass and hardware, club, superintendent of the Sunday and valuable heavy chemicals. school and chairman of the board of the church with which he is

twelve year old son expect to come to Canyon shortly after the first of September. The summer session in which he is director of a work shop one teacher of education will not be and teacher of education will not be over until late in August.

Mrs. Nell Swingler of Jacksonville, Ill., has been selected to sucnurse, who resigned some months

Mrs. Swingler has been on the nursing staff of Stephens College, Mo. and the college at Jacksonville,

She attended college at Kirksville, Missouri, received her training as a nurse in one of the large hospitals in St. Louis, Mo. from which place she was graduated and became a registered nurse. Since that time, she has been a student at George Peabody, where she earned her Bachelor of Science degree.

new faculty members at an early

Strickland Accepts **Position At Denton**

Chester O. Strickland, who has been superintendent of public schools at Hereford for the past year and who previous to that time was superintendent of schools at White Deer, has resigned to become superintendent of schools at

Mr. Strickland has served on the summer faculty of West Texas State College several times, working in the great number of students and ex-students of the college and of the

During his years of service as a superintendent, Mr. Strickland has coat or raincoat, will be found most been an important figure in the Northwest Conference for Education and in the Texas State Teachers

Forum To Discuss **Russian Question**

"What Is Russia Up To?" led by Dr. Ima C. Barlow, will be the topic in order to satisfy immigration reg- W. R. Goins to Oklahoma City. reviewed in the open forum Thurs- ulations. day afternoon in Room 211. Previous This tour is open to any person last year from the Amarillo public discussions have included "Why Do who wishes to go. Any student or schools to accept a position with the We Talk About John L. Lewis?"; faculty member of West Texas State college, he bought a home in Can-

and to participate in these informal Hill. discussions, which begin at 3:30.

Dorothy Acker is now Mrs. Floyd Ashcroft. She lives in Dallas, Befor her marriage she taught for a short time at Dimmitt.

A large part of a shipment of laboratory equipment from the Pantex Ordnance Plant in Amarillo, Chester A. Pierle. Arrangements are being made for installation of His teaching has been, until five the pieces not now being used, he

The equipment was given to the college, with no cost attached other than that entailed in shipping, as a part of a government plan to dis-In 1940, he became a student at tribute surplus war goods to var-Peabody College where he held a jous institutions which can utilize

Included in the shipment were Georgia, Rome, Georgia, in which two large electric drying ovens, a Department of Education and Dean position he has served up to the microscope, a Barnhillwater still, of the Graduate School, will termia Saybolt viscosimeter, a sturmer, nate his position with West Texas to utility lines. He comes to West Texas State two chainomatic analytical bal-College highly recommended as a ances, a du Pont nicrometer, a cen- dent of Amarillo College.

Dr. and Mrs. Russell and their welve year old son expect to come Mexico Air Tour

to cooperate in publicizing a low cost eighteen-day air tour to Mexceed Miss Hellen Hickman, college ico from August 9 to August 26. This tour is sponsored by the National Education Association.

> The cost of the fifteen-day trip, leaving El Paso, will be \$257.70.

This price includes transportation to Mexico City and return, trans- he served as coordinator. portation on all excursions listed while in Mexico City, all meals and in Texas educational circles, having porters. Baggage for the trip is Conference for Education and a having secured this much needed limited to fifty-five pounds unless member of the executive committee additional space for students. These the traveler wishes to pay for the of the Texas State Teachers Asso- buildings are an outright gift to the cost of additional baggage.

A reception will be held for the Mrs. Swingler expects to arrive in tour members at the Benjamin have demonstrated that he con-Canyon shortly after the first of Franklin Library in Mexico City, siders the teaching of the youth of ex-servicemen to attend college. The It is expected that President Hill welcome the visitors. There will be task. will announce the election of other an opportunity to meet and talk with prominent Mexicans from gov- been particularly active in develop- Halls. ernmental and educational offices.

> has as its purpose the promotion of organization. a pleasant vacation trip as well as United States and of Mexico.

ties, and at the same time it pre- ship sents a flexible schedule so that have the time to do things they the years they have lived in Canenjoy most.

Attention is called to the fact that customs regulations permit re- named Dr. Meyer's successor. turning United States residents to departments of government and of bring in duty-free merchandise with Brune Succeeds education. He is well-known to a a total value up to \$100, provided it

Those who have planned the tour specify that lightweight spring or Veterans Center fall clothing, including a light top-

not be needed on the tour. It is stated also that money should bock. be carried in the form of Traveler's Checks. It is necessary that trav- he was returned to Canyon as chief elers going into Mexico for several of the Veterans Administration proof of the date and place of birth made vacant by the transfer of

"Where Is the World's Food"; and College who wishes to know more "What Should Our Schools Teach?" about the trip can get full informa- pointment at the Guidance Center The public is invited to attend tion at the office of President J. A. is permanent.

> It is urgent that all veterans enrolled under Public Law 346 call by the Office of the Registrar not later than Wednesday, July 19.

Amarillo College



When the summer session is ended, Dr. A. M. Meyer, member of the State College. He becomes presi-

Dr. Meyer is one of the best known figures in West Texas education. He took his Bachelor's and Master's degree at Indiana State University and his Ph. D. at George Peabody Graduate College.

After experience as a history teacher and superintendent of as the demand lasts. schools in Indiana, he held a suppervisory position in secondary schools in Orlando, Fla., for five years before entering the college teaching field.

Before coming to West Texas State, Dr. Meyer had taught at Rollins College, Florida, in the Peabody Graduate School and the Cornell University at Ithaca, N. Y.

During a part of the time that the Army Air Force training detachment was located at Canyon,

Dr. Meyer has become well-known sanitary lodging and tips to waiters and been president of the Northwest fortunate, thinks President Hill, in where Dr. Francisco Villagran will America the nation's number one new housing units will not replace

ing the Graduate Club. It is prob-This tour has been arranged by able that no graduate school of its National Education Association and members working in their own Ordnance Plant which will be mov-

the development of a greater under- chose Dr. Meyer as its president for group of men. standing between people of the the coming year. He is an elder in The tour provides varied activihe and Mrs. Meyer hold member- Scholarship Winner Ozona is in the market for a band extemporaneous speaking. the Presbyterian Church in which

Mrs. Meyer has been sponsor of persons having special interests will Pi Omega sorority during most of

President J. A. Hill has not yet

Goins at the

William Brune resigned his posisuitable for Central Mexico and that tion with West Texas State, worka pair of comfortable walking shoes ing in the Veterans Administration, is essential. Formal clothing will and accepted a position with the Veterans Administration at Lub-

Following a week's training there days have birth certificates or other Guidance Center, taking the post

When Mr. Brune came to Canyon von. He is hopeful that his ap-

and principal of one of the Amarillo schools, visited the campus last

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College Gets **Housing Units**

A new housing project, which will accommodate 200 ex-servicemen was announced by President Hill last Wednesday. One hundred of the men, for whom accommodations have been secured, will be single and the other one hundred apartments will be arranged for married ex-servicemen.

The housing units have been secured from the Prisoner of War Camp at Hereford through the Federal Public Housing Authority at Fort Worth. President Hill states that much of the credit for success in getting these housing units should go to the Canyon Chamber of Commerce which has been working with him and Business Manager, Virgil Henson and the Housing Authority for some time.

Business Manager Henson made arrangements last week for the immediate removal of the buildings from their present site near Hereford to Canyon. The housing units will be placed on the campus wherever they will be most convenient

There will be twenty-five units, each containing four three-room apartments. These will be for the use of married ex-servicemen and their families.

In addition, there will be barracks style accommodations for 100 single men and all of them will be reserved for ex-servicemen so long

buildings are close enough to Can- visit the campus and to write their altered for student use and be ready | Committee. by the opening of the college this

He pointed out that these house vision to be used only until housing again possible. He added, however, rie during the remainder of the that the quarters being provided summer. will be comfortable and thoroughly

West Texas State College is very ciation. He speaks of himself as a college and come as a part of the "career teacher" and his activities the Federal Public Housing Authorthe trailer village nor the provisions On the campus, Dr. Meyer has for veterans at Conner and Terrill

units, work is progressing on the the division of travel service of the size has a larger proportion of its transportation of units at Cactus ed to Canyon and will furnish ac-The Canyon Rotary Club recently commodations for another large



teen holders of band scholarships to house.' W. T. next year is a graduate of At Brownfield, where T. E. Mc-Pampa High School. He began Collum is Superintendent, five grades with good housing facilities Felix Phillips, a graduate of W. T. first chair in each organization. A tics. former member of the Gene Lively | Wheeler, Texas is seeking teach-Orchestra, and later director of his ers of commerce and English. associated with the Pinky Powell man to teach and coach in high band instructor.

Teachers Sought Oliver Appointed To West Point Here Last Week

DEAN R. P. JARRETT

President J. A. Hill expressed Superintendents of Schools in great satisfaction over the new Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, housing project. He said, "These Kansas and other states continue to yon that they can be moved and needs to the Teacher Placement

With the hope that some information about vacancies may be of use to prospective teachers and supunits are strictly an emergency pro- erintendents, brief information concerning places which are open will of a more conventional type is be given in each issue of The Prai-

> Superintendent M. E. Cleavinger of Stratford is seeking a high school principal and a mathematics teacher one of whom must be able to coach. He also has openings in the grade school and in home economics.

Superintendent Lee Johnson of Phillips, a newcomer in this immediate region of West Texas State, tics, science, English and speech ber of Epsilon Beta Fraternity. and English and Spanish. Phillips provides unusually attractive living Oliver of Canyon, Oliver attended The development of a sound promen and women.

music teacher and an English teacher to work in the upper grades.

Superintendent C. S. Denham of director, an English teacher, a first grade teacher and a kindergarten freshman year here, he was elected

Superintendent Ray L. Stinnette of Hot Springs, New Mexico has an opening for a mathematics-science teacher in the junior high school.

speth Honor Society.

sidered for the position.

Paducah, where Alton Farr

Superintendent, has vacancies in

and eighth as well as an English

vacancy in high school and an ele-

Sweetwater, Oklahoma, where Mr.

Bill Barham is Superintendent, has

an opening for a home economics

teacher and for an intermediate

Elkhart, Kansas, where Raymond

Superintendent J. T. Morris of

Alpha Chi will hold its initia-

movie, shown east of Burton Gym.

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mentary school principalship.

E. R. Reeves, Superintendent of and a married couple will be con-Schools at Lefors, Texas, has openings for a physical education teacher, a band director, a teacher for grades third, fifth, sixth, seventh the fourth or fifth grade and a

Logan, New Mexico, where B. F. Claunch is Superintendent, is seeking an English-commercial teacher, a social science teacher and a home economics teacher, as well as a coach who will be paid \$2400.

Two teachers, one for high school grade teacher. mathematics and one for high school English are needed at Gilli- H. Harrison is Superintendent, is in land, Texas where F. B. Carter is need of a commerce teacher. A Superintendent. He writes, "It business administration major havwould be a nice set-up for a man ing 90 or more college hours can and his wife, as we can furnish qualify for the place. Richard McCune, one of seven- them a three-room unfurnished

the sixth grade and continued his first grade and others for high aries ranging from \$170 to \$180 per study through Pampa Junior and school English, high school social month. Senior High Schools, where he held science and high school mathema-

own swing band, Mr. McCune is Hart, Texas has an opening for a

Long Service Yesterday morning shortly before 9 o'clock the word came to the college community that Dr. R. P. Jarrett, Dean of the College since 1927, had died at his home.

Death Terminates

Dean Jarrett had been critically ill since early in June.

In 1920, Dr. Jarrett came to West Texas State College after teaching experience which began at a small school in Hood County in 1901 and was followed by work at Cisco High School, a principalship at Granbury High School followed by the superintendency, superintendency at Temple, Oklahoma, and membership on the faculty of the State Teachers College at Weatherford, Oklahoma. He came to this college as head of the Department of Education and in 1924 became Associate Dean. In 1927, he succeeded L. G. Allen as

Dean Jarrett's first study out of the State of Texas was at George Peabody College, Nashville, Tennessee, where he did his first work in 1902 and from which institution he received his Ph. D. degree in 1927. In the years between, he did work at the University of Texas and Texas A. & M. College.

Education studies which he carried on or with which he collaborated included, "Student Evaluation for Appointment Committees," "A Student Rating Schedule," and Status of Courses in Psychology in State Teachers Colleges."

Professional and honorary organizations to which the Dean belonged included Phi Delta Kappa (Peabody), Southern Psychological Association, Southwestern Social Science Conference, the National Education Association (life), and the Texas State Teachers Association (life).

Dean Jarrett did not limit his interests or his activities to the college campus. During his entire residence in Canyon, he was identified with the Canyon Chamber of Commerce and with the Presbyterian Church in which he was an Elder at the time of his death. For many years he taught an adult Sunday School class. He was also a Rotarian and had been president of that organization.

With the opening of World War II. Dr. Jarrett, who had served on the Randall County draft board Appointment to West Point Mili- during World War I, was chosen has attractive openings for experi- tary Academy was received June 7 chairman of the Randall County W. T. board, a position which he held at the fields of commerce, mathema- Civil engineering major and mem- the time of his death and to which he had given time and study for The son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. almost five years.

facilities for single teachers, both Canyon High School, where he was gram of teacher training, and along graduated in 1945 as salutatorian of with it, a service program that Superintendent H. A. Clift of Far- his class. While in high school he would enable the youth of Northwell was on the campus Tuesday was class president, secretary of the west Texas to have the best possible seeking a third grade teacher and a Student Council, member of Junior college opportunities characterized Who's Who, and was first place Dr. Jarrett's work as Dean. winner in the District and Regional In his relations with students and

Interscholastic League contest in faculty, his work was always marked by a keen understanding of people An outstanding student during his and an unusual sense of justice.

Dean Jarrett's immediate family to membership in the Mary E. Hudconsists of his wife, S. C., to whom he was married in 1907 in Hood County, Texas, a son, Dr. Robert Patton Jarrett, Jr., a daughter, Virgrade school. A house is furnished ginia Williams, a grand son, Bobby Williams, and two granddaughters, Jane and Ann Jarrett.

Young Conducts Du Pont Experiment

The Chemistry Department of W. T. has begun its sixteenth year as a paint testing station for the Du Pont Corporation, and for the first time a girl is in charge of experimentation and reporting. Miss Betty Young of Canyon, a chemistry major now in her junior year, was appointed to the position by Dr. Chester A. Pierle, head of the department, after her laboratory work, record keeping and general ability Claude reports a need for teachers had been carefully observed.

of first, third, fourth, and fifth This college is the site of one of four stations maintained by the Du playing trombone when he was in teachers are needed, two for the at reasonable prices and with sal- Pont Corporation for the purpose of applying and testing new paints, special consideration being given to the climatic conditions prevailing Lowell Barnes, graduate student in a given section. The other three doing his first work at West Texas laboratories are located in Delaware, State this summer, goes to the Florida, and Colorado.

Stinnett Public Schools this fall as The experiment here consists of a series of boards placed so as to be in constant contact with all kinds of weather. This "paint fence," tion meeting at Cousins Hall which is located on the College Wednesday, July 17, at 7:45 p. m. Farm, is frequently mistaken for laundry when seen from town.

All members in school, whether graduates or undergraduates, are As another phase of the testing urged to attend. A social meeting project, Dr. Pierle often directs the will follow the formal initiation. painting of as many as four houses each year. The dwellings are ob-Tonight is the night! For what? served in much the same way as the For baseball games between dorfence. Since 1930 fifty residences mitory teams, exhibition diving, in or near Canyon have been rehorseshoe pitching, an out door painted under this arrangement.

> Louise Holeyfield of the class of 1945 is now Mrs. C. W. Manison of Portales, New Mexico. She will continue to teach at Portales next year.

Summer Varities Is Scheduled to Be Held July 31 Summer Varieties spelled backward The show will begin at 8:00 with contestants who are to be sponsored dance will be held somewhere on review are being planned by Kate is Remmus Seitirav! Spelled any the baby contest. Children of vet- by dormitories, organizations, and the campus. The exact location is McCulloch, Elizabeth Schulze, and way it means the color and novelty erans who are connected with the business firms in Canyon. Entry is to be announced later. Mattie Haupt.

at Buffalo Stadium, July 31. summer to include a bathing beauty mum age limit. review, a baby contest, and an out-

of the college show to be presented college, whether they live at Hill not restricted to college girls but is Summer Varieties is being ar-Courts or in town, are eligible for open to residents of the town as ranged by a three man committee musical, dramatic, or acrobatic tal-The regular variety show, spon- entry and for one of three prizes to well. sored annually by band director, be awarded to the "most beautiful" A

Following this feature, three top football field.

composed of W. Holmes Smith, As- ent. Further information may be A sparkling half hour of music, sociate Professor of Industrial Arts; obtained from Mr. Truax at the Glenn Truax, is being extended this youngster. Two years is the maxi- dancing, drama, and acrobatics will Glenn Truax, band director, and band house. conclude the performance at the Eldon K. Shipp, a veteran student who lives at Hill Courts.

bathing beauties will be chosen from Following the show a "Starlight" Details for the bathing beauty No activity tickets will be necessary.

There is still room on the show for

A general admission of ten cents wlil be charged at the stadium gate.

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WHAT IS FASCISM?

Business Manager

The years following the first World War seemed to hold promise to large group of liberals that there would develop some adequate world state in which cooperation by agreement would replace conflict. This picture of the future held that small nations were to be safe from the aggression of larger nations. Self-determinations of people was held to be a desirable goal. Minorities were to be protected from the majority. Labor was to be protected from exploration by employers. Coercion was to diminish and civilization was to advance with peace and consent rather a story, "Gigi," in the July Harper's oirs) that several of these writers than force. These highly idealistic hopes were badly shocked when the Bazaar," telling the story of the so- had family trees half as high as her fascists acquired control of Italy in 1922. Mussolini soon designated the twentieth century as a century of fascism. One decade later Hitler century. Most of her lessons on note round the sugar tongs when was building a fascist state "to last a thousand years." This doctrine etiquette come from her great aunt Miss Christina Rossetti came to of fascism was the greatest swing to the Right the world has ever seen and bitterly contradicted the principles of both democratic and socialistic ing Gigi to eat lobster a l' Ameri-

The most significant concept of fascism is the totalitarian state. In democracies sovereignity is distributed among the citizens; the fascist and asparagus. Bad table manners Influence of this upon That; the state is total, it is the sole sovereign. The Italian fascists held that the average individual's capacity for judgment is insufficient to determine happy families." public policy; that most citizens are fit only to be led. The duty of the individual is to elevate himself to the heights of the national consciousness the world from her grandmother it listened to all these lectures must New Orleans last week for re- paper? To anyone who reads The and to lose completely his own identity in it. He has individual rights when the two of them are discussing be growing very dry; next (here she only in so far as they do not conflict with the needs of the sovereign state. the suicide of a prominent young attended a reception given by a duty in China. He was sent back to a voice of the students, Hitler critizized democracy no less emphatically, advocating that the political leadership be free from the control by the majorities. Fascists Gigicriticized elected parliaments as inefficient, and demanded action, not talk. These attitudes toward democratic forms were derived largely from the short experience which Italy and Germany had with democracy she dead?" under trying post-war conditions.

Concurrent with the major premise of the totalitarian state is found pert." extreme nationalism. Strength alone constituted the right to possess whatever land or territory the fascist state wanted. Wars resulting from this search for new land and resources were looked on with favor. Mussolini even went so far as to say: "War alone keeps all human energies to their maximum tension and sets the seal of nobility on those peoples who have the courage to face it." To secure these ends, the spirit of self-denial and service to the state was preached in appeals that were highly emo- vivial, Dr. Moreze and Dr. Pelledoux, on a dark, back street, guess at it. tional and were supported by constant parading and endless speechmaking and propagandizing. Beyond these positive social appeals for solidarity was the list of "whipping boys" which impelled people to conform because they opposed something. Thus the population of Germany was organized against the Versailles Treaty, Russian communism, and the Jews. The economic system was revised so that the corporate state had complete control over the economic system and means of production. The whole fascist doctrine may be summed up in Mussolini's oft-quoted dictum: "Everything in the state, nothing against the state, I nothing outside the state."—Ben Brotheron.



WARREN'S



woman.

"What did she use, Grandmother?

Mme. Alverez looked pityingly at of six lines, we must omit." ner granddaughter.

"Really! She took laudnum, as antee the desperate woman's sur- somebody asks you what time it is who are constantly at her bedside, -Kin Hubbard.

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have made a hopeful diagnosis of her conditioin. . . . ' If you want you conceited all morning, and my diagnosis, it's that if Mme. cross all afternoon.-John Stuart d'Exelmans goes on like this she'll Hill. ruin her stomach."

purple or blue so in the mixture of poetry of words is quite as beautiful thought wrote purplue which may as that of sentences.—Oliver Wenbe an excellent name for a color dell Holmes. \$1.00 made up of these two. .

-John Keats.

In her novel "Orlando," Virginia Woolf has her central character Was struck with astonishment. sum up Victorian literature thus-"And now it is clear that there "Ha," he said,

are only two ways of coming to a conclusion upon Victorian literature In a long time." -one is to write it out in sixty volumes octavo, the other is to squeeze Was a singular knife. it into six lines of the length of this one. Of the two courses, economy, "Doubtless there are other roads. since time runs short, leads us to choose the second; and so we proceed. Orlando then came to the Neuroses are red, conclusion (opening half a dozen books) that it was very odd that there was not a single dedication to a nobleman among them; next The French novelist Colette has turning over a vast pile of memcial education of a fifteen-year-old own; next, that it would be impolitic girl during the early part of the in the extreme to wrap a ten-pound Alicia, a grand lady of many social tea; next (here were half a dozen caine, Aunt Alica says, "The three all these dinners must be growing stepping stones of an education are very corpulent; next (she was inlobster a l'Americaine, coddled eggs, vited to a score of lectures on the . . have broken up any number of Classical revival; the Romantic survival, and other titles of the same Gigi learns more of the ways of engaging kind) that literature since The grandmother tells peeress) that literature since it San Francisco. He was ordered to "Call your mother, Gigi! Liane | growing very respectable; next (here d'Exelmans has committed suicide!" she visited Carlyle's sound-proof returned to America, or that he will nied the privilege of free expres-"Ohhh! . . . "cried the girl. "Is room at Chelsea) that genius since it needed all this coddling must be growing very delicate; and so at "I should say not! She's an exlast she reached her faithful conclusion, which was of the highest importance but which, as we have High School, according to analready much overpassed our limit

"It doesn't cost anything to be usual. 'Although they do not guar- courteous," is an old saying, but if

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When I feel inclined to read poe-"I did not know whether to say try, I take down my dictionary. The

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The wayfarer, Perceiving the pathway to truth, It was thickly grown with weeds.

"I see that none has passed here Later he saw that each weed

"Well," he mumbled at last, -Stephen Crane.

Psychoses are blue; If your child is normal, Shame on you.

STORK SPECIAL

A baby girl was born on June 15 to Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hemphill of Odessa. Mrs. Hemphill will be remembered as the former Ernestine Cundiff. Both Mr. and Mrs. Hemphill were students in West Texas State, where Mr. Hemphill was editor of the Prairie.

SPECIAL MATINEE EVERY- Dear Editor: DAY: Monday through Friday, 3 p. m. Saturday and Sunday, 1:30 p. m. Olympic Theatre.

LT. WOOTEN REASSIGNED

Lt. W. J. Wooten, Jr., of the Medical Corps of the Navy, reported to dents have a voice in their own assignment after returning from Prairie it should be obvious it is not not clear whether the unit is being our college progress if we are de- month. be sent back to China.

James M. Shuttlesworth, industrial arts major of the class of 1946, will be on the staff of the Phillips nouncement of Superintendent Lee

The Prairie is our student publication. Through their activity tickets, the students pay for it students edit it, and students read it; therefore why don't the stu-

because it might offend government to this summer.

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Herd Rumblings



A college progresses through the sion?

officials? It seems to me that the purpose of a newspaper is to publish news whether some persons approve of that news or not.

Why can't we have a newspaper like Texas University-a real newspaper. The Prairie is of no value as long as it remains a puppet on strings in the hands of those who restrict its publication. What should determine the editorial policy of the paper? The Students? Should people have to be reminded of the fact that the Atlantic Charter sets forth "Freedom of Expression" as one of the four basic freedoms?

Sarah Thompson To Direct Life Camp

Miss Sarah Thompson has been named director of the Western Life Camp in Las Vegas, N. M. The Camp will take only twenty girls wore all those fur tippets must be report to his former unit. It was efforts of its students. How can this year, and will last only a

Miss Thompson is a graduate of West Texas State having majored This is a state supported institu- in primary education. Her training tion, but does that necessarily mean in nature study and in camp activithat we must bow and scrape to ties was received under Miss Anna every supposed state dignitary? I. Hibbets, Mrs. Laura Saunders, That we must refrain from using and Miss Ruth Cross. She has had any material of current interest just extensive camp experience previous

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Baseball seems to be the highlight Texas Unemployment Compensaball fans, at West Texas State.

o'clock? It couldn't be that you different positions for which qualknow them. . . . In fact if you ified workers are urgently needed notice there are usually reminders in these state agencies. The posion every Mulletin board for some tions fro which examinations will

game in which top basketball, foot- er I, Stenographer II, Junior Sten-

baseball players are very well known salaries for these positions range throughout the nation as top-notch from \$1380 for Junior Stenographer athletes in football and basketball. to \$2046 for Field Worker. Meritor-

Price Brookfield, several times ious service in these positions may all-American basketball star looks be rewarded by increase in salary pretty good "bunting" the ball out and promotions in rank; past the last fielders.

ball and football ability; Buford Employment Service, Texas Unem Emler, stellar football end; Ledru ployment Compensation Commis Jacobs, basketball star; Mack Win- sion or State Department of Public the owners of the Buffalo Drug, is Service Office. pitcher for the team.

have trounced teams from Vega, Tulia and the Amarillo Times semi- Hears Concert

Stafford Hall playing the diamond was the prominent entertainment against Terrill Hall. In a practice feature at the Graduate Club meetgame last Thursday afternoon the ing held June 9. Stafford Hall Buffoneers edged out up six-all at the end of the regular five-inning game. Then with Calvin Applewhite, the terrorizing pitcher from Stafford Hall, the boys managed to swing in another score. Paul Robertson is coach for Staf-

over the fact that Terrill Hall and Mrs. Margaret Josserand, Amaboasted a left-handed pitcher by rillo. The meeting place is to be the name of Grayson. Well, they announced later. had something to moan about because Grayson has a pretty neat mittee requests that all graduate little curve that would scare anybody (almost). However, he was not to contribute any news concerning successful in scaring that player from room 11 at Stafford named alumni, relative to their teaching Pat Falls. Pat made some pretty nice hits and runs for Stafford to bring them another win.

arrived here Sunday night to spend leave a gloss finish photo, size 21/2 a two-weeks vacation with her par- by 41/2, and \$1.00 for annual space ents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Heath. in the office of Dr. A. M. Meyer Miss Heath is employed in the Registrar's Office of Baylor University at Waco.

Phoenix, Arizona are visiting her versity of Houston where he is also

Charles Stratton, chemist at Philhis parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. m. Saturday and Sunday, 1:30 p. m

Examination for Ten Methodists Will Positions Scheduled By Merit Council

attraction, at least to a few base- tion Commission, the United States Employment Service and the State two or three days before game time. be given are Claims Examiner III, You really don't realize what you Claims Examiner IV, Field Worker, are missing when you neglect a Child Welfare Worker, Stenographball and baseball stars participate. | ographer, Apprentice Clerk, Clerk-Some of these West Texas State Typist and Clerk IV. The entrance

Persons interested in these ex-Other players include: Metz La- aminations may obtain application Follette also known for his basket- blanks at their local United States ter, football backfield man; Hoss Welfare offices, or by writing to Bledsoe, two year quarterback for the Merit System Director, 808 Tri-the Buffaloes; Doyle "Monk" Ford, bune Building, Austin 21, Texas. football kicker and passer; and All applications must be filed in Boyce Box, one of the famous Box the Merit System office or posttwins who hails from Ft. Worth and marked before midnight of July 30, is quite well known in the basket- 1946. Additional information may ball world. Wayne Funstan, one of be secured at the Bureau of Public

The West Texas State Buffaloes Graduate Club Meets

An open-air concert consisting of Dropping down to the intramural both classical and popular selecleague at West Texas State, we find tions, played by the College Band

Business activities during the a seven to six win over the Terrill meeting included the appointing of Hall Terrors. The boys were tied committees for the next meeting, which will be held July 23. The following committees were named: Refreshments, rMs. Laverne Phelps, Lubbock; Mr. Cecil Briggs, Canyon; Miss Grace Eastep, Amarillo; and Mr. Frank Jones, Hereford. Entertainment, Mr. James Boswell, Mobeetie; Mr. Wallace Dillard, Bor-Many of the boys were moaning ger; Mr. Floyd Dunsworth, Miami;

The Graduate News-Letter comstudents assist by making an effort former graduate students and

locations and positions. Mr. Melvin James president of the club, stated that all graduate students completing work for the Miss Dorothy Heath from Waco Master's degree in August are to

Roland Crouch, mathematics graduate of West Texas State is Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jennings from now teaching part time at the Uni-

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The Merit Council, serving the

of the Methodist Church has bought the lot where the O. T. Carruth But where are all those so-called students of the college when those announcing August 17 at the date and will build a student center in and will build a student center in ball games are scheduled for 5:30 for competitive examinations for ten the near future. A Bible Chair will be established in West Texas State along with the erection of the build-

> The conference has allotted \$26,000 for this work, which includes a full time Methodist worker.

Methodists are establishing such work in all of the state colleges of Texas, according to Rev. Hubert

The location selected is south of the Health Center of the College, and across the street from the mu-

Rev. Thomson states that he has not been advised as to when construction will start on the new building, or when a worker will be assigned to this charge.

Walker Discusses **Food Situation** At Rotary Luncheon

Miss Darthula Walker, head of Rotary Club luncheon Tuesday on age youth. the food situation confronting the world. The club is studying all during the year.

as head of the club since he is movng soon to the presidency of Amarillo College. Dr. Robert P. Jarrett vas elected to succeed him.

Miss Walker stated that according to the best estimates there were , 170,000,000 people in the world today. There are about 52 pounds of food for each person. If this America must reduce their conreceive about three times their pre- letin boards. sent consumption.

Drouth prevailed throughout the world in 1945. The grain crop was badly cut in every nation of the globe. For this reason the commitments on wheat to Europe are short. In order to reach these commitments, we must reduce our consumption by 25%. Failure to meet these commitments is having a very bad effect upon our relations abroad

Before the war big packers of Chicago used to get about 65% of all meat animals which were received on that market. Because of the black market operations they have been getting only 11%.

Drouth conditions prevail in sugar producing nations, which has also

Pictures Will Be Shown Interest to Parents

This week the film division of the college is offering a special program of moving pictures of interest to teachers of children of all ages and. to parents and to young people of high school and college age.

isten to the dialogue and watch the discussion by the audience.

"Dinner Party," another picture

audiences, both youth and adult, on the lot. discuss how young people and their parents should feel and act toward one another in the everyday business of living together.

"You and Your Child," a film dealing with the relation of parents and young children, will be the fourth picture, and "Junior Prom," a companion picture to "Dinner the Department of Geography of Party" deals with dating and pro-West Texas State, talked at the per social conduct by high school

High school boys and girls of Canyon, church workers and Sunday phases of international problems school teachers, public school teachers, and college students are invited J. D. Barker was in charge of the to see these pictures. They were brought to the campus for the use President A. M. Meyer resigned of education classes which are being taught by Miss Novella Goodman.

Because these are pictures so valuable to young people and persons working with young people it has been decided to show them at 4 o'clock for the benefit of town people who could not come at another hour. They will be shown at 7:30 p. m. as a part of the regular division is reached, the people of Thursday film program and visitors will be welcomed at the classes in sumption two-thirds; Europe by which they are shown. The hours one-half. The people of Asia would for these will be posted on the bul-

> They will be shown in Room One of the Education Building.

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Early Completion of Museum Advised

At the call of the new president, Hamlin Overstreet of Farwell, the executive committee of the Panhandle Plains Historical Society met in the Panhandle Plains Museum here on July 10, at 2:30.

The purpose of the meeting was to consult with contractors C. S. Lambie and Frank Litle of Ama-The pictures are "You And Your rillo concerning the advisability of Friends," which shows a tenage beginning work on the Museum now. party. The audience is asked to From both the economical and listen to the dielogue and watch the practical points of view the conpractical points of view, the conaction in order to evaluate different tractors advised beginning work types of behavior. Friendly co-immediately rather than having to operation is contrasted in the pic-spend two or three thousand dollars ture with self-centered bad man- for repairs on the north wall of the ners. This film lends itself to main unit and the roof of the basement unit.

By letter to each member of the two and one-half reels in length and Board of Directors, the Executive in color, shows good type of eti- Committee will recommend that quette and suggests how good man- construction begins at once. If a ners contribute to the fun of social majority of the Directors approves, the work will begin within a few A third picture, "You and Your days. All the necessary materials Family," has been made to help for completion of the project are

A tentative contract was given Mr. Lambie subject to the action of the Board of Directors. "Providing we can begin work within a few days, the building should be finished by Christmas," stated Mr.

Those present at the meeting vere Hamlin Overstreet; David M. Warren, Panhandle; H. C. Pipkin, S. B. Whittenburg, M. O. Carder, S. B. Whittenburg, M. O. Carder, and M. W. Hamilton, Amarillo; O. H. Finch, Dalhart; Newton Harrell, Claude, Harold Bugbee, Clarendon; C. R. Burrow, Clyde Warendon; C. R. Burrow, Clyde Warwick, and L. F. Sheffy, Canyon.

Miss Una Brooks of the Elizabeth Nixson Junior High School staff in Amarillo spent two days of last week working in the library at W. T. Miss Brooks has been graduated twice by this college, her Master's degree having been taken with a major in history which is the subject she

Miss May Simmons, critic teacher in the College Demonstration School, spent the fourth of July in Floydada where she attended the wedding of her niece.

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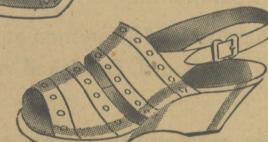


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Kappa Tau Phi Holds Reunion In Amarillo

Kappa Tau Phi Sorority of West Texas State College was hostess to its members and former members at a reunion in Amarillo last week-

The group from various parts of Texas and adjoining states met at the Herring Hotel Saturday evening at 6 o'clock.

Breakfast was served to the members and former members in the parlor of their suite on Sunday

The group attended the First Christian Church, followed by lunch in Le Gourmet.

Those present were Betty Kelley, Earth; Joyce Conaway, Paducah; Jean Boyd, White Deer; Sybol Oliver, Clayton, N. M.; Juanita Meredith, Floydada; Janice Leggitt, Wellington; Joan Pinnell, Tucumcari, N. M.; Ruby Sweny, Stratford; Alene Eastman, Stratford; Alice Wiley, Clayton, N. M.; Lou Britt, Estelline; Eunice Martin, San Angelo; Nell Gillespie, Spearman; Betty Cox, Canyon; Jonnie Dunn, Petrolia; Anna Margaret Ferguson Dallas; Mrs. Laura Noble, Amarillo; Mrs. Lee Russell, Canyon; Billie Bee Flesher, Canyon; Winnifred Carroll, Panhandle; Marjorie Gilbert, Claude; Mildred Gill, Dallas; Ruth Gill, Dallas; Claire Ferguson, Tucumcari; Mary Carter, Littlefield; Carrie Jo Heare, Miami; Polly Holmes, Perryton; Nan Markham Tulia, and Nell Green. Miss Green is sponsor of Kappa Tau Phi.

Cornelia Fillingim Becomes Bride Of Bob Leahman

In a double ring ceremony at Briscoe, Texas, Miss Cornelia Fillingim became the bride of Bob Leahman. Officiating at the ceremony, held in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Fillingim, was Reverend O. C. Evans.

The bride wore a white marquisette gown, with a fingertip veil and carried, with her nosegay of blue and pink sweetpeas, a white Bible.

The couple was attended by Mrs. Jack Riley and the bride's brother, Horace Fillingim. Music during the ceremony consisted of "Always" and "Together," sung by Lola Meek and Voncille George.

Mrs. Leahman has attended West Texas State for the past two years as a primary education student.

Mr. Leahman, whose home is in Chishome, Minnesota, was formerly stationed with the Air Corps at Amarillo Field.

Leahman plans to enter college.



SEAMAN AND MRS. BOB MAYNARD

Bob Maynard, C 3-c, a former W. T. journalism student and sports editor of The Prairie, and his bride, the former Julie Rita Guerci of Brooklyn, N. Y., arrived at his home in Tulia last week.

They were married recently in the Holy Cross Church Rectory in Brooklyn, and spent their honeymoon at the Hotel St. George in the

Seaman Maynard, who has been in the Navy Air Corps for the past three years, received his discharge on June 25. He plans to resume his studies here in September.

Harvest Dance Sponsored By Sigs

Decorations designed to depict a the rustic impression. rural scene provided a setting for the Harvest Dance sponsored by the the Red Room. Alpha Sigma Xi fraternity in the ballroom at Cousins Hall Friday

On the stage in a small stall was Beulah. Nearby was the horse, 'Smokey," now of both literary and cinema fame. Bales of hay, blocks day from Homer, La., where he junior, is majoring in physical edof salt, wagon wheels, and buckets spent the week-end with his wife, ucation. He belongs to the Buffalo The couple will make their home on the stage and scattered through- who is a member of the group of T-Club. in Chishome until fall, when Mr. out the ballroom carried out the students engaged in summer's work theme. Window decorations con- of the Methodist Church.

sisted of draped levis and plaid shirts; while the chandeliers sported straw hats. Ducks floating about in a large metal water tank set in the middle of the dance floor added to Punch was drawn from a keg in

Miss Louella Grace Erdman, pro- dress with brown and white accesfessor of English in West Texas sories. State, and her mother are spending

Miss McCaslin Is Honored at Tea Wednesday

Honoring Miss Beth McCaslin, July 16 bride-elect of Mr. James A. Burran, Jr. of Clovis, N. M., Mrs. T. B. McCarter, Mrs. J. A. Hill, Mrs. Milton Morris, and Mrs. Lee Foster were hostesses to a tea-shower.

In the home of Mrs. McCarter,

the shower was from four to six Wednesday afternoon. The hostesses presented Miss McCaslin with a beautiful corsage.

Guests were received by Mrs. Mc-Carter. In the receiving line were Miss McCaslin, Mrs. Nancy McCaslin, mother of the bride-to-be, and Mrs. J. A. Burran from Clovis, N. M., mother of the groom-to-be.

Blue and gold, the bride's chosen colors, were carried out in all the decorations for the afternoon. As centerpiece on the lace-covered table, a blue crystal bowl of blue daisies on a mirror was placed between blue candelabra bearing tall blue candles. A miniature bride and groom was also on the table.

For the first hour, Mrs. A. M. Meyer was at the head of the table of service. Mrs. Lois Gilliland, from Hereford and sister of Miss McCaslin, served the second hour. Mrs. J. D. Barker assisted in the dining room.

Ribbon sandwiches of blue and gold, individual iced cakes also in the chosen colors, blue mints, salted nuts, and fruit punch were served to the guests during the afternoon Miss Ava Jo Moreman played

piano selections during the after-Many beautiful gifts were presented to Miss McCaslin, and about fifty friends called during the after-

Out-of-town guests for the shower besides Mrs. Burran and Mrs. Gilliand were: Mrs. T. E. Jordan and Mrs. Robert Merrill from Clovis, N. M., and Mrs. Agnes Smith from

Brown-Decker Vows Solemnized

Miss Betty M. Brown of Canyon became the bride of Morris Decker of Richmond, Ind., Friday, July 5, in Clovis, N. M. The Justice of the Peace officiated.

The bride wore an aqua afternoon

Both the bride and groom are students at West Texas State. Mrs. the summer months visiting friends an electric "Elsie," the cow, and and relatives in Blackburn, Missouri, Decker, a sophomore specializing in primary education, is a member of Carlton Thomson returned Mon- Pi Omega sorority. Mr. Decker, a

The couple is at home at 2006 Fourth Avenue.



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ried Sunday, June 30, in the First as State. Methodist Church in Canyon. Rev. Hubert Thomson officiated in the

in Borger High School.

er high school. He recently re-

Wood-Vernon Vows Are Read

The groom is a graduate of Bor-

after serving three years in the Pacific theater of operations. The couple will be at home at

The bride wore a blue crepe and of 1929, is a candidate for County ace dress trimmed in rose. Her hat Commissioner, Precinct No. 4 of was a blue feather halo type. She Potter County. Mr. Metcalf has Wyatt Hester, former student of carried a white Bible topped with been in the cattle business for a W. T., and now in the printing bus-The bride was graduated from W. T., were well known on the Hester and his sister, Miss Grace

Mrs. W. L. Lockhart recently joined her husband, Capt. Lockhart, Elizabeth Wood of Pampa and Borger until September when they in Topeka, Kansas after a visit in James Vernon of Borger were mar- will enroll as students in West Tex- the parental T. V. Slack home and a visit in the home of her husband's parents in Big Spring. Capt. Lock-James M. Metcalf, an education hart has been based at Nashville inistration major of the class and Memphis, Tenn. for the past two and one-half years.

number of years. Both he and Mrs. | iness in Lubbock, visited with his Metcalf, who is also a graduate of cousin, Silas Hart Thursday. Mr. been employed as a speech teacher campus. Mrs. Metcalf was at one Bates, were returning from a vacatime an assistant in the office of tion trip to Oklahoma.

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