

## Variety Show in Auditorium Thursday Nite

Spring Election  
February 25th**Five Offices To Be Filled. Leave Petitions With President's Secretary**

Several vacancies in the offices of the Student Association will be filled in an election to be held February 25, from 9:00 a. m. until 6:00 p. m. A sample ballot will appear in next week's Prairie.

Petitions, made up of 25 names of students having C averages, are required for the president, vice president and secretary. For student senate representatives, ten names from the respective classes are required. These petitions are to be turned in to Miss Anita Goodrich, secretary to President Hill, and the names will be presented to the Association for certification of eligibility. These must be in the president's office by Saturday, February 19, at 12:00 a. m.

Each nominee must have a C average for the semester preceding the term of election, and have been a bona fide student in the college for at least 27 weeks.

The following positions must be filled:

Vice-President of the Association

Senior Senator:

Post No. 2

Junior Senator:

Post No. 2

Freshman Senators:

Post No. 2

Post No. 3

I. R. C. Orgainized  
By Dr. Condon  
In 1928

With the coming IRC conference, interest is focused on that organization of W. T. The local club was established in 1928 under the leadership of Dr. S. H. Condon, the present sponsor. The purpose of the club is to educate and enlighten public opinion and to discuss international affairs. The IRC membership is open to all students who are interested in studying and discussing international affairs.

The 1943 members of the local club are Vada Webster, Ruth Lutz, Lee Christie, Dayton Morris, Boone Todd, Ala Gene Pritchett, Joyce Hightower, Claire Trisler, Kathryn Ferguson, Mary Ann Tyler, Ruby Del Roberts, Helen Palmer, Jean Daugherty, Kenneth Cofer, Gwyn Johnson, and Mildred Taylor.

Guests for the convention to be held February 25 and 26 include delegates from Tech, Wayland, Eastern New Mexico College, and Roswell Institute.

Dr. L. H. Laing of the University of Michigan, and Dr. Wilson Godshall from Lehigh University in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, will be guest speakers. Three round table discussions have been planned for the meeting; the topics to be considered are "Global War and Its Consequences," "First Steps Toward Peace," and "Problems of Global Peace." Students will have prepared papers on these topics which they will read. The group will follow with general discussion with the guest speakers acting as advisors.

Eighteen Bands  
Are Coming to  
West Texas Clinic

Eighteen bands have accepted invitations to attend the band clinic to be held here Friday, March 3. Included are bands from White Deer, Shamrock, Phillips, Plainview, Lubbock, Spearman, Levelland, Perryton, Amarillo, Borger, Pampa, Hereford, McLean, Friona, Whiteface, Panhandle, W. T. High School, and Canyon High School.

Although the number of students participating in the "All-Star" Band will be limited to about 100, it is expected that at least 250 band members will attend the clinic.

Several guest directors who will be here are D. O. Wiley, Texas Technological College; Col. Earl D. Irons, North Texas Agricultural College; Robert Louis Barron, Amarillo; Richard Young, Lamesa; Oscar Wise, Amarillo; and R. C. Davidson, Plainview.

Those band members and directors needing housing accommodations for Thursday and Friday nights will be furnished them free of charge, under the direction of the Canyon Lions Club.

Although full details are not available at the present, there probably will be an evening performance by the clinic band, to which the public will be admitted.

Professor Frank R. Phillips is to speak at White Deer next Sunday and will spend Monday in the public schools there. Last week-end he addressed the youth group at the Methodist church at Lubbock.

Hudson Prichard  
Wins Wings In  
Army Air Corps

Lieut. Artist H. Prichard received his wings at the Douglas Army Air Force Pilot School, Douglas, Ariz., Tuesday, Feb. 8.

Lieut. Prichard received his training at Mesa Del Rey, King City, Calif., Santa Ana, Calif., Gardner Field, Calif., and at the D. A. A. F. P. S., Douglas, Ariz.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Prichard of Canyon, and was a prominent student in both the Canyon High School and West Texas State College.

Hud was formerly editor of The Prairie. He and Mrs. Prichard are visiting in Canyon this week.

The Love Story of  
Jeannie With The  
Light Brown Hair

Feeling like a "Million Dollar Baby" in her "Sweet Little Alice Blue Gown," the gay young lady of this story, "Jeannie, with the Light Brown Hair" had "Come to the Garden Alone," when what to her wondering eyes did appear but "A Boy in Khaki" who was "Alone and Lonely." "Yankee Doodle Dandy." The most appropriate event seemed to be "Tea for Two," so while the lad told of his "Home Sweet Home" in "Kalamazoo," she related events about her "Home on the Range" in "Beautiful Texas."

Later "While Strolling Through the Park" "By the Light of the Silvery Moon," something happened to the two. He looked into her eyes and said, "Be Careful, It's My Heart," "My Devotion," "I Love You Truly," "I'm in the Army Now" but when the "Victory Polka" is played, I'll come back to "The Girl of My Dreams." Make this "My Shining Hour," "My Ideal," because "For the First Time I've Fallen in Love" and "There Will Never Be Another But You," and I offer you "Gobs of Love."

"Down by the Ole Mill Stream," she looked into his eyes and said, "Be Careful, It's My Heart You have," and if "You Should Ever Need Me, I'll Be Here."

Now in "Memory Lane," she waits for him. It shouldn't be too long before he'll be back and then they can sail away to "Treasure Island" like "Red Sails in the Sunset."

Valentines Ever Popular  
But--More So Now

By Polly Winstead

From the large number of sparklers being seen on the "third finger left hand," it might appear that Dan Cupid is making his yearly visit a little earlier than usual this year. Not only is Valentine's Day being celebrated to a large extent this year, but it seems that the custom has been handed down for many centuries.

In the third century there was a man named St. Valentine, a bishop of an early church. On February 14, 270, he was put to death at Rome in the reign of Claudius, and was canonized as a martyr by the Roman Church. The day of his death was set apart in memory of him as St. Valentine's Day.

Then too, during the ancient Roman Feast of Lupercalia, celebrated in memory of Juno, it was customary for Roman youths to draw tablets from an urn. On each tablet was inscribed the name of a maiden to whom the youth was supposed to devote himself for a year. This festival was held near the anniversary of St. Valentine's death and was finally merged with it to the extent that the practice of choosing sweethearts on St. Valentine's Day for the ensuing twelve months became a common one.

As a matter of fact there were several saints by the name of Valentine. One German authority enumerates 52. A story connected with one of them runs to the effect that he was a charitable man who

Col. Tchou Will  
Speak Friday**Students Admitted To Lyceum Program On Activity Tickets**

Colonel M. Thomas Tchou (pronounced "Chew"), in addition to being an international personage, is a director of the labor movement of the Chinese government and, Secretary to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, and has many accomplishments. He is one of China's foremost painters, and is an accomplished linguist speaking English, French, and German as well as Chinese. Having spent many years in Europe he knows his politics well. In recent years he has visited Russia four times.

Senator Albert B. Thomas, of the Foreign Relations Committee says of Colonel Tchou's address: "That is the most brilliant talk on the Orient I have ever heard."

Colonel Tchou has spoken over the Town Hall in New York, and at the National Press Club in Washington, which membership includes a great many foreign diplomats and newspaper columnists. His address is full of humor and is delivered in an interesting and convincing, and forceful manner.

As founder of the World Citizens Movement, which was launched in September, 1940, Colonel Tchou is making a timely contribution to the study and creation of a better world order.

In speaking on the subject "China's Fight for Civilization" Colonel Tchou gives an intimate view of the present Chinese situation, and he is very happy to answer questions at all times pertaining not only to his subject, but also to any other question which might arise in regard to China and the world situation.

Dr. Moore Is  
Coming Back To  
Campus In March

Two special observances for the second semester have now been arranged. Dr. Bernice Moore, sometimes called the most popular speaker on the faculty of the University of Texas, and specialist in personal relations will spend March 8, 9, 10 on the campus of W. T.

March 28, 29, 30, will be observed as Religious Emphasis Week for the year. The program has been arranged through the ministerial alliance of Amarillo, of which Dr. R. Thomsen is president. The speakers for the three days will be Dr. C. R. Snodgrass of the Christian church of Amarillo, Dr. Earl G. Hamlett of the Methodist church, and Dr. A. D. Foreman of the First Baptist Church.

Lieut. Robert J. Hibbetts stationed at Blackland Army Air Field, Waco, and his wife send greetings and best wishes to their many friends in Canyon.

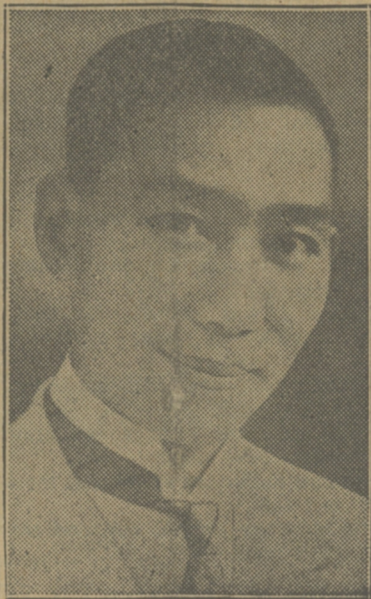
Mrs. H. L. Stone left Sunday night for Riverside, Calif., where she will visit for a few weeks with her husband, Lieut. Stone, who is in training at March Field.

visited the sick and the needy. When bedridden with old age he continued to send kindly messages to those he could no longer go to see. The German peasants were wont to call on their St. Valentine for relief in case of epilepsy.

An opinion was prevalent, among the English peasantry at least, that birds chose their mates at this season, near February 14, while both Shakespeare and Chaucer speak of St. Valentine's Day as a time when every bird chooses his mate.

Today, as a matter of custom and tradition, we celebrate the fourteenth day of February by sending Valentines, with small poems, ditties, and verses written on them, and Valentines for servicemen are by no means a new idea. As far back as 1855, British soldiers were receiving greetings from the home folks. During the Civil War, the so-called comic Valentine originated, but by the World War I, it was nearly forgotten.

One particular greeting that is making a repeat performance this year, an encore from the years of 1917 and 1918, is the card with a space reserved for a kiss imprint. The 1944 kiss card pictures "a cute trick of a gal" saying: "It's only a sample, but at least it will show—what the real thing will be when I get you in town." Above the verse appears a large white heart. An instruction tab advises that the lips be heavily rouged and then pressed carefully against the heart.



COL. TCHOU

Dr. Randolph Is  
Now Teaching at  
Oberlin College

John F. Randolph, Ph. D., mathematics major of 1926 is now Professor of Mathematics at Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio; he will begin his work March 1.

For some time, Dr. Randolph had been Assistant Professor of Mathematics at Cornell University, Ithaca, New York. In connection with his resignation, Cornell University made the following statement:

"Although it had been expected that announcement would be made after the final action of the Trustees, it may now be announced that before negotiations with Oberlin began, the Administration had approved a recommendation of the Department of Mathematics that Randolph be promoted to Associate Professor.

"We are sorry to lose his valuable services and pleasant companionship. We congratulate him and wish him the best of success in his new position."

In a letter to friends at Canyon, Dr. Randolph wrote, "At last I think that I have exactly the place I want. For several years I have had the feeling that there were some important things that I was missing and I now believe I know what they are. The work here has been pleasant, but it is so impersonal. The college at Oberlin and the little town appeal to me greatly. It seems to be an atmosphere in which I will naturally fit. In many ways, it reminds me of Canyon.

"Speaking of Canyon, I shall never forget the inspiration and encouragement that I got there. I am sure that there are very few places in the country where I could have obtained the start I did at Canyon, and I shall be eternally grateful to those who helped me over those early years."

John Randolph worked his way through college. Part of his expenses were made by working for the Canyon News and for a number of people in Canyon. Later in his college experience, he was student assistant in Biology. He found time for many college activities, including band and orchestra.

After his graduation, he taught in the Canyon High School; and it was under his sponsorship that the Eagle's Tale, the Canyon High School paper, came into existence. Later, he received his Master's Degree from the University of Michigan, and still later, his Doctor's degree. Following his marriage, he and his wife made a bicycle tour of Europe. They have a son.

Last summer, Dr. Randolph taught at the University of California. He stopped for a brief visit in Canyon on his way to Berkeley. He was Miss Edna Graham's guest at that time.

Dr. Starrels Will  
Be Assembly  
Speaker Thursday

Dr. Solomon Starrels of Albuquerque, New Mexico, a representative of the Jewish Chautauqua Society, is scheduled to address the student assembly at West Texas State College, Canyon, on February 17th, according to an announcement made in Cincinnati, headquarters of the Society. Dr. Starrels, who occupies the pulpit of Temple Albert in Albuquerque, will speak on "Where Jew and Christian Meet."

The Jewish Chautauqua Society, an educational organization, sends speakers to colleges and universities in all parts of the country to interpret Jewish History, literature and philosophy from a non-propagandistic point of view.

Dr. Lee Johnson of the Business Administration Department was passing cigars at Rotary Club today. Ocoee Ione was born Saturday at St. Anthony's hospital, Amarillo.

Joe Gill Made  
Lieut. In Italy**Local Boy Is Promoted on Battle Front Due to Valiant Service in Army**

2nd Lieut. Joe W. Gill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Gill of Canyon, received a battle field commission "Somewhere in Italy" in January.

Lieut. Gill left Canyon with Company F, of the National Guard. He has come up through the ranks to his enviable position.

While attending Canyon High School and West Texas State, Lieut. Gill was an outstanding athlete.

Quotations From  
President Hill's  
Assembly Address

To introduce President J. A. Hill, speaker in assembly Thursday, Dr. Wallace Clark led the student body in singing two of his favorite songs, "Onward Christian Soldiers" and "Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen." Dr. Hill's informal message to the group included several quotations that he had collected in a daily-thought diary in 1943. Some of them were as follows:

"Let the words of my mouth and the meditations of my heart be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord my strength and my redeemer."

"Putting on a uniform doesn't make a gentleman or patriot."

"No man ever achieved greatness who didn't work hard and all who work hard have at least one quality of greatness."

"When war begins, the devil makes hell bigger."

"The law of change in human development seems to operate with changeless regularity. To accept it and live by it is one's most difficult job."

"The roots of the present are deeply imbedded in the soil of the past. Fruits of tomorrow are already in the womb of history."

"There is so much need in the world that I wish I were rich so I could become poor again."

"It's fine fun to meet a hard job and lick it."

"We believe in the curse of ignorance, the potency of knowledge, the promise of youth, equality of man, sacredness of human personality, and the divine nature of Christianity." The last one is Dr. Hill's creed for West Texas State College.

Third Army-Navy  
Test Will Be  
Given Tomorrow

The third Army-Navy College Qualifying Test for the Army Specialized Training Program and the Navy College Program V-12 which will be given throughout the country on Wednesday, March 15, at 9:00 a. m., will be administered in Room 211, Administration Building, West Texas State Teachers College, Mr. W. Mitchell Jones announced today. A leaflet of general information which contains an admission-identification forms may be obtained, Office 120, W. T. S. T. C. This form properly filled out will admit to the test students between the ages of 17 and 21 inclusive who are high school graduates or who will be graduated by July 1, 1944. Intent to take the test should be made known immediately to Mr. Jones, telephone 72 or Office 120 in order that the necessary test supplies may be ordered.

The same examination will be taken by both Army and Navy candidates. The examination is designed to test the aptitude and general knowledge required for the program of college training and all qualified students are urged to take the test. At the time of the test each candidate will be given a choice of service preference, but taking the test does not obligate a

## Little Ole Mailbox

(Apologies to Eugene Field)

The little ole mailbox is covered with dust, but sturdy and staunch I hang.

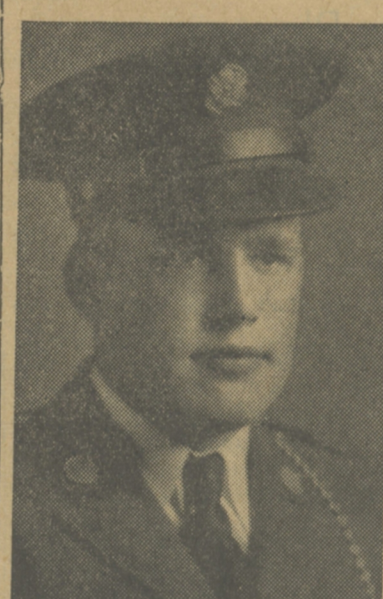
My little ole hinges are reddened with rust, because nobody gives a dang!

Time was when the little mailbox was new and the "dirt" was passing fair.

And that was the time when the students wrote and dropped in the tidbits "rare."

Now don't you fail me, I say, and don't you pass me by, Please tell me what is going on, and oh yes, tell me why.

So while I'm revealing my woeful state for lack of repartee



LIEUT. JOE W. GILL

Faculty Discussed  
Future Plans  
For College

The regular meeting of the faculty of W. T. S. last week had two special features. Dr. R. P. Jarrett gave a summary of his annual report to the president in which he compared conditions within this college with those that prevail in other colleges throughout the U. S., and in which he pointed out special projects which need to be undertaken by this college.

Following his report, there was a round-table discussion on post war W. T., with Dr. B. F. Fronabarger as chairman of the group. Others participating were Miss Ruth Lowes, Mr. John A. Gillis, and Mr. F. E. Savage. Miss Lowes emphasized the fine well established reputation which this college has in the field of teacher training and related it to the shortage of teachers which now exists in Texas. Mr. Gillis emphasized the need for more courses which will fit men and women for positions in skilled and semi-skilled vocations. Mr. Savage presented some ideas about plant and equipment which he had gotten through a student survey. He mentioned especially, a library building, a fine arts building, a student union, and an industrial arts building.

Dr. Fronabarger spoke on new philosophies and methods in the field of humanities.

President Hill announced to the faculty that there would be further discussions of the same kind.

Mrs. Reeves and Mr.  
Littlefield Went to Pampa

Mr. C. L. Littlefield and Mrs. T. V. Reeves spent Friday in Pampa in the interest of the college. Mrs. Reeves was guest speaker at the February meeting of the Pampa Garden Club, and both visitors had conferences with administrators of the Pampa public schools, and observed teaching and equipment in the Commerce and History departments of the senior high school.

Gene Morris was graduated from the United States Army Air Forces Meteorology school at Vanderbilt University on February 12. He was immediately transferred to North Carolina to begin another course in the field of communications.

Sgt. Loyd Devin of the Lubbock Army Air Field spent Sunday here with friends. He was formerly a teacher in the Canyon High School.

candidate to enlist in the service.

The Army Specialized Training Program is aimed to meet the Army's needs for specialists and technicians in certain critical fields of study. Academic work is at the college level at government expense.

The Navy College Program also enables students to continue academic training at government expense. Successful completion of the prescribed courses may, following further officer training, lead to a commission in the Navy.

I beg you do more than educate so all can fill up me.

Ay, faithful to The Prairie I stand right in the same ole place Awaiting the touch of a helping hand poking a note in my space. And as I wonder the long days thru, under the dust of despair Where is the spirit of old W. T. to get in someone's hair.

—Drake Times-Delphic.

It seems that West Texas State is not the only college having a hard time getting students to write for their paper. Students! Take pity. Write what your classes are busily engaged in, and turn the story in before Friday at noon, to the Prairie office.

Defense Stamps  
Will Be Sold**West Texas Troupe and College Stage Band To Be on Program**

Thursday night, February 17, in the Administration Building Auditorium, the students of West Texas State will produce a Victory Variety Show. This will be the second All-College Stage Production of the year. The show is under the direction of Mr. M. J. Newman, director of the band, and Mr. J. H. Butler, head of the speech department, and sponsored by the Defense Stamp Committee. The program will begin at eight o'clock with Meribelle Hazard as mistress of ceremonies.

The College Band will be on the platform to start the program. Also, the College Stage Band will play several favorite popular numbers. Members of the Stage Band are Mary Del Johnston, Anita Davis, Mary Hodges, Billy Miller, Earline Lust, Edward Fleming, Edwin McKee, and Sadie Ruth Hoskins.

Most of the program will be given by members of the West Texas Troupe who have traveled to several high schools and Army bases where they have been very well received.

Two vocal soloists, Miss Peggy McNeill and Miss Edna Mae Mauldin, accompanied by Mary Hodges will sing again. Also, Janette Polard, a contralto soloist, will sing.

There will be a girls trio, consisting of Miss Naydene Newell, Miss Sadie Ruth Hoskins, and Miss Margaret Barrett. The well-known Freshman Trio—Miss Mary Evelyn Foster, Miss Mary Lee Abbott and Miss Winnie Fred Ramage, accompanied by Anita Davis, will be featured.

A vibraharp solo will be given by Anita Davis.

Adding variety to the show, the speech department will present a melodrama, "Driven From Home," under the direction of Mr. Butler.

The cast includes: Mona Burleson who will portray Tom Trueheart, the hero of the play; Bernadine Phillips is Morona, the sweetheart; Meribelle Hazard is Pa; Lula Margaret Johnson is Ma; and Mary Jo Priddy is Silas Scroggins. This melodrama has been given at Stratford and Tulsa High Schools and for the Dalhart and Amarillo Air Fields.

Admission to the Variety Show will be the purchase of one Defense Stamp of any denomination. Stamps will be sold at the entrance door and the sale of Defense Stamps will aid in the purchase of West Texas State's jeep for the U. S. Army.

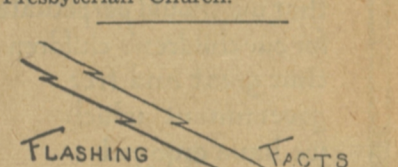
Last Pictures  
For Annual Were  
Taken Thursday

On Thursday, February 10, the students who enrolled at mid-semester had their annual pictures made. Several students who had already had their pictures taken but who did not like the expression caught by the camera went by to have another shot made, choosing to pay an extra fee for a more satisfactory photograph.

Mrs. Murry Watts of Murry Watts Studio in Amarillo came down especially to make these pictures. Mrs. Watts had come down earlier in the year to make the pictures of the students already enrolled before the second semester. Thursday was the last chance to have pictures made to go into this year's annual. The prints will be received in the Publications Office where those desiring to do so may see theirs. The prints will not be received before one week in all probability.

The second deadline for the first half of the annual will be met today. The clubs desiring pages should attend to that business immediately. The organization section should be in the office by March 10. Work is progressing steadily and very satisfactorily.

H. S. Strain, father of Dorothy Strain, was badly shaken by a fall down the steps at the rear of the Presbyterian Church.



"Life is like a game of chess in which we must play furiously lest the limit of our abilities be checked by public conception."

Being respectable is a privilege paid for many times by the mistakes of others.



# Students' Official Newspaper

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## What Will Take The Place Of Saturday Skating?

Oh, Oh, more groaning on W. T.'s campus! It all started last week-end when about 150 students and aviation students learned that Burton gym was no longer available for skating.

"Gee whiz, I walked all the way over there, and there wasn't even any skating at all."—didn't have a thing to do.

"Why not go to the dance?"—But I can't dance, and too, you know there is such a thing as objecting to dancing because of religious beliefs; there's no use denying that, nor is there any use calling such objectors hypocrites or old fogies. Those people are students of W. T., and are firm in their stand and are not to be condemned because of it. Instead, something should be provided for those students. They want something of a recreational nature to do on week-ends and need it so as to be able to enjoy their school work and to give their best efforts to it.

Since it has been necessary to abandon skating in the gyms because of the condition of the floors, why not make a parlor game room of it? Set up card games, monopoly, dominoes, table tennis, badminton, shuffle board—indoor games of all sorts—skating and dancing aren't the only approved pastimes of the campus. Sing songs should be popular with accompaniment with guitars and piano, and don't forget some refreshments.

Come on students, let's not let a little thing like this get us down. We've got a war to win and we'll have to keep up our morale to win it.—Marie Smotherman.

## "Mairzy Doats"

Others may cluck their tongues over the popularity of "Mairzy Doats," and profess to see in it a dire commentary on our national state of mind. But we are neither shocked nor surprised. On the contrary, its vogue seems to us healthy, normal, and quite in the tradition of wartime song.

Only those who shun the juke boxes and sulk at home with the radio turned off can be ignorant of "Mairzy Doats." It might be explained to them that the song was born when a young miss named Neila Donni Drake, at age 4, that "mares eat oats." Her elided repetition of this discovery led to the title as it now stands, and moved her father, a professional song writer, to expand the words and write the music.

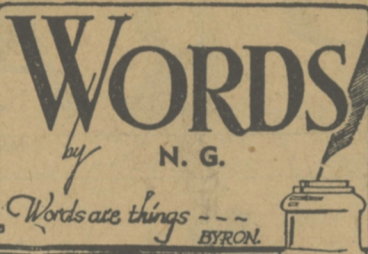
"Mairzy Doats" is no classic. Its popularity will be fleeting, even though at the moment it has swept the country like a chain letter. But in its humble way, the childish jingle has charm. There is a touch of Mother Goose and Walt Disney in the "translated" lyrics: "Mares eat oats, and does eat oats, and little lambs eat ivy." And the run-together tricks that the printed version plays on our language have a transient fascination.

But why, in the midst of war's grim business, should the American people go about singing—or, on occasion, muttering—nonsense rhymes? Well, why not? It isn't the first time.

We sang "K-K-K-Katy" in the first world war. The Confederacy sang "Dixie," which, for all its later nostalgic implications, was a minstrel song. The North sang "We'll Hang Jeff Davis to a Sour Apple Tree" to the noble tune of "The Battle Hymn of the Republic." The Continentals marched against the British to a nonsense song called "Yankee Doodle."

As a further explanation of popularity, there is the suspicion that "Mairzy Doats" is probably as genuinely inspired a popular song as we have had since the war began. After Pearl Harbor the exhorters of public spirit decided that we must have a war song. Tin Pan Alley, a closed shop of commercial, ready-to-wear tunesmiths, tried to oblige. What we got were things like "Goodbye, Mamma, I'm Off to Yokohama" or "Say a Prayer for a Pal on Guadalcanal."

Even the casual, insensitive music customer can spot a phony sentiment, which accounts for the deserved indifference to the catch-penny "patriotic ballads" produced to a date. We don't blame the customer for preferring young Miss Drake's simple, tongue-twisting, but obviously sincere dietary tour of the barnyard.—Amarillo Globe-News.



I wish I were a little rock,  
A-sitting on a hill,  
A-doing nothing, all day long.  
But just a-sitting still;  
I wouldn't eat, I wouldn't sleep,  
I wouldn't even wash—  
I'd sit and sit a thousand years,  
And rest myself, b'Gosh!

The cook was a good cook, as  
cooks go; and cooks go she went.  
—Saki.

Alone  
"When I'm alone"—the words tripped  
off his tongue  
As though to be alone were nothing  
strange.  
"When I was young," he said:  
"when I was young . . ."

I thought of age, and loneliness,  
and change.  
I thought how strange we grow  
when we're alone,  
And how unlike the selves that meet  
and talk,  
And blow the candles out, and say  
good night.

Alone . . . The word is life endured  
and known.  
It is the stillness, where our spirits  
walk  
And all but inmost faith is over-  
thrown.  
—Siegfried Sassoon.

Silentium  
Speak not, lie hidden, and conceal  
the way you dream, the things  
you feel,  
Deep in your spirit let them rise  
akin to stars in crystal skies  
that set before the night is  
blurred: delight in them that  
speak no word.

How can a heart expression find?  
How should another know your  
mind?

Will he discern what quickens you?  
A thought once uttered is untrue.  
Dimmed is the fountainhead when  
stirred: drink at the source  
and speak no word.

Try living in yourself alone:  
within your soul a world has grown,  
the magic of veiled thoughts that  
might be blinded by the outer light,  
drowned in the noise of day un-  
heard . . .  
—Fedor Tyutchev, translated by  
Vladimir Nabokov, in the Jan-  
uary "Atlantic."

"My litany of Things I Hate In  
Radio is not short. It runs around  
the clock and all over the dial. It  
embraces daytime serials, child per-  
formers, platter jockeys, and lady  
commentators—embraces the hell  
out of them.

"I hate Ma Perkins and Aunt  
Jenny and Just Plain Bill. I hate  
Big Sister and Joyce Jordan, M. D. I  
hate gallant Stella Dallas and  
Brave Mary Marlin and Amanda  
of Honeymoon Hill. I hate them  
because they meet every problem  
with chin up, shoulders back, eyes  
on a steadfast star. Myself, I'd just  
dissolve in a vale of tears, and let  
the landlord foreclose. Let Brother  
Ned go to the clink for the deed he  
never done."—Harriet Van Horne,  
"Things I Hate In Radio," Febru-  
ary 1 "Vogue."

Jane, Jane,  
Tall as a crane,  
The morning light creeps down  
again.

Comb your cockscorn-ragged hair;  
Jane, Jane, come down the stair.

Each dull blunt wooden stalactite  
Of rain creaks, hardened by the  
light,

Sounding like an overtone  
From some lonely world unknown.

The light would show (if it could  
harden)  
Eternities of kitchen-garden,

Cockscorn flowers that none will  
pluck,  
And wooden flowers that 'gin to  
cluck.  
—"Aubade," Edith Sitwell.

You buy some flowers for your  
table;  
You tend them tenderly as you're  
able;  
You fetch them water from hither  
and thither—  
What thanks do you get for it all?  
They wither.  
Samuel Hoffenstein.

Archie MacAlpin returned Tues-  
day to his work with the govern-  
ment in New Mexico. He was here  
over the week-end to visit with his  
family.

oil, my disgust runneth over.  
Surely to goodness if this dumb-  
cluck follows me all the college days  
of my life,  
I shall swell in the nut-house for-  
ever.—Grace Burroughs.

COMMENTS  
When arguing with a fool be sure  
he's not doing the same.

Advice usually can be had for  
nothing—which is exactly what a  
lot of it is worth.

Turning over a new leaf too often  
make you lose your place com-  
pletely.

## Letter to The Editor

The Prairie,  
West Texas State College.  
Dear Editor:

I am writing you to see if you  
could have the following published.  
As an average student here at West  
Texas State College I have become  
aware of the scarcity of recreational  
facilities on the campus for week  
nights. There is absolutely almost  
nothing for us students to do on a  
week night, if we have it free, ex-  
cept go to a drug store or walk over  
a mile to see a show. Of course, on  
Tuesday nights there is open house,  
but several students don't dance  
and those who don't go begging for  
something to do in order to have  
a little fun.

I wonder if something could be  
done about the situation. Could  
there be a place established where  
we could go to play games (cards  
and other table games), play a  
piano and sing, or some similar  
activities?

Sincerely,  
One of many.

## Educational System of Europe Wrecked by Nazi Influence

Because the entire educational  
systems of Nazi dominated coun-  
tries in Europe have been over-  
thrown and destroyed, the Allied  
countries will be faced with tre-  
mendous problem and responsibility  
after the war. This is the conclu-  
sion of Dr. A. M. Meyer, speaking  
at the Lions Club luncheon Tues-  
day.

Dr. Meyer stated that the Axis  
first destroyed the existing systems  
of education, then built up a new  
system through which they indoctrinated  
the young children. All  
parents and children who did not  
cooperate were either killed or sent  
to concentration camps.

In this process of change, 50,000  
leaders in education have been  
killed by the Germans. It would  
take one million books to provide  
each class in Poland alone with  
two books. In Greece 24 towns have  
been completely destroyed. Schools  
for 150,000 children must be rebuilt  
and re-equipped in Greece.

Norway has resisted the Nazi  
system of education. Because of  
this fact, all men in the University  
and almost all members of the  
faculty have been taken to concen-  
tration camps. At present thou-  
sands of Norwegian children are  
without schooling.

In China enormous numbers of  
schools have been practically de-  
stroyed.  
Dr. Meyer asked what the allied  
nations will be obliged to do about  
the problem of rebuilding education  
in these countries. He described a  
commission which has been set up  
in London with Dr. Gilbert Murray,  
of Oxford University, as chairman.  
This commission proposes an In-  
ternational Office of Education. It  
is working on the answers to three  
questions, (1) What can be done to  
restore the educational systems in  
countries conquered by Germany,  
(2) What must be done in Ger-  
many, and (3) What must be done  
in building the post-war system of  
education.

In the opinion of Dr. Meyer, the  
United States and Great Britain  
will be mainly responsible for solv-  
ing the problem and he believes  
that the United Nations should bear  
the cost. He stressed that the peo-  
ple of the United States must take  
an international viewpoint of the  
situation and learn to tolerate oth-  
ers point of view.

Lions Clay Cooper, Gus Miller,  
and A. K. Goodman were presented  
keys from the national organization  
signifying that they are key mem-  
bers. To become a key member, a  
member must sponsor two new  
members of the club in one year.  
E. L. Hardaway, of the Phillips  
Petroleum Company was a guest of  
Lion Ed Williams.  
Clay Cooper was in charge of the  
program.

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## \$252.60 Is Final Count on March of Dimes Drive

Total returns from the events,  
and contributions have raised the  
Infantile Paralysis Fund to \$252.64  
net. A corrected list of club and  
organization donations follows:  
Woman's Book Club, \$5.00; Cheerio  
Study Club, \$4.00; Lions Club, \$5.00;  
Women's Presbyterian Auxiliary,  
\$2.00; Presbyterian Guild, \$4.00;  
Baptist W. M. U., \$3.00; Canyon  
Elementary P. T. A., \$5.00; Canyon  
Grade School \$32.07; Canyon High  
School, \$7.08; W. T. Grade School,  
\$11.71; W. T. High School, \$18.45.

## Pastor Will Teach Bible Course

Dr. Roy L. Johnson will begin a  
four-night intensive study of the  
book of Romans in the New Testa-  
ment Monday, Feb. 14 at 7:30. The  
Bible will be the text book and free  
copies of this portion of the New  
Testament are available for use in  
the class. Anybody interested will  
be welcome. The class will be held  
four nights, Feb. 14, 17, 21, and 24.  
Time will be two hours each of the  
four nights.

The first person to fly the At-  
lantic was Lieut.-Com. A. C. Read,  
in 1919.

## Psychology Test Tuesday at the Rotary Luncheon

Levi Cole was in charge of the  
Rotary Club program Tuesday. He  
introduced Mitchell Jones, past  
president of the Lions Club, who  
gave a demonstration on psychol-  
ogy. He called for 25 words from  
the audience and was able to repeat  
these words as called for by the  
luncheon members.

Clarence Thompson reported on  
the sale of War Bonds. He brought  
a message from R. H. Wright ask-  
ing that all citizens buy bonds this  
week in order to meet the county's  
quota.

Visitors were: Geo. Waddill, A. D.  
Steed, Ed Broome, Bob Forough,  
Irving Tolzein, Arthur Osgood, Roy  
Borger, all of Amarillo.

Dr. and Mrs. John S. Humphreys  
spent the week end in Fort Worth  
with their son, Sam M. Humphreys.  
They also visited their grand-  
daughter, Eugenia Humphreys, who  
is a freshman in the college for  
women at Denton.

Mrs. Oscar Eckhart of Yorktown,  
Va., visited last week with her  
Mother, Mrs. C. N. Harrison. Mr.  
Eckhart was Buffalo football coach  
several years ago.

William Caxton was the first to  
print a book in England.



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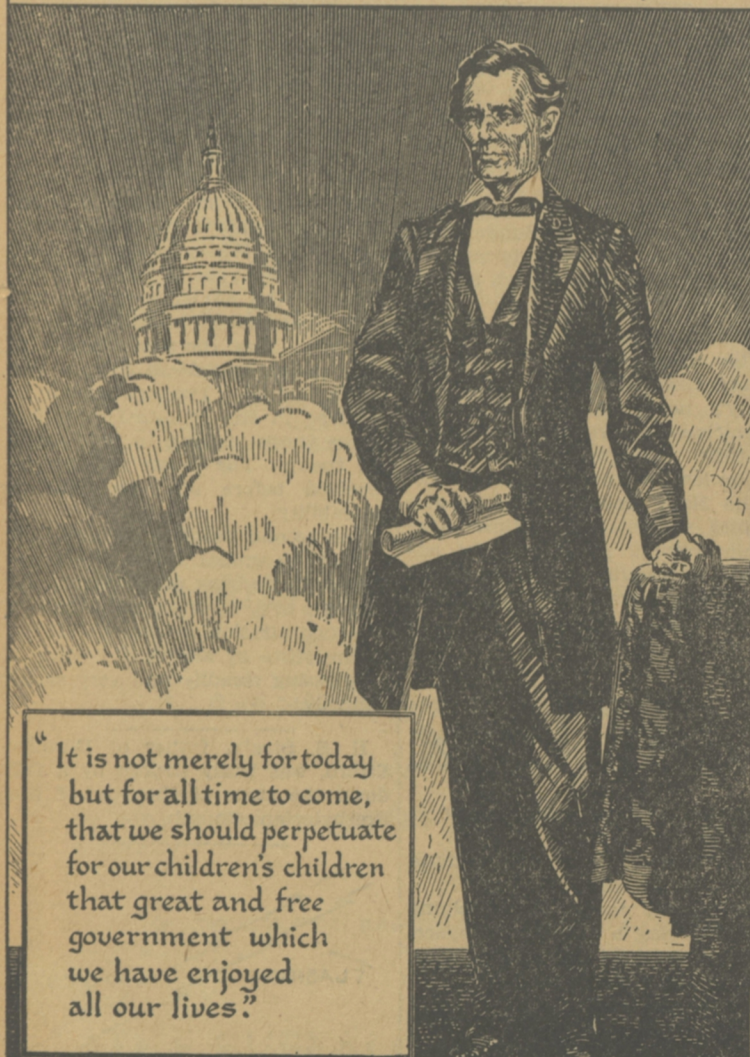
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A. C. P.'s Correspondent Reports from Washington

Oberlin College Offers Study In Chinese Language

Oberlin, O.—(I. P.)—Thirty students at Oberlin College, including men from the V-12 Unit and men and women of the College of Arts and Sciences and the Conservatory of Music, have begun the study of the Chinese language as an extra-curricular activity.

The teacher is Professor Clarence H. Hamilton, head of the department of philosophy and psychology at the University of Nanking, China, for thirteen years. Dr. Hamilton says the class is sponsored by the China Club, a student organization. It was unnecessary to make any public announcement of the proposed class because so many students turned up in response to very informal talk of the project.

Nearly all the students have shown their serious interest by ordering text-books. One of them had been studying the Chinese language by himself and had mastered a number of characters, but was anxious to have help in pronunciation. In addition to the textbook and Dr. Hamilton's instruction, the class makes use of a record player and language-study records. Professor Hamilton believes the keen interest shown in a difficult study, which must be added to the regular college courses, shows the rising tide of interest—evident all over America—of young people in China.

Oberlin college students are particularly interested in China because of the Oberlin-in-China schools to which representatives of the college go as teachers for two years and from which they return to Oberlin-in-Ohio for a year of graduate study. Chinese students, as often as possible, are sent to Oberlin College to reverse the process, so that students on both campuses, thousands of miles apart, are actually drawn close in friendship and understanding.

L. U. Now Offers Study In Opera

Baton Rouge, La.—(I. P.)—Louisiana State University now offers sufficient study in opera, its history, structure, literature, and technical problems in addition to voice training, to enable a student to get a degree in opera, it has been announced by Dr. Barrett Stout, director of the L. S. U. school of music.

The new program, which represents an expansion and development of previous work in opera, includes the usual vocal training and music background studies plus courses in the science of voice culture, song literature, and platform technique.

Included are a lecture course on the style and structure of opera and, most important, Dr. Stout says, a course entitled opera laboratory which consists of two 2-hour rehearsal periods weekly, wherein students are taught the fundamentals of opera acting, opera methods in the theater, including terminology, the enactment of scenes and excerpts from all the standard works.

Under the new curriculum, these scenes and excerpts are rehearsed musically and are then staged with full theater routine. A feature of this new project is the sending of small units throughout the state for presentation with scenery, lights, and costumes, as a community service. This type of presentation is part of a state-wide program in which many phases of the work of the school of music are presented, it is stated. Itineraries include camps in the state.

We see where former Senator Robert Owen of Oklahoma has invented a global alphabet which can be learned in about two hours study. Now tourists of the future will be able to learn how to spell Chinese in about the same length of time it will take them to get to Shanghai.

The Girl Scouts were organized in America in 1912 by Mrs. Juliette Low.

War Emphasis Given to Home Ec. Training

Lafayette, Ind. — (I. P.)—Home due University is being fully utilized economics training obtained at Purdue in a variety of ways in the war effort judging from the results of a recently completed survey of the present employment of 315 students who were graduated last year from the School of Home Economics.

The graduates, 313 women and two men, are scattered from coast to coast in a variety of positions. Both of the young men are already in the army, while most of the young women are in types of work that makes it possible to release men for active duty in the armed services.

Thirty-eight of the young women graduates are serving as chemists in the laboratories of steel mills, rubber companies, and other plants producing war materials; 21 are working as bacteriologists or doing other laboratory work in industrial plants; 66 have positions as teachers of home economics, and 20 have positions in the food management field in cafeterias, tea rooms, and other places serving meals to large numbers of people.

Two Peruvian statesmen fought a duel in which shots were exchanged without harm to either—which just about clinches the opinion that it would be wise to let the statesmen fight the wars.

The Russians have decorated the subway stations of Moscow with works of art.

Around 90 constellations are recognized at present by astronomers.

Woodman's Lore—"First Cut Away All Underbrush."



An old Scot was smoking in the waiting room of a railway station. A porter said to him:

"Don't you see that notice on the wall—No Smoking Allowed?"

"Yes, I do," said the Scot. "But how can I keep all your rules? There's another one on the wall that says 'Wear Spirella Corsets.'"

"Prisoner," said the judge, "you say your wife hit you on the head with a plate. Is that so?"

"Yes, sir."

"But your head doesn't show marks of any kind."

"No, sir, but you should have seen the plate."

"The progress of science has made all nations neighbors," say Gov. Saltonstall of Massachusetts. Then it looks as if science should rest awhile until religion catches up.

The word "candy" in India means a 500-pound weight. Some dieting ladies are of the opinion that it means about the same thing here.

Dutch ovens in early American homes were little brick ovens built in the side of open fireplaces, for baking.

Approximately half of the world's population lives in Asia.

Adult Education Courses Receiving More Prominence

Cleveland, O.—(I. P.)—Adult education courses are receiving more attention from colleges and universities of the country than at any time in their history. As a result of the war, Dr. Winfred G. Leutner, President of Western Reserve University, points out, colleges in industrial and metropolitan centers are undertaking services which employ facilities and media which are entirely new. In some instances, he states, college courses are being offered in factories and high school buildings in metropolitan suburbs.

"Some colleges are providing early morning classes for industrial employees coming off the 'grave-yard shift.' Institutes dealing with wartime and postwar problems are unusually popular and not enough faculty members are available to take care of all the speaking assignments which are coming to our university speakers bureaus.

"Here at Western Reserve University, which has one of the largest adult student bodies in the world, the emphasis is on the substantial courses in the liberal arts curriculum and, of course, business administration, accounting, taxation and personnel management courses have been crowded to capacity.

"Not only here but colleges throughout the country indicate a growing interest in adult education courses. Overall enrollment in New York University Division of General Education has fallen slightly because popularity of general cultural courses has sharply declined. The number of 'tool' courses, however, has increased and registration in them is high. Older men are attending in greater numbers, but the proportion of women has increased slightly. Entertainment of escape subjects are definitely in eclipse for the duration. Chief additions have been in highly technical and specialized courses such as those in-

tended to enable business men to better understand wartime economy.

"The principal adult education program at Northwestern University consists of evening courses, approximately 300 in number, in such fields as commerce, arts, journalism, speech education, and music.

"The effect of the war has been to reduce total evening enrollment. The war has caused various new courses to be added to the curriculum, and has also brought about the slanting of old courses to new conditions."

Graduates Find Fewer Jobs Now

Cambridge, Mass.—(I. P.)—"For the first time since Pearl Harbor the college graduate cannot find a bargain on the job counter," Miss Edith G. Stedman, Director of the Aardcliffe College Appointment Bureau, said in a survey comparing calls in the six weeks preceding the May and November graduations at Radcliffe.

There were 300 less calls from employers during October than there were last April, and the whole tenor of demands is now changing. "Last spring, government and industry were willing and anxious to pay for training inexperienced college graduates for highly-paid, interesting positions, but the employer now wants his money's worth—to start," Miss Stedman stated.

"The demand for the bright college graduate for the miraculous industrial opportunity is over, and it is time for women to face their career problems squarely again. There are no more glamor jobs for the untrained," she pointed out.

The Appointment Bureau's survey clearly showed that typing and shorthand are still essentials as a background for almost any kind of war or peacetime job, and secretarial jobs were the only ones which showed a marked increase over the summer. However, Miss Stedman emphasized the fact that big jobs

still need to be done on the home front—unglamorous jobs for the unskilled—in the Armed Forces, in hospitals, social agencies, and settlement houses.

Science note: "Four years after a snail shell had been placed in a glass case at the British Museum, a small snail emerged." Looking for a stone, no doubt.

Mother: Junior, you must not forget to use the napkin."

Sonny: "Well, I'm using it, mother. I've got the dog tied under the table with it."

The honeymoon is over when the wife starts complaining about the noise her husband makes getting breakfast.

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## Engagement of Miss Martha Miller Is Announced Here

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller of Canyon are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Martha, to Technical Sergeant Adolph E. Kampen, son of Mr. and Mrs. August Kampen of Poynette, Wis.

Miss Miller is a graduate of West Texas State College and is employed at Amarillo Army Air Field. Sergeant Kampen is now stationed at Hendricks Field, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller entertained with an informal dinner at their home in Canyon last Sunday to honor their daughter.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. George Algers, Mrs. Bob Bruce, Bob Albers, Misses Clara and Elizabeth Miller, Sgt. Adolph E. Kampen and the honoree.

Robert Miller and wife, both W. T. exes visited on the campus last Thursday. He has been in a training detachment at Augustana College, Rock Island, Illinois and is now to be at Amarillo Field. Mrs. Miller is the former Merle McClen-don.

## Valentine Party Given Saturday at Baptist Church

Hearts of all sizes and color decorated the room where the Valentine party was held at the Baptist Church, Sunday night. A large heart, six feet in height, was standing in front of the group of college and aviation students who attended. Aurene Jameson, the hostess, stood in front of this heart as she introduced the interesting games. The heart was a thin screen of crepe paper, outlined in ruffled red. Besides being used as a centerpiece, the heart served for shadow movies. All lights were turned out except that which shown directly on the screen from behind. By matching hearts which were distributed, couples were chosen to form figures behind the screen. From these, the Valentine Sweethearts were chosen by judges. Bob Kilgore and Pauline Rudy were the chosen Sweethearts as Pauline knelt to put the ring on Bob's finger . . . remembering leap year. Then four couples were selected by the Sweethearts to attend them. The cutest couple being Mary Lee Abbott and Cadet Student Raymond Kuehn; the neatest couple being Margaret Puckett and Wayne Keith; and the shortest couple being Edwina Tooley and Charles Stratton.

Wayne Keith played several numbers on the accordion as the celebrants helped themselves to cookies and cocoa.

### HICKMAN ENTERTAINS "42" CLUB BY PROXY

Miss Edna Graham and Miss Nell Green, proxy hostesses for Miss Hellen Hickman, used the Valentine motif for decorations Thursday afternoon when they entertained the Merry Maids and Matrons "42" Club at the W. T. College Health Center.

A diversion from the usual afternoon of "42" playing was letter writing. Each guest wrote to Miss Hickman who is in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo, recuperating from a major operation.

Refreshments of pumpkin pie, tea, and candies were served to Mrs. Clyde Warwick, Mrs. A. K. Knott, Mrs. J. A. Hill, Mrs. J. L. Duflot, Mrs. C. M. Dowlen, Mrs. R. P. Jarrett, Mrs. J. A. Gillis, Mrs. Cecil Briggs, Mrs. R. A. Terrill, Mrs. C. A. Murray, Miss Florence McMurtry, Mrs. Agnes Smith, Mrs. Harris M. Cook, Mrs. S. H. Condon, Mrs. A. W. Sternberg, Miss Edna Graham and Nell Green.

Students of livestock and judging accompanied by Professor Frank R. Phillips spent Monday in Amarillo attending a meeting of consumer co-operatives.

Mary Louise Hanvey has resigned at Olton and will go to Quail as a teacher of Home Economics.

### TEXAS EXES TO MEET

Randall County ex-students from the University of Texas will hold their annual meeting Sunday evening, February 27, from 6 until 8 o'clock at the house of their president, Dr. Mattie Swayne, 605 25th street.

Reservations may be made for the supper with Miss Anita Goodrich in Dr. J. A. Hill's office.

## Junior Miss in a Jeep



Sylvia, a war orphan adopted by a U. S. Army engineer stationed in England, takes a lesson in jeep driving from Sergt. William E. Bliven. (U. S. Army Signal Corps photo.)

## Terrell-Wooten Vows Read February 10

Miss Frances Terrell, of Floydada, and Pfc. Herman E. Wooten of Kermit, were married February 10 at Brownfield.

The bride is a former student at W. T., and has been employed as a teacher in the Lakeview public schools near Floydada for the past two years.

Pfc. Wooten is an ex of Texas Tech, and is now stationed at Camp Burner, North Carolina.

## Engagement of Miss Lewis to Cadet Howard Announced

Announcement has been made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Betty Joe Lewis of Phillips to Cadet Howard A. Beasley of Ellington Field, Houston.

Miss Lewis is a former student of Texas Christian University, and is now employed at Douglas Aircraft in Oklahoma City.

Cadet Beasley is from Skellytown, and is an ex-student of W. T. He expects to receive his wings and commission in April. The wedding is scheduled to take place May 1 in Borger.

### Dr. C. A. Pierle Is President of Chemical Society

The Panhandle-Plains section of the American Chemical Society, of which Dr. C. A. Pierle is president, meets this week at the Capitol Hotel in Amarillo, with Dr. John F. Haller as principal speaker. Dr. Haller is in charge of the magnesium plant of the Mathieson Alkali Works, Lake Charles, La. A number of students from the departments of science of W. T. will hear his discussion of "electrons shift in some new fluoroine-nitrogen compounds."

Mrs. Collins, known as "Mother Collins," fell Sunday morning and was seriously injured; she was removed to an Amarillo hospital. Mrs. Collins is Mrs. Smith's mother.

Then there's the girl who said she was an actress because she once had her leg in a cast.

A cat's whiskers are delicate sense organs, enabling the animal to find his way about.

I know a girl who's so ugly that if she played Lady Godiva the horse would steal the scene.

Elephants, like camels, carry a reserve supply of water with them.

## Men, This Is the End!



This is just about the last word in the woman-taking-over-men's jobs department—a Marine Corps Women's Reservist blacksmithing at Camp Lejeune, New River, N. C. (Marine Corps photo.)

# "Do You Know"

Included in this week's "Do you know" list are students from Childress, Cochran, Collingsworth, Crosby and Dallam counties. Are you acquainted with them yet?

Ethelyn Elliott, Freshman—Tell. Mary Kate Baker Holland, Junior with Business major—Childress. Benelle Holt, Freshman—Kirkland.

Gwendolyn Johnson, Junior and Speech major—Tell. Freddie Sue Musgrove, Freshman—Carey.

Dorothy Dee Scott, Freshman—Loco. Norma Jean Thomas, Senior, art major—Childress.

Sherry Tucker, Freshman—Childress. Mrs. R. L. Condroy, Junior, home economics major—Whiteface.

Mary Lee Bishop, Sophomore, home economics major—Quail.

president, and Durout Reeves of Hereford is reporter.

Mr. W. G. Sanderson and Mr. Milton Morris are teachers of Vocational Agriculture in Canyon and assisted with the meet.

Happy, Bovina and Lazbuddy were missed. Their teachers have been called into the armed services and their places have not been filled because of the teacher-shortage.

### SPURNED LOVE

(Written during a moment of serious reflection; dedicated to the knight erring who made it possible, the cad.)

Once I played at love—I had read, somewhere, Of a knight on a charger white Who came to claim his lady fair.

For her he declared undying affection.

And she, with ladylike reserve, Challenged his persistence By repeated rejections of love.

He did not ride away, (Although he owned a beautiful steed),

But stayed, so that with her He might plead.

My knight came, And soon I learned The Age of Chivalry Is dead.

For when I spurned him, He did not stay, But mounted his beautiful, sleek convertible And rapidly rode away.

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Marilyn Leggett, Sophomore, Business major—Quail.

Theone Parker, Junior, home economics major—Samnorwood.

Mary Kate Stephens, Freshman—Quail.

Jean Claborn, Junior, art major—Crosbyton.

Nadyne Joy Coker, Freshman—Crosbyton.

Terry Edwards, Freshman—Crosbyton.

Gene Hensley Ellison, Freshman—Crosbyton.

La Verne Ekum, Freshman—Ralls.

Marion Littlefield, Junior, primary education major—Crosbyton.

Alma Grace Schneider, Freshman—Ralls.

Helen Bernson, Freshman—Dalhart.

Fayrene Bolton, Freshman—Dalhart.

Gussie Chesnut, Senior, Business major—Dalhart.

Betty Lou Dromgoole, Freshman—Dalhart.

James Hampton, Freshman—Dalhart.

Gene Lowman, Freshman—Dalhart.

Edna Mae Mauldin, Junior, speech major—Dalhart.

Eva Lee Miles, Freshman—Conlen.

Marie Neal, Freshman—Dalhart.

June Neal, Freshman—Dalhart.

Dorothy Reese, Sophomore, primary education major—Dalhart.

Jack Ritchey, Freshman—Dalhart.

Bobby Jane Storey, Freshman—Dalhart.

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