



Editor's Note:

Those who know John Wehrle, sophomore Tech student from Dallas, will probably agree the lanky Techsian is "in a world all his own," especially when he's doing what he likes best—drawing cartoons. Today's "Wehrle's World" is the first of a regular series of cartoons by Wehrle to appear in *The Treador* this year.

Scanning The World

Neutral Countries Demand More Disarmament Talks

With Associated Press

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP)—Neutral nations brought mounting pressure on the United States and the Soviet Union Friday to agree at least on the ground rules that would permit early resumption of East-West negotiations on disarmament.

Chances for such agreement rested mainly on the outcome of private talks between the representatives of the United States and the Soviet Union. But Western diplomats were skeptical of any change in basic U.S. and Soviet positions.

Nixon Campaigns In Illinois...

DAVENPORT, Iowa (AP)—Vice President Richard M. Nixon declared Friday Sen. John F. Kennedy is betting on a recession but that the American people are going to show Nov. 8 they don't agree with him.

The Republican presidential nominee toured normally Republican downstate Illinois, accusing his opponent of making "the most disgraceful, irresponsible statement of the campaign on the nation's economic health."

Kennedy Hits Unemployment...

WITH KENNEDY in Pennsylvania (AP)—Sen. John F. Kennedy struck heavily Friday at Vice President Richard M. Nixon on unemployment.

"The Democrats gave you action," he said. "The Republicans gave you a lot of fancy arithmetic. And you can't put people to work with arithmetic."

Kennedy chose this issue as he started an intensive four-day drive for Pennsylvania's 32 electoral votes.

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AT TULANE GAME

Dads Arrive Next Week For Activities

By LYNN BUCKINGHAM

Treador Society Editor

Tags with the slogan "I'm a Tech Dad" will identify fathers of Tech students on campus next Saturday for the Dad's Day activities planned in conjunction with the Tech-Tulane football game.

Dad's Day registration will be from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Saturday in the old Rec. Hall. Registration information includes the father's age, the number of children he has enrolled at Tech, and the distance he traveled to attend the football game.

Memberships in the Tech Dad's Association will be sold during registration. The membership fee is \$3 per year and \$10 for a lifetime membership. Membership in the club enables the member to be identified with the college and to be kept informed of all college activities.

Coffee will be served in the Rec. Hall during registration.

A Dad's Day luncheon is scheduled at 11:30 a.m. Saturday in the Tech Union. Featured speaker at the luncheon is Dr. R. C. Goodwin. He will speak on the progress and advancements of Texas Tech.

Plaques for the father traveling the longest distance, the father having the most children enrolled at Tech, and the youngest father will be presented in pre-game ceremonies Saturday night.

The Tech band will present a special half-time ceremony in honor of the dads. Fathers of the Red Raider football players will be seated along the sidelines on the field at Jones Stadium.

A meeting of the Dad's Association trustees and officers is scheduled for 6 p.m. Friday at the Parkway Manor. New trustees will be announced at this meeting. President of the Dad's

Association is Mark Gardner of Dallas.

Dad's Day activities are under the direction of the Tech Association of Women Students. Lucy Fox is chairman.

Soils Judging

Aggies Vie In Contest

Eight soil judging teams from five states leave today at 7 a.m. for a secret site to compete in the Region Four Soil Judging Contest of the American Society of Agronomy.

Teams include the University of Arkansas, Louisiana University, Louisiana Polytechnic Institute, Mississippi State University, Oklahoma State University, Panhandle (Oklahoma) A&M College, Texas A&M College and Texas Tech.

The four-man teams will judge factors influencing a given area of soil to produce crops. A team total consists of the three highest scores recorded.

Plaques for the four top teams and medals for the four high individuals will be awarded at a noon luncheon in a town near the contest site.

Allen Newman, area soil scientist with the Soil Conservation Service, arranged the contest.

Friday the Society elected officers for the coming year and selected Panhandle A & M at Goodwell, Okla., as the site for the 1961 contest. Elected were Wahon Redoorn, Panhandle A&M president; Bob Darst, Oklahoma State, vice-president; Dennis Elmore, Miss. State, secretary; and David Caldwell, La. Tech, treasurer.

THE CAMPAIGN

Techsans Express Opinions On Upcoming Election Issues

By MARJIE SANDERS
Treador Staff Writer

Texas Tech students will vote early in a mock presidential election Nov. 2. In an informal poll conducted in the Tech Union Friday prior to the campus election, students voiced their opinions of both candidates.

Jeanie Cleveland, sophomore elementary education major from Canadian, will vote for Nixon because "he is the best qualified man for President. I think Kennedy's religion will help to swing the votes to Nixon, although right now I think that they are both even," she comments.

"I think that the Kennedy-Nixon debates are the most interesting aspect of a campaign in a long time," J. W. Norwood, senior civil engineering major from Ft. Worth says. "As far as campaigning, I think that it is a draw; however, Kennedy might be ahead because he is a better speaker than Nixon. I'm voting for Nixon because, in my opinion, he's the best man. Also, I just can't go along with Kennedy's labor platform."

"The country needs a change," states

Penny Cherney, Houston pre-nursing freshman, "and the Democrats are the party and Kennedy is the man. I'm not completely sold on socialized medicine for everyone, but I think that it will be a good thing for the poor people. I think that Kennedy will just make a better president."

Techsans will pick their favorite Presidential candidate at a mock election Wednesday, co-sponsored by Alpha Phi Omega, men's service fraternity, and *The Treador*.

Ballot boxes will be placed in the East Engineering, Ad and C&O Bldgs., and the Tech Union from 8 to 5 p.m. There will be no age limit on the Techsans voting.

"I'm for conservatism in government," Ray Thompson, Crowell junior, declares, "and Nixon is the man for President. I think that the two candidates are even in their campaigns, but Nixon is ahead in the debates. He has a better basis for his arguments and expresses himself better. I don't think that Johnson will help Kennedy win the South's votes."

"Nixon made something out of the vice

presidency besides a political tomb, and I think that he would make something equally as good out of the presidency," Tony Ullrich, Houston sophomore, believes. "I don't think that the student election on Nov. 2 will necessarily be any indication of the way that the nation will vote." Ullrich, as did most of the other students interviewed, approved of the idea of having a student election.

Judy Lock, Ft. Worth advertising art and design major, will vote for Kennedy because of the Democratic platform. "I believe that Kennedy is ahead in his campaign, and I'm sure that his religion won't hinder him in the election."

A senior business administration major from Dallas, Glenn Humphrey expressed his desire to see Senator Kennedy elected to the Presidency with the words, "I believe Mr. Kennedy defends his viewpoint more ably than Mr. Nixon. In my opinion, he's been outstanding in the television debates."

"As far as the religious issue is concerned, no one was opposed to Mr. Kennedy's supporting the Constitution as a Naval officer," Humphrey said.



CLEVELAND



LOCK



NORWOOD



CHERNEY



ULLRICH



THOMPSON

Dorm Sponsors Talent Show

Carpenter Hall (formerly Men's 8), will sponsor a talent show at 8 p.m. Wednesday in the dormitory dining hall.

Featured in the talent show will be Joyce Tallman, modern dance; The Premiers, rock and roll specialists; Allan Lueck, magician; Margo Hardin, twirler, and other speciality acts.

Greek Groups Discuss Problems In Workshop

Panhellenic and IFC workshops will be in full session today discussing common problems of sororities and fraternities.

IFC's workshop actually began yesterday at 7 p.m. when James Whitehead, assistant dean of stu-

dent life, spoke to pledges of each fraternity on the importance of learning as much as possible about their own fraternity, both as a pledge and as an active member.

The conference resumes today at 9 a.m. in Room B, Tech Union when case study chairmen meet for 30 minutes. The rest of the day will be filled with discussions of the case study, which this year concerns hazing.

At 4:30 p.m. today IFC and Panhellenic will have a joint meeting in the Union Ballroom Lounge. Following the Awards Banquet at 6:30 p.m. at First Methodist Church, is an All-Greek Dance in the Union Ballroom from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. Don Davis' combo will play.

55 Freshmen Vie For Cheerleaders

Fifty-five freshman cheerleader hopefuls paid the 50 cent filing fee and filled out registration forms before the 5 p.m. deadline Friday.

Elections are set for 6:30 p.m. Thursday in the Agriculture Engineering Auditorium. Each candidate will lead a yell prior to the voting.

Cheerleader hopefuls should return their experience sheets to the Student Council office Monday.

Dramatists Pledge Sock and Buskin

Sock and Buskin, the campus dramatic club, has changed its meeting place from the Tech Union Bldg. to the Green Room of Theater Workshop. The club will still have a luncheon every Wednesday at 11:30 a.m. in the Speech Building each Wednesday before the Thursday luncheon.

Sock and Buskin has pledged new members for fall. They may be seen on the campus wearing their pledging masks. The new pledges are Mary Bohannon, Carol O'Connell, Danny Parr, Ann Carter, Charles Benton and Larry Davis.

Others are Diane Garth, Shirley Smith, Gay Adams, Peggy Gaston, Bliss Campbell, Deanna Muldrow, Joan Kennon, Glenda McCarty, Ken Hobbs, Connie Oliveros, Adrienne Hovas and Pat Tracy.

Sigma Nu Names Clark As Princess

Miss Sharon Clark, sophomore from Dallas, was presented as White Rose Princess of Sigma Nu at the fraternity's Homecoming Dance last Saturday.

Miss Clark is a pledge of Zeta Tau Alpha.

Men Plan Frat

A meeting of men interested in the formation of a new national social fraternity is scheduled for 4:30 p.m. Monday in Ad. 260.

MEMOS.

RODEO ASSOCIATION
The Tech Rodeo Association will sponsor a western dance from 8 to 11 p.m. Saturday in the Tech Union.
Admission is 25 cents per person.

DER LIEDEKRANZ
Der Liederkranz, Tech's German club, will meet at 7:15 p.m. Tuesday in the Anniversary Room of the Tech Union.

The program will include a film entitled "Deutschland Spiege". Refreshments will be served.

DAD'S ASSOCIATION
Dad's Association trustees and officers will meet at 6 p.m. Friday at the Parkway Manor.

CHANNING CLUB
"Mercy Killing—Murder or Sanctioned Help" will be discussed by the Channing Club at 7:30 p.m. Sunday in Room A of the Tech Union.

Organizations Plan Speech Intramural

An organizational meeting of the Texas Tech Speech Intramural will be held Tuesday at 5 p.m. in the Speech Bldg. Organizations wishing to enter the meet must have a representative present at that time. At the meeting the number of entries, the number of trophies and the rules of the meet will be discussed. Those organizations that do not send a representative will not be eligible to enter the meet.

The first Intramural meet will be Wednesday, November 9, in the Aggie Auditorium. Deadline for turning in entries will be November 7.

40 HE Majors Share \$5000 Worth Of Grants

More than \$5,000 in scholarships were presented to 40 home economics majors at the Home Economics awards banquet Thursday by Dr. Willa Vaughn Tinsley, Dean of Home Economics.

Winners of the Malba Mae Maxey Scholarship were Olivia June Dvoracek, LaRue Elliott and Sandra Hollingsworth, \$350 each. Other scholarship winners were Lynnell Founts, Bordon award, \$300; Patricia Sue Mitchell, District Two Extension Service Scholarship, \$500; Margaret Breshon, Christi Cowan, Jane Huffman and Jan Barton, Sears Roebuck Scholarships, \$300 each.

Others were Nancy Lowery LeBeau, Lubbock City Panhellenic Scholarship, \$100; Dixie Marie Hewlett, an anonymous scholarship, \$125; Durcilla King and Ruth Reid, Texas State Home Demon-

stration Association Scholarship, \$500 apiece; Mrs. Ellise Davy Jacksboro Classroom Teacher Scholarship, \$75 each semester; and Mrs. Billie Ann Blair, Judy Cowger, Judy Dawson, Marc Meyers, and Mrs. Brenda Suderth Powell, Bess Rothman Scholarships \$100 each.

Scholarships for the tuition valedictorians were awarded Carolyn Gohschalk, Gerald An Hajek, Sandra Helm, Kay Smit Alise Jean Tolk, and Jeanet Wheeler.

Receiving Ethel Foster Scholarships totaling \$1,000 were Dorothy Ann Ayres, Wanda Lou Freema Pricilla Ann Gibson, Carolyn Gohschalk, Grace Holman, Peggy M. loy, Mary Evelyn McVay, Mr. Gaylene O'Connor Myatt, Edie Joe Russell, Caroline Pohl, Rita Speights, Caroline Vines, Mary Wallace, Donna Wilke, and R.

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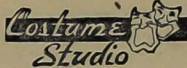
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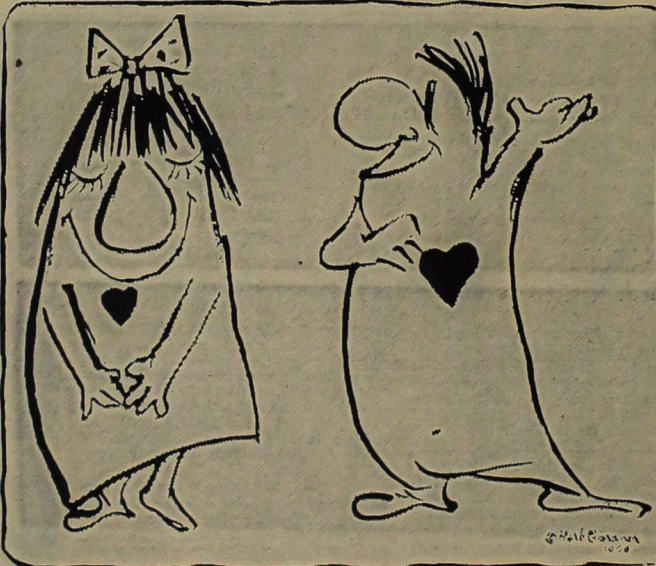
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On Writing Novelist Advises Collegians

By CAROLYN JENKINS
Toreador News Editor

Not many persons think of West Texas as a literary center, but writers have been popping up all over this area in the last few years.

ONE OF these writers, Miss Lula Grace Erdman, came to Tech Friday to speak to a creative writing class.

A teacher of some 30 years experience and a novelist for the last 14, Miss Erdman hesitated to write her first book about Texas, thinking she did not know enough about ranches.

ONCE SHE started the book, "The Edge of Time," she found that the history of the Panhandle was not solely the history of great ranches, important as they were.

Published in 1950, "The Edge of Time," was the fifth of Miss Erdman's 13 novels to date. Her last book, "Many a Voyage" was published on Oct. 17. Although critics think her latest is the native Mis-

sourian's most mature attempt, at the Wedding," a 1953 book with a Texas setting.

OF HER books, Miss Erdman feels that part of their success may be attributed to her warmth of characterization. She says that you must know your subject thoroughly and be able to see your characters.

In order to know her subject well for "Many a Voyage," Miss Erdman did research in the Library of Congress, the New York Public Library, Albuquerque and Santa Fe, N.M., and Milwaukee, Wis., to name a few.

MISS ERDMAN'S advice to collegiate literary aspirants is to "say what you want to say with honesty and integrity, in the best way you can say it."

She commented that the main trouble with college writers today is that they think down-beat literature is the best and that they are afraid of the happy ending story.

"Popular books or short stories

Miss Erdman's favorite is "Three should not be condemned just because they are popular," she noted.

AS MOST professionals, Miss Erdman will tell a young writer not to expect to market his first attempt, even though she sold her first short story and has been selling steadily since.

Her short stories and articles have been printed in Reader's Digest, Woman's Home Companion, Ladies Home Journal and other top magazines.

Miss Erdman terms Tennessee Williams a "perpetual adolescent." She thinks college students, having discovered evil in the world, write from this adolescent stage of thinking that the world is all evil.

TO BE A great author, a writer must rise from this stage to an acceptance of both good and evil and a desire to do something about the evil.

Having received a Master's degree from Teachers College, Columbia University, Miss Erdman is currently teaching an advanced creative writing course at West Texas State College in Canyon. Many of her students are working on novels in the class.

TWO OF Miss Erdman's award winning books are "The Years of the Locust," which won the Dodd Mead Redbook \$10,000 prize, and "The Wind Blows Free," a Dodd Mead-American Girl Award book.

Many of her books have been reprinted in England, Australia, New Zealand and Germany, and many of them transcribed in Braille. becca Wilson.

A Phi O Extends Deadline For Beauty, Beast Entries

The deadline for entries in Tech's annual Beauty and Beast contest has been extended to Wednesday, it was announced today.

Beauty nominees must be submitted by male organizations and Beasts must be nominated by female organizations. The entry fee is \$5 and must be submitted to Alpha Phi Omega, sponsoring fraternity.

Pictures of the contest candidates should be included.


Balloting will be in the Tech Union Wednesday through Friday on a penny-a-vote basis. Winners will be announced at the Beauty and Beast Dance in the Union Ballroom, 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. on Friday. A chart will be at the voting booth to show election progress.

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Techsans Ready Applications For National Defense Loans

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These loans are administered by James B. Whitehead, chairman of student loan fund, in cooperation with the United States Office of Education.

Need for the loan is determined by a financial statement compiled by the parent or guardian of the applicant and by a budget of the applicant's need during the period in which aid is requested.

The applicant's academic achievement is also considered. Undergraduate students should maintain an average of 1.5 or better at Tech, while a graduate is expected to post a 2.5 or better.

The student is also expected to supplement this fund with summer employment unless he is attending college.

According to Whitehead, consideration will be given also to superior students interested in the teaching profession and students superior in mathematics, engi-

neering, sciences and modern foreign language.

Only full-time students will be considered for loans. To be full-time, a student must be taking 12 hours. Summer school, the evening program and correspondence courses are not considered as full-time projects.

The loans carry a three per cent rate of interest and must be repaid within ten years after graduation.

Itineraries are now available for the EUROPEAN TOUR to be conducted by Mrs. Alan Strout in the summer of 1961.

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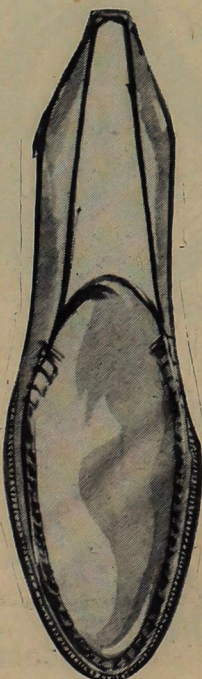
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BSU Holds Lead Spot In 'Murals

Baptist Student Union handed the Hornets a 22-0 trouncing Thursday to strengthen its first place standing in the independent league.

It was the fourth straight win for the BSU team and the fifth loss for the Hornets.

In other action Thursday the Azures shut out Church of Christ Bible Chair 6-0.

The fraternity and dorm leagues were idle Thursday securing Phi Delta Theta and Sneed Hall in their respective league leads in the touch football races.

Pi Kappa Alpha won the fraternity division in the tug-o-war by beating Sigma Alpha Epsilon 2 out of 3. For the all-college championship Pi Kappa Alpha will take on Sneed Hall Monday at 5 p.m. on the field south of the Naval Reserve.

According to Edsel Buchanan, director of intramurals, play this year has been well-balanced with very few run-aways.

"Progress has been fine as the scores show very few run-aways," he said. "We're hoping the weather stays good."

THE STANDINGS

Fraternity League	W	L
Phi Delta Theta	5	0
Sigma Alpha Epsilon	4	1
Pi Kappa Alpha	4	1
Kappa Sigma	3	2
Sigma Nu	3	2
Sigma Chi	2	3
Phi Kappa Psi	1	4
Delta Tau Delta	1	4
Alpha Tau Omega	1	4
Phi Gamma Delta	1	4
Dorm League	W	L
Sneed Hall	4	0
Wells Hall	3	1
Carpenter Hall	2	1
Gaston Hall	1	2
Thompson Hall	1	2
Bledsoe Hall	1	2
Gordon Hall	0	4
Independent League	W	L
Baptist Student Union	3	0
Azures	2	1
Bible Chair	2	2
Hornets	0	4

Red Raiders Test Tough Owls

By LEW BULLION
Toreador Sports Writer
Texas Tech's Red Raiders meet the surprising Rice University Owls in Rice Stadium at Houston. The game is expected to feature a passing team against a

ground team. Rice's sophomore quarterback Billy Cox is perched near the top in southwest conference passing while Tech's fullback, Coolidge Hunt, also a sophomore, currently leads the conference in yards gained on the ground.

Rice is picked over the Big Red due to their surprise strong showing this season. The Owl team has dropped only one contest, their season opener, 16-13, to Georgia Tech. After that they downed Tulane, 10-7; Florida, 10-0; SMU, 47-0; and Texas, 7-0.

TECH TAKES a 2-3-1 record into the contest, but that doesn't tell the whole story. Tech could top the Owls if several conditions are present: 1. If Rice is down after their hard fought win over Texas last week, and 2. if the Raiders play the brand of football they have consistently played this season. An upset would set Rice back in its climb for the SWC

championship, especially with them facing a tough Arkansas next weekend. In the Raider camp it would mean a very substantial victory in Tech's first year of full Southwest Conference participation.

EITHER WAY THE score goes, the game will not be a runaway. Coach Weaver is expected to start

the same lineup as against SMU last week with Ends Jerry Garrison and Jerry Elbert, Tackles Larry Mullins and Tommy Pace Guards Charles Edgemon and Jerry Mohon, Center E. J. Holub, Quarterback Glen Amerson, Halfback Dick Polson, Fullback Coolidge Hunt, and Split back, Bake Turner.

SWC Hits High Note

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Southwest Conference football hits its high note Saturday with everybody in championship action and the race likely to drop into a two-team affair.

Baylor and Rice, unbeaten and untied at the head of the pack, battle TCU and Texas Tech in the top games.

Baylor tries to knock over dogged TCU at Fort Worth and thus win its sixth straight game and remain the only undefeated, untied team left in the league.

Rice warily meets Texas Tech at Houston determined to win its third straight conference test. That would keep the Owls in pace with Baylor.

Rice is given a 13-point bulge over Tech. The Raiders are capable of giving the best a tough fight, as witness the Baylor game.

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