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38 Seniors Named To Who's Who

Thirty-eight Texas A&M seniors have been selected for "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges," Dean of Students James P. Hanigan announced.

The honor is accorded graduating seniors who have a 1.5 or better grade point ratio, are active in student activities and display leadership.

A&M's class of 1968 "Who's Who" honorees are Wayne J. Baird, a physics major, and Jeffrey C. Nieland, premedicine, of Big Spring; David J. Boethel, entomology, Weimar; Weldon T. Bollinger, agronomy, Sealy; Francis J. Bourgeois, pre-medicine, New Braunfels; Clinton D. Campbell, architecture, Center.

Alson, David E. Gay, economics, College Station; Roberto Gonzales, math, Brownsville; Ronnie J. Hastings, physics, Cisco; Larry C. Hearn, mechanical engineering, and Larry D. Scott, math, Cleburne; William R. Hindman, civil engineering, Terrell.

From San Antonio, Gary S. Kempf, range science; Leon E. Travis, electrical engineering; and James H. Wright, veterinary

medicine.

Kenneth D. Kennerly, math, Odessa; of Houston, James H. Lehmann, finance, Richard G. McCann, Zoology, and George N. Walne, economics.

In addition, Juan De Dios Lopez, entomology, Alice; Kenneth C. Love, veterinary medicine, Corsicana; Douglas M. Matthews, veterinary medicine, and Joseph P. Webber, history, Waco; Laurence S. Melzer, geological engineering, Midland; Gary L. Moon, finance, Granbury; Gerald L. Moore, physics, Arlington; Barry E. Morgan, aerospace engineering, Bryan; John W. Morgan, history, Fort Bragg, N. C.; Robert A. Power, math, Marshall.

Daniel T. Presswood, journalism, and Donald M. Savage, government, Fort Worth; Charles W. Preston, economics, Henderson; Scott H. Roberts, economics; and Sanford T. Ward, pre-medicine, Austin; Jesse H. Stiles, Jr., petroleum engineering, Frederick, Okla.; Lewis G. Venator, psychology, Dallas; Ira Dan Westerfield, civil engineering, Crawford, and Joseph M. Wright, veterinary medicine, Alpine.

Advisor Fails Security OK, Thurmond Charges In Senate

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Strom Thurmond, R-S.C., charged Thursday that Presidential adviser Walt W. Rostow had not directly denied reports he was refused high-level security clearance three times in the past "because he knows that he cannot truthfully do so."

Thurmond told the Senate that Rostow "is being less than candid" in replying he had a continuous security clearance since 1951. Thurmond said there are various levels of access to secret matters.

Rostow could not be reached immediately for comment on Thurmond's remarks.

THURMOND said the specific issue is "whether Rostow was initially rejected for a high-level clearance by the Department of the Air Force" and was turned down two more times by the Department of State in 1955 and 1957.

Rostow is now President Johnson's special assistant for national security matters.

A brief filed in a Civil Service case at the State Department charged that Rostow was rejected three times for security clearance during President Dwight D. Eisenhower's administration. The case is that of Otto F. Otepka, who is challenging his dismissal as the department's chief security evaluations officer.

THE STATE Department said last Friday when the allegations against Rostow became known that it would have no comment on any matter involving the Otepka case while it is pending.

Rostow claimed security clearance ever since 1951 when, according to a biographical sketch in Who's Who, he was a staff member of the Center for International Studies. He did not say why he had obtained the clearance then.

Thurmond said denial of a security clearance does not imply disloyalty, but does raise a question of risk.

Rostow's present position, Thurmond said, "shows clearly that the security standards in our top echelons have been lowered."

Aggie Debaters To Open Season

Seasoned Texas A&M Debate Team members who accomplished the highest winning percentage in the university's history open the 1967 season next month.

Four returning lettermen participated in 10 tournaments last year, won five team trophies and posted 2.2 to 3.0 grade point ratios.

In addition, the team organized and presented the annual A&M Invitational Tournament involving 27 college and university teams and a highly popular audience round on U. S. Vietnam policy with Oxford University debaters.

More than 700 attended the A&M-Oxford round in the Memorial Student Center, making it one of the year's most popular programs.

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Returning to attempt improvement of last year's .606 percentage are juniors David Maddox of College Station, a management major; James Byrd of Houston, economics, and Ron Hinds of Midland, finance, and sophomore Bob Peek of Jacksboro, economics.

Dr. Michael Hairgrove of the English Department directs forensics and advises the team. He replaces Carl Kell, who held the director of forensics position since 1964.

Debate reached prominence at A&M in 1947 under Professor Karl Elmquist. Increased team activity in 1949 inaugurated the A&M Invitational for 12 years. The tournament was dropped four years until 1965 when it appeared in a new format. Computer-match procedure pairs teams by Data Processing Center computer after the first round and was copy-righted last year.

Pickets Battle Policemen In 'Peace Week' Protest



POLITICAL FORUM

Political Forum speakers Donald Rumsfeld (second from left), Republican congressman from Illinois, and Wyche Fowler, director of the Young Americans Division of the Democratic National Committee, (right) go over plans for the Forum's first program of the school year with Glenn McDaniel (left), president of the Texas A&M chapter of the Young Republicans, and Political Forum Chairman Bill Preston.

Republican, Democrat Clash In Opening Political Forum

By JOHN FULLER

Representatives of the Republican and Democratic parties traded political jabs here Thursday before emerging with a mutually-acceptable bit of advice for A&M students: get involved.

Donald Rumsfeld, Republican representative from Illinois, and Wyche Fowler, Jr., director of the Young Americans Division of the Democratic National Committee, made the remarks in the season's first Political Forum. The series is sponsored jointly by the Great Issues Committee and the Department of History and Government.

"Our system of government isn't perfect, by any means," Rumsfeld told the audience, "but it can be made to work only if it is guided by enough well-educated people."

"GET INVOLVED," he went on to urge the students. "We need your ideas and activity, because only if we have a broad input of

work can we expect a successful output."

Fowler expressed similar views, noting that there is "no better field in which progress results from a small contribution" than politics.

"The major crisis our country faces today is not the Vietnam war or race riots," he went on, "but the changing attitudes of our young people. Your generation is sick of hearing how well off you are, because you can see clearly how far we still have to go. And you can determine how far we go by becoming involved in government."

\$18,500 Grant Given A&M By Humble Oil

Texas A&M has been awarded an \$18,500 grant by the Humble Oil Education Foundation.

John S. Bell of Houston, manager of the Production Department of Humble Oil & Refining Company's East Texas Division, made the presentation during brief ceremonies Thursday in the offices of A&M President Earl Rudder.

A&M's College of Engineering, School of Business Administration and 10 individual departments will share in the funds. Allocations are: College of Engineering, \$1,000; School of Business Administration, \$1,500; Petroleum Engineering, \$3,000; Chemical Engineering, \$2,000; Mechanical Engineering, \$2,000; Electrical Engineering, \$1,500; Civil Engineering, \$1,000; Accounting, \$1,500; Geology, \$2,500; Geophysics, \$1,000; Oceanography, \$1,000, and Transportation, \$500.

Bell said the A&M grant is part of \$363,000 being awarded by the foundation this year to 89 institutions throughout the nation.

The Humble Oil Education Foundation is supported by the Humble Oil & Refining Co., Humble Pipe Line Co., Humble Gas Transmission Co., Enjay Chemical Co. and Esso Production Research Co.

Other Humble officials participating in the presentation were Robert L. Bullock, Tom M. Campbell, R. L. Ramsey, Frank G. Turpin, J. E. Willingham and A. Ross Rommell.

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Fowler and Rumsfeld differed, predictably, on which party students should select for this involvement.

"THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY is an anachronism," Rumsfeld charged in his opening remarks. "It is a marriage of convenience, formed of groups with diverse and conflicting interests. It is an alliance formed not to govern but to hold power, and the result has been ineffective government."

Furthermore, he asserted, the Democratic Party "acts as if it owns the place" as a result of being the perennial majority party in Washington.

The Republican Party, on the other hand, is "the party of opportunity," according to Rumsfeld.

Fowler took issue with Rumsfeld's descriptions of Republican goals, asserting that "Democrats try to figure out how to do things, while Republicans try to figure out how not to do things."

"THE REPUBLICAN VIRTUES—thrift, responsibility, initiative—sound admirable to most of us, but there are many people for whom they are just impossible."

"The more the Republicans look to the past, the more we must look to the future," he went on. "The more they polarize politics around the negative side, the more we must look to the positive side. The more the Republican Party becomes exclusive, the more the Democratic Party must become inclusive."

Fowler, who was a delegate from Davidson College to A&M's Student Conference on National Affairs in 1960, is currently studying law at Emory University in Atlanta, Georgia. Rumsfeld, a member of the House Committee on Science and Astronautics, the Committee on Government Operations, and the Joint Economic Committee, was named by Chicago Area Jaycees in 1965 as one of the 10 outstanding young men for the year.

Montoya Tickets Available In MSC

A limited number of tickets to the Rotary Community Series' presentation of Carlos Montoya Oct. 30 will go on sale at 9 a.m. Monday in the Memorial Student Center Programs Office.

Montoya, who has been called the world's leading flamenco guitarist, will appear at 8 p.m. in Bryan Auditorium.

Tickets are \$1.50 for A&M students and \$1.50 for their wives or dates. —Adv.

Spotlight Swings To East Coast

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Police arrested 33 antiwar demonstrators at Brooklyn College Thursday, touching off a bloody, five-minute pitched battle with several hundred angry, shouting students.

With peaceful picketing replacing three days of sitdown tactics at the Oakland, Calif., Induction Center, the spotlight swung to the East Coast as a week of Vietnam war protests continued.

In Madison, Wis., 13 leaders of a violent antiwar demonstration on Wednesday were expelled from the University of Wisconsin, prompting hundreds of students to boycott classes and set up chanting picket lines outside classrooms.

MEANWHILE, a vanguard of 120 men of the 82nd Airborne Division were flown into Washington as the Defense Department moved to protect the Pentagon against a mass antiwar demonstration scheduled for Saturday.

The Brooklyn College demonstration began with a sit-in to protest installation of a Navy recruiting stand in a student activities building. After 33 arrests were made, several hundred other students turned on the police.

Night sticks were swung as officers formed a flying wedge and fought their way into a student crowd that blocked a roadway from the campus.

SEVERAL students were left bleeding. One patrolman was carried off on a stretcher as students gave a Nazi salute and shouted, "Heil! Heil!"

In Oakland, several busloads of inductees entered the center there without police escort and without opposition. Hundreds of marching pickets opened a lane for the buses, containing themselves with shouting, "Don't go!" Earlier in the week, the demonstrators had tried to block the center's main entrance and more than 200 were dragged or escorted to police wagons.

UNIVERSITY of Wisconsin's students skirmished with police Wednesday over on-campus job recruiting by the Dow Chemical Co., which makes napalm for the Vietnam war.

'71 Drill Team Names Leaders For New Year

Noel H. Thomas of Dallas has been elected commander of the Freshman Drill Team for 1967-68.

The Fish Drill Team, under Thomas' command, will make its first dress appearance of the year in the Dec. 2 Bryan-College Station Chamber of Commerce Christmas Parade.

Thomas is a civil engineering major and Company D-1 cadet.

Also serving as team officials are Samuel E. Garcia of San Antonio, executive officer and guidon bearer, and F. M. Hofstetter of Bellaire, right guide.

Garcia, an industrial engineering major in Squadron 11, and Thomas were elected by the 75-member team. The precision rifle unit has had freshmen from San Antonio in command positions three straight years.

A Company C-2 cadet and mechanical engineering major, Hofstetter was selected for right guide by the team's upperclass advisors and Calvin Reese of the commandant's office, team sponsor. They also selected Garcia as guidon bearer.

The team will compete in the Gulf Coast Senior Drill Competition in Houston Dec. 16 and other drill meets to be scheduled during the spring semester, noted Jim Vogas of Galveston, senior advisor. —Adv.

Expulsion of 13 leaders of the demonstration brought a crowd of about 1,500 students milling outside the office of Chancellor William H. Sewell on Thursday. After numerous pep talks, they broke into smaller groups and began picketing classrooms on the 32,000-student campus.

In Chicago, helmeted police turned back a charge by 100 demonstrators on an armed forces induction center. It was the third day of picketing at the center, near Chicago's downtown business district. However, inductees made their way through the picket lines to report.

SIX REED College students, protesting the draft, chained themselves at the entrance to the Selective Service office in Portland, Ore., and police had to use metal cutters to snap the links.

Students Sought By SCONA XIII To Report Talks

Applications for recorders are being taken in the Student Conference on National Affairs Office in the Memorial Student Center for the upcoming conference in December.

A writing sample should be turned in by Oct. 31, as well as signing the list in the Program Committee box.

SCONA XIII, whose topic is "The Price of Peace in South-east Asia," will have eight round-tables each, holding five sessions. A recorder must be present at each of the three and half hour sessions.

The recorder's job will be to summarize the discussion of the delegates and the roundtable chairmen for a permanent record and a basis for further discussion.

"We need sophomores, juniors and seniors," Lawrence Stelly programs chairman, said. "We prefer sophomores and juniors because the experience will make them possible delegates to future SCONAs."

"We hope to have about 40 candidates with 1.25 grade-point ratios and a B in English 104," Stelly continued. "These 40 will be cut to 20 on the basis of grades and the writing sample."

"The remainder will be interviewed on their knowledge of foreign affairs by Dr. Haskell Monroe, associate dean of the graduate college and a SCONA advisor."

Weather Clear For Corps Trip

Northbound traffic for Fort Worth will have clear weather and dry driving conditions, according to forecasts from the Meteorology Department Weather Station at Texas A&M.

The Corps Trip movement will be under generally clear skies and cool weather, noted Jim Lightfoot, station manager.

Conditions at the 7:30 p.m. kickoff of Saturday's Southwest Conference football game between the Aggies and Texas Christian will include 64 degrees and southeasterly winds at 5 to 10 mph, he forecasts.

Driving between College Station and Fort Worth Friday will be with southerly wind, 10 to 15 mph, and a temperature range of 81 to 48 degrees.

The only change for Saturday is a predicted 80 to 52 temperature range. Sunday will be cooler here and in Fort Worth, Lightfoot predicted. Winds will shift to the north with the thermometer notching a 73 high and 54 low here.

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