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## Homecoming Plans Are Complete

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Public relations man, Paul Ridings, left, and Dr. Leonard Logan, associate professor of art, glance at the new bronze plaque of J. Willard

Ridings, founder of the journalism department. Dr. Logan designed and made the plaque which recently was mounted in Rogers Hall.

### Queens Will Open Reign As Class of '39 Honored

By RUTH ANN KINDIGER

Homecoming festivities will begin on campus Friday, Nov. 20. Honored class this year is the class of '39, but all exes are welcomed back to the campus for the weekend.

Official opening ceremonies will begin at 8 p.m. Friday on the west quadrangle when the "Coming Home Queen" representing the class of 1939 and the "Homecoming Queen", elected by the student body, will open their joint reign.

### 7 Professors Will Attend Association

Representatives of the English and foreign language departments will attend the sixteenth annual meeting of the South-Central Language Association tomorrow through Saturday at the University of Houston.

Attending from the English department are professors L. Moffitt, acting chairman of the department; Al Gunn, Allen MacLaine and E. C. Polk.

From the foreign language department will be Professors John H. Hammond, chairman of the department; Bita May Hall and John Parker.

Registration of association members will be on the Mezzanine floor of the Rice Hotel from 5 to 8 p.m.

The program includes an executive committee dinner meeting Thursday; convention luncheon, University reception and dinner Friday; and English, French, German and Spanish breakfasts Saturday.

Convention meetings will be held at the Rice Hotel and on the University of Houston campus.

"Songs of '39" will be the theme of the static displays appearing on campus for the second year. Trophies will be awarded to the first place winners in three classes. These winners will be announced at the Rice-TCU football game Saturday.

Homecoming Student Chairman June Pence, Shreveport, La. senior, has announced that 27 organizations have already entered displays. She emphasized the fact that any club or organization desiring to construct a display should notify her before Nov. 16.

The lights will go on for the first view of the displays at 8 p.m. Friday. The exhibits will remain in place through Sunday.

The Homecoming Queen and Duchesses will be introduced at a pep rally in Ed Landreth Auditorium, Tuesday, Nov. 17.

The second pep rally of the week will get under way at 9 p.m. Friday. The rally and traditional bonfire on the stadium grounds will be highlighted by a talk by TCU's All-American half back of 1956, Jim Swink.

Following the bonfire there will be an informal dance in the Student Center featuring a popular local combo, "The Ivory-tones." Girls have bermuda shorts permission.

Saturday at 11 a.m. exes will meet for the annual luncheon of the TCU Ex-Students Association in the Student Center Ballroom.

The program will include presentation of the distinguished alumnus award, the most valuable alumnus service award, election of officers and presentation of charters to new alumni chapters. The Homecoming and Coming Home Queens will be crowned at half-time ceremonies of the TCU-Rice football game which begins at 2 p.m.

The traditional Homecoming See PLANS on Page 3

### On Public Relations

## Paul Ridings to Speak Friday

Public Relations—what's it all about?

Students in journalism and related areas will hear some answers to the question Friday, at the second Journalism Assembly of the year.

Paul O. Ridings, prominent Fort Worth public relations consultant and well-known TCU booster, will give the second in a series of Jobs-In-Journalism lectures to meet with students to discuss fields and careers in communications.

The Assembly Friday will be at 1 p.m., in the Rogers Hall auditorium, with an informal "coffee break" to follow the lecture and a question and answer period.

Journalism Assemblies are held the first Friday each month.

Ridings is the son of J. Willard Ridings, who founded the TCU department of journalism in 1927, and was himself chairman of the department two years, 1948-50.

A TCU journalism graduate in 1938, the younger Ridings earned his M.A. degree in journalism at the University of Missouri the next year.

Ridings has had a broad career in newspaper journalism and public relations. As editor of the Ennis Daily News in 1939-40, he was Texas' youngest daily newspaper editor.

He was director of public re-

lations and head of the journalism department at Midland College, in Fremont, Nebraska, in 1940-42. When his father died in 1948, Paul, then president and owner of Ridings & Ferris, Inc. in Chicago, returned to Fort Worth to succeed his father.

All interested students and faculty have been invited to hear Ridings.

## Ad Building Construction Commences This Week

Construction of the new Administration Building is due to start this week.

Total cost is expected to be around \$1,200,000 and completion is scheduled for September, 1960.

Base contracts totaling \$1,004,710 were let after bids by 30 companies were opened last week. They included the general contracting award of \$714,376 to Taylor & Son, Inc.; plumbing, heating and air-conditioning contract of \$213,770 to Beals Plumbing Co.; the electrical contract of \$76,664 to State Electric Co., all of Fort Worth.

To be located on the site of old Clark Hall, men's dormitory demolished last summer, the new building will be in the center of West campus facing University Dr. It will have three stories and a full basement.

Housed in the new structure will be all executive offices, the campus post office, offices for the deans of student life, registrar, printing and mailing room, development and public relations divisions. There will also be some classrooms and faculty offices.

As soon as the new building is

ready, the work of completely renovating the present Administration Building will be started. It is expected to cost some \$800,000 and will provide modern classrooms and faculty offices—mostly for the AddRan College of Arts and Sciences.

## First Corp-dettes Members Installed by Army ROTC

Twenty girls have been chosen as the first members of the Corp-dettes, the women's auxiliary of the Army ROTC Battle Group.

Purpose of the group will be to sponsor and assist the Battle Group in all social functions. They will also participate in special events involving members of the ROTC units.

Those chosen as charter members are: Misses Nancy Culbertson, Houston freshman; Sally Lange, Fort Worth freshman; Leila Campbell, Corpus Christi freshman; Nancy Strahan, Lamesa sophomore; Joann Chandler, Dallas junior; Sue Latum, Dallas freshman.

Ellen Dillingham, Houston sophomore; Marilyn Morrow, Freeport freshman; Barbara Carlisle, Jourdanton freshman; Susan Ellis,

Houston freshman; Marion Sutherland, Dallas sophomore; Sharon Thompson, Houston sophomore; and Barbara Christian, Corpus Christi freshman.

Other charter members are: Misses Ginny Perdue, Houston sophomore; Carol Ruffin, Abilene freshman; Anna Jean King, Cleburne junior; Allie Beth McMurry, Graham sophomore; Margie Ann Dodson, Fort Worth senior; Gay Wiggins, Kerrville freshman; Beth Acola, Decatur sophomore.

Joy Adamson, San Antonio sophomore; Peggy Whatley, Fort Worth junior; Nancy Parks, New Orleans, La. sophomore; Gerry Webb, Fort Worth junior; Sandra Berry, Dallas junior; Susan Vernor, Corpus Christi junior; Nancy Jo Lee, Fort Worth sophomore; and Marilyn Turner, Houston junior.



Pictured above is the bus which won pledges of Sigma Phi Epsilon a victory over actives for a better decorated bus to the Baylor game Saturday. See story on page 3.

Creative Writing

# Three-Year-Old Descant Now Part of Campus Scene

By SUE GOLDSMITH

In the fall of 1956, twelve authors started a new magazine, Descant, on its way.

Today, three years later, Descant is a part of the campus scene.

The magazine is published annually in the fall, winter, and spring, under the sponsorship of Mrs. Betsy Colquitt, assistant professor of English. It is supported by subscriptions at \$1.50 a year, and by contributions from friends and patrons of the magazine.

One of the authors in 1956 was Bill Camfield, later to be known as Gorgon the monster on KFJZ-TV. His essay, "Cricket From a Yellow Room," gave no hint of the television fiend he was to create.

Although Camfield is the best known of the magazine's early contributors, two other students also must be remembered.

Randle Lord, then a TCU fresh-

man, had drowned previous to the magazine's publication. Two of his poems, "The Answer and the Poet," and "Time Thief" appeared in the issue, as well as a poem written by classmate, Florence Larson, titled "In Memory of Randle Lord."

Descant commented that Lord had shown the greatest promise of any contributor the first year.

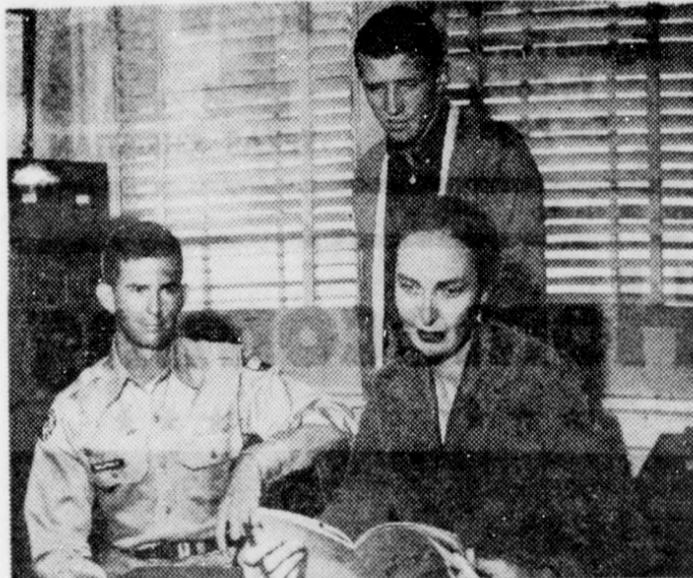
"Most of the writers," says Mrs. Colquitt, "are English majors who have taken the creative writing courses. However, material is accepted from any student, member of the faculty or outsiders."

"Contributions are brought to the English office, typed as is standard for theme work."

If the manuscript is accepted, it is revised by the student before publication.

Writing is only part of Descant's work. "We have meetings every other Friday, either in faculty homes, or in the Student Center. Students bring poems and sometimes prose for a round table discussion in which they criticize each other's work."

"Writing is a craft which may be learned, but you must have talent and discipline. Hence, the justification for group meetings."



Chester Sullivan, Fort Worth junior, and David Hickey, Fort Worth senior, look over a recent issue of "Descant," University literary magazine, with Mrs. Betty Colquitt, assistant professor of English, faculty sponsor of the magazine.

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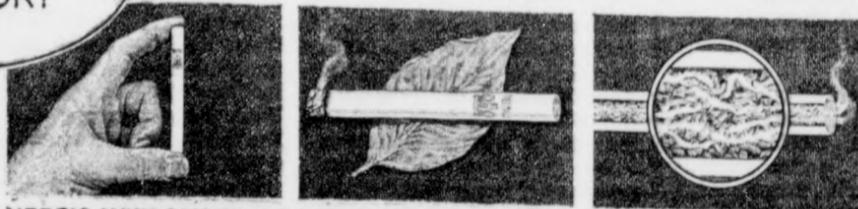
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# EDITORIAL COMMENT

## He's Missed Here

Hartwell Ramsey, director of Ex-student Activities, suffered a severe heart attack in Pittsburgh two weeks ago.

Doctors predict that he will remain in the hospital there at least six weeks.

It's a sad twist of fate indeed that Ramsey, who was on a cross-country flight on behalf of the Ex-Students Association when he was struck, must miss Homecoming at TCU.

He will not be here to see the plans he so carefully prepared take shape into a successful 1959 Homecoming for the exes.

He will be far away in an eastern hospital while former TCU students meet and greet old acquaintances amid the annual festivities.

We of The Skiff staff in wishing Mr. Ramsey a most speedy recovery would like to assure him that Homecoming will not be complete this year—because he will be absent.

## Free -- To Be An Adult

When a student leaves home and moves into the dormitory of a big university, he is no longer under the immediate control of his parents.

They can't influence his decisions, check on his friends or keep tabs on him as they once could.

A college-age student is at an important stage in his life. His habits and life-long convictions more likely will become fixed during this away-from-home period.

The student will be under the influence of those who think it smart to curse and who drink in an attempt to be BMOC's. Unless he can effectively cut off his auditory passage, he will hear more dirty jokes than he thought existed. He may also be thrown with people who lack scholastic honesty.

If he allows himself to acquire such unwholesome habits—which his parents would not approve, he reveals that he wasn't prepared for independence in the first place.

The college student, on the other hand, who can adjust to his new-found freedom without completely overthrowing the manner of life in which he has been reared, proves himself to be an adult.

## Put It in the Book

The "big book" in the office of the Social Director is the calender for the entire campus. All activities are scheduled there.

This includes regular meetings, song practices, initiations, banquets, parties, open houses, retreats, and many other events.

Your organization will be wise to appoint a responsible person to handle all scheduling.

Failure to comply with the scheduling requirement may lead to disciplinary action for your group.

The Social Director asks that you don't write in the "big book" yourself. Give the information to the secretary and let her enter the event on the calendar.

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## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



"FUNNY, BUT EVERY TIME WE HAVE A 'BULL SESSION' HERE AT WORTHAL'S THE DISCUSSION ALWAYS GETS AROUND TO GIRLS."

## THE LEDGER

### Dial Colby for Insanity

By BETH MORRIS

In my three and a half years on this campus, I have seen TCU grow in many ways—size, standards, enrollment—but not, unfortunately, in telephone lines.

Needing to clear up a few details with a Skiff reporter last night, I picked up the receiver and dialed an extension to Colby Hall dormitory. Her extension was busy.

I put the receiver back in the cradle figuring the line would be free in a few minutes. Dialing again later, I found the line busy, so I tried another extension. This went on for 25 minutes or more.

When someone finally answered, I was informed that the girl lived in another section of the dormitory and to try another extension. Dialing again—well, what did you expect? Busy.

Investigation into the matter revealed a few very interesting facts.

The present switchboard in the Administration Building has approximately 27 outside lines and 196 extensions. With two operators on the board, over 30 calls come in per minute. One can well imagine how many of these calls are lost.

Students gripe because the lines always are busy or because, when calling from off-campus, no one ever answers. There's someone on the board alright, but they're trying to answer a dozen questions and get an inquisitive party off the line at the same time.

Football season seems to be the worst for the PBX workers. People call in wanting tickets to games and information on how to obtain them. Twenty to thirty calls may be lost in the time it takes to answer these questions.

But why can't more lines be put in?—the answer is the switchboard is already overloaded and there is not adequate equipment to handle more lines.

Why not put in new equipment?—because the new Ad Building supposedly will solve the situation.

What can be done now?—well, there are always the talkative clods that could stop hibernating on the phone and start limiting their calls to five or ten minutes. This problem exists mainly in Colby, Milton Daniel, Clark and Sherley Halls.

Another way to tide us over until completion of the new Ad Building would be to maintain adequate help on the switchboard. Student assistants who are not alert or fast enough can lose a lot of calls.

After my talkative evening, I went back to the dorm, still without the details from the reporter in Colby. I tried one more time and miraculously, the phone rang! As I gave the girl's name I heard, "I'm sorry, but calls are not allowed after 10:45!"

My roommate found me crouched in my closet this morning at 7, clutching a fistfull of hair.

Patience is a virtue (?).

## Yours Truly

### Spirit Dead?

Editor,  
The Skiff

Do we really want to go to the Cotton Bowl? Sure, everybody wants the honor of having their team in this annual event, but how many people do anything about it?

School spirit, here at TCU, is at its lowest ebb. And it's getting lower each game. Our student rallies are usually one big flop. Everyone seems to be going to the game for the mere reason of going or to have a date with that favorite girl. True, these may be some of the reasons, but when we do go to these games, we should heartily support our team.

Our cheering section at the TCU-A&M game was embarrassing. Just because we were winning was no sign that we should have stopped our support.

One Aggie fan was heard to have said, "Lucky for TCU that they were playing good today; if it were left up to their fans to support them, TCU would have lost the game for sure." We were truly playing good in that game. Our teamwork was perfect. But our cheering was terrible.

At the LSU game, TCU was proud to be playing a number one team and they showed it. Their yells were heard even above the booing done by the ardent Louisiana fans. Why can't we show the same enthusiasm when playing a conference game?

If we have any designs at all on going to the Cotton Bowl come Jan. 1, we'd better start yelling. We've got a rough schedule ahead of us with Texas, Rice and SMU and they are going to be out to take the conference crown away from us.

Get out and go to those rallies and show your support. Show them that you want to win. Yell at those games, yell hard, and we'll see you in the Cotton Bowl.  
Jerry A. Johnson

### No Folk Music?

Editor  
The Skiff

I have a complaint to the entertainment committee that I wish to be made public. The complaint concerns the Wednesday evening TCU folk music concert held weekly at the Student Center.

It is pleasing to know that the entertainment committee can provide an opportunity for young talent to gain experience. Also, it is most obvious that our student body needs the mature and cultural music to divert them from their dry, boring studies. I, myself, greatly enjoy TCU folk music so long as I do not have to hear it.

I think it is an encroachment upon the rights of the individual student to force him to listen to any type of music, folk or classical. Must the music be piped outside? Must the mob of listeners and the creative young talent crowd the main entrance of our Student Center?

Although the majority of our cultured students might want to participate in the TCU folk music concert, I would like to point out that a majority group has no right to obstruct the rights of the minority.

I'm asking that the entertainment committee discontinue piping the music outside, restricting it to some convenient, yet secluded room. Perhaps the Ballroom would suffice.

Sincerely,  
Tom Schmidt  
P.S. Besides, the folk music makes the animals restless, particularly at feeding times.—T. S.

Editor's Note: What folk music?—Beth Morris.

# Campus Carousel

By SANDY STOKES

**Engaged . . .**  
 . . . are Miss Linda Hillsamer, Victoria sophomore, and 1st Lt. Fred R. Pybus. Pybus, a graduate of Texas A&I, is stationed at Fort Bragg, N.C., with the U.S. Army. The couple plan a June wedding in Victoria.

**William Derrill Nippert, Jr. . .**  
 . . . was born July 4 to Mr. and Mrs. Derrill Nippert. Mrs. Nippert, the former Karen Rice of Delta Hillsboro, is a member of Delta Delta Delta. Nippert, B.A. '59 from Childress, was a member of the Horned Frog basketball team and is now coaching in Midlothian.

**Robert Car Chapel . . .**  
 . . . was the scene of the wedding of the former Miss Virginia Hicks, Fort Worth freshman, and Sidney Clifton Farrar Jr., Fort Worth on Oct. 23. The bridegroom is a graduate of the University of Texas law school.

**Born July 4 . . .**  
 . . . also was Robert Winston Sneed. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Marvin Sneed III of Calvert. Mrs. Sneed is the former Miss Judy Ferguson of Fort Worth, a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma.

**Dec. 19 . . .**  
 . . . will be the date Miss Barbara Hatfield, Jacksboro senior, and Clarence Young of Amarillo, will take their marriage vows. Young is a member of the Horned Frog football team. They will be married in the First Baptist Church in Jacksboro.

**Married . . .**  
 . . . on Oct. 24 were the former Miss Harlene Kautz, Fort Worth B.A. '59, and William W. Satterfield, B.A. '59, of Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Satterfield are living in New Orleans.

**Feb. 27 . . .**  
 . . . will be the wedding date for Miss Martha Tevis, Wichita Falls sophomore, and Levi Gay Shiplet, Fort Worth senior. Miss Tevis is a member of Pi Beta Phi. Shiplet is a member of Lambda Chi Alpha. They will be wed in the First Christian Church in Wichita Falls.

**Billy Bob Harlin . . .**  
 . . . was born in August to Mr. and Mrs. Billy Harlin, former students here. Mrs. Harlin, the former Miss Linda Greer, of San Angelo, is a member of Delta Delta Delta and Harlin is from Mt. Pleasant and a member of Phi Delta Theta. Both parents are seniors and attending East Texas State College in Commerce.

**Married . . .**  
 . . . were the former Miss Joy Hood of Fort Worth and Woodrow Walton, Fort Worth B.A. '57. They are now residing in Durham, N.C. where Walton is a senior in the Duke Divinity School.

**Broadway Baptist Church . . .**  
 . . . on Oct. 24, was the scene of the wedding of the former Miss Lynda Ruth Wallace of Fort Worth and Jim Edd Newman, former Fort Worth student here. The couple are now living in Roswell, N.M.

**Pinned . . .**  
 . . . are Miss Barbara Zeigler, Gatesville junior, and Bennett Smith, Fort Worth graduate student. Miss Zeigler is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta, and Smith is a member of Kappa Sigma.

**Pinned . . .**  
 . . . were Miss Colette Hill, Dallas junior, and J. D. Petty, Fort Worth senior. Miss Hill is a member of Alpha Delta Pi, and Petty is a member of Sigma Chi.

**Also pinned . . .**  
 . . . are Miss Faye Redwine, Cisco senior, and Jim Berly, senior at Texas Tech. Miss Redwine is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta and a majorette with the Horned Frog Band. Berly is member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

**Sept. 19 . . .**  
 . . . Miss Barbara Scoggin, Fort Worth senior, became engaged to Denny Micheel, former Albuquerque, New Mexico student. The couple plan to be married in June.

**Miss Texas . . .**  
 . . . Miss Marilyn Turner, Houston sophomore, and John Roach, Fort Worth junior, are pinned. Miss Turner is a member of Alpha Delta Pi, and Roach is a member of Sigma Chi.

**A Summer wedding . . .**  
 . . . is planned by Miss Carolyn Stoker, Waxahachie senior, and John Shinn of Tulsa, Okla. She is a member of Pi Beta Phi, and Shinn is a graduate of North Carolina State University.

**Pinned Oct. 9 . . .**  
 . . . were Miss Linda Rockwell, Fort Worth freshman, and Ted Peters, Fort Worth senior. Miss Rockwell is a pledge of Kappa Kappa Gamma, and Peters is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

**A June wedding . . .**  
 . . . is planned for Miss Gloria Neuman, Mart senior, and Don Poole, Miss Neuman is a member of Pi Beta Phi, and Poole is a student at the University of Texas.

## Angel Flight Commander Named AFROTC Sponsor

Miss Janet Vernon has been chosen as the sponsor of the 845th Air Force ROTC group.

Miss Vernon, New London junior is commander of the Angel Flight. She holds the rank of Honorary Cadet Col. in the Air Force ROTC.

The First Squadron of the 845th will be sponsored by Miss Carolyn Acklen, Dallas junior. She is the Executive officer and pledge trainer of the Angel Flight. Miss

Acklen, holds the rank of Honorary Cadet Lt. Col.

Miss Lynda Davis, Post senior, will sponsor the Second Squadron of the 845th group. She is an Honorary 1st Lt.

Miss Martha Kay Frazier, Baytown sophomore, was elected as sponsor of the Third Squadron, better known as the Grenadiers, AF ROTC Drill Team. Miss Frazier is Comptroller of the Angel Flight. She is an Honorary Cadet Lt. Col. in the Air Force ROTC.

## KTCU Plans New Program

KTCU, the campus radio station, will try something new the next few weeks.

"Remote" broadcasts of the freshman football game against the Texas Shorthorns on the afternoon of Nov. 13 will be "aired" over the station.

The broadcasts will originate in TCU-Amon-Carter Stadium only three blocks away from the KTCU studio in the Fine Arts Building.

The broadcasts can be picked up only by special receiving sets on campus.

Robert Lamey, Fort Worth Senior and manager of KTCU this year, will be in charge of the "remotes".

## ROTC to March In Veteran Parade

Army and Air Force ROTC units will represent TCU during the Veterans' Day Parade in downtown Fort Worth at 10:30 a.m. Nov. 11.

The units will be led by Cadet Col. Lonnie Holliday, commander of the combined ROTC Corp. Following Cadet Col. Holliday, Cleburne senior, will be the Grenadiers; a combined Color Guard; the Army Drill Team, The Golden Kriegers; and four Air Force sponsors and four Army sponsors.

### ★ HISTORICAL NOTE

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# There's a Man Just for You

## Coed Heed These Figures

By J'NELL ROGERS

If the typical Miss Cathy Coed would make a careful study of last year's enrollment figures, she might discover some interesting facts.

For instance, with 3,357 men and 2,205 women enrolled in day school, there were one and one-half men to every woman on campus.

Evening College enrollment was even more encouraging for the unmarried female. Last year 630 women and 2,397 men attended TCU at night. Quick mental arithmetic reveals that for each woman enrolled at night there were three and five-sixths men. (But who wants just five-sixths of a man?)

If Cathy is a student in Add-

Ran College of Arts and Sciences, the ration of men to women was two to one. There were 1,452 men and 785 women enrolled.

In the School of Business there were seven men to every two women with an enrollment of 730 men and 207 women.

Naturally Brite College of the Bible was predominately male with 219 men and only 15 women.

Signed up for courses in the Graduate School in 1958-59 were 558 men and 187 women, making a ratio of eleven to four.

Of the eight colleges on campus, only three enrolled more women than last year. These were the School of Education, men 244, women 579; School of Fine Arts, men 148, women 263,

and Harris College of Nursing, men 6, women 169.

Figures also reveal that last year there were more Baptists on campus than any other church preference group—2,362. Second were Methodists with 1,723, while members of the Christian Church ranked third with 1,333. Presbyterians were fourth with 614, Catholics, fifth, 598 and Church of Christ sixth with 401.

Of TCU's total enrollment of 8,589 last year, the majority, 5,725 were from Fort Worth. There were 2,007 students from Texas counties other than Tarrant. Two hundred twenty - three students

reside in Tarrant County other than Fort Worth.

Only 589 students came from states other than Texas, while 45 were from countries other than the U.S.

So the eligible Miss Cathy Coed who came to college to find a husband more than likely will have no problems considering the ratio of men to women in the various departments, providing she steers away from being a teacher, a nurse or a fine arts major.

Just to be on the safe side, Miss Coed should enroll in Brite College of the Bible, where there are forty-four men to every three women.

When she finds a mate, statistics show that the odds are in favor of his being a Baptist and a Fort Worth resident.

### ★HISTORICAL NOTE

In 1910 TCU appointed W. B. Parks as "Dean". This was the first time such title had been given to a professor on campus. He was to take over handling matters of discipline from the President who previously had taken care of it.

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# FROGS

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The Frogs covered 220 yards on the ground, with Jack Spikes having most of that tallied to his credit. Spikes carried the pigskin 18 times, picking up 92 yards for a 5.1 average.

Marshall Harris also had a good night with a 3.9 average on 11 carries.

The Frogs will spend their weekend of leisure working on a suitable defense to use against the Longhorns Nov. 14.

The game with Texas, in all probability, will be the hardest game of the year, ranking right along with the battle the Frogs had earlier in the season with LSU.

The Longhorns now hold the no. 3 position in the nation and will be fighting to maintain their no. 1 place in the conference.

A loss to TCU could put Texas in a three-way tie for first place with the Frogs and Arkansas.

The win over Baylor puts the Frogs in a tie for second place in the conference with Arkansas, while Texas has not lost a game to date and holds the first-place honors. The rest of the teams in the conference are virtually out of the race.

The race has come down to Texas, Arkansas and TCU, and with a little luck, SMU might tie somebody for first place.

During the season, the Frogs have scored 80 points against the opponents 29.

## SMU's Wileman Leads In Interception Returns

SMU's Turey Wileman now leads the Southwest Conference in intercepted pass returns. A right halfback for the Mustangs, Wileman grabbed three stray passes, returned them a total of 123 yards and now has an amazing return average of 41 yards per interception.

# Skiff Football Contest

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### CONTEST RULES

1. Contest is open to TCU students ONLY.
2. Only ONE entry will be accepted from each contestant and EVERY game must be picked.
3. Contestants must pick total points on TCU game each week and, in case of a tie, contestant coming closest each week will be declared the winner.
4. Entries must be received in box marked "Skiff Football Contest" at the candy counter in the Student Center by 6 p.m. Friday.
5. No member of The Skiff staff is eligible for prizes.
6. Winner will receive four passes to the Worth Theater.
7. Entries will be judged by sports editors of The Skiff.
8. Winner will be announced next week in The Skiff.

Rice .....	vs. Ark.....	Navy ....	vs. Maryland....
Ariz. ..	vs. Tex. Tech....	Iowa .....	vs. Minn.....
SMU ....	vs. Tex. A&M....	Purdue ...	vs. Mich. St....
Texas .....	vs. Baylor....	Wis. ....	vs. N'wstn....
Total Points of Rice-Ark. game .....			

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## George 'Passes On'

# Frogs' Top Passing Ace Not Stopped by Sickness

By ERNEST WHITE  
Donald George is the aerial ace that was knocked out of the North-South game in 1957, due to an appendectomy.

George, 6-1, 195-pound junior from San Benito, bounced back after that disappointment and now leads the TCU team in passing. In the shadow of Hunter Ennis, George rose up this year to share the quarterback duties with Larry Dawson and Jack Sledge.

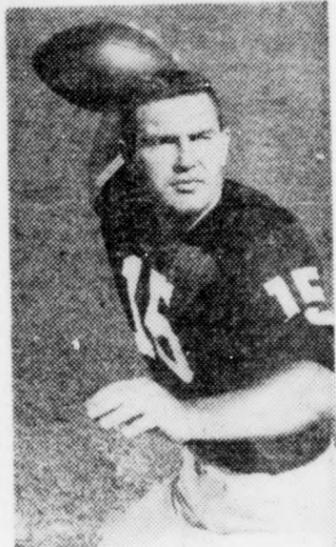
Receiving bids from all Southwestern conference teams except Arkansas, George was influenced to come to the Hill by another former San Benito star, Vernon Hallbeck.

Then a senior fullback on the Purple team, Hallbeck had a lot to do with George making his decision. Coach Abe Martin also made quite an impression on him, when he spoke at the San Benito football banquet during George's junior year.

In high school, George received four varsity football letters, and made the All-District team his junior and senior years. He also

received honorable mention on the All-State team his senior year. Excelling in all high school sports, Don received three letters in track, two in basketball and two in baseball. During his senior year, he made the All-District baseball team.

When asked about the Frog's upcoming games, he frowned at the mention of Texas and com-



Donald George

mented that he felt it would be the hardest game of the year.

Coming to TCU after the disappointment of missing the North-South game, George showed the same talent that brought him high school fame.

George's feelings for TCU have grown steadily since his first contact with Coaches Martin and Hallbeck. As he said, with the same coolness he displays in games, "I think TCU is the greatest and can't be beat".

# Deadlock Throws Contestants

Tie games in the football contest continue to take their toll among students, as four contestants missed the Illinois-Purdue deadlock and tied for first place.

So far this season, no entrant has correctly picked a tie game and only two contests have been won by perfect picks.

Three contestants foresaw tie games. Miss Carole Cronk, a recent winner, and James M. Gideon predicted LSU and Ole' Miss

would fight to a draw, while Charles Faires forecast a tie between Rice and Clemson.

Larry Kent, Howard Quiett, Jim Gary and Bob Bruhn tied for first place, but Kent, with a guess of 22 total points in the TCU-Baylor mudfest, came the closest in that category to win the theater passes.

Running close behind, Quiett predicted 24 total points, while Bruhn and Gary chose 31 and 33

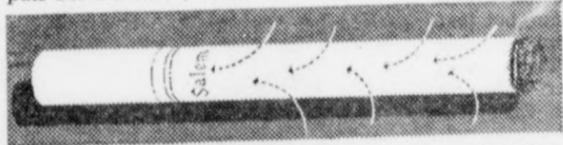
total points respectively.

Only two contestants, Ross Smith and Jim Hembree showed their pessimism and picked Baylor over TCU. However, other wrong guesses put them out of the running quickly.

Again, another student apparently had his mind on his studies when he filled out the entry. David Warnell picked each game, missed four and failed to include the TCU-Baylor total points.

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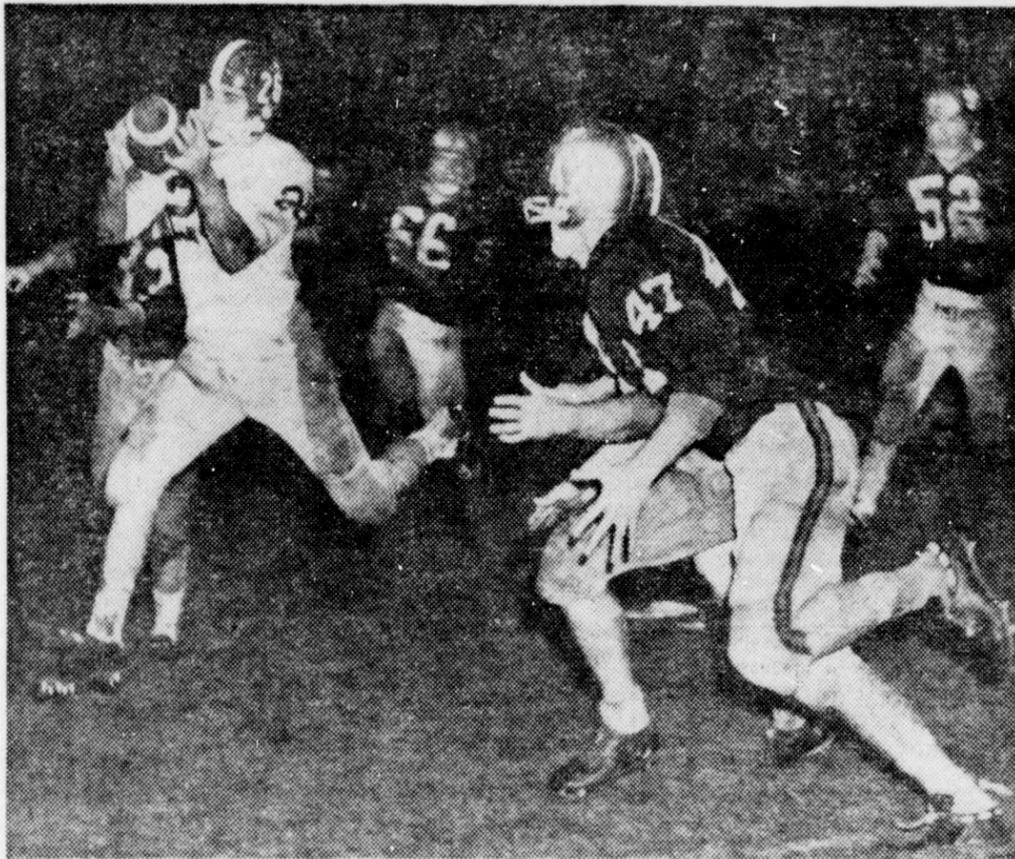
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## Harris Grabs One

Marshall Harris (26), Frog right halfback, hauls down a pass thrown by Marvin Lasater in the third quarter of the Baylor game. Shown defending on the play are Jim Evans (33),

Bear fullback; Harby Adkins (66), guard; Austin Gouslin (47), halfback, and Buddy Dansby (32), center. Behind Adkins is Paul Peebles, Frog end, coming up to assist Harris.

## BALLIN' THE JACK

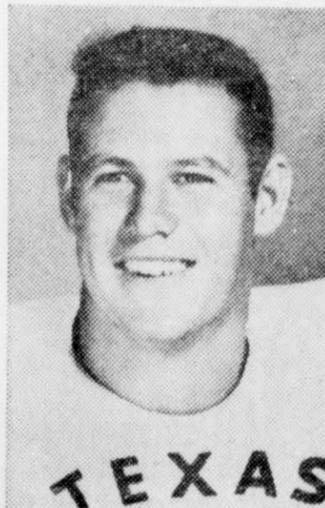
By Jack Harkrider

The eyes of Texas will be focused on the TU-TCU game Nov. 14. Most fans agree this will be the game that tells the story.

Will the Frogs, who have started clicking as a team in addition to having a week's rest, be able to corral the high-riding Longhorns and their host of backfield talent?

Naturally the Orangemen will be favored, but the Frogs dearly love to play the part of the spoilers. Perhaps the Longhorns should file an appeal with the SPCA to prevent animal cruelty in the form of a loss to TCU. Hook the Horns!

One of the names to watch for in the Texas game is Co-Captain Don Allen. A 5-11, 190-pound fullback, Allen hasn't busted loose lately and is scheduled for a break any day now.



Don Allen

While he's no Jack Spikes, Allen is a tough, rugged linebacker who is very popular with his

teammates and has a tremendous competitive spirit.

### Bowls, anyone?

With the bowl games less than two months away, it's time to gaze into ye old crystal ball and predict who meets who.

Rose Bowl: The easiest one of them all to pick. Northwestern and the Trojans from Southern Cal are both undefeated, but the West Coast team is on probation. In a typical Rose Bowl slugfest, Washington will meet Northwestern.

Cotton Bowl: TCU against Mississippi. Vaught's Rebels are mighty tough. Come on, you Frogs!

Sugar Bowl: LSU, naturally, and Texas. According to the little ball, the Longhorns lost a heartbreaker to TCU.

Orange Bowl: Oklahoma can't go, so it's Nebraska standing against Syracuse. The Orangemen lost Jim Brown a few years back, but they've still got a team that won't quit.

Gator Bowl: The ball is very hazy and the names are blurred, but it looks like, believe it or not, North Texas and Purdue. The terrific gains by "Little Abner" Haynes have thrown the Eagles into the national spotlight.

The magic light in the ball has dimmed out now, so the other bowl games cannot be predicted. Perhaps it's just as well, though. The ball was presented to us last summer by a mentally deranged sportswriter who kept mumbling something about the ball predicting Patterson to win his title bout.

Rumors are flying fast and thick, concerning the tenure of office of Jim Meyers, head coach at A&M. Certain individuals who "know the real score" says he will "resign" at the end of the season.

### Sports Fact

In 1890, the Minnesota Gophers were amazed to find their opponents, the Wisconsin Badgers, wearing top hats. It was the only formal football game ever fought.

# TCU TAKES VACATION

By ERNEST WHITE

The Froggies take a week off after an impressive victory over a tough Baylor team in Waco Saturday.

The Frogs have been the so-called "unimpressive" team of the Southwest Conference for the last four years. However, in being "unimpressive," they have picked up two SWC championships.

This season, the Frogs again are rated "unimpressive," since they hold a 4-2 record, with one of these losses counting against their conference standing.

Looking back, the Frogs opened their campaign against their traditional opening-day foe, the Kansas Jayhawks, at Amon Carter Stadium.

Fighting a much improved, defensively tough team, TCU brought the game down to the wire, winning 14-7. Then came two disastrous periods in Froggie history.

First was the tilt at Baton Rouge against the mighty LSU Tigers, which ended in a 9-0 defeat of the Frogs.

Unable to ever sustain a drive long enough to cross the goal line, the Frogs did get to the one foot line, only to be thrown back by the Bengal forward wall.

The next bad day for the Purple came when they faced a Dad's Day crowd at Fayetteville against the Razorbacks of Arkansas. On

a wet field, the Frogs couldn't get moving and lost, 3-0.

Once again facing a Dad's Day crowd, the Purple regained their footing and nosed out the Red Raiders from Texas Tech, 14-7. This gave the Frogs a 2-2 record with one defeat being a conference tilt.

After regaining some of their lost dignity, the Frogs met the Texas Aggies at Amon Carter Stadium before a crowd of 40,000 enthusiastic fans, who witnessed the 39-6 defeat of the Cadets.

The Frogs could do no wrong in the game and other than the two-play, scoring drive by the Aggies, held the men from College Station in mid-field all afternoon.

The Frogs then journeyed North to play the University of Pittsburgh. This was the first meeting of the two teams and with their 13-3 victory, the Frogs ended their intersectional schedule.

Fighting a light mist and the mud at Waco did not hinder the Frogs in upending the Baylor Bears, 14-0.

The Bears put up one of the strongest aerial programs the Frogs have faced all season. Covering 208 yards through the airways, the Bears gave the impression they were trying to imitate the witches and other spooks who usually do the flying on Halloween.

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# Coody, Massengale Big Loss To Powerful Frog Golf Team

By BOBBY HUGHES

TCU is very fortunate to have had two consecutive Texas State Amateur Golf Champions, Don Massengale in 1958 and Charles Coody this year.

Both Don's and Charles' eligibilities have run out for Coach Tom Prouse's golf team, but that didn't stop them from winning golf tournaments. They spent most of the summer defeating each other for golf championships.

The Froggie twosome traveled together throughout the summer and were playing on the links every weekend of June, July and up to the weekend of Aug. 15.

One of the big tourneys this summer was the Texas State Amateur in San Antonio where Coody won the title from defending champ, Massengale.

The third weekend Charles won the Men's West Texas title in Fort Worth and Don was runner-up. At the Brownwood Invitation Massengale won the tournament and Charles was the runner-up.

Coody then captured the Saltillo tournament in Old Mexico the first weekend in July. The following week he took the San Angelo Invitation.

At Lovington, New Mexico, Charles and Don teamed to win the low ball tournament. Massengale then copped the Lampassas and Stamford tournaments.

As far as medal play is concerned, Charles and Don won their share of the medalist honors, too. Coody was medalist in the Trans-Mississippi tournament

and Duncan Invitation in Oklahoma. Don was medalist of the Pampa tourney.

It is quite certain that TCU has never had such teammates

in its golf history. Too bad that Don and Charles aren't playing for the Frogs this year, because they are truly two of TCU's greatest golfers.



Charles Coody and Don Massengale