

THE PRAIRIE



Directs Chorus

of 40 Women

Tuesday, May 1, 1945

CANYON, TEXAS: Educational Center of the Plains.

Ramage and McDonald Elected To Head Student Senate

Dr. Meyer Will **Give Addresses**

Graduate Dean To Make Three Public Appearances

Dr. A. M. Meyer, dean of the graduate division, has a series of speaking engagements during the first week of May. Already he has made several addresses to various organizations throughout the Panhandle.

Saturday evening, at the Amarillo High School, Dr. Meyer was speaker at the Panhandle Administrators' Association, at the annual banquet meeting. The subject on this occasion was "Our Schools Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow."

May 2, Wednesday morning, he will present an address based on "Scholarship—a National Asset" to the Pampa High School Honor Society Meeting and Initiation. This series of public appearances will be lah Hammond and Janice Leggitt. completed when Dr. Meyer speaks at the Junior-Senior Banquet of the Canyon High School, Thursday evening, May 3. At that time his theme will be "The Rainbow Holds a Promise.'

Production Date of High School **Play Is Nearing**

"Growing Pains," a rollicking ton, will represent the class in Sen- year comedy, will be given on May 3, by ate Post No. 1; La Nell Ekelund the senior class of W. T. High in Senate Post No. 2 and Phyllis Ten Seniors Will School. The time is 8:15, and the Perkins in Senate Post No. 3. place is the Education Auditorium. The admission is 35c.

A glimps of the life of an aver- ter. age teen-age boy and girl and the anguish their parents suffer in the Student Constitution were navigating them through their first passed upon by a large majority, tragic love affairs is told in the and will be written into the constifresh and amusing play, "Growing tution in the near future. Pains." Terry McIntyre (Candy affair, quite innocently inviting the run-off election will be held May boys to be her dancing partners 10 in the assembly. The officers Now George (Bill Miller) finds him- until the fall semester. self in the throes of a lasting romance with t ehnew and enchanting neighbor, Prudence Darling (Betty McAlister). All the while the Pro-fessor (Bill Clark) and Mrs. McIntyre (Arless Oglesby) are forced to sit back and hope for the best.

can be bought from any member of the Senior class.

Are Passed by Students:

To Be Written In Soon In the student election Friday, participate in the annual Music

1946; Charles McDonald was elected vice-president; and Waldeen Dorris rangements will be presented. was elected secretary-treasurer.

Miss Ramage will be a junior next fall, coming to W. T. from Borger. She is a member of the College Trio | Hereford Jr. High, Clarendon High and a member of the Delta Zeta Amarillo High, Dumas High, Pam-Chi sorority. Charles McDonald is pa Jr. and Sr. High, Wellington from Canyon, will be classified as High, Plainview Jr. High and three a sophomore, and plans to play Amarillo Jr. High Schools. for the Buffalo football team. Miss will be a senior.

Senior Class officers elected will be Nan Markham, president; Aurene Jameson, vice - president; Mary Henslee, Senate Post No. 1; Alice Wiley, Senate Post No. 2; and Polly Holmes, Senate Post 3. A run-off election will be held for the office of secretary-treasurer between Beu-Run-off election will also be held for the president of the Junior Sada Ruth Hoskins. Mary Hodges will be vice-president; Fern Cunningham, secretary-treasurer; and

Tye and Evelyn Elliott. led by James Scott as president. Bop Copeland was elected vicepresident and Peggy Head secretary-treasurer. Bill Allen, of Perry- mesa, are invited to participate each

The Freshmen will hold election Receive Business for class officers in the fall semes-

All the amendments proposed for Miss Lucille Davis, president of

Miller) blithely skips into a love the Student Senate, stated that the much to the horror of her parents. elected will not assume their duties

English Majors The tickets are on sale now and be bought from any member of **Students Minoring in**

Competition in Festival Coming This Week-end

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Constitutional Amendments Music, dashing uniforms and col-orful programs will appear on the campus this week as talented junior and senior high school pupils from all over the Panhandle arrive to all over the Panhandle arrive to

Miss Winnie Fred Ramage was Competition Festival. Beginning elected president of the Student Friday morning and probably con-Senate for the school term of 1945- tinuing through Saturday noon, a series of choir, band and solo ar-

Bands from the following schools have accepted the invitation to attend the festival: Hereford High,

A cappella choirs from Tulia Dorris, a member of the Kappa Tau Phillips, Pampa, W. T. High, and Phi sorority, also from Canyon, three Amarillo Jr. High Schools include some of the best voices in Historical Association, with special this region.

array of unlimited talent and abil-

The judges who have been secured merit are Mr. Folsom D. Jackson, Ware, Major Ed Chenette, Mr. D. O. Wiley, Mr. Fred Rattan, Mr. Joe Class, between Wayne Thomas and Haddon, and Miss Pauline Brigham. The Music Competition Festival sponsored by the Texas Music Education Association, was originated Senate Posts Nos. 1, 2 and 3 will be in 1928 and has been held each filled by Audrey Lambdin, Dorothy year since then with the exception of the last three years. It was sus-

Next year's sophomores will be pended then because of war time traveling conditions. All schools in Region One which includes all the Panhandle as far south as La-

Degrees in May

On May 28th, fifty seniors will leave W. T. to take their positions in various professions. Ten of these same students have chosen Business Administration as their field of life to help keep the wheel of the world

running smoothly. Many of them may go into some type of government work or military service while others accept the age old job of

Among these ten, one is out of state, two are from Floydada, and topic of the program presented by two from Canyon, the others being the Student Rostrum at the regular from various towns over the Pan- assembly hour last Thursday, handle.

The B. A. majors are: Ruth Jack Douglas, Professor of Speech, Owens, Southwest City, Mo., Robert who introduced the speakers. Lu-Conner, Jr. and Mary Louise Med- cille Davis opened the discussion

Betty Joe Greer Wins Second

Subject of Essay Is "Dugouts" on the **Texas Plains**

College by winning second place in in California to the prestige of West Texas State an essay contest sponsored by the Texas Historical Association. Her subject was "Dugout Homes of Northwest Texas." Her cash prize was \$50.00.

The contest which Miss Greer entered is known as the L. W. Kemp Essay contest, getting its name from the man who established it. He is a past-president of the Texas interest in the early period of the Over a hundred instrumental and state's history. By profession he is vocal soloists will bring a sparkling an attorney in the employ of the Humble Oil Company.

Betty Greer is an English major, with strong minors in the fields of to rate the performars according to history and education. She is a graduate of Plainview High School Dr. Wallace R. Clark, Miss Mary and did two years of college work at Wayland. She has an unusually fine record at W. T.

Students Finish Miss Greer states that she began work on her essay about the first of High School Work the second semester and that it was completed by March 14. Most of her by U. S. Mail material was found in the archives of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society Museum. The essay is written in research style which means that it is carefully documented.

Winning papers in this contest become the property of the Texas Historical Association. It is not yet known whether "Dugout Homes of Northwest Texas" will appear in pupils. Mr. Cecil Briggs is the inprinted form.

Poll Is Taken

in Assembly

marie Hoare.

Membership in the Rostrum is

open to all college students who

wish to try out for places. Inter-

ested students are invited to con-

1. 38 per cent answered yes to

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everywhere by Parent-Teacher or-

ganizations this year, and their

speakers developed different phases

vocational traiinng and other sub-

a well-adjusted personality.

Tri-County P-T

They May Live.'

in the Education Building.

Program Coincides With

World Organization

and Post-War Plans

tics, and Dr. Lee Johnson is teaching all courses in Commerce. **Public Opinion** High school correspondence students are enrolled from Borger,

Higgins, Shamrock, Amarillo, Fort Stockton, Silverton, Hillsboro, Clovis and Canyon.

Tout Receives Bronze Star for Excellent Work

As a reward for his excellent work as landing signal officer on an air-

"World Organization" was the plane carrier, Lt. (jg) James E. Tout, of Follett, has been awarded 408 Students from the Bronze Star. Made from the period of July 27 to November 20, The Rostrum is sponsored by Mr. 19400, the award was in recognition of his excellent handling of take-

offs and landings of his carrier's planes. It praised particularly his

Women's Chorus Will Present Concert May 2 **Miss Brigham**

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Butler Accepts Betty Greer, a senior, has added Faculty Position

James H. Butler, who last year was acting head of the Speech department, has resigned to accept a position on the faculty of the California State College at San Jose, California

Mr. Butler has been on leave from West Texas State College since last June. Since that time he has been studying at the University of Southern California, where he is rapdly approaching his Ph. D. degree. He has distinguished himself in the university by his fine dramatic vork

Both Mr. and Mrs. Butler were popular members of the college community, when he was identified with West Texas State.

Miss Edna Graham Attends Meeting of Executives Miss Edna Graham of the Mathematics Department is spending this

week-end at Dallas attending a meeting of the state officers and committee chairmen of Delta Kappa Gamma. Miss Graham is chairman of the State Scholarship Committee and her outstanding work in this capacity has been recognized by the state organization which has

Miss Annie McDonald, twice a graduate of West Texas State, is state legislative chairman for Delta Kappa Gamma.

Both Miss Graham and Miss Mcmembers.

Cast Is Selected

Fluitt and Mickey Will Assist Group With Solo Numbers The Women's Chorus will present, Wednesday evening, May 2, its named one of the scholarships the Spring Concert with approximately Edna Graham Scholarship. forty women students participating in the program. In the main audi-

torium the concert will begin at 8:30 o'clock. Pauline Brigham, instructor of Mu-

Donald are past presidents of Pi Chapter, Amarillo, in which selected teachers of Randall County are

choral music Misses Erva Fluitt and Mary Helen Mickey will assist the group by singing and playing the piano, respectively.

Directing the Chorus is Miss

sic in the College. Her experience

is wide and varied in the field of

The following program will be presented: "How Beautiful Is Night" by Harris; "Doris" by Nevin; "Fly, Singing Bird" by Elgar; "The Star" by Rogers; "The Butterfly" by Jenkins; "In the Time of Roses" by Reichardt; "Song of the Persian Captive" by Daniels-all sung by the Chorus, with Miss Mary Del Johnson at the piano.

Miss Mickey will play three piano solos: "Capriccio, Op. 116, No. 3" by Brahms; "Arabesque" by Debussy; and "Waltz in E Minor" by Chopin.

Miss Fluitt, accompanied at the piano by Anita Davis, will sing 'Morning" by Speaks; "Spring Moods" by Yale-Smith.

Four Negro spirituals, as arranged by Noble Cain, will conclude the program: "So's I Can Write My Name," "O Susannah," "I'se Mighty Tired," and "Little David, Play On Your Harp."

As one of the most popular organizations on the campus, the Women's Chorus presents a climaxing program each spring. Everyone is cordially invited to attend this concert on Wednesday evening. The girls participating in the concert are: Mary Lee Abbott, Lois Marie Baker, Bettye Bell, Jean Boyd, Jerry Brady, Mildred Burgin, Shirley Byars, Nadine Coker, Jill

Are Exes of WT

George Brasuel

Reported by Pal

Safe in December

Sgt. Ben Williams, released Pris-

oner of War from Manila who was

last Sunday to visit his aunt, Mrs.

W. M. Miller. While here he visited

uel, Malcolm Bull and Harold Lowe

that Malcolm Bull had been moved

some time before George and Har-

old were moved. George and Har-

All three of the boys were in as

good condition as could be expected.

liams knew George by the things

that he told that George had done

and places that he had been in the

United States before entering the

Kenneth Walters

Cpl. Kenneth P. Walters, son of

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Walters, who

ferred to the War Department Per-

Clarence SoRelle, S 2-c, from

Norman, Okla., visited Sunday with

his mother, Mrs. Laura C. Sorelle.

NOTICE

Honor Society will have a joint pic-

nic next Monday, May 7. Ask mem-

bers of either society what time,

and where to meet. Details are not

known at the time of this writing.

Alpha Chi and Mary E. Hudspeth

sonnel Section last week.

cers are discharged.

Army.

Mrs. Brasuel knows that Sgt. Wil-

with Mrs. Hattie M. Brasuel.

Carson County

Cooper, Billy Corts, Pauline Cottner, The Panhandle Herald recently Betty Ruth Cox, Fern Cunningham, carried a story presenting facts Dorothy Daniel, Anita Davis, Luconveyed when Dr. J. A. Hill ad- cille Davis, Betty Dromgoole, Pat dressed a join meeting of the Lions Elmore, Dorothy Evans, Mary Eveand Rotary Clubs in Panhandle on lyn Foster, Maurine Frost, Veta April 20. Frazier. Ann Gillham, Frances Marie Hand, "Four hundred and eight students from Carson county have taken col- Dorothy Heath; Sue Perry Holt. lege courses at West Texas State Lucille Jackson, Mary Del Johnston, College," Dr. Hill informed those Dana Lollement, Ava Jo Moreman, present at the meeting. His address Mary Marguerite Morton, Frankie was made on a West Texas Fouda- Phillips, Janette Pollard, Louise Price, Betty Pugh, Winnie Fred tion program, which was arranged Ramage, Wynema Robbins, June by David M. Warren, editor of the Russell, Leta Shook, Gwen Spring-Panhandle Herald. er, Carlyn Wimberley.

For 3-Act Play The play cast for one of the most Under W. T.'s new plan of offerimportant productions of the year ng correspondence courses to high was selected from about 30 try-outs, school students and for people who and the cast is now at work seeking lack a few units of graduation, to perfect the drama. "Spring twelve students have enrolled. Dance" by Phillip Barry is the story Miss Helen White Moore, who is of college life at a girls' college in New England. The setting is a the instructor for all the courses in high schhool English has eight

small home near the campus where five young ladies live with their structor for all courses in Mathemahouse mother and a maid. The time

is a typical prewar May just before the annual May dance.

Mr. Jack Douglas, speech professor, plans to present the play on two nights, May 16 and 17. Students who are on the cast are Yvonne Waldrop, as Mildred; Carl

Michell, as Hatton; Wayne Thomas, as Lippincott; Mary Jo Watkins, as Mady Plaitt; Betty Mathews, as Frances Fenn; Ruby Weast as Kate McKim; Mary Henslee, as Alex Ben-

son; Bill Emery and Bob Conner as Walter Beckett; Phyllis Perkins, as Sally Prescott; and Bill Hover Allen, as Sam Thatcher

16 Take Civil Service Exams

service tests Saturday, April 21st, tions which are given to assist the James T. Hale thirteen passed.

who wished to secure jobs with the Veterans' Administration acting as these examinations on grammar, In Sunday Ad typists and stenographers.

The people going into this work will be given a month's training in tention of knowledge and to help the Veterans' Hospital in Amarillo. Completing this they will be sent government in the task of aiding the war casualties.

The civil service tests were given by Mr. Jarvis of the Fort Worth office.

West Texas State **Furnishes** Material for Army Radio Show

West Texas State College has been asked to furnish material to be used on a fifteen-minute broadcast over WU2VZ, the United States Army's main radio outlet east of Suez. The material which has been furnished will be prepared by Vern Beckwith for Renshaw University, a function of amATC Information-Education Office at Assam, India. The program saluting West Texas State will be given sometime within the next four months. The audience

Guides Available For Term Papers

will be practically all military.

For the help of our students the College Bookstore is carrying the following booklets:

The Term Paper (a manual and model) Price 25 cents.

The Form for the Term of Research Paper, 15 cents.

The first of these is recommended for the use of freshmen and sophomores; the second is the better for advanced students. Both of these have been placed in the bookstore at the request of the head of the English department.

Katheryn and Anna Margaret Ferguson made a rush trip to Dallas Doak were visitors on the campus last week when they received word Friday night and attended the Pi that their brother was home on Omega presentation dance. leave from the Navy. He expects to be sent overseas in the near future.

English May Take Tests According to Dr. B. F. Fronabar-

ger, head of the English Department, all students either majoring or minoring in English will be given Of the sixteen people given civil an opportunity to take examinastudent in keeping various phases These tests were offered to those of the English courses in memory. Is Featured Each spring the department gives American and English literature.

The purpose is to encourage regiving a chance for recall. The stutests. Grades made on the exams will in no way effect the student's class grade or graduation grade.

taking the examinations the schedule is published below:

Room 118, American Literature Test. lege Foundation. Friday, May 11, at 4:00 p. m. in

Room 118, Grammar Test.

Tennis Tourney To Begin May 2

Thirty-six swimmers were on hand Tuesday evening for the opening night of the plunge held in the indoor swimming pool. Diving and swimming, as well as the usual duckings and water fights, were enjoyed by all who attended.

The open plunge is under the direction of Mrs. Oma Ford and the physical education department for women. Each Thursday evening from 7:30 to 8:30 o'clock any college student who is among the first forty to sign on the bulletin board by the gymnasium door will be allowed to swim. There is no admission charge, and each swimmer must furnish his

own suit. The Physical Education Department also announces that the ten- May 1, Open House, at 8 o'clock. nis singles and doubles tournament will begin Wednesday, May 2. All May 2, Program to be presented by

who wish to participate in this tournament must see Mrs. Ford or Miss Cross not later than Tuesday, May 1. Mrs. Arvella Davis Haber, Misses Jewel Brandt, Marcine Kenney,

Mary Louise Medlen, Jean Claborn, Peggy Williamson, and Katheryn

7th War Loan Drive Is On!

Held, Panhandle; Mary Kate Hol- presented by Betty Brown. Wayne land, Childress; Vivian Holt, Kirk- Thomas concluded the formal

land; and Ardena Shields, Miami.

James T. Hale, an early graduate of West Texas State College, and towards permanent learning by now County Judge of Swisher county, was featured in the Yesterday to Washington, D. C. to help the dents are not required to make the Today and Tomorrow series in the Amarillo News-Globe for April 29. Besides being identified with almost all phases of community life To those students interested in in Tulia and Swisher County, Judge Hale has found time to be an energetic member of the board of direc-Friday, May 4, at 4:30 p. m. in tors of the West Texas State Col-

Sunday's success story was spon-Room 118, English Literature Test. sored by Ross D. Rogers, former Friday, May 18, at 4:30 p. m. in mayor of Amarillo, and present chairman of the Foundation's governing board. Mr. Rogers has shown his interest in the welfare of the college over a long period of years. Two of his sons, Edward T. Rogers and Joe Rogers have been students of the college.

Captain Robert J. Hibbetts of the United States Army Air Corps, who is a member of the staff of the department of business administration in peace time, visited the campus briefly during a furlough which he and Mrs. Hibbetts, the former Mar-

garet Cooper, spent at Tulia and Dr. Moore Attends Canyon.

CALENDAR

April 30, Chicken broil, inspired by scenes of Cyrano de Bergac, for Dr. A. K. Knott's English, 102 class, at T-Anchor Farm.

Women's Chorus, in main auditorium at 8:15.

May 3, Randall Hall formal senior dinner. High School play to be physical health, better instruction, given by Senior Class.

May 4, Regional Band Festival on campus. Delta Zeta Chi all-college dance at 8 o'clock.

May 5, Dance at Cousins Hall many ex-students including Velma Ballroom. Swing Band will go Henderson, Ruth Burtz Shewbert, to Pampa. and W. B. Travis.

Dorothy Heath and with a talk on "The History of of emergencies Ruth Gill, Canyon. Others are American Foreign Policy"; "The injured pilots, or unusual weather Sharline Burch, Amarillo ; Louella Need for World Organization" was conditions.

Lieutenant Tout has been on a carrier since October, 1943. He enspeeches with an explanation of the tered the Navy in March, 1942, and Dumbarton Oaks propositions and trained at Dallas and Corpus "The Means of World Organization." Christi.

Lieutenant Tout attended West The program was especially timely Texas State in 1940 and '41. His because the date coincided with the San Francisco Conference of all the wife, Dorothy Jane Day Tout, received her degree in 1944. United Nations, which are working toward a world organization.

A poll of public opinion on the **Graduate Directs** government's foreign policy and Dumbarton Oaks was taken from **Pampa Festival** the audience during the program. Immediately following the three

LaNelle Scheihagen, music major of the class of 1940, is supervisor of main speeches, Mr. Douglas threw the hour into an open forum, durmusic in the Pampa Schools, and ing which the audience asked quesis in charge of the spring Festival tions about various phases of postin which four-hundred voices were

war planning. The answers to the heard in a program last Friday questions were made by the speaknight. The Junior and Senior High ers and other members of the Ros-Schools participated. trum present on the platform, Billie Bural, Bill H. Allen, and Rose-

Other graduates of West Texas who were directors in the Festival ncluded Mrs. Flaudie Gallman and Bobbie Joe Cheney Craven.

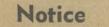
The spring Festival is a popular event in the Pampa community.

fer with Mr. Douglas at his office **Shrubs Planted** Results of the poll of the audience showed these student opinions: **Around Building**

the proposition that we can expect On Friday and Saturday a large to have a great deal of difficulty number of trees, shrubs and small with Russia and possible war within plants were placed around the Scithe next generation; 39 per cent ence Building. answered this negatively; and 27

The Schell Nursery Company of Tulsa, Oklahoma furnished the plants and supervised their placement. The landscaping was carefully planned to enhance the beauty of the building and to fit it into Located in Kansas the general scheme of the campus.

Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Moore were in Dumas Thursday, attending a Tri-County Parent-Teacher's meetguest speaker, his topic being "That Foster is stationed. They have a



of it as it applies to mental and Announcing the formal opening of the Zeta Top Hat! May 4 is the date, 8:00 p. m. is the time, jects that are important in the deand Cousins Hall ballroom is the velopment of a healthy body and place. Dine and dance to the rhythm of your favorite orchestra. While in Dumas the Moores met Don't miss this gala occasion-it's new; it's different!

> May 4, 8:00 p. m. Cover charge 35c

Prairie Reporter To Washington

Miss LaHonda Jo Walton, one of the many grandchildren of West Texas State, has recently withvisiting in Claude came to Canyon drawn and is planning to do her share towards winning the war by working with the Civil Service in Washington. Miss Walton's mother Sgt. Williams knew George Bras- is a graduate of WTSC, and returned to Canyon in the fall of in the prison camp. He reported 1944 in order that her daughter might attend college.

Miss Walton, better known to everyone as Jo, became a member old were moved about a year ago. of the Mary E. Hudspeth Honor Society early this spring, and was pledging Type High, honorary journalism fraternity. Jo served The Prairie in every capacity, from feature writer to editorial writer. She will be missed.

Characteristic of Jo was the fact that she took as many subjects as she could. She plans to enter night school in Washington if possible and continue her college career.

Merit System Test Will Be Given On May 12

The annual merit system test will be given May 12 in rooms 108 and Cpl. Walters is now stationed at 202

Fort Leavenworth, Kansas and is The test is given so that girls and working with the section where offi- boys may obtain employment in the State Service.

These office positions serve the Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission, the State Department of Public Welfare, and the United States Employment Service.

Lost: A billfold containing money, identification papers, drivers license and pictures. If found return to Jane Campbell.

7th War Loan Drive Is On!

Meeting in Dumas Mrs. Mildred Shuman Foster visited on the campus recently. Mrs. has been in the infantry for more Foster graduated in 1939 with a than 3 years and in Fort Benning, major in Home Economics. She Ga., for the last 2 years was transis living in Denver, Colorado where ing at which Dr. Moore was the her husband, Technical Sergeant

little daughter. This topic is one being considered

Students' Official Newspaper A weekly newspaper published every Tuesday except holidays or examination periods by the Students' Association of West Texas State Teachers College, Canyon, Texas. Entered on November 21, 1919, as N. G. second-class matter at the post office in Canyon, Texas, under the act of March 8, 1879. MEMBER OF THE TEXAS INTERCOLLEGIATE PRESS ASSOCIATION Words are things -EPRESENTED FOR NATIONAL ADVERTISING BY SUBSCRIPTION RATES A young Brooklyn soldier was on National Advertising Service, Inc. PRAIRIE Regular Session \$1.00 **I**he maneuvers in Oregon. Having a College Publishers Representative Semester 420 MADISON AVE. NEW YORK, N.Y. CHICAGO · BOSTOR · LOS ANGELES · SAN FRANCISCO few minutes to himself after even-**Room 116** Summer .50 Phone 83 woods. He returned with a hand-Mrs. T. V. Reeves, Sponsor Bernice McCarty, Bus. Mgr. Polly Winstead, Editor Anita Davis, Society Editor | ful of rattlesnake rattles. Rosemarie Hoare, Associate Editor "Where in the world did you get Reporters: Martha Jean Dowd, Joy Littlefield, Patricia Hill, Lucil le Jackson, Cleo Geter, Jo Walton,

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broadly. "Off'n a woim."

--- "Coronet," May, 1945.

Ludwig Bemelmans, in his new

himself had told him so, he said.

says, "Franzl, I want to see whether

you are really as tall as you look.

all the way home I feel as lonesome

Impressions of a News Broadcast

The Russians close upon Berlin

(I think it was because the Reds

The Yanks stormed through the

(Munching luscious candy bars

The Burma Road is being used-

A dispatch from New Delhi

Just as they closed on Memel.

Stretch out your arms."

as he is."

Bonita Rectar, Evelyn Elliott, Chri stine Kent.

Final Examinations Are Near

The end of the school year and the examination period are near. The last days of a session are filled with a sense of satisfaction or a sense of frustration and futility. Whether one or the other is usually determined by the use that has been made of the earlier weeks of the year and semester.

The student who has planned his work and budgeted his time, and has then met his responsibilities in the way of study, term themes, tests and extra reading at the proper time can approach the examination period with reasonable confidence in himself, and with some exhiliaration at the prospect of taking tests.

The student who has been a waster approaches examinations with fear and misgivings, and finds that he is on very bad terms with himself DEFENSE because in the weeks past he has failed to live up to his best possibilities.

Cramming at the last minute may secure for the waster a passing grade men's souls. The summer soldier or even a symbol which on the record will look very well but it will do [and the sunshine patriot will, in nothing of value in the real life of the individual.

A worthy undertaking for the Students' Association of West Texas it NOW, deserves the love and State would be a long-continued campaign to make honest, high scholar- thanks of men and women."-Thomship a prerequisite to social approval on this campus. It would raise the as Paine. estimate in which the college is held throughout the state, too.

High Tide of Spring

The high tide of spring comes at different dates in different localities. In the Panhandle of Texas the tide is now coming in. Tulips are in bloom. Locust and hackberry trees are beginning to show a tender green. Already the silver leafed poplar spreads its wealth for all to see in the glow of sunset. On the prairie where the native sod has been left undisturbed delicate flowers are beginning to show themselves, the bits by some of the Freshmen. of yellow, pink, blue, white and purple rewarding those who will look for them. Robins, cardinals, mocking birds, doves and dozens of the cousins who belong to the warbler family unite in a morning chorus, and some of them have already built their nests. The wren is trilling on the highest spot on the Baptist church, and towhees are scratching beneath the bridal wreath hedges. The time is perfect to stir oneself to awareness of the beauty that is everywhere, waiting to be enjoyed. In spring there is joy for all who are willing to have it.

So You Are Bored!

Did you ever think that the men in France, in Italy, in England and gage. From women this ancient on those God forsaken islands in the Pacific might be lonesome too? Those are the fellows who should have the right to be bored. Some of them do not have a magazine to read.

You are young-at home in the United States and you are bored! You go to school during the day and live a normal life, but the nights are so long and often dateless-and you are bored!

The next time you think that this is a tough time to be young, think of all the millions of men in the services who are young-and many of them are dying that way without a shot at being bored comfortably, luxuriously -at home.

Think about these things the next time you are bored, and then do

NOTE

this crisis, shrink from the service of their country; but he that stands

Buy your share of war stamps and bonds today. The defense table is located in the main hall of the Administration Building.

AROUND THE CAMPUS The leaves are out again!

The new-cut grass looks almost like the fuzzy-topped haircuts worn

Telephone poles against the horizon on a distant slope look like eyelashes.

QUOTING THE FACULTY WIT "A bee or not a bee . . . that is the picnic question.

QUOTING . . from Ambrose Bierce.

Abdomen. The temple of the god Stomach, in whose worship, with sacrificial rights, all true men enfaith commands but a stammering Had fixed their hair with Kreml.) asset. They sometimes minister at the altar in a half hearted and ineffective way, but true reverence for the one diety that men really adore they know not. If a woman

had a free hand in the world's mar- Chocolate all the way through). keting the race would become graminivorous. Acquaintance. A person whom we Says countless trucks roared over it

know well enough to borrow from, (Avoiding soapdish jelly). but not well enough to lend to. A

we think. That which distinguishes

thing from the man who wishes to

wealth, or one who has been pitch-

degree of friendship called slight On every far flung battlefront when its object is poor or obscure, and intimate when he is rich or Soon peace on earth will ring again (Happy little wash-day song!) -Irma Black, in PM Brain. An apparatus with which

Siegfried Line

And Iwo Jima, too

Texas Teacher for Fifty Years Learns to Make Meringue That Will 'Stand Up' on Lemon Pie

In the Austin American-States-man, on Sunday, April 22, an arti-Greek he taught has meant to her. negatively; and 2 per cent were ing chow, he strolled out into the cle appeared concerning Miss Mary "In 1921, she came again to write undecided. Moss Richardson, who retired last her master's thesis on 'Christianity |

year from the faculty of West Texas in Contemporary Poetry.' State. The article was written by them?" gasped his alarmed com-Dorace Caldwell, a University jour-poetry because I didn't know anynalism student and American- thing about it,' she said. The lad from Brooklyn beamed Statesman staff writer. It is reprinted below:

teaching, Miss Mary Moss Richard- she has been surrounded with the 1y; and 14 per cent were undecided. son at last has time to learn how to

Bishop of Regensberg tell this story: up" on a lemon pie. "Many years ago," he began with a face glazed with the grease that he wiped on his nose and cheeks, "it English at West Texas State Colbefell me to escort a distinguished lege, "Mother Moss" is spending a ington. visitor through our city. The vismonth visiting Mrs. R. T. Badger, itor was taller than myself. I was a young priest then, and very nertaught school in Liberty Hill as a yon. vous and scared because the visitor girl of 18 in 1892.

was a Cardinal and he had come Although she did the cooking for straight from Rome. His name was a household of seven at 16, she has Count Francis Neuwied. He stepped 'never learned to make a perfect from his train and looked at me meringue. with surprise. In the carriage, on

"Always interested in writing, she the way to the Bishop's palace, he also enrolled in a correspondence put me at ease. He said I was uncourse in magazine writing at Rockusually tall; and when I told him efeller when she retired just before that I was the tallest priest in reaching her 71st birthday in March. Regensberg, he informed me that

"'My writing has been reams of he was, without a doubt, the biggest in the entire church. The Pope of poetry,' she laughs. With each in Oxford. It was against the pro-"'When I arrive in Rome for my as a birthday remembrance goes an annual visit,' said the Cardinal, 'the appropriate jingle. Holy Father sees me privately-I

"With her work in the Methodist have to wait until the ceremonies Sunday school, with the Girl Scouts she decides. are over and the stream of visitors and the enormous correspondence is gone. The Holy Father then she carries on with old pupils, her course on 'Children's Literature' sends everyone away, even the Swiss guards-he tells them to go and he picks up his heavy robes and walks down from the throne and had time for.

"However sewing is one of these. An active woman yet whose white stories and from a folded piece of hair frames a plump, unlined face, and whose feet in flat blackheeled "'I do as he says, and he runs around under them twice or three shoes still have the urge 'to bum times until he is satisfied, and then around,' Miss Richardson has never he talks to me for a while and he had the necessary patience for walks back up to the throne. I sewing. think it's the only fun he has, and

"'If I were to go to the bad place, I know Satan would set me down to sewing pants for all the little imps,' she grinned. New University Erratic

"The University of Texas was very new when Miss Richardson finished high school in Paris, Texas, so her scholarly father, fearing UT might

be 'erratic', sent her to a Methodist school in Alabama. At the end of a year she returned to Texas, passed her teacher's examination and began her life's work teaching in a school for \$20 a month and a hot dinner every day. For 20 years she taught every subject except chemistry in every grade in schools from Liberty Hill to Paris.

"In 1911 she came to the University of Texas to get her degree. Teaching, attending school and working in the capitol by turns, she

brother said that Stephen should

look 'silent and grim' and smoke a

big cigar. Stephen, after a strong

definitely rejected my brother's sug-

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gestion that he should carry

'bulging object' in his pocket."

Family of Teachers

best in literature since childhood. novel "The Blue Danube," has the make a meringue that will "stand The only one in the family not a answered yes to the proposition that "Getting acquainted with Austin J. O. Richardson (ret.), formerly that the government of all major

> "It was he who designed the 'Rest 607 West Seventh, with whom she Cottage', her adobe home in Can-

she explained. She has so many avoid the placing of considerable

extra pillows and couches. built of rocks collected by her pupils and tile collected by her on a trip cent answered this negatively; and to Europe, was made for young 28 per cent were undecided. people to sit on. She refers to it as 6. 55 per cent of the s 'The Courting Fence.'

"In 1930 she went on a Browning pilgrimage to Europe and in 1938 jingles. It never reaches the status at 64 she went to summer school gift she sends to an ailing friend or tests of Adm. Richardson who feared war might break out, that when Miss Moss decided something,

"When she retired, it meant that friends and relatives, she expects to covering everything from Mother stand outside the door-and then be as busy as ever doing the things Goose to fairy tales would no longer cent were undecided. she's always wanted to do but never be taught at Canyon. But for the children who are always around

her, she will continue to tell her paper cut elephants, camels and giraffes. "'I have had a very ordinary life,

Miss Moss smiles, 'but I've had such a lot of fun living it." Davy Crockett, renowned as a frontiersman and hero of the Alamo, served three terms as Congressman

from Tennessee. In some cities they are burying steel trolley rails under street resurfacing, while rationing razor blades to conserve steel.

Until the rationing, the average passenger car owner drove his car 8.196 miles a year.

> Elsie: What kind of a husband would you advise me to get, Grandma?

Grandma: You just leave husbands alone and get yourself a single man.

America produces 43 per cent of the world output of coal and consumes 42 per co

Tuesday, May 1, 1945

Opinion Poll

(Continued from Page 1) per cent were undecided.

2. 96 per cent of the students answered yes to the proposition that the treatment of the Axis nations after the war should be conducted according to careful plans drawn by the United Nations for the benefit. of all, and not for purposes of re-

3. 72 per cent of the students answered yes to the proposition "'I specialized in contemporary that in the post-war world, economiy unbalance or frustration or low standards of living anywhere in the world, will affect the econo-"With her father, stepmother and mic prosperity of all other nations; "After 50 years of Texas school two sisters, both school teachers, 14 per cent answered this negative-4. 49 per cent of the students school teacher is her brother, Adm. maintenance of peace will require again after 23 years of teaching chief of staff of the United States nations be democratic in form; 39 navy, still on active duty in Wash- per cent answered this negatively; and 12 per cent were undecided.

5. 42 per cent of the students answered yes to the proposition that the final international agreements "'The house is built for beds,' among the United Nations must visitors that she just has to have restriction on any nation's freedom in the conduct of international af-"The low fence around her home fairs, tarrif policy, administration of colonies, immigration; 30 per

6. 55 per cent of the students answered yes to the proposition that the purpose of the San Francisco conference of the United States is to: (1) determine peace terms to be imposed on Germany and Japan; (2) establish an international police authority to prevent war; (3) draw she went the second time. But up treaties among the United Nations concerning territories, tariffs, trade and immigration; (4) develop a plan of organization for international action; 32 per cent answered this negatively; and 13 per

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By Evelyn Jeanne McCarty Why is it that nobody believes a 'fresh paint" sign?

"These are the times that try

something to help humanity instead of pulling humanity down. —Contributed.

DEFTLY HANDLED

of the smarter restaurants. A cus- which is known to make a distinctomer sat down and deftly tied his tive noise. It will roar or bellow napkin about his neck.

There was a whispered conference, in which the manager instructed the waiter not to hurt the customer's feelings, but to make him understand, somehow, that this wasn't being done here.

The waiter approached his cus- open. tomer with a gentle smile. "Shave, sir, or haircut?"

"What induced you to hit of work itself and the good it can band, your wife?" With a small shrug do, deserves success. - Madame the little man answered, "Well, she had her back to me, she was bent over, the frying pan was handy, and the back door was open. So-I just took a chance.

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The alligator is the only saurian It happened the other day in one or reptile of the allegator group the man who is content to be somewhen agnered or disturbed. do something. A man of great Doctor: "Why do you have BFforked into a high station, has com-

monly such a headful of brain that 7640 tattooed on your back?" Patient: "That isn't tattoo. That's his neighbors cannot keep their hats on. In our civilization, and under where my wife hit me with the car while I was holding the garage door

When one works for personal personal glory the work is bound Judge looking at the docile hus- to suffer. Only work for the sake

Chiang Kai-shek

You can't liquidate your debts by spending your money like water. say?"

The latest craze isn't always found in the asylum.

our republican form of government, regarded by exemption from the cares of office. Clock. A machine of great moral value to man, allaying his concern for the future by reminding him what a lot of time remains to him.

A busy man complained one day: "I got no time!" "What's that you

Cried out his friend, a lazy quizz; You have, sir, all the time there is. There's plenty, too, and don't you doubt it-

We're never for an hour without it." -Purzil Crofe.

taking a cold bath and a long walk er," April 21. with an empty stomach, and other-

wise mortifying the flesh. Then they point with pride to these pracnot because of their habits, but in

Ignoramus. A person unacquainted with certain kinds of knowledge familiar to yourself, and having certain other kinds that you know nothing about.

have tried it.

Present. That part of eternity dividing the domain of disappointment from the realm of hope.

GOOD LITTLE GIRL "Were you a good little girl at Sunday school today?"

"Yes, the teacher offered me a big plate of money, and I said, 'No, thank you.'"

Enough rubber to make 17,000 tires goes into a battleship.

Business is like a wheelbarrow, it owned the town's largest men's stands still unless someone pushes it. store. We made a special appoint-

If thee does not mend thy speech a little and change thy ways considerably, thee will be damned, to tist church. a certain extent.—Quaker quoted by Herbert Hoover, in April 17 radio D. A. Penick, professor of classical address languages, and Dr. R. H. Griffith

and Dr. R. A. Law, English profes-It seems to us that the President's sors. To Dr. Penick she has written death, instead of weakening the a letter every five years since 1915 structure at San Francisco. will brain is so highly honored that it is strengthen it. Death almost always

ment during the noon hour when reactivates the household in some curious manner, and the death of the store was closed to the public. We took my brother along as an Franklin Roosevelt recalls and refurnishes the terrible emotions and expert and went in through the the bright meaning of the times he store's back door so no one would brought us through. By the simple know of Stephen's metamorphosis fact of dying, he has again attacked Assisted by my brother, a frequent in strength. He now personifies, as movie-goer and up-to-the-minute on what the well-dressed gangsten no one else could, all the American dead-those whose absence we shall in America was wearing, Stephen chose a sharply tailored, broadsoon attempt to justify. The Presishouldered, double-breasted suit of dent was always a lover of strategy; wine-red woolen, a light-blue shirt he even died strategically, as though a yellow necktie, patent-leather he had chosen the right moment shoes, and a snap-brim hat. to inherit the great leacy of light

that Death leaves to the great. He will arrive in San Francisco quite

Dawn. The time when men of on schedule, and in hundredfold reason go to bed. Certain old men capacity, to inspire the nations that protest, accepted the cigar, but he prefer to rise at about that time, he named United .-- "The New York-

Joseph Wechsberg, in "Looking for a Bluebeard" tells of his return tices as the cause of their sturdy to his home in Czechoslovakia after health and ripe years; the truth he had been in America, in 1928. being that they are hearty and old, None of his friends would believe he had really been in America, bespite of them. The reason we find cause he didn't dress and act as only robust persons doing this is they believed all young Americans that it has killed all the others who being gangsters, hoodlums, or Indians, would dress. Even his little

brother was disappointed that he had not met Al Capone. When Stephen, a casual American acquaintance, came to visit him, he thought he would have proof of having been in the United States. but even Stephen, who was a traveling salesman, was not American enough. Stephen and Wechsberg decided that different clothes would

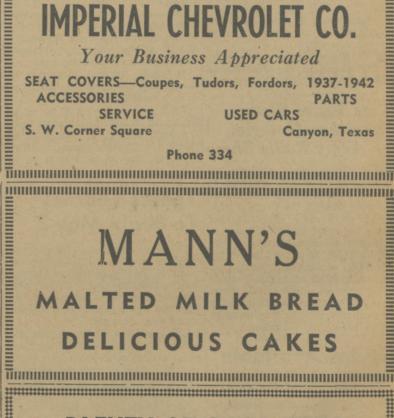
help "Stephen shrugged, 'How can I look sharp in a havelock half a size too large? . . .' I explained to him that a havelock, irrespective of size, was out of place, and so was Stephen's inconspicuous gray suit. Unfortunately, Stephen had nothing else to wear. Early next morning I

called up a friend whose father

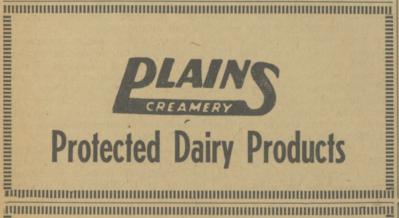
finished in 1915. Then the old library building was so beautiful Ashes of burned money can be among the campus shacks that she analyzed and redeemed. would walk out of her way just to pass by it. And just across the

alley from her home, she watched the building of the University Bap-"Among her teachers were Dr









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Editor's Note: There are probably

more museums than J. Frank Dobie.

Therefore his comments of the

museum represent the knowledge

and mature judgment of an auth-

ority. To know Dr. Dobie's opinion

is to enlarge out own appreciation

* * *

since 1928. Evetts Haley edited the

first two volumes; L. F. Sheffy has

been editor since 1930. The society

has filed in its archives thousands

of interviews with pioneers, women

as well as men, and this material is

indexed and cross-indexed, so that

if a researcher wants to find in-

formation on schools, mustangs

Billy the Kid, XIT Ranch, barbed

wire or any other subject out of

multitudes, he can find it. A great

feeder for this reservoir of Panhan-

dle-Plains history has been a course

that Professor Sheffy has been

teaching in the college for maybe

twenty years. I do not know of any

other collection of data concerning

sive and so rich, particularly, in the

biography of every-day settlers and

in details about the natural phe-

nomena of the land — drouths,

winds, rattlesnakes, buffaloes, prai-

might mention.

The Lobo Pup

a particular region so comprehen-

campus.

J. Frank Dobie Comments on **Plains Museum and Canyons**

By J. Frank Dobie in Dallas News

I have been out to Amarillo and Canyon, making talks and not feel- few men in Texas who have visited ing lonesome at all in the cause of freedom. Out there I again experienced the feeling of being in a region that is at home with itself. Not everybody believes the same way, not by a long sight. But there is a kind of coherence among the Plains people, a kind of loyalty to its traditions, history and culture, a kind of homogenousness, based on natural characteristics of the Plains country.

So far as English-speaking inhabitants are concerned, it is the newest part of Texas. More than 400 years ago Coronado lead his expedition into it. It is entirely possible that 400 years from now historians will still be debating as to where he made tracks. The state of the country today would be no different had he never made any tracks at all. The white man's first occupation of the land was with cattle, but hundreds of thousands of Texas cattle had gone up the Chisholm Trail to Kansas and many herds had gone to Louisiana, to California and to other parts of the nation before Goodnight brought his herd into the Palo Duro Canyon in 1876 and established the first ranch in the Panhandle. Men yet living can remember when the history of the region, so far as civilized settlement on the land is concerned, started.

The institution that has done most to cohere both the traditions and the people of the Panhandle is one that belongs to the Plains people. It is the Panhandle - Plains Historical Society, sponsored by the



around the camp fire, the mother wolf started her pitiful howling from the hilltop again. After lis-tening for a while the owner of the

pup got a rope and stakepin and him on about seventy-five yards Department telling them that their All hands have willingly co-operated from the camp and picketed him with a long rope tied to the original short piece. He said, 'I am go-Panhandle-Plains Historical Society ing to let him nurse his mother!' "After he had come back to the were able to determine.

fire and talked about twenty minutes the mother wolf ceased her howling. We called his attention of the collection of materials on our to this and he went out to see how the pup was getting along. He

West Texas State College at Canleased her pup." yon, and the museum on the college In 1841 the Texan Santa Fe Exgrounds at Canyon. The historical society was organized in 1921. It has been issuing a book annually

Texas Plains long before it reached New Mexico. George W. Kendall

Here is a paragraph: "We struck the Wicthitau River torical Society had a million dolknow how hard up for both coffee that past.

rie grasses, nearly any feature you and vegetables the expedition had

Place Names of Plains The society has published many documentary articles. One complete In another volume Frank P. Hill has an article on the Place Names Member of NT's volume, for instance, is devoted to of the Plains. "Many years ago an Musical Swingtet the strange history of the Rocking old Mexican, Jesus Perea by name, Chair Ranch. I have a strong lean- one of the biggest sheepherders of ing for the pioneer reminiscences. all time, his flocks containing up-For instance, take Col. Jack Pot- wards of 60,000 head, was a nomadic inhabitant of these Plains. "We had just finished our spring His flocks grazed around Tahoka round-up when we got orders to Lake, the Yellowhouse and Blanco go out to a watering place on the Canyon; in fact, anywhere that suf-

edge of the Plains known as the ficient water and grass could be Tules to kill out the wolves. It was found for so great a number of the time of the year for pups to sheep. One night, while camped on be leaving their lairs. Our orders the draw north of Punta del Agua, were to put in twenty days resting he heard the terrifying cry of a our mounts while we destroyed wildcat. His sheep became restless. pups and shot the old ones when He ordered his dogs and his Mexiwe had a chance. Our camp was can helpers to circle the flock. established near a spring and an Perea dropped down on his hands old adobe house, and two posses of and knees and crawled out to the eight men each were sent out. edge of the flock, near the place "The posse I was with rode out where he thought he had heard the through the sand hills for seven scream. Soon, just ahead of him, he miles until we came to a hardpan could see the wildcat dragging a flat with gyp or chalk bluffs around lamb. It was a dark night, and the it about six feet high. We soon wind was from the opposite direcfound a lair and dug into it with tion. Perea maneuvered through pick and shovel and found seven the sheep to intercept the cat, and Collegiate Troupers recently closed people receiving the warm under-

pups. We killed them and kept at the opportune moment the Mexi-

came he still had not tasted the Lairs Have Word "At dark while we were sitting of Location of Son in Germany

On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lair received a letter from the War homeless and semi-naked refugees. son, Lt. Tom Lair who is a prisoner of War in Germany was in Mandesburg, Germany, about 20 miles from Munich in Stalag VII, as far as they

While the Government said that could give them no guarantee that Lt. Lair was there, they felt certain that he was. That was the destination of a group of prisoners that had been moved recently by blankets and comforts because they gnawed in two. The mother had the Germans to get them from the now "have only three beds to keep," out generaled us all and had re- path of the Russian forces.

Since Mandesburg and Munich are now the object of the 3rd Army, pedition set out to annex New Mex- the Lairs are quite hopeful that ico to the Republic of Texas. It they will soon hear something from got lost on the then unknown the Lieutenant who has been a

wrote the saga of that expedition. more in place than the assortment With it was a man named George or rawhide-bottomed chairs in this W. Grover. A chronicle that he museum out on the Plains. The composed is in the Rosenberg Li- horns of Old Blue, Charlie Goodbrary at Galveston. Bailey Carroll night's famous lead steer, speak as edited this for the Panhandle- eloquently as the noblest antlers Plains Historical Review in 1936. that ever surmounted a hall gable. I wish the Panhandle-Plains His-

at an Indian village of the Waco lars to make a natural history mutribe. On both sides of the river seum that would represent all there were fields of corn planted Plains life. I don't know any other in the Indian manner; there was civilized institution in the state that also kershaws and pumpkins. The has done more with as limited country around was of a very red means, but it takes money to comand rich soil. Higher up the river prehend vast spaces. Surely some on the west bank the country was day some of the great fortunes in very high, a Muskete soil. The Texas so devoted to ways of the beans on the Muskete trees served past will give something to civilized as a substitute for coffee and also picturization of the beautiful, draate well to man and beast." You matic and bountiful natural life of

Arlene Truax Is

Mr. Glenn Truax, who came to WTSC as band director this spring, those people think of us? I think has a family of girls who are as that when clothes are actually dirty. musically inclined as he. Already we ought to burn them." "But look the girls are making names for at this man's overcoat, worth sixty themselves in various fields of dollars if it is worth a dime." "What music

stration School, and her ability to purses, another treatment for morsing is a special talent. Jean, who ale."

in high school, shows her talent by played the cornet. Arlene Truax, the oldest daughter, is a student of house waiting for the trucks to cart NTSTC, at Denton, and she is be- them to the train. Just outside is coming widely know. In The Campus Chat, student paper, and rubbish, rakishly topped publication at Denton, pictures of with a straw hat, for what would a the Collegiate Troupers, which is straw hat look like after being

similar to the Buffalo Variety packed in a bale? Show, pictured Miss Truax as a member of NT's Swingtet, composed and permeating the chatter was the of three other sophomore girls and feeling among the workers of fine herself. Members of the NTSTC fellowship; of gratitude of a proud an eight-day tour of Texas army wear, bathrobes, suits, dresses their scalps, as there was a small can gave a mighty leap at the hospitals. The tour included seven sweaters, ear muffs, cloaks and animal, grabbing him by the throat. "After scouting around for an "aches iste the Merican's hed why but

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dren, picture shows, boy scouts, schools, soldiers, rich and poor.

The store that sent a hundred pairs of shoes and the Mexican mother that sent two pairs of little socks and at outgrown sweater, the New York lady that put in a fine new coat "too heavy to wear in Texas," the ladies who donated and the daughter who brought her mother's whole outfit, since "Mother never will need them again"-all these and every other stratum of Austin society has contributed.

At Third and Brazos, boys on wheels, overalled women, timid girls, college women and men in handsome cars have brought bundles large and small of all shapes and sizes and boxes filled with every variety of wearing apparel. These burdens were dumped in a heterogenious pile at the left of the en-There busily engaged in trance. sorting the array worked a group the city.

Great canvas hampers on wheels filled with clothes for "Girls above "4-8 children," "Infants." men," Another huge box received shoes, mates carefully tied together. At the entrance of the work-place a tional. tub of ice was stocked with free cold soft drinks.

Further within were groups of college girls ecstatically gurgling and exclaiming over the infants' clothes they were folding and packing into great cartoons for overseas. 'O, aren't these little rompers just precious?" "What cute little dresses; just look at those French knots?"

In lower tones the sorters at the front were heard "Shame What will will they do with a tuxedo? Wear The youngest one, Kathleen, is it of course. It is a treatment for in the first grade of the Demon- the moral." "Here is a box of

> Down at the back door the packed boxes are stacked as high as the a huge pile of broken cartons,

All during the vigorous activity

Vocational Study Will Be Stressed After the War

T. M. Moore spoke Tuesday at the Rotary Club luncheon, discussing vocational training after the war.

Mr. Moore stated that a large per cent of the nation's workers are dislocated because of the war. There are about 12 million men and women in the armed forces; 25 million engaged in primary and secondary war work; 5 million carrying on new agricultural work, as part time workers and in Victory gardens; 11 million between the ages of 16 and 21 whose training has been interrupted or delayed; several million new workers, largely women, who have taken public jobs.

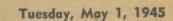
Practically one-third of the nation's population is undergoing economic and social changes. This affects the balance of the nation's population.

As a result of the war, a huge reserve of purchasing power is being built up. The United States Chamber of Commerce believes this will run up to 15 billions of dollars in War Bonds and savings accounts. This creates a huge backlog for of women representing most of the business as people will need homes clubs and women's organizations in furnishings, automobiles and other necessities after the war.

Three types of training will be with signs swung above them were open to these people following the war: Professional, 1 to 5 years and women." "Boys' above 9 and This will affect not more than 5% of the population. Semi-professional, 1 to 3 years, which will af. fect 70% of the population; Voca-

Colleges are getting ready to take care of the vocational needs. Mr. | beating a donkey and stopped him, Moore expects to see Junior Colleges expanded, with courses of study to fit individual localities. Mr. Moore has been away from Canyon for two years, and returned because he feels this section has a wonderful future. West Texas State

has adopted a program which will fit the needs of the people of this section and the industries which exist in this vicinity.



The 30 pieces of silver for which Judas betrayed Christ would amount to \$11.28 in American money.

A Sultan at odds with his harem, Thought of a way he could scarem. He caught him a mouse Set it loose in the house,

Thus starting the first haremscarem.

PLAYING SAFE

"Your neighbors are honest, I hope?" someone asked the old Negro."

"Yassir, dey is."

"But you keep that loaded shotgun near your hen coop." 'Yas, dat's to keep 'em honest."

A Ft. Worth motorist fined \$25.00 in city court told the judge: "That's too high; that's above the ceiling. I'm going to call O. P. A." He did. the fine remained \$25.00.

Hostess: Willie, you seem to be in very deep thought.

Willie: Yessum! Mama told me omething to say if you should ask me to have some cake, candy or anything and I can't remember what it was!

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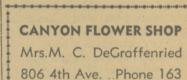
Hotel Guest (phoning down from oom: "Is this the night clerk?" Clerk (in bad humor): "Well, what's biting you?"

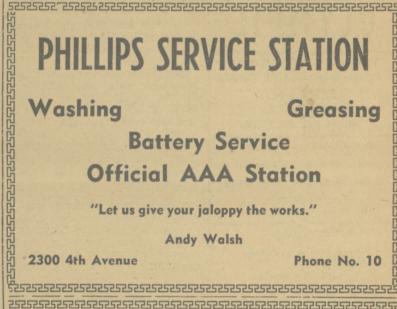
Guest: "That's what I'd like to

The amount of sway at the top of the Washington Monument is less than one inch.

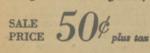
A teacher was giving a lesson on charity.

"Willie," he said, "if I saw a boy what virtue would I be showing?" Willie: "Brotherly love."





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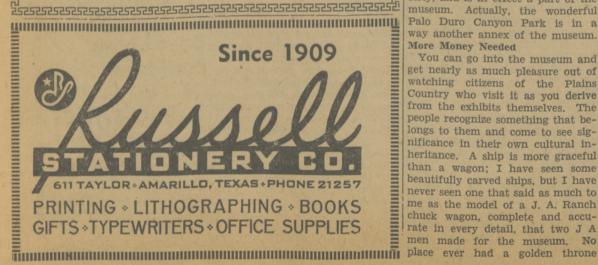
last one to keep as a pet. He tied a short piece of worn halter rope around its neck and mounted his horse, carrying the pup on the pommel of the saddle. We got back into camp just before dark.

vacant adobe house at the camp and some beef and a pan of water were placed before him. He refused to eat or drink. As we were sitting around the camp fire that night a wolf came up to the top of a hill not more than 200 yards away and

commenced howling. She kept it up all night. The next morning fresh water and beef were offered the pup and again he refused to touch it. When the second night

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lair. Here we unearthed five pups. They were almost old enough to a knife with which he killed the with the orchestra and cast. leave the lair and no doubt had re- animal. Thereafter, the hero was ceived a few lessons from their sometimes known as Gato Montes ceived a few lessons from their schewin as Gato Montes Cpl. Morton Is in Perea, and his helpers named the canyon Gato Montes-Wildcat Canyon.

> One of the best things the society has ever printed is L. F. Sheffy's The Spanish Horse on the Great sense of direction of this remarkquotes at T Anchor cowboy: "After Germany and the Balkans. the T Anchor ranch was fenced a prairie fire broke out one day to Canyon High School in the class of Mrs. Guy B. Harp. the south and west of the ranch. 1943. Prior to entering the service

There were two gates on this line January 21, 1944, he was attending of fence; one on the Terra Blanco West Texas State College, Creek and the other up on the A 22 year old native of Vienna. prairie along the south line. Sev-

Austria, after fleeing Germans in eral of us T Anchor boys in going Austria, seeing action in France. to the fire that morning, went out spending six months in a concenat the south gate. The fire was tration camp, and serving the U.S. finally put out late at night. On our return by going to the south Army for a year is now an S. M. U.

student

gate we could save about ten miles. We were about twelve or fifteen

miles from the south fence. The question was raised among us as to whether we should try to go to the south gate, or whether we should go to the gate on the Terra Blanco, which we knew we could find easily. Finally the boys asked me if I could go to the south gate. I replied immediately that I could. We started out. I let my horse, Brown Dick, have the reins and he did not miss that gate fifty steps. There was no trail of any kind to guide him. He had gone

out at the gate that morning and he knew the way back.' The old T Anchor headquarters'

ranch is near Canyon. It belongs to the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society, and is in effect a part of the museum. Actually, the wonderful way another annex of the museum. More Money Needed

You can go into the museum and get nearly as much pleasure out of watching citizens of the Plains Country who visit it as you derive from the exhibits themselves. The people recognize something that belongs to them and come to see significance in their own cultural inheritance. A ship is more graceful than a wagon; I have seen some beautifully carved ships, but I have never seen one that said as much to me as the model of a J. A. Ranch chuck wagon, complete and accurate in every detail, that two J A men made for the museum. No

scouting around for an gashes into the Mexican's body, but perea finally succeeded in pulling the we unearthed five pups. The which he killed the successful to the second the s -M. M. R.

S-Sgt. J. T. Harp **Gets Promotion**

S-Sgt. James Thomas Harp, tail Special to News: With the 15th AAF in Italy.-Cpl. Elwyn W. Morgunner with the 15th Air Force in Plains. Commenting on the natural ton, son of Mrs. C. C. Morton of Italy has just been promoted to that Canyon, Texas, is now serving as a rank according to a letter to his "The pup was tied in the old able horse—and I had rather have radio-gunner in a 15th Air Force parents. Sgt. Harp's letter was a good Spanish dun than many of B-24 Liberator bomb group that is dated March 16 and he had 24 sorthe modern quarter horses - he bombing enemy installations in ties. He has been overseas nearly 7 months

> Cpl. Morton was graduated from Sgt. Harp is the son of Mr. and

DOWNFALL

"The teacher tells me you are at the foot of the spelling class again." "Yes'm.

"And how did that happen?" "Got too many z's in scissors."

Captain Edgar L. Barrah of Dallas is the living original of the comic strip character "Snake," of 'Terry and the Pirates."



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Harold Shanklin THE TUMBLEWEED Pi Omega Sorority Honors 16 New Graduate Is Wed Members on Twentieth Anniversary on April 17 in **Back in States** Pampa Ceremony On its twentieth anniversary, Pi

Omega Sorority held its formal presentation dance in Cousins Hall ballroom on Friday evening, April 27. Two new fall members and 14 Exchange Vows in spring members were presented.

New members dressed in traditional white formals were introduced by Betty Lee, president of in Glendale, Calif., Miss Juanita the sorority. When the presenta- Simmons, of Amarillo, and John tion began, the spotlight was fo- Carl Birdwell, Seaman first class, cused on the huge white quilted of Amarillo, were united in marsatin "pepper door" on the stage, riage at 5 o'clock on the afternoon and when the door was swung open of April 9. Dr. Willsie Martin of new member was introduced by Miss Los Angeles, Calif., performed the Lee. Each was met by her "big single ring ceremony before the sister." When the door was opened, historic stained glass windows and each girl was seen as though in a an altar banked with flowers and picture with a background of ma- fern. roon satin. Above the stage in silver metalic letters appeared the words "20th Anniversary Dance."

On one wall of the ballroom also in maroon metalic letters appeared concluded, a shower of rose petals the names of the new members presented during the evening.

New members presented were Bet- | bridegroom. ty Dromgoole met my her "big sister" Mary Lee Dacus; Ava Jo Moreman met by Billy Lois DeHart; Margie Bauer met by Carolyn Black; Dorothy Evans met by Opal Calliham; Myra Biggs met by Opal Calliham; Joyce Taylor met by Polly Winstead; Audrey Lambdin met by ried a natural orchid on a white Mary Lee Dacus; Jane Campbell Bible and a white Belgian lace met by Roberta Medlen; Fayrene handkerchief. Bolton met by Jane Evans; June Russell met by Mary Evelyn Foster; the ceremony for San Francisco, Alice Billy Corts met by Mary Lee Calif., where they will make their Abbott; Sue Perry Holt met by Ava home Jo Moreman; Juanita Simpson met by Jane Evans; Imogene Wilmoth exes of West Texas State. met by Betty Dromgoole; Jean Hallmark met by Billy DeHart; and Bet- MISS HICKMAN ADDRESSES ty Gene Shorb met by Roberta Medlen. Peggy Williamson, a fall

pledge, is not in school this semester and was not presented. Frances Grade School gymnasium to enjoy Vaughan, a pring pledge, has withdrawn from school.

Menthol is the principal element



SUNDAY - MONDAY

Two Exes of WT Glendale, Calif.

In the Wee Kirk o' the Heather, by little Miss Ann Jarrett, the the Wilshire Methodist Church in tended as best man.

Traditional wedding marches were played for the processional and recessional by the organist. At the moment when the ceremony was were released from above and Ruth Owens Is drifted down upon the bride and

The bride was given in marriage by her father and wore a dressmaker's suit of rose-beige wool with harmonizing hat by Milgrim. Her jewelry was a double strand of pearls belonging to her mother and matching pearl earrings. She car-

The couple left immediately after

Both Mr. and Mrs. Birdwell are

CANYON PARENT-TEACHERS On Tuesday April 19, the Parent-Teacher Association met in the a program given by the first grade Bill Smith and the hostesses. children

Miss Hellen Hickman from West May Day Banquet Texas State gave a very interesting To Be Held Tonight in Time of War."

HAGGARD AND HENSON LEAD SUE HITE CLUB STUDY The Sue Hite Club met Monday in the Thompson Club room with

the vice-president, Mrs. Virgil Henson, presiding. During the business session Mrs. from Dallas, will be the program Cecil Briggs was elected delegate to speaker.

the 7th District Meeting of Federated Clubs in Amarillo, May 1. Mrs. Levi Cole was elected alternate. Mrs. W. F. Haggard discussed 'What will we Do When He Comes Western World."

guest last week of her mother, Mrs. mund Romberb's "Will You Remem-Grayson Bell at Cactus Lodge. Mrs. ber" by the College Trio. Lucille Jenkins, whose home is Santa Jackson and Dorothy Heath will Monica, California, is a member of complete the May-Day ceremony by the WAC.

Mrs. Fern Shepherd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Walters, is now program will be the impressive in- during October, 1944, despite a Assistant Recruitment officer for stallation services for the following the entire Bureau of Shins which consists of over a thousand people. next year: Beulah Hammond, presi-Mrs. Shepherd has been in the Navy dent; Mary Muller, enlistment vice-Department in Washington, D. C., president; Georgia Holt, devotional for the past 21 months.

On April 17 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Fraser, Pampa, Miss Wilma Jarrell, of Wellington, became the bride of Lt. D. R. Wes-

ton, of Bartlesville, Okla. Miss LaNelle Scheihagen played pre-nuptial music, and Lt. E. L. Atkins, brother-in-law of the bride, sang "Always." The traditional wedding marches were played. Mrs. William T. Fraser was matron of honor and John C. Wells at-

Mrs. Weston was graduated from West Texas State College, and has been a teacher in the Sam Houston School at Pampa.

The bridegroom is a radar officer in the signal corps, and will report to Camp Pinedale, Fresno, Calif., where Mrs. Weston will join him.

Honored at Theatre Party

In honor of Ruth Owens, a Senior, Mrs. W. L. Smith, Mrs. Robbie Holston, and Mrs. T. V. Reeves, enthe home of Mrs. Smith last Saturday night. Pop corn and candy eaten by the

after which the group sang songs. A gift was presented the honoree Tarawa in the Gilbert Islands camby the hostesses as a remembrance paign. of their association with her in the

Bureau of Public Service. Refreshments of cake and were served to Ardena Shields, Leo-

na Shedeck, Bernice Hollyfield, Wilma Higgins, Ruth Owens, Anita Goodrich, Mildred Tietz, Jim Holston, Mr. W. L. Smith, Jean Smith,

at Baptist Church

Approximately seventy-five students and guests are expected to attend the May Day Banquet tonight at 8:30 at the first Baptist Church when W. F. Howard, the state Baptist Student Secretary

As selected at random from the group, a May King and Queen will be crowned in a humorous ceremony immediately after the guests have entered the appropriately decorated Back." Mrs. Henson read a paper banquet hall. In honor of the "Toward Spiritual Revival for the newly-crowned royalties, a twoscened comedy entitled "George's Other Life" will be given. It will

Margaret Bell Jenkins was a be followed by the singing of Sigpresenting the reading "Every Rose has a Thorn.'

Then on the serious side of the new B. S. U. officers to function

Well-known Ex Tells of Life on a Carrier

After serving several months in the South Pacific on a carrier, Lt. John Harold Shanklin, USNR, is back at Corpus Christi. A former resident of Amarillo and Dalhart, he and his family lived in Canyon for many years. Better known as Harold, Lt. Shanklin is an ex of West Texas State, and his wife is graduate.

Lieutenant Shanklin trained on the West Coast, and was at sea all the way from Canada to Mexico before he started his 13-month tour of overseas duty. He was in Air Group 60. He sailed from San

Diego in October, 1943, and landed in the New Hebrides Islands. After landing in the islands, the of red roses and rainbows with Candy Miller. officer said, "We were given little time indeed to enjoy the tropical be. Our captain finally gave the tower, and the response by Floyd word and our intelligence officer Walton. A musical number was guests while pictures were shown, enlightened us as to our objective. given by the trio, Candy Miller,

The planes from this carrier flew by Spielman. support for the Marines as they

was an American plane. He said, was read by Mary Gamble and E. the fastest when catapulted from ballroom.

the deck of a carrier and that the deck offers a very, very narrow landing strip when returning to and, particularly with little or no gas ters with silver flaking. in the tanks. A wave-off meant a landing in the drink.

The carrier returned to San Diego for a load of new planes in time for Christmas, but sailed again soon after. Their second campaign was at Kwajalein, again flying in support of landing Marines.

To the officer, "our most interesting job came in the summer of 1944 when we flew air cover supporting the Marine landings on Saipan, Tinian and Guam. We of their planes and bombed and pudding. strafed enemy land defenses. We suffered a few losses and damage to our planes and were attacked pepper shakers. by Jap torpedo planes in a breathtaking night encounter"

Lieutenant Shanklin was in the battle for the Philippines, going in to that, will ya')! typhoon. He was in the huge bat- rancher. that

W. T. High Seniors Present Comedy Farce May 3

On Thursday evening, May 3, the West Texas High School seniors will present "Growing Pains" a comedy, in the auditorium of the Education Building.

Aurania Rouveral, who is a mas-The sun is shining, the grass is ter in depicting family life, is at her green, and gossip is a buzzing! best in this play. "Growing Pains," Sock! Sock! That's Ruth Ann Soll which is a light farce full of fun | and Glenn Dowlen playing tennis and frolic, will appeal to all, because without rackets.

not one can escape the joys and sorrows of adolescence, and few can SoRelle being rough. Really Caroll, fail to respond sympathetically that's nothing to brag about. held Thursday evening, April 26, at when these experiences are presented on the stage. The plot cen-

McIntyre, played by Bill Miller;

Laughter piles upon laughter as edy will have a greater degree of girls? understanding and tolerance for

adolescence which does not break murals. out like measles. Miss Jean Shaver, a senior Speech

student, directs the play.

Rumors?

Rumors are little stories that go around from person to person. Some make you feel good and some make you feel sad. Here are a few we picked up around the halls

The story goes that we might have an annual next year. Really do you wish this would come true? How about it kids? People say Irving SoRelle is really

crazy about a certain CHS girl. When's your next date, Irving? It's rumored that we are really going to have a swell football team next year. Luck to ya' boys.

What's this we hear about Zeke Jennings being a miser with the Junior Class' money?

Have you heard the latest? W. T.'s own band is going to play in his car would get wrecked Thursday the coming meet. Also we hear that they have a mighty good chance of winning. Keep your fingers crossed! We have heard that the Senior Play is going to be a great success. Some have even said that it will be a million times better than the

Junior Play. What about that Juniors? It is rumored, and I am sure it is true that everyone had a grand time

at the Junior-Senior Banquet. Someone told me that the Sophomore class wants to have a party

soon. Let us hope that their dreams will come true This is the latest crop. Pretty

good for one week, no?

Volleyball Team

Reporters: Billie Byars, Marijo Knott, Betty McAlister, Merle Ew-**Plays Happy**

ton, Betty Brown, Joan Byars, Ted Fain, Mary Jo Tomlinson, and Carl Jennings, Loren Hightower.

ARE YOU IN THE GROOVE?

Have you got both shoe laces

In response to an introduction

do you invariably say 'pleastameet-

cha'? Come to think of it, that's

slightly rusty. 'How do you do' is

quite acceptable. You're pretty

sharp if you catch the name and

tack it on to your greeting. But

right then, so you won't be em-

barrassed later. You can end your

chat with the new acquaintance by

saying 'I hope I'll see you again,' or

'And we all nearly died laughing.'

comething to the same effect.

Tuesday, May 1, 1945



7:30 in the banquet hall of the Methodist Church. The hall was decorated in a color scheme of red and blue, the school colors. Bowls and his sister, Terry, played by

"Junior" and "Senior" written across them surrounded by sprigs wonders. Soon we joined a task of cedar made beautiful center force and steamed in a northeast- pieces, while tiny blue graduation ernly direction. There were many caps full of mints and menus tied transports loaded with Marines and in the shape of diplomas served as many strange looking amphibious placecards. The program was anships and craft of several varieties. nounced by Jack Nunley, who acted 'Scuttlebut' permeated the atmo- as toastmaster. The Invocation was tertained with a theatre party in sphere. Everyone had a different given by Mr. Vaughan, followed by idea as to where our landings would the welcome given by Loren High-

We received our baptism of fire at Anne McCabe and Arless Oglesby The songs were "Skylark" by Carmichael and "Shepard's Serenads"

Following a delicious dinner of landed, and members got their first fruit cocktail, baked chicken, dressenemy plane there, a single craft ing and gravy, green beans, pickled of W. T. spotting their task force. On the beets, buttered potatoes, congealed lieutenant's first flight from the salad, hot rolls, iced tea, ice cream carrier six friendly planes almost and cake, the Senior Prophecy was got him, but his gunner fired a read by Sybil Gillis, Virginia Reid warning burst, and they noticed he and Wilma Miller. The Senior Will

'My conclusions from this first car- W. Womble. After the banquet, rier hop were that one gets farthest the prom was held at Cousins Hall The stage of the ballroom had a blue crepe paper curtain with

'Juniors-Seniors '45" in large let-

Guess Who This Is!

Yep, it's time to guess again who gets the publicity this week.

1. He is a 17-year-old Junior. He is 6' 2" tall.

3. Weight is 160 lbs

4. Green eyes and red hair. 5. As you should know from his color scheme, his favorite is green. sank enemy subs, shot down several In the line of food, his is banana

> 6. Choice pastime, playing basketball. Hobby, collecting salt and

> 7. Favorite subject, physical edu-

9. His ambition is to become a

8. His pet peeve is girls. (Listen

10. Actor, Robert Young.

A certain group of girls surely do like to stay in the typing room first ters around the antics of George hour. E. W. Womble must really like rings. One is a little small, don't

you think? When Miss Clark let the girls out the play progresses, and it is cer-tain that anyone who sees this com-got to come back. What happened,

What's this we hear about Caroll

KAMPUS

These basketball coaches just these teen-age youngsters who are can't help but argue about the best struggling with a disease called basketball boy during the Intra-

Jean Truax had some competition at the Junior-Senior Prom. How about that?

Over heard at the Junior-Senior Prom. Leta, what do you mean trying to play hands with Irving SoRelle? You had better watch that woman of yours, Ken!

Orchids! Orchids! Orchids! The Junior-Senior Banquet looked like a California green-house.

We've heard that Mildred Hunnicutt and Rufus Graves have been having quite a time lately

Someone told us that Richmond Hales gave Peggy Jackson a very pretty pearl pin. Why won't she wear it?

We think Candy Miller looks cute

With all the cute boys in the

neighborhood Jean Smith believes

Don't you think Wanda Lee Loyd

ooked luscious last Thursday night.

Irving SoRelle sure was scared

night. Wonder who was driving it?

Carol, observe the "Keep off the

After seeing how clever and

smart Mrs. Briggs is we see how she

Staft

Society Editor.....Wilma Jean Miller

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Virginia Reid

_Sybil Ann Gillis

Peggy Jackson

Betty Jackson

caught such a cute husband.

in the good neighbor policy.

in shorts even if they do remind us

of "bloomers."

Grass" signs.

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TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY Joan Davis — Leon Errol "SHE GETS HER MAN" Adm. 9c-35c SELECTED SHORTS

Phones 1 or 2

without lights.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Baber, Mrs. Olin Huff and daughters visited last week end in Spur with Mr. Baber's sister, Mrs. L. W. Langston and family

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A. president; Martha Hammond, Sunday School representative; Dale De Shazo, Training Union president; Bob Kilgore, student secretary; and Mrs. T. H. Knighton, sponsor

Mr. Howard with his challenge to this new council will close the evening's program. Other program personalities are Dr. Roy L. Johnson and Virgil Henson with the invocation and benediction respectively, and the Baptist Girls' Choir with its special religious music.

Sallie Hill Edits Home Department of Magazine

the home department of the Proread throughout the South. Her department has recently made available to the readers "Plans for

Your Wedding," "Meals in a Jiffy" and "Musical Games Through the Ages.

Capt. Stroud Is Home 23 Months Africa and Italy

Reconnaissance Headquarters Dept. B. Hardin and Ronnie. with the Air Corps.

Captain Stroud has served as been in service 39 months. Antonio yesterday.' His wife, who uncle, T. A. Black, has been teaching school at Miami

for the past year, went to San Antonio to meet her husband.

Nickels are seventy-five per cent copper and twenty-five per cent der marks on the body." nickel

Lana Turner tried to penetrate Surigao Strait, and a tangle with Jap planes trying

to sink our navy units. "The trip back home to the States will be remembered by everyone as a rugged trip. After leaving Pearl Harbor, we rode light and high with most of our supplies disposed of. Our remaining planes were left in Hawaii and Air Group 60 was shorn of her wings. The first sight of the pine-covered mountains surrounding Puget Sound caused tingles to

transverse our spines.' Lieutenant Shanklin is now convalescing in the naval hospital in Corpus Christi.

Training Union Sponsors Picnic Last Thursday

Last Thursday evennig thirty-five these is her pastime. students donned their picnic clothsponsored by the Baptist Training movie stars. Union under the presidency of Dale De Shazo.

Entertainment for the evening included hiking, playing running ish I Club. Sallie Hill, a graduate of West games, and roasting wieners over Texas State College, is editor of the open fire. Then immediately before the group adjourned for the gressive Farmer, which is widely return to Canyon, they gathered around the campfire for the singing of several favorite choruses and

Included in the group going were Pauline Rudy, Nell Walling, Mary Prescot, Elaine Jones, Alma Grace Schneider, Pauline Dalton, Juanita Howard, Dora Jean Heller, Aurene Jameson, Joyce Killingsworth, Betty Hale, Lucille Jackson, Gladys Romero, Wanda Sue Wells, Joyce Miller, Georgia Holt, Martha Jean Dowd, Opal Peggram, Bob Copeland, Bill Peggram, J. W. Malone, Capt. Ogden O. Stroud, son of Bill Allen, Kenneth Rogers, John Mr. and and Mrs. W. H. Stroud, ar- Mosley, Dale De Shazo, Stanley Ulrived in the United States Friday lom, Leon Neal, B. A. Dickenson, after having spent 23 months in Bob Kilgore, Dr. and Mrs. Roy John-Africa and Italy with the 90th Photo son and Don, and Mr. and Mrs. L

Cpl. and Mrs. Overton Donnell the entire time overseas. He has after having spent a furlough with He was to have arrived in San L. A. Donnell, and Mrs. Donnell's

THE PROOF WAS THERE

wife at close range.' "Then there must have been pow-"Yes, that's why she shot him."

11. He has gone to W. T. for one year

12. He was a star basketball player holding a position as forward. None other than Bervin Hooper!

Here's some interesting traits of another of our school mates. See if you can guess who she is.

This Junior is 17-years old. She has brown hair and blue eyes. She is five feet and four inches tall

3. And she has attended this school since the seventh grade. 4. Conceited people are her pet peeve

5. Her favorites in the line of food are angel food cake and strawberries and malts.

6. Swimming is her favorite sport. 7. Her pets are her father's horses. 8. Her hobby is collecting things that interest her. Working with

9. In her opinion Van Johnson ing for a combined hike and social and Greer Garson are the best

10. Her ambition is to finish college.

11. She is secretary of the Span-

12. In her opinion W. T. High School is O. K., but she adds that it needs an annual.

Who? A certain little number by the name of Mary Jo Tomlinson.

Fourth Grade Good Citizens

The Seniors are sorry that they caused the Fourth Grade so much unhappiness this past week. The scenery had been nailed down on the stage and so kept the Fourth Grade from having their planned program on the stage of the Education building auditorium. Really, boys and girls we are sorry that this slip up happened. We heard that these boys and girls made the best of a bad situation and had their fine program in their own room and gave three shows so that all the folks that they had invited statistical officer for his group for left Sunday for Alamagorda, N. M. could see their program. We, The Seniors of West Texas State High Cpl. Donnell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. vote all the boys and girls in the Fourth grade as GOOD CITIZENS

of the week.

We must economize. Suppose "It says the man was shot by his darling, that you try your hand at making your own clothes. Oh, George, dear, I could never do that! Suppose I begin trying to make yours?

The W. T. High girls volleyball team is working and practicing every other afternoon in the week tied? Or, in other words, do you They played the Happy Cow Girls know all the answers?

at Happy Friday night, May 27. The girls on the team are: Johnny Ford, captain; Lorena Piper, La Verne Hutchinson, LaWanda Moore Gillie Gill and Maxine Barnard. The substitutes are Louise Lowe, and Norma Zachry.

Everyone get behind the girls and show them that W. T. High backs in case you didn't understand it, ask hem to the limit

Interscholastic League Held Here

2:30 until 3:30.

name John Cox.

on you . They should!

esson is for tomorrow.

or late at night. How do you like

close a call by saying "good bye."

is no explanation of this phenom-

If you want to get back on your

feet, just get rid of your car.

GUESS WHO THIS IS!

If the last line of one of your anec-W. T. High served as the meeting dotes is met with a deep silence, place for the District Interscholasdon't let it bother you. Make them tic League, Tuesday, April 24. Beall laugh by saying, "Well, it's too cause of debates, plays, and other bad, I don't have one of those radio activities there were no classes from stuido audience signs reading 'Laughter and applause." The joke's

over, so don't go to the trouble to explain it.

A telephone conversation is the If you are young and fancy-free, one time when your voice stands for chances are, that the proposition all that is you. Curly eyelashes and of going steady with someone won't a manly chin are of no value then. seem too wonderful. Yet you prob-It's the voice with a smile that ably want to keep on being friends counts. Use a pleasant tone of your with the boy.

voice and speak slowly and dis- Why not say, "It's lovely of you, tinctly. Brusqueness never charm- dovey, to like me enough to want ed a stranger or won a customer in to go steady; but 'don't fence me in' just yet. We're having too much

"Hello" is usually sufficient. If fun to spoil it by getting serious." you are answering in your own "That's such a pretty dress!" Do home it is a help to say, "This is you smile and say, "Do you really the Allen residence," or merely your like it?" This makes you both feel pleasant. Or do you say with false

Don't be coy. Never begin with modesty, "Oh, this old rag! Why "Guess who this is," when you call I've had it for ages." The latter up. There may be a few patient leaves the would-be admirer with souls who will humor you in such a vague feeling that he has said a childish trick, but don't be offend- something wrong. Choose the imed if a majority merely hang up pression you want to make and regulate your comebacks accord-Don't call people at meal time, ingly.

to be roused out of a good warm bed just to be asked what the English Boys Leave The person who calls should be For Physicals the one to end the conversation.

Frank Hine, Troyce Riddle and 'Bye bye" can be endured only from those under three. Always Bernie Heare leave May first to go to Oklahoma City for their physi-From the book "Behave Yourself." | cal

Welcome back to school Maracella Tests at experimental staitons Luke. Everyone is glad to see you have shown that beef from the have recovered from scarlet fever.

right side is significantly more tender than that from the left. There A SIGN POST

A centipede over in Tucson, Has trouble in getting his shoes on, His corns drive him crazy, But he is too lazy To bath them in soda solution.