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It is reported that Senator Marcus A. Hanna will be a candidate for the Republican nomination to president. This will relieve the minds of many of the staunchest republicans who have feared the nomination of Roosevelt, and in that case an almost certain defeat at the November election. It is said that William McKinley believed that he would live to see his friend Hanna president. The possible candidate is a strong man in his party and would make a good executive.

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The first annual conference for the college Y. M. C. A.s in the Southwest was quite a success. Seventy-three delegates and about twenty teachers and platform speakers were at the gathering. Students from twenty colleges and universities from over Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Ok. Territory and

Texas were there. Those eight days spent at Ruston were not gala days, but the time was spent by those present in the strenuous effort to learn how to successfully do Y. M. C. A. work. The mornings and evenings were spent in class and lecture rooms. The afternoons were given over to Athletics. Right good were some of the games and trackmeets. The following is a report of the events of one afternoon. Track meet, 100 yard dash, T. C. U., won; 2nd 100 yd. dash, A. & M. Miss. won. 220 yd. race A. & M. Miss. won. Potato race, A. & M. Oklahoma won. Running broad jump, La. State University won. Distance jumped 18 feet 9 1/2 inches. Foot ball game. Picked team from delegates vs. La. Industrial Institute team. Result, 11 to 0 in favor of the Industrial College.

Weatherford, Cooper, Turner, McIlhenny, Jackson, Dannenburg and many others who make the Y. M. C. A. a life work and study were there. It was an inspiration to be with them and hear them speak. Men who

she has had at the opening of the season any time in the past. Goodson, Moulden, Bush, Holloway, Harris, Nelle, Proctor, Gallaher of the last year's first team are here. All the old guard, save Tinney, the crack third baseman is back. Carpenter will play third or at least

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Base ball is all the go at T. C. U. now. The first and second teams crossed bats Thursday and Friday afternoons. T. C. U. has better prospects for a winning team at present than

he will make it hard for any one else to get it. Jones, Ammerman, Rowe, Cothes, Cartwright, Kinnard, all who played so well on the second team and made it possible for the first team to win the state championship last season, are at their old positions. Among the new men who are showing up well are Wantland, Markham, Jarvis and Erizzell.

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The Quartette with Miss von Tiercks now comprise the T. C. U. Quintette. This quintette gave four entertainments Christmas week, at Manor, Elgin, Smithville and LaGrange, respectively. At each place the quintette was greeted by a good house. Especially was Miss von Tiercks' reading complimented by the press. The quintette gave a concert at Hubbard last Monday evening. A large crowd was present.

The Ladies' Aid Society at Mart will have the quintette give a concert for them next week. This quintette is making a favorable impression wherever it goes, and is doing much towards bringing T. C. U. before the public.

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A CHANGE.

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With these changes in mind Skiff wishes its friends and patrons a most prosperous New Year, and that the horn of plenty may indeed overflow with good things for us all in 1904.



A T. C. U. PROFESSOR HONORED.

At the College Council that met at Marlin Texas last week, Prof. W. L. Ross read a paper upon "American Diplomacy." This paper met with favorable criticism.

Dr. F. H. Marshall delivered an address upon the "College Curriculum." This address was highly praised. Dr. Marshall was highly honored by being elected president of the College Council for the ensuing year.

Miss Henry At Home.

At the Henry home on College Heights last Thursday evening Miss Viola Henry, assisted by Miss Lake Faris of Dallas, entertained several of the University young ladies and young men.

Refreshments, music, games and a good time in general were the order of the evening. Misses Henry and Faris are adepts at entertaining. The evening belongs to the pleasant memories of the glad new year.



A current newspaper item is as follows: "The wife of a Methodist minister in West Virginia has been married three times. Her maiden name was Partridge, her first husband was named Robin, her second Sparrow and the present one's name is Quayle. There are now two young Robins, one Sparrow and three little Quayles in the family. One grandfather was a Swann, and another was a Jay, but he's dead and now a bird of Paradise. They live on Hawk avenue, Eagleville-Canary Islands, and the fellow who wrote this article is a Lyre bird and an interesting relative of the family."

A man's mother-in-law was very sick and he penned his physician the following: "Dear Doctor: My mother-in-law is lying at the gate of death; please come and see if you can't pull her through."—Ex.

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Little Willie—This paper says that Mr. Hamlet Smithers received an ovation. What does that mean?

Father—My son the word "ovation" is derived from the Latin "ova," which means an egg. Ovation means a shower of eggs.

DIFFERENT.

"The boys are throwing stones at a poor peddler."


"Outrageous!"

"That's what I think."

"Whose boys are they?"

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LOCALS.

Patrick Henry left Thursday for Indian Territory.

Mrs. J. W. Marshall and children spent the holidays with Mr. Marshall who is in a meeting at Apache, O. T.

Misses Bedford, Bengé and Young and Mrs. Dudley Bengé of Benjamin, Tex., visited friends at T. C. U. during the holidays.

We also noticed among our visitors Mr. Mummie and Miss Smith of Senior, Texas, visiting Miss Nellie May Smith.

C. M. Votaw, class '90, of Houston was here during the holidays working with Alumni committees.

Mrs. J. W. Beer of Arkadelphia, Ark., was with her daughter here at Christmas.

Miss Lake Farris, of Dallas, is the guest of Miss Viola Henry.

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Having learned from the Christian Courier that all communication, express, etc. for the Home should be sent to Grand Prairie, I accordingly took an Inter-urban car to Grand Prairie, and soon reached my destination. On making inquiry for the Juliett Fowler Orphan's Home I learned that it was three miles further down the track and that I should have gone on to Stop 22. I felt provoked! Why hadn't I made inquiry and learned this? It hadn't occurred to me that there were car stations every three miles but not express nor post offices. What was I to do? An hour seemed a long time to wait. It was a lovely afternoon, the air perfectly still and the sun shining. Walking seemed so much less trying than waiting that I started at once down the track, thinking that if I became tired I could walk slowly and take the next car which would soon overtake me.

I suppose I had walked quite a mile and a half when the next car did over take me, but that was all! In spite of all my hailing, it did not deign to stop, just rushed by with a shrill little whistle as if it were poking fun at me. I felt provoked again! Why hadn't I enquired into this and learned that they stopped only every three miles? But I hadn't, so I trudged on for nearly forty-five minutes before reaching "Stop 22" where I should have left the car had I been sufficiently informed.

I had no trouble in finding the Home which is only a few blocks from the car line. Here I found Bro. and Sister Bush and Sister Wideman in a neat cottage Home which has been secured for immediate use till our brethren can erect the beautiful brick building which is to protect our homeless ones in the future. The present arrangement will accommodate about twenty-five children and at least that many have applied for admittance.

We have there two hundred acres of splendid farming land, good orchards, etc., besides there is a nice little district school near by, where our children will attend school for the present and altogether the outlook is very promising indeed.

Bro. Bush will go into the field soon to raise funds for the institution. He is anxious to get this work prominently before our people and he cordially invites all who will, to run out and spend a little while with them when passing thro' either Ft. Worth or Dallas, but, my

friends, when you go remember to get off at "Stop 22" (as any person of ordinary intelligence would do) and not have to walk half way, as ye scribe hath done. "O. M." '04.

Wedding Bells.

On Wednesday evening Dec. 23, Prof. A. Ben Kori led to Hymen's altar one of Iowa's fair young women, Miss Dolly McCoy. After a brief honeymoon at the bride's home, they returned to Texas where the professor resumed his duties in the department of Semitics at T. C. U. The Skiff wishes them all joy and prosperity in their new life.

Miss Alice Caroline Grannis of Minnesota, who at one time held the chair of Oratory in Texas Christian University, was married Dec. 31st, to Mr. Frank Leroy Botsford of Los Angeles, Cal. Miss Grannis has many friends in Waco who remember her exquisite art and personality with great pleasure, all of whom will be glad to learn of her happy marriage.

Miss Harriet V. Woodard, our efficient art teacher was bride's maid during the holidays for her sister, Miss Olive Woodard, who was married to Mr. Mason C. Ogg, both of Iowa.

Locals Continued.

Miss Crosse, the librarian, received the following note from the Prof. who looks after the ordering and stopping magazines for the library, "Stop The World Today". She replied, "How can I?",

The following new pupils have entered since the holidays: Miss Fische of Montague, D. D. Knight of Rock Wood, Harry Lane and C. Davis of West, Miss Crews of Ballinger, Chessie Maloney and Ernest Brown of Dublin, C. F. Terrell of Haskell, Fred Peters of Sabinal, C. C. Gray of Coleman, Miss Rouse of Mt. Vernon, Emory and Thomas Hill of Dallas, Terry Balhorn of Eagle Lake and Karl Steffins of Brownwood.

Had you noticed that new building now under construction on the campus? One end of this, will be a locker room for the foot ball and base ball teams, the other end will be a power house. Mr. Winn says the dynamo will be here within the next few days and that within two weeks T. C. U. will be generating her own electricity for lights. The sooner this light plant is in operation the better, for the electric lights now cost T. C. U. six dollars a day.

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The Ladies' Aid Society at Mart will have the quintette give a concert for them next week. This quintette is making a favorable impression wherever it goes, and is doing much towards bringing T. C. U. before the public.

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A CHANGE.

The management of the Skiff have decided to make a change in the future policy of the paper, which we believe will be of interest to our present patrons and will doubtless secure a more extended local circulation. Henceforth it shall be our aim to publish besides college news, matters of general interest to outsiders—those not in direct touch with the institution. While not depreciating in the least the support of the student body of T. C. U., we shall also reach out for that which outsiders have to give. This we believe will put the paper in every home on the Heights and place us at the top

No longer will the citizens of North Waco need to read the more expensive weeklies—let them but subscribe for the Skiff and be happy. Here they may have the news in a nutshell.

We have materially added to our working force as one will notice from the list of associates above. To insure the success of our plan the heretofore, almost ridiculously low subscription rate will be moved up a notch. Henceforth the paper may be had for 50 cents a year to those in North Waco. Even with this slight advance the paper is cheaper than most college weeklies, and it shall always be our aim to give our readers value received.

With these changes in mind Skiff wishes its friends and patrons a most prosperous New Year, and that the horn of plenty may indeed overflow with good things for us all in 1904.



A T. C. U. PROFESSOR HONORED.

At the College Council that met at Marlin Texas last week, Prof. W. L. Ross read a paper upon "American Diplomacy." This paper met with favorable criticism.

Dr. F. H. Marshall delivered an address upon the "College Curriculum." This address was highly praised. Dr. Marshall was highly honored by being elected president of the College Council for the ensuing year.

Miss Henry At Home.

At the Henry home on College Heights last Thursday evening Miss Viola Henry, assisted by Miss Lake Faris of Dallas, entertained several of the University young ladies and young men.

Refreshments, music, games and a good time in general were the order of the evening. Misses Henry and Faris are adepts at entertaining. The evening belongs to the pleasant memories of the glad new year.



A current newspaper item is as follows: "The wife of a Methodist minister in West Virginia has been married three times. Her maiden name was Partridge, her first husband was named Robin, her second Sparrow and the present one's name is Quayle. There are now two young Robins, one Sparrow and three little Quayles in the family. One grandfather was a Swann, and another was a Jay, but he's dead and now a bird of Paradise. They live on Hawk avenue, Eagleville-Canary Islands, and the fellow who wrote this article is a Lyre bird and an interesting relative of the family."

A man's mother-in-law was very sick and he penned his physician the following: "Dear Doctor: My mother-in-law is lying at the gate of death, and I come and see and Payne College, her through." Morrison '95 has

fallen in love and a girl not quite convinced; Place together on a narrow gravel sidewalk that winds between rows of trees, and stir slowly. Add a slight breeze from the South, a dash of courage, a heaping spoonful of persuasiveness. Add a mixture of moon-shine and mocking bird's song. Keep away until wanted. And you have a match.

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LOCALS.

Patrick Henry left Thursday for Indian Territory.

Mrs. J. W. Marshall and children spent the holidays with Mr. Marshall who is in a meeting at Apache, O. T.

Misses Bedford, Bengé and Young and Mrs. Dudley Bengé of Benjamin, Tex., visited friends at T. C. U. during the holidays.

We also noticed among our visitors Mr. Mummie and Miss Smith of Senior, Texas, visiting Miss Nellie May Smith.

C. M. Votaw, class '90, of Houston was here during the holidays working with Alumni committees.

Mrs. J. W. Beer of Arkadelphia, Ark., was with her daughter here at Christmas.

Miss Lake Farris, of Dallas, is the guest of Miss Viola Henry.

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Misses Llewellyn and Norman spent Christmas at the home of the latter in Dexter, Missouri.

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A Slight Mistake.

On Dec. 21, while in route home to spend the Holidays, finding I had several hours to wait for my train in Ft. Worth, I decided to go out and visit Bro. and Sister Bush in our new Orphan's Home, of which we have heard so much lately, and in which we have all been very much interested for several years.

Having learned from the Christian Courier that all communication, express, etc. for the Home should be sent to Grand Prairie, I accordingly took an Inter-urban car to Grand Prairie, and soon reached my destination. On making inquiry for the Juliett Fowler Orphan's Home I learned that it was three miles further down the track and that I should have gone on to Stop 22. I felt provoked! Why hadn't I made inquiry and learned this? It hadn't occurred to me that there were car stations every three miles but not express nor post offices. What was I to do? An hour seemed a long time to wait. It was a lovely afternoon, the air perfectly still and the sun shining. Walking seemed so much less trying than waiting that I started at once down the track, thinking that if I became tired I could walk slowly and take the next car which would soon overtake me.

I suppose I had walked quite a mile and a half when the car did overtake me, but that was all! In spite of all my bailing, it did not deign to stop, just rushed by with a shrill little whistle as if it were poking fun at me. I felt provoked again! Why hadn't I enquired into this and learned that they stopped only every three miles? But I hadn't, so I trudged on for nearly forty-five minutes before reaching "Stop 22" where I should have left the car had I been sufficiently informed.

I had no trouble in finding the Home which is only a few blocks from the car line. Here I found Bro. and Sister Bush and Sister Wideman in a neat cottage Home which has been secured for immediate use till our brethren can erect the beautiful brick building which is to protect our homeless ones in the future. The present arrangement will accommodate about twenty-five children and at least that many have applied for admittance.

We have there two hundred acres of splendid farming land, good orchards, etc., besides there is a nice little district school near by, where our children will attend school for the present and altogether the outlook is very promising indeed.

Bro. Bush will go into the field soon to raise funds for the institution. He is anxious to get this work prominently before our people and he cordially invites all who will, to run out and spend a little while with them when passing thro' either Ft. Worth or Dallas, but, m

friends, when you go remember to get off at "Stop 22" (as any person of ordinary intelligence would do) and not have to walk half way, as ye scribe hath done. "O. M." '04.

Wedding Bells.

On Wednesday evening Dec. 23, Prof. A. Ben Kori led to Hymen's altar one of Iowa's fair young women. Miss Dolly McCoy. After a brief honeymoon at the bride's home, they returned to Texas where the professor resumed his duties in the department of Semitics at T. C. U. The Skiff wishes them all joy and prosperity in their new life.

Miss Alice Caroline Grannis of Minnessota, who at one time held the chair of Oratory in Texas Christian University, was married Dec. 31st, to Mr. Frank LeRoy Botsford of Los Angeles, Cal. Miss Grannis has many friends in Waco who remember her exquisite art and personality with great pleasure, all of whom will be glad to learn of her happy marriage.

Miss Harriet V. Woodard, our efficient art teacher was bride's maid during the holidays for her sister, Miss Olive Woodard who was married to Mr. M. J. Ogg, both of Iowa.

Miss Crosse, the librarian, received the following note from the Prof. who looks after the ordering and stopping magazines for the library, "Stop The World Today". She replied, "How can I?",

The following new pupils have entered since the holidays: Miss Fische of Montague, D. D. Knight of Rock Wood, Harry Lane and C. Davis of West, Miss Crews of Ballinger, Chessie Maloney and Ernest Brown of Dublin, C. F. Terrell of Haskell, Fred Peters of Sabinal, C. C. Gray of Coleman, Miss Rouse of Mt. Vernon, Emory and Thomas Hill of Dallas, Terry Balhorn of Eagle Lake and Karl Steffins of Brownwood.

Had you noticed that new building now under construction on the campus? One end of this, will be a locker room for the foot ball and base ball teams, the other end will be a power house. Mr. Winn says the dinamo will be here within the next few days and that within two weeks T. C. U. will be generating her own electricity for lights. The sooner this light plant is in operation the better, for the electric lights now cost T. C. U. six dollars a day.

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