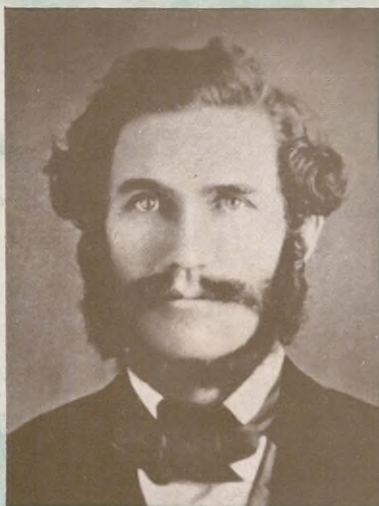


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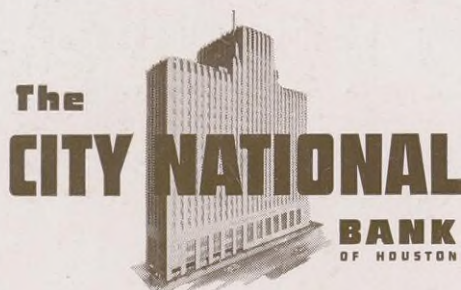


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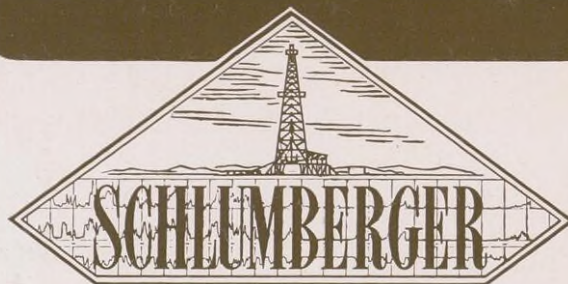


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The President's Message

HOMECOMING could not arrive at a more propitious moment. What more appropriate time for Ex-Students to move once more about the campus, than now, within the circle of the dedication of the magnificent new Ezekiel Cullen Building.

It seems to me that this structure is more than just an addition to a school growing with dizzying swiftness. Actually, it's a dazzling symbol of progress, of activity, of a modern new concept in education. . . it is an embodiment of the University of Houston, the spirit of a new adventure in education.

The Ezekiel Cullen Building is as modern as an undiscovered star, as new as an unspoken word, as challenging as a fresh thought. It ought to serve as a thrilling bond between Ex-Students as they once again look over their campus and feel excited over the good things that have happened to their University.

Each year seems to bring new visions of the future and each new vision rolls back, just a little further, the horizons of the University's accomplishments. We should be proud that of all the universities in the country, the University of Houston is ranked among those who refuse to view the future placidly and with traditional inertia, but instead moves confidently forward with new ideas, new thoughts, new ways of doing things.

That is why this *HOMECOMING*, linked as it is with the dedication of the Ezekiel Cullen Building, takes on special significance. That is why the Ex-Students Association urges all Ex-Students to visit the campus during *HOMECOMING*; participate in *HOMECOMING* activities and rekindle the warmth that is in all our hearts for this, our school, the University of Houston.

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We of the Ex-Students Association are proud to be able to dedicate this issue of the EXTRA to one of the most beautiful and unique college buildings in the entire United States, the Ezekiel W. Cullen Building.

We want to invite each of you to visit the campus on Homecoming Day, November 18, so that you may see the beautiful and spacious building, which has just been officially dedicated.

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The girls are, left to right, Virginia Cecil, Wanda Lou Sisk, Frances Harwas and Mary Jane O'Meara.

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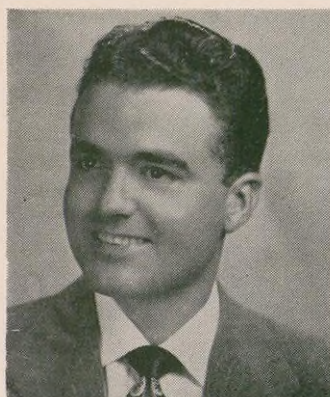
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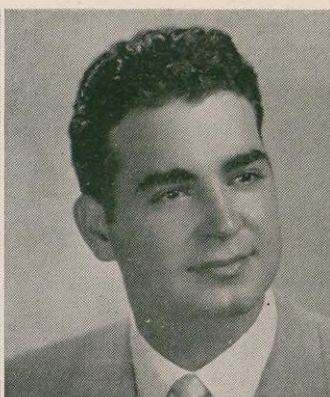
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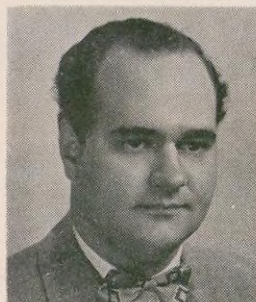
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Since the last Homecoming edition of the EXTRA, U. of H. Exes have completed a record breaking year of activity. They started off in November with a campaign to rename St. Bernard St. The suggestion, which was approved by the City Council after some struggle, was to name the street Cullen Boulevard, in honor of Hugh Roy Cullen, Chairman of the University Board of Regents.

That campaign is not yet finished, for the Ex-Students have another objective—to change Cullen Boulevard's soggy ditches and rutted asphalt into

a broad, newly paved boulevard.

A record number of Ex-Students flocked to the third annual Gridiron Dinner in January to see the Cougar team honored for its outstanding work in rising to national prominence in the world of sports. Jerry Fouts, graduating high school student from Wichita Falls, was awarded the annual "Outstanding High School Football Player" trophy. H. R. Cullen was guest speaker.

Jim Sibley of the Class of '48, in June, was presented with the first Outstanding Ex-Student award. A

new slate of officers was inaugurated at this time. They included President Jack Valenti, Vice-President Welcome Wilson, Secretary Bette Lou Arnold and Treasurer Will Gay.

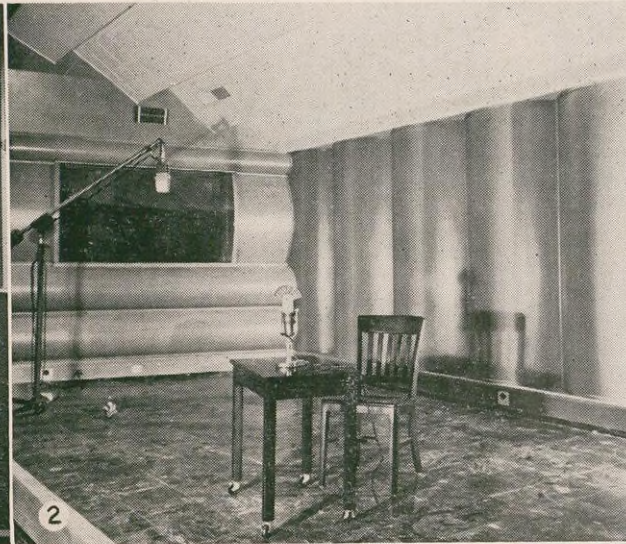
The Cougar football team was honored at the Second Annual Kick-off dinner, held in September.

Houston's new Sideline Coaches Association was launched into a second year of outstanding work in September.

The Scholarship Drive collected a total of \$1700, to be given to outstanding high school seniors next year.

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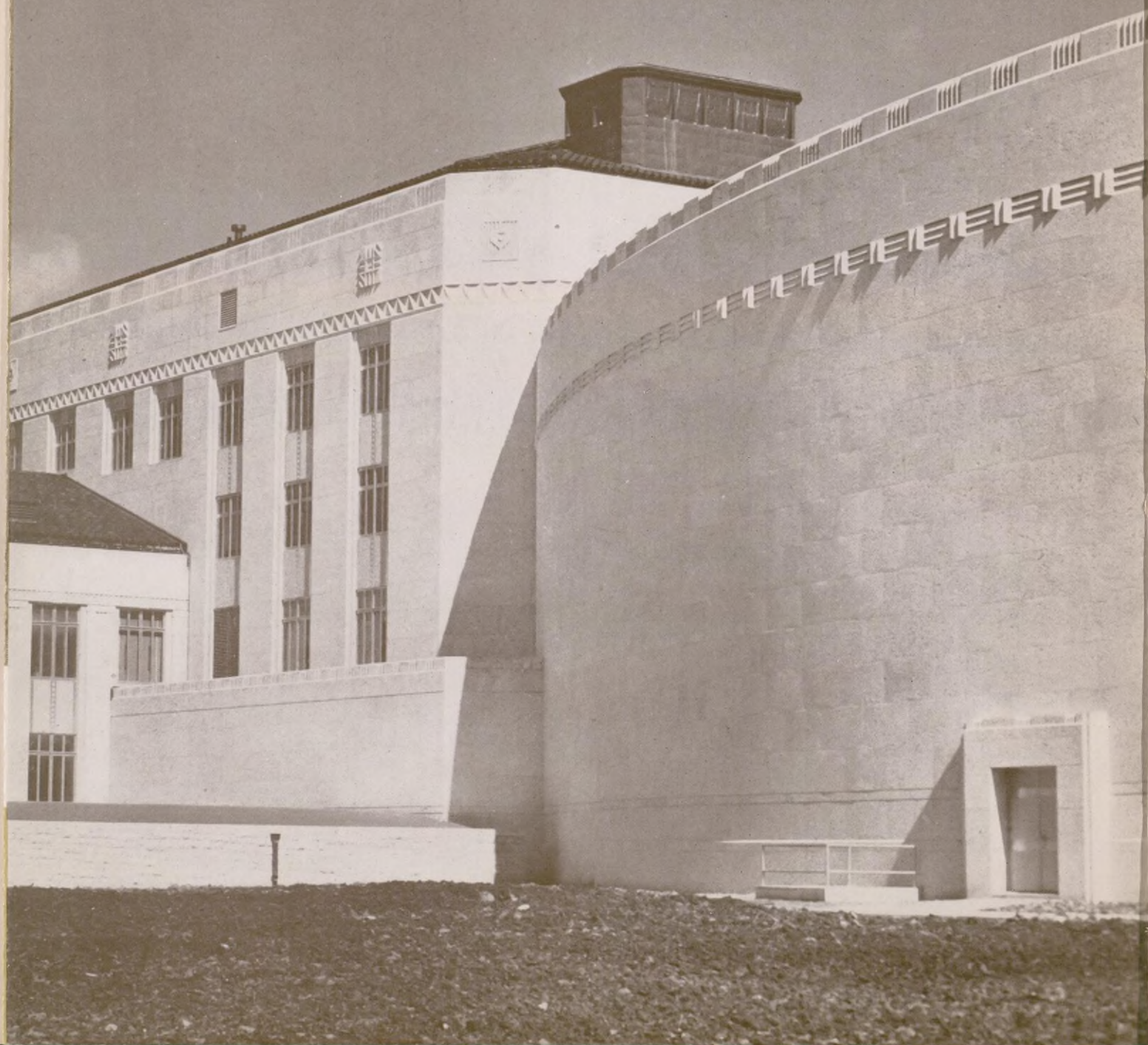
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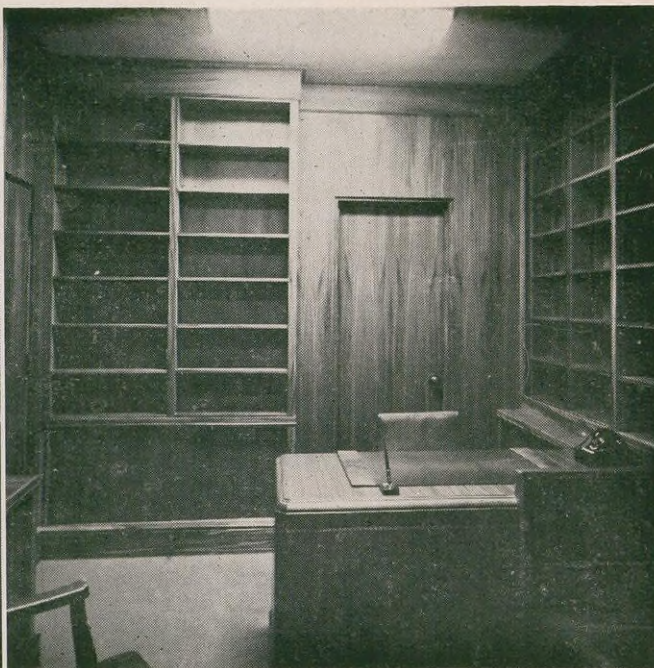
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I hope that each one of you will consider this a letter addressed to you individually and personally. Maybe you just graduated last year, or took one course, or perhaps you took two courses ten years ago. You are a former student, and as such the University of Houston means more to you than it does to others who have never attended the Institution. Whether you attended ten years ago or last year, tremendous changes are always taking place and some of the greatest of these changes have been taking place during the past year.

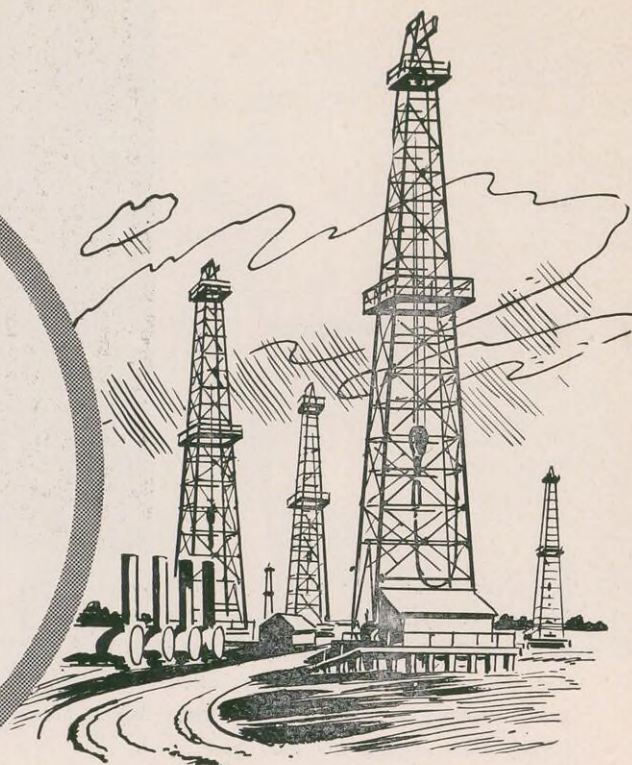
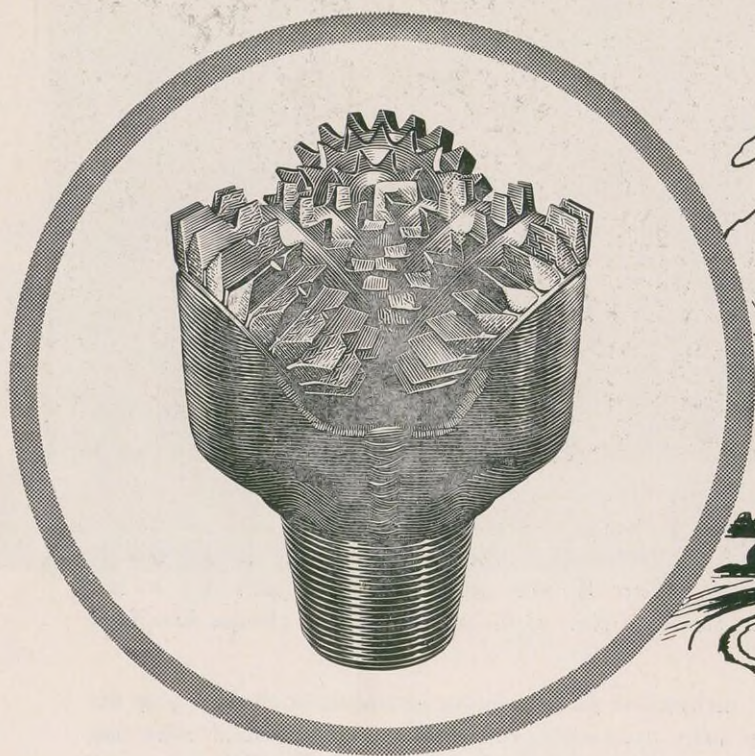
You should know that we have 13,900 students this fall, the largest enrollment in the history of the University. We have five dormitory buildings under construction, two of these to be occupied when you return on Homecoming day, the balance to be completed during the spring semester. When you return to the campus you will find a new library building almost completed, which will be occupied by December. You will see a new Central Heating and Cooling plant, equal in size and beauty to any bank in the city, and remarkably efficient in keeping us comfortable both summer and winter. You will see that we have completed many campus paving projects and an over-all campus lighting system.

But on top of the list you want to be sure to see the new Ezekiel W. Cullen Building. Being a naturalized Texan but being modest, I shall tell no tall tales about this wonderful edifice. But in telling the truth, it is in our humble judgment the finest college building in the country. No better auditorium, nor finer radio studios, no more beautiful music studios can be found anywhere. Until you have seen the Board of Regents' room and the Presidential Suite of offices, you cannot know the present status of the University of Houston. The new Faculty Club is equal to the finest private club in the city. I hope you will pardon me if I appear unduly enthusiastic, but those of you who have not attended the University for some years will recall the most modest surroundings in which we worked. After you see this new Administration Building you will agree that we have come a long way and that we can now show off the physical plant of the University as well as its educational program as one of the best.

Your University may become one of the most outstanding municipal community colleges in the country. Your continued interest and loyal support is absolutely essential to achieve this high stature. I am looking forward to seeing you on November 18. Please consider this my personal invitation to you to visit me on Saturday morning, November 18. Be sure and bring your friends along, whether they are Ex-Students or not. You can show them your University, and you can be truly proud. Also be sure to bring your friends to the Cougar-William and Mary football game and see an up-and-coming football team and what promises to be a very interesting game.

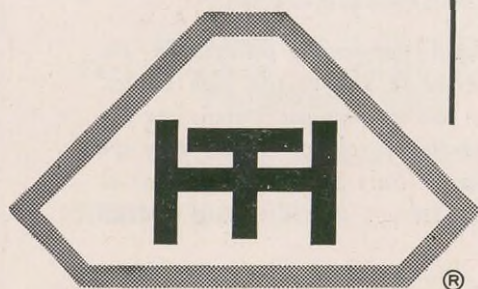
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- A giant pep rally. By special arrangement with Howard Hughes and RKO Studios, lovely Janis Carter, motion picture star, will be present and designated as honorary HOMECOMING Queen.

FRIDAY NIGHT, AT 7:00 PM, ON THE CAMPUS, NOVEMBER 17:

- Lighting of the mammoth bonfire on the campus. There'll be fun and excitement for everyone. Bring the kids.

Celebrities will be present (including Miss Carter)

SATURDAY MORNING AND AFTERNOON, NOVEMBER 18, ON THE CAMPUS:

- 10:00 AM—REGISTRATION of all Exes in the foyer on the first floor of the Ezekiel Cullen Building.

TOUR of the most beautiful college building in America, the new Cullen Building. Members of the University's Press Association will serve as guides through the magnificent structure. (If you are too old to walk through the building, we have two elevators just for you.)

AFTER THE TOUR, the Faculty Association will honor the Exes with an open house in their plush lounge on the fourth floor. Here is your chance to meet and talk with your former professors and pause for refreshments.



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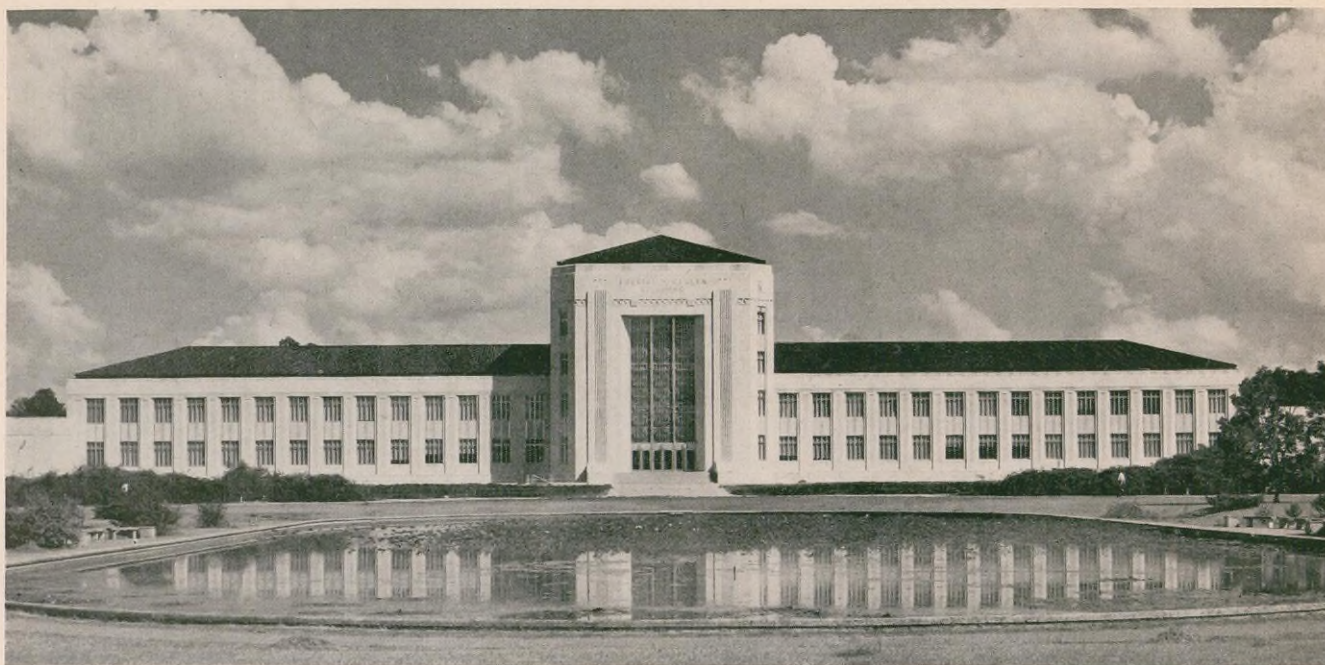
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LOVELY JANIS CARTER, star of RKO pictures, will reign as Honorary HOMECOMING QUEEN at the 5th annual Homecoming celebration November 17 and 18.

Janis Carter Chosen Exes' Honorary Queen

The dazzling glamorous Janis Carter, RKO's beautiful new star, has been chosen as Honorary Homecoming Queen by the Ex-Students Association. Featured on radio and TV, as well as the screen, Miss Carter's latest picture is MY FORBIDDEN PAST in which she is co-starred with Robert Mitchum and Ava Gardner.

RKO Studios through the cooperation and good wishes of Noah Dietrich (former University regent) and Howard Hughes are sending Miss Carter to participate in all Homecoming activities.

This is the third consecutive Homecoming that has had the captivating Hollywood flavor. In 1948, singing-dancing star Marjorie Reynolds was Honorary Homecoming Queen.

Then in 1949, last year, RKO, at the request of the Ex-Students Association, graciously sent another blonde beauty, Audrey Totter to Houston to be the Exes' Honorary Queen.



Actress Audrey Totter, 1949 Honorary HOMECOMING QUEEN, Jack Valenti, Exes' president and HOMECOMING QUEEN Billye Jean Taylor Baker are shown above.

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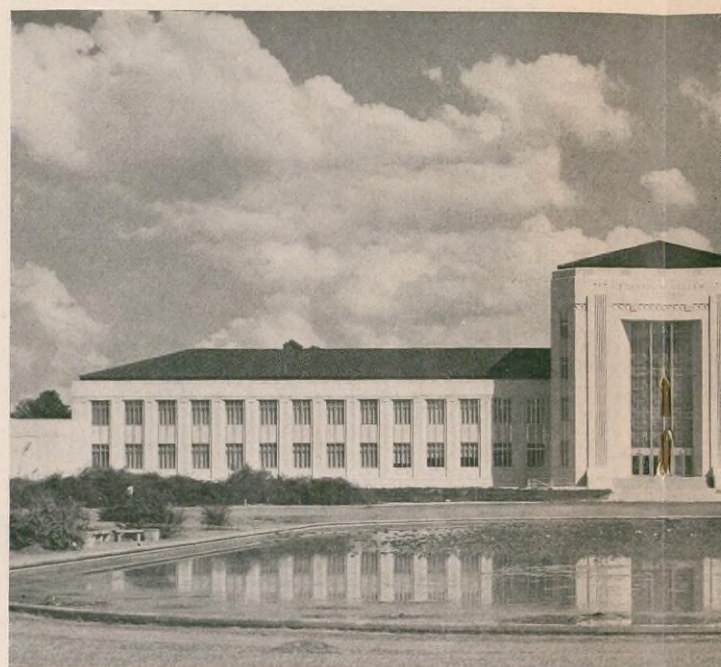
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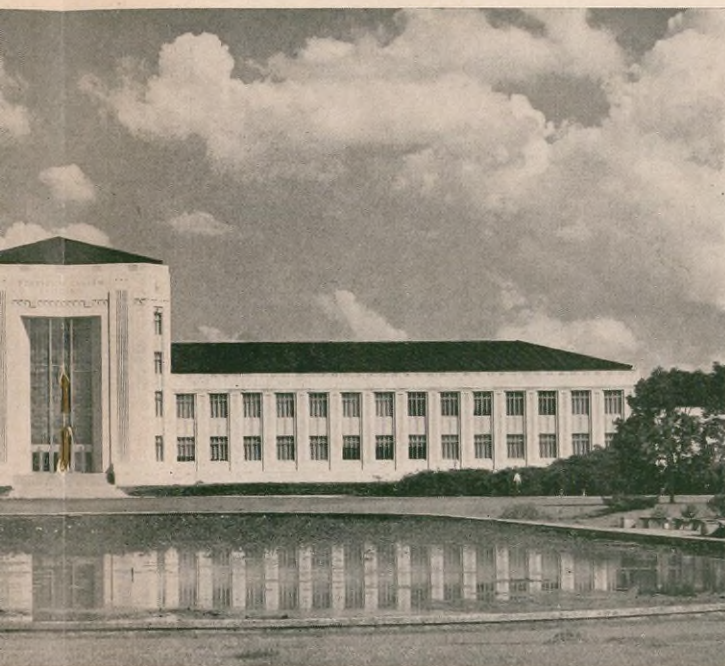
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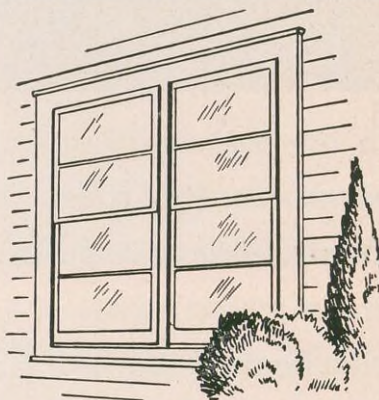
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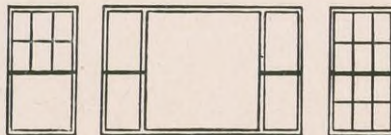


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GENE SHANNON

touchdown underdog, the Cougars arched their backs and lost by a 14-13 margin.

The William & Mary Indians went on to a successful season by defeating Virginia Tech, V.M.I., Richmond, Arkansas, and North Carolina State.

That was last year.

The Indians are not faring that well this season. They have suffered crushing defeats to Wake Forest, Michigan State, and recently North Carolina trounced them 40 to 7.

On the same day the Indians were humiliated, the Cougars were winning their greatest victory of all time—a decisive 46 to 6 win over the previously unbeaten Wichita Wheat Shockers, who appear certain to take top honors in the Missouri Valley Conference this season.

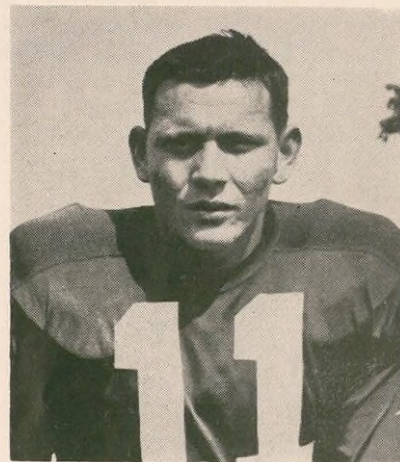
BY JOE MARANTO

If viewed mathematically, our side of the slate doesn't present a much prettier picture. We lost our first three games—St. Bonaventure, Baylor, and Trinity—with devastating swiftness. Two weeks later we suffered a heart-breaking 14-13 loss to Hardin-Simmons' hard-riding Cowpokes. Our record stands at a less than mediocre four losses, two wins.

But it's the way we won over Wichita and Louisville that sent Cougar stock soaring. As if suddenly injected with a rejuvenating life-blood,

the Cougars have arisen from their half-time stupor and appear destined to turn their early-season rout into their most successful season in history.

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The meeting of William & Mary, the second oldest college in the United States, with University of Houston, the youngest and largest major college in the country, is no accident. It speaks of the progressiveness of the University in both education and athletics. William & Mary is but one of the great colleges the Cougars will meet on the gridiron. Alabama, Georgia Tech, Oklahoma A&M, and Kentucky are just a few of the "big" teams the Cougars have in mind for tentative grid struggles.

But the eyes of Cougar boosters are on that "big" William & Mary team.

And like that old typing exercise starts off, "Now is the time. . ."

Future Exes

By Betty Lou Arnold

CARROLL ADAIR COLLINS—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Larkin Collins on October 16 at Hermann Hospital. Weight 6 pounds and 9 ounces. Mrs. Collins is the former Jean Adair (Putt-Putt) Miller. The Collins reside at 5106 Chenevert.

PAUL RANDALL PETITT—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ben M. Petitt, Jr. on August 3 at St. Joseph's. Weight 9 pounds and 7 ounces. Mrs. Petitt is the former Lucy Mercer. They reside at 1556 Danville.

CYNTHIA ANN BAKER—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Baker on September 24 at Memorial Hospital. Weight 7 pounds 7½ ounces. Mrs. Baker is the former Barbara Smith. Their address is 4633 Holt, Bellaire, Texas.

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Veterans' Wild Game Dinner Idea of Ex-Student Cardiff

Hundreds of hospitalized veterans in the state of Texas will, for the second consecutive year, have a feast of wild game around the first of the year. They have Ex-Student Bill Cardiff, of the class of 1947, to thank for this, as it was his idea last year to toss the big dinner for the boys confined to Veteran's Hospitals.

Last year over 500 ducks and 20 deer were killed and sent to Veterans Hospitals in Temple and Houston. "Over 1100 veterans were fed," Cardiff said, "and we expect to take care of twice that many the first of the year," he added.

The Dinner is sponsored by VFW American Legion Post 9182 in Katy, Texas in conjunction with the Annual VFW—Andy Anderson Wild Game Dinner for Disabled Vets.

To acquire all of this wild game, members of the Katy post, dispatch duck hunters over a half-million acre tract infested with wild game and are told to "get your limit and come on in." All game is turned over to a central headquarters and the hunter not only has had the sport of hunting, but the satisfaction of knowing that his game will go to some deserving men.

For this service Post 9182 (Floyd E. Breedlove post) received third place for National Community Service in 1950.

Hunters who would like to help out in this worth while endeavor may write to Post 9182 in Katy, Texas. The big hunt will take place sometime in early December, Cardiff said.

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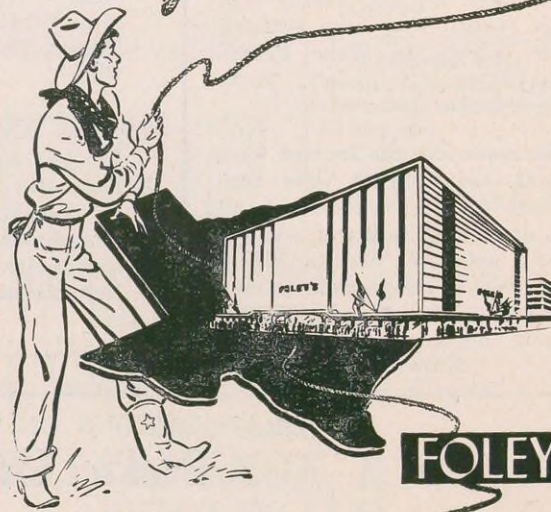


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Off the Beam

By JACK VALENTI

BARRISTER'S BARNYARD: The elegantly groomed V. M. (Buddy) Toomey, Jr., now a full-fledged legal eagle has joined forces with his parent, V. M., Sr., in a new firm, called, appropriately, Toomey & Toomey. . . they're housed in the Citizens State Bank Bldg. Jimmy Saccomanno, still in the Sterling Bldg., but now associated with W. J. Mills, former candidate for county judge. . . Larry Baker and Dave Thompson emerging from the shadows and making an appearance at the Sideline Coaches lunch-fest. . .

SING IT PRETTY, TOMMY: What may turn out to be the most garishly famous quartet since whoever was the most famous quartet are the TRAIL BLAZERS, whose dramatis personae includes Tommy Sharp, Buddy, Dick and George Pearson. Their first waxing is out, a disc jockey favorite already, called A COWBOY'S SILENT NIGHT. . . it's a wistful, haunting sort of thing. . . Tommy's an old-time Cougar band leader, kicking off his first combo in 1946. . . it's on sale at your favorite music shop. . .

give it a listen, then give it a buy. . .

LITTLE DOINGS ABOUT BIG PEOPLE: Ex-Student board member Jim Palmer broke into big-time print with an article in Editor & Publisher, bible of the publishing world. . . a little tid-bit on critics and their functions. . . and as usual, interestingly and skillfully done. . . doing a stint in the peace-time Army and strangely loving it is Lieut. Werner Poerschke, with the engineers at Camp Rucker, Alabama. . . doing cadence with him is Liet. Harrey Scott. . . says Werner, "hours are very nice. . . social life is rough, something pleasurable going on all the time. . ." where, oh where, can those beachheads be? . . . with Petroleos Mexicanos, Depto. de Perforacion, in Cerro Azul, Veracruz, Mexico is Henry Escamilla (hmmm, quit taking Spanish lessons eh, dear reader) . . . Henry's boss is another exe, Jesse Wilson, and the two of them are claironing the Cougar call in the mountainous oily country around Tampico and Tuxpan. . . now enrolled in the American Institute For Foreign Trade at Thunderbird Field in Phoenix is Marvin Clark. . .

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SMILES WERE IN ORDER when Exes' President Jack Valenti handed University President Dr. W. W. Kemmerer this check because two as yet unnamed high school students would receive a \$500 scholarship to the University of Houston—a gift from the Ex-Student Association's fund drive.

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Exes Set Up Scholarship Funds

Jack Valenti, president of the University of Houston Ex-Students Association, recently presented President W. W. Kemmerer with two \$500 checks to be used as scholarships and \$300 for a loan fund.

The money was collected last year during the University Exes Scholarship Fund Drive.

"I am honored to be able to present these checks to the University so that other students may benefit from receiving an education at this great institution. I hope that this will be only the beginning of greater things to come," Valenti said.

Pat H. Foley of the Pat H. Foley and Co. funeral directors has presented a scholarship for a year's tuition for one student to the University of Houston College of Nursing.

Miss Evlyn Pederson, dean of the College of Nursing, said that the scholarship will be presented to a student soon.

Mr. Foley is a University Ex and in 1939 was president of the Ex-Students Association.



UNIVERSITY VICE-PRESIDENT Dr. C. F. Hiller is handed a scholarship check from Ex-Student Pat H. Foley. The check will cover the tuition for a future nurse to go to the U. of H. for one full year.

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WELCOME WILSON NAMED 'HONORMAN'

Recruit Chief Petty Officer Welcome W. Wilson, former vice-president of the Ex-Students Association, received recognition at the San Diego Naval Training Center, Navy Officers announced recently.

It was the third time in the history

It was announced at this writing that Welcome W. Wilson had just received a commission as Ensign in the Navy reserve. The announcement was received from the Navy Dept. in Washington, D. C.

of the Navy base that a Recruit Chief Petty Officer had been elected Honorman of his company.

The Honorman is elected by the company from five candidates recognized by the company commander as outstanding men in their recruit training. The award was given on the basis of leadership, sportsmanship, military bearing, initiative, response to orders, cleanliness, being a good shipmate, and his ability in all phases of recruit training.

His wife is Mrs. Jo Ann Guest Wilson of 2229 Branard.

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Date	Opponent
Dec. 2	Bradley*♦
Dec. 5	St. Louis*♦
Dec. 8	Sam Houston
Dec. 12	St. Louis*
Dec. 13	Stephen F. Austin♦
Dec. 19	Texas A&M
Dec. 23	University of Wichita*
Jan. 1	Drake*♦
Jan. 2	Drake*♦
Jan. 4	Univ. of Missouri♦
Jan. 10	Oklahoma City University
Jan. 13	Midwestern♦
Jan. 16	Trinity♦
Jan. 18	Sam Houston State♦
Jan. 20	North Texas State
Jan. 27	Wichita*♦
Jan. 31	Stephen F. Austin
Feb. 3	Midwestern
Feb. 6	Bradley*
Feb. 10	Tulsa*
Feb. 13	Detroit*♦
Feb. 14	Detroit*♦
Feb. 17	Texas A&M♦
Feb. 21	Oklahoma A&M*
Feb. 23	North Texas State♦
Feb. 24	Oklahoma City Univ.♦
Feb. 27	Trinity
Mar. 5	Tulsa*♦
Mar. 7	Oklahoma A&M*♦

*—Missouri Valley Conference game
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Waldhauser Edited Magazine Given Top National Honor

The LINE, house organ for Tennessee Gas Transmission Co., which is edited by Ex-Student Director Walter A. Waldhauser, was recently awarded the highest honor obtainable in the 1950 national contest conducted by the Society of Associated Industrial Editors.

The LINE received the "Award of Excellence" in the large multi-color division and was voted the top honor over a field of more than 600 other company magazines from throughout the United States that were entered in the contest.

The LINE was announced as the "best" at the 13th national conference held in Denver, Colorado, September 7-9.

Judges for the general section, in which The LINE was entered, were A. O. Hensel, advertising manager, Prefex Corp., Milwaukee, Wis.; W. R. Gerler, Publicity Director, S. C. Johnson & Son., Racine, Wis. and J. D. Grace, advertising manager, Norberg Manufacturing Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

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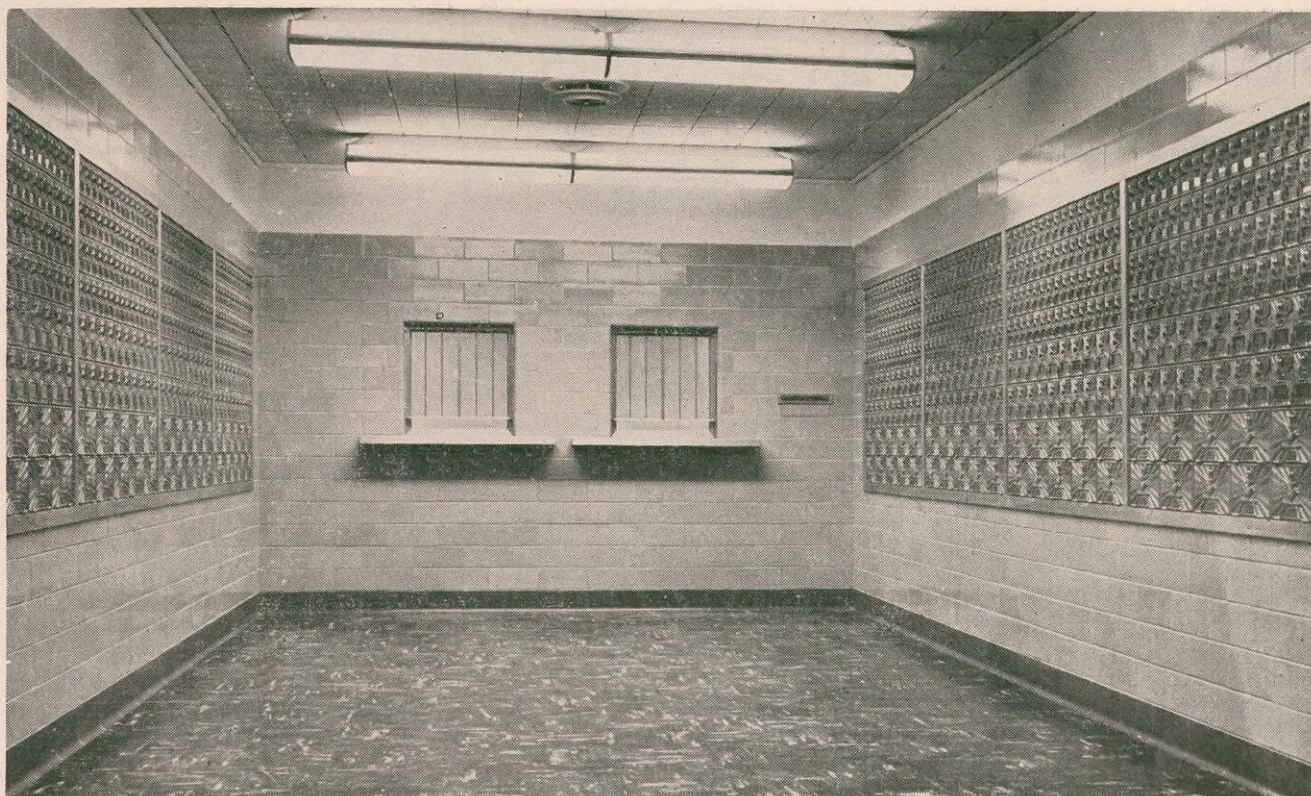
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HOMECOMING *Round-Up* for 1950

BY LELAND ESTES, JR.

University Exes will have to start a day early to be able to get in all the activities that are planned for the 5th annual Homecoming Day celebration.

Friday, Nov. 17, a big pep rally will be held on the campus. Shouting will start at 10:45 a.m. and last until 11:30 a.m. Exes are invited to outyell the undergraduates in this larynx workout the day before the crucial game with William and Mary. Lovely Hollywood actress, Janis Carter, will be on hand as the Exes' Honorary Homecoming Queen.

Later that night the huge APO Homecoming bonfire will be set off at the stroke of 7 p.m. More than 8000 students and alumni attended the first last year. The bonfire tower was over 100 feet tall last year. Even Mr. O'Leary's cow couldn't send flames any higher.

The Big Day, the culmination of

all the pre-Homecoming fanfare, will start at 9:30 a.m. Saturday when the University of Houston will tie up traffic for about an hour with a "whoop de doo" sort of parade to celebrate the return of the Exes to the campus. Fraternities and sororities will join with clubs on the campus to compete for prizes that the Ex-Students Association offers for the best floats in the parade. Judges will award a first prize of \$25 to the organization having the best looking float in the parade down Main Street. The committee will also give prizes of \$15 and \$10 to the second and third best floats in the decorative file.

Immediately after the parade downtown, at approximately 10:00 a.m., the Press Association members will act as guides for the Exes who would like to tour the new five and a half million dollar Ezekiel W. Cullen Building. And the Exes will have a chance to see and talk to their former professors in the beautiful Fac-

ulty Lounge. The faculty will be the host at a coffee for all Ex-Students.

By 2 p.m. Saturday afternoon thousands of University Exes will be filling the new Houston Stadium for the day's big event, the Homecoming Day football game in which the "Big Reds" will match muscle and brains with their arch rivals, William and Mary from Williamsburg, Virginia.

A crowning event in the activity will be the coronation of the 1950 Homecoming Queen. She will then join the Honorary Queen to reign over one of the mightiest of modern castles, the new 70,000 capacity Houston Stadium.

To top off the day's activity the Exes will attend a Homecoming Dance in the Crystal Ballroom of the Rice Hotel from 10 p.m. to 2 a.m. During intermission the Homecoming Queen will receive a bracelet from Corrigan's.

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Ex-Students Wed; To Live in Beaumont

Friday, October 27, Miss Beverly Linnell Schlichting and Lucius D. Sugg, Jr., were married in St. Mark's Episcopal Church in a double ring ceremony performed by Rev. James P. Clements.

The bride wore an ivory satin gown trimmed with Chantilly lace. A pleated bonnet headdress adorned with seed pearls carried her fingertip veil. A bouquet of white orchids and lillies completed the bridal ensemble.

Miss Patricia Halsall was maid of honor and Miss Mary Louise Woolbridge was bridesmaid. William J. Leach was best man and Charles A. Snyder served as groomsmen.

The couple will live in Beaumont after their wedding trip to Lake Charles, La. For travel the bride wore a blue suit with navy blue accessories.

At the University the bride was a member of Beta Chi sorority and the bridegroom a member of Gan Bey fraternity.

Society

BY MARGARET BEASLEY



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Exes Wed In Evening Ceremony

Two Ex-Students were wed recently in an evening ceremony at Immanuel Lutheran Church. Miss Mildred Ann Hellbusch, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Enno Henry Hellbusch and Thomas Sidney Erwin will make their home at 5118 Mercer after their return from a wedding trip to New Orleans. The groom is the son of Mrs. Ben Henry Edwin and the late Mr. Erwin. Rev. Elmo E. Mierchin officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Mrs. Warren E. Settegast served as matron of honor and Mrs. Howard L. Hohl and Miss Laura Jean Meyer as bridesmaids.

John S. Shambaugh was best man to the groom and James H. Barnett and Ernest W. Bartlett, Jr. were groomsmen. Serving as ushers were Robert T. Howard, Jack E. Nilni, and Lawrence E. McMakin.

The bride entered wearing a gown of white satin and net with an ankle length hemline. A headdress of satin and illusion held her short veil of illusion and she carried a white bouquet of orchids.

Margaret Hogan Weds A. L. Kiber In Formal Double Ring Ceremony

In a recent wedding Miss Margaret Cecelia Hogan and Albert Louis Kiber, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Kiber of Baytown were wed. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Henry J. Hogan.

The double ring ceremony, in which the bride's brother, Henry J. Hogan, Jr., gave her away was performed by the Rt. Rev. Monsignor J. B. Schnitzer at the Blessed Sacrament Church.

The bride wore a gown of candlelight satin with a net yoke studded with satin rosebuds and seed pearls.

Her skirt extended into a formal train and a veil of illusion adorned her pearl encrusted Juliet cap. Her bouquet was of roses on a prayer book.

Maid of honor was Miss Jean Freitag and L. M. Hebert was best man. Mrs. Charles Walker, Mrs. Henry J. Hogan, Jr., and Mrs. Jerry Hogan were bridesmaids. Groomsmen were Charles Walker, Euclid Norris and Percy LaFosse.

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Bill Luse was second in the campaign with 64 sales and received a sport coat from Rodney Boling of Rodney's in the Village.

L. D. Morrison Named Houston Police Chief

Ex-Student L. D. Morrison, who has been working in the Houston Police Department since 1931, was recently made Chief of Police of the City of Houston. The announcement was made by Mayor Oscar F. Holcombe.

Chief Morrison, who holds a bachelor's degree in Public Administration received in 1947 and a master's in 1948, began his police training as a patrolman 19 years ago. Since that time he has held the positions of Detective, Lieutenant, Captain and Inspector.

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Chief Morrison's biography will appear in the 1950 edition of "Who's Who in the South and Southwest."

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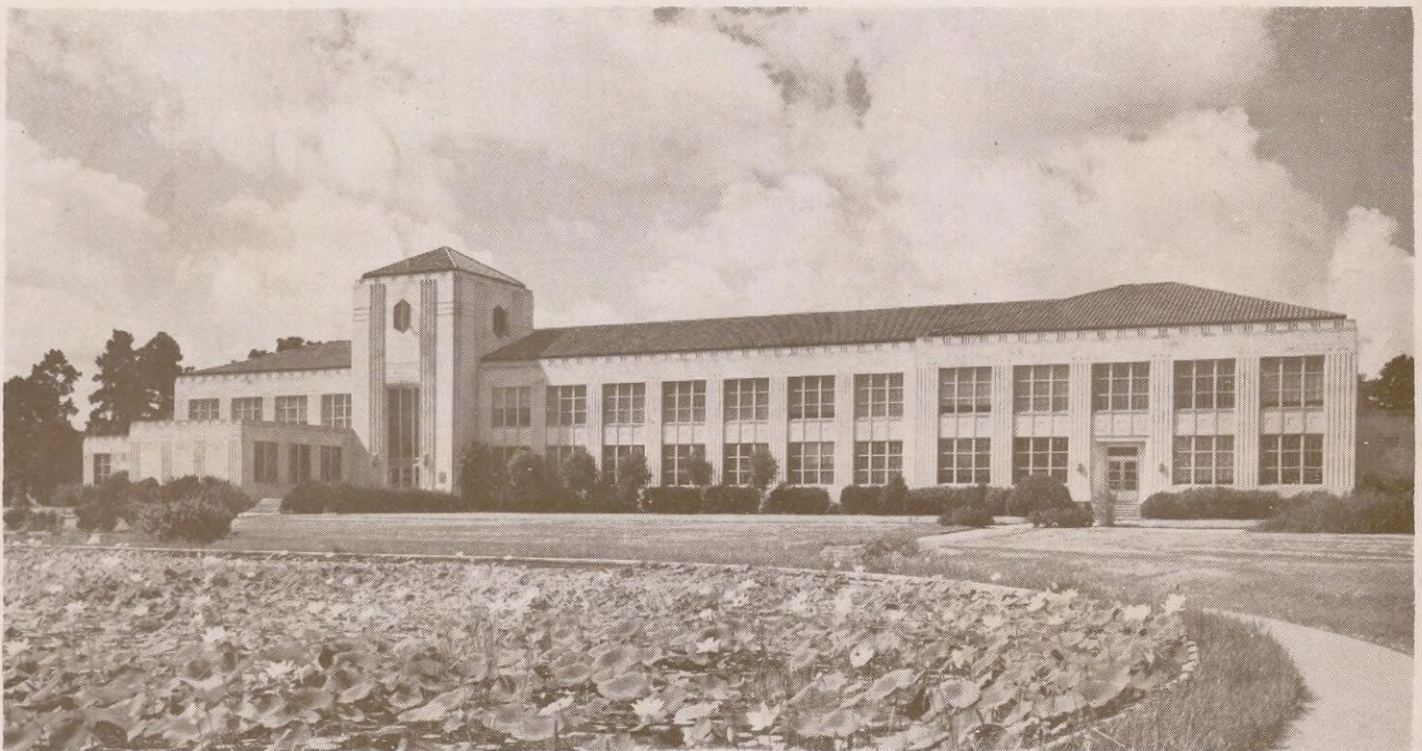
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