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Journalism Workshop Registration

This was the scene Sunday afternoon in the Serpentine Lounge of the Memorial Student Center as more than 300 high school publications staff members and sponsors registered for the second annual High School Publications Workshop, sponsored by the Department of Journalism.

ment of Journalism. The workshop closes Friday at noon. The students and teachers attending represented more than 70 Texas high schools and four out-of-state high schools.

Luncheon Friday Closes Journalism Workshop

Parking Rules Get Revisions

The new parking plan for faculty and staff members which went into effect during the spring semester of the 1959-60 school year will be discontinued and a modified plan will be used, according to Dean of Students James P. Hannigan.

For the 1960-61 school year the College Executive Committee has approved the modified parking system wherein the zone administrators will make available a reasonable, and it is hoped small, number of definitely reserved spaces for those individuals who are willing to pay a \$10 per year fee, said Hannigan.

Besides being willing to pay the \$10 fee, those faculty and staff members who get specifically assigned parking places will get such places because of their jobs, physical condition or other good reasons, Hannigan said.

Other faculty and staff members will pay either a \$7.50 or \$1 per year parking fee. Persons paying the \$7.50 fee for non-specific parking space may park in any lot or on-the-street parking space in their own zone which is not specifically reserved or marked for visitors, said Hannigan.

When visiting zones other than their own they may park in any visitor space or any unoccupied, unreserved space for the time necessary to transact their business, explained Hannigan.

The \$1 parking fee payees will park in one of the two fringe areas, one at the northern and one at the southern ends of the campus.

Additional parking lots, improvements of existing parking lots and some incrementation of on-street parking facilities is now under way and will continue through the remainder of the summer and into the early fall to aid in fulfilling the parking needs, explained Hannigan.

The plan used last year had

★ Deadline Set For Ordering Season Ducats

Sunday at midnight is the deadline for ordering priority tickets for the three home football games this fall, according to Pat Dial, business manager for the Department of Athletics.

The season books, good for the Texas Tech, Sept. 24, Texas Christian University, Oct. 15, and University of Arkansas, Oct. 29, games, sell for \$12 each.

Season books for faculty and staff members are good for admission to all sports held under the auspices of the Athletic Council. Books for the general public are good for all events except basketball games, said Dial.

Barbecue Planned Tonight for 300

More than 300 high school newspaper and yearbook staff members and sponsors will end their week-long stay here Friday at noon when Frank King, executive editor of The Houston Post, will give the closing talk at the awards luncheon in Sbis Dining Hall.

The high school students and teachers have been here since Sunday afternoon for the second annual High School Publications Workshop, sponsored by the Department of Journalism.

A barbecue, to be followed by dancing and entertainment, south of G. Rollie White Coliseum tonight beginning at 6 will be the final entertainment phase of the workshop.

Friday morning will be devoted to panel discussions and other closing sessions.

Student Center Loses Staffers As Two Resign

Two well-known Memorial Student Center staff members have resigned, MSC Director Wayne Stark announced.

They are John M. Geiger, manager of the Bowling and Games Department, and Mrs. Rosalie Johnson, student program adviser. Geiger, whose resignation is effective about the middle of August, will join the Texas Union in the new and renovated Student Union Building at the University of Texas.

He was made manager of the bowling games area after his graduation from A&M in 1952. His hometown is Branford, Fla.

Mrs. Johnson, wife of Battalion Editor Johnny Johnson, joined the MSC staff in 1957 after graduating from Southern Methodist University with a degree in journalism.

She worked with the entire MSC program, including the MSC Council. At SMU, she was president of the Mortar Board, a national honor society for college women, and was a student leader in other fields.

Stark said no replacements have yet been selected for Geiger or Mrs. Johnson.

Dr. William Turner, music coordinator of the MSC, announced his resignation earlier to accept a position at Stephen F. Austin College.

MSC To Present Humorist Tuesday

Marshall Izen, pianist-humorist, will highlight next week's activities in the Memorial Student Center Summer Entertainment Program with a concert Tuesday at 8 p. m. in the Ballroom.

Other activities on tap for the week include Sunday's "Afternoon of Free Films" and a dance with a "Mickey Mouse" theme with music by the Aggieband Combo Monday night.

A versatile artist, Izen combines a thorough musical background with a satirical talent. Using the top of the piano as a stage for miniature settings, he manipulates puppet performers with his right hand and accompanies on the keyboard with his left hand—while singing all the voices of the production he satirizes.

Izen's repertoire also includes some serious offerings, for which he has been prepared through study for the Bachelor of Music degree he received from De Paul University and at the Juilliard School of Music. His unique and humorous talents, and his appearance on television have included the Ed Sullivan and Steve Allen shows.

Izen was born in Chicago, Ill. At the age of five, the old family upright piano fascinated him so that

by using a yellowed ivory key as a starting marker, he was able to play all of his kindergarten songs by ear.

After making this discovery, Izen practiced his new found repertoire and, when ready, informed his school teacher he could accompany the class song session. As all the children gathered around the piano, Izen sat down in front of an immaculate white ivory keyboard and all was chaos without his yellow marker. When his parents heard of the dilemma, they decided it was time to give their son lessons.

Two years later, as the result of viewing a chilling horror movie, Izen was afraid to walk into the darkened living-room to practice the piano. At the suggestion of a

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Non-Profit Research Organization

Concrete Firm To Locate Headquarters on Campus

The National Bituminous Concrete Assn., a non-profit organization of some 600 producers of bituminous concrete, has decided to locate its research headquarters on the A&M campus.

The announcement was made by Dean of Engineering Fred J. Benson and Bryan-College Station Chamber of Commerce President Travis Bryan, Jr.

Working to encourage the organization's location at the school were A&M, the cities of Bryan and College Station, the Bryan Industrial Foundation, Inc. and the Bryan-College Station Chamber of Commerce.

Primary objectives of the association are to improve the specifications for the materials used in and the construction procedures for bituminous concrete.

Dean Benson said the association has adopted a research program which contemplates expanding expenditures for research in various fields having to do with bituminous concrete.

Initially, it is planned that the research will be carried on through support of university programs, co-operative projects with state highway departments or federal agencies and contracts with re-

search institutes. In addition, some funds will be available for scholarships for graduate students interested in bituminous concrete.

"The advantage to A&M of the location of the association's research activity and possible laboratory here lies in the fact that the

association program will augment and support our existing research and teaching program in this area," Benson said.

The association plans to have two persons in its A&M office, which will tentatively be set up by Sept. 1.

Microscopy Course Opens Monday at 8

The fourth annual Feed Microscopy Short Course is set Monday through Saturday in the Memorial Student Center.

Activities get under way the first day at 8 a. m. with registration. E. E. Brown, research scientist and Texas Agricultural Experiment Station microscopist in the State Chemist Laboratory here, will be chairman.

The morning session of the first day is devoted to talks, the first one an address of welcome by Dr. G. M. Watkins, director of agricultural instruction.

Other speakers and their subjects are Reed McDonald, director of the Texas Feed Control Service, "Role of Microscopy in the Enforcement of Texas Feed Laws;"

report on Feed Control Service's technical advisory committee by Dr. L. R. Richardson, professor in the Department of Biochemistry and Nutrition and chairman of the committee; Dr. W. O. Trogdon, head of the Department of Agronomy, "Protein Variability In Cereal Grain Crops;" Dean L. Mings, chief chemist, Burrus Feed Mills, Fort Worth, "Microscopy In An

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State FFA Honors Dr. G. M. Watkins

Dr. G. M. Watkins, director of agricultural instruction, has been named by the Texas Assn. of Future Farmers of America to receive the Honorary Lone Star Farmer Degree.

The award honors adults who have worked to promote FFA activities and was made during the organization's 32nd annual convention last weekend in Houston.

If Lyndon Johnson Wins

Picking Solon May Be Problem

By TEX EASLEY

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Should Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson win election as vice president, Texans would be faced with an interesting political situation: The choosing of his Senate successor.

Johnson, although he is the running mate of Democratic presidential candidate John F. Kennedy of Massachusetts, also will stand for re-election to the Senate.

Thus, should he also emerge as the next vice president, Johnson would necessarily resign from the Senate. Who would be his successor in that post?

A study dating back to the last century shows that many Texas senators—as well as those from other states—first served in the House. Johnson was one of these. He represented the Austin district

from 1837 to 1949 then succeeded W. Lee O'Daniel in the Senate.

Governors Have Inroad
A governorship is the second most traveled route to the Senate. O'Daniel went that course. So did one other Texan, Charles A. Culberson, who was governor from 1894 through 1898 and then served in the Senate from 1899 to 1923.

Texas' Gov. Price Daniel is one of the few who has taken the reverse route along his political career. He left the Senate before the end of his six-year term in order to take over as governor.

With the exception of Culberson, all of those who have attained lengthy records of service in the Senate from Texas first served in the House. These, in addition to Johnson now in his 12th Senate year, were:

Morris Sheppard, 1913 to 1941; Tom Connally, 1928 to 1953 and Joseph Weldon Bailey, Sr., 1901 to 1913.

Succeeded by Blakely
Daniel had about two years to go on his Senate term when he was succeeded by William Blakely of Dallas. Blakely received an interim appointment from Gov. Allan Shivers shortly before Shivers turned over the governor's office to Daniel. Ralph Yarborough then won the special election in 1957 to fill out Daniel's unexpired term, and was re-elected in 1958 for a regular six-year term.

Andrew Jackson Houston, son of Sam Houston, served a few weeks in 1941 when appointed by the then Gov. O'Daniel to fill a vacancy created by the death that spring of Sheppard. Houston died in

office at 87, before the special election called by O'Daniel could be held. O'Daniel won the special election, and was re-elected for the full 1942-48 term.

Earle B. Mayfield, a member of the Texas Railroad Commission from 1913 to 1923, served six years in the Senate. The one remaining individual who has served from Texas in the past 60 years was Horace Chilton, who had practiced law in Tyler and who was first appointed to the Senate to fill a vacancy. He then was elected to and served the six-year term between 1895 and 1901.

Wright Possible
Among the incumbent House Texans, Jim Wright of Fort Worth is often mentioned when speculation turns to likely candidates for (See PICKING on Page 6)

Heaton Forecasts 7,400 Enrollment For Fall Semester

Approximately 7,400 students are expected to enroll at A&M for the Fall Semester. H. L. Heaton, director of admissions and registrar, announced this week.

"This estimate represents an increase of over 300 students compared to the 1959 fall enrollment," he stated. About 2,000 new freshmen students are expected, based on present acceptances for admission, according to the Director of Admissions.

The 7,400 students will be studying agriculture (17 per cent), arts and sciences (30 per cent), engineering (45 per cent), veterinary medicine (6 per cent) and general curriculum (2 per cent).

Heaton, in making the announcement, stressed that A&M will continue processing applications for admission up to fall semester registration, Sept. 16 and 17.

"A&M will have room this fall for the qualified student capable of doing college work," Heaton said.

Reeves To Take Position in Egypt

Dr. R. G. Reeves, professor of agronomy and genetics, and since 1949 leader of research on new crops for the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, will go to Egypt the latter part of August to serve for nine months in the University of Alexandria as a Fulbright professor in genetics and plant breeding.

His primary responsibility in Egypt will be advising and directing the work of graduate students in the fields of genetics and plant breeding.

Reeves is known nationally and internationally as a biologist for his work on the origin of corn, and the cytological and breeding studies he has conducted on corn and other plants. It was this background plus his teaching abilities that led to his selection as a Fulbright professor.

The Mississippi native holds both bachelor and master degrees from Mississippi State University, and a doctorate from Iowa State University. He has also studied at Cornell University and the University of Chicago.

He came to A&M in 1928 as an instructor in the Department of Biology. In 1944, he was transferred as a professor to the Department of Agronomy and Genetics with joint teaching and research responsibilities.

Ex-T.A.E.S. Head's Wife Dies Monday

Mr. Bonney Youngblood, wife of a former director of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station from 1911-1928, died Monday at Charles Town, W. Va., according to word received by local friends.

Funeral services were Wednesday afternoon at the Streiders' Funeral Home in Charles Town. Mrs. Youngblood had lived alone on the family farm, Rion Hall, near Harpers Ferry, W. Va., since Dr. Youngblood's death in January, 1959.

Mrs. Youngblood was the former Lotus Shamburger of Mineola and the Youngbloods were married in 1907. The Youngbloods developed Borderbrook Farm, between Bryan and College Station. He retired in 1950 from the staff of the Office of Experiment Stations, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.