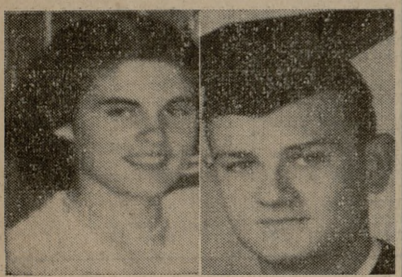


Hi, School

Curtain time is 8:15 p. m. for the opera "The Lowland Sea" to be presented at A&M Consolidated high school tonight and tomorrow night at the high school gym.

Tickets at 25 and 50 cents are on sale from cast members or can be bought at the box office.

Leading roles in the program are Jean Anne Smith as "Dorie Davis" and Jimmy Bond as "Johnny Dee."



Jean Ann Jimmy

Jean Anne is making her first solo appearance. She is a sophomore. She will sing the soprano role.

Jimmy, a senior, had the lead in last year's show also. The "Johnny Dee" role is a baritone part.

The opera was written by Alec Wilder.

Fashion drawings done by girls in the high school art class are now on display in the front hall case at the high school.

Final plans have been made for the freshman "Black and White Ball" to be held Saturday night at the high school cafeteria.

The dance begins at 7:30 p. m. Admission is 50 cents for couples or stags.

All the decorations will carry out the black and white theme. Cupcakes will be trimmed in black and white, and the crepe paper and balloons will carry out the same color scheme.

Guests are asked to come in black and white costume, and prizes will be awarded for the best ones.

A speaker has been named for the high school Baccalaureate service which will be May 23 at the First Baptist church, College Station.

Guerard to Appear in Houston Ballet

Roland Guerard, who holds weekly dancing classes in Bryan, will be appearing Sunday in the second annual Ballet in Miniature presented by the Putnam studios at Cullen auditorium on the University of Houston campus.

Guerard will present his Bluebird from "Aurora's Wedding." This is the starring role.

He is Dean W. E. Lowry of Sam Houston state college.

Brazos Society Names Reidel New President

W. T. Riedel, A&M Consolidated junior high school principal, was elected president of the Brazos county Society for Crippled Children last week. Mrs. A. A. Blumberg will be secretary for next year and Herman Krauser treasurer.

Easter seal chairman for next year will be Mrs. Dwight W. Andres, and the chairman for the annual crippled children's clinic is Dan Russell.

The society met at the YMCA to survey the Easter seal drive Thursday afternoon. Nearly \$1,000 was raised in the Brazos county campaign this year.

Funds will be used to provide services for crippled children in this area. Plans were discussed for the annual clinic sponsored by Kiwanis club in connection with the society on May 10 in Sbis dining hall.

Foreign Students To Be Entertained

Approximately 125 foreign students here will be entertained Sunday in the homes of College Station church families.

This program, "America At Home Day" is sponsored by the inter-racial council under the auspices of the College Station council of Church Women, and this is the first year the church families have undertaken this project as a unified group.

The denominations represented in the day are A&M Methodist, A&M Presbyterian, A&M Christian, St. Thomas Episcopal, Our Saviours Lutheran. Director of the interracial committee is Mrs. Harold S. Sorenson.

If there are any College Station families interested in entertaining in their homes, students from one or more of the 35 countries represented at A&M, they may call Mrs. Sorenson at 6-4394.

SMU Alumni Plan 'Mustang Corral'

Southern Methodist university alumni in the College Station area will have their annual Mustang Corral at 7 p. m. Friday.

It will be held at the Girl Scout little house at Williamson park in Bryan.

This first informal get-together of SMU former students in this area will be an ice cream supper and bingo party. Husbands, wives and children are invited.

Those who plan to attend are asked to contact Mrs. B. H. Evans, 4-9363, so their names may be added to the list of SMU alumni in this area. Mrs. Evans said that she felt there were many faculty members, students and student wives who are not registered in this area.

The foods committee asked that each family bring their cookies or cake. Home-made freezer ice cream is being made by several members of the planning committee.

Architect Wives Set Officer Election

The Architect Wives society will elect officers at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday in the south solarium of the YMCA.

Plans for the final party will be discussed at the meeting.



CATHOLIC STUDENT CENTER—The new student center for St. Mary's chapel will be dedicated at 2:30 p. m. followed by open house. The building includes a student lounge, a

library, terrace, kitchen and snack bar. The large sliding glass wall can be rolled back to form a large area with the terrace.

Catholic Center To Be Dedicated

The new student center for St. Mary's chapel at College Station will be formally dedicated at 2:30 p. m. Sunday by Most Rev. L. J. Reicher, D. D.

Open house and reception will be held from 3:00 to 6:00 p. m. Benediction and prayers of thanksgiving will be in St. Mary's Chapel at 7:30.

Plans for a social to be held in the new center that Sunday evening from 8 to 12 have been made. The Aggieldand Combo has been

scheduled to provide the music for the dance.

The \$100,000 building is planned around the needs of the Catholic students of A&M.

A main feature of the building is the student lounge which has been designed to provide a home like atmosphere. In this room students can talk, read newspapers, or generally relax. A radio-phonograph console will be placed in the lounge.

Adjoining the lounge is a library

which has furniture arranged for small conversation groups, and tables which can be used for studying or card playing. This room also doubles as a class room for religious education classes.

In warm weather the large sliding glass walls on the south side can be rolled back and the outside area to accommodate large crowds.

A kitchen is located at one end of the assembly area. Designed first as a snack bar for students and their friends, the young men may use the facilities of this

kitchen space at any time for preparation of sandwiches and other snacks.

The outside dancing terrace and study terrace is equipped with tables and chairs of brightly colored outdoor furniture.

William E. Nash was the architect for the Student Center and is going ahead with plans for a new church for St. Mary's chapel. J. W. Hall, jr. was the mechanical engineer on the project and Robert F. White did the landscaping. Andrews - Parker, Inc. was the building contractor.

14,953 X-Rays Taken in College Station-Bryan

A total of 14,953 x-rays were taken this year in the College Station-Bryan area according to the Brazos County Tuberculosis association.

This is an increase of 1,129 over the previous high of 1950 when 13,924 x-rays were made and 3,098 over last spring.

About 1,610 residents of College Station and 4,289 A&M students had x-rays taken. This shows that

over 78 per cent of the student body turned out for x-rays. The exact per cent of residents over 15 years old x-rayed is not known but is believed smaller than the per cent of students.

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The final oral examination of Mr. Walter T. Matzen, Jr., candidate for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the field of Electrical Engineering, will be held at 1:00 p. m., April 30, 1954, in room 101, Bolton Hall. Mr. Matzen will present and defend his dissertation entitled "Sound Transmission Through Natural Ventilation Openings in Walls." The examination is open to all members of the Graduate Faculty.

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