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INTEREST HIGH IN FRIDAY'S ELECTION

'30 Thoughts

The Freshmen put out a good Skiff. The Juniors and Seniors will, of course, do the same. The Sophomores sincerely hope their Skiff will please the student body.

The spirit of friendly rivalry between the classes, which we have seen in the Rush Day activities, in the intramural track meets and basketball games, and in the play contests, is again being aroused in the Skiff loving competition. If we enter into these contests in the right spirit and co-operate with our fellow-classmen in the right way, we will learn a good many things which will make us better citizens.

Gean Turner visited the campus last week-end. Everyone is glad to see him able to be out again, and in his usual good spirits. When Gean dropped out of school on account of his broken leg, the Sophomores, more than anyone else, regretted losing an able leader and a true friend in their president.

A visitor on the T. C. U. campus the other day said that she considered ours one of the most beautiful campuses in the United States—and there are not many she has failed to see. With our new gateway and the new buildings promised us and all the other improvements on the Hill, we will deserve the praise.

Someone else said that our campus is most picturesque at about six o'clock in the evening—couples strolling about or sitting at the sun dial, or girls strolling arm-in-arm with the boys on the curbing watching, or some playing tennis, or some playing catch, all on a background of a glorious sunset, buff buildings, green grass and trees, colorful flowers and dresses. None of which has a moral. Merely a thought.

We hear rumors of a movement for social training. We are to be given an opportunity for learning "what's being done," or at least the fundamental principles of correct social conduct. Needless to say there are many of us who could profit by such instruction and would thank the Administration for giving it in a systematic way.

Mr. Ballard is to visit the high school graduates again this summer to try to interest them in coming to T. C. U. next fall. Just another reason why girls leave home.

Gordon "Skeet" Copeland, president of the Freshman Class, was hit in the head by a pitched ball during batting practice last Wednesday. The injuries, which at first seemed serious, have proven of minor consequence, and "Skeet" is once more attending his classes. We are very glad to hear that "Skeet" had no more trouble than he did.

Construction will soon begin on a new apartment house which Mr. Smiser is putting up on McPherson Street. There will be four apartments in the building. "A sign of progress!"

Congratulations to Jake Williams our sterling pitcher, for winning his first college baseball game.

The Star-Telegram has this story: (CONTINUED ON PAGE 2)

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The two years in T. C. U. have instilled into each member of the Sophomore Class a spirit of undying love and loyalty to their school. The Sophomores of '31 realize the greatness of T. C. U., and, being an important factor in its present life, have tried to uphold all the dignities and traditions of the past. We are proud of our class—proud of the way they have reflected their loyalty, both to the class and to the school. In the next two years we feel that the spirit of the Sophomores of '31 will follow us, assuring the best of co-operation in upholding the highest ideals of T. C. U.

GEAN TURNER.

Gean H. Turner Makes Ambition Become Reality

Was a Three Letter Man at Cleburne High in 1925.



Back in Cleburne one balmy Spring day some fifteen years ago a little black-headed boy wearing overalls romped into the old homestead, eyes dancing and teeth chattering. "Mom," he said, "when I'm grown I want to be a fireman, or a policeman, or president, or somp'n big!"

The years passed on and the little black-headed boy whom the neighbors called "that Turner brat" grew older but not much larger. Came the first pair of long trousers and Mrs. Turner realized that her little boy Gean was no longer a little boy but a student in high school. Pretty soon little Gean began making a name for himself as an athlete of first rank and caliber. Though diminutive in stature, Gean starred in football, basketball, and baseball. Four years of stardom in these major sports brought such fame to Gean's home town that everybody in the state knew that Cleburne was on the end of an interurban line running out of Fort Worth.

In June of 1925 Gean received the sheepskin that proved he had finished high school. But Gean was not of a mind to enter into the business world as yet. His mind was made up to do the better things in life. He packed his grips, left Cleburne and entered Burleson College. That was in 1925.

In the Fall of 1926 Gean took another step forward and entered T. C. U. In his freshman year he made the football and baseball teams, lettering in both sports. In the Spring of 1927 Gean realized an ambition that he had felt some fifteen years ago—"to be a fireman, or a policeman, or president, or somp'n big!" He was made proxy of the class of '30. This office he held in an admirable way through the Fall Semester and up until a short time ago, when a most unfortunate accident occurred to him in baseball practice. A broken leg took the miniature Hercules away from his school and away from his class. But behind he left that great spirit of carrying on even in the face of odds, upsels, and disappointments!

Athletic Songs Are Presented

Canfield and Sammis Explain Significance Of the Songs.

The school songs selected by popular vote in the recent contest were formally presented in chapel Monday, April 23. Jerome Smiser, president of the student body, presented the twenty-five dollar cash prizes to Glen Canfield, author of the alma mater song, and to Mr. Claude Sammis, athletic song winner. Canfield explained the correct renditions of the alma mater song. He then had the students stand and the song was played and sung. Mr. Sammis then presented his athletic song, "T. C. U. We Are All For You."

Carlson Addresses Club

Professor Carlson of the Business Administration Department addressed the members of the Advertising Club of Fort Worth on Tuesday, April 24. The purpose of his talk was to inform the advertising men of the possibilities of T. C. U.'s Business Administration Course.



Baylor Education Commission Approves of Move

Resolution Made Recommending Removal To Dallas.

DALLAS OFFER ENTICING Indications Are That Waro Will Make a Very Strong Fight.

At a meeting of the Education Commission of the Baptist General Convention of Texas Saturday, it was recommended that Baylor University be removed to Dallas from Waco. The recommendation won by a vote of 13 to 2, accomplishing the first step in the removal program which has been the subject of a heated fight for the past several months.

A resolution was adopted which recommended that Baylor University be consolidated with the departments now located in Dallas, and reserved decision as to several sites which have been offered there until a future date.

M. J. Norrell, manager of the Chamber of Commerce of Dallas, with two other citizens, offered \$1,500,000 and either of two sites of 1,000 acres each should the university be removed to Dallas. One of the sites is on the Greenville road, near the Buckner's Orphans' Home. The other is located in Oak Cliff, a Dallas suburb.

The commission advanced a statement Saturday giving the following reasons for the decision: Baylor University is in need of a greater material equipment; more than one-third of its students and one-half of its property are now in Dallas; removal will increase its campus from 25 to 1,000 acres; Dallas' pledge of \$1,500,000 will supply needed buildings; plans for a greater Baylor will bring large endowments upon which great universities depend.

Waco indicated Saturday, through a statement of Mayor Brooks, that the fight against the effort of Dallas to have Baylor University moved there has only just begun.

GIRLS GLEE CLUB ENTERS CONTEST

The Girls' Glee Club entered the Euterpean Club Contest held April 26th. Five Glee Clubs from North-west Texas participated. T. W. C. won first place, and T. C. U. second.

IN APPRECIATION

The Sophomore Class wishes to thank the Freshman Class for the sympathy extended to us in behalf of Gean Turner, our capable president, who has been lost to us through an accident sustained on the ball diamond. We join with the Freshman Class in the hope that he will soon recover.

Sophomore Sponsor Denies Slime Fib

Ballard Talks in An Interview With Soph Reporter.

Prof. John W. Ballard, the gentle sponsor of the Sophomore Class wishes to announce that his election at 9 o'clock Friday morning April 13, was somewhat exaggerated. The current applied was strong enough only to cure his severe cold and so weak that it permitted him to continue eating Eskimo pie with his sophomore class in Commerce.

Prof. Ballard says that one reason he likes being sponsor of the sophomores is that they have seen to it that each freshman has been properly welcomed to the school, and they have, on all occasions, been dealt justice.

Mr. Ballard says that the sophomores have been unusually fortunate in their choice of presidents. Rainey Elliott, our president last year, is a real prince, as well proved during the recent election. Gean Turner this year is one of the best liked boys ever to enter T. C. U., as well as being a capable leader and a good athlete.

The sophomores have contributed three letter men to the football team—Buck Barr, Lester Brumbelev and Felix Reynolds. The captain of the basketball team for 1929 is Horace Wallin, a sophomore. The baseball squad has from the sophomores Walker, Grubbs, Wallin, Lee Buckley, Cox and Dorsey. The sophomores won the inter-mural basketball tournament.

Mr. Ballard said that he especially admired the spirit of the sophomore class. There is no antagonism; all work together. It is this spirit of co-operation that has helped make the class rushes, the picnics, the theater parties and skating parties successes.

"The class should meet now," Mr. Ballard said, "and make plans for next year. The editor and business manager of the Horned Frog should be selected so that they may work with the Seniors next year to secure experience."

B.B.A. Picnic Set For May 16—Is Annual Affair

Fried Chicken Abounds—Prizes Numerous For Contests.

Plans are under way for the annual B. B. A. picnic, which will be held on Wednesday afternoon, May 16, at Forest Park. Beginning at 2:30 o'clock, there will be a baseball game between the Accountants and the Lawyers. Captains of both teams will be elected by those in the classes.

Various contests will be run off and prizes awarded. The annual B. B. A. picnic is one of the big events for the business administration students. It will honor Miss Mildred Austin, who is Miss B. B. A. of 1928. Last year the picnic honored Miss Betty Glenn, who was Miss B. B. A. of 1927.

It is planned to serve fried chicken again this year, and if all the events which are planned take place, there will be a big time at the B. B. A. picnic.

Last year about \$200 in prizes were awarded to winners of the various contests, and there was more to eat than those present could consume. Did you ever hear of that before? Duke Andrews ate chicken until he was sick.

Matty Bell, Ed Kubale, Dutch Meyer, and Butler Smiser will be on hand to run off the events and see to it that none of the athletes are given any credit whatsoever. Matty Bell will also judge the beauty contest and it is expected there will be keen competition.

Chaperones for the day will be Mrs. J. W. Ballard, Mrs. Leo Meyer, Mrs. Butler Smiser, Mrs. Ed Kubale, and Mrs. Avery L. Carlson.

Frogs Split Pair With Aggie Nine On Home Field

Aggies Cop First 8-7 Frogs Annex Second—Score 8-7.

HEAVY HITTING FEATURES

Jake Williams Wins His First Buckley—Grubbs Star At the Bat.

The Horned Frogs staged a brilliant comeback in Saturday's diamond encounter, winning from the Aggies by the score of 8 to 7. Saturday's game was an exact reversal of the score of Friday's game, when the Farmers nosed out an 8 to 7 win. Both games were featured by a great deal of heavy hitting and not a little bit of loose fielding.

In the game Friday the Frog nine suffered a loss at the hands of their adversaries through the timely hitting of Hiram Broiles, Fort Worth boy. Broiles maltreated the horsehide, spanking the ball over the fence on two occasions, his last four-base clout coming in the ninth with three runners aboard the cushions and putting the Aggies in the lead. "Buster" Walker, hurling for the Frogs, did well until the eighth, when the men from College Station pounced upon his offerings and drove him from the mound. Buckley took over the pitching assignment, but the Aggies had taken the lead, and the Frogs were only able to get one run in the ninth which was one short of a tie and two of a win.

The Frogs started the second game with a bang by smashing everything Heilmas, Aggie ace, could get anywhere near the platter. Before Coach Countryman could get the erstwhile ace out of the box the Frogs piled up a nice lead of five runs. Kasprovicz came to the aid of his faltering team-mate and pitched steady up until the seventh when he was nipped for three more runs. Jake Williams instigated the rally in the seventh that won the game by hitting a long double and going to third when Hunt fumbled the ball.

Jake pitched a good, steady game though the Aggies touched for 11 hits, he was tight and stingy enough in the pinches to win. The victory, by the way, was Jake's first as a college hurler. Buckley and Grubbs starred with the ash for T. C. U., while Joel Hunt was the shining light for A. & M.

Box score of Saturday's game:

| Players | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|-----------------|----|---|----|----|---|---|
| Conover, lf | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Broiles, cf, rf | 5 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Brount, 2b | 5 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 1 |
| Jeffries, lf, c | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Hunt, ss, cf | 4 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Sikes, 1b | 5 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Burnhart, 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lackey, c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Heilmas, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| IBray | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Kasprovicz, p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Pittman, ss | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Wendt, lf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2Cody | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wyman, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 40 | 7 | 11 | 24 | 9 | 7 |

T. C. U.

| Players | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|-----------------|----|---|----|----|----|---|
| Parrish, cf | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Grubbs, 3b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Buckley, rf | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wallin, 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| B. Williams, ss | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Steadman, lf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Vaughan, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Mathews, c | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| J. Williams, p | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Grant, cf | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Moore, c | 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| Totals | 36 | 8 | 13 | 27 | 15 | 5 |

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Candidates For 1928-29 Student Heads Approved

Eddlebrock, McDiarmid Are Nominated For President.

FINAL ELECTION FRIDAY

Copeland, Erisman, Announced in Race For Editor of T. C. U. Skiff.

The most important election of the school year is upon us! On Friday, May 4, a final election for next term's officers of the student body will be held. There is a certain number of students who go around whining and complaining that the students of T. C. U. do not have a voice in the affairs of the school. The way to have a voice in school affairs is to elect officers who are capable of leadership and of managing those situations with which they must cope.

When the students have elected men or women who can handle the reins of their offices THEN, whether they realize it or not, they shall have a voice in the school's affairs. When Friday comes don't rush away to attend to some trivial matter, but spend five or ten minutes in carefully weighing each candidate. And "DO your own thinking!" The blah! blah! of the fellow next to you may be incited by prejudice, or friendship, or unfriendliness toward the candidate of whom he is talking.

When you have made up your OWN mind cast your ballot. DON'T go away thinking that the election will go on whether you vote or not. YOU, reader, may be the one instrumental in putting the best man in office! Vote and VOTE for those who can accomplish the greatest things. ARE YOU A REAL STUDENT OR A WHINER?

Candidates for officers of the student body of Texas Christian University for the school year 1928-29 have been approved by the registrar of the University and the winners will be determined in a final election on Friday, May 4.

Weir McDiarmid and Frank Eddlebrock, both of Fort Worth, have been nominated for president of the student body. Ralph Saunders, Fort Worth, for vice-president; Charlotte Howard, San Benito; Elsie Fay Carson, Fort Worth, and Dorothy McGowan, Fort Worth, for secretary-treasurer. A preliminary run-off for the place of secretary-treasurer was held Monday.

Candidates for editor of the student weekly paper, the Skiff, are Raymond Copeland and Fred Erisman, both of Fort Worth.

Yearbook Out By the First

Everett Shipp, editor of the Horned Frog, announces that students may have their names printed on their annuals in gold letters if they desire. The charge will be fifty cents. Arrangements may be made with Mr. Shipp. The annuals, which will be bigger and better than ever before, are expected to appear about June 1st.

VICE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The Sophomore Class grieves the loss of its able president, Gean Turner. As president in his place and in behalf of the class, I have a message to deliver to the student body. The message is that we Sophomores shall do all in our power to fill the large place which is ours in campus activities and to fulfill all the expectations and hopes which Gean expressed for us in his message. We believe we shall leave T. C. U. in 1930, ourselves much better for having been here, for having lived in the wholesome atmosphere of the campus, and for having associated with one another. Our sincere hope is that when we leave, T. C. U. will itself be better for our having been here. "BUCK" BARR.

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The best works in literature and music today are those that have survived the ravages of time. We do not apologize for recalling the old, old song that runs, "Freshman, Freshman, don't you cry; you'll be a Sophomore bye and bye." It seems such an appropriate and so promising a song that really we most yodel it for the benefit of our lowly school mates. But after all, some of the most wonderful things in the world started out of life in a lowly, humble, unpromising way. For instance, take the impossible looking caterpillar. And yet the beastly thing turns out to be a gorgeous butterfly. So it is that when one comes to college he finds that his first year is like unto the caterpillar's life; a sort of apprenticeship to finer things. When the first year has passed then comes the fitting reward. And so we sing on and on that old, old song: "Freshman, Freshman don't you cry— You'll be a Sophomore bye and bye!"

"We'll raise a song, both loud and long" for our "Alma Mater." At least we have two truly individual T. C. U. songs that we are not liable to hear in every hallowed high school in the country—at least not until the world discovers what good songs we have and begins to copy them. All the songs submitted were good, and we had quite a task in choosing the ones we like best. Our next task is to load every word and every note with meaning, with feelings of pride and loyalty, with ideals and ambitions, with "memories sweet" of "comrades true," of hours spent pleasantly and profitably, of glorious victories on the athletic field. This task, which, after all, will be the real making of our songs, will take, not just days or weeks, but years; it will be the work, not only of the composers, but also of you and me and thousands who will follow us.

Have you learned yet to stand when the songs are played?

In all Texas there is not one campus that is as democratic as Texas Christian University's. As broad as that statement may be it is not as broad as it might be. For here at T. C. U. the most regrettable thing, socially speaking, is the lack of congeniality and harmony between the dormitory and town students. There is no existing enmity nor dislike for one another—it is merely an unfortunate and regrettable condition or circumstance. Each group is bound up in itself because there is a difference in the things in common. The dormitory students are thrown together through the various phases of daily life and it is natural that they form a circle of friends among themselves. On the other hand, town students are bound together by long time friendships formed perhaps back in grammar school days. Now it seems that the thing to do is to get the two groups together in a social way as often as possible. Already the dormitory students have taken steps in this direction by giving parties and dinners for the town students. Also in a small way, the town students have responded by having dormitory students spend the week-ends at their homes. Why not more of these affairs? Certainly it will prove beneficial to both groups!

Yes, we are democratic, but— In our endeavor to be democratic, let us not forget our inherent "nobility." Among knights and noblemen one of the chief laws of life was courtesy. Indeed the same law must be a foundation stone of any true democracy. We do not mean necessarily the sort of courtesy which demands that we know just the fork to use for this course, or just the necktie or dress to wear on this or that occasion, though those things are important, but we do mean the courtesy which demands that we consider at all times the feelings of others and that we act accordingly, even in the slightest deed or word. Perhaps this little sermon could be applied by some of us to some of our actions sometime—as, for instance, in chapel!

TO HOLD OUTING IN MAY

T. C. U. Woman's Athletic Club Will Initiate Members.

The Woman's Athletic Association of T. C. U. will hold its annual spring outing and initiation of new members at Camp Clifton, Lake Worth, May 19 and 20.

Miss Edith Hudson and Miss Sara Beth Boggess are working on plans for the initiation. The party will leave the university Saturday afternoon on trucks for the lake, where a picnic supper will be served, after which the initiation will take place. A motor boat trip is planned for Sunday morning and the party will return to Fort Worth Sunday evening.

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30 THOUGHTS

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 "Dutch" has resorted to all known measures in an effort to break the hard luck streak of the Frogs, but his "jinx-busters" were all in vain until he decided to change "duds." Meyer came out Saturday in blue trousers, gray shirt, and a bright red sweater. Perhaps the student body would be willing to donate "Dutch" a new outfit for each game if the scheme would work as well every time as it did Saturday.

It looks now as if Baylor will be moved to Dallas. Dallas seems rather anxious to have the school, judging by the \$1,500,000 and all the land appropriations. Go to it, Dallas! It's a prize. 'Tut think of T. C. U.'s having two such bitter enemies as Baylor and S. M. U. both in one place!

The next edition of the Skiff will be under the supervision of the Junior Class. Louise Shephard, an experienced journalist, is editing the Class of '29's entry in the Cup contest.

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The Horned Frog varsity golfers lost their second match to the S. M. U. Mustangs over the Brook Hollow Country Club course in Dallas on Thursday, April 26. The Pony linksmen won the match by virtue of a 20 to 6 score.

The Ponies were also victors in the match held at River Crest Country Club here week before last.

The losing T. C. U. team was composed of Milton Simot, Bud Norman, Victor Robertson, all of Fort Worth, and Jerome Smiser of Morris, Okla.

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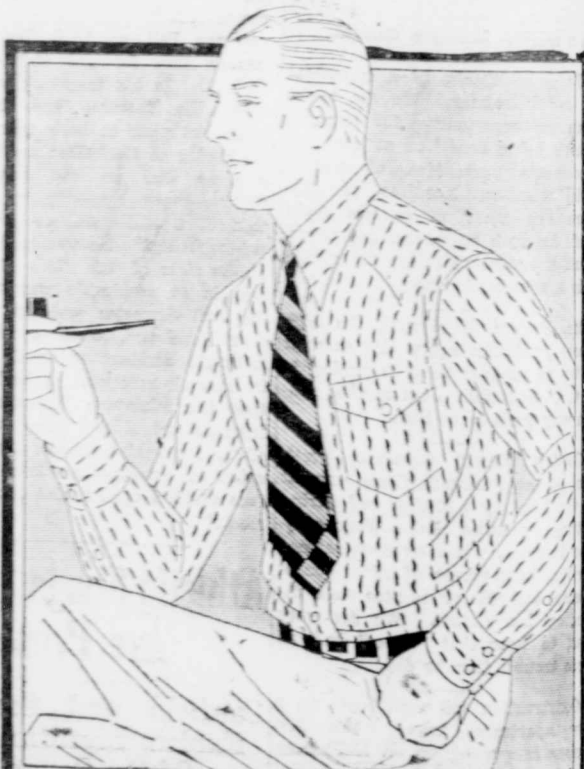
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Baylor Trackers Win Dual Meet

The T. C. U. Horned Frogs were overwhelmed by the trackers from Baylor in a dual track and field meet held at Frog Field Tuesday April 24. The Bears, off to an early lead, piled up 100 1-3 points while all our men could muster came to a total of 16 2-3 points.

Park, de luxe Baylor jumping star, carried home the proverbial bacon and glory as high point man of the meet with a total of 10 2-3 points to his own credit. He took first place in the pole vault, came out second in the broad jump, and tied for first in the high jump with Moser, another Bear, and Bud Norman, Frog track man.

Captain Kenneth McCorkle was brilliant for T. C. U., registering eight of the home team's points.

Winners in the track and field events were as follows:

100-Yard Dash—McCorkle, T. C. U., first; Mehaffey, Baylor, second. Time, 9.9 seconds.

One Mile Run—Thomas, Baylor first; Fritz, Baylor, second. Time 4 minutes, 59 seconds.

Shot Put—Grace, Baylor, first; Mitchell, Baylor, second. Distance, 41 feet, 9 inches.

220-Yard Dash—Mehaffey, Baylor first; McCorkle, T. C. U., second. Time, 23.3 seconds.

120-Yard High Hurdles—Bullock, Baylor, first; Clark, T. C. U., second. Time, 16.1 seconds.

440-Yard Dash—Beene, Baylor first; Bain, Baylor, second. Time, 53.3 seconds.

Pole Vault—Park, Baylor, first; Hilburn, T. C. U., second. Height, 11 feet.

Discus—Mitchell, Baylor, first; Grace, Baylor, second. Distance, 126 feet.

Two-Mile Run—Fritz, Baylor first; Thomas, Baylor, second. Time, 11 minutes, 30.5 seconds.

High Jump—Norman, T. C. U.; Moser and Park, Baylor, tied for first. Height, 5 feet, 8 1/2 inches.

220-Yard Low Hurdles—Scaif, Baylor, first; Bullock, Baylor, second. Time, 27.4 seconds.

880-Yard Run—Barksdale, Baylor, first; Watson Baylor, second. Time, 2 minutes, 8.7 seconds.

Javelin—Noble, Baylor, first; Whitlow, Baylor, second. Distance, 21 feet, 4 3/4 inches.

Broad Jump—Beene, Baylor, first; Park, Baylor, second. Distance, 21 feet, 4 3/4 inches.

One-Mile Relay—Won by Baylor with team composed of Beene, Barksdale, Stoker and Bain.

Officials—Ab Curtis, starter; Billy Ashburn, announcer; "Cowboy" Ogan and Morley Jennings, judges of finishes; Ed Kubale, judge of weights; Bill Meyer, judge of jumps; Graham Estes, scorer; C. W. Berry and "Concho" Cunningham, timers.

Poet's Corner

Editor's Note: Each week will be printed the best serious poems and the best humorous attempt turned in to the Skiff office. This "Corner" is dedicated to the aspiring verse writers of the University, and contributions to it may be signed or anonymous. Bring your verse to the Skiff office or hand it to a member of the staff.

Mary Austin, Writer To Help Judge Poetry

Mary Austin, well known writer of fiction and verse, is to be one of the judges in the Bryson poetry contest at T. C. U.

Miss Austin is the author of "The Basket Woman," "Land of the Journey's Ending," "The Young Woman Citizen," "The Man Jesus," and many other books. She has written for many prominent magazines and wrote one chapter in the Cambridge "History of American Literature." She is also considered an eminent critic and authority on poetry.

The Bryson poetry contest, which is held each year for the purpose of encouraging young poets, will close May 1. Only undergraduate students of T. C. U. are eligible. The poem or group of poems submitted must not exceed 200 lines. A prize of \$10 will be awarded the winner. There are to be three judges in the contest, but the other two have not yet been announced.

W.A.A. to Have Banquet May 4

Thirty Girls to Receive Athletic Awards.

The Woman's Athletic Association will hold its annual banquet Friday evening, May 4, at King's Tea

Room. The officers of the W. A. A., who are in charge of the arrangements, are Lois Houtchens, president; Edith Hudson, vice president; Gladys Van Horn, secretary; Dorothy Stowe, treasurer, and Merle Williams, parliamentarian.

Among the honor guests will be President Waits, Professor McDiarmid, Mr. Pete Wright, Miss Eulalie Carter, Mrs. Helen Murphy, and all girls who have made any athletic team.

The W. A. A. awards for the year will be given. Miss Ruth Williamson, who is the only girl with 900 W. A. A. points, will receive a T. blanket. Misses Isabel Stroud, Martha Van Zandt, Betty Glenn, Maurine Rankin, Dorothy Stowe, Gladys Van Horn, Virginia Greer, Edith Hudson, and Kate Phillips, each of whom have 500 points, will receive T sweaters. The 600-point awards, which are T pins, will go to Misses Lois Houtchens, Merle Williams, Dorothy Denby, Elizabeth Harris, Pauline Barnes, Sue Booth, and Allene Allen. The awards are much sought after by the W. A. A. girls. Indeed, the honor of being numbered among the W. A. A. girls is much sought after by all the girls of the university.

Next year's officers will be presented at the banquet, along with a most interesting program.

The more you study, the more you know. The more you know, the more you forget. The more you forget, the less you know. So why study? The less you study, the less you know. The less you know, the less you forget. The less you forget, the more you know. So why study? —Selected.

ONE MOMENT RISES FAR ABOVE THE REST

One moment rises far above the rest; Full-viewed it towers in my memories. Others flank its side and do their best To form the foothills and the mountain trees. And lo, a zephyr touches soft its crest; Strengthening, it soon becomes a breeze; A wind it is; a hurricane at best That levels all and no more mountains rise. Great God, is not a woman's life her own? And is she not judge of her own desires? The selfsame passions by our elders sown Reveal themselves again in youthful fires. But youth to curb its fire is yet expected, And so, Dear One, our mountains are neglected. —Dick Long.

SECESSION

She thinks me cruel and unkind, And yet she loves me for it; I am a tyrant in her mind— She often tells me of it. To her I'm selfish and unkind, At least, that's her impression— I would not try to change her mind, For she might try—secession. Jim Jimberton.

Scholarship Society Entertains Guests

The T. C. U. chapter of the Texas Scholarship Society entertained seven other organizations of the university with a reception in the Mary Couts Burnett Library Thursday evening, April 26. The members of the Sigma Tau Delta, Pi Gamma Mu, Alpha Zeta Pi, Pi Kappa Delta, the Science Society, the Bryson Club, the Dramatic Club, and the faculty were invited.

Luther Mansfield, president of the Scholarship Society, received the guests. He was assisted by Miss Evelyn Somes, secretary-treasurer; Miss Florence McDiarmid, corresponding secretary, and Miss Robbie Lee Polk, chairman committee. The library was rearranged and decorated with spring flowers, and refreshments were served. Misses Helen Boren and Dorothy Chancey entertained with musical selections. The annual banquet of the Scholarship Society will be held on May 8.

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Co-Ed Golfers Out For Team

Seven girls at Texas Christian University are coming out for the girls' golf team this year. Letters are being offered in the sport this term for the second time, last year having been the first year that girls' golf was included as one of the major sports by the Woman's Athletic Association of T. C. U.

Dorothy Denby of Jacksonville, a senior, is golf manager. Requirements for a letter are thirty hours of practice, one twosome or one foursome match of nine holes, and two clobber golf matches.

Other girls trying for a letter in golf are Osie Blackwell, Olivia Ybarra, Marjorie Lee Robinson, Rosz Goldstein, Mildred Meggs, and Nina Kountz.

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"T" Association to Give Its Members Watch Charms

Graduate Members to Receive Entrance To All Games.

The "T" Association will present the graduating members with gold watch charms this year. This plan already in practice in many of the conference schools, was recently determined upon by the athletic council.

The charms will be in the form of a small disc, bearing the name of the member, the insignia of the organization, and the sports in which the owner is interested. The student will receive the "T" charm in exchange for all items given at the Honor Fringe in the future. This plan was also a recent decision of the council. While the "T" men of former years will be entitled to this latter privilege, the charms will be presented only to future graduates.

Members of the graduation class who will receive the gifts this year are: Jimmy Grant, football and basketball; Regs. Matthews, football and basketball; Lowell Farwell, football, basketball and baseball; Anne Nelson, football; Gen. Steadman, football, basketball and baseball; W. L. Clark, football and track; William Ewell, tennis; Kenneth McGee, track; E. L. Pettit, track; J. D. Tomlinson, tennis.

Ballard Addresses Students

Professor Ballard, head of the Business Administration Department, made a talk to the students of Bentley-Stratton Business College on Tuesday, April 26th. Always an interesting speaker, Ballard made a decided hit with his talk on "Education."

The "Frosh Spirit" Photographed

Staff Photographer Subjects Himself to Great Danger.



THE "FROSH SPIRIT"

Here is the first authentic photograph ever taken of the "Frosh Spirit." It is difficult for one to realize the stuporous lack to which the staff photographer subjected himself in securing this sensational picture. The shot was made in President E. T. L. Cappeland's room in Clark, Copeland and Wright, who are roommates, were quite nervous while the picture was being made as they feared that members of the Junior Class might come in at any moment and charge the President's room with plagiarism of the "T" spirit.

Conscious of the "Frosh Spirit" as he was granted upon the national picture of Philadelphia near Gettysburg. The Frosh were so excited and scared when they first came to T. C. U. that at their first class meeting they elected E. T. L. Cappeland as their president for they knew that he had been so congenial with and so much in the company of the "Frosh Spirit," more than any other member of the class, and consequently would be available as a "Frosh" leader.

The Girl Glee Club will go to Dallas May 26th to sing at the Men's Bible Class of the Last Dallas Christian Church Sunday morning, and to give a concert at the evening session.

Spotlight on "Mister" Ballard Many High Lights in His Career



If you ever come across a big blue shirt, a gold-button tie, and a jovial smile with a great big nose behind them, then you can be certain that you have just seen "Frosh" J. W. Ballard, better known as "Mister" Ballard. And you may just be down in your little nose boat that you have just seen the most successful man in T. C. U. For Mr. Ballard can preside over a parent-teacher meeting, a ball session, or a committee class with equal effectiveness.

Six years ago, in 1921, Ballard became connected with T. C. U. Five years ago, he was beginning to be recognized as a tradition or a symbol of the institution. Just as the Honor Fringe is accepted today.

Mr. Ballard graduated from New York University and immediately took up teaching in the High School of Commerce of New York where he taught from 1914 to 1917.

In 1917, when the U. S. declared war, Ballard dropped connection with bookkeeping, graduation and honor slips, and took up service with the A. E. F. After 22 months of overseas service Mr. Ballard became restless and decided to visit all the continents. As a result, the American was signed. The remainder of the time he spent in France in the A. E. F. University where he taught a class of 1000 students each day the science of Business Organization.

The fall of 1919 found him teaching at the University of North Dakota. But Mr. Ballard wasn't used to a climate where steam heat freezes in the radiators. However, it doesn't seem that the weather bothered him from doing a great deal of courting. Anyway, he wooed and won Mrs. Ballard. Mr. and Mrs. Ballard then moved to Kingston, Canada, where Mr. Ballard taught in Queen's University from 1920 to 1922.

In 1922 Mr. Ballard came to T. C. U., where he organized the Business Administration Department in co-operation with the Chamber of Commerce of Fort Worth. In 1924 Mr. Ballard realized an old-time dream and ambition, and Mrs. Ballard celebrated the occasion by putting a number of chairs in the Sunday pudding. Out of 56 experts taking the Certified Public Accounting Test, Mr. Ballard, incidentally, was the first professor in Texas to become a Certified Public Accountant.

Since he has been at T. C. U., the Business Administration Department has grown with amazing rapidity. Today there are six other professors in the department, Mr. Carlson and Mr. Simes, and the number of courses have increased proportionately. T. C. U. now has one of the finest and strongest courses in Business Administration to be found in the South.

In conclusion we may say, but it be forgotten, Mr. Ballard was the victim of another great event in the fall of 1927—he was made sponsor of the Class of '28.

Masters' Examinations To Be Held May 15-22

The Graduate School of Texas Christian University will hold the examinations for the candidates for master's degree this year May 15, 16, 18, 21, and 22 according to Dr. John Lord, Dean of the Graduate School.

The candidates for the degree of Master of Arts this June are: Karl Ashburn, George Cunningham, T. E. Campbell, and Ethel Stockley. The candidates for the degree of Master of Science are: Miss Margaret Mahon, Selma E. Bell, Oliver Campbell, and Marvin E. News.

George Cunningham and Mrs. Ethel Stockley, who are majoring in economics and education respectively will be given their master's examinations May 25. Karl Ashburn, economics major, will take his examination May 16; E. E. Campbell, Greek major, May 21; and Leslie Carlson, majoring in Semitics, May 22. Carlson does not expect to graduate until August, but will take his examination early. The four candidates for the Science degree will have their examinations on May 18. Miss Mahon is majoring in biology, and the other three, Moore, Bell, and Carroll, are majoring in geology.

Miss Wells says there are three kinds of biographies: Biographies, Auto-biographies, and Ought-not-to-be-ographies.

Packing House Lecture.
Theme: "It is very Swift."
Lecturer: Sure is. He tried to Armour.

Robert Qualls' Recital a Success

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With "The Star" between the third and fourth acts they sang "Among My Souvenirs" and "Give Me One More to Remember."
Between the second and third acts, Harvey Ledford called Qualls before the curtain and after telling him how much he (Qualls) was admired by the student body for his many amiable qualities, presented him with a leather key container and wallet, gifts from the boys of Goodie Hall and Mrs. Aline Terrell, house mother of that dormitory.
Mrs. Selma Beckham, house mother of Jarvis Hall and sponsor of the recital, presented Robert with a pair of glasses. Other floral gifts were made by friends.
After the last curtain, many of the friends looked upon the stage to congratulate the blind boy.

New Courses in Latin Offered
Three new courses in Latin will be offered at Texas Christian University next year. No beginners work will be offered and only those students having had four years of high school Latin may enroll for one of the courses.
"Early Reading Course," "First Course in Reading for Beginners in College Latin" and "Advanced Course in Latin" is the new work offered in the department. These will be taught by Mrs. Bessie Ellis.

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