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WE ARE INDEED PROUD HOSTS

This is a very special week for TCU as we serve as hosts to the Van Cliburn Piano Competition and the final session of the International Convention of Christian Churches.

Preliminaries for the piano competition began at 9 a.m. Monday in Ed Landreth Auditorium with 48 contestants from America and some 15 foreign countries competing for \$18,350 in prizes. The winner of the finals, which will be held Oct. 7-8 in Will Rogers Memorial Auditorium, will receive a \$10,000 cash first prize, plus a European concert series, a contract with Sol Hurok, and other professional opportunities.

The competition will remain at TCU until Oct. 5 when the semi-finals are completed. Though there will be some free seats for the pre-liminaries, all seats will be reserved for the semi-finals. The cost is only \$1.00 per person, per session, with two sessions each day.

We welcome heartily these talented young men and women, the distinguished jury and other visitors to our campus.

Today is the day we extend a very special welcome to folks attending the International Convention of Christian Churches. Several thousand will arrive on campus this afternoon for the assembly's final activities. Coordinated by Don Ver Duin, they include a bus tour of the campus, a series of special-interest sessions, a Texasstyle barbecue (under the stadium's east stands), and the evening session in the coliseum beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Dr. Lawrence Bash, minister of Country Club Christian Church in Kansas City, Mo., will be the main speaker tonight. He was awarded an honorary Doctor of Divinity degree by TCU in 1954 and is one of our church's most distinguished ministers. This evening's session will include perforamances by the TCU band and chorus. Since it was founded in 1873, TCU has been closely associated with the Christian Church. This is indeed a special occasion in the life of our university and we're mighty proud hosts.

FALL ENROLLMENT HITS RECORD HIGH

With late registration completed, Calvin Cumbie and his able staff have tallied the results and officially announced that we have set a record Fall enrollment of 7,340. This is the second time we've topped the 7,000 mark. Last year's headcount was 7,232, so we've gained 108 this Fall for an increase of 1.4%.

Calvin observes that the increase can be accounted for by 119 "Cold War GI Bill" students and increased retention of former students. These factors countered higher tuition, dormitory limitations and a decrease in entering freshmen. As you know, all dormitory space was filled early, with returning students having priority on rooms. This limited the number of rooms available to entering freshmen.

Our increase was reflected only in the undergraduate day schools and colleges with 216 more than in 1965--a total of 4,757 and 4.7% more than last year. Graduate School was off 50 students (842, down 3.4%), Evening College dropped to 1,626 (a decrease of 50 students or 2.9%), and Brite down to 115 (a loss of 28 students, off 19.5%).

As Calvin remarked, the decline in Grad School and Evening College enrollment reflects a continuing pattern of fewer part-time students. Our higher tuition, added graduate and evening programs at other area colleges are contributing factors. Brite is facing a problem shared by seminaries across the nation: fewer students entering the ministries of the church. The church is wrestling with this problem and is hoping to reverse the trend.

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\$2,500 GIFT SUPPORTS RESEARCH

An unrestricted departmental assistance grant given to TCU's Research Foundation recently by the Gulf Oil Corporation will finance the completion of a project of analysis of some 300 Puerto Rican river sediment, soil and marine drag samples. The materials were collected by Dr. Arthur Ehlmann of geology, who began the project in 1963 under TCU/RF sponsorship. The research, first to be done on Puerto Rican mineralogy, will include use of x-ray diffraction and other techniques to facilitate evaluation of factors controlling sediment composition and distribution in and about the island.

Gulf's area sales manager, C.A.R. Anderson, made the presentation in Chancellor Moudy's office. Dr. E. Leigh Secrest, who accepted the check, described the award as an indication of "the growing recognition of the important stake that industry has in higher education and the research so vital to our university programs".

ALUMNI CONFERENCE SET FOR SATURDAY

About 150 TCU alumni will gather in the Faculty Center at 9 a.m. Saturday to hold their 12th annual Alumni Conference. Ward Wilkinson, assistant vice-president of Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. in Dallas, is serving as chairman.

With Clyde Foltz lending an able hand (less one wounded finger which was badly cut recently in a power mower), the half-day session is planned to acquaint alumni leaders with TCU's future program and the important role that can be played by our many former students.

Chancellor Moudy will lead off the morning's program with a discussion of "Future Planning at TCU". Earl Waldrop, Clyde Foltz and Nick Rose (a fine newcomer to our development staff and a TCU grad) will emphasize the role of the alumnus in university development. Libby Proffer will provide some insights about student life at TCU and student body president Malcolm Louden will give the student's point-of-view. David Detweiler, president of our alumni association, will be a luncheon speaker and Abe will wrap it up with a few good words about the Frogs.

Everyone is invited and if you'd like to attend the luncheon, make your reservation by calling Ext. 208 by Thursday noon.

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NEW LOOK AT WEDNESDAY FACULTY LUNCHEONS

Hope everyone who can will make every effort to attend the Wednesday Faculty Luncheons held in the Student Center Ballroom at 12 noon. The buffet is delicious (and no time to count calories), the price is reasonable and the conversation brilliant (would you believe "enjoyable"?). The new look offered is that a different person will be presiding most every week. Earl Waldrop held the mike last Wednesday and James Newcomer was host today. Next week's headliner will be L. C. White.

Another new look feature is the football film of the preceding Saturday's game. Arrangements have been made to obtain the color-sound film of game highlights produced by WBAP-TV instead of the black and white play-by-play films that were narrated live in past years. Though it's tough to top Jim Brock's spirited narration, it was felt that the shorter color version would allow more folks time to stay after lunch and see the film.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL WORKSHOP SET

The first of several cooperative efforts of the University and the North Central Texas Council of Governments, an Intergovernmental Workshop Conference, will get under way Friday (Sept.30) at 9 a.m. at Arlington's Cibola Motel. Under the direction of Dr. Comer Clay, the all-day meeting will be offered through Special Courses Division.

Attention will be focused on the use of governmental resources to attack problems of water and sewer system expansion, stream pollution abatement, water resources development and flood control. Participants from a 10-county area comprised the Council of Governments will hear state and federal agency representatives in morning and afternoon sessions.

A pioneer in flood control engineering in Texas, T. Carr Forrest of Dallas will be the luncheon speaker. Fort Worth's Mayor Willard Barr will make the introductions.

According to Director Leroy Lewis of Special Courses, other University and council conferences have been planned for the coming months.

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JUST-AROUND-THE-CORNER SPOT:

Southwest Conference opener with Arkansas on Oct. 1 in Amon Carter Stadium.

The University Theatre's first production, "Mary, Mary" by Jean Kerr, on Oct. 10-15.

Piano concert on Oct. 12 in Ed Landreth by Madame Lili Kraus, internationally-famed pianist who will become TCU's artist-in-residence in February.

WOODYARD FIRST IN CHEMISTRY

Holder of bachelor's and master's degrees from TCU, James D. Woodyard will have to wait until May 31, 1967, to add the third one to the list, but until that time, he has a letter stating he is due all the rights and privileges of a person earning the Ph.D. The first person to complete requirements for the doctoral degree in chemistry at the University, he has accepted a post-doctoral appointment to do further research in nitreme chemistry at the Chicago Circle Branch of the University of Illinois.

BUILDING 2 SCENE OF SHOOTING

As has been their practice for 31 years, the Orgain's Studio folks are "shooting" students and faculty daily except weekends in Building #2 (East campus) for the Horned Frog yearbook. There is no charge for faculty. Photos are used for the annual and additional free prints are provided by the photographers for use by Public Relations. ALL new faculty are especially urged to go at once so that our News Bureau will have pictures on file when needed.

If you've changed your hair style (perhaps Nature has done it for you), shape of your nose or prefer to be photographed from your "better side", the service is available from 9 to 11 a.m. and 12 to 4:30 p.m.

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BORDEN PRIZE AWARDED

In a quiet yet impressive ceremony last week in the office of Vice Chancellor James Newcomer, the Borden Freshman prize for the 1965-66 academic year was presented to David J. Pillow Jr. of Fort Worth. The \$200 award, made annually by the Borden Company Foundation to the person who attained the highest average grade in the preceding year's freshman class, was given to the biology major by Dean Jerome Moore.

Planning to follow his father's footstep into medicine, Pillow earned 35 semester hours during the Fall-Spring sessions last year, maintained a perfect 4.0 average and worked an average of 42 hours a week in the laboratory at All Saints Hospital. Holder of a M. E. Sadler Merit Scholarship, he was valedictorian of his Richland Hills high class.

The prize is awarded each year as a part of Fall Convocation. Because of the assembly being canceled, the event was held in Dr. Newcomer's office. Attending was Dr. Willis Hewatt, biology department chairman and Pillow's counselor.

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THIS MOMENT IS YOURS ...

...is the theme of the handsome 1966 yearbook edited by Carolyn Hand. Capturing the moments of happiness, anticipation, seriousness and the other intangible elements that combine as the total of a year's activities, the volume will, as Chancellor Moudy wrote, become increasingly important to its owner as passing years translate moments into memories. Staff members are attempting to deliver yearbooks with names engraved on them. Others, such as those for departmental reading rooms, can be picked up in the journalism office in Rogers Hall as deliveries continue.

SELECT SERIES CONSIDERS SINGLE FOLKS!

The "powers that be" behind Select Series have set forth a new policy regarding ticket sales to single faculty and staff members. Whereas full-time bachelor-type folks of both sexes have been entitled to one ticket, the decision has been made to allow them two season tickets at the \$5 each rate. Perhaps this will encourage the sale of tickets and having that date, friend or "whomever" with you is bound to enhance the evening considerably. Wouldn't it be nice if other ticket folks could be encouraged to take similar measures?

Speaking of Select Series, the first event is set for Oct. 11 with the Preservation Hall Jazz Band. The attraction is jazz--plain, unadorned, foot-stomping early jazz played by elderly Negro musicians who learned their trade in funeral marches and who are among the few living, talented jazzmen who originated the New Orleans style. Tickets will be sold for \$2 each for adults, but the \$5 season ticket admits you to this AND seven other events during 1966-67.

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HELP WANTED ... AND NEEDED!

The request for names of books being authored by TCU faculty comes again from the New York office of Forthcoming Books, which lists current works. If you have a volume scheduled for publication between Nov. 1 and March 31---including adult and juvenile trade books, college and school texts, reprints, revised and new editions, technical and professional volumes and paperbacks---please send your name, the book title, price, publication date and subject to Betty Knox in the News Bureau. Deadline is Oct. 3.

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TCU ART WINS FIRST PRIZE

In intercollegiate competition involving member schools in Region 12 of the Association of College Unions, a TCU painting won the \$75 top award. The oil, work of senior Glenda Green of Weatherford, will be displayed throughout the Texas-Louisiana-Arkansas area with others in the exhibit. The showing is set for February on this campus.

The other entry from Frogland, also to be in the touring display, will be a painting entitled "Busy, Busy Busybodies" by Billie Rosine Geist of Arlington.

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UNFURNISHED HOUSE FOR RENT: 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, large den. Near TCU, in walking distance of Bluebonnet and McLean schools. \$85 monthly. Call WA3-9806 after 5 p.m.

KTCU-FM IS ON THE AIR

Back in service for the second year, after a summer's absence and a weak signal in the spring (due to antenna trouble), KTCU-FM began its Fall broadcasting schedule Monday afternoon. Though the station is supervised by R. C. Norris, director of Radio-TV-Film, the students plan, write, produce and announce most programs. Program suggestions are always welcomed, so if there is something within your area what would be of special interest to our listening audience, call the station at Ext. 242 or 246.

For those of you with FM radios, set your dial at 89.1 megacycles. The signal can be easily picked up within 10-15 miles of the campus. Here's the program format for this year:

2:00	p.m.	-	Classical Clock (light classics)
3:00	y fo	-	Afternoon Concert (live from Ed Landreth Aud.)
4:00		-	Matinee Serenade (vocal and instrumental)
5:00		-	Dinner Interlude (instrumental)
6:30		-	The Journal (news, interviews, features, sports,
			weather)
7:00	ind t	-	Talk (lectures, discussions, interviews, features)
7:30		-	Music Features (international music, out-of-print
			records, musical topics)
8:00		-	Evening Concert (live and recorded recitals and
			concerts)
9:30		-	Miscellaneous Features (science reports, language,
			cultural interest programs)
9:45		-	The Day's News (news, sports, weather)

TCU Sports -Freshman football broadcast "live"
Events Calendar daily at 5:55 p.m.
Metropolitan Opera beginning in December, every Saturday

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SIGMA XI SCHEDULES ANNUAL BANQUET

TCU's chapter of Sigma Xi will hold its annual banquet tomorrow (Sept. 29) evening at 6:30 p.m. in Room 205 of the Student Center. After dinner, guests will move to Room 204 to hear Dr. Art Ehlmann, local Sigma Xi president, discuss "Geological Problems in Puerto Rico and Jamaica".

Reservations for the dinner must be turned in to Dr. Manfred Reinecke in the chemistry department by noon today (Wed.). The cost is \$2.04 with local dues of \$1.50 payable at the meeting.

FLOWER FUND NEEDS YOUR HELP

One of the jobs Ina Rivers Jarman, our Faculty Social Director, takes most seriously, is sending bouquets or plants to faculty folks who become ill or have bereavement. An unofficial, but effective way of providing the money to meet this need is through our "Flower Fund". From time to time the fund is depleted (its present state) and those who wish to do so are asked to donate \$1. Ina Rivers is keeper of the Fund, so next time you're in the Faculty Center, remember to hand her a dollar—or, send it through inter—office mail. It's a wonder—ful way to let any of our people in trouble know that we all care.

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RELIGION SOCIETY ANNOUNCES TWO FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMS

The Society for Religion in Higher Education is offering two fellowship programs for 1967-68: Post-Doctoral Fellowships for Cross-Disciplinary Study and Fellowships in Asian Religion for College Teachers. Other services are also provided by the Society including a newly-published "Study of Religion in American Universities: Ten Case Studies (1965)." Complete information is available in the office of Vice Chancellor James Newcomer.

WANT TO BUY A PIXIE? CALL HOME EC!

It's not often you can buy your own "pixie" but the Home Economics Dept. announces that the Hoover Pixie Cleaner which they've had on consignment for one year is for sale at only \$12. Original price was \$34.95, so it's a fine saving. If you're interested, call Ext. 475.

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NOTES ON MOST NOTABLE FOLKS

FLOYD LEGGETT, who served as minister of the First Christian Church of Rogers, Ark. 20 years ago, has been invited to deliver the first address dedicating the church's new building, Sunday, Oct. 2. Floyd was minister there for some five years and says the church has really boomed since he left. But he got them started (and very well, we would add).

Speaking at the first Fall meeting of the Tarrant County Historical Society yesterday evening, <u>BEN PROCTER</u> discussed "Texas Rangers-Past and Present". Wonder what he had to say about that masked fellow and his Indian friend?

MORE NOTES ON FOLKS OF NOTE

ART EHLMANN, busy new chairman of the Geology Dept., gave a paper on "Products of Tropical Weathering in Puerto Rico" at a recent symposium of the Gulf Universities Research Corp. in New Orleans. His paper was one of the results of the research sponsored by the TCU Research Foundation through a gift from Gulf Oil Corporation.

JACK WALPER, also of Geology, has been assisting in some long-range planning. He attended a meeting of the Texas section of the Assoc. of Engineering Geologists in Temple recently, to discuss the Texas Water Plan. A project of the state's Water Development Board, they are trying to determine the water requirements of the State of Texas to the year 2020.

The recent production of "Heartbreak House", produced for the Tarrant County Great Books Council and read by Community Theatre actors, was directed by our own talented DOLORES TANNER.

GRANVILLE WALKER and TCU's A CAPELLA CHOIR have taped a program of worship for the Armed Forces Radio Network at the invitation of the Disciples of Christ church offices in Indianapolis.

Dr. Travis White, president of Midwestern University and a TCU degree holder, forwarded a feature story to Dr. Moudy recently on Kay Barnett and her trip to France with BITA MAY HALL. The story, which appeared in the Wichita Falls Times on Sept. 4, was an interestingly-written tribute to the tour director and the University. Fine public relations for TCU!

A newly-named president of the Fort Worth Marketing Foundation, IKE HARRISON was pleased that a TCU student, Mike Miser, was chosen from among several under consideration for a marketing scholarship. The Dean recently spoke to the Junior League on "Growth Climate in Fort Worth," hardly having time to catch his breath after the previous day's meeting in Austin of the advisory committee on Community Service and Continuing Education Programs of the Coordinating Board of Texas College and University System (how's that for a name?)

BARBECUE TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE GATE- for \$1.50 each, starting at 5:30 p.m. tonight under the east stands of TCU stadium. Final session of Convention will be in Daniel-Meyer Coliseum starting at 7:30 p.m. EVERYBODY COME!