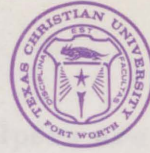


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CEREMONY OF LIGHTS AND CAROLS TOMORROW NIGHT

The Christmas season officially opens on campus with the traditional Ceremony of Lights and Carols which will be held tomorrow evening, Dec. 7, beginning at 7 p.m. in front of the Student Center. Court Crow, Fort Worth junior and Activities Council chairman, will m.c. the 40-minute program, and Dean of Students Howard Wible will "throw the switch" to light the large Christmas tree in the Student Center, as well as decorations around the quadrangle and at dormitories.

Winners in dormitory decoration competition, all on the theme of well-known Christmas carols, will be announced. Caroling will be led by Zeta Tau Alpha and Phi Kappa Sigma, winners in this year's Greek song fest. An informal reception in the main floor lounge of the Student Center will follow and "Santa" will be present to visit with students, faculty and visitors. Refreshments will be served. A 30-minute carillon concert of seasonal music, originating from Robert Carr Chapel, will be given after the program.

The ceremony is open to the public and will be a special treat for the whole family. Be sure to come and bring the children to see the lights; visit "Santa," join in the singing of carols and usher in the Yuletide season.

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SHUTTLE SERVICE TO SCOTT THEATER

Thanks to the efforts of the TCU theatre arts department, a shuttle bus will take students and faculty to and from performances of "Royal Gambit" nightly at the Scott Theater through the closing on Dec. 9. With curtain time at 8:15 p.m., the bus will load in front of Brown-Lupton Student Center from about 7:30 p.m. until its 7:55 p.m. departure. The drama, which deals with Henry VIII's relationship to his half-dozen wives, is the 150th play to be presented by the TCU department over a 23-year span. Tickets can still be reserved by calling the campus box office, Ext. 243.

"OLD-FASHIONED CHRISTMAS" PARTY PLANNED

Faculty Social Director Ina Rivers Jarman and her helpers are busily making plans for the annual faculty Christmas dinner, set for Thurs., Dec. 14, at 6:30 p.m. in the Student Center ballroom. With decorations in the traditional red and green of the holiday season, the party will have an old-fashioned, Southern flavor--and a program of unusual entertainment.

Speaking of entertainment, Sue (Mrs. Emmet) Smith is program coordinator and is looking for musical assistance from faculty folks. She needs a drummer, some trumpeters and other musicians. She'd also like some recordings from the "Big Band" era--i.e. Tommy Dorsey, Glenn Miller and the like. If you can help her on either or both scores, give her a call at WA1-1798.

The Christmas party is one of those few campus occasions when everyone is urged to dress formal, so dust off the tux and freshen the gown. It's not mandatory, of course. Come formal is you can, but by all means come.

Reservations are due NOT LATER THAN DEC. 11 at \$2.04 per person. It's important that reservations be made or there may not be enough food to go around. About 50 persons arrived at the fall faculty dinner without reservations and food became scarce. In order to be fair to everyone, please make your reservations by the 11th so Mrs. Jarman can plan for you and no one will be inconvenienced. Call ext. 262.

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UPCOMING TCU TELEVISION PROGRAMS ANNOUNCED

The TCU Stage Band, under the direction of Don Malone, assistant band director, will be featured on "This is TCU," a 30-minute telecast over Channel 11 this Sat., Dec. 9, from 12:30-1 p.m. The program, which is produced and directed by advanced radio-TV-film students, will also include an interview with Band Director Jim Jacobsen.

On Dec. 30, the A Cappella Choir, directed by Bev Henson, will be presented on the program singing music of the holiday season. "This is TCU" telecasts are shown every three weeks over the Fort Worth station.

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SORORITY PLANS EARLIER EVENT

Faculty members and their wives and/or husbands will be honorees at a tea hosted by Kappa Delta sorority on Dec. 14 from 4 to 6 p.m. Planned to honor the faculty and to afford an opportunity for the organization's members to meet more of their professors, the tea will be held in the Kappa Delta chapter room on Worth Hills.

TAKE YOUR PICK: IBERIAN HOLIDAY OR JOURNEY TO HOLY LAND

If you've been thinking about taking a trip abroad, consider one of these two tours planned for July, 1968, and hosted by TCU staff members. Dr. and Mrs. John Knowles, director of church relations, are taking a "Journey to the Holy Land," July 10-31, which will include visits to Scandinavia, Greece, Italy, Lebanon and Turkey. According to John, the trip is "tailor-made" for churchmen, both laymen and ministers. Cost of the tour, from Chicago, is \$1109 per person. For information and reservation forms, call John at ext. 206.

Dean Brigham, director of living endowment at TCU, and his wife are planning an "Iberian Holiday," scheduled from July 5-26 with visits to Spain, Portugal, Morocco and Gibraltar. Tour price, per person, is \$895.10. For information and reservations, write the Brigham's at 5474 Lubbock Ave., Fort Worth 76109.

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SEARS-ROEBUCK FOUNDATION PRESENTS \$6,000 GRANT

An unrestricted grant of \$6,000 has been presented TCU by the Sears-Roebuck Foundation in its program of systematically assisting institutions of higher learning in meeting their financial needs. The presentation was made by E. E. Harroz, manager of Sears' Seminary South store, in brief ceremonies in the office of Chancellor J. M. Moudy. To be used by the TCU Research Foundation, the grant was accepted by Dr. E. Leigh Secrest, foundation president.

Long-time supporters of TCU, the Sears-Roebuck Foundation will award \$1,900,000 to educational institutions during 1967-68.

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YULETIDE CHORAL CONCERT TO BE DEC. 12

The TCU Singers, A Cappella Choir and the University Chorus, under the direction of Bev Henson, will present a Christmas choral concert in Ed Landreth Auditorium on Dec. 12. The program, to begin at 8:15 p. m., will be free and open to the public. From a look at the program listing, it will be an evening of unusual seasonal enjoyment. Immediately following the concert, Mu Phi Epsilon will host a reception in the foyer.

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ARMY ROTC PROVIDES COLOR GUARD

The University's Army ROTC unit provided a color guard for formal dedication ceremonies this morning (Dec. 6) at Tarrant County Junior College. The TCU participation was the request of TCJC's President Joe Rushing. The American flag, which at one time flew over the nation's capitol, was presented by Congressman Jim Wright and the Texas flag by Gov. John Connally. These, along with the TCJC flag, were raised by the TCU'ers during the impressive ceremony.

CORRECTIONS FOR EVENTS CALENDAR

Since the printing of the enclosed TCU Events Calendar, it has been necessary to make several changes in the listing. Please make the following corrections on your calendar:

- Dec. 12 -- Christmas Choral Concert (TCU Singers, A Cappella Choir and the University Chorus)
13 -- TCU Opera Workshop Performance, University Theatre, 3 p.m.
Jan. 10 -- TCU Opera Workshop Performance, University Theatre, 3 p.m.

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PROFS NEED HELP FROM COACHES, TOO

Here's a twist to the old story of the football coach asking help from the English prof to see that the school's star half-back makes passing grades in order to stay on the team. Chemistry prof Bill Watson clipped the article from a recent issue of the Houston Post:

"Dear Coach:

Recalling our discussion of your football men who were having some trouble with English, I think you may be in a position to help me. We feel that Percy Floom, one of our promising scholars, has a chance for a Rhodes Scholarship, which would be a great thing for him and for our university. Percy has a splendid academic record, but a Rhodes Scholar is also required to excel in other ways. Ideally, he should have a good record in athletics.

Percy is weak. He tries hard, but he has troubles in athletics. But he does try hard.

We propose that you give some special consideration to Percy as a varsity football player, perhaps putting him in the backfield. In this way we can show a better college record to the committee deciding on the Rhodes Scholarships. We realize that Percy will be a problem on the field, but--as you have so often said--co-operation between our department and yours is highly desirable.

During intervals between scholarly work we shall coach him as much as we can. His work in the English Club and on the debate team will force him to miss many practices, but we intend to see that he carries an old football around to bounce, or whatever one does with a football, whenever possible.

Sincerely, etc."

RELIGION COLLOQUIUM TO HOLD FINAL FALL MEETING

The final meeting of the Religion Faculties Colloquium for the fall semester will be held tomorrow evening, Dec. 7, at 7:30 p.m. in the faculty lounge of Brite Divinity School. Dr. Paul Wassenich will present a paper on "A Christian Response to the Humanisms of Albert Camus," to be followed by a general discussion of the topic. All interested faculty members are welcome to attend.

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AGREEMENT ON NEED FOR FACULTY ASSEMBLY AND FACULTY SENATE

In a general faculty meeting last Thursday there was unanimous agreement on the desirability of setting up a Faculty Assembly and a Faculty Senate. A seven-member ad hoc committee, chaired by Dr. Paul Wassenich, which has been working on plans for a Senate since last spring, reported to the faculty on the feasibility and the form of such a body. According to Dr. Wassenich, the feasibility depended on an acceptable constitution. The proposed constitution circularized earlier by the committee underwent some changes at the meeting, particularly in sections setting out voting and amendment procedures. It almost came up for a vote when other questions were raised and, instead of voting on the constitution, a motion to table it was approved. Millicent Keeble of the School of Education was named secretary for faculty meetings.

All members of the faculty are urged to take an interest in the proposed constitution for the Faculty Assembly and Faculty Senate. If you have any suggested revisions, please send them IN WRITING to any member of the special committee which is preparing the document: Paul Wassenich (chairman), Comer Clay, Bitra May Hall, Jeff Horn, Gus Ferre, Charles Isoline, Allen Self. If you did not receive a copy of the proposed constitution, you may obtain one in UR 216 or UR 221.

Another faculty meeting has been called for Wed., Dec. 20, at 4 p.m. in Dan Rogers Hall auditorium to continue discussion on the constitution. Please make a note of the date on your calendar and plan to be present.

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CAMPUS INTERVIEWS NEXT WEEK

The last interviews of the fall semester will be held with graduating seniors next week in Room 220 of the Student Center, according to Placement Bureau Director R. B. Wolf. The following companies will have representatives on campus:

- Dec. 11--General Dynamics--Business & Math Majors
- Dec. 12--General Services Adm-U. S. Civil Service-Business, Arts & Sciences
- Dec. 12, 13--U. S. Air Force--All Majors
- Dec. 13--Continental Insurance Companies--Business Majors
- Dec. 13, 14--Central Intelligence Agency--Business, Arts & Sciences Majors

WATCH THOSE TRAFFIC REGULATIONS

Have you ever had that clammy feeling of panic when you see a car approaching you the wrong way on a one-way street? It's happened more than once on the one-way street around the Student Center quadrangle. Sometimes the students forget or don't notice that sign which reads "Do Not Enter" and sometimes a faculty or staff member forgets--especially since it was two-way during the construction of the Student Center expansion.

Even though you know it's one-way, it's such a temptation to slip out the south driveway by cutting through the parking lot and making that short--but illegal--jog around the corner to the south exit. Needless to say, it's risky. Most people assume the "other guy" is heeding the traffic regulations. If you're not, and neither of you is paying too close attention, you may be off to the body shop-- either a garage, a hospital or both.

So, observe the campus traffic regulations, drive slowly and safely and set a good example for the students at the same time.

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CUMBIE NAMED PRESIDENT-ELECT OF ASSOCIATION

Registrar Calvin Cumbie was elected President-Elect of the Southern Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers at the group's 21st annual meeting in Dallas last week. Calvin will assume the office of president when the association meets next year in Atlanta, Georgia, and will serve during 1968-69.

The association includes representatives of the 429 colleges and universities comprising the 11-state Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. Calvin has been a member of the TCU staff since 1949 and has served as registrar since 1954.

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WHITSETT AND PROFFER OFF TO NEW YORK CITY

Dr. Jim Whitsett, professor of finance and chairman of the Select Series Committee for 1967-68, and Mrs. Elizabeth Proffer, Student Activities director, will represent TCU at the Dec. 10-13 work and showcase sessions of the Association of College and University Concert Managers in New York City.

Approximately 300 campus representatives, responsible for booking music, theatre, dance and lecture attractions, will attend the four-day meeting. Aaron Copland, distinguished American composer, and Rudolf Bing, general manager of the Metropolitan Opera, will speak to the group. Many well-known artists and managers will attend the sessions.

The current college market, according to published reports, accounts for more than 70 percent of the professional concert activity in the United States. Both Jim and Libby are responsible for coordinating many campus entertainment programs.

"TALKING LETTERS" TO BE TAPED FREE

"Talking Letters," 8-10 minute tape recordings, will be made free of charge Dec. 11-13 as an "extra" project of TCU's Special Events Committee. The service is available to anyone who is interested in sending a taped message to friends, relatives or servicemen overseas.

The taping sessions will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on the three days in Room 206 of the Student Center. All materials will be provided, and your only expense will be airmail postage to send it where you wish it to go. There's time to get them to that away-from-home person, and it's certainly a project for which the committee deserves congratulations.

Linda Cordell, junior from Oklahoma City who is assisting with this program, suggests that we have a pretty good idea of what we want to say before the tape starts cutting. You can tell lots of news in 10 minutes!

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NOTES ON MOST NOTABLE FOLKS

Dean IKE HARRISON spoke recently at the 38th annual property tax forum of the Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Assn. in Fort Worth. His topic was "A Look Ahead at the Property Tax Problem." Approximately 200 of the oil industry's leading property tax experts attended the sessions.

JIM DYAL, on leave of absence with the U. of California at Berkeley psychology department, writes that he will present a paper at the annual meeting of the American Assn. for Advancement of Science in New York City, Dec. 26-31. The paper is entitled, "Transfer of behavioral modification via intraperitoneal injections of brain homogenates." The paper will be co-authored by one of TCU's recent Ph.D. students, Dr. Arnold Golub, who is now on a post-doctoral fellowship at the U. of Michigan. It is the result of two years of research sponsored by the TCU Research Foundation and is now being carried on in collaboration with Dr. WAYNE LUDVIGSON. Participants in the New York meeting will come from Denmark, Holland and the U.S.

D. WAYNE ROWLAND, former journalism chairman who is now head of the newspaper department at Syracuse University, writes, "Tell the faculty folk that I miss 'em and am proud of Fred's Frogs and the way they hopped out of nowhere into national attention."

SELBY EVANS and Doctoral candidate Jean Tracy of psychology have an article in a recent issue of Psychonomic Science entitled, "Supplimentary information in schematic concept formation." The research was partly supported by a grant from the TCU Research Foundation.

MORE NOTES ON MOST NOTABLE FOLKS

Dr. WILLIAM BAIRD, New Testament scholar in Brite Divinity School, attended a meeting of the Commission on Theology and Unity of the Council on Christian Unity, Disciples of Christ. Dr. Baird read a paper on "Early Catholicism in the New Testament" at the meeting which was held in Berea, Kentucky, Dec. 1-3.

PORTER CROW of education gave a paper on "Religious Education and Multi-Media Approaches" at the United Ministers in Higher Education Conference last month.

Journalism chairman BOB CARRELL spoke recently to the Fort Worth Chapter of Industrial Editors and will address the Fort Worth Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi tomorrow evening (Dec. 7). Bob has been appointed to the editorial board of The Journalism Educator, a quarterly publication.

ERNIE LARKIN, advertising instructor, is attending an advertising Institute at the University of Texas at Austin this week.

CAROLYN RANKIN, staff accompanist in the music department, stepped out of her usual role of performer and presented a demonstration and talk on "The Role of the Accompanist--A Psychological Interpretation" at a recent meeting of the Fort Worth Piano Teachers Forum.

NELL ROBINSON and Mrs. JANE GREENWELL of home economics attended the Southern Regional Conference of College Foods and Nutrition Teachers in Dallas, Nov. 28-29. Nell gave a report to the group on the National Nutrition Education Conference.

Assistant Professor of Music IRA SCHANTZ was guest soloist for both morning worship services at Central Christian Church in Fort Worth recently and participated in a special music presentation at South Hills Christian Church last Sunday. Ira served as one of the judges for the regional All-State Choir auditions conducted at Gladewater High School in Gladewater recently.

EARL RANKIN, director of Reading Improvement Service, participated in a symposium on the "Cloze Procedure" at the annual meeting of the National Reading Conference in Tampa, Florida.

SYMPHONY TO GIVE CONCERT DEC. 17

In its second appearance of the current academic year, the TCU Symphony Orchestra will be presented in concert on December 17 in Ed Lindroth Auditorium under the baton of Conductor Fritz Sereno. Kenneth Schanewelt, assistant professor of violin and theory, will be featured as violin soloist at the event, set to begin at 8 p.m.