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Founder and Students

J. D. Sartwell Jr. of Houston, left, and Bobby Quisenberry of Quanah, right, both freshmen students in agricultural economics at A&M, listen to tales of the school's past from E. J. Kyle, the man who founded the agricultural economics and rural sociology department in 1919. Forty-one years have passed since this relatively new phase of agricultural training was added at the college, making A&M a pioneer in this field with the fourth largest department in the

nation. Kyle established the department to meet the growing importance of the business side of farming and ranching. The veteran educator, now nearing 84, served as A&M dean of agriculture from 1911 to 1944. Sartwell's father is president of Port City Stockyards in Houston. Bobby is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Quisenberry of Quanah and is winner of an Anderson Clayton Co. four-year scholarship.

George Washington Day

Aggie Fish Drill Team Takes Third at Laredo Annual Meet

The A&M "Fish" Drill Team returned to the campus Sunday night from Laredo after capturing third place in the annual George Washington Birthday Celebration.

The team left Friday afternoon for the 300-mile trip to the South Texas town. While in Laredo, they stayed at Laredo Air Force Base, according to Capt. G. S. Coffin, assistant professor in the Department of Air Science and the group's sponsor.

Saturday morning the Freshmen marched with other drill teams and bands from all over Texas and Mexico in a street parade which wound through Laredo, ending at the International Bridge. At the bridge, honor guards from both the U.S. and Mexico met in an exchange of international friendship.

After a barbeque dinner at Martin High School Saturday afternoon, the "Fish" competed with other teams in the drill team competition. The A&M team came in third in the college division. The team from Arlington State College won first place and St. Mary's University, San Antonio, came in second.

This year's Freshman Drill Team commander is Royce M. John, freshman from Houston. The First Sergeant is D. W. Rhea, freshman from Dallas.

Instructors in the Department

of Air Science who accompanied the team to Laredo were Capt. Coffin, Capt. D. E. Allen, T.Sgt. O. E. Millican, S.Sgt. E. R. Rutherford, S.Sgt. M. K. Wilson and S.Sgt. David R. Bradley.

Accompanying the "Fish" as advisors were Pat Stancil, sophomore from Shreveport, La., Reed Armstrong, sophomore from Shreveport and Glen Jones, junior from Dallas.

Intercollegiate Bridge Meet To Be Held in MSC Friday

The 1960 Intercollegiate Bridge Tournament will be held Friday at 7:15 p.m. in the Memorial Student Center and students from more than 125 American and Canadian colleges and universities will be competing for top scores.

All competitors will play the same hands, arranged by authority and contract bridge authority Geoffrey Mott-Smith, who will also score the tournament results to determine campus, national and regional winners.

Prizes will include trophy cups for the colleges winning the national titles, one cup for the college whose players score highest on East-West hands and one cup for the college of the North-South hand winners, according to Wiley Buntion, chairman of the MSC bridge committee.

Last year 2038 students repre-

sented 118 colleges in 37 states and Canada participated in the tournament. Teams representing Columbia University and Princeton University won the national championship titles and trophy cups. More than a hundred other students won regional and campus honors.

The National Intercollegiate Bridge Tournament committee, a part of the Games Committee, Association of College Unions, is interested in developing contract bridge as a supplement to the collegiate social program.

Miss Gladys Black, of the MSC food department, is sponsor to the bridge committee and will direct the tournament.

'Two Poles Of Faith' Is Topic Of Howard's Talk

From 18 Colleges

Talent Scouts Pick Ten ITS Finalists

An audition team composed of eight students and two advisors picked the ten top acts from over 150 acts they saw from 18 colleges in five states for the Intercollegiate Talent Show to be held March 11, at 7 p.m. in G. Rollie White Coliseum.

The ten acts picked were: The Jokers, a jazz combo from LSU; James Blakey, a fiddler from Sam Houston State College; Linda Woods from North Texas State playing a marimba; Tappy and Hamp Dickens, a brother and sister tap dance act from the University of Arkansas and Southern State; the Suvans, a quartet from Texas Tech; Suzanne van de Putte,

a Brazilian singer and dancer from SMU;

Karol Goin, a torch singer from OSU; C&V Charles, a duet from SLI; Charlotte Coleman, a ballet dancer from Baylor; the Apache Belles from Tyler Jr. College; and Jose Maher, the flamenco guitar artist from A&M.

Tickets will go on sale Thursday and may be bought from unit and staff C.O.'s. General-admission tickets may be purchased for 75 cents before the show and one dollar at the door. Reserved seat tickets will cost \$1.50 and children's tickets may be purchased for 50 cents.

The audition team was composed of Pete Hardesty and Rosalie Johnson as advisers, and Tommy Lancaster, Bill McClain, Rudy Schubert, Jimmy Roberts, Richard Nagy, Rodney Kelly, Mike Bazzard and David Hughes as student members.

Scientist To Speak At Nuclear Meets

The Department of Nuclear Engineering has announced a schedule of seminars for the months of February and March. The seminars will be held at 4 p.m. in the Mechanical Engineering Shops, John D. Randall, assistant professor in the Department of Mechanical Engineering, announces.

V. S. Bishop, health physicist for the A&M System, will be the speaker at the Feb. 26 and March 4, seminars. His topic will be "Survey of Health Physicists Principles."

Prof. S. O. Brown, professor in the Department of Biology, will be the speaker at the March 11 seminar, discussing "The Effect of Low-Dose Chronic Gamma Irradiation on the Laboratory Animal."

Dr. R. G. Bader, associate professor in the Department of Oceanography and Meteorology, will be the speaker at the March 18 program. He will talk on "The Use of Isotopes in Determining Absorption Isotherms."

"Techniques of High-Level Gamma Dosimetry," will be discussed by George M. Krise, associate professor in the Department of Biology, at the March 25 seminar.

Rue Pinalle Nelson Replaced By Dallas Pastor

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"The Christian Faith like our planet, has two poles: between them lies our freedom of soul," said Dr. Herbert R. Howard, convocation speakers for Religious Emphasis Week, in Guion Hall at 10:00 a. m. today.

Dr. Howard is replacing Dr. D. M. Nelson, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Greenville, S. C., who was unable to come to A&M this week due to illness.

Continuing his speech, Dr. Howard said, "One pole is the image of God in human personality, suggesting God's dignity and worth, his capacity for spiritual understanding. The other is the faithfulness of the written word."

"We confront then," the speaker said, "the questions and issues of our times with courage. God has revealed Himself perfectly in Christ. Hence, human personality has great potential. Our salvation is a fact, not a possibility."

Concluding his talk, Dr. Howard said, "We confront our world with wisdom and restraint, for the law of God calls for meekness and discipline under the will of God. The Bible is not out of date, it contains a lamp for our feet. Let us come to terms with it and find our way in it. We do so as we read it intelligently, inquiringly, and reverently."

Dr. Howard was born and raised in Troy, Alabama, and he studied two years at Troy State College, then graduated with an AB degree from Howard College in Birmingham, Alabama, in 1938.

After graduating from Howard College, Dr. Howard attended Southern Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky, where he graduated with a Th.M. degree in 1941. He went into the Seminary Graduate School, majoring in Christian Ethics and Social Philosophy, from which he obtained his Th.D. degree in 1944.

Dr. Howard held a pastorage at the Immanuel Baptist Church in Tulsa, Oklahoma, from 1944 until 1948, when he moved to Park City Baptist Church, Dallas, Texas, where he has remained. A member of the Kiwanis Club, Dr. Howard is a past president of the North Dallas Park City Chapter, and is a 32nd degree Mason.

"Faith of Our Fathers" was Dr. Howard's topic for his talk given yesterday in Guion Hall at 11:00 a.m. He said, "The faith of our fathers is the belief that God is, that God has made Himself known, and that how we relate ourselves to God's revelations of Himself determines our destiny."

Stage crews will be announced later, said Esten.

The cast for "An Evening with George Bernard Shaw," to be presented April 20, will be announced at a later date also.

Bill Nayratil's band from Brenham, singer Connie Anderson, and Diane Kunz, dancer from Sam Houston State Teacher's College will provide the entertainment at Friday's, Feb. 26, Cafe Rue Pinalle, according to Jimmy Fadal, member of the MSC Dance Committee.

As a prelude to the Sophomore Ball to be held the following night, Cafe Rue Pinalle will be held from 8 until 12 p.m. in the lower level of the MSC. Tickets are \$1.25 per couple and are now on sale at the entrance to the lower level.

The lower level will be decorated with a New Orleans theme relating to an "Aggie version" of French nite life.

CHS Club Sets Annual Supper For March 3

The Mothers' and Dads' Club of A&M Consolidated School has scheduled its annual Community Supper for March 3 in conjunction with Texas Public School Week, Feb. 29-March 4. The event will be held again in the school gymnasium in College Station.

Last year about 1,200 people were served and an even bigger crowd is forecast this year, according to Mrs. Vergil Clark, chairman of the supper.

Serving of the fried chicken menu will begin at 5:30 p.m. Open house and demonstration classes will follow at 7:30 p.m. for grades 6-12. No formal program has been planned for the elementary grades, but parents are invited to attend classes during the week in all the junior and senior high grades. Elementary school visitation plans are as yet indefinite.

Mrs. Clark is being assisted this year by Mrs. W. A. Mixon, Mrs. A. F. Isbell, Mrs. T. E. McAfee, Mrs. R. J. Baldauf, Mrs. Marion Pugh, Mrs. A. M. Sorenson, and Mrs. H. G. Thompson with tickets being handled by Mrs. Ellis Smith and publicity by Mrs. S. E. Brown, Barbara Beasley, and Russell Brown.

Tickets for the supper will be sold by Consolidated students with prizes donated by merchants to be awarded for the most sales.

Aviation Meeting Being Held in MSC

A wide variety of equipment, in addition to outstanding speakers, is among the attractions at the ninth annual Texas Agricultural Aviation Conference and Pest Control Short Course now underway at A&M.

The equipment, located on the second floor of the MSC, includes airplane accessories, electronic devices, pilot safety paraphernalia, plane parts, engines, literature on new type agricultural aircraft and chemical application machinery.

One booth has information on insurance covering aerial applicator pilots and their planes.

The session will continue through Feb. 23, with a field demonstration of equipment at Easterwood Airport.

Dr. Wayne G. McCully, associate professor in the Department of Range and Forestry, and conference chairman, said the meeting is sponsored by the A&M College System, Texas Aeronautics Commission, Texas Flying Farmers and Ranchers Assn. and the Texas Aerial Applicators Assn.

College Station Council Passes Three Proposals

The College Station City Council whose terms expire are Dr. Carl W. Landiss, Ward 1; J. H. Sorrels, Ward 2, and A. P. Boyett, Ward 3. The mayor and councilmen serve their terms without any monetary compensation, Boswell said.

The Council named a three-man board of tax equalization. Named to serve on the board were Dr. H. E. Hampton, Ed Kidd and B. J. Flucker.

A mayor and three councilmen, one from each ward, are to be elected at a general municipal election to be called April 5. Voters will go to three polling places in the city to elect the officials.

Voters in Ward 1 will go to the Consolidated High School music room to cast their votes, Ward 2 will vote in the office of Culpepper Manning, College Hills, and Ward 3 will cast votes in the City Hall, Boswell said.

Persons wishing to file for the office of mayor or councilman must file in the City Hall before March 5, Boswell added. There is no charge for filing.

The present mayor of College Station, who is elected at large, is

Ernest Langford. Councilmen whose terms expire are Dr. Carl W. Landiss, Ward 1; J. H. Sorrels, Ward 2, and A. P. Boyett, Ward 3.

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Editor of Aggie Land Asks Information

Jack Russell, Assistant Editor of the Aggie Land, has announced that before a hometown club's section can be completed, the following information must be turned in before not later than March 15 to the Office of Student Publications:

A list of club officers, a paragraph describing the club's purpose and activities and a picture of the club sweetheart.

The City Council voted to approve the changing of the Southwestern States Telephone Company rates. Officials of the telephone company say that an increase in the rates is past due and that it is essential if telephone service here is to continue to expand.

The proposed monthly rate structure with present prices in parenthesis follows:

One-party business telephone, \$12 (\$9); two-party business telephone, \$10 (\$6.75); business extension, \$2 (\$1.50); one-party residence telephone, \$6 (\$5); two-party residence telephone, \$5 (\$4); four-party residence telephone \$4 (\$3); residence extension \$1.25 (\$1) and guaranteed pay stations, 46 cents daily.

The new rates will go into effect at the same time they do in Bryan, said Boswell. The Bryan City Commission gave initial approval to changing the rate pattern at its last meeting. Two more passages must be forthcoming before the changes become policy.



Famed Precision Drill Team

The Apache Belles, famed precision drill team from Tyler Junior College, has been scheduled as the feature act of the 1960 Intercollegiate Talent Show March 11. The Belles will open and close the show.



Carolyn Bedford
... Fish Ball Sweetheart