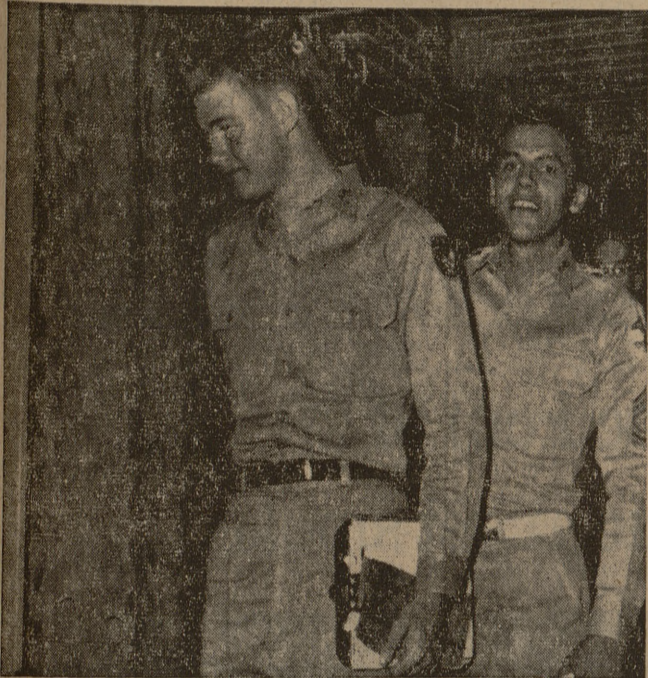


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Voting Day

Two Aggies wait their turn at the voting machines which were set up in the Memorial Student Center yesterday. Class offices for the classes of '61, '62 and '63 were being filled.

62 Freshmen Eligible

Phi Eta Sigma Inducts Tuesday

By BEN TRAIL
Assistant News Editor

Approximately three per cent of the Class of '63,—62 freshmen—will be inducted as pledges of Phi Eta Sigma, at 4:30 p. m. in the Assembly Room and Birch Room of the Memorial Student Center Tuesday.

Phi Eta Sigma is the National Freshman Honor Society. The A&M chapter was founded in 1949 and is advised by Dr. J. W. Dobson, professor in the Department of Biology and counselor for The Basic Division, and C. H. Ransdell, associate director of The Basic Division.

In order to be considered for entrance into Phi Eta Sigma, a candidate must have posted a 2.5 or better GPA in his beginning semester or have attained a 2.5 GPA average for his freshman year. Membership is for life in this fraternity that emphasizes scholarship.

Phi Eta Sigma members and pledges will hold a Spring Banquet on April 26.

The following students are eligible for induction:

Roger W. Alexander, DeKalb chemistry major; John A. Bacon, Dallas geophysics major; Roy F. Balderrama, Bryan physics major; Gary L. Balsler, Dallas civil engineering major; Payl E. Bergstrom, Dallas electrical engineering major.

Charles L. Blaschke, Skidmore pre-law major; Thomas J. Boedecker, San Antonio English major; Gene F. Brossmann, Schulenberg pre-medicine major; Robert E. Bryant, Lake Jackson civil engineering major; David N. Chapman, Hamilton chemical engineering major; Russell J. Christie,

Tulsa, Okla., pre-veterinary major; Charles W. Cockrell, San Antonio aeronautical engineering major; Larry E. Collier, Corpus Christi electrical engineering major; Jerry R. Cox, Saratoga, Calif., aeronautical engineering major; Richard C. Davis, San Angelo mathematics and physics major; Richard A. Dennis, St. Joseph pre-

Episcopal Group Leaves for Meet

Eleven members of the Episcopal Student Assn. of A&M will leave today in individually owned cars to attend the annual Canterbury Conference which, according to Secretary Tom Wiley, is to be held at Sam Houston State Teacher's College in Huntsville.

They will join students from other colleges of Texas in the religious observation that it highlighted by a banquet Saturday night in Belvin Hall. Main speaker of the conference will be the Rev. James P. Clements.

According to Wiley, the group will be housed in the college dormitories during their stay. The conference will end Sunday morning. That evening the A&M students will return to the campus.

Two Candidates Win Clear Titles In Thursday Class Elections

Cotton Ball Plans Closing

Final plans for the 26th annual Cotton Ball and Pageant Friday, April 8, are being completed with a 21-inch television set or an equivalent amount of money (\$180) to be awarded to the cadet outfit purchasing the largest number of tickets to the event.

The presentation of the set will be made as soon after the contest is concluded Thursday as possible. In the event of a tie, the outfit with the largest per cent participation (number of tickets sold divided by the number of men in the outfit) will receive the award.

Vying for Queen Cotton

One hundred eighty-six duchesses vying for the coveted Cotton Queen award will feature the social event. In addition, Johnny Watkins, farm director of KWTX-TV in Waco and KBTX in Bryan will be the master of ceremonies, while Harold Henk, senior agronomy major from Seguin will preside as King Cotton.

The duchesses represent mothers clubs, campus clubs, student wives clubs, former students clubs, hometown clubs, other colleges and universities and student organizations across the state.

Crowned by Cong. Teague

The Pageant will be held in Guion Hall at 7:30 p.m. with the crowning of Henk as King Cotton by the Hon. Olin E. Teague, U. S. congressman of the 6th District, and the presentation and coronation of Queen Cotton highlighting the activity.

Queen Cotton will be selected by Miss Dorothy Sinz of The Dallas Times Herald, Mrs. Kim Dawson of the American Fashion Assn. and George Dawson, fashion photographer for the association.

The parade of duchesses will be opened by the Agronomy Society Sweetheart, Miss Emily Ward, followed by the presentation of the duchesses. The presentation will also include the Troubadors, a solo by Miss Virginia McBride and The Emeralds.

Participated in '47

The master of ceremonies, Watkins, is a member and graduate in the Class of '48 with a B.S. degree in agronomy. He participated in the 1947 Ball and Pageant and has been a farm director of the Waco and Bryan stations for nine years. Watkins is married and has two children.

King Cotton, Henk, is a cadet

captain of Co. E-2 and an outstanding agronomy student.

Tickets for the Pageant will remain on sale until Thursday at 5 p.m. Ducats will be sold at the ticket booth in the Memorial Student Center or through Corps units at \$1 each.

No information will be given as to the cadet organization leading in the contest until the conclusion of the contest. The decision of the Agronomy Society is final concerning the selection of the winning outfit.

Court Personalities

The King's Court will include Charles Blue, Alan Ford, Allan Marburger, Boyd Procter, Anton Coy, John O'Connor, William Stuhrenberg and Walter Wilms. Tickets to the ball will be \$2.50, stag or drag.

CS Votes Tuesday For Four Offices

College Station residents will go to the polls Tuesday to elect a mayor and three councilmen for two-year terms.

The mayor will be elected at large for a two-year term. Ernest Langford is unopposed for re-election as College Station mayor.

One councilman from each ward will be elected in Tuesday's election for a term of two years. Three of the six councilmen are elected each year.

Dr. Carl Landiss is running, unopposed, for re-election in the first Ward. Ward 1 voters will vote in the Music Room of the A&M Consolidated School.

The Culppepper-Manning Insurance Office is the site of Ward 2's voting booths. Ward 2 voters will find J. H. Sorrels is running for re-election, unopposed.

In Ward 3, A. P. Boyett is standing for re-election without opposition. Ward 3 voters will place their ballots in the voting boxes in the College Station City Hall.



Let's Face It: Mumps

Gay Bo, the bulldog, isn't so gay about it, but the dog doctor said mumps and Gay Bo does what he can to make it easier, with the help of three year old Clay Rue of Fort Worth. Will Clay catch the mumps from Gay Bo? Probably not, said the vet, "But let me know if he does," he told Clay's mother with a glint of professional interest. (AP Wirephoto)

Young Farmers Set Field Day April 18

The state association of Young Farmers of Texas will hold its annual field day program on April 18 at Texas A. and M. College.

Dr. J. R. Jackson of the Department of Agricultural Education said a wide variety of speakers and subjects will be heard on the program, which is designed to bring Young Farmer members up on the latest developments and problems in agriculture.

Starting at 8 a. m. in the Memorial Student Center, the program will be opened by Gordon Koonce of Wharton, president of the Young Farmers, and Dr. G. M. Watkins, dean of the A&M School of Agriculture, who will deliver an address of welcome.

All speakers are members of the A&M staff. They are Dr. J. C. Gaines, head of the Department of Entomology; Dr. Wayne Hall, head of the Department of Plant Physiology, who will discuss residues of insecticides and herbicides; J. H. McHaney, Cecil Parker and Dr. K. R. Tiefertiller, all of the Department of Agricultural Eco-

nomics, "Economic Outlook for Agriculture;" Dr. M. A. Brown and Dr. R. E. Leighton, both of the Department of Dairy Science, "Breeding Cows for High Non-Fat Milk Solids" and "Relation of Better Milking to Mastitis Control." Also, G. T. King, T. D. Tankley and Doug Wythe, "Beef and Port Carcass Evaluation;" Dr. John Quisenberry and E. D. Parnell, both of the Department of Poultry Science, "Problems Confronting the Poultry Industry and Research Now Underway;" Price Hobgood, of the Department of Agriculture Engineering, "Automatic Feed Processing and Handling;" and a tour of the college plantation conducted by J. E. Roberts, farm manager.

The field day is sponsored by the Texas Department of Agricultural Education in co-operation with the School of Agriculture.

36 Face Runoffs; 1,391 Cast Votes

By ALAN PAYNE
Assistant News Editor

Two positions were decided outright and 36 students advanced to next Wednesday's runoffs in Thursday's Class Elections.

Ronnie Frazier was elected Class of '61 Student Entertainment Manager and Pat K. Crouch was elected as a representative to the MSC Council from the Class of '62.

A total of 1,391 votes were cast, with a total of 469 by the Class of '63 heading the totals. The Class of '61 contributed 459 votes and the Class of '62 contributed 463.

Class of '61 Marvin J. Girouard, with 104 votes, and Larry J. Haygood, with 65 votes, will compete for the Class of '61 president position. Others who were eliminated yesterday in the order of the votes they received were Rush McGinty, M. Paul Martin, Mac Bolton, Luke Soules, Frank P. Hernandez, Ken J. Demel, Darrell Pausky and J. K. (Joe College) Russell.

Running in the vice presidential runoff for the Class '61 will be Mike Ogg who polled 107 votes and Guy Keeling who had 71 votes. Others according to the number of votes they polled were Larry M. Dubuisson, Ronnie L. May, A. C. Hill, A. Wayne Dunlap, Charlie Brown, Tim Cockburn and Willis Ward.

Class of '61 secretary-treasurer finalists will be Nevel Ehrhardt who had 94 votes and T. (Stump) Reid who had 88. Those eliminated were John Bounds, E. D. Riggsby, Scott McKay, Jackson C. LaGrone and Bow Bow Bower.

Monty G. Montgomery with 77 votes and Darryl Bush with 75 votes reached the runoff in the Class of '61 social secretary race, Skipper Post, Eddie H. Harris, George W. Vogt, Joe H. Hegyesi and Charlie Preston followed in that order.

In the Class of '61 historian race, Bob Burnside with 91 votes and Giles L. Dodson with 54 reached the runoff. Following in order were Randy L. Yeagen, Kraut Sterzing, Tiger Brown, Bob Collins, Buddy Bradford, Bernie Bertram, Jim C. Smith and Dan A. Grohn.

In the Class of '61 student entertainment manager race, one of the two races decided without benefit of a runoff, Frazier edged Joe M. Powell by a margin of 209-203.

Ronny J. Hampton, with 134 votes, and Bob Laird, with 117 votes, reached the runoff in the race for the Class of '61 MSC Council delegate position. Others (See 36 MAKE on Page 3)

The Cancer Society supports more than 1,000 scientists who are trying to defeat cancer for all time. But there is so much we can do about this disease right now. Right now we can, and must try to save the lives that are wasted every year. I refer to the 85,000 people who die of cancer simply because they don't get to the doctor in time, he concluded.

For a second successive year, "Guard Your Family" will be the rallying note of the Brazos County Cancer Crusade which opened today. Directors of the crusade are William A. Zieren and Mrs. R. J. Baldauf.

"The family theme will again be linked with the life-saving phrase, 'Fight Cancer with a Checkup and a Check,'" Zieren said.

"The national drive was the most successful in the history of the Cancer Society," he said.

"No ceiling was set on the amount of money needed and none is set for the 1960 Cancer Crusade," Zieren stated.

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Dr. Hall Attends Disease Meet

Dr. Charles F. Hall, associate professor in the Department of Veterinary Microbiology, is participating in the 14th annual meeting of Animal Disease Research Workers in the Southern States being held today and Friday at

Architects Show Plans for Centers In Dallas Saturday

Designs and a model for a nuclear research center and a data computing and research center for the Dallas-Fort Worth area were shown in Dallas Saturday by five A&M fifth-year architectural design students.

The designs, models and drawings of the facilities were shown to representatives of IBM Corp. and the Great Southwest Corp. Frank Meier of Dallas; James Smith of Weatherford; and Bill Kellett of Bryan, were designers of the nuclear research center while Larry Walls of Fort Worth and Sanford Collins of Marshall designed the data computing and research center.

"Both IBM and the Great Southwest Corporation took a lively interest in the 'Research Island,' said Meier.

He said the proposed research island was designed to serve the Southwest both in data computing and research in nuclear fields—both relatively new and fast growing fields.

Voting Set Saturday at Music Room

CHS Election Rally Held

By BOB SAILE
Battalion Staff Writer

A small group of College Station residents heard talks from three Consolidated School trustee candidates and one candidate's representative at a community pre-election rally held Thursday night in the A&M Consolidated High School Auditorium.

The rally was sponsored by the College Station Kiwanis Club and was held to familiarize voters with the candidates and issues in the trustee election to be held Saturday from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. in the A&M Consolidated High School Music Room.

Candidates running for two vacancies on the Consolidated School Board are Henry L. Allen, Charles G. Carroll, John Longley, Herb Thompson and Milton Ford. Allen and Carroll are present members of the board and are running for re-election.

Thompson, Allen, Longley and J. B. Carroll, son of Charles Carroll and representing his father, gave short talks on their plans and objectives in regard to the school board. The other candidate, Milton Ford, was not present.

H. E. Burgess presided at the meeting and introduced the speakers. He allowed each speaker five minutes and began the program by introducing Thompson.

Thompson told the group "my objective, if elected to the board, will be to emphasize the securing of better qualified teachers and the money to pay salaries which will keep these teachers at Consolidated."

Thompson said he considered the teaching staff to be the most important part of education.

Answers Questions

The second speaker, Longley, gave answers to two questions

which he said various persons had asked him. The first question, he said, concerned the integration problem. Longley said he is not in favor of integration at the present time, because complete integration would not be "the best move right now."

The other question Longley answered concerned replacement of teachers. He said he felt that the primary objective of a teacher was to teach a child how to live.

"If the teacher is not doing this, he should be replaced," Longley said.

J. B. Carroll, a senior at A&M, spoke in his father's place, explaining that his father was unable to attend. Carroll said his father was "very much in favor of the new building program."

Carroll told the group his father has talked to Negroes in and around College Station and be-

lieves that they are more in favor of equal school facilities than complete integration.

Henry Allen, the last candidate to speak, said he couldn't answer the integration question and the teacher salary problem. However, he urged College Station residents to voice their opinions on questions such as these, so that he or any other members of the school board might be better able to make necessary decisions.

Question Period

A ten-minute question and answer period followed the talks by the four men.

In answer to one question, Longley said "If it takes a sales tax to pay teachers higher salaries, then I'm in favor of it."

Thompson said he didn't know where the money for higher teacher salaries would come from, but expressed the belief that "where there's a will, there's a way."



Consolidated School Board Rally

Herb Thompson, standing, addresses the audience at Thursday night's school board election rally sponsored by the College Station Kiwanis Club. Seated at the table is H. S. Burgess who presided at the meeting.

Others in the picture, left to right, J. B. Carroll; John Longley and Harry L. Allen. One candidate, Milton Ford, was not present at the meeting. Election will be held Saturday at the A&M Consolidated Music Room.