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FIFTEENTH FINE ARTS FESTIVAL

Dedicated to the memory of Dean T. Smith McCorkle, the fifteenth annual Festival of the School of Fine Arts opens next Sunday and lasts through March 6. Faculty folks are cordially invited to attend just as many of the events as possible. The schedule:

Feb. 12 -- Symphony Orchestra Concert, 3:30 p. m.

Feb. 15 -- Schumann Piano Sonatas, 8:15 p. m.

Feb. 21 -- Mozart Piano Sonatas, 8:15 p. m.

Feb. 22 -- Vocal and Piano Works, 8:15 p. m.

Feb. 24 -- Schumann Piano Works, 8:15 p. m.

Feb. 27 -- Piano and Song Cycles, 8:15 p. m.

Feb. 29 -- Chamber Music, 8:15 p. m.

Mar. 6 -- Choral Music (with Symphony), 8:15 p. m.

Feb. 17-18, 21-25 -- The Merchant of Yonkers, 8 p. m.

Feb. 17 -March 6, Exhibition, Art Gallery.

All of these programs will be well worthwhile. Ed Landreth will be scene of all events except the play and art exhibit. "The Merchant of Yonkers" will be offered in the Little Theatre on the nights listed. The Thornton Wilder farce, now a smash hit on Broadway in a new version, is a lot of fun.

The musical portion of the Festival will honor Mozart who was born 200 years ago and Schumann who died 100 years ago. Michael Winesanker is the director of the Festival again this year. Our very finest musicians, both student and faculty, and our top actors and directors will stage the Festival events. Every program should be well attended.

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RESEARCH COMMITTEE TO MEET FEB. 17.

Dean DeGroot has called the first meeting of the new year of the Faculty Research Committee for Friday, Feb. 17, at 3:30 p. m.

All staff members who wish to request assistance for research projects through the committee should have their typed applications in the hands of Dean DeGroot before the meeting date. Those wishing information on this program should consult with the dean as soon as possible. Don't forget.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Libby Youngblood is recovering nicely from that car accident near Denton some 10 days ago. Stay in there, Lib, and fight!

Bear Wolf reports that wife Martha came through the long series of tests in New Orleans in fine style. The medics could find nothing seriously wrong. Good news!

Mrs. S. W. Hutton is said to be doing fairly well after another long operation last week. She's had a mean siege.

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DR. SADLER TO SPEAK

President M. E. Sadler invades South Texas later this month. He speaks at the Rotary Club in Beaumont on Feb. 22 and the Rotary Club of Houston on Feb. 23.

Yep, he's a Rotarian.

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FUN AT FACULTY LUNCHEONS

A goodly percentage of our Faculty Family turned out for the first Wednesday luncheon in Weatherly Hall this week. Mrs. George Fowler came up with fried chicken which went right well--especially with our preacher friends who traditionally go for the "Criscoed" bird. (Advertising).

Don't forget, all faculty folks are cordially invited to any and all of the Wednesday luncheons. You can make a permanent reservation or attend single events. If you don't have a reservation, be sure and call Mrs. Fowler at Ext. 378 by Monday evening on the week you plan to attend. It's a lotta fun.

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DR. AGNEW TO VISIT IN MARCH

On March 20, Dr. Donald C. Agnew, executive secretary of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, will visit on campus and speak to a faculty meeting at 3 p. m. Might mark the date and time on your calendar for we know you'll want to hear him.

Some conferences with Dr. Agnew, especially by our deans, will be arranged by Dr. Lindley.

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NEW BUSINESS BUILDING

Looks like ground will be broken (yeh, and spaded up) for our new School of Business Building before too long. The campaign for \$750,000 has been very successful and Dr. Sadler thinks plans can be ready for bids within 60 days.

The location will be on the East campus, behind and between library and Science Building. It will face West toward University Drive, and centered on the two walks that now run East-West in that area. Should be a real beauty.

Ike Harrison and Warren Agee (Journalism is to occupy the basement), are busy with plans. Looks like we'll get the J. Willard Memorial Press at long last. 'Twill be used to print the Skiff and other materials.

P. S. -- The campaign for funds to re-do the Library is going along under Jim Sowell. Maybe it won't be long now.

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NOTES ON NOTABLES

Busy man: BOB FUNK. In late December he read his paper "The Enigma of the Famine Visit" before the Society of Biblical Literature in New York and attended the National Association of Biblical Instructors at the same time. Jan. 14 he gave his paper "A New Study of Biblical Literacy Among College Students" before the regional meeting of A. B. I. at Baylor. He was guest preacher at Bethany College on Jan. 1, and March 3-5 will be Bible lecturer at Disciples" Student Fellowship Conference at Brownwood. Feb. 16, he begins six lectures on the Book of Acts at the First Christian Church in Terrell.

WILLIAM C. NUNN, Amon Carter Professor of American History, put his knowledge to work Feb. 27 when he judged the hoss-drawn vehicles in the Stock Show Parade. On Feb. 6, he speaks on "Human Interest Incidents in Early Texas History."

It's back to the salt mines of ABE MARTIN and his grid staff. Spring training opened Monday and lasts the rest of the month.

TROY CRENSHAW is busy pushing TCU's tour to Europe and the Holy Land which he will conduct next Summer. If any of you know any likely prospects, please let him know. It's really a great tour. (That drooling is Ye Editor wishing he could go along.)

Congrats to LEO HENDRICKS on his geology talk on "Telorama," TCU's Sunday TV program over Channel 11. It was downright interesting. Incidentally, if you get a chance, don't miss the show at 1 p. m. on Sundays. They've been right good under the direction of JIM COSTY.

Who busted what on that slip on the ice near Foster Hall last week? All we can report is that this Bulletin is being written from a STANDING position.

GENTRY SHELTON is off for Ohio and Kentucky for several meetings. He speaks at Central Church, Lexington, to the Shelton Couples Club (named for Gentry and Mary), then on to Cincinnati for sessions of the National Fellowship of Disciples C. E. Directors, Directors section of the C. E. division of the National Council of Churches and the Professors and Research Section of same. Due back Feb. 17.

"MEET YOUR NEW PROF" COFFEE

This Thursday p. m., Feb. 9, a "Meet Your New Prof" coffee is being held in the second floor foyer of Student Center, 3:30 to 4:30.

It is an informal get-together and all teachers are asked to invite their classes. It's a swell opportunity for profs and students to know each other better during a period of chit-chat and coffee.

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