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## Intercouncil Committee OKs Proposed Honor Code

### COMMENCEMENT

#### TCU Prexy To Speak

Dr. M. E. Sadler, president of Texas Christian University, has accepted an invitation to give the commencement address here May 29.

President of TCU since 1941, Dr. Sadler is internationally known in church and educational circles. He is immediate past president of the American Association of Colleges.

#### Requests Action Week April 7-11

The Intercouncil Committee approved yesterday the proposed Honor Code and recommended that students adopt it during the week of April 7-11, following spring recess.

Minor confusion and disagreement on procedure of introducing the code has caused most of the delay, the committee said. The committee originally planned to have the code in operation today.

On a motion by Arts and Sciences Councilman John S. Samuels of Galveston, the committee unanimously approved initiating the scholastic Honor Code as soon as possible.

#### Flight Training Cut to Three Years

Air Force ROTC Cadets entering flight training now will be required to serve three years instead of the previous four.

The Air University released this order and said it is effective immediately. The order will effect Air Force ROTC seniors who will go on active duty in May or June.

Capt. C. B. Doleac, senior flight operations instructor, said the change should have a big effect on the many students who refused flight training on the grounds that four years was too long to spend in the service.

Actual ground and advanced flight school training takes about 13 months according to Doleac. This means flight trainees will serve the same length of time on active duty as other Air Force officers.

"It gives the future pilots a more even break," said Col. John A. Way, PAS&T. He says the change in time should remove much of the objection to flight training.

The change should not have much effect on transfers from Army to Air Force, said Shelly P. Myers, PMS&T.

Weldon Kruger, corps commander, said he had first decided not to go to flight school, but since

the reduction of the training period, he may decide to sign up.

Jim Haney, commander of the second wing, said he thinks the change is a good idea, and it should gain more volunteers for the flight program.

"I haven't made up my mind definitely yet concerning flight training, but I'm sure that this change will have some effect on my final decisions," he said.

#### Over 1200 See Talent Show In Guion Friday

Over 1200 people paid to see the second annual Intercollegiate Talent Show Friday night in Guion Hall.

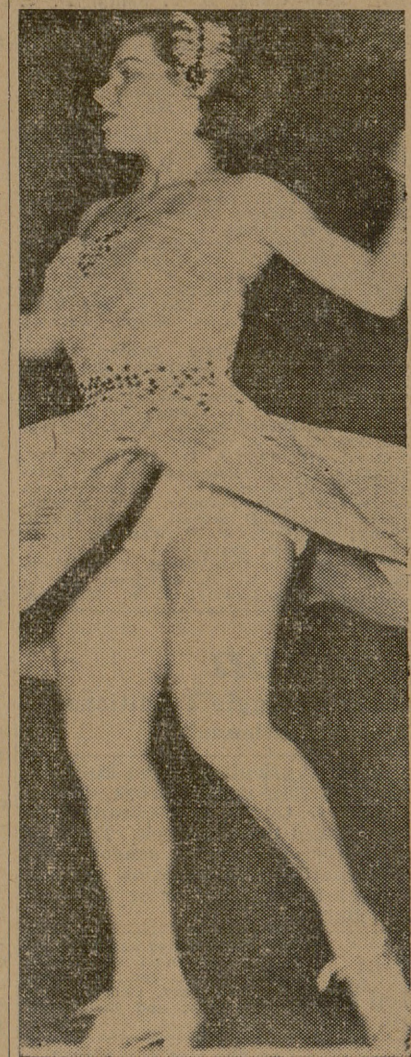
Fourteen acts composed the well-balanced program, said Barton Raynaud, chairman of the MSC music committee.

Jimmie Harrison, folk singer, and Ernie Martelino, Latin American pianist, represented A&M.

Mary Sue Stramler, pop singer from TCU, started the show. Billie Biggs, modern jazz dancer from Fort Worth, Helen Marshall, Amarrillo pop singer from North Texas State College and Rosalind Wilson, tap dancer from SMU, were repeat performers from last year's sellout show.

All acts were picked by the MSC music committee which toured southwest colleges to observe and obtain talent.

The entertainers expressed a desire to come back for the show next year. Raynaud was confident that the show will be continued next year.



Miss Rosalind Wilson  
SMU Tap Dancer

#### Town Hall Group Picks Ten Shows

The 1953-54 Town Hall Committee chose yesterday 10 possible features for next year at its meeting in Goodwin Hall.

Committee members are C. G. (Spike) White, Lyle Wolfskill, Ronnie Hudson, J. H. Sorrels, Carl E. Tishler, W. M. Turner, Jerry Bennet and Bob Hendry.

The selections, which are to be narrowed down to five or six, are as follows:

Singing and dancing ensembles, American Album of Familiar Music and Gershwin Festival; symphony orchestra, San Antonio Symphony; drama, Charles Laughton and John Brauens Body, starring Tyrone Power, Raymond Massey, and Judith Anderson.

Singing attractions, Westminster Choir and The Rondoliers, male quartet; individual artists, Alec Templeton and Ethel Smith; and special attractions, Music Circus which features Gentlemen Prefer Blondes or Showboat.

The committee will be glad to consider anyone's suggestions concerning these selections, White said. Anyone with special preferences should contact one of the Town Hall Committee members, he added.

#### Roeder Will Speak On U.S. Commerce

E. M. Roeder, business specialist with the U. S. Department of commerce will give a series of hour-long lectures, Wednesday, March 25 in the Physics Lecture Room.

The subject of Roeder's talks will concern the services and research materials available from the Department of Commerce.

Students may attend these lectures at an hour from 8-11 a. m. Wednesday and 1 and 2 that afternoon.

#### Military Day Celebration

#### Cadets to Dance, Parade for Brass

By JOEL AUSTIN  
Battalion Co-Editor

A&M shows off its military might Saturday in a gala Military Day celebration. A group of distinguished military leaders and congressmen will be guests of the corps of cadets for the activities planned.

Starting with a stag dinner given in the MSC by President M. T. Harrington at 5 p. m. Friday, the activities end with the Military Ball in Sbis Hall Saturday night.

Heading the list of distinguished guests is Congressman Olin E. Teague of College Station. Other lawmakers coming include Lloyd M. Bentsen Jr., of McAllen, a reserve AF Lt. Colonel who led 50 missions over Germany during World War II and James P. S. Devereaux, a retired Marine Corps Brig. General who gained fame in defense of Wake Island where he was captured by the Japanese.

#### The General Said 'Nuts'

Among the many outstanding military men coming from all over the country will be Col. Francis S. Gabreski, top living air ace, and Lt. Gen. Anthony C. McAuliffe, world famous for his reply of "nuts" to a German order to surrender when his force was surrounded at Bastone in World War II's Battle of the Bulge.

The distinguished visitors have been invited to attend the Combat Ball Friday night in Sbis Hall as guests of the first regiment.

The program Saturday begins with a luncheon given by Cadet Colonel of the Corps Weldon Kruger. Scheduled for the banquet room of Sbis Hall, the luncheon honoring Military Day guests will be attended by top cadet officers and their dates.

First call for the corps review will be at 1:30 p. m. Cadets will begin the parade on the main drill field at 1:50 p. m.

A reception given by President Harrington in the MSC Ball Room following the review will honor distinguished guests and will be attended by cadet officers and staff members of the school of Military Science.

#### Ralph Flanagan Plays

The dance Saturday will feature the music of Ralph Flanagan and his orchestra from 9 until 12 p. m. Tickets are on sale by unit and staff supply sergeants at \$2.50.

A concert by the Flanagan orchestra is to be held in Guion Hall at 7:30 p. m. Saturday. Tickets are on sale in the office of Student Activities, second floor Goodwin Hall, at 75 cents.

Students taking Army or Air ROTC will be allowed to attend the Ball. Those who have taken ROTC, but are not presently enrolled, may attend in uniform, said Joe Mattei, general chairman. Faculty personnel and former students who are members of reserve or national guard units will be admitted if in uniform, he added.

Military Ball tickets for people not in the corps may also be purchased at the Student Activities Office.

#### Cartwright To Address Business Society at 7:30

E. O. Cartwright will speak at the Business Society meeting, Tuesday, March 24 at 7:30 p. m. in the Biological Science Building, said B. Q. (Buck) Evans, president of the Business Society.

A resident partner of Merrill, Lynch, Pierce, Finner and Bean in Dallas, Cartwright will discuss the field of investment.

The meeting is open to the public, Evans added.

#### NEWS BRIEFS

#### Deans Attend Dallas Meet

DEAN David H. Morgan, J. P. Abbott, John R. Bertrand and Dr. Robert Jacobs are on the program of the annual meeting of the Association of Texas Colleges.

The meeting will last through Wednesday.

Dr. Ralph W. McDonald, president of Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio, delivered the key address. He spoke to the Arts and Sciences faculty here last weekend.

JOHN C. McGuire will speak to the AAUP at 7:30 p. m. Thursday on the Eighth National Conference on Higher Education held in Chicago.

Committee chairman for the de-

velopment of teaching personnel, McGuire attended the section dealing with the responsibility of individual faculty members.

PROFESSOR Henry Ross, of the agriculture education department, has been named guest editor of the March issue of the Agricultural Education Magazine.

THE AGGIE Players chose Mrs. Virginia Lemmon to represent them at the Cotton Pageant and Ball, April 24, according to B. B. Smith, president.

DEAN OF THE COLLEGE, David H. Morgan, welcomed the Sixth

#### Architects Choose Ball Costume

Dante with fluorescent eyes, eye brows, hair and lips.

Large murals measuring about 5 by 20 feet, hung from the walls, and hundreds of paper bats were suspended from the ceiling.

The American Legion Hall had to be rented Thursday through Saturday morning to complete the decorations, Bill Stalter said, and students' dates who arrived early helped.

#### Best Costume

A prize was given for the best costume at the ball. Couples were dressed in costumes depicting the various types of sinners in hell, and their punishments.

The award committee members were Joe Drake, president of the student chapter of the AIA, Don Williford, Dallas, and Stalter, Dallas.

#### Few Out of Costume

Few people attended the ball out of costume, Stalter said, and it was really a success.

Serving on the various committees of the ball were Paul Lassen, San Angelo, decorations; Alex Braillas, Houston, refreshments; Doyle Lowry, Midland, band; and John Dudley, House.

The Prairie View Collegians, negro band from Prairie View A&M, supplied the music for the dance. A dinner was served at 1 a. m. by the Architect Wives Club.

#### Uptmore Named To Honor Society

Jim Uptmore was awarded a membership in the John Newman Honorary Society at the 1953 convention of the South Texas Province of Newman Clubs Saturday in the MSC.

The award he received is the highest honor awarded by the Newman Club. He was given the membership at a formal dance Saturday night in the Ballroom.

Uptmore, senior agricultural education major from West, Texas, is president of the local club and province treasurer, Martha Fullbright, senior from Baylor who edited last year's club newspaper, was also enrolled in the society.

A&M and Baylor were host schools for the conference of Catholic student life organizations which opened Friday with the registration of 140 delegates representing 14 South Texas colleges and universities. The convention has been held at A&M for the past two years.

#### Aggies Get Posts

Two Aggies were elected province officers for the coming year. Jerry Ledwig, junior from Groom, was elected chairman, which corresponds to president. Charles Hlavinka, from East Bernard was voted corresponding secretary.

Their new officers are Audrey Rigney of Baylor, recording secretary; Pat Fisher, Blinn Junior College,

historian; and Mark Kubala, TU, vice-chairman.

The theme of the convention was "The Catholic Courtship and Marriage", and panel discussions on different facets of this topic were held Saturday afternoon.

Each school had two delegates taking notes at each panel. They will make reports to their clubs when they return and the points brought out at the convention will be spread through the province, Uptmore said.

#### Jerry Estes Voted Secretary of SJC

Jerry Estes, sophomore journalism major, was elected secretary of the Southwest Journalism Congress Saturday at the annual meeting at the University of Houston.

Jack Castleman of Oklahoma A&M was elected president for the coming year, and Bob Kenney, University of Texas, was named to the vice-president post.

The congress business dealt with the various new phases of newspaper activity, said Jerry Bennett, junior journalism major at A&M. Bennett was president of the 1953 conference.

Next year's meeting will be held on the Oklahoma A&M campus.

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HERETICS—Bud and Jean Ross won the award at the annual architects' ball. Ross were dressed in costumes depicting heretics in fins. The award was made Saturday at the the Bryan American Legion Hall.

#### Architects Choose Ball Costume

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planned, dressed in costumes depicting the theme, all through a dark into the main room. Directly opposite the head representing

#### UT, Rice eers Meet eech Fest

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