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VIEW OF SOUTHWESTERN'S CAMPUS

Hear Ye! Hear Ye!

From this date until February 29th the great contest is on! Any subscriber of the Scroll may enter except ministers.

The project will be a story with a Scripture background, not to exceed 400 words and must be postmarked on or before February 29, 1944.

After being carefully judged for its composition, originality, and interest, by a committee of judges appointed by the Scroll's staff the best story will receive a Grand Prize from the Southwestern Scroll.

Choice stories will be published in this paper until the closing date of the contest. The Grand Winner will be announced not later than March 24th.

Star your today! Send as many entries as you wish to: Contest Editor, Southwestern Bible Institute, Waxahachie, Texas.

Will yours be in the next Scroll?

CHAPLAIN MEMORIES

Graduates of Southwestern in times past have carried cherished memories with them of outstanding events, which happened during their school days. Even as students are pouring out of the gates of Southwestern, as are memorable events taking place.

God's Spirit was poured out in such a miraculous way in the chapel service, January 7 that it will be remembered long after Southwestern.

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GOD'S TIME CLOCK

The time clock is ticking the minutes away.
Oh, won't you come to the Savior today?
"Tomorrow," you say; it may be too late.
And you'll never see the pearly white gate.

The time clock is ticking, Oh, won't you say yes?
He'll take away sorrow and your soul will bless.
Your heart will be happy and full of joy.
Nothing then can hurt you, no, nothing annoy.

The time clock ticks on and God's calling you.
To work in His vineyard and help others too.
So don't neglect and turn Him away.
Give your whole life to Jesus this day.—Naomi Bush.

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SOUTHWESTERN ADDS JR. COLLEGE

Perhaps the greatest and most far reaching thing that has occurred recently in connection with Southwestern Bible Institute is the decision of the officials of the Texas District Council made in a recent meeting in Fort Worth, Texas, to establish a Junior College at Southwestern Bible Institute next year.

The plan is to discontinue the ninth grade of the High School department and add the first year of the Junior College next year, then add the second year of the Junior College the following year. There are many reasons why this is being done.

There is a great need for a Junior College for Pentecostal young people here in the South. The expense of starting it will not be excessive since there are plenty of classrooms here not in use. The dormitory space now occupied by the ninth grade high school students can be filled with college students. The educational qualifications, age and general attitude of the first year college students will be nearer on an equality with the Bible school student.

The college student will be free from the ungodly surrounding and unsaved teacher, found in many colleges today. Terminal education will be made possible and preparatory work will also be offered for those who desire to complete the last two years of college work in a 4 year college or university.

The instructors will have higher qualifications and since they will also instruct in the senior high school it will give the high school a better trained faculty.

The business department will be
A RESOLUTION

Since this new year has begun we have thought continually of resolutions. The purpose, of course, is to better ourselves in some way, usually to overcome our bad habits and to create good ones. Also at this time of the year we can look on last year's resolutions and see how miserably we have failed in our own poor human power.

There is only one way to make salvation a lasting change in our lives, or to make a resolution last; and that is by walking daily with Jesus. To walk daily with Christ requires on our part the sacrifice of giving all to follow Him. The complete joy of our salvation comes when we put our all on the altar and leave it there.

There will be trials, but oh, how glorious the deliverance! In His own word He tells us there will not come a temptation too hard for us to bear, but with that temptation He will provide a way of escape! It has been said that the Rose of Sharon when crushed, gives off a most fragrant perfume. Sometimes the Lord has to crush us but then the fragrance and the sweetness of Christ saturates our whole being and others can tell that we have been with Jesus.

Nothing will be lost by giving all to Christ. Every single need in our life, no matter how great or how small, can be met in Him.

As you start out in the new year, students, walk daily with the Lord, for there is no happier life anywhere. Do not fear, put your trust in Him; "Behold, God himself is with us for our captain." 2 Chron. 13:12. What more could we ask or want in this life.—Lesley Stubbs.

Alumni News

FERN MANGEEM

Fern Mangeem, graduate of the class of '41 had a recent attack of appendicitis. During her time of distress the Lord proved Himself very real to her.

LAVONNE LUCAS CALLAWAY

Covle, Kentucky finds Rev. and Mrs. Callaway laboring for the Master. Mrs. Callaway, the former Lavonne Lucas, was a member of the first year class in '41. Rev. Callaway graduated with the class of '43. Box 75 is their address and they would appreciate correspondence.

VERNON McCUTCHEON

Rev. Vernon McCutcheon, class of Continued on Page 8

CHAPEL MEMORIES

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western's students have gone on into their fields of work.

There was a wonderful atmosphere in the Friday morning service, but the power did not fall until the first period, when Bro. Miles turned the general music class over to the Praise band service for the students, calling on Brother Wayne Pitts to lead. The Spirit so charged the place that it thrilled the heart and soul of every student. There was such a broken feeling, that tears flowed freely from the eyes of almost everyone, some shook with sobs, as they poured out their hearts to God.

It is the general feeling that our prayers are being answered, and it might be added that our main prayer is still "God, make our

PRINCIPAL POINTS

HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

"Did you make the Honor Roll?" is a question you hear the students asking one another after the report cards are given out each six-weeks.

This past six weeks there were seventeen students in the high school who could answer yes. They made the Honor Roll by having an "A" average in their work, an "A" in conduct in all classes, and not more than two demerits. These hard working students deserve special recognition:

Lawrence Akin
Maxine Blakey
Betty Bryan
Esther Cox
Beatrice Die
Eddie Hughes
Evelyn Jensen
Pamie Link
Betty Kitchens
Robert Lee
Julia Moore
Laura Penland
Letha Petty
Joyce Purdon
Calvin Sperber
Mildred Vaney
Ernestino Velvorton

There were several other students who came near receiving this honor. Just a little greater effort on their part next time and the group will be larger.

It is definitely worth the effort required to be placed on the Honor Roll. The requirements are low enough so that almost every studious pupil may receive this distinction if he will put forth the effort.

Those whose names appear on the Honor Roll gain more than just momentary recognition. They receive something worthwhile from school; develop habits of study that will be helpful throughout life and, most important of all, make a good record which will help them when they get out of school.

Students' records do count. Prospective employers write for your grades, the army wants to know about grades and regularity of attendance; and many colleges do not accept students with poor records. Determine to improve your grades, and, it possible, make the Honor Roll next time.—Joseph M. Gutel.

school such a Holy place, that the very halls will resound with Thy Glory, Amen."
Strange Things Happen

Rev. Cecil J. Lowry, former principal of S.B.I.

SOMETIMES ago a group of workmen in Rome were digging foundation-work for a two-car garage. One near the center of the excavation suddenly threw up his arms and screamed. His friends looked, but to their amazement he was gone. Nothing was seen but a hole where he disappeared. A careful search had occurred beneath his feet. He had fallen far below and lay groaning several feet beneath them.

Immediately men descended to his rescue. A rope was tied around the injured Italian and he was raised to the surface. The curious workmen, with their electric lights, began to explore the mysterious underground cave. They must have been alarmed beyond measure to discover themselves standing on the floor of an ancient church. How this church became buried in this manner, they did not know. But the fact remained, it happened.

The structure was almost in perfect preservation. On one of its walls was a lifesized portrait of St. Peter. The opposite wall contained a portrait of St. Paul. The paintings were by a Greek artist. It is believed by eminent Italian archaeologists that the apostles may have set for their portraits. The most interesting picture was on the panel of the transept; it was that of the twelve apostles with the Savior.

Only scientific observers have been permitted to explore this ancient edifice. Competent archaeologists have named it the “First Church of Rome.”

STRAINS THINGS HAPPEN!

Now you Latin students brush the cob-web from your memory. Can you recall the Tabularium, where the Archives of the Roman Republic were kept? Well, more than two stories of the old building now form the basement of the present Italian Capitol Building.

The thing I desire to say is this—archaeologists have been busy around in some of these rooms (the building contains many secret rooms. Some have recently been opened and explored, but many have not as yet been found). They discovered an interesting and valuable document, Dr. J. O. Kinnaman said, “These reports were what would be called in the United States today, F.B.I. Reports.”

It was the Emperor Justinian, according to the document, sent his “F.B.I.” men to Antioch, Syria to get the famed “holy grail”—the Cup of the Last Supper. They arrived at the Church of Saint John, of Antioch where they interviewed the Church Sexton. When he refused to divulge any information regarding the whereabouts of the cup, he was brutally tortured in an effort to make him talk, but he refused.

The cup had been carried to Antioch by Saint Peter during the Jewish persecution of the 1st-century Christians. 36 A.D. The Roman “F.B.I.” killed the Sexton but did not find the cup. They returned to Rome empty-handed.

In 1910 a Christian archaeologist, Dr. Eisen, was digging in Antioch near the old Church of Saint John. He discovered a beautiful silver Chalice—one of the most beautiful pieces of silver-smith work, says Dr. Kinnaman, in the world—the work of a Greek silversmith. It was made some 17 years after the crucifixion of Jesus, or about 50 A.D.

It is adorned with the figures of the apostles together with that of Jesus all in semi-relief. But the interesting thing about the Chalice was that it contained only water. When it was opened, a silver cup, with a capacity of a little more than a quart, was found. Eleven pieces had been cut from its rim, evidently for souvenirs.

In the writings of such Christian archaeologists as Dr. J. O. Kinnaman you will find a fuller account of the above incidents, together with a wealth of other archaeological discoveries.

It is the consensus of the archaeologists that Dr. Eisen actually found the “Cup of the Last Supper.”

STRAINS THINGS HAPPEN!

About the time World War II started, Professor Grzyzov, of the Soviet Academy of Science of Eternal Frost made what is perhaps the strangest discovery ever made in Siberia.

He found 10 bay horses, saddled and bridled, with their eyes wide-open and every hair in place, standing in a barn made of ax hewn logs, partially buried in a deep layer of frozen sand and gravel. The location was near the north end of the Altai Mountains in Northern Siberia. As I understand it, the barn was 50 feet beneath the surface buried in ice and sand.

Dr. Harold O. Whitnall, professor of Geology, of Colgate University, gave a description of the find in American Weekly, August 27, 1939.

I quote him: “The fact that these steeds were saddled and bridled would indicate that their owners were well aware of their peril, and ready to start on their flight south the moment the blinding blizzard should let up.”

Christian thinkers are convinced that these horses were downed at the time of Noah’s Flood along with the mammoths and the other animals. Like the mammoths the horses have half digested food in their stomachs. Many scholars believe that soon the house together with its occupants will be discovered.

Regarding the culture of that day Dr. Whitnall said, “The striking feature of these men is that, judged by the equipment on their horses, they belonged to a race of high-grade artists and artisans. The leather of their saddles is still splendidly preserved, and even the carved wood, when warmed to give off an resinous odor. The wood, like the saddles and bridles, was handsomely inlaid with gold and tin foil, only slightly tarnished, after their long burial. Even the felt covers retain their color designs, such is the perfect preserving power of frost and darkness.”

An interesting account of this can also be read in an article by B. F. Allen in the St. Louis Times, November 28, 1938. STRANGE THINGS HAPPEN!

There is a magazine called “The Protestant,” which is neither Protestant nor Christian. It is sponsored by a group of socialists and radicals who bitterly oppose every distinctive doctrine of the Christian Religion. STRANGE THINGS HAPPEN!

An organization which has already put the Christmas and Easter programs out of some of the schools in America because of their hatred of Jesus Christ, is now sponsoring some 10,000 meetings of Christians and Jews in America every year. What is their purpose?

The false prophets in the days of Jeremiah and Isaiah have knobbed with the priests of Baal. So it is today! STRANGE THINGS HAPPEN!

Saint John said, “For many deceivers are entered into the world, who deny not that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh. This is a deceiving and an anti-
S.B.I. Chapel Services
Enjoyed by Visitors

Visiting ministers express enjoyment of the student chapel services that start the school day at S.B.I. Evangelist Paul Chamless spoke to the assembly December 14, and Rev. R. L. Davis of Fort Arthur was chapel speaker December 15.

Visitors enjoy the rich blessings and presence of God that is manifested in these early morning worship services.

CAMPUS CHATTER

Two boys in an Eastern school were so unruly that the teacher became so exasperated that she required them to remain after school and write their names 1,000 times. They plunged into the task. Some fifteen minutes later one of them grew uneasy and began watching his companion. Suddenly the first broke out with despair between his sobs and said to the teacher, "Taint fait! His name is Lee and mine is O'Shaughnessy."

Keep your temper, no one else wants it.

If Joe Witt and Walter Bradley got into a debate, who would win? The one with the most weight of course.

In Church History class the other day the following conversation took place.

Kendrick: "Why do airplanes fly through the air?"

Clifford: "So they won't scrape the ground."

Can you imagine Billy Jones without a grin?

Of all mean words that people know, The meaneast are, "I told you so."

"Are you first in anything, Bobby?"

"First out of the building when "

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Letters From Missionaries

Of much interest to their many friends will be the following letter from Sisters Lula M. Ashmore and Evelyn Hatchett, missionaries to the Chinese in Cuba, who were sent forth from our Texas District the first of November.

Aptado 2101
Havana, Cuba
December 7, 1943

Dear friends in Christ:

When this letter reaches you, you will no doubt be already caught in the current of the Christmas Season's Activities, but we would like to claim a few minutes of your time and share with you some of the Season's Joys.

Since coming to Havana, and having the past month to make further investigations regarding the work among the Chinese, we are more encouraged than ever with the possibilities of a good work here. When we speak to the Chinese about starting a Church for them they manifest a very enthusiastic spirit.

The opportunities as seen here bring an enlargement of vision, but with the growing of the vision our responsibilities increase, and the attainment of the vision means real work. It means work in the studying of two foreign languages; work in preparing messages in harmony with the thought of a foreign mind; work in prevailing prayer, and work in contacting the people. But our trust is in Him who said, "Behold, I am the Lord, the God of all flesh. Is there anything too hard for Me?"

We have been able to find a building for the Church in an ideal location in the heart of China town. This was surely an answer to the many prayers which preceded our coming here. The Chinese man who helped us to locate the building made the statement, "If I have known years to pass without a vacancy on the first floor of a building in Chinatown, surely the Lord has blessed in preparing this place for you.

This is the only building available. It has just been refinised both inside and outside, and rents for $60.00 a month. It has a seating capacity of approximately one hundred.

At the present time we are making arrangements for the building of benches, and we trust to have all things in readiness so we can have the opening service sometime during Christmas Week. This will be one of our outstanding Christmas activities. We will be sharing with Christ in the joy He foresaw when He made Himself of no reputation, and took upon Himself the form of man: sharing in the joy that caused the heavenly hosts to swell with the anthem of, "Peace on Earth. Good Will Toward Men." O, beloved, God is letting us share in this joy! —brining glad tidings of good things to this people here. Even now as we write our joy knows no bounds, and tears of gratitude fill the eyes.

May you rejoice abundantly in Him during this Season, and we trust that you will not forget to pray earnestly for us as we labor here.

Yours in the bonds of Calvary,

Lula M. Ashmore,
Evelyn Hatchett

While the responsibility of Misses Ashmore and Hatchett to God and their calling may be consummated by the work of their hands and by daily contact with the unsaved of Cuba, we who feel no missionary call, as we say, nevertheless have the equal responsibility of the saving of the lost orientals. Let us remember our missionaries in prayer as urgently as though they call us personally.

WELCOME

When coming to Fort Worth or passing through, we invite you to merge your efforts and prayers with ours to see Jesus lifted up.

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The Highway

This life is a weary highway
That leads through a vale of tears,
A steep road up the mountain,
By the cave of doubts and fears;
But it ends in a land supernal,
A wonderous land afar,
Where the faithful live forever,
And the many mansions are.

And the years, like the olden milestones,
Mark out the long highway;
And the old years are behind us
In the past of yesterday.
But the future lies before us,
With all its weal and woe;
And the new year points us onward
To the miles we still must go.

And many there are who travel
This road so rough and steep;
But some of them fall and stumble,
And some lie down and sleep;
But others there are who journey
With never a will to stop
Until they're gained the privilege
Of resting at the top.

So on through the vale of sorrow,
And on by the cave of fears,
They travel toward the highlands
Through days and months and years,
Till from the highest mountain
They view the land afar;
And hail in the glad new morning,
The light of the Morning Star.
—Wm. Burton McCafferty.
CAMPUS CHATTER
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the bell rings.

The teacher believed in giving the
class lessons in general knowledge.
“What is this?” she asked one
day, holding up a small object.
“A pay envelope,” replied Willi-
am, promptly.
“Good!” exclaimed the teacher,
“And what does it contain?”
“Money,” said William, “Your
wages.”

“Very good, William,” she said
beaming around the class, “Are
there any questions about it?”

“Please teacher,” remarked Rob-
ert, “Where do you work?”

More students excel in the dining
room than any other place. And
incipiently speaking of the din-
ing room reminds us that too
many students got ‘fed up’ during
the Christmas holidays.

When we mention eating that al-
so brings to our minds “Sea Food
Dinners.” If any of you are in-
terested in knowing more about
such delicacies we advise you to
have Brother Kendrick give you
one of his thirty second lectures on
the subject. (It is reported from
reliable sources that he is off them
for life.)

So we come to the end of an-
other chatter column, and as we do
we offer this last bit of advice:
SMILE AND GIVE OTHERS A
REST.

FAITH says God said it, I be-
lieve it, and that settles it.

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In Appreciation

We wish to thank all of our
many friends for the beautiful
Christmas cards and lovely
messages that came to us this
season of the year. We would
like to write you a personal let-
ter, thanking you for your
thoughtfulness, but it would be
too great a task. May the Lord
bless everyone of you.

Rev. and Mrs. F. D. Davis

Next District Council
Comes to Waxahachie

Waxahachie, Texas was chosen
for the forthcoming Texas District
Council which will convene June
6-9. The campus of Southwestern
Bible Institute will be used for
this event. Presbyteries of the
District met in session in Fort Worth
during the first part of January.

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Jan. 20 ............... Mae Palser
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January 14, 1944

STRANGE THINGS
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Christ ... Whosoever transgress-
eth, and abideth not in the doc-
trine of Christ, hath not God. He
that abideth in the doctrine of
Christ, he hath both the Father
and the Son. If there come any
unto you, and bring not this doc-
trine, receive him not into your
house, neither bid him God speed:
For he that biddeth him God speed
is partaker of his evil deeds.”
(II John 7-11).

My Brethren in Jesus Christ, the
Christian Religion is the only Di-
vine established religion on earth.
It has the only Savior to offer to
humanity. It is “THE WAY” and
must stand alone. However, the
Bible tells us that Christianity
shall harlotize at the end of
the age and unite with the false
religions of the world: See Revelation
17.

Paul said that “God shall send
them strong delusion, that they
should believe a lie: that they all
might be damned who believe not
the truth, but have pleasure in un-
righteousness.” (II Thessalonians
2:11-12.) This includes all modern-
ists, but many Fundamentalists,
including some of the pool-playing,
beach-loving preachers, will be
captured in the Devil’s snare.

STRANGE THINGS HAPPEN!

Fritz Kuhn, the Nazi Bundist,
has been making Americans be-
thieve that to oppose Nazism is
one, not only a Communist, but a
door American: while Rex Stout
and his Communist gang are ex-
posing anti-Socialists and anti-
Communists as both un-American
and Fascist. Of course, they dub
militant Fundamentalists as Fascist.

My dear reader, hear me as I
speak from the depths of a bur-
dumed soul—burdened over the
weight of the Church of Jesus
Christ in this present world.
Think it not strange if Christians
are taken before courts and are
thrown in jail for Jesus’ sake. Je-
sus revealed that his Church in the
time—would be indicated on the
charge of “not being a friend of
Caesar.” This has happened a
broad and it must happen here!

STRANGE THING HAPPEN!

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JOE HANNA

Joe Hanna, better known as "brush arbor Joe" has advanced from his position as clerk in the produce department of Hill and Mack Grocery in North Fort Worth to manager of that department. Joe graduated from S.B.I. in '43 and is now attending T.W.C. studying to be a school teacher before going to the field of his calling, the Kentucky Mountains.

EVA and DONALD NEWMAN

Miss Eva Copeland is now Mrs. Donald Newman! Rev. Newman, class of '43, and Miss Copeland were united in Holy matrimony shortly after Miss Copeland left Southwestern for the Christmas holidays. They are now laboring for the Master in Mississippi.

MARTHA ALLEN

Martha Allen, graduate of '39, is working at the telephone office in Tyler, She would appreciate spiritually encouraging letters from friends. Address her at Arp, Texas.

MR. and MRS. HERSHALL HOBBS

A Christmas card revealed that Rev. and Mrs. Hershal Hobbs were in Little Rock, Arkansas. Rev. Hobbs graduated in '40.

Southwesterners were pleasantly surprised last Friday evening as Brother Kendrick's right hand man, Rev. Joe Adams, class of '43, together with his wife, the former Levenia Roberts, class of '42; Rev. Virgil Nicholson, class f '43; and his wife, the former Mildred Brinkley, a first year student last year visited the Friday evening Chapel Service. Rev. Adams is not only remembered as the assistant dean of boys but also for his faithful work as the president of the Student Missionary Band last year.

THOUGHTS FROM

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and Miss Bessie Mae Pate, who has been serving under appointment in Mexico City, have been accepted and are now being sent out as missionaries to Chile under Brother H. C. Ball by our Missions Department. We wish to recommend them for appointments in our churches. As they plan to call some time in the early spring we would appreciate it so much if you could assist them in their fare and equipment.

The District office welcomes back our dear Brother C. P. Robinson, who is just recovering from two weeks' illness of flu.

Wishing for you and all the Churches the best year that you have enjoyed in the ministry of our Lord. Your brother in Jesus,

P. D. Davis

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