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Visitors Reach Total Of 1,887

announced recently. For the months of June and July there were 5,380 visitors on the campus.

of 14 Turks, high school boys tak-A total of 1,887 visitors atten- ing basic division placement tests ded 14 short courses, conferences, Symmetrical Components No. and other scheduled meetings at statewide meeting of Cotton Pro A&M in July, P. L. (Pinky) Downs duction Committee, General Course Jr., the college's official greeter, in Supervision and many others.

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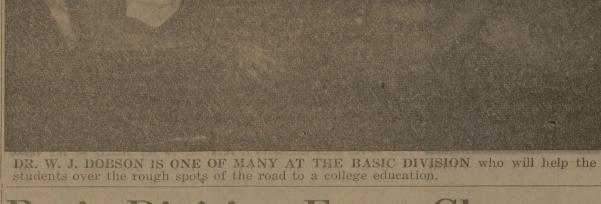
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Basic Division Eases Change From Home To College Life

By CARLTON E. GIPSON cisions by students about remain- subject. This is where the Basic show they need additional back- on five remember of the total trition It is not an easy step from high ing in college.

n mind that the creation of A&M's the first time, without previous the student. Basic Division took place in 1950. It is not the purpose of the Basic vision, where normally he will re-Division to hinder a student but main for two semesters. Those riculum course that will ultimatethe opposite, to help him in every students not making progress to- follow will enroll in a General Cur- ticular subject are allowed to sub- formed here by 25 refugees from possible manner so that he may ward a degree are not permitted to ly allow them to follow through stitute other courses for the one Hungary. All are qualified penefit and find himself better advance until their work provides to a degree. equipped when he enters a degree- evidence of their being able to pro- Some students may find certain granting school of the college. gress toward graduation satisfac- adjustments necessary in their cision about these suggestions The most important responsi- torily.

bility lying with the Division is Many students come to A&M academic, social, personal, and vo-furnishing assistance, both per- with a specific course or major of cational problems. Probably the individually, the matter pro and furnishing assistance, both per-sonal and academic, to students pertaining to schedule planning, substitutions for required courses, irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goals down to one major irregular class attendance and de-pin their goal

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Division can aid in selecting a ground in certain fields are advischool to college. It was with this Every student entering A&M for course suited to the aptitude of ed to select from the Division's

first semester of college such as made to him, he is given an op-

Many students have been led to a ster students weak in these and on the campus is the largest and problems, and have been assisted Regarding reading, it is surin the solution of their emotional prising to know that many studisturbances by one of the Divis- dents graduate from college with- Silver Taps, which is held whenion's specialized counselors, who out being able to read. By this ever an Aggie is killed during the

are available to all students in the we mean a student doesn't take in school year. All of the lights on Testing and counseling services Every year and every day students the students gather in front of the

provided by the Basic Division aid are heard griping about flunking Academic Building to pay final those students who do not have a quiz or missing a question beset degree in mind. With addi- cause they didn't read the ques- There are many more customs tional aid of aptitude and achieve- tion. Over 2,000 students have and traditions here at A&M. It ment tests administered Sept. 7 taken Basic Division Basic 102, would take a book to list them all. (you may have been one of those Remedial Reading and Basic 103, It is these customs that make the who took these tests during the College Study. Ninety-five per school what it is today. The rich summer) the division counselors cent of these students have been heritage of the past mixed with can better advise a student. enthusiastic about the way their the technology of the present give Professional counselors in the reading and comprehension speed to A&M something no other school Division, assisted by members of has been increased.

Tuition Hikes Go Into Effect Sept. 1

resident and nonresident students This provision accounts for the of the four colleges of the A&M variance in charges to nonresident College System, will become effec- students at the colleges within the tive Sept. 1.

System. From Sept. 1, 1959, all The new fees will double the the colleges will maintain uniform tuition for resident students, from tuition fees for both resident and the present \$25 to \$50 per semes- nonresident students-the former ter. Nonresident fees will be \$200 being assessed \$50 per semester, at A&M, \$125 at all the other Sys- and the latter, \$200. The bill which authorized in-

tem colleges. Nonresident fees will increase creases in tuition fees also allowat the three other System colleges ed colleges to set up a system of to \$175 per semester beginning tuition scholarships, through Sept. 1, 1958, and to \$200 on Sept. granting governing boards of state 1, 1959. colleges authority to set up a spe-

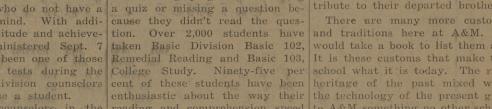
The fees are levied in accord- cial fund for needy resident stuance with the provisions of House dents. Bill No. 265, passed at the last session of the Texas legislature. The bill provided for the doubling of resident tuition fees, effec- dents only. The scholarship comtive on the first of this coming mittee, in making recommenda-September, and for raising non- tions for such scholarships will resident fees from their present rates to a maximum of \$200 by acter and scholastic record of the Sept. 1, 1959, but with not more

than a \$50 per year increase until applicant. the Department of the College in which a student wishes to study, scholarships was approved by the interpret and review each student's test results and high school tran-

Those students whose records courses designed to aid in building

Those students whose test re sults show a proficiency in a par-

Before a student reaches a de-



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These scholarships, the bill

states, shall be awarded in an

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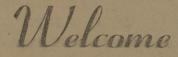
tem, an order authorizing these

or five per cent of the total tuition

amount of \$25 to resident stu-

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or "soak up" what he goes over. the campus are turned out and



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