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George Dupree To Address Summer Graduating Class

Commencement Set For Friday Night

Smallest Class In Recent History Finishes With 37

SOME 37 graduating seniors of Texas Tech will hear an address by the Honorable George W. Dupree, prominent Lubbock attorney, August 20 on the Administration building green. The commencement exercises are scheduled to begin at 8:00 p. m. Mr. Dupree has been most active in Lubbock and the South Plains area since he established residence here in 1928, and is much in demand as a speaker. He was graduated from John Tarleton Agricultural College in Stephenville and the University of Texas Law school.



George W. Dupree

Yearbook, Paper Need Managers For Coming Year

Business Heads Are Called Into Service Leaving Jobs Open

August 13 finds the publications of Texas Tech facing a dark and gloomy future. Both the Treador and La Ventana are without a business manager, and it will be late in September before these positions can possibly be filled. The Publications committee will not be organized before that time and an announcement will have to be made of these vacancies and published in the college newspaper at least a week before the appointment is made.

The Treador, for some four months of last spring a headache to all committee members, has been without a business manager since July 1 of this year when Jack Stewart received his call to the Navy. Stewart was appointed last spring in the final meeting of the committee to fill the office of Burton Crossen, business manager elect, who was called into the Army Air Forces during the election at La Ventana has suffered equally as ill fate with its offices. The editor's position was left open on the ballot last spring when the lone candidate for that office, Dick Ragsdale, was proved ineligible by the Publications committee.

Roy Williams and Eleanor Cotton applied for the position as early as the 1944 edition of the annual. Williams withdrew his application after receiving word of his approaching call to the Navy. Eleanor Cotton was then appointed to head the yearbook for the coming year.

George Acton was lone candidate for the business manager's position on the yearbook. He replaced Dick Ragsdale during the spring, but has since been called into the Army. That office is also open.

Bids have been let on the 1944 annual. This was done late in the spring semester. Southwestern Engraving Company of Dallas, who has done the work in 1940, 1941 and 1942, received the engraving contract.

The Economy Advertising Company of Iowa City, Iowa was awarded the contract for the printing of next year's annual. This company has been doing this for the past several years.

Daniel Studio of Lubbock was once again given the bid of photography for the coming La Ventana. This company has done work for the Tech annual during the past years.

Minnesota game wardens are attempting to scatter a large flock of pheasants threatening the huge victory garden at the College of St. Catherine.

In spite of the decrease of enrollment at the University of Oregon, figures for the number of library reserve books checked out overnight are on the increase.

The Texas Christian university campus was without a single varsity sports squad last spring, probably for the first time in 50 years.

Weede To Appear At Tech

Great Baritone Of Metropolitan On Artist Course

Steber, Slavensky Don Cossack Chorus Also Scheduled Here

Texas Tech students of the '43-'44 school year will have the privilege of seeing and hearing four great performances in the Artist Course Series of the year. The series include: Robert Weede, Metropolitan Opera star; the General Plattoff Don Cossack Chorus; Mia Slavenska, dance ensemble and Eleanor Steber, soprano of the Metropolitan Opera.

Robert Weede, great dramatic baritone of the Metropolitan Opera Company will sing here in October. He appeared in the title role of "Rigoletto" at the Metropolitan for the 1940-41 season. Since his debut in the spring of 1937, Weede has been cast in such roles as: Tonio in "Pagliacci"; Escamillo in "Carmen"; Germont in "La Traviata"; and Amos in "Aida." Upon graduation from the Christian Brother's school in Baltimore he studied under George Castle, famous Baltimore voice teacher. In 1927, Weede was the winner of the National Federation of Music Clubs contest and continued his studies at the Eastman School of Music under supervision of Adelin Fernin. Through award of the Caruso Memorial Foundation in 1929, Weede went to Italy, where he was coached for a year and a half by one of the finest of all operatic coaches, Oscar Anselmi. Edward Johnson, general manager of the Metropolitan, characterizes Weede's performance in "Rigoletto" as "extraordinary."

The General Plattoff Don Cossack Chorus under the direction of Nicholas Kozdroukoff was organized in 1926 in Prague. The chorus is made up of 27 Russians from the region of the Don in southern Russia. It made its debut in Vienna in 1926 and in the United States in 1939 at the San Francisco World's Fair. The programs include Russian liturgical music and folk-songs, Cossack melodies, battle-songs, and dances. These Cossacks, who appear in the military dress of a Cossack soldier, are exiles from their native land. The chorus is named for the famous Cossack General Plattoff who was renowned for aiding in the turning back of Napoleon's invading army on Moscow. The total number of concerts presented in the United States by this group in 1942-43 amounted to 224. These performances included a number of subsequent USO tours of camps and naval bases. Solo voices in the chorus cover the range from high soprano to lowest bass, while the chorus itself can produce a stunning massed tone.

The programs are exciting, almost to the point of being spectacular. The Don Cossack chorus will make its appearance at Texas Tech in November. Ballerina, Mia Slavenska of the Ballet Russe du Monte Carlo will appear with her dance ensemble in February. She was born in Slavenski-Brod, Yugoslavia and studied at the Royal Academy of Music in Zagreb. At 13 she gave a grand performance at the Zagreb Opera House with her ensemble in a program entirely arranged and choreographed by her. She later went to Paris where she studied under Madame Bronislava Nijinska of the Russian School of Ballet. She appeared in "Swan Triumphs" as "Giselle." "Swan

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MIA SLAVENSKA



ELEANOR STEBER



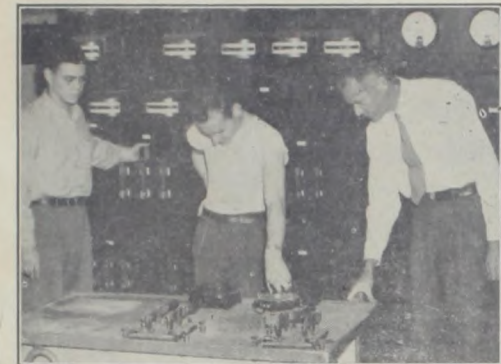
ROBERT WEEDE

Dr. Walter H. Hodge, instructor in botany at Massachusetts State College, has been appointed by the United States board of economic warfare to aid in the search for new sources of quinine in South America.

Simons college has announced an intensive program in dietics for college graduates, to be offered for the first time with the opening of the summer session in July.

For the first time in the history of Colby Junior college (N. H.), students are being enrolled in nursing and pre-flight courses.

Western Reserve university is recipient of a fellowship for research in public relations from Edward L. Bernays.



Pictured above are two of the four Tech graduate engineers selected by Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Co. Pictured are Gilbert Knox and William Flynt with Professor Helwig, Tech professor.

Four Tech Engineers To Westinghouse

Knox, Flynt, Laird, Patton Join Company For Training

FOUR graduate engineers of Texas Tech have been accepted by the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company of East Pittsburg, Pennsylvania. The four men who have joined the company are Gilbert Knox of Houston, William Flynt of Fort Stockton, Lloyd Laird of Lornezo, and John Patton of Amarillo.

All will become members of the company's graduate student course, designed to train them for future work in the electrical industry. It was more than fifty years ago that this graduate course was established to bridge the gap between the academic preparation of college and university courses and actual productive work in the industry. In the course about six to ten months are devoted to helping the graduate find the particular job for which he is best suited.

Gilbert Knox received his Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering in May 1943. Knox was born in 1922 in Riverdale, Nebraska. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Knox of 6526 Myrtle Street, Houston.

Knox attended Amarillo Junior College prior to entering Tech. At the former he was a member of Sigma Alpha Delta, social fraternity. At Tech he joined the student branch, American Institute of Electrical Engineers, the Engineering Society, and the Los Camarados social club.

William Flynt graduated from Tech last May with a Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering. Born in 1921 he is the son of Mrs. H. W. Christman of Fort Stockton, Texas.

Flynt specialized in the study of electronic control devices at college, with emphasis on modern applications. He was a member of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers while in Tech.

Lloyd Laird graduated from Lornezo High school in 1938 and entered Tech the same year. He received his degree in Mechanical Engineering in May of this year. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Laird of Lornezo, his father being postmaster in that city.

While in college he was active in campus technical groups including the Engineering Society, the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, and others. During his senior year he was a member of Los Camarados.

John Patton received his Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering in May of this year. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cy Patton, Sr., now of 1000 Monroe Street, Amarillo.

Patton took a three-year pre-engineering course at Amarillo College before entering Tech. In both schools he was a member of various engineering societies. At Tech he was a member of the student branch, American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

Enrollment of students for correspondence work through the University of Texas extension teaching bureau this year totals 1,555, as compared with 1,398 last year.

Wiley Blount Redledge, new associate justice of the United States supreme court, is a University of Wisconsin graduate.

Accurate predictions of a student's success in a study of life sciences has been made possible through a series of tests developed at the University of Arizona.

Education and psychology departments at Colgate university have started a special study in the field of occupations to determine how the university can give increased service to industry.

Thirty-Nine Men Pledge Clubs In Summer Session

Wranglers Top List With 13; Socii Are Second With Twelve

The names of thirty-nine boys were released by the Dean of Men's office as having pledged one of the four active men's social clubs during the summer. It is the first time in the history of the college that rushing functions have been carried on during the summer term, although some of the clubs were active last year.

The four remaining clubs on the campus who took part in the summer activities, which also includes an all-club dance, are Socii, Los Camarados, Wrangler, and Centaur. The Silver Key, College Club, Kemas clubs became inactive at the close of the spring semester, but will become active again in the fall if it is at all possible.

The Wrangler club led the four clubs functioning during the short term with thirteen potential members. With a close second is Socii, receiving twelve boys. The Centaur club was third with eleven cards signed in their preference, and the Los Camarados pledged three new men.

Rush functions were held by these clubs during the first week of the second semester. Any person who had been in college for the preceding semester was eligible to pledge. To become a member in full all pledges must have a one point or C average, for the entire summer's work. If this is made, all pledges will be eligible for formal initiation immediately after long session opens.

Pledges being taken into the Wrangler club are Billy Aycock, Jerry Goff, Donald Hockaday, William Jackson, Jerry Kelly, Jesse Lee, John Lybrand, Jerry Longley, Ralph Mecuiker, William Murfee, Trent C. Root, Albert Smith, and Dan Young.

Socii signed the following twelve men: Rollin Albers, Brac Biggers, Royce Blankenship, William Carroll, Robert Gaston, Tom Hassell, Gene Lunsford, Merrill Norton, Irvin St. Clair, Raymond Swofford, Clyde Williams, and Dalton Woods.

Eleven pledges will enter the Centaur club this fall. They are Burton Clifton, Robert Corfee, Richard Dickey, Raymond Fitzgerald, Aubrey Ferguson, David Johnson, Irl Larrimore, John Latham, George McLendon, E. H. Powell, and Bill Barnett.

Los Camarados pledged Roy Baker, James Cherry, and Paul Haskins.

An exhibition of high school art, representing all high schools in Queens, New York, was held recently at Queens college.

The University of California's \$23,722,000 endowment rates thirteenth among American universities.

Correspondence Enrollment Shows Increase During Year

Figures released by the Extension Division show an increase in correspondence students during the past year to total 254. This includes correspondence courses and extension class courses.

Between the dates of September 1 of 1941 and August 1 of 1942 there were 1293 registered for extension work here. Between the same dates of the past year there have been 1547 enrollees, according to J. F. McDonald, head of the Extension division.

The Tech enrollment form, as reported by high officials in the national government, was the most acceptable and most often requested of the 70 colleges and universities offering work to the armed forces. More copies have been asked for by national officials to send to other colleges as an example and to better coordinate the national program.

New work is being planned this year in correspondence work to men in the service. One hundred and forty nine of these courses are at present worked out cooperatively with the United States Armed Forces Institute. In this program the government pays one half the cost of the course, which also includes all necessary textbooks.

During the past months the Extension office has been busily engaged in preparing in a uniform manner some samples of the courses to be offered, and these pamphlets are to be sent to Washington for reference purposes. A new contract has recently been received and signed for another year's work in this field.

Although many ex-Techians are listed among those taking extension work, the majority of the enrollees are persons who have never

been to college. Those former students of Tech who are enrolled in courses have assured instructors that they plan to return here after the war for the further continuation of their college education.

Practically every state in the Union is represented in the enrollment, and various places over-seas. The work being carried on by the Extension office virtually covers the entire world.

Some of the places represented, although many are merely postoffice addresses for secrecy, are Oregon, Texas, Virginia, Florida, Oklahoma, New York (an army post office indicating over-seas duty), Fleet post office in San Francisco, U. S. Naval Station in New York, Tennessee, Louisiana, Alabama, California, and various other places throughout the nation.

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Homesick For You

FOR THE eighteenth consecutive year appears a Homesick Edition of The Toreador welcoming old students back to school...

This year, more than ever before, does the Homesick edition carry special significance.

Though there is not one among them who does not wish he were joining us again when school opens in September...

Returning students will have more and more responsibility shoved upon them, while new students will shoulder such responsibility much faster than have students in the past.

It is our hope that no obstacle shall arise that is too great for us to conquer. We are assured that this will not happen if a coordinated and cooperative student body is formed.

One For All...All For One

CERTAINLY our predecessors had little conception of the future facing Texas Tech when they left this campus in years gone by...

Those students of days gone by would be even more astounded to find that very few people know exactly who our student officers are for the coming year...

That is the attitude we hope to avert by instilling in the present group of Techsians enough loyalty, coordination, and spirit to overcome such a petty obstacle as the present manpower shortage.

Newcomers to Texas Tech, commonly referred to as Fish, must carry out a double life. First, they must carry on as freshmen have done in the past, and serve their apprenticeship here as others have.

There are also many persons here who have been satisfied to let others carry out the duties of seeing that the school is kept running on a democratic basis.

It has been said in the past by Henry George in Social Problems, and mentioned in these columns also, "We cannot safely leave politics to politicians...

What we are hoping for and working toward is a closely knit student body that will let nothing stand in its way toward achieving a successful year at Tech.

It has been noted, and can not be truthfully denied by any group or individual, that this campus has had many organizations in the past, closely held together, and heatedly opposing one another.

"Together we stand, divided we fall" will certainly hold true to Texas Tech in 1943 and the coming years.

We hope to eliminate all grudges dating back to years gone by, and one that no person can trace to a definite origin.

There are none among us who do not want to see Tech a place of which we can be proud. There is but one way to do it, and that is to see our school safely through the present ciris.

For the continuation of a great institution's growth to an even greater one we are asking all, and urging all to be "one for all... all for one"...

AMERICAN HEROES BY LEFF



When our mortars were pounding Maknassy Hill near Sidi Ba-Sid in Africa, Private James Rugolo of Brooklyn, New York, was one of the men bringing up the ammunition...

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In a recent "smile measuring" contest held in a Tech classroom, results showed MADELINE WEETH the winner...

BETTY JO ZACHARY of Fort Worth is visiting FRANCINE YOUNG. They were former roommates at TSCW.

What was the punishment of a recent bunch of pledges when they met for a club meeting?

BILL WILLIAMS, ex-Techman, who was on the campus recently, was receiving attention from the National Democratic Committee...

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We Must Carry On At Tech As We Have Before

Student Opinion Editors note. We hope to begin once again a column in this newspaper that will truly reflect the ideas and thoughts of the students of Texas Tech...

The question of the week is: Do you think student activities can be carried on as usual here next year?

Martha (Prissy) Price, sophomore from Childress; Certainly activities should be carried on as usual.

Willis T. Carson, graduate from Austin; I see no reason why the majority of activities should be curtailed.

Bill Morrison, senior from Lubbock; "Definitely not! Nothing, while the war is going on can be carried on as usual."

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A Techsan Speaks

Until September— AFTER some two months absence from the Toreador offices, much to the relief of a weary student body, I am rather hesitant to once again commit myself on any subject that might cause discussion.

To the freshman who has entered school during the summer and who knows little about Tech, its functions and its history, I might outline briefly some of the more important things about life at Texas Tech.

Tech has long been noted for its record as "the most democratic" except in the limitation on choice of candidates. We students should be just as capable as ever of running ourselves.

Earl Christie, sophomore from Fremont, Ohio; "Yes, I think student activities can be carried on at Tech next year. However, I do feel it will take the full, whole-hearted cooperation of each student to make these activities a success."

Jim Witt, junior from Lubbock; "Yes, if we did not, we would be much better off if we gave a little more time to our books, and a little less to our night life."

Lehmer Graham, senior from Lubbock; "In order to carry on the activities as usual, the activities must have the full cooperation and support of the student body."

Martha (Prissy) Price, sophomore from Childress; Certainly activities should be carried on as usual. There will always be enough students regardless of age and the size of the student body to continue where the upperclassmen leave off.

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will look back upon your "fish" days as the happiest you had in college. Never forget one fact... BE YOURSELF AT ALL TIMES!

A pause to define the word success... Here, you do not have to hold an office or have persons come to you for advice before you are a success.

As long as you take an active part in all campus activities, and as long as you hold the best interests of the school at heart, you will continue to be a part of Tech, and a successful part.

This may sound like so much malarkey when it is read, but it is written with the hope that each and every student, including some upperclassmen who have rather neglected their duties during past months, will read it and think about it.

I am not discouraging study and hard work in class. Perhaps many of us, and me for one, would be much better off if we gave a little more time to our books...

From the moment you entered Tech, or shall enter, it was as much yours as any senior here. There are a few minor activities that freshmen must go through...

The Constitution has set aside provisions to see that persons who take part in such activities uphold their grades. If they can not carry on both activities at the same time successfully they are removed from office.

From the moment you entered Tech, or shall enter, it was as much yours as any senior here.

There are a few minor activities that freshmen must go through, but they are for the betterment of the individual and to bring about a closer relationship between the entire student body.

When an upper classman corrects you, perhaps at times a little bluntly, he is trying to do you a favor.

When you have passed from the days of the green cap and shingle when you

Cheer up!—it's only a short time until school opens! It has been an old custom of ours to WELCOME you back to the campus again for another school year...

It is a custom that has been in vogue for years and this year we are especially anxious to be the first to welcome you back...

"See You at the Bookstore" Yes, "see you at the bookstore" is a phrase as collegiate as the campus itself...

Students have been saying it for a long time and there really must be something to it when all the SENIORS say it, the JUNIORS say it—and even the FROSH are catching on...

There's A Real Reason The real reason is that all the students like to meet the gang at the bookstore to talk over nearly every event that has gone on or that they expect to take place in the near future...

Well---O. K., Then... As has been the custom in the past, as all the students have said before... "WELL—O. K. THEN... SEE YOU AT THE BOOKSTORE"

Advertisement for the Texas Tech College Bookstore, featuring 'See You at the Bookstore', 'There's A Real Reason', and 'Well---O. K., Then...'. Includes logo for 'LET'S GO! U.S.A. KEEP 'EM FLYING!' and 'PUT THE SAYING IN DEFENSE BONDS'.

Red Raiders Open Workouts September 5

Football Question Settled By Council

Morganmen Face Season With Callahan, Schlinkman Back

A UNANIMOUS vote by members of the Texas Tech athletic council assured West Texas football fans that the Red Raiders of the South Plains would once again compete in intercollegiate football. This vote was taken early last week, and was the final assurance that Techsians would not be without a squad of representatives on the gridiron during 1943.

Coach Dell Morgan and his Matadors face a rough season again this year with most games to be played on the road, but with the return of several last year's stars, plus some sparkling new material, the situation at Tech is shaping up with a fine glow. Coach Morgan plans to open practice September 5 and is expecting some 35 men to be on hand the first day. Once again leading the Red and Black aggregation will be J. R. Callahan and Walter Schlinkman in the backfield. Both of these men are in the Naval V-5 program and are not expecting their call for some months.

Callahan is a two year letterman on Coach Morgan's teams, and faces one of his most successful seasons during the coming months. Schlinkman, hard-driving fullback, has been carrying out his duties for Coach Morgan's varsity but one year, but proved himself to be invaluable in the gridiron.

There is the possibility that Donald Austin will once again don the Scarlet and Black when practice opens in September. A new Border conference rule will make Austin eligible for competition, as well as a general rule in the entire Southwest. This however, is unconfirmed by officials.

Buster Melton, freshman star of last season, will again don football togs for Texas Tech. Melton is a speedy, rugged runner from Merkel, and has proved his value to the Raiders.

Bolestering a "jet" now which that

promises to be big but unexperienced, will be E. W. Buck Gillenwater, massive tackle of past seasons. Gillenwater is also in the V-5 program.

Assisting the above mentioned men in protecting Tech's football honors will be Donald Grove, 16 year old tackle who can shift to the end position; Delbert Cooper, another 16 year old who plays half-back or end; John Smith, tackle; Silas Dufey, 190 pound end who played under Coach Morgan during the spring campaign; Ed Robinson, sixteen year old tackle from Post; Phillip Wynn, center.

Coach Morgan has said that if Texas Tech is a football power during the coming season, he will have to build the team from the ground up. He is counting heavily on the extensive use of 16 and 17 year old men fresh from high schools. Coach Morgan is now in Waco at the annual High School Coaches Association meeting looking over prospects from the various high schools of this state.

The Raiders schedule has them opening the season September 24 with Oklahoma A & M, but officials are attempting to slate a game for the 18th of next month in Lubbock.

Despite withdrawal of Harvard and Yale because of wartime sports curtailment, the Eastern Intercollegiate Baseball league is playing a full schedule of 20 games.

They Lead 1943 Raiders....



J. R. CALLAHAN WALTER SCHLINKMAN

'Season On Road' Facing Morganmen

Techsians Play Two Games In Lubbock; Journey To Others

WITH TWO open dates left on their schedule, the Texas Tech Red Raiders open practice September 5, facing a season with but two home games slated. This means a lot of road work for the Techsians, but Coach Dell Morgan and his staff are looking forward to a successful season against such teams as Texas A & M, Texas Christian, Rice, Tul-

sa, and Southern Methodist. An open date on September 18 will probably be filled with some service team according to Bill Parker, Tech publicity director. Parker has made the same statement about the October 16 date, as yet unfilled. In all probability one of these will be a local team, while contacts are being made with the Kirtland Air Field at Albuquerque, New Mexico.

The second game of the season will be in Oklahoma City on September 24 with the powerful Oklahoma Aggies, who handed the Red Raiders a 9 to 6 defeat last season. It was the first time in the history of this rivalry that an Oklahoma team downed a Scarlet-clad aggregation from Lubbock.

Following the game the Raiders will journey into South Texas to give battle to the Texas Aggies at Alamo Stadium in San Antonio. The Aggies also proved the better team last season, downing the Raiders at Kyle Field, 19 to 0.

Next come the mighty Tulsa University's Golden Hurricane. This will be the first meeting between the two schools. The Raiders will be playing their third straight game on the road as this game is slated to be held in Tulsa.

The following week is so far open, but officials hope to schedule a game in the local stadium to give the Raiders a rest. Following the open date comes a game in Lubbock, the first of the season already on the schedule, with the New Mexico Lobos of Albuquerque. Last season the Raiders handed this team a 20 to 0 defeat on the Lobo's home grounds.

Rice Institute will again play host to the Techsians in Houston on October 30. Last season the Owls downed the Techsians in a

Texas Football For 1944 Cut To Eight Teams

Red Raiders, Ags Only Elevens Made Up Of Civilians

Texas football has been narrowed from "the game on every corner" proportion formerly seen in this section, down to the narrow margin of eight competitive teams. Of these eight competing teams, five are in the Southwest conference, one remains in the Border conference, one from the Texas Conference and one from the Texas Junior College conference.

In the Southwest conference, excluding Arkansas, the out-of-state team of that bracket, the list includes Texas, Texas Christian, Southern Methodist, Rice, and Texas A & M.

Texas Tech is the lone survivor in the Border Conference. The Techsians boast one of the two all-civilian teams in this sector. The other civilian team is Texas A & M.

Southwestern is the team in the Texas conference who is to carry on for that bracket, and with the number of college stars in reserve placed on their campus, prove to be one of the "big guns" in the Southwestern play this season.

North Texas Agricultural College at Arlington is the other team to compete in intercollegiate sports during the coming season. This was made possible by the placing of Marine reservists on their campus. This list includes four former Techsians, Harold Crossen, end from Dallas; James Reed, guard from Crosbyton; Peter Blanda, back from Youngwood, Pennsylvania; and Doyle Carraway, guard from Sherman, and selected on the second string "Little All-America" team last season.

Baylor, formerly scheduled for the Red Raiders, is the only major casualty in the Southwest conference. This school was forced to drop football due to the shortage of manpower among their players and coaching staff also. With the passing of the army's ban on their students participating in intercollegiate sports, came the announcement by Baylor officials that there would be no Golden Bears in 1943, or for the duration.

Of the five teams remaining in the Southwest conference, and within the boundaries of this state, the Red Raiders play four of them, TCU, SMU, Rice, and A & M.

Tom Douglass receives Commission In Air Corps

Tom Douglass, former Red Raider football star, has been awarded his commission as a lieutenant in the Army Air forces. Douglass is in the maintenance engineers corp. He was graduated recently from the training station at Yale University.

Douglass left Tech during the past year to go into training for this branch. While here he was a member of the College Club and Double T association, as well as being active in student government.

Ralph Kauffman, 34-year-old University of Iowa law student, received the highest grade in recent State bar examinations despite the fact he is blind.

Members of the all-star high school squads arrived Monday. Jones will coach the South squad and Frnka the North. The game will be played this afternoon.



BOOSTING hopes for Texas Tech football fans is the possibility that "Donald Duck" Austin may again don the Red and Black when practice opens on September 5. Under a new Border conference rule Austin is eligible for competition in intercollegiate sports.

Former Techsian Visits On Campus During Week

Recent visitor on the campus was Byron Gilbreath, Red Raider athletic star of recent years. Gilbreath is now a staff-sergeant with the physical education branch of the United States army.

Gilbreath recently completed his training for his present job, and was president of the graduating class. While here in school he was a member of the College Club and Double T association.

Professors at the University of California at Los Angeles are tilling 32 Victory garden plots laid out on the campus.



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Detachment Has Exceptional Student

Robert Gray Has Served In Combat Zones As Civilian

AMONG the new students now enrolled at Tech with the Air Forces Training Detachment is Robert Gray, of Pittsburg, Pennsylvania. Gray's background is one that proves interesting both to the person familiar with aeroplanes and to those who are merely interested in air power.

After finishing high school Gray entered the Penn State School of Aeronautics, which is under the supervision of the War Department. He specialized as an aircraft armament technician, and after a very fast advancement was sent to the Army Power-Turret School in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Upon the completion of his work at Indianapolis Gray was assigned to work at the Middletown Air Depot. While there it was his duty to aid in the rearmament of planes that had been damaged in the European war theater. These planes were shipped back from the front to be made ready for combat use again.

After a period there he and his fellow technicians were transferred to the San Bernardino Air Base in California to make ready a contingent, the first of its kind under Lend-Lease, of B-17's. These Fortresses were to be shipped to Australian forces.

After three months work at this post Gray was transferred to his first combat zone, while still a civilian. This post was Cuba and the work was carried on under approximately combat conditions repairing Army and Navy planes. Among other things accomplished at this base, Gray mastered the rhumba.

Again the workers were returned to the states after a short period on the island, this time reporting to Long Beach, California. Immediately after arriving they were again packed and shipped. This time their destination was Hickham Field, Hawaii. They spent their time in this post repairing planes later damaged by the Japs in their raid on Pearl Harbor. Included in this were damaged planes returned from the Southeastern war theater in the Pacific.

Four months later the technicians were ordered home, and hoped for a brief rest. But they were assigned to re-assemble the armament on the B-25 Mitchell bombers that were used by Jimmie Doolittle on his raid over Tokyo. Gray considers this the most important job of his career.

Soon after completing this assignment Gray applied for duty as a cadet with the Army Air Forces. This was made possible through a military furlough from the War Department, to which he shall re-

New Directors Named For Tech Pre-Flight Crew

Lt. Louis Grinnel Succeeds McCormick As Training Head

Official announcements have been made of the appointment of three new officers to the 309th College Training Detachment at Tech. These officers are 1st Lieutenant Louis C. Grinnel, designated as director of Training and succeeding Captain George D. McCormick, transferred to the West Coast Training Command; Lt. James A. Speas, Technical Officer of Group I; and Lt. Harry Layton, who is public relations director.

Lt. Grinnel is from Minneapolis, Minnesota, and came to Lubbock from Washington, D.C. where he was Commandant of Students, 314 College Training Detachment. Previously he was Squadron Commander in an air corps basic training center, and Liaison officer for the 4th Command, San Francisco, California.

Lt. Grinnel has stated his convictions that the aviation students are getting the best pre-flight training in the world, and is much interested in guiding the pre-flight training program in such a way that every aviation student will receive permanent benefit from it, not only as a soldier, but also later as a civilian.

He is an expert tennis player, and is keenly interested in all competitive sports. He has given his belief to be that the physical training program offered by the Army Air Corps is designed for a healthier life and well-being.

Lt. and Mrs. Grinnel are making their home in Lubbock. Lt. Speas is a graduate from AAFOS, and has four years of college ROTC training behind him. He is a former student of the University of Wyoming, that being his home state, and while there was a member of Alpha Tau Omega and Scabard and Blade, honorary military fraternity.

Bruno Walter to appear in the performance of the Mozart Requiem. She has appeared on such programs as the Ford Hour, Coca Cola Hour and the New York Philharmonic-Symphony and Metropolitan Opera broadcasts. Her first teacher was her mother, an accomplished musician. She studied with William Whitney at the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston. She later coached with Paul Alt-house, leading tenor of the Metropolitan Opera. She was awarded first honors in the spring of 1940 when she entered the Metropolitan Opera Auditions.

Summer Students Hear Five Artist Course Guesis

Students at Texas Tech this summer had the opportunity to witness five performances in the Summer Artists Course series. The programs included the Laubins, Indian dancers; Soo Yong, distinguished Chinese actress; Jeanne Madden, lyric-coloratura soprano; Cartland-Cook, table tennis championship exhibition; and Scheetz and Company, Magicians.

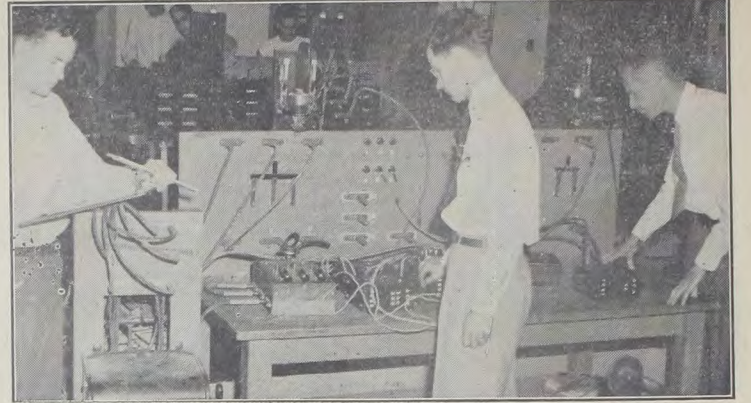
Regional and Gladys Laubin, Indian dance artists, appeared as the first of the series of programs, June 10. The Laubins are honorary members of the Sioux tribe. Their dances are symbolic of the ancient ceremonies of the tribe.

Soo Yong, Chinese actress and monologist presented the monoplay, "Out From the Inner Apartments," June 14, in which she appeared first as a young Chinese flapper and from that to Chinese peasantry to antique great grandmother P.O. The time at the beginning of the play is just prior to the Republican Revolution, in 1911 and extends through 1927. Soo Yong presented as the second and final part of her program, a Chinese drama of the Eighteenth Century, "The Rainbow Pass."

Jeanne Madden, lyric-coloratura soprano, who has appeared in musical plays, operas and has presented concerts in numerous cities presented a program on June 17. Miss Madden was a protegee of the famous Prima Donna of the Metropolitan Opera, Queen Mario, at the age of 16. Her program included such melodies as: Let Not Age, Giordani; Clair de lune, Szulic; Le Nelumbo, Moret; Jewel Song from "Faust," Gounod; O Mio Babbino, Puccini; and Come into These Yellow Sands, LaForge.

Pianist, Maurice Dumesnil and author, composer, and singer, Evangeline Lehman presented a joint recital on July 15. The program in five parts was made up of selections of Schumann, Debussy, Chausson, Saint Saens, Chopin and Dr. Lehman. During Dr. Lehman's residence in France she gained distinction as the contralto soloist at the American Cathedral, Paris.

Maurice Dumesnil has appeared with such orchestras in Europe as: Colonne and Lamoureux orchestras in Paris, the Amsterdam Concertgebouw, the Berlin Philharmonic, the Tonhalle in Zurich and the Madrid Philharmonic. A Table Tennis championship exhibition was a presentation of Douglas Cartland and Harry Cook on July 22. Cartland is the southern states champion while Cook holds a record as Canadian national singles champion. Cook is an outstanding defensive player and Cartland an offensive player. Raymond Scheetz, magician, clo-



TWO TEXAS Tech graduates, along with Professor Helwig, who have recently joined the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company are pictured above. They are Lloyd Laird of Lorenzo, and John Patton of Amarillo.

Former Techsan Awarded Medal For Gallantry

James Connolly Of Tahoka One Of 19th Bombardment Crew

Former Techsan James Connolly of Tahoka, now an aviation cadet at the San Antonio Aviation Cadet Center and formerly a member of the oft-decorated 19th Bombardment group, has been awarded the Silver Star for "gallantry in action" while a staff-sergeant-aerial gunner with the latter group mentioned above.

Connolly left Tech and went into the field artillery. He left this country for over-seas duty on November 21, 1941 headed for the Philippine Islands. He was aboard ship about five days out of Honolulu when war broke out on December 7 and the course of the ship was changed. He arrived in Australia on Christmas Day of 1941. Shortly afterward, while in Java, he transferred to the Army Air forces because of a need for aerial gunners, and was then assigned to the now-famed 19th.

He credits skillful handling of a battered B-17 for the safe return of the entire crew of a bomber which had slugged it out toe-to-toe with a Jap invasion fleet on Milne Bay. "Going in," he said, "I saw the B-17 on our left wing knocked down. It jettisoned its bombs and went hurtling down in flames. Our pilot, Captain Casper of Humboldt, Texas, didn't waver. The Japs were using deck guns, pom-pom, machine guns, rifles and what-not, but Captain Casper took our ship, the 'Daylight Limited', right on in.

After the run we had holes in our wings, one motor was knocked out, the tires were punctured, the landing gear was damaged and a burst in the side had wounded our side gunner. We knew the 'Daylight Limited' never would fly again, but the captain was determined to get the plane back to the base to salvage

Teacher Placement Surpasses All Hopes

Forty-Five Of Ninety Given Positions Throughout State

PLACEMENT of teachers surpassed all expectations this year in the Tech Teacher Placement department as forty persons were given jobs out of the ninety-five enrollees.

This was some twenty per cent above all expectations, according to Dr. Doyle D. Jackson, director of the bureau. It was an increase in number of some sixty to seventy per cent over the past year's work, and the greatest expected by officials was somewhere in the neighborhood of forty per cent.

Those receiving positions through the work of the department were Miss Wardell Sweatt of Munday, Texas, who was elected to teach grade school at Amherst; Betty Nell Smith of Ropesville, elected to teach physical education for women at Floydada; Miss Alva Reynolds of Lubbock, elected to teach mathematics in Ralls; Mrs. Muriel Mann of Lubbock, elected to teach at Brownfield; Miss Jean Holloman of Littlefield, elected to teach at Amherst.

Mrs. E. M. Triplitt of Balmorhea was elected to teach in the fourth grade at Meadow; Miss Neoma Strayhorn of Snyder will teach in the Southland public schools; Mrs. Sarah McInturf of Lubbock, named to teach in the grades at Lott; Mrs. Tommie Hankins of Lubbock, elected to teach in the grades at Arlington Public Schools; Peyton Amons of Rotan was elected to the Superintendency of the Quittits parts.

"We radioed ahead for them to stand by for a crash landing. Everything went all right for about the first 30 yards when the landing gear folded up and the plane started skidding on its belly. All at once it swerved to the edge of the runway and crashed into some trees. Nobody was hurt, but we knew that was the end of the 'Daylight Limited'. We were just lucky we had a good pilot."

Connolly came back to the United States when the 19th was ordered back to Pyote, Texas. He applied for pilot training, was accepted and was sent to the Cadet Center to undertake studies preliminary to actual flight training.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Connolly of Tahoka. Connolly attended Texas Tech the fall semester of 1940, and was in the Division of Arts and Sciences.

schools; K. S. McKinnon of Slaton was elected elementary principal at Olney; Muriel Richey of Lubbock was named a teacher at Ropes; and Miss Birdie Dreyer of Wilson was elected to teach at Lamesa.

Mrs. Leah Williams of Lubbock was elected to teach at Shallowater; Edward Lauderdale of Lubbock elected superintendent of schools at Pettit; W. K. Compton of Groveton named to be high school principal at Abernathy; Miss Billie Louise of Lubbock to teach at Carlsbad, New Mexico; Miss Gertrude Schoolcraft of Lubbock to teach primary grades at Post; Rena Noack of Lubbock, elected to teach English at Ralls; Miss Wanda McLaughlin of McAdoo to teach English at Brownfield; Roy Thurston to be coach and high school principal at Olton; Mrs. Catherine Thurston of Olton to teach at Afton; Ormonde Joiner of McAdoo to direct band at Ballinger; Miss G. Laughter of Lubbock to teach at Brownfield; Ruth Finkler of Lamesa to teach at Lamesa; Louise Bickley to teach physical education for women at El Paso; Vera Thacker of Lubbock, elected to teach commercial work at Levelland; Betty Cherry of Lubbock to teach Public School Music at Brownfield.

Grace Daniel of Dublin to teach at Shallowater; Mrs. Elitab Kittle of Lubbock, elected to teach music in the Lubbock Public Schools; Martha Parnell of Lubbock to teach speech at Iraan; Owen T. Loyd of Amherst to serve as superintendent at McAdoo; Miss Noma Eakin of Lubbock to teach primary work at Spur; Crysta Kennedy of Putnam to teach art at Amarillo; Malva Curry to teach history at Sudan; Elizabeth Green elected to teach at White Deer; Dorothy Baker to teach music in Abernathy; Leavie Jane Tyler of Brownfield to teach at Pecos; Elward Allen of Lubbock to teach at Raton, New Mexico; Evelyn Stanfield of Anton to teach commercial work in Sudan.



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