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GREETINGS TO YOU ALL!

At this joyous time, the 83rd Christmas to be celebrated on a TCU campus, we extend to every family of the University a warm and affectionate greeting.

That peace and happiness abide in every home throughout the season is our sincere prayer.

As another of the fast-moving years comes to an end, we can all look back with much satisfaction on a job well done. With the help of every member of our fine family, we have accomplished much toward the great goal to which we are all devoted. The loyalty, enthusiasm and tireless effort of everyone on campus are appreciated more than words can express.

Now we face the challenge of a new year. There is every indication that our work will grow and prosper, that our contribution to our times will become more significant and that we will be called upon for even greater effort. With your consecrated help, with the blessing of Him whose birthday we celebrate, I am sure we will meet that challenge.

With heart-felt gratitude and appreciation, we say to you and yours

THE MERRIEST OF CHRISTMASES!

President

HAPPYNEWYEAR

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SANTA CLAUS FUNDS READY DEC. 16.

The Business Office reports that December checks will be ready by Friday afternoon, Dec. 16. That's this week, you know, so don't forget.

The next pay day: Feb. 1, 1956. That long?

PROF CHAPTER TO BE FORMED

Landon Colquitt reports that a chapter of the American Association of University Professors will be formed at a meeting on Jan. 5, at 11 a.m. in the Faculty Center.

For those who are not already members, the following have application blanks: James Sterritt (Fine Arts), Paul Hastings (Business), Charles Sherer (Natural Sciences), August Spain (Social Humanities) and Sandy Wall (Education).

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EXES PLAN "HUNCH BRUNCH" IN DALLAS

The Dallas TCU Women's Club extends a cordial invitation to all members of the faculty to be their guests at a "Victory Hunch" Brunch in Dallas before the Cotton Bowl game.

The event is set for the directors' room of the Electric Building on the State Fair Grounds (that's right near Gates 1-2 of the Cotton Bowl). The time is 11 a.m. Until kickoff time on Jan. 2. There'll be grub and coffee and fellowship. So anybody Who plans to arrive at the game a bit early might take advantage of this fine event. You'll be most welcome.

BRITE "TAG" REMOVED

Elmer Henson is happy to report that "Notice No. 9", a reservation against the library facilities of Brite College, has been removed by the American Association of Theological Schools.

"That means we have full standing and top ranks with any of the seminaries of the country," Dean reports. "Our library facilities are now fully approved."

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THE EMMET SMITHS REPORT

From Paris, Sue and Emmet Smith have dropped cards and letters to many friends on campus. They seem to be having a wonderful time on their Fullbright Scholarship but are already making plans for returning to TCU.

To Dean Moore, Emmet reported finding an apartment with real steam heat and of renting an organ which helps them both to study at home. Recently Emmet was invited to play the organ and direct the choir at the American Church in Paris. He says they have a fine organ, much larger than that of Carr Chapel -- but not as good. Word of the Frogs' football success made all Texans in Paris most happy.

JOHN MURRAYS SEND GREETING FROM GERMANY

Col. John Murray (former Army ROTC head here) sends his family's "best" to all TCU folks. As you might suspect, the colonel kept a close tab on the Frog football fortunes during the season and reports "basking in all the reflected glory."

John is now deputy port commander at Bremerhaven. His address: Hq. & Hq. Co. 7802AU (DPC), APO 69, New York, N. Y.

CONCERT TO HONOR DEAN McCORKLE

The Fort Worth Professional Musicians Association will give a free concert in Ed Landreth Auditorium at 4 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 18, in honor of the late Dean McCorkle.

Our own Ralph Guenther will conduct and everybody is cordially invited to attend. It will be a fitting tribute by the musicians of this area to the good Dean.

NOTES ON FOLKS

RAY LINDLEY has a hilarious story of his last deer hunt. Hear it -- if you have an hour or so. Among other things, he thought he shot a doe (but didn't), chased a wounded buck with a flash light, stood over a fallen victim and thought its heart was still beating -- only to discover the loud noise was his own heart!

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NOTES ON FOLKS (continued)

CECIL WHITE, the bowler, reports he's fired coaches BEAR WOLF and BOB DAVIS.

After firing that 212 two weeks ago (when Wolf and Davis moved onto the band wagon)

"Footsie" hasn't hit 115 since. So much for success.

still Johnny Dickerson Dwane Smith

DR. MAYBELLE TINKLE was elected president and LUCILLE STEERS re-elected secretary-treasurer of the Southwest District of American College and Health Association the past weekend. Congrats, gals!

Three TCUers invaded Tennessee, Kentucky and Missouri recently. DEAN HALL was honored at the second President's Dinner of the Disciples Historical Society in Nashville. BILL REED spoke at Lexington and RUTH TOWNE attended a conference in St. Louis.

DEAN DeGROOT had some fine multiple choice answers for his quiz in Church History 350 this month. For early missionaries to the Slaves he had: Swink and O'Brien (among others). For the Eastern Patriarch at the division of East and West churches he listed Hildebrand, John of Mamascuc and -- Amos Melton! At last report, Brother Melton wasn't sure if he was guilty or not.

ARTHUR FAGUY-COTE will be in Chicago Dec. 27-30 for the Convention of the National Association of Teachers of Singing. He'll act as analyst and commentator in the Forum on Vocal Literature of the Impressionists.

EXCUSED ABSENCES

The following students will be absent from classes on the morning of December 15 in Order to visit, as a class in Commercial Art, the Pollock Paper Corporation in Dallas. They will be back in time for afternoon classes. Please allow make up work.

Charles Dubuis
Rhonda Goyne
Van Rathgeber

Tony Record
Sonny Burt
Joanne Coleman

Richard Flores
Lowell Gifford
Jerry Redus

Please excuse the following boys from classes beginning noon, Monday, Dec. 12, as it was necessary for them to participate in a basketball game in Kilgore, Texas;

Kenneth Brunson
Dwayne Calame
Charles Coody
Roy Davis

John Floyd Russell Grams Spencer Hays Johnnie Hill Kenneth King
H. E. Kirchner
Darrell Nippert
Ronnie Stephenson
Charles Wright

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EXCUSED ABSENCES - (continued)

The following group of boys were absent from classes Dec. 8, 9, 12, 1955, in order to participate in basketball games in Birmingham, Alabama:

Bill Estill Johnny Betts

Delbert Tucker

Johnny Dickerson Jimmy O'Bannon

Richard O'Neal

Dwane Smith Jimmy Page Buddy Ball

Don Straley Jim Brock Willard McClung

Billy Taylor

The following students participated in a regularly scheduled geography field trip on Tuesday, Dec. 6, 1955, and were off the campus all day. It will be greatly appreciated if they may be permitted to make up the work missed:

Allison, Gerry Ann Andrews, Kendall Bailey, Carol Ann Bennett, Robert Benton, Beverly Carol Crippen, Connie Betts, Johnnie Bridges, Jack Bullington, Barbara Burt, L. E. (Sonny)

Carroll, Don

Campbell, Jack Carter, Charlie Cochran, Bobby Coleman, Constance Erwin, Charles Evans, Robert Goldthwaite, Aniela Hofsis, Theodore Jenkins, Emma D.

Lanier, Betty Ann Leatherman, Joan Lueders, Barbara Lynch, David Mitchell, Mary Ann Mixson, Moselle Morris, Charles Morse, Amanda Randolph, Jayne Satterwhite, Mary V.

Sellers, Bobby Shurbet, Dale Stem, Janice Thompson, Caroline Walker, Margaret Wallace, Mary Wood, Shirley Young, Carol Ann Zohn, Rosalie

The students listed below should be excused from absences for the times indicated with each group. They are ROTC students and were required to meet other requirements within the curriculum. Inquiries in connection with such absences may be made to Department of Air Science, telephone 357:

Dec. 8, 1955 - 1 to 3 p.m.

Cox, Hugh L. III Tait, Robert H. Jr.

Dec. 9, 1955 Claude N. Burns Ronald E. Boutwell Myrl L. Moore

Glenn, William P. McCluney, Cliff A. Jr. Rosenthal, Charles B.

James Ozee Carlos R. Vacek Jimmie R. Vernon Norman D. Ashley

Langley, Harold Lee Lace, William H.

Roger N. Stivers Leo R. Quick Virgil A. Miller

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Excused Absences - continued

ROTC lists, continued

December 2, 1955, from 7 a.m. to 9 a.m.

Brown, Lobdell
Coleman, Ronald R.
Davenport, Ronald
Dorsey, Cecil E.
Driskill, Joe W.
Eaves, Jerry L.
Garner, Wayne C.
Glenn, William P.
Hagan, James T.

Johnson, Morgan L.
Jones, William F.
Kirkland, Wilbur L.
LaBoon, Richard W.
LeBow, Fritz E.
Loften, Markus M.
Manes, Roger W.
McCluney, Cliff A.
McClure, Wm. C.
McNaughton, Jerry E.

Packer, James
Park, Gerald S.
Piety, Harl V.
Pike, Glenn S.
Sellin, Jon B.
Sides, Curtis M.
Sturgeon, Benjamin L.
White, James W.
White, Michael M.



TO ALL OFFICES:

In order that all TCU personnel may know how to plan their time at Christmas and New Year's, and in the light of the fact that both these holidays fall on a Sunday, the holiday schedule is submitted herewith.

- 1. All offices will be closed from 5:00 p.m. Thursday, December 22, until 8:00 a.m. Monday, December 26 for the Christmas holidays.
- 2. For the New Year's holiday all offices will work the regular shifts through the week ending December 31, then closing until 8:00 a.m. Tuesday, January 3.

Best wishes for a happy holiday season.

Most cordially yours,

D. Ray Lindley
Vice President