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TAKE IT AWAY—Construction workers are shown above as they begin making preparations to remove one of the army surplus or X buildings on the Tech campus which have served as classrooms for the past two years. The buildings are being torn down to make room for permanent installations now being built. (Photo by Lee.)

Removal Of Temporary X Buildings Begins This Week On 18-Month Plan

By JOAN MAPLES
Toreador Staff Writer

After three years of cluttering up the Tech campus, the X buildings are going. The first of buildings to meet its well deserved end is X-6, located north of the Museum. It is being torn down this week.

"We have no definite program now for the tearing down and moving of these buildings, but it will probably be 18 months before they are all gone from the campus," Edwin L. Smith, assistant to the president, said.

The buildings that are being moved in the immediate future are those that are in the way of the new construction. Not until the buildings that are going up on the campus are completed will the college be able to do without the X's for classrooms.

Cold In Winter

All who have suffered through classes in the one-time Army buildings are very glad to see them go. In the winter they were, to put it mildly, cold. Many an early morning class has been dismissed because the buildings were too cold to even sit in; many other classes have been conducted with the students hovering around the stoves and the instructor practically sitting on it. It is extremely diffi-

Frosh Day Events Ending With Picnic

Freshman day activities will continue today with a rally at 1 p.m. on the circle before the freshmen leave for a picnic. Dr. Gene Hemmle, head professor of music, will be present at the rally with part of the band to aid in gathering the freshmen together.

The picnic, to be held in Mackenzie park, will begin as soon as the rally is over. Recreation will be directed by Joe Holmes from Sports center. The swimming pool and amusement park have been contracted for the day, according to Harold Brannan, president of the class.

Fried chicken at 6 p.m. tonight will conclude the day's activities. Tickets are on sale for the entire day in the administration building for \$1.25, Brannan said.

cult to write wearing a pair of gloves.

During the summer sessions the X's really were not too bad, provided the classes were all of the 7:30 variety. A late class in those buildings was terrific. If the sand was not blowing and the windows were open, the hot breeze served to lower the temperatures some. If the sand was blowing and the windows were closed, the rooms were about 20 degrees hotter inside than it was outside, which was any place from 85 to 100 degrees. In other words, they were warm.

Happy Days

One of the nicer features of the buildings was the terrain in which they were located. If it had rained within the past two weeks, all the water would drain into the area around these buildings and one needed a boat to get to them. The mud was thick and sticky, sticky enough that a few students have lost their shoes in it.

To sum up, everyone on the Tech campus is very, very happy to hear that the X's are being removed.

No Smoking Rule Becomes Effective In Summer School

A no-smoking-in-classroom regulation has been approved by the faculties of the various divisions to be effective with the beginning of the summer session, June 1, 1950.

Considerable study has gone into this decision. The Faculty Advisory Committee and the Council of Deans, in addition to the faculty members, have gone on record supporting this action.

President Wiggins indicated that the announcement is being made at this time in order to allow sufficient time for the decision to become common knowledge on the campus before the beginning of summer school.

SENIORS NOTICE

Caps and gowns will be available to the seniors around May 17 in the Bookstore, W. C. Cole, manager, said. Invitations may be secured now.

PROM SLATED TONIGHT

Graduation Schedule And Procedure Explained By School Administrators

Instruction of interest to graduating seniors have come from various administrators this week.

Tech's Twenty-fourth annual commencement exercises will be held in Jones stadium May 21 and 22. Rehearsals for the two services, baccalaureate and graduation, have been set for 8:30 a.m., May 21, James G. Allen, chairman of the convocations committee, has announced. All seniors and marshals are instructed to meet east of the east stand of Jones stadium on that date.

Dr. W. R. White, president of Baylor university, will give the baccalaureate sermon, Russell B. Brown, general counsel of Independent Petroleum Association of America, is to make the graduation address.

Seniors Attend

Seniors, who may be in doubt as to when their classes officially end, are instructed by Dr. E. N. Jones, vice president, to attend classes regularly through May 19.

Department heads by divisions will meet at 4 p.m., May 19, to compile the list of seniors eligible to be graduated, according to the president's office. List of candidates for degrees includes names of 1,110 students, Miss Evelyn Clewell, assistant registrar, said.

Instructions regarding attire and rehearsals for the ceremonies, issued by Allen, are as follows:

1. Wear regulation cap and gown. Bottom of gown to be from four to six inches above ankle when standing.
2. Tassel of cap is worn on RIGHT side and changed to LEFT when degree is conferred.
3. Conservative white collars are to be worn by men. Women wear plain white collars.
4. Men wear caps throughout ceremony except at prayer. Women do not remove caps.
5. Rehearsal at 8:30 a.m., May 21.

Seniors will form in line just east of the east stand of Jones stadium. Seniors will take their places in line in accordance with a mimeographed list which will be furnished them and on which their names are numbered. All seniors must be in line before the process-

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Directors To Meet To Open New Bids

Opening of bids in connection with awarding of a contract for another new campus building will compose the main order of business when Tech Board of Directors meets May 22, Ed Smith, presidential assistant, said.

Bids for the agricultural engineering building to be erected behind the Agriculture building will be opened in Pres. D. M. Wiggins' office shortly after the meeting is convened at 9:30 a.m. May 22, Smith stated.

Class Favorites To Be Presented At Intermission

The Junior-Senior prom, given annually by the junior class to honor the seniors, will be held from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. tonight in the Rec hall, Ralph Lacy, junior class president, stated. Ted Crager and his orchestra will play for the semi-annual affair.

Presentation of the junior and senior class favorites will be held at intermission. The favorites were chosen earlier in the year at class elections and will also be featured in La Ventana.

Junior favorites are Dorothy Stephenson, business administration student from Fort Stockton, and Andy Behrends, agricultural student from Dimmitt. Senior favorites are Alice Hix, arts and sciences, Abernathy, and Bill McCasland, January graduate in business administration, Lamesa.

Dance On Trial Basis

The dance this spring is being held on a trial basis. If the event is successful, Junior-Senior proms will continue to be held. If the dance is not a success, this will be the last of the proms, Lacy said.

There will be collection boxes at the door for all juniors who have not already paid 50 cents for the dance, Lacy stated. Collection days, held earlier in the spring, raised almost enough money to pay for the dance.

Anita Meynig, commercial art student from Snyder, is in charge of decorations. Emphasis will be placed on the setting from which the favorites will be presented.

Other students helping with arrangements are: Bill Luke, banners; LeVora Manning, radio; Mary Ruth Norris, local newspapers; and Paula Fix, Toreador.

Annual To Arrive For Distribution To Seniors Thursday

The 1950 edition of La Ventana will be here and ready for distribution to the graduating seniors May 18, Roy Grimes, editor of the yearbook, said. Only graduating seniors may receive their annuals on this day. As candidates for graduation receive their annuals, their names will be checked off a list. Roy Grimes, editor, has asked that only the seniors who are graduating try to get their annuals on that day.

Undergraduates will receive their copies May 19-20. All that will be necessary to get an annual is a library card.

The 50 yearbook will be printed on slick paper with the main division pages in color. The cover of the annual is to be kept secret until distribution time. There will be an alphabetized index by classes

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Council Allocates Funds For 1950-51; Five New Appropriations Are Made

By PAULA FIX
Toreador Staff Writer

Allocations of money for the 1950-51 school year have been made by the Student Council, Raymond Brigham, business manager, has announced.

Brigham pointed out that these allocations are tentative and are subject to approval by Dr. D. M. Wiggins, Tech president, and the Board of Directors.

The council deliberated the al-

locations for four hours at the regular meeting Monday night and had a called meeting Wednesday for an additional two hours in order to give careful consideration to each allotment, Brigham said.

Five new allocations were made this year, and one previously made was dropped, he stated. New allocations are for the aggie judging teams, Texas Tech Radio club, Texas Tech Rodeo association, two engineering organizations, and Saddle Tramps.

Lump Sum Allotments

For the first time, the council voted to assign money to a division in a lump sum instead of breaking it up into departmental clubs. Council members decided that they were not as well qualified to determine how much a particular club or team should receive as were officials in the department. On this basis, the aggie judging teams were allotted 39 cents per semester from each student activity fee.

Three engineering societies wrote letters of application to Brigham for allotments. The budget committee recommended to the council that American Institute of Chemical Engineers and the American Society of Civil Engineers be given two cents each and that American Institute of Industrial Engineers, which also applied, be denied an allocation on grounds that the organization had proposed to use the funds to visit industrial plants instead of representing the college in some form of competition. When the issue came to a vote, the decision was to al-

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To The Senior Class

The Junior class of Texas Technological College

requests the honor of your presence at

A DANCE

Honoring the Graduating Seniors

Saturday, the thirteenth of May,

Nineteen hundred and fifty

College Recreation Hall

Semi-Formal

Date

8:30 - 11:30 p.m.

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Junior-Senior Prom . . .

Saturday marked the final junior-senior prom to be held at Texas Tech could very easily be a headline in the next issue of the paper (if there was one) if the junior and senior classes should fail to support wholeheartedly this year's prom attempt.

We have followed with interest the plans which have been drawn up for this year's dance and we know full well how hard and how long a great many people have worked on it. Once before the Toreador printed a letter from the council of deans which stated in effect that, "if the 1950 junior-senior prom does not gain more support than those held in the past, it is felt that it would be wise to refrain from attempting any more proms in the future."

The council of deans had every justifiable reason for taking such a step. After all it is not a dance for their benefit and it does add one more function to the already crowded college calendar.

No, it is not the council of deans part to be responsible for the success of a prom. It is not any one person or small group of persons who should be held responsible. The entire junior and senior classes, and that means every member, is responsible for making this dance a permanent fixture at Tech. Some may say, "Well, who cares anyway. I won't be here next year." You may not be here, but other students will.

In order not to let them and ourselves and the college as well down why don't we turn out one hundred per cent for tonight's dance.

Fish Day . . .

Today will mark the end of an annual event which has gone begging more or less here at Tech for the past few years, especially since the war. We are referring to "fish day," which began last night with a dance and will end tonight at 6 p.m. with a big fried chicken dinner.

At 1 p.m. this afternoon transportation to Mackenzie park will begin leaving from Memorial circle where the afternoon will be spent in the swimming pool and in the park in an old fashioned picnic and get together.

"Fish day" serves a greater purpose than you freshmen may realize. For the next three years the people in your class are going to be your next door neighbors, friends and class mates. You and they alike will shape the student policy which will be evident on the campus next year and the year after and the year after that.

Don't you think it might be a good idea if you knew just what sort of people you were going to be associated with during one of the most important periods of your life. This is an ideal way to learn names and faces which will soon be an integral part of your every day college life.

Harold Brannan and his group have worked hard to get the arrangements made for today's program. Through the aid of Joe Holmes of the Sport Center and others a program has been planned whereby everyone will enjoy the day and it should be an occasion not soon to be forgotten.

Thinking Allowed

By JERRY HALL

Wake up and groan! It is that time of year again. Yep, the honeymoon is over. Dead week is upon us and then finals. Before going any farther let us say that a step which we approve of wholeheartedly (wonder why) has been taken on our campus this year. No finals for graduating seniors. When the administration showed it had faith in the capability of our upperclassmen first by setting up a modified no cut rule and then by the no final degree, it took a large step toward placing Tech at the head of higher educational institutions in Texas. Now that the graduating seniors of this year have this heretofore unheard of privilege, we for one, and there should be more, sincerely hope nothing happens to get the new deal reversed for future cap and gown wearers.

With tongue in cheek we would like to point out that as every good and bad thing (take your pick) must come to an end, this is the final appearance of Thinking Allowed in these columns. About six months ago we swore up and down to the Smithy who has also forged his way to the end of his school days for awhile, that under no circumstances would a bunch of last issue trape appear in this column. But as the typewriter clicks on, it looks like a hopeless promise. We do want to write that last one; so here goes.

First, our grateful thanks to a splendid young group of future newspaper men and women, the editorial staff of this paper, for the excellent work which they have done this year. It would be impossible to say which should be pointed out as the most capable and the hardest worker. Then as a result of our association with the student body as a whole this year it seems that we have a better and fuller understanding of what Texas Tech means now and will continue to mean throughout the years to come.

Those friendly "howdys" and the unforgettable thrill of seeing an inspired Red Raider football team and coaching staff completely surprise and overwhelm a bewildered visiting H-SU eleven to cop a third Border crown in a row are just a few of the things which we will remember. Last year Tech began a new era under two presidents, Dr. Wiggins and Dr. Jones. This year it functioned under two student prexy's and it functioned well. Curtis Sterling and Marshall Gettys turned out to be the type leaders of which any school could be proud. There were others too; our student body manager; the very capable madam secretary of the student association and chairmen of the committees; a new vice president and many, many others who could never be named in the space we have left.

Next fall, the beginning of the most important year in Tech's history, Horton Russell and a whole new group of student leaders will take over at the head of student government. Our very best wishes to them. With the able assistance of a fine group of new student council members (that even includes Senator Parsley) the student government at Texas Tech will certainly not go to pieces. It should rise to a strength never enjoyed before. As for the instructors and teachers we have mentioned and hounded for four long years, we have but one word to say, "thanks for putting up with it."

TO THE STUDENT BODY OF TEXAS TECHNOLOGICAL COLLEGE

I wish to take this opportunity to thank my fellow students for the privilege of serving them during the 1949-50 school year. I sincerely hope that as a second choice president I did not do a second-class job because student support such as I received deserves only the best.

(Signed)
Marshall Gettys,
President Texas Tech Student Association.

Into The Valley Of Death

Following is the schedule of final examinations for students who are not graduating seniors.

CLASSES MEETING AT	DATE AND HOUR OF EXAM
8 a.m. MWF	8 a.m., Tuesday, May 23
9 a.m. MWF	2 p.m., Tuesday, May 23
10 a.m. MWF	8 a.m., Saturday, May 20
11 a.m. MWF	8 a.m., Thursday, May 25
12 noon MWF	7 p.m., Tuesday, May 23
1 p.m. MWF	2 p.m., Wednesday, May 24
2 p.m. MWF	2 p.m., Thursday, May 25
3 p.m. MWF	11 a.m., Monday, May 22
4 p.m. MWF	11 a.m., Thursday, May 25
5 p.m. MWF	11 a.m., Wednesday, May 24
8 a.m. TTS	2 p.m., Monday, May 22
9 a.m. TTS	2 p.m., Saturday, May 20
10 a.m. TTS	8 a.m., Wednesday, May 24
11 a.m. TTS	8 a.m., Monday, May 22
1 p.m. TTS	11 a.m., Saturday, May 20
2 p.m. TTS	11 a.m., Tuesday, May 23
3 p.m. TTS	8 a.m., Friday, May 26
4 p.m. TTS	2 p.m., Friday, May 26
5 p.m. TTS	11 a.m., Friday, May 26

Final Issue . . .

With this issue of The Toreador its present staff will complete a tour of duty behind the dusty typewriters and half empty coke bottles and the paper will not again appear until the summer term when H. A. Tuck will hold forth as editor in chief.

It has been a pleasure to serve you, the student body of Texas Tech this school year. Perhaps at times the paper was not running according to each individual's own desires and we forthwith humbly apologize for all the misspelled names, misquoted statements and otherwise fouled up copy which has appeared in our columns.

Seriously however, fellow students, it has been fun putting out your newspaper. So with an eye to the future, here is a toast to bigger and better Toreadors and most of all to a bigger and better Texas Tech.

Applications Asked For Scholarship

Students majoring in foreign languages are again asked to apply for the Roscoe Wilson memorial scholarship. A stipend of \$30 a month for nine months each year will be paid to a student majoring in foreign languages from a fund known as the Roscoe Wilson Memorial fund.

Selection is made in the spring by the staff of the department of foreign languages. Applications should be addressed to the head of the department of foreign languages.

Council

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locate 4 cents to the division for use as officials saw fit.

Plant Industry flour judging team failed to apply for an allocation.

Distribution Of Fees

Of the student activity fee of \$15 per semester per student, the council is given \$2.76 to allocate to organizations with worthy purpose which apply. This distribution was made as follows:

Student Council	10
Texas Tech bands	76
Toreador	63
Engineering show	20
Aggie judging teams	39
Chamber of Commerce	05
Home Ec open house	05
Texas Tech choral groups	08
Debate team	08
Dramatics	06
Ass'n of Women Students	03
Internal Relations club	01
Alpha Phi Omega	04
Junior council	0025
Student Religious council	02
Texas Tech Radio club	03
Texas Tech Rodeo ass'n	04
Engineering	04
Saddle Tramps	02
Student Union bldg fund	0975

Compared to this year's budget, the Student Union building fund has been lowered from 15 to 9.75 cents; Student Council, from 24 to 10 cents; Engineering show, up 3 cents; Toreador up 1/2 cent; bands, down 3 cents; Home Ec open house, up 3 cents; and choral groups, up 5 cents.

K. Carter Wheelock of Lubbock, who will receive his MA degree in Spanish this spring, has been awarded a teaching fellowship in Romance languages at the University of Texas for the 1950-51 session. Wheelock will teach two classes in Spanish while working in the graduate school towards his PhD in Romance languages.

Centaur To Honor May Grads Tonight

Centaur, men's social club, will hold its twentieth annual dinner dance honoring graduating seniors from 7 to 9 p.m. tonight at the Hilton hotel. Phil Klidman's band will furnish music for dancing which will follow the candle-light dinner.

Graduating seniors who will be honored are James Hollar, Hardy Scott, Winifred Hooper, Richard Gibson, Joe Stacy, Jerry Dorsy, Randy Nunneley, Brian Clark, Joe DeGaire, Don Morris, Carl Beckum, Bill McMillan, Farrell Reeder, Richard Dickey, Sandy Hodge, John Huckabay, and Bill Bean.

Members and dates to attend are E. J. Hill, Pat Nolan; James Lee, Billie Ruth Little; Erben Webster; Tommie Ann Campbell; Jerry McKee, Claudine Young; Joe Stacy, Thelma Dee Keck; Randy Nunneley, Annabelle Flanagan; Bill Bates, Sue Wise; Willie Mitchell, Mary Jean Naugle; James Cook, Paula Harrell; Neil Crutchfield, Dorothy Husk; Bob Oaks, Janel Hay; Bob Poteet, Paula Eley; Don Morris, Erin Nevitt, Robert Montgomery, Dorothy Rountree; Ed Jones, Betty Martin;

Phil Crumpler, Beth Norman; Bill Bucy, Pat Keith; Carl Beckum, Peggy Carter; Tommy Bond, Jane Skinner; Ralph Button, Barbara Gilliland; Horton Russell, Judy Pierce; Bob Duff, Joann Appleby; Jimmy Hall, Mary Stanford; Bill McMillan, Laura McCracken; Ed Stackup, Ludann Berry; Howard Kenyon, Gillior McEntire; Bill Powell, Beverly White; Jim Kennedy, Pat Smith; Hugh Davidson, Margaret Nelson; Jerry Dorsy, Bonnie Holland; Bill Easter, Carolyn Reeves; Pug Hamman, Tillie Hill; Glenn McGehee Jr.; Bullock; Bob Hart, Marior Thomas.

Pledges and dates attending are Leon Smith, Wanda Sims; Jay Moore, Doris Turner; Dan Rouall Stella Hefte; Hal Clark, Ann Fahle; Bob Price, Becca Colas; Bob Lovelace, Nancy Furr; Bill Kolbye, Lila Findley; George Duey Nancy Harrington; Jim Roop, Billie Ruth Parker; George Wendel Glenna Shinn.

Centaur Alumni numbering about 25 are expected to attend the annual affair. The favors are to be kept secret until they are presented at the dinner.

Patronize Toreadors Advertisers

St. Clair De Will Be Able

By BETTS D. Toreador Staff
"During the next few weeks more difficult to secure employment. St. Clair, acting as a training division, "buys" a field open for new Tech providers. Tech provides training for students can diverge from the courses."
"We have three deep electrical, and mechanical approved by the Council for Professional and are hopeful

Smyers Inve Fly-proof Co For Garbage

By DOYL ADAMS
Toreador Staff
A fly-proof garbage has been invented by ers, training officer, and administration campus.

The cover is made of water-proof canvas, rubber band around the name suggests, on any kind of can.

"I went out to catch last summer a swarm of flies around a piece of old paper. With a piece of old some strips of rubbered a slip-on cover. If left, the flies would eat it. This is the way the idea of my invention.

The first "Fly-Proof" manufactured by the inventor, Smyers applied A. E. Quest, a manufacturer of covers, and Smyers through Furr Food.

"Taking into consideration the fight against Polio epidemics requiring ers, I believe the "Fly-Proof" will be a success," Smyers said.

Intramural S Loops To Er ASME Beat

The semi-final intramural contest will be between AS Squirrel Shooters.

American Society of Engineers intramural team defeated the Squirrel Shooters in the softest of a single run margin.

played the game after disputing an decision over the run to be the winning team.

Larry McCoy pitched the victory in the sixth ended with a 10-9 Pavlicek honored for in the sixth with a 10-9. Proved to be the engine as they scored at the Squirrel Shooter's side.

The EP's took an they piled on five and one error to five.

They added another third out to give it of the fourth to the side.

After the engine the sixth inning, Shooters came back of the sixth with a 10-9. In the top of ASME jumped on 10-9. In the top of ASME jumped on 10-9. In the top of ASME jumped on 10-9.

In a meeting of officials, the game date was upheld a date between the Squirrel Shooter's 5-0 check this afternoon.

Patronize Toreadors Advertisers

St. Clair Declares Capable Engineers Will Be Able To Find Suitable Employment

By BETTS DALTON
Toreador Staff Writer

"During the next few years it may become more difficult for graduates to secure employment," stated O. E. St. Clair, acting dean of the engineering division, "but there is always a field open for capable engineers. Tech provides managerial training for students so that they can diverge from their engineering courses."

"We have three departments, civil, electrical, and mechanical engineering approved by the Engineer's Council for Professional Development and are hopeful for approval

of the industrial and two textile engineering departments," St. Clair stated.

"With the increase in size of the petroleum building and the construction of the main building, the facilities for instruction will be greatly enhanced."

St. Clair came to Tech in 1931 as head of the department of engineering drawing and graphics, which was later changed to industrial engineering. He has been acting dean of the engineering division since September, 1949, and is still also head of the industrial engineering department.

Receiving his degree from Illinois Institute in Chicago, St. Clair worked as assistant engineer for the United States Gypsum company in Chicago for 13 years. He then became engineer for Beaver Products of Buffalo. The Atlantic Gypsum products company in New York was the scene of his next job.

Wranglers Rack Up Three Wins In Campus Softball

Wranglers had a good week in MCCC softball as they racked up three high-powered wins over the Silver Key, Centaur and Los Cams.

Freddie Schultz pitched the Wrangler team to three victories as it piled up a total of 45 runs as compared with nine runs for the opposition. Schultz met Kuykendall of the Centaurs in the first round battle and came out on the long end of a 14-4 count.

Silver Key was next in line for Schultz and company as the combined efforts of Durward Wright and C. R. Wright failed to stop the Wrangler onslaught. Ralph Culver socked a three-run homer to aid the Wranglers as they devoured the Keys 19-3. C. B. Wright of the Keys also went for the circuit.

It was Freddie Schultz again as the Wranglers downed a scrappy Los Cams nine 12-2. Jim Conline and Joe Overton on the mound for

McClennen Is New AIME President

Doyle McClennen, petroleum engineering major, will be president of the student chapter of the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical engineers next year.

Other officers elected in the meeting Monday night are Don Tankersley, vice president and Truett Enloe, secretary. Additional officers will be elected at the first meeting next year.

Sponsors for the organization will be W. L. Ducker, professor of petroleum engineering, Paul Johnston, assistant professor of petroleum engineering and Philip Johnson, instructor in petroleum engineering.

the Cams were credited with the loss. Buddy Mazer homered with two Wrangler mates aboard.

MCCC play will probably conclude the early part of next week if 'ole man weather' permits.

SENIOR INVITATIONS NOW READY FOR DISTRIBUTION Please Call For Yours As Soon As Possible Texas Tech College BOOKSTORE

Smyers Invents Fly-proof Cover For Garbage Cans

By DOYL ADAMS
Toreador Staff Writer

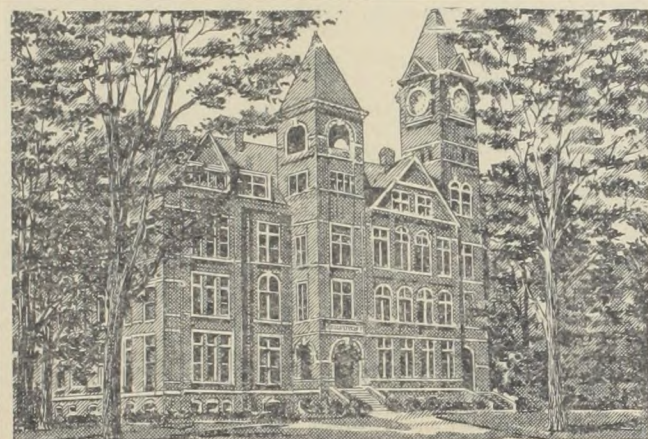
A fly-proof garbage can cover has been invented by Carroll Smyers, training officer for the Veterans' administration on the Tech campus.

The cover is made of heavy, water-proof canvas, with a large rubber band around the edge. As the name suggests, it is fly-tight on any kind of can.

"I went out to empty the garbage last summer and noticed the swarm of flies around the can. With a piece of old bed sheet and some strips of rubber, I constructed a slip-on cover and found that it kept the flies away," Smyers said. This is the way I hit upon the idea of my invention, he said.

The first "Fly-Tite" cover was manufactured by a local firm in July, 1949, and with it as an example, Smyers applied for a patent. A. E. Quest and Sons, canvas manufacturers, will make the covers, and Smyers will sell them through Furr Food stores.

"Taking into consideration the fight against Polio and the city ordinances requiring fly-proof covers, I believe the 'fly-tite' covers will be a success," Smyers said.



Major Nathan Adams, Auburn '40 Personnel Manager, U.S. Air Force



Intramural Softball Loops To End Play; ASME Beats PI

The semi-final intramural softball contest will be played this afternoon between ASME and the Squirrel Shooters.

American Society of Mechanical Engineers intramural softball team defeated the Plant Industry team in the softball playoffs in a single run margin. Plant Industry played the game under protest after disputing an umpire's decision over the run which proved to be the winning margin.

Larry McCoy pitched ASME to the victory in the slugfest which ended with a 10-9 score. Eugene Pavlicek homered for the engineers in the sixth with two on. The sixth proved to be the engineers' big inning as they scored six runs before the Squirrel Shooters could retire the side.

The PI's took an early lead as they piled on five walks, one hit and one error to score four times. They added another run in the third only to give it back in the top of the fourth to the engineers.

After the engineer's spurge in the sixth inning, the Squirrel Shooters came back in the bottom of the sixth with a four-run attack of their own to regain the lead 9-7. In the top of the seventh, ASME jumped on Jack Dixon, losing PI pitcher, for three runs and the ball game.

In a meeting of the Intramural officials, the game umpire's decision was upheld and the playoff date between the engineers and the Squirrel Shooters was set for 5 o'clock this afternoon at Waggoner park.



A top scholar and ROTC Honor Graduate, Cadet Lt. Col. Nathan Adams enjoyed his final military ball in 1940, soon left for Fort Sill's Field Artillery School.



Following a three month course, Lt. Adams decided the Air Force was the place for him. He applied for pilot training, was accepted, proceeded to Maxwell Field.



He won his wings and reported to the 36th Fighter Group in Puerto Rico. The group soon returned to the States, giving Adams a chance to marry his college sweetheart.



Within months Adams was overseas, flying "rhubarbs" (missions against enemy transports). He flew 63 P-47 missions within seven months, returned to the States late in 1944 for rest and recuperation.



V-J Day came, and Adams decided to make the service a career. He chose personnel work as his career field, was assigned for training to the Adjutant General's School at Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia.



Now a regular Air Force Major, he heads a 32-man section at Bolling Air Force Base. He advises his Commanding Officer on selection, assignment and promotion of all officers and airmen in the command.



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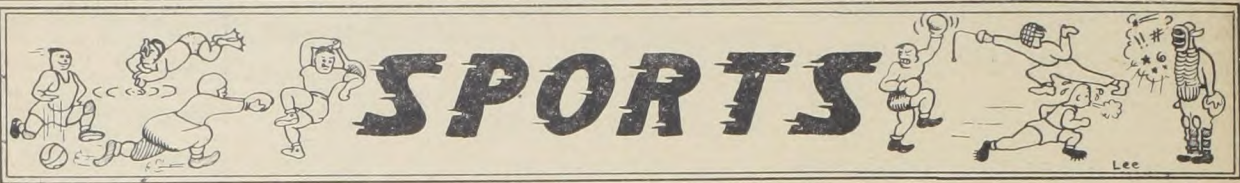
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Third Straight Border Crown Highlighted Year In Sports

Cage Season Ends On Bright Note

By SAN ANDERSON
Toreador Sports Editor

Today the curtain will ring down on the sports activities for the 1949-50 season at Texas Tech. While the Lubbock college did not set the world on fire in any one field of athletic endeavor, it at least turned in some interesting performances.

The Tech grid team knocked over a pass-crazy Hardin-Simmons team to win the Border conference championship for the third consecutive season, but it couldn't buy a win over any of the Southwest conference competition it faced. The Raiders, despite its losses to SWC grid squads, stole the San Jose Raisin bowl bid right from under the noses of the El Paso Texas Western Miners, then lost the game 20-13 to the air-minded Californians. Ike Stuver, who will be back next year, turned in the most spectacular play of the game. Stuver, in deep punt formation on fourth down, took the ball and ran by amazed gladiators from both San Jose and Lubbock. It seems that the Tech halfback sort of ad libbed the play into an 86-yard touchdown scamper.

19 Lettermen Lost

The football season at Tech looms as a question mark because of the loss of 19 lettermen from this year's squad, but a fine crop of up-coming freshmen may more than offset the departing gridlers. Oddly enough the number of returning lettermen is the same as the number making its exit from college competition. Without the intervention of a minor miracle, the 1950 version of the Red Raiders will suffer at least five defeats—all to teams from the Southwest conference that seem sure to be better, or at least no worse, than ones of the past season.

Polk Robison's Red Raider basketball squad didn't even place in this year's cage race, but the team ended the campaign with bright prospects for "next time." The Tech cage mentor may, if he desires, field a team composed exclusively of sophomore and junior basketweavers and chances are strong that he may want to do just that. Paul Nolen, Virgil Johnson and Lewis Martin are probably the most capable hoopsters who will attempt to make the transition from the frosh to varsity squad in next season, but also making determined bids will be Sandy Welton, Don Seale, "Little" Jack Little, C. R. "Buddy" Brock and Dale Knight.

Cagers Lose Two Men

Departing from the fifth place 1949-50 Tech team are Gene Gibson, All-Border conference center and Chester "Jiggs" Jackson, second team All-Circuit guard. Carryovers from the team will be Lettermen Jack Alderson, Charlie Pinnell, Verdell Turner, Jim Edkins, Irl Brown, Ted O'Neill and Squadmen Doral Sandlin, Glen Hancock, Jim McAuley and Weldon McClure.

The Tech cage team displayed at least one flash of brilliance during this year's session by shattering the record for single-game scoring by any squad battling under the Red Raider banner. Robison's wards hammered Flagstaff's Arizona State college 87-51 here

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to the vast amusement of the partisan crowd.

Tipp Mooney and his track squad are in Tempe today trying to wind up the cinder season with a victory that has eluded Tech oval-circlers for many years. In fact, Tech has never won the rose-wreath in a Border conference championship meet. The team may not win it today either, but if past performances can serve as a guide, it won't be the fault of Charlie Pinnell. Pinnell will be the Red Raider's chief threat in the pole vault, high jump, hurdles and broad jump. He will also initiate the first leg of the mile relay. Of course Tech's track team is not a one-man affair, but should Tech, for some reason or another, enter the Border conference finals without the Junior trackster from Andrews, its chance for a win will drop like the temperature during a July blizzard.

Tennis Team Has Good Year

Texas Tech's tennis team is also in Arizona terminating a rather successful net season. It has yet to lose a conference team victory, but in its first net encounter this year the squad was stalemated by Arizona university. The Red Raider-raquet welders probably present Lubbock's best bet for a first place finish at Tempe. Jake Broyles, Tech's net ace, may supply the margin of victory.

Morley Jennings' golf crew, with only one victory this year, is also entered in the conference meet. A victory at Phoenix would just about erase the bitter taste manifested by the team's luckless showing in previous performances. Victory is a rather remote possibility. Golfers to compete in the Conference meet include: G. W. Warden, Hal Hackett, Bobby Martin and Johnny Trout.

Final Grades Of Seniors Due At Registrar's Monday

Grades for seniors will be due in the office of the registrar Monday at noon. They will not be issued directly to students, said Miss Evelyn Ciewell, assistant registrar. Grades will be sent from the registrar's office directly to division deans, who will post lists of students eligible for graduation. These lists should be posted sometime next week, she said.

Letterman Dinner For Next Fall Planned By Exes

Lettermen from the 1925 edition of the Texas Tech Red Raiders will be honored guests at a breakfast-banquet in connection with Tech's Silver Anniversary Homecoming here Nov. 11, according to tentative plans, Lewis N. Jones, assistant dean of men and president of the ex-lettermen's association, has announced.

After the breakfast, the group will be divided and will attend the Tech-Tulsa university football game along with several hundred other ex-lettermen and several former coaches. All former coaches and ex-lettermen are being sent invitations. Pete Cawthon, head football coach for 13 years, has already accepted an invitation.

The Ex-lettermen's association, sponsor of the breakfast, has also undertaken several other tasks, one of which is the publishing of a Texas Tech Athletic yearbook. The yearbook would cover all phases of athletic activity on the Tech campus for the past 25 years.

Plans for this yearbook have not been completed and are very indefinite at the present, Jones said.

The publication of such a book would probably cost \$6,000 or \$7,000, and we would have to get approximately 1,000 advance subscriptions before we could undertake such a venture, he added.

The Ex-lettermen's association, a non-official organization, was organized to provide interest in exes and to serve as the nucleus of an organized group for and by ex-lettermen, Jones stated. The association holds a meeting each homecoming and elects officers. Present officers are Jones and J. B. White, secretary-treasurer. Last year's officers were L. J. Sollis, president, and Ed Smith, secretary-treasurer.

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Border Conference Track Meet Ends Today In Phoenix; Raiders Competing

By BILLY YOE
Toreador Sports Writer

Sports Panorama

By SPORTS STAFF

All year we've desired to put into this column pertinent and interesting facts about Texas Tech nimrods, but until now, we have been stymied by lack of knowledge. Finally after a great deal of research we found that there is a hunters club upon our campus. The research mentioned above brought this unit to our attention in what might be considered a rather indirect fashion, for actually, the searching was done in an English course rather than with the design of stumbling upon campus sharpshooters. However, be that as it may be, after a rather trying time among the big books that line the library's shelves, we stumbled out into the fresh air and walked around the circle near the Ad building. There, lo and behold, stood about one dozen hunters, armed to the teeth and blasting away. Their weapons were sling shots, and their prey seemed to be the pigeons that rest on the tiled roof of the structure. We have no idea what caliber of ammunition they were shooting because we were afraid to go near with the multitude of missiles flying hither and thither through the ozone, but we did get the idea that it was not too effective. The pigeons were remarkably undisturbed by the pellets that pounded near or whistled past their rest-

Four Texas Tech athletic teams close out competition for the 1950 season today with participation in the Border conference meet. The track, tennis and golf teams are in Tempe and Phoenix, while the fencing team is in El Paso.

The tracksters are due to see action tonight in Goodwin field, home of the Arizona State Sun Devils in Tempe. Twelve Raiders made the trip to Tempe along with coaches Dell Morgan, Carl "Moose" Mulleneaux, Polk Robison and Tipp Mooney, coach of the track squad. Moon Mullins, Emler Hutcherson, Bobby Close, Homer Rudd, Ike Stuver, Sonny Stanford, Charlie Pinnell, Joe Wilson, Ben Wilson, Henry Briscoe, Ted Pesbody and Travis Tadlock are the men to represent Tech.

Pinnell will lead the Raiders against the tough Border conference competition. He will be entered in the high jump, pole vault, broad jump, high and low hurdles and will run a lap on the mile relay team. Pinnell has constantly been Tech's leading point-getter all season and will probably top the field in the tall timbers race, which is his outstanding event. Mullins, outstanding sprinter, is favored to defend his Border conference 100-yard dash championship successfully and is a contender for the 220-yard dash event.

Tempe is rated as having a string team and will be favored to

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Breakfast Honors Centaurs' Mothers

Centaurs are holding their annual Mother's day breakfast at 9 a.m. tomorrow in the Hilton hotel. Mothers of all Centaurs will be honored. Dr. E. N. Jones, vice president, is to be guest speaker. After the breakfast the group will attend the First Methodist church.

James Cook, business administration junior of Lubbock, will be Centaur president for the summer session. Other summer school officers who have been elected are: Reuben McGilvary, Lubbock business administration junior, vice president; Bill Collier, business administration junior from Crosbyton; secretary; Jimmy Hall, Amarillo business administration junior, corresponding secretary.

Plans for the Centaur annual reunion, to be held Sept. 1-3 in Fort Worth, are under way.

Techsan Weddings

La Rue Clark and Erodie Hutchinson, Tech students from Littlefield will be married May 26 at the First Methodist church in Littlefield.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Van B. Clark and his parents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Hutchinson. Ann McKinney, Tech student, will be in the wedding party.

Margy Bullen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Bullen of Lubbock, and Floyd Clinton Rector, jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Rector, also of Lubbock, are to be married May 27 at the First Christian church.

Tech students in the wedding party will be Walter Rector, best man and brother to the groom; Rosemary Stubbs, matron of honor; Pat Allgood, Elizabeth Craig and Marriorn Woods.

Nancy Walker, aped arts senior from Lamesa, will marry Tom Brannon also of Lamesa, June 16 at the First Methodist church in that city.

Sally Brannon will be maid of honor, and bridesmaids are to be Janet Rofro, Melba Reeves, Carolyn Harrington, Anita Hurley and Jimmie Lee Cotton, all of Lamesa.

Billie Hopping, '50 journalism graduate, and Bob Watson, '49 journalism graduate, will be married June 2 at the First Methodist church in Littlefield.

Mrs. John A. Smith, of Snyder, sister of the groom, will be matron of honor. Bridesmaids are to be Barbara Bryan, Guida Miller, Betty Wright and Mary Roe.

Billie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Hopping of Littlefield, and Watson is the son of D. E. Watson, Hermleigh.

Miss Sorenson To Speak On Experiences In Europe

Miss Esther Sorenson, district supervisor of the board of education, will talk to the French club at 7:15 p.m. Tuesday in AD-202 and to the Travel club at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday at their formal dinner meeting at the Country club about her experiences in Europe. She will illustrate her talk by the use of slides.

Faculty Club Barbecue Scheduled For Tuesday

The former Faculty club, recently renamed Campus club, is having a barbecue at 5:45 p.m. Tuesday in aggie grove, John Lindsey, president, said.

Tickets are being sold by officers of the club for \$1.25. All campus personnel are invited, Lindsey said.

The Shakespearean drama "Romeo and Juliet" was performed before approximately 500 people during its five-night run in the student theater of the Speech building. This was the second Shakespeare play to be presented by the speech department this year, the first being "Twelfth Night."

Miles Hubka, industrial engineering graduate of 1949, is located in Lubbock working for the city.

SOCIETY

Women's Social Clubs Honor Seniors With Dances, Parties And Dinners

Social organizations on the campus are winding up the year with farewell dances, parties and dinners. The five women's social clubs have given parties in honor of their graduating seniors, and have held their last club meetings of the year.

Las Vivarachas honored its graduating seniors with an annual farewell dinner Thursday night at the Hilton hotel. The seniors were presented gifts, and they in turn gave a program and read the will which they left to the club. Mrs. Gene Jenkins and Miss Martha Graves, club sponsors, who were chosen again for next year, attended the dinner.

DFD seniors were honored with a farewell picnic Thursday night which was given by alumnae and patronesses. Gifts were presented to the senior women, and a program was presented by the pledges.

Sans Souci seniors were guests at a breakfast given by the alumnae Sunday at the Hilton hotel. Each woman received flower earrings on her place card as a gift.

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take the crown. Arizona continually comes up with strong track squads and is liable to be tough. However, Coach Mooney believes his team has a chance to win Tech's first track and field championship.

Golfers, Netters Entered

The golf and tennis teams enter competition this afternoon in Phoenix. The golf team, accompanied by Morley Jennings, athletic director, is not given a chance to bring home a victory, but the netters should do considerably better. The golfers include Bobby Martin, Hal Hackett, Johnny Trout and G. W. Warden. The racket wielders are A. J. "Jake" Broyles, Joe Wheatley, Charlie Orren and Emil Beck. Broyles is number one man for the Raiders and is rated by many as the top man in Border conference.

The fencers have the distinction of being in the first annual Border Conference meet. The meet is also being attended by Texas Western and Arizona U. Bill Spinks, Travis Smith, Dean Legget, Durwood Whitsett, Jerry Powell and James Belser are entered in the open foil, epee and saber events of the meet.

Miss Ruth Carpenter has taken the place of Mrs. Betty Boyd in Dean O. A. St. Clair's office.

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Campus Whirl

Saturday, May 13
Dead week begins.
Centaur dinner dance—7 p.m., Hilton hotel.
Junior-senior annual prom—8:30-11:30 p.m., Green room.

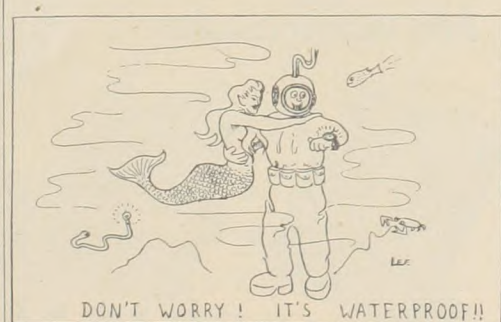
Monday, May 15-Friday, May 19
Last day for submission of thesis for binding (graduate students).

Saturday, May 20
Final exams begin.
Meeting of dean and department heads.

Sunday, May 21
Reception given by Pres. and Mrs. D. M. Wiggins for graduating seniors—4:6 p.m., president's home.
Baccalaureate sermon—8 p.m., Jones stadium.

Monday, May 22
Commencement—8 p.m., Jones stadium.

Friday, May 26
Second semester ends.
Tuesday, June 1
Summer session begins.



THOMAS JEWELRY

Methodist Center To Hold Dedication Services Sunday

The new Methodist Student center will be dedicated Sunday, May 21, and will hold open house Saturday and Sunday, Mrs. C. H. Mathews, assistant director of the center, said.

The center which was constructed with funds donated by Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Overton, Lubbock residents, will include many new features. Among these are to be two lounges, a prayer room, three offices, a library, classroom, assembly hall, game room, kitchen and serving kitchen. A five-room apartment for the director is also included in the building.

The building, which is located at 2420 15th, is to cost something in excess of \$100,000.

Open house will be held from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday and from 1 p.m. to 10 p.m. Sunday.

Sigma Tau Delta Elects Officers

Lee Crouch, senior from Lamesa, is the newly-elected president of Sigma Tau Delta, honorary English fraternity. Other officers, installed at a Monday night banquet, are Rachel Dunaway, vice president; Nancy Stuart, secretary; and Caroline Harper, treasurer.

Guests at the banquet were Drs. and Mes. W. B. Gates, Truman Camp, J. T. McCullen and E. A. Gillis.

VETS' REGISTRATION

Veterans who are planning to attend summer school may pick up their requisition books and sign their papers now in AD-110, announced H. A. Anderson, veterans' coordinator.

Architects Receive Mention On Work From Beaux Arts

Design plates of six architecture students have received mentions from Beaux Arts Institute of Design in New York. The problem, "A Park Restaurant," was completed in nine hours.

Alan G. Eslak, William E. Parrish, Edward O. Reis, Joe Thomas, Sanford Whittaker and Ernest Wilpitz were awarded certificates of mention for their projects.



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Faculty Pioneers Recall Early Days On Tech Campus

Silver Anniversary Year Finds 13 Of First Instructors Here

By MARY VESTAL
Toreador Staff Writer

Pioneer Ex Techsians arriving for Tech's 25th anniversary next fall will find the campus a far cry from the days of 1925 but thirteen familiar faces will be on hand to greet them.

Out of an original 40 faculty members thirteen have remained to see Tech grow from an almost empty wind-swept prairie to the thriving institution it is today.

Upon the opening of the school there were only five structures on the campus; the administration building, stock judging pavilion, Textile building, Home Economics building, and the president's home.

Only one road led into the campus. One sidewalk connected the Ad building with the Home Ec building. The sidewalk and the road were cunningly separated by a deep trench. Rain had been falling heavily and the ground was a slimy ooze. To get to the Ad building it was necessary to cross the trench and the mud. Mrs. Jonnie Michie, then Miss Jonnie McCrery, and another young faculty member were almost overcome by the task. Their taxi driver—gallant gentleman that he was—obliquely carried the ladies through the mud, over the trench, and placed them safely on the sidewalk. They reached their first faculty meeting at Tech spick and span and without mud.

Rode Horses To Class

The only trees on the campus were a few straggly mesquites, to which the boys tied the horses they rode to class. The students of that day were mostly boys and girls from surrounding ranches. Many of the boys brought cows with them to help finance their college education.

With an original enrollment of 1,379 instead of the expected 500, facilities to handle the students were insufficient. George Smallwood, professor of English, was given the task of finding rooms for the starting number of students. At that time the population of Lubbock was only 4,000 and it was extremely hard to find places for the students to stay.

Buildings on the campus were isolated and crowded. The Home Economics building housed the home economics division, registrar's office, college bookstore, geology labs, health office, and the college dairy.

Miss Margaret Weeks, dean of home economics, and Mrs. Jonnie Michie, head of foods and nutrition, shared an office on the second floor. Miss Weeks taught classes in foods and nutrition, and Mrs. Michie taught classes in clothing and applied arts.

Used Sewing Machines For Desks
W. L. Stangel, dean of agriculture and former head of animal husbandry, and A. H. Leidigh, professor of plant industry and dean emeritus, shared an office on the first floor. Their desks were closed treadle sewing machines. "It made a surprisingly fine desk," Leidigh declared.

Dean Stangel's first class in animal husbandry was taught without the benefit of stock. On the first day the boys made rope halters on the theory that you have to have something with which to handle a cow before you can lead her. By the second meeting Dean Stangel had located a sick cow in a back yard on Main street. The boys learned to judge cattle that semester by comparing their specimens with the ideal.

L. T. Patton, professor of geology and former head of the department, had one of the longest walks to and from classes on the campus. His office and lectures were in the Ad building, mineralogy labs in the Textile building, geology labs in the Home Ec building, and he coached the boxing club in the judging pavilion. Dr. Patton was also instrumental in the forming of a fencing team.

Doctor R. A. Studhalter, head of biology, shared his office with Doctor Patton. Studhalter and Patton referred to the Textile building as the Amarillo branch of Tech. Studhalter organized the Science Club, one of the first clubs to be organized on the campus.

Pavilion Was Auditorium

The stock judging pavilion was used as chapel, auditorium, gym and classroom. Tech's first convocation was held there—and believe it or not, in the rain. From all reports, the pavilion was ample for the number of students on the campus.

Doctor C. B. Qualla, head of foreign languages, taught classes in one end of the pavilion and various English classes were held in the other.

During a spring rainstorm, the aggie division's newly-acquired cattle decided to seek shelter in the pavilion. They stumbled in over temporary seats and gained shelter from the storm—temporarily. A dog visiting in Doctor Qualla's class heard the intruders and gave chase. The hysteria in the pavilion died somewhat when the students had forcibly evicted the last cow.

First Dean Of Women

Mrs. Mary Doak, first dean of women at Tech, retired after 20 years in that position and is now a professor of English. Mrs. Doak stated that the disciplinary problems were harder to handle and that proper supervision of the girls was much more difficult due to the girls' living in private homes in Lubbock.

"Contrary to what most people believe, young people are no worse now than they ever were," she said. Her problems were much the same as they are now. Young people seem to have been the same throughout the ages.

Dean Stangel's oldest daughter, Ava Ruth, was born the day of Tech's first faculty meeting and was elected the first faculty baby, a custom started by Doctor Paul Whitfield Horn, first president of the college.

Doctor and Mrs. W. B. Gates, professors of English and foreign language respectively, were elected the first faculty bride and groom. Doctor Gates was president of the Pioneers Club in 1945, an organization composed of the first members of the Tech faculty and since discontinued.

Library Was In Ad Building

Doctor Gates recalled the history of one room on the campus that he felt had led the busiest life. Room 210 in the Ad Building was set aside as a lounging room and meeting place of the Faculty Club. Miss Margaret Weeks was the first president of the club.

As conditions grew more crowded, classes were held in the room—with rugs on the floor and the furniture pretty much as it was for the faculty. It later became the registrar's office and upon the moving of that office it was again turned into a classroom.

The library and the science labs were held in the west wing of the Ad building. The east end of the third floor was one large room in which women's physical education classes were held. Mrs. Johnnie Langford, head of that department, was the only instructor in charge of 400 girls. There was no equipment.

Until the arrival of a piano, the girls did exercises and then began to learn folk dances. The next step was volleyball. Mrs. Langford is proud to say that the volleyballs broke only three of the overhanging light fixtures and few window panes during their session in the room.

Mrs. Langford, who was then Johnny Gilkerson, became dean of women in 1945 and resigned that office in 1948 to again assume duties as head of women's P.E.

Faculty Met In Austin

Doctor C. D. Eaves, professor of history, remembers that the first

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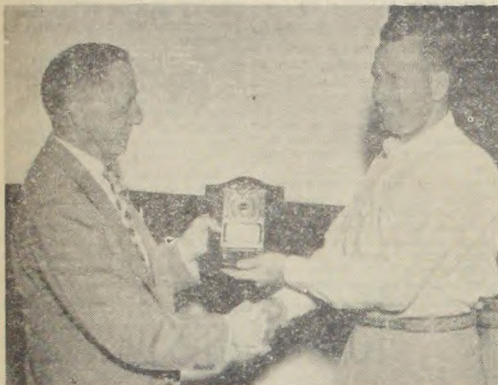
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James Waddell Is Named As 'Aggie Of The Year'



AGGIE AWARD—W. L. Stangel, dean of agriculture, presents the first "Aggie of the Year" award to James Waddell, senior from San Angelo. This prize, given in recognition of service, was instituted by the Aggie club this year. Stangel made the presentation at the last club meeting of the year Tuesday night. (Photo by Robert Duke.)

Gooch Selected Best Aggie For April; Andy Behrends Is Chosen President

By GENE BRASHEAR
Toreador Staff Writer

Presentation of the first "Aggie of the Year" award and of the "Aggie of the Month" award for April at the last Aggie club meeting of the year Tuesday night closed a year of innovations designed for the advancement and improvement of the club.

The first "Aggie of the Year" award was presented to James Waddell, animal husbandry senior from Sweetwater. A plaque as first winner of the award was presented to Waddell by W. L. Stangel, dean of the aggie division. In his 25 years at Tech, this is the most important award he has made, Dean Stangel said.

The initial winner of the award is presented to the member who has rendered the greatest service to the progress and activities of the club during the year, considering not only the work he has done himself, but also the accomplishment and service he inspires in others. Some of the reasons for which Waddell was presented the award are his work as reporter and publicity director of the club, as chairman of publicity of the banquet and pig roasts, and his work on the club's Homecoming float.

Winner of the "Aggie of the Month" award for April was Cecil Gooch, agricultural education senior from Dozier. Gooch was praised as having been a good worker in the club all year and was presented the award for his work during April on the club banquet and because of outstanding service and initiative during the month.

In addition to presentation of the awards, W. H. Tinney, retiring sponsor was presented with an engraved Parker "51" pen and pencil set. A movie, "Today's Chisholm Trail", was shown, comparing the methods of marketing livestock today with those of the 1800's.

Ray T. Crane, assistant professor of animal husbandry at Tech, was elected new club sponsor.

New Officers
Officers of the club for 1950 are: Andy Behrends, president; Don Christian, vice president; Charles Beedy, secretary; S. L. Mullins, treasurer; Robert Duke, reporter; and Glen Johnson, marshal.

In addition to the creation of the "Aggie of the Year" and Aggie of the Month awards, this year has been highlighted by several other innovations.

An Aggie club scrapbook is being prepared for the first time, containing an annual history of the club activities, together with membership and officers for each semester.

A news letter has been set up to keep ex-aggies informed of club activities for each year.

Also new is the modification of the club government made in the creation of the Aggie board of directors. The total of 13 members on the board is composed of five members elected in general meeting from the club members; one

Council Votes TCU For Student Trip

Student Council members have voted to make the TCU game next fall the official out of town trip for the student body.

Members also discussed a tentative budget for next year, at its Monday meeting. Plans were not completed at the meeting, and a committee met Wednesday to finish the planning.

The survey made of 1,200 students for preferences in the Student Union building was also discussed. The questionnaires are in the hands of the architects for tabulation.

The council voted to let the Double T association sponsor the fall Howdy dance.

Margaret Clark, Horton Russell and Elizabeth Schovajsa were appointed to meet with a committee appointed by Dr. E. N. Jones, vice president, to revise the method of checking eligibility.

The council also heard a report of the Varsity show committee which had drawn up recommendations for the show next year.

Ko Sharis Donate \$225 To Book Fund

Ko Shari, women's social club, swelled the Olive Holden Memorial Southwest fund by \$225 Wednesday night.

Barbara Scott, out-going president of the club, presented a parchment scroll representing the monetary contribution to Dr. W. C. Holden, dean of the graduate division and one of Ko Shari club's founders. The presentation took place at Ko Shari's farewell dinner at Hilton hotel. Eighty active members and pledges of the club signed the scroll.

Historical books and source materials dealing with the Southwest will be purchased with the fund, Miss Scott said. First established in 1942 as a loan fund for non-social club women, the fund was converted to the Olive Holden Memorial Southwest fund in 1947. Lack of applicants for the loan fund caused amendments of the trust, the club president said.

Grandchildren of present members and other Ko Shari's of future generations will be the ones who will see the fund reach the proposed amount, \$100,000. Each year the women plan to add money to the fund until it pyramids to the \$100,000 mark and the fund becomes permanent. Income from the investment will then be used to purchase publications and source materials dealing with the Southwest, Miss Scott stated.

Olive Holden was founder of Ko Shari and was responsible for the club's having the background of the ancient Southwestern Indians. Until her death in 1937 she was actively associated with the club and was loan librarian of the club.

A committee composed of the librarian, comptroller, dean of women and president of Ko Shari is to administer the fund.

member from each of the six departmental clubs, including the Aggie club, Block and Bridge, FFA, Plant Industry club, Dairy Manufactures club, and Honorary Aggie club; and one member each from the freshman and sophomore classes.

These, perhaps, may be some of the reasons for the increased attendance and interest in the club whose membership is between 500 and 600.

Bennett Enrolling At LSU For Graduate Research

Wayland Bennett, assistant professor of agricultural economics, will enroll in Louisiana State university in Baton Rouge June 1 for graduate work. Bennett has accepted an assistantship for graduate research in the agriculture department.

A 1948 graduate of Tech, he has been teaching in the agricultural economics department for the last two years. His leave of absence will extend until Sept., 1951, when he will return to Tech.

Senior Architects Display Thesis Work In Museum

Senior architect thesis problems will be on exhibit in the Museum Monday, Robert I. Lockard, associate professor of architecture stated.

The problems, model buildings will be exhibited in conjunction with ceramics and sculptures made by the pottery and clay modeling classes.

A semester project, these models have been constructed from plans drawn and designed by fifth year architecture students as a requirement for their degree.

BA STUDENTS' SCHEDULES

Business administration students who wish to exceed the normal program of twelve semester hours for the two summer terms should get written permission from the office of the dean of business administration before June 1, the day of registration for the first summer term, Dr. George Heather, dean of business administration announced Thursday.

Amarillo Exes Group Hold Dinner And Dance Tonight

Amarillo Tech ex-student organization is to have a dinner dance tonight in the Amarillo hotel. All panhandle ex-students are invited to attend, said D. M. McElroy, executive secretary of the Ex-Students' association.

Bernie Howell, 1937 graduate of Tech, and his trio will play for the dance. Reservations may be made by contacting Bob Dowell, Saratoga Cafe No. 2, 419 North Fillmore, Amarillo. There will no speakers, the program will consist of the dinner and the dance, McElroy said.

Graduation

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official starts at 8 p.m.

Candidates for Master's degrees should leave their hoods in the Registrar's office not later than 5 p.m. May 19. The registrar takes the hoods to the platform for the exercises.

Faculty committees for graduation are: decorations, A. B. La Gasse, chairman, Elio J. Urbanovsky, Mrs. Elyse Caskey, Earl Burnett and Miss Edna Houghton;

Physical properties, George Long and Lewis N. Jones; loud-speaking system, Byron Bennett, chairman, Bob Wilson and M-Sgt. Leslie Roper;

Senior faculty marshal is Dr. J. J. Willingham, and assistant faculty marshals are William M. Peate, jr., and Kline Nall.

Divisional representatives assisting with plans for commencement are: T. L. Leach and Archie L. Leonard, agriculture; George Philbrick and James W. Day, arts and sciences; Dr. Reginald Rushing and William E. Whittington, business administration; Fenton Harding and Vernon Wade, engineering; Misses Martha Buttrill and Geraldine Clewell, home economics.

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official meeting of the faculty was held in Austin in August of 1925. It is generally believed that the first meeting was held in September in Lubbock. At the present time Doctor Eaves is writing a novel on Japan and a history of the tobacco industry in Virginia.

The early days of the college were fun for both the students and the faculty. A club known as the Steel Hearts and Stony Jackets was formed by the bachelors and unmarried women on the campus.

Doctor Patton was the first president of the club. Miss Weeks was a later president. The faculty club was almost another social club. The Steel Hearts and Stony Jackets had a number of dances and parties and the faculty club attempted to keep up with them.

Those were the days when Doctor Horn gave the first tea for students and faculty on the veranda of the Ad building—amidst all the rain—and played "It Ain't Gonna Rain No More" on the victrola.

Clothes of the period gave another nostalgic memory. This was when the girls wore short tight and sack like dresses and the boys dashed forth in the loud clothes and racoon coats.

Gym clothes for the girls consisted of a middy blouse, black bloomers down to the knees and black stockings to keep one's modesty.

As one ex-Techian said of those hectic days, "I'd give anything to walk across the campus and through the Ad building rotunda without having those darn short skirts to worry about."

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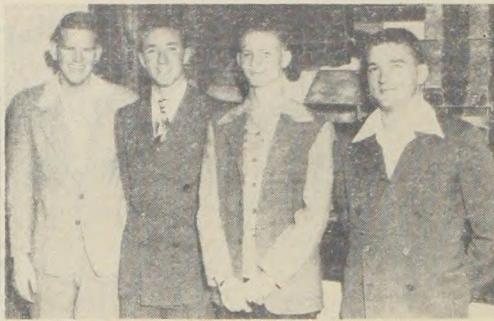
Tech's president and vice president are scheduled to make a total of 11 commencement speeches in high schools and colleges over the state and in New Mexico. Ed Smith, assistant to the president, said.

Dr. D. M. Wiggins is to make commencement addresses at the following schools: Crosbyton High school, May 17; Denver City High school, May 19; Santa Fe High school, Santa Fe, N.M., May 25; Midland High school, May 30; Frank Phillips college, Borger, June 1; Amarillo college, June 2 and Lamar college, Beaumont, June 5.

Vice Pres. E. N. Jones's itinerary includes a talk to the Men's club at First Presbyterian church May 17. Commencement talks which Doctor Jones is scheduled to make include the following: Friona high school, May 13; Seminole high school, May 19 and Tahoka high school, May 23.

Doctor Jones is to act as master of ceremonies at Memorial day services in which all Lubbock veterans' organizations will participate, Smith said. Services are to be held at 7 p.m. May 30 at Tech Memorial park.

Reservations for rooms in the dormitories during the summer session are being taken in the office of room reservations beginning this morning.



FUTURE MINISTERS—These Tech students have asked to be recommended for license to preach. Left to right, they are: Bobby Monk, James Rodgers, Cecil Matthews and Marion Baumgardner. Rodgers plans to do youth work when he has finished his training, and the others plan to enter the preaching ministry. Baumgardner is president of the Student Religious council. All four are to enroll in Southern Methodist university for further study. (Photo courtesy, First Methodist News.)

BEDROOM FOR RENT: Private entrance, adjoining bath, garage. Couple or two men preferred. 1911 Broadway, or call 9991.

Pre-Registration For Summer Term Begins Monday

Pre-registration for the summer session will begin Monday and last through Saturday, May 20, according to W. P. Clement, registrar. The usual pre-registration procedure will be followed, and booths will be set up in the Engineering, Home Economics, Agriculture, and Administration buildings.

Students will fill out Form A's at the booths, and a registration hour will be mailed them sometime between Monday and June 1. Students are reminded to give a mailing address at which they will be sure to receive the packet containing registration hour and instructions, said Clement. If students have not received an hour to register by May 30, they should check in the office of the registrar.

Registration hour will be assigned according to division and classification of the student. Housing will be approved at the time of pre-registration, too, according to Clement.

New students and those who have not pre-registered, will have an opportunity to pre-register May 29 and June 1, in the rotunda of the Administration building. Registration hour will be issued at the time instead of mailed, as in the case of pre-registration.

Registration will be June 1 and classes will start June 2.

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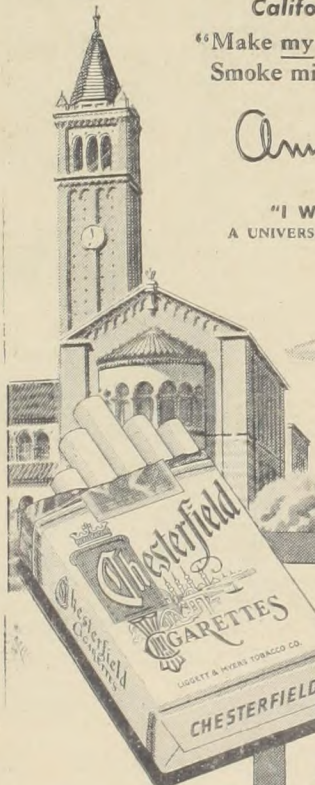
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