



The TORERO



Matadors And Wildcats Divide Basketball Series; Season Opener Fails To Reveal Stronger Team

Ablene Christian College and Tech divided a two game series to open the basketball season as both teams on the Matador floor last Friday and Saturday nights. The Matadors annexed the first game 12 to 30. The order of things was reversed the next evening when the Christians came to life and tramped over the locals to the tune of 18 to 27. After it was all over it remained about as obscure as before, as to which team is the better. The Matadors, the first evening, flashed a brilliant game to win easily. The evening following the Wildcats lived up to this code, do unto others as they did unto you the night before. As a result the marginal difference was 19 points. They were not satisfied with making more scores but also made more personals, beating the Matadors in this department 26-17. As might be expected it was different on the Matadors outfoiled the Wildcats 20-16.

El Toro

It would appear that human nature is consistent only in its inconsistency.

Moods are marvelous things. They may be enjoyed by both the conscious and the happy. They may be either subjective or objective, depending upon the will of the individual. Personally, we should feel like a dot on a page of periodicals if we were not capable of experiencing moods.

(The reader will find enclosed a supply of quotation marks to be quickly inserted in the event that the writer is accused of plagiarizing.)

It is possible for us to scribble lightly of the causes and effects of moods, or if we had had a course in Freudian psychology, we might probe into the matter with scientific assurance. But we take the position that moods are a part of us at all times in our waking hours. They are ever changing with a rapidity that is almost inconceivable. Every new impression that we receive changes over so slightly, the color of our mood.

To be more specific: the Tech student probes hopefully for a life-saving check in the letter from the Home Folks. If it has been withheld, the day has been spoiled for him. He is a different person. His mood is not the same. The co-ed with a new hat or coat, if it be unquestionably becoming, goes about with a certain conscious assurance which is a definite part of her. When in need of a bolster to his spirits, the college man is a bit more careful of his toilet. His cravat must be correct. His hose and his shirt must have a color-harmony. His suit must be pressed, and his shoes must have that sheen which is acquired only through a judicious tip. Thus, the relation of externals to moods.

Sometimes, we should like to write about the effects that "blues" songs have upon different individuals. We should like to describe certain individuals to whom blues songs are a sure cure for the blues; and then there are others who take a delight in making themselves "blue" through this medium.

But we shall save that subject for another time when perhaps our leisure will be more productive.

By way of apology, we should like to assure El Toro readers that the foregoing paragraphs are not excerpts from Morley's "Off The Deep End." We shall always try to make this column live up to its classic name.

Aviation Course Is Almost Sure

Texas Air Transport Corporation Offer To Furnish Planes And Instruction

Installation of a complete course in all phases of aviation now looms as a probability for the near future, after a conference between President Horn and officials of the Texas Air Transport, Inc., Tom Hardin and Sillman Evans, in which they offered to furnish planes and instruction in actual flying.

Baptist Students Have Icyle Party

Thursday evening fifty Baptist students participated in a snow frolic in the Church parlors of the First Baptist church. The rooms were decorated with tinsel, winter bouquets and white hangings in the shape of icicles. In the front room a huge snow man reigned supreme from his corner. Some of the games played were: calendar basketball game; a basket "bowl" stunt; icicle clipping; snowball throwing; and ice-guessing contest. The guests were divided into groups according to the month of their birth. Each group staged a stunt representative of that month. Then there was a snowstorm which resulted in every stage securing a "snowflake" for his partner for refreshments of ice cream and frosted cake.

GOVERNMENT SENDS PLANTS AND TREES TO TECH
A shipment of forty-eight rare plants and fruit trees from the government has been received by the horticulture department here. The plants are sent here in order to see what rare trees might be adapted to the South Plains.

Nelson Aids In \$7,500 Y Drive

Student Teams Being Organized To Raise 1,500 Of The Local Association Budget

Claud Nelson, regional secretary of Student Y. M. C. A. has been at Tech for the past week and a half to aid in raising the \$7,500 budget accepted by the Tech Christian Association. Summoning assistance of members and friends of the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A., Mr. Nelson and Roy McGulough, local secretary, are directing the budget campaign. To date all of the money donated has come from Lubbock business men and the college faculty.

Student teams are being formed as well as groups of Lubbock women, who are to continue the drive until the goal is reached. The student quota is \$1,500.

These funds are to be used in the securing of nationally known platform delegates to conferences and in other efforts of the two associations.

Lawyers Impeach Club President

Administrator Is Found To Be Guilty Of Twelve Criminal Charges And Is Handed Fine

After a hectic session which lasted from 8 until 10:30 o'clock last Wednesday night, the Supreme Court of the Pre-Law club convicted the president of the club after impeachment, and subsequently returned a verdict of guilty on twelve criminal charges which had been preferred by the prosecuting attorney, carrying with it a fine of \$150. The three members of the Supreme Court, Alvin Allison, Sidney Knowles, and Robert Webb, took their seats upon the bench at 8:30 p. m. The prosecution then proceeded to call its witnesses, Hastings, Abernathy, Berge and Rhodes, who testified as to the truth of the charges which the defendant pleaded not guilty, and which mainly consisted of contempt of court and failures to wear the Joe Bailey collar and black string tie prescribed for meeting days by the laws of the club. Holmes Webb, attorney for the defense, then called his witnesses, Solon Clements and Wilbur Edelman, the defendant. The court threw out the testimony of the former as being unreliable. Club Attorney J. W. Jackson then rested his case after a short summing up, after which the defense did not call a witness. Then, after a spirited discussion, the court returned its verdict.

Fined For Contempt.
During the progress of the trial, Holmes Webb was assessed four fines of twenty-five cents each for contempt of court, while Abernathy was fined once for a like offense. Hastings, who had been appointed sheriff by the court, had trouble keeping order, as both sides were continually jumping up and interrupting. Many objections were made, and the court frequently found it hard to agree.

The defense tried to appeal the case and demanded a re-trial, but was over-ruled by the court, which ordered the secretary, Solon Clements, to collect all fines assessed.

Three New Members Admitted
While the trial overshadowed the business, some important business was brought up at the opening of the meeting. Three new members, Strickel, Agnew and Hargrove, were admitted and initiated. Mr. Hargrove made an address upon his experiences in the field of necking, and demonstrated various necking holds upon one of the other new members. He was asked to designate order of ability (in his opinion) to qualify as teachers of the art of necking, and they were as follows: J. W. Jackson, Sidney Knowles, Holmes Webb, Lanford Shaw, and Holman Roberts. A committee to consider a date for the annual Pre-Law club banquet was appointed, consisting of: J. W. Jackson, Holmes Webb, and Sidney Knowles.

White Is Main Speaker At Waco

Dr. W. R. White, instructor in a volunteer Bible class at Tech, and pastor of the First Baptist Church of Lubbock will be the principal speaker before the Texas General Baptist Committee of 100 convening in Waco January 17.

The meeting, which will be held in Baylor University chapel, is held in the interest of reinforcing the interest of the campaign to raise \$2,000,000 in the state of Texas. Part of the fund raised will be appropriated to Baptist colleges and also to Baptist work in state institutions.

Jeerful Seraph
Though thoughts of mine are not so great
As those of sundry bards and poets,
Somehow they matter more to me
Than many volumes filled with theirs.

Tech May Have Man In National Oration Contest

Seven Prizes, Totaling To \$5,000, Will Be Awarded For Orations Dealing With Government

Tech may have a representative at the Fifth National Intercollegiate Oratorical Contest on the Constitution, to be held at Los Angeles next June, according to an announcement by Miss Ruth Pirtle, head of the Speech department. Seven prizes totalling \$5,000 will be awarded on June 20 at the grand final meeting and will be as follows: first, \$1,000; second, \$1,000; third, \$750; fourth, \$550; fifth, \$450; sixth, \$400; seventh, \$350.

These contests are held annually under the auspices of the Better America Federation of California for the purpose of increasing interest in and respect for the Constitution of the United States among the young people of the country. The contests are held annually under the auspices of the Better America Federation of California for the purpose of increasing interest in and respect for the Constitution of the United States among the young people of the country.

Any undergraduate student in any college or university of the United States is eligible to take part in this contest. The only qualifications are that the orations must be original, must not require more than ten minutes for delivery, and must be on one of the following subjects: "The rise of Mussolini and the Fascist movement," "The Constitution," "Jefferson and the Constitution," "Marshall and the Constitution," "Madison and the Constitution," "Webster and the Constitution," or "Lincoln and the Constitution."

Library Report Indicates Growth

Increase Is Seen Both In Number of Books And In Circulation of Books

Reports from the library show increased growth since Christmas vacation, according to Miss West. New reference books have been received on mathematics, French, Spanish, and education. More shelving space will be available when the chemistry laboratory is moved to the new Chemistry building.

In general, comparative figures indicate growth for the use of the library during 1928. Total circulation amounted to 17,210 as compared with 13,127 of the preceding year. The following statistics give the circulation of each month for the fall terms of 1925-26-27-28:

Month	Circulation	Gain
Sept.	0	386
1925	386	587
1926	973	421
1927	1,359	331
1928	2,919	2,188
1929	4,109	1,290
1930	5,673	1,387
1931	7,110	1,006
1932	7,256	2,636
1933	4,992	1,757
1934	6,749	1,098
1935	420	1,068
1936	1,485	1,263
1937	2,752	1,098
1938	751	

Town People Are At Tuesday Movie

"The Manufacture of Plumbing Fixtures" is the name of a four-reel movie that was shown last night at the Auditorium of the Engineering Building, beginning at 7:15 o'clock. This was not a technical show, so there was a fairly large attendance from down-town. Steps in the manufacture of laborator, sinks, valves, and pipes were among the things shown. The films were furnished by the Western Windmill company of Lubbock, and the show was held under the auspices of the department of Mechanical Engineering.

All-College Girl Party Is Planned

The first all-college girls' party of the term will be given February 9 and the place is to be announced later. Bridge is to be played and a program given. A Valentine motif will be carried out in all appointments. The purpose of the party is to endeavor to give the girls a chance to become better acquainted than they would in a class room or casual acquaintance.

Pi Gamma Mu To Consider Museum

Dean Doak Addresses The Society Giving Impressions Of British Museum As She Had Seen It

Addressing Pi Gamma Mu Friday night on the subject of the British Museum, Dean Mary W. Doak pointed out that the museum was not established primarily for pleasure but that its chief interest and advantages were to the individual who desired to do a certain type of research. Portrayal of the consecutive history of the various arts and sciences was the chief motive in the mind of the English in the establishment of the museum, Dean Doak indicated.

After the lecture, Dr. Jno. C. Granbery, sponsor of the society, explained the significance of the museum to Tech and made a motion that the president of the society appoint a committee to investigate the possibilities of a museum here.

Region Secretary Leads Discussion

Reporter Finds Interest In Life Of Y Secretary Who Saw Russian Revolution

"History," "Work," and "Leadership of the World Student Christian Federation" were subjects discussed in a student group meeting led by Claud Nelson at the First Methodist Church Sunday afternoon. Music, Scripture reading, and prayers by students furnished a worship program as an introduction to Mr. Nelson's talk.

Is Oxford Scholar.
Claud Nelson, who is now Regional Secretary for the Y. M. C. A. in this country, studied at Oxford University as a Rhodes scholar for three years. He worked in Russia on the Y. M. C. A. staff at what was then Petrograd, during the stirring days of the revolution in 1918. Later he was transferred to Rome, Italy, where he worked during the rise of Mussolini and the Fascist movement. After the close of the war, he was one of the Y. M. C. A. secretaries who first visited Berlin. Because of his extensive travels, his wide experience and his command of several foreign languages, Mr. Nelson is in an excellent position to know the status of students around the world.

About 300,000 students the world over are registered as members of the World Student Christian Federation. Approximately twenty-five national and international student movements are included in this organization whose headquarters are at Geneva, Switzerland. Through this federation inter-racial, inter-class, and industrial intellectual barriers are being eliminated.

Lubbock Man Gets Baylor Editorship

WACO, Texas, Jan. 15.—Douglas Hicks, senior from Lubbock, Texas, has been elected editor-in-chief of the Daily Lariat magazine section at Baylor University. Doug Hicks, a graduate of the Lariat, has been chosen as associate editor-in-chief of the magazine section. The magazine section will appear weekly beginning next Saturday, Jan. 12, covering an entire page in the university paper. The magazine section has been appearing heretofore for a period of four years in the winter and spring terms.

Both of the above students are taking a course in the university entitled "Magazine Writing," which is taught by Dr. C. D. Johnson, head of the Department of Journalism here.

Changes Are Made In Speech Events

Each year at Tech there has been an oratorical contest, consisting of five events, which carried with it a scholarship of \$250 to the winner. Although \$250 is still offered for the contest, a statement comes from the speech department that the scholarship will be offered instead of a \$250 one. Formerly, extemporaneous speaking, debating, after-dinner speaking, exclamation, and formal oratory were the branches of speech which were considered in the contest. This year however, there will be two debates, one for young men and another for young women; a one-act play contest, open to both boys and girls; and formal oration, open to boys.

Pep Organization Plans Enlargement

Plans were made to enlarge Las Gauchas, men's pep organization, at a meeting Thursday night. The president, Frank Cooper, made a special plea for cooperation and requested that all members be present at the next meeting on January 31. While there were only thirteen members present, an active business session was held.

President Speaks On "Better Tech"

States Conviction That One Of Greatest Things In Life Is Ability To Distinguish Good From Bad

Coming together for the first time, the 1929 student body met in the gym Friday morning at 11 o'clock. President Horn addressed the assembly on the subject, "Building a Bigger and Better Texas Tech." Mr. LeMaire conducted the college band while the student body was gathered. After Rev. H. L. Munger of Lubbock delivered the invocation, Dean Gordon called on Dr. Horn for his words of greeting.

Students Leave Imprint
Since Tech is a distinctive institution in that the students leave an imprint on the future of the school as well as the school's influence on the part of the new body has in shaping and expanding Tech. Since the enrollment of Tech has practically doubled in the last four years, it was apparent that the point of building a bigger Tech did not need to be stressed.

Mentions Inscriptions
The attention of the audience was called to the inscription on the sides of the entrance of the Ad building. These quotations magnify the "height of the glory of trained mind" and "the glory of the glory of trained character."

College sentiment, higher ideals of honor, and of scholarship were discussed. The speaker then mentioned college decorum and the organization of the term "corridor beauties." Students were urged to take increasingly greater interest in their personalities. To make better use of the library, to bring formatics into greater prominence, and to cultivate a greater liking for music and art were wishes the president would like to see fulfilled by the students.

Finally, the Christian Associations, the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. were commended for their helpful service in creating a better Tech.

Forum Sponsors Lecture Series

Junior And Senior Girls Promote Study Of Foreign Countries By Series Of Talks

The Woman's Forum, an organization comprised of representatives from four schools, Juniors and Seniors, is sponsoring a series of lectures to be given during the winter term. These lectures are to be given by local people who have toured and studied in foreign countries.

Dean Mary W. Doak will make the first talk Sunday afternoon, January 20, and it is to be on England. Dean Doak spent the summer months in England and on the Continent.

Other lectures are to be on Germany, France, Spain, the Balkan states, etc.

The college faculty, student body and their friends are invited to attend the meetings.

Frip Is Planned To The Rio Grande

Juniors and seniors of the horticulture department of the Ag school are planning to take a ten day trip to the Rio Grande Valley for the purpose of studying citrus fruits, vegetables and irrigation.

The trip, which had been arranged at the beginning of the term, has been postponed to the end of this month because of the flu epidemic.

Students who are planning to take the trip are: Claude Hope, Riley Alexander, Tom Chapman, Richard Senter, Ransome Walker, He Walker, Pecos Couch, Horace Hershey, and Ogden King.

YEARBOOK CONTEST RESULTS ANNOUNCED

Announcement coming from the Texas Intercollegiate Press Association, of which Tech Press club is a member, states that "The Yucca," yearbook of North Texas State Teachers College, is winner of first place in the senior college division of the contest for college yearbooks.

Debaters Win Two To One Decision From Simmons University Monday; Maintain Jury Can Be Improved

Intercollegiate Clash Over Abolition Of Trial By Jury Is Attended By Big Audience

Maintaining that the jury system of court trial can be improved to function satisfactorily in the administration of justice a Tech debating team of Hal Lary and Wayne Castleberry received a two to one decision of judges in a debate with a team from Simmons University.

The argument from the main-tenance of the existing jury system here Monday night. The auditorium was nearly taxed to capacity.

Simmons' team was composed of Joe Mims of Fort Worth and Ralph Grant of Lamesa. This team maintained that the jury was no longer needed to safeguard democracy; that jurors were incompetent; and that the judge system had met with success where it had been tried.

The question for discussion formally stated was, "Resolved; that a substitute for trial by jury should be adopted." The visitors upheld the affirmative.

Wit Is Displayed.
Wit as well as logic was ably displayed by all four speakers. The first speaker on the affirmative built his argument from the maintenance that juries are incompetent triers of facts; that no mental effort is required; and that many times the jurors are inexperienced. They are not required to give a reason for their verdict, and many trials are slowed down by their indecisions, were points he brought out.

His colleague stated reasons for favoring trials by judges, and cited instances where such cases have proved popular.

The two speakers on the negative side of the affirmative juries who should be selected by the judges.

Granbery Presides
This debate with Simmons University is the first of the season for Tech. It was held in the Engineering auditorium with Dr. John C. Granbery presiding.

Castleberry is in his first year at Tech, and comes from Eastland. Hal Lary, of Clovis, is a sophomore. He won the attention of the crowd last year by the almost unheard of feat of a freshman engaging in a debate with representatives from Cambridge. Continuing his work in the forensic field, he later in the year won the oratorical scholarship. He is a pre-law student.

Miss Annabets Canyon March 5, Miss Anahat Jo Pendleton, debate coach, says.

Geology People Uncover Skeleton

Find Man's Remains Couch-Under Cliff Near Buffalo Springs

A skeleton of a man who probably dwelled on the settled plains of fifty or seventy-five years ago has just been uncovered by members of the Geology department, headed by Dr. Stainbrook, specialist in paleontology. The skeleton was found under a cliff near Buffalo Springs. It was lying on its side with one arm folded back under the skull and with both feet drawn toward the hips. To this position some man had crawled perhaps seventy-five years ago with the idea of keeping warm, or hiding from an enemy, or what not. Whether he was a white man, an Indian, or a Mexican is left to speculation.

A low brow and broad jaws characterize the skull but these features are not pronounced enough to give much clue as to the man's race. He might have been a cowboy. He might have been an Indian hunter. Proof of any conjecture will be difficult and perhaps impossible.

Nevertheless, it is announced that people from the Geology department will make another trip to the Springs in an effort to find some further or anything else which would give a clue to the man's identity.

The skull has been brought to the college and is in the paleontology laboratory which is on the third floor of the Administration building.

Members of the party who made the trip with Dr. Stainbrook are: Dr. Robinson, Lloyd Fyrest and Fred Moore.

Art Exhibit Gets Attention Of Many

An art exhibit which has been attracting the attention of many town people as well as students is placed in the auditorium of the Engineering building. The exhibit was brought to Lubbock by the efforts of Miss Elizabeth West, librarian, and Mrs. E. J. West, librarian.

Prices of the paintings and their names and the artists who painted them are given with each picture. Included in the collection are "North Carolina Nymphs," by Clara Lea Cousins. Another work, "Iridescent Evening," a painting of the sea drawn during an opalescent sunset has attracted the attention of girls especially. "Self-Portrait," by Jose Arpa; "Dinah," by Everett Jackson, and "Oleanders," by Chinam are others.

Of greater interest than some perhaps is the Spanish street way "Rue Cara Baha," painted by Della Dryer, "Marigold," and "Perennial Phil" are two of the most beautiful paintings of flowers.

In addition to these there are sketches which are not indexed, and water color paintings.

Dr. Horn Requests Appropriations

Request for an appropriation of \$185,393.45 has been made to the state legislature by President Horn, who is now in Austin. The greater part of this appropriation would be used for new equipment, including \$50,000 for new science equipment, \$50,000 for new engineering equipment, and \$100,000 new home economic equipment. In laying this request before the senate finance committee, Dr. Horn cited an increased enrollment of 400 students.

GEOLGY PROFESSOR GOES TO EAST
Dr. Stainbrook of the Geology department attended a meeting of the Geological Society of America at New York recently. While on the trip to the east, Dr. Stainbrook spent several days in the National Museum at Washington, where he did research work.

Calendar

WEDNESDAY 16
Glee club; Hall County club, 7:30, room 209; Press club, 7:50, room 214; Ag club, 7:30, Ag 209; Central Texas club, 7:00, room 210; Fencing, 7:00, room 209; Soph Class meet., room 220.

THURSDAY 17
Glee club; Band, 7:00; Senior Class meeting, 7:30, room 220.

FRIDAY 18
Cape Y Espada, 7:30, room 210; Fencing, 7:00, room 209; H. E. club; Chess club, gym.

SATURDAY 19
Mixer, Gym.
SUNDAY 20
Lecture given by Mrs. Doak on England. All are invited.

MONDAY 21
Glee club.
TUESDAY 22
Glee club; Debate, 7:30, room 202; Student Council, 7:00, room 200.

Noted Authority To Be Here Soon

Harry Laidler, Author, Lawyer and Lecturer of New York, Comes To Tech January 24

Harry W. Laidler, Ph. D. of New York, a noted author and lecturer, will visit Tech during the week of Jan. 24-31, according to Roy McCullough. He is said to be an authority on social and economic problems.

Mr. Laidler graduated from Wesleyan University (1907), and represented his Alma Mater on the intercollegiate debating team. He was also awarded a Phi Beta Kappa key.

After graduating, he spent several years in newspaper work in New York and served as editor of The Socialist Review from 1918 to 1921. He was admitted to the New York bar in 1911. Three years later he was awarded the degree of Doctor of Philosophy by the Department of Political Economy, Columbia University.

During trips to Europe, Dr. Laidler came in touch with leaders of labor, socialist, and other social movements in many countries. Since 1910 he has lectured in hundreds of colleges and universities.

His most recent books include, "A History of Socialist Thought," "Crowley," "Socialism," "The Thought and Action," "MacMillan," "Boycotts and the Labor Struggle," (Lane).

Dr. Laidler is the vice president of the National Bureau of Economic Research, a contributing editor of Labor Age, and a member of the executive committee of the Rand School.

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Short Course Set January 29 And 30

Registration for the first annual Farmers' Short Course, to be held January 29 and 30, will start at 9:30 Tuesday morning, January 29, in the auditorium of the Engineering building. At 10 o'clock President Horn will give an address of welcome to the visitors.

Following this, separate meetings will be held for men and women in the Home Economics building. A luncheon for all visitors to the course will be given on the first day by the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce.

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MORE ABOUT THE SONG

While we are gradually developing a consciousness for a school song and while certain organizations and individuals are working on the composition, it is well to keep in mind that regardless of how well the songs which are submitted sound at the present time, the one which is selected will receive an additional meaning as time goes on. Tradition will add much to its meaning.

THE FACULTY CLUB

We were delighted with the report which a committee of the Faculty club made to Professor C. H. Mahoney, president. The report was made by a committee to investigate the feasibility of purchasing the Ellwood Hospital property for the Faculty club. The committee consisted of: E. W. Provence, Chairman; S. T. Cummings, F. A. Kleinschmidt, and J. O. Ellsworth.

Optimism for the project appeared between the lines as we read the report. Special commendation should go to the members of the committee who gave the report which manifested much study on the proposition. Not only was a description of the property included but a discussion of a plan for financing the purchase of the property also.

The committee discussed the following plan for financing the purchase of the property:

Organize a corporation with 5,000 shares of common stock at \$10.00 a share making a total capital stock of \$50,000.00. Sell approximately two-thirds of this stock at once to faculty members and their families and to friends closely associated with the college on the following plan:

25 percent cash; 10 percent June 1, 1929; 10 percent Dec. 1, 1929; 5 percent June 1, 1930; 15 percent June 1, 1931; 10 percent June 1, 1932. Guarantee to every employee of the College that upon his withdrawal from the College he may have the option of selling his stock back to the corporation at par. The income from sale of stock and from rentals plus annual dues from club members will make the payments and operate the club.

YER HAT AND THE HOUSE

Yes, it's a small matter, we'll admit. And we know that no one means any harm about it. But— It isn't just according to Hoyle to wear yer hat in the house.

The reflection on the individual who does so—and eventually on the college if too many do so—is not exactly just what one would want thrown his way.

Exchanges

A feature column, "Hoots of the Owl," which appears in the A. C. C. Optimist is clever indeed this week. The Owl pretends to be broadcasting over a radio. Besides bringing in a number of names which we imagine are prominent on the A. C. C. campus, he pretends: "the program is coming in fine . . . tell the boys to sing . . . requesting . . . a telegram . . . enjoying the program . . . dedicated to."

Students of S. M. U. have been engaged in a controversy over the question of publishing an April 1 periodical called "The Dinkie." After considerable discussion the general council of the Students' Association voted to authorize the publication and proceeded to elect a resolution providing for supervision of the periodical.

Elizabeth Hutchinson and Elizabeth Strayhorn, two juniors at T. C. U. are now regular WBAP broadcasters, giving a program of popular music three times a week, according to a news story in the T. C. U. Skiff.

TWO ST. EDWARDS VARSITY MEN HERE
Emmett Kepp and Bill Teal, who formerly played on the varsity of Saint Edwards, are attending Tech this term. Both of the boys intend to come out for football next fall. According to Teal, they played in every game with the exception of the one with Tech.

DE MOLAYS MEET TOMORROW
De Molays will hold their first formal meeting of the year Thursday night, January 17. It is reported that this is one of the most important meetings of the year and all De Molays are urged to attend. Scott Poase, Master Councillor, says they are going to make this the liveliest organization of the college.

OTHER MARRIAGES ARE ANNOUNCED

Announcement of two other marriages is made. Oleta Gregg, former freshman, and Leo Campbell were married in Shamrock recently, with the Rev. Jasper Bogus of Amarillo, superintendent of West Texas Christian Association, officiating. After a brief ring ceremony in the presence of a few friends, the young couple left for a short honeymoon in Oklahoma City. Elizabeth Bell, sophomore, was also recently married, becoming the wife of Elmo Payne, employe of McWhorter-Roberts.

MY MOTHER'S WORDS

Do you know that your soul is of my soul such part. That you seem to be fiber and core of my heart? None other can pain me as you, son, can do. None other can please me or praise me as you. Remember the world will be quick with its blame. If chadovs or stain ever darkens your name. Like mother, like son, is saying so true. The world will judge largely of mother by you. Be this then your task, if task it should be. To force this proud world to do homage by me. Be sure it will say, when its verdict you've won. She reaps as she sowed. 'This man is her son. —(From the West Point Bugle Notes, 1925).

Rudolph, alias Svede, Anderson, Aggie by profession and environment, but Business Ad student by intention, wonders how the corn crop prospects are up around Stanton Iowa, his home town, this time of the year.

Lester Bearden, junior, was recently married to Miss Vada Smith of Lamessa. The couple will be at home to friends at 2411 9th street.

Announcements

East Texas Club meets in room 209 Thursday, at 7:30.

Saturday is last day for making La Ventura pictures.

Press club meets tonight. Important business with reference to Texas Intercollegiate Press Association. Election of officers.

A Sophomore class meeting tonight room 302 Administration building. Important business matters are to be attended to, and all sophomores are urgently requested to be present.

Student Opinion

Tech has been no exception for during its history there have been appeals to the students for financial support. It seems that a state that boasts as ours of its wealth and resources should provide funds for the transportation of our members of the band, debating teams, stock judging teams, delegates to student conferences, for bringing such men as Dad Elliott and Sherwood Eddy, for promoting conferences, and for the support of our secretaries in Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. work. In time there will be appropriations and endowments for such activities. But shall we permit lack of funds to keep Tech from growing in worthwhile endeavors? This question has been answered at all times with willing and whole-hearted cooperation. We are proud that each year we have raised money to send our band to Fort Worth. We are glad to have sent our Aggie teams to the stock judging contests at Kansas City and Chicago. At Christmas a year ago we were called on for funds to send delegates to the student conference at Detroit. We have given and given liberally. There has been a coordination of effort, a feeling of confidence, and a willing and ready response.

But we have neglected some of the vital affairs of our campus. Our need for a building for our Y. W. C. A. and Y. M. C. A. associations is coming an abrupt necessity. The building program provides for such. It is a matter of time for come it must. But shall we allow the work we have started to dwindle and die away? Shall we bury our interests in religion, recreation, and social life? Are we unconcerned in the problems of the world, the problems we must face as men and women? Shall we go unconcerned with those who are in trouble? Shall we neglect the vital realities of life those that when the majority of our courses and teachers give forgotten will be nearest and dearest to us?

Our Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. need \$7,500 to meet their budget. To raise the amount it was decided that the students should give \$1,500, the faculty \$2,000, and the citizens of Lubbock should give \$4,000. This is primarily a student affair and therefore demands that we raise the entire amount and do so in the spirit that has characterized our work in the past. The amount is not too much for us. We have and shall continue to face problems of this kind. The thing we need now is the wholehearted and active support of every student on the campus. Then, in the name of worthwhile endeavor, in the name of wholesome cooperation, in the name of lasting realities of life, in the name of all those who are looking our way; in the name of that unmarred spirit of Tech; in the name of those unborn who will in the years to come walk these halls; and in the name of our Alma Mater and the Greater Tech we appeal to everyone to do his duty.

—R. K.

New Teacher Is Psychology M. A.

Miss Bonnie K. Dyart is the new teacher in the Department of Education, who replaces a member of the department who recently married. Miss Dyart is a graduate of the University of Texas, having degrees of Bachelor of Science in Education and Master of Arts in Psychology. She did a considerable portion of her college work in the University of Chicago. She taught at Tech the summer before last, and her previous experience includes two years as supervisor of schools in Amarillo, besides having taught at T. C. U. and Southwestern at various times. While teaching at Southwestern, Miss Dyart was also engaged in doing some work for Williamson county, the county in which the college is located.

Tech Rifle Team Is Handed Defeat

Tech's first rifle team suffered a big defeat in its first match with another school team when the Fort Worth high school squad handed it an excellent exhibition of shooting. An indoor range and good lighting conditions were reported as assets to the superior team, while the Tech team was handicapped by inexperience and open range practice. The new rifle range which is being established in the basement of the Administration building promises to offer Tech teams many advantages.

Stangel Returns From Meetings

W. L. Stangel, head of the department of Animal Husbandry, returned Thursday from a meeting of the Texas Jersey Cattle club held in Amarillo. On Friday, Prof. Stangel attended a conference of state fair livestock exhibitors and superintendents, which was held in Dallas. The conference was called for the purpose of considering the reduction of time in which live stock exhibits will be shown at the Texas State Fair at Dallas.

Dallas Club To Have Party

Decision to hold a party at some date during February, probably on February 14, was made at the meeting of the Dallas club last Monday night. A committee consisting of Helen Coon and Annette Clem was appointed to work out details of the affair, with the aid of a booklet about arrangement of parties of all kinds which was loaned by the sponsor, Miss Flora McGee, and it was decided to hold a call meeting on the first Monday of February, dispensing with the regular meeting for that month.

SOCK AND BUSKIN CLUB PROGRAM FOR WINTER AND SPRING TERMS

Jan. 29—"The Under Dog," directed by Evelyn Sowell.
Feb. 5—Play directed by Eunice Cox.
Feb. 12—Recital by Edward Abner Thompson, of Curry School, Boston; reading "Disraeli."
March 5—"How He Lied to Her Husband" (Shaw), directed by Don Murphy.
March 19—Discussion of West Texas Colleges play tournament, which is to be held at Lubbock on March 28 and 29.
April 2—Play, directed by Ruth Firtle.
April 16—Play, directed by Horace Grady Moore.
May 7—Play, directed by Annah Jo Pendleton.

WEST TEXAS GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL TOURNAMENT TO BE HELD AT SNYDER

The Lubbock girls high school basketball team has been officially invited to attend the West Texas girls high school basketball tournament that will be held at Snyder February 14, 15 and 16 under the sponsorship of the Snyder Lions club. Plans are being laid to entertain more than fifty girls teams during the three days.

Students Lose Things In Fire

Two Tech students lost practically all of their clothing, \$200 in currency, and approximately \$100 worth of books in the fire which occurred at 2202 Main, Tuesday night, January 8. It was while going to this fire that Lubbock's assistant fire chief lost his life when a truck which he was driving overturned.

Supply Companies Donate Equipment

Donations of equipment having a total value of about \$300 have been made recently to the Textile Engineering department by several supply manufacturing companies. The Steel Heddle Manufacturing company of Philadelphia including a doup harness for making fancy Marquiste curtains 60 harnesses for dobby looms and 12,000 steel heddles, all of which have a total value of about \$200. \$50 is the value of a production or loom pick counter donated by the Durant Manufacturing company of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. A number of reeds have also been donated by the Atlanta Reed and Harness company of Atlanta. The Textile department has a standing invitation from that company to ask for reeds whenever they are needed.

SPEECH, MUSIC, AND SONG FILLS SPANISH CLUB PROGRAM

Speeches on Mexican customs and Spanish songs occupied the program of the Spanish club when it met Friday night. "Christmas and New Year's Customs in Mexico," was the subject which W. H. Nelle used in speaking to the club. Alene Houston played a Spanish song on an accordion. Miss Whitley sang a Spanish love song. Three new members were admitted.

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Athletic Items

The present athletic season is featured by a series of "bonehead" plays. It all started New Year's Day in the California-Georgia Tech game, when a certain California player, ran 75 yards toward his own goal line before he was tackled by one of his own teammates.

Last week, while A. C. C. was having a practice game with an Oklahoma Teacher's College five, "ash" Coons, got excited and tossed a ball into the wrong basket to two points to the opposition's goal.

Last Saturday night, Rees, Texas U. forward, grew kind hearted and gave Baylor two points by the same stunt.

If the disease spreads to other sports, the next thing will be where a boxer, gets confused and knocks himself out.

Gus Sonnenberg, who recently won the world's heavyweight title, was recently "knocked out" by "angler" Lewis butting him out of the ring with his head is accused of fouling and unmanly methods.

Monroe, a small community, 12 miles north of Lubbock seems to have the district championship all sewed up. Monroe has already beaten Lubbock high two times by decisive scores. Last week it held the Matadors to a 12 point margin. It continued its winning ways last Friday by trouncing Floydada high 35-10. Nelson, Floydada center was the only man who was able to score against Monroe.

Kern Aldredge, half, on past Matador football teams was in town recently. He still has two more years of football allotted to him. From his looks, however, he has several years left in his system. He now tips the scales at 210 pounds. Kern expects to register at the beginning of the spring term.

Although A. & M. lost Dana X. Bible to Nebraska, they are ahead in the long run by securing Matty Bell. Matty Bell is the smartest coach in the Southwest today. In the past 5 years the Farmers have not been able to win a single game from the Frogs. Bell has placed the

Frogs in either second or third place in the football standing every season he has been at the Fort Worth school. He has made it a habit, until this year, to beat the conference winner, if T. C. U. could not win herself. With the least material in the conference to work with, Bell has always put out the smoothest charging machines in the state. A. & M. won far more than they lost in the exchange of coaches.

Arkansas is the only safe bet in the world of sport, if there is such a thing as a safe bet. The Porkers scored 66 points in their last conference game against T. C. U. If there were such a thing as All-American selections in the cage game Arkansas would probably break all records by placing most all of her six footers on the first and second teams.

The showing of Canyon, has been rather disappointing. After cleaning up everything in Central and South Texas easily, the Buff split a two game series East Texas Teachers of Commerce and dropping two to the Simmons Cowboys last week. Overconfidence was the cause, probably. But it takes such to cure a team of this curse—overconfidence.

Intramural football got underway yesterday when the three squads reported to their coaches for the initial workout of the season. Clubby DeWitt is mentor of the Engineers. Vaughn Corley is at the helm of the Farmers. Sidney Knowles is coach of the Liberal Arts team.

Shortly after the basketball season is over the annual intramural track meet will be held. The Engineers have already won the basketball title. All intramural clashes are high class. A large per cent of the personnel to the college teams were recruited from intramural ranks.

**Getting Our Names
In The Paper**

Charlie Woodridge, prominent senior, has just accepted a position as wholesale distributor of the Dickenson Rubber Co.

Woodridge is in charge of all wholesale accounts of the company.

"Ding Dong Daddy" from Dumas is to be found in the person of Red Huff.

Ronnie Shepherd, smallest senior on the campus, has established a big tailoring business on Avenue 7. He has made a big promise, for a small boy, by offering free fitting and repair service on any suit bought from him.

Jo Halbert, the winsome lass from Mesquite, still strolls down the avenue, pardon us, we mean Broadway, with a certain endearment. Yes, you guessed it: Carl Golden.

"Brigham" Young, student prince of last year, has registered in school again. As usual he receives callers in the library.

Randolph McNeil, who was Young's closest competitor in the race last year, is not in school this year. He is teaching school near his home town, Spur.

Lela Ashmore is not in school this term. She is handling all the clerical duties in the office of Sheriff Wade Hardy, who took office on Jan. 1.

The supremacy of "The Odyssey" in the field of epic poetry is threatened, J. L. Lattimore, freshman, has been working for three months in a masterpiece, and expects to announce its completion within the next four years.

In the Pre-Law club, where men are men and women are conspicuous by their absence, certain ideas no longer hold true. Mary Great-house, vice-president, WAS the only woman in the club. Mary Edwards, an old member re-entered school with the beginning of the winter term. Irene Jackson, Dee Alva Shelby, and Ann Hammons are recent additions to the club.

Well, for this week, this is what the shoemaker killed his wife with . . . the last.

**Track Schedule
Is Given Early**

Large Number of Events Facing 1929 Tech Tracksters As They Follow Champions of 1928

It is a bit early to the forthcoming track season. In fact, considering the cold weather at the present time one shivers when he visualizes a chilly clad form dashing down the straightaway. But it won't be so long till track will be in full swing. The schedule, which has just been given out, shows that the Matadors are due for a larger number of events than ever before. The fourth edition of Tech tracksters will have to step high, wide and handsome to even equal the record set last season when the Matadors won their first track season. Every meet was won by the Bull Fighters. Besides the Texas relays, Payne's pupils engaged in only four other meets. This year they are due to enter at least 7 with the probability of entering one or two more.

As usual the Scarlet Tide will take on Canyon here, meet A. C. C. here in a dual meet, as well as the Simmons Cowboys. As in the past Tech will meet the above mentioned teams. In addition, Payne will enter his charges in the S. M. U. Relays, in the latter part of March. A quadrangular meet involving Simmons, McMurry, A. C. C. and Texas Tech will be held in Abilene, April 20. Another meet will be held here when Daniel Baker comes for the first meet of the season on the Matador's home field.

The big thrill of the season, however, comes on April 26 and 27, when the Matadors trek to Buffalo to take part in the Great Plains Meet. In the three years of Tech's existence, two of the meets have been won by the Matadors. They placed second in the other meet.

Four good men will be missing on this year's squad, namely, Smythe, dash man; Edmonds, weights; Taylor, weights; and Christian hurdles. The schedule is as follows:
Texas Relays at Austin.
S. M. U. Relays at Dallas.
April 5—Daniel Baker at Lubbock.
April 6—Canyon at Lubbock.
April 20—McMurry, A. C. C. and Simmons at Abilene.
April 26 and 27—Great Plains Meet at Canyon.
May 4—A. C. C. at Lubbock.

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Matadors

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not contribute to the scoring his last defensive work was at times bordering on the sensational. VinZant and Kerr, guards, played a whole of a game. Both had the light that has stamped them as stars for Tech in past seasons. Williams and Pace were the remaining Matador's who showed up to an advantage.

For A. C. C. the names of Powell and Roland stand out at guard. There was not a faster man on the floor than the latter. Purvis and Reeves were both unable to gain any material advantage over each other at the pivot position. The Christians used in all ten men and all played a well balanced game with no outstanding men.

THE LINE-UP:

TECH	fg	ft	pf
Hunter	0	0	4
Hodges	4	2	1
Fisher	5	2	4
Kerr (C)	2	1	1
VinZant	1	0	4
Cappage	0	0	0
Pace	2	3	3
Fincher	2	2	0
Ge	0	0	1
Reeves	0	0	0
Dalton	0	0	1
Wilkins	0	0	1
Peterson	0	0	0
Taylor	0	1	0
TOTALS	16	10	20

A. C. C.

fg	ft	pf	
Pippen	3	1	2
Coons	4	2	0
Purvis	2	2	4
Roland	1	1	1
Bullock	0	1	1
Powell	0	0	2
Keys	0	2	1
Carroll	0	0	3
Black	0	1	1
Cheeves	1	0	2
TOTALS	10	10	16

Referee: Morgan (Austin College).

THE SECOND GAME

The game on Saturday night was very similar to the one of the preceding night only the score went the other way. It was a different team that took the court, both for the Matadors and for the Wildcats. It was a case of "butter fingers" for the Matadors besides the fact that "Wash" Coons, brilliant Wildcat forward was running wild. This fast flying forward scored 18 of his teams points, besides leading his team on the defensive. Despite his energy he had only one personal foul charged up again his name when the game was over. Occasions on which the Payne-men were able to advance the ball into enemy territory were extremely rare, and when such things were accomplished the ball rolled all around the basket and then fell into the hands of a Christian guard and another Wildcat score was in the making. For the Christians, scoring ability was nothing to write home about. It is true that they scored 46 points but if they had scored in fair proportion to the number of attempts they made they would have rolled up 15 or 20 points more to their total. The visitors shot from every corner of the court to take the lead in the opening minutes. They passed over, around, and through the be-

wildered Matadors in a brilliant fashion. The ball was in Matador territory a majority of the time. Taking it all in all the visitors treated the locals in a way that they had been treated the preceding night—unceremoniously.

Kerr and VinZant, first string guards were jerked early in the first half. VinZant with four and Kerr with three fouls against them. From the time of their departure the Christians started their offensive drive, which could not be stopped by substitutions.

The Matadors made only 13 points on free tosses out of a possible 20. Coons was high point man with 18 points with his teammates, Pippen, second with 12. Purvis, center was not satisfied that his team should have first and second places but third also. Accordingly he annexed third place for himself by scoring 9 points. Fisher and Hodges and Fincher were tied for high point men for Tech by making 6 points each.

For A. C. C. the offensive work of Coons and the defensive play of Keys and Roland were the outstanding features of the evening. Both are fast and brainy players.

THE LINE-UP:

TECH	P.G.	F.T.	P.F.	Pts.
Hunter f	1	2	0	4
Hodges f	2	1	0	5
Pace f	0	1	0	1
Reeves f	0	0	0	0
Cappage f	0	0	2	0
Peterson f	0	1	2	1
Ge f	1	0	0	2
Dalton f	0	0	0	0
Fisher c	1	3	2	5
Fincher c	1	3	1	5
Kerr, g	1	1	4	3
VinZant g	0	0	4	0
Tedlock g	0	1	0	1
Wilkins g	0	0	1	0
Matheny g	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	14	13	16	27

A. C. C.

P.G.	F.T.	P.F.	Pts.	
Pippen f	6	0	2	12
Coons f	6	6	2	18
Cheeves f	0	0	2	0
Purvis c	4	1	4	9
Carroll c	0	0	4	0
Roland g	1	2	3	4
Worham g	0	0	1	0
Bullock g	0	0	1	0
Powell g	0	0	2	0
Keys g	0	3	0	3
Black g	0	0	3	0
TOTALS	17	12	24	46

Referee: Morgan (Austin College).

Rules Are Given For Song Contest

Following the announcement last week that the Texas Tech Chamber of Commerce would give a \$25 reward for an acceptable school song for Texas Tech, quite a number of inquiries have been received from budding musicians and composers. Briefly the points and rules in the contest are:

1. Any person in Texas is eligible to enter, and his composition will receive equal and unbiased judgment with all others but it is preferred that the person submitting the song be a student or some one who is or was in the past familiar with Texas Tech.

2. The music and words must be submitted together.

3. No definite date is as yet set for the closing of the contest but it is desired that entries come in as soon as possible.

4. The judges of the contest shall be the Tech Chamber of Commerce and the Student Council sitting together as one body. From the number of songs submitted this body shall select the five best. These will be given to the student body in convocation, where the students may or may not accept them.

5. The Tech Chamber of Commerce reserves the right to reject and all songs submitted. The best song submitted may not necessarily be accepted.

An advertising campaign will be carried on in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, Dallas News, and other papers in an effort to get as many submissions as possible. But it is hoped by the Chamber of Commerce that students of Tech will make the most and best contributions.

35 CLUBS EXPECTED FOR LA VENTANA

According to information given out by La Ventana staff 21 clubs have already paid for the price of a section in the annual. Members of the staff are optimistic, expressing the opinion that 35 or 40 organizations will be in the book.

LATIN CLUB MEETS

S. P. Q. R., a newly formed Latin club, held its initial meeting Monday night in room 310. After the business session the following program was rendered: The Conquest of the Latin Language, by Hubert Hopper; a vocal solo by King Sides; The Influence of Latin on the English Language, by Laurene Bussey. The program was followed by a game of real Roman origin, conducted by Mrs. Wm. Dingus, sponsor of the club. It was played in the form of a tournament, the first winners being Maggie Lee Inman and Royal Ferguson. The name of the game was "Rota," meaning wheel, and prizes for the winners were "flicker wheels." Those present were: Dorothy Wilson, Maggie Lee Inman, King Sides, Laurene Bussey, Hubert Hopper, Carl McLain, Margaret Baskin, Juanita Webb, Mable Tiller, Royal Ferguson, Lakawanna Stokes and Mr. and Mrs. William Dingus.

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Only Four Days Left For Photos

"Four more days left to get pictures in La Ventana." is the announcement of the staff of La Ventana. The extension of the time for taking pictures was made for the benefit of the new students registering during the winter term was the explanation made by the editor, Edlemon, when asked about the announcement.

It was also announced that the beauty contest being sponsored by La Ventana will close Jan. 26. "All pictures being entered in the contest must be in the office of La Ventana before 5 p. m. Saturday, Jan. 26," Edlemon said concerning the contest.

The staff also requests that all club sections of the campus be ready and in that office before Jan. 26 as that has been set as the final date to receive pages at the regular price and after that time a penalty will be charged to care for the loss of discount suffered.

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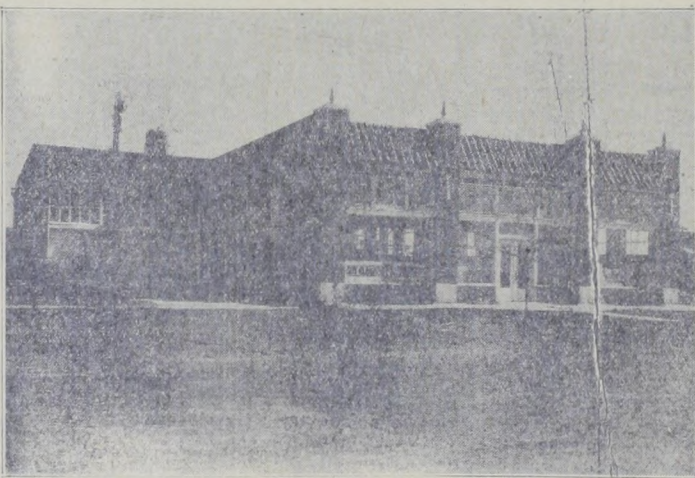


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