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Great Issues Has Carter As Speaker

Hodding Carter, called by the Saturday Evening Post "The South's Fighting Editor," will speak here Feb. 29 on "The New Southern Rebellion." The lecture is presented by the Great Issues committee of the Memorial Student Center.

Born in Hammond, Louisiana, a graduate of Bowdoin College (Maine) and Columbia University, Carter's entire career has been one of drama and danger. Editor of the Delta Democrat-Times and undoubtedly one of the nation's most talented and effective young leaders, his personal courage has become a legend, even among those who disagree with his ideals.

During his career as a teacher, reporter, editor, and, finally, a na-

tionally known crusader, Carter has received many honors. Among them are the Nieman Fellowship for Newspapermen (1939-40), Guggenheim Fellowship in Creative Writing (1945), Southern Literary Award (1945), Pulitzer Prize for Editorial Writing (1946), Honorary Master of Arts, Harvard (1947), and Honorary Doctor of Letters, Bowdoin (1947).

The Boston Herald said of him, "... he has splintered his noblest lances in the fight against racial persecution... he has championed the cause of the Negro so effectively that he has truly become the voice of the New Dixie."

John Gunther, author of "Inside U.S.A.," acclaims Carter as "One of the ablest progressives, not merely in the South but in the Nation."

The lecture will be held in the ballroom of the Memorial Student Center at 8 p.m. Admission will be by Great Issues Series membership card or by purchasing tickets at the door. Ticket price is \$1.



Hodding Carter
Great Issues Speaker, Feb. 29

Doubts Faced By All, Says R. E. Speaker

Last Program Scheduled Friday at 9 a.m. in Guion

By JIM NEIGHBORS
Battalion Staff Writer

"Christian people have all sorts of doubts about God, life, eternity and the Christian faith even when they do not admit it," said Dr. Morris Wee, main convocation speaker, yesterday at the morning service in Guion Hall.

To doubt God, life and Christianity is a common occurrence of Christians he said. People haven't forsaken God when they have doubts; if a person can't under-

stand this, he probably can't even understand the Bible.

"Faith in God is a basic concept and it is impossible to build a life entirely on doubt," continued Dr. Wee. We all have doubts and doubts aren't bad if they can be eventual source of strength."

In speaking about the young people of today, Dr. Wee said, "They are led to skepticism by the weakness of Christianity, preachers like myself, and other Christian people. We should be stronger in our teachings of Christianity."

Religious doubts are caused by lack of information, pain, prejudices, and thoughtlessness. More college agnosticism is caused by lack of information than for any other reason. And too many people believe prejudices to be the truth.

"Most doubts can be included in four questions," concluded Dr. Wee, "These questions are: Is the universe friendly?, Is God's way worthwhile?, Why should it happen to me?, and Can I see it through?"

David Rose sang a solo at the morning service and Murray Miller presided. The prayer was offered by the chaplain of the Second Wing, and Dr. Wee gave the benediction.

Tomorrow's service, the last of this 13th annual renewal of Religious Emphasis Week at A&M, will be held at 9 a.m. in Guion Hall. Dr. Wee also spoke this morning at 9. Radio Station WTAW rebroadcast the talks each evening from 5:30 to 6:15.

Morgner To Speak At Eco. Meeting

Dr. A. Morgner will address the first session of the Economics Seminar for the current semester Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in Room 127 of the Academic Building. His topic will be "The General Theory: Twenty Years After."

There will be a dinner for those wishing to attend in the Dining Room of MSC at 6:15 p.m. Those planning to attend the dinner should notify the Secretary of the Department of Economics not later than 12:00 noon Monday so reservations can be made.

Army Exam To Be Given March 1 and 8

The Army Qualifying Examination for enrollment as an advanced Army ROTC student under contract will be held March 1 and 8, according to Col. D. P. Anderson, Professor of Military Science and Tactics.

Cadets desiring an advanced contract must attain a minimum score of 115 on the examination. Students who fail the test will not have a second chance, Col. Anderson said.

Army ROTC students currently enrolled in the fourth semester of basic military science will take the test March 1. Air Force students interested in applying for an Army contract will take the test March 8, provided they are in the fourth semester, but not past the sixth semester of Air Force ROTC. Civilian students who have completed two years of basic military or air science, will also take the test March 8.

Qualified armor, infantry, signal and engineer students will take the test March 1 in the Physics lecture room. Anti-aircraft and field artillery students will report to the Electrical Engineering lecture room while transportation, quartermaster, ordnance and chemical students will report to the Animal Husbandry lecture room.

Air Force and civilian students taking the test will report to Maj. William J. Winder, Army Operations Officer, in the Physics lecture room March 8. All of the examinations will be given at 4 p.m.

High School Day Planned

Annual High School Day at A&M will be observed next week-end and is estimated to attract about 1,000 high school seniors from over Texas and neighboring states.

The purpose of the event is to give outstanding high school seniors a preview of the life on the A&M campus.

The program officially begins Saturday morning March 3, but early arrivals can register at the Housing Office in Goodwin Hall Friday afternoon, March 2.

At 8 a.m. Saturday morning the visitors will register in Guion Hall and see a color movie about life at A&M and be welcomed to the College.

Hometown Club presidents are urged to list in lists of names of interested seniors to the Office of Student Activities as soon as possible.

Students and former students of

A&M will act as hosts to the guests while on the campus and will arrange for the housing, and other needs of the visitors while they are here. Transportation to and from College Station will be provided by the Former Students Club in the hometowns of the various high school seniors.

A general breakdown of Saturday's activities for the visitors will include the color movie, to be shown in Guion Hall at 9 a.m., various groups will tour the campus

and visit the schools the visitors are interested in seeing. Dinner will be served in Sbis Hall at 12 noon.

The afternoon will be filled with "Sports Day," with the "T" Association acting as hosts. The visitors will be feted at a baseball game, tennis and golf matches. These games will begin at 1 p.m. and end around 5:30 p.m. for supper. This meal will be served in either Sbis or Duncan Mess Hall.

After supper the days activities will end with an intra-squad football game under the lights on Kyle Field.

If any student has any questions concerning visitors to the campus on High School Day they should contact the Office of Student Activities on the second floor of Goodwin Hall.

AF Seniors Will Travel To Air Base

Thirty-three Air Force ROTC cadets and four college representatives will visit the USAF testing center at Edwards Air Force Base in Muroc, Calif., March 1.

The group will assemble at the Military Science Building at 6:45 a.m. March 1 and will leave from Bryan Air Force Base at 8 a.m. Class B winter uniform will be worn during the flight but class A winter uniform will be worn during one stop and a change of summer khaki should be taken for the visit to Edwards.

Col. Henry Dittman, PAS, and Maj. Henry Sommerville, assistant PAS, will make the trip along with Ide P. Trotter, dean of the Graduate School and John C. Calhoun, dean of engineering.

Students making the trip are James Arnold, Robert C. Barlow, Richard Barras, Ernest Biehunko, Glenn Buell, Larry Burleson, Lawrence Dausin, Donald Dierschke, David Fawcett, Richard Gentry, Robert Henson, Dennis Heitkamp, Joseph Hlavinka, Harold Jacobson, Jack Lippman, Victor Moseley, Dayton Moses, William Nourie, Howard Robinson, Robert Scott, Stephen Scott, Robert Sears, William Sellers, Donald Swofford, Weldon Walker, Herbert Whitney, Marion Williams, Richard Weick, John Brannen, John Burchard, Sam Lackland, Douglas Von Gonten and Kirby Keahey.

The group will return to Bryan March 2.

Fees Due Today

Installation fees must be paid before 5 p.m. today to avoid penalty. Total payable is \$50.60, which includes board, \$36.45; room rent, \$11.25; and laundry, \$2.90.

Weather Today

SHOWERS

Occasional light rain is forecast for College Station. Yesterday's high of 73 degrees dropped to 61 degrees last night. Temperature at 10:30 this morning was 68 degrees.

Nuclear Expert To Speak Here At 8:15 Tonight

Dr. Ralph T. Overman, chairman of the Special Training Section of the Oak Ridge Institute of Nuclear Studies, will speak on "Chemical Problems and Nuclear Reactors" at a meeting of the local section of the American Chemical Society at 8:15 tonight in the lecture room of the Chemistry Building.

He will include in his talk a short description of the reactors and their properties which make them useful in chemical problems.

An informal dinner for section members and their wives and Dr. Overman will be held at 6:15 p.m. in the Memorial Student Center. The social hour after the talk will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Jensen, 200 Suffolk, South Oakwood, College Station.

Dr. Overman has been at the Oak Ridge Institute for more than 10 years and took over as chairman of the Special Training Division in 1948. More than 2,000 research workers have been trained in the techniques of using radioisotopes in research under the direction of Dr. Overman during the past seven years.

MSC Plans Rue Pinalle Friday Night

Cafe Rue Pinalle will feature a floor show from the University of Texas Friday night in the game room of the memorial Student Center.

Tickets are 75 cents per person for the night of dancing which will begin at 8:30 and last 'till 12. Stags will be admitted only during intermission to watch the floor show. Tickets are on sale now at the bowling alley desk and also will be sold at the door.

The floor show will have songs by Marilyn Weiss, with Bill Flint at the piano, John White and Bobby Lee on the steel guitars. Another act will be an all-girl calypso routine.

News of the World

NEWS OF THE WORLD
By The Associated Press

Montgomery, Ala.—Negro religious and political leaders, including 16 ministers, were arrested on boycotting charges yesterday in a wholesale round up of defendants indicted by a grand jury for their mass protest against bus segregation. The grand jury returned indictments late Tuesday against 115 defendants accused of taking an active part in the 11-week-old racial boycott against Montgomery City Lines buses.

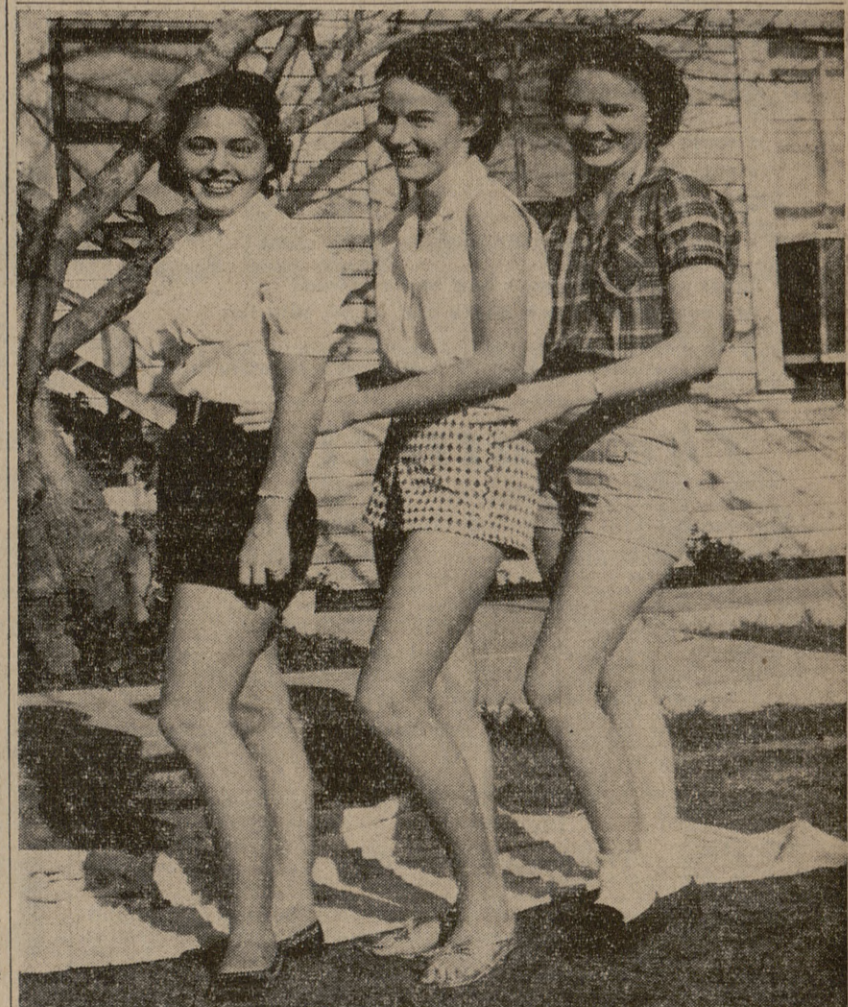
Bonn, Germany—West Germany has agreed to bargain with the Big Three Western Powers on their claim for continued financial support for Allied forces in Germany. Foreign Minister Heinrich von Brentano handed notes to the ambassadors of the United States, Britain and France to advise them of his government's decision. Informed sources said the notes gave no indication of this government's readiness to continue paying. Experts of the four powers probably will meet here next week to discuss the dispute.

Austin—Political tempers flared to mid-July heat marks yesterday as two possible candidates for governor exchanged angry charges. Gov. Allan Shivers and Ralph Yarborough battled over the "corruption in government" issue just as they did in their 1954 race—and neither has announced yet as a candidate. In Washington Sen. Price Daniel repeated what he had said before: That the possibility of his getting into the governor's race this year is not dependent on the plans of Shivers or anyone else. Shivers said Tuesday he is thinking seriously about trying for a fourth term.

New York—A phantom bomber struck again yesterday, planting a timed explosive in a lavatory of Pennsylvania Station's lower level. An attendant was injured. It was the 26th time the phantom has hidden a bomb in crowd centers around the city. The latest blast occurred about an hour before the start of the evening rush hour, when all facilities of the big terminal are crowded.



JUNIOR BANQUET SPEAKER—Chester H. Lauck, executive assistant, Continental Oil Company, will be the guest speaker at the Junior Banquet Saturday night. Lauck is better known as the beloved "Lum" of the famous radio and motion picture team of "Lum and Abner." Known primarily as a radio and movie personality, he was first successful as a banker and businessman. He joined with a boyhood friend, Norris Goff, in 1931 to form the radio team for which he became famous.



HAPPENS EVERY SPRING—It's not spring, but the weather around here last week and the first part of this week, so far, has brought about a "spring look" in College Station. And it brought out three students' wives, who are, left to right, Mrs. T. K. Tomilson, Mrs. James A. Brown and Mrs. Richard C. Durbin. Mrs. Tomilson's husband is a petroleum engineering major from Houston; the other two husbands are both Pet.E.'s from Dallas.