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ROUND AND ABOUT THE CAMPUS

VOTE DUE ON RECORD BUDGET

The board of trustees, meeting in Spring session on campus Friday morning, will consider a budget of around \$3,100,000 for the fiscal year starting Sept. 1, 1956. It's an all-time record, indicating clearly the continued expansion of the University.

The board will consider many other matters including faculty promotions, re-election of members, student housing and future plans. President Sadler has indicated his report will be fairly brief but will touch on many areas.

A really pressing problem, student housing, is due some discussion. Whether or not the administration will make definite recommendation on construction of sorority-fraternity houses isn't certain. Vice-President Lindley, Ike Harrison and Dean Richardson are serving on a committee to explore the question and have outlined a possible plan to the campus groups.

One thing is sure, the University has a rapidly growing need in the housing area and room reservations for girls next school year are near capacity right now.

At noon on Friday, the trustees will have a joint luncheon with the members of the new Board of Development. Dr. O. James Sowell, director of development, expects about 50 members of his group to attend. 'Twill be a very busy day indeed.

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RETURN THOSE LIBRARY QUESTIONNAIRES

Last week's issue of "Books," the library publication, included a questionnaire as to whether you folks want to continue receiving the service.

Glenn Sparks urges all members of faculty and staff who received it to return the slip to him at once so he can bring his distribution list up to date. Why not do it right now?

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FRESHMAN TESTS AVAILABLE

C. J. Firkins reports that fall and spring freshman test results are now available. Counselors should write him (Dean of Men's Office) for the test scores they'll need.

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FROSH HONOR STUDENTS TO BE HONORED

Alpha Chi, the national honor society, will be host to freshmen who made the honor roll last fall, March 13, in SC ballroom at 7 p. m. A "Woodrow Wilson Centennial" theme will be used with August Spain, Don Cowan, W. C. Nunn, Frank Pruden, and E. L. Pross taking part.

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MAX BUTLER of Fine Arts has 30 paintings and drawings on exhibition at "The Bright Shawl" in San Antonio.

"Life in Early Texas" was the topic of W. C. NUNN when he was guest speaker recently at the South Side Rotary Club.

ERNEST LAWRENCE sang the role of "Rodolfo" in the Fort Worth Opera Association's production of "La Boheme" last weekend. Reports were glowing. Several of our students also took part.

DEAN HALL's book, "History of the Disciples in Texas," is being reviewed in the spring issue of "Journal Encounter," a quarterly published by the School of Religion of Butler U. The TCU Press published the work in 1953.

MARJORIE KEATON had charge of a section of the District Five meeting of the Texas State Teachers Association in Denton last weekend. "Practical Ideas for Business Teachers" was the subject.

IRENE HUBER speaks to the Retired Teachers' Association of Fort Worth on Mar. 14, and to the Dallas Philological Society on March 15.

Busy man: JIM JACOBSEN, director of bands. Starting last week and running through April 14, he'll help with clinics and contests at Brady, Borger, Texas City, Roosevelt, Okla., Jacksboro, Durant, Okla., Vernon, Lake Worth.

S. W. HUTTON does a swell job of "showing off" our Robert Carr Chapel. Incidentally, members of the University Area Kiwanis Club that visited campus last Thursday were really impressed. Besides Fine Arts and Robert Carr Chapel, they spent time in the Lewis Collection room where GLENN SPARKS introduced them to some of the famous books.

JIM CROSS (Lt. Col. this is), will visit Fort Sam Houston this weekend to attend an evaluation meeting of the General Military Science curriculum. He visited Fort Hood last week, making plans for summer camp.

Still going hard, Dr. SADLER made a hurried visit on business to Chicago last weekend.

DUTCH MEYER, BRUCE CRAIG, POSS CLARK and others of Athletics will confer next Monday with the Stadium Association folks to work out final details on that "seat option" plan for the new construction. Price of the options, their duration, how locations will be selected and other matters are on the agenda. If your friends have been asking (and many have) tell 'em full information will be given wide publicity just as soon as things are all set.

TROY CRENSHAW is working hard on his "Literary Pilgrimage Abroad." If you know of any folks who might want to make the 46-day flying trip to 12 countries, you might pass the word along to him.

EXCUSED ABSENCES

The following students participated in the student solicitation program on the dates mentioned with the names:

Raymond G. Smith - March 6, 1956

Jerry R. Williams - March 8, 1956.

The following students missed classes beginning at 11 a. m. March 5, for the rest of that day, in order to participate in a baseball game in Dallas:

Balkum, Douglas

Campbell, Don

Dodson, James

Freeman, Jack

Groom, Travis

Holdren, Paul

Hyde, Frank

Jordan, Charles

Key, Harold

McDaniel, Bob

Maxwell, Willie

O'Neal, Richard

Paschal, Alfred

Quick, Charles

Roseborough, Larry

Shofner, Jimmy

Tucker, Al

Warwick, Carl

White, Bob

Windegger, Frank

Wineburg, Kenneth