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#### COMMENCEMENT DUE AT 7:30 TONIGHT

With the faculty leading the processional, Commencement exercises begin promptly at 7:30 o'clock tonight (Wednesday) in Daniel-Meyer Coliseum. Chancellor James M. Moudy will award a record number of degrees (some 760) as the traditional program brings to a close the University's 93rd year. The processional will start forming soon after 7 o'clock so everyone is urged to report to Marshal George Fowler and his deputies as early as possible.

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#### BUSY SCHEDULE FOR SUMMER

The hiatus between the end of Spring semester and the first six-weeks Summer term will be brief--as usual. Next Monday, June 6, we register in the Coliseum with first classes set for 7 a.m. on Tuesday. The regular second six-weeks term opens July 18 with Summer Commencement set for Friday, Aug. 26. For quick reference, here's a partial listing of the Summer schedule:

June 4 - July 17 - Tour to Eastern Europe

June 6 - Registration for Summer Term I

June 6-24 - Special Course on Testing of Children with

Cerebral Dysfunction (Speech Clinic)

June 6-July 15 - Institutes for High School Teachers of

History and Science-Math

June 7 - Institute of Pastoral Care (Brite)
June 10-July 29 - Summer Session at UofNantes, France

June 14-17 - Seminar on Psychiatry and the Clergyman

June 19-25 - "Honors Band" Program (Fine Arts)

June 26-July 1 - Institute for high school students in Fine Arts

(Ballet, Radio-TV, Debate, Twirling, etc)

July 12-Aug. 20 - Summer Session in Mexico (Monterrey)

July 17-Aug. 5 - World Outreach Institute (Brite)
- Registration for Summer Term II

July 18 - Registration for Summer Term II

- End Summer Session, Commencement in Coliseum

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#### BULLETIN TO APPEAR IRREGULARLY

As is its wont during the hot-weather months, Ye Ole Faculty Bulletin will NOT appear on a regular schedule. It will, how-ever, be published from time to time as the need arises so everyone is urged to continue sending in any news items of interest to faculty and staff. Remember, the things you find of interest are likely to be of interest to other members of the Campus Family. So don't spare the hosses. Let us hear from thee.

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#### ASSISTANT DEAN OF WOMEN NAMED

Miss Deborah Slade has been appointed assistant dean of women, replacing Dorothy Shuler, as of Aug. 1. Deborah is 35, holds B.S. degree from Skidmore College and the M.S. from Syracuse U. Since 1960, she's been a member of the Dean's staff at Syracuse and has been director of large resident halls the last two years. Her record indicates a keen interest in athletics and she should make a most welcome addition to our Student Personnel Office.

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#### ANNUAL REPORT FROM ADMISSIONS OFFICE

During the 1965-66 school year, TCU representatives made official visits to 241 high schools and junior colleges from Albuquerque, N.M. to New York City, according to the annual report of Anna Byrd Wallace, Director of Admissions. Of these 30 were visited for the first time. Our people took part in 48 "College Day" programs--12 more than in 1963-64. Other invitations had to be turned down because of conflicts, distances involved or other reasons.

The reports show that Jewel Carr Potter, Assistant Director, carried the heaviest load. Don VerDuin, Field Representative, and Joe Enochs, Associate Registrar, assisted. "Once more we have followed our policy of trying to contact the excellent student," Anna Byrd says. "We used the National Merit Semi-finalist lists and also the College Board scores that were sent to us...Students and their families continue to visit campus in increasing numbers and we are having many inquiries about the 1967-68 school year...We have had to use the services of the Kelly Girls, Inc. in order to answer letters and respond to applications for admission within reasonable lengths of time and we've used the full-time services of Mrs. Jean Kemp so that an experienced person would be in the office at all times."

Anna Byrd indicates that her office is going to need additional space on the first floor of Sadler Hall in the very near future.

#### PH. D. DEGREES NOW TOTAL 27

With five men to be hooded at tonight's Commencement, we have now conferred the coveted Ph. D. degree on 27 persons. It's a pretty good record, considering that the first programs were not approved until 1960 and the first three doctorates conferred at Summer Commencement 1963.

Tonight's awards go to Kenneth Carpenter (physics), Robert Dean and Robert Huddleston (math), Samuel Cox (psychology), Wallace C. Hooker (English). We have yet to make awards in chemistry and history—the newest programs. As a result, the totals so far are: Psychology 13, Physics 7, English 4, Mathematics 3. Eventually, of course, we hope to be producing a goodly number of doctorates each year, Incidentally, the hard—working major professors of this year's degree winners are Dr. Ann Gossman, Dr. Saul B. Sells, Dr. Charles B. Deeter, Dr. Joseph L. Strecker (Adjunct Professor), Dr. Ben Goldbeck. Congrats to them too.

#### MORE "PRAISE" ON ALTIZER-WEISS

Dr. Moudy was pleased once again last week when a letter came in <u>favor</u> of the Altizer-Weiss Debate on campus. Said a thoughtful lady downtown: "I want to thank you and the University for the lectures of Dr. Weiss andDr. Altizer. The debate was terrific!...This display of courageous faith on the part of the University resulted in developing a renewed and vital interest in God. Everywhere I have gone recently the conversations have invariably turned to God. How healthy, stimulating—and <u>uncommon!...I</u> don't know when anything has struck me, so reassuring and exciting, as the sight of young people crowding the halls, raising hands to ask questions about God—and what questions! Intelligent, probing, respectful, emotionally—contained, seeking to be fair, trying to understand. I was never so proud of our younger generation.

"Suddenly, I realized that my own generation has been living very much as if God were dead indeed, and that our practice of preaching one thing while living another has not fooled our young people...From what I saw at the TCU sessions (and I attended them all), the faith of our young people is strong and unshakable, and best of all, they are not afraid to stand up and speak out for it...The discussions proved one thing beyond doubt: If our religion is worth anything at all, it can withstand any onslaught...A thousand thanks for shocking some of us into a new awareness of God. We all needed it."

Well and well. That sort of reaction is most refreshing indeed. The letter was really welcome.

#### NEW UNIVERSITY PUBLICATION OUT

"The Search at TCU", a non-technical bulletin which will be concerned with the hunt for new knowledge on campus, has just come from the printers. Edited by John Ohendalski of P.R., it will be published four times annually by the office of Dr. E. Leight Secrest, head of Research Foundation and Dean of Grad School.

Copies will be sent to Board members and others working with the Research Foundation, scientists and research labs of the North Texas area, high school teachers and others who express interest in the sciences. Written to be understood by the layman yet accurate in use of scientific terms and methods, the first issue has a discussion of automated research, the meaning of urbanization and redistricting of people of Texas, a "Memo" from Dr. Secrest, paragraphs on various items of interest on campus developments, quotes from visiting scientists who spoke here during the year. We found it most readable and interesting.

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## TEACHER EXAMS HERE ON JULY 16

The National Teacher Examinations, prepared and administered by Educational Testing Service of Princeton, N.J., will be given on our campus July 16, according to C.J. Firkins, head of Testing & Guidance Center. During the one-day session, teaching candidates may take the general exams which include tests in professional and general education, and one of 13 teaching-area exams designed to evaluate understanding of subject matter and methods applicable to the area in which it is to be done. Registration forms must be in by June 17--at the Princeton office. Call Dr. Firkins for more info.

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#### GRADUATING CLASS OF 754 SETS RECORD

After the usual long hours of hard work, Associate Registrar Joe Enochs reported on Tuesday that the graduating class will number 754—an all-time record. The old mark of 747 was set last June. The list includes 642 bacehlor's degrees, 22 B.D.'s from Brite, 84 Master's and 6 Ph. D's. That's one doctorate more than we announced last week.

Three students graduate summa cum laude—Earl Brown of Fort Worth, Catherine Jane Kerby of Weatherford and Kay Marie Ledbetter of Corpus Christi. Fourteen made magna cum laude and 28 cum laude. In addition to being the largest graduating class in our 93 years, the group also had a strong scholastic record. Many of the bachelor degree winners plan to go on to graduate work.

#### COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES ELECTED

The seven elective members of University Council for 1966-67 have been announced by Dr. James Newcomer, V-C for Academic Affairs who serves as chairman. They are: AddRan College--Dr. Frank T. Reuter (Social Sciences), Dr. Jim Corder (Humanities), Dr. Russell Faulkner (Natural Sciences); Fine Arts--Dr. Lawrence Hanley; Business-- Dr. S. Allen Self; Education--Dr. Jeff Horn; Brite--Dr. Charles F. Kemp; Harris--Mrs. Rita Connolly Slater; Grad School--Dr. L. Moffitt Cecil.

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#### HAVE AN EXTRA PROJECTOR ABOUT?

Our Audio-Visual Center reports that one of its projectors has been missing since about the start of Spring semester. They ask that everyone check their offices, closets and other places about campus to see if the machine has simply been forgotten somewhere. It is a Bell & Howell, Model 540, Serial Number AS91131. Should anyone find the missing equipment, please return at once to Robert L. Schafer, Jr. in the Audio-Visual Center (Student Center). Thanks.

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## NOTES ON FOLKS AT YEAR'S END

MIKE WINESANKER of Music has received a most enthusiastic letter of thanks from J. Jefferson Cleveland, Chairman of Fine Arts Committee at Jarvis Christian College, for the appearance of our string quartet at Hawkins the first week in May. "The concert was a rare musical treat for the entire Jarvis Community and we are deeply grateful," the letter said.

JAUNITA OWENS, our dietitian, is most happy these days. Her son Gene (TCU '64), has received the Commendation Medal from the Army after being discharged last week as CO of the hospital at Camp Wolters for two years. Son-in-law Douglas Hudson has been named head resident for neuro-surgery at Uoflowa Med School.

HAROLD SIMPSON of History will be the main speaker June 10 at Fairfield (Freestone County) for a ceremony dedicating a historical marker to Gen. John Gregg who was killed in leading Hood's famed Texas Brigade in October 1964. Harold's subject: "John Gregg-Texas Statesman and Soldier".

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JOHN STEVENSON of Accounting will leave soon to participate in the first annual Visiting Professorship Program of North-eastern University's Grad School in Boston. John is a member of the State Bar and the Texas Society of C.P.A's.

JIM STANDIFER of Phys Ed will conduct the three-hour course in driver education during the first six-weeks Summer term. The course was approved by the Texas Ed Agency.

JACK WALPER returns soon to the mountainous jungles of Central Guatemala in June. He's especially interested in finding any evidence of the major geological fault that may have separated the islands of Haiti-Dominican Republic from Cuba in the distant past. The research is being sponsored by the TCU Foundation and a group of business and industrial leaders of the area.

IKE HARRISON missed Baccalaureate Sunday night with a very bad cold. He hopes to attend Commencement.

DEE KEETON of Biology has resigned effective Aug. 31, Dr. Moudy reports. We all wish him well.

Comes this note from MABEL MAJOR: Wanted--Unfurnished apartment or small house near campus beginning in early August. If you hear of anything, write her at P.O.Box 30798, TCU station, Ft. Worth.

Chancellor JAMES MOUDY had all sorts of trouble last Saturday when he tried to reach Lubbock to give the Commencement address at Texas Tech. His flight was cancelled after a long wait, the small plane he chartered with three others was unable to get through a storm, he landed at Memphis, Texas, after the ceremony had started, finally reached Lubbock by car when it was over. Fortunately, he had sent a copy of the address to Dudley Strain, Lubbock minister, who read it with great effectiveness. "In fact," grinned Dr. Moudy, "we got more public notice because I DIDN'T get there than we would had I made it on time!"

PREM MAHENDROO has received a \$55,534 grant from the Air Force Office of Scientific Research to continue his study of the "fingerprints" made by molecules. 'Tis a three-year project.