

PICTURED ABOVE, left, is the tallest Tech freshman, and probably the tallest Texan, Tilley Sneed, 6' 8 1/2 inches tall. For contrast, to the right is Lemuel Kelsa, freshman from Lubbock who is an even five feet tall.

Fish Are Represented By Variety In Height

Variety in height is prevalent on Tech campus this year with two freshmen enrolled with a difference of 20 1/2 inches. Tilley Sneed, arts and sciences student from Idalou is six feet, eight and one-half inches tall. He weighs 208 pounds and is only 19 years old. Sneed has quite a bit of difficulty finding trousers that will fit him since he wears 34-38, that is 34 inches in the waist and 38 inches long. Both Sneed's parents are of average height, being about 5 feet 8 inches tall, however he has four brothers that all top the six and a half foot mark and two sisters, both over six feet. Since he is only nineteen there are chances that he will still grow a little before he becomes a "man."

Lemuel Kelsa, a bit more on the smaller side, stands up to the yardstick with a bare five feet. Kelsa is the smallest of his family, his parents being of about the same height as Sneed's five feet eight inches. He is even shorter than his sister, who is five feet and one inch. Kelsa has very little trouble with tailors because he wears size 28-27 pants. He is an electrical engineer from Lubbock. He weighs in at 110 pounds and is 17 years old.

- Extension Classes To Be Formed Monday
All persons interested in extension classes are asked to meet in room 319 of the administration building at 7 p. m. Monday, October 29. Courses will be offered in almost any subject taught at Tech if as many as ten persons request it. There have been some requests for classes in advanced English, accounting, shorthand, history and art, but the quota has not been filled for any of these classes.



- Friday, October 26, 1945
Pep Rally, Gym, 7:15-8:15.
Ko Shari Masquerade, Lubbock hotel, 9:12 p. m.
Saturday, October 27
West Texas vs. Tech, Tech stadium, 8:15 p. m.
After-game dance, Gym, 10:30-11:30 p. m.
Sunday, October 28
AWS Football Reception, Social center, 3:30-5 p. m.
Monday, October 29
Newman club, Halloween party, Parish hall, 7:30 p. m.
Tau Beta Sigma, Ad. 210, 8 p. m.
AWS, Ad. 220, 5 p. m.
WICC, Ad. 206, 5 p. m.
Wednesday, October 31
WRA dancing, gym, 7:45-11:30 p. m. Social clubs.
Thursday, November 1
WRA, Ad. 208, 7 p. m.
Student council, Ad. 210, 7:30 p. m.
Cantebury club, Episcopal rectory, 6 p. m.
Saddle Tramps, C101, 5 p. m.
Junior council, Ad. 206, 5 p. m.
Student Religious council, 6 p. m.

Election Narrows Nominations

Publications Get Awards

La Ventana Gets First Class Honor From Association

Athletic Coverage And Treatment Judged As Highest In Yearbook
La Ventana received a First Class Honor rating from the National Scholastic Press Association this week. This rating is next to the highest given by the NSPA. For more than 20 years the NSPA has been pointing the way to the production of better yearbooks. This direction has been accomplished chiefly through the All-American Critical service, whose guidance consists of a detailed criticism of the present book and suggestions for improvement for the next book. In carrying out this purpose, emphasis is logically placed upon the editorial considerations of production. NSPA's purpose is to measure those factors over which staffs have major control.

Alumni News To Have Homecoming Edition This Year

Homecoming edition of Tech Alumni News went to press Tuesday, stated Bea Green, editor. This is the third edition of the organization's publication. Officers of the Lubbock county chapter of the association sponsor the paper, but news items are received from alumni of various sections throughout the country. Officers of this chapter are president, Jason O. Gordon, vice-president, Arch Lamb; secretary and treasurer, Ruth Craig, secretary to Dean of Agriculture. Letters of welcome from President W. M. Whyburn, Student Body President Troy Caldwell, five divisional deans, Dean of Men and Dean of Women were featured to encourage Alumni to return for Homecoming. A letter was also printed from Walter Schlinkman as spokesman for the Senior class and Co-captain of Red Raiders. No subscriptions to the paper or dues to the organization are solicited. The activities are financed by voluntary contributions from ex-students and friends of Tech. The next issue will be the Christmas issue. Ten issues are compiled a year. "Anyone who attended Tech is an alumnus provided his class graduated," says Miss Green. "Our mailing list is incomplete and any additions to it will be appreciated." Papers will be mailed to alumni before Homecoming.

Toreador Judged First Class By ACP Last Year

Typography, Makeup Receive Superior Rate By Critical Service
Rating received from the Associated College Press Wednesday showed that the Toreador rated First class or Excellent for last year. Classified as a four year college with an enrollment of over a thousand, the paper is a weekly and receives A.C.P. regular critical service along with the publication of the rating each semester. Membership in the association is bought and a series of publications on feature writing, editorials and general improvement of the college newspaper are included along with the critical service. The criticism is returned to the school in a regular scorebook in which news values and sources, headlines, typography and make-up and departmental pages and features receive individual criticism and comment. The typography and makeup received superior ratings with the comment that the headlines were well done. Main criticism of the news coverage of the faculty and administration, with suggested interviews with members of the faculty. Failure to cover and develop news features is also pointed out. Interesting lead paragraphs, and the playing up of feature stuff is the weakness criticized under news writing and editing. The Toreador runs an inadequate number of feature articles.

Doshier, Ince, Melton Selected Miss Tech

Caldwell, Hardey, Schlinkman In Run-Off For Mr. Title
Nominations for Mr. and Miss Texas Tech were narrowed to three each in the student election held Wednesday by the Student council. Chosen by secret ballot for Miss Texas Tech were: LaNell Doshier, senior home economics student from Claude; Louise Ince, senior in the arts and sciences division from Spur; and Audrey Melton, senior home economics major from Olton. Men selected for the title Mr. Texas Tech were: Troy Caldwell, senior commerce major from Seymour; Gene Hardey, sophomore in the arts and sciences division from Hugoton, Kans.; and Walter Schlinkman, senior arts and sciences student from Dumas. Final election for the student's choice for Mr. and Miss Texas Tech will be held next Wednesday by secret ballot. Winners in this election will have a full page picture in the 1946 La Ventana. Formerly eight beauties were selected for full page pictures but this year the list will be narrowed to four with favorites from each class also on a full page. According to Marilyn Snider, La Ventana editor, students are more interested in the plan for the beauty and favorite section in the annual this year. Six hundred and eighty-two students cast votes in the election Wednesday. Miss Snider urges all Techsians to voice their opinion in the voting to be held next Wednesday. The ballot boxes will be placed in the Administration building, the Home Economics, the Agriculture and Engineering buildings.

Matador Band Is Host To Teachers

Tech will play host to a visiting band tomorrow for the first time since 1942 when the Buffalo band of West Texas State Teachers college will be on hand tomorrow for the game between Tech and West Texas State. The band, consisting of 60 pieces and decked in new maroon and white uniforms, will sit in the west stands in front of the football squad. Boosters for the Buffaloes will sit immediately behind the band. The performance at the half-time will be divided between the Tech musicians and the visitors, the visitors performing first. The Buffalo band will make the double T and play the Matador Song. The Tech band will then enter the field from two single files, pivot into the regular marching formation, and proceed to center field. Following various marching maneuvers, the band will form WTS and play the alma mater of West Texas State. Tau Beta Sigma, honorary organization for band women, will entertain the Tech band and the Buffalo band Saturday night immediately following the football game with a reception in the band hall.

Bleachers Sold For Home Games

"Give me a seat on the 50-yard half way up, please," is a favorite expression with football fans, but not so at Tech. They say, "Can I get a seat at all, or will I have to stand this one out like I did last time?" Tech has sold out of tickets three times this year, the first game was with Southwestern. In the Tulsa game they sold out all tickets except general admission by eight o'clock. Then, last week when Tech played Baylor, they used up all reserve tickets by two o'clock and by six o'clock they had cleared all general admission tickets and the fans had to wait until eight o'clock and stand in the standing room. Tickets have been sold down to the 30-yard-line for the Homecoming game and 300 of these tickets were bought by students and fans of TCU. This game isn't until November 2, but tickets are on sale early.

Rush Week Is Announced By Men's Clubs

Following a meeting Wednesday with Dean of Men James G. Allen, the Men's Inter-Club Council announced rush week for the men's clubs as beginning Monday, October 29, and ending Friday, November 2. All rush parties will be held in the Cadet Lounge at the Hilton hotel from 7:30 to 9:30. Centaur will have the first date, with Soci the 30th, Wranglers the 31st, and the College Club having the last party Nov. 1. Members of the Inter-Club Council who met with Dean Allen to form the plans are the presidents of the four social clubs, Carl Jensen, Wranglers; Doc Hanley, Soci; Charles Smith, College Club; and Randy Rutledge, Centaur. The silence period which follows the rush parties will begin at 9:30 on Thursday and will last until 8:00 Friday. Pledging will take place in C101 from 7:00 until 8:00 Friday evening. All rush affairs will be dateless and bids are preferential.

Toreador Trembles As Prof Presses Suit

McKay Demands \$5,000 Libel; Hearing Is Set For Nov. 5
Dr. S. S. McKay, author and history instructor, has filed suit against the Toreador for damages received from a story which appeared in the Oct. 5 edition. The hearing is set for Nov. 5. The plaintiff is suing for \$5,000, on the grounds of libel. The article from the paper concerns two of his publications, a book "W. Lee O'Daniel and Texas Politics" and an article which appeared in the June issue of "The Southwestern Social Science Quarterly" which is entitled "O'Daniel, Roosevelt and the Texas Republican Counties." "In view of the fact that the Toreador has never been sued for libel," says Wayne Kittley, editor "we are surprised at this action."

Library Releases Books To Students

The library has recently received the following books, now available for student use. They include A. Woolcott, His Life and His World, which is a lively but sympathetic biography of Woolcott, with entertaining stories of theatrical and literary groups in New York; Thomas A. Woodrow Wilson and the Lost Peace, concerning Wilson's efforts toward world peace, with emphasis on their significance with relations to World War II; The Doctor's Job, about the relationship between doctor and patient; Names on the Land, a readable discussion of place-names in the United States; Immortal Wife, the Biographical Novel of Jessie Benton Fremont; and Trousers Will Be Worn, comments on America by an English author.

Blanchers Sold For Home Games

Mrs. Byrd G. Wear Assumes Social Director Duties
Mrs. Byrd G. Wear, former matron of men's dormitories at the University of Texas and McMurray college, has recently assumed duties as social director of Sneed hall. Mrs. Wear has been working with Army service clubs for the last five years. She was stationed at Camp Barkley, Abilene, three and one-half years and during the last year has served at Camp Harrington, Tex. She is replacing Mrs. James D. Parnell, whose resignation was accepted Saturday along with her husband's. Parnell is returning for service in the Navy.

Reception Will Honor Raiders

The Red Raiders will be honored at a reception Saturday night, October 28, from 3:30 to 5:00 at the Tech Social Center, given by the Association of Women Students. The entire student body is invited to attend this annual affair which is given in recognition of the 1945 football squad. In the receiving line will be AWS president, Anita Hale, pres. and Mrs. William M. Whyburn, Elizabeth Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Morley Jennings, Norma Cleavinger, Coach Morgan and Mrs. Morgan Jo Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Polk Robins, Tom Douglas, Dean and Mrs. W. L. Stangel, and the boys on the Red Raider team. The football players will be introduced to guests by senior girls on the AWS council. Faculty members in the house party will be: President Emeritus, and Mrs. Clifford B. Jones, Dean and Mrs. James G. Allen, Dean and Mrs. J. O. Ellsworth, Dean O. V. Adams, Dean and Mrs. R. C. Goodwin and Dean Johnny Langford. Also in the house party will be members of the Athletic Council, Prof. H. F. Godeke, Prof. Fred W. Sparks and Mr. George Langford. Presiding at the punch bowl during the reception will be Dean Margaret W. Weeks, Dean of Women, Emeritus Mrs. Mary W. Doak, Mrs. J. O. Ellsworth and Mrs. R. C. Goodwin. Members of the fall 1945 squad are: Co-captains Walter Schlinkman and Ole Turner, Bennie Tidwell, T. M. Cox, Cecil Norris, Gene Hardey, Jack Hinson, Arthur Shanahan, Tommie Dutton, Robert Stringfellow, Dick Wiggins, Jack Dillon, Chester Jackson, Charles Walsh, Milton Butler, Tommie Polk, W. C. Johnson, Bill McWilliams, Robert Sewell, Frank Smith, Ed Orr, Herschel Rhoades, Mac Weaver, Floyd Lawhorn, Pat Reeves, John C. Staewen, Milburn Haydon, Reeves Mores, James Cleave, Russell Birdwell, James Gimmell, James Leggett, Pete Moulton, Lester Han, J. E. Branton, Clyde Black, Bill Kelley, Bernie Winkler, Douglas Mitchell, Harold Kiger, Douglas McSwane, Athol Craver, George Daniel, Weldon Meers, Henry Fischer, Frank Ottmers, E. W. Moyers, Bob Harris, Earl Burum, John Martin, Bob Roden, Otho Bain, Ed Robnett and A. W. Montague.



DR. S. S. MCKAY

We shall hire the best lawyers in the Southwest and endeavor to prove that the individual in question has suffered no damage to his reputation nor to the sales of his book. McKay told reporters "I feel deeply humiliated and greatly damaged by this most unfortunate occurrence." When approached upon the subject of the harm such a case may cause the college as a whole, he confided, "I regret the unfavorable publicity that the college may receive, because of the dissensions on the campus; on the other hand, the attitude of my friends and the sudden drop in the volume of sales of my book have convinced me that the article was responsible." Continuing, he said, "As a duty to myself and to my future as an author, I feel I must bring suit." My attorneys want me to ask for \$100,000, but I feel that would be unfair to a school publication." Kittley declared that he and his staff will not be intimidated by these threats. The case will be tried in C-101 at 7:30 p. m., Nov. 5 as the first mock trial presented by the Pre-Law-IRC club before the student body this fall.

300 Parents Are Registered For Annual Reception

Approximately 300 parents were registered at the reception in Women's Dormitory No. 2 last Saturday at the annual Parent's Day celebration. Mrs. O. R. Cook, Post, was recognized as being the parent who has had the most students in Tech since the opening of the college. Her children who have attended Tech are Capt. Victor Gordon Cook, Lt. (jg.) Alvin C. Arma B., Cpl. Adrian O., Sgt. Paul B., Mary K., Johnnie O., J. W. (Tom), O. R., Jr., and Polly Imogene, now attending Tech as a junior arts and sciences student.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Schoenburg traveled 585 miles from Galveston, Texas, to be with their son, Bernhard, a freshman arts and sciences student, and were recognized as the parents traveling the greatest distance to attend the celebration. Parents were awarded a white blanket and a Texas Tech college plaque as Tech souvenir gifts. These were presented by Troy Caldwell, President of Student Council, at the half of the Tech-Baylor football game. This presentation was a major feature of the Parent's Day fest. Parents of the football players were honored guests at the football game Saturday night and wore numbers identical to those worn by their sons who were playing with the Red Raiders.

Fuller To Interview Veterans Oct. 31

All veterans interested in getting an interview with E. F. Fuller, Training Officer of Veterans administration, may see him next Wednesday and Thursday, October 31 and November 1. These interviews will be held in room 110 of the Administration building.

U-M HOUSE TO ENTERTAIN

Residents of the Home Management House will entertain Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Slagle with a dinner tonight at 7:30. Mr. Slagle is assistant professor of chemistry.

Student Opinion Poll...

President Truman this week urged Congress to order a year's specialized military training for young men 17 to 20 years of age to form a "backbone of defense" against future aggression. This important question will probably be before legislators in the near future. Spirit of the controversy will be high over the nation. The Toreador, in keeping with the times has instigated a poll of students of Texas Tech who were asked to voice their opinions on this subject. "Are you for the president's plan for a year's compulsory training of all physically fit men between the ages of 17 and 20?" The answers: PAUL ARNOLDS-PATRON, assistant professor of economics and management: "No. While there may be a need for a highly trained professional army of military specialists, I do not believe that in view of the potentialities of the Atomic Bomb, there will be any need for compulsory military training for young people between the ages of 17 and 20 that is a citizen's army outside of our state militia." MARY FRANCES BARNARD, senior physical educational major from Lamesa: "Yes. I believe that every boy should have at least one year's military training. If this is done and if there is another war, we will be prepared. Military training teaches discipline, congeniality and democracy as well as warfare." CLAUDE STEPHENSON, 17, freshman electrical engineering major from Dallas: "Yes, provided the period of training is so arranged that it will not seriously interfere with educational plans." HAROLD PARSONS, sophomore geology major from Lubbock, veteran with three years and four months in the service: "No. I feel that enough men's educations have been disrupted. I believe that the peace time army and navy will be adequately supplied by volunteers." ROBERT L. PARDUE, veteran, freshman from Lubbock: "Yes. This would provide a definite education for young men in learning how to get along with people." LORENE HAMILTON, sophomore home economics major from Cooper: "No. A year's military training would seriously interfere with education." MARY JEAN WEBB, senior commerce major from Dimmitt: "No. The training they would receive would be out of date before many years, therefore of little value. The experience gained would not offset the government expense." JASON ALLEN, junior marketing and salesmanship major from Hale Center, veteran who spent two and a half years in the service. "Yes. I believe that we should have enough men trained, so that in case we ever face another crisis like the preceding war, we will be able to meet the situation without training a large army for two or three years. I don't think a year's military training would hurt anyone." T. C. ROOT, professor and acting head of finance and accounting, veteran: "No. The training that the boys would get under this plan would be mostly KP, and marching instead of the highly specialized training. The year's time spent would generally be wasted." DOYLE AKIN, 17, freshman engineering major from Tahoka: "No, unless the training can be included with college work." R. G. SIDWELL, associate professor in the department of geology: "Yes, I am in favor of a year's training, but feel that these should be a substitute in the form of ROTC or some other training." JAMES WILEY, 17, freshman from Levelland: "Yes, I am in favor of compulsory military training because of the physical development it offers and I feel that the United States needs a standing army." MARSHALL PULLEN, veteran with three and a half years in service, sophomore engineering major from Pittsburgh, Texas: "Yes. This (Continued on Page 4)

Senning Appointed New Assistant Dean Of Men

Appointed new part-time assistant dean of men, Charles Senning has been Tech student since 1940 and along with his new duties in the dean's office is now working on his Master's degree in Education. In 1941, Senning became principal clarinet player in the band and was then elected president and finally drum major. In 1942 he was nominated for president of the student body but the following day was called for active duty with the U. S. Infantry. After his discharge from the Army he reentered Tech in the spring of 1944. Founder of the Texas Tech War Veterans association, he became its first permanent commander. Since his return, he has taught clarinet in the summer school band and was listed in Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities for 1944 and 1945. Last year he was made student director of the Matador Band and president of the senior class. He is a member of Kappa Kappa Psi, national honorary band fraternity, has served on the student council, Tech publications committee, Social club, Future Teachers of America, and Alpha Phi Omega, national service fraternity. Having received his B. S. degree in 1945, he assumed his duties as Dean James G. Allen's assistant last week.

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Pop Bottles . . .

This editorial concerns pop bottles and inebriates at football games. If the reader is neither, there is no point in reading further. Since the last two football games in Tech stadium the old adage about gasoline and alcohol should be broadened to include pop bottles. They definitely don't mix.

Along about half-time some tippler gets to feeling strong and wanting to show his prowess to his girl-friend or some other tippler. As a result he draws back and tries to fling a pop bottle from the middle of the grandstand to the sidelines. Sometimes he throws it far enough to an open spot. Sometimes he just barely misses an innocent onlooker. At the Baylor game a man was hit, fortunately just on the shoulder.

What *The Toreador* wants is an example made of one of these offenders. According to the laws of this country it is the duty of every citizen to apprehend and turn over to a law enforcement agency any person seen violating the law.

Many a person has been killed with a lesser blow on the head than a pop bottle falling fifty feet. Should students and police stand around until someone is killed before taking action? That is like the proverbial closing of the gate after the horse is gone. In this case the horse is still in the stable.

Some action should be taken to make an example. The obnoxious inebriate that tosses the bottles should be made to suffer the consequences.

Avenue Traffic . . .

What would you do if you should see one of our students who had been on his way to a football game Saturday night, lying in the road on College Avenue with crowds milling about?

You see an ambulance drive up with flashing red lights and moaning siren. It stops. Then you watch white uniformed attendants tenderly pick him up and put him inside and then drive hurriedly away with sirens screaming to the hospital. The next day you read that so-and-so who sits on the front seat in your English class died at 2:30 Sunday morning. Monday, you go to class and that seat is vacant.

Because of wanton carelessness on the part of some reckless driver hell-bent for nowhere, a student, who is here for the purpose of making a place for himself in life, is run down.

According to Lewis Kittrell, director of Lubbock traffic control, every effort is being made to avoid such an experience as the foregoing. Patrolmen have been stationed at the most dangerous intersections to guide the traffic at its heights while spectators are on their way to the games. Now it is up to every student to cooperate and preserve safety.

But regardless, the number of officers on duty, an accident can happen. Let us try to avoid one first.

We suggest that student pedestrians find a more suitable place to walk to the games than on the road, else this ACCIDENT MAY HAPPEN. Walking on the avenue is dangerous, and continued practice may result in someone being struck down by a don't care driver shooting taxi-mad straight on with no thought of his vehicle under control.

In the first place if there is no where else to walk than on the road, then the college authorities must see that a broad sidewalk be made extending from the dormitories to the stadium, and that a fence be built bordering this sidewalk so that autoists may not be confused in thinking that this is a road instead of a place where people must walk.

Since College Avenue, Broadway and Nineteenth street are popular speedways, one should give considerable care about his crossing at all times. Avoid blind crossings back of parked trucks and cars.

Let us not wait for an accident to happen; let us make it safety first and not safety last.—J. H.

Reception . . .

AWS will hold the annual football reception Sunday afternoon at the Tech Social center. This is not only a tradition but an opportunity. It is a chance to meet the players for whom you have cheered during this season and those who will be stars in years to come.

Perhaps the idea of the rough and tumble modern gladiators at a so called pink tea seems a little ridiculous to some but chance by Sunday afternoon and see those Raiders play a new role quite well. It is one way to meet the team minus the helmets and uniforms which make them distinguishable as sportsmen but not recognizable as individuals. Here is a chance to know the team as personalities as well as by the numbers on the jerseys.

The Red Raiders team of this season has given the students at Tech a football team to really cheer by playing some tough teams and giving a good showing of spirit and hustling defense. This is an opportunity to thank the Raiders for a season of thrilling ball games though the scores did not always indicate a win for Texas Tech.

A new experimental approach to the cure of cancer, the disease responsible for one out of every seven deaths in this country and which kills more children than infantile paralysis, is being carried on by Dr. Alfred Taylor, research biologist of the University of Texas. He is attempting to further the revolutionary theory that cancer is a virus disease.

The technique of using thousands of fertile eggs to grow the cancerous tissue for experiments on rats, mice and guinea pigs was developed at the biochemical institute at the University where Dr. Taylor has been working for the past five years with other University biochemists.

"The fact that some animal tumors are caused by a virus or something similar to virus has been definitely proved," the researcher stated. "And if it can be conclusively demonstrated that cancer is a virus disease, it means that anti-toxins may be developed which would cure cancer just as they have whipped smallpox, yellow fever and influenza."

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By COUNT MEOUT

The "after-game" dance last week was a big success but there is just one gripe the Count would like to register. It wasn't long enough! It seems as though if it is possible for girls to get special privileges for "social" dances, they could get the same for all-college affairs. Since the night games last so long it would be nice to have an extra hour for howling afterwards. BILLYE LACKEY was all smiles this week because she received a picture and phone call from that one and only KEN JONES, who is stationed at San Diego, California, in the Navy.

HELEN RIPPEY and "RED" MILLER are on the steady list. Off again are MERRILYN SNIDER and JIMMY WILLIAMS. WANDA HAHN and ALICE MEADING rushed madly from the balcony of the Palace theater the other night, only to find out that there wasn't a fire after all. DOC HANLEY has added another name to his little black book now. He was with MARIANNE TIMMONS at the officer's club. JIM WANNER is slipping, his ex-steady was with CHARLES ARNOLD all day Sunday. In case you are wondering, her name is MARY FRANCIS ALEXANDER.

MARY KING was seen holding hands with her sailor friend GEORGE. She was also seen with a soldier, but not holding hands. We wonder who that good looking lieutenant is that LA NELLE DOSHIER was with the other afternoon.

The boys in Sneed hall gave the girls in West a good show the other night when they let them listen in on their "bull" session—through a microphone. Some facts of life were discussed, we hear. CORINNE PAYNE is walking on clouds again now that PETE is home.

Seen in a party the other night were CAROLYN HARRISS and JAMES GIMMELL, BARBARA BYRD and JOHN MARTIN, and FRANCIS KING and HAROLD KIGER. Big News! EDDIE ARYAIN has had two dates this semester. Victim—BEVERLY BESANCON. JOHNNY O'NEIL, a former Wrangler is home on leave from the Navy, and he and PEGGY LEWIS are really buzzin' around in his yellow convertible.

RUTH ANTHONY has gone to California to meet the boy friend, NEVA HILBERT and "RAE BIT" PARDUE were seen together at the Wrangler dance. CARL SCHMIDT, a Teuton from Mexico City, is quite the man when it comes to rumbas and tangos. JIM SIMPSON has many people helping him plan his costume for the Ko Shari masquerade.

MARVIN BERRY and BETTY HALMARK were another couple at the Wrangler dance. Could it be that the flame of an old romance still is burning? KAY PINKSTON is expecting news from DAVID KILPATRICK about when he will arrive—a pretty happy girl.

Three cheers for JOY REASOR. She was elected Freshman favorite on the Independent ticket. JACK BUNDURANT and PAT LIGHTFOOT are seeing a lot of other these days. BILL KENDALL was here last week end visiting his sister, MAY-ELLA KENDALL. We understand he became very well acquainted with MAXINE HENNERSDORF.

A new innovation was fostered Wednesday when prof SCHOOLEY introduced a new pep yell to his history class. We'd like to see all teachers compose yells and introduce them to their classes and give our school spirit a transfusion.

Does Texas rightfully belong to Spain? In 1819 the United States ceded Spain all land south of the Red River and west of the Sabine River. No subsequent treaty was ever made.

Inspects Jewels . . .



FORMER TECH STUDENT VIEWS FAMOUS CROWN—Pfc. Jim Lindsey, '39 journalism of San Angelo and former *Toreador* editor, inspects the jewel-studded diadem worn by rulers of the Holy Roman Empire until it was dissolved in 1806. Other symbols of imperial authority—orb, scepter, and two swords—are on the table. In the background is a special built vault in a winding tunnel beneath the old walled city of Nuremberg, Germany, where the priceless articles are kept under heavy American guard. They were taken from the treasury in Vienna when Hitler marched into Austria in 1938.

Letters To The Editor

October 24, Lubbock, Texas, The *Toreador*, Texas Technological College, Campus.

Dear Editor, Why is it that certain people on this campus object to girls wearing slacks? We can't understand it, especially on cold windy days when warm slacks would feel so good on frost bitten legs.

Strictly these slacks objectors couldn't feel that slacks are immodest, because certainly they cover more territory than very short skirts. And slacks don't blow up on every windy corner.

These restrictions on the wearing of slacks, cause a good deal of wear and tear on clothes because we have to change clothes so many times a day, changing from skirts to pants to go to the avenue directly classes.

As to some of the professors (men and women) who feel that girls just don't look lady-like in slacks, its about time that these old-fashioned individuals realized that this is the 20th century—not the dark Ages. As to the supposition that slacks are made only for slender figures, girls who do not look good in dresses would scarcely look better in pants. And as Ann Sheridan's recent article in *Cosmopolitan* magazine stated, "Some men would look better in kilts."

We feel that to the four freedoms should be added a fifth freedom: freedom of wearing what you please when you please. This does not mean that Tech girls would want to wear trousers all of the time, on the contrary, most girls prefer skirts for most occasions but a great many have expressed the desire to wear them on cold days to classes. The college should consider the health of women stu-

dents who are not nearly so apt to catch cold in the winter wearing trousers covering the bear legs.

Women during the war have found slacks more satisfactory in active war jobs because they gave greater freedom and comfort. This is exactly what the college girl needs and wants—more freedom and comfort which can be afforded by wearing trousers. When should a few measly men and older women want to deny us this simple pleasure.

It all boils down to this. The rule that exists on this campus that women students should not wear slacks to classes is an out-moded, stupid rule and one which should be abolished. A Coed

EDITOR'S NOTE — The Editor being neither pro or con invites controversy on both sides of this pertinent question. Long a topic of conversation in Hollywood circles and of late important on campuses throughout the nation this question has yet to be solved. Perhaps it will never arouse the enthusiasm the woman's suffrage act did, but far be it from us to shove aside a letter from a co-ed demanding the right to wear what she pleases. That is one freedom that she has, freedom of speech and press. We would also like to hear from some of the male students attending this institution. What do you think of women in slacks? —Ed.

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Tulsa Insurance Man Suggests Athletic Aid

A recent visit to Lubbock of Johnson Hill of Tulsa, president of the Atlas Life Insurance company, still is creating comment around the campus and town, because Mr. Hill suggested a means whereby the community can further its athletic program.

Mr. Hill is discussed widely as a prospective candidate for governor of Oklahoma. He provoked a sensation in Sooner state politics early this year by resigning as speaker of the house of representatives. He predicts great growth for the Plains area. On his recent visit to Lubbock he placed Tech at the top of the city's assets and termed a new college stadium and fieldhouse as Lubbock's No. 1 need.

"You can attract more people, more money and more attention to Lubbock with ample athletic facilities than you can with anything else," he said.

He suggested that Lubbock follow Tulsa's example of raising funds for a fieldhouse and stadium by public subscription. Tulsa's stadium, he said, was built about 15 years ago at a cost of about \$150,000. It seats between 15,000 and 20,000 people, is designed for future additions and is used by the university and Tulsa high schools, each paying rental fees.

Hill resigned when the legislature failed to impeach A. L. Crable, Oklahoma's super intendent of schools. He threatened to do such a thing when investigation was started. He made good his threat. Hill is a trustee of Tulsa university and is considered a shrewd businessman.

Commenting on his statements while here, The Plainsman of the *Avalanche-Journal* said: "Mr. Hill is interested in Lubbock, and has more than an academic interest in our city and section. The insurance company of which he is president has large investments around here and expects to have more as time goes on."

"In an interview he showed more insight into, and active interest in, Texas Tech, for instance, than do many of us who live here. And he offered several ideas he believes would help both the city and the college."

"Mr. Hill suggested that Lubbock follow a program similar to that put over in Tulsa a number of

years ago for the University of Tulsa. "He thinks one campaign should be waged to get the college its much needed combination gymnasium-fieldhouse and another for a new and modern football stadium. Mr. Hill points out that nothing causes a school to grow faster than a big, successful athletic program and that nothing brings more money into a town where a college is located than such an athletic undertaking.

"Tulsa saw that years ago and did something about it. And Tulsa's campaign has paid big dividends, not only to the university there, but to the city and its business community, as well."

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Sgt. Fred B. Shelton, Jr., of Dallas wears a 10-gallon Texas hat, (by special permission) in the Pacific Islands.

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Raiders Are Set For Second Win Of Season

Buffaloes Behind In Former Games Statistics 6-3

The two games met from 1925 through '31 and '42, '44, and now '45. On the part of the Buffaloes the game this Saturday night will be a jinx, because the Buffaloes have not tasted victory from the Raiders in fifteen years.

The game will be spirited by lots of aerial action along with the driving power of Walter Schlinkman who kept the Bruins on edge last Saturday night. Gene Hardey also set a good pace for the Bruins to keep step with by his more than accurate passing.

After turning back the mighty Baylor Eleven, 7 to 7, the Raiders are in their best playing form of the year despite several injuries to their top players. Even in this condition it is certain the Raiders will play the largest part of the game inside the Buffaloes fifty and will reach pay-dirt more than once or twice.

You can be sure that Raiders as well as the Teachers are quite concerned over the outcome of this game. The Buffaloes have been preparing for this tussle for the past two weeks and will do everything in their power to turn the predictions of this game against the sport writers all over the nation. This will be a good point for the Raiders to keep in mind; over-confidence has upset more than one game.

Raiders who developed into top-notch stars against the mighty Baylor Eleven were Ed Robnett and Bill Kelley. Robnett is well on his way to fame as another Walter Schlinkman, because of his driving power and outstanding ability as an offensive player. While on the other hand Kelley is outstanding for his ability to hold down or open up the end position. Also, when it comes to taking that pigskin out of the air Kelley is there to do it.

Other players who will hold down their position with more than enough to do the job will be Moyers at left end. Moyers is another man who proves more than valuable to the Raiders. As well as playing end Moyers can kick a good 70 to 80 yards with little effort. Winkler who took the mighty Spodgrass's position at left tackle has proven that quite often great football material is hidden on the bench. Winkler also has speed beyond most tackles which makes the left side of the Raider line dangerous.

Also against the Buffaloes will be the ever-present and undaunted Lawhorn who blocked, knocked, and stopped the Bruins last week. Walter Schlinkman who is more than All-American material along with little but mighty Norris, Tidwell, McSwane, Dillon, and Turner who is one of the finest centers ever produced by the Raider Eleven.

Due to the injuries still maintained by some of the Raiders the

probable starting line-up will be: Ends Moyers and Kelley; guards, Birdwell and Lawhorn; tackles, Winkler and McSwane, center, Turner; backfield, Tidwell, Norris, Schlinkman and Hardey.

From The Bench

By SPLINTER PANTS PINSON

Tech's Red Raiders trapped the Baylor Bear and wouldn't turn him loose last Saturday night. The Raiders played a whale-of-a-game and Baylor was everything they were reported to be. Moyers, Kelley, McSwane, Winkler, Lawhorn, Birdwell, Turner, Clicker, Hardey, Dillon, Norris, Tidwell, Hinson, Robnett and Schlinkman united their efforts to reward the fans with the best game played in Tech's stadium this year. The victory was ours, yes, it was a moral victory.

Walter Schlinkman, despite an injured shoulder, played his usual bang-up game. Little Bennie Tidwell, who played most of the game, turned in his best performance to date. Ed Robnett, playing fullback when Schlinkman wasn't in, turned in several nice runs as did Cecil Norris.

I talked to several of the Baylor boys after the game—they were convinced that Tech really has a football team. "That Schlinkman was everything we expected, and that Tidwell is the roughest man for his size we have ever seen," so they told me.

Baylor's Stoney Cotten was the fastest man I have seen on a football field in many a year. Sammy Pierce must think he is a freight train, for he packs plenty of power. Tech's line, however, seemed reluctant to give Pierce any coal, as he made only 58 yards through it.

West Texas State's inspired Buffaloes will try to take the Raiders by storm this Saturday night. Losers in four straight games, they want to win, and Tech is the team they want to beat. Despite their four losses, the Canyon boys have a good team that has stood up well against some stiff competition. Fullback Hap Rogers is their big gun. He is a power runner with plenty of deception. The Buffaloes are more experienced than the youthful Raiders, however, what the Men-in-Red lack in experience they make up for in spirit. Tech will hand the Buffaloes their fifth defeat of the season.

Not the least bit discouraged, regardless of the fact that we missed the score on several games last week, John DeLee and yours truly make the following predictions:

Alabama over Georgia, by 2 touchdowns; we think Harry Gilmer is better than Trippi. Army over Duke by 4 touchdowns. Texas Tech over WTS by 2 touchdowns. Baylor over Texas A&M by one point—still don't like those Aggies. Georgia Tech over Auburn by 1 touchdown. Navy over Penn. by 4 touchdowns or more. Purdue over Northwestern by 3 touchdowns—never again will we place our money against the Boiler-makers. Oklahoma A&M will take TCU by 2 touchdowns. Texas U. over Rice by several touchdowns. SMU is just over Tulane. Notre Dame over Iowa by 3 touchdowns. Minnesota over Ohio State by 1 touchdown—the Buckeyes let us down last week. Oklahoma should beat Kansas State by 2 touchdowns or so. We predict an upset, Tulsa over Indiana by 1 touchdown. Arkansas over Mississippi by 2 touchdowns. Columbia over Brown by 3 touchdowns. Washington State over Idaho by 3 touchdowns. And last, Marquette over Mich. State by 1 touchdown.

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In 1830 all elections in Texas were held on Sunday.

Teacher Threats...



Pictured above are three threats who are expected to give the Red Raiders a run for their money. Top picture is Dwaine Lyons, curly guard. Below left is Willard Hedges, returned from service to halfback for the Buffaloes. On the right is captain Hoss Bledsoe, quarterback.

Life With the Exes

Lt. Charles Frances (Frank) Qualia, son of Prof. C. B. Qualia, head of the Foreign Language department, has returned from the Southwest Pacific and is now spending a 45 day furlough with his parents at 2609 Twenty-fourth street, Lubbock.

Lt. Qualia left Tech in the middle of his sophomore year in the spring of 1943 to join the Army Air forces. He served as a navigator on a B-24 with the Thirteenth Air Force (307 Bombing Group) in the Pacific. He had completed forty-two missions when the war ended. He holds the Air Medal and three clusters, four battle stars representing campaigns in New Guinea, China, Luzon and Southern Philippines. He also wears the Philippine Liberation ribbon.

J. W. McCarty, '38 textile engineering, visited on the campus this week. McCarty is a member of the textile engineering faculty of Georgia Tech.

Capt. Ross Henry, former textile engineer, visited on the campus this week. Ross was a company commander of a tank destroyer unit with Patton's Army, and was with Patton from the time of the invasion to the defeat of Germany. The Captain was in five major battles and has been awarded the Bronze Star and the Silver Star. He expects to receive a discharge soon.

Lt. Norman C. Wiley, Marine fighter pilot and son of Prof. D. O. Wiley, band director, is stationed in Teintsin, China, with the 53rd Fighter Squadron. Wiley writes his parents that he has been helping to put on air shows for repatriated prisoners of war.

Lt. Billy L. Moody of Fort Stockton married recently. His bride, the former Juanita Barbee of Gunter, will make their home in Lincoln, Neb., where he is stationed. Peggy Seale, graduate, is now construction expeditor in building G. I. homes for Fred M. Seale company. As an officer and director in her father's building companies, Miss Seale has an assignment helping in the construction of homes for returning veterans.

First Lt. Lemuel M. Boren died Nov. 13, 1943, in a Japanese prison camp, it has been announced from the war department to his parents, Capt. and Mrs. L. E. Boren of Lubbock. Boren, a son of a retired

Know Your Grid Stars

By IVAN TUCKER
Toreador Sports Writer

Bill (Commando) Kelley takes the spotlight this week. Bill is six feet, one inch tall, blond, and weighs 185. If you don't know him personally you saw him more than once on the football field with the number 63 on his back.

Bill was born in Idalou nineteen years ago and thus began his life of a very active sportsman. He started out with the rodeo and tried to stick to it, but one day Bill's pants were torn in a very touchy place, by the horse, and Bill's mother decided it was time to call it quits. After all, don't you think a man should quit what he's doing when he loses his pants?

Thus, not being able to sit down for quite some time Bill took up a sport where he could stand and still be comfortable. Basketball became the subject and he proved quite capable of handling the ball. He received three letters for three years being captain for two of the three. Bill's team won third place in state one year and district the next.

While in high school Bill also played catcher on the hardball team and lettered for three years. He also went to regional with the track team running the low hurdles. Bill also has three letters to show for his track work.

Bill didn't seem to go in for football while in high school; so when graduating he received offers from three colleges to play basketball. They were West Texas State, TCU, and Texas Tech. After thinking it over for quite some time Bill decided on Tech, because he liked the form of coaching handed out here. He says the only reason he really came to college was to further his sports career.

His first year for Tech was very successful and he received high recognition as a basketball player. He started and played in more than half the games when declared ineligible to play out the remaining year.

Being influenced by his older brother, who was a professional sports player, Bill turned to football. He said, "I always liked and always wanted to play; so I decided I would go out and see what it was like." And football has most developed into Bill's favorite sport.

Bill's record thus far this season in football is a quarter against Southwestern; quarter against A & M, half against Texas; and about 60 minutes against Tulsa and also against Baylor. Bill holds down the position of end for the Raiders.

As to Bill's personal life he does

Junior Council Adds Four New Members

Four new members have been added to Junior Council. They are: Mazie Carter, Nila Massey, Panze Butler, and Margaret Ann Huffaker. Members are selected on the basis of scholastic ability, character, and leadership, and the purpose of the organization is to help freshmen girls on the campus.

John J. Ray, 100 years old, of Fort Worth, is believed to be the oldest living member of the Masonic Lodge in the United States.

The huge 1,254 mile oil pipeline called the "big inch" runs from Longview, Texas, to Linden, New Jersey.

Don't go with any one woman enough that you can tell it. He likes to cover the field. Dancing and horseback riding seem to be his favorite pastime and out of all his studies he likes history best, for further information call Sneed Hall and ask for Mr. Bill Kelley.

When Bill graduates he hopes to become a football coach in some junior college.

As to his views about Tech he believes it is already the best college in Texas and it would be proven so if Tech could get in the Southwestern conference.

L. E. Parsons Injured In Textile Accident

L. E. Parsons, head of the department of textile engineering, received serious injury to his right hand and wrist, Monday, Oct. 22, when his hand was accidentally caught in a wool carding machine in a textile engineering laboratory. The accident occurred at about 4:00 p. m. and Parsons was taken immediately to St. Mary's Hospital for treatment.

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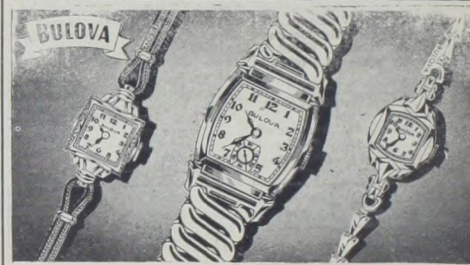


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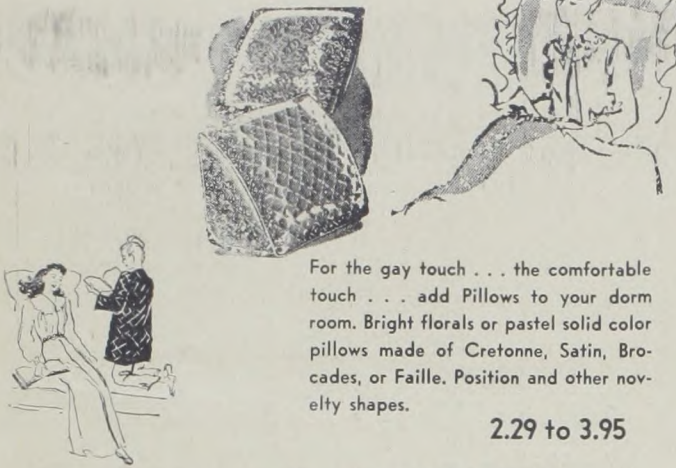
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Members and dates are: Marion Benson, Bill Murfee; Lou Dean Blair, Jason Allen; Bettye Boulter, Bruce Wilkening; Leonard Cavden; Kay Jensen; Jane Burns, Reuban Murray; Dorothy Cliff, Eddy Carney; Ann Cox, Frank McGoagill; La Nell Doshier, Norman Igo; Maxine Hendersdorf, Frank Murray; Peggy Lewis, J. Lee Davis; Beverly Montague, Leonard Cavden; Jean Patterson, Tully Mitchell; Jean Peeler, James Cagle; Genelle Patty, Wilson Daniels; Betty Renner, Cpl. Marvin Standefer; Mary Ann Schmidt, Amos Howard; Norma Lee Thornton, Larry Ingram; Ernesteen Wallace, Maxine Penner; Jane Watson, Lt. Joe Horne; Mary Jean Webb, Troy Caldwell; Shirley Womack, Johnny Harris; Joan Yeager, Dale Foreman; Anita Hale, Lowrey Embry; Elizabeth Schmidt, Clyde Green.

Amateur Program Given Tuesday For Gargoyles

Members of the architecture department proved they were artists in more than one field when they presented an amateur program for the Gargoyles Society Tuesday night, October 23.

A band led by Howard McIlroy, drummer, played several numbers. Members of the orchestra were Byron Martin, fiddle, Clyde Green, saxophone, Ray Showalter, saxophone, Roy Showalter, trumpet, Bill Felty, trumpet, and William Mitchell, steel guitar. Clyde Green gave a piano solo, his original Boogie Woogie. Dub Wyatt read a poem which was followed by a duet, "Commercial Artists Blues" sung by Elizabeth Schmidt and Sara McDonald. The song was a parody on the "St. Louis Blues." Jean Freeman sang "Liebestraum" and "I'll See You in My Dreams." "Many a Wreck 'Neath a New Coat of Paint" was the title of a duet rendered by Martha Baird and June Lanham. They were accompanied by Paul Whelan at the piano. Prof. W. L. Bradshaw, sponsor of the club, served as Master of Ceremonies.

Murphy Is Guest At Forum Meet Sunday Evening

Bob Murphy, organist, was guest artist at the first program of the year sponsored by Forum. The program was presented to an audience of Tech students and faculty and their guests Sunday, October 21, at St. John's Methodist church. Mr. Murphy, who is heard over KFYO in "Sketches in Ivory", is a composer as well as an artist at both piano and organ. Among his selections were two of his compositions, "Prelude" and a suite including these themes: "Entry Into Jerusalem," "Trials," "Crucifixion," and "Resurrection." Particularly expressive were Mr. Murphy's arrangements of "Calm Is the Night" by Carl Bohm and "Lord's Prayer" by Albert Hay Malotte.

Other numbers which Mr. Murphy rendered were: "O Promise Me" (Reginald De Koren), "In My Garden" (Idabelle Firestone), "Be a Use" (D'Hardelet), "Largo" (Handel) and "Ave Maria" (Schubert). Each year members of Forum sponsor a series of Sunday afternoon programs known as Fireside Forum. These are presented once a month. A musical by Tech students will be given in November.

AP0 Initiates 23 At Dinner Tuesday

Twenty-three pledges took formal initiation oaths to Alpha Phi Omega Tuesday night at a dinner honoring Sidney B. North, national secretary who was a guest on the campus for that day.

New pledges to the organization are Robert Pardue, Howard Lovelless, Lonnie Bell, Jack Cummings, Delbert Carter, Spencer Street, Duane Hill, Billy Olney, Charles Funk, Douglas Rolater, Jay Denton, Thomas Ward, Andrew Willingham, Marshall Mason, Mosley Williams, Cecil Lee, Bryan Miller, John Carter, Robert Cooper, Richard Wiggins, Clyde Black, and James Gimmiel.

Members present at the dinner were Jim Wanner, Bob Click, Gene Collins, Charlie Senning, Joe Hopkins, Jim Humphries, Bob McNabb, Harold Tunnell, and Joe Cannon.

Also present were James G. Allen, senior faculty advisor of the group and Mr. North, honoree.

The Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railroad was the first to enter Texas from the north.

Life With The Exes . . .

Charles Russell Cook, Tech graduate, is now Regional Educational Manager for Harry Ferguson, Inc., manufacturers of Ford Ferguson tractors. He is manager for eleven west coast states including Colorado and New Mexico and also the Hawaiian Islands and Alaska. Formerly of Littlefield, he has recently received his discharge from the Army Air corps after serving overseas in the European Theater of operations.

Harold Lillard, '39 Tech graduate, is now stationed on Ascension Island with a hydroponics division.

Young Beverly Newsom has accepted a position as geologist with the Gulf Petroleum Co. with headquarters in Fort Worth. Newsom is a '41 graduate and has recently been discharged from the air corps.

George H. Allen, '43 engineering was married recently in Dalhart. They will make their home in Stratford.

Marine Lt. Hardy H. Foster and Miss Minnie Warren Foster were married at Fort Smith Arkansas. Lt. Foster is stationed at Washington, D. C. He has seen more than three years of overseas service.

Lt. James Calvin Womack, '41 engineering was recently married to a girl from Tahoka. Womack has seen three years of overseas service.

Muriel Gunn and Edward Haveran, '41 agricultural student were recently married. Sgt. Glenn Jones, who was one of the members of the 131st Field Artillery, known as the Lost Battalion, was a prisoner of the Japs. Jones was in town Sunday visiting friends. His home is Fort Worth.

Navy Lt. Leon B. Blair, '41 government, is now in the South Pacific. He was among the first ones of the Navy to attack the Aleutians.

George B. Blair, who has been with Gen. Patton's 3rd Army, will be home soon. Blair has been teaching in the agricultural department of the Army college in Shrivengham, England since that institution opened in August. He has been in overseas service two years.

James Henry Foster, '40 arts and sciences, is now in the Marines and will be sent overseas soon. He has been stationed at Cherry Point, South Carolina.

Press Club Holds First Meeting; Elects Officers

The Press Club elected the following officers for the year at its first fall meeting Tuesday, October 23, at 5:00 p. m. in the Journalism building. LaNelle Parmer of Dallas was elected president. Barbara Green of Lubbock, vice-president; and program chairman; Glynda Williams of Slaton, secretary; Alice Meading of Slaton, treasurer; and Sue Stockard of Santa Anna, publicity chairman. Billie Lackey, Patsy Miller, and Billie Jean Burrell were the appointed program committee. Jane Watson was selected to serve on the publicity committee; other members will be chosen later.

Student Poll - -

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plan would serve to keep the nation military conscious and the training would benefit the boys in event of another war.

IMOGENE BAGWELL, junior speech major from Claude, Texas: "No, because in my opinion the next war will not be fought with men, but with scientific discoveries."

CHARLES RICHARDSON, 17, freshman animal husbandry major from Kirklund, Texas: "Yes, I am in favor of the year's training, because it will be useful and helpful in our life's work. It will give a lot of boys a year between high school and college to make up their minds what they want to study."

CLAY WOOD, veteran, junior commerce major from Denver City: "Yes. Aside from being of military value, I feel that it gives a person a greater appreciation for the things to be expected in civilian life, as well as a feeling of responsibility."

S. S. McKay, professor of history: "Yes, I am in favor of the compulsory military training because of the discipline and physical improvement that it offers."

JOAN KENDRICK, freshman commerce major from Lubbock: "Yes, I believe that a year's physical training and discipline will benefit their health. The youth of America are too dependent on their parents. A year's training would make them more independent."

Juniors Hold Picnic Thursday

The junior class held its first social activity for the 1945 fall semester with a "Get Acquainted" picnic at Aggie Grove on Thursday, Oct. 25. The picnic lasted from 6:15 p. m. to 9:30 p. m. Class members and their dates were invited.

The social committee which made arrangements for the picnics consisted of Jim Humphreys, junior class president, Bill Fleming, chairman, Jim Wanner, Doc Haney, June Cox, Earlyne Reid, Norma Lee Thornton, Charlene Fisher, Pherba Jordan, and Ruth Anthony.

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Bradshaw Attends Meet In San Antonio Friday

Prof. W. L. Bradshaw was representative from the Lubbock Chapter of the State association of Architects at a state wide meeting held October 20 and 21 at San Antonio. Prof. Bradshaw gave a report on the activities of the Lubbock chapter. Attending the meeting were approximately 80 architects from areas all over the state of Texas.

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