

PHILLIPS UNIVERSITY HAYMAKERS TO INVADE BUFFALO RANGE ON NEXT FRIDAY FOR NIGHT GAME

MUMBLES

BY THE MUMBLER

The following paragraph is dedicated to the Mildred Joneses:

"WISTO" stands for "West Texas State Teachers College" which is a Collich for boys and girls. The same come from all over Texas, parts of New Mexico and a lot from Podunk. Many of these know how to read and write before coming to Collich. It is very interesting to notice the effects of a higher education upon them. Within two years most of the brighter ones learn that "Buff" stands for "Buffaloes," which is the affectionate name given the football team. But a few leave after four years still wondering why the Administration building has three entrances and would laugh heartily if told they were to go in and out of. But all learn that Alma Mater is a very grand person, yes, indeed! Uncork the old musket! Nine volleys for Alma Mater—and the little Joneses girls!

It has been suggested that this column launch a crusade to bring faculty members out to Pep Meetings, and football games. And, why not? Nothing adds so much to the confidence of the student body as knowing they have the support of their instructors. Boosts the morale. Runs the esprit-de-corps up to a hundred and five which is pretty high for nocturnal blood pressure. The faculty's interest in student enterprise should be no less than that of the students themselves. The fortunes of all revolve around enthusiastic reciprocation in college activities!

At last we have an official yell leader and assistants! It's a shame all the nominees couldn't have been elected. At the trials in the Ed Bldg. each one of them did exceedingly well and the outcome certainly wasn't decided upon individual performances, but upon individual tastes.

The Mumbler's candidate didn't get elected and he's pretty well torn up about it too, on account of he's known somebody who's known her for years and years. And we both think she's a fine little girl and would have made a good pep leader and that she's pretty like pep leaders ought to be. Besides that this person the Mumbler knows trained for the job when she was a little child. He taught her to clap her hands and say "Patta-cake-baker-man," in perfect rhythm and at the time he thought about what a swell yell leader she would make some day for dear old W. T. But that's all right. Bibs Jameson is pretty and a remarkable girl, too, and she'll be almost as good. Sometime W. T. will need our little "Patta-cake" girl again, and when the time comes you certainly will see the Mumbler rummaging thru back alleys looking for a soap box!

Mary Berryman, it is said, went to Dallas for the State Fair and it is also said that she saw nothing and nobody except a young cadet from A. & M. Excrutatin', most excrutatin' what a uniform will do to a gal!

Win, lose, or draw the Buffaloes played one of the best games ever played in Buffalo Stadium last Friday night! And it was lost! Lost in the fourth quarter! A lead of six points swept away under an avalanche of devastating passes! The most heart-breaking finish we've ever seen, for victory, seen lurking in the offing, turned tail with magic consequences to the almost fulfilled hopes of ten or twenty thousand rabid spectators. Victory, like love, has her fickle nights.

A pass from the port side has magic! It simply cannot go astray. (You prospective fathers remember that when teaching Junior the fundamentals of the game.) And when the ball came to nestle in the arms of Snodgrass, Goat back, the magic was transferred to his feet and this Pegasus of the gridiron flew across the goal line. Fast? Say, when that boy got the ball none of his piggies stayed at home. All ten of 'em went to market.

At straight football, the Buffs had the lumbering power of Sir Charles charging his keepers, only brick walls couldn't stop 'em, and on the defense they held like a mountain of mortar. Jack Spense made yards where inches grew and the Hill Billies looked like nanfy goats on vacation. He and Brotherton joined hands in the debacle, slashed their way to glory only to see it disappear via an aerial at-

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McCLENDON, POWELL SLIGHTLY INJURED IN HILL BILLY GAME LAST FRIDAY.

The West Texas Buffaloes are withdrawing from the T. I. A. A. conference race for a week and turning all their interest to Enid, Oklahoma, the home of the Phillips University Haymakers, who will invade the Buffalo range Friday night, October 23.

This game will be the most attractive football encounter that will be played in Canyon this season. When posters were placed over the Panhandle at the beginning of the football season, many people expressed their intention of seeing this battle.

Coach "Sad" Sam Burton isn't taking the Phillips squad with any ease. "That team is a member of the Big Four Oklahoma Conference and has always been runners up for the title," says the Buff mentor. Using the short time left before the encounter, Coach Burton will put the Buffaloes through some of the toughest workouts and scrimmages of the season. The Herd must be ready to break up the plays that Phillips uses to advantage, which are wide runs and short aerial attacks.

Haymakers Powerful.
The Phillips squad spent last week-end playing the Oklahoma City University only to take the short end of a 28-14 score, but the big Buff Coach assures the Herd that such a defeat wasn't any slam on the Haymakers, because the Oklahoma City University has one of the best teams in that State.

The Buffs came from the Daniel Baker game with only a few injuries. The most serious of these was suffered by Bill McClendon, center. Bill's mighty place-kick foot suffered an injury but he is expected to be all right by Friday. Captain Powell's leg was injured, but he too, will probably be ready by Friday. Frank McInnis completes the list of disabled with injuries suffered when he fell off the sideline bench during an exciting moment of the Hill Billy game.

Four Young Artists Spend Saturday in Museum Painting

Four young artists spent all day Saturday painting and sketching in the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society Museum. They were Marie Jenkins, Georgia Beth Lodner, Anna Mae Hardgrave and Nelson Johnson of the sixth grade of the San Jacinto School, Amarillo. They were accompanied by Mrs. C. C. Reid, a graduate of W. T. and their art teacher.

The girls were working on a frieze showing the development of the Panhandle; when finished the painting will be between twenty and thirty feet long; it will show the plains when covered by buffalo and inhabited by Indians, the coming of the hunters, the settlement, the open range, wheat farming, the discovery of oil, oil refineries, the Amarillo skyline and finally Amarillo's Municipal Auditorium, symbolizing arts and education of the present.

A careful copy of the model of the chuck wagon outfit of the J. A. Ranch was made and Professor Sheffy assisted the party in finding the kind of pictures they needed for their work.

Art Section of Convention to Be Held in College

Friday afternoon after Thanksgiving day the Art Department of W. T. will entertain the art section of the Texas State Teachers Association in the Home Economics dining room from 4:30 to 5:30 with an "at home" tea and exhibit.

The art department feels especially fortunate in securing the cooperation of the music and the home economics departments in making this reception both pleasant and worthwhile. Music by a string quartet is part of the entertainment planned for the afternoon. Art students will have opportunity of meeting and helping entertain some of the foremost artists and are educators of the state and nation. Guests shall also be conducted through the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum while here.

Mrs. Geraldine Green was an Amarillo visitor Saturday afternoon.

A. J. Morris of Dawn spent Saturday on the campus.

Kid Nations To Start College Riding Class

A new department in physical education will be tried out at the college this year if there are enough people interested in it to make it go, according to Mrs. Travis Shaw head of the department of physical education for women. If the plan succeeds it will enable Kid Nations to finance his way through college.

Nations wants to establish a riding school here. He has a string of paint horses, secured from Leonard Stroud's rodeo. He has had two years of training in horsemanship under Dr. George P. Grout of Panhandle. English saddles will be used.

Besides the recreation, pupils will be taught correct posture, care of horses, the different gaits, jumping and other things necessary to real horsemanship.

Nations proposes to charge \$9.00 per month for an hour on a half every other day or \$12.00 per month for an hour a day. Twenty people will have to enroll to ensure the success of the class.

The horses which Nations will bring to Canyon can be used by townspeople and faculty as well as students, and when not in use by persons taking the work regularly may be had for hire.

Dr. Harris M. Cook, dean of this plan, is much interested in this plan.

Prof. Sturtevant to Give Talk in Chapel, Nov. 24

Professor Sarah M. Sturtevant, Head of the Department of Advisory Work with Women and Girls, Teachers College, Columbia University, New York City, is to speak to the general assembly on Tuesday, November 24.

Professor Sturtevant has been engaged as the principal speaker for the dean of women's division of the state teachers association meeting at Amarillo, which made it possible for her to visit W. T.

Professor Sturtevant is president of the New York State Deans of Women Association and is prominent in various education organizations.

Last year she spent her sabbatical leave in the Orient, and she has been asked to speak on Oriental procedures in education. It was in Prof. Sturtevant's department that Mrs. Green, dean of women, received much of her training for her profession, and she recommends her former teacher as a delightful speaker, with a pleasing personality and a thorough scholarship.

Museum Possesses Cattalo Hide From Goodnight Ranch

A cattalo hide from the old Goodnight ranch is one of the prize possessions of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society. The hair on the skin is coal black, shiny, and coarse. The skin would make a wonderful robe or rug.

The cattalo is a cross between the buffalo and cattle. Colonel Charles Goodnight was the pioneer in making experiments with these animals and one of the few breeders who succeeded in producing the cross.

The cattalo whose hide now rests in the museum was a five year old steer, born of a half breed cattalo cow and a three-quarter bull. When this animal was born, Colonel Goodnight jokingly named him "Jim Ferguson" by which name he was always known.

The museum also owns two buffalo hides so visitors may compare the texture of them with the cattalo hide.

PALO DURO OUTING CLUB HOLDS FROLIC

The Palo Duro Outing Club held its first frolic Tuesday with about 80 going on the trip to Palo Duro Park.

Custodian Ray Davis had arranged for a large fire, and while most of the party hiked down the canyon, the remainder prepared coffee. Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Condron and Mrs. Geraldine Green accompanied the group.

At a brief business session it was decided to have the dues a quarter a year and to make trips once each week until the cold weather begins. The club has equipped itself with a large boiler and cups to be used by the crowd. Each member takes his own lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Forrest and daughter of Texico were week-end visitors in Canyon.

EIGHTEEN FROM COLLEGE TALK AT STATE MEET

DR. HILL TO DISCUSS GRADUATE WORK IN COLLEGE.

Heads of Many Departments of School Named as Speakers Before Teachers Meeting

Eighteen members of the faculty of W. T. will appear on the program of the State Teachers Association when it meets in Amarillo November 26, 27, 28.

Dr. J. A. Hill will discuss the "Function of the Graduate School in the Teachers Colleges of Texas." Dean R. P. Jarrett will speak before the P. T. A. section with "Possibilities Involved in the P. T. A. Program for the Development of the Schools," and he will lead a discussion in the Tests and Measures Group.

Others who will speak are Miss Darthula Walker, head of the geography department; Miss Mary E. Hudspeth, head of the Modern Language department; Professor T. M. Clark, of the Modern language department; Dr. C. A. Pierle, of the Chemistry department; Miss Edna Graham of the mathematics department; Prof. Wallace Clark of the Music department; Miss Anna I. Hibbets of the Education department; Miss Mary Morgan Brown and C. W. Batchelder of the Public Speaking department; W. E. Lockhart of the Commerce department; Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Coffee of the music department; Miss Novella Goodman of the Education department; Miss M. Moss Richardson of the English department; Mrs. Wallace O'Keefe of the physical education department.

Canyon teachers, both of college and public schools, expect to attend the convention 100 per cent.

Coffee Conducts Violin Extension Class in Hereford

Herschel Coffee, head of the violin department of the college, is conducting a music extension course each Monday, and Thursday in Hereford in conjunction with Ralph Smith, band director at that place. Plans are being perfected for the opening of such a course in Tulla, but nothing definite is known at present.

Rev. Hudson Speaks in Chapel Tuesday

Rev. L. R. Hudson was speaker at the College Assembly Tuesday morning. Mr. Hudson named his talk "The Siamese Twins of Character Building." The idea which he developed was that character building in education has always been the joint task of the church and the school and that a separation of the two is bad for both.

In closing the speaker made a local application of his idea by suggesting that all students enroll in the Sunday Schools of Canyon, thus giving themselves a maximum opportunity for character growth while in college.

Brian is Elected Head Yell Leader; Two Aides Named

Kay Brian was elected head yell leader with Bibbs Jameson, and Roy Whittenburg, assistants, by the student body Tuesday, October 13, at the chapel hour.

Elmer Wooten presided, and submitted the names of Bibbs Jameson, Kay Brian, Glenna Collins, Rogers, and James Compton, as nominees of the Student Council for the approval of the assembly. The student body at large nominated Willie Frank Jones, and Roy Whittenburg, both freshmen.

Saturday Education Class Starts Soon

On October 24, the first Saturday class of the year will begin its work at W. T. This class is conducted to help teachers in service or students whose regular programs do not entirely meet their needs. Seven people have already made their arrangements with Dean Jarrett to take the course. They include teachers from Canyon, Dawn, and Happy. It is probable that others will come in the day the class begins work.

The course given will be Education 303 and the class will meet at 1:30 in Room 108.

Students Marvel At Changes Made In Old Auditorium

A stranger entering the halls of W. T. on a certain sunny day last spring would certainly have been impressed by an unusual atmosphere of excitement blended with touches of amazement, disbelief, horror, amusement, and relief. Had he followed the path of least resistance, he would have been sure to arrive, sooner or later, at the door of the auditorium and at the scene of disaster.

The calamity which had thus effected the hum-drum routine of the institution was merely the ponderous decision of the curtain, which had graced the stage and offended the eyes of students, faculty members, and visitors alike for the past fifteen years, that it could no longer bear its burden of service to W. T. Apparently such a conclusion was true enough, for with the heaving of its sigh of farewell the bottom half descended to the platform in a majestic head.

Curtain Ruined
Students gazing upon the ruin were first affected by a sense of impending doom as if the college would not be able to carry on without the aid of its faithful drapery. Of course they could not see far enough into the future to realize that perhaps the greatest service it had ever rendered was in falling down. Just such a decisive action was needed to awake the

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Darnall Is New Faculty Adviser To Prairie Staff

Dr. F. M. Darnall, new head of the English department, has been selected by President Hill to be the faculty adviser of the Prairie for the coming year. His appointment was made in view of the fact that newspaper work is very closely associated with his work as head of the English department.

Before coming to W. T., Dr. Darnall was head of the English department at the Texas Woman's College at Fort Worth. Previous to that he had taught in a Missouri college.

Dr. Darnall did the work for his B. A. degree in the University of Tennessee, where he was the classmate of H. W. Morelock, who was at one time head of the English department here. He received his Doctor's Degree at Leipzig, Germany.

Philology is an interesting subject to Dr. Darnall, and he has written several articles for philological magazines. The latest one appeared in the July number of the Journal of English and Germanic Philology on "The Religion of Jonathan Swift."

Plainview Girl Attends School On 4-H Prize

Yreva Mae McClain, a freshman student from Plainview is able to attend college this year because she won a three hundred dollar scholarship last spring in the statewide 4-H club contest. The \$300 was given by the Dallas Fair Association and has been deposited with the College for Miss McClain's use.

To win it, Miss McClain won over all other entries from all parts of the state. A jar of cucumber pickles, of preserves and of sweet pickles, together with a linen dress and a perfect specimen of darning were the things on which she won.

Miss McClain makes her own clothes and occasionally sews for others. She is staying at Cousins Hall. When she won the prize she was in her fourth year of 4-H club work. Of the three girls who won scholarships last spring, two were from Hale county.

CONDRON'S WATCH MISSING

Professor S. H. Condron's watch was removed from his coat pocket last Wednesday some time between 1:30 and 2:30 p. m. Mr. Condron left his coat hanging on his chair while he went to class. When he returned, his watch was gone. His watch is an Elgin in a hunting case, and he values it very highly. He will appreciate any information leading to its return.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Terrill of Clayton, New Mexico, were in Canyon this week end. Their son, Ben Jr., was operated on for appendicitis at an Amarillo hospital Monday morning. Mr. Terrill is an ex-student who has been located at Clayton for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foster were among those who attended the Pampa-Amarillo football game Saturday.

SNODGRASS LEADS HILL BILLIES IN FOURTH QUARTER ATTACK TO DEFEAT BUFFALOES 40-19

Jarrett Teaches Large Extension Class in Amarillo

The largest class which the West Texas State Teachers College has ever had in Amarillo is being conducted this year by Dean R. P. Jarrett. The course is numbered 461 and is called "Problems of Elementary Education." This is a new course which was planned by Dr. Jarrett especially to meet the needs of teachers in the first six grades of the Amarillo schools. The work, which is now being taken by forty teachers will continue throughout the year. The class meets on Monday night at seven thirty and is open to all persons who wish to take it as auditors without credit and all students who wish to take it for college credit, provided they have the prerequisite which is 18 hours in education. It is possible to take this course for graduate credit, by doing extra work.

Dr. F. M. Darnall is teaching a large English class which meets on each Monday afternoon. English 301 was the choice of the class.

Miss Darthula Walker is teaching an advanced course in Geography. This year is the first time that an advanced course in this subject has been asked for by students in Amarillo.

Faculty members who have conducted extension classes in Amarillo in the past include Dr. Barnett, Professor Condron, Miss Engle, and Professor Sheffy. It is likely that more classes will be organized later this year.

Fern Babcock, Y. W. National Secretary, to Be Here Nov. 26

Members of the local Y. W. C. A. will have as their guest next Monday and Tuesday, October 26 and 27, Miss Fern Babcock, national student secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association. Miss Babcock serves as adviser to college groups in five of the southwestern states, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Texas, Arkansas and Missouri, and visits practically all of the schools in this region at least once each year. This is the third visit which she has made to the Canyon campus, having come here first in 1929.

Next Monday night Miss Babcock will be guest of honor at Cousins Hall at the annual recognition service for Y. W. C. A. members. She will speak Tuesday morning, October 27, at eleven o'clock at a special chapel assembly for all college girls, which is being arranged now by Mrs. Geraldine Green, dean of Women. On Tuesday evening the Y. W. C. A. cabinet will meet with her for a discussion of organization technique. This meeting will be held at the home of Miss Mary E. Hudspeth. While here next week Miss Babcock will spend several hours each day in the office of the Dean of Women and will be available for individual or small group conferences.

Amarillo Exes For Hill in T. S. T. A. President Election

W. T. ex-students teaching in the Amarillo schools held an enthusiastic session on Saturday morning, October 10, at 11:00 in the auditorium of the Amarillo High School for the purpose of formulating plans to secure the election of Dr. J. A. Hill as president of the Texas State Teachers' Association.

Irby Carruth, Willard Vinyard, and L. N. George, spoke to the 125 teachers present, and each person present pledged his support to carry Amarillo for Dr. Hill. Twenty-three joined the Ex-students Association.

MR. AND MRS. WARWICK ENTERTAIN WITH DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde W. Warwick entertained a group of friends with a dinner party at Cousins Hall, Sunday, October 18.

Guests for the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. John Humphreys, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hill of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Martin of Plainview, Senator and Mrs. Clint C. Small of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dysart of Plainview.

A. J. Morris and family were in from Dawn Saturday. Miss Mary Alice Griffiths and Miss Hazel Crouch were also in from Dawn.

AERIAL ATTACK CLICKS FOR VISITORS; SPENCE IS BUFF STAR.

Going into the second half, with the score 19 to 6 against them, the Daniel Baker Billie Goats got right in the last period to score a flock of touchdowns on passes, and running plays to win their first T. I. A. A. game here Friday night, 40 to 19, from the West Texas Buffaloes.

It was an offensive battle that was packed with thrills. A more peculiar game has never been played in Canyon. The Buffs completely played them off their feet in the first half, and tide turned exactly around in the second.

The turning point came in the third quarter when Harris, Baker left end, blocked a punt on the Buffaloes' one-yard line and stepped across the goal. From then on it was all Daniel Baker and the sudden turn of events made the contest thrilling to the end.

Snodgrass Gets Right
Snodgrass, 195 pounder, was the sensation of the night with all-around work in the backfield for the Goats. Spence and Brotherton were star players for the Buffs. Spence gained more ground than any other man on the field.

Summary of Buffalo-Hill Billy game:
Buffaloes: 74 plays gained 305 yards, including 23 yards from passes, lost 11. Passed 10 times, 3 complete, 5 incomplete, 2 intercepted. Punted 6 for average 25 yards, one blocked. Fumbled one time to lose ball. Penalties, 6 for 45 yards. First downs, 17. Score, William 6, Brotherton 12, Manning 1.

Daniel Baker: On 53 plays made 330 yards including 135 yards from passes, lost 12. Passed 13 times, 6 complete, 4 intercepted, 1 incomplete. Punted 3 times, average 38 yards. Fumbled 2 times, lost one, recovered one. Penalties, 3 for 25 yards. First downs 10. Score, Snodgrass 18, Smith 16 (including 4 kicks for extra point.) Tarris 6.

Hill and Savage See Pampa-Amarillo Game Saturday

Among the missing Saturday afternoon were Dr. J. A. Hill and F. E. Savage. They had locked their desks and followed the crowd to Pampa to witness the annual football battle between the Pampa High School Harvesters and the Amarillo Golden Sandies.

Spectators returned with glowing accounts of the prowess of the two teams, declaring it to be one of the best games and by far the best high school game they had ever witnessed. Over 12,000 fans, the largest crowd ever to witness a football game in the Panhandle, saw the Pampa team turn back the invaders with a 13-6 score. The results of the game were watched by college students much more closely than usual for a high school game because of the drubbing the W. T. Freshmen suffered at the hands of the powerful Pampans October 9. The score of that encounter was 33-7, but the Frosh had the honor of being the first to cross the Pampa goal line this season. This most recent victory of the Harvesters goes far toward justifying the defeat of the Freshmen.

It is reported that Dr. Hill was uncertain for whom he should root. Coach Odus Mitchell, Harvest mentor, is an ex-student of W. T., and Dr. Hill's son, Davis Hill, is assistant coach of the Sandstorm.

It is rumored that several other members of the faculty sneaked off toward Pampa Saturday afternoon, but their names are not available. Dozens of students made the trip.

Mrs. R. William Brown, nee Vida Savage, and daughter Billie V., are visiting Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Savage.

Bill Redfeam went to Pampa Saturday afternoon to see the Pampa-Amarillo football game.

NOTICE TO ALL THE OLD WRITERS!

All members of the last year's Writer's Club be sure to be at the Little House of Fellowship next Wednesday night at 7:30. The meeting is called for the purpose of organization and also to select the new members from the ranks of the Scribblers' and eligible upperclassmen. Writers bring your written contributions, too.

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ABOLISH CHAPEL?

It is a well-known fact that most students abhor chapel. For this they should not be censured too severely, for it is not entirely their fault. It is only too true that much could be done to make these exercises more interesting than they are, but there is a factor that has much more bearing on the student attitude than lack of understanding programs. It is the fact that students are compelled to attend.

If we are not mistaken, this is a teachers' college. Every student is required to take courses in the psychology of teaching, courses which are supposed to present the newest ideas in the teaching science, and every student may be assumed to be fairly well versed in this field. One of the watchwords of education teachers is to not compel a student to do anything if you want him to get anything out of it. Anything he is forced to do, a student is almost certain to harbor a dislike for. Of course, we are not authorities on the subject, but it looks as if a teachers' college should be willing to practice its teachings on its own students. Perhaps such psychology is applicable only to children in the elementary grades. Perhaps college students are exceptions to the rule, or cannot be trusted to attend voluntarily. We should like to be informed.

Be that as it may, the fact remains that most students regard chapel attendance as an unwelcome duty that must be performed on pain of being "called on the carpet." After announcements are over they do everything but listen to the speaker, if such there be. Some study, some talk to their neighbors, some write notes, and some indulge in a welcome nap. As a result of these tendencies very few students get much out of chapel. Worthwhile programs are wasted on them, and little short of an earthquake or the announcement that "You're adjourned," can stir them from their lethargy. Not so long ago we heard a local preacher give one of the best sermons we have heard in recent years to a small but voluntarily-assembled group of students. The way in which he marshalled his arguments bespoke long preparation, and when asked he admitted having spent a good deal of time on this sermon. In congratulating him we expressed the regret that he had not saved it for the regular chapel exercises when more students would have heard him. His reply opened our eyes. He said that he had much rather speak to a small group that had assembled voluntarily than to a large group that had been compelled to attend for the simple reason that he believed the former group would profit more in proportion than the latter.

Some people advocate that chapel attendance be made voluntarily. Some advocate that it be abolished altogether. These latter argue that it is obnoxious to the student, a waste of time as far as the student is concerned, and incompatible with present-day educational methods. Perhaps they are right. Perhaps in a majority of colleges chapel should be abolished, but not in W. T. We have a condition here that is unhappy if not unusual. We lack unity, and chapel is the most potent unifying force we have. The chapel hour is the one time when the student body meets as a unit, and therein lies its greatest value. Comparatively few students have enough school spirit to attend pep rallies, and not all of them attend even varsity athletic contests. With this state of affairs existing, try to picture the result of abolishing chapel. The school would degenerate into a system of cliques, into which it would be extremely hard for students of force entrance. Large universities have this same trouble, but from a different cause. Their student body is too large for them to get a good sense of unity, and fraternities and sororities are the result. These organizations dominate all activities, particularly the social ones, in these schools, and the student who is not fortunate enough to belong to one is left "on the outside looking in." To such a state would a smaller school degenerate were its unifying forces destroyed, and chapel is one of those unifying forces.

We owe not a little of what school spirit we have to the fact that we meet twice a week as a body. If chapel were abolished our school spirit would rapidly approach zero as a limit. Moral (if any): Don't cut chapel!

THE AUDITORIUM

We marvel at the changes that have been wrought in the Main Auditorium. It just goes to show what remodeling experts can do if given a chance. Turn them loose in a barn and before long you will have a palace. At least, that is what has happened to our auditorium.

This new-born beauty may not be so apparent to new students or outsiders, but they have not known the shame of bringing visitors to the auditorium as it once was. We will just have to ask them to imagine the embarrassment of having to apologize to someone you would like to impress for the torn curtain, poor acoustics, dingy walls, and dingier windows that until recently were the most salient features of the old place of assembly. We doubt not but that many a prospective student took one look at the auditorium and went elsewhere to school. The assembly place of a school corresponds to the parlor of a home; there it is that all visitors are received, and it should by all means be spotless and pleasing to the eye. Few indeed are the visitors, prospective students, and ex-students who visit the Campus who do not find their way to the auditorium, and not a few of them time their visits so as to be present at general assembly.

Most of the major defects have been corrected, and we have no criticism to offer. Not being qualified to judge, we would keep it to ourselves if we did, but we heard an art student assert that the color scheme was not entirely consistent. This person said that to carry out the color scheme of green, buff, tan, orange and gold the curtain should have been dark green in color. Perhaps the one selected was chosen to represent our school colors, but the curtain is not a maroon but a sort of wine color.

But as we said before, we are not qualified to pass judgment, and it is really unkind of us to mention any possible faults, if such they may be called. The improvements made exceed our wildest dreams. We sincerely hope that these improvements will prove impressive enough to certain types of students who make a practice of loafing in the auditorium to induce them to refrain from making a pastime of defacing the walls and seats. Many of the seats under the balcony resemble wood-piles more closely than they do seats. We should take advantage of the opportunity to say something more about moronic mentalities, but we won't.

THE BUFFALOES PUT OUT THE BEST
So Does The
BUFFALO BARBER SHOP

The Tumbleweed

Freshman Edition

Class Editor: Glen Gillespie.
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Home Economics Club Meets

The Home Economics Club held its first meeting at the home of Edith Pierce, Thursday evening. All the girls of the first and second-year classes were present. During a delightful social hour refreshments of punch and cake were served. Later the club officers were elected. Edith Pierce was chosen president; Esther Lou Bandy, vice-president; Margaret Seay, secretary and treasurer; Louise Cleland, Prairie reporter, and Alta Vaughn, Le Mirage representative. The next meeting of the club, on November 5, will be held at the home of Neva Robbins.

Theater Party

Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Kunze entertained the High School girls' class of the Presbyterian Sunday School with a movie party at the Olympic Theater, October 12. Those who attended were: Fredda Charles Bills, Rosa Cash, Katherine Robinson, Margaret Croson, Mildred and Lorene Bessiere, Ellen Lois Cleavenger, Lois McCaslin, Gladys McBride, Ruth Cox, Opal and Alma Smith, Thelma Glover, Esther Lou and Mary Neal Bandy, Mrs. Bills, and Rev. and Mrs. Kunze.

Chorus is Organized

Every Tuesday and Thursday, at 12:45, a group of high school girls meet in the music room on the second floor, for chorus training, under Miss Ada Clark. Among those who attended are Agnes Smith, Louise Cleland, Ruth Baker, Mary Neal Bandy, Neva Robbins, Sarah Sorrells, Florence Root, Thirza Bourland, Margaret Pierce, Margaret Seay, Marion Hill, Lucy Jo Loudder, Margaret Meyer, Gertrude Rusk, Frances Alice Clark, Nancy Graham, Fern Love, Edith Pierce, Esther Lou Bandy, Opal Smith, Bennie Glass, and Alma Smith.

Four states and sixteen towns are represented among the students who are attending W. T. High for the first time this year. The states represented are Louisiana, Oklahoma, New Mexico, and Texas; the towns represented are Eppa, Louisiana; Tyrone, Oklahoma; Sedan, New Mexico; Logan, Oklahoma; Wellington, Wheeler, Goodland, Clarendon, Waka, Aberdeen, Conway, Camp Springs, Muleshoe, McCamey, Amarillo, and Canyon.

The high school student who is farthest away from home is Irma Lee Paige, who lives at Eppa, Louisiana.

Practice Teachers and Observers at Work

Nine practice teachers and thirty-eight observers are at work in the Demonstration School this quarter. We welcome them and wish them success; and as students in their various classes, we wish to co-operate with them in every way possible.

Freshman English Projects

The freshmen of W. T. High School have decided to improve their use of grammar by what they call the "Tacky Board" method. The "Tacky Board" a green board posted in the English room, has every student's name printed on it. A thumb tack is placed after a pupil's name for every grammatical error he makes. Agnes Smith has been elected chairman of the project. It is her duty to take note of each mistake made and list it in her notebook and see that each pupil sticks a tack after his name every time he makes an error. Once a week she gives a report on the errors made during the week. Each pupil is required to list and correct all his errors; and you can guess that soon the freshmen will not be so green—at least, in grammar. Another means being used by the freshmen to improve their oral English is the use of a punctuation chairman, whose duty it is to call attention to words mispronounced by the pupils—either in class or out. Each word is listed, marked diacritically, and filed, both by the chairman and the one who mispronounced it. The words most frequently mispronounced by the class, so far, are dependent, direct, mustache, and detour.

Personals

Miss Ritchie has been absent from school the past few days on account of illness.

Alma Smith was confined to her home Friday by an attack of chronic appendicitis.

Miss Helen White Moore gave a talk to the Canyon Rotary Club Tuesday. She discussed her recent travels in Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Mateer visited friends in Pampa Saturday evening.

Girls' Swimming Class Organized

Every Tuesday and Thursday morning, at eight o'clock, fourteen of the high school girls meet at the College swimming pool, where Mrs. Travis Shaw is teaching them how to swim. At present the class is working on the back stroke. Later the side stroke will be learned. Four girls in the class who can already swim are allowed to go into deep water. They are Ellen Lois Cleavenger, Ruth Baker, Agnes Smith, and Florence Root.

Assembly Program

The students and faculty enjoyed a novel and interesting program at assembly hour Saturday morning, when Mr. Dixon, of the Hollywood Talkie-Test Recording Company, gave a demonstration and lecture on broadcasting, movie talks, and the possibilities of television in the future. The lecture was interspersed by vocal and banjo solos. Preceding the program, Mr. Dixon had Mr. Savage and the class presidents to make their announcements through the microphone.

Los Tejanitos

Talk about "live wires"—the Spanish club—has them. The first meeting of Los Tejanitos was a combination of organization and initiation, in the form of a party at the home of Mrs. T. H. Mc-

Donald, Wednesday evening

The officers chosen for the fall term were: Margaret Meyer, president; Maxine Hammond, vice-president; Esther Lou Bandy, secretary-treasurer; J. C. Baker, Le Mirage representative; Oklahoma Tingley, Tumbleweed representative; and Eilene Thomas, program chairman.

After running the gauntlet of pin-sticking, "cat's eye" eating and blood drinking, the new members of the club were allowed to play casino with the old members. During the refreshment hour, Fred Roy Hendricks and J. C. Baker played some harmonica solos.

Juniors Plan Hallow'en Party

Members of the Junior Class met Saturday and discussed the possibility of a social meeting. It was decided to have a Hallow'en mask party and invite the Seniors. As yet the place of meeting is uncertain.

Seniors Elect

When the Seniors met Tuesday for the purpose of organizing their class, the following officers were elected: President, S. B. Whittenburg; vice-president, Marion Hill; secretary, Lendon Myers; treasurer, Nancy Graham; social chairman, Lucy Jo Loudder; annual representative, Quentin Ward; Prairie reporter, Charles Stratton; and sponsor, Miss Helen White Moore.

Boys' Swimming Class

What an exciting time there is every day at noon, when the high school boys dash for the College swimming pool! There is a flying of clothes and a stampede of feet, as the boys hurry to see which one can dive into the pool first. Contests are held every day to determine which boy can dive the greatest number of ways. Rocks are thrown into the pool to find out which boy can do the best surface diving. The class is made up of fifteen boys, directed by Coach Edmonson.

Inter Nos Meeting

Inter Nos, the Latin Club, held its first meeting Saturday, October 17. The officers who were elected for the fall term are as follows: Don Savage, president; Charles Stratton, vice president; Hazel Kirbie, secretary; Linnette Cain, treasurer; Ellen Lois Cleavenger, Tumbleweed representative; Allyne McIntosh, program chairman; Florence Root, annual representative; and Irene Halle, social chairman. The members of the club are pleased with the new officers, for they seem well fitted to their positions, and the club has a promising future under their leadership. The next meeting will be held November 7.

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Lv. CANYON	9:40 a. m.	1:10 p. m.	5:40 p. m.
Lv. HAPPY	10:10 a. m.	1:40 p. m.	6:10 p. m.
Lv. TULIA	10:45 a. m.	2:15 p. m.	6:45 p. m.
Lv. KRESS	11:10 a. m.	2:40 p. m.	7:10 p. m.
Lv. PLAINVIEW	11:35 a. m.	3:05 p. m.	7:35 p. m.
Lv. HALE CENTER	12:00 p. m.	3:30 p. m.	8:00 p. m.
Lv. ABERNATHY	12:30 p. m.	4:00 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
Lv. MONROE	12:40 p. m.	4:10 p. m.	8:40 p. m.
Ar. LUBBOCK	1:00 p. m.	4:30 p. m.	9:00 p. m.

NORTH BOUND

LUBBOCK TO AMARILLO DIVISION

Lv. LUBBOCK	7:30 a. m.	3:00 p. m.	9:00 p. m.
Lv. MONROE	7:50 a. m.	3:20 p. m.	9:20 p. m.
Lv. ABERNATHY	8:00 a. m.	3:30 p. m.	9:30 p. m.
Lv. HALE CENTER	8:30 a. m.	4:00 p. m.	10:00 p. m.
Lv. PLAINVIEW	8:55 a. m.	4:25 p. m.	10:25 p. m.
Lv. KRESS	9:20 a. m.	4:50 p. m.	10:50 p. m.
Lv. TULIA	9:45 a. m.	5:15 p. m.	11:15 p. m.
Lv. HAPPY	10:20 a. m.	5:50 p. m.	11:50 p. m.
Lv. CANYON	10:50 a. m.	6:20 p. m.	12:20 a. m.
Ar. AMARILLO	11:30 a. m.	7:30 p. m.	12:50 a. m.

Society and Clubs

Y. W. C. A. HAS WEEKLY INTEREST GROUPS

Experimenting for the first time with the interest-group plan, the Y. W. C. A. voted as a success the weekly assembly held last Wednesday. Two questions were introduced for discussion. These had been previously designated by the members as their choice for study. One group, choosing the question "What is poise and how does one acquire it?" met with Ruth Wiseman leading the discussion. A second group, whose thinking was directed by Miss M. Moss Richardson, took up the subject of prayer and discussed the circumstances which justify one's praying.

To-morrow afternoon the discussions will be resumed. Miss Richardson will continue as leader of the second group and will follow up last week's findings with the following questions: "What sort of things should we pray for?" and "What do we mean by praying ground?"

The question of clothes in their relation to poise and charm will absorb the interest of the other group. Miss Helen White Moore of the Demonstration School faculty will lead the discussion.

The day is Wednesday, and the hour of meeting is 4:30. Any college girl who is interested in either discussion is invited to attend, and she will be directed to the group which she prefers to join.

SESAMES COMPLETE PLANS FOR INITIATION SERVICE

Sesame Literary Society met Thursday evening, October 15. The following program was given: Piano solo "Il Trovatore," Laura Virginia Bills; "What Sesame Literary Society Means to Me," Miss Howell; reading, Ruby Dutton; dance, Oma Wilson, accompanied at the piano by Lois Baber.

A business meeting followed in which the organization of the society was completed and the appointment of committees for carrying on the work planned by the society was made. Glenna Collins was elected annual representative. Esther Reeve, Prairie reporter, and Polly Wilson, yell leader.

Final arrangements were made for the initiation of new members next Thursday evening.

RED MEN TO HAVE OPEN HOUSE

The Loyal Order of Red Men are opening their Imperial Teepee to the faculty and student body at large, on Thursday afternoon from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock. Everyone who is interested in the advancement and tribal customs of the Tribe are cordially invited.

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SCHOLARSHIP SOCIETY MEETS WITH SPONSOR

Lloyd Green, Allen Scholarship Society held its first meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the home of Miss Edna Graham. The old members of the organization met with the sponsors, Miss Mattie Swayne, and L. S. Baker, and the council member, Miss Graham. With T. J. Cox, president of the organization, presiding, plans for the year were discussed. It was decided that there would be only one program each quarter. The fees for this year will not include the price of the banquet ticket, as formerly, thus lowering the fee for members. A nominating committee was named by the president for the purpose of nominating officers, and for the selection of three honorary members for the society, one faculty member and two ex-students.

The initiation for all new members and for all people elected since January, 1931, will be held at Cousins Hall, October 24 at 8 o'clock. All old members living in town are invited to attend the initiation. There are now only seven old members of the society in school. They are: T. J. Cox, Jewel Abernathy, Margaret Sheers, Victor Dunlap, Margaret Strain, Fay Jones Lowry, and Audrey Cayton.

Y. W. C. A. CABINET MEETS AT HOME OF DOROTHY CASH

The first formal Y. W. C. A. cabinet meeting of the year was held at the home of the treasurer, Dorothy Cash, Tuesday evening. In addition to the cabinet members, several members of the faculty advisory committee were in attendance. Jean Day, president of the Association, was in charge of the meeting. General policies for the entire year were outlined, and plans for the fall quarter's work were discussed in detail.

At conclusion of the business hour, the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Cash, and Miss Rosa Cash, served dainty refreshments to Jean Day, Sally Mary Campbell, Grace Weigman, Ruby Thomas, Ruth Wiseman, Mrs. J. A. Hill, Miss Mary Moss Richardson, Miss Hudspeh, Miss Debo, and Miss Lowes.

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB MEETS

England's political situation was the central theme of discussion of the International Relations Club at its meeting last Tuesday night.

The discussion, which was led by Mr. Scott Laycock, took into its purview the new Coalition Government, the English monetary situation, and Mahatma Gandhi's mission. After an interesting discussion of these problems, Mrs. Geraldine Green became the central figure. Having visited Europe and being especially talented in conversing, she obtained and brought home first hand information of the conditions in Europe. After Mrs. Green had explained many things of current interest and answered a multitude of questions, Mrs. Page served those present with tea and sandwiches.

COUSINS LITERARY SOCIETY MEETS

Many men enjoyed an interesting and well-planned program at the Cousins Literary Society last Thursday night. Howard Cox gave two numbers on his guitar, after which Mr. Sheffy, who has been the society's sponsor since 1925, gave an interesting and worthwhile talk on the value of literary societies in college. Alvord Swafford gave a reading. Then came to the stage two gay musicians in the persons of Ashley Little and Walter Cummings. The former played the clarinet and the latter accompanied him on the guitar. After the program plans were made for the initiation this coming Thursday night.

DR. HILL GIVES TALK TO AMARILLO LIONS CLUB

Voicing optimism in connection with a discussion of the current depression, Dr. J. A. Hill addressed the Lions Club of Amarillo last Tuesday noon.

Not the least of Dr. Hill's reasons for his optimism was the rising ideals of the younger generation as typified by the heroic sacrifices being made by some of the students in W. T. in order to secure the blessings of an education. He expressed the belief that the end of the depression was almost within sight.

The program was in charge of J. J. Lane.

Bob Jarrett and Wayne Eubanks were in from Friona to attend the Buffalo-Hill Billie football game Friday night.

OSGOOD SPEAKS TO WOMAN'S BOOK CLUB

The Woman's Book Club held its second meeting yesterday with L. A. Osgood as lecturer. His subject was "A Day in Shakespeare's Town." Mr. and Mrs. Osgood spent the summer last year touring in England and on the continent. Besides the delightful lecture, Mr. Osgood showed pictures of the portion of England which Shakespeare knew so well.

At the business meeting Mrs. S. H. Condon, Mrs. C. W. Warwick, Mrs. Geraldine Green and Miss Pauline Brigham were voted in as members.

FRANCES USERY IS DINNER PARTY HOSTESS TUESDAY

Frances Usery was hostess to a group of her friends at 7 o'clock Tuesday evening, October 13 at her home. After the serving of dinner the group enjoyed a picture show. Those present were: Misses Genevra Griffin, Florence Throckmorton, Alice Arnold, Farris Sears, Margaret Sheers, and the hostess.

STUDENT COURTESIES

Last week a list of student standards and regulations were printed in the Prairie at the request of Mrs. Geraldine Green, Dean of Women in the College, who felt that this was the best medium for acquainting new students with the rules of the college. The following list of student courtesies is a continuation of the list published last week:

1. You are living in a private home and should accommodate yourself to the routine of the home. Students should be punctual to meals, classes, in retiring, etc.
2. Students should give boarding house keepers at least two weeks notice in changing boarding places.
3. When a student anticipates necessary absence from town, she should notify both the Dean of Women and her boarding house-keeper. This is very necessary as there are often long distance calls and telegrams for students. She should mention to her boarding house-keeper where she is going, when visiting out in town or on the campus.
4. When students invite guests for meals they should always notify the boarding house-keeper in advance and satisfactory arrangements should be made to pay for those extra meals.
5. Students are expected to conduct themselves orderly in boarding and rooming houses. Damage to property should be paid for.
6. Students should be considerate in the use of home utilities such as lights, gas, water and telephone.
7. When visiting friends in their rooms, remember that these girls may want to study. Make your visits infrequent and short.
8. Students should refrain from playing portables and turning on radios when other people wish to rest or study.
9. Neither a borrower nor a lender be; particularly when the girl from whom you are borrowing is away from home.
10. Students arising early on Sunday mornings should refrain from making disturbing noises.
11. Be courteous to your neighbors after retiring.
12. Treat your land-lady as you would desire a boarder to treat your mother.

Leola Hayes spent Saturday afternoon in Amarillo with her sister, Floye.

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Ex-Student Notes

BY L. N. GEORGE

Many of the ex-students are too timid to write up a report and send it in. Hence we are not able to get all the news from our exes that we would like to have. For lack of space we may not be able to publish your story in full but we want news and information about all of you. For instance we want to know who are W. T. exes in each county. We want to know more about the individual schools, such as the number of pupils, the number of teachers, the number of seniors in high school and details of improvements that that have been made.

The following excerpt brings out the points which we need for this column:

"I am sending you our enrollment fee for the Ex-student Association and Prairie. I feel like I want to be a vital link in such an active and progressive group of young college people. If at any time I can be of service to the association just let me know. My work at W. T. was a pleasure and I want to pass the good word on to others.

"Up to date we have enrolled 113 pupils. At the close of last week there were 98 still on the roll and in actual attendance. As you know there are only four teachers and seven grades of work at River Road School. Something like 35 pupils are attending Amarillo high school from this district this year. They are transported free in a large bus owned by the district. This bus also transports a large number of the grade children to school. There is an active P. T. A. here. Two meetings have already been held with good attendance. At present there are approximately 50 paid up members. Dr. C. A. Pierie was with us last Friday evening and gave an illustrated lecture on brown tooth stain. Our plans are to have an outside speaker on each program." This part of a letter by Carl G. Cliff of the River Road School. He further states that all his teachers are from W. T. and ready to vote and do all that they can to make Dr. Hill president of the T. S. T. A. This school's teaching force plans to visit our training school soon.

Roy Beever from Perryton, a W. T. ex was visiting the college Friday of last week.

Ray Daniels of Amarillo was visiting Canyon friends last week. He reports the arrival of a new boss in his home in the form of an eight pound girl. He says she is bound to make a vocalist.

The following ex-students were in from Clayton, N. M., Saturday: Beth Pitts, Charlie Mae Harding and Doc Haley. The following other W. T. ex-students are teaching in the Clayton schools: Grady Burson, Milton Ramsey, Ben Terrill, Amy Daniels, Berry Alvis, Wade Boatwright, Fay Cooper, Mrs. Brice Kenny, and Mrs. Raymond Huff.

Herbert Hill is superintendent at Center, New Mexico. Other W. T. exes that are teaching there are the following: Miss Jessie Louder, Foster Stevens, E. W. Lewis, Jr., Miss Woods, Mrs. Paulk, Miss Blanche Pyle, and Audrey Fedric. There are 220 pupils, eight teachers and six in the senior class. These exes plan to come to W. T. next summer and three of the high school seniors plan to come with them.

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Sally Blane

COMING SOON

"Merely Mary Ann"
starring
Janet Gaynor
Charles Farrell

Mumbles

(Continued from page one)

History forbodes the downfall of reigning dynasties. Another proud monarch has joined the Alfonsos, the Hohenzollerns, the Romanoffs. The rural Liberalities sat back, cackled in glee, as King Amarillo, football ruler of the Kingdom of Panhandle, wavered on his throne, tottered, and sprawled in the dust.

Did you notice all the exes back Friday night? Almost like home-coming. And didn't it carry your fancy back to former years and former happy days? "Skeet" Miles, one-time pep leader, was in the grandstand. Also she lent her experience to the squad of novices conducting W. T.'s cheering section. Ben Guill, another ex-cheer leader, was present. Pat Gerald, phantom mail carrier of the 1929 eleven, was to be seen. Doc Haley, end, 1930, came out of the New Mexico sage brush. "Heck" Ward, four year letterman, football and basketball hero, was here. And others, all of whom we were glad to see.

We've heard that Dean Jarrett proposes to try anyone, presenting an excuse for cutting chapel hereafter for insanity. There really can be very few excuses for the misdemeanor. The auditorium, overhauled as it is—under a new management, you might say—offers a study in beautiful interior decoration. An hour spent there may mean an hour of reflective relaxation. That is, of course, if the speakers don't bother you.

Roy Cheatham, W. T. Exe, who tinkers right well on a piano, and, incidentally, who helped Paderewski with his Minuet, and the Mumbler are busy composing the new college yelp. It won't exactly be a second Stein song, but . . . well, wait until next week. We'll print it then if it's finished which it ought to be. They've got the title written.

Auditorium

(Continued from page one) authorities to the realization that the auditorium was nothing more nor less than a disgrace to the institution and that it must be remedied.

No one within several blocks of the administration building could have failed to hear in the form of banging, tearing, scraping, and buzzing the said remedying that has been in progress since before the beginning of school. The eyes of practically the entire student body have been following the progress of transformation, and today the finished product stands forth in shining magnificence.

The glaring white walls, which had never been painted since the building was erected, have been tinted in a variegated pattern of cream and green that seems to satisfy the artistic sense of even the most critical of observers.

New Curtain

In place of the ancient, perforated curtain there is now a beautiful wine colored one with gold trimmings which has succeeded in producing numerous gasps of admiration even in its promising career.

Since the installation of the acoustone, a perforated mineral product, a very ordinary speaking

tone may be heard all over the auditorium. This improvement should invoke the blessings of all the unfortunates who were inveigled into speaking here in former years.

The women's division of the physical education department is rejoicing over the new hardwood floor on the platform, because, as the feeblest intellect can discern, it is most annoying and embarrassing to stomp one's toe on a loose board or fall into a hole in the floor in the midst of a delicate, fairy-like exhibition in dancing.

Footlights

Besides these things, a new foot-lighting system is being added and the aisles covered with cork linoleum, will no longer enforce the late-comer to chapel to wend his way to the front amid the resounding echoes of his footsteps.

It is hoped that within a short time the new auditorium will be entirely perfected by the addition of window draperies to match the curtain, and a set of stage furniture. The cost, however, being approximately fifty-seven hundred dollars, is as much as the college pocketbook could withstand at present.

It is as a result of the extremely satisfactory architectural designing of Mr. M. O. Carder of Amarillo that W. T. may once more hold up her head with pride when inviting visitors within her august portals.

CAMPUSTRY

The above title names a course given on Southwestern's campus that you will search in vain to find listed. Look all through the catalogue. It is not there. The deans can't give you the professor, the time, or the text.

Campus try, as a course, starts from the minute you set foot upon these grounds until you are launched into the great world, full of that complacency dear to college graduates and young puppies. This grand old subject is taught by every friend that you make in college. Its ideal is the understanding of the other fellow's problems. Its worth is to teach you how to live in a world that has many different kinds of people on its face.

Some of its sub-headings are diplomacy, courtesy, amiability, character, poise, self-reliance, and everything else that depends upon personal contact. If you lived on a desert isle, none of this would matter, but you don't. Try to exemplify the antitheses of the above list and see how far you will get in getting somewhere.

The path to the classroom, the mess hall the study table and to bed is one that will no doubt give you a deal of book learning but is likely to break down your health and sour your disposition. Steinmetz, the great electrical wizard, whose life story has just been published, longed and hungered after public acclaim and popularity. He was deformed physically, but developed his mental powers so that he might have the cries of the populace ringing in his ears.

We all care about what people think of us, and it is self-conceit to deny it. "Know your stuff" by all means, but do not neglect the human element. It enters into the "best laid plans of mice and men." And don't forget it!—The Vermillion of Southwestern Louisiana Institute.

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TYPE-HIGH

For the first time this year a program has been arranged for the regular Tuesday meeting of the Type-High Club. Dr. Darnall is the new faculty adviser to the Prairie staff, and he will speak at the meeting this afternoon at 4:30. All members and persons interested are requested to be in room 116 at that time.

Dr. C. A. Pierle will be guest speaker before the Parmer County Federation of Women's Clubs next Saturday. The meeting will be held at Bovina, where J. Irvin Warren, '30, is superintendent. Mr. H. L. Headlee is teaching the Wilco school, Conlen, Texas.

Professor Wallace R. Clark addressed the Congregational Church at Friona Sunday, his subject being "The Contribution of Music to the World." Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Coffee furnished special music for the occasion.

Eugene Elo saw the Pampa-Amarillo football game in Pampa Saturday.

Beth Blythe spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blythe, in Pampa.

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Howard Batchelder was in from Wildorado Saturday of last week.

Guinn Casey was in Pampa Saturday.

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