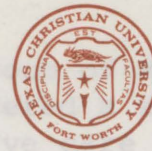


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"PLANNING COMMISSION" ACTIVATED

At their Spring meeting, our Trustees approved the creation of a "Future Planning Commission". On the recommendation of Chancellor Moudy, the new body was given broad responsibility "for making such projections and drawing up such recommendations for action as will produce constant improvement in the operation of the University and to furnish continued alertness to changes in the needs and obligations facing the university community". The action was called "one of the most important taken during the meeting".

The Commission has now been activated and will hold its first meeting Sept. 7-8. It is composed of 12 members--four each from the Board, the Administration and the Faculty. The trustees are M. J. Neeley, Dr. Oliver Harrison of Corpus Christi, Andrew A. (Jack) Bradford of Midland and Dr. Earle Barnes of Freeport. The administrators will be Vice-Chancellors James Newcomer, L. C. White, Earl Waldrop and Dean of Students Howard Wible. Faculty members, chosen from those elected by their colleagues to the University Council for this school year, are Drs. Jim Corder, Allen Self, Frank Reuter and William Watson. The plan is to rotate Board and Faculty members from time to time.

Dr. Moudy will serve as chairman with Lorin Boswell, Board chairman, serving ex-officio. Resource persons who will meet with the Commission and be on call are Dr. E. Leigh Secrest, Research; Dr. O. James Sowell, Development; Amos Melton, Public Relations; Calvin Cumbie, Registration-Admissions; Dr. Paul Parham, Library; Dr. H. F. LaGrone, Teacher Education; Clyde Foltz, Alumni.

In many respects, creation of the Commission meets an urgent need of long standing. Almost every consultant who has come to campus has urged more concern with planning. Many foundations and agencies demand to see a "complete plan" before considering a grant. Many major questions as to our future remain to be answered.

RAY CAMP IMPROVES AFTER ATTACK

The news continues to be good from the sick room of Ray Camp, the popular, long-time campus worker who suffered a severe heart attack on July 12. Rushed into intensive care at All Saints, he was under oxygen for several days. Then, as friends like Al Hensley kept vigil, he began to improve and our last reports were very good although he was still not having company last week. Ray has held a number of important campus jobs and had been named "Accountant--Contracts Section" in the business office just before stricken. For some time he's kept the complete record of our contracts and various grants and probably knows more about this area of our operation than anyone. Here's hoping he continues to improve and can return to fulltime duty pretty soon.

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TREND IN U. S. EDUCATION FEARED

Dr. Logan Wilson, former president of UofT and now head of the American Council on Education, has again sounded a warning against the current trend in America "toward a monolithic scheme of higher education". As reported in Higher Education and National Affairs, he pointed out that unless there is some change, only one of every five students on our campuses will be enrolled in a private institution in 15 years.

"When all is said and done about the importance of upholding private education," he said, "it turns out that more is said than done. As a firm believer in our dual system, I contend this trend is neither desirable nor necessary...It is more vital than ever before to strengthen the capabilities of private institutions."

Dr. Wilson said Federal actions since 1963 have given state governors important new appointive powers relating to education. These have reduced the possibility of Federal intervention but only at the cost of imposing another layer of state agencies between schools--private as well as public--and their sources of support.

"The use of anonymous task forces to formulate educational policies and programs in Washington, the formation of the Education Compact, and other recent changes also increase the outer rather than the inner direction of higher education" Many college presidents have stated their fears that such moves are threats to hard-won freedom by accelerating an already notable trend toward politicalization of education.

If "only those who understand and cherish colleges should be allowed to tamper with them", it is folly to remove the front-line leaders of education from the basic policy arena and replace them entirely with politically constituted committees, commissions, etc.

HUMPHREY ADDRESS GOES WELL

Although the crowd was a bit smaller than expected (about 5,500) the appearance of Vice-President Hubert Humphrey in Daniel-Meyer Coliseum was a large success. Three TV stations of the area carried the proceedings live. The consensus was that the major policy address (mostly on why we are in Vietnam) was logical, forceful and entirely convincing. The Vice-President did a top-drawer job.

Student Tom Prewitt of Forums Committee presided well and Curtis Wilson was able to come up with enough band members to make a really fine showing. Dr. Moudy did another fine job of introducing the many guests including the presidents of several colleges and universities of the area. And it should be repeated that Libby Proffer of Student Activities, who did much of the detailed planning, turned in a really top job.

About the only sour note, perhaps, was the fact that one national radio network reported (and repeated) that Texas Christian University was in Dallas. We got several indignant calls (as if we could correct it) and the local press brought the matter to the attention of all. We doubt that it did much good, however, As one writer pointed out, some of the national media have been trying to give just about everything Fort Worth has to Dallas--including TCU.

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SPECIAL COURSES DIRECTOR NAMED

W. Leroy Lewis, an Oklahoman who has been national educational director of the American Institute of Banking 1947-1965, will become our first full-time Director of Special Courses on August 15. This division of Evening College plans and conducts an ever-growing program of non-credit seminars, workshops, etc. Dennis Schick handled the program on a part-time basis last year. Lewis, who is retiring from the Institute of Banking, will be the first to give full-time attention to the area.

He holds B.A. from Oklahoma City U., the M.A. from UofMichigan and has a D. Litt. from Midwestern in Wichita Falls. He's had wide experience in educational and banking circles. Tom Palmer, Director of E.C. Courses, predicts our activities in Special Courses will double soon. Incidentally, Dr. and Mrs. Lewis have five children ranging from 11-26 years.

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UNFURNISHED BRICK DUPLEX FOR RENT: 3200 Cockrell, only 2 blocks south Science Hall. Two bedrooms, large living room, separate dining room. Attic fan, two 220-wiring connections. Extra nice. Lovely yard. Yard kept and water paid. Call Mrs. Huff WA6-3497.

APPOINTMENTS TO FACULTY CONTINUE

Working hard against the start of Fall semester in early September, Chancellor Moudy and Vice-Chancellor for Academic Affairs Jim Newcomer continue to announce new appointments to faculty and staff. Indications are there'll be more than 50 new faces on campus come Fall-- about 30 of them replacements for those who retired, were transferred or accepted posts elsewhere.

Among the latest announcements: Dr. Donald H. Sanders (from Memphis State U.) associate in management; Miss Deborah Slade who assumes duties as assistant dean of women Aug. 1; Jerry Duane Sutherland (S. Francisco State) as instructor in theatre arts; Fritz Berens, veteran artist who graduated from the Vienna Conservatory of Music, as associate professor of music; Jay Dunston Milner, free-lance writer and E. C. teacher last year, as instructor in journalism; Mrs. Kay Deaton (due to take B.S. in August) instructor in nursing; Mrs. Ann P. Basinger, from Abilene public school system, instructor in Starpoint School (School of Education).

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NEW INFO ON PUBLICATIONS NEEDED

Planning a publication between Sept. 1 and Jan. 31? If so, News Bureau Director Betty Knox needs to know for a new, up-to-minute listing of TCU authors now in preparation. If you have something planned, please send her the title, price, publication date and noting if it is a new edition or revision, etc. Her deadline is Monday, Aug. 1, so there's not much time.

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LIBRARY STARTS USE OF NEW SYSTEM ✓

With the June 30 issue of "Books", the publication of acquisitions by Burnett Library, use of the Library of Congress (LC) classification system became fully operative, Paul Parham reports. Books classed under the new system are now being shelved in the open stacks and will be located on the shelves immediately preceding the books under the broad Dewey classification to which they most nearly correspond. To help, a listing of the correlations of the two systems is carried in "Books".

BILL SMITH's article, "Polymer studies by Gel Permeation Chromatography", was published in the latest issue of Journal of Polymer Science.

Want to rent or lease: A three-bedroom, two-bath home, with den and full air-conditioning in Southwest area of City. If you know of anything, contact Capt. CARL R. SANDERS, newly assigned assistant prof. of Aerospace Studies (APROTC) at Ext. 309 or 391.

HOT WEATHER NOTES AND QUOTES

JEAN KNECHT, assistant prof of French, left at the end of Summer Term I for a visit to his home in Belgium. It's the first return for the family since Jean joined our staff in 1961.

SELBY EVANS and Doctoral Candidate Ed M. Edmonds have an article in the July 15 issue of Psychonomic Science. Title: "Schema Discrimination As a Function of Training". 'Tis their second such publication in recent weeks.

JEANNETTE BELL, instructor in our Speech Clinic, has completed all work and will be awarded the M.A. in speech-hearing therapy at our Summer Commencement.

Dr. and Mrs. GENTRY SHELTON took off with a party of 20 college and high school students for a tour of Europe. They'll visit Scotland, England, Belgium, Germany, Switzerland, Austria, Italy, Spain and France before returning on Aug. 21. Dr. Moudy's youngest daughter, Rosemary, is a member of the party.

Home for Sale: The Eddie Taylors are leaving University Christian Church for a new post in Tulsa. Their three-bedroom home at 5813 Trail Lake Dr. in Wedgwood is for sale. It has 2½ baths, large paneled den, living room and dining area, central air-conditioning, kitchen with dishwasher and disposal, closets and storage space, fine yard with shrubs and trees. Anyone interested can call Eddie at WA6-6635 or AX2-3889.

BILL WATSON of Chemistry attended the Applied Spectroscopy Conference in Chicago recently. His paper, "The Crystal Structure in Trisilver Dinitrate Trisacetylacetonato Nickel (II) Dihydrate", appeared in last month's Journal of Inorganic Chemistry. And that's a title, friends!

MANFRED REINECKE was in N.Y. recently to present an invited paper before the New York Academy of Sciences.

A. T. DeGROOT is still chuckling over the fact that a Catholic priest, Rev. Daniel D. Geels, earned the highest grade in the Summer Term I class on "The Protestant Reformation". Some of his classmates thought that was carrying "church fellowship and unity" too far!

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MORE HOT WEATHER NOTES, QUOTES

"Deep Thanks" from Chancellor: "Please pass along my sincere thanks to all who labored to make the visit of Vice-President Humphrey a happy, impressive and profitable occasion," writes Dr. J. M. Moudy. "Most thanks go to Lib Proffer which I have publicly acknowledged. She insists that a great many others were involved, as I am sure they were, and I want all to know of my personal thanks. It is my belief that this event has served the University well, and this is an important criterion".

Unfurnished house for Rent: At 5220 Rutland (one block south of Loop 820), a 3-bedroom, 2-bath home, central air and heat, living room, separate dining room, big den, fireplace. Call Jim Farrar at AX2-2868. (The University Chaplain is moving to a new home nearer campus and is quite thrilled about it).

For Rent or Sale: At 3526 Westcliff Rd. South, 3-bedroom, 1½ bath, Austin stone home. Will rent for \$100 per month or sell for \$16,000. New roof to be put on and painted both inside and out soon. Contact Mrs. W. R. Walton, Box 23, Shattuck, Oklahoma.

Lt. Col. CHET BOGLE, Professor of Aerospace Studies (AFROTC) since 1963, came by last week telling everyone farewell before reporting to his new post in Alabama. As has been so often the case, he expressed deep regrets at having to leave our campus. "TCU has something that makes it awful hard to go," he grinned. "The facilities, faculty and especially the spirit is so good that you never forget. Just hope we can get back some day".

JANET MURPHY of Phys Ed spoke recently to the Everman Jaycees on "Think Before You Drown". Included was water safety practices and artificial respiration.

For rent: UNFURNISHED- Completely re-decorated, two-bedroom duplexes at 3233 and 3235 Odessa. They have new all-electric kitchens and tile baths, central air and heating, drapes, carpets throughout, redwood fenced yard, water paid and yard kept. They are for couples only, no children or pets. Rent is \$150 per month for each side. Call Bill Potts at WA4-5535 or ED5-4502.

ART EHLMANN, new Chairman of Geology, is in Puerto Rico for two weeks collecting rock samples for research on the weathering process. Humidity and rainfall vary so widely on the small island that it is ideal for such a study, Art pointed out. His work is being sponsored by the TCU Research Foundation.

PLANS BEING MADE FOR COMMENCEMENT

Plans are now being made for our Summer Commencement which will take place on Friday, August 26 at 7:30 p.m. in Daniel-Meyer Coliseum. As always, we hope that a large number of faculty members will attend this ceremony in academic regalia and take part in the processional which begins the program. Our students appreciate the attendance of their instructors at these programs and you should be present if it is at all possible.

Faculty members will assemble in two equal lines in the Concourse to the right of the main entrances (i.e. on the north side of Coliseum). They will be led down the stairs to the Coliseum floor and to their seats by Assistant Marshals. Please assemble by 7:00 p.m. if possible, but not later than 7:15. The Platform Party will assemble at the same time in the Ex-Lettermen's Lounge.

If you do not have academic regalia, Mrs. Dycus in L. C. White's office tells me that you can rent it through her office. You should get your request to her before August 4.

It is important for us to know whether you will be present so that we may have the proper number of seats available on the main floor. Please tear off and fill in the following form and send it to me in care of the Department of Religion, by Inter-Office Mail, as soon as you can.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

George P. Fowler
Chief Marshal

_____ I WILL BE present for the Commencement Program August 26

_____ I will NOT be present for the Commencement Program

_____ I will be in the Platform Party

Signed _____