

\$27,000 Grant to Continue Paleontological Work

Buffaloes Trample Okla. Bulldogs In Cage Encounter

Oversetting the predicted play of the Southwestern Oklahoma Bulldogs last night, West Texas State's tall cagers led the Sooner five 46 to 37 in Burton Gymnasium.

Obviously the Buffaloes were eager to avenge the 46-45 Bulldog victory in the Buffalo unscheduled opener earlier in the season.

W. T. students turned thumbs down on "dead week" and approaching exams to see their popular "Tallest Team on Earth" trounce the Bulldogs.

Stephenson and Shackelford were high point men with fifteen points each.

All five of the Buffs' scheduled opponents, including Oklahoma City Goldbugs, St. Marys and the Bulldogs have been trampled. Last year the Tallest Team in the World defeated Southwestern Oklahoma at the opening of Shamrock's new gymnasium.

Lothar Stephenson, stellar Buffalo guard, grabbed the cheers late in the first half when he counted a field goal from tip-off. Many of the Buff's baskets were scored through six feet-nine inch Raymond Shackelford, center, who's shots were the most accurate of the season's records. Half time score was 29 to 14.

Joe Hayes, famous for nimbleness on the court, was credited with cage-fan thrills.

Crisp and Owen smoothly accounted for the visiting performers. Crisp was cheered upon making several long field goals.

Against the Buffalo replacements the Bulldogs attempted to recover the taller team's lead, but their try was good for only a six-point gain before the starting Buff team returned.

Virtually every member of Coach Baggett's squad was used.

Band Educators Have Meeting Here Saturday

More than thirty-three members of the Texas Music Educators Association of Division I met here Sunday afternoon to complete arrangements for the Band Festival of the district to be held in Plainview in April.

Winston Savage, of Pampa, a W. T. graduate, was re-elected president. Savage is director of the Pampa High School band.

Division I includes forty-three counties of the Panhandle-South Plains section.

Included in the group were: H. A. Anderson of Lubbock, Stancil M. Bagwell of Amarillo, C. W. Beene of Dalhart, Elton Beene of White Deer, A. C. Cox of Pampa, Robert Davidson of Plainview, R. M. Farnsworth of Dumas, Raymond E. Ferguson of Tulsa, Joe L. Hadden of Lubbock, Conway King of Lamesa, Robert L. Newton of Phillips, M. C. Reimenschneider of Canyon, Ray Robbins of Clarendon, Clyde Rowe of Borger, Winston Savage of Pampa, Ralph Smith of Hereford, R. W. Tinsley of Pampa, Oscar Wise of Amarillo.

In the voice division were Miss Thelma McMinn of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Finley of Lefors, and Miss Helen Marin of Pampa.

Names of other attendants were not available from the secretary because of recent changes of directors in the division.

Forty Seniors Get N. E. A. Memberships

Forty men and women of the Senior Class became student members of the National Education Association at the meeting of the high school majors' conference Thursday afternoon.

Under the plan which was presented by Mrs. T. V. Reeves, seniors will receive the "N. E. A. Journal" free of charge during the remainder of this year and if they secure positions for next year they will pay the regular membership fee of two dollars. The N. E. A. is the nation-wide professional organization to which 195,600 teachers in all states of the Union, Alaska, and the Hawaiian Islands belong.

The student membership plan will be presented to intermediate and primary majors at their conference next week.

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Changes Made In College Program Since Printing

Students registering for the second semester should note the changes in courses offered before making their programs, Registrar D. A. Shirley has announced. Numerous changes have been made since the program was printed last fall.

Schedules may be changed either today or tomorrow, but no changes will be made during semester examinations.

No grades for the current semester will be given out before Tuesday of next week.

The college business office announced yesterday that fees for the spring semester will be accepted beginning next Tuesday. A penalty of \$3 will be assessed students who pay fees after Feb. 7.

Students who expect to change residences for the new semester should report to the dean of women or the dean of men before making the change.

Open Forum Held At IRC Meeting Wednesday Night

Members of the International Relations Club participated in the first forum held on the campus this term Wednesday night.

The forum was under the direction of Dr. Baxter M. Geeting, head of the Speech Department, and presented advanced speech students in discussions of different political theories. After an introduction by Dr. Geeting, who explained the purpose of the forum, viewpoints on Fascism, Conservatism, Progressivism, Liberalism, Socialism, and Communism, were given by Paul Smyer, Elizabeth Wood, Glen Davis, Nell Stevenson, Ruthe Klein, and Alton Paul.

Following these discussions, the house was open for questions from the audience. Interest centered around the question: "Is Communism or Fascism a more representative government?" After this question followed other questions which the forum speakers attempted to answer.

Dr. Geeting is planning to hold more forums during the next semester. They not only train those who speak, but also stimulate thinking on the part of the audience. The object of these meetings is to permit everyone to take part in the program.

Dr. Geeting hopes to get the student body at large interested in attending forums later this term.

NEW CAMPTIVITY PRESIDENT

At their last meeting, the Campativity group elected June Cope president to take the place of Mrs. Ivey Terry, who graduates at the close of this semester.

Fascinating Old Textbooks Are Collected Here

One of the most fascinating book collections on the W. T. campus is a group of old text books collected by the College Library staff. Since the late Dr. R. B. Cousins, former president of the College, started the collection in 1911, 830 volumes have been received from various sources.

Among faculty members who have contributed to the collection are: Miss Ada V. Clark of the Demonstration School staff; L. G. Allen, former dean of the College; President J. A. Hill, Prof. J. L. Duflet; and Mrs. T. V. Reeves, director of the Bureau of Public Service. Ex-students and others have been helpful in building the collection.

Books with copyrights dating back more than a century have been filed in order. Byrd's "Geography of the Heavens" is dated 1833. Other early copyright dates are 1837, 1847, and 1867.

Dr. Hill's latest contribution includes an old algebra, English literature, Spanish, and government books.

One volume of particular interest is an old geography which was used by President Hill while a youngster in the grades. The inscription on the fly-leaf reads: "Alice Hill's book, February 23, 1897; J. A. Hill's book, December 2, 1893; Moody, Texas." Its title is Physical Geography and it was written by W. F. Mourey in 1893. Two sets of worn initials are written in pencil in the margin of one of the pages.

Le Mirage Pictures For Class Sections Still Acceptable

Students who wish to vote in the election for College personality queen may still turn in class pictures, but photographs must be made at a local studio.

Only students who have turned in pictures to Le Mirage are eligible to vote in the election.

Seniors are urged to come to the publication office and fill out senior information slips whether or not their picture has been turned in. Sam D. Burton, Le Mirage editor, has announced. Those who graduate at mid-term are asked to make reservations for their copy of Le Mirage now.

Work on the 1939 edition is progressing rapidly according to members of the staff, and the book will likely be ready for distribution by May 15.

Miss G. Alice Smith, graduate of the class of '38 is teaching piano at Wayside.

NOTICE

Any student who for any reason failed to take the required physical examination may do so by making arrangements at the College Health Center today, Miss Helen Hickman, director, has announced.

High School Press Group Guests of College Soon

More than 250 high school journalists of the Panhandle will hold their sixth annual convention at West Texas State College Feb. 4.

Their hosts will include the journalism students of the College, Demonstration High School, and Canyon High School.

Sessions will be held in the auditorium of the Education building. However, the group will be assembly guests for a program sponsored by Type High, the College press club. The assembly speaker will be H. Deskins Wells of Wellington, president of the Texas Press Association. He is a former student of W. T. and of the University of Texas.

Other convention speakers will include Dr. F. L. McDonald of Denton, sponsor of the Texas High School Press Association; Jerry Mallin, sports editor of the News-Globe; Eddie Baumel, musical director of KGNC; and officers and members of the Panhandle High School Press Association. Convention features will include the showing of a film on the making of the Chicago Tribune, a luncheon, a trip to Palo Duro State Park and a light lunch there, and a post-convention reception-dance sponsored by Type High.

Officers of the high school group are Dorothy Jane Day of Pampa, president; Charlotte Buchanan of White Deer, vice-president; and Renna Beth Bellah of Canyon high school, secretary-treasurer.

Funeral Services For J. S. Pool At 2 p. m. Today

Funeral service for J. S. Pool, resident of Canyon for more than twenty years and father of four graduates of West Texas State, will be held at 2 p. m. today at the First Baptist Church.

The Rev. J. R. Hicks, Baptist pastor here, will conduct the services assisted by the Rev. Joe Grizzle of Portales, N. M.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Nettie Pool; two sons, Lenton of Farwell, N. M. and Russell of Carlsbad; and two daughters, Mrs. Floyd Golden of Portales, N. M., and Miss Minnie Pool of Texico.

Mr. Pool died at 8:40 o'clock yesterday morning at Texico. He had been ill for eleven months. He was 74 years old, and a retired stock farmer.

The body will arrive here today. Pall bearers are: C. E. Donnell, President J. A. Hill, G. B. Heath, W. H. Harden, John Guthrie, and Jay Prichard. Burial will be in Dreamland Cemetery here.

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How I Solved W. T.'s Mystery of The Royal Order of Skunk Hunters

By Fred Hart

Yesterday morning I was doing a broken-field trot down through the hall of the Ad building (skillfully dodging traffic with such conciseness that would bring tears of joy to the eyes of any football coach) when I ran into Chief Cone, czar of The Prairie staff. Since I had not seen the good fellow for some hours, I delightedly paused in mid-hall to grasp his paw. Before I could regain my stride, the Chief said as follows:

"Hart, the gossip track has been running some rumors, true and otherwise, about a body called the R. O. S. H. (when I failed to catch he translated those governmental symbols to read, the Royal Order of Skunk Hunters) and the student body at large is inquiring about the history and purpose of this club. Since that nose of yours is continually assisting some cause rather than its native purpose, see what you can dig up for me on this new order."

Being obedient, I hastily grasped a clothes pin and some yellow paper and set out on the trail. My first port of call was the library where a casual look at the card catalogue informed me that there existed a volume called "Royal Orders of the World." Happy was I, for a new mystery was solved by this cunning newshound. But, alas, though the book contained many

things (rather orders), no Royal Order of Skunk Hunters was there-included (an oversight I'm sure). True, there was the history of the Royal Order of the Knights of the Garter (annually given to the bravest guy in England ever since an ancient monarch knighted everyone of his warriors who blushed at the sight of a lady's hose holder temporarily left in front of his chair). Then there was the French Order of the Knights of the Gilded Lily, and the Dutch Order of the Wearers of the Wooden Shoes, but still no Royal Order of Skunk Hunters.

So, calmly affixing my ever companionable clothespin, I again took to the chase. After a long, long time, my efforts were finally awarded. I succeeded in running to earth one J. Malcolm Bull, charter member of the order. From him I took these juicy bits.

The Royal Order of Skunk Hunters were accidentally founded during a patriotic fervor immediately preceding Homecoming in the fall of 1936. My informer in the company of J. Pate, Guy Ivey and Bill Ballard were distributing paint for the good of the cause when they came across a striped kitty near Buffalo Stadium. Him (the kitty) they proceeded to do unto death, meanwhile gathering a quantity of perfume. So great was their joy after the fray that then and there

they formed the Royal Order of Skunk Hunters. The order originally intended to hold an annual hunt, but due to unforeseen incidents, the chase was not held in 1937. This year the ambitious group was re-organized and to make up for lost time, has hit the scent several times, all without success.

Taft Holloway was the first president this year, but was forced to resign to accept a seat in the Student Senate. Although without formal charter from the Welfare Committee, this group is made up of citizens who follow every letter of the institution law. The capable Buzzy Stapleton is president at this time, and it is to him that I am indebted for this statement: Quote, "This is the most ethical club on the campus, containing the most capable and ethical group of young gentlemen, doing the most ethical things." Unquote.

Present membership of the club includes: President Stapleton, ex-President Holloway, J. Pate, Billy Harter, Lucius Penick, Malcolm Bull, Lannie Line, Ernest Scheihagen, Bill Ferrell, Guy Ivey, Harold Rickard, Peck Williamson, and Ed Spann.

Next on the program of this collection of brilliant gems is a skunk hunt where they kill the kitty. Then they will elect and crown some very, very fortunate co-ed "Queen of the Royal Order of Skunk Hunters."

EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

All 8 o'clock MWF classes—8 a. m. to 10 a. m.	Thursday
All 8 o'clock TTS classes—10 a. m. to 12 n.	Thursday
All 9 o'clock MWF classes—1 p. m. to 3 p. m.	Thursday
All 9 o'clock TTS classes—3 p. m. to 5 p. m.	Thursday
All 10 o'clock MWF classes—8 a. m. to 10 a. m.	Friday
All 10 o'clock TTS classes—10 a. m. to 12 n.	Friday
All 11 o'clock Classes—1:30 p. m. to 3 p. m.	Friday
All 1:30 o'clock MWF classes—3 p. m. to 5 p. m.	Friday
All 1:30 o'clock TTS classes—8 a. m. to 10 a. m.	Saturday
All 2:30 o'clock MWF classes—10 a. m. to 12 n.	Saturday
All 2:30 o'clock TTS classes—1 p. m. to 3 p. m.	Saturday
All 3:30 o'clock classes—3 p. m. to 5 p. m.	Saturday

Beauty Candidate Photographs Made

Photographs of the twelve W. T. co-eds, selected by the four classes to appear in the 1939 Le Mirage, were made Sunday afternoon at Britain's Studio. These pictures will be sent to a nationally famous judge, not yet revealed by the staff of Le Mirage, who will select the College Beauty Queen.

Those selected are: Seniors, Dorothy Dickenson, Silverton; Reba Pool, Groom; and Dolores Little, Borger; Juniors, Mary Helen Stalls, White Deer; Virginia Edmondson, Matador; and Ann Pallmeyer, Memphis; sophomores, Mary Collins, Canyon; Trula Mae Phegley, Lockney; and Bettye Jean Ball, Tucumcari, N. M.; freshmen, Mary Elizabeth Seeds, Pampa; Mary Walton, Pampa; and Kaki Westmoreland, Canyon.

Meanwhile votes are coming in for the candidates for Personality Queen. Ballots are accepted in the publications office only by Sam D. Burton, editor, and Margaret Esther Hill, business manager. Voting will end Wednesday afternoon, and the winner will be announced early in the second semester. Only those turning in class pictures are eligible to vote according to a new ruling by the Student Senate.

Nine candidates, nominated in assembly January 14 are: Gaynelle Douglas, junior from Silverton; Dorothy Dickenson, senior from Silverton; Marion Miller, freshman from Claude; Ernestine Ballard, sophomore from Amarillo; Charlotte Alice Tubb, senior from Canadian; Bettye Jean Ball, sophomore from Tucumcari, N. M.; Mary Kerr, freshman from Vernon; Dolores Little, senior from Borger; and Kate Donnell, sophomore from Canyon.

The Personality Queen will be crowned at a special ceremony in the Administration Building auditorium late in February. She will be attended by the Beauty Queen.

Open Competitive Examination for Postmaster Here

An open competitive examination for the postmastership of Canyon was announced last week by the Civil Service Commission.

The examination is being held pursuant to an act of Congress last year which placed presidential postmasters within the classified civil service. Postmaster Guy J. Harp received his appointment under the first administration of President Roosevelt.

Applications must be on file with the Civil Service Commission before Feb. 7. They must have lived with in the delivery of the Canyon office for at least a year, and must be at least twenty-three years old. Persons interested in the examinations should inquire at the local post office for information.

CHORUS IN BROADCAST

Last evening the Men's Chorus of West Texas State College was heard in a fifteen minute broadcast over KGNC, Amarillo. The entire men's chorus participated under Mr. Clark's supervision in presenting: "Morning" by Oley Speaks; "Sylvia," Oley Speaks; "I Love a Parade," Arlen; "Stouthearted Men," Sigmund Romberg; and "Thanks Be to God," Dickson.

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NOTICE TO SENIORS

The following seniors should see the class secretary immediately concerning their class dues: Glen Allen, Mildred Barton, J. T. Carrol, Eleanor Outlaw, Bill Roberson, E. G. Schuhart, Allison Hutto, Weldon Dodson, Bill Cone, Elwyn Dysart, George Wright, J. D. Smith, Harold Miller.

New Allotment Will Operate Project Year

Announcement that the College's application for \$27,000 to continue paleontological work in twenty-six Panhandle counties has been approved was made to President J. A. Hill Saturday by Senator Tom Connally.

The project has been carried on for the last year under the sponsorship of the College. Mrs. Margaret Johnston is project superintendent and Prof. C. Stuart Johnston represents the College in the work. The new grant will carry the project another year.

Recent Grant for History

A \$26,000 grant was recently approved for a history project here, and an application for a \$27,000 grant for archaeological work here is awaiting approval in Washington. Approval of this grant would make slightly more than \$80,000 available for work here.

The recent paleontological grant will make possible the operation of several crews in the field at the same time, and in addition will maintain a crew in the museum laboratory for cataloging and repair work.

Operations in Four Counties

During the last year paleontological excavations have been carried on in four Panhandle counties—Randall, Donley, Hemphill, and Lipscomb. Mr. Johnston is in charge of operations both in the field and in the laboratory. Localities in the counties named have yielded specimens ranging from Lower Pliocene to Pleistocene, a period spanning nearly five million years. Some of the locations were discovered as far back as 1890, and others such as Ceta Canyon Upper Pliocene and Axtell late middle Pliocene localities, both of which are in Randall County, have been worked by West Texas State. Both were discovered by Prof. Johnston and students of the college.

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Prof. Murray Will Speak at Meeting Of Math Teachers

Prof. C. A. Murray, head of the West Texas State mathematics department, will speak at a meeting of high school and grade school teachers of mathematics from the 26 counties of the Panhandle at Pampa High School Saturday.

The teachers will first hear an address by Dr. J. O. Hassler, professor of mathematics at the University of Oklahoma. Dr. Hassler is the author of a number of high school and college mathematics textbooks, and has a wide reputation as a mathematics scholar and interesting speaker. Mrs. Esther Schriber, junior high school teacher of Amarillo, will also have a part on the program.

After the program, a luncheon will be held in the high school cafeteria, to be terminated by an informal discussion of curriculum and teaching problems in mathematics. All mathematics teachers are invited to attend this meeting. Similar meetings to be held later at other Panhandle schools will be considered.

Reservations for the luncheon may be made by writing to B. G. Gordon, 429 Hill Street, Pampa.

FOOTBALL BANQUET SPEAKER

Coach Al Baggett was the principal speaker at the annual football banquet of Hereford High School Wednesday night.

Olin E. Hinkle showed three reels of film from the football games of the past season. Registrar Shirley made a short talk.

Doll Birdwell, '33, who has taught for several years at Seminole has almost completed the requirements for her Ph. D. Degree at Columbia University.

NOTICE TO SENIORS WHO LEAVE AT MID-TERM

Seniors leaving at the end of the current semester should place their orders for invitations at the College Bookstore immediately, Robert Orton, class president has announced.

Both class rings and invitations may be ordered now. By ordering early seniors will insure themselves against not receiving invitations in ample time for mailing.

"Research teaches a man to admit he is wrong and to be proud of the fact that he does so, rather than try with all his energy to defend an unsound plan because he is afraid that admission of error is a confession of weakness, when, rather, it is a sign of strength."—Prof. H. E. Stocher.

Panhandle History from Earliest Geologic Time to Present

If a \$27,000 grant for archaeological research is gained by the college, work to record the history of the Panhandle from earliest geological time to the present will soon be under way here. A grant of more than \$27,000 for paleontological work was recently approved in Washington, and two weeks earlier a \$26,000 grant was approved for historical research in the Panhandle.

These three projects will go far in making the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society a depository for the complete history of the Panhandle as well as making it one of the outstanding museums in the Southwest. Much progress has already been made in all three fields. A WPA paleontological project, sponsored by the College with Mrs. Margaret Johnston as project superintendent, has enabled workers to carry on operations in fossil beds which were discovered as long ago as 1890. Many other new locations have been discovered and worked during the last year. Specimens and data collected through this project rapidly making the local museum an attractive center for paleontological research.

Equal progress has been made in the archaeological field, work being carried on under the direction of Floyd V. Studer of Amarillo. Numerous evidences of pre-historic cultures in the Panhandle have been excavated and prepared for exhibit in the museum.

The history project, which will open soon under the direction of Prof. L. F. Sheffy, will supply another link to the Panhandle's past. The project will include twenty-six counties of the Panhandle which will be combed for historical data including old ranch records, other historical documents, and data gleaned from interviews.

ACADEMIC JAM SESSIONS

When Dr. Prof. is startled by the sudden realization that although it's mid-January by the calendar, he's just reaching December by the syllabus of his course, he may do one of two things.

He may keep on at the same pace, twitting himself for poor timing but consoling himself with the thought that those anecdotes *did* make the course more interesting. And with that he keeps on pitching the facts in slowly, steadily and with effect.

Or he may be dreadfully conscious-stricken. A goal has been set; that goal must be reached, even if it requires doubling or tripling of reading assignments, or rattling off lectures in such concentrated form that only alumni of a shorthand course could note half the significant facts. This is not hypothetical word-flinging. It can happen here.

One of these pile-on professors is an abomination unto the students, but when two or more swing into action at once, prescribing hundreds of pages per nightly dose, Joe College may be pardoned for crying "help!"

We are not members of the imagine!-they-expect-students-to-study club, but we view with alarm attempts to force this speed-up system on student industry.

There ought to be a law. Let's abolish academic jam sessions!
—Temple University News.

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College Rhyme

DEAR WALLS OF W. T.
Dear walls, you've felt the marching feet
And seen heartaches and tears;
Dear walls, you've heard the sound retreat
Through an avenue of years.

You buildings, standing in the rain,
Shall feel the pulse of life again
And meet young lives, brave in their youth,
Shall build young souls in faith and truth.

Dear steps, you've known the paths of life
That entered thru your door . . .
No regrets!—now that some are gone,
For years shall bring you more.

No sadness in this one farewell!
No agony! No tales to tell:
Only that you've guided youth
And bulid it in faith and truth!
—Jenna V. Stephenson.

SLEEPING IN THE SUNSET
Sleeping in the sunset . . .
The day is almost thru.
Shadows nod upon the hills.
A wing sweeps in the blue
Heavens up above the earth
When the day is done—

A little child sleeping
In the glow of setting sun.

Working thru the daylight . . .
The work is almost done.
Living seems a burden now.
The sand is almost run
Down into the bottom vein
Of life's hour-glass—

A child of earth is weakening . . .
Shadows are coming fast.

'Tis wonderful to think of life
As walking in God's way!
Glorious to think of work
Complete at close of day,
But more wonderful to think of
death
(And this we all may do)

As sleeping in the sunset
When all the day is thru . . .
—Jenna V. Stephenson.

Communism Is Subject of Study Club Discussion

Father Charles Jansen, priest of Canyon and Umbarger, discussed Communism at the regular meeting of his study club Thursday night. Approximately twenty people were present at the discussion.

In answer to the question, "What is all the fuss over Communism and why should we concern ourselves about it?" he said that it threatened to overthrow the very foundations of our democracy and that it stood for the denial of fundamental rights.

"The center of the Communist attack," Father Jansen said, "is the church. To quote John Middleton Murry, a noted advocate of the system, in Communism no other allegiance really counts."

For years, he pointed out, the press has been fighting Communism, but he believes it will take much more than denouncing to kill the spread of Communist feeling and propaganda. It is already within our midst more than we are aware, he said, backing up his statement with the following facts: There are between three and four million people in the United States today with Communist leanings. Each state is divided into sections or districts, according to population, and Communist senders are stationed in each of these districts to recruit advocates. And, admitted in a statement by Earl Browder, Communist party leader in the United States, all the party's activities in America are directly controlled from Moscow.

The study club will meet again Thursday night, Feb. 2, in Room 202 of the Education Building, at which time Father Jansen will discuss Mussolini. All students are invited to attend.



COLLEGIATE CHATTER

Edited by Jerry Manzer

The night watchman thought that the museum was being robbed Thursday night when the burglar alarm went off, but he found it to be only Elaine Lucas and Bobby Horlander who had become so absorbed in some musty corner that they failed to notice when the doors were locked. They set off the alarm to attract some one to let them out.

At social whirl and giddy pace
The bed-bug make a dour face
Because he's in an awful plight
If people don't come home at night.
—Punch Bowl.

Ruth Hill: I have a terrible corn on the bottom of my foot.
Calvin Craig: That's a fine place to have it. Nobody but you can step on it.

Your writer hates to think about the president of the Hog Callers Union, Sir Philbert Schuhart, and the champion of all grippers, Jack Pate, leaving us so soon. Who will take their places?

Bill Harris has been thinking of

starting back to high school. The reason is called Jerry Dodd.

Residents of Stafford Hall have threatened Harley Goettsche with a bank inspector's wrath unless he reduces his interest rate on loans which is twenty per cent each week at present.

A student in Wycliff College has recently won a debate—Resolved, that the pole cat should be protected by federal game laws. Upon receiving news of this the Royal Order of Skunk Hunters immediately asked him to become a member of their club.

Then there is Slat Sams who claims that he never takes a drink but several friends have noticed him trying to blow the head off of a glass of water.

Much has been written about "why girls leave home." I am beginning to wonder when some one is going to write something on "what they do when they leave."

natural size as a museum visitor enters the basement annex. It is startlingly lifelike.

At present Mr. Sundstrom is building cases to show the bob white and the lobo wolf in their native habitats. The only limit on his work of showing prehistoric and present Panhandle wild life in models and specimens is lack of funds and lack of display space. Museum visitors almost invariably express the hope that he may devote his skills for many years here in the kind of work he is now doing.

A visit to the museum workshop is as intriguing as that of seeing the completed displays. It is in this busy department that the rare fossils from the rich fields in the Panhandle are being identified, preserved and restored. And from the pen of Prof. Johnston is coming a steady production of articles eagerly awaited by paleontologists everywhere because new species are described. Mr. Sundstrom's work brings these same species before the public in a form to be seen at a glance.

Blind Graduate In Business

Darrell Webb, blind student who graduated here in 1936, has been authorized to operate a cigar and news stand in the lobby of the new post office building in Amarillo it was announced last week.

Mr. Webb made an unusual record here despite his blindness. He was able to carry on his school work with the aid of a student who was employed to do his reading. He majored in government. He received his high school education in Amarillo High School.

Talks By Business Men Feature of New Course

Business students who enroll in Business Administration 382 next semester will have an opportunity to find out first hand what will be expected of the business man of the future.

A series of lectures by business men from Amarillo will be the main feature of the course. Classes will meet at 2:30 o'clock each Tuesday afternoon in Room 211. Canyon business men are invited to hear the lectures.

The schedule of speakers and their subjects follows:

Feb. 7—Carl Hinton, secretary of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce; "The Business Man and the Community."

Feb. 14—John E. Hill, regent of Texas State Teachers Colleges; "Training the Business Man."

Feb. 21—Floyd V. Studer, American National Bank in Amarillo; "Business Research."

Feb. 28—John Lucy, First National Bank in Amarillo; "Credit."

March 7—Dr. Guy Owens, Amarillo surgeon; "Surgery—its Modern Application."

March 14—Walter F. David, Huber Corporation; "Business and Investment."

March 21—Charles H. Keffer, Adkins, Pipkin, Madsen, and Keffer, lawyers; "Legal Aspects of Business."

March 28—George S. Vineyard, Borden Company; "Meeting Sales Competition."

April 4—M. C. Burton, Santa Fe Company; "Transportation."

April 11—Lahroy White, California-Western States Life Insurance Company; "Insurance."

April 18—Clyde Davis, C. R. Anthony Co.; "Employer-Employee Relations."

April 25—H. V. Robertson, H. V. Robertson Co., auditors; "Accounting."

May 2—John McCarty, Editor of the Amarillo Daily News; "Hobbies."

May 7—Ross D. Rogers, mayor of Amarillo; "Business and Politics."

May 16—E. W. Hardin, Amarillo Hardware; "International Trade."

May 23—Dr. J. A. Hill, President West Texas State; "Business Ethics."

THE FRAGRANCE OF NASTURTUMS AT MORNING

I found the morning wet with dew,
And I smelled nasturtiums . . .
pungent sweetness
That I felt faint sickness, I, too,
Was drowning in the cool depths
Of morning and memory; for I
smelled
Nasturtiums when I lost you.
—Jenna V. Stephenson.

DURANT TO LUNCH HERE

Will Durant, famous philosopher and lecturer, will lunch with President J. A. Hill today in the home economics dining room. Mr. Durant spoke in Amarillo yesterday. He lectured here in the lyceum series two years ago.

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OPAL SNITKER HONORED

A surprise birthday breakfast, honoring Opal Snitker, was given at the McGehee House Sunday morning.

Guests included Edith Berry, Margaret Walker, Mary Zimmer, Mildred Shuman, Evelyn Culwell, and Miss Snitker. Hostesses for the occasion were Lena Snitker and Cleveland Laman.

During 1938, the University of Kentucky constructed 72,879 square feet of sidewalk.

Elnora Gulch, '39, has been elected to a primary position at Muleshoe.

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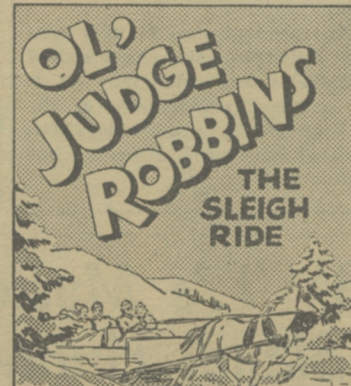
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COLLEGE OASIS

In W. T.
SOCIETY
By Nell Stevenson

If it would only come a big snow, there would be something to write about, but since that is doubtful, let's take a look at what we might be wearing when spring comes. It's not far in the future. After our mid-term exams are over we always start getting spring fever, and planning our vacation wardrobe; and it isn't to early to start collecting a few little items, either.

Last spring we wore little girl dresses, and this spring they're going to be back again, for sports wear, tennis, golf, and beaching. And shoes, more and more sandals. Of course slacks are always in, and this spring the color seems to be beige or brown.

And speaking of colors, colors in everything for spring are on the pale side. Pastels, beige, and light rust colors, or combinations of light and dark.

If you're wondering what to wear to those spring teas, recitals, or what not, you may feel perfectly safe in wearing a plain simple dress of your own color, with dainty little lace collar and cuffs. One that fits snugly at the waist but has its flair in the skirt. Just be yourself dressed in your best taste.

By the way, if you really want to find out about fashions in a clever way, read Elizabeth Hawes's book, "Fashion is Spinach." Elizabeth Hawes is a famous fashion designer in New York, and she tells about the latest thing in the latest way. After you read her definition of "chic" you really won't care whether you're so exact or not, just so your clothes make you look your best.

DAVID HINKLE HAS GALA BIRTHDAY PARTY

Three candles topped the birthday cake of David Hinkle when he entertained a group of friends Saturday afternoon.

The cake was cut and served with punch by the host's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olin E. Hinkle, his aunt, Mrs. Bill Money, and Mrs. Howard Golden. A story hour followed.

Guests were Jimmy Cundiff, Elaine Cundiff, Marshall Jones, Dorothy Elizabeth Neblett, Joe Brown, Bobby Johnston, John Miller, Steve McKee, Mary Owen, Dick Sanders, Chandler Foster, Jerry Williams, Ed Golden, Billie Marie Money, and Claude Money.

Florence Marie Coffee, Leroy Dickinson, and Gerry Ann Curtice sent gifts.

GRAY COUNTY CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

One of the largest county clubs on the campus, the Gray County Club, met last Thursday to select officers for the vacancies which have occurred this year.

Reed Clark of Pampa was elected president to replace Lawrence McBee also of Pampa, who resigned because of other duties. He is to be assisted by the vice-president, Louis Cole of Hoover. The other officers are: Mary Alice Patterson of McLean, secretary; and Mildred Cole of Hoover, reporter.

Pictures were made for the annual. The only requirement for membership is that the student be from Gray county.

LOST: Brown leather purse with brown leather bow; containing picture, notes, two rings; approximately \$5 and Parker Fountain pen. Finder may have the money for returning purse and contents. Leave at News office.

Marital Plans of Virginia Murray Are Announced

Announcement of the approaching marriage of Virginia Murray to Henry Blackburn of Amarillo was made at a tea given by her mother, Mrs. C. A. Murray, last Saturday from 3 to 5.

Mrs. Murray, Virginia, and Mrs. C. J. Blackburn, mother of the prospective bridegroom, received the guests and were assisted by Virginia Line, Rosa Cash, Dorothy Brumley, and Bonnie Whittenburg Liston.

Marilyn Condon and Sybil Ann Gillis made the occasion clear when they entered the room as pages dressed in the bride-to-be's colors, blue and white, and read the announcement which was written in the form of a legal proclamation.

A short program by four members of Pi Omega, campus organization to which Miss Murray belongs, included piano solos by Royce Parks and Virginia Hohlaus, and a reading by Mogie Routh. Margaret Esther Hill whistled "I Love You Truly" and "Indian Love Call."

Mrs. A. M. Meyer and Mrs. S. H. Condon poured from a beautifully appointed table. Blue and white carried out the table decorations, flowers and refreshments.

Miss Murray is the daughter of Prof. C. A. Murray, head of the mathematics department. She has attended W. T. and S. M. U. Mr. Blackburn is the son of Mrs. C. J. Blackburn of 1522 Polk Street, Amarillo. He attended S. M. U.

Stafford Presidents Entertain Guests At Annual Party

Gala dancing, games, and a buffet supper were features at Stafford Hall Friday night when residents entertained guests at their annual party.

After an hour of games and dancing, the Hall boys and guests were served a lovely buffet supper in the dining room.

Those attending the annual affair were: George Wright, Dorothy Dickenson; Royce Jones, Veda Mae Peterson; Harley Goettsche, Kay Wakefield; Lawrence McBee, Charlotte Tubb; Bill Blaine, Gaynelle Douglas; Lyman Davenport, Jerry Dodd; Alva Clary, Martha Jo Newlin; Davis Thompson, Charlie Mae Northcutt; Bryan Morgan, Carmel Lee Guinn; John Hill, Ruth Hill; George Stapleton, Anna Dell Sligar; Ernest Scheihagen, Helen Whittenburg; L. F. Cleek, Virginia Edmondson; Calvin Craig, Mogie Routh; Chester Hunkapiller, Bette Sample; and Russell Childers, William Bagwell, Kenneth Gibson, E. C. Schuhart, Ralph O'Keefe, and Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Hill, and Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Meyer.

WOMEN'S CAGE TOURNEY OPEN NEXT SEMESTER
Intramural play in women's basketball will open during the second week of next semester, it has been announced by the women's physical education department.

As in the women's volley ball tournament held this semester, teams will be organized from various dormitories and boarding houses. Each team is required to appoint a manager to arrange games and to care for equipment.

HONORED AT BIRTHDAY
Dewey Johnson, varsity gridman from Abernathy, was honored on his birthday, Jan. 15, at the McGee House.

Table games afforded amusement during the evening, and a candle-light cake was served in the dining room. Attending were, Lois Blackwell, Eldon Davis, Fern Griffin, Bob Nippert, Lena Snitker, and Mr. Johnson.

Virginia Murray Honored With Lingerie Shower

Miss Virginia Murray was honored Sunday morning with a pre-nuptial lingerie shower given by Mrs. Jack Liston, sorority sister of the bride-to-be. The announcement was made of the approaching marriage of Miss Murray to Mr. Henry Blackburn, Saturday afternoon, by the bride's mother.

Mrs. Liston gave the shower at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. W. Hawks. As the guests entered, they were served coffee, poured from a silver coffee service, by Miss Virginia Line. The table was covered with a lace tablecloth, topped by a centerpiece of red carnations. The color scheme was carried out in red and white, with each guest wearing a red and white carnation corsage, the honoree wearing a corsage of white gardenias.

After the guests had been served, a program followed, which consisted of a piano solo by Miss Frances Usery, two vocal selections by Miss Ada V. Clark, and a reading by Miss Lelia Cooper.

The guests then retired to the dining room where the presents for the honoree were opened. Miss Rosa Cash presided at the bride's book.

Guests for the occasion were, Misses Lelia Cooper, Frances Usery, Grace Clark, Ada V. Clark, Virginia Line, Kay Wakefield, Ruth Hill, Dorothy Morgan, Mary May Harrison, Dorothy Brumley, Louise Ramey, Rosa Cash, Helen Whittenburg, Louise Shirley, Margaret Esther Hill, Royce Parks, Evangeline Baker, Dorothy Warwick, Virginia Hohlaus, Frankie Dodson, Effy Whitsett, Annette White, Dorothy Dickenson, Mogie Routh, Amatene Lockhart, and Mesdames C. J. Blackburn, mother of the groom-to-be, J. J. Walker, Georgia Clark Spear, Glyn Morris, A. M. Meyer, and C. A. Murray, mother of the bride-to-be.

NEW BOOKS RECEIVED FOR LOAN LIBRARY

West Texas State College library has received a shipment of twenty-four new books. They will be in the loan after today.

The books contain modern authors such as: Anne Morrow Lindbergh, Herbert Hoover, H. Howard Tubman, Sarah Teasdale, John Dewey, and Albert Duetsch. There are books on logic, sociology, government, history, poetry, and beauty.

Some of the books are: Logic and the Theory of Inquiry, Dewey; When Labor Organizes, Brooks; Puppetry (How to control puppets and how to make them), Milligan; How to Arrange Flowers, Biddle; Opera Front and Back, Tubman; Island of Bali, Covarrubias; and The Collected Poems of Sara Teasdale.

New Delta Zetas Presented in Brilliant Ceremony Saturday

Delta Zeta Chi presented their new members in a brilliant ceremony Saturday evening at Cousins Hall.

At 8:30 a beautifully curtained revolving stage, situated in the lounge doorway, started turning slowly, and, with each turn a new Zeta member came into view. A large spotlight followed each girl as she stepped down, was announced by Reba Pool, president of the sorority, and was met by her escort. Each couple then took its place in the grand march into the ballroom, led by Miss Pool and J. C. Bellah.

The ballroom was beautifully decorated with silver tumbleweeds and long twisted crepe paper. Blue spotlights made the room into a maze of beauty. Dennis Baker and his orchestra added a bit of spice to the atmosphere with his intriguing music. He was furnished with large black and silver Zeta emblem music stands.

The programs were covered with isin glass and tied with black and white cords.

New members could be distinguished by large white carnations in their hair.

New members and their escorts were: Jerry Alvey, Kenneth Black; Cleo Bourland, Travis Gee; Eula Fay Foster, Houston Bright; Virginia Lee Fortenberry, Wayne Winkler; Shirley Ann Oliver, Charles Hoover; Jimmie Sullivan, Doc Stanford; Kaki Westmoreland, Leslie Ward; Ruth Roberts, Ernie Helms; Kay Sawyer, Ralph O'Keefe; Bette Sample, Melvin Qualls; Maurine Hoyle, Harley Goettsche; Maxine Hoyle, Marvin Sams; Rette Meek, William Beggs; and Dorothy Jean Mullins, Joe Rogers.

Members and their dates were: Odessa Winkler, Dewey Vaughn; Betty Jeanne Ball, Jack Allison; Ernestine Ballard, Ed Bagot; Mary Helen Stalls, Chris Wooten; Reba Pool, J. C. Bellah; Mary Collins, Jack Edmondson; Trula Mae Phegley, Bill Ballard; Kaki Storey, James Vaughn; Billie Ruth King, Dusty Brown; and Mary Helen Jensen, Marvin Calliham.

Zeta exes and their escorts were: Helen Gilmore, Jack Taylor; Quixie Bea King, Bill Britton; Hope Bussey, L. F. Clark; and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Herst.

Guests included Lawrence McBee, Charlotte Tubb; Jimmie Haile, Mildred Slough; Bob Orton, Roberta Turner; Calvin Craig, Charlie Mae Northcutt; Ed Spann, Adele Hays; Davis Thompson, Kay Wakefield; Kenneth Hohlaus, Margaret Esther Hill; John Primrose, Juanita Goettsche; Bill Harris, Effy Whitsett, Dick Smith, Jane Boone; Ed Line, Marcelete Reid; Lanny Line, Dorothy Lee Davis; Ira Hutchins,

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Special guests were: Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Humphreys, Dr. and Mrs. Baxter Geeting, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Dougal, Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Sheffy, Mrs. Agnes Smith, Mrs. Nancy McCaslin, Mrs. Anne Wofford, Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Curtice, and Mrs. Geraldine Green.

Interior Decorators Go Into Action in Home Ec. Lab.

By Hazel Bath
Rub-adub-dub! Twenty-two girls with a tub—and some soap, and paint brushes.

That is the scene you might see in the home economics department, situated on the third floor of the Administration Building. Equipment which has been through the war—I don't know whether it was the Civil War or the World War—is taking on the appearance of angels with clean faces. There is a hustle and stir in the air that makes a lazy person shudder.

The interior decoration class, under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Cox, has unofficially declared a clean-up week. The re-decoration of the foods laboratory is their project for this semester.

Each student in the class has a table or cabinet to refinish, and she is solely responsible for the outcome. One industrious decorator, too eager to do the job up brown—or white—proceeded to tint her chestnut locks.

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Prof. Condon Is Y. M. Speaker Friday Night

Prof. S. H. Condon was the principal speaker of the evening Friday night at the regular Y. M. C. A. meeting in the Education Building. He used the following divisions as essential in "The Characteristics of an Educated Man."

1. He listens to the man who knows.
 2. He never laughs at new ideas.
 3. He will cross-examine his day-dreams.
 4. He knows his strong points and plays them up.
 5. He knows the value of good habits and how to form them.
 6. He lives progressively—expects change and prepares for it.
 7. He cultivates the beautiful.
 8. He searches for new interests.
 9. He always remembers to be courteous and appreciative.
 10. He lives up to his best.
- Concluding his address he summarized with the words: "And Jesus increased in stature and wisdom and in favor of God and Man."

Katherine Cornell Describes Visit To Panhandle

"I never felt anything like that wind. In the center of the town a heavy iron chain hung from a flagpole and townspeople considered that the wind wasn't blowing at all unless the chain stood out at right angles from the pole."

In those words Katherine Cornell describes Amarillo, Texas as it appeared back in '33 and '34 during the worst dust storm years. It was in her article, "I Wanted to Be an Actress," which appeared in the January issue of Stage Magazine that Miss Cornell tells of her tour and describes the Panhandle with its hospitality and dust.

"The Barretts and a dust storm—the most terrific thing I have ever known. . . . Every thing you ate was full of sand. We weren't grand on getting on the train and that was one of the places where the daily routine of interviews and press pictures was a bit hard to take."

Miss Cornell in her article goes on to praise the people of West Texas for the splendid enthusiasm and welcome they showed her. It is quite significant that she should be so impressed by a small city in Texas when her company toured for 29 weeks, playing in the principal cities of the nation. During this time they put on 225 performances, covered 16,853 miles, and played to 500,000 people.

Wilson College is filming its students while walking to aid them in correcting posture and walking deficiencies.

Miss Mogie Ruth Is Presented In Speech Recital

Miss Helen Anglin, assistant professor of Speech, presented Miss Mogie Routh, sophomore speech student, in a recital, Sunday afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock at the Little House of Fellowship. Miss Routh was presented in the reading of "First Lady," a three act play centering around life in Washington.

After the reading, guests were served tea. Mrs. Baxter M. Geeting presided at the tea table, which was covered with a lace tablecloth, and a centerpiece of calendulas.

Guests included Alton Pau, Charlotte Alice Tubb, Elizabeth Wood, Bill Shamblin, Glen Davis, Patty Jean Smith, Junior Williams, Meda Ruth Thomas, Faye Wilson, Lawrence McBee, Naomi Slay, Virginia Lee Hussy, Louise Shirley, Gaynelle Douglas, Mrs. Agnes Smith, Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Meyer, Dr. and Mrs. Baxter M. Geeting, Dr. Margaret Lee Wiley, Miss Helen Lyles, Ruthe Klein, Dorothy Lee Yearwood, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Routh, Mrs. Daisy Person, Miss Lilly Larsen, Mrs. Agnes Womack, Mary Courson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Snook, Bobby Snook, Blenmar Snook, Mr. and Mrs. Thad Crossett, Mrs. Dan Polley, Jaycne Langseth, Miss Helen Anglin, Nell Stevenson, and Mrs. Inez Anglin.

BAND MEMBERS GRADED

Six high school band members met in the auditorium here Saturday afternoon to be graded for the band clinic in San Antonio April 12, 13, and 14.

An eighty-piece band will be formed from highest-rating students from seven states. This meeting is sponsored by the Musical Education Association.

Two students from Pampa: Max McAfee, drum, and Harold Gillespie, cornet; and five from Portales, N. M.: Don Van Dyke, French horn; Juanita Taylor, flute; Patsy Ann Taylor, clarinet; and Milton Van Dyke, violin.

Harold Brumfield, Portales, N.M. director, and Murray Meeker, director Symphonic Orchestra, Amarillo, met with Mr. Strain, W. T. director, to rate the students.

HONOREES AT BRIDGE PARTY

Charlotte Alice Tubb and Genevieve Simmons, seniors, and Peggy Word, junior, were honorees at a bridge party given by Mrs. S. L. Ingham and Mrs. T. V. Reeves Thursday evening.

Other guests were Cleo Rush, Joan Thompson, Ruth McCullum, Mattie Belle Noel, Lela Ruth Watt, Vivian Taylor, Anna Dell Sligar, and Anne Hardgrave.

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TRAPPED ON A BLAZING WRECK, Captain Hans Milton displayed courage and nerve-power that won him head-lines from coast to coast. He says: "On the schooner *Pioneer*, afire 400 miles out of Halifax, we had a little food and water and some Camels. Those Camels were a great comfort through the nerve strain of worry and danger. It's a rule with me, whenever I feel my nerves getting tense, keyed-up, to let up—light up a Camel."

EARNING HIS WAY through college, James L. Dixon, Jr. (above) says: "It's no cinch for my nerves, working as usher, waiting on table, and in between preparing for stiff exams. I can't take chances with nerve strain. Whenever my nerves begin to feel the tension, I rest them. I ease off and have a Camel—I 'let up—light up a Camel,' just as the slogan says. Believe me, that's a good tip. Camels are really mild and definitely soothing to my nerves."

(above) GORDON SETTER—a handsome, muscular dog. Watch his flashing action. And observe that after strenuous activities, this dog halts... relaxes! Though his nervous system is high-strung like our own, the dog responds quickly to the instinctive urge to rest. We don't usually look after our nerves that well. Perhaps you have often willed yourself on...hour after hour at a task...ignoring nerve strain. Break that nerve strain—pause now and then—LET UP—LIGHT UP A CAMEL! Camels are a matchless blend of finer, MORE EXPENSIVE TOBACCOS...Turkish and Domestic.

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Physical Education Dept. Introduces Badminton

Great interest has been shown in the game of badminton during the recent unfavorable weather, but little is known about the rules of the game. In response to many inquiries, the physical education department has compiled the following brief summary of the more important rules of the game.

A match may consist of fifteen or twenty-one games, according to the wish of the players. If the game is settled upon as fifteen, and a tie score of 13-all is reached, the first player to attain the score of 13 has the privilege of "setting" the game to five points, and when the score is 14-all, the game may be "set" to three points. The game is then called "love-all," and the first player to secure five points (or three) wins the game. The best of three games makes a rubber. Service must be underhanded, and to the diagonal opposite court. Service alternates as in volley ball. Score is also counted as in volley ball.

In single games, the server serves from the right hand court if his score is 0, or an even number. If his score is an odd number, he serves from the left hand court.

In double play, the side serving first in each game gets one try; then each member of the opposing side gets a try before the other member of the serving side gets a turn. After that, the service rotates regularly.

Badminton is a game of British origin, having been originated by some British officers in India while they were on a spree one night. Its popularity in the United States has been steadily increasing in the last few years.

Canyon High B Squad W. T. Cage Tourney Saturday

Canyon High School's "B" squad walked away with the second West Texas State College Training School Invitation basketball tournament by trimming Sam Houston Junior High of Amarillo 26-15 in the final game Saturday night.

They had to dispose of Goodnight, conquer Price Memorial, one of the favorites of the meet, and winner last year, to win their right to the final round but this they did in a nip and tuck afternoon session game 19-12.

Other scores: First round, W. T. high school 32, Wildorado 24; Sam Houston 26, Adrian 18; Dimmitt 14, Canyon "B" 23; Goodnight 35, Price Memorial 19. Second round, W. T. high school 24, Sam Houston 29; Canyon "B" 19, Goodnight 12.

While gathered here, coaches of these smaller schools talked over the possibility of organizing a 6-man football league in the Panhandle. Supt. George A. Sims of Adrian said an agreement was reached between W. T. High, Adrian, and Price Memorial to play the 6-man game next season.

Frosh Win Easily Over Two Amarillo League Teams

West Texas' young frosh cagers chalked two more teams on their undefeated list last week, trouncing McClendon Grocery of Amarillo 64-21, Friday night, and then tumbled the high flying Canadian River Gassers 50-31 Saturday night. Both games were played in Burton Gymnasium.

Johnny Primrose flashed his smooth ability in the first game chunking in eight field goals and adding one extra point to monopolize the high scoring honors. "Speck" Williams, one of the visitors, turned in an admirable piece of guarding in holding the touted Price Brookfield, freshman forward, to 9 points, but while the Groceries were concentrating their efforts on him and West Texas' lanky center, Halbert, Primrose sped around the guards to place the game on ice in spectacular fashion.

Brummett McClendon, Grocer forward and former West Texas frosh cager himself, was the outstanding offensive player for the visitors, but couldn't make his long distance shots stick in the basket.

The Frosh-Gasser tilt, after a sedate enough start suddenly turned into a fierce free for all. Poulung was frequent and made good play impossible. Featuring a trio of former College basketball players, the Crews brothers of Texas Tech, and Eldon Mahuron of Hardin-Simmons, the visitors presented tricky passing and showed the Frosh their stiffest competition to date. Mahuron who could pace Primrose on the fast break held the versatile West Texas guard to 6 points.

A. Crews, Gasser forward, garnered high scoring honors with 12, followed closely by freshman Frank Stockman and Brookfield with 11 each. Stockman broke out of a smother of guards on several occa-

Only Five Games In Intramural Cage Played Last Week

Only five games were played in the Intramural basketball tournament last week due to the Buffaloes varsity series. There will be no games this week in deference to the pending examinations.

The Whirling Dervishes, managed by Bomar Brown, strengthened their grip on one of the leading positions walking away with games on succeeding nights. The first night they polished off the Rosebuds 43-28, despite the fact that Burgess of the Buds went on a free scoring spree to roll up 18 points, followed by E. Brown with 17 for the Dervishes. On the next night they came back to dust off another foe, Jennings' Mules, in a walkaway bout 33-13. One of their chief rivals, T-Anchor Aggies, ran up against unexpected opposition and barely managed to squeeze past an improving Moonshiner five, 30-27.


The Moonshiners climbed back into the win column the next night with a tight 31-26 victory over the Buffalo Courts freshmen. T-Anchor rounded out the week's play by downing the hapless Rosebuds 32-20.

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sions to turn in brilliant shots far in under the basket.

Box Score for McClendon-Frosh game:

Brookfield, f	4	1	9	1
Groom, f	2	0	4	2
Kuchler, f	2	0	4	2
Erwin, f	2	0	4	2
Halbert, c	2	4	8	2
Gillim, c	1	1	3	1
Primrose, g	9	1	17	3
Jones, g	1	1	3	1
Stockman, g	4	2	10	0
Cornish, g	1	0	2	1
Frosh	fg	ft	tp	pf
Totals	27	10	64	16
McClendons	fg	ft	tp	pf
B. S. McClendon, f	1	1	3	0
B. McClendon, f	1	2	4	1
Jones, f	0	1	1	2
Phillips, c	2	1	5	3
Thompson, g	1	0	2	1
Williams, g	3	0	6	4
Clayton, g	0	1	1	1

A Taste of Sports By LYNARD RILEY

Apologies to Cletus Kuchler of Groom, whose name was unintentionally left out of the up and coming Frosh prospects listed in this column last week. Kuchler is a starter on the undefeated freshman basketball squad and handles his 180 or so pounds as well on the maple floor as he did last season on the gridiron.

Speaking of the freshman cage crew, those of you who missed the Gasser-Frosh game last Saturday night missed one of those unscheduled post-season football games. The Gassers used all their experienced gas-house tactics in an endeavor to cope with the smoother freshmen. Lippard, Crews and Dean of the Gassers fouled out late in the third quarter and freshman leader, Coach Curtice who "just wanted to see his boys have to hustle" requested that the offenders be allowed to remain in the game.

Tennis season is not scheduled to start for at least a month regardless of the white garbed figures gamboling around on the courts last Friday afternoon. Their playful activities were hindered inasmuch as snow could be seen banked here and there at the ends of the court that remain in shadow. It seems that Chief Photographer, Olin E. Hinkle, was trying to catch some action shots of the last season's varsity tennis squad.

Hats off to JOE HAYES for his performance in the (history now) FIRST ST. MARY'S GAME. Several basketball followers who saw the game thought that Hayes turned in the OUTSTANDING PLAYS OF THE NIGHT, though he only played a part of the game. Just giving credit where CREDIT IS DUE.

Awards Presented Co-Ed Athletes

One hundred and four awards were given participants in the women's all-college volley ball tourney Friday afternoon at a tea in the Home Economics dining room. The winning team of the tournament, the McGehee House, received a large trophy from the hands of President J. A. Hill.

Twenty-two members of the two top teams received letters which were presented by Miss Ruth Cross. Miss Evans presented each girl who participated in the tournament with a small maroon buffalo head, official emblem of the women's intramural program. Special awards of a letter were made to one girl from each team who had been chosen by that team as its most valuable player.

The tournament started in November and was completed the first week after the Christmas holidays. It was a round-robin, conducted on a percentage basis. At the end of the round, the four top-ranking teams agreed to play a single-elimination tournament to choose the winners of the tournament. Mesquite Lodge, Cousins Hall, Out-in-town, and McGehee played off. McGehee won first, and Cousins Hall came in a close second. Players on the McGehee team were Jo Mae Smith, Freida Harvey, Imogene Dalton, Evelyn Osborne, Fern Griffin, Juanita Wilson, and Ione Walker. Members of the Cousins Hall team were Ruth Reeves, Marcelete Reid, Louise Ramey, Jean May, Anne Walton, Frances Pitts, Veda Mae Peterson, Hazel Bath, Ethelyn Bail-

ey, Billie Jean Biggers, and Kay Wakefield.

Girls receiving special awards were: Maybelle Tomlin, Mesquite; Jean Slack, Randall; Evelyn Carr, Cactus; Opal Pinnell, Paul House; Pauline Betts, Third Street; Lois Tanner, Out-in-town. Other girls receiving buffalo heads were Mesquite Lodge: Gwendolyn Couts, Frances Anne Simmons, Maxine Carey, Doris Gee, Louise Meador, Virginia Wedge. Third Street: Bes-sie Osborne, Ruby Lee Stovall, Ruth Taylor, Elinor Tryon, Rhogenia Chambers, Verla Tryon, Joyce Hart-sell, Mildred Davis. Out-in-town: Carolyn Greenway, Ruth Clements, Ivey Terry, Ruth Erma Garrett, June Cope, Lois Blackwell, Jacqueline Tabor, Dorothy Howard. Paul House: Anne Terry, Carmen Adamson, Waneta Bryan, Nancy Jane Schenck, Coystal Tabor, Lalie Richmond, Mary O'Neill. Cactus Lodge: Erma Henneigh, Wanda Brock, Roberta Wales, Ruth Slaughter, Neva Rob-bins, Ala Ketchersid, Mildred Bail-ey, Elizabeth Hudspeth, Ruth Buch-anan, Christine Hamilton. Randall Hall: Claudine Simpson, Evelyn Mil-lam, Elaine Lucas, Geneva Lawver, Frances Tidwell, Lucille McAnnelly, Florence Shiplet, Mary Blondi, Ida Lou Glaze, and Cleo Rusk. Offi-cials were Lucille Jameson and Ethlyn Bailey. Scorers: Lela Loud-der and Anita Cleland. Posters: and Typist Marion Clark. Eighty-one girls participated in the tourna-ment.

Following the presentation of the awards, tea and refreshments were served. Mrs. Geraldine Green and Mrs. T. V. Reeves poured.

Princeton University has received a special grant to finance a study of the effects of the Orson Welles broadcast of the invasion from Mars.

Princeton University has had more of its students win Rhodes scholar-ships than any other U. S. institu-tion. Harvard is second, Yale third.

Harvard University students have started a movement to provide special scholarships for citizens of Pan-American nations.

1939 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

(6 more games to be added)

Dec. 15-16—Colorado School of Mines	Denver
Dec. 27-30—Oklahoma City Tournament	Oklahoma City
Jan. 16-17—St. Mary's University	Canyon
Jan. 21-23—Oklahoma City University	Oklahoma City
Jan. 30-31—Hardin-Simmons University	Ablene
Feb. 3-4—St. Mary's University	San Antonio
Feb. 6-7—Texas A. & I.	Kingsville
Feb. 10-11—Oklahoma City University	Canyon
Feb. 13-14—Open	Canyon
Feb. 20-21—East Texas State	Commerce
Feb. 27-March 2—El Paso Southwestern Tournament	El Paso
Mar. 6-7—Hardin-Simmons University	Canyon
Mar. 13-8—(National Intercollegiate	Kansas City
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(National A. A. U.	Denver

DID YOU KNOW THAT . . . Basket-ball income is undergoing a RAPID GROWTH, due to increased popularity of the game. Also ON THE INCREASE, is cock fighting, (though illegal in some states). . . . Coming back strong are BICYCLE EXERCISERS, probably due to pic-torial press agenting of the BEAU-TEOUS HOLLYWOOD MAIDS . . . Baseball gets the most sports section space. Second is bowling, scoring in space on the strength of the old axiom "names make news" . . . when Alice Marble, U. S. woman's ama-teur champion, stood up at the Vines-Budge professional tennis match, and told spectators they had seen "tennis as fine as one could expect to see anywhere" the crowd

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