

## TEXAS CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

Fort Worth, Texas 76129

of the Chancellor

September 21, 1966

TO ALL FACULTY AND STAFF:

There are few programs in our community that require greater support or have more urgent need of that support than the United Fund. It is both a challenge to our conscience and our pocketbook to provide whatever resources are required in behalf of the 65 agencies that seek our help.

Not often do we make such a strong appeal to our own faculty and staff to support an off-campus program, but the United Fund's "65 campaigns in one" is that kind of activity. One has only to read over the list of agencies to know the need is genuine and no gift is too great.

Though you may choose one of several ways to make a pledge, we urge you to give serious consideration to the payroll deduction plan which allows you to spread your contribution over a 10-month period--November through August, 1967. This seems to be the easiest and most productive method of giving.

Please give careful consideration to the "Fair Share" principle. This is a suggested criterion by which you can know you are truly bearing your part of the load. The "Fair Share" criterion is six-tenths of one percent on salaries under \$10,000, and one percent on salaries above that figure.

We hope you will give strong assistance to this program.

Mgst cordially yours,

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# UNITED FUND EFFORT UNDERWAY

By now all TCU folks should have received their United Fund cards. Many will have already made their pledge and returned the card to their division chairman. But, for others, the decision is still to be made on how much to give and how to handle payment.

No one can say how much is enough, for giving is a personal matter and each must decide for himself. There are some guidelines, however, set by UF that may be helpful. The "Fair Share" plan suggests a contribution of 6/10ths of 1% of your annual salary, or about one hour's pay per month. For those whose salary is in the five figure bracket, the amount suggested is a full 1%.

We are asked to give to many causes, but seldom is there an opportunity for us to show more genuine concern for the needs of others than through this one campaign. If you haven't done so, take a moment and read through the names of the 65 agencies listed on the back of your pledge card. Your gift will help each of these organizations provide for the unmet needs of our community.

Remember that there are three methods of giving: 1) cash or check with pledge card; 2) a request that you be billed directly by UF at stated times; 3) through monthly payroll deduction. It is recommended that this last method be used since payments can be spread over a 10-month period of time, with pledges completed by Sept. 1967 when our current fiscal year ends.

TCU has been named to the United Fund Roll of Honor for the last four years. Our goal this year is \$13,850, up 6.5% over 1965. With your help we can go over the top again.

One more reminder: Fill out your card carefully and get it back to your division chairman by 9 a.m. next Monday.

# BIG "INTERNATIONAL" EVENTS COMING UP

Two very important events in the life of our community and campus are just around the corner. Beginning Friday, in Dallas Memorial Auditorium, is the <u>International Convention of Christian Churches</u> (Disciples of Christ). After several days of important sessions and services, the Convention will move to the TCU campus on Wednesday, (Sept. 28) for an afternoon of special events and a final evening assembly in our coliseum.

It will be an historic occasion. The Convention has met in Texas only twice before! 1895 in Dallas and 1935 in San Antonio. With several thousand representatives from our churches across the United States and Canada, our campus will be a mighty proud (and busy) host when they come to visit next week. Many of our folk, particularly in Brite and Undergrad Religion, will be deeply involved. Plans have been made by Don "Official Coordinator" Ver Duin to have the visitors take a bus tour of the campus as they arrive from Dallas (with our students as guides), hear a carillon concert by Emmet Smith, then choose from several special programs from "Excursions in Old Glass" to "Teaching Religion to College Students".

Leading the programs will be Mrs. Granville Walker, Glenn Routt, Jack Suggs, Charles Kemp, Bill Tucker (Brite's new assistant dean), Paul Wassenich and Gentry Shelton. Our guests will be treated to a concert by TCU's A Cappella Choir, led by Bev Henson, and then head out to a real Texas style barbecue at the stadium's east side corral. After the good "vittals", everyone will move into the coliseum for the Convention's final session.

So, what's the <u>second</u> big event? The <u>Van Cliburn International Quadrennial Piano Competition</u>, of course. And, if you can say it in one breath you'll be admitted free. Though there's a small cost for choice seats, many will be free of charge. The competition, held for the first time in 1962, will bring many very talented young pianists from all over the world to our campus next week. Preliminaries and semi-finals will be held in Ed Landreth Auditorium beginning Monday, Sept. 26 and continuing through Wednesday, Oct. 5. Many distinguished musicians, including Lili Kraus, who will become a pianist-in-residence at TCU in February, will serve as the official jury. Our own Computer Center, under the guidance of Alex Hoffman, will assist in providing computerized results so announcements of winners can be made as quickly as possible.

TCU will confer an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree on Mrs. Grace Ward Lankford, originator and chairman of the competition, during the finals at Will Rogers Memorial Auditorium, Friday, Oct. 7. Chancellor Moudy will make the presentation.

# CORDER NAMED ACTING CHAIRMAN

Dr. JIM CORDER, who holds B.A. and M.A. degrees from TCU, was named acting chairman of the English department last week. The appointment was effective immediately to fill the vacancy left by the sudden death of Dr. Cecil B. Williams. The author-scholar earned his Ph.D. at U of Oklahoma and came to TCU, both in 1958. His promotion to full professorship came this last March.

Corder's list of publications is long and impressive. Under his editorship, "Shakespeare 1964," works from TCU's year-long commemoration of the Shakespeare quadricentennial, has received much recognition. His textbook on composition, co-authored with Dr. Lyle Kendall, is widely used in freshman classes.

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# FALL CONVOCATION CANCELED

Planned for Sept. 22 in Ed Landreth Auditorium, fall convocation has been canceled. The annual event officially marks the beginning of the new academic year. As announced by Chancellor Moudy, the decision was reached after consideration of the memorial services on campus, in addition to the forthcoming session of the International Convention of Christian Churches and the Van Cliburn competition.

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# TCU RATES "SPACE" IN FORT WORTH

The September issue of <u>Fort Worth</u>, the Chamber of Commerce monthly publication, gives lots of attention to goings-on TCU-style...and we offer our "unofficial" thanks to Editor Ted Stafford. In addition to brief mentions about TCU-related persons, the magazine devotes full pages to the Cliburn competition, the Metropolitan Policy Seminar, regional development lab, and Reading Improvement Service.

The CofC is frequently the silent partner in University-sponsored programs and is certainly one of our biggest boosters. This partnership and friendship is deeply treasured.

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# CLUB CONFERENCE COMING UP

The 12th annual Alumni Conference, set for Oct. 1, will get underway at 9 a.m. in the Faculty Center and conclude with Abe Martin's description of the 1966 Fightin' Frogs at the noon luncheon. Sounds like a morning full of good information to alumni members from throughout the state. More on this later....

#### NEW INTER-OFFICE ENVELOPES READY

The yellow envelopes used for inter-office mail have been changed a bit so they can be used more than once. The front has spaces for ten names and addresses allowing you to scratch through the name of the last receiver, re-address the envelope, and send it off again. There's no glue on the flap, so just tuck it in unless the contents are such that you need to scotch tape it closed. The new envelopes may be requisitioned through Printing and Mailing in Sadler Hall.

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# FALL ISSUE OF "THIS IS TCU" IS TOPS

A handsome Fall issue of the TCU magazine has made its debut with beautiful color photos on the front and back covers. Edited by News Bureau director Betty Knox, the issue contains some fine features on our Reserarch Fou dation program, Vice President Humphrey's summer visit to the campus, our "head start" orientation for teachers, the Neiman-Marcus and TCU merchandizing program, Horned Frog prospects for '66, and other stories. With fine writing by Betty, John Ohendalski, (research ed) and Becky Gardner (student assistant from Journalism), the magazine is one of the finest yet produced. (Special note to Cecil "watchdog" White: The color cover was possible since we had used the same plates on our viewbook, "You and TCU".

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# RESEARCH FOUNDATION BOARD APPROVES BUDGET

Meeting last Friday, directors of the TCU Research Foundation approved a \$403,647 budget for 1966-67. The Foundation, led by president E. Leigh Secrest, will sponsor 24 research projects during the next yearnine of them new ones and the others a continuation of current research. About \$750,000 has been provided since the Foundation was organized. Reporting to the board, Dr. Secrest said that of the 230 institutions with Ph. D. programs, TCU is already 103rd on the list in the number of doctoral degrees granted. "We're not trying to reach the top in numbers" Secrest remarked, "but we'd like to be near the top in quality in a few areas".

# NOMINATIONS DEADLINE OCT. 31

The Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation, offering 1,000 awards in 1967-68 for first-year graduate study leading to careers in college teaching, has announced its deadline of Oct. 31 for nominations. Every candidate must be nominated by a faculty member on the casis of the student's future promise. Dr. Paul Wassenich, Honors Program director, is TCU's campus representative.

As in the case of all applications, certain forms must be completed well in advance of the deadline, and faculty members are urged to give consideration to their nominees very soon. Some highly-qualified students have almost missed being nominated because of delays.

TCU's Michael Wiseman, 1966 graduate, is now a Woodrow Wilson fellow studying economics at the University of Wisconsin.

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#### HUMANITIES AWARDS AVAILABLE

Offered by the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities, post-doctoral fellowships and 1967 summer stipends for teacherscholars have been announced. Candidates for both programs must apply within five years after completion of the Ph. D. or equivalent professional training. Two new programs of post-doctoral work will begin in the Summer of 1967.

Nominations of candidates, which must come from the person's institution, must be completed by Oct. 10. Each school is limited to one nominee. Applications for senior fellowships, with a maximum stipend of \$15,000, must be submitted by Oct. 17.

Additional information and forms are available in the office of Dr. Newcomer, vice-chancellor for academic affairs.

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## "GREEN HORNET" PLUGS TCU

An entirely new audience may be aware of TCU and its location, thanks to TV's "Green Hornet," who was known as Van Williams when he received his B.S. degree in business here in 1958. Recent issues of movie and television magazines have given more than one mention to the actor's alma mater. He was present for the July meeting of TCU alumni in Los Angeles.

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#### FOR SALE

Dark red brick, 3-bedroom, 2-bath home at 2521 Highview Terrace (walking distance of campus). The home, on a 100x200 lot, has separate dining room, floor furnaces and air conditioners. Call Mrs. W. B. West at WA4-2619, for appointment to see this unusually attractive home.

# THE CURRICULUM IN 1980" ...

....was the theme of the recent Conference on Educational Development conducted by the Aspen, Colo., Institute for Humanistic Studies and attended by Dr. HERBERT LAGRONE, School of Education dean. Supported by the Charles Kettering Foundation, the purpose of the Institute was to bring together many of the nation's leading educators for intensive analyses of future educational trends. The results will have tangible effects on future planning and policies of government agencies, major publishers, foundations and practicing educators.

Representing the Southwest Educational Development Corp. and TCU, Dr. LaGrone heard such persons as the president of McGraw-Hill Publishers, head of Carnegie Corporation Study of ETV, Office of Education officials and others.

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# LIBRARY OF CONGRESS SYSTEM IN USE

A three-page addition to this week's bulletin is provided by Dr. Paul Parham to explain the change in the library's classification system. Now in use at Mary Couts Burnett Library is the Library of Congress (LC) method of classification, which replaces the familiar, but inadequate Dewey Decimal System. Thanks to the library staff's fine work in re-marking books, all library patrons will be served more rapidly by the change.

The reasons for the change and the relocation of volumes are detailed in the insert, which also includes a selected subject guide to the new LC System.

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#### OUR FAME SPREADS

More than 522,000 subscribers to the Cleveland, Ohio, newspaper, The Plain Dealer, have had the opportunity to know some more about TCU recently...thanks to a pro-football star's wife. About a year ago, BILLIE SUE ANDERSON and Mrs. JAN MURPHY of girls' P.E. had a request from Joan Ryan, wife of the Cleveland Brown's quarterback Frank Ryan. The outline for the TCU program of football orientation for coeds was sent to "Back-Seat" Brown (as she describes herself), and nothing more was heard.

Under the headline "Needed: Grid Lessons for Gals," the Cleveland paper carried her column on Sept. 11 in which she described TCU as "busy doing something about the coed's lack of football vocabulary" and wrote the major portion of her story about the female fans here.

# EVENING COLLEGE NAMES THREE TO FACULTY

Some of our finest and most competent Evening College faculty are part-time teachers and full-time professional people. Tom Palmer has announced that Don Brockie, a labor relations administrator for General Dynamics, will teach a course in Collective Bargaining; Dr. William Bates, director of social research at US Public Health Service Hospital, will teach Criminology; and Joseph Nicholson, a contemporary author, will teach Advanced Creative Writing. We're delighted to add all three as TCU "night people". It's good to have you with us.

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# MEMORIAL FUNDS ESTABLISHED HONORING SADLER, MELTON, WILLIAMS

In memory of our three beloved colleagues, whose recent deaths saddened the campus so deeply, special funds have been established for each. Knowing that many persons will want to contribute to these funds, we list their specific titles and how gifts should be made: The M. E. Sadler Scholarship Fund (begun in 1959), The Amos W. Melton Memorial Fund, The Cecil B. Williams Memorial Fund (to bring outstanding lecturers in the field of American Literature to campus and to support additional emphasis in this field). Contributions to the Funds are to be made payable to "Texas Christian University" with a notation identifying the appropriate one. The university development office will notify the families of the donations.

Chancellor Moudy has announced that discussions are underway concerning further means for honoring Dr. Sadler and that definite plans will be made known soon.

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# STORK COMING? HARRIS COLLEGE PLANS "SPECIAL" CLASSES

Harris College of Nursing has announced it will hold classes for expectant parents at Harris Hall, 1423 Pruitt Street, Room B-21 (basement). Couples' classes will be held on Tuesdays 6:00-7:30 p.m., starting Sept. 27. Classes for mothers will be held on Fridays, 10:30-12:00 a.m., starting Sept. 30. Both courses will be six to seven weeks in length and will include a tour of the maternity facilities at Harris Hospital. Miss Phoebe Lufgren, Assistant Professor of Nursing, Harris College, will be the instructor. Those interested should call ED6-8341, Ext. 451.

#### ENROLLMENT HOLDING STEADY

With registration to continue through Thursday, Fall semester enrollment looks like it will stay pretty close to the 7,232 final
figure reached last year. As of 9 a.m. Monday, Calvin Cumbie's
headcount shows about a 4% increase in undergraduate day students
with 4,690 enrolled as compared with 4,507 this same time last Fall.
Graduate School shows 804--down 44; Evening College 1,144--up 71,
but may not achieve the 1,676 total attained last year since the
figures already include students enrolled at GD, Chance-Vought and
Carswell; Brite is down 23 with 110 to date.

Monday's total was 6,681 compared with 6,704 for last year. There is a definite increase in full-time students and indications are that undergrad enrollment would have been greater if there had been more dormitory space. Part-time students show a decrease which is due somewhat to the increased services offered by other undergraduate and graduate institutions in the area. And, no doubt, our own tuition increase to \$30 per semester hour has had its effect. However, considering all factors, we're holding up well and we should top 7,000 for the second straight year.

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# ECUMENICAL LEADER TO SPEAK AT CHAPEL

Guest speaker at Chapel services next Tuesday at 11 a.m. will be the Rev. T. Paul Verghese, associate general secretary of the World Council of Churches in Geneva, Switzerland. A priest of the Syrian Orthodox Church of Malabar, India, Rev. Verghese will also address a session of the International Convention of Christian Churches in Dallas next week.

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# NOTES ON MOST NOTABLE FOLKS:

JACK COGDILL and his wo-workers at the summer Ichthus (that's Greek for "fish") Theatre in Austin continue to be praised by critics for "new, meaningful and off-beat drama" offered in the Capital City. In his first full summer at the theatre last year, the theatre department chairman presented six plays in five weeks, and, during August of this last season, six more were produced. A week-long re-run of "Sign in Sidney Brustein's Window" was slated for early fall in Austin.

Amid his other duties, Dean <u>IKE HARRISON</u> served as a conference leader during a mission study workshop held over the weekend at the First Methodist Church. Planned by the Fort Worth district of the Methodist Church, the event was attended by representatives of 29 churches.

# MORE NOTES ON FOLKS OF NOTE

"Topographic Maps and Map Reading" was <u>ART EHLMANN'</u>s presentation during a half-day session on Sept. 1 as part of the in-service institute for Fort Worth Public School teachers. A geologic note by <u>JACK WALPER</u> and ART, which appeared in the Journal of Geological Education, has been used as a basis for a laboratory exercise in the local teachers' guide on earth science.

JIM DYAL and KEITH TURKETT, accompanied by their wives, spent Aug. 29-Sept. 4 attending a meeting in Michigan for Danforth Associates. The national conference of faculty members, appointed to associateships by the Danforth Foundation to recognize and honor them as teacher-scholars, was attended by about 300 persons. En route home, the two couples visited with the Herbert Mundhenkes in Ludington, Mich.

TCU's "Snycronauts", sponsored by <u>JANET MURPHY</u> of physical education, will take part in tomorrow's benefit for the Fort Worth Ballet Association at the John S. Howell home. The 10-member aquatic team, formed earlier this year, will join their "dry" counterparts in what sounds like an unusual presentation Thursday.

Hearts were saddened at word of the death of <u>BLAIR CHERRY</u> last week in Lubbock. His love of athletics took him from the captain's position with the Horned Frogs in 1923, TCU's first year in the Southwest Conference, to the position of one of the Conference's most successful coaches as head mentor for the Texas Longhorns.

IRA SCHANTZ, assistant professor of voice, has signed a two-year contract to make a series of educational art-song vocal recordings for Educational Music Publications, Inc. of Oklahoma City. His summer was a busy one as he was tenor soloist for the oratorio, "St. Paul" by Mendelssohn, at Waco's Columbus Avenue Baptist Church and in other guest positions with the First Christian Church in Hereford and Fort Worth's Westcliff Methodist.

<u>CAROLYN RANKIN</u> attended a study course for piano teachers at SMU during the summer. The session was part of an extension program of the New School for Music Study in Princeton, N.J. and emphasized music teaching methods and teacher training.

Horse operas for real? Must be 'cause MALCOLM McLEAN discussed "The First Texas Horse Operas" at the September meeting of Phi Delta Kappa, Education Honor Society.

# MORE NOTES ON FOLKS OF NOTE

"The European Chess Board" will be <u>AUGUST SPAIN's</u> topic when he speaks Sept. 27 in one of the lectures sponsored by SMU, the Dallas Council on World Affairs and the Dallas United Nations Association. The series of sessions, which began last night in SMU's Fincher Building Auditorium, will feature such persons as Frank Mankiewicz, head of Peace Corps operations in Latin America; U.S Ambassador Arthur Goldberg; Dr. S. S. Suh of Korea; and Dr. Joseph E. Johnson, president of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace. Called "Insights into International Affairs", the informal adult course will continue through October.

Thanks to PAUL WASSENICH for providing a concise, well-written volume on the Honors Program. Many bright youngsters are participating in this program as it begins its fourth year on campus.

On the speaking circuit is busy <u>ALLEN SELF</u>, who spoke recently to the Institute of Internal Auditors on "The Management Revolution" and to the Northside Rotary Club on "The Future of the Tarrant County Economy". Allen is also serving as a consulting editor in the management field for the "Mississippi Valley Journal of Business and Economics" published by LSU.