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CHILD WELFARE IS DISCUSSED AT CONFERENCE

MISS MARIAN NORMINGTON REPRESENTS W. T. AT AUSTIN MEET.

Various aspects of child welfare work in Texas was considered at the joint conference of the committee for parent education in the University of Texas with the board of managers of the Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Association at Littlefield dormitory at Austin January 21, 22, and 23, at which conference the West Texas State Teachers College was represented by Miss Marion Normington of the home economics department.

The program of the Conference on the first day consisted of sessions in which some of the outstanding workers in this field were main speakers. Mrs. S. M. N. Marrs, in the morning lectured on "Parent Education and the National Congress of Parents and Teachers." Dr. Ada Arlitt, head of the department of Child Care and Parental Education of the University of Cincinnati, gave a feature address on "Problems of Parent Education," giving an interesting list of points on "Some Parent Problems." Some of these were "To establish right food habits, to teach the child to help himself, to provide a place of his own in which to keep his toys and play, how to recognize family traits, and how to deal with them, the best methods of discipline, and fitting a child's schedule to the household duties."

At noon of this day luncheon was served for the guests in Littlefield dormitory, followed by a continuation of the morning's study, which took up the children as the father sees them, and a summary called "As the Layman Sees It." Miss Flora Thurston, executive secretary of National Council of Parental Education New York City, was one of the leaders of these groups on Wednesday.

The program on January 22 was presided over by Dr. Arlitt and Miss Thurston. The findings of Wednesday's discussion were read to the group, and further business taken up in order. Led by Miss Lillian Peek, the topic of discussion was "To What Extent Are We Meeting the Problems," the answer including institutions of higher learning, secondary schools, adult classes, parent education groups, extension work.

The meeting Thursday closed with a report of the recommendations committee.

Miss Normington returned Friday.

Extension Course In Math Enrolls Laura V. Hamner

Another extension course has been organized in Amarillo, under the supervision of C. A. Murray, of the W. T. mathematics department. The course is in mathematics 210, and meets at the Amarillo High School building every Monday.

There are approximately fifteen students in the class, which met Monday a week ago, and yesterday. The course is especially designed to help improve arithmetic teaching in the rural schools of the vicinity, and to give teachers new material to work with.

Miss Laura V. Hamner, who has been for several years county superintendent of Potter county, is taking the course under Mr. Murray. She says that she is doing it in the interest of the rural school teachers in her county.

Humphreys Speaks At Chapel Tuesday

At the chapel convocation last Tuesday morning, Mr. J. S. Humphreys, head of the Latin department, was main speaker, giving to the students an exceptional message on the subject "Mind as Will or Explanation of Human Behavior."

In developing this subject, Mr. Humphreys brought out the points dealing with the two kinds of behavior, physical, and mental, the first of which originates in instincts and impulses, making it similar to animal behavior; and the second which characterizes and distinguishes human behavior from that of the animals. The speaker explained that human behavior meant more than simple moral or immoral conduct. It includes all of man's activities in human life, such as the questions of war, machinery supplanting man's labor, over-production, and unequal or unfair distribution of human values.

Big Summer School Plans Being Made By W. T. Officials

Plans are being made by the administration of the West Texas State Teachers College for the greatest summer school that the institution has ever had.

The session will begin on June 3 and continue for twelve weeks, the work being arranged in two terms of six weeks each so that students can attend all summer or a part of the summer with equal advantage. The second summer term begins on July 16.

President Hill has announced that in addition to his regular faculty several outstanding school men will be brought to Canyon for all or part of the summer.

The recreational opportunities offered by the Palo Duro Canyon, the proximity of Carlsbad Cavern and the short distance to the mountains of New Mexico are being emphasized by the college authorities here. Besides these attractions an elaborate campus recreational program is being worked out through the department of physical education and the student welfare committee of the faculty.

SPECIAL RAIL RATES TO BIG GERMAN OPERA

COMPANY OF 200 TO BE IN AMARILLO FEBRUARY 6-7; IS BROUGHT BY FAIR

All railroads into Amarillo have announced reduced round trip fares for the benefit of patrons who will flock into that city by the hundreds for a rare musical treat, three performances of the German Grand Opera company at Municipal auditorium, February 6 and 7.

Tickets will be sold on a base of one fare plus one-third at all points along the lines, beginning February 5, and with a final limit on February 9, allowing out-of-towners to remain there for "Tristan und Isolde," which will be presented on Saturday night, February 7.

These performances, each one different, by the German Grand Opera company there, will achieve distinction in the Panhandle's musical history. During its present tour this great aggregation of artists, including such stars as Johanna Galski, Margarethe Baumer, Johannes Sembach, Carl Braun, and Richard Gross, will appear in only 28 cities, of which Amarillo is the smallest.

Tickets for any one or all of the performances now are on sale with a scale of prices ranging from \$1 to \$5 and a discount of 10 per cent when orders are placed for all three performances. Reservations are to be made in the order they are received, it was announced at a study by Wilbur C. Hawk, president of the Tri-State Fair association, which secured the attraction for Amarillo.

Correspondence Is Popular Method of College Work

The Correspondence students of the West Texas State Teachers College, numbering 311 on January first find that they get into very close touch with their instructors, even though their communication is by mail. Miss Frances Morris of Dindale, Texas, writes to her English teacher: "I enjoyed the course very much and want you to know how much I appreciated your comments on my lessons. I feel that this has been almost the same as taking student work."

The students who do a part of their college work by mail from W. T. are scattered all over Texas, Arkansas, Alabama, Montana, New Mexico, California, and other states. Twenty-seven different members of the faculty instruct these men and women who are using their spare time to study.

Shotwell to Coach at Breckenridge Again Next Year

P. E. Shotwell a former Buffalo football man and for the past several years coach of the Breckenridge High School grid teams signed a contract Saturday for another year at that place. Rumors had been circulated among sport circles that Shotwell would coach at some other Texas high school next fall.

The Shotwell coached team lost to the Amarillo Sandies in the bi-district game in the fall. The Breckenridge team won state championship a few years ago.

ANOTHER ART EXHIBIT WILL GO UP SOON

HUNDREDS SEE THE EXHIBIT WHICH ENDED YESTERDAY EVENING.

Of special interest to the hundreds of persons who have been interested in the Circuit B Exhibit of the Southern States Art League which has been showing in the office of the dean of women for the past two weeks will be the announcement that another just as interesting and famous an exhibit will be put up in the same rooms within the next day or two, the League exhibit having been taken down yesterday.

Hundreds of persons from all over this section of the country have visited the art exhibit which left Miss Graham's office yesterday. Parties from Amarillo, Clarendon, many rural and towns schools, and other groups came expectedly to view the pictures by the Southern artists.

The exhibit which is to be put up soon is the A Circuit of the Texas Fine Arts Association's annual curatorial exhibition of work by Texas Artists. It includes between thirty and thirty-five pictures in oils, watercolor, and charcoal by the most famous and most outstanding Texas artists.

This Texas exhibit has been in Amarillo during the past week, sponsored there by the Amarillo Art Association. It was received here yesterday from Amarillo. It is being sponsored here by the Phidias Art Club, as was the Southern States exhibit.

Among the many men and women of Texas whose work is represented in the new exhibit is Mrs. Luther Hoffman, of Wichita Falls, who was at one time art instructor to Miss Militia Hill, of the W. T. art faculty, while Miss Hall was attending the College of Industrial Arts. Mrs. Hoffman's work is reported to be of the best.

Dr. McColley Gives Hint to Students Concerning Book

In watching the book market for the appearance of any books which might be of vital worth to the students of W. T., or others interested Dr. Grant McColley, head of the English department, has discovered and highly recommends a volume entitled "An Introduction to Human Problems," by Harold Benjamin of the Education department of Leland College Stanford University.

The book is one provided for the orientatio courses being given by a number of advanced institutions in the field of education. It is written and prepared especially for those students who are not getting in college the proper background for getting the most out of their college work, or who have not had the kind of home environment which would tend toward a good background for the solving of the problems of life.

"An Introduction to Human Problems" begins with a definition of a problem solver, as related to the four main fields of human endeavor. Two chapters in the book which Dr. McColley especially hopes that the students here will read deal with the subject of aesthetics.

Dr. McColley announces that he is going to place an order for copies of this book with the College Book-store today or tomorrow, and asks that any who wish to be included in the order see him immediately.

Pres. Hill Attends Austin Meeting of Board of Regents

President J. A. Hill returned Thursday from a trip to Austin which was occasioned by the quarterly meeting of the Board of Regents of Texas Teachers Colleges, and the presentation of the summer school budget to the legislative committees.

The whole group of Texas teachers' colleges was represented at the meeting by their various presidents. President Hill, with the others, was given hearings by the finance committee of the Senate, and by the appropriations committee of the House.

The presidents of the colleges also met with the State Board of Education. Another meeting of this board will be held in March.

Mary Alice Walton, who was in school here last year, and who is now teaching at Portales, New Mexico, spent the week-end here visiting friends.

And did you know that a Scotchman invented the boomerang?

House Committee To Visit College Plant This Week

According to announcement made yesterday by President J. A. Hill who has just returned from Austin, a sub-committee from the House committee on appropriations is expected to visit W. T. at some time this week.

The exact day of the committee's coming has not been announced. While in Canyon they will inspect the college plant, discuss the needs of the college with the president and members of the faculty, and confer with Canyon business men.

A committee from the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will meet in Canyon with the Legislative committee as a special courtesy to the guests and to answer questions about the territory which the Canyon college serves. This committee will be composed of President C. E. Coombes of Stanford, J. W. Crutcheon and John Gilvin of Amarillo, George Briggs of Pampa, and Maury Hopkins of Plainview.

C. A. Murray Goes To Math Meeting Held at Ft. Worth

Representing the West Texas State Teachers College at the meeting of the Texas Section of the Mathematical Association of America, held at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth Saturday, C. A. Murray of the mathematics department here, accompanied by Mrs. Murray left here Friday and returned Sunday.

Practically all of the Texas colleges were represented at the meeting. The Mathematical Association of America has probably the highest standing of any organization of its kind in the country, and the colleges represented at its section meetings consider it a distinction.

At the Texas Section meeting held in Fort Worth the day was divided into three sessions, the morning being given over to a study of certain intricate mathematical problems, and the afternoon to a study of curriculum problems. In the evening a dinner was served the representatives by the T. C. U. group.

At a brief business session in the afternoon, Nat Edmonson, Jr., acting secretary of the Texas Section was re-elected to that position for a term of five years. Other officers elected were H. E. Bray, of Rice Institute, president of the Texas Section for 1932, and C. R. Sherer, of T. C. U., vice-president.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray went to Fort Worth via Lubbock, in order to be able to join the Lubbock group on the trip. On Saturday Mrs. Murray went to Dallas where she visited friends. While in Fort Worth Mrs. Murray stayed at the home of her sister there.

On the return trip Sunday the Murphys traveled most of the four hundred and fifty miles in mud.

West Texas C. of C. Votes to Support P. P. H. S. Museum

Several W. T. men were present at the recent meeting of the secretaries and directors of District 1 of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce held in Amarillo, which went on record as opposing the appointment of Sam Baldwin to the State Board of Education, and as backing wholeheartedly the \$25,000 museum appropriation bill now before the legislature.

President J. A. Hill, Wallace R. Clark, Travis Shaw, and L. N. George composed the W. T. corps of Chamber members who attended the meeting. Representatives were present from almost all of the more important towns of the North Panhandle.

Perhaps the most important decision arrived at in the meeting so far as W. T. S. T. C. was concerned was the action taken in regard to the \$25,000 appropriation bill now before the legislature, the money to be used in helping to construct a building for the Panhandle Plains Historical Society. At the motion of Wallace R. Clark, the C. of C. meeting voted to lend its aid in getting the measure passed.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce meeting has previously gone on record as favoring the passage of a bill making the Palo Duro Canyon into a state park.

Belva Cain, 29, was a campus visitor Saturday. Miss Cain is teaching English at Claude.

Jeffie Lee Currie, a student here in the Summer 1930, is now Mrs. Bynum. She lives at Carlsbad, New Mexico.

MRS. E. F. PAGE GOES TO SAN ANGELO MEET

LITTLE HOUSE OF FELLOWSHIP REPORT EAGERLY RECEIVED.

At the annual convocation of the Episcopal Church, which was held at San Angelo from Saturday, the 24th, until the following Tuesday, Mrs. Elizabeth Fry Page, Episcopal student counsellor from here was present and made four reports. The San Angelo Standard-Times gives favorable comment, both on Mrs. Page's reports and her work as a poet and story writer.

One of her four reports was on the "United Thank Offering," which offering is presented by the women of the Episcopal church each third year. Incidentally, two thirds of Mrs. Page's salary is paid from this source. Another of her reports was on the "Offering of Life," in which she presented the life service offering of Miss Helen Lyles, and a plan for Miss Lyles to use the loan fund of the Episcopal church. The third dealt with the work of Mr. B. A. M. Schapiro, a converted Jew of New York, and the reading of a letter from him. The fourth report was on the National Council.

Mrs. Page report an enjoyable, and very busy, four days. The assemblies began at the convocation at 7:30 a. m., and lasted almost continually through the day until the meeting of the evening. Lunches were served in the undercroft of the Emanuel Church of San Angelo, and various social functions were interspersed with the regular convocation services.

One of the most outstanding events of the four days, according to Mrs. Page, was the pageant which was compiled by Rev. White, rector of the Emanuel Church, and which was presented on Monday evening. This production

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Former Federation President Sends Word to Banquet

At the Methodist Student Federation annual banquet held in the Methodist Church last Tuesday evening, Ruth Lowes read a most interesting group of letters from several former presidents of the Federation, all of whom are ex-students of the college, giving, parallel with the reading, the following bits of information and news regarding each of the writers.

Lottie Hennigh, now teaching at Higgins, Texas, was president of the organization in the year 1927-1928. She graduated from W. T. in '27.

Lola McIlhaney, who is now Mrs. Bennett, and teaching at White Flat, Texas, was president in 1928-1929.

Ruth Augspurger, president in 1926-1927, is now teaching in Rite-man, Iowa. Miss Augspurger hopes to study foreign missionary work next year, to add another to the list of W. T. students who have gone into this field.

Greetings were read from Virgil Gore, another former president, who is now serving as field secretary for the Epworth League in the Northwest Texas Conference.

Sinclair Rice, a former president, and Ila Mae Hastings, a prominent worker in the organization, both sent greetings. Both are teaching this year at Lefters, Texas.

Pictorial Maps of Panhandle Ordered By H. P. Greenough

H. P. Greenough of Dalhart has recently ordered two pictorial maps of the Panhandle. These maps are prepared here by the Canyon and Amarillo chapters of the American Association of University Women, Miss Isabel Robinson, head of the department of art here, having designed the map.

Mr. Greenough is one of the oldest men in the service of the Rock Island Railroad, having been division superintendent at Dalhart for many years. He is presenting the maps to friends who are less acquainted with the Panhandle region than he is.

Margaret Camp, an ex-student teaching at Walcott School in Deaf Smith County this year, spent the week-end in Canyon visiting friends and the college.

C. W. Crosslin made a business trip to Lubbock and Levelland Friday and Saturday, returning Saturday.

Walker, on Floating University Cruise Is Now in London

Through a recently received letter from Miss Darthula Walker, head of the geography department here, who is temporarily with the faculty of the Fifth Around-the-World Cruise of the Floating University, it is learned that she is now in London, it being the second stop there. At the time the letter was written, Miss Walker was staying at the same hotel in which a W. T. touring party, of which Miss Edna Graham and Miss Walker were members, stayed for several weeks while in London last summer.

Miss Walker has already visited London, Belgium, Holland, Palestine, Italy, Austria, Egypt, and Germany. She spent Christmas week in Berlin. According to her letter, she will soon visit the Ghandis country, India. The following points are included on her further itinerary: Batavia, Java, March 10th; Japan, April 21st; Honolulu, Hawaii, a little later; and the Philippine Islands, March 24th. Besides these countries she will visit China and Morocco.

FAVORITES ARE CREATING STIR IN W. T. LIFE

ADA CLAIRE BAINE IS ADDED TO LIST AS ART CLUB CANDIDATE

From all indications including the unusual activity in the Publications office the 1931 Le Mirage favorites contest is creating more interest and excitement than any similar contest for several years. Votes are being cast every day for each of the fourteen candidates in the race, keeping the hopes of the entire student body in suspension.

At the meeting of the Phidias Art Club Monday, a week ago yesterday, Ada Claire Baine was elected to the contest.

Much of the added excitement is the work of the campaign managers who have been diligently busy during the past week. Some few of these managers have not been appointed by Wallace O'Keefe, business manager of Le Mirage, but will be sometime this week. The position of the contestants in the race may be read every evening from the bulletin board in the Publications office.

Plans for the play to be given by the favorites are being carried forward by the staff. The play is being prepared by the annual staff itself to fit the occasion.

Former Student Is Now Missionary In Huanuco, Peru

A number of graduates of the West Texas State Teachers College are now missionaries in distant parts of the world.

A letter was recently received from Mrs. A. F. Reifsnnyder formerly Miss Viola Williams of Plainview who is now a missionary in Peru.

Mrs. Reifsnnyder and her husband are teachers in the mission school at Huanuco, Peru. They have about sixty children in the mission school and there are usually 70 or more people in the Sunday school which they conduct.

Huanuco is not far from Cerro de Pasco, one of the highest towns in the world, and the location of the largest copper mine on the globe. In journeying to Peru Mr. and Mrs. Reifsnnyder went by way of New York, thence through the Panama Canal. They reported that it was so cold when they crossed the equator that winter clothing was comfortable.

When a student in Canyon, Miss Williams was prominent in the work of the Methodist Church.

Sister of Mr. T. M. Clark Visits Him At W. T. Saturday

Visiting her brother, Professor T. M. Clark, here, Mrs. Ida Nisbett, who is living with her son, T. C. Nisbett in Amarillo, spent Saturday at the college.

While in W. T. Mrs. Nisbett visited several of the classes taught by her brother, who is affectionately known in W. T. circles as "Uncle Tommy."

Saturday evening Mrs. Nisbett went to Plainview with Mr. Clark to visit their nephew, Lee Clark of that place.

Patronize Prairie Advertisers.

FOUR STUDENTS ARE HURT IN CAR ACCIDENT

JIM CROWDER IS IN CRITICAL CONDITION OF CONCUSSION CASE.

Hurt in a car collision at Twenty-fourth avenue and Harrison street in Amarillo Saturday afternoon, four W. T. students, Jim Crowder, Dorothy Staley, Noel Gollehon, and Allie Elliston, are suffering from injuries, some of which are considered very serious. Miss Elliston and Crowder are still in the St. Anthony's hospital, where they were rushed following the accident. Miss Staley and Gollehon have returned to school, but have not yet completely recovered.

Jim Crowder, who was driving at the time the collision took place, is said to be the most seriously injured of the four, having received a blow on the head causing concussion of the brain. He, and Miss Elliston, who suffered several bad cuts, one on the face and one on her right hand, are both in the hospital under the care of Dr. Vineyard.

The other two were badly bruised, and shapen up, Gollehon suffering for a time with an inability to see.

According to witnesses and those who were in the accident, Miss Thelma Tate, an Amarillo girl, was driving east along Twenty-fourth Avenue, the car being driven by Crowder going north along Harrison street, the crash taking place at the intersection of the two, when Miss Tate attempted to pass in front. Her car was struck on the rear right fender by Crowder's, turning it over. Crowder's car careened into a nearby light pole, hurting all the occupants, and utterly demolishing the car.

Miss Tate received only slight cuts and bruises.

Crowder and Miss Elliston were rushed to the hospital, Crowder being unconscious. Recent reports say that he will probably recover rapidly and successfully, though it is feared that he may have a blood clot complication.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Campbell of Canyon, have been back and forth between their work here and the hospital in Amarillo, since the accident. Mr. Campbell is Crowder's uncle. Another uncle and aunt of the patient, from Chillicothe, have visited him at the hospital several times.

Pres. Hill Attends Committee Meet of Panhandle Inc.

Following the recent meeting for the re-organization of the Panhandle Inc., President J. A. Hill attended a meeting of a special committee of the Incorporation Thursday afternoon at Amarillo.

The Panhandle Incorporated is composed of thirty-two counties of the North Panhandle, and has as its primary function the attraction of immigrants to this territory. The committee was called to attempt to set up the budget of the organization.

Members of the committee are Sam Braswell, Clarendon, chairman; Tom Cotton, Amarillo; H. W. Clutter, representative of the Rock Island Railroad; Howard Ferguson, Amarillo; and President Hill, Canyon.

Late Improvements Include New Well

Among the campus improvements recently made is the new well, which is now complete, water having first been pumped from it Thursday, Jan. 22.

The well is 410 feet deep, and is equipped with a large rotary pump. Although not needed for additional water supply, this well is a valuable improvement, for it insures an adequate supply at all times, in case of trouble with the old pump or well.

There is already evidence that W. T. will have a beautiful campus again next spring and summer. Dead soil is being removed from flower beds around the administration building and Cousins Hall, and replaced with fresh soil and fertilizer. Fertilizer is also being applied to the grass around both the Administration and Education buildings.

Lucy Purdy, a W. T. ex-student is teaching this year at La Junta, Colorado. She hopes to visit Canyon and the college at the earliest opportunity.

Mrs. Alice Weaver spent the week-end in Canyon with her daughters.

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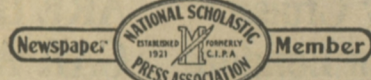
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SHOE-LEVEL PHILOSOPHY

"Oh, well, I'll wear the socks anyway; the holes are all below shoe-level, so what does it matter?" So runs the classic phrase that embodies the life philosophy of so many college students. If we succeed in making the people around us believe that we are witty, talented, athletic, or even merely sophisticated, we deem ourselves well informed people. How seldom do we have the pleasure of feeling way down beneath our thick crust of externalism, the thrill and satisfaction of having thought a thing through. Appearances are all that count when we haven't time to acquire anything deeper.

Would it be foolish to dream that in time both students and faculty members in all of our colleges will become disgusted with our scrambling to keep up appearances, will realize that "A little knowledge is a dangerous thing," and will bet at the dynamics of education? Would it not be inestimably better for us to have on the day of our graduation a deep, lasting, and well-thought-out conviction and plan of procedure concerning social or religious problems, than to have the registrar's books a mass of B's, C's, and D's, which represent a smattering of physics, a nibble of English, a momentary peek at history, and seven or eight other short time exposures—E. C.

AN INHERITED RIGHT?

As usual with such commissions, the Wickersham Crime Detection and Prevention Committee appointed by President Hoover for the set purpose of studying the acute crime situation in the United States and at the same time devising some means of curbing this growing evil, arrived at the inevitable conclusion that the basic cause for this wholesale and bold-faced disregard for the enforcement of law is due to the Eighteenth Amendment. Strange to say, the only solution offered was some modification of this act. Along with this report came the now celebrated New Jersey case in which a Federal Judge declared the Volstead Act unconstitutional, necessitating an appeal to the United States Supreme Court. The basis of attack will be the method by which the 18th Amendment was passed, the contention being that the letter of the constitution was not followed by those states who ratified the measure by constitutional convention and not by popular vote.

The fact that this bone of contention is about to come to a crisis leads Mr. "Average Man" to do a lot of deep and profound thinking. Whether you believe the radical viewpoint, that the measure was passed without consulting the will of the people or the conservative view that it is a noble effort gone wrong makes no particular difference in the final outcome. It leads simply to this; that whether we like it or not the nation as a whole is exercising a human right where an unpopular law is involved—that of bald disregard for a legislated measure. To appreciate this viewpoint we must take into consideration the most outstanding characteristic of the North American people, that of un-conventionality in matters moral, mental, and physical.

Personally we are opposed to the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment or the modification thereof, believing that the solution lies not in the body of the law itself but in the manner of enforcement. This opposition to the repeal of the law does not emanate from mercenary motive, since we are not engaged in the bootlegging business and it will have to be admitted that the measure and the lack of enforcement has raised the bootlegger to a high economic and social plane, but our opposition rises from an honest belief that the law is the will of the people as a whole, discontent rising from the inability of the Federal government to enforce under the present mode.

This question is a serious one. It involves the college student as much as it does the rest of the citizenry. Not the specific 18th Amendment to the Constitution but the habitual total disregard for laws that we do not like. It does not matter what the case may be, whether the running of a stop light in Amarillo, the making of 75 miles per hour on a designated 45 mile highway or the deliberate breaking of a national measure. The habit has become a vicious one that has grown until it takes the appearance of a confirmed opium addict. We've become so imbued with the habit of breaking laws that we can not longer exist in our way of thinking unless we are permitted to exercise our right to disobey constituted authority under the guise of protest in the name of so-called constitutionally guaranteed rights and liberties.—C. B. S.

Sterling Sends in Names for Regency Appointments Mon.

Governor Ross S. Sterling, Monday sent the names for appointments to places on the board of regents for the State Teachers Colleges to the Senate for confirmation.

The names sent were: Thomas S. Ball, Houston; Henry S. Paulus, Yoakum; and John E. Hill, Amarillo.

THE TIE THAT BINDS

A former student of W. T. writes: "I want a W. T. Calendar for 1931. They sent me one last year and I have done all my office work, bookkeeping and living by it. I doubt if I can do my work without it." The calendar was sent and the ex-student wrote: "I got my calendar. It hangs right behind the stamp window, where everyone who comes to the post office sees it."

TYPE-HIGH MEETING

All students affiliated with The Prairie are asked to be present at the meeting of the Type-High Press Club this afternoon at 4:30. All reporters, who wish to have their names kept on the Club role are given special notice to be present. By a new rule, all who miss more than two consecutive meetings will be dropped from the club role and from the staff list.

Texas produced 464,648,000,000 cubic feet of natural gas in 1929 and consumed 461,718,000,000 cubic feet—only 3,210,000 cubic feet excess production over consumption—Authority U. S. Bureau of Mines.

It is estimated that cusswords have been added to our language by every alarm clock.

You have got to tell 'em if you want to sell 'em! ADVERTISE!!

The Tumbleweed

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Editor: Maurice Warren.

JUNIORS TO BE ENTERTAINED

The Junior class held a meeting Wednesday, at 12:45. Mrs. McDonald, sponsor of the class, and S. B. Wittenburg, president, announced that they were giving a theater party for the Juniors, and requested all members of the class to meet at the bandstand on the courthouse lawn at 7:30, Tuesday evening.

SOPHOMORES ELECT OFFICERS

At a recent meeting of the Sophomores, the following class officers were chosen for the winter quarter: Marion Hill, president; Margaret Meyer, vice president; Dora Miller, secretary-treasurer; Louise Shirley, reporter.

Caps and Gowns Are Ordered

Wednesday at class meeting, the Seniors were measured for caps and gowns, by Mr. Golden, of the College Book Store.

ASSEMBLY SING

Saturday morning the assembly period was devoted to singing. Frances Holman served as pianist, and Bill Dawes directed the songs.

STUDENTS ATTEND LECTURE

Among those who attended Lieutenant Byrd's lecture in Amarillo Friday were Lowell Winslow, Seymour Rusk, Joe Hill, Jr., George Bishop, John A. McIntosh, Ann Costley, Louise Shirley, Mattie Pearl Whittenburg, S. B. Whittenburg, Emily Fincher, Alvin Ream, Marion Hill, Charles Stratton and Dan Aynesworth.

LATIN CLUB MEETING

The Latin Club held its regular meeting Saturday at 3:30. An interesting talk was given by Fern Love on "Travel on Land and Sea in the Time of the Ancient Romans," and Charles Stratton discussed "Sending Letters in Roman Times."

KINDERGARTEN MUSIC

A welcome guest in the kindergarten last Wednesday morning was Miss Margaret Justice of the music department. At the request of Miss Lowes, the kindergarten teacher, Miss Justice brought her violin and gave the children a simple explanation of the various parts of the instrument. In explaining the versatility of the violin, she demonstrated ways in which it could be made to sound like a guitar and a flute.

At the conclusion of the brief discussion, Miss Justice played the accompaniments while the children sang a number of songs which they had learned during the year.

EDUCATIONAL FILMS ARE SHOWN

The first of a series of visual education programs was given in the auditorium of the Education Building Thursday evening, July 29. The pictures, which were both interesting and instructive, consisted of seven reels on biological subjects, one on physiography, two on geography and travel, and a one-reel comedy.

Though the pictures are intended to be correlated with the class work in various departments of the Demonstration School, they are, nevertheless, of interest to the general public, and are open to the people of the community.

YANNIGANS DEFEAT CALVES

The W. T. Calves were defeated by the Yannigans of the Amarillo High School Thursday, January 29, in the Buffalo gymnasium. Until the last few minutes of the game the Calves stayed in the lead; but the Yannigans increased their points so rapidly toward the last that, at the close of the game, the score stood 22 to 24 in favor of Amarillo.

Mr. Nelmes Henry, representative of the Houghton and Mifflin Publishing Company visited the campus Wednesday afternoon. Later in the evening he entertained his old friends Mr. and Mrs. Travis Shaw with a dinner and theater party in Amarillo. According to Mrs. Shaw, these parties occur every time Mr. Henry comes to W. T. There is a choice bit out about this particular party. Previously a certain young faculty member was included in the party. This time, however, Mr. Henry, warned of a coup d'etat, took along only Mr. and Mrs. Shaw.

UNIQUE AD: FREE LUNCH

Quite a unique plan of advertising is being put over by Rowe's Chili Parlor, as is shown by a Prairie Ad. This plan will directly effect every student in W. T. Names are drawn each day from a box containing the names of all students. Mr. Rowe states that a number of the students have failed to call for their free lunch, and he is anxious that they all call for either the lunch or hamburgers.

Miss Isobel Robinson of the art department has been absent from classes during the past week on account of illness. She returned to her position yesterday. During her absence her classes were met by Miss Hill.

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Sports

C. B. SHEPARD — Sport Editor

Buffs Take Two-Game Series With Daniel Baker Goats

Now Tied for First Place With Sul Ross Lobos

Games on Road Trip Yearlings Take Two

The Buffalo Yearlings made a clean sweep of their road trip when they took the Texas Tech Freshmen to a cleaning at Lubbock Wednesday night by a 39 to 21 score and snowed the Wayland Jackrabbits under Tuesday night with a 61-16 score. Thursday night, the highly touted Santa Fe team came to Canyon and were given the same treatment by a score of 52-12.

In the first game, Russell and Britt were tied for high point honors with ten each. In the next two, Colvin took the crown by a large majority.

Coach Jones has a fine bunch of prospects this year and is building up some mighty good Buffalo first string material. At this time, the Yearlings have two more games scheduled, one on Feb. 4, with Tech Freshmen and another on Feb. 12 with the Wayland team. These two games should be well worth seeing for they will both come to town with blood in their eyes. As an added attraction the spectators will have the opportunity of seeing a sensation in the shape of Colvin, of Turkey, in action.

Six Red Men Prove Loyalty Slogan by Brownwood Trip

Leaving here early Friday morning and returning yesterday, six of the members of the Loyal Order of Red Men proved their loyalty by making a flying trip to Brownwood to root for the Buffaloes while they whipped the Hill Billies. Only six of the men were able to get off to make the trip.

The group, which was composed of Gene Elio, Bob Hunt, Lewis Shirley, Bill Skelton, Rufus Dodgen, and Weldon Rogers made the trip in Elio's and Rogers' cars. They return by way of Fort Worth, Lewis Shirley stopping over night with his grandmother, Mrs. Hanford at Granberry, a few miles from Fort Worth. Elio and Bob Hunt spent that night, Saturday, with John Stapleton, in Fort Worth. Stapleton is an ex-student of W. T.

Rogers returned through Waco where he visited his brother who is a student at Baylor University.

According to all reports received from Brownwood the Red Men made more noise than the whole grandstand and competing pep squads at the game.

We stood out in the gym and watch Coach Jones' class in Physical Education. He has a contraption that he called a surcingle and he puts this on a tumbler and hitches him up to a couple of ropes strung from the girders in the roof. He has a couple of huskies handling the ropes and keeps the jumper from making a bad jump and landing on his head. I wonder what would happen if the bell should ring while one of these circus acrobats was in the air?

SEVEN NEWS BRIEFS, GENERAL AND LOCAL

1. National legislative machinery working top speed on drouth, unemployment, Red Cross and Veterans' relief bills.
2. State legislature passes Tax Relief Bill, moving up tax payment time until October 15.
3. General Smedley D. Butler of Philadelphia "Clean-up" fame, accuses El Duce of being a hit and run driver.
4. The State Department of the United States apologizes for General Butler's remarks and the Navy Department institute court-martial proceedings against the "Stormy Petrel" of the Marine Corps.
5. Executives of thirty-three chambers of commerce on the north plains meet in Amarillo and pledge themselves to support proposed appropriation of the \$25,000 by the state legislature for the assistance in building a museum at W. T. and the bill creating the Palo Duro Park.
6. For the 26th consecutive month the Panhandle of Texas has remained in the prosperity "white spot."
7. For the tenth consecutive day we have had spring weather in January.

And again the Buffs left our campus with the usual enthusiastic (?) student farewell. Four freshmen and the local speed cop escorted them out to the edge of the city limits.

Coach "Sad Sam" Burton's Buffaloes became dangerous contenders for the championship of the western section of the T. I. A. A. cage race last Saturday night by taking the two game series with the Daniel Baker Hill Billies, the first game by an air tight score of 35-34 and the Saturday night tilt with an equally ragged score of 26-17.

The first game was a thriller from start to finish, the score being 19-18 at the half and 33 all when the main bout ended, necessitating an extra period to settle the argument. As a further proof of the closeness of the play the Buffs had to be contented with one lone field goal in the 5 minute rebuttal while the Goats were fortunate to get away with a single gift shot making the Buffs the winners by the narrow margin of one point. Burk contributed the winning marker.

The second game was as groggy as the first one was snappy. At the half the Buffs were leading 11-9 and ran away from the Bakerites in the second half to cop the game 26-17. "Giant Joe" Fortenberry was high point man with ten of the 26 markers. As an indication of the slowness of the game, some 23 free goals were presented and the opportunities passed.

The Buffaloes journeyed to Abilene Sunday where they will play a two game series with the Abilene Christians Monday and Tuesday nights, returning home to finish the season on the local court. Friday and Saturday nights the Bur-tonites will contest the McMurry Indians in a two game conference series and will finish the season's conference play with Sul Ross on February 13 and 14.

The win with the Goats put the Buffs up on a par with the Sul Ross outfit a tie in first place with two conference wins and no losses, though Sul Ross has four wins and no losses to show for their season's play to date.

The first man to be affected by the freshman rule in W. T., is this man Colvin from Turkey, who entered this quarter. Due to the necessity of peeping over mesquite bushes, Colvin grew to be a right smart piece up in the air. We have deduced the notion that he got his ability at shooting the basket from pitching maize heads over the tail gate of a wagon. Anyway, wherever he got his preliminary training he certainly got a thorough job, and next year will see the Buffs with somebody working top speed for a berth against this lanky boy from down on the South Plains.

It's in the air. What? Why Spring, of course. I saw a couple of budding sand lot artists tossing the horse hide apple around the gym. What a pity that the powers that be have seen fit to abolish intercollegiate baseball. In spite of the fact that basketball and football have become the reigning college sports in the west at least, there is nothing that stirs the blood more than to hear the smack of a willow pole against a horsehide, or to hear that leather lunged despot of the diamond, bellow in stentorian tones, YOUR OUT!

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Society and Clubs

SALLY MARY CAMPBELL Editor

FEDERATION BANQUET IS INTERESTING AFFAIR

The Methodist Student Federation held their annual banquet in the dining hall of the church beginning at 6 o'clock Tuesday. More than 150 were seated at the banquet board which was presided over by Miss Edna Lawless, president of the federation.

The program was an exceedingly interesting one and was composed of talks by members of the organization and a number of humorous musical selections.

Miss Ruth Lowes gave a brief historical sketch of the federation and its several presidents since its organization six years ago. Ernest Cabe who attended the recent religious convention for young people at Detroit spoke on several phases of the convention.

Representatives of the various departments within the Methodist church were present and talked briefly about their work and problems. A number of visiting ministers also discussed the work of the federation.

Miss Mattie Mae Swisher, Student's secretary, closed the program with a discussion of problems and work accomplished in the organization. Prior to dismissal all present joined hands and sang "Blessed Be the Tie that Binds."

Visiting ministers included, Rev. M. M. Beavers, elder of the Plainview district; Rev. Ira F. Key, pastor of the Polk Street Methodist church of Amarillo; Rev. L. N. Lipscomb, presiding elder of the Amarillo District, Rev. C. E. Jameson pastor of the Canyon church and Rev. J. H. Braswell of Canyon.

SCHOLARSHIP SOCIETY TAKES IN NEW MEMBERS

Lloyd Green Allen Scholarship Society met in the reception room of the Dean of Women's office Tuesday at 4:30. The main speaker of the afternoon was Mrs. Harris M. Cook, who gave an interesting discussion of the Texas Folklore Society.

Miss Ruth Watson was appointed as a delegate to the annual council meeting of the society at Belton, Texas. Two honorary members were elected, Mrs. Tommie Montfort, and Miss Tennessee Malone. President Hill was elected honorary faculty member.

The February meeting of the society will be in the form of a banquet to be held in Amarillo in the Crystal Ballroom of the Herring Hotel.

New members elected this quarter were: Mrs. Annie Baker, Mrs. D. Ola Gillespie, and Miss Virginia King. No other election other than to graduate membership will be held until next October.

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MOORE DISCUSSES "CHARM IN CLOTHES" AT Y. W. C. A.

Members of the Y. W. C. A. enjoyed the third lesson of their "Charm School" Wednesday afternoon, January 28. Miss Helen White Moore had charge of the discussion and talked to the girls on "Charm in Clothes." She discussed color, style, becomingness and accessories.

The next lesson will be the fourth lesson or "Charming Manners." Members of the organization will have charge of this meeting, demonstrating by clever dialogues the different phases of etiquette.

Lessons to follow in succeeding meetings will be intellectual charm, conversational charm, and spiritual charm. During the last week of February a "Personality Prom," a social event, will be sponsored by the Y. W. C. A.

COLLEGE DANCE WED. IS SPONSORED BY RED MEN

A large crowd attended the college dance given in the women's gym Wednesday night, Jan. 28. Dutch Camel and his Sugar Stompers from Amarillo furnished music for the occasion.

The affair was sponsored by The Loyal Order of Red Men, the first organization to sponsor a dance thus far. The chaperones were Mrs. Mrs. Henrietta Scott, Miss Florence McMurtry, and Mr. J. L. Duflot.

LE MIRAGE STAFF IS HONORED WITH PICNIC.

Members of the Le Mirage staff were honor guests at a picnic tendered them Sunday afternoon, Feb. 1, at Cooley Canyon by the Prairie staff.

After an afternoon spent in exploring the canyon, the group enjoyed their supper around a camp fire.

LOTTIE EVA CLAY MARRIES CECIL J. DENSON FEB. 1.

Word has been received of the marriage of Miss Lottie Eva Clay and Mr. Cecil James Denson at Wheeler, Texas, Feb. 1. The couple will be at home at 500 West Tenth Avenue, Amarillo. Mrs. Denson attended school here last quarter, being classified as a senior.

SOPHOMORES PLAY BRIDGE AT COUSINS HALL THURS.

Cousins Hall was the scene of one of the most delightful social functions of the Valentine season, when members of the sophomore class enjoyed a bridge party. The Valentine motif, and a color scheme of red and white was carried out in the decorations, tallies, and table accessories.

Following the games, refreshments of hot chocolate with marshmallows, heart shaped bread and butter sandwiches, cookies, and mints were served. Favors were tiny chocolate bridge plaques wrapped in ornamental tinfoil.

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KAPPA OMICRON PHI HOLDS FORMAL INITIATION TUES.

Kappa Omicron Phi held a formal initiation ceremony last Tuesday afternoon in the home economics dining room, and Bernice Besire was received as a member of the sorority.

After the ceremony Miss Cleo Holmes gave a lecture on Norway and Sweden, countries which she visited on her trip to Europe. Her talk was illustrated with post cards which she had collected. She gave an interesting glimpse into the customs and industries of the countries.

Following the program, refreshments of fish salad and coffee were served Norwegian style.

ANTLERS AND ELAPHELIANS DISCUSS CURVE SYSTEM

Members of the Antler and Elapheleian Literary Societies held a joint meeting Thursday night, January 29. Following a brief business session Emmett Smith and Durward Brown sang three popular selections, "So Comfy," "Bye-Bye Blues," and "Three Little Words."

The program was then turned over to Ernest Cabe, a Cousin, who led the group in a discussion of the curve system. Both sides of the question was discussed from both student and faculty points of view.

At the next regular meeting of the societies, the contest play between the Elepheleian and Sesame societies will be held.

COUNCIL PLANS FOR FLAG TO FLOAT OVER CAMPUS

At a meeting of the Students Council last Wednesday, Jan. 28, it was decided that the United States flag would float over the campus hereafter, as it is the custom for the flag to float over all state property.

After a discussion of other business, the meeting adjourned.

SAVAGE ENTERTAINS WITH WAFFLE SUPPER JAN. 30.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Savage entertained a number of their friends Friday night, Jan. 30 with a waffle supper and three tables of bridge. A waffle marathon staged by Messrs. Batchelder, Cook, York, and Savage was won by Mr. York. The winner received an appropriate prize for his efforts, a bottle of Milk of Magnesia.

The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Batchelder, Dr. and Mrs. Harris M. Cook, Carl T. York, Miss Jean Moore, Miss Novella Goodman, Miss Tennessee Malone, Miss Ada V. Clark, Miss Grace Clark, and the host and hostess.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY IS DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR

Saturday night January 31, Misses Mary Morgan Brown, and Novella Goodman were hostesses to a surprise birthday party given in honor of Miss Jean Moore whose birthday is Jan. 31, and Miss Helen White Moore, and Miss Jennie C. Ritchie whose birthdays are Feb. 1.

After the serving of the birthday cake with all its accessories, and the revealing of surprise gifts which added to the merriment, Misses Jean Moore, Helen White Moore, Jennie C. Ritchie, Alice Dawes, Margaret Jusice, Mattie Wayne, Miltia Hill, Ruth Lowes, Jean Day, Mary Morgan Brown, Novella Goodman, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Osgood, and Mrs. George Wood enjoyed an evening of bridge.

Word came in Sunday from Brownwood that Joe (College) Fortenberry had fallen in love with one of those Hill Nannies, which probably accounts for his poor showing the first night against D. B. Alas! Alas!

We're proud of those Buffs. Coach certainly loaded up on goat meat. And here's hoping the Bisons gore those Wild Cats.

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BY COL. GOWDY

Well folks, the Colonel migrated south with Coach and his Bisons. And from all we've been able to gather, the boys played in the mud most of the way down and made the fair little hamlet of Brownwood about 10:00 p. m. Thursday.

The consensus of opinion that the Hill Billies would draw off with the rest of the western half of the T. I. A. A. contestants, proved to be right after the first game. But say, we'd have hated to have been in coach's place when that extra five minutes had to be played. Yes sir, we certainly feel for him.

Oh, yes, the Dance! Folks, just let your imagination take you out to Southern Congo. The same floor, the same crowd, but to your ears comes the dull thud of a drum. Then that black boy in "Mumbo Jumbo King of the Congo" has a huge megaphone and he is evermore splitting the atmosphere with a flock of unintelligible articulations. The floors packed to the limit, and each way you turn, some one else steps up to bar the way of that next step you had figured out. Then you're tagged again and the next problem is to get off the floor. Of course we can't criticize the orchestra, but that doesn't keep us from being partial to the Whites.

We've just learned that all Scotch bagpipers are deaf. That brings up a real problem. Does the music drive them deaf, or do they go deaf to keep from having to hear all the music going to waste?

They tell us that there is to be a grill section in the annual this year. It's a new step toward larger and better annuals for W. T. This year we feel like strong competition for the other annuals of the larger colleges. So—in case you have any ideas, jokes, wise cracks, or maybe just the low down on some one (that smart guy) bring it around and let's have a real Grill Section.

And some of these campaign managers. Would't you love to wring their necks? It really isn't a matter of looks, but its the manager who can wheedle the most coppers out of the depressed student body. Why have the Beauties? Why not just a flock of managers?

The Colonel just phoned in and said that Daniel Baker had truly a Scotch basketball club. They not only play close ball, but they have one man who wants to throw all the free goals.

The intramural contest waxes hot and believe me you can see all types of playing out there. We're for intramural athletics and so, let's go out and support our teams.

We have learned from an authentic source that Doc Haley and Bartow Johnson pulled a fast one on an innocent and unsuspecting class of boys. It seems that business called one our beloved Profs out of town, but before leaving he left word with Doc to tell the class that he would not be there. Haley immediately got in touch with

Johnson (two master minds) and after a lengthy confab they came to class with a set of exam questions which King Solomon and all his harem could not have answered. The boys took the test in all seriousness, in fact it was taken too seriously, for after an hour of deep thinking and fast copying they were told the joke. Immediately there after Haley and Johnson started toward Amarillo closely pursued by no less than a dozen enraged Swedes.

Some of these campaign managers seem to be taking it to heart. What I mean, they act up at the drop of the hat. And that takes us back to good auld Scotland and that little poem about "Ah, Wad some power the giftie gi us, to see oursel's as ithers see us."

Well, we see where the Clements Sports won the Amarillo tournament. The success of the Sports can be attributed largely to the brilliant play of such former Buff stars as Heck Ward, Taho Lowes, and the Hale brothers.

The Buffs handed Daniel Baker a pair of set-backs which put the Canyon entry well on its way toward another championship. In our opinion Coach (Sad) Sam Burton has one of the greatest teams ever developed in W. T.

Everett (Cowboy) Adams, and his wife, formerly Lola Mae Jetton, are living at Hale Center. They look back with loving remembrance to their college days here, and send their regards to all.

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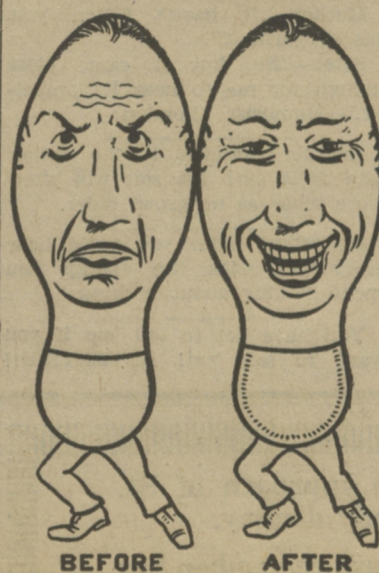
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Mrs. Page

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gave the history of the spreading of the Gospel from Christ, through the Apostles, and from one nation to the others. Approximately twenty-five people were used in the cast.

Another interesting event was the brilliant reception given by Mrs. George Webb.

Bishop Seaman, known to many W. T. students, presided at the Convocation and gave some interesting addresses. Mr. E. E. Madeira, present rector of the Canyon Episcopal Church, made a stirring address at the luncheon on Tuesday. Rev. David E. Covell, who will visit W. T. in the near future, was sent as a representative to this meeting and was the main speaker of the Convocation.

Due to the various articles in the "North Texas Adventurer," Mrs. Page was no stranger in San Angelo. Her report on the "Little House of Fellowship" was eagerly received, in fact, her audience hardly waited for her address but rather began asking questions before hand.

All denominations participated in the Convocation and homes of various church members were open to the delegates. Mrs. Page was entertained in the home of a Methodist, Mrs. C. R. Broome.

Miss Richardson Is Main Speaker For P.T.A. Group

Miss Mary Moss Richardson was a guest and the main speaker at the regular meeting of the P. T. A. of the Alice Landergin school in Amarillo Monday afternoon, Jan. 26. Her subject was "Religious training of the child in the home." The theme of her talk, which was delivered to a large and appreciative audience, was that true religion is contagious and that the best way is to live your religion.

Miss Richardson was the guest of Mrs. W. H. Lightfoot, parliamentarian of the Landergin P. T. A., whom she had taught in the fourth grade. Two members of the faculty, Mrs. Sarah Childers and Miss Kate Campbell are ex-students of W. T.

Miss Richardson was greatly impressed with the progressiveness of the P. T. A., which is giving help in the form of clothing and food to needy children, arranging for an art exhibit, and furnishing many conveniences for the teachers.

Two new students entered W. T. yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther G. Roberts '30, visited in Canyon Saturday.

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And students, that is not a bad idea. We really should support those who support the Annual, because the Annual is ours and not the institution's. It is one phase of our business, as students, to edit and pay for the Le Mirage; so it seems no more than fair that we should be customers of our own customers.

Watch This Space Grow!

The following is a list of the firms who have signed up to advertise in the 1930 Le Mirage. Students are asked to watch this list grow, if they are interested in the contest prize being awarded to the student who does the most business with the largest number of firms who advertise in the Le Mirage. Those listed here are the only ones who have been seen by the Annual business manager to date.

Buffalo Barber Shop, Co-Ed Fashion Shoppe, Buffalo Grocery, Marie's Beauty Shop, Canyon Service Station, Mrs. Britain's Studio, Bellah's Grocery, Peoples Store, City Pharmacy, College Bookstore.

Former Nurse Is Campus Visitor

Mrs. David Eugene Curry, formerly Miss Frances MacLaren, who was college nurse here until 1921, recently visited in Canyon while on the way to her brother who was in an Amarillo hospital as the result of a car accident.

After leaving here in 1921, Mrs. Curry spent two eventful years in the Kentucky Mountains in the Home Mission in Breathitt county, and three years in the Foreign Mission in the Belgian Congo region of Africa. She now lives on a farm in Lott, Texas.

Elmer Marshall is teaching with great success in the Allen Academy at College Station. While in school here, Elmer Marshall was caretaker of the two buffaloes, Charles C. and Mary Ann.

If he insists on being called by his first name, he's probably a candidate.

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Ex-Student Notes

BY L. N. GEORGE

Occasionally we must forget ourselves as exstudents and look to state affairs, even to be of the most value to ourselves. There are two suggestions that we wish to pass along just at this time. One is that every one of us read "Scope of Activities of a Well Organized State Board of Education," by J. W. O'Banion in the January issue of Texas Outlook. We, as a group of school people, can materially assist the incoming school board in improving Texas school affairs. And to do this we must get acquainted with this board's powers and duties.

The other thing that we wish to call to your attention is the bill, soon to be up, to appropriate \$25,000.00 for the erection of a building to house the museum for the Panhandle Plains Historical Society. Every Texan should be interested in this bill. They will be if we who live here call their attention to its importance. That is why we are taking this space. We exstudents from W. T. S. T. C. realize the importance of this bill to the College. But do we realize its importance to Texas and especially West Texas? If every exstudent will let a legislator know that he is in favor of the bill, we will have a museum. Do not do it as an exstudent, but as a citizen of Texas. People from other states are coming in and taking out that which reveals in concrete form the life as it was in the early days of this country. There is enough already collected to establish a wonderful museum. If you are for it, drop your senator or representative a note. Your influence may "turn the trick" and erect this monument for our posterity.

Bovina Chamber of Commerce Will Be Formed By George

L. N. George, secretary of the Canyon Chamber of Commerce, and Professor Frank R. Phillips of the Agriculture Department of the College will spend Wednesday afternoon and evening in Bovina assisting in the organization of a Chamber of Commerce there.

En route to Bovina they will observe the agricultural work in the schools at Summerfield and Black.

LOST: MRS SHAW'S "PATSY"
"Lost — one wire-haired terrier. Answer to the name of Patsy. Very affectionate. Unlimited reward. Finder please get in touch with Mrs. Trvris Shaw immediately, if not sooner, as she is broken-hearted over the loss of her pet."—Such an ad as this would undoubtedly have appeared in all the leading dailies in the country had not Patsy, much the worse for the traveling she had apparently done since disappearing early Tuesday, appeared at the home of her mistress Wednesday morning after an unexplained overnight absence. This explains why Mrs. Shaw was seen making a thorough canvas of the streets of Canyon in her car Tuesday afternoon and should allay the anxiety of her friends who saw her acting so strangely.

Mother—"Why ever are you sitting there when you ought to be in bed?"

Peter—"There's a mosquito in my room."

Mother—"It hasn't bitten you, has it, darling?"

Peter—"No, but it came close enough for me to hear its propeller."—Humorist (London).

Another optimist is the father who feels sure his son will show more sense as he grows older.

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COUNT AND COUNTESS FELIX VON LUCKNER

COUNT FELIX VON LUCKNER is the dashing, romantic humanitarian of the late war, who won his way up from the ranks in the German navy to his position as commander of the "Sea Adler," the famous German raider which sailed the South Seas sinking Allied munition ships during the late war. Because of his very fine humanitarian motives he emerges from the conflict as one of its best known and most beloved heroes. He sank fourteen ships and yet completed his war record without a single notch on his gun. He never killed anyone nor did he permit the slightest injury to any of the hundreds of prisoners whom he captured.

Count Luckner will appear here in the near future to tell of his absorbingly interesting experiences during the war. When he arrived in New York city some time ago he was greeted by three American commanders, whose vessels he had sunk, who came to thank him for his humane treatment while they were his prisoners.

He is accompanied on his travels by Countess Luckner.

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Churches

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Madeira and Mrs. Elizabeth Fry Page attended the Twenty-first Annual Convocation of the Episcopal Church in the Missionary District of North Texas, which was held in Emmanuel Parish, San Angelo, Texas, January 24th through the 27th, and gave reports of the Canyon work.

There will be service at the local church as usual, on Sunday evening, February 8th at 7:30. There will be gospel singing, the service of Evening Prayer, and a short sermon by the rector, with the usual hour of Christian fellowship at the Little House of Fellowship afterwards. Everybody welcome, especially those who love to sing.

A friend of the church has recently given it a new chandelier, so that the edifice is now adequately lighted throughout.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

1700 3rd Avenue.

Great services last Lord's day. Four made the confession and were baptized in obedience to the Lord's command. Three others acknowledged their faults and two placed membership. Everyone is interested in the work and we press on.

Services Sunday, Feb. 8, 1931. Bible Study, promptly at 9:45. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. Communion, 11:45 and 8:30 p. m. Young People, 6:30 p. m. Preaching, 7:30 p. m. Where you are a stranger but once. Come as you are.

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BAPTIST CHURCH

Class to Meet

The teachers and officers of the King's Daughters class of the Baptist Sunday school will hold their regular monthly meeting Thursday afternoon, February 5, at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. R. T. Bowman, 1602 Seventh Avenue. All are urged to be present.

Circles Meet Thursday

Circle 1 of the Baptist W. M. S. will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. B. Heath. The lesson for the day will be the last fifteen chapters of II Chron.

Circle 2 will meet in the parlors of the church and will study the tenth chapter of Genesis.

Circle 3 will hold an all-day meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Hicks today where quilting will be the occupation of the group.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

Sunday school at 9:45. All under twenty years of age are invited to attend.

Sunday Services at 11 o'clock. Subject for next Sunday, "Spirit." On February 15, at 8:15, Hendrick Jahn Le Lange, of The Hague, Holland, will lecture at the Olympic theater here on the subject of Christian Science. Admission to this lecture is free.

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Church Column Is Feature of Prairie

Beginning with this issue the Prairie is publishing as a regular feature a column devoted entirely to church services and church society announcements.

We believe that this column will be of real benefit to our readers as it will keep them informed from week to week of the special services and meetings of the various religious denominations.

The information desired for this section will include brief announcements or programs concerning prayer services, missionary meetings, young peoples meetings and Sunday services.

The Prairie asks that the ministers and heads of the various departments co-operate with us and that the notices be in our hands by 6 o'clock Saturday afternoon as otherwise they will be too late for publication in the current issue.

Mrs. Edna Welsh, '29, and little daughter Marjorie, spent Sunday, Jan. 25, visiting at Rest Cottage.

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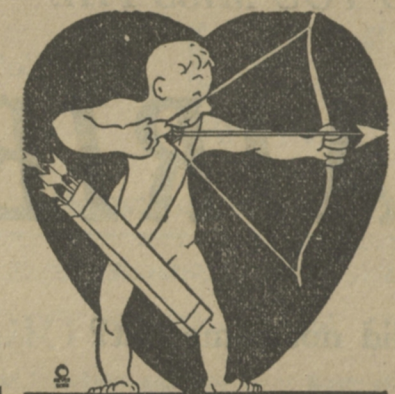
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