# FACULTY BULLETIN

News of the Faculty and Staff around Texas Christian University

VOL. XXXV

March 25, 1959

No. 27

## STEP RIGHT UP FOLKS--SELECT YOUR OWN AREA FOR OUR SELF-EVALUATION PROGRAM

On the last page of this Bulletin, you'll find further discussion of our up-coming "Self-Evaluation Program." Please check it over. There's a listing of "Study Areas" and "Functions" which will or may come under the program--and a coupon for sending in suggestions as to YOUR preference. 'Tis planned to have EVERY staff and faculty member work on at least one study group and, as far as is possible, to let folks name the area in which they are especially interested.

So if you will, turn to the last page and take a look. Fill out the coupon as soon as you can and send it to Information Services through Inter-Office mail. Your suggestions will be given every possible consideration. Won't you take a sec to do it right now?

( | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

# SADLER LECTURE TO BE A FREE DINNER EVENT

Due to major conflicts and other developments, plans for the annual "Sadler Freedom Lecture" have been radically changed. Set for Ed Landreth Auditorium on Tuesday evening, April 7, it has been switched to a dinner event in Faculty Center starting at 6:30 p.m.

Faculty and staff members (and their spouses) will be guests of the Lecture Committee for the event--as long as room is available. Only some 250 can be accommodated for the meal so the tickets will be given out on a first-come, first-served basis. A note or call to Marybeth Scott (Ext. 229) will secure the tickets--as long as they last. When they're gone, there just won't be any more space. So if you'd like to attend, call or write Marybeth just as soon as possible.

Dr. Kenneth Wells, president of the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge, Pa., is to give the fourth "Sadler Lecture" that night. He's a fine speaker. We'll confer an honorary degree on him with Dr. D. Ray Lindley preparing the citation, Drs. Ike Harrison and Jerome Moore doing the hooding. Dr. Wells will also present Foundation awards for 1958 to winners in this area. Among them: TCU. We're to get a Washington Medal and \$100 for our campus program last year.

The lecture series, of course, honors Pres. Sadler. It was founded some years ago by the B'nai B'rith of Fort Worth in recognition of his fine work in the areas of "freedom and fellowship." There'll be a big crowd so don't forget to ask for those tickets soon.

#### EASTER RECESS STARTS WEDNESDAY

The annual Easter recess starts at 10 p.m. Wednesday and ends at 5 p.m. Monday, March 30. Please note that only Evening College classes will meet Monday--sessions in day courses resume at 8 a.m. on Tuesday.

There's no recess for administrative offices. They'll work the regular schedule. (Hope you faculty folks have a good rest.)

\*\*\* \*\*\* \*\*\* \*\*\* \*\*\*

#### FACULTY PHOTO EXHIBIT BEING READIED

Mr. Arthur Courtade, director of Ranch Training, came in this week with five or six striking pictures for the Faculty Exhibit which opens on April 8 in Faculty Center. His are the first official entries but many more are expected.

All members of faculty and staff who snap camera shutters are cordially invited to enter their favorite shots. It's all in fun--with no prizes or judging. Just bring or send your pictures to Mrs. Bobbye Barratt of Info Services. Be sure they're properly identified so that none will be lost.

()()()()()()

#### DON'T FORGET THOSE APRIL ELECTIONS

One of our friends, running for a spot on the Fort Worth School Board, reminds that election will be held on Saturday, April 4. And of April 7, the big election of city officials and the "Hospital District" will be held. They're all very important.

"I'm afraid folks are forgetting the School Board election," our man glooms. "The big city event is kinda overshadowing that first one and many folks are gonna wake up on April 5 and be surprised to know we've elected a new school board. Surely TCU folks will be interested in that election as much as the other." We surely hope so too.

1111111111111

# INFO WANTED ON MENTAL HEALTH RESEARCH

Saul Sells of Psychology has been asked through the Hogg Foundation to furnish info concerning work related to a survey by the Southern Regional Education Board on research relevant to mental health being conducted by the faculty and staff of TCU.

The definition on "mental health" here is very broad indeed. Almost any kind of research reaching from bio-chemistry to education and from laboratory studies of lower forms of life to study of human beings is included if it has any implications for the understanding of mental health and mental illness. If any faculty members know of anything being done here that might qualify would they call Saul as soon as possible at Ext. 251? It's most important.

#### "HIGH TEA" SET FOR SUNDAY, APRIL 5

Pres. and Mrs. Sadler will welcome the TCU faculty at "High Tea" on Sunday afternoon, April 5, 6 to 7 o'clock in the Faculty Center. Hope everyone will make plans now to attend.

This year, we're not gonna even speculate on what a "High Tea" may be. Some of our musing here in years past have been misinterpreted for pure ignorance--and that's getting too close for comfort. So we'll just say again there'll be a "High Tea" on Sunday afternoon (or early evening) from 6 to 7 p.m. You'll come.

(!!!!!!!!!!!)

### "BIG TYPE" TYPEWRITER NOW AVAILABLE

Through the efforts of Cortell Holsapple and the Short Course Committee, the University has acquired a typewriter that prints in BIG TYPE. It's about 18-point in bold caps and is ideal for printing name plates and badges for conventions, seminars, etc. It could be used for speaking notes for near-sighted professors.

In any event, this valuable machine is available to any group on campus that has such needs. At present, it is located in the Information Services Office in the Ad Building. Anyone wishing to use it just come by.

####################

## HAVE A CHUCKLE DEPARTMENT

Jim Moudy passes along this appropriate clip from "Graduate Comment" put out by Wayne University. 'Tis part of a dialogue:

Menalcas: Good morning, Corydon--or is it morning? I hardly know on days when I teach a 12 o'clock class.

Corydon: I believe it is afternoon. But your difficulty is not as great as mine. My presence is required at two meetings, both at 2 o'clock on the same afternoon.

Menalcas: I am all the more surprised, then, Corydon, to see you sitting beside this pool looking at a bird and a lotus blossom. I myself--heavens, I'm already late, I imagine, for a Graduate Faculty meeting. It is too bad more people do not attend such meetings and express their concern about the move to encourage integration by restructuring the Graduate School.

Corydon: You are mistaken if you think I am not concerned. But I had the foresight not only to have two committee meetings, but also to inform the chairmen of both that I would have to oscillate between them. Thus I have managed to find some time when I need appear at neither and can devote a few minutes to integrating myself.

0000000000000000

# MID-SEMESTER REPORTS DUE ON APRIL 3

Calvin Cumbie calls the attention of all that we hit the mid-semester point for Spring on Friday, April 3. Reports on students doing unsatisfactory work are due in the Registrar's Office at 9 a.m. that day. Forms for reporting "E" grades are available from that office. Just call.

# GERMAN CLUB TO PRESENT PROGRAM APRIL 1

Our German Club, under the direction of L. John Parker, will present a "Musicale" Wednesday, April 1, at 6 p.m. in the Little Theatre. R. G. Webb, former student and outstanding tenor, will sing Schubert, Schumann, Richard Strauss and Hugo Wolff "Leider" and excerpts from Lohengrin and Meistersinger.

Tickets will be 50 cents and proceeds will be used to help the Drame Group of the Club go to Lubbock and present their medieval German play at the annual Convention at Texas Tech. There'll be a reception after the concert next Wednesday. The program will be most worthwhile and help a good cause.

11 1 11 1 11 1 11 1 11 1 11 11 11

# INCOME TAX TIME--AND APRIL 1--INSPIRES WRITER

Mrs. Bobbye Barratt, editorial assistant in Info Services and editor of "This is TCU" magazine, was "inspired" recently. With tongue in pretty cheek, she presented this story which was NOT released:

FORT WORTH, March -- A new short course on income tax evasion will be offered at Texas Christian University this spring.

Consisting of 10 sessions, each on a different phase of beating the rap, the class will be limited to 40. No previous criminal record is necessary to enroll.

A \$25 counterfeit-money or hot-check registration fee will be charged. All material, including cakes complete with files and false fingerprints, will be furnished.

Meetings will be held in the visitors rooms at County Jail April 25-30.

Conducting the sessions will be three former members of the TCU School of Business on parole, and outstanding Texas insurance man Ben Jack Cage who will deliver his lectures via closed circuit TV from Rio de Janeiro.

\* \*\* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \*

# FACULTY-STAFF MEETING ON APRIL 6

Although Dr. Alfred Morgan of the Southern Assn. will be unable to be with us as originally planned, a most important meeting of the faculty and administrative staff will be held as announced at 2:30 p.m. on Monday, April 6, in Dan D. Rogers Hall. Top item of business: A new and much improved sick and accident insurance policy for the University.

L. C. White, our business manager, has been working on the new program for several months. The new plan is of great importance to every one of us so all who possibly can are urged to attend April 6. Incidentally, the Steering Committee of our "Self-Study Program" now reports that Dr. Morgan is due to be on campus April 23-24. More definite info later.

#### "LIGHTS OUT" IN DAN ROGERS AND SCIENCE THURSDAY

Due to major electrical repairs being made, there'll be no power in Dan D. Rogers Hall and Science Building all day Thursday. Don't forget if you're planning to work there that day.

111111111111

#### NOTES ON FOLKS OF NOTE

MAYBELLE TINKLE was recently elected president of the Ft. Worth Branch of the American Assn. of University Women for 1959-1960. There are some 500 active members. Former presidents from TCU are LUCY HARRIS, MRS. CHARLES SHERER and MRS. H. R. MUNDHENKE. Congrats to Maybelle!

MABEL MAJOR will attend the annual meeting of the Texas Folklore Society in Austin this weekend. She's a past president. Mabel also attended the meeting of the Texas Institute of Letters recently and a luncheon honoring Camilla Baykan Campbell, former TCU student who was the 1958 winner of the best Texas juvenile book: Coronado and His Captains. Mrs. Campbell was one of our Creative Writing Day speakers last year.

JOHN WORTHAM of Economics was elected director of the Dallas-Ft. Worth Section of the American Society for Quality Control recently. For the last three years, John's students in that area have won not only the first prize scholarship awards but also the majority of all prizes offered. Fine work John.

CHARLES KEMP of Brite will speak to a meeting of the Ministerial Assn. sponsored by the Mental Health Assn. in Lubbock on April 6.

JEFF HORN spoke recently to the Springdale P. T. A. on the "Promise of Tomorrow." Is there promise Jeff?

On-the-fly: LUCY HARRIS, the dean of Harris College, has been flitting about the country like crazy--speaking, serving on accreditation teams and doing a jillion other things. A tough schedule indeed.

CLYDE YARBROUGH speaks to the Desk and Derrick Club at their annual "Bosses' Banquet" at the Ridglea Country Club on April 9.

SIDNEY WILLIAMS of Education was the moderator last week of a meeting in Arlington to which candidates for the School Board made talks. Things went very well except for one member of the audience who wanted to make an address. Good work Sid.

"Problems Teachers Face in Physical Education" was the topic of J. W. STANDIFER recently before a section of the Texas State Teachers Association, District 11, in Brownwood.

MAXINE KAMENITSA of Home Ec talked on teaching science to young people in Dallas last week before a meeting of three Welfare Groups. She's also very busy at the Childrens Museum here where she works parttime.

The Humanities Division, headed by JOHN H. HAMMOND, held a fine session last week in Faculty Center on the theme of "Inter-relations between the Humanities and other divisions of the University." Among the speakers were ROBERT HULL, HERBERT Lagrone, W. J. HAMMOND and LANDON COLQUITT.

- R. C. WYATT (German) spoke to the Euterpean Club at the Fort Worth Women's Federation Club recently. Subject: "German Lieder."
- D. RAY LINDLEY, our "veep," spent all of last week on official business in Mississippi. Was glad to get home--but won't be able to find his desk under that pile for two weeks.

A number of Business School folks will be in Galveston for the meeting of the Southwestern Social Science Assn. during the Easter Holidays. MURRAY ROHMAN will be on the program of the Texas Management Assn. which meets in conjunction. SAM LEIFESTE will take part in the Business Administration section meetings; HENRY KEY and IKE HARRISON will take part and PAUL HASTINGS has a part on the program of the Bureaus of Business Research. DEAN IKE will chair the Business Administration program on Friday afternoon and deliver a paper on Saturday on "The Role of Business in the University Today." HERB MUNDHENKE of Economics will also attend the sessions.

# ()()()()()()()

### OFFICIAL ABSENCES

The following students will be absent from classes on March 24 and 25 to represent the TCU Squadron at the National Conclave in Pittsburg, Pa.:

James White, Jr. Lonnie Holliday

Robert L. Kuehn was excused from classes at the time specified on the dates indicated:

March 12 -- 7:30 to 11:00 a.m. March 18 -- 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. March 20 -- 2:00 p.m. on

The following students were excused from classes from 7:00 a.m. to 12 noon, March 17 to complete a physical examination at Carswell Air Force Base:

Dervaes, Arthur Owens, Gene Young, Frank Little, Harvey
Marshall, James Caudle, Richard Lewis, John Vazquez, Edward
Murphey, Willis Krizan, Richard Garza, Daniel

These students were absent from classes from 7:00 a.m. thru 12:20 p.m., March 19 to complete a physical examination at Carswell Air Force Base:

Sowell, Thomas Smith, Troy Macune, Charles Steele, William Glass, James Williams, Wylie Lacy, Donald Hamilton, Michael Young, James Moore, Marion

Leta Nelle Thomason was absent from classes on March 18 to present a program for the Women's Club at Breckenridge, Texas.

Mary Alice Damman was absent on March 18 to present a program for the Women's Club at Breckenridge, Texas.