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THE PRAIRIE

Miss Crawford In Retirement

Exemplary Record of
Service Made by
Cousins Supervisor

By ELLEN ROOT

After thirty-three years of faithful service to students and faculty of West Texas State, Miss Vera A. Crawford, for twenty-five years supervisor of Cousins Hall Dining Room, retired with the close of the summer school session on August 11.

Miss Crawford, who says she is not a Yankee, but a Hoosier, came to Canyon in 1910 from Indiana, where she was born. From 1912 to 1920, having given up her already established career as a school teacher to begin her work as a dietitian, she cooked for college students in several dining rooms around the campus, including the Bell dining room and Huntley Hall (now Randall Hall). Since 1920 she has been planning menus, ordering supplies, and supervising preparation of every meal at Cousins Hall and of banquets "galore." Moreover, from 1925 to 1933 she supervised the dining rooms at both Cousins and Randall Hall.

Supervision of meals for a hall as big as Cousins, which now accommodates 130 girls, entails hard work in a hot kitchen from 5:30 or 6:00 a. m. to about 8:00 p. m. every day the year round, besides menu planning and checking done at night. In her twenty-five years of work there, Miss Crawford received one two-month vacation in the summer of 1943. She helped many girls financially.

Although wartime lack of enough help severely handicapped Miss Crawford, she continued to serve meals regularly. During the hot summer months this year when she was very short of help, Miss Crawford was instructed that she might leave off the evening meal, but she persisted in serving supper each day, because she was afraid people would think she was "lying down on the job."

During her work at Cousins, Miss Crawford kept a room there, but she has recently moved into her home at 2713 2nd Ave.

Big Freshman Class Hikes the W.T. Enrollment

West Texas State's enrollment is more than 15 per cent over this time last year, with some registration continuing.

The total number of students is approaching 600.

The percentage of men is sharply higher and many servicemen are registering.

Interest in aviation classes is notably brisk.

Freshmen constitute at least half of the student body.

Film Schedule

September 26 through October 2

Wednesday, Sept. 26—1st period Room 105S, "Earth In Motion."

Wednesday, Sept. 26—5th period, Room 1 Ed., "Prevention and Treatment of Athletic Types of Injuries."

Friday, Sept. 28—1 and 5 period, Room 1E, "Hill Towns of Guatemala."

Monday, Oct. 1—2 and 3 periods, Room 1E, "Adventures in Learning This Plastic Age."

Monday, Oct. 1—4th period, Room 1E, "Learn to Swim, Life Saving."

Tuesday, Oct. 2—2nd period, Room 1E, "Adventures in Learning, This Plastic Age."

Tuesday, Oct. 2—3rd period, Room 1E, "Tom, Dick and Harry" (Farming).

Tuesday, Oct. 2—5-6-7 periods, Room 1E, "Learn to Swim, Life Saving."

Graduate Heads Home Agents in Amarillo Session

Miss Doris Leggett, home economics graduate in 1939, was in Amarillo last week presiding over a meeting of home demonstration agents.

Miss Leggett is a district agent from College Station.

CRISLER GOES TO NEBRASKA

Lt. Joe Crisler, Mrs. Crisler, and their son Joe, Jr. were campus visitors last week. Lt. Crisler, a graduate whose home town is Pampa, was en route to a new duty assignment at McCook, Nebr. He will be photographic officer in a very heavy bombardment group. He formerly was stationed at Brownsville.

Lt. Hud Prichard arrived last week from California and has been re-assigned by the Army Air Corps for duties at Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

Lt. Prichard served with the 15th Air Forces overseas before he returned to the States. He was forced down during combat but was fortunate to land in Russian held territory.

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New Teachers



MATILDA GAUME



MARY LEE GUNSTEAD

New teachers of piano are Miss Gaume, of Wichita, Kans., recently of Western Michigan College of Education, and Miss Gunstead, Spring graduate of Texas State College for Women.

Classes Will Meet Today

Senate Posts Are To Be Filled Soon; Frosh Must Elect

Election talks on vacant Student Senate Posts and class officers will be held today at 12 o'clock.

Senate posts now open are Junior senator, Post No. 2 and Sophomore senator, Post No. 1. The office of vice-president of the Sophomore class is to be filled.

For discussions of elections to these positions, the Freshman class will meet in the auditorium; the Sophomore class will meet in Room 203; the Junior class in Room 211; and the Senior class will meet in Room 118.

These offices were vacated because students did not return to school this year and others were not eligible to hold their offices.

Red Cross in Praise of W. T.

Commendation of West Texas State for its cooperation in the summer Red Cross program here has come from Eldon W. Mason of St. Louis, director of the junior division in the midwestern area.

Mrs. Alice Moore, his assistant, who spent a week in Canyon as guest lecturer in Miss Ruth Lowes' course, "Recent Trends in Elementary Education," was quoted as "pleased with the fine preparation Miss Lowes had made for her visit and the splendid cooperation that Miss Lowes and many other faculty members provided, both personally and professionally, during that week."

Miss Novella Goodman is Junior Red Cross chairman for Randall County and Miss Ruth Cross is chairman of the First Aid program.

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War Fund to Be Solicited

Chairman Milton Morris and County Group to Organize on Friday

The Canyon and Randall County drive for the National War Fund will be organized next Friday evening at a county-wide session of workers in the Canyon High School auditorium. The meeting will open at 8:30 o'clock.

Milton Morris, principal of W. T. High, is county chairman and County Agent W. H. Upchurch is vice-chairman. W. E. Bennett is chairman of the Farm Victory Council.

Surrender of Japan brought USO work into a new phase but there remains a vast job until the service men and women are demobilized completely. Boredom overseas has increased with cessation of hostilities. The world situation for USO is as follows:

Europe—Victory in the Orient brought no sharp changes. The Army wants a greatly stepped-up USO program.

Atlantic Seaboard—USO facilities can be reduced, but many installations will remain open for another year.

Alaska—War-established bases will be retained indefinitely. USO has a big job here.

Pacific—A huge USO program is being launched in the Philippines. In Hawaii, USO activities will continue at the present level for at least another year. Isolated island garrisons and the armies of occupation will need more and more camp shows and other services.

U. S. Training Camps—USO will cut its program to Army dimensions, but probably not more than 25 per cent this year. Separation centers need more USO services. Hospitals in this country must be served. Travelers aid services cannot be reduced. But the USO will discontinue mobile services and work in war production centers as conditions permit.

"It is abundantly evident," Prof. Morris said, "that the mission of USO and other War Fund agencies have not been wholly fulfilled. But it will be fulfilled because each volunteer, each staff member, and each member agency recognizes the commitment to carry through to final completion of our joint responsibility. We cannot forget the service men and women, millions of whom will not be back at home for many months."

In the National War Fund drive beginning October 1, 1945—the last to be made—the projected cash requirements to be met will total \$115,000,000.

Randall County has let the state in the last two campaigns.

Former Student Long Prisoner Is Freed at Last

Malcolm Bull, B. S., '40, long a prisoner of the Japanese, has been freed and is in the Philippines, according to a cablegram received here Saturday.

He escaped from Bataan but presumably was taken prisoner in the fall of Corregidor. Only meager messages had been received from him.

With him on Bataan was George Brasuel, agriculture student.

Major Lockhart To Return Soon

Major Vincent Lockhart of Amarillo, W. T. graduate, has returned to this country after more than three years overseas service with the 36th Division. He will be retired to inactive duty at Fort Sam Houston before returning to Canyon to visit his mother.

His father, the late Capt. W. E. Lockhart, was for many years head of the Department of Business Administration.

Major Lockhart was employed on the copy desk of the Globe-News when called to military duty.

Among his decorations is the Bronze Star medal.

Major Britton Is Civilian Again

Major Bill Britton, former W. T. student, has returned to civilian life. With his wife, he plans to make a trip to California and Old Mexico.

He was a sports writer for the Globe-News before beginning his military service. He received many decorations for his work in the Army Air Forces.

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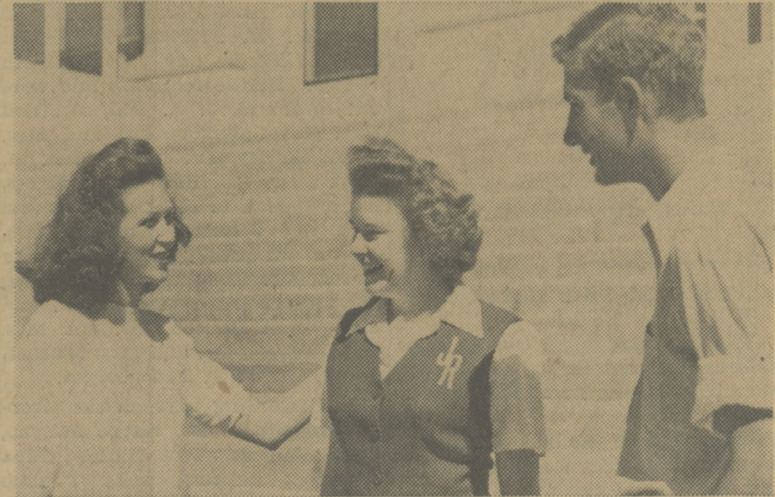
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Student Prexy in Welcome to Fish



TYPICAL GLAD HAND—Student President Winnie Fred Ramage of Borger was on hand early to welcome new students to West Texas State and to expedite organization of classes and other groups. Above, she greets Juanita Reeves of Pampa and Floyd Walton of Dawn. Freshman Reeves, who was editor of her school annual, will study Education. Walton, an agriculture student, drives the Dawn school district bus to the Demonstration School each day.

Frosh Talent Is Displayed At Traditional "Mixer"

Phyllis Perkins Is Toastmistress; Buffalo Swing Band Plays

By VERGIE RUTH HAINES

Freshmen of West Texas State and upperclass leaders gathered at Buffalo Stadium Wednesday night for the traditional "Freshman Mixer." Dr. A. K. Knott was the sponsor.

Opening the program, the Buffalo swing band under the direction of Glenn A. Truax swung out with "Johnson Rag." Charles McDonald, student vice-president, introduced Phyllis Perkins, sophomore from Pampa, who served as chairman for the remainder of the program. For the first freshman performance, Lloyd Johnson of Wheeler sang, "Put Your Arms Around Me," accompanied by the swing band.

Bill Miller of Canyon, Bob Gray of DeLeon, Charles Bell of Hale Center, and Dan McGowan of Hereford, better known as the "Corn Boys," played that old favorite, "Red River Valley," and "Dark Town Strutters Ball." As an expression of all freshman feelings, the band played "Don't Fence Me In." Another freshman, Jane Whicker of Amarillo, sang "Sentimental Journey," accompanied by June Wimberly, freshman from Canyon. Accompanied by Mary Hodges, junior from Canyon, Dick Fleming, freshman from Cleveland, Ohio, dedicated "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp" to the boys in Stafford Hall.

The student manager of the Buffaloes, James Scott, sophomore from Amarillo, introduced all the football boys and Coach Miller, music furnished by the Band, Candy Miller, freshman from Canyon, tap danced, after which the assemblage vocalized on "On, On, Buffaloes."

The cheer leaders, Nadyne Coker of Crosbyton, Mary Henslee of Hereford, and Evelyn Elliott and LaNell Ekelund of Amarillo, led the pep rally and activities there after. For what is known as the "Shoe Mix," freshman boys were asked to assemble on the football field and remove their shoes. As the boys moved to the side lines, many shoes were mixed and tied together. Your idea as to the object of the scramble which followed is as good as mine.

Parading in twos, threes, fours, fives, and what have you to "Polly Waddle Doodle," the freshmen participated in their first class project, "The Grand March."

"Alma Mater" closed the program.

Women's Choral Periods Listed

The following rehearsal periods have been announced for the Women's Chorus:

Mondays—1:45 p. m.

Wednesdays—4:30 p. m.

Miss Pauline Brigham, director, is inviting college girls to report at one of these periods.

Lt. Standley Is Home Discharged

Lt. Fred M. Standley arrived home recently with his discharge.

Lt. Standley, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Standley, has been in the service 2½ years and in England for 17 months.

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Senate and Faculty Group To Regulate New Facility

Recreation Room and Lounge Are Limited to College Folk, Guests

By JOHNNIE FAY CRESENS

To formulate tentative regulations for the management of the newly established Student Union Building, a special committee has drafted a set of rules, subject to any changes which later may be necessary.

Composed of the Faculty Committee on Student Welfare and the Student Senate, the group planned to place an idea box in the recreation and lounge room of the Building so that suggestions for club improvement may be discussed and acted upon.

Here are other Student Union decisions made by the governing organization:

Open Monday through Friday from 30 minutes before the first morning class until 30 minutes before dormitories close, the recreation and lounge room may be used only by college students, ex-students, faculty members, and their guests. The snack bar and sales department installed in the commercial side of the Building, with closing time 30 minutes earlier than that of the lounge, will not be so restricted.

Close Saturday Afternoon
Except in the event of a football game or other special occasion, the Building will be closed Saturday afternoons; it will re-open Sunday afternoons from 2 to 6 o'clock.

Included in the facilities to be available in the lounge are a piano, nickelodeon, reading material and games—cards, checkers, dominoes and table tennis.

Although there will be no scheduled dances, dancing will be permitted at any time except Sunday.

One night a week, (yet to be designated), the Union Building will be reserved for West Texas High. The management will be responsible for checking in and out table games and equipment.

Senators Convey Student Vote
Representing the students at Monday's meeting were: Winnie Fred Ramage, Student Association president; Charles McDonald, Student Senate president; Walden Dorris, secretary-treasurer; Mary Henslee, Senior Senate post representative of post number one; Audrey Lambden and Evelyn Elliott, junior senators; LaNell Ekelund and Phyllis Perkins, sophomore senators; and James Scott, representing Bill Allen.

Faculty members present were President J. A. Hill, Dr. B. F. Fronabarger, Jr., Dr. A. K. Knott, Dr. Harris M. Cook, Dr. Lee L. Johnson, F. E. Savage, Mitchell Jones, Lee Gilmore, Miss Edna Graham and Virgil Henson.

Lt. T. B. Jones in San Francisco

Puget Sound Navy Yard, Bremerton, Wash.—Lt. (jg) Thomas B. Jones, Jr., Dental Corps, USNR, of Amarillo, Texas, has been transferred to temporary duty at San Francisco after one month of duty in the Naval Dispensary of the Puget Sound Navy Yard, Bremerton, Washington, where the mightiest warships of the Pacific Fleet are repaired and overhauled.

His wife has been with him in Bremerton. His father, also a dentist, lives at 2219 Harrison Street in Amarillo.

Dr. Jones was graduated in 1939 from Amarillo High School and in 1944 with the degree of doctor of dental surgery from the Baylor University College of Dentistry at Dallas, Texas. He also attended Amarillo Junior College and West Texas State College at Canyon.

Peru Honors Dr. Ples Harper

In recognition of his good work in the Peruvian North American Institute, Dr. Ples Harper—a W. T. graduate—has been given the "Orden del Sol." This is regarded as an unusual honor.

Dr. Harper, who received the Ph. D. degree in the University of Peru, has written friends that he expects to return to this country by Christmas. He has interesting plans which cannot yet be announced, he added.

Before going to Peru, Dr. Harper taught in the Phoenix, Ariz. school system.

CHANGE IN EXAMS COMING

Beginning October 1, physical examinations will be given from 12:30 to 1:30 o'clock instead of 1:30 to 2:30 o'clock, it was announced today.

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Regulations

Here are Rules for Operation of New Student Union Building

The following regulations for guidance of the management of the new Student Union Building have been adopted by a student-faculty committee:

1. The Recreation and Lounge Room of the Student Union Building will be used by all college students, ex-students, faculty members, and their guests.

2. A snack bar for sandwiches and soft drinks will be placed in the commercial side of the building. The lunch counter and sales department will not be restricted.

3. There will be a piano for music or group singing placed in the Recreation and Lounge Room.

4. There will be a nickelodeon and dancing will be permitted at any hour the building is open except on Sunday—there will be no dancing on Sunday. There will be no scheduled dances at any time.

5. One night a week will be set aside for the W. T. High School's use. The night is to be decided later.

6. Table games including table tennis, cards, checkers, and dominoes will be provided.

7. The Student Union Building is to be kept open from thirty minutes before the first class in the morning and thirty minutes before dormitories close at night. Counter service will stop one hour before the dormitories close in order to give managers and student assistants time to finish closing and get to the dormitories before they close.

8. The Student Union Building will be closed on Saturday afternoons unless there is a special occasion such as a football game. It will open on Sunday afternoon from two until six.

9. The management will be responsible for checking in and out table games and equipment.

10. An attempt will be made to provide newspapers, magazines, etc. for leisure time reading.

Reporters for All Groups on Campus Urged

The Prairie has issued a call for all organizations to elect reporters and to certify these to the campus newspaper.

Because of a shortage of trained student writers, each organization is asked to make one of its members responsible for reports to The Prairie. Responsibility for having articles in the newspaper office on time will be that of the designated organization reporters.

Names of the reporters should be filed at The Prairie office immediately.

Jobs Are Open; Who Wishes to Be an Editor?

Applications for places on The Prairie and Le Mirage staffs are desired this week, according to Olin E. Hinkle, faculty sponsor.

Editorships of both publications are still open, and no business manager appointments have been made. Because of a shortage of trained writers and photographers, persons of little previous experience will be considered this year.

More information may be obtained at the Publications Office, Room 17, where the Book Store formerly was located.

Graduate Will Study Music in New York City

Robert Axtell of Amarillo, graduate in sociology in 1940, is in New York to study music at the Juillard Institute. He recently was discharged by the Army.

Mr. Axtell served in an Army medical unit for 3½ years, most of the time in Hawaii.

FREED STAYS IN ARMY

Major C. W. Freed, who is on leave as head of the Speech Department, has written from Marburg on Laken, Germany, that he does not expect to return to the campus during the present long session.

He said he would return in a September, but not before 1946.

Back the Buffaloes; They Play for You and Give Their Best; Tulsa Is Next

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 second-class matter at the post office in Canyon, Texas, under the act of March 8, 1879.

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THE BACKGROUND OF THE CHAPEL PROJECT

West Texas State has always recognized the essential place of sound religion in education and in life. It is realized that all genuine progress, whether of the individual or of the nation, is rooted in moral and spiritual values and that it is a major function of colleges to promote understanding of these values.

It is a rather generally admitted fact that the whole world is now groggy and that its leaders are groping for a path away from disaster. Such a path can be found and followed only if the majority of the people desire it—only if most of us accept the basic importance of the Christian virtues.

The American political system wisely separates church and state, but it was never intended to divorce morals from either public or private practices. Hence, the state institutions cannot support formal religion—that is, denominationalism—but they must give emphasis to spiritual as well as intellectual values.

With these convictions in mind, West Texas State earnestly solicits both the moral and the financial support of the people in a program whose purpose is to clarify, deepen, strengthen, and enrich the spiritual life of youth.

Plans are well advanced to erect on the campus a small, beautiful, worship-inspiring chapel whose very appearance will suggest the State's recognition of God's place in human affairs. We want it to remind students, and even casual visitors, of the supremacy of Divine Law. We want it to provide a quiet retreat where faculty and students may go for private meditation and prayer. We want it to provide a sacred atmosphere for special religious programs at various times during the year. We want it to be used by ministers of the area for private conferences with students, by the Student Christian Association for its regular meetings, and by young people who desire to assume the holy vows of matrimony. We want it to provide a sacred organ concert each Sunday, and we want its chimes to ring out over the campus periodically, proclaiming in music the faith of our fathers. These and other uses will give moral and spiritual tone to our campus and will exert an unfailing influence toward sound character. This building, adequately furnished, will cost approximately \$50,000.

To achieve the ends here described, West Texas State also needs ministerial scholarships to enable young men to get their educational foundation for the ministry. It needs a larger library of religious and inspirational literature. And funds are needed to bring to the campus each year several outstanding religious leaders for lectures and conferences.

This program is no new placement of interest, but rather an effort to broaden and deepen the religious aspects of education on the campus. West Texas State long has had some of the most active young people's religious groups in Texas. Its faculty includes outstanding religious leaders. Its annual Religious Emphasis Week is but an intensification, for emphasis, of a recognition of the worth of spiritual values in every week of the year.

OUTLOOK FOR TEXAS EDUCATION

Although educational authorities will not hazard an estimate as to total expenditures for public education in Texas, enough figures have been made available by the State Comptroller and other sources to show that the public schools and state colleges face the brightest year in their history from a financial standpoint.

The Comptroller estimates that the 35 cent state levy should produce \$12,155,583 this year, and revenue from 43 other sources is expected to amount to \$34,664,725, affording a total of \$46,820,308 for the public schools. The principal sources of this income and respective amounts are: Motor fuel levy, \$10,865,000; crude oil production, \$7,492,101; poll tax, \$1,200,000; cigars, \$2,909,475; liquor, \$1,815,750; beer, \$739,250; interest on school fund securities, \$2,790,000; insurance company occupation, \$1,502,000; casinghead gas, \$812,500; auto sales, \$500,000; cosmetics, \$100,450; utilities, \$312,000; sulphur, \$625,000; store levies, \$322,000; telephones, \$300,000, and vending machines, \$65,500.

Further state assistance for rural schools, amounting to \$14,000,000 last year, will be extended in the supplemental aid appropriation of \$28,000,000 for the biennium. The Legislature also allocated \$300,000 for education of handicapped children and \$1,259,000 for vocational training. Federal grants, which in wartime have amounted to \$6,000,000 a year, will be extended the public schools. And the biennial appropriation for higher educational institutions is \$25,563,449.

State aid for public schools is supplemented by local tax revenue in the school districts, and educators estimate that the total income from that source is approximately the same as state aid, which for 1,500,000 scholastics will amount to \$45,000,000 for the next school year.

If the overall cost of public education in Texas may seem formidable, the expenditure is not high when it is calculated for the individual student designed to be served by the public schools and state colleges. In the approaching scholastic year, the enrollments of tax-supported educational institutions in Texas should be increased materially by returning war veterans.—Star-Telegram.

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Marines Taking Men for 4-Year Enlistments Now

Men 17 to 25 may enlist in the Marine Corps regardless of their draft status. If a person is in good physical condition, he may enlist in the Marine Corps for four years, any time prior to actual induction. The Marine Corps will notify the draft board that the person has joined the Marine Corps.

Men up to 32 years of age, with previous military experience, may also join the Marine Corps. The previous service will count on longevity.

Anyone interested may call or

write the Marine Recruiting Office, Post Office Building, Lubbock, Texas.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
The Church of Christ of Canyon is inviting all students on the campus to its services each Sunday. On Sunday morning Bible classes begin at 10 o'clock and church services at 10:45. Young People's meeting begins at 7:45 and the evening services are at 8:30 o'clock. Mid-week prayer meeting is at 8:30 o'clock.

A new pastor, Lyle Bonner, will conduct the services. The church is located at the corner of 17th and 3rd streets.

Glue is made from the hoofs of cattle.

WORDS

N. G.

Words are things—Byron

It's a Good Trick If You Can Do It!

The successful self-made man tells us that in order to be a success, we must keep our nose to the grindstone, put our ear to the ground, keep our eye on the ball, our tongue in our cheek; keep a stiff upper lip, our shoulder to the wheel, our feet planted in our convictions; then we must hitch our wagon to a star, tighten our belt another notch, lift ourselves by our bootstraps, keep a sharp watch for opportunities, stay in harness, and then we will get a finger in the pie, and have the world by the tail!—Sagermann, in the "Saturday Review of Literature."

"No soap," said an American in London, with our usual non-sapona-ceous significance. "Bless you," said the London lady, "we've not had any for ever so long."—Franklin P. Adams, in "Harper's," August, 1945.

Hartwell Stuart Shippey, "an amateur philosopher with semi-pro leanings," is quoted in a "New Yorker" Profile, in summarizing his career:

"Having nothing better to do, I joined forces with a smart real-estate speculator who needed a front man. I posed as a retired varnish manufacturer with lots of money to invest, and the speculator, a competent vulgarian . . . , arranged swaps between me and ranch owners, or between me and apartment - house owners. One month I'd want to swap an apartment house for a ranch, and the next month I'd want to swap a ranch for an apartment house. The speculator pretended to serve as a disinterested go-between and always managed to get the best of the opposite party in the deal. In those days I had so much contempt for the capitalist system, for people trying to make money, that I felt no moral qualms. I just lived well and went on reading, which seemed the right thing for a retired varnish manufacturer to do.

"I waded through Epictetus, Plotinus, James Branch Cabell, Henry Cabot Lodge, Henry Mencken, Spengler, all kinds of people, and some of it stuck. I was thirty-six or thirty-seven by then. I'd left romanticism behind, and I was about halfway through being a cynic. I was taking a long time getting educated, but look at my rotten bringing up."

Shippey's rotten bringing up included learning the alphabet at two, reading "Black Beauty" at three and Darwin at six.

Dear Mother,

I couldn't write Saturday because we had a basketball game. I couldn't write Sunday because we went to church. I couldn't write Monday because we had a written test Tuesday. I couldn't write Tuesday because we had a written test.

I am writing today.

Love,
Wallace.

—"Saturday Review," Sept. 1, 1945.

"The unity so much desired today will not come out of any one brain or any one book. It will be a collective result; others will see its clear outlines; we shall not. Its coming will depend on the convergence of a million minds, provided these are now busy doing, instead of groaning for the completed edifice to which they themselves should bring some handiwork. The great architect is History, and contrary to childish

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or

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Faculty and Students Meet

Annual Event Is Changed to Provide Brief Receiving Line

Handshaking and the usual pleasantries marked the annual faculty reception to students at Cousins Hall on Saturday evening.

Greeters chosen were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Morris, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Nicklaus, Mrs. Oma Wilson Ford, and Mrs. Edwin Brown. In the receiving line were Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Hill, Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Jarrett, Dr. and Mrs. D. A. Shirley, Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Meyer, Dr. and Mrs. A. K. Knott, Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Sheffy, Dr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson, Dr. and Mrs. Harris M. Cook, Mrs. Geraldine Green, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Savage, Dr. and Mrs. Roy Boger, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Henson, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Jones, Dr. B. F. Pronabarger.

The following were on the steering committee: Dr. Mattie Swayne, Chairman, Dr. Ira Barlow, Miss Margaret Barrett, Miss Pauline Brigham, Miss Maude Cuenod, Miss Helen White Moore, and Miss Isabel Robinson.

The refreshment committee included Miss Elizabeth Cox, chairman, Mr. Boone McClure, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Goodman, Miss Katie McCluney Mrs. Tommie Montfort, Miss Adele Barnes, and Miss Novella Goodman.

In the Red Room and Lounge were: Miss Ruth Cross, chairman, Miss Hellen Hickman, Dr. Hattie Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Haggard, Miss Ruth Lowes, Miss Mae Simmons, and Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Condon.

The Recreation Room group included Dr. C. A. Pierle, Miss Agnes Charlton, Miss Darthula Walker, Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Heard, Miss Linnie Babston, Miss Bertie Mae Williams, Miss Alberta Stephenson, Mrs. Linnie Harter, Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Jarrett, Jr., Miss Gladys Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Baker, Dr. and Mrs. Wallace Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Coffee, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Duffot, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gillis, Miss Edna Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Olin Hinkle, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. McCarter, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Miller, Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Moore, Mrs. Hester G. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Truax, Miss Darthula Walker, Miss Anita Good-

desires History appoints no press agent to publicize its plans. There is no lack of unity in our intellectual life, but too many men lack faith in their own relation to it."—Jacques Barzun, "The Teacher in America."

"Wisdom reacheth from one end to another mightily; and sweetly doth she order all things. . . . If a man desire much experience, she knoweth things of old, and conjectureth aright what is to come. . . . —"Wisdom of Solomon."

And when they bore me overmuch, I will not shake mine ears, Recalling many thousand such whom I have bored to tears. And when they labour to impress, I will not doubt nor scoff; Since I myself have done no less and—sometimes pulled it off. —Kipling, "A Pilgrim's Way."

"What I like in a good author is not what he says, but what he whispers."—Logan Pearsall Smith, "Afterthoughts."

O money, money, money, I am not necessarily one of those who think thee holy, But I often stop to wonder how thou canst go out so fast when thou comest in so slowly. —Ogden Nash.

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Two Offers For Single Purpose

Pleased but perplexed, Dr. J. A. Hill now wonders how he can accept two \$800 gifts to the proposed West Texas State chapel under identical terms.

Each donor wants to pay for the memorial window back of the altar. Cash and pledges in the chapel campaign now total about \$15,000, Dr. Hill said. The goal is \$50,000.

Mrs. Brewster Is Named Agent

Mrs. Kate Donnell Brewster has resigned her position with the Amarillo public schools and accepted the position of Home Demonstration Agent of Hutchinson county. She has moved to Borger with her baby, where she will make her home.

Her office will be at the court house in Stinnett.

Mrs. Brewster taught in the Canyon schools last year, but resigned to accept the position in the Amarillo schools. She took her Masters degree in Texas Tech this summer, which makes her eligible for the Home Demonstration position.

Chapel Endorsed By Chamber of Commerce Board

To the People of Canyon and Randall County:

The Board of directors of the Canyon Chamber of Commerce has given considerable study to the current campaign for money with which to build a chapel on the campus of West Texas State. Individually and collectively we believe thoroughly in this project. Certainly its objectives are entirely praiseworthy and we confidently believe that if carried to completion this program will do great good for the town and county for the college, and for all the youth who come this way. This campaign presents an exceptional opportunity for our people to demonstrate again their interest in and loyalty to the welfare of the youth of Northwest Texas. We hope that our citizens of all classes and religious affiliations and even those without such affiliations will contribute liberally to this most worthy enterprise.

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Buffaloes Lost to Baylor 32-0; Long Passes Costly

Bears Hurl Five Teams Against Tired Locals; W. T. Men Fight Hard
By DALE DE SHAZO

At first, it looked like a well-matched game, but the tiring Buffaloes fell victims to Baylor's numbers and 50-yard passes and lost at Waco Saturday night, 32 to 0.

In the first fifteen minutes of the game, the Buffs held their own and Baylor put everything out to reach the line of scrimmage. However, continuous substitutions were made as Baylor's squad of some 60 players sat on the bench waiting their turn. Almost every play resulted in a new substitution for the Bears, but a determined West Texas team stood ready for them on every play.

The group of Buffalo supporters was over-joyed as Rogers, Stafford, Bledsoe, and Hedges made gains to land on the Baylor 20-yard line early in the game. The crowd was again brought to its feet in the first period as the first pass of the night was completed to Don Leach, W. T. right end.

After battling Baylor's starters on even or better terms most of that first quarter, the Buffs saw the Bears mark up their first touchdown as Sammy Pierce ran 69 yards, and Jack Price made the last few yards on the next play.

Scoreless Third Period
Two more Baylor scores came in the second quarter, with Price passing 40 yards to Stoney Cotton and Ray Painter passing to Alonzo Robertson, over the goal line. The Buffs stiffened in the third period and stopped the Bruin rush. But in the last period, Price passed again to Cotton for 39 yards and

a score. Painter passed to Joiner for the last tally.

Deserving a great deal of credit for the Buffs is Don Leach, sophomore end from Wellington. Leach played a great game offensively and defensively. More than once Leach brought down a raging Baylor lad to prevent a score. A. D. Shaver at center showed that he had what it took to keep the sparks flying a full 60 minutes. Two other players one can depend on anytime were J. D. Lynch and Dwaine Lyons, starting guards. Helping them were Cullas Henderson, taking John White's place in the first period, and Bob Terry at the tackle positions. On the left end of the line were "Moose" Glasgow and Lloyd Johnson alternating in play and giving those Baylor Bears trouble every minute.

W. T. Subs Are Few
Substitutions for West Texas were few but those players also turned in a great game. Substitutions included Lloyd Johnson, end; Greenfield, back; A. Stafford, tackle; and Bradford, back.

A small but enthusiastic crowd of W. T. supporters made the trip and were every moment standing behind those hard fighting West Texas State Buffaloes.

Creating interest during the time-out periods were the actions of the Baylor Freshmen. Dressed in paper skirts and grease paint, the Freshman boys ran foot races and fought the Baylor U. mascot, a half-grown bear. Then at the half came the famous shoe race of the freshmen.

Buffalo starters:
Left end, Glasgow; left tackle, White; left guard, Lyons, center, Shaver; right guard, Lynch; right tackle, Terry; right end, Leach;

These Men Are Carrying the Ball for W. T.



Presenting . . . the 1945 Buffalo football squad, with the exception of a few late arrivals.

Front row, left to right—Cullas Henderson, Gene Burns, J. D. Lynch, Lloyd Johnson, Arley Stafford, Hoss Bledsoe, Kenneth Glasgow, Bill Wheeler, Bob Terry, John White, and John Cubine.

Second row, left to right—Coach W. W. (Windy) Nicklaus, A. D. Shaver, Dwaine Lyons, Gene Mayberry, Billy Greenfield, Willard Hedges, Dave Browder, Jack Tidmore, Sedley Levy, Jimmy Terrell, Karl Meyers, and Coach W. A. (Gus) Miller.

Back row, left to right—Don Leach, Leonard Logan (withdrawn), John Truelove, Dan McGowan, Hap Rogers, Glen Stafford, Charles McDonald, Dellas Pugh, R. L. Smith, and Clovis Hill.

Mail Overseas Parcels Soon

Red Cross Gives Advice as to Desirable Articles to Men Serving Overseas

Christmas parcels for the Army Personnel overseas must be mailed during the period beginning Sept. 15, 1945 and ending Oct. 15, 1945. However in a statement intended to lighten the burden of Army Postal Units, General Eisenhower predicted that only 700,000 of the 3,100,000 troops in the European Theater of Operations would be left there by New Years day. He urged servicemen's families to hold up Christmas parcels, "if it appears the soldiers will be on their way home by Christmas." During the period stated above, request from addressees are not required for Christmas parcels mailed to Army personnel. Each parcel should be endorsed "Christmas Parcel." Since Navy, Coast Guard and Marine Corps personnel may receive parcels without a request at any time of the year, it is not the policy of the Navy Department to encourage the mailing of parcels during any particular period each year. The Navy Department suggests, however that Christmas parcels be mailed not later than Oct. 15, to afford some degree of probability of delivery prior to Christmas Day. The War and Navy Departments points out that members of the armed forces are amply provided with food and clothing and the public is urged not to include such matter in gift parcels. Christmas parcels may not exceed 5 lbs. in weight or 15 inches in length or 36 inches in length and girth combined. Not more than one Christmas parcel may be mailed in any one week when sent by or on behalf of the same person or concern to or for the same addressee.

The Navy Department, in announcing the results of a survey made by the Navy Mail Service, states that the Navy men prefer above all else to receive letters, but that of gifts the ten preferred in order of their popularity are:

1. Photographs.
2. Canned snack foods (such as olives, sardines, nuts, etc).
3. Books.
4. Writing cases or portfolios.
5. Service watches.
6. Good pipes.
7. Pens.
8. Engraved identification tags.
9. Waterproof wallets.
10. Cigarette lighters.

The five most disappointing articles to find in a package from home, in the order of their unpopularity are:

1. Candy.
2. Cake.

They were indicted on Aug. 22 for the murder of City Detective Lem Savage. Both are now serving federal prison sentences. Thompson is serving 99 years for kidnapping a young Amarillo woman in his escape from Amarillo after the shooting of Detective Savage. Day is serving five years for interstate automobile theft.

Health Center Wants a Mice Catcher, Any Sex

WANTED: One cat, loving in disposition but cruel to mice. The College Health Center is currently cat-less, but not mice-less. The cat that was is now the cat that isn't. And assuming that the family cat has no intention to return, the Health Center would be grateful for the gift of a mice catcher, of either sex.

GETS DISCHARGE

Lt. Bob Ziegler arrived home recently and is in civilian clothes. He received his discharge at San Antonio, and has started to West Texas State. His terminal leave does not expire until October 2, after which he is eligible to the benefits of the G-I Bill.

TULSA FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Tulsa, Okla.—Athletic Director Henry Frnka released the revised 1945 University of Tulsa football schedule today.

Home Games

Sept. 29—West Texas State College (Night)
Oct. 6—Drake University (Night)
Oct. 20—University of Nevada
Nov. 17—Baylor University (Homecoming)
Nov. 22—University of Arkansas
Games Away
Oct. 13—Texas Tech (at Lubbock) (Night)
Oct. 27—University of Indiana (at Bloomington)
Nov. 10—Oklahoma A. & M. (at Stillwater)

The boll weevil entered Texas from Mexico in 1892 and was first found in cotton fields around Brownsville.

Eskimos eat blubber from whales and other sea animals.

Tech Reports Grid Worries

But Lubbock School Has Ten Lettermen—and Walter Schlinkman

With weight, height and experience generally lacking, Coach Dell Morgan's Texas Tech football team is shaping slowly from 82 aspirants.

Of the men reporting only 13 are experienced in college football. The 69 freshmen are willing but small. The ax fell on eleven last Wednesday, a dozen more Thursday and others gradually will leave.

Morgan has ten lettermen and two other squadmen from last year. There's little height for pass defense in the backfield and only four candidates scale 200 pounds or more.

The team will function around Walter Schlinkman, five foot, eight inch 180-pound Dumas fullback who received honorable All-America mention last year and played in the All Star game in Chicago last month.

T. M. Cox, third year man from Muleshoe, will be in the backfield again, although lacking weight. Gene Hardey, 6-2 sophomore letterman from Hugoton, Kan., is the only tall backfield veteran. Spider Dillon, also a 6-2er from Winslow, Ark., has been shifted from end to back because of his passing. Beaumont's Cecil Norris, 5-7 and 160 pounds is another returned letterman halfback, as is Floyd Shahan, Graham.

In the line the Red Raider lettermen are: Joe Snodgrass, 17, Brownfield tackle who tips the scales at 276 pounds; Otis Turner, Wink center, war veteran; Floyd Lawhorn, Temple, last year's starting center, shifted to guard; and Clyde Black, Cooper tackle.

James Gimmell, 220-pound 6-1 tackle from Littlefield, a 1944 squadman, is expected to fill a regular line post. Chester Jackson, slender 6-1 Monument, N. M., former high school star on the 1944 squad, returned to find himself shifted from end to the backfield.

3. Cookies.
4. Fancy shaving kits.
5. Cigarettes.

The reasons given were that the food is usually inedible upon arrival, that there is no way to carry and stow the toilet kits and that Navy men are issued an ample supply of cigarettes.

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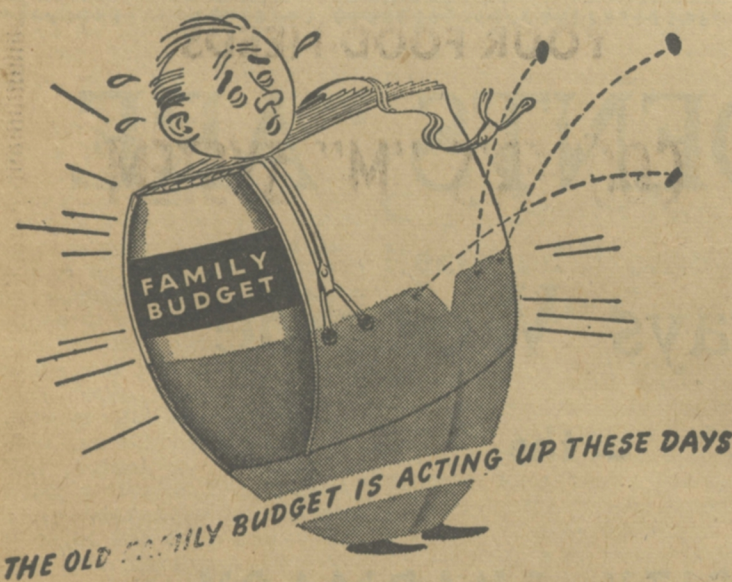
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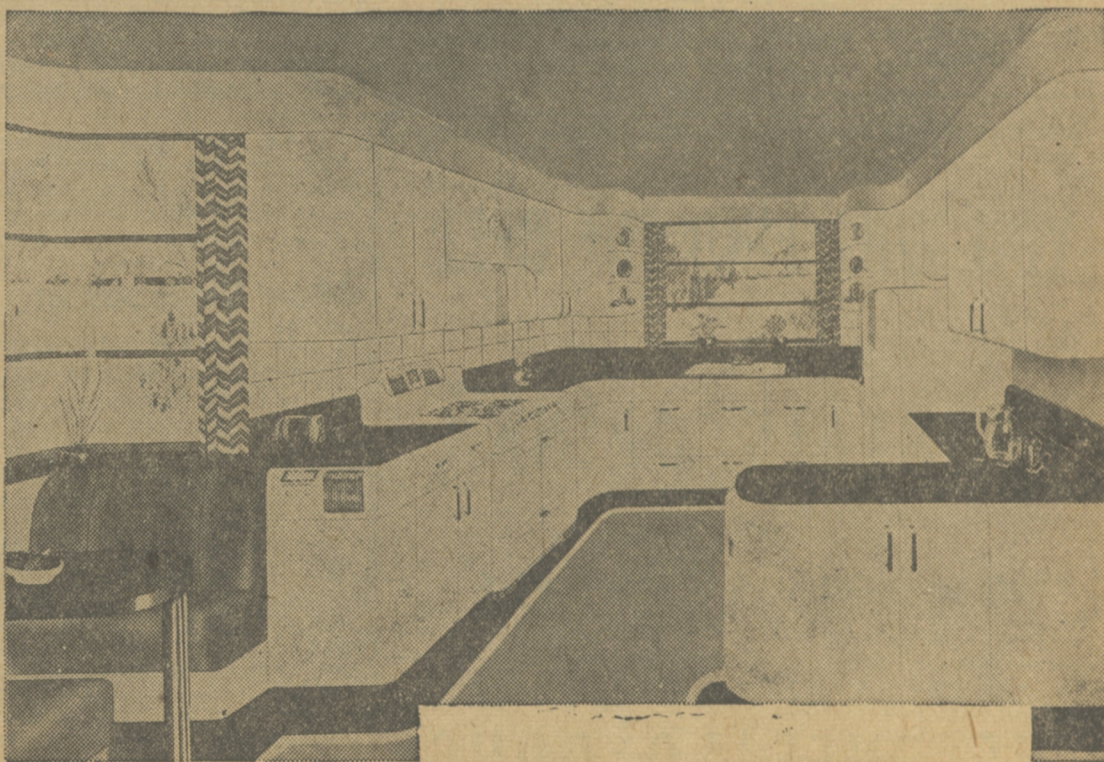


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NEWS OF WEST TEXAS HIGH SCHOOL

Calves Trample Bobcats 12-0

Touchdowns Run By Ewton and Jennings In Friday's Contest

The W. T. Calves, playing host to the Dimmitt Bobcats, opened their grid season with a 12-0 win Friday night.

Fullback Merle Ewton carried the ball over the hard-fought-for goal line in the first score of the game. Even though the Bobcats came out on the small end of the score, they put up a terrific fight all through the game. The second touchdown was made by Zeke Jennings, quarterback for the calves. Attempts made for extra point failed.

Twice during the game the Calves fumbled the ball with the Bobcats recovering. Each time it happened on the 50 yard line. The Calves were also penalized 15 yards in the third quarter. Despite all the bad breaks and hard luck, the Calves made 17 first downs to the Bobcats' 13, and gained 181 yards to the Bobcats' 134.

During the fourth quarter, the Bobcats made the hardest attack on the Calves and gained more yardage, but with every try for the goal line the 'Cats were met with a stiff line of opposition to break. The ability of the Calves to work together won the game.

The starting line-up for each: Calves—R. E. Russell, R. T. Airhart, R. G. Axe, C. Knighton, L. G. Bol-Jennings, L. H. Hunter, R. H. Stone, F. Ewton. Bobcats—R. E. Barron, R. T. Eubanks, R. G. Brannon, C. Frye, L. G. Johnson, L. T. Smithson, L. E. Howell, Q. Mooney, L. H. T. Harrison, R. H. Stevenson, F. J. Harrison.

Good Plays Mark Summer Session

Summer school for W. T. High School began June 6 with one of the largest summer enrollments on record. Students attended from all parts of Texas, New Mexico, and Oklahoma. There were 128 students enrolled.

Outstanding events of the summer were a number of plays by the speech department and sponsored by Mrs. Montfort, and a personality king and queen contest. The winning king, Carole Chisum of Pampa, and queen, Bette Seay of Tulsa, were crowned at a formal dance for the high school students in Cousins Hall ballroom.

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Welcome!

Welcome to school days at W. T. Back to hours of studying and whatever else goes with school. There are several new students from different parts of the country going to school here, and it is the duty of those who have been here before to make them feel at home and to fit right into our set-up.

We have plenty of recreation, in football games and such, in the offering. We are rather proud of our Alma Mater; and if you don't already, you'll soon grow to love the W. T. Campus.

Yes, we welcome you who are now strangers because it takes students from other places to make our school what it should be. They bring with them ideas from their schools, which when combined with ours will improve W. T. and in turn add something to our lives. Now that summer is over, we're ready to get back in the groove of school life, its miseries and good times.

News of Our Teachers

Miss Wilma Herring from Robstown, Texas, near Corpus Christi, has taken the place of Miss Ruth Ford as head of the Homemaking Department. Miss Herring has been dietitian at Memorial Hospital in Cheyenne, Wyo., during the past year. She said, "I have great plans for the Homemaking classes of W. T., especially the boys' class."

Mrs. Mary Sligar is back from Washington, D. C., where she has been the last year. She again fills her position as second grade teacher.

Miss Mae Simmons is back on the campus again after teaching several years as head of the primary department in an Amarillo school. She has been a student here and has often taught here in the summer. The first grade is taught by Miss Simmons this year.

Two new piano teachers are Miss Mary Matilda Gaume of Wichita, Kansas, and Miss Mary Lee Gunstead of Eldorado.

To all these teachers, oldtimers and new, we give a hearty welcome to W. T. schools.

Dear Freshmen:

Come right into dear old W. T. High School and make yourselves at home. After Upper-Classman Day you'll be just like the rest of us. Oh, yes, you will!

Upper-Classman Day? That's when you get . . . an initiation is hardly the word for it. Just ask someone who knows! Or maybe you already know from experience. Does shoe-polishing, carrying books, and cleaning out lockers sound familiar to any of you boys? And that isn't all by any means! You wait; you'll have your day come April 1. Maybe I shouldn't tell you until you cool down a bit. Just sit tight and take your medicine. That's my advice, and don't skip school that day because—well, wouldn't you really be disappointed if you missed out on the fun? Now wouldn't you? But really we're glad to have you and couldn't do without you. Here's my sympathy, kids, good luck!

Ford Herds Calves As Football Coach

The team and students of W. T. High School extend hearty welcome and support to the new football coach, "Monk" Ford. A graduate of Canyon High School, Monk has had experience in military service and has played on the college football team. This is his first coaching position.

The student body looks forward eagerly to a good season and will back the boys and their coach to the last.

Seniors of '45 Are Scattered

Nineteen Graduates in W. T.; Others Enroll Elsewhere, Take Jobs

Out of the seniors last year who are going to school, nineteen are enrolled in West Texas State College. They are Laura Ruth Glenn, Jean Smith, Gene Armstrong, Bill Clark, Ann Hollenstein, Kenneth Goodman, Mildred Hunnicutt, A. B. Smith, Candy Miller, Ann McCabe, Arless Oglesby, Bill Miller, Laverne Hutchison, LaWanda Moore, Mary Gamble, and E. W. Womble.

Billy Joe Hood is going here and driving the Tierra Blanca bus to and from school. Floyd Walton is driving the Dawn bus and is enrolled in W. T. S. C. Betty and Peggy Jackson have separated. Betty is enrolled here, and Peggy is going to McMurry College in Abilene. Wanda Lee Loyd is in dentist training in Chicago, Illinois. Troyce Riddle, Irving SoRelle, Wilburn Oglesby, and Frank Hine are in the army. Dottie Boling is attending Wayland College in Plainview. Dorothy Costly Garton is in the Civil Service Office in Amarillo. Betty McAllister is also employed in Amarillo.

Louise Lowe has followed in her sister's footsteps and is enrolled in the Western Union Training in Amarillo. Margaret Wetsel, in Amarillo, is a telephone operator. Marcella Luke is in college at Fort Worth, and Neal Jennings is in California at Pepperdine. Nelda Holbert has ventured as far as California to go to school. Gertrude Fischbacher has gone off the deep end and got married. She is living in New Mexico. Dorothy McAfee is in the Cadet Nurse Corps in Galveston. Another nurse in the group is Marjorie Knott, enrolled in St. Anthony's hospital in Amarillo. Clara Frische is residing at her home in Umbarger. Some more of W. T.'s students are on their own in the world. This group is off to a good start, and we send them our best wishes to continue thus.

Kampus Klatter

Gather round all you slick chicks and glad lads and get your nose in the old gossip column. We're all ready to start this year off with a bang. Let's put W. T. on the map by making this year like one we've never had before!

Before we get too involved in our thrilling year to come let's review the happenings of June, July, and August. To top everything, we had a very surprising wedding. The bride was none other than our own Margie LaFon, who is now Mrs. Glenn Stafford! Quite a twosome, no?

We are truly glad to see one romance still budding after all those horrid summer months, namely Lee Amason and Billie Gill.

Max Dutton seems to have been stung by the love-bug in the case of Maxine Barnard.

Among our vacationers was Billie Byars, who spent her time in Raton, N. M., making friends with everyone, especially a certain young man by the name of Gus. Incidentally, this Gus was one of Canyon's recent visitors.

Virginia Hunter is no longer a man-hater or a man-hunter since she has found Jack Tidmore over in the college. (These redheads who know how to "capture" a college man!)

Margaret Hand? "Pigtails" is the title she is going by. Well, wouldn't you if you had beautiful pigtails?

Leta McNutt has those new glasses made for the eyes, but nevertheless she uses them for added attraction with which to charm Ken Stone.

To Kathleen Heffner this has been a dull vacation. After all, Kathleen, you can't be in a land of enchantment all the time.

Here we have two prominent freshmen keeping up the other's morale. It looks like—and it is—Pat Miller and Sallie Womble.

Sybil Gillis vacationed in Florida, and who wouldn't if she had half a chance.

If we didn't catch up with you this time, just you wait! And in case you know some nice juicy talk, won't you let this little birdie in on it so I can tell everyone I know.

New Courses in Fall Curriculum

This year, for the first time in two years, W. T. High has had new courses added to its curriculum of affiliated credits. The new courses include trigonometry, solid geometry, bookkeeping, social science, and boys' homemaking.

In addition to the new courses there are changes in the location of the classrooms. The art class is now being held in the agriculture room, while the high school typing has been moved to the college.

Miss Roxana Ruth Ford, the Homemaking teacher of last year, has gone to Ames Iowa State College to get the Ph. D. degree.

Wonder if they call marriage an institution because you have to be crazy to enter?

Jeanne Shaver Is Bride of Lt. T. H. Lair Friday

The marriage of Jeanne Shaver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Shaver, of Knox City, to Lt. Thomas H. Lair, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lair of Canyon, was solemnized at high noon, Friday, September 7, at the First Methodist Church in Knox City. The Rev. Lloyd Hamilton, pastor, pronounced the rites before an altar of fern and pink carnations with tall baskets of white gladioli.

Mrs. Lair is a graduate of the Knox City schools and this last August received her B. S. degree in dramatics and speech from West Texas State.

Lt. Lair attended college at West Texas State for two years before entering the Army Air Corps in 1942. He served with the 8th Air Force in England until October of 1943 when he was forced down in enemy territory and was captured. He was a prisoner of war for 19 months before being liberated by Patton's Army in April.

Joy Littlefield and Flight Officer in Wedding Vows

Miss Joy Littlefield of Chickasha, Okla., and Flight Officer Keith Willson of Wisdom, Minn., were united in marriage on September 18.

The marriage vows were read at the First Methodist Church in Sioux Falls, South Dakota, by the Rev. John V. Madison.

The bride wore a street length dress of blue wool with black accessories. Her corsage was of white rosebuds.

Mrs. Willson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Littlefield of Amber, Okla., and a graduate of Chickasha High School. During the last year, she attended West Texas State College, where she was employed by Dr. A. K. Knott, dean of the lower division. She was a member of Type High, Prairie staff, and Mary E. Hudspeth Honor Society.

Flight Officer Willson was graduated from Windom High School in 1941. He received his pilot's wings from Aloe Army Air Field, Victoria, Texas, on February 2, 1945. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Willson of Windom, Minn.

The couple plan to make their home in Harlingen, Texas, where he is stationed.

Estelle Burgess Ends Scout Work — Will Be Married

Miss Estelle Burgess, W. T. graduate who has been field secretary of the Girl Scouts in Amarillo, has resigned and will be married in Lubbock early in October.

She formerly taught at Carlsbad, N. M. For several summers she was director of the children's program at YMCA Camp, Estes Park, Colo.

She is a former member of The Prairie staff.

MRS. J. A. HILL HOSTESS TO SUE HITE CLUB

The Sue Hite Club resumed its activities Monday, September 10 in the home of Mrs. J. A. Hill.

Mrs. Virgil Henson, president of the club, presided, greeting members and guests. Mrs. D. M. Foster distributed the year books and gave the Founders Day Program. She stated that the Sue Hite Club is named for Mrs. J. S. Humphreys and was organized in her home in 1925. Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Humphreys have been sponsors of this club since it was organized. It is a tradition that the club meet with Mrs. Hill for the first meeting. Mrs. Levi Cole and Mrs. D. M. Foster are the only charter members still in the club.

Pajama Dance Is Cousins Feature

To acquaint freshmen with upper classmen was the purpose of the pajama dance at Cousins Hall September 20.

Girls donned their pajamas earlier than usual and proceeded to the ballroom to join their friends in dance. Several Paul Jones' highlighted the evening.

Miss Adele Barnes, science teacher, spent the summer at the University of Michigan doing research work.

Perryton Girl Is President of Cousins Hall

Polly Holmes, Perryton, was elected president of Cousins Hall at a house meeting on September 21. Other officers chosen were: Vice-president, Nadine Coker, Crosbyton; Treasurer, Sada Ruth Hoskins, Spearman; reporter, Jean Hallmark, Amarillo; and vespers chairman, Billie Bonifeld, Claude.

A committee consisting of Mary Hensley, Nan Markham, Betty Fulton, and Jane Evans was appointed to work out plans for the freshman initiation.

The business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Ann Wofford, house mother. In a brief talk to the girls, Mrs. Wofford welcomed them and stated that she sincerely hoped all the girls would feel at home.

Kappa Tau Phi Asks Newcomers To Attend Tea

Kappa Tau Phi Sorority is inviting every new girl on the campus to a Come-and-Go Tea from 4 o'clock to 6 o'clock in the Cousins Hall reception room on Wednesday, September 26.

First Christian Church to Play Host to Students

College young people of the First Christian Church will attend a banquet in their honor tomorrow night (Wednesday) at 7 o'clock.

An informal program will be presented with Bill Miller of Canyon as master of ceremonies. Numbers may include songs by Lloyd Johnson of Wheeler, Marcella Blue of Hereford, and the college trio. Rev. Joseph Findley will lead a short devotional.

Only college students will be present at the banquet, and activities will be concluded in time for students to be back in their dormitories by the designated time.

A GOOD MIXER—BUT!

It was such a good freshman mixer—my shoes are still mixing. If you see a pair of brown oxfords size 8, with initials R. A. F. printed in the bottom that seem extraordinarily friendly and are wearing out their welcome at your place, please notify R. A. Flowers, Terrill Hall, Room 6.

Signed,
Barefooted freshman
(no coupons)

PRESBYTERIAN STUDENTS HONORED AT SUPPER

Presbyterian students were guests at a Presbyterian Church supper Sunday evening.

The pastor, the Rev. Robert W. Jones, presided.

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