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INTRAMURAL CHAMPS TO BE DECIDED SATURDAY

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Like Will Rogers, all we know is what we read in the papers; and according to most authentic reports, Old Santele is busily engaged in lubricating the running gear of his ancient sleigh for his annual tour of the world (Irish pronunciation). Optimistic news paper write-ups have it that the Old Man is still hale and hearty despite the inevitable smutty deals which he receives in this age of bituminous fuels.

Too, he is alleged to have complained a bit about the scarcity of oil-fashioned chimneys which were generous enough to admit comfortable persons of his jolly girth. He is reported as saying, also, that he feels it almost a breach of Yuletide ethics to enter people's homes via gas meters or electric meters, thus causing a substantial increase in the inevitable monthly bill.

At least two freshmen in Tech have ventured to be so sophisticated and bold as to make the unwarranted assertion that they had doubts as to the Old Man's credentials and his identity! Think of it! What a sad and solemnly old word (Teutonic pronunciation) this would be without Old Santele and his hempen whippers. It just can't be, that's all! Why, people used to employ chimney-sweeps, paying out good stipend to get their faces brushed out each year. But since St. Nicholas (that's another of the Old Man's pseudonyms) decided to turn philanthropist in order to get his name in the New York Times, The Treador, and other prominent sheets, he has performed that annual rite free for nothing. (Whyfore that ironic smile on Dad's face.)

Yeah, Christmas is coming on a pace—holidays and exams! In fact, they are not only coming on a pace, they are coming on a gallop. Soon certain shooks will grow pensive in mind; soon will be heard on the campus certain solemn songs sung with serious cadence and in various keys; for instance,

"The solemn days have come;
My Sweetie smiles—I catch the drift
Ah, where will be my meager pile
When I have bought that Christmas gift!"

Yeah, Studes, the good old days are not with us any more. In fact, they are notwas any longer. The time when the annual box of candy would last forever and several days over are relegated to the dim, dim, post-ancient epochs. Ya gotta dig deep, Lads; ya gotta dig deep!

Ah, the several gray hairs which will adorn our conservative domes fifty years from date! Rise up, ye worries which haunt us periodically! We have done our utmost to keep our textbooks well-preserved, and marvelously intact, too! But because of the approaching exams we are constrained to don our rubber gloves and open the dusty tomes in valiant effort to pass the courses to which we have been exposed.

Board bills to meet! (or FOR meet, whichever) Farees to buy in the general direction of the parental firelocks. Gifts to buy, beg, or borrow. Superfluous romances to be concluded—suspended. But Ish Ka Bible! Why worry? Simply run the old credit to the extent of three gross cotton handkerchiefs take down the Texas Almanac and mail those "handies" out to the first list of names you come to—and you will have fulfilled your Yuletide obligations.

TECH LIVESTOCK DEPT. IS GROWING FAST FUTURE JUDGING TEAMS TO MEET BEST GREAT IMPROVEMENT OVER LAST YEAR

The animal husbandry department of the Tech promises to be one of the best in the state, and is considered one of the best units of the college.

Last year a modern dairy barn was completed with a capacity of forty cows in addition to the stock judging pavilion, which was erected prior to the opening of the school. However, last year the classes in animal husbandry were compelled to go outside of Lubbock to secure stock for use in judging for a large part of their work. This year the situation is considerably improved over last year.

To date the department owns the following stock, which is available to classes in animal judging:

Two breeds of dairy cattle, Holstein and Jersey, 24 head; 1 Breed of beef cattle, Hereford, 4 head; 3 breeds of sheep, Hampshire, Rambouillet and Southdown, 24 head; 3 breeds of hogs, Duroc, Poland China, Tamworth, 58 head; 1 breed of horses, Percheron, 9 head, (only one of these is pure bred, the others being good grade stock).

The poultry plant which was just on a good starting basis last spring,

CONTROL BOARD ASKS \$1,765,320 FOR TECH COLLEGE

SALARY LEVEL TECH FACULTY WILL BE RAISED

APPROPRIATION WOULD MAKE POSSIBLE MANY IMPROVEMENTS

The State Board of Control this week submitted its recommendations to the State Legislature that the Texas Technological college be appropriated \$1,765,320 for the next biennium. This amount is much less than that asked by the college, but it is considered entirely in keeping with appropriations recommended for other institutions in the state at the same time.

Among the many improvements which the appropriation will mean to the Tech is the increase in salary of its faculty members. Dr. Horn states that he hopes to bring the standard up to that of A. and M., and other older institutions.

Dr. Horn, in commenting on the action of the board, said that while the board did not give the college all that was asked for, he thought that the board had been very liberal.

This recommendation is, of course, merely advisory, depending upon the next legislature to pass upon it. Representatives of the Tech will appear before the legislature in behalf of the recommendation. At this appearance, Dr. Horn expects to show something of what the college is doing and the real need of additional facilities commensurate with its growth.

Xmas Carols To Be Rehearsed

Rehearsals of the Christmas carols will be held in the corridors, beginning Thursday, between nine and ten o'clock classes. These rehearsals are held in the class intervals for five minutes, and all students are requested to take part in them.

These songs are to be used in the annual Christmas program which consists this year of a series of tableaux. Instead of giving the program in the administration building, as was done last year, it is probable that a stage will be built in the stock judging pavilion and the tableaux presented there.

Aggie Scholarship, \$250 Offered Again

It has been given out from the office of President Horn that the Clifford B. Jones scholarship for agriculture students will be available again this year. The scholarship is given at two hundred and fifty dollars, and last year was won by Claude Hope of Sweetwater.

Several of the agriculture boys are working hard this year with this particular scholarship in mind, and these promises to be some keen competition.

DR. HORN SAYS EVILS NOT TO BE TOLERATED

PRESIDENT OUTLINES EVILS WHICH WILL LEAD TO DISMISSAL

"Education is what brings out the highest and most useful types of young manhood and womanhood," the statement upon which Dr. Paul W. Horn based his address on "Student evils," which was given at convocation Monday morning at 11 o'clock. Dr. Horn's "heart to heart" talk was the feature of the general assembly, which was the first convocation of one hour period during several weeks.

Dr. Horn began his address by comparing college life with the domestic family, stating that it sometimes becomes necessary in every family to discipline its conduct by negative regulations, or by forbidding particular privileges. He then reverted back to the opening of the Tech and made mention of the fact that no set rules and regulations were specified in the catalog of the institution, and that the student body had been granted every freedom. However, he said that the time had come when it was necessary for him to outline certain violations of right conduct that would not be permitted under any circumstances in the Tech.

Going further into the discourse of the importance of right living through out life, and especially as students, Dr. Horn led up to six divisions of improper conduct which he said would not be tolerated in the Tech. These six divisions were: stealing, drinking, gambling, hazing, indecency and dishonesty on examinations.

In each instance, Dr. Horn pointed out tendencies which would lead to such evils, and in some cases named specific examples of such violations and the method employed by the administration in handling them. Some of these had led to the dismissal of the students involved, he said.

Dr. Horn stated that the administration had cooperated with local citizens and officers of the law in protecting students who had become involved in minor violations of the law, but he warned students against drinking and stealing especially these violations had been more frequent than others. He also stated that some cases of hazing had been investigated and warned against this "evil" of the campus which is likely to involve a penalty of dismissal from the institution.

Dishonor on examinations, he declared, is one of the most common evils in an institution, but stated that he would like to see the Tech create a reputation for honesty in all things.

Dr. Horn remarked in closing that he was of the opinion that the regulations and warnings as pointed out would not affect more than five per cent of the enrollment, but that they were made for the protection of the other ninety-five per cent.

LA VENTANA MAKES ANNOUNCEMENT OF STAFF

"La Ventana" of 1927 promises to be one of the best in the Southwest, and a considerable improvement over the annual of last year. Last year everything was new to students and faculty members alike, and a great deal of confusion was the result. This year the staff has been made with a view of getting experienced people. Several members of the last year's staff is on the staff this year. The staff of La Ventana 1927, is as follows: Jimmy Biggers, editor-in-chief; Editorial Staff: Anna Belle Collins, managing editor; Pauline Tippet; Virginia Hibby, associate editor; Kenneth Hemphill, Irene Conner, Warren Huff, and Grady Moore, assistants; "Happy" Davis and Curtis Reese, snapshots. Business Staff: Ogdin Horne, Business Manager; S. H. J. Womack, assistant.

All of the above members of the staff are fully competent, and are all enthusiastic over the prospects for the 1927 La Ventana. With a very few days left for the taking of pictures for the class section left over five hundred individuals have had their pictures made, and the prospects are that there will be well over eight hundred photographs in their individual photographs in the class and club sections. The sales are progressing very well, considering the fact that no active sales campaign has been made to date. After the first of the year, an active campaign will be made, and an attempt made to sell every student an annual.

Thud Of Booted Pigskin Renewed As Tech Co-Eds Take Up Cross For Gridiron Glory; What Kind Of Being Is A Lady Matador?

The thud of the booted pigskin and the calling of signals is once more to resound over the Tech campus, and feeling is running high as the time for the annual football classic approaches, the game between Doak Hall and College Inn.

Again the rangy ends, the mighty tackles, the aggressive guards and centers, and the backfield candidates are coveting over the gridiron in preparation for the grand finale of the 1926 football season.

These powerful teams will clash Saturday afternoon (as it is said) in the last and best game of the season and the best and the largest crowd ever to witness a game on the Tech gridiron is expected to witness the mighty struggle.

Both teams are in excellent condition after three days of strenuous practice, and the coaches of both teams are confident as to the outcome of the contest.

Although not very much hope was available, the following is an account of the teams as the sports writer sees them.

As coach of the College Inn we have "Fleetfoot" alias, "Dope" White as head coach, with "Handsome Ransome" Walker, Vaughn Corley and "Sot" DeWitte as assistants. Although stating that he is not so very confident, Coach "Dope" states that he will have a fighting team which will scrap for four quarters with a running, passing and punting attack as well as some hidden ball plays which will be exceedingly hard to solve.

Coach "Dope" could present only a tentative lineup, but the following is the probable starting eleven.

At the wing position he has two rangy ends that are both powerful and fast in the person of Clavin and "Percy" Booth. At tackle he presents Stella May Lanham who loves the position, and Elops Sneed who plays a steady, dependable game.

In Louise Lanham and Elizabeth Scott he has two aggressive guards account of themselves. At the pivot

that are certain to give an excellent position we find "Slime" Hutto whose only fault is tackling high. In the back field he has a wealth of material. The quarterback position is being held by "Alphabet" Collins who is wiz at passing as well as carrying the ball and directing her team.

Edna Yonge, the diminutive half back from Sweetwater and her running mate Leatrice Green, are expected to give an exhibition of circling the ends and broken field running which has never been equaled.

In Emma Hodiattful we find a triple threat player as she kicks passes, and pines the line as well as being an excellent player on defenses.

Although Coaches "Scratch" Hill and "Windy" Nicklaus of Doak Hall refused to give any definite date on their team, the following is a brief summary of players.

At the wing positions we find Willie Miller who is expected to play a spectacular game, and the steady, dependable Margie Fette. At tackle they present Fish Bean and Grace Robinson with Lucille McDaniels and Grace Hunter as guards.

Eleanor Frear after holding out for several days because she would not be permitted to play football, has finally consented to fill the vacancy at center, and with this line the Doak Hall team should present a brick wall defense.

In Lila Underwood they have a player who is expected to start at quarterback. She is very swift and fast. The half back, Annabelle Clark and Elizabeth Shannon are dependable players and Karik McFarland at full hits the line hard.

The Doak Hall team will be handicapped by the loss of Max Charnerlain who will be out because of injuries sustained in practice, but the teams are practically evenly matched and a good game may be expected.

The Engineer-Liberal Arts game will be preliminary to the feature game.

Press Club To Increase Library

At the next meeting of the Press Club on December 18th a committee will be appointed to recommend a list of books which will be purchased and added to the club library. All members are requested to be present as this will be the last meeting of the term. Other important matters will be discussed. The Secretary will secure the address and telephone number of every member in order that better co-operation can be had in getting stories for the Treador. There will also be an interesting program. Mr. Hervey and Mr. Reese, the program committee, have placed Miss Gill, Miss Poag, and Mr. Huff on the program.

It is reported that the Press Club is leading for the first prize in the Organization Section of La Ventana in order that better co-operation can be had in getting stories for the Treador. There will also be an interesting program. Mr. Hervey and Mr. Reese, the program committee, have placed Miss Gill, Miss Poag, and Mr. Huff on the program.

Read told of the different methods used in shooting poisonous gases, explaining the use of guns and the use of gas shells. Lavater allies were used illustrating the uses of chemicals in warfare, including poisonous gases, smoke screens, and methods of combating chemical warfare, principal of which were the various kinds of gas masks used during the World War.

Campus Trees To Be Pruned Xmas

During the holidays, Mr. Mahoney, Department of Horticulture, with a few students as helpers will prune and trim the trees and other plants of the campus during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Mahoney says that the trees and shrubs in the nursery rows west of the Administration building are dying and many of them will be transplanted to different places over the campus as replacements to the plants that have died and in continuation of the plans for the future decoration of the Tech grounds.

Fall plowing around the trees has already begun.

Tech Faculty Members Join Commercial Body

In the membership campaign for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, twenty-two members of the Tech faculty responded. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce was a prominent factor in securing the Texas Technological college, and it is proper and fitting that Tech should be represented in its membership.

TREADOR TO BE ON COMPETITIVE BASIS SYSTEM

ISSUE EDITORS WILL BE ASSISTED BY NUMEROUS REPORTERS UNDER NEW PLAN

Since the student council took over the management of the Treador two weeks ago, new plans for publishing the student newspaper for the remainder of the year have been partially worked out, and this issue sees the introduction of an entirely different method of management, that of issue editors.

It is the intention of the student council and the faculty publications committee to place the Treador on a competitive basis, which means that selections in the future will depend upon the students proven ability to discharge the duties associated with the office for which he is a candidate.

Under the plan adopted by the council, the student who aspires to become editor of the paper will be given an opportunity within the remaining months of this school year to prove his ability to handle the editorial duties, and the same plan will apply to the office of business manager. Every student of Journalism is encouraged to enter the contest.

The managing editor of this issue is Virgil Hobby, who was a member of the staff last year.

Those who are interested in getting assignments will find a schedule board posted at the beginning of each week in the Treador office. If any contributor makes a selection from the assignments listed, he may place his name after the article listed on the board. On the other hand, if the reporter does not find his story listed, he may add it to the list.

Plans adopted by the council are carried out no candidate for the office of either the editor or business manager will be considered in the coming elections unless he has assisted in some way with the publication.

"Sing Pep" Says Prof. Waghorne

A singing pep squad is the idea of Professor W. R. Waghorne. Professor Waghorne had had some experience along this line during the World War when he traveled around the country, visiting the larger universities and colleges of the South, aiding in the singing of patriotic songs. Plans are not definite, as yet, but the pep meetings will be held in the Stock Judging pavilion, according to Mr. Waghorne.

It is also Mr. Waghorne's plan to start a class in song leadership for large groups.

Farmer—"Now come along, and I'll teach you how to sing."

MACHINE SHOP BUILDING COMPLETED TO TRAIN ENGINEERS

THREE GROUPS OF WORK

With the completion of the machine shop building, and with some eighty-five per cent of the equipment for the wood and machine shops on the ground Dean Miller feels confident that the building will be ready for use by the opening of the winter term.

The building will house three divisions of work, Dean Miller stated. A portion of the building and equipment will be given over to woodwork, part a machine shop, and part to an elementary mechanical engineering laboratory. Installation and wiring of equipment is now in progress. The equipment for the mechanical engineering laboratory has been ordered and should be ready for use by the first of the year.

Some equipment has already arrived. The equipment being installed in the mechanical Engineering laboratory will be used by the juniors and as there is a comparatively small group of them, no difficulty is expected in arranging to take care of their work.

The wood shop will have a capacity sufficient to enable about twelve students to work at one time. The machine shop's capacity will be about 8 or 9.

In his laboratory "Labor but shop" Dean Miller said, "Many p shop work is engineer and to things w after le in the s is for t theory i the stud tice for crues rea to the \$a, ery was, very me, sory me, ad momee, others, V-Prof of self things alpm tory, a charge

LAST GRID TIL TECH FIELD WILL DECIDE CHAMP

SCHOOL SPIRIT IS HIGH ENGINEERS MEET LIBERAL ARTS TEAM

Station DOPE broadcasting! This will be a real classic Saturday afternoon when the Engineer and Liberal Arts grid teams clash in the game which will decide the champion for intramural football in Tech this year.

Much interest has been aroused in intramural athletics since the game between the Argies and Engineers two weeks ago. In this contest the Argies nosed out ahead but the English under the direction of Prof. Stang put up a real battle.

This game gave the Engineers some experience that will be of great help to them in the coming game with the team from the College of Liberal Arts. This slight advantage is balanced by superior weight of the Liberal Arts aggregation.

Coach Lyle of the Liberal Arts is optimistic as to the outcome of the game and he has impressed it upon the men from the start that he is going into the game with the intention of winning. His spirit has been transmitted to his players and not a man on his team has any doubts as to the outcome of the game.

In Doug Smythe, Coach Lyle has an able field general and an expert passer. Although Smythe has been injured in practice he will probably be in shape by the date of the game. In the backfield Mr. Lyle has Edmunds, Christian, Lockhart, Alexander, Norman and Owens. These men are fast and heavy and are expected to show up well against the Engineers.

Moore and Waller are competing for the center position. At guard Marshall and Fagan are towers of strength. Carmichael and Langford are also in line for its position. There is much competition for the tackle position. The Engineers have Fred, Pariah and Smith. In scrimmages the Engineers have exhibited marked ability on the offense.

The attitude of the Liberal Arts team is commendable. They are strong on sportsmanship but they are equally as strong on fight and determination to win.

In Ted Sams, half, the Engineers have by far the fastest man they will go on the field Saturday. Sams starred for his team in the Aggie game and is expected to cause much trouble for the Liberal Arts in the coming tilt.

The Engineers' backs are led by Jess Holler, who proved his worth as a field general in the Aggie engagement. Sams and Holler will be assisted in the back field by Chas. Woolbridge, Little Aitch, Bergfeld and Pettit. These men showed great offensive ability in the game with the Argies and their coach has been giving them special training in defensive work for the past two weeks.

For centers the Engineers have Craver and Reese. Reese played in the other game and showed up well.

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TECH AND CONFERENCE

By J. W. Jackson
This past week has witnessed the naming of All-American, All-Southwest Conference, All-Texas Conference, All-T. I. A. A. mythical elevens. Even the little Junior Colleges are coming in for their share of praise in placing men on the Conference teams. Many students wonder why Tech does not place at least 2 or 3 men. Tech is known in every other way. And it is an undisputed fact that Tech had the best non-conference team in the entire Southwest. The answer is that Tech is known as an out-law college and no player will ever be recognized as such as long as Tech is not a member of a Conference. Just or unjust as it may seem it is true nevertheless and will continue all the time comes when we join some Conference, or else gain national fame as Notre Dame has. And then there is a whispered suspicion that ineligible men are being played, as there are no Conference rules to prevent.

Would it be wise to enter the Southwestern Conference even if we could; is a question that we often hear. The writer thinks not. For the reason that we could not furnish the crowds here in Lubbock at the present time. Lubbock at this time is not large enough to furnish a sport-loving population that would justify bringing in of teams that have the prestige of the greater institutions.

Well, what about A. & M. you ask. That college is located in a town much smaller than Lubbock. That is all true, we will admit. But does Tech have thousands of Alumni? Does as many as 30,000 fans attend Tech games? Do as many 15 or 20 special trains run to see Tech and State play on Thanksgiving? Is Tech located in an old and thickly settled part of the state as A. & M. is? These questions answer themselves. Arkansas this year was able to get but one Conference game, simply because gate receipts were entirely too small to interest the big boys.

WHAT IS SCHOOL LOYALTY?

The training in college in an intellectual light is worse than worthless, it is dangerous unless character is formed beforehand, or at the same time. The college graduate is supposed to be a leader. A student is supposed to be material fit to be made into a leader. The college is founded upon that basis. In the past the leaders of the nations have come from the college for the most part. We have no doubt but that they will continue to come from the college, but as to what kind of leaders they will be depends upon which way the future leads—to interest in the frivolous, or in the serious, manly things of life. Life need not be taken from a pessimist's outlook, but at least we should know where we are going. Shall we have a little vision or shall "the blind lead the blind?"

Loyalty to the school should be something more than "yelping," however, much that may be desired at a specific time. Does your loyalty die with the football season, or the basketball season, or the baseball season? Or are you loyal to the SCHOOL and all it stands for, including its ideals and morals?

COLLEGE, AN ADVENTURE

There is often heard from people who have never been to college that a college education fits one for nothing in particular, and unfits one for anything in general. These people are wrong, as they know. There is a class of students who are fit for nothing, and unfitted for everything, but the college is a feature of classes of men

and women in college as there are classes in everyday life. Bismark is credited as saying, in speaking to students of the German University, as follows:

"One-third of the students of German University ruin themselves by dissipation; one-third ruin themselves by overwork, and the remaining third rule the Empire."

A career is never a success unless it is more or less balanced. A good time now and then, recreation, cultural leisure, are important to the life of every individual; yet because it is a good thing it should not be overdone. Life is not always play. A young man is fooling himself if he thinks he can put off the cares and work of the present until a late age. Some of it must come now while he is young just as some joy must come in late life. On the other hand, a successful life must not be all work. There are limitations to the amount of work which a certain individual can do without recreation of some kind.

College is an adventure but not an adventure entirely of pleasure; not an adventure of work only. Success will attend the career of the college student to the degree in which he accepts this. One must be willing to accept responsibility, and again he must be willing to stop for a moment to see a show, a game, or to admire a painting. This mingling of work and pleasure is an indication of character.

MY PROFESSION—THE BEST

We like to hear a man say his profession is the best. It shows his self-confidence—his faith in his work. Without such a belief he would accomplish very little. We like to hear a man say his profession is the best—for him!

We like to hear a man say his profession is the best if it is in the right spirit, if he realizes his dependence upon other professions, if he can see the beauty and the value of other people's work. We like to hear an engineer call his profession the best if at the same time he can see the beauty of a playwright's masterpiece, the farmer's flock of chickens, or his herd of hogs. If he can appreciate the earnest efforts of the painter, the carpenter, the school teacher, the banker, the merchant, and all the others; he is fit to be an engineer, and we are glad to hear him say that engineering is the greatest profession in the world.

The same can be said of the agriculturist. If at the same time he thrills with the wonderful possibilities of modern agriculture, beautiful country homes, rural schools, rural churches, pure-bred livestock; he can admire with an equal glow of pride the beauty of a great bridge spanning a great gulf, of a great ship plying the ocean, of huge locomotives pulling enormous trains of freight; if he can enter into the spirit of a beautiful poem and realize its worth, if he can appreciate the contributions of chemistry, physics, of journalism; he is fit to be an agriculturist.

Without this appreciation, the college student is a failure and the college courses have failed of their purpose, so far as he is concerned, be he an engineer, an agriculturist, a teacher, lawyer, doctor, or what not!

"KNOWLEDGE COMES"

Knowledge comes, but wisdom lingers." A few more weeks and it's over. What have you accomplished? What has college done for you, or rather what have you done for yourself? Have you had a good time at working, or just a good time? We pay for both. Which have you had?

Theodore Roosevelt in a speech to students of Occidental College, Los Angeles, said:

"Nothing worth having normally comes unless there is willingness to pay for it; and perhaps the highest good that comes from training of the kind which you get in school or college is not merely training of the body, not merely training of the mind, but the training of what counts for more than body, more than mind—the training of character."

The two ways of giving you the knowledge (so that you may see what are the important and what the unimportant things), and of giving you the type of soul which will make you willing to strive and to pay the necessary penalty for acquiring the things that are really worth while."

I do not at the moment remember any man or any woman whose life has been entirely easy, and who has at the same time led a life that under conceivable conditions I would have been willing to lead."

Fine Arts Dept. To Give Concert In Plains Towns

A number of people in the fine arts department of the Tech will give a concert at several of the neighboring towns in the near future, according to Miss Ruth Pirtle, head of the public-speaking department. A program consisting of violin solos, readings, piano solos and a one-act play will be given at Ropesville Friday night under the auspices of the Women's club at that place. The same program is to be given at Levelland on Friday night, December 10, under the auspices of the Civics Club.

Val: Included in the group will be Miss Ruth Pirtle, reader, Miss Annis Owens, violinist, Miss Mary Hope Westbrook, accompanist, and several members of the Sock and Buskin Club. An outline of the program to be given at the several places appears below:

- Variations on Theme by Corelli (Tartini Kreider)—Miss Owens
- Romance (Linderman)—Miss Pirtle
- Indian Snake Dance (Burleigh)—Miss Owens
- Mighty Lak' a Rose (Nevin-Hartman)—Miss Pirtle
- (Violin accompaniment by Miss Owens)
- Scottische Rhapsody (Carl Venh)—Miss Owens
- (a) The Dyspeptic (Anonymous)
- (b) The Educated Professor (Waterman)—Miss Pirtle
- Long Ago (McDowell)
- La Media Noche (Aviles Stoessel)—Miss Owens
- The Music Lesson (Phelps)—Miss Pirtle
- Piano Solo—Mary Hope Westbrook
- One-act play "The Stranger"—Miss Owens, Pirtle and C. W. Ratliff.

LAST GRID TILT

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ends Sparks and B. Atchison will be found, and in Lemmons and McWilliams they will find able relief in case E is necessary. Kerr, Candler, Graham and Alexander are candidates for the tackle positions and Reeder, Sims, Branch and Whittington will probably all play in the guard positions during the game.

Prof. Edgar Shelton is coach for the Engineering aggregation and he has enough confidence in his team to make up for any lack of confidence on the part of the individual players. Coach Shelton is sure that he has a team that will be hard for the Liberal Artists to handle.

INTRAMURAL INTERVIEWS

It is evident that intramural football is the one thing that is of universal interest to the student body at the present time. Everybody is "hot up" over the coming game which will decide the intramural championship for the season. Even the co-eds are interested in spite of the fact that their pet grid stars are not to be allowed to take part.

These one minute interviews give the popular attitude of the students toward the approaching grid tilt.

"Red" Carpenter, Captain of the Varsity, said: "I referred the game between the engineers and the Aggies and I was surprised at the amount of football the boys played. I did not think that men who had trained as little as they had could put up such a fight. It was a good game and I expect the game Saturday will be even better."

Jess Holler, engineer quarterback, said: "Our men have had a little more practice than the Liberal Arts team but their men are a little heavier. This, I believe, makes it about an even break, and I am sure that it will be a real battle."

Upon being asked which team she is for, Estelle Hutto very promptly gave her very positive answer in the form of a question. It was, "Which team is Percy Walker playing on?"

Hutto's answer would probably be voiced by other of our fair co-eds.

Jimmie Biggers, an engineer from a way back, is already offering odds. He says that the Liberal Artists should win because they have the larger school. We hope that the members of the engineer's team do not take his skepticism because we want to see a real game. We are sure that the other Engineers do not feel this way. Jimmie is just fixing it so that he can say, "I told you so," either way the game may go.

Billie Elliott worked in his usual

conservative manner. "Darned if I know who will win."

Mildred Batin shared Billie's view but as she was feeling natural she said, "Good Land! I don't know."

One Engineer said, "Oh, eh! Do not judge the entire Engineering school by these few who engage in those nasty football games. They represent the rougher element of our school. There are many of us who do not even sanction such things, much less engage in them."

Jeff Christian, Liberal Arts half (the boy who was with Edna Yonge the other night) remarked, "Ted Sims is too good a man to be an Engineer. He is too good a football player and too good a man to have taken up the study of Engineering voluntarily. Someone exerted evil influence over the boy during the early days of his college career."

"Sparky" (his real name is Leon Sparks) Engineer end, has secured the hat that was made immortal in the Aggie-Engineer game and has expressed his intention to wear it in the coming engagement.

Former Tech Co-Ed Hurt In Accident

Miss Margaret Smith, daughter of J. O. Smith of Lubbock, and popular Tech co-ed last year, is reported to be in a serious condition in a hospital at Austin as a result of injuries received in a car wreck on Thanksgiving Day. The last reports states that Miss Smith has a broken vertebra in her neck, and that hospital reports indicated that her condition was serious. Miss Smith was popular among the co-eds of the Tech campus last year, having come to Lubbock from Wichita Falls. She transferred to State University at the beginning of the school year, where she was a student at the time of the accident.

Successful Tennis Teams Of Last Year Are Ready To Train

Texas Tech had a splendid tennis squad the past season while under an able coach, Dr. Flanigan the coach last year is unable to be with us this year, but Coach Freeland who took the initiative power in establishing last year's squad is even more enthusiastic this year. Entries in the sport were of good quality and some commendable work was done.

The cup won by the doubles team in the Great Plains meet was the first trophy to be won by an athletic team of Texas Tech. The Great Plains meet included schools from Texas, New Mexico, and Oklahoma and the team from Tech that won the trophy last year, intend to win the two succeeding years and make the cup our permanent property.

Coach Freeland says that this will be a good year for tennis in Tech, and with the athletic council behind the squad much is expected in that field. Last year's squad was composed of Boyd and Hemphill, doubles; Lahn and Dow, singles. All of these men are back this year.

North Panhandle Club Organized Friday Night

The North Panhandle club held its first meeting last Friday night. Some steps in the organization were taken at that time. Pope Giber, Spearman, was elected president, Juanita Harty Spearman, vice-president, Thelma Ann Gill, Miami, sec., and Arvord Abernathy, Canadian, reporter. A meeting will be held tonight in room 209 at 7:30. Everyone living north of Amarillo is urged to be present. Students from Pampa, Panhandle, Delhart and Deer, Dumas, Channing, Delhart and other towns in that section are especially invited. The organization will be completed tonight. This is a live organization for social purposes and to let the people in the north panhandle know what is going on in Tech.

Advance Music Classes To Present Own Compositions

Professor Wagborne's advanced classes in music composed of Misses Jane Mast, Josephine McBride, and Mrs. Fern Cone, has been doing some excellent work in composition this term, according to Mr. Wagborne. They have several compositions to their credit, including songs, and piano solos. At the present time they are engaged in setting to music the old Jewish hymn, "Dies Irae," a hymn of the last judgment. They are working out the parts for voices, and also the piano accompaniment. It is the plan of Prof. Wagborne to present these young ladies in a recital in the near future, using only their own compositions.

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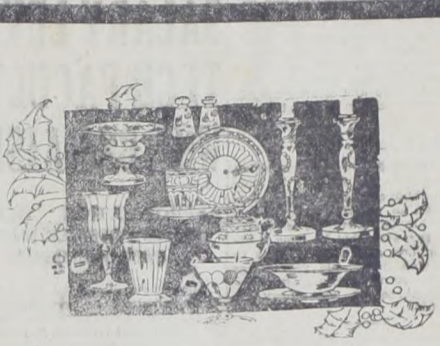
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out in the canyon and rounded up the birds.

Well I bet you can't guess what happened to those snips. They got lost and couldn't find their way back to me and so they just give up and went home. I stayed out there two or three hours and decided something must have happened to the snips and so I went home. It was about one o'clock A. M. when I got back to my house. I found out afterward about the snips getting lost. They found a whole bunch of snipe but couldn't sack them and they didn't have any sack along to put them in. We are thinking of going again soon. Those snips sure was silly getting lost that way.

Well there ain't much to tell so will close.

Sincerely your friend, JIM BOLDT. P. S. I still have your picture. Floyd Woolbridge says: "A girl often speaks without thinking, but never thinks without speaking." Co.—Her father kept a saloon. Co. 2—Is her family as old as that?

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Lubbock's Little Theater Opens Its 1926-27 Season in Blaze of Triumph; "Clarence" Acclaimed by Good Crowd

Lubbock's Little Theatre has come back into its own! After a six months interim of inactivity following a most successful first season last year, the Little Theatre organization here launched into its second playing season at the Palace theatre last night with a most successful presentation of "Clarence". Booth Tarkington's four act comedy, and the six hundred patrons who crowded the lower floor of the auditorium saw the beginning of what seems destined to be a bigger and better year than was 1925-26. Ten players, all of whom were appearing for the first time under Little Theatre colors in Lubbock, made up the cast, which, under the most able direction of Miss Ruth Pirtle, head of the dramatic department at Texas Tech, brought home to its audience that there is plenty of stage talent in the city. Lead by Dr. George G. Ingham, in the title role, the presentation went off practically without a hitch.

Miss Wiles Real "Find" The work of Miss Thekla Wiles, Tech junior, who played the part of "Cora Wheeler", stood out most appreciably. Miss Wiles threw her native talent—and she has an abundance of it—into her role and completely surpassed the pre-showing reports of her ability. To say that Miss Wiles established herself in the hearts of the audience is to say that she more than lived up to advance reports that she would be the season's "find" in amateur dramatics here. Carrying the most difficult role in the cast Doctor Ingham brought laugh after laugh from his listeners and won for himself an enviable reputation which will probably call for his reappearance as a member of future casts here this year.

Miss Mable Jane Witt, as "Violet Pinney", also played to good advantage. Perfectly at home on the stage Miss Witt, who is a dramatic instructor at the college, portrayed her character with a grace and ease which promises more outstanding work in the future.

Mrs. Sears' Work Excellent Mrs. Ona Sears, playing the part of "Mrs. Wheeler", again proved to Lubbock that hers is a talent most extraordinary. Mrs. Sears has appeared as a reader on several occasions but last night was her first introduction to a Lubbock audience from across the footlights. Her technique was outstanding and her calm demeanor served to steady other members of the cast. Prof. Gus Ford, of the history department of the Tech, in the part of "Mr. Wheeler", was also very good. His previous successes in the dramatic circles of the Southern Methodist university were certainly equalled in his work in "Clarence".

Supporting Cast Praised One outstanding feature of the play was the work of Clarence Rollo, Tech collegian, who has yet to reach his majority. This youngster took the juvenile part of "Bobby Wheeler" and transformed it, with his personality, into a "feeder part", the one of the most enjoyable of the cast. Further successes are certainly expected from him ere the 1926-27 season has seen its final curtain call.

Dr. Sam Dunn, Miss Bertha Eubanks, John Burroughs and Miss Marguerite Bennett, in supporting roles, carried their parts well to assure the absolute success of the production. Dr. Dunn played the part of "Mr. Hubert Stem", Miss Bennett of "Mrs. Martyn", Miss Eubanks of "Della" and Mr. Burroughs of "Dinwiddie". Following the last curtain Miss Pirtle expressed the opinion of the audience when she remarked that without the good support of the minor characters the principals would have been powerless to have made the play the success that it unquestionably was.

properties; Miss Mary Meador, head of the publicity committee, and Mrs. M. L. Price, who had charge of costumes, should all be given their share of praise. Mrs. J. H. Hankins, president of the Little Theatre, said Harry Meyers, J. B. Mosby and Mrs. Sullivan, who aided in making up the characters, were also accredited with being potent factors in the production. The next presentation of the Little Theatre will be "The Goose Hangs High" which will come in late January. Miss Pirtle will also have that production in charge.

The opening curtain went up just two minutes behind the scheduled time of 8:15 o'clock and the short intermissions between acts established a record for amateur theatricals in Lubbock An orchestra, led by Mrs. Frank Barclay, pianist, and composed of Misses Blanche Fann, Ruth Johnson, Doyle Blankenship, Audie Thornhill, and Bonnie Shepherd, and Frank Fletcher, played prior to the opening of the play and between the acts. It was very well received.

Musical Program At Home Ec Club

The Home Economics club met in regular session Friday afternoon at the cafeteria. A very enjoyable musical program was rendered. A feature of the program was a demonstration, by Mrs. Pentecost, on the use of Dennison's crepe paper for the use of Christmas favors, flowers, wax work, etc.

Miss Erwin gave a very interesting talk on "Vocation of Home Economics" which was a result of her trip to El Paso.

The Home Economics club is sponsoring a Christmas sale to be given just before the Christmas holidays. Food, candy, handkerchiefs, bookends, scarves, and various things made by the Home Economics girls in their various lines of works during the term will be on sale at this time. Money made from this sale will be put in the Loan Fund.

The Home Economics club has been one of the most progressive clubs on the campus for the past year and now plans are being made every day to carry the club to a still higher degree.

Pre-Laws Organize; Carter President

Dr. W. A. Jackson, head of the government department, together with A. C. Pender, who were organizers for the pre-law, finished organization of that group Tuesday night, and the club is now a reality. Officers were selected. Constitution and by-laws accepted and committee plans were drawn for a busy year's work.

Officers elected were: Guy R. Carter, president; Truitt Smith, vice-president; Kenneth Hemphill, parliamentarian; Wilburn Eddleman, sec-treas; J. W. Jackson, reporter.

Opponents in the race for the presidency indicated that Carter won because of a bunch of fish members thought that Amon G. Carter was the candidate. Likewise Hemphill was elected in order that he have a chance to prove his ability at parliamentary law. He was parliamentarian of the Press club last year and had but one chance to settle dispute and it was answered before he could make a word.

But if these young lions act similar to the elder brothers in the senate, the Hon. Hemphill will have to digest all of the parliamentary law that the library has at its disposal, in order that peace may reign.

A committee of T. M. Daniel, Truitt Smith and Kenneth Hemphill was appointed to see all pre-laws encouraging them to become members and incidentally to collect 50c initiation fee, and 50c fee for annual dues.

And likewise a committee appointed, consisting of Gordon Treadway, Lillard Pass and Alfred Bingham to arrange a series of programs to be given before the club for the ensuing year.

On account of the near approaching period of exams, the club will meet next Thursday night, December 9, for the last time this term and for the first and third Tuesdays thereafter. So if you desire to enter the club, meet next Thursday night, December 9, in room 221 at 7 o'clock for a good and interesting program. Forty-five students (including two young ladies) are eligible.

Grand Champions Adorn Classroom

A short time ago a noticeable change was made in the appearance of the offices of the head of the animal husbandry department and in the animal husbandry classroom. The once bare walls of these rooms are now adorned by numerous pictures of the grand champions of many of the breeds of livestock.

These pictures have been selected and gathered by Professor W. L. Stangel, head of the Animal Husbandry department, and they represent the best models of the various types of the different breeds of livestock. They will be used for class instruction in order that the student may get firmly in mind the types of the different breeds of livestock that have been found to be the most economical.

"Thomas," said the teacher, "how many times must I tell you not to snap your fingers! Put your hands down and presently I'll hear from you."

"Five minutes late she said, 'Now, then, Thomas, what was it you wanted to say?'"

"There's a man in the entry a while ago," said Thomas solemnly, "and he went out with your new silk umbrella."

Famous sayings on the campus:
I'll slap your silly face.
Isn't that disgusting?
I hope I don't get bad.
Did you say—er—onflagration?
Hold-er-Hilda!!!

WOOLDRIDGE VOTED MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

Floyd Wooldrige, a sophomore from Dallas, who has played his second year with the Matadors was chosen the most valuable player on the Tech eleven by the fans and students in the contest, promoted by Anderson Brothers, Jewelers, which closed Saturday, November 27th at 6 p. m.

Wooldrige has not been a flash in a few of the games but has been a constant, hard-hitting, well trained player. His first chance was given him in the third game of last year and there he proved a valuable man by running sixty-five yards to make a touchdown from a punt. He has made several other runs similar to that one but has become famous, not for that kind of a game, but for playing a good hard game all the time. Hill was a close second, and Walker was voted third.

Wooldrige will be presented with the trophy, a silver figure holding a wreath of victory on high which will be mounted on a bronze base as soon as it has been engraved.

DOAK HALL

Coaches Walker, Calloway, Reed and Wooldrige are installing some football knowledge in the Doak Hall dimes. It is rumored that there are more coaches than players and that football games are played without a quarterback, but listen, we'll come out of it boy! Just wait'll that game comes off with College Inn Saturday week.

Mart is suffering from a badly sprained wrist due to football practice. Here's hoping she survives to play in the big game.

Two new girls are gracing the halls of the "Dorm." They are Josephine Payne and Josephine Lipscomb—Hooray for Santa Claus.

Beth Shannon again wants her name in the Foreador. I'll say she has high and mighty aspirations. But honest, she's there when it comes to playing football. Just ask Katy MacFarlane, she's chief line quarterback and will say she makes the touchdowns "Just like my Bill (if you know what I mean)"

We sure had a big blow-out and filling up Monday night. Eleanor's birthday began the next day. We had cake with candles. I've forgotten how many, and banana nut ice cream and believe me, the girls sure made a happy gab for it. P. D. Q. We all hope that Eleanor will have many birthdays and not get any older.

Doak Hall has a new song, beginning "Way down yonder, not far off," just ask Orval Burrough how he likes it.

Famous sayings by Famous People:
I'm just too timid!—Willie Mae.
"He's jus' darlin'!"—Margaret.
"I smell shoe-polish!"—Elizabeth.
"Me too!"—Luella.
"Heck no,"—Grace.
"I didn't feel inclined,"—Claudine.
"Yes, Precious,"—Kate.
"Hello Archie,"—All of us.
"Don't be silly!"—Jo.

Valued Male Birds Bought By College

Recent purchases of livestock by the Animal Husbandry Department included eight Banded Plymouth Rock cockerels from G. L. Crawford of College Station, Texas, and six pedigreed White Leghorn Cockerels from the Texas A and M college. The White Leghorn males are valued at \$50.00 and are excellent birds.

The 100 pullets of each of the three breeds, White Leghorn, Banded Plymouth Rock and Rhode Island Red, purchased last Spring are doing nicely and operations are being devoted to preparations for the coming breeding season which will open soon after the first of the year.

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The Florida beach and the blue sea looked inviting to the tourist from the North, but before venturing out to swim he thought to make sure.

"You're certain there are no alligators here?" he inquired of the guide.

"No, suh," replied that functionary, grinning broadly. "Ain' no 'gators hyah."

Reassured, the tourist started out. As the water lapped down about his chest he called back.

"What makes you so sure there aren't any alligators?"

"They's got too many alligators," he replied, "they's skinned dem all away."

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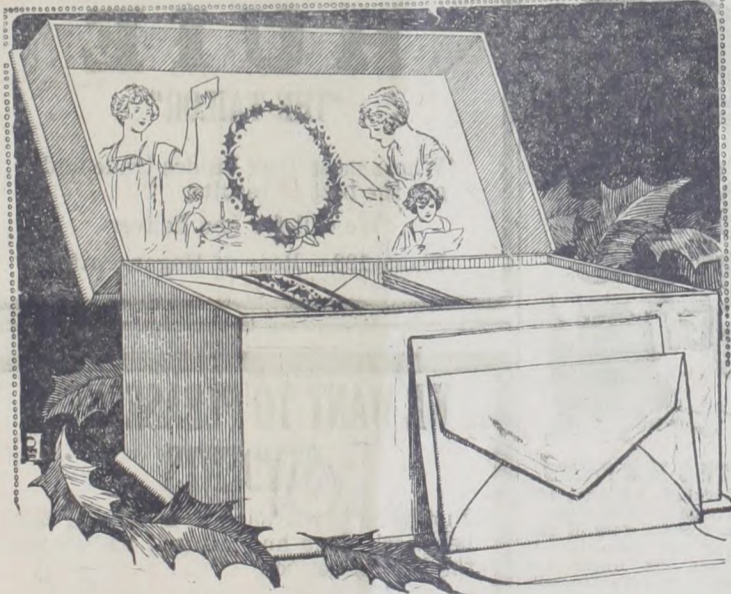
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TECH CONCERT BAND RECEIVES TELEGRAMS FROM SIXTEEN STATES AS RESULT OF RADIO PROGRAM

The Tech concert band has made remarkable strides in development this year and has a past record and future possibilities second to no other student organization.

Three days prior to the opening of school, a training camp was held for the band. A full six hours were spent in practice each day. Since that time, Mr. LeMaire has been giving private instructions and classes each day from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. with two evening rehearsals of the entire band each week. All these instructions are free to the students who wish to take advantage of them.

The band had 94 applicants try out before the Tech-T. C. U. football game and eighty were chosen to make the trip. They led the parade from the Santa Fe station up town past the Texas Hotel and to the Star-Telegram building. They played a short concert at noon in the lobby of the hotel, played at the game in the afternoon and broadcast from WBAP, Star-Telegram station, in the evening from eight-thirty until eleven o'clock. The band was at its best in Fort Worth and received a great applause from the

people of Fort Worth and a shower of messages from the radio program.

One hundred and three messages were received from the radio program. These messages came from sixteen states, Canada, Mexico City, and Havana, Cuba. Texas led with thirty-one telegrams and messages, Massachusetts was next with sixteen, New York contributed ten and seven were received from different parts of Canada. La Palma was the most popular selection. The saxophone band of sixteen pieces also received mention from a goodly number of people.

The band is specializing concert work and will give a large number of out of town programs during the remainder of the school year and a tour is being planned for the spring term.

A large Saxophone band, a Saxophone Sextette, and other combinations will give a variety of numbers for a high class and interesting program. The design for the band uniform is Spanish, carrying out the Spanish idea, accepted by the school generally. It is hoped that plans will be made in the near future whereby the band may have their uniforms during the winter term. Any suggestions or help in this matter will be appreciated by the band management.

A Symphony Orchestra will make its appearance, under the direction of Mr. LeMaire, during the winter term and will co-operate with the band during the remainder of the year.

The Tech sent a band of eighty pieces to Fort Worth for the T. C. U. Tech game. The band led the parades in Fort Worth in the morning, played in the lobby of the Texas Hotel at noon, played at the game in the afternoon and broadcast over WBAP, Fort Worth Star-Telegram station in the evening.

RELIGIOUS LIFE AT TECH IS TALKED AT MEETING

"Any further expression of religious influence of the student life on the campus of our Tech must now come from the students themselves," Dr. Horn stated Wednesday to a group of students and members of the faculty who met in his office for a discussion of the religious element of campus life. Representatives, both students and faculty members, from the churches of the city were present at the meeting, as those individuals whose interest in religious work in the city has been somewhat average.

The first item for the "round-table" discussion was with regard to the religious atmosphere of the college; and from expressions of opinion, taken from those present, it was found that the religious element is somewhat lacking at Tech, on the campus itself and that while the number of those who attend the churches of the city is encouraging, and there are a large number of students who are taking a very active part in religious work, both in Sunday school, churches and young people's organizations, there is a large percentage of the student body which takes no manifest interest in religious activities.

In the survey of approximate attendance upon church of Tech students, it was estimated that between five hundred fifty and six hundred is the average number. This is only an approximate third of the entire enrollment, but it is a good showing due to the fact that attendance is no always regular.

It was developed further that the lack of stronger religious influence was due to two features upon the part of the students: first, that students, being away from home, did not feel their responsibility to the church; and second, that they were inclined to shift the leadership to some one else; and it is upon these items, responsibility, and leadership, that the campus religion depends, in a large part. While denominational meetings fill their place, Dr. Horn stated, there is need of some large organization which would reach more than one such denomination; and any such work must be a students' Christian work of some nature, which would bring religious sentiment to the Campus—some federation to make fight for religious cause, in toto.

At an early time, there will likely be developed a system, if so wanted by the students, whereby a small group may be given such work by members of the faculty, on the theory that groups will form themselves for lines in which the individuals are interested. Dr. Horn made the announcement at the close of the meeting that on Dec. 8 and 9, Mr. Nelson, who is the State secretary of the Y. M. C. A., will be at Tech; and if, at that time the reorganization of the Y at Tech is desired, such action has Dr. Horn's approval.

COLLEGE INN

As sleeping looking fair damsel walked drowsily down the hall, 'Twas five a. m. Three college professors had been so kind as to give exams all the same day. Of course the students young freshman intended making A's—the reason for such early rising. There was not a sound in the house except her gentle treading down the hall. She paused, yawned, leaned drowsily against the opposite wall, and fell asleep.

Suddenly a flash, a crash, a scream. Someone had her around the knees and down they both went to the floor. "Help! Help! Help!" screamed the victim. Both girls awoke with a start. It was only Purney dreaming she was playing football.

Saturday night, 11 o'clock. Everyone in 11:05 everybody in bed, 11:30 everyone asleep. That is most everyone. All but just a few, and those few were assembled together in a certain little room on second floor. There was a gentle candle light burning. A sumptuous feast was spread on the bed. All were participating. Over in one corner a very interesting bridge game was going on. In another the girls were telling of their latest crushes, etc., as girls will do.

One o'clock, 2 o'clock. What's that —music—a serenade. What could be more perfect on such a romantic, moonlight night than this. 2:30. The serenaders gone, but not forgotten. 3:00 dark, dreary, figures, slowly made their way to their respective rooms but, Oh, what a hite.

Oh! What a sensation it is to be called down in the parlor on date night, when you don't have a date, and find it is only the tailor or laundryman waiting for you.

Rooms in the dormitory are looking much better of late. One reason is a contest between the room-mates to see which can keep the cleanest rooms. Another—the rooms are much more life like than they used to be, due to the fact Daniel's Studio is taking pictures for the annual. In some cases a new photo is added almost every week-end.

The mighty Matadors will clash Saturday afternoon in their first game of the season. The team is in excellent condition. They have been working hard workouts for quite a while. Lucile Davis has a cinch on fullback, while Stella Mae Lanham has a good chance at halfback, as she is half as large as Lucile and Edna stands an excellent chance as quarter back, as she is half as large as Stella Mae and a fourth as large as Lucile.

In the line Estelle plays push-back. A member of the other line never gets through our mighty line with Estelle pushing with all her might. Vera isn't half bad playing drawback, she draws them all together and Anna Belle is right there when it comes to hold-back as she can hold them all. Two other stars in the line are Chlo Veau, Lindley who plays greenback and Lois Maddox who starts at pullback. In pointing out hunchback, Purney Booth, just as he beats? Elms Booth is right there when it comes to kicking, having had good practice in her earlier days playing "kick the can." Emma plays wayback but there is a reason for when she gets that ball she's bound for a touchdown. With this powerful team who have been working together for three days the opponent crowd that ever witnessed a game at Texas Tech is expected on the gridiron Saturday afternoon.

A line up of the College 'm team is given below as coming from official sources:

- Fullback, Lucile Davis; Halfback, Stella Mae Lanham; Quarterback, Edna Young; Pushback, Estelle Booth; Greenback, Chlo Veau Lindley; Hunchback, Purney Booth; Drawback, Vera McKay; Pullback, Lois Maddox; Wayback, Emma Fadel; Comeback, Bols Snead; Holdback, Anna Belle Collins.

SEVEN LETTER MEN BUCK FOR CAGE SEASON

As the time is fast approaching for the call of the thinly clad to the floor again prospects loom brighter than last year for a winning Matador basketball team and the coaches are very optimistic concerning the season. With seven of the lettermen of the squad of last season returning and with a wealth of new men to come out for the team, the coaches will again be confronted with the problem of choosing from approximately 80 men for a quintet. Fully that many men have stated that they are going to report for practice when the first call is made.

The new gym is expected to be completed by the first of the year and workouts will start soon after the holidays, the coaches announced this week. The same plan of last year, two separate workouts and squads, will likely be used again this year.

"It'll be a tight fight," Coach Grady Higginbotham stated Wednesday, in speaking of the try outs for the team in the early part of the season. The seven lettermen who are to again report are: centers, Dean and Hemphill; forwards, Hunter, Walker and Reeves; and guards, Inzant and White, captain. Each man showed wonderful form last year and will be in there fighting for their old positions.

In the competition also, will be Al Jennings, stellar man of the John Tarleton squad for three years his running mate, Buck Weaver, Ironhead Hamilton from North Texas agricultural college, M. Kuyler of Stratford, Doug Smythe, stellar performer of Western state college in Colorado, Edmunds of Spur, Doc Barfoot of Athens and scores of other men who were star players on their high school teams.

The coaches are busying themselves, at present with schedules. A trip will be made to Dallas by the coaches the latter part of the week to arrange all schedules and it is likely that a week's trip will be made in that direction by the team this year. A larger number of games will be played this year than last and it is likely that faster company will be met.

W. A. A. To Open Xmas Parties-Dances

The Women's Athletic association is planning to open the Christmas rush of parties and dances with a club party to be given in room 305 on Thursday, Dec. 9.

Just before the party a business meeting will be held. All officers and managers are urged to be present. Up until this time tennis and hiking have been the most progressive sports. At this meeting various sports for the winter term will be talked over and planned so that work may begin immediately after the holidays. All interested in any sport are requested to be present at this meeting.

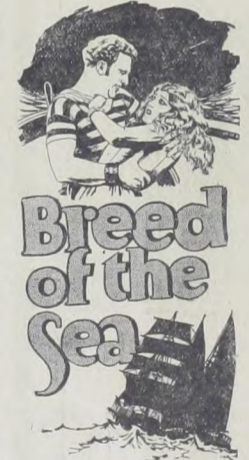
There will be two hikes scheduled for December. A notice will be placed on the bulletin board noting the time.

Last year W. A. A. had perhaps the largest membership of any club in school. Four girls from this organization won sweaters, it is especially desirable to have all girls interested in this kind of work to be present at this meeting on Dec. 9, and all W. A. A. girls are cordially invited to the party given on that date.

FIGHTERS TO MEET

The regular bi-monthly meeting of the boxing club will be held in room 314 of the Administration building, Monday, December 6. All members should be present as there is important business to transact. All students who have made application for membership should be present at this time. T. J. PETTIT, Pres. WALTER SCHENK, Sec.

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