



**RUSTY COWART**  
will start at quarterback for the Frogs tomorrow afternoon against the Texas Aggie powerhouse in College Station.

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**COACH MEYER**  
leaves today for College Station with a full squad of Purple gridders for the crucial Aggie contest.



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## Three Seniors, Freshmen, Win Show Contests

### Gardner, Goodspeed Take Honors for Scriptwriting; Song Winner is Rice

Three seniors and a freshman walked away with prizes in the Varsity Show contest. John Goodspeed and Hal Gardner, co-authors of the winning script entry, are seniors, as is John Frank Lucas, who won the theme contest.

Miss Ellen Ayres Rice, freshman from Gordon, is the winner in the song writing division. The winners in each section of the contest will receive \$10 dollars for the prize winning entry.

"The material turned in for the contest was all considered excellent by the judges and it was found difficult to pick the winner," says Charlie Prior, producer.

"The idea was judged from the point of view of how popular it might become with the public and how adaptable it was to this type of production. The script was judged from the standpoint of cleverness as well as how well it fitted together."

"The songs were judged as to how well the audience would take to them, not from their music value. Many of the songs were excellent, but the judges were afraid that they might be hard for the public to remember."

"It is to be remembered that the Varsity Show does not guarantee to use any or all of the material entered, nor does it guarantee to use the winner in any or all divisions. What is to be used, and how it is to be used, will be announced later," says Prior.

The contest judges were Mrs. Ida Belle Hicks, critic and writer for the Star-Telegram; Bill Allen, Junior C. of C. member; and Miss Helen Jane Belke, program director of the Texas State Network.

"The contest was considered a huge success," says Assistant Producer Caylor. "From the material turned in, one may see the excellent talent that is here in school and the interest that is already growing in the Varsity Show for 1941."

## TSN Organizes College Shows

### Campus Radio Programs In Southwest Will Be Co-ordinated by Network.

A tentative organization was set up recently by the Texas State Network to coordinate all radio programs given by colleges served by T. S. N. Forrest W. Clough, director of education for T. S. N., presided over the meeting of 30 representatives of colleges in the Southwest. Dr. John Lord, Dr. A. L. Boeck and Miss Kathryn Moore represented T. C. U.

Blough was named coordinating chairman of the organization. On the executive committee are Miss Sara Lowrey, Baylor; Dr. Boeck, T. C. U.; Dr. S. D. Myers, S. M. U.; Howard Lumpkin, Texas, and Emery G. Horger, T. S. C. W.

This series will provide various programs, music and entertainment, current affairs, science, economics and industry, literature, religion and diction.

The executive committee will meet again next month, but the radio series will start about the first of the year.

## 'Quaker Peace Movement' Is Saunderson's Topic to IRC

Olcutt Saunderson spoke to the International Relations Club Wednesday night on the "Quaker Peace Movement."

Miss Vera Williams, president of the club, reports that this is the first in a series of peace movement talks.

## First and Third Weeks To Be Dates for S.C.A.

"In order to get S. C. A. groups to meet on the first and third weeks of the month, all groups will meet next week, unless advised otherwise by the individual sponsors," says Jim Gean, president.

## Students Approve New Constitution

Casting the largest and most one-sided vote of the year, Frogland's electorate today approved the newly drafted student body constitution by a count of 445 to 38.

Besides keeping the polls open in the main hall of the Administration Building, members of the Student Council also distributed ballots to students in the 25 classes

meeting at 9 a. m. yesterday in order to assure a large vote. It has previously been decided at a Council meeting that since the constitution was vital in the campus life of each student, as many as possible should have the opportunity to pass judgment on the document.

The constitution has previously been discussed in detail at chapel

Wednesday by Student Body President Malven Stevenson, Vice-President Bill Crossfield and Dick Jay, chairman of the Council's committee on student government. An open forum discussion followed the explanatory speeches.

The document was published three weeks ago in The Skiff Comic Magazine.



A BIG WELCOME was in store for Coach Meyer and 35 Purple gridders Monday as they arrived back from North Carolina. Top, a part of the welcoming crowd which gathered at the station to hear President E. M. Waits (standing on bench) and others bring greetings and urge the Frogs to get set for the Texas Aggie contest tomorrow. Others in the picture are L. D. (Little Dutch) Meyer, next to Pres. Waits, who just returned from Detroit and the world series; Head Coach Meyer, Halfback Gus Bierman, Line Coach Mike Brumblow, Student Body President Malven Stevenson (on crutches), and Amon Carter. Bottom, three coeds present at the gathering. Left to right, Misses Helen Peters, Kathryn Kingsbery and Laura Jones.

## C. A. A. Course Begins Work

### Bowman to Give Flying Instructions From Sansom Field—Schedules Assigned

Students in the C. A. A. course began their flying instructions Tuesday. Leslie Bowman, who is flight instructor, assigned the flight lesson schedule to the class.

"Four more students have registered for the class and there is still room for one more," Dean Colby D. Hall reports. The new students are James Cooper, Vernon Dravenstadt, Guy Murphee and Paul Nelson.

Dr. G. E. Evans is ground school instructor.

"The secondary course in the civil pilot training is being sponsored by T. C. U. and we have been given a quota of 30," Dean Hall says. Eligibility in this class is completion of the primary course and recommendation on one's record in it," the dean explains.

All classes in this course are held at the airport and flying instruction is given from Sansom Field. Bowman explained that the course deals mainly with flying and the machinery of flight.

## Hammond, Hall Take Part In Church School Mission

Several T. C. U. faculty members are taking part in the church school of missions at the First Christian Church this week. Dean Colby D. Hall led the devotional at the opening meeting Monday night. Dr. W. J. Hammond is teaching a course on "Shifting Population."

Mrs. S. W. Hutton is president of the Federation of Women's Missionary Societies which is sponsoring the school.

## President Waits to Attend Southern University Meet

President E. M. Waits will attend the Southern University Conference in Memphis, Tenn., Monday and Tuesday. This is the sixth annual meeting of the conference. The theme of the meeting is "Improving the Quality of College Education."

## I'll Be Guns, Not Pigskins—Football Team Trades Names For Numbers in Registration

Cleland Early and Connie Sparks got caught in the draft but only by a few days. Both of them turned 21 less than a week before the fatal Oct. 16.

The football team, led by Capt. Clarence Alexander and Co-capt. Logan Ware, practically registered en masse. Jack Odle, James Mecaskey, Dave "Supertime" Wafford, A. J. Huffman, Rusty Cowart, Woody Adams, Ray Standley, A. J. Brumblow, "Arkansas" Hampton, Paul Smith and Frank Krug were among the team registrations.

Coach Mike Brumblow took his basketball twins, Dennis and Ralph Tankersley, to the registrar's office and they all signed together. The freshman team may suffer from lack of coaching since Walter Roach and

his assistant, Linden Binion, both had to register.

Registrar S. W. Hutton reports that 113 registered at the school Wednesday. He was assisted by Dr. Cortell Holsapple, Dr. W. J. Hammond, Dr. J. H. Dougherty, Dean of Men Herman Pittman, Prof. B. A. Crouch, Prof. Charles R. Sherer, Dr. Gayle Scott, Mrs. Helen Murphy and Miss Elizabeth Martin.

## Misses Smith, Major To Attend Texas Institute

Dr. Rebecca Smith and Miss Mabel Major will attend the Texas Institute of Letters, meeting this week-end in Denton, at T. S. C. W.

Miss Siddle Jo Johnson will be guest speaker today. Miss Johnson is a graduate of T. C. U. and writes children's books, the latest published in August, entitled "Debby."

Thomas H. Pearce, who collaborated with Misses Major and Smith in their book "Southwest Heritage," will be guest speaker Saturday.

## England Made Secretary Of Seminary Movement

Leon England, graduate ministerial student, is the newly appointed secretary of the Inter-Seminary Movement of the southwestern region. The election was held at the Inter-Seminary Meet in Dallas, which convened last Friday and Saturday. Several from T. C. U. attended.

The southwestern region includes Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado, Kansas and Missouri.

## 'Reality of Christian Faith' Is Sunday Morning Topic

"Is Our Christian Faith Real?" will be the sermon topic of the Rev. Granville Walker at University Christian Church Sunday morning. The anthem will be "He Watching Over Israel," by Mendelssohn.

"More Man" is the title of the Evening song message. "How Long, Oh, Lord, Will Thou Forget Me?" by Tschelkowsky is to be sung by Mrs. Ruth Mercer.

The organ recital by Mrs. Q'Zella Jeffus will include "Londonderry Air," arranged by Coleman; "Clair de Lune," by Debussy, and "Liebestraume," by Liszt.

## Frogs Will Get Big Send-Off to Tulsa

Whether the Frogs win or lose the Aggie game, the Horned Frog Band and student body will be at the T.&P. station at 11 o'clock Thursday night to swing and yell as the Fighting Frogs leave for Tulsa to do battle with the Golden Hurricane.

Head Yell Leader Bill Boren promises that the whole student body will be there and, judging from the rally

last night, he won't miss it far. The spell of gloom that last week's defeat cast over Frogland, according to sports writers, lasted only one day, "Blue Monday."

With "Big Jawn's" effigy hanging from an oak limb in front of Clark Hall, homemade "neon" lights silently shouting "Beat A.M." and the Administration Building still shak-

## 300 Students Expected To Trek to Aggieland

### President Malven Stevenson Urges Frog Rooters to Make A. & M. Game Tomorrow

By V. G. SMYLIE

### Delegates to Go To B. S. U. Meet

Twelve T. C. U. delegates plan to attend the state Baptist Student Union convention to be held on the Baylor campus in Waco opening tonight and closing Sunday noon.

Five of the group will appear on programs at the meet. Jack Burton will play the marimba at each devotional hour. Marshall Kemp is to read the interum between scenes of a pageant entitled "First Magnitude." A trio including Misses Jean and Jane Taylor and Frances Nell McGee, will sing.

The group has been asked to stop at Itasca on their return trip and present a program for the Baptist Training Union hour there.

Others attending are Misses Mary Lou Jordan, Billie Jean Boney, Virginia Dobbs and Marjorie Short and Nat Wilson, Jr., Jimmy Moore and Mrs. R. C. McGlavery.

### November 4 Set For Play Contest

The Freshman-Sophomore contest plays will be presented at 8:15 p. m. Nov. 4 in the Auditorium.

"Bread," the name of the sophomore play, has a cast including: Miss Sara Ann Cabell, Miss Janis Warren, Miss Peggy Greene, David McKee and Homer Baughman. Clarence Easter is director of the production.

"Only the Birds," chosen as the freshman presentation, is directed by Harry Jennings.

### Rev. Kelly O'Neill to Speak On Brite Chapel Program

"The Stewardship of Life" is to be the subject of an address by the Rev. Kelly O'Neill at the Brite College of the Bible chapel service this morning.

October devotional committee for the chapels include Rawlins Cherrylomes, Dick Clayborne, Peyton Davis and Graham Pugh.

Plans now under way will be announced concerning the retreat for ministers to be held in the near future.

### Dean Hall Will Address Dallas Christian Churches

Dean Colby D. Hall will speak to the joint board meeting of Dallas Christian churches Tuesday night at the Oak Cliff Christian Church. His subject will be "We Disciples."

B. F. Crews, father of Dick Crews, is chairman of the meeting which will be attended by deacons and elders of the Dallas churches.

### Prof. S. P. Ziegler Made American Art Week Head

Prof. S. P. Ziegler has been appointed local chairman for American Art Week, a week set aside annually to arouse interest in contemporary American art.

### Hutton to Preach Sunday In Henderson Church

Registrar S. W. Hutton will preach Sunday at the First Christian Church in Henderson. His subject will be "The Church in a Day Like This."

With the long awaited Frog-Aggie grid contest tomorrow the attraction, and with school spirit at a new high, more than 300 students will leave this afternoon and in the morning by special train and automobile for College Station.

While a goodly portion will make the trip by car and by "highwaying," a majority will entrain tomorrow at the T. & P. Station to accompany local rooters on the special. They are scheduled to arrive on the Aggie campus at 12:10 p. m. The train will leave College Station at 5:45 p. m., immediately following the game, and arrive back in Fort Worth at 11 p. m. Those who wish to stay over for the dance tomorrow night or to visit on the campus may return on the regularly scheduled train at 12:30 a. m. either Sunday or Monday.

## Council Votes Next Hop Free

### Plans for T. C. U.-Texas Homecoming Game and Dance Started at Meeting.

The recording dance, scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 26, will be free to all students as a token of appreciation for the fine attendance at the initial three hops, it was decided Wednesday at the meeting of the Student Council. Members voiced unanimous approval of the motion as made by Don Ver Duin, chairman of the dance committee, and approved by Dance Manager Bob Johnston.

The Council also decided to start plans immediately for Homecoming, which will be held Nov. 16, the day of the Frog-Texas Longhorn grid contest. Johnston expressed hopes of having enough money in the dance fund to bring a "big name" band to the campus for the hop following the game.

Tuesday was set as the date for the first meeting of the student-faculty committee, composed of Malven Stevenson, Bill Crossfield, Miss Florrie Buckingham, Hal Gardner, Don Ver Duin and Dick Jay, students, and Dean Colby D. Hall, Dean of Women Elizabeth Shelburne, Dr. H. R. Mundhenke, Prof. Granville Walker and Prof. C. R. Sherer, faculty members.

Vance Gorman, who with Harry Hitt and Johnston represented the Council at the North Carolina game last week, made a report on the trip to Chapel Hill.

Three new members were elected to the Chamber of Commerce at Monday's meeting. They are: Ed Lowther, Bennie Dobson and Fred McFalls.

Vance Gorman was selected from the junior members to act as second vice-president, and the president appointed the service committees.

Those serving as chairmen of the committees are: Program committee, Bobby Bunell, finance committee, Guy Holt; membership committee, Vance Gorman; Ranch Week committee, Bob Johnston; employment committee, L. G. Lacy; Varsity Show committee, Charles Prior; social committee, Bob Sikes; athletic committee, Richard Allen; and publicity committee, Bill Boren.

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## Alpha Phi Omega Selects Baker as Faculty Sponsor

Selection of W. P. Baker, instructor in English, as faculty advisor of Alpha Phi Omega was made at the organization's meeting Tuesday night, reports Robert Lamsens, president.

Change of time for the meetings was made from 7:30 to 9:30 p. m. to avoid conflict with other school activities.

## Homeletic Guild to Use Questionnaire Suggestions

Plans for a year of programs were made at Homeletic Guild Tuesday noon by a questionnaire of suggestions checked and contributed by each member. Johnny Hughes is program chairman.

A. & M. officials have been busy all week making preparations to care for T. C. U. students and what they expect to be the largest football crowd of the year.

Guion Hall has been set aside as Frog headquarters, so that Purple students will have a definite meeting place. Signs have been erected around the campus to direct the visitors to parking lots, a Red Cross first aid station, dining halls, the stadium and rest rooms. In addition, there will be military police stationed at many locations to assist the students and other visitors in finding their way about.

Meals will be served in both dining halls at noon, with the ticket given here with the purchase of each student ducat entitling the holder to admittance.

Free parking facilities will be available on the campus drill grounds, and a limited number of cars will be allowed to park at the south end of the stadium.

Kegs of iced drinking water will be located at several points on the grounds, and an information booth will be set up near the entrance of Kyle Field.

Students will be admitted at the south gate of the stadium.

"We wish to urge all students who are in any way able to go to the game to be sure to be present. The team will need all the support it can get," says Student Body President Malven Stevenson.

## S. C. A. Leaders To Meet Today

S. C. A. discussion group leaders and faculty sponsors will meet at 11 o'clock today in Room 110.

"Freshman Personality" was discussed at the initial meeting of Prof. C. H. Richard's freshman group Wednesday night. Miss Orma Lee Shelton and A. J. Huffman are student leaders for the group.

Prof. and Mrs. Charles R. Sherer's discussion group met Tuesday night and discussed "Boy-Girl Relationships." Miss Marie Seaberry and Dick Jay are group leaders.

Also meeting Tuesday night were Dr. William V. Roosa's group and Dr. John Lord's group. The former discussed "Current Events" led by Miss Millicent Moseley and Charles Horan. The latter was led by Miss Irene Arnold, Leonard Rosenthal and Dan Jarvis and discussed "The Presidential Campaign."

Miss Betty Simpson and Lloyd Stevens will lead the discussion of "College Popularity" in Dr. H. R. Mundhenke's group Monday night.

## Tom Massey to Speak At Homiletic Luncheon

The Rev. Tom Massey, assistant pastor and director of religious education at the First Christian Church, will be the guest speaker at the Homiletic Guild luncheon Tuesday noon.

"Salvation in Process" will be his subject. Johnnie Hughes is program chairman.





STARTING SENIOR LINEMEN who get their last shot at the Aggies tomorrow are, reading from left to right, Connie Sparks, right end, Captain Lefty Alexander, center, and Bobby Sherrod, right guard. These boys are "gunning" for Big John Kimbrough, and from the looks on their faces, the Farmer powerhouse should have trouble gaining over them all afternoon. Alexander, at 195 pounds, is the lightest of the trio.

### Sophs, Seniors Grid Winners

Intramural Squads Down Frosh, Juniors, Respectively, By 45-13 and 38-18 Counts.

The Sophomores won their first college intramural football game Wednesday when they trounced the humble Frosh 45 to 13 and the Seniors kept their undefeated record by bumping off the Juniors 38 to 18.

### Cage Prospects Brighter As Fall Practice Starts

Poor Half Proves Costly to Meyer

By JACK BILLINGSLEY

The T. C. U. Frogs journeyed to North Carolina last Saturday and played themselves half a football game. Now against some teams, one-half of a Frog ball game might be sufficient to win, but against Bear Wolf's Tar Heels it just wasn't enough and the Purple came back on the short end of a 21-to-14 score.

Next Tuesday night Coach Mike Brumbelow will throw aside his football shoes for awhile and don basketball togs to get his 1940-41 cagers off to a flying start. The Frogs, who won only one conference game last winter, are determined to climb out of the cellar this year and will spare no hard work or effort to do so.

Reporting to Brumbelow next Tuesday will be seven lettermen, two squadmen and one junior college transfer. The letter winners are Jack Billingsley, Buddy Barron, Robert Groseclose, L. A. Monroe, Dennis Tankersley, Guy Holt and Leonard Cannaday. Ralph Tankersley and Floppy Blackman are the returning squadmen, and Al Wagler, a transfer from Hutchinson, Kan., Junior College, will round out the roster.

The Frogs will engage two West Texas college quintets before the Christmas holidays. Their opening contest will be against the Howard Payne Yellow Jackets in Brownwood Dec. 7. Then on Dec. 13-14 the Purple basketball tangle with the Red Raiders from Texas Tech in Lubbock. On Dec. 18 the Yellow Jackets come to Fort Worth for the first home contest for the Frogs.

During the Christmas holidays, the cagers will again compete in the all-college basketball tournament in Oklahoma City. Last year the Frogs won the consolation championship of this tourney. The first conference encounter will come Jan. 8 against the Baylor Bears on the Frogs' home court.

touchdown in some eight plays. The little man from Dallas completed six consecutive passes during the march and only called a running play once and then carried the mail himself, picking up 20 yards. After a penalty had nullified one touchdown pass, Cowart fired another to Gus Bierman in the end zone.

# Frogs Ready For 'Big Jawn'

Smash A. & M. Crush Aggies

**SPORTS SHOTS**

by JACK BILLINGSLEY

Tomorrow, Oct. 19, has been the red letter day on most of the Frog's calendar since early in August. While the coaches and boys have been playing every game as they came on the schedule, they always had one eye peeled on that one line in the schedule that read "Oct. 19 Texas A. & M." Several boys will be getting their last crack at the Cadets tomorrow afternoon.

If Coach Dutch Meyer had called off scrimmage just five minutes earlier Wednesday afternoon against the Freshmen, the Frogs would stand a better chance against the Aggies tomorrow. For in those final few minutes Billy Blackstone, No. 2 center, went into a pileup and emerged with a broken right leg that will keep him out of action for the remainder of the season.

Speaking of basketball, the Frogs may not have the best team in the Southwest Conference this winter, but they will certainly be one of the best dressed outfits in the circuit.

From all accounts, it seems that Rusty Cowart had a "hot" day in North Carolina last Saturday. The little Dallas veteran, who hasn't seen much service thus far this season only played the last few minutes of the Tar Heel game, but showed enough hustle and drive to cause Coach Meyer to name him the starting signal caller against the Terrible Aggies.

### 'Rusty' Cowart To Lead Purple Against A. & M.

By JACK BILLINGSLEY  
Out in front of Clark Hall hangs a dummy. A large sign is attached that reads "Big Jawn Rides No More—Beat A. & M."

Tomorrow afternoon the Horned Frogs will attempt to do just that when they tie into the high flying Aggies on Kyle Field.

Both teams will have much to avenge. The Frogs will be trying to rub out the 20-to-6 drubbing the Farmers hung on them last



Ernie Pannell

son is the real reason why the Aggie attack rolls for those amazing gains. Marion Pugh, from Fort Worth, quarterback the Aggies and does most of the passing. Derace Moser completes the starting backfield and he is probably the shiftest runner of the quartet. Bill Conatser, Marlin Jeffery and Willie Zapalac each break into the lineup from time to time.

Up in the line at nearly every position are stars. Big Ernie Pannell, at left tackle, is being watched by selectors as a potential successor to the Aggie Joe Boyd who made all-American last year. Marshall Robnett at right guard and Tommy Vaughn at center form one of the strongest mid sections in the conference.

About the same lineup will start the important contest for the Frogs that has started the other three games. However, at the helm will be "Rusty"



John Kimbrough

year. The Aggies are still smarting under that smashing 34-to-6 trouncing that the '38 Frogs belted them with the last time the two met on Kyle Field.

Of course the Aggies are the favorites. Led by all-American John Kimbrough and half a dozen other potential all-Americans, the Farmers have swept aside Texas A.&I., Tulsa and U. C. L. A. in that order. The Frogs lost a lot of prestige last week when they went down before an inspired North Carolina team that for at least one quarter was as hot as any squad in the country.

Kimbrough alone would give the Farmers a potent offense, but with the aid he receives from his other backfield mates, he gives the Maroon and White as bruising an attack as has been seen in this conference in some time. Next in line after Jarrin' Jawn comes that move-em-out blocker and line backer, Jim Thomason.

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T. C. U. Should Have One

There's an epidemic! Here is another club seeking official recognition on the campus. This is the Town Club, an obscure club with many possibilities.

The organization is one primarily concerned with increasing the interest of the Fort Worth students enrolled in the University in all campus activities. In recent years this has been definitely lacking.

This attitude is bad psychologically, and such an organization would have the potential power to create more interest in the school on the part of the off-campus students.

Also, the organization has well-laid plans to interest Fort Worth people in the expansion program, which are now very far in the future.

It would serve, as do the Fort Worth clubs which are in existence on almost every college campus in Texas except T. C. U., to send delegations to the Fort Worth schools each year to present the advantages of their respective institutions.

The classrooms could stand more students, but the dormitories limit the out-of-town enrollees; so why not capitalize on Fort Worth students?

These possibilities should be carefully considered by the faculty committee when this organization comes up for its recognition in the near future, and it should be easy for the committee to put their O. K. on such an organization.

Marvelous Places, Drugstores

Yessir, what this country needs is bigger and better drugstores. That's the answer to the whole social problem.

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It's the food part, which gives a drugstore its distinctive atmosphere. You can grab a quick bite if you're in a hurry, or you can linger for hours over a single coke. You can gulp a cup of coffee, or you can wait while they cook you a steak. But always, there's the feeling of relaxation and well-being.

There's an informal, friendly feeling in a drugstore that is different from any thing you feel in a department store, a grocery store, a five-and-ten, a cafe or any other place. It's a sort of "jack-of-all-trades" feeling—a kind of American frontier feeling—which promotes conversation, discussion and a spirit of comradeship.

We could do with more of that. Maybe Congress will pass a grant for bigger and better drugstores.

Something About A Soldier

"Train time is 7 o'clock in the morning! My goodness! How will I ever make it?" says the comely Frog coed on the eve of her departure for the lair of the uniformed cadets at College Station.

"I had better start packing now. Let's see... make up kit and other necessities. Oh yes, evening dress. I wonder if it will be too cold for that backless number? Oh well, I'll take the chance. If it is, those army coats are good wind breakers and the Aggies are so gentlemanly! Don't they stand up during the game?"

"How many Aggies did you say were down there? 6000? Heavenly days! Enough to go around a dozen times and they even have you a place to stay.

"Oh yes, the last time I was down there, I got quite a collection of those cute little rifles. Awards for bravery, or something.

"Don't be silly, dearie. The Mess Hall is where they eat. What did you say? What time does the game start? Oh yes, there is going to be a football game, isn't there."



COEDS GIVE "THE TOAD" A NEW PURPLE DRESS of paint to wear around the campus and to football games. Painting the '29 "jalopy" are: on the fender, Miss Beverly Thaxton; atop the car, Miss Jo Marie Hutchison; at the back at work on the top, Miss Carole June Tillman; and on the bumper, Miss Edieen Armstrong. Others at work are from left to right, Misses Mary Allene Ingram, Eminie Johnson and Jean Walker.

Back to Swing and Bach—
Puns, Music and Don, Jr., Fill Director Gillis' Busy Days

Music is his life, happiness his goal. He is serious and deliberate in his work, but off-stage he is just one of the boys, joking, making puns and beaming with unused energy. He is a big brother and a father—big brother to every member of his band and a father of Donald Eugene, Jr.

Yes, that is Mr. D. G., "Chief" or just plain "Don," director of one of the outstanding swing bands in the collegiate world. Yes, it is also Prof. Don Gillis, graduate of T. C. U., student of music at several large universities, member of the faculty of the music department of T. C. U., member of a radio staff band and member of the Fort Worth Symphony Orchestra.

Yes, all of that is Don Gillis, one of the busiest men on the faculty. When he is not rehearsing the band he is rehearsing in a band; when he is not teaching others to compose and arrange music he is composing and arranging his own music. When he is not busy talking with the boys around the Band House he is at home making recordings of the cries and gurgles of his only son.

One might think, upon slight acquaintance, that Don is the slow and easy type. His rotund figure, his sometimes dreamy eyes are a total misgiving to his character. Those who know him, those who have heard his work in the past few years and the

work he is doing now, will verify this fact.

He has taught the members of the band to play swing music. He has taught them to play symphonies. On the present radio series that the band presents he leads the band in a Bach choral one minute and a "jive and jam" number the next.

Because of the bands' ability to vary its repertoire it has gained wide recognition, not only through the radio programs but also from the appearances the band has made in its travels. Since Don took over the band in 1935 the organization has appeared in California three times, in New York City, Columbus, Philadelphia and in New Orleans twice. Don has directed the band in concerts in most of the sections of this state.

His arrangements and compositions have received recognition from many sources and his favorite composition, the "Panhandle Suite," has been acclaimed by many music critics.

Don doesn't have any definite plans for the future except to continue the use of his musical knowledge by composing and arranging and preparing the Horned Frog Band for its annual series of spring concerts.

Campbell's Song On "Varieties"

Inspired by music from the motion picture "Strike Up the Band," George Campbell has written a number entitled "Memories of 'Strike Up the Band,'" which will be featured in next Sunday's Musical Varieties Show at the Municipal Auditorium.

Also featured on the program will be Miss Evelyn Woodley and John Hayes, who will sing "Our Love Affair" and "Strike Up the Band." Parts of "Panhandle Suite," written by Don Gillis will also be played.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Curry from Stamford, Conn., and Miss Lettie McAlpin of Gulfport, Miss., and her sister, Mrs. Kate McAlpin Crady, writer of negro verse, visited Mrs. Henry Bowden, house mother at Gibson House, last week-end.

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Miss Eugenia Ezell of Paris spent Monday with Miss Mary Alice Ayers.

Jess Moore, B. A. '40, visited on the campus Sunday and Monday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Gus Ramage of Waxahachie visited their daughter, Margaret, over the week-end.

Mrs. H. E. Dennis and son, Charles, of Mineral Wells, spent last Friday with Miss Forrest Dennis.

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Library Gets New Door—
Faculty Woman's Club Gives Iron Grill to Southwest Room

Sunrise and cacti, symbols of the west, are now preserved in iron grill, as a door for the Southwest Room in Mary Coats Burnett Library.

The T. C. U. Faculty Woman's Club made the presentation. This is one of a series of gifts to the Library by the club. At the opening of the Library Feb. 7, 1925, the club donated the stained glass window with the T. C. U. emblem in the center, seen as one enters the building.

Collection of Southwestern literature was begun in 1936 under the impetus of the Texas centennial and the introduction of the course, "The Literature of the Southwest." When the collection was moved to its present location in 1939, the club placed an iron grill over the window.

One of the projects connected with the Southwest Room has been the cataloging of the Texas library of the Woman's Club, completed by Miss Frances Coldwell and Miss Nell Van Zandt during the summer.

The Library now includes in its catalog on colored cards the books that are in the Woman's Club library

and are thus available to T. C. U. students.

A number of books have been added to the Southwest collection recently. One author is a T. C. U. graduate, Miss Siddle Jo Johnson, whose newest book is "Debby."

Mrs. Helen Mayes, another T. C. U. graduate, presented the Library with several new books. Among those for the Southwest Room are "Mr. House of Texas," by Arthur D. Howden Smith; "Captain Lee Hall of Texas," by Dora Neill Raymond; and "Dark Lightning," by Helen Topping Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Hopkins of San Angelo, son and daughter-in-law, and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cadenhead of Dallas, daughter and son-in-law, spent last Sunday with Mrs. A. S. Hopkins, house mother at Reed House.

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STARTING SENIOR LINEMEN who get their last shot at the Aggies tomorrow are, reading from left to right, Connie Sparks, right end, Captain Lefty Alexander, center, and Bobby Sherrod, right guard. These boys are "gunning" for Big John Kimbrough, and from the looks on their faces, the Farmer powerhouse should have trouble gaining over them all afternoon. Alexander, at 195 pounds, is the lightest of the trio.

### Sophs, Seniors Grid Winners

Intramural Squads Down Frosh, Juniors, Respectively, By 45-13 and 38-18 Counts.

The Sophomores won their first college intramural football game Wednesday when they trounced the humble Frosh 45 to 13 and the Seniors kept their undefeated record by bumping off the Juniors 38 to 18.

The second-year men turned on the heat and Raley Dunn earned the title of high-point man for the Sophs by making two gallops into pay dirt. Blair Kirkpatrick was next in line, with one counter and two extra points, while Seltzer, Gifford, Padon and Baughman made one tally each and Thompson one extra point.

Perry and Wilson made the goal line treks for the Frosh and Huffman made the lone conversion. The Seniors hustled and power-housed their way to victory over a valiant but inferior group of Juniors. Hoyle led the scoring for the Seniors with two touches and one extra point. Groselove followed with one tally and a conversion with Billingsley, Sorrels and Lacy scoring one counter each.

Allen, Revercomb and Mooring made the three tallies for the Juniors, and Dyess played a good defensive game.

Cowart, Dallas vet, who has seen little service in the first three games, Rusty only played two minutes against North Carolina, but during that time he piloted the struggling Frogs 80 yards to their second score. Cowart did this almost single handed with his accurate passes and darting runs. The rest of the backfield will start at Charles Conway at right half, Nolan Sparks at left half and Frank Kring at full.

In the lineup for the first time in two weeks will be Bill Crawford, big first-string guard, who has been out with bruised ribs. Bobby Sherrod, who turned in a fine game at North Carolina, will be at the other guard, Darrell Palmer and Woodrow Adams will start at tackles and Phil Roach and Connie Sparks will open at the ends.

Coach Meyer is well pleased with the boys' attitude over the loss last Saturday. "They know that they lost that game before they went on the field," says Dutch. "And they are determined not to let a thing like that happen again. The game last Saturday put the finishing touch on our mental attitude for the A. & M. game."

### Cage Prospects Brighter As Fall Practice Starts

Poor Half Proves Costly to Meyermen

By JACK BILLINGSLEY

The T. C. U. Frogs journeyed to North Carolina last Saturday and played themselves half a football game. Now against some teams, one-half of a Frog ball game might be sufficient to win, but against Bear Wolf's Tar Heels it just wasn't enough and the Purple came back on the short end of a 21-to-14 score. It was the first defeat for the Frogs of the season and a little hard to swallow, but the fact remains that, for that day at least, the better team won.

The Tar Heels stepped out from the opening whistle and kept the Purple boys rocked back on their collective heels. The Frog safety men had trouble fielding North Carolina punts all afternoon and this put T. C. U. in a hole time and again. After the half the Frogs came back with a roar that almost wiped out the 21-point lead that the Heels had built up in that second period, but time played out before Rusty Cowart could chunk enough passes.

A different Frog team took the field for the second half. The lineup was made up of the same boys, but they were determined to wipe out that humiliating lead. They put on a sustained drive that carried 80 yards in four minutes. Big Frank Kring was responsible for most of these yards with his wonderful plunging, but Dean Bagley, Nolan Sparks and Charlie Conway added their bit. Bagley darted over from the two-yard line. Phil Roach added the extra point to keep the Frogs in the ball game.

It was not until the final two minutes of the game that the Purple could get close to pay dirt again. Then, with the ball on the Frog 20, Rusty Cowart entered the game for T. C. U. and piloted them to a quick

Next Tuesday night Coach Mike Brumbelow will throw aside his football shoes for awhile and don basketball togs to get his 1940-41 cagers off to a flying start. The Frogs, who won only one conference game last winter, are determined to climb out of the cellar this year and will spare no hard work or effort to do so.

Reporting to Brumbelow next Tuesday will be seven lettermen, two squadmen and one junior college transfer. The letter winners are Jack Billingsley, Buddy Barron, Robert Groselove, L. A. Monroe, Dennis Tankersley, Guy Holt and Leonard Cannaday. Ralph Tankersley and Floppy Blackston are the returning squadmen, and Al Wagler, a transfer from Hutchinson, Kan., Junior College, will round out the roster. One other, Marcell Harrison, will report as soon as football season is over.

The Frogs will engage two West Texas college quintets before the Christmas holidays. Their opening contest will be against the Howard Payne Yellow Jackets in Brownwood Dec. 7. Then on Dec. 13-14 the Purple basketballers tangle with the Red Raiders from Texas Tech in Lubbock. On Dec. 18 the Yellow Jackets come to Fort Worth for the first home contest for the Frogs.

During the Christmas holidays, the cagers will again compete in the all-college basketball tournament in Oklahoma City. Last year the Frogs won the consolation championship of this tourney. The first conference encounter will come Jan. 8 against the Baylor Bears on the Frogs' home court.

touchdown in some eight plays. The little man from Dallas completed six consecutive passes during the march and only called a running play once and then carried the mail himself, picking up 20 yards. After a penalty had nullified one touchdown pass, Cowart fired another to Gus Bierman in the end zone.

# Frogs Ready For 'Big Jawn'

Smash A. & M. **SPORTS SHOTS** Crush Aggies

by JACK BILLINGSLEY

Tomorrow, Oct. 19, has been the red letter day on most of the Frog's calendar since early in August. While the coaches and boys have been playing every game as they came on the schedule, they always had one eye peeled on that one line in the schedule that read "Oct. 19 Texas A. & M." Several boys will be getting their last crack at the Cadets tomorrow afternoon. Capt. Clarence Alexander, Bobby Sherrod, Connie Sparks, Logan Ware, Paul Smith and others will be trying for their second win over the Farmers. Most of them were reserves in 1938 when the Frogs belted the tar out of the Aggies 34 to 6. On the other hand, lots of the A. & M. players will be up against the Frogs for the third time and they will be gunning for that rubber game.

If Coach Dutch Meyer had called off scrimmage just five minutes earlier Wednesday afternoon against the Freshmen, the Frogs would stand a better chance against the Aggies tomorrow. For in those final few minutes Billy Blackstone, No. 2 center, went into a pileup and emerged with a broken right leg that will keep him out of action for the remainder of the season. This is a terrible blow to the Purple as Lefty Alexander is now the only pivotman on the squad who has had any game experience at all. Tall Dave Wafford, converted end, will step up into Blackstone's shoes and give Alexander what relief the captain needs. Blackstone's injury will also hurt the basketball prospects this winter, as "Jug" was counted on to play a lot at guard for the Purple cagers.

Speaking of basketball, the Frogs may not have the best team in the Southwest Conference this winter, but they will certainly be one of the best dressed outfits in the circuit. Coach Mike Brumbelow had all of his cage candidates measured for brand new suits last Tuesday night. Coach Brumbelow is getting his charges off to an early start this season too. Official practice begins Tuesday night and will continue without halt right up until the first game with Howard Payne in Brownwood Dec. 7.

From all accounts, it seems that Rusty Cowart had a "hot" day in North Carolina last Saturday. The little Dallas veteran, who hasn't seen much service thus far this season only played the last few minutes of the Tar Heel game, but showed enough hustle and drive to cause Coach Meyer to name him the starting signal caller against the Terrible Aggies. Rusty personally pushed the Frogs 80 yards to their final score in the clos-

### 'Rusty' Cowart To Lead Purple Against A. & M.

By JACK BILLINGSLEY  
Out in front of Clark Hall hangs a dummy. A large sign is attached that reads "Big Jawn Rides No More—Beat A. & M." Tomorrow afternoon the Horned Frogs will attempt to do just that when they tie into the high flying Aggies on Kyle Field.

Both teams will have much to average. The Frogs will be trying to rub out the 20-to-6 drubbing the Farmers hung on them last



Ernie Pannell

son is the real reason why the Aggie attack rolls for those amazing gains. Marion Pugh, from Fort Worth, quarterback the Aggies and does most of the passing. Derrace Moser completes the starting backfield and he is probably the shiftest runner of the quartet. Bill Conatser, Marlin Jeffery and Willie Zapalac each break into the lineup from time to time.

Up in the line at nearly every position are stars. Big Ernie Pannell, at left tackle, is being watched by selectors as a potential successor to the Aggie Joe Boyd who made all-American last year. Marshall Robnett at right guard and Tommy Vaughn at center form one of the strongest mid sections in the conference.

About the same lineup will start the important contest for the Frogs that has started the other three games. However, at the helm will be "Rusty"



John Kimbrough

year. The Aggies are still smarting under that smashing 34-to-6 drubbing that the '38 Frogs belted them with the last time the two met on Kyle Field.

Of course the Aggies are the favorites. Led by all-American John Kimbrough and half a dozen other potential all-Americans, the Farmers have swept aside Texas A.&I., Tulsa and U. C. L. A. in that order. The Frogs lost a lot of prestige last week when they went down before an inspired North Carolina team that for at least one quarter was as hot as any squad in the country.

Kimbrough alone would give the Farmers a potent offense, but with the aid he receives from his other backfield mates, he gives the Maroon and White as bruising an attack as has been seen in this conference in some time. Next in line after Jarrin' Jawn comes that move-em-out blocker and line backer, Jim Thomason. Many authorities say that Thom-

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# Coeds and Eds to Trip Down South to Aggeland

By BETTYE WILLIAMS  
"Eyes south," boys and girls. That's getting military, isn't it? Which is in keeping with the spirit this week-end as the coeds of T. C. U., and even some of the eds, will drag themselves out of bed to make the train at 7 o'clock. After all, that's only one hour earlier than an 8 o'clock class. And a lot more exciting, if it's not intellectual. So this week's shoutin' is "Beat the Aggies" (hey, hey).

Dancing dates will have to wait until next week, as D. M. Johnston has decreed no dance by official communique. Next week there will be a recording dance, though, so save up 'till then.

THE MOST IMPORTANT QUALITY for a business girl today, or any other girl for that matter, has been described by Neil Giles, in a new manual for them, called "Susan Be Smooth." Smoothness is what every girl should have, glamour being on the wane. As it is described, "Smoothness is nothing more than good grooming, pure and simple."

While this sounds simple at first, it gets more and more confusing as you go along. For example, a girl must always smell sweet but not too sweet. This is so when she comes to meet her date, he won't greet her with that flattering statement, "You stink."

Another puzzling thing about this formula is that a girl these days doesn't necessarily have to be pretty, but at the same time she can't be ugly. How to accomplish the feat of being beautiful? Well, it's supposed to be simple. The art of makeup is the answer. Rouge to disguise this fault, powder for the other, lipstick pencils, brushes, eyebrow ditto and so on for about an hour's routine every day. Now this may work, but what comes of the idea that a college girl should use very little makeup? Write in, if you know the answer, and you will receive a lollipop.

SOME OF THESE CAMPUS CARS have the cutest names. There is supposed to be one at the University of Texas which the owner has named Castoria. (Because all the babes cry for it.)

What's new department: Girls, if you don't like the smell of gasoline, try the perfumed lighter fluid which has a delicate smell. If you find it is your boy friend's lighter which disgusts you, buy him some for Christmas. But making him use it would be another problem.

For a really snazzy idea, girls, try the new lipstick which has the flavor of mint. It's pretty too.

## 2 W.S.A. Representatives To Attend Convention

Plans are being made by Miss Margaret Kunds, president, and Mrs. Helen Murphy, sponsor of the Women's Sports Association, to attend the annual state W. S. A. convention in Austin Oct. 31 through Nov. 2. Girls representing colleges throughout Texas will participate in this yearly event, which will be held on the University of Texas campus.

Members of the W. S. A. had a picnic supper in Forest Park last night preceding the pep rally.

Announcement has been made concerning the change of the golf meeting time, from 1 p. m. to 1:30 p. m. The golf group is under the leadership of Miss Margaret Head.

## Parabola Club Holds Wiener Roast

Parabola Club members had a wiener roast at Forest Park last night. Those attending met at the Administration Building at 6:30 p. m.

## Dramatic Club Holds Annual Try-Outs

Eighteen aspiring Barrymores and Bernhardtts made their appearance before the Dramatic Club Tuesday night in the annual try-outs held to determine membership in the club.

The board of directors were the judges and consisted of Miss Winta Beth Crawford, Miss Earline Beck, Miss Jane Manning, John Frank Lucas and Harry Jennings. The winners selected by them will be notified within two weeks by a written invitation to the initiation and reception for new members.

The reception is to be at 8 p. m. Oct. 29, in Jarvis Hall. It will be formal.

Those eligible for membership and taking part in the try-outs Tuesday night are: Misses Mary Lou Farmer, Clara Mae Rankin, Marjorie Chumley, Wanda Robbins, Dorothy Howze, Lillie Mae Richter, Jean Vogel, Margaret Thomason, Ceralyne Schmidt, Evelyn Olds, Mary Elizabeth Crosno, Peggy Snavely, Billie Marie Warren and Ruth Woodson, and David O'Keefe, Joe Crosby, Bobby Newkirk and Pat Steel.

The club has changed its meeting time to the second and fourth Monday of each month.

## Sophomores to Have Picnic and Dance

The sophomore class will have a picnic and dance Wednesday evening. Blair Kirkpatrick, president, announced the picnic will be at Mosque Point and the dance afterward in the Gymnasium.

The committee in charge of arrangements is composed of Misses Janis Warren, Lucille Pawelek and Lois Jeanne Cayce, and Lambuth Tomlinson and Paul Lander. Tickets are on sale for 25 cents.

## Pre-Library Group Plans Fall Visits

The Pre-Library Club will convene for the first regular meeting at the Library at 2 p. m. Tuesday. Plans are being made to visit certain libraries in this region. Tentative plans are under way to visit newspaper libraries and other places of interest.

## Miss Elaine Maxwell Weds Mr. Sherman

Miss Elaine Maxwell, sophomore, was recently married to Verner Sherman, a T. W. C. student, in Weatherford.

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## Mrs. Bowden, Hostess, Gives Tea for Girls

A tea was given by Mrs. Henry Bowden, hostess of Gibson House, for her girls Wednesday afternoon.

Those attending were Misses Margaret Ramage, Clara May Jones, Harriett Runge, Ruth McKissick, Dorothy Hearld, Jean Lightfoot, Catherine Childress and Maratha Singer.

## Brushes Club to Plan Activities Tuesday

Plans for this year's activities will be discussed by members of the Brush Club at a business meeting.

Miss Mary Green has been appointed chairman of the social committee and Miss Frances Mitchell, Miss Betty O'Fiel and P. C. Caldwell were named as her assistants.

## Los Hidalgos Initiates 29 New Members

Los Hidalgos held initiation services last night for 29 new members in Brite Club Room. Officers of the club were in charge.

## Miss Porterfield Bride of Clayton Willis

Miss Frances Porterfield, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Porterfield, became the bride of Clayton Willis of Beaumont last Saturday in a ceremony performed in the parsonage of the First Christian Church of Arlington by the Rev. Noel Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis left immediately for Beaumont, where he is principal of a junior high school.

Mrs. Willis took her B. S. degree from T. C. U. in 1939 and did a year of graduate study here. Mr. Willis is a graduate of Sam Houston State Teachers' College.

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## HAPPENINGS ON THE HILL

By MILDRED SMITH

Hey, kids. Come close. Some big news has just popped. To all those interested, DOROTHY FINLAYSON and JOHNNY ESTILL will take those vows on Christmas Eve. This comes straight from a guy who knows another guy who is well acquainted with a gal who knows DOTS' aunt. Pretty good, don't you think?

DANDY HOLTE is all ready and dying to get to A. and M. tomorrow. She wants to know some girl who is staying for the Aggeland dance. VERNIE BARBER is worried about what to do with his portable radio during the game. And it looks as if DOTTIE STUBBS will have use for it, since she has been in bed with the flu. CHARLIE PRIOR is taking castor oil for a bad cold, too. Looks bad, cause CHARLIE spent the week-end in Palestine.

An old romance which is going stronger than ever, is causing the cheeks of GINNY CLARK to bud out. Ever notice her when RUSTY COWART beckons?

Speaking of old romances, MARVIN COLEMAN has just broken off one with the girl in Timpon. He went to see ex-students BECKY TAYLOR and FOOFS WHITE this last week-end in Timpon and Shreveport, respectively.

JIMMY ROBERTS and BETTY BOYD are still going strong as a hold-over from last year. Their duets on the sweet potato pipes will put the juke boxes out of business soon. JOE TAYLOR and LOU RANDLE are usually along to keep them company.

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This picture of Chesterfield buyers inspecting tobacco crops in the field before auction time is one of many interesting scenes in the new book "TOBACCO-LAND, U.S.A." This fascinating story of how Chesterfields are made, from seed to cigarette, is yours for the asking. Mail your request to Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company, 630 Fifth Avenue, New York, N. Y.

