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## The Campus Eye-View

Although applications for candidacy can now be accepted, no students have yet filed their intentions to campaign for any of the seven offices to be filled Apr. 23 in the annual spring elections.

IT IS DOUBTFUL if candidates will announce until a day or two before the deadline, which this year is Apr. 16.

It is unfortunate that candidates should wait so long to begin their campaigns. It leaves the students too little time to make a rational decision concerning their qualifications and platforms.

If candidates are really eligible for office through meeting academic as well as character requirements, it seems that there should be no fear of careful examination of their backgrounds. If they are more interested in serving the campus well than in merely winning an election and carving a name for themselves in the ET slate, they will indicate their intentions to seek office and lay their policies before the students to be studied.

TOO MANY TIMES, candidates are elected on a quick, flashy campaign successfully covering their own defaults in qualifications. The student is enticed into believing that this charming, suave person can carry the duties of his office if only by a witty mind and a clever slogan.

Do not be deceived. When you go to the polls, be sure you know whom you're voting for. In order to do this, force the candidates to explain their platforms over and over before the election. Make sure that these policies are more than just a few pat phrases which can be recited and remembered well.

## TIPA Judges Selected; Results to Be Read At Alpine Convention

Judges for the 1947 Texas Intercollegiate Press Association contests have been announced by O. M. Montgomery, director of journalism at Texas A&M College and contest director of the T. I. P. A.

Contest results will be read at the annual T. I. P. A. convention, scheduled for the Sul Ross College campus at Alpine April 25 and 26. Sixteen Texas colleges are members of the association.

Judges include, for the best newspaper, Lloyd Gregory, vice-president of the Houston Post, Harry Quinn, editor of the Edinburg Review, and Joe Cook, editor of the Mission Times and past president of the Texas Press Association; yearbook, Frank Burkhalter, director of journalism, Baylor University magazine, John McCulley, managing editor, Texas Week; news story, Prof. J. Willard Ridings, head of the Texas Christian University department of journalism, Mynatt Smith, managing editor of the valley Evening (McAllen) Monitor; and H. C. Vincent, news editor of the San Antonio Evening News.

Sports column, Harold Scherwitz, sports editor of the San Antonio Light; Short Story, Frank Dobie, Texas author; poem, David Russell, poet laureate of Texas; general column, Paul Bolton, news commentator and columnist, Austin; feature story, Jack Rutledge, state editor, Associated Press; photograph, Brad Smith of Welasco, Associated Press national prize winning photographer; advertisement, Prof. Paul Thompson, head of the University of Texas Department of Journalism; sports story, Harold V. Ratliff, regional sports editor, Associated Press; editorial, Bob McCracken, managing editor, Corpus Christi Caller; one-act play, Miss Katherine Boyd, director of dramatics, Hardin-Simmons University; and essay, Moulton (Ty) Cobb, radio commentator, KRGV, Welasco.

Save Old Paper

The paper shortage is worse than ever. Continue to save your old papers for the Boy Scouts. They will pick them up some time during April.

# The East Texan

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COOPER VISITORS . . . Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Cummings of Cooper, (left) are received by Dr. Arthur C. Ferguson, president of East Texas State Teachers college, at open house on the campus Sunday, Mar. 30.

Friends Visit Campus...

## Open House Is Held At College Mar. 30

### Colleges May Collect 75 Per Cent of Vet Fees at Beginning

Well-established, non-profit institutions which previously have had to wait till the end of a semester to bill the VA for tuition of veterans studying under the GI Bill today received welcome news from Robert C. Rice, manager of VA's Dallas Regional Office.

The Veterans Administration has established, Rice said, a new system which will permit it to pay 75 per cent of the estimate tuition, fees, books and supply costs for approximately 20,000 non-disabled veterans in 31 North Texas colleges, universities and seminaries as soon as the semester's registration is completed and the number of veterans is known.

Among those colleges given an opportunity to participate in receiving advance tuition payments is East Texas State.

The manager said that under a new contract, which will be entered into with most of the non-profit schools, billing could be made to the VA within 15 days after the semester or term begins.

### Houston University Men Grow Beards For Frontier Fiesta

"A prize in the hand is worth two months of bush."

This modern version of Ben Franklin's famous saying is a clear indication of how University of Houston stubble-studded males feel about their current beard-growing contest which will end with awards at the Frontier Fiesta Apr. 26. East Texas State has been invited to send a representative to the fiesta.

Since Mar. 1 a large number of Cougardom's manly lads have shunned the brush and blade. Why? Well, it's all because of a contest ending with the fiesta. During this part of the year, the school reverts to the style of the old West with boots and stetson in order.

First prize in the beard-growing affair is a new automobile. Other prizes for foliage finery range from washing machines to electric refrigerators. Little wonder that the campus looks like a barber's nightmare!

### Hunt County Queen

Miss Bobbie Jean Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Green, Greenville, will represent the Hunt county A&M club at the college's annual Cotton Ball April 18.

Miss Green is a high school junior and has recently been elected Band Sweetheart for the 1947-48 year.

## East Texas Host to Nearly 1,000 High School Students Today



MAYOR MEETS PRESIDENT . . . Jack Henderson, mayor of Sulphur Springs, (left) greets Dr. Arthur C. Ferguson, president of East Texas State Teachers college, at open house on the campus Sunday, Mar. 30.

### Second Lap of ET's Memorial Stadium Fund Drive Begins, 10,000 Letters Are Mailed

Nearly 10,000 letters went out this week to East Texas State's ex-students urging them to "speak up for the memorial stadium campaign, at every opportunity and to respond wholeheartedly when you are called upon to help."

In launching the second phase of the campaign, Dan Dansby, campaign director, has appointed regional committee chairman, and county members are being selected.

Regional chairmen appointed were: Carl L. Estes, Longview; L. L. James, Tyler; James E. Old, Wynnboro; Robert H. Henson, Greenville; J. P. Travis, Dallas; Joel H. Berry, Houston; Steve Matthews, Pampa; and Richard T. Moss, Wichita Falls, co-chairman for the West Texas region.

Leaping ahead in plans for the drive, Greenville has organized all committees preparatory to the actual campaign. Greenville is the center of the drive in Hunt county, which was the first county to organize.

County organization consists of a county chairman and a county treasurer, who work with an advisory committee. Also included in the organization is a business committee chairman, publicity chairman, special gifts committee chairman, and a memorial committee chairman.

The special gifts committee contacts the wealthier people in the county and solicits larger contributions than are ordinarily given.

The memorial committee solicits donations from parents who had a son from East Texas State killed in the war. If a large enough contribution is made, the donors may have their

son's name placed somewhere on the stadium.

Quotas for each county will be announced soon, according to Dansby.

### Homecoming Day to Be Celebrated May 3

Homecoming day, annual celebration to which ex-students from over the state and surrounding territory return to renew acquaintances and relive memories, will be held May 3.

Noble Arthur, Ex-Students Association president, has announced the date as the customary first Saturday in May set aside for homecoming.

A meeting of officers of the association will be held sometime this week to plan the program and details of the day, Arthur disclosed.

"We hope to make this the biggest and best homecoming yet," he said.

"And there's no reason why it shouldn't be. With war restrictions off and nearly everything back to normalcy, there should be a large crowd."

Arthur indicated that reports on the progress of the memorial stadium drive would be heard that day.

"Every ex-student should set aside this, the first Saturday in May, to return to his alma mater," he urged.

Winifred Eagleton, Bonham sophomore, suffered minor bruises and scratches Monday when the car in which she was returning to college after the holidays, was involved in a collision.

### Annual Senior Day Program Brings 41 Schools to Visit Commerce Campus

East Texas State played host to nearly 1000 high school seniors today when 41 schools visited the campus to attend the annual Senior day program.

Members of the Assembly of Student Organizations acted as

the official welcoming group while the chamber of commerce gave the picnic supper. E. H. Watson, Training school director, was in charge of registration, and B. C. Tarter supervised the campus tours.

Visitors registered upon arrival at the Education building beginning at 2 p. m. A special program was given at 3 p. m. in Ferguson auditorium.

After a short welcome address given by Mayor Ralph Patman, Joe McKenzie spoke to the seniors for the chamber of commerce. President Arthur C. Ferguson was the concluding speaker.

A special skit presented by the speech department and several numbers given by the EastTexans, the college choir, vocal sextet, and string quartet comprised the remainder of the program. Mabel Laird, music student from Port Arthur, also played two piano solos.

After the program students toured the campus and attended a picnic dinner at 5:30 p. m. in Cub gymnasium.

An all-college singsong was held at 6:15 p. m. in Whitley gymnasium, followed by a dance beginning at 6:30. The EastTexans, college orchestra, played.

Schools attending the Senior day program were Alba, Annona, Avery, Avinger, Bailey, Caddo Mills, Commerce, Cooper, Dalingfield, Deport, Enloe, Gallatin, Gober, Golden, Hooks, Linden, Merit, Pecan Gap, Pickton, Point, Quinlan, Roxton, Roysie City, Sallito, Sulphur Bluff, Tioga, Waskom, Windom, Forney, Emory, DeKalb, Josephine, Lone Oak, Princeton, Big Sandy, Palmer, Dodd City, Savoy, Mt. Pleasant, Kemp.

### Seniors Plan Picnic, Candlelight Services

Plans toward celebrating a Senior day in some place away from Commerce were started by the senior class in a meeting Wednesday.

President R. W. Thompson appointed a committee composed of Bill Ingram, Herb Smith, Mary Batchelor, Mary Bulls and Virginia Mason to complete preparations.

Plans were also started for the traditional candlelight service. Jean Cooper, Lois Ruth Presswood and Bob Beery were appointed to make arrangements.

Another meeting was set for Thursday morning. All seniors were urged to be present to indicate if they were going on the picnic.

### VA Predicts Increase In Vet Enrollment

A sharp upward trend in World War II veteran enrollment in southwestern colleges and universities for the 1947-48 school year is predicted by Veterans Administration and school officials.

Veterans studying in Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi colleges now number approximately 58,000. Veterans enrolled in higher institutions of learning throughout the nation number about 1,100,000.

The peak of veteran enrollment in colleges and universities is expected during the next school year, according to VA surveys. After that, a gradual decline is predicted.

Laws under which veterans enroll for education specify that the program must be concluded nine years after the formal termination of World War II.



ROBERT C. RICE

### VA Regional Manager Accepts Invitation to Speak Here Tuesday

Robert C. Rice, Manager of the Veterans Administration Dallas regional office, has accepted an invitation to speak before a special assembly of East Texas State Teachers College students Tuesday, and to address members of the Commerce Lions Club at their luncheon on the same date.

The manager will devote his student talk to report of the Veterans Administration's program for the education of 40,000 veteran students currently enrolled in institutional training in the 51 counties comprising the Dallas region. One-half of the enrollment is in North Texas Colleges, universities and seminaries.

Members of the Lions Club will hear the manager talk on the "Magnitude of the Task," a report of the benefits and services given both disabled and non-disabled veterans. This includes education, job-training, medical treatment, hospital care, G. I. loans, insurance, and compensation and pensions.

Mr. Rice, a veteran of both World Wars, became manager of the 51-county Dallas region on Jan. 2, when Tom R. Rayburn resigned to enter private business.

At that time, Mr. Rice announced a policy of visiting all V. A. field installations and as many colleges and universities in the region as possible. He feels these familiarization trips will be of great benefit in determining the needs of veterans and making provisions for meeting them.

Mr. Rice left his position as assistant director of rehabilitation and education in Dallas Branch 10 to accept appointment as regional manager.

A native of Missouri, Mr. Rice saw duty in World War I as an infantry lieutenant. During World War II, he served from February, 1941, to November, 1945. He was commanding officer of the Adjutant General's Officer Candidate School and adjutant general of the 10th U. S. Army Air Force in the C-B-I Theatre. He was also deputy adjutant general of the Army Air Force Training Command in Fort Worth after his return from overseas duties, and Command Adjutant General of the Army Air Forces Eastern Technical Training Command in St. Louis.

In civilian life, Mr. Rice was identified with several large educational institutions.

## Singer Eula Beal Closes Civic Music Series

Commerce Civic Music Association Wednesday presented its last concert in the current series when Eula Beal, Columbia Broadcasting contractor, appeared in Ferguson auditorium.

Nearly 2000 people were present to hear the tall artist sing numbers from short Italian arias, romantic pieces by Brahms and Schubert to selections from the French modernists. She culminated her program with numbers from modern American composers.

Daniel Sternburg, head of the music department at Baylor University, Waco, accompanied Miss Beal.

First half of the singers' program included "Invocazione de Orfeo" by Jacopo Ferri, "Se Flor-

indo e fedele" by Alessandro Scarlatti, "Lasciatemi morire" by Claudio Monteverde, "Gia il sole dal Gange" by Alessandro Scarlatti, "Liebestraum" by Johannes Brahms, "Vergebliches Ständchen" by Johannes Brahms, "Ruhe meine Seele" by Richard Strauss, "Erkloenig" by Franz Schubert, "Aria Mon Coeur s'ouvre a ta voix," from "Sampson et Dalila" by Camille Saint-Saens.

After-intermission numbers included "Le temps des lilas" by Ernest Chausson, "Mandoline" by Claude Debussy, "Romance" by Claude Debussy, "Chanson Norvegienne" by Felix Fordrain, "Blow, Blow, Thou Winter Wind" by Roger Quilter, "Shoes" by Kathleen Manning,



EULA BEAL

"Miranda" by Richard Hageman, "Think on me" by Scott-Pereon, "Upstream" by Albert Hay Malotte.

A native of Riverside, Calif., Miss Beal belongs to the steadily increasing band of American born musical artists.

In 1942 she won three coveted awards — Occidental College Young Artists Auditions, UCLA Young Artists contest, and the annual competition sponsored by National Federation of Music clubs.

Since that time Miss Beal has become familiar to radio fans from coast to coast. She has made regular appearances on Melodies American Loves, a Columbia Broadcasting system program.



Roosevelt .. His Courage Set Precedent For All Americans to Remember, Love

Two years ago this Saturday the entire nation was plunged into deep mourning over the untimely death of Franklin Delano Roosevelt. As president of the United States before and during World War II he had led the people of his nation through many of the times that would try the soul of even a great man. Taking the helm when the country was entering into a period of great economic strife, he had by defying all precedent and fearing no condemnation, brought us back to our feet. He was responsible for the leadership in the quick conversion of a peace loving people to a great fighting nation.

At the time of his death he was working night and day to see that the world to follow the war was a safe and peaceful one. He had accomplished great things at the conferences at Casablanca, Cairo, and Yalta. He threw his entire heart and soul into the forthcoming United Nations conference at San Francisco. It was his idea, his baby. Then, as he was taking a rest that his doctor had demanded to renew his ebbing strength, fate intervened. A few short weeks before the culmination of his efforts ended in the San Francisco conference, a cerebral hemorrhage stopped the flow of blood through his weary brain.

Franklin Roosevelt never achieved anything the easy way. He was stricken with the dreaded infantile paralysis after he had reached thirty, just when most men are beginning to make their mark in the world. When he was chosen to run for governor of New York State to follow in the footsteps of Al Smith, people refused to give him an outside chance of winning. They claimed that his health would not hold out through the campaign. But with the indomitable spirit of a man who was in a fight to win, he seemed to flourish under the terrific pressure of a political campaign. From that time on Roosevelt continued to prove to doubting people that although his physical condition was not perfect that he was capable of handling any position that he set out to do.

Again when he ran for president came the old cry that a cripple could not handle the job of running a nation that was going through some of its most difficult times. But once more his ability to make people realize that in spite of his affliction he was capable of fulfilling his trust brought him through victorious.

Throughout the following years Roosevelt confirmed the faith and trust that people had had in him. Through some of the most drastic moves that had ever been made in the history of this nation, he brought the standard of living back to normal.

On Dec. 7, 1941 our nation was confronted with the tremendous task of readying itself for immediate and total war. Our army was one of the smallest in the world for the size of the country, our industry was not geared for making the great number of articles of war and what industry we did have was mostly centralized on the two coasts, the most vulnerable of all positions. Realizing the need for immediate action Roosevelt asked for powers that had never before been granted to the president. After he was given most of these powers he even went further at times and cut through the many miles of government red tape to save precious time.

When our wartime election neared and Roosevelt was drafted by his party to run for a third term, he wasted no great amount of time campaigning. It was his thought that if the people wanted him, they would vote for him. They did.

At this time, when we are reminded of this man's many achievements and also of his many hopes and dreams for the welfare of his country, we should take stock of those ideas and see how they are progressing.

At the San Francisco conference the United Nations was born. Every nation in the world was eager to participate in the organization. Here was the one hope for the world of the future. Never before had there seemed to be such accord among the great powers of the world. Unlike the League of Nations, all of the great powers found it to their advantage to participate in the forming of a better and peaceful world.

But, now after almost two years of existence the United Nations is beginning to realize that good intentions are sometimes forgotten all too soon. The playing of power politics on a tremendous scale is beginning to strain the feelings of the nations. A lack of trust and confidence between the two major powers has reached a point where the complete stoppage of profitable effort toward a better world is threatened.

It is lamentable indeed that the power of peace to bind together people is not a great as that of war. During the late conflict cooperation between the various peoples of the world was amazing. Let us all hope, pray, and WORK for a better understanding among all of the people of the world. Let us not discard the months of conscientious and faithful work of the great leaders like Franklin Delano Roosevelt to solve our pride and further our own selfish aims.

A Word To The Wise

Some people fall for anything and stand for nothing. They are the ones who rally around any rabble rouser who happens to have the soap box at the moment. They make it possible for crack-pots and hooligans to gain control. . . little Hitlers come into power with their assistance and backing. They are always playing a game of follow-the-leader. . . any leader who has just enough persuasive ability to get their attention.

These people are found everywhere. There are even a few of them here on this campus. Any person with an ax to grind can solicit plenty of followers, and with them make enough noise to give the general public the false impression that they represent the will of the masses. They adopt the adage that "the squeaking wheel gets the grease." They, with their minority, do plenty of squeak-

Entertainment World

"The Beginning Or The End" To Show Monday; "Razor's Edge" Thurs. Billing

As the nights stay bright and balmy the local theatre sensing the need for better pictures has come through this week again. With two of the four selections offered this week of the very top-flight type of pictures and the others very satisfactory pictures it should be a very enjoyable week of entertainment.

Starting the week off in the right way on Sunday and Monday is "The Beginning of the End"

starring Robert Walker, Audrey Totter, Brian Donlevy, and Hume Cronyn. This picture has been getting rave notices all over the nation wherever it is shown. The story of the people who create and worked on the atomic bomb and the possible results of its creation will keep your interest throughout the picture.

**District Attorney**  
Tuesday and Wednesday brings the movie version of the popular radio program, "Mr. District Attorney." Starring Dennis O'Keefe, Adolphe Menjou, Marguerite Chapman and Michael O'Shea, it will give the lovers of mystery and intrigue their satisfaction.

**Razor's Edge**  
Thursday and Friday's offering is the movie version of W. Somerset Maugham's recent novel "The Razor's Edge." With a cast including such names as Tyrone Power, Gene Tierney, John Payne, Anne Baxter, Clifton Webb, Herbert Marshall and Frank Lattimore this can't help but be a better than average picture. Teamed with a story which is far above average this seems to be a sure thing.

**Western Concludes**  
The weeks bill of fare is concluded with the usual spice of a good saga of the old west. "Last Frontier Uprising" is the theme of the picture.

Dr. Ferguson In Flag Presentation

Freedom has followed the American flag for 171 years to the four corners of the world. Dr. A. C. Ferguson, president of East Texas State Teachers college, said Tuesday night at a special flag presentation by the Commerce Camp, 317 of the Woodmen of the World to the Wayne Cherry Post 7209, of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Dr. Ferguson spoke to members and guests of the two organizations at City Recreation hall when the local WOW Camp presented the flag to the Commerce post of the VFW as a part of its national Fraternity in Action campaign.

"The American flag stands not for the divine right of kings, but for the divine right of free men," Ferguson said. "It has always been the aggressor against tyranny."

"Our sons have recently planted the flag in faraway places in defense of liberty. They have re-established the meaning first held in the flag by their founding forefathers," Ferguson said.

"The American colonists, tired of being a tool to increase English commerce, desired freedom, and won it by fighting. Freedom was thus established and it has survived the greatest ravishes of any aggressor," Ferguson added.

"Men who defend the flag are not fighting to save certain members of royalty, or authority, but are fighting to save the right of liberty and freedom to all men."

"The colonists chose a flag wholly different from that of Britain. A background of blue with stars representing the various states was chosen to symbolize the rising future of the free states," the president added.


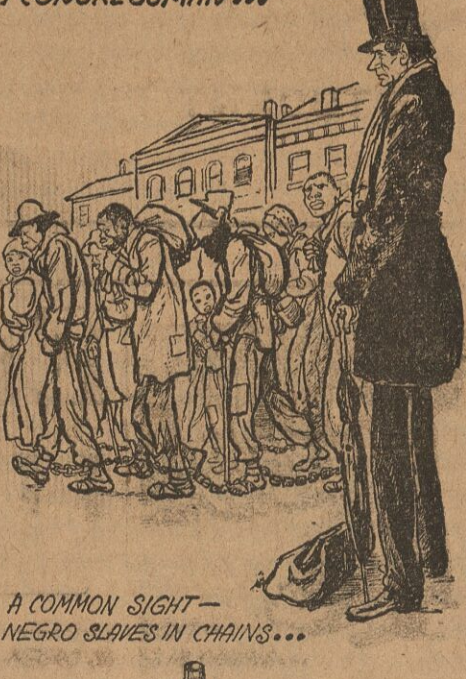
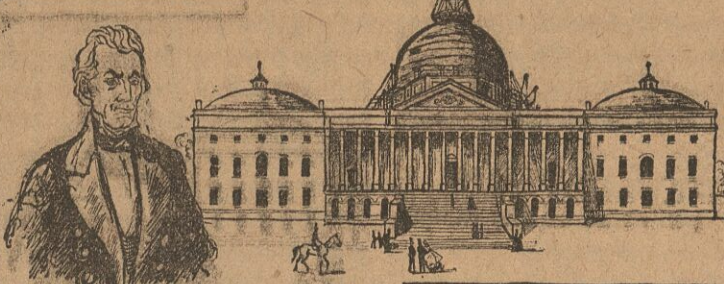
"Thus they founded a new way of life and created a new

ing, and often times they do get the grease. But we must not be fooled by their loud babblings, because most people are usually quiet, most times hesitant about voicing opinions before they have had time to think things through and properly evaluate their conclusions.

Students of EAT, be on guard for these rabble-rousers; do not be duped or misled by them. Do your own thinking, have strong convictions based upon adequate knowledge.

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ONLY 15 POLICEMEN DID NIGHT DUTY IN ALL OF WASHINGTON!  
  
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THE CAPITOL HAD TWO WINGS LESS THAN IT HAS TODAY, AND POLK WAS PRESIDENT.  
**\* THE LINCOLN READER**  
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A BOOK-OF-THE-MONTH CLUB SELECTION

Trinitonians Meet To Settle Dispute

In order to settle for once and for all, the problem of the student government for the satisfaction of the students and the opposing factions in the present government, a student assembly was held Monday morning at 10 o'clock at Trinity college, San Antonio.

Ratings of superior and excellent were given to all of the AS-TC entries in the Arkansas Speech Festival held at Arkansas State Teachers college last week end.

**Fashions Trends...**

On The New Look

There has been a surprise development in American fashion during the past five years.

Our democracy of fashion, which makes pretty, well-fitting ready-to-wear clothes in a scale of prices accommodating to most of our seventy million women, has also, in these past five years developed made-to-order clothes at a high point of fashion. Today, these designers do not need to be compared to anyone but themselves. They are a small band (fewer than twenty houses, who have worked quietly, slowly, individually. In the collections which are shown once in the autumn and once towards spring, there is little nervous competition for "great fashion departures." Any year, any made-to-order collection will include trends that are in the air—but in no year will make a fetish of them.

This year, in almost every collection, you will see: longer skirts; near-natural shoulders; veiled bareness at night; draped skirts, day and evening; an elaboration of detail on fabrics; suits made important by little, subtle, cunning detail. You will see great attention to collars; a lowering of the waist line, while keeping the waist where nature intended it.

Everyone can't have made-to-order clothes but just the knowledge of what's new with designers adds something to a girl's sense of fashion "rightness," that same air that shows in the way she walks, the way she holds her head.

Here's what looks new—the almost phantom of veiling of shoulders at night; a thin layer of scarf or twist of material on a technically still-bare dress. The Gibson Girl look—a sort of "dashing young lady with crisp silk shirts" look, which divides into two strong halves an important costume, either part of which is, for a minute, spare part. The look of collars now endlessly inventive, now calling up half the collars in history. The look of a bib of jewels—pearls row

Talk Of The Town!

Hughes Has Trouble At Recent Annual; Stamps May Have Interest In White

SHEEPHERDER and his "ball and chain" were making the divées in Vivien, La. over the holidays and ran into half of East Texas State. NELDA CASH and INEZ HALE were there having one huge time.

CARTER ELMO MARSHALL WONDER BOY BABY BOY BUGGER RED of the MASSEY FAME has received two pin-up pictures of some tender gear (Tender gear being JONNYE AIKEN). Written in caps on the pictures was this touching message, "to my darling baby boy."

RUBY FREYER went to Waco recently and really let her hair down, so the reports go.

Pretty and popular FLODY RUCKER shoved off this week for home and an approaching marriage.

We hear that DALE HUGHES had a little trouble with hair in his mouth at a recent annual where one of the damsels was wearing a gravity job with fur around the top.

BILLY STAMPS just might be more than somewhat interested in one MARTHA WHITE whom he dated rather regularly recently. BOB WARREN adds a touch of competition to the affair.

ABIE BRECHEEN had so much fun at the recent Kahr party that she seemed a little reluctant to leave the table.

Old dirty tennis shoes to cute GUY HUMPHRIES for leaving his date for 45 minutes at recent dance. The kid was a little surprised when he returned to the dance to find that the chick had flown the coop in his absence!

JANE SAUNDERS was properly buzzed over the holidays

by a boy friend from A&M. And we thought you were going to hide Easter eggs!

It is true or just hearsay that ROSE JEAN MOSLEY (no adjectives this week) conveniently leaves a date open when there is to be a club function?

Never let it be said that the great EDWIN THOMPSON can't put out some puns. One of his best ones that is bound to become a classic was uttered at sight of his friend, HERB SMITH (that boy is contemplating a libel suit against me). Said friend was wearing one of his usual outlandish garbs—this time, a green suit, "Herb, with that green suit on, and your bald head, you look just like a pool table with an egg on top," THOMPSON quipped.

Handsome (he thinks so, anyway) JIM MCCOY is getting quite a rush from the Tooan-owwe's these fair spring days. He can be seen most any night, spinning yarns with a bevy of these beauties.

Anyone heard of this latest girls organization to spring up on the campus? They call themselves the Battery Bags and their motto is: "We charge everybody!"

Me love has flowed, Him did I dirt. Me did not know He were a flirt.

To him in love Let I forbid Lest thou be dood Like I been did.

Love is gone, love is went. Him has left I all alone. Me cannot go to he. Him cannot come to me.

It was never meant to was So writing poetry is all me does.

Parking Meters In Operation This Week

The city has finished setting more than 200 parking meters in the business section of town and they will be put into operation at 8:00 o'clock Thursday morning, April 10th.

These meters register with either pennies or nickels. One penny buys 12 minutes time. A nickel is good for an hour. Two pennies may be deposited for 24 minutes, three pennies for 36 minutes, four pennies for 48 minutes, and five pennies for an hour, or a nickel may be used for an hour.

The meters will be in service from 8:00 a. m. until 6:00 p. m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays. On Saturdays they will be in use from 8:00 am until 9:00 pm. They will not be in service at all on Sundays.

There are a few loading zones, which are paid for by the year by the business being served. This entitles the business man to load and unload goods, but does not give him parking privilege for his car.

In special cases of real necessity, such as doctors and others who must keep a car available at all times, special reservations may be had by payment of \$24.00 per year. These reservations will be granted sparingly and only when there is dire need for them. They are not to be used by anyone except the person who pays for them. Anyone else parking a car in them will be guilty of a traffic violation.

The State Highway Department has been requested to send a man here to study the proposed traffic changes around the square and approve same. The proposed new traffic rules will not be put into effect until this approval is obtained.

There will be no meters on the Public Square, but a parking limit on the Square has been set at two hours.

Baptist Banquet To Be Held Apr. 17

The Baptist student "Once Upon A Time" Banquet will be held Apr. 17 at 7:30 p. m. in the Education building of the First Baptist church.

Mr. W. F. Howard, the state Baptist student secretary, will be the speaker. The banquet will be semi-formal.

Tickets may be obtained now from Baptist students.

Robertson-Kelly Engagement Told

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Tomye Robertson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Robertson of Sulphur Springs, to Leon Kelly was made at a coffee given by the mother of the bride-elect at their home in Sulphur Springs Sunday.

The couple will be married June 8 at Abilene Christian college, Abilene. Miss Martha Robinson will be maid of honor and Vaughn Young of Abertnathy best man.

Ushers will be T. J. Williams and Jack Davidson, students at ACC.

Miss Robertson was graduated from Sulphur Springs high school and attended East Texas State Teachers college and ACC. Mr. Kelly, a graduate of Topeka high school, served two years in the army air corps and is now studying electrical engineering at ACC.

Deadline Set for Marine Applicants

Captain Warren A. Leithner of the U. S. Marine Corps who recently visited East Texas State in connection with the Platoon Leaders Program announces that prospective applicants must have their applications and accompanying papers in the mail by Apr. 12. The application and all required papers are to be mailed to:

Captain Warren A. Leithner USMC, DHRS, Federal Building (Room 326,) Oklahoma City, Okla.

Application blanks may be obtained at the office of the dean.

Robbie Finch Is New Faculty Member

Miss Robbie Finch, ET graduate, has accepted a position in the home economics department, succeeding Miss Iva Butler, who resigned after announcing her marriage.

Since leaving here three years ago with her master of science degree, Miss Finch has taught homemaking in the New Gulf high school in Matagorda county, and has served during the past year as county home demonstration agent in Waller county.

She relieves Mrs. Mary Sue Stone who has been substituting as teacher in the Training school.



## Ogimas Have Annual Easter Dance



**EASTER PARADE . . .** Flora Rucker and Glenn Humphries were among those who danced to the music of the EasTexans at the annual Easter dance given by the Ogima club.

A silver screen bearing the beginning bars of "Easter Parade" was the center of the decorations Mar. 29, when the Ogima held their annual Easter dance in the Reading room of the library. The first post-war annual held by the club was broadcast over KSST between 8:00 and 9:00.

The decoration plan was an ingenious scheme of spring flowers and indirect lighting, reminiscent of a rock garden.

On the west end of the library "OEA" stood on a silver screen. Almost the width of the Reading room, the screen stood out from indirect lighting. A rock wall covered with spring flowers stood in front of the screen.

A silver screen bearing the beginning bars of "Easter Parade" stood on the east end of the room behind the EasTexans. The dance band played from a raised platform which was covered with artificial green grass.

The entrance of the Reading room had rock walls on both

sides, bearing flowers. Two bowls of flowers suspended on each side of the entrance were decorative.

The club emblem of light blue background was black with an orange border around which white circles were lighted.

Members attending were, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Reeder, George Tipton, Jane Kelly; Joe McClellan, Pat Ibbotson; Julian Biggers, Jane Hyswood; Marshall Massey, Jane Hargrave; Cecil Johnson, Beverly Fox; Joe Cash, Peggy Williams; Jerry Allard, Jane Alexander; Miller Dial, Daphne Goolsby; Harry O'Neil, Ida O'Neal; Larry Kelly, Berta Corneliuss; Ewing Burgess, Billie McClanahan; Harold McAllister, Rose Jean Mosley; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cornish, Jr.; Bradford Tucker, Lou Freeman; Gene Dial, Mary Lou Jack; Dan McMillan, Sue Davis; Bill Galyon; E. G. Stevens, Glen Humphries, Flora Rucker; Billy Arnold Sue Bulls; Billy Bob Griffiths, Jean Hopkins; Douglas Sparks, Ann Rowe Davis; Matt Martin, Regina Patterson; Mr. and Mrs. William Mantooth; David Ibbotson, Juanita Williams; Leslie Harless, Virginia Speegle; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wheeler; Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Stone.

Freshmen present were Elbert Wall, Margaret Handley; Bill Duke, Martha White; Leo Wann, Narca Hooker; Roy Clark Jr. and Mary Ann Windell.

Exes present Bill Stone, Virginia Edzards; Herman Old, Lura Hughes; Howard Tucker, Dorriace Chaney; James O. Faires, Jean Phillips; Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Muller; Mr. and Mrs. Bob George; R. J. Turrentine Jr., Park McKinney; Mr. and Mrs. Frank K. Chaney (sponsor).

### Weiner Roast Given By Marpessa Club Fashion Trends

Marpessas continued their social season Mar. 28 when members of the club entertained

dates and guests with a weiner roast at the O. P. Marshall park.

After the weiner roast the members and dates went to the Chatterbox. Those present were: Virginia Edzards; Clarence Self; Jeanne Park, Quentin Watson; Celia Smith, Homer Holt, Mary Beth Stapp, Bill Findley; Betty Lay, Charles Tillery; Marliou Jack, Gene Dial; Jane Alexander, Jerry Allard; Billy Lay, Leroy Freeman; Ida O'Neal, Harry O'Neil; Bobby Nelson, Forest Lake; Martha White, Robert Fields; Mary Meeks, Gaylord McMillan; Martha Robinson, Stanley Fox; Daphne Goolsby, Miller Dial; E. G. Stevens, Joe McKenzie; Charlyne Gehard, Ed Deaton; Tommie Meeks, Don Watkins; Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Harper; sponsors Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Tarter, and Ruth Reeder.

### Earline Rowell Weds Ray Byron Hayter

Miss Earline Rowell, of Dallas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Rowell of Sulphur Springs, became the bride of Ray Byron Hayter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hayter of Greenville, Saturday evening Mar. 29 at 7:30 o'clock.

The marriage rites were held in the wedding chapel of the Oak Cliff Methodist church, in the presence of the immediate families and a few close friends. The pastor, Dr. W. Harrison Baker, read the double ring ceremony before an altar flanked with white floor standards of gladioli and fern.

The bride wore a powder blue gabardine dressmaker suit with a sheer white veiled neckline blouse and coffee colored accessories. Her flowers were pink rosebuds.

Mrs. Hayter is a graduate of Sulphur Springs high school and holds a degree from East Texas State.

Hayter was graduated from Greenville high school and attended Texas Tech. Lubbock, and East Texas State. He is now connected with the sales office of Sinclair oil company, Dallas.

Club sponsors Miss Eusibia and David Street were present for the initiation ceremony.

### Pledges Receive Formal Initiation

Six Artema pledges were given formal initiation at the regular club meeting Monday night.

New members include Donald Watkins of Dallas, Buren Wilkins, Commerce, A. L. Jordan, Greenville, William Rhew, Commerce, Robert Fields, Brownboro, and James Starrett of Sulphur Springs.

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### Phi Mu Psi Pins Ribbons on Three

Pledge ribbons of purple and gold were pinned on pledges Janey Miller, Martha Turner, and Don Jeeter at the business meeting of Phi Mu Psi held in the club room Mar. 25.

Date for annual banquet was changed to Apr. 10, and committees made reports on progress of plans for the annual affair.



**TWO ET STUDENTS WED . . .** Mr. and Mrs. Robert Peery descend the steps of the First Baptist church where they were married. Both are ET students. Mrs. Peery was Mildred Philpott before her marriage.

### Miss Mildred Philpott Is Wed To Robert Peery At First Baptist Church

Miss Mildred Philpott, daughter of Mrs. P. H. Philpott, Queen City, became the bride of Robert Henry Peery, son of Mrs. H. I. Peery, Kemp, Wednesday, April 2 at the First Baptist Church, Commerce at 3 o'clock. Rev.

Stanley Price performed the double ring ceremony.

Given in marriage by her brother, Earnest Philpott, Atlanta, the bride wore a navy blue cutaway suit with navy blue and white accessories. Her shoulder carriage was a single orchid.

Miss Marita Mead attended the bride as maid of honor. She was attired in a pale blue crepe dress and had for her corsage pink carnations. The bridegroom was attended by his brother, Val Jim Peery, as best man. Ushers were George Roach and Otis Slaughter, classmates of the bride and bridegroom.

The traditional wedding music was presented by Miss Martha Miller, pianist, and Miss Mary Lee Paul, soloist. Miss Paul sang "One Alone," and "Because." Miss Miller played "Clare de Lune," and "O Perfect Love," before and during the ceremony.

The church was beautifully decorated with large baskets of white calla lilies and baskets of green ferns.

The bride and bridegroom are both students at ETSTC where the groom will graduate in June and Mrs. Peery is classified as a junior. Mr. Peery served in the armed forces three years and received several citations while overseas.

The couple took a short trip immediately after the ceremony and are now at home at the GI village.

### Sigma Tau Delta Has Meet Apr. 1

Sigma Tau Delta met Apr. 1 in the Mural room of the Main building with president Mary Nell Barnes presiding.

The president selected a nominating committee composed of Evelyn Whitten (chairman), Bonnie Welch and Reba Farrow; a program committee composed of James Miles, Reba Farrow, and Evelyn Whitten.

James Miles, Evelyn Whitten and Mary Nell Barnes discussed some writings that they are composing.

### Dinner Held In Dallas By AAUW

Dr. Margaret Wiley, Miss Orpa Dennis, and Mrs. T. Taylor Broun will attend a dinner tonight given by the steering committees for the National Convention of AAUW and the executive board of the Dallas College Club in Dallas.

The dinner will honor the national board of directors and headquarters staff of AAUW, and will be held at the Dallas Athletic club.

Dr. Wiley is president of the Texas Division of AAUW, Miss Dennis is corresponding secretary and Mrs. Broun is editor of the Texas Division Bulletin.

### Friars Report On Plans For Annual

Reports were given on the annual by the decoration committee in the business meeting of the Friars club.

After a short business session, Pledge Pete Brooks was brought in and given his Fifth night initiation. He was later welcomed into the club.

Forty members were present at the meeting which adjourned after the singing of "My Buddy."

### Miss Maureen King Is Wed To Louie A. Pratt In Greenville Rites

Miss Maureen King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. King, Greenville, became the bride of Mr. Louie A. Pratt, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wallace, also of Greenville, Apr. 2 at the Grace Presbyterian church in Greenville.

Rev. Victor K. Aubrey read the impressive ring service. At the altar, floor standards, linked together with white satin

ribbon and holding bouquets of calla lilies and white stock, were placed against a background of formal greenery.

White cathedral tapers in seven white wrought iron candelabra softly illuminated the setting.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a Fred A. Block original aqua wool crepe suit fashioned with small peplum with pink sequins outlined on the shoulders.

Her French imported pink off the face hat was designed with an interwoven straw halo and trimmed in pink flowers and veil. Her gloves were white; her accessories were in palomino, and she carried a white, prayer book topped with an orchid and showered with lilies of the valley.

Mrs. H. R. Ivory, of Emory, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. David Dodd attended the groom as best man and the ushers were Barney Babb and B. H. Jones Jr.

The bride is a graduate of Greenville high school and East Texas State where she was a member of the Marpessa club.

Pratt received his education in the Greenville schools and East Texas State. He served 34 months in service as radar mechanic with one year overseas.

He has resumed his studies at East Texas State.

Mr. and Mrs. Pratt will be at home at 3605 12 Lee street, Greenville.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white satin gown, fashioned with a fitted bodice with marquisette yoke. Tiny satin-covered buttons were used down the back of the bodice and trimmed the sleeves, which terminated in points at the wrist.

The full skirt extended into a short train. Her two-tiered finger tip veil of bridal illusion fell from a halo of orange blossoms and her bridal bouquet was designed of white carnations flowered with white satin ribbons and stephanotis.

Her only ornament was a strand of pearls, a gift of the groom.

Miss Rose DeWitt was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Janet Ann Bush and Miss Joy Patton, cousins of the bride, Miss Juanita Bill Daniel, and Mrs. David H. Robinson.

Elliott Burnett Jr. attended the groom as best man. Groomsmen were C. L. Lovelace, Harry Cross Jr., Robert Crittenden and Harris Morgan. Ushers were Ray Warren Jr. and Jack C. Mason.

The bride is a graduate of Greenville high school and received her degree from East Texas State in 1946. While in high school she was a member of the Flaming Flashes, the Quiva Social club and the Junior Standard Literary club.

While a student at East Texas State she belonged to the Tooanoo club, Alpha Chi, and was a member of Le Cercle Français. She is also a member of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority.

Kearney will receive his B. S. degree from East Texas State in August. While attending Texas U. he was a member of the Longhorn DeMolay club, the Longhorn band and the Alpha Phi Omega fraternity.

Meeting adjourned with the singing of the club song, "Sing Your Way Home."

### Eta Epsilon Hears High School Girl

Mack Milford, a junior at Commerce high school and a member of Future Homemakers of America, was speaker at the meeting of Eta Epsilon Mar. 27.

Miss Milford told of the FHA camp for area and state incoming and outgoing officers that she attended last June.

Meeting adjourned with the singing of the club song, "Sing Your Way Home."



**RECENT BRIDE . . .** Before her marriage Mrs. Ernst Gras was Miss Eva Crowder, ex-student of East Texas State and former employee of the business office.

### Miss Eva Crowder Is Wed To Ernst Gras In Denton

The marriage of Miss Eva Crowder, Corsicana, daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crowder, Sulphur Springs, to Ernst Gras, Yorktown, was solemnized April 3, at the little Chapel in the Woods, Texas State College for Women, Denton.

Officiating at the ceremony was the Rev. Brownlowe of Fort Worth. The traditional wedding marches and a vocal solo, "be cause", were presented by Misses Jean O'Brien and Bobby E. Matthews, organist and soloist, both of Denton.

For her wedding costume the bride selected a dressmaker suit of citrus wool gabardine with navy blue accessories. She carried a prayer book topped with baby calla lilies and stephanotis.

Miss Carmen Crowder, of Dallas, was the bride's only attendant, and Joseph Gras, Yorktown, was his brother's best man.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony at the Virginia Carroll Lodge. Assisting in the house party were Misses Doris and Dorothy Hawthorne, Streetman, Berta Gras, Yorktown and Laura Jean Taylor, Commerce.

The bride is a former student of TSCW and ETSTC where she received her masters degree and was employed in the business office. The groom is a senior student at Texas A&M College.

After a wedding trip to New Orleans, the couple will be at home in College Station.

Lee Swain, Tony Price; Mary Lena Ray, Thomas Ewing. Pledges and dates were: Betty Ann Dickson, Ed Deaton; Marquita Moats, Harold McCarty; sponsor Dr. Maude Noyes, Elton Johnson.



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# East Texas Netmen Shutout Sam Houston in Tennis Match

Churchill Crew Tangles With Houston University on Local Courts Tuesday

Without the loss of a match, East Texas State netters swept through seven contests with the Sam Houston State Bearkats in the initial home contest for the 1947 season here Apr. 3.

This was the second straight shutout registered by the Churchill lads in a three-day period. The Lion netmen won a seven to nothing shutout over Stephen F. Austin in Nacogdoches, Apr. 1.

Scores of singles contests, listed in order which players ranked: Ben Harry defeated Connie Smith, 6-0, 6-1; Bill Hoover won over Harris Parkhill, 6-2, 6-1; Stanley Fox took Ashford Manning, 6-2, 1-6, 6-3; David Slaughter outlasted Al Taylor 6-3, 6-3, and Bill McDowell defeated Jimmy Mann 6-2, 6-3.

In doubles the Lion combination of Harry and Fox blanked Smith and Parkhill, 6-0, 6-0, and Hoover and McDowell were too much for Manning and Taylor, 6-3, 6-3.

In the routing of the Lumberjacks Harry passed Bowdon, 7-5, 6-1; Hoover conquered Meadow, 6-2, 6-2; Slaughter blasted Blunt, 6-3, 6-4, and McDowell defeated Walters, 6-3, 6-1.

Victories in doubles came from Harry and Slaughter over Bowdon, 6-3, 6-3, and Hoover and McDowell were too much for Meadow and Crouch, 6-3, 6-4.

**Fall Before Aggies**  
In the season's lid blaster the Blue and Gold fell before the hands of the mighty Texas Aggies, 4-3 at College Station Mar. 31.

The Cadets won four singles but lost a single and both double matches.

East Texas victories came when Ben Harry won over Horace Allen, 12-10, 6-4, in the singles and Hoover and McDowell teamed up to beat Jack Thompson and Bettett, 3-6, 7-5, 6-2, and Fox and Harry took Duffey Stanley and Rod Sellers, 8-6, 4-6, 6-2.

Aggie wins were by Bill Bennett over Billy Hoover, 9-7, 6-2; Benny Stanford defeated Stanley Fox, 6-2, 2-6, 6-4. Duffey Stanley bested David Slaughter, 6-5, 5-7, 8-6, and McDowell fell before Jack Thompson, 2-6, 2-6.

The East Texans play the University of Houston netmen Apr. 15.

## Bracheen's Baseball Team-Name is Chosen

"Commerce Texans" has been chosen for the name of L. B. Bracheen's baseball team, made up of East Texas students. After learning that the college could not afford to field a baseball team, Bracheen, proprietor of the College Grill, decided to help the boys interested in the world-wide sport by sponsoring a team.

Under the managership of Johnny Bogue, the Texans will play teams in cities around the vicinity of Commerce. First official game on the schedule is with the Annona team in Annona at 3 o'clock Saturday. Sunday the Texans will journey to Leonard to play the Leonard nine.

Present line-up for the Commerce Texans includes: Pitchers, James (Cargo) Bat-chelor, Jake (The Vine) Carter and Boon Fields; Catchers, Ray Fuller and Bobby Griffin; first base, Bill Seabaugh; second base, Charlie Lee; short stop, Jimmie Littlejohn, third base, Tom Ramsey; left field, Albert Ochoa; center field, Boone Wilkins, and right field, Bill Felty.



Speedy, lanky Elwood Robertson of Cooper, East Texas State hurdler and dash man, warms up on the cinder path after recovering from the flu.

## Intramural Softball Competition Begins; Eight Teams Entered

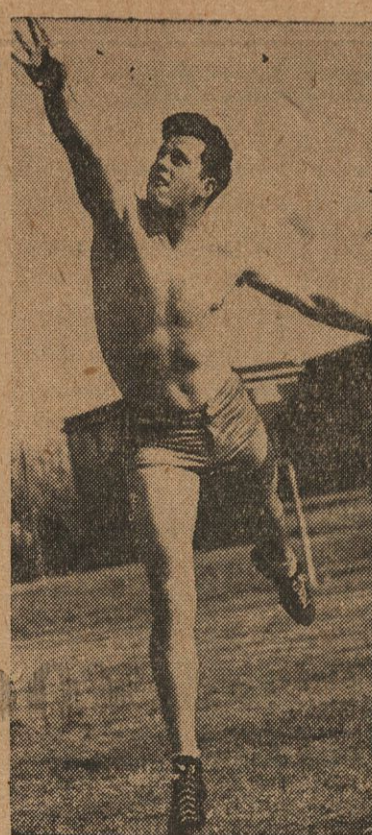
Tournaments To Be Played For Golf and Tennis Soon

Intramural practice games got under way Tuesday afternoon with the Chestnuts turning back the Ogimas in the initial game. In the opening game Tuesday night the Rebels swamped the Paragons 27-10 in only four innings of play. In the final game the "T" Association edged out the Training school team 11-10.

The Lions and the Indians round out the eight-team league. Play will get underway next week. A round-up of team and players will be published then.

**Tennis and Golf**  
Students wishing to enter the intramural tennis and golf tournaments are urged to see Intramural Coach Glen Maloney or add your name to the list on the bulletin board in the north end of the gym as soon as possible. The golf tournament will be played over 18 holes on May 2.

Dick Burleson, Extension Dairyman from Texas A. & M. College, spent Wednesday in Commerce working with J. E. Spradlin, Hunt County Artificial Breeding Association Technician.



**STRONG ARM** . . . Pacific Veteran-Letterman Boone Wilkins of Commerce, East Texas State javelin artist, follows through in the 179 feet 11 inch throw that won first place in the Border Olympics. This was the best throw in either the university or college class. He will enter the same event in the Kansas Relays Apr. 19 at Lawrence.

# East Texas Golfers Take Second in Meet

Maloney Linksman Blank Sam Houston Play Host to U. of Houston Tuesday

Faced by Walter Wynn, who posted a 74, the East Texas State golfers took second place in a five team golf meet at Corsicana last Monday.

The North Texas State Eagles, led by Ross Collins, had a team total of 383 for the day's low team score. East Texas had 400, the University of Houston Cougars were close behind with a 410. Sam Houston was in fourth position with a 446, while Stephen F. Austin was exactly 100

strikes behind the pace setting Eagles with a 483.

David Koch followed Wynn with a 75 total over the 72 hole Corsicana layout. A. R. Frank shot a 78, Bob White 86, and Johnny Grann followed with 87.

Tied with Wynn and Collins at 74 were Lawrence of North Texas and Jack Glaser of the University of Houston.

The Maloney men blanked the Sam Houston Bearkats in a dual meet on the Sulphur Springs golf links seven to nothing Apr. 3.

Next contest for the East Texas divot diggers will be Apr. 15, when the University of Houston Cougars will meet the locals on the Sulphur Springs links.

## Cougar Netters Whitewash SFA in Tennis Match

Coach John Hoff's University of Houston tennis team added a clean sweep to its victories Tuesday afternoon, taking seven matches from Stephen F. Austin state college players on the university courts.

Glenn Hewitt, former East Texas letterman, had difficulty finding his range but downed Rudy Bowden, 6-4, 6-2, in the No. 1 contest. Don Napier, former Northwestern United States junior champion, defeated Pat Meadow, 6-2, 6-1.

Jack Lanham, whipped Bobby Watson 6-1, 6-1, as Tom Bratten, former Rice Blount, 6-0, 6-0. Tommy Penn, who formerly attended Texas A. & M., cleaned up the singles matches by winning over James Walters, 6-1, 6-0.

In doubles, Hewitt and Napier trimmed Meadow and Bowden, 6-3, 6-2, and Hugh Sweeney and James Mercer downed Watson and Blount 6-2, 6-3.

## WRA Badminton Tournament Begins

Early scores in the WRA badminton tournament have been reported by Miss Elizabeth Hughes, physical education instructor.

Sue Bailey defeated Lou Miller 11-9, and succeeding matches with the winner listed first are Kathy McGaha vs. Jonnie Atkins, 11-3; Margie Stubbfield vs. Jodie Shelton, 11-5; Ruby Freyer vs. Helen Durham, 11-0; Mary Presswood vs. Betty Harris, 11-0; Margaret Day vs. Billie Sims, 11-3; Zo Arnold vs. Peggy Keifer, 11-9; Peggy Jackson vs. Lee Nabors, 11-4.

In the two doubles matches Ruby Freyer and Dot Clinton defeated Reta Abel and Myra Riley 15-7. Peggy Jackson and Mary Bolls defeated Helen Durham and Lou Miller 15-11.

## The Sport Parade

BY JOE MILNER

Tennis enthusiasts at East Texas will have an opportunity to view two of the conference's leading teams in action on the local courts Tuesday when Coach John Hoff's University of Houston tennis team appears for a match with the Lion netters.

The Cougars are led by Glen Hewitt, a former ET player. Hewitt, a 25-year-old navy veteran, lettered in tennis at East Texas in 1941 under Coach D. C. Butler. He was scholastically ineligible to participate here the following year.

Local supporters are urged to attend these matches with the Cougars. Your attendance will boost the players considerably. Game time is 2 o'clock.

East Texas, Houston university and North Texas loom as the top three contenders for the conference crown. The conference meet will be held May 2-3 at Nacogdoches.

Students who engage in matches on the local courts are urged to keep off the courts while they are wet, also to keep off at all times when wearing street shoes.

Since the tennis players with a little help from a few football players keep the gravel courts in playing condition, the least the rest of us can do to help is to co-operate in keeping the courts in the best shape possible.

Coach Bob Berry's mile and half-mile relay teams will participate in the Kansas Relays Apr. 19. The mile relay team is now in perfect condition with the possible exception of James Green, who is lagging from a case of the flu.

Making the trip to Kansas are Salinas, Robertson, Green, Valls and Calvit. Salinas, Robertson, Green and Valls constitute the mile relay team while Joe Cal-

vit substitutes for Green in making up the half-mile relay team.

East Texas State can look for a more successful basketball team next season. With the official announcement of the basketball lettermen this week by Coach Tully came word that the Lion mentor can star a letterman at each position when the 1947-48 cage race gets underway. Players receiving letters are Jake Carter and Bill Ingram, co-captains, Truitt Ingram, Troy Ingram, Travis (Dick) Gilbreath, Ray Fuller, Richard Carpenter and Jimmie Littlejohn. Bob Fuller lettered as team manager.

Six of these lettermen have one or more years of eligibility remaining at ET. Bill Ingram and Ray Fuller will graduate at the close of the spring semester. Only other member who may not be around for the opening of next year's hardwood race is Richard Carpenter. Carpenter has another year remaining, but he has not yet decided to take it. Here's hoping "Carp" will change his mind and report for duty next winter.

### Formal Reception Given By ACE For TS Children

The annual formal reception for the first six grades of Training School was given by the Association of Childhood Education on Apr. 1 at the home of Mrs. B. C. Tarter. Calling hours were from 1:30 to 4:30 p. m.

Guests were greeted by members and sponsors of the organization into the home, attractively decorated with beautiful spring flowers. Entertainment was furnished by the music department of East Texas State and the children were read a story by one of the members. Refreshments of punch and cookies were served.

## Former ET Coach Named Texas Aggie Athletic Instructor

John W. (Dough) Rollins, former East Texas State coach and former Aggie football player was named director of athletics at Texas A&M college.

Rollins, present dean of men, will retain this position. He succeeds Homer Norton, who was recently relieved of his duties after ex-students groups asked for a change.

Rollins, 52, graduated from A&M in 1917. Captain of the 1916 football team, he received letters three years.

He became head coach at East Texas in 1929, remaining here for five years through 1934. His team in 1933 won the LSC championship, the following year after its organization. His eleven of 1934 repeated as LSC champions. This 1934 aggregation was undefeated and unscored on up till the last game of the season. In the final game they defeated Southwest Texas 12-6 to accomplish undefeated record by an East Texas team since the conference was organized. This record is still good.

Before coming to ET, he coached at Wesley college in Greenville. He resigned here in 1935 to become business manager in athletics, varsity track coach and football end coach at Texas A&M.

When World War II came on he, for the second time, entered the army. During service he became a major and at the end of the war he returned to A&M as dean of men.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were served.

Each guest signed the guest book upon leaving. Miss Duralde Dorn is sponsor of ACE and students of the department of elementary education are members.

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