# New Student Body Constitution Adopted 

 Regular Activities Cleared from Dean Floyd Golden Senator La Follette Firist Gerieral Week's Calendar to Make Way For Religious Emphasis Week

Fr. Charles Jansen
Describes European Situation Tuesday

Do You Have A Cold?---Then Get
One And Try These Remedies

## West Texas State at Last Has A Student. Constitution

Beginning this week, W. T. students are under a new student con-
stitution. Though there are yet few visible results, adoption of the new
constitution Saturday is a significant event in the history of W. T. stitution. Though there are yet few visible results, adoption of the new
constiution Saturday is a significant event in the history of W. T. It
is the first set-up for real student participation in school government, since the old constitution provided for a student council which was only
advisory. Officers for the new Students Association will be elected within the
next two weeks. The new plan provides for election identical with next two weeks. local elections. This will give students an opportunity
regular state and lo
to determine the quality of each candidate before the election. Under the old system, all class and student body officers were elected from the
floor at class and student body meetings. This system offered no floor at class and student body meetings. This system offered no
opportunity for the candidate to make public a platform since he did no become a candidate until a few minutes before the election.
Students should take ffill advantage of the time between nomination and election under the rew system. It is now possible to weigh carefully
the qualifications of each candidate for each office. Modesty which prohibits a student from becoming a candidate for
a student office on his own initiative must be eliminated under the new system. Students who offer their services to the student body or
class by becoming candidates merit the respect of all students. The problems confronting the first set of of ficers make
doubly important, and for this reason every student shoul
first election after carefully considering each candidate.

YOUTH HAS MUCH TO CONQUER To Aristote it seemed very plain that from the dead and inanimate made the living, and everything that has lived is eventually turned back
to death. He believed that nothing was wasted and that everything wa But Aristote was blind to much. Then too, he never dreamed of life
coming from life. "Now man can peer down through the microscope and up at the revealed stars," a writer tells us, "and behold the lens has only This world is filled with mysteries, and in a nation of such rapid
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advance in science and so mapy adjacent fields, why should there be advance in science and so many adjacent fields, why should there
such a feeling of despair among students as to the terrible conditions o our present generation? these hard times by those who have found it
as has been proved in the
necessary to make and do something new. So many facts and mysteries and things to do are yet to be sought out.
The treasure-box of discovery hasn' even been opened yet, and so fa we have only been focusing a little light on the new things which wi
come out if delved into by a progressive and interested people engaged i
the pursuit of new fields.- W. B. D. in Los Angeles Junior Collegian. EDUCATION IN POLITICS For many years the political plan in the United States has been for
the voters to elect the man who gave the best show. Modern education
is bringing about a change for the better in this system. Instead of
people running for office with personalities as the main issues, authorities people running for office with personalities as the main issues, authorities
in various fields are entering politics. This is a good sign for the future
of the American political institution. Government will profit as a result. of Amen who have had long years of publiceservice and understand people
Men
who have elected them can serve best. Educators and business men who
understand the problems which affect the public most can solve those
problems more quickly and with more successful results. A person who problems more quickly and with more successfur results. A person which
lias studied and understands economics, history and people themselve
would make a much better office holder than a person who has studie politics and the art of getting votes. The former has a background for
his study in office, the latter only his ambitions for higher and more $=$
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Examinations could be given aspirants to all political offices. And a
candidate would have to make a certain average before he would be allowed to place his name on the ballot. Political candidates would
hen be educated for the office and the American people would benefi rom the efficiency of a government by politicians who knew their busines
and could make a success of it! You may be invited to a ball or dinner because you dance or tell a
good story; but no one since the time of Queen Elizabeth has been made
$\qquad$
A kind heart is a fountain of gladness, making everything in its
inity freshen into smiles.-Washington Irving.

The only way to have a friend is to be one.-Emerson.
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Worry is interest paid on trouble before it becomes due-Dean Inge Dress it as we may, feather it, daub it with gold, huzza it and sing
waggering songs about it, what is war, nine times out of ten, but murder

1 believe that any man's life will be filled with constant and unexpecte acouragement, if he makes up his mind to do his level best each day, and
nearly as possible reaching the high-water mark of pure and usefu

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Edited by Jerry Manzer

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up a lunch and I started to the

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After a recess during the Thanks-
giving holidays, members of Tony's
club got together last Monday night

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## Campus Rhyme

Was He a coward,
Or was He brave,
Or was He brave,
He talked against the present reli-
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He went to a strange country
He went into Jerusalem
Where His life was threatened,
Was He a man of cowardice?
Was He a man of cowardice?
Did Jesus go to the Mountain,
To show cowardice or bravery?
Did He die on Calvary to show
Cowardice or bravery?
I say, "He is the bravest on any
mountain." $\quad$-Bob Miller.
escape
Beautiful, real unsculptured beauty,
That calls me from incessant duty,
long to drink to my soul's content I long to drink to my soul's content
of the brisk, sweet gale of the
firmament.
the long wide sweep of the road
lent.
I surely enjoy to walk alone,
fling off the cares my heart ha
known.
with all my burdens to the wide
enjoy to live in a world of my own.
Clarice Gillis.
CONSECRATION
God, forgive me if you will
My pushing brother down t
Forgive my roaring surge of laughter
When I saw sister falline When I saw sister falling after,
Forsive the time I kicked the cat
And sawed in two the baseball bat,
And then, dear God, if there is
Forgive my overwhelming gloom,
And silly sudden tears today
Because one did not look my way.
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