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Opera to Take Place of Annual May Pageant

"Chimes of Normandy" by Planquette Will Be Presented.

TO BE GIVEN IN STADIUM Dr. Guelick Will Direct Musical Party; Mrs. Murphy in Charge of Dances.

"The Chimes of Normandy," a popular and well-known light opera, will be presented May 10, the night before Mother's Day, in the stadium in place of the annual pageant.

All students who desire to sing in the chorus are requested to see Dr. Guelick, regardless of whether they are voice pupils or are in the music department.

Group rehearsals will be at 12 o'clock daily to accommodate those students who have 12 o'clock classes three times a week.

Open Forum Meets at Clark Hall on Sunday

"Validity of Church Membership" Is Topic—Dean Lettwich Leads Discussion.

Y. M. C. A. open forum meets are conducted every Sunday morning in Clark Hall at 9:45 by Dean Lettwich.

About twenty young men were present and there resulted an interesting discussion, according to Dean Lettwich, who says: "It is my job to see that the meetings are conducted with some manner of good form and to keep the arguments from getting too hot."

According to Dean Lettwich various subjects are chosen each Sunday and every one present gets a chance to voice his opinion.

Bodiford Is President

Alpa Zeta Pi Elects Officers—Hears Convention Report.

Lowell Bodiford was elected president of Alpha Zeta Pi at the meeting Wednesday at 7:30 o'clock in the Brite College club room, according to Miss Ruth Hays.

Misses Margaret Cook and Adelle Clark, delegates to the national convention at Columbia, Mo., gave reports of the convention.

Dr. E. E. Vesey Lectures

Talks to Students About Making Optical Instruments.

Dr. E. E. Vesey of Texas A. & M. College, lectured to the students of the department of biology Friday night on "How to Make Optical Instruments."

Debaters Will Go to N. T. A. C., Weatherford

Trial debates are to be held soon with Weatherford Junior College at Weatherford and North Texas Agricultural College at Arlington.

The teams will be made up of the new members in order that the young debaters will be eligible to be members of the Pi Kappa Delta.

CAN YOU STAND THE HEAT?



Blind Lecturer Heard in Chapel

Crippled by Explosion, Hanks Tells About Experiences.

"It's too bad it didn't kill him," was the statement made by people who saw me after my eyes and hands had been torn away by the explosion of dynamite caps in a silver mine in the mountains of Utah," said N. C. Hanks, blind lecturer, who appeared in chapel last Wednesday morning.

As a result of the explosion Hanks has had to depend upon his lectures and the sale of his book, "Up From the Hills," for his livelihood. Hanks was one of a family of ten, and he had to pay his own way through college.

"Can you start all over?" was the question Hanks asked himself after he was freed from the hospital. Hanks solved the problem of depending on himself by going to Leland Stanford and Harvard Universities, where he studied oratory.

Dramatists Make Plans For Coming Semester

Plans for participation in the tournaments to be held at Trinity University, April 14-18, and another at the University of Arkansas the third week in April were discussed at a meeting of the Dramatic Club Thursday night.

Surprise Is Announced

There is going to be a surprise number on the junior-senior chapel program shortly after examinations are over, according to Hugh Buck, student body president.

He says, however, that the surprise is not to be the reading of the new constitution nor is it to be a high pressure cash offering to defray student body indebtedness. In chapel recently he stated that unless the student body financial condition was bettered that it would be necessary for him to don overalls and go to work to pay off the debts.

Busy Season in Library

Term Themes and Reports Keep Students Studying.

"Although the registrar's office shows that there have been a large number of absences their last few days, we certainly have not noticed it in the library. We have been more rushed than we have since school started," said Mrs. J. E. Mothershead, assistant librarian.

Two Former Students Are Hurt in Collision

"Buzz" Cecil Morgan, an ex-student of T. C. U., received a slight fracture of the skull and a bursted ear drum in a head-on collision at Naacogoches.

He will be in the hospital there until Saturday, after which time he will go to Shreveport, La. for a three weeks' rest. He is employed by the Gulf Production Company in Shreveport. He was accompanied by Marvin "Bud" Norman, another ex-student, who received a slight injury to his knee.

A. M. Harding to Speak Here Soon

Arkansas Professor to Lecture at T. C. U. on Feb. 18.

A. M. Harding, professor of mathematics and astronomy at the University of Arkansas, will appear at T. C. U. Feb. 18 at the fourth number of the lecture series, according to Prof. C. R. Sherer, chairman of the lecture committee.

Harding will speak on "Other Worlds Than Ours," and will supplement his lecture with lantern slides. He has given 813 lectures in 325 cities since 1919, all of which has been concerned with astronomy.

Dr. M. D. Clubb, who came to T. C. U. from Miami University at Oxford, Ohio, will speak March 13 on "The Philosophy of Humor." Dr. Clubb went to Pomona College, California, four years. He also did graduate work at Yale for four years.

Charles W. Gilkey, dean of the chapel at the University of Chicago, will appear March 26. His subject has not yet been announced. Gilkey has been the university preacher at Harvard, Yale, Princeton, Cornell, Chicago, Toronto, Wellesley, Stanford and Purdue. He has also studied at Berlin. "Gilkey is one of America's most prominent men in college religious activities," says Professor Sherer.

Arthur C. Pillsbury, naturalist and botanist, will speak April 4 on "Miracles in Nature." He will present colored moving pictures of plants, shrubs, flowers and other forms of plant life actually growing before the audience's eyes.

Student Knows Exam Questions Before Given in Class

One student in T. C. U. knows what the examination questions are going to be before he goes into the class room. He is Gordon Voight, senior, multigraph operator for the university.

"Over half of my work for the journalism department and its daily news service," Voight explains, "is sides examination questions. I also make all sorts of syllabi, questionnaires and announcements. I usually know most of the important news in the university before other students see it in the newspapers."

Voight's busiest season is just before examination time, although he

Final Exams to Start on Friday And End Jan. 30

No Tests Will Be Given Out of Regular Schedule.

EXCEPTIONS TO PROGRAM Two Hours and Half Will Be Time Allowed for Each Semester Course.

Final examinations for the fall term will begin Friday, according to the schedule announced by Registrar E. R. Tucker last week. The last day of examinations will be Thursday, Jan. 30, and no examinations are to be given out of scheduled time.

Two hours and a half will be allowed for each examination, as usual, although members of the faculty are instructed to make out their questions for a two-hour test.

The schedule for the Monday-Wednesday-Friday classes is as follows: Eight o'clock-8 a. m. Friday; 9 o'clock-10:30 a. m. Monday, Jan. 27; 11 o'clock-8 a. m. Wednesday, Jan. 29, and 12 o'clock-10:30 Wednesday. Examinations for Tuesday-Thursday-Saturday classes will be held in the following order: Eight o'clock-8 a. m. Saturday, Jan. 25; 9 o'clock-8 a. m. Tuesday, Jan. 28; 10 o'clock-10:30 a. m. Thursday, and 12 o'clock-10:30 Thursday.

There are several exceptions to the above schedule. Examinations for Bible 117 and 127 will be held at 2 p. m. Thursday, Jan. 30, in Brite chapel; and the final for Bible 221 will be at 2 p. m. Friday. All biology and geology examinations will be held in the afternoon, preceding Jan. 23.

The examination for English will be given on Friday at 10:30 a. m., while English 24 is scheduled for 10:30 a. m. Saturday. The final for Economics 21 will be held on Monday at 8 o'clock.

Classes in French 11 will take the examination Monday at 2 p. m.; Dick Bailey's French 11 examination will be held Monday at 2 a. m. On Thursday at 2 p. m., the final government 23 will be held. The history 12 examination is scheduled for 8 a. m. Monday, while the final for history 21 will be at 2 p. m. Saturday. Examination for history 32 will be held at 10:30 Saturday morning.

New Gift Submitted

Plan Suggests Removal of Stone House to Campus.

A new gift has been submitted to the senior gift committee. This plan suggests the removal of the old stone house from Thorpe Springs, where T. C. U. originated, to the campus and making a museum of it.

Roark to Undergo Operation

Alf Roark, Clark Hall, left for Beaumont this week where he will undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Committee Is Working On New Constitution

A committee consisting of Bill George, Wendell Schuler, Sam Frankrich, Jimmy Miller and Stewart Hellman is now working with Hugh Buck, student body president, to draw up a new constitution.

The changes to be made will concern the striking out of the honor system and changes in the selection of The Skiff editor. A definite plan for financing the student body activities must also be formulated. After the constitution is drawn up it will be read before the student body so that it may be passed on.

Sixty-Five New Courses to Open Next Semester

Economics Department to Add Six Classes Mid-Semester.

B. B. A. WILL HAVE FIVE More Work Offered in Spanish Journalism, Sociology and Other Sections.

Sixty-five new courses of instruction in T. C. U. are scheduled to begin at mid-year, according to the catalogue, including seven in Brite College of the Bible, two in the school of education and three in the school of fine arts.

Six new courses will be offered by the department of economics, while the business administration and psychology departments will offer five each. Four new courses are scheduled for the departments of journalism, sociology, Spanish, mathematics, French and government.

"The Teachings of the Apostles" will be the only new course offered by the department of Bible. The five courses scheduled to begin at mid-year in the business administration department are: "Business Organization and Management," "Principles of Marketing," "Principles of Salesmanship," "Theory of Investments" and "Auditing Theory and Practice." The chemistry department will offer "Qualitative Analysis," beginning at mid-year. The six courses to begin in the department of economics include: "Economic History of the United States," "Modern Economic Reform," "Corporation Finance," "Transportation," "Value and Distribution" and the "Economic Cycle." "Advanced Composition," "Recent Drama" and "The Teaching of English in the Secondary Schools" are scheduled for the English department.

The French department will offer "Poetry Since the Romantic Movement," "French Civilization," "The Classic School" and "The Eighteenth Century." "Poetry of the Romantic Movement" is the only new course scheduled for the department of German.

New government courses include the following: "American State and City Government," "Political Parties," "Political Thought" and "European" (CONTINUED ON PAGE 3)

Dr. A. L. Carlson Has Articles Published

B. B. A. Professor Writes Banking History of State for Texas Monthly.

Dr. A. L. Carlson, assistant professor of business administration, has had three articles published in the last three issues of the Texas Monthly. "The Origin of Banking in Texas from 1812 to 1860" is the title of the one in the November number. "Laying the Foundation of Modern Banking in Texas from 1861 to 1893" appeared in December and the article in the January issue is "The Expansion of Texas Banking; 1894 to 1929."

Prof. Carlson has also written an article entitled "The History of Trust Banking in Texas; 1865 to 1930," which will soon be published in the Texas Record, the magazine of the Texas State Bankers' Association. Due to Prof. Carlson's articles this association is placing the Texas Record in the Mary Coats Burnett Library of T. C. U.

Band Uniforms Ordered

Suits to Be White, Trimmed in Purple, Says Wilmetth.

The new band uniforms have been ordered, and will be in time to wear to the Fat Stock Show, according to Joe Brice Wilmetth, drum major. The new suits will be made of white whip cord, trimmed in purple. They have been designed according to the English style, form fitting, with an open lapel and a slight flair in the trousers. A black Sam Brown military belt with shoulder straps and military cut hat will be used.

Inspection Group Leaves to Visit Mid-West Stadia

Smiser, Daniels, Rogers, Wright, Hedrick, Go on Tour.

TO BE GONE EIGHT DAYS Stadium Here to Include Ideas Found in Seven of Country's Best Plants.

Seven of the largest and most modern stadia in the country are listed on the tour of inspection planned by the T. C. U. stadium committee, which left Monday afternoon over the Santa Fe for Lincoln, Neb. The committee will make a careful observation of the various athletic plants in order that the most modern improvements and ideas may be inculcated in the stadium to be constructed at T. C. U., plans for which will get under way as soon as the party returns from the tour.

Besides the great stadium of the University of Nebraska at Lincoln, the group will visit the plants of the following universities: University of Illinois, Bloomington; University of Illinois, Urbana; Notre Dame University, South Bend, Ind.; Northwestern University, Chicago; University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, and the Ohio State University, Columbus. The party plans to spend eight days on the tour.

Interest in a new home for T. C. U.'s football team has been at a high pitch since the Frogs captured the Southwest Conference grid title the past season, but until a meeting of officials two weeks ago no definite action had been taken. At this meeting plans were made and various committees appointed assuring T. C. U. and Fort Worth of a concrete and steel structure that will seat 30,000, and which will be so constructed that it can be enlarged to seat 60,000. Present plans call for a \$300,000 project. The stadium will be constructed west of the administration building.

Comprising the party that left on the inspection tour Monday are Butlet Smiser, Dan Rogers, L. C. Wright, Milton Daniels, and Wyatt Hedrick, architect. In the actual construction of the stadium, Hedrick will be associated with him a consulting engineer as yet unselected.

Miss Rebecca Smith Is Musical Drama Author

Leading Artists of City Will Present Play at Little Theater Feb. 7-8.

Miss Rebecca Smith of the department of English in the T. C. U., with Mrs. W. F. Collins, is the author of the musical drama, "16 Rue Pigalle," which is to be presented by the Euterpean Club on Feb. 7 and 8 at the Little Theater. "16 Rue Pigalle" was the number of the apartment where Chopin and Madam George Sand lived in Paris in 1841. For 10 years the Polish composer had lived there where he had attained the pinnacle of success as a pianist and composer, drawing to himself the distinguished minds of the day.

The authors have through research contrived to make these great personages of a generation past live again with all the glamor of the lives of great artists. "16 Rue Pigalle," will be presented with a cast composed of the leading artists of the city. It will be directed by Mrs. Harry B. Stevens.

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Prof. Zeigler Talks to 93 Club

Prof. Samuel P. Zeigler, head of the department of art, spoke to the 93 Club, a branch of the Woman's Club, last Thursday afternoon and explained the pictures now on exhibit at the Carnegie Library. He also spoke Sunday afternoon at the exhibit on "Color." The pictures are from New York and are brought to Fort Worth by the Fort Worth Art Association.





SPORT WAVES

By CY LELAND.

THE Horned Frogs' decisive win over the Rice Owls place them close to the top in the conference race, even though in reality they are in fifth place.

The Rice Owls, who were confident that they would win one of the games on their recent road trip, still go unshaven.

Only one of the Rice basketballers appeared on the floor without a beard. Jake Hess, forward, was the exception.

Its Owl squad was conspicuous by its lack of tall men. Only two of them were tall enough to be considered basketball types.

Probably the biggest reason the Owls were unable to follow their shots was Noble Atkins. The big Frog guard went into the air after every Rice shot.

While all this talk about the variety, Little has been said about Dutch Meyer's Polliwogs.

When you speak of one of the freshmen as an "ace," few will know whom you are talking about.

Boys 'Go French' As Bright Tams Come Into View

It seems to be the fad for some of the boys on the campus to "go French" as it were.

Then another one is seen across the campus and wonder who that is in the tan tam—yes—no—yes it is Aaron Hays.

Sure enough when the girls are having arguments and discussions over the long dresses, one might listen closely and hear what the boys are saying about "going French."

To Sing Over Radio

Mrs. Helen Fouts Cahoon is now soprano soloist at the First Methodist Church here.

The Monday evening program that the Mercantile Bank and Trust Company of Dallas sponsors has been changed to Wednesday at 7:30 o'clock.

Frogs Improve And Whiskered Owls Defeated

33-21 Victory Against Rice Puts Purple Back in Race.

HESS AND ATKINS STAR T. C. U. Meets Institute Again in Houston Saturday—Will Play A.M. Friday.

By CY LELAND

The Frogs, after their 32 to 21 victory over the be-whiskered Rice Institute basketballers, cannot be counted out of the conference race yet.

The first half ended with the score 10 to 9 with the Frogs on the long end. Coach Schmidt evidently had several new plays ready for the boys during the half.

The closeness of the total points of the starting five is significant in that it shows a well-balanced offensive.

The two guards Wallin and Atkins each made seven points. Eury was high man for the Frogs with eight.

At this writing the games Tuesday night between Rice and the Aggies, and S. M. U. and Baylor, had not been played.

Van Zandt and Cassidy Speak to Parabola Club

The Parabola met Thursday night, Jan. 16, in room 110 of the main building.

The following members were present: Misses Omera Madeley, Dorothy Keller, Anita Wilson, Anna Harriet Hyer, Evelyn Cahill, Lena Smedley, Ina Bramblett, Hortenz Baker, and Lewis Levy.

\$1 Watches Best, Says Ramsey

It is no longer necessary to put out thirty, forty, or fifty dollars for a watch. The cheap ones run much better.

L. W. Ramsey, instructor in mathematics, paid one dollar for a watch three years ago.

Voice Students Meet Friday

All students of voice met with Mrs. Helen Fouts Cahoon in her studio Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock to discuss song literature, formation of programs and the requirements of a good singer.

Miss Hall to Direct Program

Miss Annabel Hall is directing a musical skit to be given before the Purina Show National Convention to be held in Fort Worth Feb. 19.

Handball Is Under Way To Continue Until Feb. 1 Because of Late Start.

Due to a late start girls' handball will continue until about March 1, according to Miss Laura Lee Barclay, manager.

Practices are held every Monday and Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. When all girls have completed their thirty hours toward W. A. A. work, tournaments will be held between the different groups.

Those girls signed up for this sport are Misses Thelma Lawrence, Relda Robbins, Maxine Echols, Inez Reynolds, Allene Allen, Lillian Maxwell, Eugenia Barkin, Loree Guhl and the manager.

Polliwogs Win All Three Games

Freshmen Beat Terrill Prep Twice, Hillsboro Junior Once.

Coach Dutch Meyer's brilliant freshman cagers added three victories to their undefeated record during the last week with triumphs over Hillsboro Junior College and the Terrill Prep Tigers.

The Hillsboro team did not give the future Frogs much competition, and Ad Dietzel led the team's scoring with 13 points.

The game was an even break all through the first period. Neither team was able to draw away from the other, and as a result the half ended a 16-to-16 deadlock.

The Parabola met Thursday night, Jan. 16, in room 110 of the main building. Talks by Jere Van Zandt and W. F. Cassidy constituted the program.

Perfumes, Fish, Antiques Among Gifts to Co-eds

A wide silver and gold antique bracelet, made in England 150 years ago was among the gifts received on Christmas by Miss Betsy Garrard, a sophomore in T. C. U.

Miss Helen Stallings received a Chinese ring. This was a gift from her aunt who has been a missionary in China.

"Jarvis Hall is one smell of 'Evening in Paris,'" said Miss Virginia Lou Saunders, when asked if there was a large amount of any one certain gift received.

"Hide and Seek" entered T. C. U. on Dec. 25. "Hide" is a goldfish, who always stays in his little castle.

Fort Worth National Bank

Seniors Win in Inter-Class Tilt; Sophs Also Win

Intramural Games Now Under Way—Teams 8 in Number.

TWO LEAGUES SEE ACTION

Senior Teams Triumph 17 to 9, 22 to 7—Sophs Victors 23 to 14, 20 to 9.

The seniors and sophomores won the games in the intramural playoffs the past week. In the "A" League, the seniors defeated the juniors 17 to 9, and the sophomores defeated the freshmen 23 to 14.

In the opening game of the "A" League the seniors were complete masters of the court.

The sophomore-freshman game of the "A" League was closer than the score indicates, and it was in the last few minutes that the sophomore team finally drew away from the first-year men.

In the junior-senior game both teams were able to pierce the other's defense, but the inability of the juniors to register points from crisp shots was the cause of their defeat.

In the sophomore-freshman game the sophomores were complete masters of the freshman club and outplayed them throughout the contest.

The starting lineups: "A" League. Juniors Position Seniors. Strange f Elliott. Buckley f Buck.

Independent League. Juniors Position Seniors. Nugent f Turner. Shumake f Cox.

HI Y Banquet Has T.C.U. Guests

Dean L. L. Leftwich, Loyd Mottley, and Curtis McHorse were guests of the HI Y at a banquet held Thursday evening at the Y. M. C. A.

Former Student Visits Mother

Mrs. J. Edwin Jennings of Port Arthur visited his mother, Mrs. J. A. Coker, in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Cahoon Sings in Lubbock

Mrs. Helen Fouts Cahoon gave a concert in the parlour of the new hotel in Lubbock Saturday.

Hilger Studying at Vanderbilt

Rothe Hilger, a graduate in the class of '28, is working on his masters degree at Vanderbilt University.

Girls Win First Game University Church Basket Ball Team Gets 38-12 Victory.

The University Christian Church girls' basket ball team defeated the First Christian Church team last Thursday, 38 to 12. This was the first game of the series for the University team.

Other church teams in the league, besides the University team, are: Trinity Methodist, First Baptist, First Christian, and Central Methodist.

Game Schedule Is Set

University Church Team Will Play Seven More Tilt.

First Round.

Jan. 30.—University Christian vs. Baptist Temple.

Feb. 6.—University Christian vs. Trinity Methodist.

Feb. 13.—University Christian vs. Central Methodist.

Second Round.

Feb. 20.—University Christian vs. First Christian.

March 6.—University Christian vs. Baptist Temple.

March 13.—University Christian vs. Trinity Methodist.

March 20.—University Christian vs. Central Methodist.

All games are scheduled at 7:45 o'clock at the Y. W. C. A. gym.

A. & M. Has 18 B. S. Candidates

Eighteen students at the A. & M. College are candidates for the Bachelor of Science degree at the close of the first semester, Jan. 31, of the present school year.

Fraternity Sponsors Contest

Pi Kappa Delta fraternity will sponsor an oratorical contest in about a month. All boys and girls who are interested in entering the contest should see some member of the public speaking department.

Horned Frog Goals And Gouges (Conference Games)

Player	F.G.	F.T.	P.P.	T.P.
Eury	7	12	5	16
Atkins	6	6	4	12
Roberson	5	2	4	11
Wallin	3	1	5	7
Flynn	2	2	8	6
McCulloch	2	1	1	5
Brumbelow	0	0	1	0
Green	0	0	0	0
Elkins	0	0	0	0
Smith	0	0	0	0

Works at Oil Company

Leo Hendrix-Assays Sands From West Texas Wells.

Leo Hendrix, graduate student assistant in biology, is working two afternoons a week in the laboratory of the Pure Oil Company.

"My work in part consists of washing samples of the materials taken at the different levels while a well is being drilled," Hendrix said.

Hendrix is intending to learn the methods of oil companies with his part-time work. The Pure Oil Company is furnishing him with samples from an oil well in West Texas which will aid him in preparing a thesis.

Instructor Here Trades Rattler For Texas Tam

"Where did Mrs. Helen Walker Murphy get her blue tam with the Longhorn insignia on it?" Well, there is no mystery about it, and the explanation is from Mrs. Murphy herself.

"I was in New York, and I met a group of young men who were from Texas. This group had organized a Texas Longhorn Club, made up of people living in New York who are either natives of Texas or have lived in Texas.

"Of course, I mailed the rattlesnake tam to him, and now I am a full-fledged member of the New York Texas Longhorn Club," Mrs. Murphy says.

Those girls interested in entering W. A. A. track events are to meet at the girl's gym, Monday, Feb. 3, at 1:30 o'clock, according to Miss Mildred Meggs, manager.

W. A. A. Track to Meet Feb. 3

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