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Texas Technological College Lubbock, Texas

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MEN'S RESIDENCE COUNCIL

Dear Techsan,

Welcome, or Welcome Back to Raiderland! On behalf of the Men's Residence Council I would like to extend to you a sincere greeting and hope that you find, as we have, that this student body is the friendliest in the Southwest. Perhaps in a very short time the spirit of Texas Tech will find a place in your heart as it has in ours.

A vital part of this spirit is the residence hall system on the campus. The residence halls, while serving as your living quarters at Tech, should also provide the opportunity for you to learn the valuable lessons that are taught only by such close association with your fellow students. Your residence hall can be your home-away-fromhome only if you make it so. We urge you to participate and to take an interest in the activities of your hall association and you will gain from it the valuable experiences that we know are here. There are seven men's halls here at Tech, and various activities and policies among the halls are coordinated by the Men's Residence Council.

Tech's residence hall system is undoubtedly one of the finest in the Southwest and you should consider it a privilege to have access to such excellent facilities. It is our earnest hope that you use these facilities wisely and constructively to better yourself, and that you contribute to their future success by a sincere interest in the wellbeing of your hall.

Sincerely yours,

Michael E. Miller, President

Men's Residence Council 1961-1962

Welcome

The entire staff of the residence hall division of the Office of the Dean of Men would like to take this opportunity to extend to you our warmest personal greetings and a hearty welcome to the campus community of Texas Technological College.

By virtue of the fact that you will be living in one of the men's residence halls, you are now a full member of the Men's Residence Hall Association. This membership brings to you the right to vote on and participate in the activities of the Association in a manner not unlike that which is expected of a responsible citizen in any civic community.

This handbook is intended to introduce you to some of the procedures and programs which have been established by student leaders before you. During the time you spend as a member of your hall association, you will undoubtedly have the experience of working with other students to improve and strengthen the program for the benefit of students yet to come to Texas Tech.

The entire College is proud of its residence hall program and is able to point with pride to the many significant educational contributions which the Association has afforded its members. It now becomes your responsibility to carry on these fine traditions and, by so doing, broaden and increase the scope of your education by taking full advantage of the opportunity to participate in a dynamic experience in group living.

Sincerely,
Lewis N. Jones

Dean of Men





TEXAS TECHNOLOGICAL COLLEGE AND LUBBOCK

Texas Technological College is located in Lubbock, Texas, on a sprawling 1,844 acre campus that gives it the distinction of being the second largest single tract campus in the United States, with an enrollment of over 10,000 students. Texas Tech offers degrees in six schools — (1) Agriculture, (2) Arts and Sciences, (3) Business Administration, (4) Engineering, (5) Home Economics, and (6) Graduate.

Lubbock, with a 1960 census of over 128,000 persons, lies in the heart of the South Plains. Lubbock offers excellent banking and merchandising facilities and rates high as a medical center. It is an important agricultural center and is consistently known as one of the cleanest cities in Texas.

The educational atmosphere of Texas Tech blends with Lubbock's cultural environment to provide a highly satisfactory setting for Tech students. This provides a college atmosphere that promises to be a highly rewarding one.

Student Government

- Student Government At Texas Tech
- Residence Hall Government
- Men's Residence Council (MRC)
- Board of Student Organizations

STUDENT GOVERNMENT AT TEXAS TECH

The program of student government at Tech is quite an extensive one. Its highly developed organizational system, coupled with the student-elected Student Council, provides an atmosphere for student leadership and achievement equal to that of any college anywhere. There is a place for every person at Texas Tech, whether it be in organizational work or in Student Council work. Adequate opportunities are available for everyone in more than 160 campus organizations, and it is certainly hoped that the individual will find his place in the system. Remember, Texas Tech is student-governed — which means that you have an opportunity to broaden your college experience through your own work and enjoyment.

The student orientation for freshmen is coordinated by student government leaders.



RESIDENCE HALL GOVERNMENT

The men's residence halls at Tech operate strictly on the student government principle. Each hall is governed by a Hall Council, which consists of a president, vice president, secretary-treasurer, MRC representative, a wing-governor for each wing, a Food Service representative, and various committee chairmen. The Hall Council sponsors and coordinates the various activities of the hall, and all matters relating to student government should be taken up with a member of the Council. Elections are held every spring for hall officers, and every hall resident who meets college eligibility requirements is eligible.

Residence hall activities are financed with hall dues, which are collected at the beginning of the year, and by profits made from hall laundry and dry cleaning concessions. By patronizing your hall laundry service, you help to improve hall services, activities, and facilities.

MEN'S RESIDENCE COUNCIL

The Men's Residence Council was organized in 1956 to foster cooperation in student government between the individual halls and to consider all problems of mutual concern to the men's halls at Tech. MRC is composed of all the hall presidents and an elected representative from each of the halls to the council.

President Max King leads discussion in a Wells Hall Council meeting.



The Men's Residence Council reviews many problems throughout the year that affect the general welfare of the residents of men's halls. Some of the activities which MRC sponsors include the Homecoming decorations contest for the men's halls at Homecoming, the printing and distribution of "Tips for Tech Men," and the MRC scholarship. For the hall resident who is interested in student government, MRC offers an excellent opportunity for participation in such activities.

BOARD OF STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

The Board of Student Organizations was organized in 1952 to study the problems of organizations at Texas Tech and to foster a spirit of cooperation between organizations at this institution. The board is composed of the presidents or elected representative of each organization at Tech. The hall presidents ordinarily represent the men's residence halls, and BSO serves as a medium of communication with, and participation in, student government at Texas Tech.

Residence Hall System

- Tech's Residence Halls
 Bledsoe Hall
 Carpenter Hall
 Gaston Hall
 Gordon Hall
 Sneed Hall
 Thompson Hall
 Wells Hall
- Activities in the Residence Halls
- Social Activities
- Athletics
- Scholarship and Cultural Activities

TECH'S RESIDENCE HALLS

A vital part of the educational progress at Texas Tech is the residence hall system. The residence halls offer a wide variety of programs to suit all tastes — educational, athletic, and entertaining. The residence halls offers a complete education in group living, an experience which many individuals have never had. This also provides an excellent atmosphere for the serious study so necessary to meet the high academic standards at Texas Tech. The residence hall system works hand in hand with student government to provide excellent training for residents and to afford an opportunity for participation in student activities. The residence hall system is a vital and necessary link in the chain of academic and extra-curricular activity at Texas Tech.

There are seven men's halls on the campus, housing some 2,470 Techsans. Each has its own distinctive history and customs, and competition between them is strong. On the following pages may be found a brief account of the activities of each of the men's halls for the past year. Perhaps these sketches can assist you in deciding which hall will best suit your individual needs.

Bledsoe Hall

Bledsoe Hall continued to keep the "first place" look at Texas Tech this year.

September saw the arrival of 100 freshmen to Bledsoe Hall. Our freshmen were well oriented into college life with the co-sponsored Bledsoe Hall and Student Council freshmen orientation program.

Homecoming was a big event in November. Bledsoe, for the second straight year, sponsored the winning candidate. This year it was Miss Beth O'Quinn. Miss O'Quinn was also Sweetheart of Bledsoe Hall this year. Also for the second straight year, Bledsoe won Brown's All-Campus Award for the best decorated hall and was awarded the MRC trophy for the best decorated hall. Both awards were Homecoming awards.

Intramural football saw Bledsoe finish in second place.

Mixers were held with Knapp, Drane and West Halls during the fall semester and fun was had by all.

Bledsoe had nominees in both the La Ventana Beauty Contest and Miss Playmate, and all did well in the contests.

The intramural basketball team did very well, finishing among the top three teams.

Scholarship was not to be denied, as Bledsoe was in the top three for grades of all men's residence halls.

Officers of Bledsoe for 1962-63 are: Wendall Newman, president; Bill Dunn, vice president; Mark Wheless, secretary-treasurer.

Bledsoe president, Wendall Newman, talks over plans for 1962 - 63 with Joe Stephens, Saddle Tramp president (second from left); Mark Wheless, secretary-treasurer of Bledsoe (far left); and Eldon Hambright, supervisor.





Carpenter Hall

Welcome to Carpenter Hall, the "best hall" on the campus, a claim we can back with facts.

Although we are the youngest residence hall on campus, we still claim the distinction of winning more trophies in our short four years, than all the other men's halls put together. This collection of trophies shows just a part of a unified hall spirit.

This spirit consists of many individuals working together as a team for the betterment of the hall. In the last two years, we have come in second and fifth in all-college intramurals — our second place was the highest position ever achieved by a residence hall in intramural competition. We have also won the all-college bicycle race two out of the last three years. Another type of spirit is shown by the fact that we have also won the school spirit trophy two out of the last three years.

Not to be left out in Carpenter Hall is our scholastic program. Carpenter has had the top grade-point average of all the men's halls for two of the past three semesters, which means a lot to the residents of the hall. This shows that we keep an atmosphere suitable for study in Carpenter, and that there is always somebody to help you when you feel stumped or in the dark for the next quiz.

We also have our share of social life, with hall movies, mixers with "live" girls, a spring dance, and an all-hall barbecue in the spring.

If you get into Carpenter, feel lucky, since we have more upper classmen trying to get into Carpenter than any other men's hall on campus. Hope you're one of the lucky few, and we, the men of Carpenter Hall, are looking forward to seeing you next fall.

Wing Adviser Gerald Irion, left, and Concessions Advisers Steve Benno and Everett Gibson look admiringly at the Carpenter trophy case.

Gaston Hall

Gaston Hall can point with pride to its past year's work, for it has indeed been a good one.

In intramural athletics, the Gremlins from Gaston brought home the all-college bowling championship, and they also won the residence hall tug-of-war championship. Gaston teams finished well in other sports, too. Its basketball team established a Gaston hall scoring record.

Scholarship was high on the list of achievements, with 47 Gaston residents making a B grade average or better. This is an indication of the excellent study habits observed by the residents.

Cooperation is the keynote in Gaston, for the hall participates in all-campus activities and is always well represented. For instance, Gaston Hall residents established a national record in a telephone talkathon with West Hall, the freshman women's residence hall. Gaston's nominees for beauty contests always finish high, which indicates the strong support given them by the men of Gaston.

Gaston Hall is one of the new men's halls and as such can offer many fine and varied facilities. With it fine facilities, excellent program, and the spirit of cooperation between residents, Gaston Hall offers much to the incoming Tech student. We'll be looking for you in Gaston.

Pictured above is the Gaston Hall tug-of-war team, which won the all-college championship last year.



Gordon Hall

Gordon Hall — yes, that's what the brass sign out front says. This is the men's residence hall that is centrally located on campus — close to all the major classroom buildings. It is practically across the street from the College Avenue shops where the Tech student can get everything from crackers to suits. The building is clean, well-lighted, and excellently ventilated. Add to this the fact that the hall residents maintain the highest overall grade average of all of the men's halls, and you have an idea why this is a choice place to live while going to Tech.

Why else should Gordon Hall interest you? Well, the answer to that depends upon the type of individual you are. Our residence hall has something for everyone, no matter who he is or what his interests happen to be. There are fellows here who are willing to become your best friends — if that's what you want. We've got all types, too! Everything from the outdoorsman to the pencil pusher, from the sophisticate to the diamond-in-the-rough, from the engineer to the agriculturist. They're all around some place — and that's what gives the hall meaning.

You get an education in the hall that you can't get from books. Here you learn to live with men, to broaden your interests, to develop your viewpoints, to strengthen your tolerance, and to respect people as individuals. The things you learn here in Gordon about people, and about life, will aid and guide your success in the future as much as any of the subjects you study at Texas Tech.



Having a brief get - together on the stairs in Gordon are some of the hall leaders. From left to right, they are: Frank Finch, 1962-63 president; John MacNeill, supervisor; George Stanley, secretary; Dick Solomon, vice president; and Reg Crump, past president.

Sneed Hall

Sneed Hall is the oldest men's hall at Texas Tech; and, as such, it is steeped in tradition. The men of Sneed welcome the chance to help freshmen adjust to college life, and the big brother attitude which prevails is a very effective aid during the orientation period. Sneed Hall wants men who can carry on its traditions.

Throughout the year Sneed Hall offers many social activities. There are many mixers with various women's halls, and these same halls cooperate with Sneed in having exchange dinners. The annual Sneed Hall Turkey Run is held every Thanksgiving, and the winner receives a turkey and a *kiss* from the Sneed Hall Queen. The Sneed picnic is held in the spring.

Sneed Hall consistently ranks tops in intramural sports, and a wide program is employed to assure every man of his athletic needs. Competition is keen between wings in Sneed's basketball, football, and softball tournaments.

Sneed is also ranked as one of the top halls scholastically. In conjunction with the emphasis on scholarship, awards are given to the top-ranking men in the hall. Athletic and leadership awards are also given to outstanding Sneed residents.

Sneed claims to be the friendliest hall on campus, and this is only one of the qualities that make it the fine residence hall that it is. If you are looking for a group of men who want to help you, then welcome to Sneed Hall. We'll be looking for you.

Tech golfer Mac Tubb shows SWC basketball star Roger "Snake" Hennig "how it was done." Both are Sneed residents.



Thompson Hall

Thompson Hall, as all the other halls, sponsors the usual intramural program which includes football, basketball, and softball. The hall also sponsors a bowling team for those who are interested.

Thompson sponsors a Welcome Exes Program each fall which is a part of Homecoming activities.

For other activities the hall sponsors mixers, movies, and steak fries. This year Thompson has had mixers with Drane, West, and Knapp Halls. Last fall Thompson was presented a movie projector by Mr. Charles Thompson, the man for whom the hall was named, in the spring of 1961. The movies are the best of the past and present movies which are shown in regular theaters. The cost of renting the films is paid by collecting a small fee at the door and any money which is left over is put into the hall treasury. Besides the movies, many of the most popular cartoons are also shown.

The steak fries are paid for from the hall fund, which is mostly made up from the Thompson Hall dues.

The officers for 1962-63 are: president, Wayne Johnston; vice president, Mike Hartgraves; secretary, William R. Moore; treasurer, John Miller.

Calling the women's halls is a favorite pastime at Tech, and the Thompson Hall officers are certainly no exception. From left to right, they are Mike Hartgraves, vice president; Wesley Johnston, president; John Miller, MRC representative; and Bill Moore, secretary.

Wells Hall

"Something for everyone" — that's the theme at Wells. And Wells Hall can adequately make this boast, for its program is indeed planned with all 360 hall residents in mind.

Wells participates in all intramural sports, and its teams consistently place high in the standings. Emphasis is placed upon individual participation, however, and everyone enjoys the Wells Hall sports program. Inter-wing tournaments in athletics are held annually, and the Wells ping-pong tournament is becoming a rapid favorite.

Social activities place high on the list of Wells Hall functions. This is exemplified by Wells' victory this past year in one campuswide beauty contest and its high finishes in others. Dances, mixers, exchange dinners — all are a part of the hall social program. Movies are also utilized to aid in entertaining hall residents. A major feature of Wells' program is its annual Talent Show, which has been very favorably received in the past. This past year Wells co-sponsored the event with West Hall, the freshman women's hall.

Studies are never ignored in Wells Hall, however. The upperclassmen are always willing to help freshmen, and this spirit of cooperation prevails throughout the hall. Wells Hall annually presents awards to the highest individuals in scholarship, leadership, and athletics at its Awards Banquet.

The quality of the residence hall can best be determined by the quality of the residents, and Wells consistently has top student leaders and scholars as residents. We in Wells believe that we have a program you will want to be part of, and we will see you next fall!

Wells Hall officers listen attentively as President Max King explains just "how it's gonna be." From left to right, they are King, Bill Shrader, MRC representative; David Dean, vice president; and David Burnet, secretary-treasurer.



A necessary part of college education—the "old fashioned bull-session."

ACTIVITIES IN THE RESIDENCE HALLS

Every men's residence hall governing group at Texas Tech realizes the responsibility it has to provide a broad program of activities that is suitable for the needs of every hall resident. It is with this goal in mind that each hall has embarked upon a program of social, athletic, and cultural activities designed to supplement the education of each hall resident and to enhance the college life of Texas Tech. The broad program of activities sponsored by Tech's residence halls is a credit to the school and to the halls; and every effort should be made by each hall resident to utilize it, for it represents some of the finest program planning at Texas Tech.

This is one of last year's outstanding hall decorations for Home-coming. This decoration gave Bledsoe the trophy for the best decorated men's hall.



SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

A well-rounded social program is the rule in the men's residence halls. Activities include many functions: mixers with the women's halls, first run movies, special shows and events and Homecoming activities. Every effort has been made to assure hall residents that their social needs are met.

ATHLETICS

For the athletically inclined hall residents, a full slate of participation in intramural athletics is offered. Hall residents may participate in campus-wide athletic contests that range from badminton to wrestling. Each hall provides athletic equipment for practice or for general recreation, and it may be checked out at the hall office. The hall athletic program serves to keep the residents physically fit, and the emphasis is placed upon individual participation and enjoyment rather than winning at any cost.



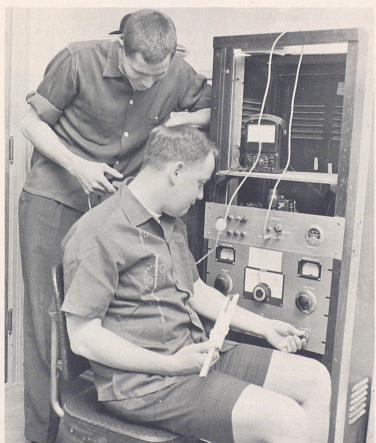
Boomeranging has become a favorite sport of many hall residents, and here Wells residents Tom Creager and Phil Everett wind up to throw as Tanner Mahan looks on.



SCHOLARSHIP AND CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

Each of the halls has its own distinctively different scholarship and cultural activities program. Many speakers, lecturers, and cultural programs are offered throughout the year. In addition, most of the halls provide awards or banquets in honor of their outstanding scholars. Many halls offer "how to study" programs. Regardless of how each specific hall program is carried out, every men's hall at Texas Tech is concerned with the cultural and scholastic phases of college life; and it is for this reason that great emphasis is placed upon these activities.

Living in the halls can also enrich the educational experience at Tech, as witnessed by these Sneed residents.



Facilities and Services

- Food Service
- Vending Machines
- · Laundry and Dry Cleaning
- Telephone Service
- Recreational Facilities
- Guest Service
- Hall Office
- Maintenance Men
- Hall Housecleaners
- Storage Facilities
- Room Facilities

Every effort has been made to make your stay in a men's residence hall at Texas Tech a pleasant one. There are a number of facilities and services offered by the halls as a part of your living program, and it is hoped that these services will offer you the greatest convenience possible.

FOOD SERVICE

To the Director of Food Service at Texas Tech has fallen the job of preparing twenty meals a week for over 4,500 students. The meals are planned in a central office and then prepared in each of the halls in a modern, well-staffed kitchen. Meals are planned with a wide variety of tastes in mind, and their quality ranks high in college residence hall food programs.

The price of meals in the hall is included in the monthly room rate, and all hall residents are expected to eat in their respective halls. If a student has a conflict with his meal schedule because of classes

or work hours, arrangements should be made to eat early. Meals are served at the following hours:

	Mon Sat.	Sunday
Breakfast	7:00 - 8:00 a.m.	8:00 - 8:45 a.m.
Lunch	11:45 a.m 12:30 p.m.	12:15 - 1:00 p.m.
Dinner	5:30 - 6:15 p.m.	No Meal

It is requested that residents comply with these hours to facilitate more efficient service.

Each hall has a Food Service Representative to whom should be taken all questions concerning meals, dining hall policies, etc. The representative is your link with the Director of Food Service and should be utilized whenever questions or problems arise.

One favor is requested of each hall resident, and that is that he observe strictly the policy that meal tickets are not transferable. Food costs are multiplied if this policy is not adhered to, and we request that you please honor the regulation.





Everyone "dresses up" for Sunday dinner in the halls.

VENDING MACHINES

Various types of soft drink and candy machines are located throughout the halls for your convenience. These machines are a cooperative venture aimed at serving you in your residence hall life. The profits from these machines have helped to build the new milliondollar annex to the Student Union Building, an addition that every Techsan can well be proud of.

LAUNDRY AND DRY CLEANING

Each hall provides laundry and dry cleaning service for those who desire it. Two student concession advisers pick up the laundry nightly, send it out, and have it returned to the laundry room usually for less than it can be done elsewhere. All halls offer a maximum of two-day service, while some have one-day service. Most of the laundry services also take care of buttons, mending, or patching to give you personalized service.

All profits are placed in the hall treasury, so you actually profit by patronizing your hall laundry and dry cleaning service.

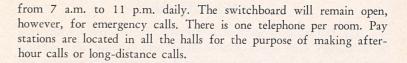
TELEPHONE SERVICE

The newest innovation at Texas Tech, and the one of which we are proudest, is the newly installed individual-room telephone service in the residence halls. Any number on campus may be reached immediately by simply dialing a four-digit number. All calls go through a central switchboard, and hours for calls will be limited to the hours

Bledsoe resident Miles Sadler makes use of the candy machine during a study break.

Sneed Hall laundry concessionaire Udo Specht writes out a laundry ticket for Doug Gib-





RECREATIONAL FACILITIES

Recreational areas are provided in each of the men's residence halls at Texas Tech in which will be found room to play ping-pong or cards, or just relax. Each hall provides a television set in the lounge area for each resident's use and pleasure. Athletic equipment is also available. These recreational facilities are just another part of the hall program to make your hall living more pleasant.

GUEST SERVICE

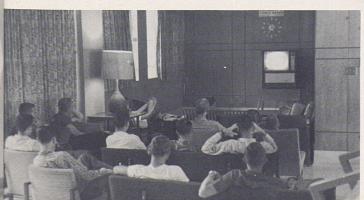
Perhaps there will be times when you will have a guest who desires to stay overnight in the hall, and this service in available if space permits. Overnight rates are 50 cents per person for a double room and \$1.00 per person for a single room. Guests are also allowed to eat in the lining halls and should see a staff member to obtain a guest meal ticket. Rates for guest meals are as follows: breakfast, 40c; lunch, 80c; dinner, 85c; and Sunday dinner, \$1.25.

Thompson residents enjoy a game of ping-pong.









HALL OFFICE

The hall office is the center of much of the activity within the residence hall. The office handles your own personal mail service, issues your mail box combination or key, checks out athletic and ping-pong equipment, and provides many useful services for individuals within the hall. The office is your means of communication with hall activity, so make good use of its service.

MAINTENANCE MEN

Each hall has a full-time maintenance man employed to take care of the countless little jobs that naturally arise in a building so large. He is well trained and knows his business, and his aid is invaluable to the student who is not a "Mr. Fixit" or who is pressed for time. The hall resident should, at all times, take care to prevent unnecessary damage; but if maintenance problems arise, just call the Maintenance Man!

HALL HOUSECLEANERS

Each hall has two women who clean the halls, stairways, and lounge areas. These ladies are eager to keep the hall as nice and as neat as possible; and your cooperation with them will benefit everyone, yourself included.

Mail time is eagerly awaited in all the halls.

Senior Tom Hunt says hello to two friendly ladies in Wells, the cleaning women.

STORAGE FACILITIES

Storage facilities are available in the basement of each hall, and students may store trunks or other bulky items here. By providing this service, faster and easier moving is facilitated at the end of a semester, and greater convenience is offered to each resident.

ROOM FACILITIES

All rooms in Bledsoe, Gordon, and Sneed have movable furniture that includes two single beds, a double desk, a chest of drawers, and two straight chairs. Lounge chairs are provided in Bledsoe and Gordon. All three halls provide two spacious closets in each room.

The rooms in Wells, Carpenter, Gaston, and Thompson contain modern, built-in furniture that includes individual desks, bookshelves, beds that serve as couches during the day, chests of drawers and closets. There are individual pegboards for bulletin boards and additional storage spaces below the beds and above the closets.

Each residence hall room has its own lavatory and medicine cabinet. Shower and toilet facilities are centrally located on each wing. Several rooms with private baths are available in Bledsoe, Gordon, and Sneed.

Each student must furnish his own pillow, linens, sheets, bedspreads (for single beds), towels, ash trays, drapes if so desired, lamps and other accessories. Each hall resident may bring radio, record player, iron, coffee pot, electric clock, and electric shaver. However, no television sets or refrigerators will be allowed in the rooms.

Each hall resident is expected to clean his own room, as no such facilities are offered by the halls.



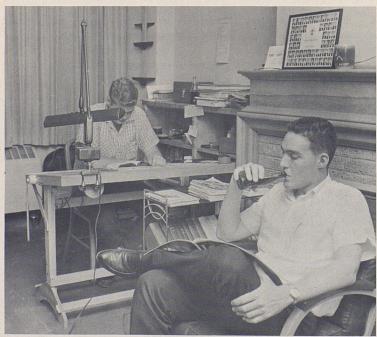
Carpenter residents Steve Benno and Jimmy Armstrong give their room its "Saturday cleaning." Room and board rates for the residence halls are as follows:

	Bledsoe, Gordon	Wells, Gaston,	
	Sneed	Carpenter, Thompson	
September and October	\$146.58	\$155.98	
November	66.00	74.00	
December	66.00	74.00	
January	66.00	74.00	
February	66.00 (a)	74.00 (b)	
March	66.00	74.00	
April	66.00	74.00	
May	66.00	74.00	

- (a) \$106.09 for new students
- (b) \$114.99 for new students

Private baths cost an additional \$7.50 per month, and corner rooms are an extra \$1.50 monthly. If space is available, one student may occupy a double room for \$7.50 extra monthly.

Studying!!!



Supervision

- Supervisory Staff
- Hall Supervisor
- Wing Advisers
- Concession Advisers

SUPERVISORY STAFF

The residence hall staff has been charged with the responsibilities of counseling and advising the more than three hundred men in its respective residence hall at Texas Tech. The job is not an easy one, because three hundred men usually have many different opinions on similar matters. The supervisory staff is responsible for maintaining high standards of conduct and citizenship in the halls by seeing that basic, commonplace policies are put into effect. These policies aim at accomplishing the most good for the most men, and it is hoped that each hall resident will respect these policies.

HALL SUPERVISOR

The Hall Supervisor has the direct responsibility of overseeing all of his hall's activities and of keeping the Assistant Dean of Men informed as to hall progress. His duties range from counseling to discipline to statistics, and his job is not an easy one. Get to know your Hall Supervisor, for he is a man with a great interest in college men and their problems. He is vitally interested in your progress and the progress of the hall. A good relationship between hall residents and the supervisor is essential for a good hall atmosphere that will prove to be healthy for all.



Gaston Supervisor, Robert Kinney, gets some forms filled in by two of his hall residents.

WING ADVISERS

An integral part of the hall staff is the Wing Adviser. He is the means of communication between your wing and your hall supervisor, and is the person to whom most problems should be taken. He is an upperclassman who has been selected because of his leadership ability, and he is acutely aware of student problems and troubles. Your Wing Adviser is a friend, adviser, and helper. You should meet him as soon as possible and make every effort to know him well, for he can help you solve many of the problems that will arise with regard to your college life.

At the end of each semester the Wing Adviser makes an evaluation of every man on his wing, and that evaluation becomes a part of the student's College record. This evaluation is made in an effort to realize each man's limitations and capabilities and then to help that man improve where improvement is needed. The Wing Adviser is an essential part of the hall program, and his advice and leadership should be valued highly. Remember that your Wing Adviser is always an interested friend who can provide help in many areas.

CONCESSION ADVISERS

The Concessions Advisers are primarily responsible for the efficient operation of the laundry service in the individual halls. Every consideration should be given these students, for they have a tremendous financial responsibility placed on their shoulders. The Concessions Advisers assist the Wing Advisers and have equal authority with them in carrying out hall policies.

Wing meetings are held regularly to go over hall policies.



Policies and Procedures

- Prohibited Acts
 Drinking
 Gambling
 Fireworks and Firearms
 Hazing
 Pets
- Quiet Hours
- Fire Drills
- Room Changes and Hall Transfers
- Women Visitors
- Dress Standards
- Soliciting
- · Health Service
- Automobiles
- Women's Halls Regulations
- Room and Board Details

PROHIBITED ACTS

The men's residence hall system at Texas Tech believes that the responsibility for knowing how to act belongs with the individual; and, as a result, the halls do not have a long list of rules to be adhered to. Each man is responsible for his own conduct and is expected to be reasonable in his dealings with fellow residents.

There are a few acts, however, which we feel are detrimental to good residence hall life and to the success of your college career. They are, therefore, prohibited.

State law forbide the use or possession of alcoholic beverages within the residence halls or elsewhere on State property, and they are therefore prohibited. Violators of this act face severe disciplinary action which may result in dismissal from the College.

Gambling in any form is prohibited within a residence hall. This act does not contribute to your well-being at college and has no place in a well-balanced campus atmosphere.

The possession or use of fireworks, firearms, or ammunition is strictly prohibited and will not be tolerated. These items constitute a fire hazard and as such are dangerous to your neighbor's welfare. Firearms and ammunition may be stored under lock and key under the supervisor's direction. Strict adherence to this policy is essential for the safety of every hall resident.

Hazing is absolutely not permitted at Texas Tech. This act violates a Tech Student Council ruling, College administrative policies and Texas State law.

No pets are allowed in the residence halls at Texas Tech. Health laws make this policy a mandatory one because of sanitation problems.

We believe that these policies are both fair and reasonable, and that your compliance with them will help to make your college career a more mature and enriching one.

QUIET HOURS

Every one of the students at Texas Tech is primarily concerned with getting an education. Every effort is made to make the men's residence halls more receptive to good study habits so that each man can better work toward his ultimate goal of a college degree. For this reason, it is requested that each man observe quiet hours daily from 7 p.m. to 9 a.m. Musical instruments may be played daily between the hours of 5 and 6:30 p.m. Certainly no one will doubt the necessity for study during final examinations week, so it is requested that quiet hours be observed 24 hours daily during that week.

Remember that these policies will help you in obtaining your college education, and that they are the best policies for the greatest number of men. We ask only that you be reasonable and that you be considerate of other hall residents.



Little activity is seen in the halls during quiet hours.

Quiet hours mean study hours.



FIRE DRILLS

A tremendous amount of responsibility is involved with the welfare of so large a number of men in the residence halls and safety precautions must, therefore, be taken.

Directions for clearing the hall in case of emergencies are posted inside the glass doors to the fire hose cases on each wing. Fire drills will be observed in each hall during the semester. For the safety of every hall resident, every man must participate in the drills in order to familiarize himself with the procedures involved.

ROOM CHANGES AND HALL TRANSFERS

Room changes may be made once each semester at a time announced by the Hall Supervisor. The supervisor should be notified in advance of the proposed change so that he may consider it. No change will be made except at the announced time.

Because of record-keeping complications, no transfers are allowed between halls except prior to the opening of the halls in the fall semester. This policy must be followed to facilitate an accurate records system.

WOMEN VISITORS

Except for open house, women visitors are permitted in only the lounge areas of the men's residence halls. Women are allowed in the individual rooms on the day the hall opens and on days when open house is held in conjunction with exchange dinners with the women's halls.

DRESS STANDARDS

Texas Tech is an informal college. As such, it does not impose rigid dress standards upon its students. Most Tech men dress casually, with the dominant attire being polished cotton slacks or jeans and sport shirts for class wear.

It is expected that these standards will prevail for meals in the men's residence halls. Athletic attire will not be permitted in the dining halls, nor will pajamas. Dress-up standards prevail for Sunday dinners with slacks and a sport shirt being the dominant theme for those who do not care to wear a tie and coat. We request only that you use the good taste expected of men who will someday be college graduates. No one likes to be around a sloppy, unkempt person so just be reasonable with yourself and your fellow residents!

SOLICITING

Soliciting or selling in the residence halls is strictly forbidden, and any approach within the hall should be reported immediately to the Hall Supervisor or your Wing Adviser. Students selling newspaper subscriptions are permitted to set up tables in the lobby at the beginning of each semester, but no one else is authorized to sell in the residence halls.

HEALTH SERVICE

Texas Tech provides an 18-bed infirmary for the benefit of those students who become ill but who do not require surgery or the treatment of a specialist. Seven days' free medical care is provided per semester for each regularly enrolled student, and a minimum fee for food and drugs is charged for each day thereafter. Students who become ill should contact their Wing Adviser or Hall Supervisor or make arrangements themselves with the infirmary to be treated.

AUTOMOBILES

Authorized parking areas for each hall resident, freshmen included, are conveniently located near each men's residence hall. All cars must be properly registered and tagged in order to be allowed to park on the campus. Any car that is parked in an area for which it is not registered will be towed away at the owner's expense.

Pictured below is one of the many spacious residence hall parking lots on the Tech campus.



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WOMEN'S HALLS REGULATIONS

Probably the most popular spot on a college campus for men students is the women's residence halls, and Tech is certainly no exception. It is to every man's advantage, then, that he familiarize himself with the regulations and hours of the women's halls.

Male callers are permitted to call for their dates in the women's residence halls every morning after 8 a.m., but visiting in the lounges or lobby is permitted only from 12 noon until closing. On Sundays, however, male visitors are permitted in the lounges after 8:30 a.m. Listed below are the closing hours for the women's halls:

	MonThurs.	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Entering Freshmen	8:30 p.m.	12 p.m.	1 a.m.	11 p.m.
(until second seme	ester)			
Upperclassmen	10 p.m.	12 p.m.	1 a.m.	11 p.m.
Seniors	11 p.m.	12 p.m.	1 p.m.	11 p.m.

All men should set their watches with the time in the women's hall in which he is calling in order to prevent getting the girl back to the hall after the closing time.

ROOM AND BOARD DETAILS

Room and board payments are due the first five working days of each month. Penalty payments are added daily to the charge after the five-day period, so every effort should be made to make the payments on time.

Students are not allowed to remain in the halls during the Christmas holidays. They may, however, remain in the halls for the Thanksgiving holidays and for the spring vacation if students notify their supervisor of their intention to stay. Meals will be served in one central dining hall for those residents who stay during these times.

All details concerning the policies of the Office of Room Reservations can be found in the "General Information Bulletin of Texas Technological College."

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