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## **SENIOR EDITION**

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commencement address given by Judge Royall R. of Dallas. He is judge 85th District Civil Court formerly a member of rd of Regents for several e was appointed to suc-father, who was also a for several years.

Watkins is a prominent awyer and jurist, as well donaire. He is one of the

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OF 1931 SENIOR CLASS.

mer of 1931 is the largest in the history of the institution. The number of students receiving history of the institution. The number of students receiving degrees at the close of the sum-mer session, 1930, was 1965. The number receiving degrees at the close of the summer session, 1931, is 185, an increase of 1-1 most 100 per cent. The total graduates for 1931 including the June class is 250.

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## Stock Judging Class Visits

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## To Speak Here

The Reverand Guy H. Watson, of Nacogdoches. Texas, former student of East Texas State Teriphers' College, and at the present at Presiding Elder of the Methodist Church, will deliver the commencement sermon at

## PHOTOS GIVEN TO

graduates of the East 1923.
State Teachers' College Demonstration High School thas been domated to the college by A. M. Howse and Son, Photographers.
The picture now hauge in the hall on the first floor of the

## Fort Worth Bernon Stephens Vice-President



## Is Expected To Attend Reception

o'clock p. m. and remen erybody be there.

### High School Diplomas

The following is a list of the students graduating from the High School Department of the Past Texas State Texas Inc. School See Administration Scho

## Class Increases 100 Per Cent Over '30 Class

Frank Morgan Senior Class President



The East Texas State Teachers' College will have the largest graduating class at the close of the summer session this summer

graduating class at the close of the summer season this summer in the history of the Institution. There are all present 187 candi-The enrollment at the college during the summer has been the largest in the history of the Institution, Dr. S. W. Whittley, president, said. There were en-rolled in the college 2,779 stud-ents in the demonstration school, which makes a grade or colond, which makes a grade or the college for the summer ses-sion.

The class candidates for de-

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### The East Texan

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#### BETTER INSTRUCTORS

In Texas, as elsewhere, mechanical efficiency has been stressed to the neglect of pupil efficiency and how to get it. More and better buildings, more and larger gymna-siums, more and better swimming pools, bigger audito-riums, and more athletics are the demands of school administrators, and these are necessary to take care of increased enrollment and higher educational standa demanded by the public. But these things overshadow the demanded by the public, but these things oversmane the most important equipment of all, the efficient teacher and her salary. The public strongh its administration is deaf to teacher equipment and a twing wage for her. There is also futtle imagin or not an a reactor personality, little investigation is made not to be ideal. The ideals of the teacher are the ideals of the student body.

teacher are the ideals of the student body.
When I sent my child to school my first concern was
the personality of the teacher. I wanted to know what her
ideals were. I wanted to know the trend of her thought,
the character of her home life, her life in society. Of
course, under the system, I could do nothing about it if
the teacher did not measure up to my desires. I could
trust to the life of his mother to lead him aright when the teacher failed.

I must not be misunderstood as saying that teachers

as a class are without ideal. On the contrary, the gr him and help put the proposition over.

#### SCHOOL SYSTEM NEEDS CHANGE

We are teachers in the public schools of Texas. The schools are what we make them. The machinery by which they are run is our inheritance. Probably the inheritance is more than worthy of us. Probably it is not. But most of us accept it as the best we can get and proceed to use it in the name of the state. Apparently we accept it as per-fect, and made by the administration at Austin, handed to us with the express understanding that no alteration to us with the express understanding that no measurements to use the mode. Believe it meets the needs of the children under the needs of the children the same great scholarship and propose that intelligence tests be given and the "dummies" be turned out of school, or sent to an institution for feeb eminded. There may be a few around that should have such attention, but the "dummies" are not as much misfits as the system is. We try to make the children fit the system when the system should be made to fit the children.

Our present system was set up in an early day by the private academy, the curriculum made by experts, and the experts continue to dominate it, though thanks to a few big thinkers and bold sociologists, we see a better day dawning. School reforms have always been left to a high-lrow warfare between compling experts, and the atternow warfare between compling experts, and the atternor warfare the complex properties.

cawning, sensor retorms have always ocen left to a nigo-brow warfare between compiling experts, and the after-math of a war is always worso than conditions before. This academic lockstep which we are keeping must be broken. The teachers of the state are the ones to break it.

#### EDUCATION DEFINED

The following definition given by John T. Medovern, manager of a Boys\* Club in New York City, is one of the best first the writer has met, and he has met with mary. But Mr. Medovern knows boys and knows the education that fits them. Here, is his definition. Apply it to the system you use and see if you are making it fit your eshool or your school fit it.

"Education is the process of exercise, discipline and storage applied both means of exercise, discipline and storage applied both means of the second with the second wi

"Mr. McGovern uses the following strong words: Process," "Exercise," "Discipline," "Storage," "Aperdica," "Discipline," "Storage," "Aperdica," "Discipline," "Storage," "Approximation of the strong o

us in the county Institute when he was State Superiniondent that a teacher is not a teacher until he has made himself useless. I was impressed with the expression and have never forgotten it. The writer of this editorial dee-not wish to be taken as a "knocker," but ne rather wish, es to be a "knocker," rather than a "blocker." He has spent many years in the Teans schools, and is deeply in-terested in their output. He has land experience in the business world, and knows something of the business world, and knows something of the business are training pure passed on the efficiency of the school as a training pure passed on the efficiency of the school as a training pure passed on the efficiency of the school as a training pure passed on the efficiency of the school as a training pure passed on the efficiency of the school as a training pure passed on the efficiency of the school as the passed of the school as a school as a school as a school as a training pure passed on the efficiency of the school as a training pure passed on the efficiency of the school as the passed on the school as a school as

### WAR IS TOO COSTLY

(Bonham News.)
An Ohio banker, I. P. Ayayrs, delares that the world
can not afford to have any more great wars. It will take
it a century to fully recover from the last one. Another
use now would mean chaos and world bankruptey. He
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the control of part of the price we are paying-and it isn't the mos

part of the price we are paying—and it isn't the most distressing part of that.

We see the long bread lines and the thousands of unemployed, but we do not see the millions of crippled men, the millions of widowed, the greater millions of that-riess children. We read to the hillions spent in the war, but we think less of the billions that make a load for the tax payer for the maintenance of the helpiess suf-ferers and the cripples the payment of doles and pensions, and the destructions of the state of the second pensions.

In America the worst is yet to come. It is the price we are to pay for war of another's making. We have learned the sail esson that we can not escape the result of the actions of others. We know now for a surety that what Europe, or India, or Africa does will affect us. We are distillusioned. The old idea that we are self-sufficient and now like he was the fearment of the sail that we are self-sufficient and now like he was of fearment of the sail that we are self-sufficient and now like he was fearment and the sail that we are self-sufficient and now like he was fearment on the sail that we are self-sufficient and now like he was fearment on the sail that we have self-sufficient and now like he was fearment of the sail that we have self-sufficient and now like he was fearment on the sail that the sail that the sail that we have sail that the s

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DR. WHITLEY TELLS—

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and it is ropes that you win awall yourselves of this oppor-awall yourselves of this oppor-ing the control of the control of the control of all the graduates of this year. In this conference it is planned for the students to return and discuss with each other the professional problems. which they have encountered during their year of work. Outside preakers of the control of th students in their first year of teaching experience after grad-uation. It is hoped that this will be the beginning of an annual students' conference which will be largely in the nature of follow-up work after graduation. For the success of this enter-Por the success of this enter-perature of the success of the success. The success of the part of the success of

Sincerely, SAM H. WHITLEY

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