

# Crowds Of Exes Will Swarm Campus

## Assosiation Council To Hold Second Annual Meet, Oct. 29

Texas Tech's Alumni and Ex-Students' Association Council will hold its second annual meeting Friday, October 29, at 4 p.m. in the Aggie auditorium. The meeting will be continued at a breakfast Saturday at 8 a.m. on the mezzanine of the Hilton hotel. The council will elect officers of the association for the coming year and transact all business.

Begun only last year as a provision of the Constitution adopted at the Homecoming of '46, the Council consists of one representative of each local club or chapter; one member from each Texas Senatorial district, officers of Tech's senior class, president of the college junior class, and the past presidents of the association. It is set up with the purpose of giving each chapter of the association an opportunity to voice its opinions and make its wishes known through a representative.

### REPRESENTATIVES LISTED

Recently elected representatives from the senatorial districts include Lawrence Coyne, Charles Fugitt, David Powell, Mrs. Lesley Bullock Kinsel, Dr. Joseph R. Griggs, Mrs. L. S. Keen, Ed Irons, Bill Holcomb, Lester Tribble, Jack Horton, O. R. (Chick) McElroy, Lawrence Shipman, Scott Poage, W. F. Bursey, Floyd Wooldridge, Miss Beatrice Elliott, Roy Armstrong, John Hallmark, Ernest Gloyna, Conally Neal, Ross Watson, Dr. John Mast, Hart Shoemaker, Raymond Pflueger, O. T. Lodal, Duane Orr, Wayne Sellers, E. A. McCullough, Dr. Joe Webb, and Ralph Blodgett.

Local club representatives are W. A. Bratton, Fort Worth; Bob Clements, El Paso; Geraldine Simmons, Midland; Lawrence Shipman, Cleburne; Thomas Hickey, Hillsboro; Atmar Atkinson, Houston; Paul White, Dallas; Ernest Gloyna, Austin; Woody Holt, San Angelo; Ben Cowling, Lubbock; O. T. Lodal, San Antonio, and A. C. Bishop, Sweetwater.

### PAST PRESIDENTS

Past presidents are Ned Camp, '27; E. M. Barnett, '28; C. W. Ratliff, '29; Etheridge Eagan, '30; J. W. Jackson, '31; W. E. Street, '32; John E. Speer, '33; Mart Pederson, '34; J. Doyle Settle, '35; Holmes Webb, '36; Jason Gordon, '37; Fred Fairley, '38; Marshall Formby, '39; Raymond Lee John, '40; Lloyd Croslin, '41; Royal Ferguson, '42; Elmer Tarbox, '46.

Jack Noyes, is vice-president of Tech's senior class and Curtis Sterling is president of the junior class. Student elections to select the two other student officers, that of senior class president and secretary, who are members of the council, were in a run-off when the paper went to press. Those in the run-off were: for president, Donnel Clarke of Cross Plains and Francis Brocman of Carlsbad, N. M.; for secretary, Nell Bailey of Estelline and Doris Smalley of Claude.

Charles E. Martin, who received his degree in chemical engineering in February of '48, is an engineer for General Electric company in Pittsburgh, Mass.

## Clubs Will Have Colorful Floats

Last year's Homecoming parade with its multi-colored floats is said to have surpassed all others. But this year's will better even that according to W. O. (Dub) Boswell, in charge of the parade.

Beginning at 10 a.m., October 30, the parade will feature floats entered by campus social clubs, societies, and organizations honoring their exes. Leading the parade will be Tech's Matador band, considered one of the best marching bands in the nation and this territory.

Floats will be considered in three separate categories, that of beautiful, descriptive, and 'comic. The category educational was changed to descriptive after the confusion it caused contestants last year, as well as judges. Engraved plaques are presented by the Alumni and Ex-Students' association on behalf of Thomas Jewellers of Lubbock, through whose courtesy they were obtained. Such awards will then become the permanent property of the organizations winning them.

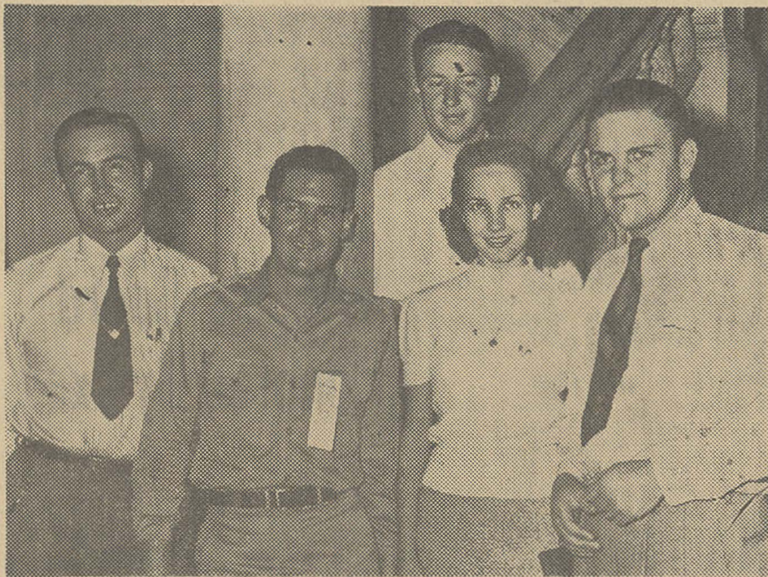
Judges of floats will be appointed by the Student council Homecoming committee, who will judge floats on their originality, use of selected theme, and over-all appearance.

Winning floats last year were that of the Socii fraternity in the beautiful division, the Signal Club of the ROTC in the comic division and the Los Camaradas in the educational division. Socii presented a float all in blue and white, topped by six campus beauties around an open gate, depicting the open gate to the college, with a large "Welcome, exes." The Signal Club presented a float entitled "Veterans of Future Wars" which was a take-off on the mountain boys, and the float of Los Cams presented a student dressed in coat and tails standing by an oil derrick pitching pennies to a student dressed in overalls and hoeing cotton. Needless to say the two figures represented the poor distribution of State college building appropriations.

## Sey Abbey-Is You Sam Of The Class Of '38

Are you thinking of coming to Homecoming and of seeing Mary, the belle of a certain club's Christmas dance, or Mabel, the champion coke drinker, or John, the cigar chain-smoker who always buried his nose in the coffee cup, come exam time or Suzy who always bid three spades and made a grand slam? If not, then perhaps someone remembers you as the campus beauty or Club Scarlett's Most Handsome Man, so be sure to grab a bright red identification tag.

These tags will be in the shape



Pictured above is the Student Council Homecoming committee. Front row left to right: Ed McElroy, chairman; James Rider, Mary Hartgraves, and W. O. (Dub) Boswell. Back: Lloyd Greenwood. (Photo by C. E. Wendt, Jr.).

## Program For Homecoming

Homecoming's scheduled program has been prepared by the Homecoming committee appointed by Clint Formby, student council president. This committee is pictured above.

### Friday, October 29

7:30 p.m.—Pep rally and bon fire with Tech cheer leaders Andy Willingham and Glena Winston in charge.

### Saturday, October 30

8:30 a.m.—Registration of exes and alums will begin. Booths for this purpose will be placed in the divisional buildings, home economics, aggie, engineering and ad, in the Rec hall, and the lobbies of the Hilton and Lubbock hotels.

10:00—The annual Homecoming Parade with floats galore.

12:00—Buffet luncheon in the gym.

2:30—Tech Raiders tussel the Rice Owls in Jones Stadium.

6:00-9:00—Organizations on the campus will honor their exes with teas, suppers, smokers and what-not. Open house will be held in the Rec hall for those not attending these functions.

9:00—Music for the Homecoming Dance will ring out in Tech gym with Burl Hubbard and his men playing.

## October 23 Designated Tech Day At Annual Dallas State-Wide Fair

One week before Homecoming, October 23, has been designated Texas Tech Day at the 1948 State Fair in Dallas, Guy Carter, president of the Alumni and Ex-Students' association, has announced.

A reunion of all Tech exes and alums is planned at the Fair for that day according to Paul White, president of the Dallas chapter. Special exhibit space for a display by the college has been allocated at the Fair.

Texas Tech alums and exes will have a booth in the agricultural building open all the last week of the fair, said D. M. McElroy, executive secretary. Pamphlets and other literature on the college will be distributed from this booth and from the educational building, he said.

## Football Tussle Expected To See Record Crowd

With last year's attendance of over 5,000 exes breaking all Homecoming records, an equal number if not more, is expected to trample campus sands again come October 30, Homecoming Day. At 2:30 p.m., which is tussle time for the Tech Raiders and Rice Owls, an

General admission tickets to the Rice-Tech game will be placed on sale October 30 to former students only until they have had an opportunity to secure all they want, announced Morley Jennings, athletic director.

Lubbock exes with reservations for the game must pick them up by October 23. After that date all tickets not picked up will be placed on sale to other exes. Reservations of out-of-town exes must be picked up by 10 a.m. Homecoming Day. All reservations not picked up or cancelled will go on sale to exes not having reserved seats after 10 a.m. October 30.

even greater crowd is expected to attend the game as last year's Homecoming was scheduled during Thanksgiving holidays when many students were off the campus. Sections D and E in Jones Stadium which have been set aside for exes at the game, have already been filled, according to Morley Jennings, athletic director. When the paper went to press, Jennings said some 200 to 250 reserved seats were still available for the game with the possibility that 1,000 to 1,200 people could be taken care of in the end zone. Sections D and E alone, represent some 3200 seats he said.

Homecoming activities will begin officially with the customary pep See CROWDS OF EXES Page 3

## Lubbock Bus Co. Again Host For Buffet Luncheon

Lubbock Bus company and Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma Coaches will again be hosts for the annual buffet luncheon Homecoming day at 12 noon in the gym.

Plans of the Student Council Homecoming committee are to have students stationed in the gym to direct exes as to what line represents what, so that no time will be wasted in a coke line when one wants coffee.

Officers of the Alumni and Ex-Students' association for the coming year will be announced and introduced at the luncheon by Guy Carter, retiring president. These officers, already nominated, will be elected by the Alumni council at a previous meeting.

Planners of the luncheon promise good food and plenty of it, said D. M. McElroy, executive secretary of the association.



## Knot-Tier's. . .

(The following recent weddings have come to our attention and in order to publish all of them, our comment on each must be brief. The Names of exes and alumni appear in CAPITAL letters.)

1941

LEWIS E. NANCE to Mrs. Allegra Warner. They are living in Post where Nance is employed as coordinator for the Garza county GI Vocational Agriculture school. He was an AH major.

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BERNICE GORDON to Maj. Walter F. Cook, III. They are at home in Washington, D. C.

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FRANK MITCHELL to Emil Harnes Stone. Their home is in Arlington, Va.

VENITA DAGLEY to TOM J. GARDNER, Jr. The Gardners are living in Seagraves where he is in the auto supply sales business.

DOUGLAS H. STEPHENSON to Rita Hood. Their address is 701 James street, Sweetwater. Stephenson is employed by Stanolind Oil and Gas company.

1945

BETTY LOU FRAZIER to Melvin Brookshire. She is teaching in the Tahoka school system and he is farming.

DENISE CUMMINGS to L. B. Lowry. They are living in Abilene. Denise has been teaching home economics in Lubbock High school the past year.

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KATHRYN VERNER to Billy Earl Smith. A home ec ex, she is home service advisor for Gulf States Utilities company in Beaumont.

LLOYD PERCELL to Lawanna Sparks. Their home is in Vernon where Percell is in the grocery business on West Wilbarger.

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JOHN McLARTY to SARA DEANE DAVIS of the class of '51. They are residing in Lubbock.

SUSIE BLACKWELL to Donald O. Conklin. They are living in Lubbock.

ELSIE BYNUM to James W. Jones. The couple will be at home in Lubbock until Jones finishes Tech this spring.

EVVA JEAN ENLOW to John W. Ratliff. They are in Denver, Colo.

MARGARET MAE MORRIS to James Jones. Temporarily their address is Henrietta.

MARY ELLEN WILLIAMS to James Garland Walker. Nothing was received concerning their address.

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BETTY JUNE STINE to Jack Thompson. They are living at 1910 25 street in Lubbock where Thompson is a senior business ad in Tech.

L. D. BALLARD to ATHALENE ALLEN of the class of '51. Their home address is 301 East Third in Plainview.

CHARLENE PINKSTON to Ell McComb, a Tech student. Their address is 1004 Ave. X, Lubbock.

Another June grad marrying a student is MARGARET ANN BRUCE, who is now Mrs. Tom Robin. They are living at 3815 20th street and Robin is a senior engineer.

Mrs. Bernie W. Lawson, Jr., the former VIRGINIA MARTHA BLACKBURN, is also married to a student.

MARGARET MARIE HEDRICK to C. A. Daugherty. They are farming at Fluvanna.

CARL GOODIN to Martha Marie Smith. Their address is unknown.

JAMES R. CALLAHAN to SUE SLOAN of the class of '49. Their address is 2014 17th street in Lubbock. Callahan is a former Red Raider.

MARY RUTH McCLELLAN to Bill Mac Keith. They are living in Lubbock where she is employed in the office of the dean of home economics on the campus and he is a senior business ad student.

MARY LOU SPENCE to Joseph Nerlinger. Their home is in Chicago where Nerlinger is studying commercial art. Also living in Chicago are Mr. and Mrs. EARL HILDRETH. He is studying for the

dentistry and she is the former GENE LEWIS MALONE who received her degree in chemistry in August.

KING A. BARRIER to CAROLYN BALDWIN of the class of '50. They are living in Lubbock.

D. ORVAL STRONG to BETTY STEPHENS of the class of '49. Their address is 3040 Yale boulevard in Dallas where Strong is studying for the ministry in SMU's Perkins School of Theology.

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JANE ROBIN LAWSON to Frank Gormley Holman. They are at home in Wichita Falls.

HAZEL LEWELLYN to T. W. Mackey. Their home is in Lubbock where both are employed by the telephone company.

BUDDY KEETON HUGHES to Dana Lou Harrison. Their home is in Lubbock.

WILLIARD PEACOCK to Laura Beth Hall, who is completing her senior year in Tech. He is working for Interstate Securities of Texas.

MARJORIE WILLIAMS to Leonard Donald Brooks. They are living in Austin where he is attending law school.

MARY ELLEN WILLIAMS to James Garland Walker.

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DIXIE McMULLEN to Donald K. Hogen. She is employed with the Veterans administration in Lubbock and he is a Tech senior.

DOROTHY NELL MINTER to CHARLES YATES. They are living at White Deer.

ELIZABETH KNOWLES to JAMES FERGUSON. Their address is 1515 23rd Street, Lubbock.

THOMAS WILLIAM KELLEY to Beverly Tolar. He is working for Southwest Wheel company, Dallas.

BONNIE JEAN GEORGE to R. B. GIST, jr. Their home is Happy.

KATHRYN PARRISH to BRYAN C. MILLER, jr. They are residents of Houston.

CHARLENE JOLLY to Leonard Leon Grissom, who is a student. Their address is 2118 7th street, Lubbock.

JUNE WOOD to Billy Price. They are residents of Smyer.

CHARLOTTE MARIE STARR to Henry Duly Butler. They are living in Lubbock where Butler is a senior in Tech.

### EXES ON CAMPUS

Among Ex-Techsans working on the college campus are Alice Bell, in the veterans' office Doris Lake, who has charge of the International Business Machines office, and Wayland Bennett, who is teaching in the aggie division. Miss Bell is an alum of '45 and both Miss Lake and Bennett are '48 graduates.

Tom O. Davenport, EE graduate in '43, is now working with the Ebasco Services, a subsidiary of Electric Bond and Share company in Long Island City, New York. He was married in June to Haydee Ruiz of New York City. Davenport was formerly employed at Oakridge, Tenn. with atomic research.

## Three Towns Bid For Giving Lead In Loyalty Fund

"In this the seventh month since the launching of the Loyalty Fund in March, despite the lagging in most areas, three communities which are setting the records to the end and one which we hope others will equal, are Spearman, Perryton, and Pampa," announced D. M. McElroy, executive secretary of the Alumni and Ex-Students' association.

Leading the field is Spearman, in which a flat 50 percent of Tech exes have contributed. Second is Perryton with 40 percent and third is Pampa with 33 percent. The third series of the fund was mailed out at the end of last month. With the first series going out in March, the second was mailed out the last of May.

## Wiggins, Board Honored By Exes

San Antonio exes honored Dr. D. M. Wiggins, Tech president, and the college Board of Directors, at a luncheon in the Cascade Terrace of the St. Anthony hotel, San Antonio, during their regular reunion at the Tech-A&M game.

Hope of becoming better acquainted with exes was expressed by Wiggins, who spoke briefly at the luncheon. Guests included W. T. Gaston, business manager of the college and secretary of the board; Morley Jennings, athletic director; Dell Morgan, head coach; and the following members of the board: Charles C. Thompson, chairman; Colorado City; Mark McGee, Fort Worth; Chanslor E. Weymouth, Amarillo; Charles W. Wooldrige, Dallas; Leon Ince, Houston, and O. B. Ratliff, Lubbock. Open house for all exes was held in the Victory room of the Gunt-er hotel until time for the Tech-A&M game in Alamo stadium.

Dropping by for a visit in the Alumni and Ex-Student office recently were James H. Wright, '48 ME graduate, who is covering the West Texas-New Mexico territory for an oil company. Also coming in were Alice Meading who is teaching in Slaton and Gerald Stokes, employed by the advertising department of the Avalanche-Journal. Both are '48 graduates in journalism.

Abdul K. Metha, a geology graduate of '42, is now chief geologist of the state of Kalat, Pakistan, India.

Mrs. Peggy Fisher, home economics grad of '47, is now assistant county home demonstration agent for Lubbock county.

## Board Of Directors Selects Inauguration Day; Assistant

## Sweetwater Exes Organize Chapter

Sweetwater exes and alumni joined the chapter rolls of the association when 30 students and graduates of the college met to organize a club last month. A. C. Bishop, manager of the Sweetwater Board of City Development and education graduate of '36, was elected president.

Other officers of the chapter are J. L. Hemby, vice-president; Mrs. Ray Walker, secretary; and Mrs. John Pepper, reporter. The chapter planned a social meeting October 7. D. M. McElroy, executive secretary of the association, spoke at the organization meeting. Organization of the chapter increases the number of city clubs to thirteen. Plans are now underway to organize a club in Lamesa.

## Entering Techsan Is Too Trusting; Blames The Dark

Entering Techsans pull some new boner every year. But few have moved into the wrong dorm.

The current story is that a transfer student arrived Sunday night before registration and made the mistake of asking an upperclassman which of the two men dorms facing the Circle was Sneed hall. It seems he had room 115 in Sneed and he was tired and wanted just to move in and get some sleep.

Being normal, the upperclassman pointed out West hall as being Sneed. The fellow moved in lock, stock and suitcase. The next morning he was rooted out by two fellows who were sure they weren't his roommates and wondered why he couldn't read the signs designating the names of the dorm out front. The poor fellow could only tell them it had been dark.

### ROBERT STONE

Robert L. Stone, who received his BS in agriculture in '38, is employed by the Texas Electric Service company in Fort Worth in their territorial development division. He recently completed a Survey of "Industrial Utilization Potentials of Sorghum Grains" for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and has prepared several other pamphlets pertaining to agriculture.

May was made the date for the official inauguration of Dr. D. M. Wiggins as president of Texas Tech by the college Board of Directors in their recent meeting. Frank Junell, formerly of El Paso, was appointed assistant to the president in the same meeting.

Dr. Wiggins has been serving as college president since the first of last month and Junell took over his duties Oct. 1. This is the third college at which the new assistant has been associated with Wiggins.

In 1935-36 when Wiggins was dean of Hardin-Simmons university, Junell was head of the journalism department, receiving his degree there in '34.

In '36 Wiggins was named president of Texas College of Mines and Junell appointed head of the journalism department there. He was in addition named registrar in 1938 and in '41 joined the Navy.

Since '46 Junell has been associated with the Roderick Broadcasting company at El Paso as well as being director of station relations for the Southwest Network.

He is married to the former Miss Maxine Simmons of Haskell and is the father of two children.

## Cradle Rockers

Among the recent diaper purchasers are the following exes and alums:

Mr. and Mrs. Gene "Pete" Miller have a son born in August. She is the former Patsy Felty, who attended Tech the fall of '47. Their home is in Lubbock where Miller is a photographer.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard S. Wilbanks are the parents of a son, Stephen Ridge, born in June. She is the former Frances Hawn of the class of '49. Wilbanks studied geology in Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Van Dyke have a son, with the customary name, that of E. A., junior, born in June. The Van Dykes live in Kalamazoo, Michigan and she is the former Marjorie Holmes of the class of '45.

Parents of a baby daughter the first of the month were Mr. and Mrs. Dee Bradford. Mrs. Bradford is the former Gypsy Cooper. Bradford is a Tech student.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond L. Moody announced the arrival of a 7-lb. 10-oz. baby boy September 26. The fellow will answer to the name of Michael Ray and the Moodys live in Tulsa, Okla. She is the former La Rue Conner.

### WAYNE HILTONS

Recently returned to Texas are Lt. and Mrs. Wayne A. Hilton who have lived the past sixteen months in Munich, Germany. They are now living at 224 La Salle in San Angelo where Hilton is stationed. Mrs. Hilton is the former Christine Moore.

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# Red Raiders Will Tackle Rice Owls October 30

## No Lack Of Lettermen Is Seen In Basketball, Track, Tennis

By KEITH ANDERSON  
Toreador Sports Editor

A lack of returning veterans should be no handicap to the coming Raider basketball, track and tennis teams, since with the exception of a man or two, all lettermen and squadmen will return.

Coach Polk Robinson will have all lettermen of last year with the exception of Jay Kerr, forward, and Gilbert McAllister, guard. Back at center he will have Don Grove, all-Border conference man last year. Forwards include Eugene Gibson and C. W. Dukes, a converted center, Wayne Bowles and William Banks. Guards will be Ardis Barton, the hard driving guard from Earth. Also slated to see lots of action is Winston Churchill, Robinson said.

The lettermen will be aided by newcomer Durward Patterson, a six-foot six-inch center from Sudan and a squad of men up from the freshman ranks, which include Charles Pinnell, Verdell Turner, George Belcheff, Jack Durham, Ed Wilson and Ike Stuver.

A stiffer schedule than usual will greet them, Coach Robinson said, since the Tech five will meet such teams as SMU, Rice, and Marshall college in regular season play besides the Border conference foes and will also journey to Oklahoma City to take part in an all-college tournament to be held Dec. 27, 28 and 29.

There they will encounter such teams as Texas university, Baylor, SMU, Oklahoma A&M, and Universities of Alabama and Wyoming.

Coach Maxey McKnight will also not lack veterans for his track squad as he will have everyone returning that helped Tech place third in the Border Conference track meet last year. Border conference 100-yard dash champion Charles Reynolds will head the team. Seth Murphey, who placed

in the 220-yard dash, will be back along with Ed Clepper, conference high jump champion and runner-up in the 220-yard low hurdles and 120-yard high hurdles, Ernest Hawkins, conference 880 winner in 1946 will run again with his young brother Ed in the mile and half-mile. Back also will be Bill Kelley, Joe Wilson, Charles Pinnell, Dingy Davis, Stuver, Wilburn Gray and Ed and Ben Wilson.

Jake Broyles will head the returning netters. Broyles has handed out trouble to all opposing tennis players he has met in both the Border conference and Southwest conference. Joe Wheatley and Ed Scudday of this year's team are also expected to return.

### KEMAS REUNION

Over twenty active members and pledges and thirty alumni with their wives and dates attended the twelfth annual Kemas reunion in Fort Worth. The event began with registration at 1 p.m. Saturday, September 4, and ended with a farewell breakfast Monday, September 6. The center of activities was the Blackstone hotel where the group had dinner at 7 p.m. Saturday, followed by dancing at the Casino. Sunday began with a golf tournament at Worth Hills, followed by a men's stag luncheon and alumni business meeting. At 5 p.m. a reception for wives and dates was held in the ball room of the Blackstone. The group danced at the Rocket club that night and closed their reunion the next morning with a breakfast at 10 a.m.

### HUGH ENGLISHES

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh English, who were married during the summer, are living at 2603 21st street, Lubbock. He is employed by O. R. Walker, architect, and she is the former Mary Menon Stangel.

## Bradley Again Is M.C. For Annual Homecoming Jive

Tech's customary Homecoming dance will begin its swinging and swaying at 9 p.m. October 30 in the gym. Ned Bradley, who has served as master of ceremonies for past Homecomings, will again be in command at the microphone.

Furnishing music for the jivers will be Burl Hubbard and his orchestra, which has been playing for Rec hall dances at the college this year. James Rider, senior engineer, is in charge of the dance, and plans a well-decorated gym, he says. Hubbard and his boys plan to furnish music representing the classes of Tech from '25 to '48, by presenting numbers popular on the campus during those years.

## Aug. Grads May Obtain Diplomas

August graduates may now obtain their diplomas from the registrar's office, according to Joe Seay, assistant registrar.

Those who wish to write for their diplomas must also send a note to the dean of their division informing him that they will receive their diploma through the mail, thereby graduating in absentia, next spring. Recipient of diplomas now will not be qualified to wear the traditional cap and gown and take part in the commencement exercises next spring.

Graduates should send fifty cents to the registrar's office to cover the cost of mailing, said Seay.

## Floyd Williams To Study In Okla. U.

Floyd Williams, a Tech graduate of 1940, who has been a faculty member in engineering since 1942, with the exception of military service, is enrolled at the University of Oklahoma this year for graduate study and research.

Williams received the Ethel gasoline corporation fellowship to work on a masters of science degree.

His wife, the former Frances Cleveland, also a former Techsian, and a small daughter, Katrina, 18 months, are in Norman, Okla., with him.

### DR. SETH COX

Dr. Seth Cox, '33 graduate in business administration, is now a dentist with offices in Abilene. He and his family recently moved from Stanford.

### COL. HARPER

Former student Col. Bryan B. Harper was recently appointed to the permanent rank of lieutenant colonel. He is deputy wing commander of the 7th bombardment wing at Carswell Air Force base of Fort Worth. A Pacific war veteran, Harper has the air medal and bronze star.

### J. S. HOPPER

J. S. Hopper, Tech graduate of '33, has been named dean of North Texas Agriculture college in Arlington. Considered an expert on air conditioning and refrigeration, he has been on the staff of Texas A&M since '33. While there he was dean of engineering and professor of mechanical engineering. He is married and has two children.

## Annual Homecoming Tussle Slated As Tough Assignment

## Draft Darkens Darky's Dilemma

During these days of the Civil Rights' minded South, a towering Negro of past six feet wandered into Tech's registrar's office. In a deep drawl he informed the young clerk that he wanted to register.

The poor girl gulped and dashed madly about inquiring "What must I do now?" At the suggestion of another clerk she gave him an application blank and took him in to see W. P. Clement, registrar.

By this time everyone was looking at the Negro and the poor darkey was shaking in his shoes. Clements rapped his pencil on the desk in an effort to secure the right diplomatic gesture. Finally he managed:

"So you want to go to college?" The Darky's eyes widened and he stammered excitedly.

"Oh, no sir. I'm looking for the draft board. I wants to register." The draft board was down the hall.

## Clements Clan All Texas Tech Alums

Mrs. Solon Clements of Lubbock, Texas, has a right to be proud. She is the mother of four Tech graduates and the mother-in-law of two more. The Clement clan can always stick together in support of their Alma Mater.

Canon Clements, who received his BBA in '33, left this month for a three months business tour in South America. A vice-president of John Henry Schroeder Trust company, his first scheduled stop was Buenos Aires, where the company has a branch bank. From there he will travel to other points in the continent.

A son-in-law, 1st Lt. R. C. Harris, jr., is head of the budget department of Holleman Army Air base, Almagordo, New Mexico. Mrs. Harris is the former Dolly Clements, who received her degree in education in '41. Harris is a BBA graduate of '36.

Another son, Solon Clements, jr., is in real estate business in Lubbock, receiving his BBA in '32. A daughter, Lizzie Belle is married to Clarence K. Whitesides, '29 graduate in history, who is in the laundry business. Lizzie Belle received her home economics degree in '32.

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rally and bon fire scheduled at 7:30 p.m. Friday, October 29. In spite of the fact that the clean-up drive last spring took much burnable wood from the campus, enough has already been gathered for a heap big blaze, comments Curtis Sterling, president of the Saddle Tramps, campus organization in charge of the bon fire. Registration will open Homecoming Day at 9 a.m., followed by the parade at 10, and the luncheon at 12. The big event of the day will come when the Tech Red Raiders meet the Rice Owls at 2:30 in Jones stadium. Various clubs and fraternities will entertain their exes after game time until 9 p.m. when Burl Hubbard and his orchestra will play for the customary Homecoming Dance in the gym.

Bert E. Woods, class of '31, is practicing optometry at Henderson, Texas.

Texas Tech's hustling Red Raiders will be tackling one of their toughest Southwest Conference opponents come kickoff time for their Homecoming tilt with the Rice Owls. Slated for 2:30 p.m. in a jam-packed Jones Stadium, the game of October 30, should be one of tussling good football.

The sun shines darkly when one considers the record of the six games between the two teams in which Tech has lost five, won one and tied none. The winning game was in '44 when the Raiders edged a six point margin over the Owls to win 13-7. The scores for the last two years are top heavy and not in favor of the Red and Black. In '46 Rice trampled Tech 41-6 and last year saw the Raiders bowing to a 40-7 defeat. In '42 Rice scored three touchdowns to the Raiders' one, making it 19-7. In '43 and '45 thirteen became the unlucky number for Tech as it put the Double T school at the bottom end of a 13-0 score. As for totals in the six game series, Rice has rolled up 133 points; the Raiders scraped up some 33. But this isn't all she wrote; another game is dawning.

The Texas Tech boys are determined to even up the odds come Homecoming time and they don't look bad this season. Against West Texas State they rolled up two touchdowns, a safety and a field goal. They traveled to San Antonio to battle A&M as the underdogs but came out barking on the top end of the score. S.M.U. trampled them to the bottom end of 41-6 count but they equaled the Methodists in yardage and first downs.

Rice, on the other hand, is no team of waterboys. With Hugh Keeney, of the powerful punting foot, the Owls have a good deal of drive in their team. Coach Jess Neely has some 17 lettermen back from last year. Four of these are ends, James Williams, Jack McBride, Bill Taylor, and Nick Lanza. Three tackles of proven ability are Billy Wyman, Ed Parker, and Ralph Murphy. The Houston hustlers have lost some games. They fell to Louisiana State 26-13, but not without fighting. Ground gains by Sonny Wyatt and Harmon Carswell moved the fellows toward pay dirt often in the game and the mixing of passes from Tobin Rote with the running of Bobby Lantrip, was the trump card pulling in the first seven points.

Laying the cards on the table, the day for football looks good, and no game of solitaire is expected come October 30.

## Dallas Exes Hold Reception Oct. 1

A reception for all Texas Tech exes and students attending the Tech-S.M.U. game was held Friday night, October 1, in the Baker hotel in Dallas. Beginning at 7 p.m., the pre-game affair lasted until midnight.

The Dallas chapter, which sponsored the event, reported a large number attending. In the receiving line were Messrs. and Mmes. Chas. Wooldridge, Guy Carter, Tony Ullrich, and T. C. Root. Wooldridge is chairman of the college board of directors; Carter, president of the Alumni and Ex-Students' association; Ullrich, a Dallas ex; and Root, assistant to the president of S.M.U. He formerly held that position at Tech.

Mrs. Johnnie Wade, August graduate in journalism is working on the society staff of the Abilene Reporter-News.



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## A. Wayne Jones Contributes To Scholarship Fund

A. Wayne Jones, class of '41, has made the first contribution to the Texas Tech Loyalty Fund for establishing scholarships for graduate students. Commented Jones, "No school is really great until it becomes a place where students continue in graduate work."

His contribution of bonds of \$100 maturity value, will be converted and applied to such a scholarship when the Loyalty Fund is in a condition financially able to undertake such a project in the opinions of its directors.

Jones, who is supervising service engineer for Western Electric company in El Paso, said he didn't care what the recipient of his contribution chose to study be it pigmentation of butterfly wings or the evolution of jazz music.

## Clubs Schedule Events For Exes

Clubs and associates of Texas Tech are planning various teas, dances, smokers, and receptions in honor of their exes and alums for Homecoming. The exact hour and place for these events will be announced in the Homecoming program which will be available at all registration booths.

Delta Sigma Phi, international business fraternity, is planning a dance for its exes and alums. The "Rose of Delta Sig," a woman student elected to that title in the business ad division, will be presented at that time.

Also planning events are the seven social clubs, the Double T association, the Aggie club, the dairy manufacturing club, the plant industry club and Casa Linda.

## Three Girl Grads On Unusual List; Doing Men's Jobs

Three women of Tech's class of '48 can be placed on the most unusual list. One is the first woman ever to receive a degree in animal husbandry from Tech; another did the same in the electrical engineering department and a third has entered the only college on the American continent devoted solely to the training of women in medicine.

Mrs. Patsy Jones Aaron of Fluvanna and Aspermont is teaching math in Aspermont since she received her degree in A.H. in June. Next year she plans to enroll as a student in veterinary medicine at Cornell university.

Irene Knowles is the first woman electrical engineer to be employed by the Texas Electric Service company. She works in the transmission division of the company's power department with the meter and relay engineer.

Patricia Ann Myrick of Las Vegas, New Mexico, has entered the Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia. The college began its ninety-ninth session this month.

### EX-RAIDERS EXCEL

Two former Tech Red Raiders have been receiving much acclaim from the nation's sports writers for their playing with the Green Bay Packer eleven. Called the top offensive men of the professional team, they are Ralph Earhart, first-stringer of last season, and Walt Schlunkman, that short stocky little man ex-Techsans remember on the '45 squad.

# Exes Will Find Many Changes On Campus Including Gym Repairs, Bronze Markers



One Tech coed smiles happily as she finishes registration lines through which a total of 6,124 students passed. (Photo by Joe France).

Homecoming will bring notice of many changes on the campus of Double T college.

As some 6,124 students make tracks in Tech sands, which is the largest number of footprints said sands will have known, exes will notice that traffic lights have been installed around the Circle, the gym has been made leak-free by repairs, \$30,000 has been spent on an addition to the college Bookstore, bronze markers have been set up to designate the buildings, and an electric scoreboard has added to the glory of Jones stadium. New buildings on the campus include the Naval Armory to the right of the gym and the petroleum engineering going up behind the south wing of the engineering building. New paving is also underway.

Due to the increase of students, exes will find new sections have been added especially in geology and engineering as well as petroleum engineering where the largest increase of students has occurred. This increase is thought to be due to the opening of petroleum engineering as a separate department. Also the number of transfers, which is in the 1200's, is the largest Tech has known, comments W. P. Clement, registrar.

### VETS DECREASE

As far as decreases are concerned, the chief one seems to be that of veterans who fall some 850 short of the 3500 registered last year according to H. A. Anderson, veteran coordinator. The freshman class of 1300 is the first in three years to be composed almost purely of high school spring graduates.

The traffic lights around the campus have underground cables and are seven in number. They are placed around the circle and at the intersection of the Bookstore.

The gym, otherwise fondly known as the barn, has been given a \$18,000 facelift with a repaired roof, which is no longer a haven for birds' nests. The seats have been replanked and new windows added. In the middle of the basketball court is a bright red circle in the center of which is a black Double T.

More than 2,620 square feet of space has been added to the college Bookstore according to W. C. Cole, manager. Eight or ten attendants can now serve students from behind the counter of the space for storing textbooks instead of the usual four or five. Equipment for the display space is expected to arrive this month to make the store comparable to that of any college in the state, said Cole.

### SCOREBOARD GIVEN

An electric scoreboard, recently erected behind the southern goal of Jones stadium was used for the first time in the Tech-West Texas game. The class of '43 left \$1000 in bonds to be used for this purpose and the summer class of the same year added \$50. The board of directors voted to make up the difference from college funds and let the class have full credit, buying the board. Kenneth Robbins of Houston and former Raider halfback, was president of the class. The scoreboard is black with red lights.

Another class gift which exes will see on the campus is that of the class of '48. These are bronze markers which designate the names of the buildings about the campus. Buying part of the markers was the summer class of '45 of which Hugh Rowland was president. Floyd Read was head of the class of '48.

The new paving includes the road behind and adjacent to the Engineering building from its intersection with paving near the Library to its intersection with paving near the Textile building.

## Life With The Exes . . .

1931

HAROLD FRAZIER, a graduate with a BS in horticulture is a livestock farmer near McKinney.

1933

RUSSELL BEAU, a horticulture major with a BS in agriculture, is employed as the manager of Sugar Plantations in Haiti.

1936

EDITH DOMINY, BA in education, is teaching in Fort Worth, while FANNIE BROWN EATON, BS in home economics education, is district agent with the state extension service, stationed at College Station.

DR. J. D. DONALDSON, JR., who completed his pre-med training at Tech in 1936, is practicing medicine at the Children's hospital in Saint Louis, Mo.

E. F. DAWKINS, BS in agricultural economics, is giving vocational training in Lubbock County Vocational school. Mrs. Dawkins, the former MISS MARY NELL RHEA, BA in history, is teaching school. Their address is 2807 26th Street.

1938

LLOYD C. MILLER is farming in Swisher county. A graduate in agriculture, his wife is the former KATHERINE MEBERS of the class of '42.

1939

CLINTON WALKER, BA in electrical engineering, recently received his MA degree at Ohio State university.

1941

CHARLES DVORACEK, former Tech Red Raider, has returned to active duty as a lieutenant (sg) in the Navy and is assigned to the USS John A. Bole, as a gunnery officer.

ERNEST D. HEDRICK, and his wife, the former INA MAE COBB of Lubbock, are living at 4501 Dixie Drive in Houston. They have one daughter, Rebecca.

W. B. GRIFFIN, animal husbandry major, is county agent of Lynn County.

JACK SIDES and CROWELL B. WERNER, who joined the Army Air Corps after graduation from Tech, have recently been graduated from a two years course in engineering sciences at the USAF

Institute of Technology, held at Wright-Patterson air forces base, Dayton, Ohio. Sides is a first lieutenant and Werner is in bombardment school at Mather Field, Sacramento, Calif.

1946

Recently receiving MA degrees from the State University of Iowa, were ANITA HALE and MIRIAM LOUISE TURRENTINE. Miss Hale received her degree in speech and Miss Turrentine in Romance Languages.

1947

MR. AND MRS. LESLIE MORRISSETT are living in Galveston where he is attending medical school. Mrs. Morrissett, nee BARBARA LEONARD, is teaching the first grade.

ED WHITESIDES, BS in agriculture, is assistant county agent in El Paso county at El Paso. He was an agronomy major.

1948

JAMES MALONE, BS in education, is teaching the sixth grade in Longview.

BETTY JO MAYNARD, who has a degree in speech, is teaching English and speech in Junior High school at Nacogdoches.

Studying for the ministry are JERRY SMYTH at New Orleans Baptist Seminary and LEM TITTSWORTH at the Presbyterian Seminary in Austin. Smyth has a degree in English and Tittsworth one in chemistry.

JOHN ANDERSON, former editor of the college Toreador, is a reporter for the Caller Times in Corpus Christi. Another journalism graduate working there is ANNE CAROTHERS.

NAOMI TEAL, business ad graduate, is working in the loan department of the Lubbock National Bank. Another business ad, LOUISE NORRIS, is employed by Shell Oil Company in Midland.

Teaching home economics in high school are NORMA GRACE REID at Ralls and JACKIE SMALL at Spade. Another home ec graduate has entered her internship as a nutritionist in Oklahoma City. She is DOROTHY NORMAN of Lubbock.

JACK MIMS, industrial engineer,

is working for the safety department of Liberal Mutual Insurance company in Houston.

JOE ARRINGTON, who completed his degree in chemistry this summer, has entered Vanderbilt Medical school. Another chemistry major, BERTHA NELL ADAIR, is in nursing school at John Hopkins in Baltimore, Md.

BILLY BRUNSON, summer graduate in government, is studying law at Oklahoma university. Another government graduate, MRS. JOREEN K. LUDEKE, is teaching school in Lubbock.

Attending graduate school at North Carolina State College is H. L. LOVELESS, who received a B.S. in textile engineering in August.

JOAN NOWLIN is now assistant dietitian at Hockaday School in Dallas.

## Red Raider Five Slated To Play Marshall College

The Marshall college basketball team of Huntington, W. Va., winner of the annual Los Angeles invitation tournament from leading quintets of the nation last season, is slated to play the Texas Tech Raider cagemen the night of December 22, Polk Robinson, coach, recently announced.

The Marshall five will be on its way to the west to defend the title it won in the Los Angeles tournament when in Lubbock.

Coach Robinson said he plans to use his tall team, which looks down upon the court from an average of 6 feet, 4 inches, for part of the game and a faster, smaller five for the remainder. The visitors, he reported, are noted for plain and fancy ball handling and shooting.

The game will be open to the public since it is scheduled during the Christmas vacation period at the college and most of the students will be out-of-town.