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SPANISH DEPARTMENT ENLARGED

During the year 1925-1926 those students desiring to major in Spanish will be able to do so, according to Professor H. D. Phillips, head of the Department. During the previous year, because of the absence of a teacher, students were not permitted to major in Spanish.

Under the new program courses 51, 52 and 53 will be called 311, 312, and 313, and will deal with modern novels by Galdos and Blasco Ibanez; courses 411, 412, and 413 will replace present courses bearing the numbers 61, 62, and 63, and will deal with Novelas Ejemplares and Don Quixote by Cervantes. Those desiring to take these advanced courses may do so with the forty courses as prerequisites.

FITE GIVES WEEK END PARTY

Saturday evening, Miss Bill Brooks took Lois Mathis, Frankie Hyde, John Windell, and Perry Fite down into Cass county for the week end. Coach Murphy and family followed in their car. A coco cola at the end of the bad stretch of roads helped a lot toward forgetting them. There were not many bad stretches though so when the crowd reached Hughes Springs time out was taken for hamburgers and a gallon or two of water. They reached Perry's home about ten p. m. After meeting the family and resting awhile, the party raided the grape vines and watermelon patch. My but they were fine! It was nearly 1:30 before everyone had enough.

Barbara Ruth Murphy waked the girls, and Lois with the help of the piano waked the boys. Mrs. Fite served fried goat meat for breakfast and it was fine. Few of the visitors had ever tasted it. When they did it was hard to fill them up.

About 9 o'clock Perry, Lois, Audrey (a sister) Horace (a brother) Mrs. Coach and John went swimming. The others did the heavy looking on. Late in the afternoon the party went to Russell (Country) Duncan's for a watermelon spread.

Coach had to be back in the afternoon Monday so he and his family left the others as they started for a fishing trip. The party caught about one hundred pounds of fish, including Buffalo, white perch, cat, and one shovel-bill cat which weighed eleven pounds. R. C. Jernigan is mounting the head, which will be exhibited in his window.

The second party left Mrs. Fite's about five o'clock and reached Commerce about 10:30. We sure hope we shall be asked to go again.

Joe D. Ryan at State University

Joe D. Ryan, member of last year's debating team is attending the Texas University summer school, where he is specializing in public speaking. He is enjoying the summer's work very much according to a letter received here, in which he states there are over 3200 students in attendance at the University.

Among the other former students of the East Texas State Teachers College attending the State University are: Margaret McGill, John Lanthrip, J. Nelson Andrews, Mary Nelson, and B. A. Barber.

Collin-Grayson Club

The Collin-Grayson Club met Friday evening at their usual meeting place. The blue ribbon won Stunt night was disposed of by giving each member of the club a piece of it. Plans were completed for a party and ice cream supper. This event will take place Wednesday evening. There will be plenty of amusement and good music. Every teacher and student from these counties is invited. Come to the gymnasium at 6:45 o'clock. Then the group will go to the park for the fun and eats.

Pearl Hawkins visited in Charleston over the week end.

Ethel Brown visited home folks in Direct.

Training School Building to be Moved at an Early Date

The work of moving the Training School building will begin within the next thirty days. This building will be converted into a gymnasium of the best and most approved type. It has not been determined where the new addition to the College's buildings will be located. It will be rushed to completion in order to be ready for the approaching basketball season, at which time it will fill a long felt need. The plans call for a building with a seating capacity of twelve hundred; a court of regulation size, and adequate dressing and storage facilities. This is one of the most needed buildings on the campus as the Lion basketball teams have been handicapped in the past by having to train on small courts with low ceilings and when forced to play on standard sized courts are unable to compete with teams trained on such courts. The Lion team won every game on home courts last season, proving that they were capable players.

EX-STUDENTS LOAN FUND

Some years ago a friend of the institution gave five hundred dollars to establish what is known as the Ex-Students Loan Fund of the East Texas State Teachers College at Commerce, Texas. This money has been used over and over again in helping worthy young men attend the College.

The Commerce Rotary Club three or four years ago raised a loan of some six or seven hundred dollars which has also been used over and over again in helping worthy young men to attend the institution.

Other friends of the College have contributed money to the Mayo Loan Fund which likewise has been used over and over again in helping worthy men and women to attend the institution.

The President of the College receives annually hundreds of applications for loans which cannot be extended on account of the lack of funds. Many a worthy young man and woman has had to leave the college on account of not being able to borrow money to secure work by which they could defray their expenses while in attendance in college. One of the saddest occurrences is for a young man or young woman to be forced to withdraw from school because he or she is unable to borrow money or is unable to secure work in order to continue in College.

This article is written in the hope that some man or woman who has the money will secure their own consent to make a contribution to the Ex-Students Loan Fund of the College and thereby increase the ability of the college to help worthy young men and women. The college should have in this loan fund no less than ten thousand dollars. If such an amount were possible, the benefit of the loans that could be extended would be incalculable. It is to be hoped that some one interested in the cause of education and in the welfare of young people will make it possible for the loan funds of the College to be extended so that hundreds of young men and women can be assisted from year to year in securing an education.

Ralls School Gets Additional Credits

The High school division of the State Department of Education has announced that the high school at Ralls has received two units of affiliation in Spanish. This makes this school a total of fifteen and one-half units of affiliation, and its graduates can now enter any college in the Association of Southern Colleges without entrance examination.

Jewell Haun spent the week end in Willsboro with friends and relatives.

Waldine Smith spent Monday in Paris.

Donnie Mae Lindley visited friends and relatives in Willsboro.

PROF. PHILLIPS TO VISIT SPAIN

Prof. H. D. Phillips, head of the department of Spanish, will leave during the latter part of August for an extended trip through Europe and to Spain, where he will study for a year in the Nacional University. Prof. Phillips received his Bachelors



degree from the University of Texas and did his graduate in the University of California where he received his Masters degree. He is one of the most popular of the local faculty. He has closed a contract with the Dallas News by which he is to write a series of travel articles for the various Belo publications. These articles will appear from time to time in the Dallas News. Prof. Phillips is an interesting writer and has had extensive experience in this style of writing and has traveled extensively in Mexico and Latin America countries.

COUNTRY LIFE CLUB LAWN PARTY

Frida evening, July 31, the Country Life Club entertained its members, their friends, the presidents of the various clubs, Mr. and Mrs. Whitley, Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Rix, and Mr. and Mrs. Wray with a lawn party.

At seven o'clock the crowd gathered on the College lawn and enjoyed the following program.

Familiar songs by the crowd. Quartet—Selected.

Music—Hot Shot Six Orchestra.

The program was followed by several snapp games, after which several sets of old fashioned dancing were enjoyed.

Delicious ice cream was served to all. The ice cream was a compliment of the Kelpin Ice Cream Co., of Terrell, and was given through the courtesy of J. F. Robertson, of the College Pharmacy.

A short time was devoted to the discussion of the plans of the open fire place which is one of the projects undertaken by the Country Life Club. The construction of this project is to begin at a very early date according to Miss Vera English.

This party was another of the Country Life Club's entertainments and will long be remembered by its members. Great things are planned for this winter.

ATHLETICS SHOW GOOD PROSPECTS

With a large number of last year's letter men returning and much new material available, football prospects are better than for many years. Both coaches, Acker and Murphy, are favorably impressed at the 1925 prospects and are looking forward to a great year with the Lion as strong contenders in every contest. The schedule, for this year is the strongest ever faced by a Lion team.

With plan materializing for a new gymnasium the basketball prospects are better than ever. With the old E. T. spirit fairly bubbling over and our athletes in the best of trim, somebody's going to lose the T. I. A. A. championship in one of the major college sports during the ensuing year. The student body are looking forward with interest to the coming year's work in athletics and they will not be deceived. You can depend on the Lions.

Mable Easterly spent the regular holidays in Big Sandy with home folks.

China May and Louise Ogletree spent the regular holidays in Mt. Vernon with home folks.

Ruby Davidson visited in Hughes Springs over the week end.

Mat and Ring Event BY THE Y. M. C. A.

Local fight and wrestling fans were given a taste of the manly art stuff last Friday night.

Several entries had been made in both wrestling and boxing, but due to injuries received in training the number of entrants has cut down.

The first event was a bout between "Shorty" Speer and Roy Lowrie. Lowrie proved the heftier hitter and in the second lap Shorty went on a little journey to the land of "used-to-was," at least he says that on his way back to the land of the living he passed in review all his ancestors for several generations back. Shorty's game, though, and is asking for a return bout.

The next event was a one-fall mat scramble between Happy Jack Morris and "Kid" Thompson. After much heaving and toiling with a pretty even distribution of advantages Happy Jack won the fall.

The finale was a three-fall round between Jimmie Dyer and "Big" Scarborough. Both of these men are skillful wrestlers and gave the fans a treat. Scarborough won two successive falls, the first in 9 minutes, the second in 11 minutes. Both men gave a good account of themselves and put up a pretty exhibition.

A good crowd turned out to see the game, and left expressing a desire to see more matches like these later in the summer.

Commerce Climate Makes Colo., Envious

The chronic weather grouch who habitually bemoans the fact that he is too poverty stricken to enjoy the cooling Colorado breezes has wonder from our midst in search of another subject. Last week's temperature in Commerce was about seventy degrees. A more comfortable place could not be found than here. Energetic students taking advantage of Old Man Weather's kindly disposition, working into the wee hours of the nights and dull is the fellow who could not collect his thoughts during the cool days of the past week. Notebooks were made with astounding speed. One popular Co-ed reports that she operated her typewriter with almost super-human speed for 15 consecutive hours and as a result she is prepared for the worst, notebookically speaking. One of the college's optimistic students says Dame Nature save his parents from reading a list of poor grades by sending the cold wave. Winter coats were in vogue. John Windell promenade out in his four gallon hat and heavy sweater. Swede Alexander was caught at his typewriter clad in an overcoat and gloves. Who said Commerce can be beat for climate? One pessimistic prophet forecast a frost and complained of being cold, but everybody can not be pleased and those wearing smiles of satisfaction are in the majority and are praising the balmy weather of last week.

TALK OF PAVING MONROE STREET

There is a project under way for the paving of Monroe street from the end of the paving at Greenville street to the south edge of the campus. This is a move in the right direction and will add materially to the value of property lying to the east and south of the campus. This together with the new driveway which is to be begun in the very near future will add immensely to the beauty and utility of the campus. Property owners should not let this opportunity pass to join in a move for a bigger and better Commerce; any move that helps Commerce helps the East Texas State Teachers College and vice versa.

Hopkins County Club

The Hopkins County Club met south of the Training School Monday evening of last week and enjoyed a watermelon cutting. The meeting began by the playing of various games. After a few minutes spent in play the real pleasures of the afternoon began, when the feast was spread. Hopkins county is the home of Texas' most delicious and in keeping with this fact melons from that county supplied the morsels for this feast.

After eating to their capacity, the club members held a short business meeting before adjourning. Every one declared that they had enjoyed themselves. Next Monday evening's meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brady.

Rice House Club

The members of the Rice House Club met Monday evening and elected the following officers: Bradley O. Barber, chief stalk. Roy Jones, butler. R. T. Patterson, mascot. Silas Gibbs, engineer. G. R. Kennedy, official sheik. Fannie Mae Guinn, chaperon. Plamos Curry, chaser of gloom. Gladys Claborn, director of orchestra. Nova Guin, grabber of money. The aim of the club is to: Keep from living in oblivion.

Former Student Gets Good Position At Corsicana

Mr. D. B. Pitts, former student of the East Texas State Teachers College, has accepted a position at teacher of vocational Agriculture at the Corsicana State Orphanage. Mr. Pitts completed his sophomore work here in the spring of 1921 and went to Huntsville where he majored in Vocational Agriculture at the Sam Houston State Teachers College, from which place he received his bachelors degree in June, 1924. Mr. Pitts has taught in the Public Schools at Cooper and Quinlan and is well known in this section of the State. His home is at Quinlan.

McKinney Science Teacher Elected

C. M. Duvall has been elected teacher of science for the fourth successive year in McKinney High School. He has spent several weeks at Austin this summer.

White Rock Votes Bonds for School

The White Rock School District, north of Sherman, has voted bonds in the sum of \$4,000. The money will be used to erect a new school building.

Kidd-Key Expects Record Attendance

Dr. E. L. Spurlock, president of Kidd-Key College, has returned from a three weeks' trip in West and Northwest Texas. He reports that the enrollment of students for this fall is the largest for the past thirty years.

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It All Depends

If you are not happy its your own fault, for the world is chock full of happiness of the most modern type. Everybody loves an optimist; nobody loves a gripe. If life isn't worth living, why cling to it. Imagine life without a few sorrows; there wouldn't be much to it. Men are strengthened by trials and by trials are lost. If you cannot stand the gaff, you can't at least join the host and if you can't be a door; be a door post.

WORK STARTED ON 1926 LOCUST

Messrs. Mackey and Windell, Editor-in-Chief and Business Manager, respectively, of the 1926 Locust, have begun the collection of material and are outlining plans for next year's edition of the Locust. Every indication points toward a fine year book for the year 1925-26. Both Mackey and Windell are experienced men in the year book field, as they served on last year's annual staff.

Mackey is an experienced draftsman, and was closely connected with the editing of the 1925 Locust, which experience will be of utmost value to him during the ensuing year.

Windell was assistant business manager of last year's Locust and is thoroughly acquainted with the financial end of the year book game. He is well acquainted with every end of the advertising game and is a hustling youngster.

Both men are dependable, hard workers and are keenly aware of the responsibilities resting upon their shoulders. The 1926 Locust has every right to be the greatest year book in the history of the East Texas State Teachers College.

Greenville Plans August Trade Trip

Greenville, July 29.—Announcement has been made by the committee in charge of program that Greenville's annual good will tour will be made August 25, 26, and 27. The tour this year will be made in large motor busses instead of by rail, as formerly. The itinerary arranged will carry local business men into some of the most important parts of Greenville's trade territory.

Girl of McKinney Studies in Mexico

Miss Esther Brown, daughter of George P. Brown and wife of McKinney, is in Mexico City where she is doing post graduate work in the University of Mexico in Spanish. She recently completed work in the State Superintendent's office at Austin, where she graded Spanish papers of affiliated high schools of the State.

Jolly Bois d'Arc Club

The Jolly Bois d'Arc Club met Monday evening at seven o'clock on the Wheler lawn. A business session was held after which a report of the secretary was read. The committee on entertainments decided upon a picnic at the Park for next Monday evening. This outing will be the feature attraction for next week's entertainment.

After the business meeting the members were provided with pencils and paper and fortunes in the form of stories were told. Each member wrote one word and when the paper had passed each member the fortune was read aloud. This proved very amusing.

The program concluded with the singing of several songs after which the fifteen club members went to their home planning for a big time Monday.

Tyler-Henderson Highway Improved

More than 100 trucks are engaged in hauling gravel on the Woodrow Wilson Highway between Tyler and Henderson, and have the native iron ore spread over the road as far as Arp.

Night crews of men are at work on the road, which will be completed in the immediate future, and will give a new outlet from this territory to both Shreveport and Houston.

The new road promises to be one of the most popular and generally traveled highways in this part of the State.

Miss Vera Simmons, popular Sophomore co-ed has accepted the principalship of a three teacher rural school in Panola county.

Loia and Alma Brown spent the week end in Direct.

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LOST OPPORTUNITIES

The close of each term brings the same old story—some student fails in several or more subjects—and is compelled to return to disheartened parents. This is but one example of what lack of interest, idleness and non-application will do for a person. You can't have pie and eat it, neither can we accomplish worthwhile things by indulging in idleness and by practicing loafing on the corners or campus. If you want to avoid the unpleasant things of life you must start by taking advantages of opportunities as they are presented. Today's cream is tomorrow's curd. Chas. W. Schwab had to pour castings before he became president of the greatest steel corporation in the world. Coming nearer to home we have a large percentage of hustling youngsters attending school here who bear every mark of successful careers who are earning their living and attending school at the same time. It is a safe bet that more will be heard of them later. You can depend on a busy man.

THE SIGNS OF THE TIMES

Every indication appearing upon the educational horizon leads the student of average intelligence to believe that new opportunities are about to present themselves to the capable, trustworthy and efficient teacher. It is true that salaries paid people engaged in educational work have been very meager, and that conditions have not compared favorably with those in other lines of endeavor. But these conditions are being cast aside and will soon be included in the relics of a bygone period. New standards are being set up in the teaching profession; new ideals of service, and better training are eliminating the molly-coddle from the profession and put the teaching profession among the other great professions of America. National ideals begin in our schools and the American nation can never hope to rise above the ideals embodied in the minds of American school children. The days of keeping school are over, the teacher who aims to accomplish anything worthwhile in the profession must focus his attention upon increased training, improved technique and better profession attitudes. These things cannot be attained without effort on the part of the prospective teacher. If the profession is not worthy of your best efforts you are a menace to it and should not be included in its ranks.

THE DIVIDED TERM

The divided Summer Term, as practiced in the East Texas State Teachers College during this summer session has many advantages and opens an opportunity to many who would otherwise be deprived of any educational advantages.

This movement is unanimously favored by the student body and by a majority of the faculty. Many people are able to spend six weeks in scholarly pursuits who could not, for obvious reasons, have an entire summer's time in which to engage in school work. This class, while not in a majority, are entitled to the consideration of the educator's of the State. The summer school here has profited by the divided term; students and friends of the school have profited by it and best of all the management of the institution has shown a desire to increase the educational opportunities offered in this section of Texas.

After discussing the matter with over a hundred students it has been found that another need for the divided term is found in the Fall and Spring terms. Many of the rural schools do not begin until late in the fall; the teachers of these schools could attend school for six weeks and then go to their respective schools, better prepared for the work of the year. In other of the rural schools, whose terms are short, the teacher could enter school after their schools were out in the first or second week of May and thus be able to improve their scholastic ability.

These things are worth studying over and if there is enough demand for such a movement it is entirely probable that the East Texas State Teachers College would arrange to care for this demand.

We believe that such a step would do much to increase the educational opportunities of the average youth of our territory. Discuss this step with your friends and teachers; get the viewpoint of the patrons of your school, and see if there is not a felt need for a divided term in the Fall and Spring terms of the regular session.

EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

SECOND TERM SUMMER, 1925.

2:05	Classes	Tuesday, August 18	8-10 A. M.
4:50	Classes	Tuesday, August 18	10-12 A. M.
9:25	Classes	Tuesday, August 18	1-3 A. M.
10:20	Classes	Tuesday, August 18	3-5 P. M.
3:00	Classes	Wednesday, August 19	8-10 A. M.
3:55	Classes	Wednesday, August 19	10-12 A. M.
7:35	Classes	Wednesday, August 19	1-3 P. M.
1:10	Classes	Wednesday, August 19	3-5 P. M.
11:15	Classes	Thursday, August 20	8-10 A. M.
8:30	Classes	Thursday, August 20	10-12 A. M.

House Party

Miss Katherine Erwin entertained several of her friends with a house party over the week end. The following attended: Misses Eva Herd, Flo Doster, Fannie Lee Doster and Daisy Herd. Sunday the party motored to Paris and enjoyed a swim at Wade park. The party consisted of Misses Katherine Erwin, Flo and Fannie Lee Doster, Daisy and Eva Herd, Constance Erwin and Mrs. Ewin Messrs. Dock Hatcher, Smith Reese and Joe Davis. Mrs. Erwin chaperoned the party which returned to Commerce Sunday afternoon. Everyone reports a delightful time.

LOCALS

Tressie Youngblood spent the regular holidays in Pickett.

Sallie Jones spent the week end in Comco.

Mattie Lee Williams visited friends and relatives in Winnsboro.

Cleo Brewer visited friends in Greenville over the week end.

Clara Price spent the week end in Ben Franklin.

Lois Moss visited home folks in Ben Franklin.

Ophelia Farr spent Saturday and Sunday in Fairlie.

Mary Few spent the week end in Paris with home folks.

Elizabeth McCoy visited home folks in Fairlie.

Opha Collard visited in Direct over the week end.

Jena Fair spent the week end in Telephone.

Irma Bright visited friends and relatives in Fulbright.

Grace McClatchey spent the week end in Greenville.

Gertrude Locke spent the regular holidays in Bairdstown.

Bertha Beckham visited friends in Dodd City.

Floy Wagner spent the week end in Sulphur Springs.

Mary McBrayer spent the regular holidays in Bonham.

Floyce Phillips visited home folks in Woodland.

Clara Hurst spent the week end in Quinlan with friends and relatives.

Cina Weatherford spent the week end in Mt. Vernon.

Verda Bonham visited home folks in Maud.

Anita Reaves spent the week end in Greenville.

Roene Lane visited friends in Dodd City.

Faye Sisk shopped in Greenville on Monday.

Mildred Hudson visited friends and relatives in Fairlie.

Gladys Stewart spent the week end in Terrell.

Eula Hargett visited in Athens over the week end.

Maye Flannigan visited in Quinlan over the week end.

Delia E. Henly visited friends and relatives in Redwater.

Mary Scott spent the regular holidays in Point.

Gertrude Glass spent the week end in Savoy.

Morris Miller was a Sulphur Springs visitor last week.

What's going to happen Friday 11. Watch the East Texan.

Mildred Alexander spent the regular week end holiday in Sulphur Springs.

Paul Moon of Ben Franklin visited Commerce Saturday.

Miss Charley Morrow, former College Co-ed is visiting her many friends here this week. Miss Morrow has been a student in the East Texas State Teachers College during the last two regular sessions and has made many friends during her attendance in this institution.

NEW DRIVEWAY TO BE PAVED

The new drive way from the Education building to Monroe street has been surveyed and its construction will begin at an early date. The driveway runs east from the east entrance of the Education building to a point about two hundred feet from the intersection of Greenville and Monroe streets, where it curves entering Monroe street with a small curve. This will give an entrance from both Greenville and Monroe streets and will add greatly to the convenience of persons entering the campus from these streets. The loop begins at a point about half way between the old Science Hall and the New Education building. The construction of this much needed improvement will add immensely to the beauty and convenience of the campus and will relieve a congested traffic on Monroe and Lee streets.

Physical Education Certificates To Be Given

After much effort on the part of the instructors and pupils that are interested in Physical Education, a special Physical Education certificate will be offered under the following conditions: The applicant must have finished eighteen ter hours in physical education, including general gymnastics, plays and games and advanced dancing; at least one term of practice teaching in physical education before receiving this certificate. Misses Hatcher and Rogers have carefully planned their work for the next regular session in order to offer these certificates to those who desire to qualify for this type of work. A number of the girls are planning to receive these certificates during the next year.

Mr. Caylor Speaks in Student Service

Mr. John Caylor, General Secretary of the Baptist Student work in Texas spoke Sunday evening at 8 o'clock at the Baptist church. As it was Student Night Miss Isabel Smith, president of the Baptist Student Union of E. T. S. T. C., was in charge of the meeting. Guy Womack led the singing with Miss Daisy Blalock at the piano, accompanied by the orchestra led by Mrs. Harris. The students and faculty occupied reserved seats marked with purple and white ribbon.

Calmore Curry, R. C. Patterson, Jack Woodard, G. R. Kennedy, P. L. Chism, Retas Wells and H. E. D. Walker served as ushers. Mr. Caylor's theme was "Jesus Only." He pointed in word pictures the mountain top, the mountain side and the valley experience of the Christian life. Mr. Caylor closed the message with an appeal for service in the valley.

Mr. Caylor Honored With Supper

Mr. John Caylor of Dallas was the honor guest at a buffet supper given by the Baptist Student Council at the home of Mrs. J. G. Allen, on Sunday evening at five o'clock. Mr. Caylor arrived in the city at four o'clock and was met by the council.

The color scheme of purple and white, the B. S. U. colors, was carried out in the home decoration and in the menu, with purple and white candles burning in the dining room. Mr. Caylor was presented with a beautiful acquaintance card.

Misses Mabel Downing, Daisy Blalock and Tula Milford assisted with the serving. Those present included Miss Isabel Smith, Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Roper, L. C. Keaton, Misses Lucille Loyd, Sammie Morgan, Everitt Whitlock, Clara Kennemar and Leon Mackey and Messrs. P. L. Chism, Arthur West and W. C. Thompson, Mrs. J. G. Allen and Mr. John Caylor.

B. S. U. REPORTER.

Expert Dry Cleaner and Dyer Will Return To Commerce

H. L. York will return to Commerce Monday to take charge of the Commerce Dry Cleaning and Dyeing Plant. Mr. York needs no introduction to the people of Commerce as an expert dyer and dry cleaner as he was with us a year ago and his work speaks for itself. Let's give Mr. York a welcome as Commerce needs a man of this kind.

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Prosperity

"SERVICE BETTER LITTLE A JUST"

GOING UP!
LOOK!
"LOOK!"

WEST SIDE PHARMACY

FOOT BALL

We are showing football equipment that it will pay you to investigate. We quote you prices that will surprise you. Before you leave this summer call on us --coaches.

R. C. Jernigin

OUT IN FRONT

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PHONE 284

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THE NEW BOB

Katherine, Dear Pal:

Dorothy has written me that you have just had your hair bobbed, and you look "perfectly darling," as she expressed it. Won't you please have your photograph made and send me one?

Your chum, Helen.

Let us make your picture; we feel sure you will be pleased with our work.

The Howse Studio

PHONE 532

South Side Square.

Commerce, Texas.

HIPPODROME

Thursday and Friday, Aug. 6 and 7
Constance Talmadge in "Learning to Love"

She's a flapper vamp with five fiancés and one husband. Some mixup. Antonio Moreno heads support cast in big comedy. Laughs you've never laughed before. Thrills you've never had before. A climax like you've never seen before. And more.

Comedy—"GETTING TRIMMED"

Saturday, Aug. 8th
"THE NIGHT CLUB"

With Raymond Griffith, Vera Reynolds, Wallace Berry and Louise Fazenda, which is surely an all star cast. First and last—a comedy with class. Funnier than "Changing Husbands" and "Forty Winks" rolled into one.

Monday, August 10th
"CONTRABAND"

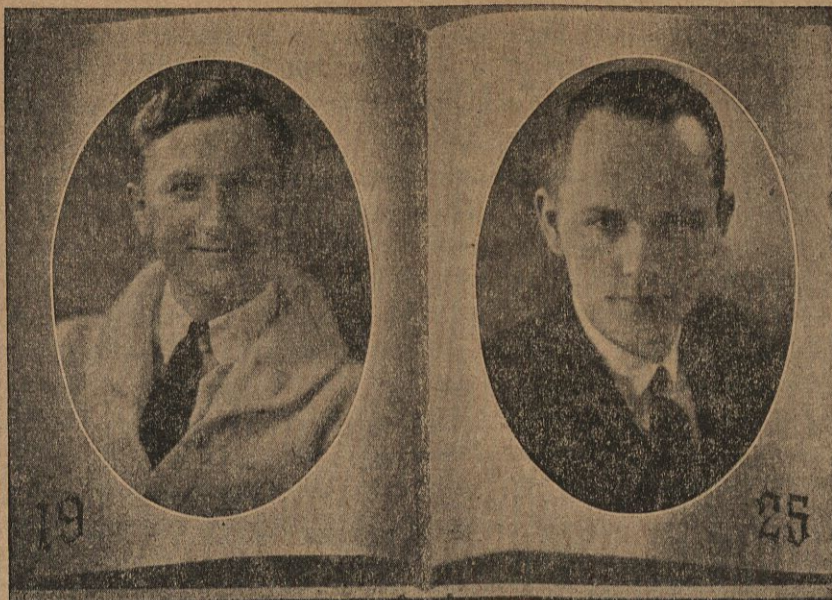
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Pat Norwood

Pat Norwood, who will receive his degree this summer, is a leader in social and athletic activities. Pat was born in Hughes Springs and was salutatorian of Hughes Springs High School in 1919. After graduation he gained varied experiences by working at public works for 16 months. He entered E. T. in the fall of 1920 and during 1921-1922 was principal of Lyford school where he was influenced in its becoming a second class school. During his school work at E. T. Pat has been president of Y. M. member of the Scholarship Society Glee Club, and Civic Debating Club was cheer leader, played football, organized the first Cass county club, and was in the commencement play of 1921. Pat leaves many friends at E. T. who will always remember to his "Howdy" and his pep. He will teach at Ignacio, Colorado, next year E. T. wishes him good luck.

Carl Holley

Carl Holley, who has been in school here four years, graduated from Sulphur Springs High School. "Shortie" has been declared by many students and by his team on various athletic aggregations as a good sport and as one who carries on his work and holds it up to a satisfactory standard as well as participating in many student activities. He is a four year letter man in football and basketball. During the football season he played a clean game and kept his consistent spirit at all times that has made him such an asset to the team. He also received a letter in baseball and track. He has served as president of many organizations and was president of Senior Class 1924-25. He was business manager of the Locust for two years, 1923-24 and 1924-25.

During the school term 1923-24 Holley was elected the most popular man in school. He will receive his B. S. degree in August and E. T. will lose one of its most valuable men.

MR. AND MRS. MONROE HOPKINS CHAUTAUQUA PLAYERS

M. E. Axtell, advance representative of the Monroe Hopkins Chautauqua Players, billed for a week's engagement in Commerce, beginning next Monday evening, said in speaking of his company:

"Since the days of Shakespeare and long before he demonstration of dramatic art has been considered a part of higher education.

"Evidence that it is still proving to be a valuable part of education is that it is still being used in almost every school of today.

"When approaching the graduation period every public school student is looking forward with anticipation, wondering what character he or she will be called upon to portray when taking part in the class play. A real treat is in store for students of all ages when the Hopkins Chautauqua Players, who are professional demonstrators of dramatic art, will appear in Commerce one week beginning Monday night, August 10th.

"Having an established reputation as being an exceptional company, they carry one solid car load of scenic electrical effects and materials which will be used in their modern tent theatre. Described as Garden Airdome, this unique construction, seated with individual chairs providing the maximum circulation of air and comfort, will be located on the large open space on the Ablowich lot.

"Those who enjoy vaudeville will not be disappointed, as the Hopkins Chautauqua Players have the reputation of carrying the most of the highest class of this type of entertainment of any organization traveling in the South, acts that have played in the largest cities in competition with the best in America.

"Ladies, whether accompanied by paid ticket or not, will be admitted free on Monday night."

Clyde Hemsell spent Saturday and Sunday in Greenville with home folks.

Charles Tennyson

Charles Tennyson, who will leave E. T. in August, has won first place in debate for four years. He has won three decisions in inter-collegiate contests, one of them unanimous on foreign grounds. He has served as vice president of the student council for one year, and as president for two years. For the last two years he has been working his way through school, serving as student assistant in the departments of Reading and History. Tennyson was given recognition in the East Texan as a student that the school has profited by. Charles will be missed by the faculty and students of E. T. We wish him good luck wherever he goes.

Helen Brown

Helen Brown, applicant for degree in August, has been at E. T. all through her sub-college years. She is known by all the teachers and pupils in Commerce for her good school work as well as the part she has taken in social activities. During the years she has been at E. T. she has been a member of the Y. W., Scholarship Society, Junior-Senior Editor 1925, and is now Senior class reporter. Helen is loved by all who know her because of her work and friendly way.

FAST BASKET BALL GAME

The different county clubs are showing unusually good form and are staging some of the stiffest basketball games ever played here.

Last Tuesday night the Wood County boys that had defeated the Titus-Franklin County team last week, went down before the hard fighting Hunt County team. It looked as though the Wood County boys were the victors until the last minute of the game when John Windell of the Hunters rung a goal and gave them a two point lead.

The Potato-Diggers from Cass County defeated the fast Upshur county team 22 to 16 in the fastest games of the season. The Cass County boys made a slow start at the beginning of the season but have gone wild during the last few games and are giving indications of being in the finals.

Titus-Franklin beat the Fannin County team by a large majority.

On Thursday night Titus-Franklin defeated Cass county by a small margin in a hard fought battle.

The Upshur County aggregation carried Wood county to a decisive defeat in which the old "Never quit spirit of Irons and Binnion seemed to pilot their team to victory.

The Coyotes defeated Fannin county in a good game.

The basketball fans of the College have one regret in that these men who are playing in the summer series are not to be here this winter.

The East Texan is confident that the finals will be the greatest basketball tournament ever held here. Come out and root for your favorite.

Miss Lois Mathis of Cumby is visiting friends among the student body this week. Miss Mathis is very popular among the students here as she was a student here during the 1923-1924 regular session. While a student here Miss Mathis took an active part in the various activities of the College, being a member of the Citard and Beach Choral Clubs, Locust staff and at the same time did scholastic work of the better type. She is planning on being here during the regular session beginning Sept. 22.

Dela Drake and Carina Hamilton spent the week end in Sulphur Springs.

Forrest Blankenship is visiting his father's brothers in Mosheim in Bosque county.



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The Texas State Teachers Association is an organization of Texas teachers that is doing a highly commendable piece of work. It has been in existence for many years and has rendered invaluable service in extending the cause of education throughout the length and breadth of our great State.

There are more than thirty thousand white teachers in Texas, every one of whom ought to be a member of the Association. It is one of the surest and safest ways to build up a professional capital that is available to the teachers of the State.

Texas teachers can not afford to be without the acquaintance and association that comes from membership in the Association and attendance upon its meetings.

The students of the East Texas State Teachers College are requested to become members of the Texas State Teachers Association just as soon as possible. Not only should each student become a member of the Association, but each one should endeavor to extend the influence of the Association to their own community as well as to other teachers of the State. The following suggested form of letter is printed with the request that all students in the institution copy this letter and mail it to their county superintendents or city superintendents, or mail it to some co-worker in their county.

August 5, 1925.

Dear Superintendent:

As a teacher in _____ county for ensuing school year I want to pledge you my hearty support in carrying out whatever plans you may formulate for the improvement of school conditions in our county. Doubtless you are aware of the good work done by the Texas State Teachers Association for many years. This Association should be made bigger and better and stronger. It will greatly benefit the State as a whole and our county in particular to have it so. I suggest that you make definite arrangements to enroll every teacher in our county as a member of the T. S. T. A. early in the fall. I pledge you my full co-operation in this matter.

Sincerely,
The Texas State Teachers Association will meet in Dallas this fall. Every teacher in the service in Texas should be present at this meeting. It will be one of the greatest meetings ever held in the history of the Association.

**Gospel Meeting at
Church of Christ**

For one week only and preaching only at night, the Reverend A. O. Colley, long time pastor of the First Christian Church of Dallas, is conducting a meeting at the Church of Christ in Commerce. The Reverend Colley is a minister of the local congregation in Greenville at present and is also director of the Boles Orphans Home, lately established at that place.

Last night the meeting showed added interest in attendance and results. The speaker has a good delivery and presents his lesson with interest and force. Those hearing him will wish to hear again.

Last year Evangelist G. A. Dunn conducted the meeting for the Church of Christ and later preached the commencement sermon for the East Texas State Teachers College. The speaker this year is also an able Bible scholar and an outstanding minister of the state. He recently returned from a month of work in Kentucky. Whatever may be one's faith, those interested in a study of the Scriptures will be interested and profited by hearing him.

The services begin at eight o'clock each evening. The song service is led by Professor LaGrone of E. T. Students and others have been given a cordial invitation to attend the meetings, which will close next Sunday night.

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IT'S TRUE

What is your trade or occupation queried the stranger?
"I am an author," answered the College student.
If it is not too personal may I ask what you write it?
"Mostly English and Spanish notebooks," answered the wise one.

Do not find fault before it is lost.

Gems of Ignorance

Most failures are caused by getting there late and not working while you are there.

Sarcasm often consists in thinking right and saying what you think.

A hypocrite is a liar who has nerve enough to express his feelings.

A hero is a fellow who jumps at the proper conclusions at the proper time.

A heroe is a fellow who jumps at the proper conclusions at the proper time.

Marriage is a contract through which one obtains the right to fight without paying a fine, getting a bad name or losing one's social status.

Porch wrestling is not included in what constitutes an athlete.

No dear! A flapper is not a strange species of the fish. They are only whales chasing men for bait.

All who try to rub-it-in are not osteopaths.

Successful men have very little to say regarding the trend of events; other thoughts occupy their minds. It is the small caliber man who sees ruin in every new trend of thought.

Some men's voices are other men's virtues.

We are measured by other men's standards and should live in accordance with the aims and ideal of those with whom we associate.

**DINNER GIVEN
ROTARY CLUB**

The Commerce Rotary Club was entertained with a dinner Thursday evening, July 23, on the lawn in front of the Women's building, East Texas State Teachers College, President and Mrs. S. H. Whitley being host and hostess for the evening. More than sixty Rotary Club members and their wives were present.

The dinner was served in three courses. The first course consisted of pressed chicken, potato chips, tomatoes, lettuce and sandwiches. The ladies and gentlemen were paired by marching along beside the dainty table, the gentlemen on one side and the ladies on the other, meeting at the tea table heading the banquet board. Three courses completed the buffet dinner. Partners were changed for each course. The second course consisted of perfection salad. Partners for this course were matched by the unique method of combining the letters in the Rotary motto with a blue background, the purpose in this resulted in an arrangement of the letters so as to form a Rotary wheel, designed especially to bring out the Rotary spirit. The third course was sherbet and cake. Partners for this course were matched by a combination of the numbers found on the yellow Rotary wheel, each gentleman possessed and the blue background in the possession of the ladies.

After the dinner was served, a short program was given, the first number being two original readings, given by Miss Maud Webster, head of the Reading Department at the College. These readings were especially timely, being on "Evolution" and "Rotary."

The next number was "Proof of Evolution" presented by the trio of capable Smiths, the assistant dean of men in the East Texas State Teachers College, who gave an address on "Evolution" while L. I. Smith, secretary of the College, took the part of the Ape and by means of a chair was led about over the campus by R. N. Smith, Rotary member, creating a

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situation that brought peal of laughter from the assembled guests.

The program was concluded by a humorous reading, given by Miss Katherine Erwin, on the "Old Farmer."

A short business session followed the program after which the party adjourned.

When the skunk gets halitosis,
When the possum falls asleep,
When the chipmunks blow their noses
When the bear lets out a chirp,
When the trout eats up the salmon,
When the robins leave the state,
When the muskrat dies of famine—
That's when I'll graduate.

Miss Mary Emory spent the week end with friends at Bonham. Miss Emory attends the Teachers College here, coming back and forth each day from her home at Terrell.

Opal Sikes spent the week end in Bonham.

Susie Teel, former student of E. T. who graduated from Scarritt Teachers College in Nashville, Tenn., is visiting friends in Commerce.

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