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**PRESIDENT**—Edd C. McLeroy, newly elected president of the Aggie club, receives the gavel from retiring president, Frank Hayes. With over 500 members, the Aggie club has the largest active membership of any campus group. (Photo, Bishop).

## Special Student Election Will Be Held To Fill Vacancies In Student Council

At the end of the present semester three vacancies will exist on the Student Council, Clint Formby, president, has announced.

Joe Meador, senior arts and sciences student from Lubbock; W. O. "Dub" Boswell, senior business major from Sweetwater, and Hubert Beazer, senior engineering major from Lindsey, will graduate at the end of this semester.

These vacancies will be filled by a special student election, which will probably be held two weeks after the spring semester starts, Formby said.

Two vacancies which exist on the Tech Supreme Court were to have been filled Friday. James Bonwan, chief justice, graduates this semester, and the other vacancy was made by Francis Brockman, who resigned.

The Student Council, Thursday night, also passed a motion to start a Community Chest drive on the campus during the spring semester.

"This drive would serve all worthy causes and eliminate having constant drives for money on the campus," Formby stated.

Organizations on the campus will be asked to conduct and center their attentions on the Community Chest during the time of the drive, Formby stated.

Committee Reports at the meeting:

**Budget Committee**  
Bill Reid, chairman, stated that the Double T organization gave \$40.50 to the all-college dance fund. He reported the following financial status of the Student Council:

Balance on hand at beginning of semester	\$1,254.15
Amount spent	\$589.10
Allocations received	\$1,335.83
Balance on hand at present time	\$2,000.88

## Naval Radio Crew Aids Gas Company In Communications

Wednesday was a big day for "ham" radio operators all over the ice-covered Southwest when normal communications were temporarily broken as a result of heavy ice damage. The Naval Training center on the campus was "Johnny-on-the-spot" and volunteered its services in aiding the West Texas Gas company, the communications for which were transacted entirely by amateur radio stations.

The training center radio crew went into action when a gas line compressor went out at the Tahoka booster station, which is a relay point from the main plant at Odessa. The gas company was unable to maintain telephone lines into Lubbock and issued a call for help.

Chief Electronic Technician J. E. Lee loaded a battery-equipped portable emergency communication unit on to the naval pickup and took it to Tahoka where he set up operations at the booster station. Chief Radioman L. M. Bane and Station Keeper J. B. Williams stood by the permanent transmitting and receiving set at the training center and awaited Lee's call from Tahoka. As soon as communication was made, the conditions of the compressor, pressure readings, suction readings, and discharge readings were relayed from the booster station to the training center and then in turn given to the West Texas Gas officials.

Progress on the 1949 La Ventana was reported to be satisfactory and on schedule according to deadlines in a telegram to the publications committee from the Southwestern Engraving company in Dallas, Monday. If work continues at the present rate, the annual is due to arrive on the campus ready for distribution about the second week in May.

## Foods Department Offers Course For Non-Majors

Mrs. Jonnie Michie, professor and head of the foods and nutrition department, announced Thursday that a new course will be offered during the spring semester designed to fit into the academic program of the non-home economics student.

The course, foods 233, deals with the planning, preparing, and serving of family meals and special meals such as buffets, teas and dinners. Food budgets and the economics of foods will also be studied. This course will be open to both men and women not registered as home economics majors or minors, and an effort will be made to adapt the material of the course to the needs of those registered in the class, stated Mrs. Michie.

There will be two different sections of the course. One will meet on Mondays from 7:30 p. m. and the other will meet on Thursdays from 7:10 p. m. Pre-registration may be made through Mrs. Michie in room H-206.

## January Grad Interviews Planned By Burroughs Co., Lane-Wells, For Monday

January graduates in mechanical, electrical, and petroleum engineering, will be interviewed Monday and Tuesday by R. M. Rutledge, jr., assistant division sales manager of Lane-Wells company of Houston, Mrs. Jean Jenkins, secretary to the placement committee said today.

Also, positions with Burroughs adding machine company, are open to men with a good accounting background, Mrs. Jenkins announced. D. M. Carr, branch manager, Fort Worth, will interview these men Monday.

Persons majoring in physics, geology, mathematics, and mechanical, chemical or electrical engineering, who are interested in employment with the Rayflex exploration company or the National Geophysical company of Dallas, may obtain information from the Placement office.

All persons interested in interviews should go to the Placement office to be scheduled, Mrs. Jenkins said.

# Annual Announces Selection Of Tech Who's Who Students

## Grow A Beard, Cram For Exams The Week's Dead

"Dead week", as traditional at Tech as slime caps and western day, began officially yesterday at 8 a. m. and will last through Thursday, Jan. 20.

To the uninitiated, dead week is a period of books, beads, and restricted social activities. The beads, it seems, tends to discourage romance and make the fun-loving Techman more amenable to midnight book sessions.

Beards may come off after the first final, but the hirsute men who wish to enter the beard contest sponsored by the Saddle Tramps must not take razor in hand until after the last final, Curtis Sterling, president of the association has stated.

The contest, to be held 7 p. m. Wednesday, Jan. 26, will be a Tech version of the beauty and the beast. For prizes, winners will be soundly bused by the judges who are none other than the Tech beauties. The location of the contest will be announced later.

Kisses will be bestowed upon the owners of the longest and heaviest beard, the most artistic beard, the smoothest beard, and the reddest beard.

## Football Or Foods, Baker Likes Both

John Tom Baker, Tech sophomore from Denison, can be found tackling the preparation of a three course dinner as well as an opponent on the football field.

John Tom, who has played football at Tech for two years and is now completing his second course in foods, is the only boy enrolled in a foods class at Tech.

"I just like it and may make a profession of it sometime", stated John Tom when asked his reason for taking foods.

Outside of the times the instructor addresses the class as "girls" the football player doesn't mind being the only boy in the class.

His class cooking partner said that he not only was a good worker, but brightened up the would be all-girl class.

One instance of his "brightening up" was the time he wore a hair net to class as the girls do instead of wearing his usual chef's cap.

## Tech Printing Plant Has New Press

Initial tests of the 10-ton Goss Cox-O-Type printing press being installed in the Journalism building will be conducted Friday, Wayne Kittley, superintendent of the Tech press, said today.

Installation of the press necessitates reinforcement of the present foundation with four steel beams and an 18-inch build-up to the concrete floor on which it is to be placed. The total weight of the unit will be approximately 19 tons.

Kittley described the press as capable of producing eight eight-column pages completely folded. He explained that "rolls of paper, rather than individual sheets used in the past, will considerably speed the printing of next semester's Toreador."

One of the products of a \$40,000 revolving fund established last year, the press cost \$13,000. From the same fund a Hammond-Glazier saw was purchased.

Installation of the press is to be supervised by a factory technician.

## Senior Deadline Extended For Filling Record Cards

Deadline for filling out senior record cards has been extended to 5 o'clock Saturday, Bob Williams, La Ventana editor, has announced.

Saturday the box will be removed from the registrar's office and it will be impossible to fill out cards there or at the annual office, Williams stated.

Record cards have been in the registrar's office since a week before the Christmas holidays. Time will not be allowed for completion of the cards after the Saturday deadline, said the yearbook editor.



EUGENE LIST

Pianist

## Three Programs To Be Included On Artist Course

Three programs will be included on the spring semester Artist Course series instead of the usual two, said Prof. R. A. Mills, in charge of arrangements. The first concert is scheduled for Feb. 16 when Eugene List, outstanding young pianist, will appear. A veteran of World War II, List has appeared with the New York Philharmonic Orchestra and during the war played at a state dinner for the Big Three at Potsdam gaining the title of the "Potsdam Pianist."

List is particularly outstanding for his playing of the Rachmaninoff concertos and the works of Shostakovich. Included in his favorable press publicity is the New York Times, which is recognized as the toughest and best critic in the country.

Eileen Farrell, young Irish soprano and popular radio star, will appear in concert March 2. She has appeared on several "big time" commercial shows: Firestone Hour, Texaco Star Theater, Invitation to Music, and Prudential Family Hour.

"The Barber of Seville", sung in English by the Charles L. Wagner company of New York, will appear in Lubbock March 20. The company is composed of 20, and a male chorus of 10, and has completely new costumes and settings. The popular opera will be sung in its entirety with no scenes omitted.

Artist Course tickets, which will admit students to the three programs, will be on sale during registration and will cost \$1.50 said Prof. Mills.

## Drawings Receive Mention By Beaux-Arts Institute

One-half of the 26 drawings submitted to the Beaux-Arts Institute of design in New York received mention, Prof. F. A. Kleinschmidt, head of the architecture department, announced Thursday.

This gives Tech a grade of B plus among the 28 colleges and universities represented in the competition.

## Thirty-Six Representatives Chosen From Ninety-Six Names Submitted

Thirty-six students have been chosen for Who's Who On The Campus by the student advisory committee with the assistance of one student from each division of the college, Bob Williams, La Ventana editor has announced. The students who assisted the advisory committee were picked by the heads of each department.

## Subsistence Pay Of Veteran Grads Will End June 1

Subsistence pay of all graduating senior veterans will end June 1, last day of the spring semester, said Sisson. Beginning June 1, Part VII veterans will receive a 60 days' gratuity allowance provided they have reached their objectives, fully completed their training and are rehabilitated, he said.

Sisson's announcement was a reply to questions of those veterans who had expressed doubt as to how changes in the college calendar would affect their pay status. The semester had originally been scheduled to end June 6.

At the termination of the spring session, all graduating veterans will get 15 days' paid leave, said Sisson. Beginning June 1, Part VII veterans will receive a 60 days' gratuity allowance provided they have reached their objectives, fully completed their training and are rehabilitated, he said.

## Charles Guy To Head Committee For Planning Meet

Charles A. Guy, editor and publisher of the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal, was named chairman of the program committee when a group of faculty members, students and townspeople met Thursday night to make tentative plans for the Southwestern Journalism Congress to be held in Lubbock, Friday and Saturday, April 29-30.

Decision was made to issue invitations for one representative from each of the following schools to attend the congress as a guest: University of Arkansas, University of Houston, Wayland college and all Border conference schools.

Present members of the congress include Tulane university, Louisiana State university, Oklahoma A&M, University of Oklahoma, Hardin-Simmons university, University of Texas, Texas Christian university, Southern Methodist university, Texas State College for Women, Baylor and Texas Tech.

Tentative order of the congress calls for a general session, a luncheon and a dinner dance on Friday, and a general meeting, a business session and numerous lectures on journalistic subjects on Saturday. Registration may begin on Thursday evening.

The annual matrix table dinner of Theta Sigma Phi, honorary scholastic fraternity for women in journalism, is also temporarily scheduled for Thursday night at the Hilton hotel.

## FINAL ISSUE FOR SEMESTER

This is the final issue of The Toreador for this semester published Feb. 9 and will be the next paper will be printed on the new press as either an eight-page tabloid or a four-page eight-column paper.

Francis Brockman, senior business major from Carlsbad, N. M.; Oscar Allen, junior business major from Hale Center; W. O. "Dub" Boswell, senior business major from Sweetwater; Edgar Self, senior business major from Brownfield; Newell Reed, senior business major from Abernathy; Edd McLeroy, senior aggie student from Brownfield; Bill Reid, senior aggie student from Goodnight; Camille Stevens, senior aggie student from Wimberly; Don Morrison, junior aggie student from Pampa; Ray Brigham, junior arts and sciences student from Stamford; Elizabeth Craig, junior home economics student from Lubbock; Gretchen Clift, junior home economics student from Waxahachie; Martha Lewis, senior home economics student from Dumas; Clint Formby, senior arts and sciences student from McAdoo; Margaret Clark, junior arts and sciences student from Van Horn; Orlin Brewer, senior arts and sciences student from Olton; Jayne Thompson, senior arts and sciences student from Vernon and Anita Oliver, junior arts and sciences student from Lamesa.

Curtis Sterling, junior arts and sciences student from Knapp; Joe Meador, senior arts and sciences student from Lubbock; George Wilmoth, senior engineering major from Claude; Lamar Jackson, senior arts and sciences student from Lubbock; Katherine Witty, junior engineering major from Hamilton; Andy Willingham, senior engineering major from Odessa; W. O. "Dub" Boswell, senior arts and sciences student from Lubbock; Hubert Beazer, senior engineering major from Lindsey; Bob Williams, senior arts and sciences student from Lubbock; A. J. Smith, senior engineering major from Lubbock; Marshall Gettys, junior engineering major from Amarillo; Dan Pursel, junior engineering major from Gladewater; Glenna Winston, junior arts and sciences student from Brownfield; Wendell Hayes, senior engineering major from Brownwood; Charlie Reynolds, senior engineering major from Odessa; Lois Cone, senior business major from Lubbock; Sue Lynn Guthrie, senior home economics major from Memphis; and Joe France, arts and sciences senior from Sulphur Springs.

Ninety-six names were submitted to the student advisory committee and from these names 36 were chosen. Who's Who students on the campus were selected on the basis of leadership, personality, usefulness to the college, ability to co-operate and prospects for the future, stated Williams.

Each Who's Who will have a personal write up in the La Ventana of their activities. They will be featured six to the page taking up a total of six pages, Williams said.

## The Campus Whirl

### Schedule Of Examinations

Exam Time	Class Time
Friday, Jan. 21—	
8:00-11:00	10:00-11:00 MWF
11:00-2:00	4:00-5:00 TTS
2:00-5:00	1:00-2:00 TTS
7:00-10:00 p.m.	7:00-8:00 p.m.
MWF	
Saturday, Jan. 22—	
8:00-11:00	10:00-11:00 TTS
11:00-2:00	4:00-5:00 MWF
2:00-5:00	2:00-3:00 TTS
Monday, Jan. 24—	
8:00-11:00	11:00-12:00 MWF
11:00-2:00	5:00-8:00 TTS
2:00-5:00	1:00-2:00 MWF
7:00-10:00 p.m.	8:00-9:00 p.m.
MWF	
Tuesday, Jan. 25—	
8:00-11:00	11:00-12:00 TTS
11:00-2:00	3:00-4:00 MWF
2:00-5:00	2:00-3:00 MWF
7:00-10:00 p.m.	7:00-8:00 p.m.
TT	
Wednesday, Jan. 26—	
8:00-11:00	8:00-9:00 TTS
11:00-2:00	5:00-6:00 MWF
2:00-5:00	9:00-10:00 TTS
7:00-10:00 p.m.	12:00-1:00 MWF
Thursday, Jan. 27—	
8:00-11:00	8:00-9:00 MWF
11:00-2:00	3:00-4:00 TTS
2:00-5:00	9:00-10:00 MWF
7:00-10:00 p.m.	12:00-1:00 TTS



**SWEETHEART**—Above are candidates for Sweetheart of Future Teachers of America, nominated recently by the male members of the club. Left to right, they are Lamonte Leddy, Jean Walls, Norma Deanne Richardson, Roena Deitker, and Joy Williams. The winner will go to the state convention in Abilene to compete with similar winners over the state for the title of Miss Future Teachers of Texas. (Photo, Bishop).

# THE TREADOR

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## Too Often We Are Prone . . .

Too often we are prone to overlook the many extra services given by the faculty. An excellent example of this oversight can especially be seen by our lack of recognition given to the numerous sponsors of our clubs and organizations.

Have you as a student ever stopped to realize the aid you and your organization have received from your sponsor? Whether you are in any organization or not, there are still sponsors who influence your activities here at Tech—for example, the unheralded sponsors of the annual Varsity Show.

Have you as a sponsor ever stopped to realize the importance of your position? Upon your back rests a large percentage of our co-curricular activities, activities often considered more important as education to the student than his actual class work.

Let us as students not be too hasty in our criticism of our sponsors—(naturally there are good ones and bad ones). Let us attempt to find the right ones and then recognize them for their fine work.

Too often we accept their services as a duty they are forced to perform when actually it is all on their own time. There is a service not only to the students but also to Tech and to the building of a better Tech.

## Voice Of Education . . .

As a rapidly expanding college, Texas Tech can well look toward "unlimited futures", both physically and academically. Petroleum engineering is growing, with a new building; Tech press is expanding, with new presses equivalent to those of many city newspapers; and our dormitory system equals the largest systems in this section.

"Unlimited Futures" should offer all Techsians a variety in their prospective fields of study. Yet students enrolled in radio courses at Tech must be content to study voice and direction, with a smattering of the theory of radio. "Learning to do by doing" is certainly no motto for students enrolled in radio.

Many colleges throughout the country are successfully operating their own radio stations. Texas Mines has for several years been very successful with a 10-watt station on their campus.

We understand that a similar station could be placed in operation here for five to six thousand dollars. Unlimited opportunities could certainly be afforded students by such a station.

Programing, announcing, script writing, engineering experiences, besides an outlet for "the voice of Tech" could easily give practical experience to students preparing for almost every walk of life on our campus.

Experience in public relations can easily play an important role in every Techsian's life. Practical experience through a campus radio station can aid the student to that end and keep Tech abreast with expanding facilities of other colleges.

## El Toro Grande

By ORLIN BREWER



An Open Letter to President Wiggins: Dear Doctor Wiggins:

In our short semester you have been with us here at Texas Tech, students who know you have come to look upon you as a symbol of Tech's possibilities for progress. They have seen the efficiency and energy with which you work.

You arrived on the campus in a hurry and have scarcely slackened your pace since. You went into a whirlwind of engagements. You met a great many students at a recreation hall reception, addressed the freshmen, the faculty, and met the people of the town and surrounding community.

No sooner had you sold yourself on Tech than you began selling the institution to others. You have made numerous speeches; worked assiduously toward acquisition of the Pantex ordnance plant at Amarillo, going both to Grand Prairie and Washington in the process.

While in Washington, besides other duties, you put yourself on the alert for possible additions to the Tech teaching staff.

All in all, sir, you have been a very busy man. In fact you have been so busy that a number of January graduates will probably leave school without having had the opportunity

## Potpourri

Dear Potpourri,

I think that I shall never see A poem as lousy as a ski, A ski that often has me sneez Against the earth's cold, snowy breast;

A ski that goes its own sweet way And teaches me to cuss and pray;

A ski that may in winter wear My seat until beyond repair; Upon whose hard ribs I have lain,

And intimately lived with pain. Poems are ruined by fools like, But not as I've been by a ski. Sincerely yours, E.W.P.

He: "Is my face dirty or is it my imagination?" She: "Your face is clean; I can't tell about your imagination."

Doc: "You must avoid all forms of excitement."

Patient: "Can I look at them on the street?"

He: "Since I met you I can't sleep, I can't eat, I can't drink." She: "Why not?" He: "I'm broke."

He: "We're coming to a tunnel. Are you afraid?" She: "Not if you take that cigar out of your mouth."

Co-ed on a shopping tour: "Where can I get some silk covering for my settee?" Clerk: "Lingerie—next aisle to the left."

Appearances are deceiving—many a girl who puts up a swell front in society is flat busted at home.

A man is never a worm until some chicken gets hold of him.

Dear Pot,

He loved her, but he had no funds, So didn't say, "Let's marry". She didn't know he loved her, So she ran off with Harry. Stacy

Dear Pot, Here's to the river of whiskey So sweet, so golden, so clear; Not half so tender as a woman's lips But a darn sight more sincere. D.

Co-ed: (With newspaper in hand): "It says here that woman in Omaha has cremated her third husband."

Second co-ed: "Isn't that always the way? Some of us can't get one, and others have husbands to burn."

Co-ed: "What in the world makes your tongue so black?" Sam: "I dropped a bottle of whiskey on a freshly tarred road."

Boy there ought to be a lot of contributions now . . . never saw so many people fall before. . . . Pot.

either to see you or hear you speak. We thought the premiere of the student movie offered an excellent opportunity for a speaking appearance. You were out of town seeing to something more important. You missed the student convocation for the same reason.

We are not questioning the advisability of your absence in these instances. We do hope, however, that in your plans for the coming semester, you have made a place for a campus wide appearance.

We agree with your policy of selling Tech to the outside world. We admire you for the aggressive methods you have utilized. We believe also that a president, well known on the campus, can be a factor for student unity.

To many students, as yet, "Doctor Wiggins" mean only a name and a picture in a newspaper. It could mean much more.

Becoming a familiar figure to students is perhaps a minor thing, but we know personally that you came to Tech not just to sit in the chair of the college president, but to build the school into a greater institution. You said during the first week of school when the Treador sponsor and editor were in your office that you came to Tech only because of its great possibilities for development.

In your ardor for selling Tech to others and exhausting these possibilities we hope you never overlook the fact that we have a constant job of selling to do right here on the campus.

Sincerely,

Orlin Brewer

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# Dunlap's

# Raider Five Drops Texas Miners 57-39

By JERRY HALL  
Toreador Sports Writer

The Red Raiders won their fifth Border conference basketball game out of six starts Tuesday night in the Tech gym by downing the Texas Miners five a decisive 57-39 score. It was a revenge match for the Raiders in that the Orediggers had handed them their only loss in conference competition to date, and Coach Polk Robinson's charges really played for blood.

It took the Miners seven minutes and 30 seconds to erase the initial zero from the scoreboard and the Techs had piled up an 11 point advantage by that time. The Raider victory was due to a well balanced attack. The fact that team work was the outstanding factor was evident in that the scoring was evenly divided between four of the eight Raiders who saw action. Center Don Grove and Forward Gene Gibson netted 13 points each

Whimpy Hill followed with 12 and Ardis Barton got 11.

It was the second drastic defeat in a row for the Miners. Monday night they went down before a West Texas State five 60-41. It was a case of a vaunted offense failing to pay off for the El Pasoans. Kayo Perez much heralded set shot artist for the Miners was held to a mere seven points by the brilliant defensive work of Ardis Barton. Barton played most of the game and time after time he stopped Perez in his tracks.

Tech led 21-15 at half time and the game was apparently on ice but after the rest the Miners came roaring back to pull the score to 23-21. It was the closest that the visitors came to the home team all night because the Raiders rose to the occasion and jumped into a nine point lead as fast as they could travel the length of the court. Rechy took scoring honors for the visitors with 12 points. It was the last home appearance for the Red Raiders until January 28 when they meet Hardin-Simmons here.

TEXAS TECH	FG	FT	PF	TP
Grove	5	3	3	13
Banks	1	0	0	2
Bowles	0	0	0	0
Gibson	6	1	0	13
Pinnell	0	0	0	0
Barton	5	1	4	11
Jackson	3	0	1	6
Hill	6	0	0	12
Totals	26	5	8	57

## SPORTS GRAPEVINE

Sometimes we wonder about the thinking and conclusions of some people. For instance:

The eligibility rules of the Border conference, of which Texas Tech is a member, state:

"No student shall be eligible to represent any member of this conference in any intercollegiate contest who:

(a) Has ever received any remuneration in the form of money, board, tuition, or other substantial return for his athletic services whether for playing, coaching or officiating.

"NOTE: (Coaching is defined as the teaching of athletics to individuals above the ninth grade or groups of equivalent age.)"

Last season one J. W. Malone, pride and joy of West Texas State, laid out of school to coach athletics at Morse high school. Teams coached by former Texas Tech athletes played against the Malone teams. J. W. Malone asked Texas Tech officials to assist him in getting a larger place to coach because "Morse is so small I can't get enough athletes to have good teams."

But this season J. W. Malone is back at West Texas State, starting again, despite the conference rule. Dr. Emil Larson, conference commissioner, has ruled Malone eligible because he taught some classes and was paid as a teacher. As we said before, sometimes we wonder on thinking and conclusions of some people, in this instance Commissioner Larson. If the conference does not intend to enforce its rules, then leave us do away with them. Suppose Bobby Feller was carried on payrolls as a bookkeeper for the Cleveland Indians. Under the commissioner's ruling, he would still be an amateur.

—Keith Anderson.

# SPORTS

## Hardin-Simmons Cowboys To Tangle With Raider Basketball Jan. 28

By KEITH ANDERSON  
Toreador Sports Editor

The Hardin-Simmons hardwood squad arrives here Jan. 28 to take on the high-flying cagers of Texas Tech for the first meeting between the two teams this season.

The H-SU team is living up to some of its advance notices by being particularly hard to beat, especially on its own court. For this game, however, it will be without the benefit of its own court, but that alone does not guarantee an

easy time for the Techmen.

Up to date, the H-SU five and Tech has met three mutual opponents. Two of them were Border conference members, Tempe, and Flagstaff, and the third was Marshall College of Huntington, West Virginia. Hardin-Simmons was victorious in two of the three games, losing only to Marshall.

Tech record against the same three teams was three wins and no defeats. Tech looked particularly impressive in defeating the three quintets, but the Cowboys lost little prestige in their single loss to the strong Marshall aggregation.

In Glenn Burroughs, forward from Throckmorton, Hardin-Simmons has one of the best forwards in the conference. The rest of the team is made up of capable performers, with a couple of adept sophomores on hand.

Tech will be out to continue its streak of wins against a Hardin-Simmons basketball squad, which

TEXAS MINERS	W	L	T
Franco	1	0	3
Williams	2	0	1
Rechy	6	0	2
Paternoster	0	0	0
Ohlenmacher	2	1	1
Richards	3	1	1
Irrobali	1	0	2
Perez	3	1	1
Mena	0	0	1
Totals	18	3	10

## Ramblers Lead Independents; Dorm League In Four Way Tie

The 5th street Ramblers of the Independent league stepped ahead of other league members statistically when they defeated the Wesleyan Wildcats Sunday. Records of the Dusters, PE and GS, and Pelicans remain unmarred by defeat.

In the dorm league, each team has played one game.

Dorm league standing:

Team	W	L	T
Dorm 4 Rebels	1	0	0
Filly 5	0	1	0
Dorm 3 south	1	0	0
Dorm 2 north	0	1	0
West Hall Cornets	0	1	0
West Hall Eagles	1	0	0
Sneed Bobcats	1	0	0
Doak Mares	0	1	0

Team	W	L	T
PE and GS	1	0	0
Thomas Teetottlers	0	1	0
5th Street Ramblers	2	0	0
Wesleyan Wildcats	0	2	0
Pelicans	1	0	0
Dusters	1	0	0
Anonymous Quintuplets	0	2	0

Teams entered in the Social Club league have not as yet started play, but will wait until next semester before getting underway.

No games will be played during dead week, or weeks of the final exams.

MRS. ADAMS ATTENDS MEET  
Mrs. Vivian Johnson Adams, head of home economics education will attend a supervisory meeting of the State Homemaking staff in Austin Jan. 19-23.

Mrs. Adams will assist in making overall plans for a state meeting of home economics teachers to be held in August at St. Ross State Teachers college in Alpine.

## Freshmen Cagers Score 44-30 Win Over Tinker Five

The Texas Tech freshmen gave a group of faithful fans a preview of Tech's basketball team for the next few years by giving the Thomas Tinker Independents a 44-30 licking Tuesday night in Tech gym.

The Tinkers took the lead early in the game but the fast-breaking smooth working "fish" soon overcame the small lead and remained in control of the situation until the final buzzer.

Jack Alderson, Jim Eddins, and Jim Sharp led the scoring for the freshmen with Irl Brown, Ted O'Neil, and Don Bagwell lending an able helping hand. McClure paced the losers.

Eddins, an all-district man from Sudan, looked especially good for the first year Raiders. His adeptness at ball handling and two-hand set shots was a telling factor in the victory for the "fish". Brown, the lengthy center from New York, also showed signs of developing into a good post man.

The freshmen have a couple of scrappy little guards in Sharp and O'Neil as well as a consistent forward in Alderson. Bagwell, an all-regional guard from Claude, showed great possibilities.

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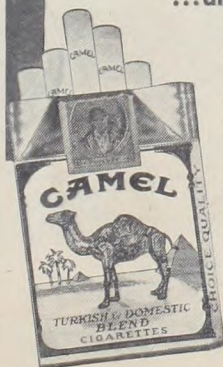


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### Social Clubs Elect Officers For Spring Term

New officers of four men's social clubs were elected for spring semester at regular meetings Wednesday night.

Don Sloan was re-elected president of Soci. Other officers elected were Charles Hajek, vice president; William Willingham, secretary; John T. Brown, Andy Griffin, re-elected as treasurer; and Dickie Buckles, sergeant at arms. Plans were discussed for the annual Orchid dance which is to be held Feb. 19 in the Lubbock hotel ballroom.

Officers for Centaur club include Bill Gillespie, re-elected as president; Don Cade, vice president; John Huckabay, secretary; Richard Gibson, corresponding secretary; Hoyt Page, treasurer; Jerry McKee, historian; Oscar Allen, reporter; and Lee Ray Swim, rush captain.

Kemas elected George LaRoe, secretary to succeed Newell Reed. The rest of the fall semester officers will maintain their positions through the year.

College Club elected Roy Butler president; Gene Couch, vice president; Bill Smithman, secretary; Elwood Carruth, treasurer; Roland Dake, chaplain; Bob Nash, corresponding secretary; Gene Bates, reporter; and Gene Forbasco, sentinel. These officers were sworn in Wednesday night at the Hilton hotel.

New officers for Los Camaradas are Bill Stalls, re-elected as president; Neal Montgomery, vice president; Barron Spaulding, secretary; Bill Miller, corresponding secretary; Bill McKee, treasurer; Bill McCasland, reporter; Dawson Reid, Sergeant at Arms; Jack Young and Richard Springstun, co-athletic directors.

Wranglers will elect new officers at the beginning of spring semester. Silver Key officers were elected in November for the coming term.

### Centaur Scoop Snow! Pledges Clear Sidewalks

Contrary to popular belief, hell can be cold. Centaur pledges made the discovery during their current Hell Week. They cleaned the main sidewalks on the campus until the small hours of Thursday morning, as a progressive pledging project. Nine strong they dug their way out from the gym south to the recreation hall, west from the bookstore, and east of the double T sign.

However, plans for cleaning the Ad building tower did not thaw out, said Oscar Allen, club reporter.

### Carl Svenson Is Injured In Automobile Accident

Carl L. Svenson, secretary of the Texas state board of registration, was injured Tuesday night in an automobile accident near Brownwood, O. V. Adams, dean of engineering, said.

Svenson, former head of the engineering drawing department here, had been scheduled to address the graduating senior engineers Wednesday. Svenson, not seriously injured is in a Brownwood hospital.

# SOCIETY

## Women's Inter-Club Council Makes Changes In Social Club Rush Rules

All girls wishing to participate in spring rush week for women's social clubs are invited to attend an informal convocation Friday, Feb. 4 at 5 p. m. in the Aggie auditorium. This announcement was made Thursday by Jayne Thompson, president of Women's Inter-Club Council. Attendance at this meeting is compulsory for all girls intending to be rushed, Miss Thompson stated.

In order for a girl to be eligible for rush week, she must have at least a C average and must carry or be enrolled for at least 12 semester hours.

Rush rules will be read at the convocation and each girl wishing to rush must sign a register from the Dean of Women's office. Only members of WICC will be present at this convocation.

Open house will be held by each club Saturday, Feb. 5 from 2-5 p. m. Addresses for these will be given at the convocation. Rushes must attend all five open houses and sign registers at each in order to be eligible for rushing.

Immediately following the closing of the open houses at 5 p. m. members of WICC will meet and compare the registers as signed at the informal convocation. Any girl who has not signed each book will be disqualified for rushing until the following semester.

Rush cards will be handed out between 6:30 p. m. Feb. 5 and 5 p. m. Feb. 7. Rush rules will be printed on the back of the cards for the convenience of rushees.

### Junior Students May Apply For Reserve Commissions

Men who have completed two or more years of college work leading to a degree are eligible for commissions as second lieutenants in the Officers Reserve corps, Maj. Harold Fulghum, commanding officer of the local recruiting station, said today.

Besides meeting the scholastic requirements, candidates must be between the ages 19 to 32 and must be veterans of one year's service in any of the armed forces between Dec. 7, 1941, and June 30, 1947. Men who qualify will be commissioned directly and ordered to active duty immediately for a period of two years, said Major Fulghum.

Persons interested may secure further information and application blanks at the recruiting office, room 203, postoffice building, he said.

### Students Conduct Church Services In Littlefield

Tech students, Lloyd Gilmore, Charlotte Blackburn, Mary Ramirez, Ella Faye Groves, and Brent Bronkvist will go to Littlefield tomorrow morning to conduct services in the First Presbyterian church there, W. F. Rogan, director of the student center said Thursday. The theme of their service will be "Christ on the College Campus."

Rush week will have one period of parties following the open houses. Each club will have a party Feb. 7 from 5-6:30 p. m.; Feb. 8, from 5:30-7 p. m. and from 7:30-9 p. m.; Feb. 9, from 5:30-7 p. m., and from 7:30-9 p. m.

A rushee must accept invitations and attend all parties to which she is asked, and she may attend only those scheduled rush parties to which she has been invited and accepted by signing a rush card.

Rushes will sign club preferences Thursday, Feb. 10 at 1 p. m., in the Dean of Women's office. At 5 p. m. the same day rushees will pick up club invitations.

Miss Thompson stated that rush plans for this spring have been simplified. An informal convocation will replace the usual formal one and the individual club open houses will be for the purpose of better acquainting the girls wishing to rush with club members. Miss Thompson also said that club invitations the final day will reach the girls quicker this semester than in the past.

### Rec Hall Program Announced Today

The Recreation hall program for the spring semester was released today by James G. Allen, dean of men.

Burl Hubbard's orchestra will play for the eight dances on February 5, 12, 26, March 5, 11, 26 and April 22 and 30. The dances will last 3 hours from 8:30 to 11:30 p. m. Fun nights include Tech talent night, scheduled for April 9, a bingo party on May 6 and a barn dance on May 14.

Movies will be shown Feb. 25, March 4, 12 and 18 and April 1 and 29.

The two lectures are to be given by Bennett Cerf, author of the jokebook, "Try and Stop Me", who will speak February 10 and George V. Denny, Jr., founder and moderator of "America's Town Meeting of the Air," will appear April 8.

Earle Spicer, baritone-ballad singer who has been guest soloist with many leading symphony orchestras, will entertain March 4.

Single admission to the lectures and the concert will be sold only if seats are available, at \$1.00 per person. All other programs may be attended on presentation of the recreation hall tickets. Programs are set for 8 p. m. in the recreation hall, stated Dean Allen.

Blue Cross enrollment-collection period has been set Jan 31-Feb. 6. Representatives will be at booths in the east rotunda of the administration building and in the engineering building.

### Mental Wizzard To Appear Here

Dr. Franz J. Polgar, mental wizzard, will appear at Tech in the Recreation hall Feb. 2, James G. Allen, dean of men, announced today.

Polgar was elected to preside over the magicians' convention held in New York last Spring. Reports state that Polgar mystified the mysticists at this meeting.

The magician who has performed for record crowds from coast to coast, gives amazing demonstrations in telepathy and memory feats. By using volunteer subjects from his audiences, he proves the powers of suggestion, a Saturday Evening Post's bulletin reports.

He will appear at the recreation hall at 5 p. m. Feb. 2 for a 30 minute demonstration performance preceding the night performance at 8, also in the Rec hall. This program is the first independent program which has been sponsored by the Recreation hall. Students will be admitted for \$7.00 Dean Allen stated.

### AAUP Will Meet Monday In Home Ec Building

Refreshments will be served to members of the American Association of University Professors after their regular meeting at 6:30 p. m. Monday in the Tea Room, Sam Lefeste, president of the local chapter, announced this week. The business session will be in Annex G of the home economics department which connects with the Tea Room.

Dr. V. T. Clover, associate professor of economics and marketing, will report on his Projects and Program survey. Mr. Robert Lockard, associate professor of architecture, will make suggestions for a constitution, and Dr. Howard E. Golden, associate professor of marketing and secretarial administration, will report activities of the Faculty Social and Recreational Facilities committee.

Miss Fay Hattox, instructor in foods and nutrition, was in charge of arrangements for refreshments. She will be assisted by Miss Martha Graves, home economics instructor, and Miss Ester Sorenson, district supervisor of the State Board of Vocational Education.

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