

THE TOREADOR

Lauritz Melchior To Be Guest At Lubbock Symphony Concert

Lauritz Melchior, hailed by critics as "the most fabulous figure in contemporary music," will appear as guest artist at the Lubbock Symphony concert tomorrow evening. Mr. Melchior, star of opera, concert, motion pictures, radio, and records, will present an outstanding group of selections, accompanied by the full symphony orchestra.

Metropolitan Opera star for more than 20 years, Mr. Melchior has for some time been making guest appearances in small cities throughout the United States as well as British Columbia. His schedule has often included as many as seven concerts per week, besides numerous personal appearances. These concerts, as well as his work on screen and radio, are all a part of Mr. Melchior's campaign to help the American people learn appreciation of good music.

Mr. Melchior, besides being a singer, has shown great promise of being an ad lib comedy man on many radio shows on which he has appeared. On the Kay Kyser show he once sang an impromptu "Open the Door, Richard," and brought the house down.

When asked his reason for appearing in films with small doses of light classics only, Mr. Melchior replied that this was better than no music for the American people, and that perhaps this would whet their appetites for more of the better works.

Mr. Melchior was born in Copenhagen, and studied music from early childhood. At the age of 22 he was admitted to the School of the Royal Opera, open only to selected students. He studied later under such famous European coaches as Cosima Wagner, and appeared in opera houses all over Europe.

Standing six feet and four inches tall, Mr. Melchior is renowned the world over not only as a great musician, but also as a great humanitarian, and now holds the Danish title "Singer to the Royal Court."

Melchior is presented on the regular Lubbock Symphony program for the year. The concert will be in the high school auditorium.



LAURITZ MELCHIOR

Fair's Tech Day Will Feature Radio Show, Booth, Publicity

Broadcasts over stations KRLD and WFAA will highlight the observance Saturday of Texas Tech Day at the State fair in Dallas, stated Frank Junell, assistant to the president.

At a time which he described as not definite but "early in the morning," KRLD will carry a 15-minute program of transcriptions by the Tech band and announcements about the college and its activities.

WFAA, at 11:45 a. m., is to present W. L. Stangel, dean of agriculture, who will speak from the broadcasting booth in the Hall of Agriculture at the fair.

The public address system on the fair grounds will throughout the day amplify announcements about Tech and transcriptions by the college band of the "Matador Song."

Tech booth in the Hall of Agriculture is to be supervised Saturday by former Techians including Guy Carter, state president of the Alumni and Ex-Students' association, Paul White, president of

the Dallas chapter of the association, D. M. McElroy, executive secretary of the association, Nat Hynds, 1938 graduate, Jim Wanner, 1947 graduate and Tom Hassell, 1948 graduate.

Tech and Texas A&M are the only state colleges represented by booths at the fair, said Junell. The booth, which opened Friday, is on the order of a lounge and has large pictures of the college on its walls.

Approximately 25,000 eight-page pamphlets containing scenes of the campus and information about the college are being distributed. These illustrated pamphlets emphasize the growth of Tech from 1925, when the school had 910 students and six buildings, to the present semester, in which over 6,000 students attend classes in 33 buildings.

The multi-million-dollar annual exposition opened Oct. 9 and closes Sunday.

'49 Varsity Show Scripts Due Soon

Scripts for the 1949 Varsity show may be turned into the Student Council office by December 15, Margaret Clark, secretary of the Student Council, has announced.

The Varsity Show committee composed of Bill Reid, Margaret Clark, and Joe Meador will meet with Dr. Doyle Jackson, professor of education, and Bill Tiney, Dairy Manufacturing lecturer, who are the sponsors, in an effort to get this year's show started early.

"It is our desire to eliminate all the details that piled upon the Varsity Show sponsors and committee last year. We hope to have the show well on its way before the time for it rolls around," stated Margaret Clark.

Students desiring information about the Varsity show should drop by the Student Council office in 323 Ad building and see Miss Clark.

New Plans Announced For Beauty Contests

Biology Students Go To Las Vegas

Approximately thirty Biology 133 students and three professors will leave at 8 a. m. Friday for Las Vegas, N. M., where they will study plant life in Evergreen valley and in the mountains around Las Vegas, Earl Camp, assistant professor said. The group will also visit Highlands university.

A similar trip will probably be made during the spring semester by Biology 133 students. Cost of the trip will be \$9.50 per person which will include both transportation and lodging. Faculty members accompanying the group will be Camp, Fred Widmoyer and Jane Holman.

While biology students are enroute to Las Vegas, the Society of Petroleum Engineers and Geologists will leave at 3 p. m. Friday to inspect operations at a drilling rig five miles east of Lubbock.

Petitions May Be Filed Tomorrow Deadline Is Set For October 28

Plans for selecting the 1949 La Ventana beauties have been changed from previous years, and is expected to produce beauties that are really representative of the feminine population of the college, Bob Williams, editor of the La Ventana, has announced.

Each girl nominated for a beauty this year must have a petition filed with the Student Council with a minimum of 50 names signed to it, Williams said. This system is to be inaugurated in order to hold down the number of nominees, which in previous years has exceeded 200. Also many duplications have been bottling up the old box method where anyone would sign his name to a slip with a beauty nominee on it, insuring her candidacy. Under this old box system it was possible for a boy to nominate his girl friend even though no one else on the campus knew her, said the editor.

Petitions for this year's beauties may be cast anytime between October 21 and October 28. These petitions may be picked up at the Student Council office in Ad-322 between 10-11 a. m. and 2-5 p. m. any day through October 28. Once the petitions are signed they are to be returned to the same office without delay so that work may be started on them, Williams stated.

Any girl in Tech may be a nominee for beauty candidate as long as she meets the regulations outlined here by the Publications committee and the La Ventana editor. Approximately forty-five to fifty-five nominations are expected by the Student Council office, but if more or less are turned in, it is entirely up to the student body, stated the La Ventana editor.

Following the October 28 deadline there will be a meeting which will include one representative from each men's club on the campus. This group will eliminate the original number of nominees to 16 girls. From this 16 girls, eight top beauties will be selected by some nationally known personality, whose identity will be announced later. The elimination will take place in the form of a beauty contest, which will allow each nominee to be considered by impartial judges, said Williams.

The eight top beauties for the 1949 La Ventana will be featured in the yearbook in order of their rank in the contest. Full-page pictures will be used for most of them, said Williams.

Magician Appears On Tech Program

Lewis M. Zafran, magician, will make his initial appearance at Tech at the Recreation hall's fun night program from 8 to 10:30 p. m. Friday, stated Troy A. Ennis, Recreation hall director.

Zafran, who is Pioneer Air Lines' regional traffic and sales manager for West Texas and New Mexico, began his hobby of magic as a youth. In an amateur capacity, he has presented shows over the Southwest, South Pacific, New Zealand, and Australia. Since joining the Pioneer staff in 1947, he has performed in most cities on the system for company employees, social organizations, civic clubs, and school groups.

The magician is a charter member of the Ft. Worth Magic club, the Dallas Magic Circle, The Texas Association of Magicians, and the International Brotherhood of Magicians. When not presenting shows, Zafran is in charge of sales and traffic work of the Pioneer company west of Ft. Worth.

Students will be admitted to the show upon presentation of their Recreation hall tickets. Motion pictures of the West Texas Tech football game will not be shown as scheduled due to the program, Ennis said.

U. S. Ranks Low In Mail Order School

"Many countries rank ahead of the United States in progress with correspondence schools," stated J. H. Millikin, Head of the Extension department.

Millikin received this information from the International Conference on Correspondence Education, which he attended in Lincoln, Nebraska, last week. "We fall down in providing for the handicapped," Millikin said. "New Zealand is more advanced than all other countries in correspondence schools, stated Millikin." If someone becomes ill in New Zealand, his assignments are sent to him as long as he is physically able to prepare them, he says.

A. G. Butcher was elected president of the new conference, the name of which has been changed to International Council on Correspondence Education, stated Millikin. The next meeting will be in 1950 at Wellington, New Zealand.

Countries represented at the conference were Australia, Canada, New Zealand, United States, and the Scandinavian Countries.

Vacancy Rumors Cleared By Jones

The rumor that vacancies in the women's dorms is caused by the large number of women living in town was discredited recently by E. N. Jones, vice-president, with a release through the office of the dean of women.

The list includes 33 women living with relatives, 10 working for room and board, 7 women 25 years old or more who are not required to stay in dorms, and 30 who stay in town for financial reasons.

Women who claim Lubbock as their legal residence were not included in the lists. Jones said that a total of 80 women are living off the campus and it would be impossible for them to attend school if they could not live in town.

Qualia Attends Language Meet

Dr. C. B. Qualia, head of the foreign language department at Texas Tech, and four other Tech staff members will attend the South-Central Modern Languages association meeting at Norman, Okla., Oct. 29-30. Dr. Qualia is president of the association and will preside over all sessions.

Dr. W. B. Gates, professor of English, will be chairman of a discussion period on a paper, to be presented by Dr. Laurence Perrine of Southern Methodist University, entitled "Contemporary References in Robinson's Poems."

Dr. Earl Hamilton, associate professor of Spanish, will present "A Brief Description of a Lope Autograph."

Theodore W. Alexander, instructor in geology and former German instructor, will discuss "A Scientific German." Mrs. Beatrice W. Alexander, instructor in foreign languages, will also attend the meeting.

Tech Livestock Win At Dallas

Livestock entered by Texas Tech in the Senior Livestock show at Dallas took both class and grand championship prizes in two divisions, according to a bulletin received from the State fair news bureau yesterday.

In the Aberdeen-Angus Division a steer entered by Tech was acclaimed grand champion of the show and also received the first prize in his class. In the summer yearling class, another Tech entry was declared first place winner and reserve champion Aberdeen-Angus steer.

Grand champion Hereford steer of the summer yearling class, entered by Tech, also took reserve grand champion of his division. First prize in the junior yearling steer class and also the reserve grand champion Hereford award went to another Tech steer.

Holden Presides At Austin Meet

Dr. W. C. Holden, dean of the Graduate Division, will preside over an afternoon session of the Texas Archeological and Paleontological society which will meet in Austin, October 22-23.

Other Tech faculty members attending the annual meeting are Dr. Ernest Wallace, assistant dean of arts and sciences, and Dr. C. D. Eaves, professor of history.

Football Fans Boo When Bear Attacks Coach's New Pants

The night was dark. The rain was falling. And Coach G. B. Morris of Texas Tech was attacked by a bear.

The bear pawed wildly, then clutched a Morris leg. The coach lashed forth a fist, landing neatly to the jaw. Fans, witnessing the Saturday night encounter on the sidelines of the Baylor-Tech game in Waco, booed.

Coach Morris backed a step. The bear, mascot of the Baylor Bears, withdrew claws and paws. A large tare appeared in new Morris slacks just purchased Saturday afternoon. The bout was over.

"Those fans must think more of their bear than of my leg," Coach Morris muttered. "I think I'll sue Baylor for a new pair of pants."

The bear ambled off, guided by two Baylor freshmen.

Veterans Receive Queries

Postcards are to be sent to all Part VII veterans requesting information about their outside work and dates of graduation, stated Frank E. Elkins, Veterans Administration training specialist.

He emphasized that this data is to be used for statistical purposes only and will not in any way effect a veteran's status or allowance.

Theta Sigs Hold Pledge Service

Theta Sigma Phi, national honorary and professional fraternity for women in journalism, will hold pledge services Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. G. Allen, announced Aline Whitby, president.

Those to be initiated as pledges for this semester are Glenna Winston, Daina McElroy, Julia Short, Mary Faye Bonds and Jane Skinner.

Eligibility for membership in Theta Sigma Phi is based on scholastic standing and qualities of leadership.

Officers of the Tech chapter for this year are Aline Whitby, president; Jayne Thompson, vice-president; Mary Louise Clayton, secretary; Oleta Stewart, treasurer and Anita Oliver, AWS representative.

Debate Try-Outs To Begin Friday

Students interested in trying out for inter-collegiate debate are asked to attend a meeting at 5 p. m. Friday in room 1 of the Speech building, announced Miss Anna Joe Pendleton, head of the speech department. Plans are being made for men's teams, women's teams and possibly mixed teams.

The question to be debated by inter-collegiate teams, she said, is: "Resolved, that the Federal Government Should Adopt a Policy of Equalizing Educational Opportunity in Tax-Supported Schools by Means of Annual Grants."

Teams entering the debates on this question will be in junior and senior divisions, stated Miss Pendleton. The junior division comprises freshman and sophomore students, and the senior division includes students with freshman to senior classification.

Debaters may enter the senior division. Tech teams usually participate in three or four tournaments, she added.

Wines Speaks To Textile Classes This Afternoon

Mary E. Wines of the Celanese Corporation of America, will lecture to advanced textile students at 2 p. m. today in annex G of the Home Economics building.

Miss Wines will lecture on man-made fibers from the technical and practical standpoint. She will also stress the characteristics, care and handling of these fibers.

A similar lecture was made to sophomore textile students yesterday afternoon.

Student Athletic Cards Required

No student without an activity card will be admitted to the Rice-Tech or future football games without payment of regular ticket charges, Morley Jennings, athletic director, said this week.

Jennings asks that all students who have not secured their activity cards pick them up immediately at the college business office. He pointed out that students have paid for the cards, but that a large number have not called to get them. The cards will be good at all athletic events of the college.

ROTC Rifle Team Holds Practice For 93 Cadets

First practice period for the Tech ROTC rifle team was held yesterday, stated Lt. Col. A. Schiaffi, who will direct the team activities this year. Ninety-three ROTC students were signed up for the try-outs, and from these one or more rifle teams of 15 members each will be chosen, added Col. Schiaffi.

A seven-weeks' practice period will begin next week, and the first shooting matches will begin the latter part of December, said Col. Schiaffi. The number of students who complete the course will determine the number of teams to be made up.

"I expect this to be Tech's best rifle team," said Col. Schiaffi. "In addition to a number of former Tech riflemen, we have several transfer students who have been rifle team members at other schools. We are looking forward to winning honors in our shooting matches."

The question of a minor athletic letter for rifle team members has not been settled yet, stated Col. Schiaffi, but a decision should be forthcoming.

NOT A COMIC STRIP, JUST TECH'S BULLETIN BOARDS

Pathos, Comedy, Drama Is Under Every Tack

By DELANE ADAMS
Tosador Staff Writer

A dash of imagination and a sense of humor can turn a bulletin board into pretty interesting reading. The American way of life is reflected on every slip of paper. Pathos, comedy and drama is recorded under every thumb tack.

The gay life must be over for some guys. Maybe they have taken up a form of informal entertainment called studying—anyhow a notice appeared in the library "Tux for sale, worn three times, plus accessories, size 36, price \$30" while a note in the Ad building lists a tux with "black ridged lapels" for sale at \$27. This looks like competition.

A Home Ec. bulletin board has an Emily Post clipping advising coeds to "avoid criticizing established tradition" and refrain from eyeing each man on the campus "as if he were a prospective husband." At the bottom of a half page picture of hats, is information concerning them entitled "Teen-age Hats—a comic strip inspires some" which will clear up a question many males have asked—"Where did you get that?"

Doak hall, home of about 60 married couples, besides boys, has on

its bulletin board instructions about the buzz system. The "A" single buzz, is for men and the "B" two buzzes, is for women. This implies the husband is still the "head" of the house. A ten dollar reward is listed for a P and E slide rule while in another dorm the same kind of slide rule is for sale at \$110—no connection but interesting.

The bulletin board in Girls' Dorm IV has a plea for eliminating chow line "crashing." The laundry and dry cleaning representative has difficulty with this complaint. English language and places under a request for prompt pick-up of the words "of clothes" in parenthesis. Drane hall representative signs her notices "The Bag with the Bag."

Color does not often appear on hand written signs, but a bright red and blue "urgent" tops the request for an unused activity ticket for the homecoming game. Instead of drawing mustaches on posters, some people indulge in adding comments. Advertisement of a "handsome 15 jewel wrist watch—nationally advertised brand" has written beneath it in green ink "but does it write?"

Boy's Dorm III West has a sign

informing its occupants they now live in Men's Dorm IV. West hall has a sign reading "pair of brand-new shotgun rodeo leggings, never been used, for sale." Sneed hall bulletin board has the prettiest sign of all, a hand-tooled leather notice advertising "belts made to order."

The Textile building boards display a sample of Chiopee lumite insect green, colored Chiopee green, incidentally.

A shotgun, clarinet and saxophone are listed for sale in the Engineering building, but no one ever heard of "athylene glycol," but taking pity on those who did not do so well in that science, he puts "anti-freeze" in parenthesis. This hall has posting notices systemized and requests notes be put on a certain size paper.

The most common notice which appears on an almost all bulletin boards concerns transportation and includes everything from a three place cruiser to a motor scooter.

Reception Committee Is Organized To Welcome Visiting Ball Teams

The Rice Owls will be the first visiting football team to reap the benefits of a newly organized athletic reception committee created to make the opponents of Tech feel at home when they visit the campus, Jack Noyes, chairman of the committee, has announced.

The group, composed of six Saddle Tramps, is an official organization, set up at the suggestion of Coach Dell Morgan, Noyes said. The committee will furnish visiting teams with transportation to and from airfields or depot. It will make sure that locker rooms are in proper condition and will offer its services to visiting newsmen, coaches and managers.

Nearly all big schools have such an organization, Noyes said, and it

is our belief that the committee can easily improve inter-school relations.

The committee consists of two men from the senior class and two men from the junior class and two men from the sophomore class.

Richard Dickey and Jack Noyes represent the senior class, Verdo Mitchell and Paul Knight will represent the junior class and Roy Miller and Harold Rumpy are to represent the sophomore class.

Clark Schooley will represent the Athletic department and Cliff Formby will represent the student body.

Coach Morgan suggested that the committee continue its operations through the basketball and track seasons, said Noyes.

Exes Registration Plans Announced

No general registration of ex-students is contemplated for Homecoming, stated D. M. McElroy, executive secretary of the Alumni and Ex-Students' association.

Alumni will instead be given small red cardboard double T's on which they may write their names addresses and classes. Distribution of these tags is to be made from booths in the Ad building, Engineering building, Home Ec. building and the Hilton and Lubbock hotels.

Registration will be made of those exes not on the association's mailing list, he said, in order that they may receive copies of the Ex-Students News.

The Recreation hall is to be the campus headquarters for the exes and will be open for visits by former students after the football game between the Red Raiders and the Rice Owls, he added.

Alumni And Ex-Students Form Chapter In Lamesa

A chapter of the Alumni and Ex-Students' association was organized in Lamesa Monday night, said D. M. McElroy, executive secretary of the association.

Earl Sears, 1948 Tech graduate who is teaching vocational agriculture at Lamesa High school, arranged the meeting, stated McElroy.

The Campus Whirl

Wednesday, Oct. 20
WRA dancing, 7:15-8:15 p. m., gym.

Thursday, Oct. 21
Alpha Chi, 5 p. m., Ad-220.
Forum, 5 p. m., Ad-206-A.
Margovle club initiation, 6:45 p. m., E-208.
FTA initiation, 8 p. m., Extension building.
Pep rally, 7:30 p. m., gym.

Friday, Oct. 22
Freshman football game, Hardin-Simmons freshmen, 2:40 p. m., Jones stadium.
Theta Sigma Phi pledge service, 5 p. m., 3110 Twenty-first.
Las Vivarachas dance, 9-12 p. m., Hilton hotel.
Block and Bridle club dance, 8 p. m., gym.
Magician show—Lewis M. Zafran, 8 p. m., Recreation hall.
Pre-med club picnic, 6:30-11:30 p. m., MacKenzie park.
WRA volleyball, 4-5 p. m., gym.
WRA modern dance, 5-6 p. m., gym.

Saturday, Oct. 23
Last day on which petitions may be filed to drop a course without grade penalty.
Football game — University of Arizona, Tucson, night game.
Ko Shari masquerade dance, 9-12 p. m., Hilton hotel.



SMARTEST YET—Nobody can deny that this season's campus fashions are the smartest yet, especially when modeled by one of Tech's good-looking coeds. Here Aline Thompson, Vernon senior, wears a bright green corduroy jacket in the new "long length," over a light grey blouse with harmonizing skirt of gunmetal grey gabardine. Her shoes are brown suede piped in gold. (Photo by Wendt.)

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Not Ignorant, Just Lazy . . .

Approximately 6300 members of the Tech student body and faculty missed the insult pointed at them indirectly by William A. Lydgate, editor of the Gallup poll, when he spoke on the campus recently.

They missed no great, startling, or dramatic disclosures. Those who did attend, about 100 in number, heard merely a highly interesting talk by Lydgate on "What America Thinks"—how, why, and for whom public opinion polls exist.

Those who did not attend, however, did miss the veiled implication that they are members of the great American voting public, a public that is better informed and lazier than ever before.

Each year, fewer Americans exercise their right to vote than did in 1900. Radio, television, newsreels, motion pictures and increased newspaper coverage have not improved that phase of politics.

Seventy-five per cent of the voting strength of the country turned out for the 1900 national general election. By 1940 the figure had fallen to 63 per cent. It was down to 54 per cent in 1944.

Gallup pollsters estimate that only 50 per cent of the eligible voters, a record low number, will participate in the 1948 presidential election. The select audience registered amazement at this.

We must, he said, install civic responsibility in school children. The audience, 100 strong, nodded approval. To the schools and press of the nation, Lydgate gave the challenge to "make politics more meaningful, more interesting."

A glance around the lecture hall would confirm the belief that Americans have little to blame for their political misfortunes other than their own persistent refusals to take an interest in happenings, on campus or internationally, that affect them.

—T.A.

A Job Well Done . . .

Homecoming is just around the corner, in fact less than three weeks away. To many Techsians it will merely be a day which features a football game, to some a day of greeting the exes back to the campus. But what of the exes, themselves? To a school which prides itself on the traditions achieved in the young life of our college, Homecoming should be really one big day on the Tech campus. We wonder if it will be. Hundreds and perhaps thousands of graduates will return to the campus this year to see the football game, but doesn't the occasion call for more than that? Isn't there more to Homecoming than a football game? We all know that there is.

The only way that Homecoming this year can be a success is for every student in every campus organization to cooperate with Homecoming committees in every way so that the exes may feel that October 30 is really their day on Tech campus.

With ambitious plans, the Student Council has for the first time in several years promised to sponsor all activities for Homecoming day. Their job will be one of organization. Only with the hard work and cooperation of all campus groups can we look back after the Rice game that afternoon and pat ourselves on the back and think of a job well done.

—C.F.

Potpourri

By FRANKLIN GRANT

Dear Pot,
Would you tell me the actual mileage to the nearest wet town?
—JBB

In answer to nine letters asking the above question we investigated and found the nearest wet town to be 106 miles. The name, B. S.
—Pot

There was a young man from the West
Who loved a young lady with zest
So hard did he press her
To make her say "Yes, sir,"
He broke . . . three cigars in his vest.
—Chase

It is remarkable how many doubtful meanings and allegedly pure minded reader can find in an entirely respectable column.

Dear Pot,
I hate he, I hate he
I with he would die
He tells me he love me
And damn he, he lie.
Found out . . . too late.
Betty R.

One of the local slimes was heard defining "parent" as the kin you love to touch.

Five gallons of gas
And a quart of gin,
And all they found was
A mess of skin.
—LAF

We have received several phone calls from girls in the dorm who are being bothered by not having dates since we told the story of the little slime who didn't kiss until she had "taffy" on a guy . . . the real taffy came by and it seems she has another problem . . . "Just what do I do if I get the taffy on three guys at the same time?" . . . we recommend running.

Note To Upperclassmen:
The flowers may kiss the butterfly
The fluffy clouds may kiss the sky
The wine may kiss the glass
And you my friend . . . goodbye.
A Slime (from Speed)

A Tech wolf was overheard trying to pick up one of the local qualls over by the drugstore. "Beat it," she snapped, "Oh, pardon me," he sneered, "I thought you were my mother." "Impossible," said she. "I'm married."
—RAS

"She wore black garters in memory of those who had gone beyond."
—Mary B.

Lights, lights everywhere
Around Women's Dorm IV
And now in the daylight glare
The lovin' goes on now more.
(Residents of Dorm IV)

We are mentally, morally, physically pure,
We don't know dirt from horse collars.

Read in 1928 Toreador:
Wanted, one quart of this so called cotton gin.

Boxes will be up by the first of next week so that you may drop your contributions in them without coming to the Journalism building or mailing them . . . until then just keep sending them.
—Pot

X-RAY RESULTS GIVEN
Results of tuberculosis X-Rays, given by the Public Health service, to students and faculty members, are at the infirmary and need distributing, said Dr. Embree R. Rose, college physician.

Approximately 3000 X-Rays showed no signs of tuberculosis. About one per cent or 600 of those that took the test will have to be rechecked. Students who do not receive a request to have a recheck made can assume that their chest X-Rays are normal.

RIGHT SIDE VIEW OF THE OFFICIAL TEXAS TECH SENIOR RING

In bold relief is the Tech Mator preparing for another victory.
The large numerals designate the class year.
Boys and girls rings are now on display. Place your order today.

BOOK STORE

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El Toro Grande

By ORLIN BREWER



One-armed bandits have invaded the Tech campus. Strange as it may seem, there probably are more slot machines in operation at Tech than in all the rest of Lubbock county put together. Naval Training Center, which has immunity to most of the laws designed to regulate the habits and actions (and sometimes enjoyment) of the local citizens, has put the machines into operation to furnish income for the NTC recreation fund. The fund will help to defray personal expense of the reserve members on Navy parties and dances expected to be held in the future.

Joe Meador, judging by the success of the Chamber of Commerce Lion's club minstrel, probably has the brightest future of any of Tech's illustrious students, past or present. Show managers, unwilling to run the risk of an unsuccessful opening, may cinch a full house simply by hiring Meador to announce he will not be a member of the cast. No doubt news of his usefulness will spread rapidly and Meador after amassing riches, should be able to retire, while yet a young man, from his career of being another John Barrymore.

In line for special commendation this week are two of the campus cheer leaders who do their job well, rain or shine. How about it Techsians who saw Andy Willingham and Glenna Winston keep the cheering section in Waco in constant action Saturday night, despite the steady downpour? Don't they deserve a little more support than we sometimes give them?

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On The Brownfield Hiway

We had hopes that the reading life of the American male was returning to normal after learning that Kensey's "Sexual Behavior of the Human Male" had dropped to eighth place on the nation's best seller lists. Just to show how little reason there was for such hopes, however, Abel Green, editor of Variety, who made the survey, listed in second place "The Naked and the Dead" (Mailer).

Beginning with the next issue of the Toreador, El Toro Grande, in an effort to reflect a broader view of campus opinion and life, will entertain a series of guest columnists. Each Saturday, until the series is discontinued, this column will be written by various members of the campus population, at the personal invitation of the editor. Watch the next issue for the views and comments of CLINT FORMBY.

We're not doubting the usefulness of the new mid-term grade report plan adopted recently by the council of deans, but we're mighty unhappy about the barrage of tests that are greeting us as a result of the action. Teachers, underplayed through no particular fault of anyone at Tech, never seem to realize that the student can sometimes be overworked and joyfully pass on their troubles to their classroom charges.

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SPORTS GRAPEVINE

Except for a couple of stories about league play, nothing has been said about the college bowling league that recently started at the Lubbock Bowling Club.

Being a participant in the sport and the league, I would urge that some night if you don't have anything to do except study drop by and watch the college kegglers roll. You are sure to find someone you know bowling for there are 40 men spaced out on eight teams. It may not be the best bowling in the world, it isn't as good as some of the town leagues, but you will find all the spirit and the will to win that will be found in any other league. There are some pretty good rollers there too.

Tom Scott, the sponsor of the league, and George Philbrick, Intramural director who worked with Scott, should be congratulated for stirring up interest in the sport at Tech. It is hoped that Tech will soon have a bowling team that will journey to other schools with the football or basketball team to contest the college in bowling.

Okay, okay, so I'll go back to reporting home economics news. Believe me the teams didn't do right this week.

In the first place Tech couldn't see through the wind and the rain in their hair and lost to Baylor. Anyhow, it wasn't a bad score. Watch history repeat itself. It is this writer's prediction the Bears will crack next week against A&M just as they cracked last year after the Tech game.

As for Texas and Arkansas, Scott rolled but the company didn't and I lost another per centage mark. Tulsa or New Mexico didn't come through with the predicted upsets and the per centage went lower. Outside of this, no great upsets were noted this week and most of the teams came through in steady style. TCU, SMU, Texas Mines, Army, Michigan and Notre Dame did manage to help me. All in all I hit eight out of fifteen for a per centage of 53. Ohmigod, I was worse than Jim. Thats even under average.

—John Henderson.

The pep rally that was held over in the gym last week was a real old fashioned yell session and to date the best we have been to this year. There were not too many people there but the faithful few were out and they made plenty of noise. A lot of people in college today think a pep rally is "kid stuff" and swear that they wouldn't come out and yell their lungs out because it doesn't do any good anyway. They are all wet. The football players are the first to state that the backing of the student body and attendance is something that cannot be carried too far. It does a team good to know that somebody is behind them and rooting for them.

This year's edition of the Red Raiders is not a losing team. The Red and Black clad men have come through the first half of their season with three victories and two defeats. It seems to us that the roughest part of the storm has been weathered. Arizona will be no pushover next week especially after the trouncing they took from Michigan State the past Saturday, but we know the Raiders can take them. After that comes the Rice Owls and homecoming. Texas Tech has always been hard to beat at a homecoming game and Rice is reported not to be too tough this year. It will

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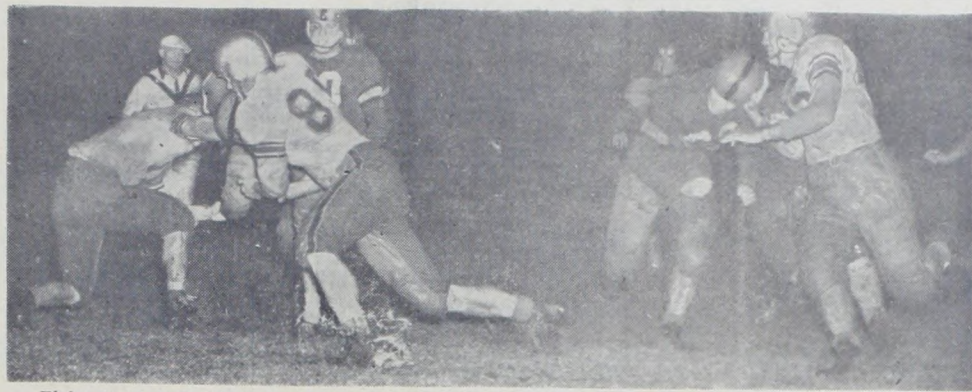
Touch Gridders Battle In League

Doak Hall and Team 3 of Dorm 3, "The Rebels", were victorious in Friday afternoon's touch football tussle. Doak Hall defeated Team 4 of Dorm 3 by an 18-0 score. Doak Hall scored once on an end run by Horn and twice on passes thrown by George Wilkinson to end. Andrew Behrends, Travis Tadlock, back, and John Cunningham, lineman, were outstanding for Team 4. Bill Cody was referee and M. D. Stevens, head linesman. In the second game, The Rebels bested the Sneed Bobcats 7-2 on a pass from Smith to Pickens. The safety for the Bobcats was made by Donald Bagwell. Dick Robinson was referee and J. Fred Bucy, head linesman.

The Independents opened their league Sunday at 3:00 p.m. with Alpha Phi Omega (APO) defeating the Pelicans 12-6. APO scored twice on runs with Joe Lewis going around end and Earl Monteith through the line. Phil Bennett scored for the Pelicans on an off-tackle run. Ed Hart refereed the game and J. F. Nixon was head linesman.

On Friday Team 1 of Dorm 3, "Sand Eaters", will take on Team 2 of Dorm 3 and "The Rebels" will meet the West-West hall Eagles. On Sunday, Oct. 24, the Band will tangle with the Wesleyan Wildcats, both of the Independent league.

All players are warned against playing with more than one team; since, under the rules, such a player will become ineligible and his team will be forced to forfeit.



Fixing to be dunked in the mud by two Baylor tacklers is Walter Maloney in the arms of Harold Riley (85) Bear end and fullback Frank Boydston, left, after Maloney picked up a few yards early in the battle between Baylor and Texas Tech at Municipal Stadium Saturday night. Behind Boydston is Referee Whitey Bacucus. Glenn Lewis (20) Red Raider back is the player behind Riley. At the right an unidentified Bruin tries to fend off a Tech blocker and get into the play.

(Photo courtesy Waco News-Tribune)

Baylor's Golden Bruins Wallow 13-0 Victory Over Matadors

By KEITH ANDERSON

Toreador Sports Editor

Before a water soaked crowd of 9,000, Baylor's not-so-golden Bears, splashed and slid their way to a 13-0 victory over the visiting Red Raiders of Texas Tech.

The rain, which started with one big deluge about 7 p.m., continued intermittently throughout the contest, leaving the field a virtual quagmire, and not giving the "speed merchants" a chance to show their stuff. The game was mostly a contest of short punts and fumbles, with an occasional offensive burst from one of the teams.

On the whole, it was strictly a ground game, with neither team willing to risk passing with a wet ball. Baylor was content to stay almost entirely on the ground trying only two passes, while Tech attempted 13.

Baylor opened like it meant business. The first time the Bruins got the ball, they drove down to Tech's 20-yard line, before being halted. An exchange of punts followed and Tech, taking possession of the ball, marched from its own 34-yard line to Baylor's 48 before being forced to punt. The kick was short, and the Bears took it on their own 34. Baylor then started its first touchdown drive on a series of line plays which moved the ball to Tech 13-yard line as the first quarter ended.

Striking quickly in the second period, Baylor moved the ball to the one yard line, from which point, Haydon Fry pushed across on a quarterback sneak. The try for extra point was good, and the score stood 7-0, Baylor. The rest of the period saw Tech move down deep into Bear Territory, only to bog down on the Bear's 13-yard

line. For the most of the third quarter it looked as if the scoring was over for the night, but late in the period, aided by a timely defensive holding penalty against Tech, and a beautiful 42-yard dash by George Sims, Baylor half, the Bears once again found themselves with a scoring opportunity as the quarter ended. The Tech line held

for downs, however, and Bill White, halfback, punted out from deep in his own end zone. Sims returned to Tech's 30-yard line. The Bears picked up a first down on Tech's 19, where Sims took a pitchout and moved all the way down to the one yard line. In two plays Fry sneaked over, the try for extra point was wide and the score stood 13-0, Baylor!

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RAIDER OF THE WEEK

The Sport Staff's selection for Raider of the week is Marshall Gettys, 185-lb. letterman tackle from Amarillo. Marshall has been a stand-out in the Raider line all season and was particularly impressive in Saturday's game against the Baylor Bears. In playing opposite Rupert Wright and Clark Heironimus, 200-lb. left tackle for Baylor, he did more than hold his own and very little

yardage was accumulated over his position.

The Border conference was organized in 1931 with Arizona, New Mexico A&M, Arizona State Teachers (Tempe), Arizona State Teachers (Flagstaff) —as charter Members. Texas Tech was admitted in 1932, Texas School of Mines in 1935 and Hardin-Simmons and West Texas State in 1941.

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Freshman Honor Group Entertains

Approximately 100 freshman women, transfers, and special guests attended the Freshman Honor society tea Saturday at Seaman hall, Sue Holmes, president, said.

The refreshment table, decorated with an arrangement of red roses and silver leaves, was presided over by Mrs. Mary W. Doak, dean of women emeritus, Miss Margaret W. Weeks, home economics professor, Mrs. Margaret W. Walker, dean of women, and Mrs. D. M. Wiggins, wife of the president.

Special guests included Mesdames Max W. Eikel, Elizabeth Young, and Cecile Turner, social supervisors of Dorms III, II, and IV, respectively; Mrs. Johnnie G. Langford, professor of women's physical education, Miss June Hanson, assistant dean of women, Miss Elizabeth Craig, former society president, and Mrs. Clifford B. Jones, wife of Tech president emeritus.

Mrs. Fred Stubbs and Miss Carolyn Cole, former members, played piano selections.

The receiving line consisted of organization officers and sponsors.

Dance Honors Souci Pledges

Pledges of the Sans Souci social club were honored at an opening dance Friday night at the Lubbock hotel. Decorations were centered around the club crest which consisted of tiny gold daisies and white mums on a black background. Clusters of gold balloons hung from the ceiling.

Members, twenty-nine pledges and their dates danced to the music of Burl Hubbard and his Variatoni-ans.

Members and their dates who attended were: Gay Reeves, Chuck Hajek; Virginia Leonard, Ardis Barton; Elizabeth Howard, Manson Hawkins; Alyce Howell, O. P. Harlin, Jr.; Jo Rae Watson, Stanley Huckaby; Irma Ratliff, Charles Russell; Sue Anne Roberts, E. L. Derr; Joan Conley, Bill McMennamy; Jane Parsons, Winston Roberts; Jeannine Smith, Carl James; Pat Vassen, Dickie Buckles; Rachel Dunaway, Jimmy Lackey; Peggy Davis, Duane Dawkins; Sylvia Whitacre, John Hampton; Bobbie Knowles, Claude Donaldson; Leora Manning, Jim D'Acosta; Pat Pierson, Lee Moore; Amarie Wall, Jerry Williams; Tommie Ann Campbell, Tim Hatch; Beryl Nowlin, Floyd Camp; Martha Harris, Bill Jackson.

Chaperones were club sponsors Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Michie and Mr. and Mrs. Byron Chapel.

Future Teachers Hold Initiation

Future Teachers of America will meet a 8 p. m. Thursday in the Extension building for a business and initiation of new members, announced Garland Bridges, president.

Those to be initiated are Virginia Alexander, Janice Berry, Dorothy Bivens, Sue Blackburn, Myra Eounds, Costin Burkin, Betty Burson, Betty Carver, Doris Cooke, H. M. Cook, Josh Cook, Lynn Cummings, Roena Deltiker, Jack Endy, Fauncine Fite, Joe Garrison.

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Military Engineer's Society Open For Membership

Membership in the Society of American Military Engineers is now open to qualified engineering majors as well as ROTC students, announced Lt. Col. A. Schaffil, faculty sponsor of the organization. Membership has previously been restricted to ROTC personnel only.

Purposes of the society are to foster fellowship among engineers and to present latest developments in the field of civilian and military engineering. The Tech chapter of SAME is in charge of all ROTC exhibits at the Engineering show held each spring.

SAME meetings are held at 7:30 p. m. every other Thursday, in the military science building. Those interested in becoming members are urged by Col. Schaffil to be present at the next meeting tomorrow evening, to take part in plans for the Homecoming float and tentative engineering show projects.

Sneed, West Hall Officers Chosen In Recent Elections

Specer B. Street was chosen president of Sneed hall in a recent election. T. W. Charlewood, social director, has announced.

Other officers include Joe Boone, vice president and Max Sturdivant, secretary-treasurer. The president appointed Robert W. Wiley as social chairman and Bill Hook, intramural athletic chairman, Carlewood said.

West Hall officers elected recently were Scott McDonald, president; Wilson Ellis, vice president; A. J. Bishop, secretary and Arthur Chibodeaux, treasurer.

Seniors! you have until Oct. 23 to have your picture made for La Ventana.

Picadors Take On Cowboys In Stadium Friday Afternoon

Tech's freshman football players may use a variety of formations, including single wing, box, short punt and the T, when they meet the Hardin-Simmons "fish" at 2:40 p. m. Friday in the Jones stadium.

Tech's first-term men lost their only game this season, 7-0, to West Texas and will be trying to make amends. At the same time there will be an added effort to overcome the 0-0 tie of last season with the visiting Cowboys.

Coaches Polk Robison and Maxey McKnight say they believe the young Red Raiders are in better shape for this week's engagement than for the West Texas game. They have granted permission for the "fish" to use plays used by Arizona, Baylor, Texas A&M and Tulsa, which the Tech first-year men learned and ran in scrimmage against the varsity. Formations used against opponents, also, will be used.

Tech's offensive is expected to be built around speedy and speedy Bobby Close, star of Shamrock High school last season; Judson Brawner, snake-hipped all-state fullback in Alabama last year; and bruising Ralph May, chunky Sudan lad. Ross Brown, Pascal high, Fort Worth, scat-back in 1947, and Harold Haynes, fleet-footed Rosecoe star, also are expected to see considerable action in the backfield.

The Tech line will function around Jerrell Price, Brownfield, named outstanding lineman in the Texas high school all-star game in August. Price against West Texas thwarted a majority of plays. Other linemen certain to have a hand in Friday afternoon activities are: Don Anthony, Amarillo guard; Dick Andrews, McLean tackle; Jack Cockburn, Sherman tackle; Bobby Gene Dadds, Breckenridge tackle; Robert Green, Burk Burnett tackle; Jimmie Martin, Wichita Falls guard; Rex Pinson, Falfurrias guard; and Jack Davis and Gene McXanlies, Littlefield ends.

Morley Jennings, Tech athletic director, said students will be admitted to the game on activity cards, and that students without the cards must pay regular admission charges.

Barbecue Picnic Saturday Fetes Ko Shari And Dates

Ka Shari members, pledges, and their dates were entertained with a barbecue picnic Saturday night at the home of Mrs. Robert Allen, club patroness.

Special guests were President and Mrs. D. M. Wiggins, Vice President and Mrs. E. N. Jones, Mrs. Margaret W. Walker, and Miss Dorothy Rylander, former club sponsor.

Gargoyle Club To Initiate New Members On Thursday

New members of Gargoyle club, architectural engineering society, will be initiated at 7:45 p. m. tomorrow in E-208, states James Wiley, president.

Those initiated will wear a stamp, resembling a turkey's foot, on their foreheads tomorrow.

BSU TO HOLD CONVENTION

The Baptist student union state convention will be held in Waco, Oct. 29-31, Miss Ardele Hallock, director of the Baptist student union, announced Monday. Approximately 2,500 Baptist students from over the state will attend.

Miss Hallock announced that about fifty Tech students would attend the convention. Buses will be chartered for the trip.

Hen Parties Out, They Work Quietly

By BOB WELLS
Toreador Staff Writer

Conversation during idle moments in the Tech bookstore has been cleaned up, reports one of its female employees.

The "clean up" was brought about by the installation of an inter-communication system. "Voice boxes" have been placed in five different locations in the bookstore so that personnel of different departments may contact each other without having to "run all over the place." The boxes are kept turned on and can be tuned in to any of the various stations. The conversation of anyone standing close to one of the boxes could be heard in other departments.

"We can no longer tell jokes, slander the boss, or even have hen parties," complained the young lady. She said, however, that she would have to admit the system saved her a lot of steps every day.

Sock And Buskin Play Is Presented

A one-act play was presented last night in the speech auditorium at the meeting of Sock and Buskin club, stated Miss Annah Joe Pendleton, head of the speech department.

Jackie Reynolds, senior speech major, directed the play. Students who made up the cast were: Janet Moore, Duane Dawkins, and "Sunny" Redus.

D'Ruth Hopping, senior speech major, presided over the meeting.

Accounting Students Take Group Orientation Tests

In order that they might be compared with students in other colleges, 355 elementary accounting students have taken orientation tests here at Tech, Dr. Reginald Rushing, head of the department of accounting has announced.

Results of these tests, given to determine the background of the students before entering accounting classes, will be announced in approximately two months, Doctor Rushing said.

DOAK SPEAKS TO BOOK CLUB

Mrs. Mary Doak, sponsor of Bookreviewers club, reviewed "Long After Summer," a New England love story, by Robert Nathan, at the club's annual tea Thursday night at Seaman Hall.

Jane Parsons, vice-president, presided at the punch bowl while Gretchen Cliff played soft background music.

Special guests were Mesdames Edna Eikel, Cecile Turner, Elizabeth Young, Norman Davis and Miss Gertrude Miller.

Ten new members have been voted into the club.

Jim Wanner, 1947 engineering graduate, and Tom Hassell, 1948 engineering graduate, are employed by the Texas Power and Light Company.

ELECTED REPRESENTATIVE

Jo Verden of Lakeview has been elected as AWS representative from Casa Linda, Lamonte Leddy, reporter, said Wednesday.

Seniors, have your picture made at Koen's studio by Oct. 23.

METHODISTS PLAN FORUM

The Methodist student center will hold a forum at 7:15 p. m., Wednesday, Mrs. Cecil Matthews announced. Subject of the discussion will be "Why Be Good," by Anna V. Moren of Lubbock, a senior music major.

Grapevine--

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be the first appearance of a Southwest Conference team in the new Jones Stadium. In our books it would not be too much of an upset if the Raiders rolled over the Feathered Flock this season. After that comes tough little Texas Mines and New Mexico. Both of these elevens will be high for Tech and will be dangerous but we think that the Matadors will come out on top here. Then comes the last game of the year with the Cowboys from Hardin-Simmons. To date this hasn't been a Cowboy year with Arizona handing them a conference defeat earlier in the season. All in all it looks to us like the Raiders stand a good chance of taking the rest of the games on this year's schedule. That would give them a record of eight wins and two losses and that's pretty good in anybody's league.

The World Series was over last week end and a lot of South Plains baseball fans were gratified in that they saw the World Champion Cleveland Indians play earlier in the year. If you will remember the Indians and the New York Giants played an exhibition game here during their barn-storming trip last May. We were there and enjoyed it very much. Rumor has it that the same two teams will be back next year. Both Lou Boudreau and Mel Ott, the two managers, stated that Lubbock was the best town that they played in to date on that trip.

If they do return fans here will get a rare treat for this part of the country in viewing the present Champions in action. There will be men like Larry Doby, who led the Indian batters during the Series, Joe (Flash) Gordon, the sensational Boudreau at short and Ken Keltner. Of course the pitchers will be there but no one can say just who will be called on. The three top ones are Bob Lemon, Bob Feller, and Gene Bearden. There is also workhorse Satchel Paige on the staff. Business Manager Bill Veck of the Indians said just the other day that the Tribe will be just as strong next year as they were the past season and that means we are in for some good baseball here next fall.

—Jerry Hall

Job Forms Are Distributed For Seniors To Fill Out

Personal information sheets are being distributed by the deans of each division to graduating seniors, Mrs. Jean Jenkins, secretary of the placement committee, has announced.

"Seniors are urged to fill out these forms at once and turn them in with a photograph. These records are kept on file for future reference and may prove valuable to anyone who might wish to change jobs after graduating," said Mrs. Jenkins.

Mrs. Jenkins added that seniors who plan to do further study in another school should also fill out these forms.


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