

# ... to Welcome A&M Students of All Faiths

Directed by 'Y' Cabinet . . .

## Campus Religious Groups, Recreation Found at 'Y'

Just what does the YMCA attempt to do and why? Dr. James Ellenwood, state secretary of the "Y" for New York gives this definition:

"The Young Men's Christian Association we regard as being in its essential genius a world-wide fellowship of men and boys, united by a common loyalty to Jesus Christ for the purpose of developing Christian personality and building a Christian society."

A&M's YMCA building is located between Goodwin and Mitchell Halls, facing Houston Avenue. General secretary is M. L. Cashion, who is assisted by Gordon Gay.

### Program Set

"Whatever program that contributes to wholesome fellowship, that breaks down barriers of ignorance and prejudice, that instills the principles of fair play and neighborliness, that enlarges the knowledge of the Bible, that teaches social responsibility and that directs to Christian vocation—that will be the program undertaken by the 'Y' Cabinet this year," according to Cashion.

The Cabinet coordinates and operates the activities of the YMCA, under the supervision and guidance of Cashion and Gay. From the senior cabinet, a Freshman Committee will be formed. Purpose of the Freshman Committee, Cashion said, will be to form and direct activities of the freshmen.

A council will be formed as a steering group, he said. The program is open to all freshmen who wish to participate in any activity that will be of interest and that will contribute to the "growth of the individual."

### Four Objectives

The National Organization of Christian Students have designated four objectives as qualifications for an all-round program, said Cashion. They are as follows:

● World Relatedness — The YMCA is now operating in 71 countries of the globe. The World Student Christian Federation was formed in 1895 by Dr. John R. Mott. In spite of wars and world conflicts, it still is a tie that binds together Christian students of all lands.

The second agency in keeping students in contact with the world, is the World Student Service Fund, begun about 1938 to assist dis-

### Le Blanc Replaces Chemistry Prof

Dr. Bruce R. LeBlanc will replace Dr. C. M. Kelly in the Chemistry Department, according to Dr. F. W. Jensen, head of the department.

Dr. Kelly will do research at Stanford University.

Dr. LeBlanc who will be an assistant professor in the department and will teach freshman inorganic chemistry, received his Ph.D. in physical inorganic chemistry from Tulane, La. in June, 1950, an M. S. from Tulane in 1949; and a B. S. from Loyala University, La. in 1947.

Expected to arrive here Sept. 1, Dr. LeBlanc is married and has two sons. He is 26 and a member of Sigma Xi and Alpha Chi Sigma.

### Texas Death Toll Has 22% Increase

Austin, Tex.—(AP)—Texas motorists stacked another 196 persons into morgues last month to send the traffic death toll 22 per cent higher than a year ago, the Texas Department of Public Safety reported recently.

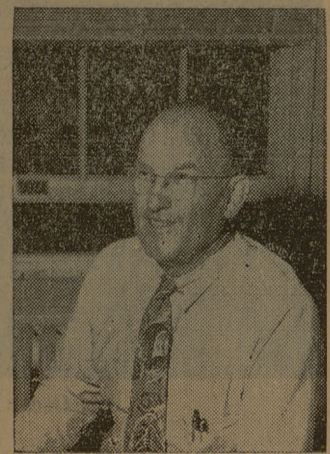
The most hazardous driving months are still ahead and nothing short of a miracle can hold the Texas death toll below the 2,400 mark for 1950, an all-time high, department director Homer Garrison Jr., said.

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placed students, especially from the Spanish Revolution. Since that



M. L. Cashion

time, there have been and still exist thousands of students, homeless and displaced, Cashion said, who need and receive help from other students throughout the world.

### Thousands Enrolled

A third opportunity to emphasize World Relatedness, according to the YMCA secretary, is that given by the thousands of foreign students who are enrolled in American colleges and universities.

"Our friendliness and encouragement to this group," he said, "can not be over-emphasized." These visitors may become ambassadors of good will to America, he pointed out, as they return to more than 114 different countries. Last year's number was more than 25,000.

### Church of Christ Plans Lunches for New Students

An active schedule is planned by the A&M Church of Christ for new and returning students this month, according to James F. Fowler, minister.

A special "basket lunch" will be given in honor of all new students following the regular morning worship Sunday by the congregation. Transportation and food will be provided all freshmen attending the services, Mr. Fowler said.

During the second week of classes, the Church of Christ will conduct a five-night series of meetings. These services, Mr. Fowler said, will be held immediately following the supper hour and will not last over an hour. Mr. Fowler will speak briefly at each service, while the remainder will be spent in singing and fellowship.

### Other Socials Planned

Other social gatherings are now being planned for the school year, although they will not be announced until later.

The regular fall schedule of services, as announced by the minister, will be as follows:

Sunday: Bible class, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship, 10:45 a. m.; Young Peoples Meeting, 6:15 p. m.; and evening worship, 7:15 p. m.

Wednesday: mid-week meeting, 7:15 p. m.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Fowler are graduates of Abilene Christian Col-

● Personal and Campus Affairs—this second objective, said Cashion, includes personal relations and culture, recreation, relation of men and women and Christian vocation. Emphasis of this objective, he said, will be made through forums, discussion groups, speakers, clubs, movies and interest groups.

● Social responsibilities—to be accomplished by work in the community, the third objective will be met by studies in social relations, economic justice and responsibility in the campus life and affairs, Cashion said.

● Christian Heritage—the four objectives will embrace worship, Bible study, Religious Emphasis Week, churchmanship and practicing Christianity.

The objectives, Cashion said, will be realized through committees appointed by the student president of the YMCA.

Any student of faculty member is invited to participate in what-ever phases of the program that might be interesting and helpful, he said.

### Returning Members

Returning members of the YMCA Cabinet will be A. B. Crowmover, Bill Dalston, Jim Dalston, Jody Damrod, King Egger, Allan Eubank, Curtis Edwards, Tom Fields, H. J. Finch, Kenneth Grant, Don Grubbs, Jack Heacock, Dick Ingels, Jim Kadel, Sow Kunihiro, and R. F. Langford.

Others are Jack McCarley, Charles McNeill, Lloyd Manjeot, James W. Mathis, James S. Miller, Lyman Osborne, J. W. Porter, C. L. Ray Jr., Jack Raley, Frank Sheffield, and A. M. Leon-Ortega.

### Church of Christ Plans Lunches for New Students

While with the Shamrock Shores Church of Christ in Dallas, Mr. Fowler finished class work and thesis requirements for a master's degree at SMU.

The Fowlers have three children, Jim, 7; Lois, 5, and Judy, 23 months.

The local church, originally begun with outside financial help, now supports its own program and contributes monthly to missionary work in Germany, Italy, and Japan. It also contributes to three orphan homes.

### Religion Courses Set

Mr. Fowler is, in addition to his duties as minister, an instructor in the Religious Education Department.

"Although no state funds are available to teach the religion courses, the Church of Christ is glad to aid in this work," he said. Courses to be taught this fall are Religion 309, "Early Old Testament History;" Religion 306, "New Testament Character Studies;" Religion 318, "Book of Acts;" and Religion 311, "The Synoptic Gospels."

"Any student is eligible to take these course, or any other course offered in the department, and will receive full credit as in any other elective course," the instructor said.



Typical of YMCA activities was a trip made by these four cadets to Camp Classen, Okla., where they attended a regional encampment early this summer. From left to right are King Egger, Jody Dameron, Don Grubbs, and C. L. Ray, all active in YMCA work. Egger returns this fall from a tour of Europe, sponsored jointly by the college and the YMCA.

### Episcopal Church Sets Fall Student Program

The Reverend Orin G. Helvey, vicar of the St. Thomas Episcopal Chapel and The Reverend Lawrence L. Brown, director of the Canterbury Bible Chair, have announced their schedule for the coming school year of 1950-51.

Sunday services will begin with Holy Communion at 8 a. m. This will be followed by the Aggie Coffee Club at 9:30 a. m. Members of the Coffee Club will hold a light breakfast, along with a discussion forum. At 11 a. m. the morning prayer and sermon begins.

Evening prayer begins at 6:30 p. m. The Young People's Meeting immediately follows the evening prayer service. Wednesday morning at 6:30, Holy Communion is held. Breakfast is served afterwards.

### Attended Sewance

Rev. Helvey attended the University of the South at Sewanee, Tenn., where he played tackle and fullback for four years on their football team. He made the all-conference team as full-back. He also played basketball and lettered in track for four years. He later attended the Episcopal Theological Seminary at Alexandria, Va., after leaving Sewanee. He received his Bachelor of Divinity degree in 1931.

Rector of St. Andrews Episcopal Church in Houston for two and a half years, Rev. Helvey went to

### English Faculty Adds 2 New Profs

Herbert G. Eldridge Jr., University of Pennsylvania and John D. Ebbs, University of North Carolina, have been added to the staff of the English Department.

Eldridge received his master's degree in 1950 and Ebbs received his master's in 1949. Ebbs has done work on his doctor's degree at the University of North Carolina.

### Newspapermen To Meet Here Sept. 22 and 23

A program of topflight newspaper speakers has been announced for the second annual Texas Newspaper Clinic, to be held September 22 and 23 on the campus under sponsorship of the Journalism Department.

Time at the clinic will be about equally divided between a mechanical conference and sessions on business office and advertising problems. All sessions will be held in the new \$2 million Memorial Student Center.

Speaker at the Friday evening banquet will be Walter Humphrey, editor of the Fort Worth Press, on the topic "Why Agriculture Is a Touchstone for Newspapers." George Carmack, president of the Texas Gulf Coast Press Association and editor of the Houston Press, will serve as toastmaster.

Dr. J. P. Abbott, dean of the School of Arts and Sciences, will speak on "Why We Educate for Journalism" at the Saturday luncheon. Fred Massengill, Terrill Tribune editor and president of the Texas Press Association, will preside.

The mechanical conference will be in two parts, according to Donald D. Burchard, Journalism Department head. The first portion will be a discussion-question and answer session in charge of Melvin Chatham, head machinist of the Houston Chronicle, and Charles Stappenbeck, of Western Newspaper Union. Following this the A&M Press will hold open house for a demonstration of problems and cures.

Speakers for the business and advertising sessions include: Arthur Kowert, editor of the Fredericksburg Standard, on "Proper Job Pricing;" Marshall Lynam, farm editor of the Tyler Morning Telegraph on "Serve Your Farm Friends;" Addison Buckner, the San Marcos Record on "Pictures for Profits;" and Brad Smith, the Weslaco News on "Plan for Extra Advertising Business."

All sessions will be on the conference panel plan, with several speakers and opportunity for questions from the floor.

### Friendly Frogs

Pasadena, Calif.—(AP)—For weeks residents of Glen Summer Road complained of "loud and strange noises," which they attributed to power lines.

The light department sent out a trouble crew on a night when one sleepless citizen said, "the noise vibrated the entire house." The crew's findings: a bunch of bull frogs in a nearby swamp were whooping it up. "This department has no remedy," a spokesman sadly announced.

Classes will be held in the A&M Methodist Student Center. The class rooms will be the same upstairs class rooms which were used last year.

The Rev. Brown's office and the library are both adjacent to the St. Thomas Chapel.

Before he became the directory at the Trinity Church in Longview, Rev. Brown was director of the Holy Cross Church in Houston and the Trinity Church in Baytown.

Rev. Brown was graduated from the University of Texas in 1926. He entered the Theological Seminary at Alexandria, Virginia and attended at the same time as did Rev. Helvey.

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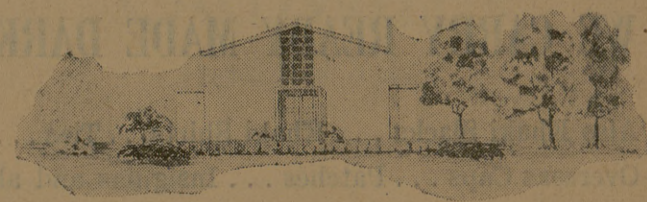
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