

# Rodeo Team Is Back In Business



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## 255 Pledge In Frat Rush

Two hundred and fifty-five men have pledged fraternities to climax the spring rush period, according to James B. Whitehead, assistant dean of student life and sponsor of Men's Interfraternity Council.

Leading the nine fraternities was Phi Delta Theta with 44 new pledges, followed by Sigma Nu with 41 and Sigma Chi with 34. Others are Pi Kappa Alpha, 30; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 27; Phi Kappa Psi, 25; Kappa Sigma, 24; Phi Gamma Delta, 22; and Alpha Tau Omega, 8.

Alpha Tau Omega spring pledges are: Richard Jarrett Allen, Thomas Scott Cantine, Bobby Jim Cruce, John Clayton Galle, Marline F. Hamlin, James L. Heard, Richard N. Miller and Willard E. Newton.

Pledging Kappa Sigma are: Owen M. Akers, Jimmy O. Allison, Jim Ashley, Robert Rex Aycock, Bobby Lynn Bales, Ralph Campbell, Jr., David Oliver Dawson, Jay T. Dunlap Jr., Max O. Knox, Robert L. Goad, Wendell Gaines Grandey, Tom Suber Harkey, George E. Hollingsworth, Jerry Don Hudson, Jimmy Johnston, J. C. McClain, Don R. Ormand, Gary Eugene Orren, Donald K. Ponder, Emmett Rogers, Kenneth A. Steward, James A. Watts, Donald Maurice Wilkins and William Charles Worley.

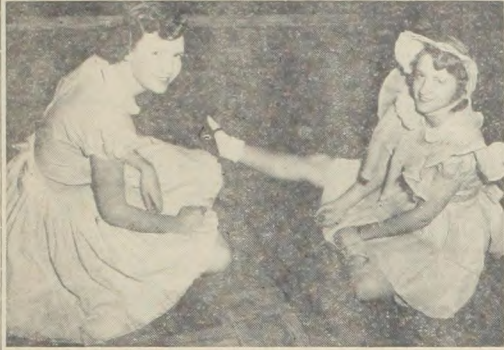
New Pledges for Phi Delta Theta are: Joe Jack Aldridge, Edward Dave Allen, Jasper Hooker Baldwin Jr., John Barbee, James Allen Bowen, Gene Frank Boyd, Vernon Brewer, Jr., Jesse Edmond Carpenter, Jr., Robert Thomas Cannon, Howard Collins, Clayton L. Cooke, Jim Crawford, John Dennison, Charles Dixon, John Farquhar, Bobby Lee Ford, Orva David Hand, Marshall Dan Howard, Orman J. Hubbard, Bobby Hughey, James C. Hurlbut Jr., Dan Ramsey Johnston, Charles Edmond Key, Dennis Terrell Knight, Donald Lee Lacy, Kent Lee Lawrence, Howard Wayne Lynch, Edwin W. McConnell Jr., Samuel Lee McCollum, James E. Messersmith, Joe Durwood Miller, Jimmy Miller, William Hayes Mitchell, B. Wayne Ratisseau, Thomas Dale Reager, John Lee Riddle, Kelly Mack Sears, Gerald Seemann, Weldon E. Schaefer, Thomas Hardy Shelby, Jerrell W. Snodgrass, Milton Vaughn, Robert Woodridge and Jerry McCollum Young.

Phi Gamma Delta pledges are: Don Randall Barber, Bob Louis Brien, John Louis Burgess, John Adrian Crumpler, Roy Eugene Day, Randall DeShan, Donnell Echols, Jimmie Lee Eschle, James See PLEDGES, Page 8

## Students Attending Journalism Meet

Thirteen Tech students will attend the 26th annual Southwestern Journalism Congress today and tomorrow on the SMU campus in Dallas.

Students attending the Congress include LaDoyce Lambert, Floyd Wood, Wilbur Jarrett, Bob Rooker, Harold Creswell, Ann Innes, Joan Abel, Nita Hedleston, Gloria Waller, Helene Edwards, Emeliz Hinz, Wayne James and Alton Slagle. They will be accompanied by Dr. William E. Hall, head of the journalism department, and Mrs. Hall.



BRUSHING UP ON THEIR JACKS with an eye to the forthcoming Frantic Fun Fair are Judy Speer, left, and Barbara Roan, Business Administration freshmen from Amarillo. A "Second Childhood" game room will be part of the Student Union event March 16.

## Tech Adds 3 Blind Students To Rolls

The Texas Tech psychology department's vocational rehabilitation program has taken a second stride forward with the addition of three blind students to the two-year master's degree course of study.

The three new trainees are: Clessia Blakeslee and Randolph Greene of Lubbock and Harry G. Davis, Elgin.

The vocational rehabilitation program at Tech, which now has eight students on its rolls, is part of a national plan put into effect last September. Sponsored by the U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare, the two-year study plan is specially designed to fill the national need for trained counselors to work with the handicapped.

Tech is one of 27 schools throughout the country cooperating in the government program. Students are granted \$1,600 a year to cover part of their expenses.

Before coming here, Miss Blakeslee was employed by the Texas Commission for the Blind as a teacher in the West Texas area. A graduate of the University of Wichita, she is a former president of the Midwestern Council of Home Teachers.

A 1951 Tech graduate with a B.S. degree in animal husbandry, Greene was blinded in action with the 31st Infantry Division during World War II. He formerly operated a poultry farm east of Lubbock and the concession stand in the Lubbock County Court house.

## New Grad Fellowships Goal Of Fund Drive

A drive will start this week to raise between \$10,000 and \$15,000 to establish a fellowship fund for graduate women students at Tech. The drive is sponsored by the Quarterly Club, an organization composed of Tech faculty and staff women, and the fellowship fund is named in honor of Dr. Paul W. Horn, Tech's first president.

Main purpose of the fund is to bring to Tech outstanding women students who are capable of doing graduate work in research and academic and professional fields that will compare favorably with that done in the nation's leading colleges.

The Junior Council is cooperating with the Quarterly Club by handling contributions of students and student organizations.

"Junior Council feels that the project certainly demands student interest here at Tech because of its inducement to worthy women to do graduate study at Tech as well as its tribute to Dr. Horn," stated Sylvia Dietering, Junior Council President.

The Quarterly Club is inviting all clubs, organizations, and friends of the college and of Dr. Horn to share the responsibility of raising this money by making donations of all sizes.

## Off-Campus Competition Approved; Plans Under Way For Rodeo Council

By ROSS SHORT  
Toreador Staff Writer

Tech's rodeo team is back in business again — at least for off-campus competition.

There won't be a rodeo on the Tech campus this year, but plans are underway to form a "Rodeo Council," an organization similar to the Athletic Council, which will be responsible for conducting the affairs of the rodeo team.

The Committee on Student Welfare today announced their approval of a recommendation by the Student Council that the rodeo team be allowed to compete at other schools during this year. Other Council recommendations approved were that the Rodeo Association remain on probation for the rest of the year, and that Western Days remain suspended indefinitely.

Actual formation of a Tech Rodeo Council will require further action by President Jones and Tech organizations with related responsibilities. Dr. Geraldine Clewell, Student Welfare Committee chairman, pointed out.

"The immediate intent of the committee, with these motions, was to set up a plan of operation which would give the rodeo team its best opportunity to establish whether or not it can function as a responsible student organization and can represent the college," the committee declared in a joint statement.

"The committee further concludes that the Texas Tech rodeo team must assume the responsibility of conducting its affairs in such a manner as to be harmonious with the statement and intent

President Jones announced he will prepare a statement next week regarding the intentions of the college toward both the Tech Rodeo and Western Days.

of the actions of the committee during the interim period before the Texas Tech Rodeo Council can begin operation," the statement continues. "The team, in this respect, must operate with the Texas Tech Rodeo Association as a supporting, rather than a sponsoring, organization," the statement concludes.

Commenting on the continued suspension of the Rodeo Association, Dr. Clewell said the committee approved the recommendation on the basis that the Association is on suspension because it accepted money from an unauthorized and "out of bounds" activity, and not because of any activities connected with Western Days.

She said the committee also recommended continued suspension of Western Days because the student body as a whole is responsible for that event. Authority must be properly channeled to insure adequate responsibility for Western Days before reestablishment can be considered, she added.

Student Welfare Committee members are Dr. Clewell, Kirk B. Turner, Dr. Horace C. Hartsell, Thomas F. Wiesen and Dr. Elizabeth F. Sasser, all faculty representatives, and Tollie Hutchens and Sandra Shook, student representatives.

## Keith Rites Saturday

Funeral services for Connie Mack Keith, 25, Tech student from Lubbock, will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday in Rix Chapel, 1601 13th.

Keith died Thursday morning from injuries received in an auto accident.

The Rev. I. D. Walker of Highland Baptist Church, where Keith was a member, will officiate at the services. Burial will be in Tech Memorial Park.

Keith was born in Albuquerque, N.M., and moved with his parents to Lubbock when he was six years old. He was graduated from Lubbock High School and served in the U. S. Marine Corps from Dec., 1947 until Jan., 1953. His duty included action in the Korean War.

A sophomore advertising major at Tech, he was commandant of the Marine Corps League and was a member of Circle K, campus service organization sponsored by Kiwanis.

Keith is survived by his wife, the former Ruth Gilbreath of Amarillo; a brother, Dr. L. M. Keith, Jr., Columbus, O.; and a sister, Mrs. Lewis Benton, Crosbyton.

## Aggies To Compete In Livestock Show

Ten top men among animal husbandry juniors left Lubbock Wednesday noon to compete in the Intercollegiate Livestock Judging Contest at Oklahoma City tomorrow.

The livestock judging team, coached by Stanley E. Anderson, associate professor of animal husbandry, will judge four classes of beef cattle, three classes of sheep, three classes of hogs, and two classes of quarter horses at the Oklahoma City Livestock Show. They will give oral reasons on eight of the twelve classes of livestock.

Members of the team are: Jerome Beach of Miles, Don Brothers of Paducah, Monte Griffin of Lamesa, Jerry Hawkins of Lipscomb, Troy Jones of Lubbock, John Pitts of Pampa, Charles Proband of San Angelo, Clarence Smith of Hale Center, Jimmy Dean Smith of Roscoe, and Bennie Whiteside of Wingate.

The Horn Loan Fund, established in 1946 by the Quarterly Club is being converted to the fellowship fund. It is hoped that enough money will be donated by May 1 to set up a fellowship for next year, Miss Dietering said. The club is aiming for a large enough sum to provide a yearly fellowship of \$300 to \$450 through accrued interest.

Contributions to the fund may be sent to Mrs. Jean Jenkins, Tech Placement Office. Checks should be made payable to the Texas Tech Foundation and designated for the Horn Fellowship Fund.

Quarterly Club members serving on the fellowship committee include: Mrs. Jenkins, chairman of the committee; Miss Marie A. Miles, assistant professor of English and administrative assistant to the Graduate School; Dr. Eunice Gates, professor of foreign languages; Miss Margaret W. Weeks, dean emeritus of home economics; Miss Mabel Deane Erwin, professor emeritus, department of clothing and textiles; Miss Florence Phillips, dean of women; Mrs. Louise Allen, assistant professor of journalism; and Dr. Geraldine Clewell, professor of home economics education.

### U. S. Dignity, Unity Jeopardized . . .

Even Russia and its "new policies" are taking a back seat in the news reports lately — a back seat to the recent decisions and indecisions concerning desegregation.

Each succeeding report brings word of a new dissension or a current development in an old conflict.

If it weren't such a serious thing, one could sit back, read some of the articles, listen to some of the ridiculous statements from both sides and get a big laugh.

As with any important issue which affects the emotions of the mass of people, the two sides — instead of strengthening their arguments and drawing more people to their point of view — tend to give out a lot of heat, but very little light, resulting in two or more cemented blocks of people who couldn't be budged from their opinions with a tractor.

Out of these blocks will usually come the comical statements, made even more humorous by their seriousness. Ambiguous or unnecessary statements such as "a Negro is a human being" on one side, or "send 'em all back to Africa" on the other would be branded "too unbelievable" if put into a fictional story, but they are heard every day.

Most Southern colleges — including Tech — have taken a policy of waiting for state or federal rulings to make the final decision.

Senate Bill No. 103 passed by the 38th Legislature of Texas, and which brought Tech into being, begins "There shall be established in this State a college for white students . . .", and according to Pres. E. N. Jones, if any change is made, "it must come from the legislature or as a ruling by the state attorney general as a new interpretation."

"We have interpreted the situation as beyond the scope of even the Board of Directors of this institution," President Jones added.

After the cries of constitutional rights, unconstitutionality of decisions, states rights, federal rights, moral rights, moral wrongs, groups rights, individual rights, and a hundred or so other "rights" and "wrongs" calm a little, it all seems to boil down not to "what do the Northern and Southern people want," because that is obvious, but to the question of whether one section of a nation should try to force its opinions and will on another section — whether one section is so morally and legally superior to another that the former can or should dictate to the latter.

No matter which belief is correct, however, one thing is certain. The people of both sides are going to have to calm down a little and look at the problem more objectively before a workable solution can be found, and more important before the unity and dignity of our country is jeopardized.

—Bob Rooker

### Larry Coker Wins AIEE Competition

Larry Coker, senior electrical engineering major, won the student paper competition for Tech's chapter of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers at a meeting of Tech's AIEE Monday night. He will go to Dallas to compete in the South West District Meeting of the AIEE on April 2-4.

Tom Stenis, counselor for the AIEE and assistant professor of electrical engineering, and Ray Ayisworth, newly elected chairman of Tech's chapter, will also attend the Dallas meet.

Coker's topic for the paper is "The Development of a New

Method of Circuit Analysis in Ladder Networks." Judges for the paper were: George W. Dupree, Southwestern Public Service Co.; J. C. Lovelace, Allis-Chalmers Mfg. Co.; and Henry P. Mathieu of the Hamilton Electric Co.

The district meeting in Dallas will include several types of aircraft technical sessions, AIEE exhibits, power work and a special feature on management. A dinner dance will highlight the entertainment. Inspection trips have been arranged through several big companies in Dallas.

## TOREADOR

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### Desegregation And Autherine Lucy — What Others Say . . .

**By Associated Collegiate Press—**The Autherine Lucy case has become a national issue and a number of college newspapers have carried news stories or editorial comment about it. The Associated Collegiate Press has summarized in the next few paragraphs some of their editorial statements.

From the University of West Virginia's Daily Athenaeum: "It's often been said that those who wrestle with qualms of inferiority are the ones who feel they must fight to prove their supremacy. As far as we're concerned the Alabama students only demonstrated their immaturity, indecency, inhumanity and perhaps inferiority. If the white race were superior (and it is not) it would not have to fight to insure its position."

The Daily Californian had this to say: "One bright light in the Alabama situation appears to be University President O. C. Carmichael, who has been attempting to keep the situation under control. Addressing an emergency faculty meeting, Carmichael masterfully understated the incident. 'This situation could possibly bring disgrace to our university. It might well end in a tragedy.' If the current actions of Carmichael and the University trustees are for the purpose of gaining time to consider a plan for integration of Miss Lucy and other prospective Negroes the actions are perhaps the best remedy for the present problem."

From the Iowa State Daily: "One favorable note was detected when only about five per cent of the 1,000 demonstrators involved were students. This comes on the heels of the first report which said that the riot was exploded on the Alabama campus. It was only natural to assume that it was an all-student display. It is hoped that this means that the younger generation, for the most part, is using some common sense on the racial issue. It seems that for some years yet the Deep South will continue to have periodic outbursts involving the racial question. We only hope that, ultimately, these generations of sons of bitches will throw off these "race barrier" shackles and be able to attend classes on a non-segregated basis."

The Minnesota Daily, commenting on the University's action in barring Miss Lucy from classes, had this to say: "Some may call the University administration's decision short-sighted and unnecessary. The Daily does not agree. It should be remembered, as officials stated, that the temper of the mob would have resulted in murder. And such an act would mean further, bloodier violence. It would be a mistake, we believe, for Miss Lucy's lawyer to continue his insistence that she be readmitted. Desegregation will not be achieved through force. But the students at the University are to be congratulated for their attitude of common sense and fair play. According to

University officials about 150 of them took part in the riot . . . 150 out of an enrollment of 7,000. The rest of the 7,000 remembered to think rationally."

On the other hand, Leonard Wilson, a 19-year-old pre-law student at the University of Alabama, wrote this letter for the United Press:

"It would be the greatest thing Autherine Lucy ever did if she would withdraw voluntarily from the University of Alabama. The demonstrations show beyond a reasonable doubt that integration will not work. For the safety of herself and of all other students,

she should not be admitted. I take issue with a report that the participants in the demonstrations have been outsiders. There were probably some taxpaying citizens in the crowd. But in the groups I saw assembled there were more university students than outsiders. I don't think Autherine Lucy is responsible for what she is doing. Apparently, she is being backed and pushed by the wretched National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. The only solution to the problem will be for Autherine Lucy to withdraw voluntarily and put an end to all connected court litigation."

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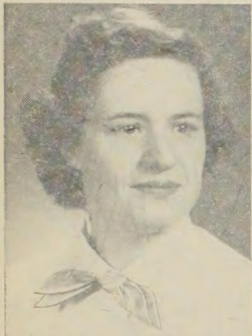
# Journalist One Of Hardy Breed

If Mrs. Nancy Kaisner, 20-year-old Tech junior is representative, today's college journalism students are a hardy breed.

Mrs. Kaisner made news recently when she was one of 35 among Tech's 7,154 students to achieve all A's for her work during the fall semester. Her schedule included courses in psychology, government, history, German, education and journalism.

Here as in many cases, it's the story behind the printed story that makes real news.

Nancy is working half-time as editor of the Texas Techsian, monthly alumni house organ, to help family finances. Her husband is an agricultural engineering student at Tech. She has additionally found time to be active in Theta



NANCY KAISNER

Sigma Phi national journalism fraternity for women.

But that's only the beginning. She is the mother of a year-old son and is raising her 10-year-old sister. Her own mother died last fall.

## Creative Writing Contest Winners Are Announced

Winners of the creative writing contest sponsored by the Sigma Tau Delta, national honorary English society, were announced Thursday at the club's opening meeting of the spring semester.

The winning short stories, one-act plays and poems are to be published in a literary publication to be sponsored by Sigma Tau Delta, says Alvin L. Gregg, president.

Tech undergraduate students are invited to submit short stories, poems or one-act plays for publication in the magazine also. They should be sent to the English department office, Gregg said. The deadline is March 15.

Those winning places in the creative writing contest in the short story division, were: first place, Ronald Y. Wetherington, sophomore from Warner Robins, Ga.; second place, Dick Moore, freshman from Lubbock. Gregg received honorable mention.

In one-act plays Moore took first place, Wetherington second, and Gregg honorable mention.

Winners of the poetry division were: first place, Jean Cox Archer, freshman from Abilene; Don Jacobs, freshman from Levelland, second place; and Gregg, honorable mention.

Plans for the literary magazine are tentative and official approval must be received before it actually is published, Gregg said. It will be the first literary publication of its kind at Tech, and is to be a 75-page mimeographed work.

The first issue should be ready for distribution before the end of the semester, he added.

Nancy, who graduated from Amarillo High School, attended Odessa College before transferring to Tech.

## Henson, Kerr To Head '57 BSO Retreat

Eddie Henson of Seagraves and Don Kerr of Lubbock will head next year's BSO leadership retreat. They were elected by representatives at Cloudercroft, N.M. last weekend, to serve as leaders and arrangers of the 1957 training program.

Highlights of the March 2-4 meeting included the keynote address by Dr. D. M. Wiggins, former president of Tech, and a period in which Pres. E. N. Jones answered questions on campus problems.

asked him by student representatives.

Lighter entertainment was provided by members of the Toastmasters Club, who staged a luncheon meeting with students and faculty members giving extemporaneous speeches according to "rules of the club." Students elected William D. Scott, director of Tech Union, as "President of the United States" from a field of eight candidates.

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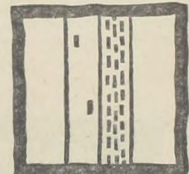
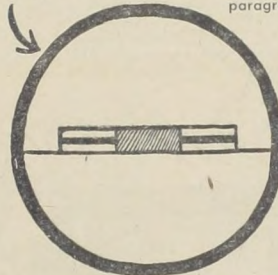
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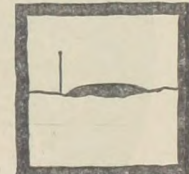
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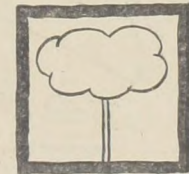
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### Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Kappa Sigma Initiate Fall Pledges

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erson, Oscar Paul Power, Thomas Warne Sorrells, Hallie Joe Stephens and Servando Trevino. Sigma Alpha Epsilon initiated the following: Boone Brackett,

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# THE WINNERS! IN VICEROY'S \$50,000 COLLEGE CONTEST!



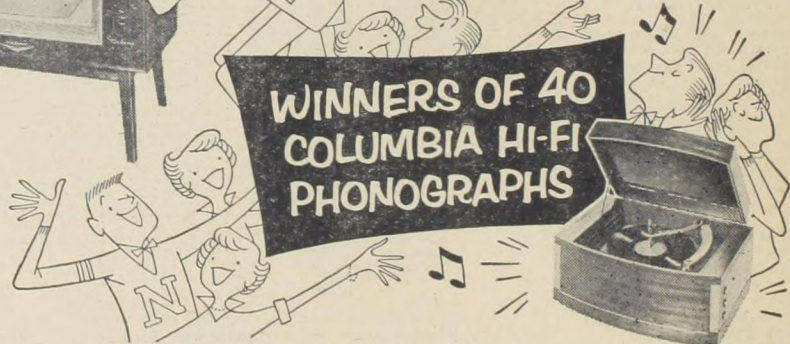
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 Smith Hall Girls' Dorm. Lounge, Roanoke College, Salem, Va.  
 Alpha Epsilon Sigma, Concordia College, Moorhead, Minn.



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### Gamma Phi Beta Initiates

Texas Tech's Beta Tau colony of the Gamma Phi Beta national women's sorority comes into its own this weekend with three-day-long initiation and installation activities scheduled both on and off campus.

The program will begin with an informal coffee tonight from 7 to 10 p.m. The initiation service will be held at the First Methodist Church from 1 to 4:30 p.m. tomorrow followed by the formal installation banquet in the Comanche Room of the Caprock Hotel at 7:30 p.m.

New initiates and visiting officers will attend services in a group at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday and then attend a luncheon at the Plainsman Hotel. A two-hour tea, sponsored by Texas Tech Panhellenic, is slated at the

Student Union ballroom at 3 p.m. Sunday.

National officers attending the rites will be Mrs. E. A. Deupree, international chairman of expansion, from Oklahoma City; and Mrs. Gerald E. Arnold, grand president of Gamma Phi Beta, Philadelphia.

### Kappa Alpha Theta Dance Tonight

The annual Kappa Alpha Theta Gypsy Dance is tonight from 9 until 12 at the Lubbock Hotel. The Kingsmen Combo will furnish music.

Each person attending the dance will be dressed as a gypsy. Women will wear typical full skirts with peasant blouses and excessive jewelry. Men also will dress in gypsy style for the evening.

A canopy of multi-colored balloons will cover the ceiling of the ballroom. Profiles of each member of Theta, bearing sayings which characterize her, will decorate the walls.

A gypsy fortune teller will be on hand to prophesy the future of guests.

### Union To Observe Birthday Tonight

The Tech Union is celebrating its third birthday tonight with an Anniversary Ball to be held in the Union Ballroom from 8:30 until 11:30 p.m.

The Ball will start with a Grand March and be featured by the cutting of a large cake at intermission, said Bob Richards, Friday Night Dance Committee chairman.

The cake, which is furnished by Baldrige's Bakery, will be cut in the Ballroom. Cake and punch will be served in the Anniversary Room during the intermission.

Glen Cary will be Master of Ceremonies during the intermission program. Burl Hubbard will play for the dance.

### Phi Gamma Nu Has Pledging Rites

Phi Gamma Nu held the pledging ceremony for the following in the Student Union Monday:

Kaye Aker, Yvonne Anderson, Betty Blackwell, Jacqueline Bolton, Jeanette Cook, Patsy Ann Davidson, Joyce Davison, La Verne Dierschke, Janet Forgey, Amanda Freeman, Nimitz Fryar, Eva Garza, Sue Harrold, Barbara Haynes, Mrs. Ellis Huddleston, Carole Jacobs, Sue Ann Mayo, Bette Fran Montgomery, Sue Morris, Nancy Morrow, Carlene Morton, Barbara Mullins, Kay Munn, Nancy Novak, Anne Owens, Charlene Perks, Gloria Porter, Carol Rountree, Iva Sue Shropshire, Sue Shugart, Louise Simpson and Lynda Smith.

Phi Gamma Nu pledges will pledge for a period of nine weeks. They are chosen because of their scholastic record and must have a 1.5 overall average and have had six hours of business.

### 'LITTLE PRINCE' TO BE POSTPONED TO MAR. 25

"Little Prince," the first in the spring series offered by the Drama for Discussion group, has been postponed until Sunday, March 25, according to Miss Dorothy Rylander, secretary of The Museum on campus.

Originally scheduled at 3:30 Sunday afternoon, "Little Prince" was moved to the later date when it was discovered there would be a time conflict with a television presentation of Shakespeare's "Richard III."

### Dottie Horchem Named Best Pledge Of Zeta Tau Alpha

Dottie Sue Horchem was honored Sunday morning during the Zeta Tau Alpha White Violet Breakfast as Best Pledge of 1955-56.

Special guests at the breakfast were Mrs. Gordon Genocchio of Abilene, past province president of the fraternity; Mrs. Ann Thomas Jennings, alumna and past president of the chapter and Mrs. Scarbrough Hartley, chapter adviser.

Zeta Week included a candle-light ceremony Sunday afternoon, a skating party hosted by the pledges Monday, a discussion meeting Tuesday, a Pledge-Paddle Party Wednesday, three days of initiation services, and the White Violet Breakfast Sunday.

The 16 new Zeta Tau Alpha members are: Miss Horchem, Miss McCommas, Ann Humphreys, Candy Parker, Pat Dorsey, Gail Biggers, Pat Duniven, Janice Benson, Judy Calmes, Roma Caviness, Sara Compton, Helen Short, Sharon Chick, Joan McColl, Ann Powell and Bebe Davis.

### Sigma Alpha Epsilon Celebrates Founding

Thousands of undergraduates and alumni will participate in a nation-wide closed circuit broadcast from Alabama as Sigma Alpha Epsilon, world's largest collegiate social fraternity, celebrates its 100th anniversary at the site of founding, the University of Alabama in Tuscaloosa, today.

More than 100 Chapters and Alumni Associations will listen to the program dramatically depicting the founding and growth of the fraternity. It will be heard by alumni and active members at 8 p.m. in the ballroom of the Lubbock Hotel, following a Founders Day Banquet.


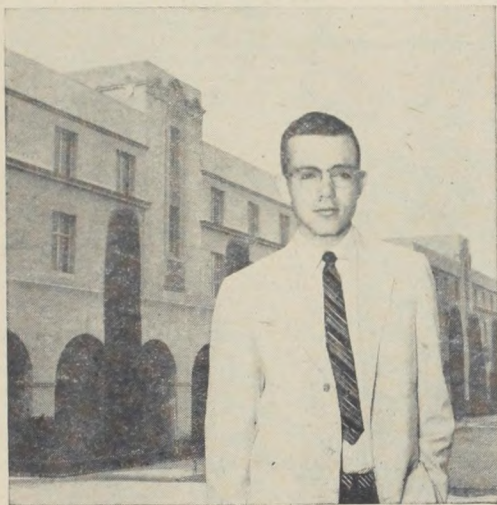
There are 139 Chapters of SAE on campuses in 46 states with a

total undergraduate membership of 7,000. Since 1856 the fraternity has initiated more than 90,000 men.

Activities today started with two formal initiation ceremonies in Devotie Hall, a wing of the Tuscaloosa Chapter House. A luncheon, reception, and a centennial banquet are also on the program.

Unique in SAE's history is the membership of one woman, Miss Lucy Pattie, who was entrusted with the ritual and other secret papers of the SAE Chapter at Kentucky Military Institute in 1861 when the men went to war. When the chapter was reinstated she was elected a member in appreciation of her fidelity.

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John E. Young is working toward his B.S. in chemistry from California Institute of Technology this June. He has maintained honor standing in classwork while serving on the school newspaper, in the debating society, and as treasurer of the student body. John is interested in chemical research and development.

John Young asks:

**How does research differ from development work at Du Pont?**



John Aaron answers:

Well, John, it's hard to define the difference in a way that will satisfy everybody, because one always finds a lot of overlapping between research and development work. But most people agree that there are differences, especially in time sequence. Research work comes first, because one of its main objectives is to establish or discover new scientific facts that will supply the foundation for new industrial developments. In other words, research men seek new knowledge about matter, generally working with small quantities of it.

Development work comes later, and Du Pont has two main types. First, there is *new process* development. Here scientists and engineers modify, streamline, and augment the findings of research so that new chemical products can be profitably made on a large scale—or existing products can be made by newer and more efficient methods. Pilot-plant and semi-works operations are usually included under this heading.

Second, an important kind of development work is directed toward improvement of *existing processes and products*. Here the men study how to obtain yield increases, utilize by-products, increase outputs, and solve sales service problems as they arise. This may require considerable research, and that brings us back to the overlapping I previously mentioned.

There are genuine differences, John, but a good deal of similarity, too—especially in the constant need for imagination and creative effort. I think you'll find that research and development work are equally challenging and rewarding at Du Pont.

John B. Aaron worked for Du Pont as a summer laboratory assistant even before he graduated from Princeton with a B.S. in 1940. After military service he obtained an M.S.Ch.E. from M.I.T. and returned to Du Pont in 1947. Over the years he has had many opportunities to observe Du Pont research and development work. Today John is process and methods supervisor at the Philadelphia Plant of Du Pont's Fabrics and Finishes Department.

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# Raiders In Border Olympics Four Straight Is New National Collegiate Record

A 10-man track and field team will be representing Texas Tech when an army of 900 athletes, representing 77 schools in four divisions, appears in the Border Olympics at Laredo today and tomorrow. At least a dozen records may be broken during the weekend meet.

It appears that the best bets for points are Ray McDonald in the high jump, Larry Palmer in the pole vault and Leon Chester in the hurdles for Texas Tech.

Coach Delmer Brown is also entering Emil Garcia and Tom Terry in the discuss throw, Duke Frisbie in the sprints, Bobby Wil-

son in the half-mile and a mile relay team consisting of Wilson, Art Montgomery, Don Roberts and Frank Clarkson. Glenn Woods will accompany the team as manager.

J. W. Mashburn of Oklahoma A&M and Bobby Morrow of Abilene Christian College are expected to be the highlights of the Olympics. Both are definite threats to records in their respective events. Mashburn has run the quarter-mile in a full second under the current record and Morrow, the sprint ace, has turned in exceptional times in the century.

Texas Tech's Border Conference champion basketball team set a new major college scoring record by soaring above the century mark in four consecutive games this past season, according to the National Collegiate Athletic Bureau.

Texas Tech started its streak with a 102-85 win over Eastern New Mexico University Jan. 27 and followed up with Border Conference victories over Arizona State 113-63 Feb. 1, Arizona 105-67 Feb. 6, and West Texas State 101-76 Feb. 10. The Raiders chalked up a fifth century-breaking mark in their next-to-last game, beating Texas Western 117-

90 Feb. 27.

Previously a number of schools accounted for three consecutive such games.

A new school scoring record was established in the Texas Western game. Before this season's start Tech's 111-103 triumph over Furman last year was the Red Raiders' best.

Coach Polk Robison warns fans

not to expect the Raiders to continue their heavy scoring in the National Collegiate playoff game with Southern Methodist University at Wichita, March 13. The Raiders will be missing the services of their top two scorers, Jim Reed of Pine Bluff, Ark., and Du-Wayne Blackshear, of Mountairain, N.M., due to the four-year rule.

## Lubbock Sports Editor Talks To Tech Journalism Class

"Marry an understanding woman" was Sports Editor Joe Kelly's advice to future sports writers in a talk to sophomore journalism students Tuesday.

Explaining the duties and experiences of the sports writer, Kelly told of the irregular hours in covering sports events. The Avalanche-Journal editor declared that a sports writer must "love his work to make up for the odd working conditions and spasmodic home life" it entails.

Accuracy is essential in reporting sports news, Kelly stated. Sports fans are quick to recognize mistakes in stories on events they follow closely, he said. Errors can be avoided by a thorough knowledge of the game and constant alertness, he added.

A sports reporter works with tight deadlines, making the ability to think and write quickly necessary, Kelly explained. There is no time to rewrite stories which are transmitted to the office minutes after the event occurs.

"Many compensations are included in the sports writer's job which makes it an enjoyable one," Kelly made clear. "The chance to travel, the abundant leisure time, and the right to work independently are several things. Most important of all, is that the sports writer is doing what he likes to do."

## Two More Raider Cagers Ineligible

Tech's faint hopes for a win in the NCAA playoff with Southern Methodist Tuesday were virtually extinguished with the announcement made Wednesday that two more Red Raiders are ineligible.

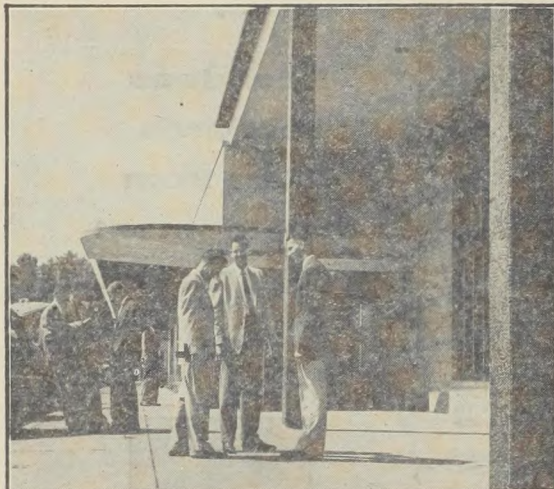
Sterling Gibson and Earl Redwine are ruled out because they have not been at Tech a full calendar year. Transfers from other colleges who had been recently in the Air Force, they were immediately eligible upon enrollment at Tech because the Border Conference permits ex-service men to waive residence requirements. The NCAA tournament regulations, however, require the year's residence.

Now down to six men, Coach Robison said he planned to suit up manager Dennis Calvert, former Lubbock High player, and footballer Barton Massey, all-state in basketball for Bowie High in 1950-51. A tackle on Tech's 1953 football team, Massey has just returned from the service, where he played some basketball.

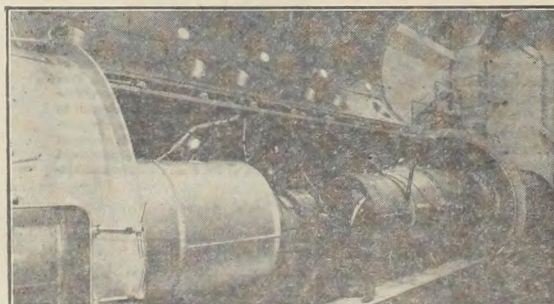
The disclosure followed a three-way telephone conference among Coach Polk Robison, Tech faculty chairman Dr. J. William Davis and Border Conference commissioner Dr. Emil Larson.

# What's doing at Pratt & Whitney Aircraft

## R. P. I. Dedicates Graduate Study Center Near Main Plant



Engineers from Pratt & Whitney Aircraft waiting for classes to begin at R.P.I.'s new graduate study center. Courses, leading to advanced degrees in specialized fields, include Aeronautical Engineering, Applied Mechanics, Higher Mathematics, Thermodynamics, Nuclear Technology.



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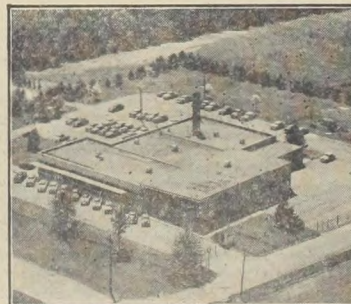


Engineers participating in graduate study program complete their classroom training with laboratory experience gained through their daily employment.

The dedication last month of a full-fledged graduate center near the Pratt & Whitney Aircraft plant in East Hartford, Connecticut, set a precedent in relationships between industry and education. At a cost of \$600,000, P & W A's parent company purchased and equipped the building that was presented outright to Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute for its Hartford Graduate Center. Moreover, an additional grant by this industry leader to R.P.I. was used to establish a liberal fellowship fund. Since last fall, when classes first began, this tuition-assistance plan has functioned to assure advanced education for Pratt and Whitney Aircraft's applied scientists and engineers.

The new graduate study center, 115 miles away from its home campus in upper New York State, is staffed by a resident, full-time faculty. Engineers at Pratt & Whitney Aircraft and other companies in the vicinity are able now to continue their education without interrupting their normal employment.

Designed to raise the level of knowledge and to broaden the base from which research can be approached, this unique new concept of education will lead enrolled engineers to greater achievement in their careers through pursuit of advanced degrees in specialized fields from the nation's oldest engineering college.



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# Raiders Pitching Staff Is Weak Frosh End Season With Win

A stronger pitching staff is needed by the Tech baseball team, according to Coach Beattie Feathers who reported on the progress of his squad after two weeks of practice.

Coach Feathers reported his team is not as strong in returning lettermen and regulars as he had hoped. Only five starters from last year's team are back for the 1956 season.

Returnees include: Richard Alexander, first base; Leo Chase, pitcher; Fulton Smith, second base; Charles Wright, pitcher and Monroe Henderson, shortstop.

Lettermen back for another season include: John Bates, catcher and first base; George Dimrey, third base, and the returning regulars.

Among the newcomers Coach Feathers is expecting to strengthen the team are: Cullen Hunt, catcher; Walter Bingham, first base; George Bradley, pitcher; Dave Allen and Gehrid Garrison outfield.

Although there has not been too much work done on hitting,

Feathers thinks he has one or two boys who might help the team in this department.

Coach Beattie Feathers, Tech baseball mentor, has issued a call for a manager for the Raider baseball squad.

The manager should have time available to attend daily practice sessions from 3:30 until 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 1:30 until 3:30 on Saturdays. He will also make the out-of-town trips.

A letter will be awarded the student chosen as manager, Coach Feathers said.

"But pitching is the weakest point for the team," Feathers says. "If the Raiders could pick up some more hurling strength I think we will have a strong team."

Tech opens the baseball season March 17. They do not compete in the Border Conference since prior to this year the only conference schools fielding baseball teams were in New Mexico and Arizona. West Texas State and Hardin-Simmons have squads this year for the first time in several years.

## Ping Pong Tourney Winner Picked

Sneed Hall will hold its first annual interdorm ping pong championship tournament in the Sneed Hall lounge at 6:15 p.m. Thursday, March 22.

Winners and runnersup from previous tournaments in Gordon, Bledsoe, Doak, West and Sneed Halls will be eligible to compete.

A 22-inch travelling trophy will be presented to the winning dormitory, according to Wilbur Jarrett, tournament director, and the winning entry from that dormitory will have his name engraved on the trophy. A permanent trophy will be awarded to the individual who wins the tourney.

In order to win permanent possession of the travelling trophy, a dormitory must win the tournament three consecutive years.

Dorms may enter their contestants by calling the Sneed Hall switchboard before 5 p.m. March 21. No entry fee will be required.

By BILLY ELLIS

The Tech freshmen basketballers wrote fins to the finest season in memory Tuesday night, by downing the Wayland College freshmen, 89-61.

The Baptists from Plainview were off to a fast start, but were never able to hold more than a 4 point lead. They led after 10 minutes, 19-17. At this point, the Picadors began to roll, scoring a whopping 32 points in the final 10 minute period of the first half for a 49-34 bulge at the intermission.

## Wins Chess Trophy

Tommy Reagor, freshman student from Lubbock emerged victorious from a field of 20 in the Collegiate Chess Tournament. Tommy swept through the tournament undefeated to win the crown.

Ronnie Morris, freshman from Bowie, Texas, was defeated until the final round.

Reagor is the junior chess champion in the Panhandle-South Plains area. He has been playing chess for six years.

He was presented an engraved trophy.

## Championship Tournament On

Play began Thursday night in Tech's Intramural All-College Championship tournament. Due to the Toreador deadline, scores were unavailable. The pairings were as follows:

Phi Kappa Alpha, winners of the Fraternity League with an unblemished 8-0 record vs. Doak, co-champions of the Dorm League with Sneed Longs, each sporting a 6-1 mark.

The Nameless Wonders, runnersup in the Independent League No. 2 with a 4-2 season slate vs. the Vets, co-champions of the Independent League No. 1 with BSU and KKK, all having 5-1 records.

KKK vs. Gordon, second in the Dorm League, 5-2.

Other first round games are as follows:

Phi Delta Theta, second only to PiKA in the Fr League, with a 6-2 mark vs. the Rangers, second in the Independent League No. 2 with a 5-2 record. Game time 1:30 o'clock Saturday.

Sneed, co-champions in the Dorm League, meets the Goodies, winners of the Independent League No. 2 with a 6-1 record in the final round game.

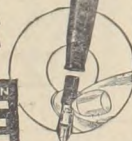
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Pledging Phi Kappa Psi are: John B. Bacus Jr., Thomas Townsend Beard, A. A. Briggs, Paul W. Edwards, Richard Clark Estes, Gilbert Lee Finnell Jr., Roy Bartlett Granbery, Lee Theodore Hannah, Jerry Allen Houchin, Robert Everett Key, James Allen Lake, William F. Lewis, David Smythe Lindsay, Charles Ted Long, Ray Watson Moore, William David Morgan, Willis K. Powers, Charles Norman Rainwater, William Harry Richmond, Claude Edwin Rogers, Darryl P. Sanders, Delbert A. Sanders, Billy Guy Thomas, James E. Thompson and Borden W. Worsham.

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