

Texas A&M University-Commerce

## A&M-Commerce Digital Commons

---

All Issues

The East Texan Newspaper

---

1942-11-20

### The East Texan, 1942-11-20

East Texas State Teachers College

Follow this and additional works at: <https://digitalcommons.tamuc.edu/scua-east-texan-browse-all>

---

#### Recommended Citation

East Texas State Teachers College, "The East Texan, 1942-11-20" (1942-11-20). *All Issues*. 1628.  
<https://digitalcommons.tamuc.edu/scua-east-texan-browse-all/1628>

This Text is brought to you for free and open access by the The East Texan Newspaper at A&M-Commerce Digital Commons. It has been accepted for inclusion in All Issues by an authorized administrator of A&M-Commerce Digital Commons. For more information, please contact [digitalcommons@tamuc.edu](mailto:digitalcommons@tamuc.edu).





# Society Notes

## THE EAST TEXAN

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1942



### Miss Martha Jo Lee Becomes Bride Of Henderson McDowell Thursday

Miss Martha Jo Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lee of Dallas, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lander of Mesquite, became the bride of Frank Henderson McDowell, Chief Specialist, United States Naval Reserve, Thursday afternoon at 5:30 at the First Christian Church. Rev. Nimmo Goldston, pastor of the Greenville Christian Church and close friend of the bride was the officiating minister.

The church was attractively decorated in white chrysanthemums and fern. Mrs. Charles White played the organ preceding the ceremony. She also played the wedding march during the ceremony played "Love You Truly."

The bride, given marriage by her father, wore a silver beige suit with brown accessories, and her corsage was of yellow roses.

Mrs. McDowell is a graduate of East Texas State Teachers College. The groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McDowell, also received his B. S. and Masters degrees from East Texas and before entering the Navy was assistant business manager of that institution.

The couple left immediately following the ceremony for Oklahoma City and Norman, Oklahoma, where Mr. McDowell will be stationed.

Mrs. McDowell will return in about two weeks to resume her duties as secretary to the Dean of college.

Out of town guests for the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lee, Mrs. Ralph Helton and Mrs. Myrtle Floyd of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lander, Ruth Lander, Amy Ruth Jones and Leah Smith of Mesquite.

Mrs. Wilbur Hart of Cooper, Mrs. J. F. White of Garland and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ashworth of Kilgore.

Miss Jewel Moseley, Mrs. W. E. Treadaway, Mrs. A. R. Treadway, Mrs. Clint Chamber and Mr. and Mrs. Nimmo Goldstein of Greenville.

### Annual Luncheon Honors Denton Press Club Friday

Five members of the North Texas Press Club, including Miss Paty, head of the journalism department, editor of the Campus Chat, and three representatives of the Press club were guests at a luncheon Friday noon by members of the local Press club in the recreation room of the First Methodist Church.

The T-shaped table was arranged with autumn-colored floral decorations. Place cards were in keeping with the decoration scheme.

W. N. Furry, editor of the Paris News, was the speaker for the occasion. Billie Abernathy, president of the local organization, was official hostess for the annual affair.

East Texas State Press members who attended were Billie Abernathy, Pauline Purcell, Lu Verna McKenna, Druvette Farley, Betty Sanford, Jackie Schrum, Anna Frances Eades, Carroll Grainger, LaClair Smith, Jane Sheram, Harold Studefer, Elizabeth Taylor, Bonnie Warren, Lou Shurtleff, Marshall Webb, Lynn Teller, Yvonne Cates, and Dr. D. C. Butler.

### Medieval Cave is Setting For BSU Party Friday Eve

A simulated cave resembling the huts of medieval times was the scene for a cave-man party held in the recreation room of the First Baptist Church, Friday evening, to which thirty-eight BSU members attended.

As each guest entered the name of an animal was placed on his back to identify him for the evening. Various games in keeping with the pre-historic traditions were played by the group, followed by appropriate songs and contests. Climaxing the evening's activities, refreshments were served and a bonfire was held on the church lawn.

Those in charge of decorations, refreshments, and games were Mary Alice Scott, Mrs. Floyd Cates, Irma Dee Taylor, Charles Priester, and Ouida Barnes.

### A Message For College Women

In a pamphlet recently written to college women on "How to Prepare for Employment in War Industries," it was stated that many opportunities for women to work would be opened. Besides entering the WAACS and WAVES a woman may become a secretary or business clerk, yet the great bulk of new employees will be recruited for production work in manufacturing industries. In the airplane industry in one region of Texas alone, there will be need for at least twenty-five thousand additional women in production capacities.

On the college level one of the most successful methods of entering these industries is through machine or aircraft drafting or through advanced materials or assembly inspection.

There is at the present time a great need for women between 18 and 45 years of age trained in machine, aircraft, and naval architectural drawing and design in the war industries.

There are government financed classes for women offered at frequent intervals in mechanical, machine, and aircraft drafting and in materials and ordinance inspection at several centers in Texas.

"It is especially urgent that women now in college who expect to enter the high-school teaching profession as teachers of mathematics, physics, or aviation ground school work, take as much college mathematics and physics as possible before the date of their graduation."

House operations, including light, telephone, laundry and salaries, represent 9.2 per cent of fraternity and sorority chapter expenditures, a survey shows.

### Phi Kappa Delta Accepts Twelve Pledges Recently

The Texas Gamma Chapter of Phi Kappa Delta, national honor society, has received twelve pledges who have participated in an intercollegiate contest.

After a short period of initiation the following pledges will be formally accepted into the club: Jimmie Gober, Billie Passmore, Joan Abbott, Ruth Brewer, Lloyd Dowd, Yvonne Cates, Mrs. Oscar Adams, Tom Brown, Truman Ratliff, Chester Coker, Mary Jo Oliver and Dorothy Oliver.

First of his race to report for duty at the nation's first and only camp for Negro marines at New River, N. C., was H. P. Perry, former law student at Lincoln university.

WOODS: PARAGON: Stanley Williams, David Barrow, Buddy Gibson, Julius Allen, Billy Reeves, James Weatherly, Billy Holbert, Marshall Webb, Billy John Sullivan and Philip Davis.



FORMAL INITIATION was given to the above pictured pledges of the Artesma club Monday night on the traditional black and white rug of the sponsor, Mrs. Eudibia Lutz, at whose home the club was organized in 1935. Following the initiation, Miss Lutz spoke briefly on the history of the Artesma, and served refreshments to these pledges and the members present. Pat Morris is president of the club. Reading from left to right on the bottom row are: Stanley Fox, Sulphur Springs; Aubrey Tyler, Dallas; Edwin Fly, Cooper; Kenneth Johnson, Sulphur Springs. On the second row, the following boys are shown: David Murray, Billie W. Lee, and Mike Perkins from Sulphur Springs; Billie Cal Scott, Lone Oak; and Kenneth Pharr, Sulphur Springs. Standing in the back row are: Billie Hambrick from Lone Oak; Albert Harris and J. C. Montgomery from Greenville; Scanie Shadit, Clarksville, and Claud Cluney from Commerce.

### Annual Presentation Dance To Be Held In Whitley Gym Saturday Eve.; Club Pledges Will Be Introduced

The annual pledge presentation dance honoring pledges of the eight social clubs will be staged November 21 in Whitley Gym at 8:00 p. m.

All-college affair, sponsored by the Club Council Forum, is to be a formal dance with music furnished by the EastTexans.

Preparations for the dance were handled by the following committees appointed by the president: decorations, Britsy Draper, Bette Denton and Virgean, Godwin. Orchestra arrangement, Billy Stone. Invitation, Evelyn Underwood and Pat Morris. Sponsors for the occasion are Dr. Maud Noyes and Dr. E. M. Shepherd.

Evelyn Underwood, President of the Club Council Forum, will introduce Pat Morris, Vice-President, who will present the pledges in the following order:

KALIR: Doris Arnold, Beth Bradford, Betty Butler, Mary Campbell, Dorra Chaney, Jimmie Forrester, Margaret Handley, Betty Jean Jones, Sue Royce, Trinka Seely, Ruth Stafford, Betty Stuart, Nan Warrick, Martha Wheeler, Jean Young and Dorothy Zachery.

LES CHOISITES: Leta Jo Adams, Paula Breedlove, Jean Freeman, Peggy Jackson, Mell Johns, Nellwyn Puckett, and Ann El Mason.

MARPESSA: Polly Dorrough, Helen Hart, Margaret Lacey, Evelyn McKinnie, Ruth Reeder, Peggy Taylor, Mary Jo Thigpen, Sarah Thompson and Nita Wiggs.

TOOANOOWE: Anna Beth Atchinson, Dorothy Jean Baldwin, Norma Lee Cantrell, Rose DeWitt, Martha Hollerend, Dorothy Mason, Mary Alice Norwood, Evelyn Parker, Joycelynn Pearson, Nancy Phillips, Betty Robinson, Doris Sailer, Patti Tyson, Baby Esther Taylor, Annie Lee Walton and Vennie Lou Wester. Tarter, with the president, Margaret Watkins, supervising. Entertainment for the meeting was furnished by the pledges.

Hostesses for the evening were Bette Denton and Elizabeth Taylor.

Refreshments were served to the following members and pledges: Margaret Watkins, Bette Denton, Elizabeth Taylor, Jacqueline Cheshire, Mary Francis Grey, Billie Abernathy, Gladys Taylor, Ella Mae Jack, Bobbie Jones, and Clara Mae Reeder; pledges: Margaret Laey, Ruth Reeder, Sarah Thompson, Evelyn Faye McKinney, Polly Dorrough, Nita Wiggs, Peggy Taylor, Helen Hart, Mary Jo Thigpen; and the sponsor, Mrs. Tarter.

Encouragement of co-eds to enroll in mathematics is an aspect of the war effort at the University of California.

### Marpessas Organize Ingenious Plan For Raising Club Funds

The Gloomy Girdes and the Sunny Sussies are the titles of the two fiscal groups into which the members of the Marpessa club were divided at the last regular meeting. The duty of the Gloomy Girdes, is to contribute a penny to the savings account on every day that it is cloudy at noon, and the Sunny Sussies will do the same for the sunny days.

These organizations were established following the business session of the club Monday evening in the home of Mrs. B. C. Tarter, with the president, Margaret Watkins, supervising. Entertainment for the meeting was furnished by the pledges.

Hostesses for the evening were Bette Denton and Elizabeth Taylor.

Refreshments were served to the following members and pledges: Margaret Watkins, Bette Denton, Elizabeth Taylor, Jacqueline Cheshire, Mary Francis Grey, Billie Abernathy, Gladys Taylor, Ella Mae Jack, Bobbie Jones, and Clara Mae Reeder; pledges: Margaret Laey, Ruth Reeder, Sarah Thompson, Evelyn Faye McKinney, Polly Dorrough, Nita Wiggs, Peggy Taylor, Helen Hart, Mary Jo Thigpen; and the sponsor, Mrs. Tarter.

Encouragement of co-eds to enroll in mathematics is an aspect of the war effort at the University of California.

### Kalirs Make Plans For Social Meeting

Duties for new members were assigned at the last meeting of the Kalir Klub Monday night. Evelyn McCullough, president, presided at the business session. The club will meet Monday, Nov. 23, with Joan Branch and Ottajean Thrasher as hostesses for a social meeting.

Those present were Joan Branch, Virgane Godwin, Martha Ritter, Martha Shelton, Sarah Stone, Evelyn McCullough, Camille Cameron, Bess Rix, Ottajean Thrasher, Bonnie Stevens, Nan Warrick, Betty Stuart, Betty Butler, Betty Jean Jones, Sue Royce, Dorra Chaney, Martha Wheeler, Jean Young, Jimmie Forrester, Beth Bradford, Trinka Seely, Mary Campbell, Margaret Handley, Dorothy Zachery, Doris Arnold, and Ruth Stafford.

### Former President Present At Meeting Of Les Choisites

Mrs. Wilma Oliver, Muskogee, an ex-president of the Les Choisites club, was guest at the regular meeting of the club Monday evening at the club house.

Druvette Farley presided at the business session during which plans for the Goulash dance held Tuesday night were made. Other business matters were discussed by the group.

Refreshments were served to the group by Helen Chapman and Druvette Farley, hostesses for the evening.

### Students Receive Paragon Membership Monday Evening

Stanley Williams, Billy Reeves, Buddy Gibson, David Barrow, and Julius Allen received formal initiation services at the regular meeting of the Paragon club Monday evening at the Paragon House. Jackie Schrum, president, was in charge of the business session which preceded the initiation service. Plans for a social to be held in the near future were discussed.

Roger Schrum, treasurer, was in charge of refreshments which were served as a climax to the occasion.

Dr. William H. Abbt, for 15 years of physics at Texas Technological Institute, has been named associate professor of physics at Carleton college, Northfield, Minn.

Prince Hubertus Loewenstein, an Austrian nobleman with a Ph. D. from the University of Hamburg and an authority on the Fascist state, is a visiting professor at Hamline university.

Anyone who can "doodle" can learn to draw, believes Dr. Arthur M. Johnson, associate professor of botany at the University of California.

### A Pattern Review

Thanksgiving weather is upon us and even though you won't travel "over the river and through the snow to Grandmother's house" for Thanksgiving dinner, you'll be sitting down to a feast of turkey and pumpkin pie in some place where you will want to be dressed in holiday style. For the holiday season, the season of parties and fun really begins with Thanksgiving.

And what is more important than the consideration of evening dresses? The new shorter length has shown rapid strides in the past few months toward becoming the season's favorite. But as far as the men are concerned, according to a recent survey—nothing can approach the popularity of the full length evening gown with all its glamor, femininity and lovely allure. It is true, however, that evening dresses show a tendency toward covering up—small puffed sleeves and higher necklines are taking the place of the former backless, strapless, sleeveless versions.

Velveteen is proving a best-seller fabric for evening wear, both in the long and shorter versions. It has a regal, luxurious air that makes you feel like a queen and it has the added quality of keeping you warm.

And warmth is an important quality in fabrics this winter. Fashion shows are being built around this idea with newcomers such as quilted fabrics on Ar-



lac taking the spotlight. Here you have warmth combined with irresistible prints and plaids, beautiful moires, taffetas, cottons, satins, failles. And they've been shown in a wide range of styles, from bed-jackets to slacks to evening gowns. To illustrate one of the styles most adaptable to quilted fabrics, we have chosen McCall 5014, a bib and jumper. Make it of bright green or blue or red and trim it with white rickrack. Then make the blouse, McCall 5018 of a soft printed challis and line the skirt with the same material. It's perfect for an outdoor skating party, warm and yet feminine and charming. And remember, that the fabric of your choice plus a McCall Printed Pattern equals a costume to be proud of!

### Friar Fraternity Invites Student Body To "Open House" Sunday At House

Highlight of the social activities on the campus this week end will be the open house to which the entire student body has been issued invitations by the Friar fraternity.

Hours for calling are from 3 p. m. to 6 p. m. at the Friar club residence, 1804 Live Oak street.

Light refreshments will be served guests present by the boys. Guests will include members of the student body, and special invitations have been extended to parents, faculty members, and social club members.

The club discussed plans for the social and for a dinner to be given in honor of Friar members of the football squad, Buck Perine, Bill Rogers, Bob Brede-loce, and Clarence Morris, at their meeting Monday evening.

Pledges Arkie Vaughn, Marcel Chart, Upton Giles, and James Lumpkin were accepted as members at the regular meeting Monday night.

J. W. Farmer and Bill Jones were given further initiation and Benny Parsons was re-accepted into pledgeship following his return from the Marines.

### Aggies Make Plans For Social Meeting To Be Held Monday

Plans for a party to be held in the City Park Monday evening at 7:30 were completed at the regular meeting of the Kernel Klub, agriculture students, Monday night in the Science building. In case of unfavorable weather, the affair will convene in the recreation room of the Boys' dorm.

Members of the committees are: Production, Keathley Henley, Leon Brazil, Randel Daniels, Chester Burnett, and Harold Kabb; food, Joe McGowan, Junior Laver, Alvin Moody, Keathley Henley, Edward Moses, and Paul Shields; date, Carroll Nichols, Tom Bell, Jesse Swindell, C. H. Adams, Garland Swift, and Billy Stokes; game, Junior Laver, Edward Deaton, Paul Shields, Dewitt Tekell Alvin Moody, and Keathley Henley.

### Dub Hill Presides At Meeting of Ogimas Monday

Final plans for the presentation dance which will be held Saturday night in the Whitley gymnasium, were made at the regular meeting of the Ogima club Monday night in the club room of the Boys' dormitory. An informal social session followed the business meeting of which Dub Hill, president, presided.

Anyone who can "doodle" can learn to draw, believes Dr. Arthur M. Johnson, associate professor of botany at the University of California.

Anyone who can "doodle" can learn to draw, believes Dr. Arthur M. Johnson, associate professor of botany at the University of California.

Anyone who can "doodle" can learn to draw, believes Dr. Arthur M. Johnson, associate professor of botany at the University of California.

### A Pattern Review

Thanksgiving weather is upon us and even though you won't travel "over the river and through the snow to Grandmother's house" for Thanksgiving dinner, you'll be sitting down to a feast of turkey and pumpkin pie in some place where you will want to be dressed in holiday style. For the holiday season, the season of parties and fun really begins with Thanksgiving.

And what is more important than the consideration of evening dresses? The new shorter length has shown rapid strides in the past few months toward becoming the season's favorite. But as far as the men are concerned, according to a recent survey—nothing can approach the popularity of the full length evening gown with all its glamor, femininity and lovely allure. It is true, however, that evening dresses show a tendency toward covering up—small puffed sleeves and higher necklines are taking the place of the former backless, strapless, sleeveless versions.

Velveteen is proving a best-seller fabric for evening wear, both in the long and shorter versions. It has a regal, luxurious air that makes you feel like a queen and it has the added quality of keeping you warm.

And warmth is an important quality in fabrics this winter. Fashion shows are being built around this idea with newcomers such as quilted fabrics on Ara-



lac taking the spotlight. Here you have warmth combined with irresistible prints and plaids, beautiful moires, taffetas, cottons, satins, failles. And they've been shown in a wide range of styles, from bed-jackets to slacks to evening gowns. To illustrate one of the styles most adaptable to quilted fabrics, we have chosen McCall 5014, a bib and jumper. Make it of bright green or blue or red and trim it with white rickrack. Then make the blouse, McCall 5018 of a soft printed challis and line the skirt with the same material. It's perfect for an outdoor skating party, warm and yet feminine and charming. And remember, that the fabric of your choice plus a McCall Printed Pattern equals a costume to be proud of!

