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Alumni President



MARSHALL FORMBY

You will be missed if you are not back for the annual Tech homecoming on November 17-18.

Plans are underway for the greatest of all Texas Tech Homecomings. The program gets under way Friday night, continues Saturday at noon, through the football game, and ends with the annual Homecoming dance on Saturday night, November 18.

If you come to the Homecoming celebration you will get to see some of your old buddies you haven't seen since you left the campus. You will get to see the 15th edition of the Red Raider football team as they take on the strong Marquette eleven from Milwaukee.

From the far flung corners of Texas and from parts of the United States will come former students for this homecoming celebration. It will not be complete unless you are here.

Remember the old boy who used to sit across the aisle in your class and made you wonder if he would ever amount to anything? Well, he'll be back and you can decide for yourself just how well he is doing. The chances are he's doing pretty well!

Remember the curly headed girl
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HOMECOMING CALENDAR

Friday, November 17

3:30 PM—Freshmen, Texas Tech-New Mexico U. Football Game

4 to 6 PM—Alumni Sponsored Afternoon Dance, Hilton Hotel, 39c

7:15 PM—PEP RALLY, Tech Gym, Broadcast over KFYO and Texas State Network

Saturday, November 18

6:45 AM—Plant Industry Club Alumni Breakfast, Agriculture Building

—Dairy Club Alumni Breakfast, Dairy Manufactures Laboratory

7:45 AM—Home Economics Alumnae Breakfast, Women's Dorm.

7:30 to 11:30 AM—Las Chaparritas Alumnae Coffee and Dance, Hilton Hotel

9 to 11 AM—Men's Dormitory Association Reception

11 to 12 AM—PARADE

12 Noon—Round-Up for all former students, Dutch picnic. Tech Stadium

2:30 PM—Texas Tech-Marquette Football Game

6 PM—Women's Athletic Association. Buffet Supper

—Centaur Club Dinner, Hotel Lubbock

—Kemas Club Dinner, Clubhouse, 2304 Broadway

—Socil, Dinner, Mexican Inn

6:30 PM—Silver Key Dinner, Hilton Hotel

9 to 12 PM—Annual Homecoming Dance, Tech Gym

Student President



Let me take this means of speaking for our student body in welcoming you back to Texas Tech this Homecoming. May your visit be a highlight in your year's activities.
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College President



CLIFFORD B. JONES

The Administration, Faculty, and Student Body cordially extend their heartiest welcome to the Alumni and Ex-Students of Texas Technological College upon the occasion of the Fourteenth annual Homecoming which will be observed November 17-18.

Texas Technological College takes a justifiable pride in the privilege of having this opportunity to pay special honor to those graduates and former students who are so gloriously upholding the splendid traditions of our great institution in all of their endeavors.

During the past year, Texas Technological College has continued its rapid growth, its student body now numbering approximately 3,900. Our instructional staff has been increased somewhat, and every effort is being made to expand our facilities in keeping with our requirements. The success which we attain along these lines of endeavor is contingent, to a considerable degree, upon the success of those who represent us to the world, irrespective of their vocations.

Homecoming this year will be highlighted by the Texas Tech-Marquette Football Game, which will be called at 2:30 Saturday afternoon.

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TECH-MARQUETTE

November 18, 2:30

Dean Arts and Sciences



J. M. GORDON

It is a joy to extend my personal greetings to each and every one of you. It is always a pleasure to have alumni and other ex-students visit the campus at any time. Particularly is it a pleasure to have you come in groups—and especially a "Homecoming" group.

I know I express the desire of every one connected officially with the College that Texas Tech may continue to be your home educationally and sentimentally. We hope the institution's ideals will be continually raised and that each of you may have a real definite part in holding high the ideals of Tech.

I am happy to address specifically the former students and graduates of the Division of Arts and Sciences, particularly since the other Deans will extend a warm welcome to the former students of their divisions. I hope your work is pleasant, of whatever nature it may be, and should like for you always to feel at the fullest liberty to ask assistance of me and of those directly connected with the Division of Arts and Sciences. We should like more and more to be of service to you.

A joyous welcome to you all!

Sincerely your friend,
J. M. GORDON, Dean,
Division of Arts and
Sciences

Arts and Sciences

On December 1, 1939, Tech will hold its Ninth Annual Dinner in connection with the State Teachers Association. The dinner will be held at San Antonio in the Pan American Room of the Gunter Hotel, regular headquarters for the State Teachers Association. Superintendent W. A. McIntosh, M. A., Tech, 1936, will be toastmaster.

The program will consist of a personal message from President Jones, activities and ambitions of the Alumni and Ex-Students Association by its President, Judge Marshall Formby, B. A., Tech, 1932, of Dickens; motion pictures covering the activities of the College, buildings and grounds, personnel, activities of the 1939 Home-

coming and football game, Tech-Marquette, and possibly other games.

Dr. A. W. Evans, Head of the Department of Education, is General Chairman of the Invitation Committee. Other members of the committee are Dean Margaret W. Weeks, Registrar W. P. Clement, Miss Bonnie K. Dysart, Miss Ilse Wolf, Miss Geraldine Clewell, Professor Ray L. Chapelle, Professor W. E. Street, Dr. Albert Barnett, Professor J. T. Shaver, and Calvin Hazelwood, Secretary of the Alumni and Ex-Students Association.

The price is \$1.25; the hour, 6:00 P. M.

It would be difficult to tell how many Arts and Sciences graduates in the last ten years have come to take a definite place as superintendents of schools, high school principals, grade and other teachers, and managers of businesses. One student has received a Rhodes Scholarship; two physicians are graduates of the College and former Arts and Science students. We have practicing lawyers, practicing physicians, ministers, members of the State Legislature, county judges, and former students holding important positions in Federal and State Governments.

Home Economics

The senior class in the Home Economics Division this year numbers seventy-nine. It has been the custom for several years for the seniors to organize in order to become better acquainted and to engage in some professional work. The officers this year are: President, Louise McCrummen, Secretary, Louise Weil, Treasurer, Jane Godfrey.

A committee of the senior class is arranging the home economics alumnae breakfast to be held on Saturday morning November 18 at 7:45 at the Women's Dormitory. Tickets are 40c each. **Reservations must be in the office of Miss Weeks not later than Thursday, November 16.**

Tech Home Economics Alumnae Association was organized two years ago. It now has 70 members. The present officers are: President, Mrs. L. M. Hargrave (Ruth Thompson, '34), Vice-president, Mrs. Noel Stalnaker (Margaret King, '35), Secretary, Mrs. Calvin Hazelwood (Mary Wilbanks, '34).

Four meetings are held during the year; two professional meetings and two social meetings.

The first meeting of the year was held at the home of Miss Weeks and Miss Erwin, Saturday, November 4. Seventy members were present.

If you wish to join send 25c to Mrs. Calvin Hazelwood, 2606 23rd Street, Lubbock. This organization in no way takes the place of the Tech Council of Women Graduates.

The Home Economics Club has a membership this year of over two hundred. It is to be noted that along with this gain in membership there has also been an increase in the number attending meetings and the spirit manifested. We do not have a room large enough to seat the club members. At the last meeting there were fifty-five persons who could not get a seat.

The club also sponsors the annual division open house. Last year 2500 persons attended. The officers of the club for this year are: Bennett Benson, President; Vice-president, Ernestine Storey; Secretary, Mareta Holloway; Mary K. Gunter, Treasurer; Miss Geraldine Clewell, Tech '33, is the sponsor.

Dean Home Economics

It is a pleasure to send a word of greeting to the 337 home economics graduates of Texas Technological College. You are located in 98 counties of Texas, in 15 states other than Texas, and two of you are located outside of the United States.

Wherever you are and whatever you are doing, I hope you realize



MISS MARGARET W. WEEKS

that we, at Tech, are interested in you and we are proud of the fine records which you are making. We hope that many of you will return to Tech and join us on homecoming day.

The senior class in the Division of Home Economics is planning a Homecoming breakfast. To some of you this a tradition. We hope that the attendance this year will be even better than last year. We shall look for you on Saturday morning at 7:45 at the Women's Residence Hall on the campus.

The faculty of the Home Economics Division joins with me in sending you greetings and good wishes.

MARGARET W. WEEKS,
Dean,
Division of Home
Economics

Agriculture

A Texas Tech Senior Dairy Cattle Judging Team competed October 21 in the National Dairy Cattle Judging Contest at Treasure Island, San Francisco Bay. The team placed 9th among 17 teams competing. Our team was second in Brown Swiss, ninth in Ayrshire, fourth in Guernseys. Casey Fine, Assistant Professor in Animal Husbandry, was the coach. One member of the team, Jack Hancock, placed second in Ayrshires, eighth in Brown Swiss; and another, E. Honea was seventh in Brown Swiss.

A judging team was entered in the Students' National Judging Contest, sponsored by the Dairy Industries Supply Association and the International Association of Ice Cream Manufacturers and International Association of Milk Dealers, at San Francisco, October 23. The Texas Tech team placed tenth with seventeen teams competing. M. G. Pederson, Associate Professor of Dairy Manufactures was team coach. The members of the team were: Ed-

Dean Agriculture



A. H. LEIDIGH

There are 364 of you graduates of the division of agriculture scattered pretty well all over the Northern half of the Western World. I hope many of you may return to Texas Technological College to join us on Homecoming Day. Many things are planned and we hope you may be here to add your presence and help in the observation of this day specifically dedicated to you.

Through the years we have made progress. Much of this progress is through that which you have made and contributed to Texas Technological College. Wherever you are and whether or not you can return for Homecoming, the Faculty of the Division of Agriculture joins me in sending you our very best wishes and our greetings.

**A. H. LEIDIGH, Dean,
Division of Agriculture.**

win Williams, Dallas; George Wilson, Princeton; Howard Wilkowske, Denison; and Willie F. Bell, Dorchester.

R. C. Mowery, Professor of Animal Husbandry and Coach of the Senior Livestock Judging Team, entered the following men in this fall's American Royal Contest, Kansas City, October 14: John Wright, Breckenridge, Stewart Sewell, Jacksboro; Wade Davis, Hale Center; Walton Henderson, Floydada; A. C. Sears, Merkel; and Tom Peays, Robert Lee, alternate. The Texas Tech team placed tenth. Individual placings on the Tech Team were: Wright—Thirteenth in contest, and sheep; Sewell—Eighth in Horses; Davis—Eleventh in sheep; Henderson—twelfth in cattle. Seventeen teams entered the contest; the first five being Missouri U., Iowa State, Kansas State, Ohio State U., and Wisconsin U.

Three men and one alternate from the Department of Plant Industry will engage in the Senior Intercollegiate Grain Judging Contest at Kansas City on November 27, after which they will engage in the International Intercollegiate Crops Judging Contest at Chicago December 1 and 2. The names of the men selected for the contest will not be available until a short time before time for the team to leave Lubbock. Mr. E. T. Duke, coach and Instructor in Agronomy, and the men expect to make a much better showing than in the past.

Engineering

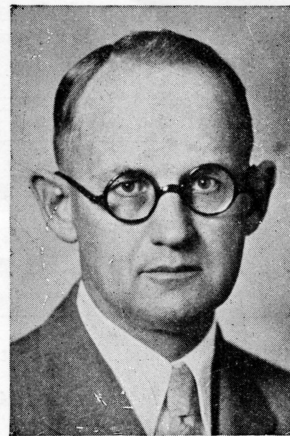
Mr. Frank C. Ball, Petroleum Engineering senior, is President of the Engineering Society for the current year. Other officers are Raymond Glass, Vice President, (senior Electrical Engineer), Richard Hurn, Secretary (senior Mechanical Engineer), and Edwin Hallmark, Treasurer (senior Chemical Engineer).

The Engineers' Ball was held on the evening of November 4 at the Lubbock Hotel. Mr. Bill Bratton was chairman of the dance committee, and had charge of all arrangements for the Ball. Herman Waldman's Orchestra was secured for the dance.

Captain Frank A. Pettit, Professor of Military Science and Tactics, reports a considerable increase in the enrollment for Military Science for the current year. Two hundred and eighty students are enrolled in this work at the present time which is thirty-two percent of the total Engineering enrollment for the fall semester.

For the first time in the history of the unit, classes are being offered in all four years. There are twenty members of the second year advanced course class (this is senior work.) The unit is organized this year as an Engineer Regiment. Clarence Symes has been appointed Cadet Colonel to command the Regiment.

Dean Engineering



O. V. ADAMS

The Homecoming period is always a happy one for the alumnus of any college. The faculty also look forward to this event which permits them to renew old friendships with students who have been in their classes in former years. I hope that each one of you will avail yourself of the opportunity to come back at that time and that you will call on as many of the faculty members as your time permits.

If you have not been here for some time you will see many changes in the college campus. The new Library Building has filled a long felt need. The dormitory facilities have been expanded by the addition of a third unit. You will also note that because of the lack of adequate appropriations for buildings that the College Administration has been forced to construct a number of small temporary buildings for use as offices, laboratories, and class rooms. You will, of course, realize that money spent for such structures in the absence of appropriations for that purpose must come out of that which might otherwise be used to secure additional teachers and equipment.

Let me assure you that your presence here on November 17-18 will be appreciated by all of us who remain here from year to year. We sincerely hope and believe that your visit will also be a pleasure to you.

**O. V. ADAMS,
Dean of Engineering.**

G. W. Parkhill, Associate Professor of Civil Engineering, is on a leave of absence for the school year, 1939-40. He is employed by the City of Lubbock during the duration of his leave. His place is being filled this year by Mr. J. Fenton Harding, whom many of the alumni will remember. He graduated from Tech in Civil Engineering in 1933.

The rank of Denzil V. Probasco (B. S. in T. E. '36) who was employed by the College last year as Mechanician in the Textile Engineering Department, has been changed to Instructor and Mechanician in that Department.

QUESTIONNAIRE

Please Clip This Out and Return to the Office of Alumni and Ex-Students Association, Texas Technological College, Lubbock, Texas.

Name

Address

City State

Present Employment

Years in Tech

Graduate? Highest Classification Attained

Division Married? When?

To whom?

(For women: Please give your maiden name in the following space:

Signature

Know Texas Tech

You should see the new dormitory for men; an entirely different arrangement, and an ideal home for college students. Better reserve a room for that oldest boy of yours.

Do you know that between 24,000 and 25,000 individuals have matriculated in Tech since its foundation? The total number of earned degrees conferred since the school was founded, is 3,937.

The handsome new Library building houses over 65,000 catalogued volumes, not including uncatalogued bulletins, government documents, maps, and other material. The Library regularly receives for the use of students and faculty members, 638 current periodicals.

During the year 1938-39, 61 fellowships and scholarships (graduate assistants) were awarded to Tech students. The total amount of awards was \$11,029.00.

Last year 239 different students were on the NYA Student Aid payroll for at least a part of the time. The total earnings of NYA students from the Federal funds was \$29,722.00.

On the strictly teaching faculty, there are 49 men and 9 women, a total of 58, with the rank of Professor; 25 men and 9 women, a total of 34 with the rank of Associate Professor; 20 men and 10 women, a total of 30 with the rank of Assistant Professor; 34 men and 15 women, a total of 49, with the rank of Instructor; the total teaching staff, not counting Deans and other Administrators who may teach part of the time, is 171 persons—128 men and 43 women. (You ought to come over and get acquainted.)

INFORMATION BUREAU FOR HOMECOMING DAY

An information bureau will be open from 8:30 to 2:30 on Homecoming Day. It will be established in the East Rotunda of the Administration Building and will be conducted by the Tech Council of Women Graduates. All ex-students and alumni are urged to come by and register, giving information as to present address and occupation. Also in conducting the bureau it is hoped that a service will be performed to former students who want to locate each other during the day.

Alumni President

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who sat in front of you, or the one you used to sit on the Double T bench and spark with, or the one you used to take to the all-college dances? Well, maybe she'll be back. And the chances are that time has made her even more beautiful and charming. Remember the old professor who used to deal you so much misery? Well, maybe he's been fired by now! Or do you recall the professor who was so kind and who took an interest in his students? Well, the chances are he's been promoted or anyway he's doing even better.

Anyway, come back for our 1939 Homecoming and see what has happened to the young school that is now one of the greatest in the nation!

MARSHALL FORMBY
Alumni President

College President

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ternoon. Other plans are also being made for your entertainment and enjoyment while you are here.

Again, let us express the pleasure which we have in welcoming your return for a day to the campus of Texas Technological College.

CLIFFORD B. JONES,
President.

The academic rating of the faculty is indicated by the following degrees held by staff members:

49 members of the instructional staff, or 28.7% hold earned doctors' degrees; 85 members, or 49.7% have masters' degrees, and many of them an additional year of graduate work; 33 persons, or 19.3% have bachelors' degrees.

Summary of Enrollment

ATTENDANCE 1925-1939

Year	Long Session	Summer Session	Extension	Totals
1925-26	1043	336		1379
1926-27	1535	677		2212
1927-28	1682	965	386	3033
1928-29	2088	1298	820	4206
1929-30	2353	1316	1098	4767
1930-31	2319	1556	1227	5102
1931-32	2155	1606	1011	4772
1932-33	2332	1288	833	4453
1933-34	2361	1970	1236	5567
1934-35	2684	1956	1403	6043
1935-36	2748	1678	1522	5948
1936-37	3010	1695	1255	5960
1937-38	3494	1839	1067	6400
1938-39	3896	1932	1137	6965

Comparative Enrollment Figures for Last Fall and This Fall

Division	Undergraduates		Graduates		Total	
	1938	1939	1938	1939	1938	1939
Agriculture	451	511	22	22	473	533
Engineering	816	884	5	6	821	890
Home Economics	410	456	12	6	422	462
Arts & Sciences	1739	1945	52	60	1791	2005
Total	3416	3796	91	94	3507	3890
				1938		1939
Men in All Divisions:				2257		2468
Women in All Divisions:				1250		1422
				3507		3890