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## Appropriation Cares For Summer School

### Although Tech Requests Cut In Half In Bill Passed By Legislature, Plans Going Forward For Record Sessions

DEFINITE assurance of the full twelve weeks summer school for Tech has resulted from the \$17,500 appropriation made by the state legislature last week, according to Dr. Paul W. Horn, president of the college. In spite of the fact that the appropriation was only half the amount the college had asked, and that the contingent fund of \$13,250, also one-half the amount requested, will not be available until the last year of the present biennium, plans are now going rapidly forward for the summer session with the expectation of a large faculty and a record enrollment.

**Financial Handicaps**  
Due to the cut in appropriations, the summer school will not proceed without some financial handicaps. The college finds itself able to guarantee the summer school faculty only two-thirds of their regular salaries, but promises to make up part or all of the remainder from enrollment fees, according to

## Girl Debaters To Contest Canyon Here This Week

### Lizzie Belle Clements And Mary Beth Sheely Will Uphold Affirmative Side Of Disarmament Question

Tech girl debaters, represented by Lizzie Belle Clements and Mary Beth Sheely, will make their first appearance of the season Saturday night when they take on a team from Canyon composed of Orel Coley and Bessie Chambers. The local team will uphold the affirmative side of the disarmament question, which has been the major consideration of Tech debaters this season.

Miss Annah Jo Pendleton, coach of debate has been successful in putting some strong girls teams in the field in the past and is expected to have a finished pair in the contest against Canyon on the later contest with Simmons university.

Following the victory over the East Texas State Teachers college here Wednesday of last night, Tech debaters now have an average of 500 per cent, having also won over Simmons university and having lost to Abilene Christian college and to Texas Christian university.

The only debate remaining on the Tech men's schedule is a contest with West Texas State Teachers college at Canyon April 10.

## Debate Club Talks On Union Buildings

In an informal discussion the Debate club Tuesday evening took the question of student union buildings in general and the possibility of the construction of a plant at Tech in particular. Sylvia Wilson brought out the interesting points of the union building at Oklahoma university. Don Wellesman talked on the history of student union buildings, and Ozer Matthews gave a brief discussion of the union building at the University of Southern California. Miss Annah Jo Pendleton gave an explanation of union buildings in general and of some of the methods of financing the construction of union buildings.

After the talks were made the group in round table discussion talked of the possibility of constructing a student building at Tech. Ross Ayers, president, appointed committee to find out the rules and regulations governing the placing of such buildings on the Tech campus.

## Capa Y Espada To Present Playlet

"El Sombrero Morado," a playlet, will be presented at the meeting of Capa y Espada tomorrow night in room 312. "El Sombrero Morado" (The Purple Hat), a modern version of Prince Charming, shows how a certain purple hat was instrumental in bringing the Spanish lovers together. Characters in the play are: Mrs. J. B. Caldwell, Fay Bumpass, Ruth Waller, Melvin Roloff and Milburn Alldredge. A Spanish song, "Mi Viejo Amor" will be sung by Ruth Love and Kathleen Conrad.

## Torch Lighting Ceremony And Special Effects To Feature Coming Pageant

DISTINCTIVE and effective features, including a torch lighting ceremony by the senior class, are being incorporated in the plans being made for the annual pageant to be given in May of this year, according to Miss Ruth Pirple, who is directing the presentation. Definite steps toward carrying out these plans have now been made possible by the appropriations for Tech by the state legislature at the close of the session which terminated last week.

## College Sponsors Judging Contests For High Schools

### McLean Takes Grand Champion Prize For Highest Average; Awards Presented to Winners in All Fields

## Is Fifth Occasion

### Wide Area Represented In Teams Sent To Tech For One-Day Affair; Strict Supervision Observed

Approximately 275 vocational agriculture students from 37 high schools and secondary schools of West and Northwest Texas were represented in the fifth annual vocational agriculture judging contests held by the school of agriculture here last Monday. These contests were under the direction of Prof. Ray C. Mowbray of the animal husbandry department and included judging contests in livestock, dairy cattle, plant production, poultry, and farm shop. Mr. J. C. Hardgrave, of the school of engineering conducted the farm shop judging contest.

## Grand Champion

McLean's team won the grand champion sweepstakes with its four teams having highest averages, receiving a large banner which was made and donated by the Gaprock Embroidery and Uniform company. Other prizes consisted of loving cups for winning teams in all but the farm shop contest. The prize for this was a silver steel hand saw. Each high point individual received a scholarship to Texas Tech.

Post won first in plant production and first in livestock. Silverton topped the list in poultry. Ralls won first in dairy cattle, and Roby took first in farm shop.

Every school was permitted to enter teams in each of the contests, but no contestant was able to participate in more than one of these contests, due to the fact that all contests were in progress at the same time. A total of 97 separate teams of three men each were represented.

**Close Supervision**  
During the day, contestants were under strict rules, and were supervised by group leaders. At all times during the day the contestants were able to confer with no one except their regular group leader. Lunch was served at the college cafeteria to practically all of the entrants.

Contests that were represented were Abernathy, Amber, Blackwell, Conway, Crosbyton, Cross Plains, Dalhart, Dimmitt, Farwell, Floydada, Hale Center, Harrod, Hereford, Littlefield, McLean, O'Donnell, Olney, Otton, Pampa, Post, Quanah, Ralls, Roby, Seminole, Silverton, Spearman, Spur, Sterling City, Sudan, Throckmorton, Tulla, Vernon, White Deer, and Wilson.

## Conference Plans Are Now Complete

Plans for the second annual International Relations Conference to be held here April 5 and 6 are now complete. An announcement made by Dr. W. A. Jackson, general chairman of the program committee. The program includes prominent authorities on international relations from the Carnegie Foundation, the American Foreign Relations Committee of the American Association of University Women, and members of faculties of various colleges of the Southwest. A detail program of the conference will be in next week's issue of the Oreador.

Invitations have been sent to twenty-four colleges of the Southwest including Oklahoma, New Mexico, Texas, and Arizona. It is expected that the conference will draw delegates from all sections of the South Plains and West Texas. A banquet will be held at the Hilton Hotel Saturday evening at 7 o'clock.

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Administration building, people symbolizing the various departments of the college and phases of school life will pass as they recur in his dream. Two gates, one on each side of the stage, will be the means of entrance. The juniors are to come in through one, the seniors, in cap and gown, through the other. While his classmates hold their torches aloft, the senior president will light the torches of the juniors. In turn, they lead the graduates out through the gateway marked "Life." The sleeping student awakens just in time to see a vision—"The Spirit of Tech"—holding high the torch, appear on the stage, marking the grand finale of the performance.

## Here Next Week



**DR. PILLSBURY**  
WHO is an eminent scientist, will appear at the Tech gymnasium April 4 as the last tumbler of the Artist Course. He brings interesting X-ray moving pictures of plant and animal life with his program, which is called "Miracles of Nature."

## French Students Will Present Two Short Plays Soon

### Performances Scheduled For Monday Night In Engineering Auditorium; First Is To Be Moliere's Work

"Le Medecin Malgre Lui" ("The Doctor In Spite of Himself") by Moliere and "Un Service d'ami" ("Service of a Friend") will be presented by the French department in the engineering auditorium Monday night at 8 o'clock.

The first play, "Le Medecin Malgre Lui" is the story of a shiftless physician who has the side aid of the clever revenge which the wife carries out. It is the story of how, as a part of the revenge, he is forced to say that he is a doctor, of how he miraculously cures one of the most unusual cases, how he arranges an elopement and then how he is threatened to be hanged. Gordon Mills plays the role of Senarile, the doctor, and Florence Jackson plays the part of his wife, Martine. Other characters in the play are William, Nellie, Zola, Stiles, Herman Houk, Elmer Moore, Wallace Varley and Eleven Denton.

The short play, "Un Service d'ami" shows the absurdity and the ridiculousness of helping a friend out of an embarrassing situation. In this case the service of a friend only serves to complicate matters more. The characters in the play are Sarah Michie, Lora Wade, Gertrude Osburn and Ellen Marshall.

## Ask Me Another! Beautiful But Dumb Scores Again

"Pick out the errors and win a prize" might well be applied to the following addition to the constantly increasing collection of classic examples of the dumbness of college co-eds.

On being confronted with a lot of seemingly unanswerable questions concerning the ways of the ancients, a Tech co-ed recently admitted her lack of acquaintance with the subject and pled for something more up-to-date, concerning which she volunteered that her knowledge was almost unlimited.

The instructor with a knowing smile then wrote the following question on the board: "Who is the most outstanding man in the United States from the standpoint of academic accomplishments?" "Easy," thought the co-ed as she wrote, "The most outstanding man in the United States Senate from the standpoint of economic accomplishment is the speaker of the House; Taft was before he resigned."

"Just as I thought," mused the instructor as he graded the paper.

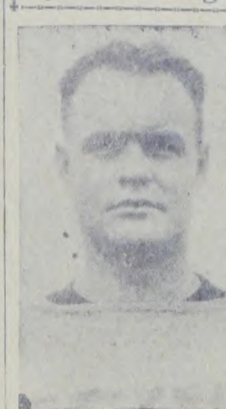
## Renner Scheduled For Short Course

Prof. K. M. Renner, head of the department of dairy products, will speak at the Dairy Short Course at entrance, Tech, on April 2. His subject will be "Dairy Manufacturing and Its Relation to Agriculture." This short course will be held three days beginning Tuesday, April 1.

## FISH BIDS ON SALE

Warning has been issued to all freshmen by the president, Truett Brooks, to the effect that the bids for the freshman dance and coronation on March 28 will be opened for sale to upperclassmen Friday and that, due to a limited number, freshmen desiring them should buy their bids at the earliest opportunity.

## Quits Coaching



**COACH VIC PAYNE**  
Who has announced his intention of leaving the coaching camp following his resignation as coach of track and basketball in Tech Monday of this week, Payne's resignation becomes effective on July 15 of this year.

## Payne Announces Retirement From Mentor's Duties

### Producer Of Winning Track And Basketball Teams In Tech Declares Intention Of Entering Business

Victor Payne, Tech's track and basketball coach for the past three years, Monday night announced his retirement from the coaching game. Payne handed his written resignation to P. W. Horn to be effective July 15. He states that he plans to enter business in Abilene. Payne will remain here throughout the current year and finish the present track season.

Coming here in 1927, Payne served in the capacity as basketball and track coach. He served his first football season here as a scout. The following year he has taken an active part in the coaching duties. The Matador basketball teams coached by Payne have won the majority of their encounters and some of the strongest college nines in the state have been played. The Matadors won 12 consecutive victories the past season before losing defeat. In two seasons as track coach Payne's men have lost only one dual meet, and in 1928 the tracksters went through their first undefeated season.

Payne received his college training at Abilene Christian college, Simmons university and Bethany college of West Virginia. One year was spent as a professional football player in Pennsylvania.

Payne began his coaching career at A. C. C. in 1922. The Matadors were admitted to the T. I. A. A. conference. He coached at Simmons in 1924, '25 and '26. The last year under Payne's direction the Cowboys won the football and the track championship of the Texas conference.

## Rodefer Talks On Trends In Religion

"Recent Drifts in Religious Thought" was the subject of a address by Mr. Charles C. Rodefer, member of the department of mathematics, at the meeting of the graduate society Friday night.

Mr. Rodefer divided current religious thought into five classifications ranging from complete orthodoxy to complete heterodoxy. His discussion was followed by an open forum on the subject.

## Material Is Sent To A. S. M. E. Body

Catalogues and literature from Tech have been sent to each member of the committee on membership for student branches of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, which will act on the request of the local unit for affiliation at its next meeting.

## Inquire Concerning Engineering Group

Tennessee Polytechnic Institute of Cookeville, Tenn. has written to the Engineering Society of Tech requesting information as to its organization, methods, and purposes. It is understood that the college is attempting to build up a successful society of its technical students and is making use of the models already in existence for the purpose.

## UNDERGOES OPERATION

Miss Jewel Derrick of Tatum, N. M., who was a sophomore in the school of home economics last term, is in the Lubbock sanitarium recovering from an appendicitis operation. She will not resume her school work this term.

## New Conference Looms As Likely Possibility Now

### Representatives of Four Of West Texas Schools In Meeting At Sweetwater Draft Constitution

## Approvals Pending

### Copies Of Regulations Are Sent To Schools In New Mexico For Consideration; Sept. 1 Is Time Limit

THAT A NEW athletic conference for West Texas and eastern New Mexico schools will become a reality was made almost certain Saturday by the adoption of a constitution and by-laws by representatives for Texas Technological college, Simmons university, West Texas State Teachers college and the El Paso School of Mines. Copies of the rules are to be sent to Sul Ross college and New Mexico Agricultural and Mechanical college for ratification. The six schools and others who may be invited to join will be given until September 1, 1930, to accept or reject the constitution.

## Requires Four Approvals

Four of the institutions named must ratify the rules before officers will be elected and the conference organization completed. It is expected that the necessary four will be considered by the authorities of the respective schools.

Representing Tech at the meeting at Sweetwater Saturday were Dr. W. A. Jackson, head of the department of government, Prof. W. L. Stangel, head of the animal husbandry department, and M. T. Warren, business manager of athletics. Mr. Stangel presided over Saturday's meeting.

Eligibility rules were drawn from what was considered to be the best points of a number of conference statutes. The School of Mines at El Paso only was given permission to play freshmen in varsity competition until September, 1932. A unique feature which will probably be a point of objection from some of the schools concerned is that graduates from junior colleges shall be eligible for varsity competition upon entering and residing in a senior college. The ruling concerning transfers from senior colleges and freshmen from high schools is similar to that of the Southwest conference which says that neither shall play in varsity competition for one year after entering school.

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## Inter-Club Council To Hear Reports

Report on the rules agreed upon by members of the administration and of the Inter-club council will be made at the meeting of that body Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock in room 208 by a committee composed of Hogue Williams, chairman, Marjorie Ann Answorth, and Thomas Hickey.

J. W. Timmons, president of the council, announces that all clubs of a social nature on the campus desiring representation on the group and recognition from the college should arrange to have members at the next meeting.

## Magazine Gives Tech Publicity

Texas news and views, including that of Texas Technological college are featured in the March issue of the "Missionary Voice," the monthly publication of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

A full page of pictures of the campus is given in the rotogravure section of the magazine. It also carries an article on "The State Capital and Religion" by Miss Mary DeBardelene, formerly teacher of Bible in the State University of Oklahoma and now serving in that same capacity in Tech.

## Talks On Growth Of Steel Construction

The History of Structural Steel Development and Its Effect on Civilization" was the subject of an address last night in the engineering auditorium by Mr. L. H. Dodd of the American Institute of Steel Construction.

The meeting was open to the public.

## Faculty Committee Labors To Work Out Schedule Problems For Next Fall

Squares, triangles, circles and numbers in red, green, and every other color all mixed up together is what the tentative outlay of the schedule for next year looks like now and it will take three months of hard work on the part of the schedule committee to make it look otherwise. According to Dr. J. O. Ellsworth, chairman of the committee, there is quite a difference in the schedules of the various departments. "Because in checking the chances of moving are greater than those in a schedule outlay."

## New Coach To Start Spring Football Soon

### Pete Cawthon Expects To Arrive Here About April 1 To Start Training; Grid Outlook Assumes Rosy Hue

BY CHARLEY WOOLDRIDGE  
OPTIMISM reigns in the Matador camp. Mr. Pete Cawthon, newly elected athletic director and head coach of football will be in Lubbock on or near the first of April to start spring training.

Approximately eighty men will don uniforms on Tuesday, April 1, headed by the illustrious Jack Durham, captain-elect. The crew of Letter men that will report for spring training includes: J. Orville Brothers, Walton Nixon, Simmons, George Lankford, McWilliams, Dennis Vinzant, Freeman Edmonds, Basil Hill, Clarence Hodges and Floyd Wooldridge.

## San Antonio Man To Deliver Sermon At Commencement

### Dr. I. E. Gates Will Conduct Service May 25; Williams To Make Baccalaureate Address To Class

The commencement sermon for the Texas Technological college will be preached this year by Dr. I. E. Gates, pastor of the First Baptist church, San Antonio. It will be delivered in the college gymnasium at 11 o'clock Sunday morning, May 25. It is customary to have a union gathering of all the churches of Lubbock for this event.

Dr. Gates is a man of wide reputation for his eloquence and is in much demand for commencement sermons. At least one member of our graduating class is a member of the congregation of Dr. Gates; namely, Warren Huff.

As previously announced, the baccalaureate address will be delivered this year by Dean Walter Williams of the school of journalism of the University of Missouri.

These exercises will be held Monday morning, May 26, beginning at 10:30 o'clock. Dean Williams is widely known, particularly among newspaper men. It is understood that while he is here a dinner will be tendered him by the newspaper men of this section, particularly including those who have graduated under his administration.

## Engineers To Give Big Two-Day Show

### Second Annual Exhibition Of Work Of Tech Students To Eclipse First Produced Here Last Year

Tech's second annual Engineering show will be held on Friday and Saturday, April 11 and 12. This is one day longer than the duration of the exhibition last year, which was for one afternoon only during which time, however, over 2,500 people were shown through the displays. The Friday exhibition, which will be held from 6-10 p. m., has been added for the special benefit of the business men and other people who find it impossible to attend on Saturday. Saturday the demonstration will begin at 10 a. m. and will continue until 9 p. m.

The show will include a complete exhibition of the laboratory work of all departments in the School of Engineering. It is being managed by the seniors in the school and operated by the students of engineering in general. Work on it is now actively under way, and the matter of publicity is being given special attention. With the collaboration of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, it will be advertised throughout this section of Texas. Posters and placards have been sent to about 60 towns of this region. Engineers from Amarillo, Abilene, and Wichita Falls, as well as groups from high schools of the South Plains, are expected to attend.

**TO GIVE OUT RECORDS**  
Student grade books for the winter term will be distributed Friday and Saturday of this week at the registrar's office, according to Mr. E. L. Dohney, registrar of the college.

## Calendar

- THURSDAY, MARCH 27
  - Home Economics club, H. E. Tea Room, 5 o'clock.
  - Clogging club, room 305, 7 o'clock.
  - Pre-Med club, 7:30 o'clock.
  - Chemistry auditorium.
  - Student council, room 309, 7:30 o'clock.
  - College club, Hotel Lubbock, 7 o'clock.
- FRIDAY, MARCH 28
  - Faculty Ball, Gymnasium, 8-12.
  - Freshman Dance and Coronation of Queen, Dance Palace, 8:30 o'clock.
  - Capa y Espada, room 310, 7:30 o'clock.
- SATURDAY, MARCH 29
  - Architectural Society Costume Ball, Gymnasium, 9 o'clock.
- MONDAY, MARCH 31
  - Forum, 7 o'clock, room 102.
  - Las Pateras, room 302, four o'clock.
  - French Play, Engineering auditorium, 8 o'clock.
- TUESDAY, APRIL 1
  - Dramatic club, room 202, 7:30 o'clock.
  - Thespian Club, room 302, four o'clock.
  - Glee Club, room 310, 4 o'clock.
  - Y. M. C. A., room 312, 7:30.
  - Freshman Men's Council, room 312, 6:30.
  - Fort Worth Club, room 214, 7:30.
  - Scurry County Club, roof 314, 7:30.
  - Freshman Girls' Council, room 303, 5 o'clock.
  - Wranglers' Club meeting, Bosque Hall, 7:30.
- WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2
  - Argie Club, Stock Judging Pavilion.
  - Reserve Officers, room 216, 7:30.
  - Choral Club, room 302, 7:30.
  - Las Hermanns, College Inn, 7:30.
  - W. A. A., room 305, 7:30.
  - Press Club, room 211, 7:30.
  - Pre-Law Club, room 217, 7:30.

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### "How To Be Popular"

DOES the modern girl have to subject herself to undesirable indignities in order to be popular? To be unpleasantly specific, does she have to neck, pet, and become common in thought and speech to make herself sufficiently attractive to "rate" with young men?

In one form or another this thought has been expressed either as a question or as a claim by critics of the oft-discussed younger generation, by earnest interpreters of life, and by young people themselves. All too frequently the conclusion has been that popularity is dependent upon questionable morals. One Tech co-ed recently expressed herself on the matter by declaring with some disgust that all boys were base and selfish in their attitudes toward girls.

That some persons find their chief interest and popularity in baser qualities is not to be disputed; but that such qualities are requisite for social popularity, and that they are the best explanation for "rating" is emphatically denied, and the denial is substantiated by outstanding examples among the best-liked co-eds on the campus. Any person who cannot immediately point out a large number of the girls on the Tech campus best-known for social popularity and at the same time equally well-known for absolute refusal to enter into promiscuous relations with boys shows a lack of thorough acquaintance with conditions here. And this statement is not the product of an illusion-challenging idealist.

### The Critic's Rights

BEARING the suggestive title, "Why Worry? Why Not Work?" an editorial in a contemporary college newspaper draws a brief but severe indictment of the tendency among critics to tell what is wrong with everything from morals to government without devoting sufficient attention to working out and agreeing on remedies for the ill.

The editorial may be interpreted as an earnest but impatient desire for some real solutions to problems; but it seems to bear the marks of being an indication of the inclination to proclaim with shallow optimism that "all's well with the world" and to tell the critic to "dry up" unless he can produce something better. The editorial might result in encouragement to a non-intellectual disinterest in current problems.

In assailing what ought to be the dignified position of the critic in our life, it should not be overlooked that the clearing of the forest must precede the planting of the corn. Any criticism that carries with it the hope of ultimate improvement, even though the whole way may not be foreseen, is justifiable. It is those troubles that are "discussed" and worried about from year to year and no logical conclusion arrived at that ultimately result in an improved society—in industrial conditions, in religion, in social morals, in race relations, in international affairs.

The position of the critic is tenable on the ground that agitation and discussion of problems in one's own mind, in the minds of other critics, and in the mind of the public must precede any successful attempt to find and effect reform. One should not grow impatient with him, even though he seems unable to improve the difficulties he finds.

### Home Economics Contests Draw Large Numbers

More Than 200 High School Students Participate In Affair; Prizes Awarded For All Events

Prizes for winners in the home economics contest for high school pupils were awarded Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in room 104 of the Tech home economics building, following talks by Dr. Paul W. Horn, and Mr. C. E. Maedgen, vice-president of the local chamber of commerce, donor of the gifts.

The aims of the contest were stated as the stimulation of high school students to a greater interest in home economics, and the aiding of teachers in raising the standards of home economics by furnishing an opportunity whereby the most successful schools might be seen, evaluated, and constructive criticism obtained.

More than 200 students registered for the contest, and 27 schools were represented. The contests included: planning and preparing meals; judging correct wearing apparel and grading linens; and bed-making. Awards were given in all the contests and also for the general exhibits, for the first, second, and third year students of home economics.

After the awarding of prizes, the teachers and students were guests at a tea given at the home management house by the school of home economics.

This is the first affair of this kind that the school of home economics has sponsored, and it is to be held annually on the occasion. Miss Margaret W. Weeks, dean of the school, was in charge of the program of events.

### Seniors Discuss Final Activities

Graduation activities of the senior class began to take definite shape with the meeting of the class Tuesday evening. Plans were laid for several graduation functions including a trip to Carlsbad Caverns, a dinner-dance, the presentation of the traditional senior gift, and a senior day. The trip to Carlsbad will be made by the class sometime early in May. Necessary pullmans will be chartered for the occasion.

The annual senior dinner-dance will be on the social calendar for the traditional senior gift, and will be held at a local hotel. It will be impossible to make the presentation until some date after the middle of May, due to the time necessary for the construction of the object selected. Among the suggestions being considered are a marble fountain, a group of books for the library, some hard surface tennis courts, a group of paintings, and some replicas of famous works of sculpture. A special meeting of the class was held last night for the purpose of deciding on the exact nature of the gift to be presented. A senior play, junior investiture, and other activities will make up the formal functions of the class throughout the remainder of the term.

Miss Mary Snyder was elected senior duchess to the court of the freshman queen to be crowned tomorrow night at the Uptown Dance Palace in connection with the freshman ball.

### Hail To Play For Chicago Night Club

Bidding farewell to Lubbock and to Tech after a full month here, Ewen Hall and his Brunswick Recording orchestra will leave Tuesday, April 1, for Chicago, where they will play for one of the Windy City's leading night clubs, "The Elite."

Within the last few years Ewen Hall has become a nationally known figure in the realm of high class jazz music. His melodious voice has won fame for him where ever he has sung, including performances over the radio, numbers recorded on the victrola, and specialties for dances and night clubs.

One of the things for which Ewen Hall has become most famous is his take-off on Paul Whiteman, a number that has created much merriment in the world of music. His latest feature number is a rendering of "Hanging on the Garden Gate," one of Ted Lewis' compositions.

Ewen Hall will bid his friends good-bye with a farewell dance at the Matador ballroom of the Hilton Hotel Monday night.

### Tech Four Years Ago

(Compiled from the Toreador file for 1926.)

The school of home economics triumphantly issues its special edition of The Toreador. "Fair Co-Eds Break Clouds of Silence," screams the headline.

Austin College Glee club presents popular program here.

Begin the formulation of plans for the first colossal historical pageant, "The Spirit of West Texas."

Tech track men leave for state meet at Austin.

Tech enrollment nears 1,100 mark.

Best debaters hold tryouts preparatory to meeting Clarendon team.

Dr. John C. Granbery addresses the Press club on "The Power of the Press for Good and Evil."

Faculty club enjoys exciting Irish party.

Cadets entertain their lady friends with picnic at the country club.

Lay-out for Tech athletic field is completed, and the student body begins to dream vague dreams of a gigantic stadium.

"Peppy" convocation held in the stock judging pavilion and enjoyed by the student body. (A literal quotation.)

Students urged to buy annuals.

### Women Of College Hold Convocation; Dean Doak Speaks

Fill Out Questionnaires Giving Information And Suggestions Concerning Social Activities

At the first general convocation for women students this term held at the gymnasium yesterday morning, Mrs. Mary W. Doak stressed the importance of unification of efforts along the various lines of activity among the women on the campus. "You girls can't realize the influence you would have and the work you could put over, if you would cooperate."

Questionnaires were filled out by the students which showed their scholastic standing, and their social interests. They also wrote out suggestions for raising the social and scholastic standing of the college.

Mrs. Doak then called attention to regulations and rules of the college. She particularly emphasized the importance of studying the catalog and of planning a definite program in regard to other work of the student. "I would like," she said, "for every student to make a definite check up of the work she has done and see just where she stands scholastically."

Special mention was made in regard to absences, failures, and lack of observance of certain regulations of the college. She called attention to the recent rule which was made about standing in the halls during class hours.

There will be a special convocation of all the women students who dance in the near future. The date will be announced later.

### Ramon Navarro's First All-Talking Film Has Six Songs For Star

Ramon Navarro in the costumes of the Napoleonic era; reproductions of old French chateaus and gardens; and a romantic plot of the days when to be a Royalist in France meant a life of danger and intrigue, form the basis for "Devil-May-Care," Navarro's first all-talking picture which opens Sunday at the Lindsey theater.

The new Navarro vehicle was made unusually attractive by expert photography and a beautiful sequence filmed in technicolor. Cedric Gibbons, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer art director, took special pains in reproducing both interior and exterior settings for the romantic film and anyone with an eye for line and design in furniture, rooms and landscapes, will be able to gather considerable information on decorations of the Napoleonic period.

The story, adapted by Richard Schayer, Hans Kraly and Zaida Sears from a French play entitled "Battle of the Ladies," has all the romance and adventure of a Walter Scott novel plus a certain sophistication which makes it acceptable to modern audiences.

Dorothy Jordan, an actress whose and other questions brought up in Mr. Ogdon's talk.

### Tech Campus Ins And Outs

Hazel Ligon returned Saturday from Dallas where she had been visiting for the past week.

Lonia Langston was ill in the Lubbock sanitarium from Monday until Wednesday of this week.

Lynn Dougherty of Levelland, Tech graduate of last year, spent the week-end with friends in Lubbock.

Kathryn Maxwell of Hamilton is visiting friends on the campus. Miss Maxwell plans to enter Tech.

Ross Clark and Monroe Copeland were the week-end guests of relatives in Graham.

Loys Tubbs was ill last week-end in the Lubbock sanitarium.

James Abernathy, Tech student in 1928, was a visitor on the campus last Saturday.

E. B. Fincher has returned from Amarillo, where he underwent a tonsillectomy operation last week-end.

### Tech Praised By Capper's Editor

Congratulations to West Texas on having an agricultural college liberal enough and open-minded enough to adopt new ideas, especially in the field of the dairy industry, have been extended by Ray Capper, editor of the Capper's Farmer, editor of a special story appearing in the Avalanche-Journal. This story also states: "Following the suggestion of the Capper's Farmer a number of West

Mr. F. E. Ballard of the government department has been designated as Tech's representative to the third annual commonwealth convention to be held at the University of Iowa from June 30 to July 2 this summer.

Mr. Ballard has made some of his studies in government at the University of Iowa.

### Council Considers Freshman Petition

Consideration will be given to the petition of the freshman class requesting a convocation for the purpose of acting on a proposed amendment to the constitution giving the class more representation on the student council at the meeting of that body tonight.

A list of student violators of the provision in the constitution against the wearing of foreign letters on the campus will be approved to-night before being published in the next issue of The Toreador in compliance with the warning of the council issued several weeks ago.

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### Discusses World Labor Movement

Ogdon Emphasizes Need of International Economic And Industrial Understanding in World Peace

In his lecture at the regular meeting of the Pi Gamma Mu last Thursday night, Mr. M. E. Ogdon, of the government department, explained the organization and the working of the International Labor organization, which is a part of the League of Nations. Stressing the importance of the organization, Mr. Ogdon said, "An economic and industrial understanding between nations is absolutely essential to the maintenance of peace and good will between them."

He called attention to the problems confronting the organization and the extent to which it has been successful in solving them. "This conference," Mr. Ogdon said, "is a world-wide parliament, but not a super-state with its power lying in the soundness of its proposals."

After the address there was an open forum discussion of America's attitude toward the organization

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## In Tech Society

Social events are holding sway on the Tech campus this week with the coming of some of the most brilliant and long awaited affairs of the year. Outstanding among these are the freshman coronation and annual dance to be given at the Dance Palace Friday evening, March 28, the faculty ball, which will be held at the gymnasium on the same date, and the architects' first annual costume ball. These gala events have been preceded by a number of regular club social affairs and by several marriages.

### Miss Bardwell

#### Hostess To Sans Souci

Sans Souci members were favored with a delightful affair Saturday when Mary Lee Bardwell entertained with a 1 o'clock luncheon at the Hotel Lubbock.

Rainbow colors were featured in the decorations, which consisted of clusters of sweet peas and Easter lilies placed over mirrors on the U-shaped table. Sprigs of fern and sweet peas were scattered informally about the table, and pink tapers furnished effective means of lighting. Nut cups were in alternating colors of pink and green.

Orchestra music was enjoyed throughout the luncheon hour.

Special guests were: D'Ann Sammons and Evelyn Jones. Other members attending were: Dorothy Rushing, Zona Stiles, Lucile Moxley, Kate Boyd, Cornelia McCann, Catherine Jameson, Mary Ann Thompson, Christine Carter, Alma Spikes, Virginia Conley, Juanita Wiles, Helen Womack, Donna Vaughn, Alma Ralls, Mary Snyder, Anne Snyder, Mary Lou Bayless, Geraldine Smith, Faye George, Louise Pressgrove, and Mary Allen.

### Faculty Ball To Be

#### Given Tomorrow Night

The Faculty Ball which will be given members of the college faculty by the Architects Friday evening at the gymnasium will feature Mayan decorations and costumes. A reception is to be held in the gym from 8:30 until 9 o'clock.

President and Mrs. Paul Horn will lead the grand march, which will begin at 9 o'clock. The best costumes will be selected from among the guests and winners awarded Mayan prizes.

Members of the architectural department will enact a one-act playlet written by Professor F. A. Klein-schmidt and directed by Mrs. T. A. White. The cast of the play, "The Private Life of King Zumas," includes the following: Lloyd Wilson, as His Majesty, the King; Maurice Henderson, Princess Tum; Culver Hill, The Sock, the medicine man; Polly Puckett, first assistant to the medicine man; Robert Maxey, Charley Butcher, and John A. Davis, the first, second and third slaves, respectively.

The Green Brothers' orchestra will furnish music for the occasion.

### Former Tech Students

#### Are Married

Word has been received on the campus of the marriage of two former Tech students, Riley Alexander and Lois Parsar, in Juarez, Mexico, February 22.

Alexander received his degree from Tech in agriculture last year. He was in charge of the college greenhouse for two years. At the present time he is inspector for the department of agriculture of the United States government in El Paso.

Mrs. Alexander, formerly of Crosbyton, attended Tech for two years. She is now attending a local business college. She will join her husband in El Paso, May 1, and they will make their home there.

### Architects Plan

#### Elaborate Costume Ball

In the first annual costume ball to be given here Saturday evening,

the Architects will exhibit some of the cleverest and most unusual decorations ever employed here in a college affair.

The entrance to the dance floor will be in the form of a tiger's mouth. At the north end of the gymnasium a Mayan palace will be erected, and at the south end the orchestra stand is to be concealed behind a mass of tigers. The balustrades separating the floor from the stands, will be covered with winding snakes. The columns will be converted into weird totem poles, and between them panels, setting forth incongruous Mayan characters, will form a wall around the dance floor. The gymnasium is to be roofed by a blue ceiling.

Music for the affair will be furnished by Ewen Hall's Brunswick recording orchestra. A one-act playlet, "The Private Life of King Zumas," will be enacted by students in the architectural department. Prizes, consisting of incense burners from Maya, are to be awarded to the guests wearing the most original costumes. Any sort of costume may be worn to the affair; stags will be admitted in tuxedos.

### To Crown Freshman

#### Queen At Annual Ball

Coronation of the queen of the class will be the high point of the annual freshman dance to be held at the Dance Palace tomorrow night, March 28. Music by Ewen Hall's orchestra will begin at 8 o'clock and continue until the guests assemble.

The queen's court will include 15 ladies of honor from the freshman class, and their escorts, duchesses from each of the other three classes and their escorts, and a maid of honor, and escort. Other attendants will be: two heralds, two buglers, and two court jesters. Formal coronation of the queen will be at 9 o'clock, after the various members of the court have assembled.

The program will consist of novelty acts and stunts and special music by the orchestra. The queen and her escort, the freshman president, and members of the royal court are to lead the grand march, after which the guests will dance until midnight.

### Former Tech Beauty

#### Married In Amarillo

In an impressive ceremony at the First Presbyterian church in Amarillo, Afton Gilkerson, Tech graduate of 1929, became the bride of Charles R. Bacon Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The couple left immediately after the service for New Orleans and South Texas cities.

Mrs. Bacon is the daughter of George Gilkerson 1715 18th street. While a freshman in Tech, she was awarded a page in the beauty section of the La Ventana, she is a member of the La Chaparritas, girls' social club of the college. She has also attended the University of Southern California at Los Angeles.

Mr. Bacon is a former student of Wentworth Military academy and the University of Missouri, Columbia, where he was a member of Phi Delta Theta fraternity.

Upon returning to Lubbock, Mrs. Bacon will be honor guest at a tea

to be given by Miss Blanche Bacon and Miss Johnnie Gilkerson at the Country club.

Tech people attending the wedding were: Misses Voncile and Johnnie Gilkerson, and Blanche Bacon.

### College Club Entertains

#### With Smoker Sunday

College club members, pledges, and alumni were entertained with a smoker Sunday evening, March 23, at the Hotel Lubbock. A talk was given by Dead-eye Underwood, and pledges of the club rendered a program.

Guests present were: Harold Smith, Claude Thompson, Floyd Woodbridge, Milton Moffatt, Wayland Houser, Tedo Hazelwood, and Don Maddox.

Alumni attending were Dead-eye Underwood and Jack Castle.

Members and pledges were: Carl Pfleger, Raymond Fringer, Hiley Boyd, J. P. Ruhman, C. A. Doose, Charlie Woodbridge, Brad Nunne-lee, Bill Caldwell, Buddy Brothers, winding snakes. The columns will be converted into weird totem poles, and between them panels, setting forth incongruous Mayan characters, will form a wall around the dance floor. The gymnasium is to be roofed by a blue ceiling.

### Large Number Attend

#### Open House Party

Over one hundred people were in attendance at the monthly Open House given for Methodist young people in the church parlors Sunday afternoon, March 23. Frank Stone entertained the guests with accordion numbers, and John Louis Cook gave several piano selections. Songs were led by Hunter Richardson.

Upon going to the chapel the group heard a talk on "Freedom," by Mrs. William Dingus. Fred Fairly gave a violin number, with Miss Beulah Dunn accompanying on the piano.

Melba Mae Tatum was in charge of the entertainment, and Hazel Gruver arranged the program.

### Mrs. Horn Hostess

#### At Musicale

Mrs. Paul W. Horn entertained members of the Wesley Builders class of the First Methodist church with a musicale at her home on the campus Monday evening. A program consisting of piano, violin, vocal and dance numbers was given by a selected group of local artists.

### Sports Dance Carries

#### Saint Patrick Theme

Gale Quinlan, Lucile Hartzog, Mary Lois Gamel, Beth Wulfman, Louise St. Claire, and Camille Stobaugh were hostesses to members of the La Chaparritas and their escorts at a sports dance Wednesday evening of last week at the Country club. The Saint Patrick's theme was emphasized in the decorations. About 60 guests attended.

### Ruhman Heads

#### College Club

At the regular meeting of the College club, held Thursday of last week at the Hotel Lubbock, the following officers were elected for the spring term: J. P. Ruhman, president; Raymond Pfleger, vice-

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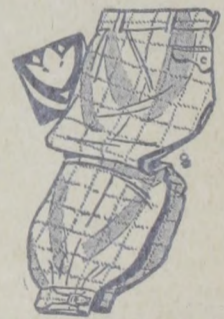
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