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# Jane Eyre Opens Two-Day Run Tomorrow

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## Final Personality Choice Wednesday

### Four To Contest For King, Queen

**Hanna, Abbott, Ledrick, Decker Still on Ballot**

A run-off election to be held Wednesday of this week will be necessary to determine campus Personality King and Queen from leaders in last week's race. Those still competing are Mary Lee Abbott, Martha Hanna, Mickey Ledrick, and Hank Decker.

Great interest was shown during the day in the election as students began going to the polls at 8 a. m. Friday and continued voting until 5 o'clock. Although campaigning on the first floor was banned by election rules, students boosted their candidates on the campus with posters, handbills, and campaign speeches.

Other candidates in the contest were Margaret Lahr, Mary Hodges, Winona Francis, Sada Ruth Hoskins, Jean Boyd, Willa Mae Freeman, LaNell Ekelund, Kenneth Corder, Homer Jackson, and Bill Montgomery.

The royal King and Queen of Personality will be crowned at a formal ball to be directed in February by Le Mirage. The court attendants will be college beauties who have been selected by John Robert Powers for the yearbook.

### Sun Carnival Director Writes of Princess' Visit

From El Paso has come a letter expressing the thanks of the Southwestern Sun Carnival management for West Texas State's cooperation in the eleventh annual event.

Specifically, Director General Tom E. Rogers referred to the sending of LaNell Ekelund as West Texas State's representative during the holidays.

"Your lovely princess represented your people in a very gracious manner," he wrote. "We were delighted to have her, and sincerely trust that she enjoyed every minute of her stay in our city."

### Students Perform KGNC Broadcast

Over KGNC Amarillo, at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon the Buffalo Swing Band and Variety Show members performed their first broadcast since the Christmas holidays. Glenn A. Truax is director.

The band played several numbers including, "It's Been a Long, Long Time," "I Don't Want to Love You," and "I Can't Begin to Tell You." Dorothy Evans sang "I'll Buy That Dream," and Ellen Posey sang "Along the Navajo Trail."

### Variety Show On Tour to 3 Plains Towns

Today, the W. T. Variety Show traveled to Dimmitt, Bovina and Friona.

The Buffalo Swing Band will do several numbers. Performers include: Charles Bell, Mary Beth Brady, Dorothy Fish, Dick Fleming, Mary Hodges, Sada Ruth Hoskins, Willa Mae Lindsey, Bill Miller, Sherrod Reavis, Gerald Smith, Mary Lee Abbott, Dorothy Ray Bivens, Jean Boyd, La Nell Ekelund, Dorothy Evans, Mary Evelyn Foster, Lloyd Johnson, Freddie Ramage, Opal and Ruby West.

Each week the Swing Band will do a few numbers for the "G. I. Revue" over KGNC. On Friday night it played for the Beta dance.

### Service Officer to Be in Canyon Every Thursday for Aid

Rhea Smith, the new Service Officer of Randall county, will be in Canyon every Thursday until further notice to assist returning veterans with their problems.

Mr. Smith is Service Officer of Potter County and has agreed to take care of returning veterans of both Randall and Potter county either in Canyon or Amarillo. Returning veterans of Randall county who need immediate advice on other days than Thursday may go to his office in Amarillo where they will receive assistance.

### Back at W. T.



DR. LLOYD SMITH

Now on the campus, arranging his course materials for next semester, is Dr. Lloyd N. Smith of the Department of Education. His last duty assignment in the Army was that of instructor in the American University at Biarritz, France. His home state is Missouri.

### Veterans Will Sponsor Dance On Next Friday

World War II veterans of West Texas State will sponsor the regular Friday night dance this week, it was announced by Bob Ziegler, president. Music will be furnished by the W. T. Swing Band.

The dance this week will be held in the American Legion Hall downtown from 8 to 11 p. m. Admission will be 50 cents a person.

Students and their guests will be admitted.

### Freshmen Enjoy Outing at Park

Freshmen journeyed to a roadside park January 9, to enjoy a weiner roast. Hot dogs, soft drinks, and apples were served the group by the food committee, which consisted of Betty Jo Pierce, Joy Crooks, Avis Harbor, and Ruth Fox.

Serving on the drink committee were Bernice Ehrlich, Ruth Thompson, and Mary Hartshorn. The affair was planned by Betty Brown, Candy Miller, Ellen Pennington, and Mary Hutton, the social committee.

### Capt. Bill Cone Here on Leave

Back from overseas is Capt. Bill Cone of Canyon, former editor of The Prairie. After entering military service in 1942, he served in campaigns in the Mediterranean and European theaters. He was a squadron adjutant in the famed 3rd Army and later was assistant administrative officer in the American Military Government at Munich, Germany.

After a leave at his home here, Capt. Cone expects to make application for an appointment to the U. S. consular service.

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## Duke-Duchess Will Go To SHC

### Dr. Griggs Is Well Received

**Visiting Lecturer Is Heard in Four Lectures at College**

One of the best tributes paid Dr. Edward Howard Griggs last week was that in his four lectures here he was his usual charming, cultured self, with challenging messages for his hearers.

His subjects were "Thomas Carlyle," "The Fine Arts," "The Life of Tolstoy," and "American Literature."

"In all the fine arts," said Dr. Griggs, "beauty appeals directly to the senses, hearing and sight. . . . What you think about when you hear beautiful music is what you are. . . . All music depends on rhythm, and rhythm is universal. Without melody there is no music. Rhythm, melody, and harmony are the three factors that compose the universal appeal for music. . . . Music is not an imitative art. It is an expression of the emotions. . . . No art can reveal the infinite. But music goes deeper into the mystery of life than any other art."

Dr. Griggs related that Tolstoy was of a noble family. Upon his graduation at the University of Moscow, he entered the army as an officer. He fought through the Crimean War, and upon its completion, he became disgusted with the army and went to St. Petersburg to join a literary circle. He became an accomplished writer. When quite young he lost all faith. However, in later life he was converted, and he dedicated the last thirty years of his life to teaching and preaching certain spiritual and social ideals.

"Life in Russia is a constant struggle against the brute force of nature," Dr. Griggs said. "The epics of Leningrad and Stalingrad best show the quality of the Russian people, that they cannot be conquered, which has marked the Russians for 1,000 years."

### Dr. Condron Helps Form Forum at Borger on Friday

Dr. S. H. Condron went to Borger Friday to assist in organizing a community forum. He spoke on "After the Atomic Bomb—What?"

On January 18, Dr. A. M. Meyer will address the forum on adult education. On the following two weeks, Prof. Herschel Coffee will talk on inflation and reconversion. Dr. Condron will complete the series of forums on the week following, when he will talk on the political outlook for the country.

Active in the forums are George K. Vaughan, head of the Industrial U. S. O., and Miss Lila V. Hostetler, county librarian.

B. Raymond Evans, former student from Tulla, after serving many months as master mechanic in the Pacific Theater, is an occasional campus visitor. He plans to complete his work for his degree.

A duke and duchess will represent West Texas State February 16 at Sam Houston College in Huntsville as attendants to their personality queen's coronation.

The Student Senate accepted the invitation and will furnish twenty dollars to each of the students for transportation.

These representatives will be selected next semester. Each class will elect a boy and girl. From these candidates, the senate will decide which two will attend the ceremony, Charles McDonald, chairman of the senate said.

"None of the details have been submitted to us, but schools and colleges from the four corners of Texas will be represented at this occasion," McDonald reported.

This is West Texas State's first year to send a duke and duchess to Sam Houston College for this coronation.

### School Press Leaders Chosen to Head Association

Outstanding high school journalists will direct affairs of the Panhandle High School Press Association this year according to an announcement made at headquarters of the organization.

Three of the officers are editors of their school papers. These are Patsie Northcutt of Amarillo, president; Anna Merle Cox of Pampa, vice-president; and Jo Ella Hussey of White Deer, secretary. The treasurer, Alvin Jennings of Canyon, is an executive of the yearbook at West Texas high school.

These officers were elected by a mail vote, inasmuch as the organization's convention plans in 1945 were cancelled by O. D. T. regulations. This year a convention will be held at Canyon in the spring.

The association has its permanent headquarters at West Texas State where Olin E. Hinkle, director of journalism, is the general sponsor. Its history dates back to 1934.

### Prices Contribute To Museum Fund

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Price of Stratford recently made a donation of \$1,000 to the Plains Museum Building fund here. Mr. Price is a pioneer banker and cattleman in Sherman county.

The Prices went to Stratford as a young married couple. At that time, the people of Sherman County devoted their efforts almost exclusively to livestock raising.

As a banker, Mr. Price has taken a leading part in the development of the Northern Panhandle into a prosperous stockfarming region. He has "grown up with the country" and he is interested in all phases of its development.

"We have the finest country in the world," said Mr. Price. "And we are glad to do anything we can to help preserve its history and its culture."

A total of \$60,000 is needed to complete a two-story addition to the museum. Construction was halted by the war. Many valuable collections cannot be received by the museum until the addition is completed.

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### College Decides Summer Plans

**Ten-Week Session To Begin June 4; New Nursery School**

In order that teachers and high school seniors of this region may start their plans now for next summer, West Texas State College has made the major decisions concerning the 1946 summer session.

The length of the session will be ten weeks. Classes will meet five days each week, Monday through Friday, and will be one hour in length. The maximum class load will be twelve semester hours for the ten weeks.

Opening of the summer session has been set for Tuesday, June 4. Commencement exercises will take place on the evening of August 13. Final examinations will be given on August 12 and 13.

President J. A. Hill has announced that a nursery school will be a special feature. It will be directed by a home economics specialist. Summer lyceum features will be announced soon by a committee headed by Dr. Wallace R. Clark of the department of music.

Offer Special Courses

Various departments are setting up workshops and offering special courses which reflect changing world conditions. These will include work in international relations, non-technical science, education, graduate studies, the arts, and journalism. Studies in crafts and vocations will be expanded according to the demand, especially the demand from exservice men and women.

In addition to undergraduate work leading to B. A., B. S., and Bachelor of Business Administration degrees, the College will offer major studies, leading to the Master of Arts degree in business administration, chemistry, education, English, history, modern languages, social sciences, and speech. Minors will be available in art, business administration, chemistry, mathematics, geography, modern languages, music, sociology, and speech.

The Graduate School, headed by Dr. A. M. Meyer, will stress a counseling program for students of research. A special graduate reading room will be opened.

**Good Summer Prospects**  
With transportation facilities becoming more available, West Texas State will draw from a wider area next summer. The cool Panhandle (Continued on page 4)

### New Films Are Available Here

The Film Division of the Bureau of Public Service has just received six valuable class room moving pictures from the film library of the Texas State Department of Education. One of the six is a version of "Home On the Range" with a Spanish sound track. Another is a sound moving picture on Flanders.

These pictures will be available for college and demonstration school classes on the campus and for use by the public schools of the area.

## Campus Theatre Will Present English Drama in Three Shows

Here are two more dates to be circled in the WT calendar of important events: tomorrow night is opening night for the Campus Theatre production of "Jane Eyre." Next evening is the time set for the play's repeat performance.

When the curtain rises on Scene One, Act One at eight o'clock, the audience seated in the Education Building Auditorium will view the culmination of a semester's work in the Speech Department—the cast's interpretation of Charlotte Bronte's three-act classic.

### Miss Gaume Gives Concert in Kansas



Wichita, Kansas' Saturday Afternoon Musical Club heard a concert given by Miss Matilda Gaume, music teacher of West Texas State, January 3, which was presented in the art galleries.

Also on the program were a violinist and a flute player. Selections rendered by Miss Gaume were "Sonata," Op. 26 and "Andante" by Beethoven, "Etude," Op. 25, No. 5, "Nocturne," Op. 15 No. 2, and "Ballade," Op. 23, No. 1, by Chopin.

### Buffalo Band Needs Players and Girls' Quartet

If you want to be in the W. T. S. C. Band, see Glenn A. Truax—he'll have you suited out before you can tell him you don't play.

The Band needs trombone, cornet, saxophone, French horn, bass, and baritone players. Almost any one who can play anything is invited to see Mr. Truax about joining the band.

If any girls are interested in trying out for a college quartet, they should see Mr. Truax. He wants only girls who are interested and ambitious. This quartet will in no way interfere with the College Trio.

### Capt. Wayne Eubanks Visits W. T. Thursday

Captain Wayne Eubanks, ex-student of West Texas State, visited here Thursday. He is back after combat service in the European theatre.

Since his graduation here, Captain Eubanks has received his Ph. D. from the University of Louisiana. He will return to L.S. U. as a regular member of the speech department next fall.

He wrote a dissertation on Benjamin Morgan Palmer, a Presbyterian minister. This book is one of a series of biographies being published in a series known as "Southern Biographies."

Before going to Europe, Captain Eubanks was an instructor in the army at Camp Hood.

FORMER GRIDDER IS VISITOR

Sgt. LeRoy Reeves of Childress, former W. T. football star, now a civilian, visited the campus last week. He plans to enter West Texas State again next fall. His passing and running will be valuable assets in the Border Conference football campaign.

"We should like to request that everyone be prompt, for after the play has begun, no one will be admitted until Second Act," admonishes Director Oma Link Rowley, head of speech instruction in West Texas State.

Admission price is 60 cents. So that children of the demonstration school may see the show, the college dramatists will stage an advance matinee tomorrow afternoon.

Starring in the lead roles are Jane Eyre and Edward Rochester are senior speech majors Mary Henslee and Mickey Ledrick.

Cast Named

Listed as they will appear, these are the student actors and the characters they will portray: Opal Weas and Evelyn Elliott, Mrs. Fairfax; Jane Evans and Jean Smith, Grace Poole; Mary Henslee, Jane Eyre; Mickey Ledrick, Edward Rochester.

Norma Dean Thurmon, (demonstration school pupil), Adele Varnes; Wayne Thomas, Richard Mason; Shirley Byars, Margaret Miller, Ruby Weast, Blanch Ingram; Betty J. Brown, Lady Ingram.

Dinner guests: Jane Evans, Lady Ashton; Arlee Stafford, Lord Ashton; Gene Adams, Colonel Dent; Sue S. Heffy, Miss Cecil Worthing.

Understudies Assigned

To give a maximum of experience, understudies, each to act for at least one performance, have been assigned to three parts, those of Mrs. Fairfax, Grace Poole and Blanch Ingram.

Carl Michell designed the setting and supervised its construction by the stage craft class: Imogene Wilmoth, Juanita Simpson, Charlotte Burks, Billie Lou King, June Brown, Dorothy Evans and Candy Miller. Assisted by Lin Welch, Bill Greenfield is stage manager. Electrician Lloyd Johnson will be aided by Sada Ruth Hoskins and Sue Sheffy.

List Producers

Others on the production staff include: Billie Bural, property manager; Jean Smith, wardrobe mistress; Margaret Nye of Amarillo, make-up artist; Imogene Wilmoth, assistant make-up artist; Johnnie Fay Cresens, publicity manager; and Nadyne Coker, holder of the script.

Host and hostess are F. E. Savage and Mrs. Charles Harter. Ushering during evenings of performance will be Dorothy R. Bivens, Norma Coker, Mary Frances Caldwell and Jody Marsh.

### Veterans Will Talk Projects at Bob's Wednesday

Veterans of West Texas State will hold a short meeting at Bob's Coffee Shop annex Wednesday at 3:30 p. m., according to an announcement by Bob Ziegler, president.

Announcements will be made and there will be a short program, Ziegler said.

Several projects will be discussed. All veterans are invited to attend this meeting.

### College Women Active in AAUW

West Texas State College has a large number of its people working in the American Association of University Women. Miss Jean Moore is president of the Canyon branch. Dr. Hattie M. Anderson is a member of the Constitution committee. Dr. Ina C. Barlow is a member of the State International Education and Relations committee.

Mrs. John E. Oakes of Amarillo, a graduate of West Texas, is chairman of the recent graduate's committee and Mrs. Irby Carruth of Waco, another graduate, is a member of the State Education committee. Dr. Loraine Bruce of Pampa, another graduate, is a member of the committee on Economic and Legal Status of Women.

Other names which appear on the roster and which are very familiar to people on the campus of W. T. are: Dr. Margaret LeB Wiley, former member of the local English Department; Miss Orpa Dennis of Commerce, former head of the Home Economics Department; Miss Miltia Hill of Alpine, formerly a member of the Art Department; and Dr. Bernice Moore of Austin, who has spoken at this college many times.

West Texas State College holds an associate membership in the American Association of University Women.

CLUB HEARS PIERLE

Science club members met in the Science Building Friday night to hear Dr. C. A. Pierle, sponsor, discuss all of his research on the subject of "The Growth of Teeth in Relation to Nutrition."

## Definite Conclusion?—No! But Survey Proves Most WT Males Frown Upon Levi-Wearing Co-eds

The Prairie is confused. Furthermore, this portion of its staff hereby resolves never again to attempt arriving at a definite conclusion about anything asked in a public opinion poll.

Who is the more capable judge in matters of feminine apparel?

Can man or woman best decide the determining factors in whether the female of the species is well-dressed?

As we said, The Prairie still doesn't know, but it is beginning to understand the male point of view concerning "sloppy" co-ed attire. Simply stated, some like it and some don't.

The whole inquiry began last week, when a clerk in one of the local department stores confided reason for furtiveness in handling merchandise for sale. Spying two jean-clad college girls entering the door, she quickly slipped the entire

stock of levis and coveralls under the counter.

"You know, we just can't keep these things any more," she explained. "Before the poor neglected farmers have a chance at work clothes, the girls from the college buy them all."

Well, then and there, this reporter planned to find out what the men of West Texas State have to say about the problem. . . if it can be properly called a problem.

While retaining a strictly neutral position in the battle, we might print one wee dig to uplift the morale of those girls who follow fashion's dictates and join the "papa's-shirts-over-my-levis" brigade.

From Good Housekeeping Magazine, the little verse goes something like this:

"Men who laugh  
At women in slacks

Should take a look  
At their own cute backs."

Unquote. That's the other side of the story.

But this week, we're publishing the answers men, both instructors and students, gave in reply to: "What do you think of girls' wearing the popular college girl garb here on the campus of W. T.?"

Dr. S. H. Condron, head of the government department: "I have no objection except that their sloppiness somehow destroys the girl's femininity. Out-of-door togs seem out of place in school, although quite all right for picnics, outings, etc. Ninety-five per cent of the time, a man prefers the feminine, little-girl type."

Ward Hook: "It doesn't make any difference to me. . . people are supposed to be here to study, anyway."

Dr. A. K. Knott, dean of the lower

division: "My chief complaint is not jeans and coveralls, but girls who attend my classes with their hair rolled up. I should like for them to feel that when they are here, they are already somewhere, not that they are merely preparing to go somewhere else."

Wayne Thomas, junior: "Being no connoisseur of women's trousers, I am really unqualified to say. Generally speaking I think that it's okay. . . for lounging or running errands to town, for instance, it's swell."

Dr. D. A. Shirley, dean of the upper division: "Levis are not very pretty, I'll admit, but I know of nothing more appropriate and sensible for them to wear."

Mickey Ledrick, senior and enthusiastic Ogden Nash fan: "Bedeck your lower limbs in pants, Yours are the limbs, my sweetening. You look divine as you advance. . .

Have you seen yourself retreating?"

Dr. Wallace Clark, head of the department of music: "If they can afford to do it, that is to say if they have the architecture."

Olin Hinkle, head of the publications department: "They look like splendid work clothes; but I doubt that we may assume that the girls wear them for that purpose."

Bob Ziegler, head of the veterans organization: "Girls were made to wear skirts, and except on very infrequent occasions. . . during cold weather, perhaps. . . they look much better not in levis."

Toney Brown, freshman: "Slacks I can understand, but levis. . . no."

Hank Decker: Buffalo basketball player: "If that's what they want to wear, it's all right."

Frank R. Phillips, head of the agriculture department: "D—is the word."



Students' Official Newspaper

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SAD STORY—

Pause now, O you passer by, As you are now, so once was I; As I am now, pray you'll never be, For only failures follow me.

Then came the finals and I was doublecrossed. The teachers gave out an extra sheet of paper to each pupil just for the purpose of covering their papers and I was ruined.

Well, my class graduated last week, without me. And to think a full half year wasted all because I was a little careless and thought I could let everyone else do my work for me.

"Notice is hereby given" . . . as the radio ads say . . . that West Texas State's campus needs more evergreens. In fact, it appears that at least half of the trees should be of this type.

One of West Texas State's greatest needs is that of a dining hall big enough to seat an entire convention. This hall would become a facility which would make it easy and desirable for many Panhandle groups to have at least a part of their sessions here.

It's WEST Texas State College. "No other" state college can make this statement! This fact should be the cue for our using more things in the western motif.

Already given the blessings of the College executive staff is a late spring water pageant, to be directed by the Department of Physical Education for Women and assisted by other departments.

Ex-service men are beginning to inquire about West Texas State's plans for a World War II memorial. . . . The accent today is on "living" memorials—functioning units such as buildings, funds, etc.



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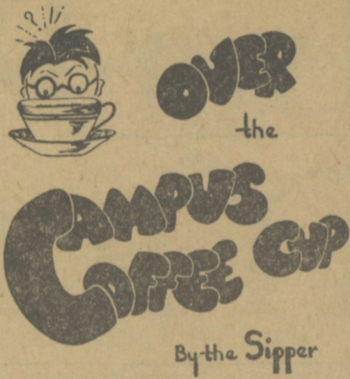
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Joining the happy throng of engaged beauties the Sipper noticed Jane Evans' beautiful ring.

The Sipper visited the band house the other day and noticed some interesting characters. Charlie Bell and Winifred Hoskins (the Mutt and Jeff of the organization) soon arrived.

Of course no meeting of the band could be complete without Charlie Bell, Bob Gray, and Gerald Smith.

W. T. is again honored and has an invitation to send a boy and a girl to Huntsville.

Jane Eyre is to start its production next week. The Sipper got to sit through a small part of one rehearsal and they have really got it down pat.

The Sipper understands that Ellen Sanders is slightly unhappy because her name wasn't mentioned with Chesterfield representatives.

In the next few days we should see a hot political campaign in the run-off for personality king and queen.

Sometime in February the coronation dance which will be sponsored by Le Mirage will be held.

January 20 to 27 will be dead week and there will be no scheduled social events.

Hipparchus invented trigonometry. 'Tis said that more women should be in politics, because their minds are cleaner.

Vital Statistics: "I've a friend I'd like to have you girls meet."

Literary Girl: "What does he read?" Society Girl: "Who are his family?"

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The Arab lore and poet's song were done, And every sound of revelry expired;

The lady and her lover, left alone, The rosy flood of twilight's sky admired;—

Ave Maria! o'er the earth and sea, That heavenliest hour of Heaven is worthiest thee!

Ave Maria! blessed be the hour! The time, the clime, the spot, where I so oft

Have felt that moment in its fullest power Sink o'er the earth so beautiful and soft,

While swung the deep bell in the distant tower, Or the faint dying day-hymn stole aloft,

And not a breath crept through the rosy air, And yet the forest leaves seem'd stir'd with prayer.

Chapel Fund Is Growing Steadily—Carson In Lead

Cash and pledges in the W. T. chapel building fund now total more than \$20,000, it was announced by President J. A. Hill yesterday.

Contributions are coming in every day, but an intensification of the drive will be necessary if it is to be completed and construction started by next summer.

Carson county, which is setting the pace in contributions to the West Texas State chapel building fund, has raised its total to \$2,278, according to the Panhandle Herald.

The goal in the entire chapel campaign is \$50,000. President J. A. Hill is urging that various Panhandle counties complete their drives as soon as possible.

Mrs. Fred Surratt has been in charge of the campaign at Panhandle. Her assistants, according to the Herald, are Kellus Turner, Mrs. Eva E. Craig, Miss Margaret Britten, H. G. Robinson, and Mrs. W. W. Evans.

Sponsors of the campaign in Carson county have figured out that the chapel fund would be raised if every person in the Panhandle would contribute 50 cents.

On this basis, Carson county would contribute \$3,276.50. A relatively small number of persons contributed the \$2,278 already in hand.

Exam Schedule

Fall Semester, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, January 24, 25, 26, 1946. All 8:00 o'clock MWF classes—8:00 to 10:00, January 24.

Film Schedule

Wednesday, Jan. 16—Film Room—5th period—"Ominous Arms Case." Thursday, Jan. 17, Film Room—2, 3, 4, 5, 6 periods—"Body Defense Against Disease."

Pvt. Carl Hartman Is Now in Japan

LUZON.—Pvt. Carl B. Hartman, son of Carl A. Hartman, Route 1, Box 64, Canyon, Texas, is a member of the 10th Chemical Warfare General Service Company, now in Japan with the occupation forces.

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Evelyn Jean McCarty Writes About Busy Schedule at Columbia U. and Taking Time to See Broadway Plays

From New York City, where she is a student at Columbia University, Evelyn Jean McCarty writes of attending Broadway plays and of a full schedule of classes—40 hours a week.

Her graduate course in journalism, she says, requires that she write a minimum of 5,000 words a week.

Her letter to Dr. Fronabarger follows, in part:

"I saw the Margaret Webster production of 'The Tempest' this last weekend. I am more than ever convinced of Shakespeare's greatness as a writer. I have been taking lessons from him and every other playwright on Broadway that I can. It is hard to see many plays.

"Music by David Diamond began a moment before the front curtain went up. On the second curtain was the huge ship leaning with its deck toward the audience. Music, sound effects, and lighting thoroughly convinced you that there was a storm. Then one of the sails on the ship opened up, presenting characters on the deck. A good effect. You know this scene. The rest of the play was given about a revolving stage portraying Prospero's little kingdom.

"The background is a late evening sky which is changed with lights. The rocky cliffs are sandy-colored. The front of the cave-house is done to resemble large leaves put together. Steps to various levels run about the stage making most any kind of setting needed.

"Prospero (Arnold Moss) wears a brilliant red velvet cloak-dress. Over it he wears his magic cloak which is deep rusty grey with huge gold patterns on it.

"Miranda (Diana Sinclair) wears a pale green, long dress with a low round neckline. She has flowers around the sleeves and neck. When she is queen to Ferdinand, the only addition is a floral crown.

"Caliban (Canada Lee) was hideous to look at. Brownish-green in color with a hairy body with leaves and twigs tangled up in it. A green-grey face.

"Ariel (Vera Zalina) is the kind of spirit anyone would want. She

was dressed in green and wore a fusia sequin crown. There was a great affection and a tender feeling of belonging shown between her and Prospero.

"Prospero was good throughout the play.

"Miranda's best scenes were those in which she met Ferdinand, wanted to help him work, and the scene where other men showed up.

"Ferdinand (Albert Hachmeister) was easy to look at. After seeing Miranda, he was in a daze for the rest of the play.

"Stephano (Benny Baker) and Trinculo (Wallace Acton) were good. Their best scene was during the storm where Stephano discovered Trinculo and Caliban under the covering. The scene where Trinculo crawled under the covering and the other one were hilarious to watch. Stephano, drunk as everything, is marveling at the 4-legged monster he has. He turns—Caliban takes the covering in one direction (on his hands and knees) and Trinculo in the other direction—making the monster look like a giant worm or daushound or whatever you may decide to name it. The scene where the three are chased by spirits because they were about to kill Prospero is not so impressive. You seem to feel 'Oh, well, something has to be done to them.'

"Gonzalo (Robert Harrison) has a good voice.

"Other actors: Shipmaster, Beaumont Bruestle; boatswain, Angus Cairns; Alonso, Bram Nossen; Antonio, Joseph Hardy; Sebastian, Eugene Stuckmann; Adrian, Jack Bostick.

"The only major change in the play was the omission of Ariel's speech at the end. And one of Prospero's speeches jumped a scene. I failed to mark which speech but it is quoted of ten. It begins 'Life is made of . . . as dreams are. . . '

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## Bufs Change Crowning Plans

Mary Hanna to Receive Honor February 8—Not February 2, as Planned

Date for the crowning of the basketball queen, Mary Hanna, has been changed to February 8 or 9 from February 2, according to Coach Gus Miller. Scheduled to play the Bufs is Hardin-Simmons University.

Buffalo squad boys did not elect attendants, but agreed that the girl friends of the first string players will participate in the crowning. Basketball boys will escort the attendants.

Coach Miller had the honor of placing the crown on the queen's head last year, but whether he or J. W. Malone, captain of the team, will this year has not been decided.

## Courts Team Leads League

Ties For Second and Third Place Occur In Men's Competition

Now at its mid-way point is the intramural basketball tournament for men, with Buffalo Courts, Stafford Hall, Terrill Hall, Pueblo Courts, Town Raiders, and Town Bombers competing.

In the lead is the Buffalo Courts team, which won over the strong Buffoneers, 42 to 24. Tied for second place are Terrill and Stafford halls, with two wins and one loss for each. Stafford won over Terrill but lost to the Courts men. Pueblo Courts and the Bombers are tied for third place with one win and two losses each. The Bombers won over Pueblos, 31 to 25, but the latter got a forfeit from the Raiders, amounting to a win.

The Raiders, with two losses and no wins, are still in the race.

The standings:

| Team     | played | won | lost | pct.  |
|----------|--------|-----|------|-------|
| Bufs     | 2      | 2   | 0    | 1.000 |
| Stafford | 3      | 2   | 1    | .666  |
| Terrill  | 3      | 2   | 1    | .666  |
| Pueblo   | 3      | 1   | 2    | .333  |
| Bombers  | 3      | 1   | 2    | .333  |
| Raiders  | 2      | 0   | 2    | .000  |

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# ACC Wildcats Lose to Bufs

Locals Look Raged But Outclass Visitors in Contest Here Friday

Abilene Christian College's Wildcats were on the loose for a brief period Friday night and local fans began to wonder whether the Bufs were to have an "off" night. In the opening minutes of the cage battle, the visiting ACC team fought on even terms, holding brief leads. But midway in the first half West Texas began hitting and soon took the lead to the tune of 29 to 13.

ACC was too good for the W. T. reserves but not good enough to stay on even ground with the Buffalo starters. These starters include J. W. Malone, Borden Price, Hank Decker, Don Leach, and Bill Miller. Reserves included Jack Tomberlin, Pinky Jackson, Charles Taylor, John Budenholzer, and Glenn Brotherton.

The second team ran the score to 36 to 19 at halftime. After the intermission, the Wildcats began to scamper and made seven points. This really cut the West Texans lead to 10 points, 36 to 26.

Coach Miller rushed Buff starters in and a few moments later the Buffalo cagers had completely outclassed the visitors. Both teams were somewhat off, but the game was not a dull one. Play was rough enough to make things interesting. Abilene Christian College has just begun its sports program after suspending it throughout the war.

Malone, West Texas' ace guard, didn't have an extra good night but took high point honors with 14. Decker, Buff center, was outstanding on defense. Miller and Price played a good game of offensively and defensively. J. E. Smith and Dub Winkles were outstanding players for ACC. Interesting was the fact that sons of the two coaches played against each other. Charles Morris, son of the Abilene coach, played opposite Bill Miller, Coach Gus Miller's son.

West Texas State cagers are idle until Friday and Saturday nights, when they meet the New Mexico University Lobos in Albuquerque.

| West Texas  | fg | ft | pf | tp |
|-------------|----|----|----|----|
| Miller      | 5  | 0  | 2  | 10 |
| Leach       | 1  | 0  | 2  | 2  |
| Decker      | 4  | 3  | 1  | 11 |
| Malone      | 7  | 0  | 1  | 14 |
| Price       | 5  | 0  | 0  | 10 |
| Jackson     | 1  | 0  | 0  | 2  |
| Budenholzer | 2  | 1  | 0  | 5  |
| Brotherton  | 0  | 2  | 1  | 2  |
| Tomberlin   | 0  | 0  | 4  | 0  |
| Taylor      | 1  | 0  | 2  | 2  |
|             | 26 | 6  | 13 | 58 |

| Abilene Christian College | fg | ft | pf | tp |
|---------------------------|----|----|----|----|
| Cranfill                  | 3  | 1  | 2  | 7  |
| Olson                     | 0  | 1  | 1  | 1  |
| Smith                     | 6  | 1  | 3  | 13 |
| Winkles                   | 2  | 4  | 5  | 8  |
| Dacus                     | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Hickman                   | 0  | 0  | 1  | 0  |
| Harris                    | 1  | 0  | 3  | 2  |
| Pearson                   | 0  | 0  | 1  | 0  |
| Morris                    | 1  | 0  | 0  | 2  |
| Davis                     | 2  | 0  | 1  | 4  |
| Yoree                     | 0  | 0  | 3  | 0  |
|                           | 15 | 7  | 20 | 37 |

| Malone | Price | Jackson |
|--------|-------|---------|
| 4      | 5     | 1       |
| 3      | 2     | 0       |
| 0      | 2     | 0       |
| 0      | 0     | 2       |
| 21     | 6     | 4       |
| 48     |       |         |

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## U. S. Armed Forces Institute Has Big Mail Class Load

Madison, Wis.—(I. P.)—A monthly load of more than 50,000 lessons in extension courses read, corrected and graded for American soldiers, sailors, marines, nurses, and others in uniform throughout the world, was reported by the Extension division of the University of Wisconsin.

In the year ending with last April, 367,018 lesson assignments were handled by the Extension staff for students of the U. S. Armed Forces institute alone. To these were added assignments sent in by 3,539 Wisconsin military and naval students who enrolled for free courses under the state subsidy voted by the Wisconsin legislature.

In the same period, also, 3,598

military students from other states registered here for extension courses financed in part by the Armed Forces institute.

The extension teaching load also was increased by enrollments of discharged veterans of World War I, who are permitted under another legislative subsidy to take extension courses at state expense. Since 1936 nearly 1,400 veterans have enrolled under this grant.

The past year's enrollments of students in the armed services under all state and federal privileges reflected the largest demand to date for courses by correspondence, as well as the greatest volume of lessons handled by the University Extension division under service men's subsidies.

April marked the completion of three years of operation of the U. S. Armed Forces institute, whose world headquarters are in this city. Under its contract with the War department the University Extension divi-

sion supplies the instructional services for all military service students whose lesson assignments are cleared through AFI's headquarters here.

In addition to the headquarters at Madison the AFI has established branches at nine overseas centers to expedite its worldwide operations. Institute officials recently recorded passing the million mark in registrations of men and women in uniform for courses by correspondence, self-teaching, and off-duty classes. More than half the AFI students are serving overseas.

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Halbert, famed 6 foot 10 inch center for the West Texas Buffaloes in their best years, played with the Phillips 66 team last season when they won the AAU championship for the third straight year. He also played two years with the Boeing aircraft cagers of Wichita, Kans.

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# THE TUMBLEWEED

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## Calves Defeated Plainview and Borger Cagers

The W. T. Calves ended another victorious week by downing Borger 41-28; and Plainview 46-17.

Both games started with W. T.'s taking the lead. The game with Borger was played there. The half time score was 26-13. Borger accounted for only fifteen points the last half. Russell lead the scoring pace with 17 points. Hooper followed next with 14, and Johnson with 19.

Thursday night the Plainview Bulldogs met more than their match when the Calves looped them with 46-17.

The Calves sprang to an early lead and scored continuously throughout the game.

Hooper was high point man for the Calves with 19 points, and Russell followed closely behind with 17.

|          |    |    |    |    |
|----------|----|----|----|----|
| W. T.    | ft | fg | pf | tp |
| Russell  | 3  | 7  | 1  | 17 |
| Hooper   | 4  | 5  | 2  | 14 |
| Knighton | 0  | 0  | 1  | 0  |
| Carter   | 1  | 0  | 0  | 1  |
| Johnson  | 1  | 4  | 4  | 9  |

|         |    |    |    |    |
|---------|----|----|----|----|
| Borger  | ft | fg | pf | tp |
| Cope    | 1  | 0  | 3  | 1  |
| Howard  | 0  | 1  | 2  | 2  |
| Dunn    | 0  | 2  | 3  | 4  |
| Dolly   | 3  | 7  | 4  | 17 |
| Matheny | 0  | 1  | 4  | 2  |

|          |    |    |    |    |
|----------|----|----|----|----|
| W. T.    | ft | fg | pf | tp |
| Russell  | 5  | 6  | 4  | 17 |
| Hooper   | 1  | 9  | 2  | 19 |
| Knighton | 0  | 2  | 2  | 2  |
| Carter   | 0  | 1  | 1  | 2  |
| Johnson  | 2  | 1  | 1  | 4  |
| Ewton    | 0  | 1  | 0  | 2  |

|           |    |    |    |    |
|-----------|----|----|----|----|
| Plainview | ft | fg | pf | tp |
| Malone    | 1  | 3  | 4  | 7  |
| Coe       | 2  | 0  | 2  | 2  |
| McVickers | 1  | 0  | 1  | 1  |
| Boetle    | 0  | 2  | 1  | 4  |
| Echols    | 0  | 1  | 2  | 2  |

## KAMPUS KLATTER

Here it is another week, and K. K. is back to tell everybody all. So hold on to your hat, kids, and let's go.

Tommy Hunter, my, my, don't you know that you shouldn't go around knocking people's teeth out? It's liable to be messy.

The girls in W. T. seem to be happy once more. Could it be because the basketball boys are home again, and that they brought us a new trophy to add to the collection?

We hear that Dick Beck was with Bennie Jean Dawdy last Thursday night, and a very good time was had by both.

Catherine Whittenburg and Tommy Airhart, it seems, have a big attraction for each other. Luck to ya, kids!

Wilma Miller seems to be very happy these last few days. Could "Robert" have anything to do with it?

Elaine Service, Jo Anne Ford, and Virginia Reid certainly seem to be disappointed because the Plainview boys couldn't stay for the party. Frankly, girls, we don't blame you.

Several couples, who seemed to be having a very good time at the dance Thursday night were:

Billie Byars—Dick McDonald.  
Suzane Owens—Bervin Hooper  
Joan Byars—Bill Knighton  
Bette Brown—Jimmy Knott  
Janice Service—Merle Ewton  
Jean Truax—Loren Hightower

New student, Charles Stevens, has made quite an impression on W. T., especially on some of the girls.

We hear that Virginia Hunter and Richmond Hales really had a good time driving around after the dance Thursday night. Is this true, kids?

That's all we have this week, but read us again next week and we'll tell you more.

Much to the distress of all music students, something new has been added to the course in piano at W. T. The pupils will be submitted to a mid-term test next week by Miss Pauline Brigham, Miss Matilde Gaume, and Miss Mary Lee Gunstead. The quiz will include the playing of at least two classical pieces, major and minor scales, and a sonata or sonatina by memory.

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?? WHY ??  
How often have you heard, "Well, that's life?" Have you ever been guilty of such a statement? Let's hope not. Of course, I speak of the statement as being an ill recommendation only when it is offered as an "explanation." In reality, of course, it's no explanation at all. It's just some submissive individual's sign of surrender. In other words, what it really says is: "I don't know," in a few well-chosen, misleading words—a sort of camouflage.

And what in this world is worse than a person who hasn't the curiosity or ambition to ask "why"—and be perfectly willing and satisfied to allow the matter in question, whatever it might be, to shrink within itself and die without even so much as a good, sound explanation? Every incident in this world, every action you or one about you makes, is pushed forward and executed by and for a definite reason. It doesn't "just happen" as some exponents prefer to believe.

You've not been snubbed by your friends just because they are "down on you." If you are snubbed, beyond doubt, you have displeased them or shaken their faith in you. Of course, it's up to the individual as to whether or not you wish to make amends for whatever you have done, or just remain in that state of boycott.

Of course, this is just a thought to bear in mind. What's your idea on the subject; why not try "thinking it out?"

## How's About a Date?

Do you ratadate? That is a question everyone asks himself, but unfortunately is, unable to answer. How often these words are uttered, but to what results?

Many students who are good looking, intelligent, brainy, etc., who should be popular aren't. Some people would say that the ability to make acquaintances and retain friendship. While others say it is sportsmanship, friendliness, intelligence, and neatness. Which is right is something still looked for.

There are several "sure things" which either the male or the female can bank on to win friends and influence people, and that is friendliness. Everyone likes to have friends and likes to be a friend. Another "rule" is neatness. That is a must! These two items should be considered at all times.

## Homemaking Clubs Sponsor Dance

The members of the F. H. A., which is sponsored by Miss Wilma Herring were hostesses at Play Night Thursday, January 10. The party was held at Cousins Hall after the basketball game between W. T. High and Plainview. Games and dancing were the recreation. Refreshments were sold in the red room.

Dr. Lloyd Smith, professor of Intermediate Education, has recently been discharged from the service. He has moved into office this week on the third floor.

Mrs. Hester Morgan has resigned as art teacher, since her husband has come home from the Pacific. Mrs. Jerri Warren is taking her place.

Bernie Heare, an ex-student of W. T. last year, is now discharged from the service and has entered college here. He entered the Army last April.

A new student classified as a junior from Tahoka, Texas, has entered W. T. this past week. His name is Charles Stevens.

If you keep your promises and pay your bills as due, you're just as good a financial risk as the millionaire.

There are two ways to get rid of a headache: (1) Aspirin; and (2) The divorce court.

## Tumbleweed Is Exchanged With Many Papers

The Tumbleweed has risen from a mimeographed sheet to three columns in The Prairie. Many improvements have been made in the contents as well as the appearance. The style of writing has greatly changed in the two years the Tumbleweed has been in The Prairie. Each reporter has read and studied journalism in order to improve the paper. Journalism is not offered at W. T. High as a subject, but everyone who wishes to know about the subject is invited to come to press meetings and learn more about it. Anyone interested in working on the paper may contact the editor.

Quite a few of the ideas and stories of the Tumbleweed are based on similar ones from high school papers of different towns of the Panhandle.

Marilyn Condon, exchange editor, receives papers from the high schools of Amarillo, Tahoka, Tulia, Canyon, McLean, Panhandle, Pampa, and Happy.

## Chicago Faculty Government Set Up by Hutchins

CHICAGO, Ill. (IP)—Election at the University of Chicago of a council of 51 faculty members, the first selection of the supreme academic body on campus under the reorganization plan voted by the board of trustees last December, was announced by Robert M. Hutchins, chancellor of the university.

The election inaugurated operations under the new procedure which provides for a university senate comprised of assistant and associate professors in addition to the full professors who formerly sat as the senate.

The senate is now composed of 450 members instead of 195. Applying the Hare system of proportional representation, 351 voting senators elected to the council 45 full professors, representing most of the departments of the university, one associate professor, and five assistant professors.

Four non-voting members will be added to the council, including Chancellor Hutchins and three persons selected by him from among the vice-presidents and the dean of faculties. The council will meet once a month during the autumn, winter, and spring quarters, with Chancellor Hutchins as chairman. In addition, it will elect a committee of seven to meet once every two weeks during the same quarters with Chancellor Hutchins and a vice-president designated by him.

The council has been given all legislative powers in academic matters affecting the university, and has the right to veto recommendations of the chancellor, who also has the right of veto. Any disagreement between the chancellor and the council will be resolved by the board of trustees under the new plan.

Seventeen of the council members are elected for three-year terms, and equal numbers for two-and-one-year terms. The university senate will meet at least once a year to fill vacancies.

## Dr. R. Thomsen to Speak January 17

Dr. R. Thomsen of Amarillo will be guest speaker at the January 17 meeting of the Canyon Schools Parent and Teacher Association. His topic will be "Religion and Our Children."

You are extended an invitation to meet with the association in the Grade School Library at 3:30 o'clock, January 17 to hear Dr. Thomsen on this subject of vital interest to all.

Dr. Thomsen is a well known public speaker, having served in that capacity during his many years as pastor of the Central Presbyterian Church in Amarillo.

Joe Markham, former student and agriculture major, was on the campus last Wednesday making arrangements to enter college next semester.

Orval E. Allen, ex-student from Creede, Colo., a former Navy Lt. (j. g.), transacted business on the campus last Monday.

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## Betas Sponsor Midwinter Dance Friday

Epsilon Beta fraternity sponsored a "Midwinter's Dance" Friday night in the ballroom of Cousins Hall, following the basketball game played earlier in the evening.

The main attraction of the dance was the College Swing Band under the direction of Glenn Truax, which played from the stage of the ballroom. As a background for the band was a scene of snow-capped mountains, and a moonlit night. The front of the stage was covered with evergreen branches. At intermission, the College Trio, Winifred Ramage, Mary Lee Abbott, and Mary Evelyn Foster, sang "Winter Wonderland."

Snow was banked around the sills of the frosted windows in the ballroom. Large stars covered the chandeliers. At one end of the room hung the Epsilon Beta lighted sign.

The red room was furnished with a counter where chocolate bars and soft drinks were sold.

## Dr. Ima Barlow Aas Supper for Society

Members of Mary E. Hudspeth Honor Society met Friday night in the home of Dr. Ima Barlow for a supper and business meeting from 6:15 to 7:30.

After the supper, the program consisted of a business session and a poem read by program chairman Jean Boyd.

Those present were Jane Campbell, Carolyn Wimberly, Charlene Giesecke, Louise Conatser, Gladys Romero, Mary Ann Britten, J. A. Bagwell, Mollie Nann Ziegler, Dr. Barlow, Mrs. Barlow, and Miss Maude Cuenod.

## Larger Fees for Veteran Instruction Asked by Colleges

Lubbock, Tex.—(I. P.)—Dr. Wm. M. Whyburn, president of Texas Technological College recently spent a week in Washington, D. C., where he and other officials of Texas state colleges held conferences with the veterans administration regarding the amount the federal government will pay toward cost of educating veterans in Texas state colleges.

College officials, Dr. Whyburn said, are hopeful that \$100 per semester per student, which has been requested, will be granted. The urgent situation has arisen in the interpretation by the administration of the Texas out-of-state tuition fee and the legislation passed after World War I that veterans be allowed to attend school without payment of tuition.

Cost of a resident of Texas to attend college is \$25 per semester, but Texas has a reciprocal arrangement with other states to assess an out-of-state student in an amount equal to that which a Texan would pay in the state concerned.

Texas college representatives in Washington held out for \$100 per semester, contending that this represented approximately the actual of instruction. If the Veterans administration concurs, the \$100 would be paid to state institutions regardless of whether the student resided in Texas.

Frank Steen, former Canyonite and W. T. ex-student, called on friends at the college Thursday. Frank is again in civilian clothes and enjoys both the privilege and the feeling.

Bruce Cleland, is again in civilian clothes after several years in the U. S. Navy. Cleland, a Canyon boy, was investigating veterans' benefits.

## Miss Sharline Burch Becomes Bride Of Robert Reedy in Amarillo Church

Miss Sharline Burch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Burch of Amarillo, and Mr. Robert Reedy, of Greensburg, Pa., were united in marriage with a double ring ceremony January 7. The ceremony was held in the parlor of the First Baptist Church of Amarillo. Dr. A. D. Foreman was the officiating minister.

Bridesmaid was Miss Betty Lynn Wade of Amarillo. Mr. Oris Odom, Amarillo, was best man. Miss Winifred Ramage rendered piano music before the ceremony, and played the traditional wedding march.

The bride wore a wool dress of winter white with a corsage of pink and white roses. The altar was decorated with candelabra and baskets of pink and white gladiolas.

A reception was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oris Odom.

Mrs. Reedy is a 1945 graduate of West Texas State, with a major in business administration. She was a member of Delta Zeta Chi sorority.

Mr. and Mrs. Reedy will make their home in Amarillo, temporarily.

## Summer School ...

(Continued from page 1)

climate, ideal for study, will appeal to many downstate students. Recreation will include several all-college and freshman picnics, play-nights with supervised games and intramural sports, dances, swimming, and visits to nearby lakes and canyons.

Summer activities also will include open forums, programs of recordings, a faculty reception, assemblies, lectures, and demonstrations. The Demonstration School will be operated through twelve grades.

Room and board at Cousins Hall will cost \$80 for the ten weeks of the summer session, and at Randall Hall will cost \$70. The Randall cost on the cooperative plan will be \$50. Room only, at Stafford and Terrill halls for men, will be priced at \$32 and \$20 for the session, respectively. Dormitories will be open for occupancy on June 3.

Charles Gerald, veteran of several months of overseas service in the E. T. O., visited on the campus recently and made plans to continue his education under the G. I. Bill after separation from the armed forces.

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## Wedding Unites Juanita Simpson and Ralph Brady

Miss Juanita Simpson, daughter of G. W. Simpson of Claude, and Ralph T. Brady, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Brady of Claude, were married at 9:30 p. m. December 21 in the parsonage of the Amarillo Baptist church by Rev. Sizemore.

The bride wore gray with brown accessories.

Mrs. Brady, a member of Pi Omega, is a sophomore in West Texas State College. The bridegroom attended one year at Texas Tech and Texas University. He was discharged from the army in August after four years in the service, during which he attained the rank of first lieutenant. After returning from overseas he was an instructor at Childress Army Air Field. He is now employed by the Phillips Company.

## Dramatists Pledge Alpha Psi Omega

Nine students took the oath for pledgeship to Eta Iota east of Alpha Psi Omega, National Dramatic Fraternity, in the speech office January 8.

The pledges were administered by Mickey Ledrick and Mary Henslee. Formal vows will be accepted as soon as Jane Eyre is produced.

To be qualified for membership in Alpha Psi Omega, sponsored by Mrs. Oma Link Rowley, students must be active in dramatics and speech work and be a member of the Campus Theater.

The nine new pledges are: Evelyn Elliott, Shirley Byars, Nadyne Coker, Jane Evans, Betty Brown, Wayne Thomas, and Carl Michell.

Lt. (s. g.) Orville W. Cunningham of McLean was a campus caller on Thursday. He expects to begin terminal leave presently.

\* NOTICE: The faculty will meet at 3:30 this afternoon in the Science Building, announces President J. A. Hill.

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#### The Gas Is Conditioned for Transporting

In the previous chapter we saw how natural gas travels from a well through a meter house, through a field gathering line, and through a compressor station where it was squeezed into smaller space. Now what happens to it next?

Before starting on its long journey, the gas passes through a Gasoline and Dehydration Plant adjacent to the field compressor station. This plant removes gasoline and moisture from the gas to increase the efficiency of the pipe line system. If the gasoline were not removed, it would condense out in low spots in the pipe line and decrease the line's capacity. If the moisture, which is produced in vapor form with the gas, were not removed, it would, under certain pressure and temperature conditions, form "hydrates" which are similar to slushy ice. When formed, these hydrates accumulate in the pipe line, regulators and other facilities and restrict or stop the flow of gas.

The most important piece of equipment at the Gasoline and Dehydration Plant is the high-pressure absorption tower, 75 feet tall and weighing 123,000 pounds, which is used in our sketch to represent the plant. Actually, the plant consists of several buildings, steam boilers, heat exchangers, stabilizers, dephlegmators, generating plant, compressors, many pumps, and other auxiliary equipment, all quite complicated and scientific. The gas itself passes through only the absorption tower where the gasoline is removed by the use of absorption oil and the moisture is removed by the use of diethylene glycol, a liquid chemical which has a strong affinity for water. The absorption oil and the diethylene glycol are purified and used again, in continuous cycles.

Another advantage gained by drying or "dehydrating" the gas is that internal corrosion of the pipe line is held to a minimum, thereby reducing the roughening of pipe walls and the formation of scale and dust.

After passing through the Gasoline and Dehydration Plant, the gas flows into the high-pressure pipe line. This is the main transmission line which brings the gas across the country to your city and other cities, passing through one or more additional compressor stations on its way.

West Texas Gas Company owns and operates five compressor stations; one at the gas field, called the Turkey Creek Station, the McSpadden Station near Canyon, and the Plainview, Tahoka and Littlefield Stations. McSpadden Station is now being enlarged, and when this work is completed we will have in service 20 compressor units with a total rating of 4540 Brake Horse Power.

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