#### FACULTY BULLETIN

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CREATIVE WRITING EVENTS THURSDAY

Trusting all of you will get the "Bulletin" in time, this is a reminder of our annual "Creative Writing Day" on Thursday. All faculty folks are not only urged to attend the events but to suggest that their students be on hand.

The 11 o'clock convocation in Ed Landreth will have Novelist Madison Cooper ("Sironia, Texas") as the speaker and they say he's good. There's a noon luncheon in SC Ball-Foom and a 3 p.m. final session, also in the ballroom, when Dr. Arthur Sampley of North Texas State will speak.

This is a very fine event each spring and certainly worthy of all our support. Tell your students -- and get there yourself. You'll be mighty glad you did.

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## INFORMATION ON ALL AIR FLIGHTS NEEDED

To assist the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce in a most important survey, all members of our staff are asked to send information on any flights they take during the month of May, to Information Services.

The dope needed: Date of departure or arrival, destination or point of origin, air line, dirport used for departure or arrival, method of reaching airport and address (in the city) from which left or to which arrived. Sounds complicated but really isn't.

All flights beginning May 1 and ending by May 31 are to be included. So if you have made a flight or do make one during the month, will you help out? It will only take a minute and it can be pretty important. Don't forget.

# GRADES ON JUNE GRADUATES

To comply with established deadlines, it is necessary that grades on all students who are candidates for degrees June 1 be furnished the Registrar's office not later than noon, Tuesday, May 29.

Teachers will be provided class rolls not later than May 15, so arrangements can be made between instructors and graduates for submission of final assignments and Scheduling of exams at a time convenient to both. This is most important.

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## DEADLINE FOR DROPPING COURSES

Calvin Cumbie reminds that last day for dropping courses for Spring semester is Saturday, May 19.

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## NEW GAMING DEVICE IN FACULTY CENTER

Thanks to Mr. Logan Ware, who almost "stole" same at an Army surplus sale, a new table for games has been installed on the stage of Faculty Center. There are round ivory balls and sticks with which to knock them about and we understand that the player knocking the mostest into the corner and side pockets is the winner.

We hear that Mr. Ware snatched this game-table at the sale for a fraction of its \$600 cost and has put it in top shape for about 100 smackers. Until said bargain price is paid off, cost for using the contraption will be 50¢ an hour or 25¢ for half hour (that figures). Anyhoo, four can play an hour for 12.5¢ each and most anybody can afford that. After the original cost is paid off, there'll be no cost to play. We imagine Noel Keith will wait until that time. You gotta keep one foot on the floor, Noel.

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# FINAL FACULTY PARTY MAY 22

Some very dark rumors are going about anent the program for the final meeting of the Faculty Woman's Club and faculty party. It's set for the SC Ballroom the evening of May 22 and Sarah Morgan has the program.

If the rumors going around are true, it will be an event nobody should miss -- that is if their artistic sensibilities are strong. Why, them fellers can't do a ballet!

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# BAND CONCERT ON SUNDAY

Our symphonic band under Director James A. Jacobsen will give a concert Sunday afternoon next in Ed Landreth Auditorium at 3:30 o'clock. Everybody's invited.

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# HUMANITIES FACULTY MEETING MONDAY

Dr. Cecil announces that a meeting of the faculties of the Humanities Division of Add-Ran College will meet next Monday at 3 o'clock in Faculty Center. A report of the Division Curriculum Committee will be heard and officers elected for the next biennium.

Visitors are welcome, Dr. Cecil says.

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## DR. DIXON TO SPEAK

Dr. John Dixon, executive director of the Faculty Christian Fellowship, will give a presentation next Monday at a luncheon in the faculty dining room of Student Center. All members of the Faculty are invited.

Dr. Dixon holds his Ph. D. from Chicago and spent a year at the University of Bristol in England. He spent two years in India and has taught at Michigan State and Emory. His visit to TCU was arranged by the Campus Y.

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## FINAL TEA MOVED TO JUNE 1

The annual tea honoring our seniors and their families has been reset for June 1,
Mary Beth Scott reports.

The event will be held in the Ballroom from 4 to 5 p.m. It was originally scheduled for Sunday, May 27.

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## NOTES ON NOTABLES

CHARLES SHERER of math has been named to the board of governors of the Mathematical Association of America. He'll serve as a sectional governor from Texas from July 1956 to 1959.

IRENE HUBER speaks to the Cleburne Shakespeare Club at their annual dinner meeting on May 17.

AUGUST SPAIN has been invited to take part in the government-industry seminar sponsored by the Foundation for Economic Education at Irvington-on-Hudson, N.Y., the last two weeks in August. The seminar is composed entirely of college and university faculty in the field of economics and government plus the Foundation's own guest experts.

Recently, August spoke to the Fort Worth English-Speaking Union on "American Policy in the Middle East." There was much discussion.

GEORGE FOWLER is writing a series of 13 articles for "Front Rank," weekly publication of the Christian Board of Publication. They will appear in July, August and September.

Seen among those scouting the Colonial Golf Tournament: LEO HENDRICKS.

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## WANTA RENT YOUR HOUSE THIS SUMMER?

Clay Bryant, manager of the Fort Worth Cats, is looking for a furnished house to rent for the summer. He thought that perhaps some of our folks would be away for the summer and might be interested.

The Bryants need a two-bedroom place furnished. They'll be here until early September. Any interested in the idea can contact the Fort Worth Cat office at LaGrave Field.

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## LOUISE COWAN HONORED

Dr. Louise Cowan has just returned from a three-day conference at Vanderbilt University. The event was a historic reunion of the "Fugitive Poets," the original members of a famous group of Southern writers on which Louise is a recognized expert.

The group includes Allen Tate, John Crow Ransome, Robert Penn Warren and Harold Davidson. As an authority in the area (her book on the writers is now being revised for publication by the LSU Press), Louise was one of eight critics specially invited to take part in the closed sessions. The conference was sponsored by the American Studies Association and financed by the Rockefeller Foundation.

It was a high honor for Louise and the university. Congrats, gal.

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### EXCUSED ABSENCES:

The Varsity Baseball Team members listed below were absent from classes from 10 a.m. on Friday, May 4 through Saturday May 5, in order to participate in baseball games on those dates:

Balkum, Douglas
Campbell, Don
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 Warwick, Carl White, Bob Windegger, Frank Wineburg, Kenneth

# SCHEDULE OF FINAL EXAMINATIONS - - SPRING SEMESTER May 28 - June 1, 1956

CLASS HOUR	EXAMINATION PERIOD	DATE OF EXAMINATION
8:00 MWF 9:00 MWF 10:00 MWF 11:00 MWF 12:30 MWF 12:30 MWF 1:30 MWF 1:30 MWF 2:30 MWF 4:00 MWF	8:00 - 10:00 8:00 - 10:00 8:00 - 10:00 10:30 - 12:30 1:30 - 3:30 1:30 - 3:30 10:30 - 12:30 10:30 - 12:30 10:30 - 12:30 10:30 - 12:30 10:30 - 12:30 10:30 - 12:30	Tuesday, May 29
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#### TO ALL FACULTY:

Mr. Irvin Farman will present the showing of the slides and other material concerning the Gruen Plan in the Faculty Lounge, Tuesday, May 22, at eleven o'clock. Mr. Farman is Executive Secretary of the Greater Fort Worth Planning Committee, Inc., and will be glad to explain the plan and answer questions concerning it. The faculty are cordially invited to be present.

Most cordially yours,

D. Ray Jindley

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