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books will be sent.

Many Plays Available

LETTER BOX PERSONAL ITEMS

Football Troubles of Coachless School

"OUR coach was drafted in the spring of 1942, since which time we have had no coach nor have we been able to hire one

"Last fall we tried to get along without football, except for playing two or three rinkey-dink games. We found, though, that trying to run a school without extra-class interests is about like trying to have a banquet without food. This year wasn't starting off any better than last, so during the second week of school, we suddenly decided that it might be better to leave off some other things. (if necessary) and carry on with football.

"That made me a full-fledged coach-again. Several years ago, I coached regularly. Came to this I coached regularly. Came to this school in the fall of 1931 as a Publishes Book coach, in fact."

L. W. Hughes, Physical Education Director, Arlington Public Schools, writes: "It is the intention of the Arlington Public Schools to accept and follow in the plan that you have outlined in the Victory Physical Club Manual. We expect to include all 65-page mimeographed book ing items: the Arlington Public Schools from the fifth through the twelfth grades. Therefore, we would like for you to send us all of the necboys, 100 junior high school girls, 100 junior high school boys, 100 senior high school girls, 100 senior high school boys.'

Fights to Save 6-man Football in District 16

"I have not written you before ing behind the flyleaf. In addition to both we did not know what



Gaston High School "Creative Writers"

Left to right, back row: Neal Milton, Mrs. Billie Joy Owens, Joyce Strickland, Annie Ruth Hudson, Roland Hale, Anna Ruth Colley, Joyce Green.

Left to right, front row: Wynona Claer, Allene Williams, Jack Gibson, Mary Copeland, Betty Jane McNeil, Frances McCarty, Mar-

jorie Crawford. Gaston High (Joinerville) Shows Fine Journal-Notes on Basketball

istic Enterprise our Physical Education program the plan that you have outlined FCHOES From Gaston S^{CHOOLS} planning to partici-pate in League Basketball L'Hill" is the name of a should note carefully the follow-

the boys and girls in our pro- recently released by members 1. The closing date for acceptgram that are in attendance in of the Gaston High Creative ing the Basketball Plan is No-Writers Club. Encased in vember 15.

2. The official list of participatcream-colored backs bearing ing schools will be mailed to memessary blanks and forms for 200 inset printed in crimson, the If you have not received a tenta- and 4. elementary girls, 200 elementary mimeographed pages contain tive list, you may do so by writ-

original prose and poetry ing the State Office.

to their school principal, Mr. Rules. G. R. Stewart.

High School Club

Stewart is the frontispiece draw- later than February 19.

winners of Conference A in each Wisdom of Early Advoregion shall determine a regional cates Found to be Juswinner; and the District Conference B champions shall compete in tified by Results their respective regional centers for the regional championship.

Harvard "House Plan"

Provides Competitive Units

7. For complete details on the

written during the past school 3. A special basketball fee is organization, refer to the Basket- reasons for wanting to inau- test, '43. year by the club's members, required of all schools participat- ball Plan in the 1943-44 Con- gurate the Honors Courses

tic League.

state my personal opinion:

centage of the schools in Texas do

2. The second statement has

merit but I like this one better,

'If the events of the League are

enforce the Scholarship Rule.

who dedicated the publication ketball Plan, Constitution and ing for League honors. See Bas- stitution. 8. Basketball district executive committees should have their or-4. All district championships in ganization meetings not later down the following three An excellent likeness of Mr. each of the conferences close not than the Saturday following the propositions:

third Monday in October. The First, that all true education in 5. On February 26, 1944, Con- names of the district chairmen college is self-education; and,

Abilene's Winning Debate Drama Loan Service Team 1942 Now in College WE HAVE a library of



John Henry Smith

Fitness Standards as Part

of its Program

HERE are two recent graduates of the Abilene High School who have won a fair share of public speaking ever. There have been many honors during their high school years.

As a debate team, Smith and Webb won the following: ble. Baylor Meet, '42; Wichita Falls Meet, '42; Brownwood Meet, '42; Abilene (regional), '42; State Meet, Interscholastic League, '42.

As an individual contestant, Smith won the following: goes on with other children. Men-Hi-Y State Oratory Contest, '41; State Interscholastic tal arithmetic was always a bug-

for the regional championship. 6. The State Tournament will be held in Austin Thursday, Fri-dev and Saturday March 2 3 HI-1 State Oratory Contest, 41, State Interscholastic League Extemporaneous Speech, '41; State Know Your younger daughter. We are essen-tially visual-minded. The finger the title and an Uncle Sam ber-schools prior to December 1. day and Saturday, March 2, 3, then President of Harvard Member State Winning Interscholastic League One-Act on the pencil and the numbers on University, was busy explain- Play Contest, '43; Second in American Legion Oratory the paper seem to stimulate our Basketball Plan of competition and ing to Harvard alumni his Contest and in Veterans of Foreign Wars Essay Con- brain processes! And just to re-

Webb is now in Hardin-Simmons College, Abilene, majorand establish the House Plan. ing in Law, and planning active participation in extracur- ers. I find she had quite a bit of In one of his addresses, he laid ricular oratory and debate.

Smith is studying law in The University of Texas, and tessori School but she evidently plans to participate in debate.

Mother Studies School Methods

Relates Certain Theories to Her Own Home Experience

A T THE close of her letter President Conant's remark, "This war period should provide an excellent opportunity for taking stock of our modern educational problems," a mother* writes the LEAGUER some shrewd observations on the education of her own children, as follows:

"I have been interested in examining your pamphlet, 'Developing Number Sense.'† If the method is clear in a child's mind the 'hair splitting' work can be done later. I was amused at what the writer said about not having consulted a psychologist on the matter, but just observing that 'baby fingers were early drafted. to use for counting.' I've lived long enough to see psychology theories and math theories and many other theories come and go

'specialists in the wholly impossi-

Visual-Minded

"Pardon my bringing up experience taken from my own family but it is just a sample of what capitulate Virginia's early training in math and geometry, I have 'pre' geometry practice in Men-

*Mrs. Lillian C. Merrill, 1297 So. Oak Knoll Avenue, Pasadena, California. †University of Texas Bulletin No. 3827.

ence AA shall decide bi-district have been mailed out to member-impionship; the four district schools. and a strenuous effort. Second, interest comes from do-**Club** Activities ing, rather than doing from inter-est; and, therefore, if men can be induced to make the effort, the desire will be created or strength Tri-Hi-Y Club Has Physical

was going to happen to our dis- humorous fiction, the book con- championship; the four district schools. trict down here, writes Ben U. tains a versified prophecy section

Comalander, of Big Wells.

phone calls, I find that Dilley, from named members of the Big Wells, and Yancey are the school's faculty, a crossword puzonly teams left to play this year zle whose solving is dependent in this district. Christine and Til- upon the reader's knowledge of den both declined to participate in Gaston High School personalities, the district play because of trans- a section, "The Gremlins Say," portation difficulties.

"I am doing my best to keep and prose, a column describing six-man football alive in this dis- some local classroom "boners," and trict. As you know, Big Wells pictorial representations of the organized the first six-man foot- school's teachers. ball team in the state so far as I Staff members for the publica-

know, and also was not far be- tion are: Jeanie Wall, editor-inhind the next year, being one of chief; Mary Copeland, assistant the first three schools to sign up editor; Betty McNeil, art editor; with the League when a division Allene Williams, assistant artist; was made for us. Roland Hale, business manager;

"I shall continue as best I can Neal Milton, assistant manager; to keep you informed on the dis- Mr. C. W. Dawson, sponsor. trict here. My time is very limited now. War has torn us all to pieces. I am coaching football, superintendent of schools, teaching seven classes, member Dimmitt County Ration Board, and own and operate a drug store. I am just like you and all the rest, I do not have any time I can call my own."

In reply to our request for the name of the chairman of District 30A, we find that H. O. Whitehurst, is, according to his own account, serving as Superintendent, Principal Elementary School, High School Coach, Chief Mechanic, and Painter, Bus Driver, Scout Clubs were organized through- are: Master, and Chairman District 30A, Groesbeck.

"Their Finest Hour"

[Hitler] all Europe may be freed and the life of the world may move forward into broad sunlit uplands; but if we fail, the whole ness Certificate." world, including the United States and all that we have known and cared for, will sink into the abyss of a new Dark Age made more science.

"Let us therefore brace ourselves to our duty and so bear ourselves that if the British Commonwealth and Empire last for a 'This was their finest hour.' "-Winston Churchill.

for the seniors, a group of absurd "After many conferences, tele-As One of the Best in Book devoted to school gossip in verse

San Angelo Classroom Teachers' Ass'n

> (By J. D. Moore, Dean, Junior College, and Principal High School, Victoria, Texas.)

LAVING spent eight years H_{coaching} in the high schools of Texas, ten years as

high-school principal in four different schools, and having Other staff members are Frances McCarty, Marjorie Craw- served as chairman of county, ford, Anna Ruth Colley, Joyce district and regional Inter-Green, Joyce Strickland, Wyona scholastic League committees Claer, Anna Ruth Hudson, Jack of various types; I feel in a Gibson, and Mrs. Billie Joy Owens. Nadyne Dailey and Mrs. C. W. measure qualified to reply to the request of the San Angelo Dawson are the typists.

12,000 Members in League's Two Hundred Fitness Clubs

IN THE SCHOOL year of 1942-43 more than 200 permission to follow the plan in the third statement. Some of the plan in the third statement. 4. The fourth statement is built of the plan in the third statement.

out the state with a membership in excess of 12,000. At education.

the close of last years' school session approximately 400 standards are required for each tic League, and I am firmly con-mural athletics will certainly be If we can stand up to him boys and girls qualified for, member of the Club.

and received the individual 3. Student leaders can direct ance of the standards.

With the opening of the 1943-44 school term the League Office has ties are of such a variety that begun the active promotion of the they appeal to a large number of Club program, and a number of pupils.

One of the features of the Club specific instruction on administerprogram is its adaptability to stu- ing standards, making it a valudent leadership where adult lead- able aid to the regular classroom and not knowing it are requested in the striving for honors.

Schools in a number of other physical education. Club program and have requested write the League Office.

ened. Third, that, with some notable exceptions, men in the main act less from individual impulse than Principal Takes Issue with Classroom Teachers' Associa- from mass impulse, that is, they do what others do, or what others

tion to eliminate the Scholar- respect and admire. Therefore, ship Rule in the Interscholas- we should seek to create a favorable environment; and one of the elements of this is competition, and a competition in something In regard to the four points that men feel to be a real test published in the LEAGUER, may I of qualities worth having. Hence it is an advantage to have every one compete in something which i 1. The first statement is erroneous since a very high high per- mutually supplementary.

House Plan involved the expendi- evening program was given in ture of thirteen million dollars for May before the close of school the erection of seven dormitories, in the Hereford High School each one capable of housing in auditorium. The program worthy, then the boy who is ac- comfort about 250 students, with was considered rather succlaimed a hero by his classmates provision also for luxurious ac-

should be one that has made a commodations for those who were worthy effort toward developing financially able to pay the price. So the "Honors Courses" provided a competition within the cur-3. I have had personal experi- riculum, while the House Plan

> activities; music, dramatics, pub-President Lowell continues his and the House Plan, as follows: A keen sense of competition

Rule is one of the most stabiliz- within these limits is, indeed, one 2. Definite objective physical ing influences in the Interscholas- of the vital elements in the plan vinced that a poll of the coaches, aided by the House Plan. Each administrators and classroom will have one or more crews "Texas Victory Physical Fit- and assist others in the perform- teachers of the state would indi- on the river and its teams in other sports; thereby enlarging the num-ber of men taking part, and ambitious to take part, in a match, and promoting the aim of phys-ical culture for all. Each House, An intimation to slow-paying and especially the Master and customers given by a country tutors therein, will also desire to excel in the number of distinctions won by its members at graduation, thus bringing in some shop are requested to call and thing of a corporate or team elesettle. All indebted to our shop ment, instead of a personal one,

> Theory Tested by Experience Fifteen years ago, this was

> > (See-House Plan-P. 4)

response. (See-School Methods-P. 3) (1) Patriotic music by the High

School Band (Mr. Ralph Smith director); (2) Presentation of Colors by the Boy Scouts; (3 "Star Spangled Banner" by th audience; (4) Importance of th Movement (Meaning and History by Mr. Know Kingard Superior by Mr. Knox Kinard, Superitendent of Hereford Schools; (The Program in the School a

cessful as to audience and

the Community by Donald Mc THE TRI-HI-Y CLUB of Cullough, Senior student; (6) Demonstration of Good Nutrition Hereford High School for by Miss Kathryn Davies, Home pnomics Department; (7) Menthe last year and a half has tal Hygiene and Spiritual Educasponsored under the direction tion in Physical Fitness by James Aiken, Pastor of the Presof Stacia Irene Crawford, a byterian Church; (8) Demonstra-Physical Fitness Program tion of Exercises, etc., Physical Education Department, Mr. Stan-

both for themselves and for ton, Miss Davies; (9) Hale Amerability. These three principles are mutually supplementary. Cost \$13,000,000 It may be explained that the months' work, the following support; Prayer-song-"God Bless and train mathematics stu-

America Nutrition Check-up Last year the girls of the club started early to plan a special

(See—Hereford—P. 4)

Travel Survey Will Help Schools Get Pupils There

 $E_{\rm own}^{\rm ACH}$ school should conduct a travel survey in its reliable transportation may be available to towns and cities in their own district. Holders of B and C cards, who have obtained supplemental ration on the basis of the impossibility of forming a ride-sharing group and the inadequacy of alternative transportation, may transport members of an athletic team on his ordinary occcupational trips provided no additional mileage is involved.

Here are a few suggestions for making the Survey:

1. Contact the owners of passenger cars holding B and C cards that make occasional business trips in the immediate territory.

2. Contact the owners of trucks that make occasional or regular trips in the immediate area.

3. In certain rural areas the farmers make weekly trips into the trade centers. In many instances the rural schools could schedule their contests for Saturdays and use this regular local traffic to transport the team members.

Here are a few cautions to observe if you use private cars: 1. Secure the permission of parents for the trip.

2. Furnish parents with the name of the person in whose car their child will ride.

3. In so far as possible investigate the driver of each car or truck hauling contestants to be certain that he is a responsible party.

Math Clubs on a **Statewide Basis**

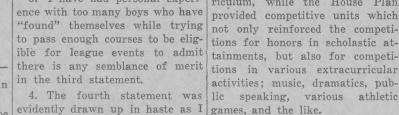
Plan Would, Writer Believes, Give Needed Emphasis To Study

(By Miss Izetta Sparks, Frisco, Texas)

THINK that some means should be established whereby we can find, encourage, dents in our public schools. Too long the opinion has been among our students, patrons, and even some higher educators that mathematics is too difficult and non-essential to be stressed as a study. In fact,

not until an emergency arose did our people awake to the fact that more thorough knowledge was needed. So it behooves the mathematics teachers to do something to improve the situation.

It seems to me that a state-wide Mathematics Club could be organized, open to all students of mathematics who attain certain standards and pass certain tests, such standards and tests being set up, judged, and graded by a committee from the Interscholastic League. Under this plan there could be degrees of attainment to which the student might add from year to year. For instance, membership to the club might start with a degree in arithmetic, and all students in arithmetic who pass the plans set up would be given some badge of recognition. Then the next year, when he has studied algebra and passed all requirements, he could get a degree in algebra; and so the plans go on until the mathematics subjects are offered. By the time the students finish high school, the physicist or those in search for mathematics talent could certainly find such talent in any and all club members.



Some of the advantages to be

himself mentally."

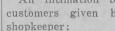
4. Club standards and activi-

longed by the lights of a perverted new Clubs have been organized. 5. The Club Manual furnishes

ership is limited. teacher not trained in the field of

thousand years, men will still say states have recognized the merits Schools interested in knowing wishing to call are requested to theory. President Lowell's proof the Victory Physical Fitness more about the program may remain in one place long enough

cate the same opinion.



"All persons indebted to our

to call and find out. Those knowing themselves indebted and not

for us to catch them."

Head Janitor, School Carpenter Victory Physical Fitness Some of the advantages to be cannot believe that any group of derived from the Club program tangles are used teachers would subscribe to such advocacy of the Honors Courses a policy. 1. Emphasizes dental and health I think that the Scholarship

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ROY BEDICHEK	Édito
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office at Austin, Texas, under th	e Act of August 24, 1912.)

encountered in its program to secure and train men for importance of public speaking, as follows: service in the Navy has been the fact that high school and college applicants have not had the necessary instruction in certain essentials to permit them to be successfully

trained in more technical fields."

TN NEBRASKA there is a law requiring schools to purchase a certain amount of books each year. A case arose recently he later swapped the books for athletic equipment. Which plenty of ways to kill a dog besides choking him to death on the reason to endorse what the heart has already embraced, butter."

A ^N ambitious English teacher who wanted really to know whether her pupils had learned anything about poetry test: Put on a page samples of old poetry, of new poetry, of poetic prose, prosaic poetry, set up in disguise, and ask America literature without further ado.

WE were talking recently with a young flight instructor who was quite proud of the fact that of the class recently graduated from his field, his own pupils had on the average made the highest grade. It seems that there are twenty maneuvers, each one of which is standardized within certain limits. After twenty hours of instruction, the commander checks the students and gives each a grade. There is naturally, then, some rivalry among the instructors, and a great stimulus to each instructor to make as fine a showing with his particular group as possible. In our schools and colleges we might with great profit imitate this method of conducting examinations. The instruction should

scholarship rule killed, this publication would open a cam- induced to enter competitions, interesting personality. Not though in somewhat different lan- by Miss Ruth Mantor, sponsor of paign to have it retained. No, the headline is based on the preparation for which absorb fact that we published in the September issue a resolution all their spare time. Hence, the from the San Angelo Classroom Teachers' Association League and those in the schools advocating the abolition of the rule. We try to give prom- willing to coöperate can hold

inence to all phases of opinion about League work, and many of these boys and girls in especially to associations of such importance as the Class- school by organizing and promotroom Teachers' Association. In this case we differ com-hold up something worthwhile for What makes Education Between pletely from the position taken in the resolution. We think exceptional pupil-talent to shoot Two Worlds a great book is its Backwoods to Border. Mody C. lene High, vice-president; and it would be little short of a calamity to kill this rule. Just at and at the same time lend color contribution to an understanding April, inclusive, by the Bureau of Public School Service, Extension because there is a lax enforcement in certain localities is and romantic attractiveness to the of present cultural and educano reason whatever for nullifying the rule. Granting the extracurricular program.

> validity of this argument, every law on the statute books could be successfully attacked.

WE do not vouch for the authority we quote, we especially do not endorse the political opinions of the indi- THE magazine "Look" recently Our present confusion, educa- Folk-Lore Society are matched son. vidual, nor do we approve of his methods of waging war against other nations, and we most certainly damn with school track team for 1943, con- course incident to the interplay of ling humor. J. Frank Dobie tells recent journalism graduate, has our utmost energy and with unlimited gusto his treatment of racial and other minorities within the confines of Ger- tances achieved in recognized state political. Viewing the whole who wrote a song back in 1877 last year's sponsor, has joined one A DMIRAL JACOBS, of the United States Navy, says that "one of the greatest obstacles which the Navy has for what they are worth Herr Hitler's remarks about the or district meets. There are two pression, Doctor Meiklejohn selects

> "I know that one is able to win people far more by the spoken than by the written word, and that every great movement on this globe owes its rise to the great speakers and not to the great writers."-Preface to Mein Kampf.

"I believe that even my ability for making speeches was trained by the more or less stirring discussions with my comrades."-Mein Kampf, p. 7. (An endorsement, apparently, of "bull sessions.")

Herr Hitler also prefaced one of his speeches, "I do not itself in the service of a general, institutional climate. This transiand attained some publicity in which a principal had pur- address myself to strangers, but to those adherents of the recognized and pursued life task tion has not been abrupt nor outchased the books all right and thus complied with the law, but movement who belong to it with their hearts and whose is treading the path which leads right, since it has taken place in Their preferred diet seemed to be P. C. this fall was a copy of the reason now seeks more intimate enlightenment." Thus, by to Nihilism and Anarchy.-Adolph an atmosphere of compromiseall goes to illustrate the truth of the old proverb: "there's inference, we may say that in his opinion speech persuades Baynes, I, 500.)

a not inconsiderable achievement in itself.

ishing competitions. Usually this means abolishing only many, the Nazi Party. Who dis- effect the educational reforms he axe, made a split in a log, shoved dition that may well serve as an under her tutelage might administer the following simple those competitions that are any trouble to the teaching or tinguishes between a service and recommended, and John Locke, his nose down into it, drew the incentive to the present staff. administrative staff. They usually have in mind football, a disservice to this "general, recbasketball, debate, or some other standard inter-school ognized and pursued life task?" ideologist-in-chief of "the things he began to squawk." two questions, each of which may be answered in one competition. These are the very competitions in which word: Is a given sample prose or poetry? Was it written individual achievement is recognized, and in which the con-textent is recognized, and in which the con-lic ear or who seek to get the pub-effect, "I am a Christian, there-Day tells of a Texas wild man, first papers to reach us this year, before 1900 or after? The pupil who passed such a test testant is really "on his own," unaided by family prestige, lic ear must say what the Party fore, ..." while Locke said in Frank Goodwyn and Vanita Par- is beginning its "Volume XLVI." should get credit for the courses offered in English and wealth, or other extraneous circumstances. Isn't it possible says say and not say what the effect, "I am a Christian, but rett set forth choice bits of ranch I believe the Tattler prints two that some of the opposition to these contests comes from party forbids being said.

> the fact that these are the very competitions in which the individual has to go to the bat and really do something Line (upon) IN "Women's Share in Primitive with the implications of Locke's "but"! himself? Mama's money or pop's political position (even sic, O. T. Mason says of the savmembership on School Board) avails naught. Do these age women and the development reformers who are going to do away with all forms of of their great skill in making pots: contests ever propose to abolish or even mention competi- "There is a generous rivalry that tions in dress (vulgar display of wealth), or competitions keeps them at their best."

Indeed, in what field, in what among little snob clubs in giving outrageously expensive social affairs? No, these are not the competitions, curiously fully say the same thing? Whether enough, which ordinarily offend. It would seem logical to it is in savage society, in the bar- have welcomed Meiklejohn as a handed in by A. B. Armstrong. say that we are going to have competitions of one sort or baric culture of the very ancient fellow-in-the-faith. At least two another (there has never been a school without them), and Greeks where Hesiod praises the prominent reviewers have hailed that the only choice is which ones will be encouraged and rivalry of farmers as a great in- Education Between Two Worlds which ones will not be. We think it the part of wisdom to present machine-age where work-medievalism; and they have been

solutely.

Educational Dilemma identical with the dilemma of our

tional confusion. What has come The new plan for inter-school over the world? To anyone who is

meets was detailed in the Sep- seeking an answer to this question tember issue of the LEAGUER, and | -- and who dares confess that he has been issued now as a sepa- is not?-I can make no better sugrate circular sent free on request. gestion than that he read this book.

jority is from the west, and none is passing. from the southeastern states.

Religious to Secular One such crisis is the transi-

 \mathbf{H}^{E} who frees criticism from tion from a predominantly religious to a predominantly secular Hitler. (Hitler's Speeches, ed. the laissez faire of business com-

This is a text for censorship. enacted with superb dramatic life task." Who decides what is "might have saved England" if

The Nazi Party. So this really which are Caesar's." As Meiklemeans that all who have the pub- john puts it, Comenius said in

No Backward-yearner

gic longing, and some of them Crockett on a political rival, ilar move.

And No Fascist

only is it his greatest achieve- guage. In the end, therefore, this The Taylor Cotton Boll, and apment; it is a great book, ab- real identity of spirit only serves proved vocally by a number of the to strengthen the message of the other sponsors present at the book. It is a book that every spring convention.

teacher and every serious student That the educational dilemma is of democracy should read. C. E. Ayres.

All good I. L. P. C.'ers should know their officers for this year. Let me introduce them: Mary Nell Gibson, Amarillo High School, president; Helen Jean Bond, Abi-

Boatright, Donald Day, Ed- Beverly Bolton, Austin High, secitors. Texas Folk-Lore Society retary. Publications, Number XVIII,

Personal Touches J. Frank Dobie, General Ed-Those of you who remember

itor. The Steck Company, Frances Mueller, assistant director Austin, Texas, 1943. of the I. L. P. C. in 1941-42, will HE number and variety of be interested to learn that she-L the stories which make up now Mrs. Danforth-is being this latest publication of the Texas bossed around by a three-week-old

L published its all-star high- tional and institutional, is of only by their vitality and spark- Mrs. Jane Harkrider Porter, sidering in making its selections the major forces of western civ- the story of the old buffalo-skin- taken over direction of The Austin + only times, heights and dis- ilization, religious, economic, and ner, now eighty-five years old, Maroon. Miss Margaret Grasty, features which are quite remark- such figures as Comenius, Locke, a scholarly article on a classic of For a number of years we have able: (1) no member of this team Rousseau, and Dewey to represent hillbilly humor, The Arkansas been accustomed to seeing her is over 18 years of age; and (2) the conflicting forces that have Traveler. Mody C. Boatright name as sponsor of one of the three of the selections are from been at work and to epitomize the delves into the Davy Crockett few weeklies remaining among Texas. Only one other state got successive crises through which almanacs of 1835-1850 for tales our high-school papers: The El three positions: Illinois. The ma- the modern world has passed and of the legendary backwoods back- Paso Tattler. Now, her name is woods belles of that day. Rip- no longer on the masthead. We roaring females they were, often wish her well wherever she may lacking an eye or a leg, who could, have gone. Missing her does not however, outscream a catamount lessen the warmth with which the or wrestle a crocodile down, skin I. L. P. C. greets her successor: a bear to make a new petticoat or Mrs. Edith Odom.

laugh so loud that it set the cider | 20 Years-and Going Strong wildcat steaks and fried rattle- mimeographed Heart's Delight of snakes. Homely as they were, Falfurrias High School. Beginpromise. The two attitudes are they could "put a hole in any ning its twentieth year of pub-There must be no criticism of "a effect by Comenius, the Czech One of these charmers, being "a nounces itself the oldest mimeogeneral, recognized and pursued bishop and educational leader who true daughter of Kentucky, hated graphed school newspaper in THERE is a lot of loose talk in some quarters about abol-ishing competitions. Usually this means abolishing only cover the oldest continuously pub-

Charles F. Arrowood hands in lished school paper in the State. ... For three and a half cen- life. William H. Vann's two negro volumes a year; and at this rate turies we have been struggling tales and Fermina Guerra's Mexi- the paper would be 23 years old. can animal tales will appeal to How old is your paper? If it tops many. The list of contributors 23, be sure to write to us.

is long and their stories varied Miss Laura Sheridan's Pony Nevertheless, Meiklejohn is no and all are interesting. The re- Express of Newman High School, backward-yearner. Appalled by viewer must mention, however, Sweetwater, announces in its first the present disorders a number of the delightful group of anecdotes issue that it will be a monthly this people who ought to know better about lawyers by Lloyd E. Price year instead of a semi-monthly. have taken to looking back to and the side-splitting story of the The war situation has forced a stage of culture, can we not truth- medieval civilization with nostal- practical joke played by David number of our papers into a sim-How can a publication offset the

lag in reader interest that results from a less-frequent publication and therefore less timeliness to all the news?

more emphasis on such a pro-

A few

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be done by the teachers; the examining by an outside and independent authority.

CORRESPONDENT suggests that we should have a A "swap column" in the LEAGUER. Schools have difficulty in getting money to advertise and often have property or equipment for sale or exchange. The LEAGUER goes to every school in the state and hence is a logical medium for such an "exchange" or "swap" column. Desks, globes, gym equipment, in short, anything the school has in excess and wants to exchange with another school would go into the disruption of school life and county meet had been cancelled, column. We're not prepared to make a definite offer of resulting "officially sanctioned and that the children who usually space, because we don't know how much space would be truancy." Even where schools represented the school were great demanded, but we are willing to open up a column (as a have continued to operate in ly disappointed, and were very service, no charge) and see what will happen. To get into safe areas, systems have been restless. Then she went on to ask the next month's issue, items would have to be submitted disorganized by calling up anyway. Was it the war? Fifby the 25th of the current month. Of course, only very capable teachers for active teen of her boys had been caught condensed descriptions could be used. service.

"mob" to be one of the functions of the cheering sec-mistake and one for which Eng-women teachers. tions at American school games. At least it works out that | land will pay for a generation.- The draft is making great inway sometimes. On one occasion a great snake dance had Mm. H. Stoneman, Chicago Daily roads upon the young men, espebeen planned by the home school between halves. It hap- News, London Bureau. pened to be a rainy day and the "dance" of a thousand students over the field would have torn the turf of the field all to pieces. When the announcement was made that the land. We in America are faced Older brothers and sisters are faced Older brothers and sisters are faced Older brothers and sisters are faced of the state of t snake dance was called off, there were signs of imminent with an even greater revolt, as re- leaving the home; young men with ing any League honors in basket- erations by the conflict of opposrebellion. However, the Principal went into a huddle with cent studies have conclusively the willingness and talent for ball for the 1944 basketball season ing interests and that we shall paper was eligible for considerathe cheer-leader, explained the reasons for the change of shown. In our opinion, Mr. Stone- leadership in such organizations on account of using two basketball be healed-educationally and culprogram, and when the cheer-leader explained the matter ham has diagnosed the cause of as the boy scouts are being called players in interschool games who to the "mob," there was not a single protest. How differently the "mob" acted when a rain caused the postpone- We overheard yesterday a fam- similar organizations are being Note that this penalty is not sus- uneasy and temporary compromise ment of a bull fight in Mexico City was recounted in our ily quarrel, and repeat it because drafted more and more by social pension, and any League school is but to the real team-work of compresence a few years ago by one of the great educators of it is symptomatic of one of the pressure into war work. Mexico. It seems that a light rain fell shortly before the problems with which we, as shepfight was to begin, making the field so slippery as to be herds of youth, are having to the greatest demand for steady very dangerous for the bull fighters who refused to per-form. When the delay was appounded the around because of the family car. His youth, there is less and less of form. When the delay was announced, the crowd became father was quite bitter about it. such leadership available. so furious as to be unmanageable. Seats were torn up, the One word brought on another Great Britain also dropped lives of the managers threatened, and before the police until the youth threatened to leave everything except so-called war could suppress the uprising, several people had been killed. home. What they needed here, perhaps, was a disciplined rooting-section. a living.

WE rarely object to headlines in state papers, or indeed, lars a day in an airplane factory to any remarks reporters or editors may make about Interscholastic League. Usually they are quite favor-months" the Interscholastic League. Usually they are quite favor- months." able, and always they are well-intentioned. But there is an implication in a headline in The Daily Times Herald (Dallas), September 26 ssue, which we feel that we must mothers have had on youth, the of transportation, and this makes career of educational leader- face these issues. But this is a (Dallas), September 26 ssue, which we reel that we must correct. It reads "Interscholastic League Publication Opens Any boy or girl of sixteen or limited scale. Experience has Campaign to have Scholarship Rule Killed." Quite the re- eighteen can get a job and make proved that the more restless and sonal charm. But this book is from proceeding to deal with them verse; if we felt there was any danger of having the his own way, easily.

promote and encourage those which call for strenuous men are bending every effort to helped to do so by the fact that effort on the part of the pupil in order to win distinction turn out a better airplane or a John Dewey, whom they all rein some field of worthwhile endeavor.

Quote & Comment

MUCH of Britain's rise in juvenile crime and de-A Troubled Teacher

We had a letter last spring from linquency has been due to the a troubled teacher, the principal by the sheriff shooting craps with

It is natural for the more red- negroes. Then there had been blooded type of teacher to try to some very nasty letters written by WE have conceived the control and discipling of the enlist, and in this country he was some of the older boys and passed allowed to do so. It was a sad around slandering two of her

Juvenile Delinquency

cially the coaches, in our schools; and more remunerative employ-And this problem of juvenile ment, is taking away many of our delinquency is not confined to Eng- most capable women.

Thus, in a time when there is ball with this school.

work in the first year and a half His father in sarcastic vein of the war, with the result that

asked him what he would do for reform schools overflowed and

"Living," sneered the youth, cent. League Can Help

"living! why I can make five dol-Now the Interscholastic League

His father backed down.

better tank than a rival manufac- gard as the arch-betrayer of modturing plant-everywhere we find ern thought, is likewise so charged human beings putting forth their by Doctor Meiklejohn. This has best efforts in response to this incited followers of Dewey, such universal stimulus. It is only in as Sidney Hook and Ernest Nagel, the stale reflections of some of to retaliatory attack, an attack in the modern pedagogues that we which use is made of Meiklejohn's find competitions decried, and emphasis on "the state" to brand discontinue?" This question date of publication.

Suspension in Football

criticized.

declared the player ineligible.

Disgualification

free to contract games of basket- mon understanding. This, he Christmas."

juvenile delinquency rose 50 per Education Between Two Worlds. omitted to the actual improvement By Alexander Meiklejohn,

ecutives and teachers, it can help. League contests have been granted Doctor Meiklejohn owing to One string that fathers and special concessions in the matter its author's extraordinary thinking that Dewey has failed to

HIGH SCHOOL usable. It may be possible for the staff of the paper to arrange a PRESS weekly broadcast of school news over the school radio system: or if this is already done, to place

(By Dr. DeWitt Reddick) WILL wartime problems gram. Thus the monthly issue of the paper will be free to concen-

force the I. L. P. C to trate on news most timely to the

L. G. B.

their use in the schools adversely him as a fascist. It would be hard was asked by the sponsor of To stimulate emphasis further to say who has done him the a school paper in the first let-to build at least one page around greater wrong, his intended ter we received this school one particular topic as an outfriends or his supposed enemies. vear. standing feature of that issue.

> No. The I. L. P. C. will not These topics could range widely Certainly Meiklejohn is no fascist. He does recognize, as we discontinue. In reality, now that from such human interest subject all must, that the state has more the going is tougher for many as interesting hobbies to a sumor less completely replaced the Texas high-school papers, it may mary survey of exes in the church as the source of education be that we can be of more serv- services.

and the focus of modern life. But ice than usual in helping the staffs In some schools it may be poshis conception of the state is of those papers to meet their sible to make effective use of type-ENEHA HIGH SCHOOL was taken from Rousseau, not Hitler problems. This opening gun of the written news bulletins, thumbsuspended in football for the or Hegel. By "the state" he means 1943-44 I. L. P. C. season, then, tacked to strategic bulletin boards. 1943 football season by action of the people, acting in voluntary con- is aimed at urging you to write Two big dangers confront the the State Executive Committee for cert. He does glorify this whole to us about your problems. If we staff of any paper which goes on using a football player in an inter- conception of voluntary, concerted, know what they are, perhaps we a less frequent publication schedule: (1) The staff might think

Fewer Issues Needed that they have less work to do One important change in this and in consequence let their work

promise between conflicting inter- year's I. L. P. C. rules has been slide to the last minute; (2) the ests. His whole idea is that we made as a concession to war. In paper, in an effort to cover all LADEWATER High School have been torn apart, intellectu- previous years eight issues of a news between issues may become lished before March 1 before that planning can offset these dangers. themselves to girl scouts and Committee to have been ineligible. interests and brought them not to paper must publish at least six again this year. Be sure to reissues before March 1, three of turn your enrollment card prompt-

This change resulted from the send you information about the recommendation made last spring Conference.

Debate Handbook Now Available

Re-Constituting the League of Nations, debate handbook, 60 cents per copy (1943), 200 pages.

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The attack on Dewey is indeed

regrettable. But it is not fatal. For one thing, the entire part in which it is developed can be

of the unity of the book. But New York: Harper and thoughtul readers will nevertheless find its study rewarding. In

life and in education!

sues which are raised by Dewey's philosophy. He is wrong only in negative error-one which does not prevent Doctor Meiklejohn hard-to-control pupils can often be more than a reflection of an himself quite in the Dewey spirit

thinks, is the real democracy; and

before anyone decides that he is

wrong, let him read the chapters on reasonablesness in community

The Attack on Dewey

school game after the District and reasonable action of the peo- can help you to meet them.

Committee having jurisdiction had ple. But he does so in opposition to the shopkeeping spirit of com-

Roll Call of Five Winners 1939 State Meet Finds Each Engaged in Interesting and Essential Service



Virginia Gillean, First Place, Rural Ready Writers Contest, 1939. Louis Seliger, First Place, Boys' High School Declamation, 1939. Kathleen Bell and Betty Sue Mathis, First Place, Girls' Tennis Tracey Gage, First Place, Boys' Rural Declamation, 1939. Peoria School (Hillsboro). Doubles, 1939. Carrizo Springs High School. Mt. Joy School (Cooper). Borger High School.



included in our September list to read some of these up-to- Recommended for this year's bill. the-minute plays at an early date.

The following are three-act plays:

Ask Me Another (R) Belles in Waiting (R) Family Tree (R) Leave to Marry (R) Maybe Love (R) Sneak Date (R) Thumbs UP (R)

The consignment included the following one-act plays: Dickens' Christmas Carol (NR) Grenachika (R) Importance of Being Earnest, The 3-act, 75 cents. (NR)

In My Name (NR) te Holiday (NR.)

are out of their teens. The ounger generation proves its mettle and saves the local music ompany after a series of comic near disasters. It's a budget play ith no production problems.

Jane Eyre. By Helen Jerome. her through. And, by the way, up a little. He advised retrain-French, Roy. on application, Miss Wood is very much inter- ing her to be left-handed. She 8m10w, drama, 3-act, 75 cents. A masterpiece of literature ad- me and would like very much to did make adjustments. Eventually edge about these matters or of enmirably adapted to stage produc- have some for her classroom. I she let the left hand predominate

CONSIGNMENT of plays two and it equals this lively new show and want to offer your stu-school. A reached us too late to be mystery-melodrama. The play dents a challenge in characterizaopens with a prologue and then tion, by all means consider this takes the audience back over the play. Miss Jerome has caught the of new plays received from events that haunt the cabin. The spirit of the original and has Row-Peterson. You will want dialogue is alive and modern. written a believable script.

> A Girl, A Guy, and a Gob. By William Thorpe. Longmans Patrick. Dramatists Play Service, to me. I remember he said there born teacher who recognized her standing on the part of the people By William Inorpe. Longmans Green, Roy. on application, 6m8w, Roy. \$25, 7m5w, drama, 3-act, 75 were two distinct types of mind,— talent and brought it out. We of the problems inevitably involved Paris Junior College, and con-Until then, I had lived most of my cents. comedy, 3-act, 75 cents.

It's the guy, not the gob, who gets the girl in this modern com- that has much to recommend it the type that seemed always to have discovered and I would through the dissemination of maedy. The prologue may be omitted outside of New York. The play have to take time to evolve. Of imagine mental arithmetic would terial, arguments, and proposals to leave only one set-that of an centers around two sisters who course there are always combina- always be difficult for them. My through nationwide discussion can office. It shouldn't be difficult to love the same man and the ensuitions of these types, too. That is older girl was the quick type and this education of the public take do from a directing, acting or pro- ing tragedy which rises out of it. why so many IQ tests are not a her achievements were always place. And the presentation of duction standpoint.

Vreeland. Longmans Green, Roy. trained group of actors, don't hesi- quick at an early age. on application, 6m9w, comedy, tate to consider this play.

The young Smiths find marriage Rebecca. By Daphne DeMau- and said, 'Mother, could you faint what she learned for life. a stormy process, but are relieved rier. Dramatists Play Service, at an examination?' 'Of course, of it when they receive word their Roy. \$25, 7m3w, drama, 3-act, 75 marriage was not legal. It takes cents.

— School Methods — (Coninued from P. 1)

Questions IQ Tests

"I happened to have a very fine she ever had would have predicted psychology professor in college. such a future for her!

slant was always from the medi- terested in taking an art course. on their role in the making of a The Willow and I. By John cal point of view which appealed She happened upon a natural- better world. Only with an under- Honey one which would get a thing very really do have to treat visual-in making the peace, can there be a tinued her competitive work in life on a large, independent ranch, This a recent Broadway success quickly or probably not at all, and minded children differently, as I fair, just and lasting peace. Only It's extremely well written with good evaluation of a child. The more spectacular and that nat- this necessary material can best be keen understanding of human child who develops slowly may far urally discouraged the younger done by the widespread use of high-Mr. and Mrs. Smith. By Frank emotions. If you have a well- surpass the child who is very one. But while Dorothea was school debate on the post-war topic. learning and forgetting and re-

"When Virginia was in about the learning, Virginia was absorbing istrators and teachers let me add fifth grade she came home one day much more slowly but retaining an extra word. It is your duty to

Well, at a test they had been

done with her right hand. I got world. In order to achieve a durin touch with the professor men- able peace, it is vitally necessary tioned in the newspaper who was that all the people know the bases teaching at University of South- of such a peace, that they know didn't get the point or was not ern California and his tests dis- and discuss various ways of achiev-

ent because she was very slow handed and definitely right-eyed. to intelligent discussions of the when she came to geometry. Only This was causing some confusion problems of making and keeping Miss Wood's great patience got and slowing her mental processes the peace.

High-School Debates Educate

It seems to me that there is no ested in the articles you sent to never really was retrained but she better way of distributing knowltion. If you can do a costume have loaned mine to the private and finally took her Master's De- than through the medium of highgree in Industrial Design, gradu- school debates and discussions ating Cum Laude. Not one teacher Disregarding for the present the He was educated to be a physi- "It wasn't until her Senior year school speech events, there is no it is:

cian but preferred teaching. His in college that she even got in- better way of educating the public ning second place. After a year in college, on her eighteenth birthday, she went to work for the War Department in To those of you who are admin-

see to it that not only the present generation is well educated in mat-ters of world concern, but also that

Two Speech Winners 1939 Now in Army Radio Work

ready for it or was just indiffer-closed that she was definitely left-ing such a peace, that they listen the Rural Declamation Winner Carries on in College and Places 2nd in State Junior College Oratory; Tennis Girls Qualify for Secretarial Service

> ERE is a group of high-school students of 1939, selected at random from among the winners of the Interschocouraging thought on these matters lastic League State Meet that year. They are from different parts of the state, competed in different fields, including athletics and literary, and there are two boys and inevitable good that will accrue to three girls. What became of them? We thought after the participants in these high- four years it would make an interesting story, and here

Virginia Gillean

Following graduation from the friendships that sprang up from Grove High School, in them, and the contests themselves 1941, Virginia Gillean entered were deeply significant to me. Speech, winning the College Radio and knew very little of mingling contest and also the contest in with large groups, other than such oratory. In the latter event, she as were found in the small towns represented the College in the where I attended school and later State Junior College contest, win- lived."

Her father, Claude Mathis, re sides in Carrizo Springs.

Kathleen Bell

Kathleen Bell comes from one the payroll section of Civilian of the old pioneer families of the Personnel office at Camp Maxey. Carrizo' Springs section. She was Last December she married Sgt. graduated from Carrizo Springs

secretarial work. She was em-

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ext Time Blue (NR) Promised One, The (Pageant)

Rivals, The (NR) Salvage Mongers, The (NR) They Also Serve (R) (Pageant) Time for Everything (R) Voice of America, The (R) (Pageant)

The symbol "R" means "Royalty," and "NR" means "Non- Vreeland. Longmans Green, Roy. Royalty."

The Importance of Being Ear- You will, perhaps, remember the St., Boston, Mass. nest, Dickens' Christmas Carol, movie of the same name whose and The Rivals are excellent chief claim to fame lay in the Van Buren St., Chicago, Ill. adaptations of theater classics in surrealistic "dream sequences." one-act. Playing time is limited In adapting this take of a girl, a 39th St., New York. to forty minutes and production rich man, an ambitious man, and problems are cut to a minimum. a happy man, Mr. Vreeland has 45th St., New York. The style and flavor of the period simplified the dreams without loshave not been lost in these ing the fun therein. Typical famabridged editions; hence each play ily characterizations, none of offers excellent educational as well which are particularly difficult. as theatrical opportunities for (The three preceding plays by

director, actor and technical workers. More detailed reviews of Longmans Green are comedies

Goodrich & Hackett. Dramatic tended only for the use of the di-Publishing Co., Roy. on applica- rector, and an "Actor's Script," tion, 5m7w, comedy, 3-act, 75 also for his use alone. The two An amusing play about a Louis- tion and production of any of cents.

iana family, living a precarious, these plays.) happy-go-lucky existence on the Shubert Alley. By Mel Dinelli. edge of a swamp. The people in Baker, Roy. \$25. 19w, comedythe play are a lot of fun to char- drama, 3-act, 75 cents. acterize and not beyond the scope The "success story" of Christina of the high-school actor. The sin- Holt in attaining her theatrical gle exterior set can be contrived ambitions. Each scene reveals anfairly easily and should be an in- other rung on the ladder and interesting challenge to the director. troduces the several women who

The Eve of St. Mark. By Max-well Anderson. Dramatic Publish-listic ing Co., Roy. on application, simply to maintain the pace of 13m8w, drama, 3-act, 75 cents. The timeliness and emotional

selves well to production this year. Baker, Non-roy., 4m5w, comedy, Sam Houston High School. available to speak on the War this school cannot shape the destiny Each month the column will con-

as the learning takes him to the last hours on Battan. Although in catastrophe for him and his last of the state desire the to the borrower at the time the borrower at the borrower at the time the borrower at the tin the borrower at the time the 's written in several scenes, the family. An extremely simple play ous speech, declamation and settings can be simplified to sug- to produce. A comedy of adoles- debate. As we do not have gestion only. It will, however, re-gestion only. It will, however, re-cence which depends in large an auditorium, we will not speaker system which reaches or not your school encourages discussed. This should help some-interscholastic League Tennis, Sue which gives complete details conquire careful and skillful cutting. measure on situations for its take part in dramatics. humor.

Nine Girls. By Wilfrid Pettit.

Dramatic Publishing Co., Roy. on application, 9w, drama, 3-act, 75 Ruth Lorac. French, Non-roy., declaimers and extemporaneous grams, announcements and dra- destiny of the world." The prob- umn is yours and that sugges- that year will always remain a All inquiries should be addressed 6m9w. comedy, 3-act, 60 cents. cents.

Take nine girls, plus a lonely

(NR) the next two acts and a series of An adaptation of the DuMaurier marked down 'No.' Somewhat ircomic situations to prove that novel which can be highly recom- ritated, knowing she always was they belong to each other-only to mended for advanced groups. The more or less a failure at IQ learn that a second error had been mood and emotional tone of the tests, I asked her why she said made and the legality of their play depend on careful use of the that. 'But, Mother,' she answered, marriage couldn't be questioned. actor's and director's media. The 'that's no time to faint.' The ex-It's sophisticated, but can be fun. technical production should offer aminer didn't know her reason!

no difficulties. Tom, Dick and Harry. By Frank on application, 6m5w, comedy, 3act, 75 cents.

aid director and actor in concep-

influence the career of the young

the show. Recommended.

Dramatic Publishing Co., 59 E. Dramatists Play Service, 6 E. Samuel French, Inc., 25 West

Ave., New York.

Publishers' Addresses

Ave., Evanston, Ill.

these three plays and others listed above will appear in a later issue. based on motion pictures of the same titles. The publishers have The Great Big Doorstep. By a complete producing script in- Has Active Speech Dept. printed a "Director's Manuscript,"

Sam Houston High School's debate coach Miss Helen Batte. It touches upon quite a number of the problems confronting speech teachers. Note that the debating class is being used to train debaters and extemporaneous speech contestants; that a captain of the debate squad has been selected; that work is now in progress; that a Victory Speakers Bureau is organized and functioning.-Editor.

Debate Class

Written specifically for students at the last period of the day and we are not so situated that we solved merely by the intuition of are always welcome. Please feel it bring honors which are still a League, Box H, University Stasorority cabin, add a murder or of junior high school or high- is a class full of students who can have assembly programs. the leaders of the nations of the free to write at any time.

asked that question and she had DEBATE FORUM By Edd Miller

Left-Handedness

arm and was in extension for the rights of multi due of the rights of the r

are burning with ambition.

Radio Practice

this regard cannot be doubted. Despite obvious hardships in trans-

A T NO time in recent years portation, manpower, etc., you the army, stationed at her husband at Camp Crowley, has there been such wide- cannot afford to let debate as a Field, Illinois, specializing in radio her husband at Camp Crowley, Hampton, Virginia. spread interest in the future school activity die out of the work. On graduation from the Hampton, Virginia. "But just as I learned about of the world and of civiliza- school's program. The function Borger High School he entered your articles on geometry, I tion as there is right now. learned another interesting and Boople in overw notion of the Walter H. Baker, 178 Tremont learned another interesting and People in every nation of the every effort should be made to en- ated with honors last June. Durpaper notice some years ago. I world are watching with in- hance its value, not destroy it. It ing his university career, he parhad a suspicion this girl was left- tense interest the unfolding is both a matter of patriotism and ticipated in debate, and his team handed when she was very small of the battle strategy of the just plain common sense to keep won many honors. His parents, major publishing companies.

but she learned to write with her right hand in kindergarten, so I previously held out little or no right hand in kindergarten, so I dismissed the idea. When she was about ten she had a badly broken hope for a free world where Dorothy Thompson on this point: Longmans Green & Co., 55 Fifth arm and was in extension for the rights of man were re- "There are two fronts in this grades offered in Peoria Rural wish to use, the kind of audience

Row-Peterson Co., 1911 Ridge she drew very well with her left ing their heads with hope and expressed in terms of fighting and school and spent one year in hand, something she had never looking to the United Nations working men, defined as 'man- Hillsboro Junior College. From

for leadership. Now that victory seems to be as- ducing energy, together with the majoring in Mechanical Engisured to our armed forces, the whole strategy of organizing, pro- neering, he enlisted in the United you. Perhaps the best way to people of the world are beginning ducing, training, moving and fight- States Marine Corps, and is now to look beyond the cessation of ing.

hostilities to the making of peace. Hence, no question is so vital, so composed of men, not as units of says it is his ambition, when the Here is a lively letter from have fertile ideas, interesting per- paramount in the minds of all as energy, but as sentient creatures, war is over, to return to A. & M. which seem to fit your situation. sonalities and a will to work. Our the question of post-war recon-debate captain this year is Joseph struction. What are the bases of a Nelkin who, with his colleague durable peace? What sort of peace and arms, are dedicated. This, the dress of his mother, Mrs. J. R. tion of plays. We have some very last year, won second place in plan will be presented by the vic- political front, alone gives sense Gage, is R.R. 2, Hillsboro, Texas. good books on simplified lighting, boy's debate in the Houston meet. torious nations? These are ques- and meaning to the material front,

Our co-captain is Billie Jean Mc- tions which are of immense concern which is its instrument. "The material front cannot live Coy, who last year won city, dis- to everyone.

taken part in many local debate construction. Our discussions cease live without ideas. If they are in the district meet. After grad- elementary grades to business tournaments. The rest of the class to be merely an opportunity and lacking, war is meaningless." is composed of new speakers who become, in reality, a duty. Some "Forum" Will Analyze Question School, Sue entered North Texas used as texts in the larger schools.

WE HAVE a very active At present we are organizing a make whether or not our school round as practical and useful as half. She then took a business victory Speakers' Bureau through sends out debaters to argue on postspeech department in which 15 or 20 students will be war plans? Four debaters from be something a little different. course and served as Red Cross The only cost to you for our We intend to take part in the Chest Campaign and for any other of the world. Such arguments are tain a discussion of some phase of Chest Campaign and for any other of the world. the meaning of a democratic life Rodney Wells, Jr., becomes Interscholastic League activi- patriotic cause at clubs, churches the debate question. Next month, the debate question. Next month, the aware of life and it almost ends. national discussion of the problems etc. In following months, matters summer in the University of must be refunded to the library.

In our school we have a loud- makes a lot of difference whether and to the negative case will be every room in the building. Stu- debaters to talk about post-war what in organizing and prepar- writes:

Louisiana, where she retains her Houston, preparing herself for the coming generation knows this position in the Civilian Personnel subject thoroughly. It becomes office. Her father, Elmer Gillean, ployed for several years at the your solemn duty therefore, to enresides at Honey Grove, Texas. courage an activity whose value in

Louis Seliger

Tracy Gage

School, entered Hillsboro High you will have, the number of charpower,' units of fighting and pro- Texas A. & M., where he was in training as a radio engineer "The other is the spiritual front, at U.S.A.C., Logan, Utah. Tracy and after reading their descrip-

Sue Mathis tried to repeat her which will be helpful for amateur without material, in all its form. state championship tennis perform- directors. There are also several declamation, and who went to Once again, debaters all over the If the material fails, the war is ance during her senior year in high good histories of the theater. school, but encountered competi- The speech books cover the field "But the political front cannot tion which was a little too stiff completely, from speech in the uation from Carrizo Springs High speech. Many of these books are

Young, Willing and Able. By Our debate class (in which the from time to time present pro- mendous amount in "shaping the however, let me say that this col- in many directions since 1939, but day is made for overdue material. speakers are also trained) meets matic skits over this system, but lems of a lasting peace cannot be tions, comments, questions, etc., highlight in my life. Not only did to the University Interscholastic source of pride, but the trips, the tion, Austin 12, Texas.

Greyhound Bus Terminal in Houston, until her marriage in May, Louis Seliger is at present in 1943, to Lieutenant Terry W. T NO time in recent years portation, manpower, etc., you the army, stationed at Scott's La Grone. She is now living with

> — Drama Loan – (Coninued from P. 1)

Tracy Gage, after finishing the please state the type of play you or not you can pay a royalty. length of play, and any other information which will help us in making a suitable selection for choose plays to read is to secure the catalogues of the publishers, tions order those titles from us costume, and make-up, all of

Sue Mathis

may ask, what difference does it In order to make the Debate State Teachers College at Denton, We also have a number of good

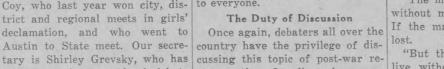
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cerning the handling of the ma-"I have broadened my horizons terial. A charge of 5 cents per

dents from the speech department plans. Your debaters can do a tre- ing the debate cases. One again,

At present we are organizing a make whether or not our school Forum as practical and useful as where she spent a year and a books on speech correction.

of post-war reconstruction. It pertaining to the affirmative case Southern California.



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Texas High School Coaches Association--News and Notes

(By W. C. O. Harris, 3001 Cockrell St., Ft. Worth, Texas)

THE OFFICERS elected for 1943-44 at the Waco meet-awarded 2 points." any fundamental errors. In the most general te

ing in August were: W. C. O. Note: An official record is kept proposals sought to minimize or Harris, Fort Worth, Presi- of the score and statistics of each destroy competitions in fields not dent, Howard Lynch, Ama-contesting coaches. This is filed rillo, Vice-President, and Bill with the secretary of the district Carmichael, Bryan, Executive executive committee.

Secretary. The new directors are Eck Curtis, Breckenridge, Austin Maroons Keep Harold Dement, Galena Park, P. E. Shotwell, Longview, Bud Up with Services Exes McCollum, Midland, and

tonio.

burg. A vote of appreciation is ex- Maroons, last year's State eration) and are designed to retended to the retiring members of Championship Team: directorate of the association for the fine work and the many con-that we've coached in the last few In order to find out how these Brooks Conover, Orange, has gone They are very anxious for news into the armed service, Clyde Gott, from the football team. In fact Fort Stockton, have been pro- found it impossible to answer all tired to his ranch.

In Service

in the Army stationed in Hawaii. It is simply headed-'Dear ex-Fort Worth, leaves for the Navy tion for it. October 13. He is the third head "They are mailed out to 40 now service. Blanard Spearman was the lopes, the mimeographing and class-room instruction. first to go, then Wilson Groseclose, addressing being done by a stulough. Smitty starred at Oklahoma University and coached at Diamond Hill High School, Fort eign service in care of the New Worth, before entering the service. York Postmaster and also care of

Tie Game Rule

Does your District have a plan cisco. The idea is being financed for deciding the championship in by my Gridiron Club-a club that case of a tie? Most districts have all of them belonged to while they a definite plan and much hard were in school. feeling can be avoided if such reg- "We got their service addresses ulations are made in advance by in this way. First I appointed follow: the district executive committee. committees of about three boys for

clear-cut winner in District 8." they could. Then I gave the story meets, schools of the same size But, they have this rule, "We to the local newspaper and asked

"House Plan" Rewards High Scholarship (Coninued from P. 1)

The Texas High-School Coaches Associa-ion conducts this column through its cor-respondent, Mr. Harris. Officers of the Association are: Harry Stieler, Waco, President; W. C. O. Harris, Fort Worth, Vice-President; Bill Carmichael, Bryan, Secretary-Treasurer.—Editor. tions, or the greatest of first downs—in that order—in (only) games played with other teams in-volved in the tie. Illustration of to a contemporary account of convolved in the tie. Illustration of to a contemporary account of conhighest aggregate number of ditions in this ancient New Engpoints, determined by the differ- land institution, and see whether ences of the scores: Team A or not the "blueprint" contained

In the most general terms, the considered worthwhile and, at the

increasing physical fitness, and providing the incentive for a strenuous endeavor in such worth- what money they filled is behind the expenditure of this public speaking, etc.

National Scholarships

George Forehand, San An- THE following interesting ery for inducing effort and dis-full expense for board, room, tui-ucation as the basis for this plan. tions, including the House Plan, method of keeping in touch covering exceptional talent, we tion, clothing, books, etc., depend- He thinks of it as, in Jefferson's affected the fraternities, which, have the National Scholarships ing upon financial need. Students words, 'culling from every condi- we understand, were formerly The directors that have another with the ex-team members begun by President Conant. These who do not need financial aid are tion of our people the natural quite a problem? year to serve are Ted Jeffries, now in the service comes to amount to a nation-wide competi-awarded scholarships, but these aristocracy of talent and virtue Reply: "I have heard that fra-School (Fl Paso): (5) R L Wichita Falls, Harry Stiteler, this column from Standard tion in scholarship (with certain are entirely honorary, involving and preparing it by education at ternities exist there, but during School (El Paso); (5) R. L. Shorman: (6) Jack R.

Second question: On what basis classes in society unable financi-"As you realize most of the boys ally to send their sons to Harvard. are scholarships awarded? tributions they have made to the years are now wearing the uniform plans were working out in actual ships are awarded on the basis of Reply: "The National Scholardevelopment of our association. of some branch of the service. practice, we selected a Texas boy competitive examinations and in-

into the armed service, Clyde Gott, from the football team. In fact San Antonio, and Clyde Park, they wrote to me so often that I Slide Rule Contest Rules moted to administrative jobs in their schools. Mac Miller has re-and still have time for any Adopted for 1943-44 Meets coaching. So I hit upon the idea of mimeographing them a letter SLIDE RULE Contest rules have been formulated, and contestant. From the gross grade

Ed Hennig, Tyler, is a Captain each week and sending it to them. It is simply headed—'Dear ex-many mathematics teachers each problem not solved or Bill Bushman Dallas, is overseas, Maroon' and signed with a stylus are at work training pupils skipped. Those problems occur-Charley Lindsay, Gainesville, is -but it gets the job done. I say in the use of this interesting ring after the last problem solved stipend should be so large that no and the like. The staff of the with Hennig in Hawaii. P. B. this because I've heard from lots of and useful mechanism. Some or attempted are not considered Stovall, Paschal High School, the boys expressing their apprecia- are undertaking the study as skipped, and hence no deduction

a club project and some are for them is made. Second place coach from this school to enter the on list in "postage saver" enve- giving it as a part of regular next highest net grade, third place

The rules for the contest have An illegible figure shall be con-

Scattered Over World "They are in fifteen states, for-

lar is being prepared by a compethe Fleet Postoffice in San Frantent authority embodying many helpful suggestions for the teacher | required. who is ambitious to present the best form.

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in Harvard as a graduate student. University." Our first question: What are

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"This would give an average of tire enrollment. But the figure does not tell very much, because

it does not include the numerous some work for the University. same time, turn the competitive without exception graduate studrive into building up scholarship, dents, and many instructors are

(the total number was 1,286), but A Nationwide Search for Talent what money they receive is enarships operate on the 'sliding vast amount of money for stuscale' principle-that is, the dents?

Superimposed upon this machin- vary from almost nothing to his Thomas Jefferson's theories of ed- How have these various competi-

cruit intellectual ability from

Basis for Awards

be valuable education. 'As long as the way to a first-rate to persecute them.

talented youth is deprived of an daily paper, the Crimson, and that education.'"

Houses for Upper Classmen Fifth question: What students sense that one has to be invited goes to the contestant making the ccupy the "Houses"?

to the next highest, and so on. Reply: "All Freshmen live in dormitories in Harvard Yard and bers. now Stovall. Chief Petty Officer dent in the commercial depart- been made available as a mimeo- sidered an error, and the same din- have their meals at the same din- have their meals at the same din-

more readily available. A circu- Constitution and Rules.

7. Directions for Grading .- the House they prefer." 1. Only three place accuracy is

slide rule to her classes in the the first significant digit, five for "Houses"?

rector of the Dallas Public responsible for getting the ad-High Schools. (Note, however, the decimal point, provided the plication, but of course enough spicuous. Schools, says: "We are fortunate dresses of the boys on that year's that High Schools are divided first significant figure is correct. applicants must be accepted to fill "The houses actually serve all W. J. Holloway, Port Neches; (27)

(6) (0.25) $(2.4)^2 (\sqrt{3})$ compete one with another.) 14.7, 14.8, 14.9, 15.0, 15.1.

who recently completed four years terviews by representatives of the approval. A student who gradu- We differ from other states in ates with a summa cum laude au- regarding the man who holds Third question: How many tomatically gets a fellowship from aloof from public life not as quiet these National Scholarships worth? scholarships are there, how long the graduate school if he wants but as useless. We decide or de-Reply: "Following is a state- do they run, and to what geo- to enter; in some cases such a bate carefully and in persons all ment of the business office as of graphical areas are they limited? student would be given a travel- matters of policy holding not that Reply: "I do not know exactly ing fellowship to go abroad the words and deeds go ill together,

how many there are now-at a year after graduation."

them eventually, providing for all substantial awards? about \$67 per capita for the en- expenses. Once awarded, the schol- Reply: "The 'gravy' is not unarship runs for four years unless limited in quantity, and it goes the student fails to live up to to a relatively small fraction of the expectations. Emphasis is placed student-body. There are plenty of fellowships, etc., which involve on boys from the West and, to a just ordinary boys around, and less extent, the South-i.e., the the belief that a gentleman's Tutors and fellows are almost grants are intended to make Har- grade is a 'C' is not entirely dead vard less regional and more na- there. But there is more respect tional in its student body." for brains and more competition in academic work than there is

> any other place I know of." Fourth question: What theory Effects on Fraternities

amount paid to the student may Reply: "Conant has often quoted enters chiefly in the fraternities. indicated:

the public expense for the care several years at the place I never Speer, Sherman; (6) Jack R. of the public concern.' Conant saw a fraternity house or a fra- Ryan, McKinney; (7) Principal wants boys of varied geographical ternity pin, nor did I hear anyone O. D. Wyatt, Paschal High School backgrounds and from every eco- refer to any activity of a fra- (Fort Worth); (8) Principal nomic level to mingle in the ternity. I judge, therefore, that Wyle A. Parker, Forest Avenue Houses-he thinks the contact they play a very insignificant role High School (Dallas); (9) R. N. with varied points of view would in the life of the school, and are Cluck, Cisco; (10) George H.

for a number of our youths be- extent take the place of fraterni- High School (Houston); (14) cause of the accidents of birth, ties. These are mostly luncheon Principal R. B. Sparks, Goose the promise implied in our widely clubs-that is, dining places where Creek; (15) Prin. T. Guy Rogers, developed democratic school sys- students eat lunch together, and Thos. Jefferson High School (San tem has not been fulfilled.' Con- some of these clubs have elab- Antonio); (16) Ben L. Brite, cerning the National Scholar- orate houses, club rooms with Brownsville.

tie of friendship among the mem-

graphed circular for some time, test for determining legibility ing hall. At the beginning of the "Some of the clubs are very Vestal, Dublin; (11) C. B. Breed- topography, rainfall, drainage, but the demand is growing, and shall be applied as is prescribed sophomore year most, but not all, ancient and very swank and ex- love, Haskell; (12) I. T. Graves, fauna and flora, natural resources, we are therefore publishing them in the spelling rules. (See "Note" enter the seven Houses. This sys- clusive: Porcellian and Hasty Crowell; (13) I. L. Green, Jacks- etc.

> Sixth question: Since there is taches to membership. They func- Farmersville; (17) Frank H. Mor- a brief historical résumé of prognot room for all, on what basis tion very much like fraternities gan, Commerce; (18) Ben Hines, 2. Five points are allowed for are students selected for the seven except there is no national hook- Kaufman; (19) M. F. Fleming,

the second, and five for the third. Reply: "A committee of that clubs is confined to a small frac- Linden; (21) S. O. Loving, Rules governing the contest But a range of five values is al- House, including both faculty and tion of the student-body—I should Sabine High School (Gladelowed for the third digit; any one students, interviews the applicant guess, not more than ten per water); (22) F. L. Singletary, Mr. P. C. Cobb, Athletic Di-each year back to 1938. They were one class in this contest, Senior one class i 1. Classes.—There shall be but of the five values may be accepted. and looks at his record. This Com- cent; and they, too, are, in the Carlisle High School (Price);

the available rooms in the house. the functions that are served by (26) V. W. Miller, Dayton; (27) 4.9 About ten per cent of the upper- fraternities at other schools. The J. E. Barden, Aldine High School The correct answer may be: classmen do not live in houses. houses give dances, maintain ath- (Houston); (28) O. A. Fleming, controls in taking on, chinomic and banking, spinning and This ten per cent includes two letic teams in intramural athletics, Freeport; (29) T. H. Jenkins, 14.9 is the most accurate, but groups-a small group of the ab- and so on. And there is social McGregor; (30) H. O. Whiteeach is allowed twenty-five points. solutely filthy rich who want to prestige in belonging to some hurst, Groesbeck; (31) E. T. First significant digit 1 gives 5 maintain swank apartments of houses rather than others. But in Robbins, Taylor; (32) W. M. niques of gliding and landing. points. Second significant digit 4 their own; and a much larger pro- view of the fact that eighty-five Campbell, San Saba; (33) Frank The Airplane Changes Our gives 5 points. Third significant portion of students whose grades or ninety per cent of all upper- W. Allenson, Brenham; (34) F. World Map. So. 1926: Portrays digit 9 gives 5 points. Decimal are so poor no house wants them classmen are in houses, there is C. Herndon, Rosenberg; (35) A. the problem of map projection or who for some personal reason not the same division into 'frat' O. Bird, Gonzales; (36) Terrell F. distortion; early maps and globes;

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but that acts are foredoomed to

1943 District Football Chairmen

I^N the following list of the dis-trict chairmen of football districts (separated into the various conferences), the numeral in pa- teachers and administrators rentheses represents the number informed on additions to the of the district, and the title of film library and facilitate Tenth question: In many col- the individual in each case is locating material for spec leges competition in social prestige "Superintendent" unless otherwise

Conference AA

(1) C. A. Cryer, Borger; (2) E. A. Sanders Quanah; (3) V. Z.

ner Frizzell, Palestine; (13)

Gene McCullough, Seagrave; (7) and Indian cultures. R. Henry Blackwell, Pecos; (8)

in the LEAGUER to make them to Instruction No. 4f, page 44, tem is managed by having the Pudding are the names of two of boro; (14) E. J. Criswell, Grand-Freshmen apply for admission to the most famous. These are ex- view; (15) L. A. Roberts, Grand pensive and a lot of prestige at- Prairie; (16) N. O. Wright, the Far Western States, including

up. But membership in these Mt. Vernon; (20) H. D. Boon,

Conference B

(24) J. F. Parnell, Jasper; (25) of airplane movements.

Problems of Flight. So. 1923: Describes the use of the pl

in the Middle States. Conference A The Southwestern States. So. (1) Knox Kinard, Hereford; 1930: Portrays aspects of life in (2) Chester Strickland, White the Southwestern States, with ref-

Deer; (3) W. C. Davis, Memphis; erence to the topography, rainfal (4) H. P. Clemens, Lockney; (5) and other characteristic features, T. E. McCollum, Levelland; (6) including the imprint of Spanish The Northwestern States. So.

The Far Western States. So. ress made in the use of resources in this great region.

Aerodynamics

Theory of Flight. So. 1924: Illustrates the physical laws as applied to forces acting on airfoils. Wind tunnel tests; control

ing. Correct and incorrect techmen and 'barbs' that obtains else- Gates, Burbank High School (San latitude and longitude; various the location of points on the celestial sphere.

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tion Bureau of The University of Texas presents a new service. The plan is to describe in the INTERSCHOLAS-TIC LEAGUER all new films that are purchased or loaned to the library for distribution to the schools of the state, and to list films related to certain topics or subjects that are of current interest. This will keep the occasions. We may also review briefly articles or items of interest in visual education. In this issue you will find films that have been released since 1941. in Regional Geography, Aerodynamics and Weather, all of them 16 mm. sound type and very fine

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probably kept on just in order to Gentry, Temple; (11) J. J.

"Some quotations from Conant: show that the school doesn't want Traughber, Gladewater; (12) Bon-University education is blocked "There are clubs that to some Principal G. A. Loescher, Austin

ships, he said in 1938 '... the books and magazines, game rooms, of the monthly magazine, the Lampoon, are really clubs—in the to join, and that there is a close

as one-half won and one-half a former Maroon to send it to me. ber-high school shall be permitted game lost. Then if two teams I also had many of them myself to enter a team of three in the finish in a tie, the one that de- from letters they'd written to me. Conference Meet. feated the other is declared the "The letter itself gives just the 3. Eligibility.-In addition to winner. If it is still a two or news about the team and school. I satisfying eligibility requirements

two teams that played a tie game, -the things you know he's in- the tenth, eleventh and twelfth they are declared co-champions, terested in. and a coin is tossed to decide who shall be district representative in the state play-off. All receipts from play-off games to be equally has some personal notes written 4. Contest Problems .-- The condivided between the two schools. in the following form entitled test problems shall be furnished points (net grades) made by the In case of a three-way tie a coin 'Personal Noes:' is tossed and a district representative is declared and the receipts mother today. She's fine and is velope which shall not be opened are split equally. District 7 had very proud of you and the fine rec- until the contestants are assembled highest wins the team-event, the something like wanting to get a three-way tie in 1942. all the time.'

District 15 AA Tie Rule

District 15 AA has a more involved system for deciding ties doing fine. Believe he will make for their district championship. another fine Maroon from your George Forehand sends in a copy family. Passing is improving. of minutes of the district execumanner:

termined in accordance with the lough.' Then when they figure out the number for that year they not to unfold the test-sheets until team in each Conference Meet is intervening floors more or less in vet crystallized. An attempt will University Interscholastic League the number for that year they get the signal is given for the contest qualified to participate in the order of their scholastic ability, be made to combride the signal is given for the contest qualified to participate in the time order of their scholastic ability, be made to combride the signal is given for the contest qualified to participate in the time order of their scholastic ability, be made to combride the signal is given for the contest qualified to participate in the time order of their scholastic ability, be made to combride the signal is given for the contest qualified to participate in the time of the signal is given for the contest qualified to participate in the signal is given for the contest qualified to pa rules for deciding the tie game in a kick out of knowing that so-to begin. After exactly thirty Area Meet; the winning team in although the house committee may Bi-District championship play-off; and-so's girl is trifling on him. Of minutes another signal shall be the Area Meet is qualified to en- and does take other things into this is only a part of the wouldn't do that if ho ing resulted in a tie, the team away. having the greater number of penetrations or then first downs.

decided by a flip of a coin."

count all games that result in ties anybody who knew the address of

three-way tie, a coin is tossed." also include a paragraph about the for literary contestants set forth Dictrict 7 decides a tie thus: If Longhorns, particularly the ex- in Article VIII of the Constituit is a two-way tie, the team that Maroons on the team. In other tion and Rules, only pupils in the defeated the other is the district words it is a letter that you'd ninth, tenth, and eleventh grades champion. If the tie is between write to a former player anyway in the eleven-grade systems and

> grades in the twelve-grade systems shall be permitted to enter Add the Personal Touch The last half of the last page this contest.

from the State Office to the Director General in a sealed en-"'To No. 77 ('40): Saw your

ord you've made. Talks about you and ready to begin. The contest shall include all manner of prob- so on. lems involving multiplication, di-"'To No. 30 ('41): Little brother vision, squares and square roots shall play a round robin schedule, them a little entertainment in the remain in the room. The Director the K scale.* and A and B tied their game, the that needs attending to back here the test may be readily identified. Director General. district championship shall be de- -better hurry up with that fur- The contestants shall be instructed

Doesn't Cost Much In case of a tie in all of these They need it now and I'm sure his answer down immediately fol- General of the Conference Meet mas), and so on." factors, the championship shall be that it will be like casting bread lowing the problem.

on the waters when those boys come 6. Determining the Winner. the contest and report the grades "3. Rule governing a three-way back. Putting out 40 per week as At the close of the thirty-minute to the Director of the contest. tie was reworded to read as fol- I do (and you'll be surprised at period, all of the papers shall be

point gives 10 points.

 $\frac{(42)}{(6.94) (4.25) (2.73)} = 30.4$ do not apply." The correct answer may be: 30.2, 30.3, 30.4, 30.5, 30.6. 30.4 is the most accurate.

The team grade is determined by dividing the total number of

individuals composing the team by the number of individuals composing the team. The team scoring house (and they do, very muchsecond highest, second place, and into a fraternity, a special one),

tive committee, and their cham-pionship is decided in this boy is very proud of his playing the contest, only the Di-class use. This rule can be or-taken are well known); or, on the boy is very proud of his playing the contest, only the Di-rector of Slide Rule Use, and a touch and in the second place a boy is very proud of his playing. (14) (14) (14) (14) (14) rector of Slide Rule Use, and a touch and in the second place a touch and in the second place a boy is very proud of his playing. (15) J. W. Goens, Mabank; (16)

(c) In case of a tie between A make a crack like this, 'Say, boy, numbers respectively assigned, so complishment, upon due certifiand B for district championship, you have a little personal business that the papers at the close of cation to the State Office from the from ground floor to attin. Just

10. Qualification .- The winning average boys take rooms on the his test-sheet and be ready to de- ter the State Meet.

to grade the papers produced in

Emphasizes Scholarship

Seventh question: This appar-

places in the "Houses." How does this competition work out? Reply: "The competition among students works like this: if a student really wants to get into a he can attract favorable consid-

from ground floor to attic. Just

Other Awards

where; and the social rating of Antonio); (37) Sterling H. Fly, projections; distance contrasts by houses changes gradually from Crystal City; (38) Principal J. D. land, water and air travel routes. ently makes a competition for one year to the next, so that five Moore, Victoria; (39) J. W. Celestial Navigation. So. 3071: years later the prestige has come Roach, Alice; (40) Principal Fred Deals with the basic principles of to cluster about a different E. Kay, Weslaco. house."

(Coninued from P. 1) 8. Assistance .- The eight-inch eration of the House Committee program for themselves. Outside (8) L. M. Hays, Blanket; (9) H. slide rule made by the Laurence on the one hand by being willing speakers on nutrition came and O. Harris, Sanger; (10) W. B. and cubes and cube roots. Scales Engineering Service, Peru, Indi- and able to take one of the higher- gave talks and demonstrations. Wheeler, Howe; (11) R. L. A, B, C, D, and K may be used. ana, and sold by Woolworth and priced suites, on the ground floor For certain periods of time the Turner, Duncanville; (12) E. L. A, B, C, D, and K may be used. 5. Conducting the Contest.— Kress and other stores for twen-(which no one really wants be-cause they are expensive and the food they ate thus checking on Pearce Celeste: (14) V M Nin-which depends upon examination "That idea has several strong During the contest, only the Di-ty-five cents, is recommended for cause they are expensive and the food they ate, thus checking on Pearce, Celeste; (14) V. M. Nip-of the wings, engine, fuselage, tail

Hereford —

boy is very proud of his playing pointed by the Director General Engineering Service. It has Scales other hand, the applicant can get ers and others came and directed Ray L. Waller, Dawson; (17) "2. Previous regulations were re-hwit. In the third place it reined of the Conference Meet to grade A, B, C, C1, D, and K. Many more into the house of his choice by various exercises, which the girls F. L. Hodges, Chilton; (18) J. adopted as follows: (a) Teams by it. In the third place it gives the papers, shall be permitted to expensive slide rules do not have having high scholastic standing. were to continue daily. A general Milton Edds, Academy (Temple); In this event he can demand a health chart was given and each (19) John M. Scott, Buffalo; (20) plains the Polar Front weather and that the district championship form of a game_they'll spend some in charge shall number the folded 9. Award.—Each winning slide-theory and describes meteorologibe determined on a percentage time trying to figure out who No. In charge shall number the folded sheet, and keep memoranda of the rule team in the Conference Meet brilliant he can get one of the month. Of course material on the P. J. Dodson, Bastrop; (22) J. L. cal instruments and methods. basis. (b) Tie games shall count as 1940 and who No. 39 was in 1940 and who No. 39 was in 1940 and who No. 39 was in ame, address, and school of each is awarded from the State Office very cheap rooms up under the Physical Fitness Program was Compton, Ganado; (23) J. Justin Animated photography. Cloud fora half a game won and a half lost. in 1941. Every once in a while I contestant to correspond to the a certificate evidencing this ac-

Spiritual Fitness, Also

be made to emphasize Physical Six-Man Conference i.e., in case A and B tied for the didu't have a furlence to the contestant shall be didu't have championship, and their game hav-ing reculted in a sister club to the didn't have a furlough coming right didn't have a furlough coming right given, and each contestant shall the required to rise and fold didn't have a furlough coming right didn music (there is quite an annual is a sister club to the Boys' Hi-Y down; (4) H. S. Carder, Klondike of Texas, Austin 12, Texas.

"I'm passing on the idea hoping to collect the sheets. Each conshall be declared the champion. that some coaches will take it up. that some coaches w community high standards of Boyer, Oglesby; (8) Paul G. Hen- tears, toil and sweat. Our policy? Christian living" by developing derson, Allen; (9) Stacy M. New- It is to wage war by land, sea and the life abundant-emphasizing man, Jr., Harleton; (10) E. E. air. War with all our might and Eighth question: Are there any the physical, social, mental, and Sheffield, Spurger; (11) Rufus with all the strength that God h other competitive incentives to spiritual life. Thus it is a part E. Price, La Marque; (12) given us, and to wage war against

Aerial Navigation. So. 3072: (1) Billy Key, Ropesville; (2) Deals with navigation by visible S. H. Vaughter, Rochester; (3) contact with ground objects by Ben A. Copass, Iraan; (4) E. D. aircraft, with attention called to Stringer, Sonora; (5) B. F. Kirk, the airways and their rules es-Bronte; (6) W. D. Mauldin, Paint tablished by the Civil Aeronautics Rock; (7) H. B. Self, Rising Star; Administration.

The WEFT System of Aircraft Identification. So. 3073: Models are used to explain the WEFT assembly, the first letters of which furnish the name WEFT.

Weather

The Weather. So. 1925: Ex-

Sealy; (25) E. O. Larkin, Three 3070: Deals with the circulation Rivers; (26) M. D. Stroble, Po- of the atmosphere which creates

Suggestions are always welcome. If you desire additional informa-(1) P. A. Ammons, Quitaque; tion on films listed on visual pro-

the was reworded to read as fol-lows: In case of a tie between three or more teams, for distric championship, the championship shall be awarded to the team hav-ing the highest aggregate number of points (which is defined as in scores of the teams involved), or the greatest number of penetra-the greatest number of penetra-

vieu); (24) Vernon Madden, Modern Weather Theory. So. Plans for this year are just teet; (27) H. W. Herndon, Odem; the prevailing winds. (28) B. A. Trevino, San Diego.

liver it to the person designated 11. Graders.—A committee of competition among the houses to mumosa to "competition among the houses to "competition among the house to "competition amon

