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Graduation Speaker Named For January

One of the nation's foremost religious educators has accepted an invitation to deliver the commencement address at the mid-term graduation Jan. 21.

Dr. John P. Newport of the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth will speak at the ceremonies in the G. Rollie White Coliseum.

The 44-year-old Newport obtained his first degree in his home state of Missouri at William Jewell College. He received his Master of Theology and Doctor of Theology degrees from the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville, Ky. He also has the Doctor of Philosophy degree from the University of Edinburgh, Scotland.

He has also studied at the University of Basel, Switzerland; the University of Zurich, Switzerland; Tulane University; Union Theological Seminary, New York City; Columbia University; and the University of Tulsa.

Visiting Scholar
During the school year 1958-59 he was a Post-Doctoral Visiting Scholar at Harvard University under a grant from the Rockefeller Foundation.

Newport holds membership in many national organizations. The American Association of University Professors, National Association of Biblical Instructors, National Society for Reformation Research, American Society of Church History and Southwestern Philosophical Association are only a few.

In his college days Newport was a member of basketball, football and debate teams. Some other of his activities as a student included the editorship of his college annual and membership in many honorary, professional and social fraternities and other organizations.

Newport was also listed in Who's Who Among American College Students.

Study Trip
During the summer of 1955 Newport conducted a group on a study trip to Egypt, Lebanon,

Syria, Jordan, Israel, Greece and Western Europe.

He has also worked as a Field Work Director for a six-state area in New England for the Boston University School of Theology.

Newport has spoken to youth and college groups in most of the Southern and Southwestern states and in many New England states. He has participated in Religious Emphasis Weeks in colleges and universities in Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Texas and New Mexico.

Lectureships include a lecture series at the University of Houston and one at Baylor University.

At present Newport is Professor of Philosophy of Religion at the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary at Fort Worth.



Dr. John P. Newport
... Named Commencement speaker

Committee To Resume Name-Change, Studying

The College Name-Change Committee will resume studying the possibilities of changing the name of A&M tonight in a meeting at 7 in the YMCA Building, Student Senate President Roland Dommert said last night after a Senate meeting in the Memorial Student Center.

Dommert said he didn't know the exact agenda for the meeting but surmised the group will continue discussing the matter and considering opinions that have been voiced by both students and faculty members.

At the regular Senate meeting a minority report, written after a vote showing the Senate opposed to any change by a count of 12-8 with two absentions, was read.

The vote was taken in a meeting Dec. 15 and it was decided to have both majority and minority reports written for Dommert's use as a member of the Name-Change Committee.

The majority report was not available at the meeting last night. It will be available by tonight, however.

The minority report listed four arguments for changing the name of the school. They were 1) A&M is actually a university, 2) the school is presently being overlooked for grants and good professors, 3) students are being deprived of a good education because of a lack of good professors and 4) the name "university" would give the school more prestige.

The report summed up its contents by reading: "Any temporary loss of identity for the school would be regained after a short time and then increased further."

Sportsmanship Report
In other Senate business, Dommert reported on the Southwest

Conference Sportsmanship Committee meeting in Dallas during Cotton Bowl festivities and said "some very good points were brought out."

He said the main complaint voiced against A&M was the lack of cooperation offered regarding getting cheerleader equipment and other necessities into Kyle Field.

Dommert added the group decided that before play begins each school should write a list of all that will be taken to road games and submit a copy to all other conference schools.

Seating complaints concerning basketball seating in G. Rollie White Coliseum were also discussed.

It was determined the best thing for students with either wives or dates would be for tickets other than student tickets to be purchased at the main floor. Then both could enter the side door where all students are required to enter.

The athletic department has also voiced a complaint about smoking in the coliseum.

Cadets Battle Baylor In Waco Tomorrow

Ags Seek Second Conference Win

The Aggie Cagers journey to Waco tomorrow night for their second Southwest Conference bout with the Baylor Bears.

Tuesday night the Cadets put on a defensive exhibition in the Second Half against Texas Christian to walk away with an 82-69 win while the Bruins weren't quite so fortunate as they fell to Rice's Owls in Houston, 70-59.

The biggest Bear to watch is Richard Tinsley, who tossed in 21 points against the Owls to become the high point man of the game.

The Rice-Baylor tilt was much like A&M's game with TCU in College Station. In the first half not more than five points separated the two teams, but as A&M did, Rice pulled away in the second half.

Tinsley's 21 counters against Rice also helped him to rank an eighth place in SWC scoring as he boasts a 15 point average.

But the Aggies' ace Carroll Broussard far outshines any man on the Baylor lineup as he has tossed in 178 points for the season for a 19.8 average. Broussard is in third place behind Steve Strange of Southern Methodist and Del Ray Mounts of Texas Tech.

Although Baylor is not rated as a conference title contender, they do have quite a bit of height on their squad.

Biggest man on the squad is Tom Garrison who is a junior college transfer and stands a lofty 6-9. The other tall man is John West who is 6-7 and has earned one varsity letter. However, neither of these men has been outstanding so far in the season as West is averaging a little over seven points per game and Garrison is hitting a five point average.

Preceding the varsity clash tomorrow night, the A&M Fish, who are undefeated in two starts, will take on the Baylor Cubs.

New Facilities At CHS To Be Shown

Open house will be held in the new facilities at A&M Consolidated Schools Tuesday, at 7 p.m. The open house is sponsored in connection with the regular meeting of the Mothers and Dads Club, Charles Wooten, program chairman, announced.

Every parent is invited to attend the meeting in the Assembly Room of the new addition to the High School. Following the brief business session, the parents will have an opportunity to visit both the new addition and the new science wing, Wooten stated.

The A&M Consolidated Mothers and Dads Club membership numbers approximately 500, according to A. F. "Tex" Isbell, president. New members can pay their \$1 dues at the meeting, he added.

Following the meeting and the open house, refreshments will be served.

Veterans Lagging In Picking Up December Checks

Veterans Advisor Bennie A. Zinn said yesterday veterans have been slow about picking up their December checks. They are still available and should be secured at Zinn's office, the advisor said.

DR. MILTON SPEAKS

Teaching Seminar To Begin Tonight

Dr. Ohmer Milton, professor of psychology at the University of Tennessee, will be the featured speaker in two teaching seminars tonight and tomorrow.

The sessions are sponsored by the A&M Committee on Seminars for the Improvement of Teaching in the School of Agriculture. Committee chairman is Dr. D. L. Huss, assistant professor in the Department of Range and Forestry.

Both seminars will be held in the Ballroom of the Memorial Student Center.

Tonight's meeting starts at 7:30 when Milton discusses "Research in Student-Teacher Motivation." A panel discussion will then be conducted by Dr. Richard J. Baldauf, associate professor in the Department of Wildlife Management; Dr. J. D. Gray, associate professor, Department of Agricultural Education; and Dr. N. A. McNeil, assistant professor, Department of Genetics.

Tomorrow, seminar activities begin at 9 a.m. with Milton discussing "Parasites In The Ivy." His talk will be followed by a discussion panel of C. B. Ryan, assistant professor in the Department of Poultry Sciences; Dr. V. W. Edmondson, associate professor, Department of Agricultural Economics and Sociology; and Dr. V. A. Little, professor, Department of Entomology.

Dr. R. C. Potts, assistant director of agricultural instruction, and Huss will preside at the seminars.

Milton is the author of several publications on teaching. Two of his more recent works are "Primitive Thinking and Reasoning Among College Students" and "Learning Without Class Instruction."

The educator received his AB degree from Berea College in Kentucky in 1940, MA degree in 1941 from the University of Kentucky and his doctorate in 1949 at the University of Michigan. He was appointed associate professor in the Department of Psychology at the University of Tennessee in 1949.

In 1956, Milton served as guest

student and observer for the Academic Instructors Program at Maxwell Air Force Base. He was consultant in 1959 to the Southern Regional Work Conference on the Improvement of College Teaching in Agriculture.

Huss said the A&M School of Agriculture has sent teaching staff members for the past three summers to the Southern Regional Conference on Improvement of College Teaching in Agriculture.

TAC Presents Guion Program Tomorrow

Members of the Headquarters, Team from Langley Air Force Tactical Air Command Briefing Base, Va., will present a 50-minute program tomorrow at 8:00 a.m. in Guion Hall.

Maj. M. T. Dunn will head a three-man team which will present a professional analysis of TAC's place in the defense of the United States.

TAC's mission is to provide combat-ready tactical air-power for use anywhere in the world. Crews are trained and equipped to leave on a moment's notice and "fly-away" kits, with spare parts and equipment for 30 days operations, are packed and ready to go.

Presenting the team will be Col. Charles E. Gregory, Professor of Air Science.

The briefing is open to the public, and area reservists of all branches of the services are urged to attend. Civilians are invited and will also be interested to hear how the tax dollar is being utilized by the Air Force in the nation's defense.

Security Council Rejects Cuban Invasion Charge

By The Associated Press

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y.—The U.N. Security Council in effect rejected Thursday night Cuba's charge that she faced imminent military invasion by the United States.

The 11-nation council did so by concluding a two-day debate without taking any formal action on a Cuban complaint filed Saturday saying such intervention was expected in a matter of hours.

This amounted to another defeat for the regime of Prime Minister Fidel Castro in its Soviet-supported campaign to have the United Nations denounce the United States as an instigator of moves to topple Castro from power by military force.

Expression of Hope

Omar Loutfi of the United Arab Republic, council president, ended the meeting with a terse expression of hope for reduction of tensions between the United States and Cuba.

He appealed to both countries to do nothing to aggravate the situation. The council wound up its debate

at 7:30 p.m. in an atmosphere of relative calm compared with outbursts by pro-Castro and anti-Castro demonstrators that disrupted proceedings Wednesday.

But some fist-fights erupted in the lobby of the General Assembly late Thursday afternoon and again outside U.N. headquarters. U.N. guards ousted the participants from the lobby and New York police broke up the fighting outside the building.

"In Danger"

In a final intervention Cuban Foreign Minister Raul Roa persisted in charging that his country was in danger of military aggression by what he called the reactionary and imperialistic regime of President Eisenhower.

"This threat still hangs over Cuba despite the fact that the United States may deny it," he declared. He said invaders "will not meet a Cuba who is alone. They will not meet another Guatemala but they will really get their come-uppance."

Soviet Deputy Foreign minister Valerian A. Zorin said the break in diplomatic relations was proof

of a threat by the United States against Cuba. He expressed hope that the incoming Kennedy administration would "take the course of peaceful settlement of the conflict which has been created."

Chile and Ecuador decided not to press to a vote their resolution merely calling on the United States and Cuba to resolve their differences by peaceful means.

They took that course after the United States and other Western powers made clear that they opposed any action in the council that would give the slightest legal recognition to the validity of the Cuban complaint.

January Grad Announcements Available In MSC

All January graduates are urged to pick up their graduation announcements as soon as possible. They are available in the Student Senate Chamber of the Memorial Student Center.

World Wrap-Up

By The Associated Press

French Ordered From Nigeria

LAGOS, Nigeria — Protesting France's recent third atomic blast in the Sahara, Nigeria Thursday night ordered the French ambassador and his staff to leave within two days. It also barred French ships and planes.

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Senators Exress Bill Confidence

WASHINGTON—Senators pressing for a change in Senate rules to make it easier to shut off filibusters maintained Thursday there was no danger the issue itself would set off a filibuster.

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Water Tax Study Asked

AUSTIN—Gov. Price Daniel's Statewide Water Committee asked Thursday that the 57th Legislature study the feasibility of a water use tax.

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Stock Market Rally Continues

NEW YORK—The stock market carried its 1961 rally into the second straight session Thursday but ran into increasingly heavy profit taking. Trading was active.

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Kennedy Studying Business Slump

NEW YORK—President-elect John F. Kennedy Thursday night received study committee recommendations for swift emergency measures to combat the business slump. The group also urged temporary tax cuts if the situation turns a great deal worse in the spring.

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Fourteen Die Following Treatment

TRENTON, N. J.—Fourteen patients of an Erlton psychiatrist died of an acute liver disease after getting injections from him, the State Health Department said Thursday.

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Goldwater Regains Senate Post

WASHINGTON—Sen. Barry Goldwater—Arizona's outspoken conservative—was reappointed chairman of the Republican Senate Campaign Committee Thursday with a solid vote of confidence.

State-Wide TV Debate Pits Ags Against Lamar Tech

The A&M Debate Teams have been invited to appear on state-wide television Jan. 22 in a debate with Lamar Technological College. The debate is part of a tournament which will decide the championship of Texas.

Thirteen other colleges and universities will participate in the meet over a period of 13 weeks. The show, entitled "Young America Speaks," will be the first inter-collegiate debate tournament ever televised, and will originate in the new 3.5 million dollar studios of WFAA-TV in Dallas.

Scholarships
Sinclair Refining Company, which has substantial facilities in Texas, will contribute \$1,000 to the scholarship fund of each week's winning school and \$500 to the fund of the losing college. The winning school of each week will go on to the next week until all the contestants but one have been eliminated.

Members of the Debate Teams going to Dallas are Don Williamson, Dennis Shepps, Dick Stengel and Robert Demney. The teams will be accompanied by their faculty sponsor—Dr. Harrison Hieth.

Other Participants
Other schools which will participate in the competition are Baylor University, Rice University, Southern Methodist University, Texas

Christian University, Texas Technological College, Abilene Christian College, The University of Houston, North Texas State College, Hardin-Simmons University, Lamar Technological College, Stephen F. Austin College, Southwest Texas State College and The University of Texas.

The moderator for the series will be the noted television producer, Jack Wyatt. Wyatt produces the program "Controversy" and is known for his many contributions to the radio and television industry.

"Young America Speaks" will be carried by KBTX-TV, Bryan; KWTX-TV, Waco; KTRK-TV, Houston; KTBC-TV, Austin; KFDM-TV, Beaumont; KDUB-TV, Lubbock; KPAR-TV, Abilene; KTRE-TV, Lufkin, and WFAA-TV in Dallas.

The subject for the A&M-Lamar Debate will be federal aid to education, with A&M taking the negative side of this issue.