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## REPS FROM ACROSS TEXAS

### Graduate School Opportunity Meet Set March 20-21

Science students and faculty members from throughout Texas will be on the campus Mar. 20-21. They will be here for conferences on graduate school opportunities leading to teaching and research careers in the various natural sciences.

This, the last of a series of four Collegiate Science Research Conferences, to be held throughout the state, is sponsored by the Texas Academy of Science and supported by grants from the National Science Foundation, Charles La Motte, of the Department of Biology and state program director, said today.

The program at A&M is chaired by John Beckham of the Department of Chemistry and LaMotte. The opening session will be held Monday morning, Mar. 20, with LaMotte in charge. Registration will be held Mar. 19.

Dr. Wayne C. Hall, Dean of the Graduate School, will give the welcome address and keynote address. Summaries of current research programs now in progress at A&M will be given by Dr. R. C. Potts, director of agricultural instruction, Dr. A. F. Isbell, Department of Chemistry, Fred J. Benson, Dean of the School of Engineering and Dr. R. D. Turk, professor and Head of the Department of Veterinary Parasitology.

Dr. Dale F. Leipper, Head of the Department of Oceanography and Meteorology, will deliver an

address Monday night, Mar. 20, on "Preparation for Advanced Study in Science." Monday afternoon the conferees will be taken on tours of the research facilities.

Tuesday morning they will visit and hold conferences with individual professors in the science laboratories and meet with panels of research scientists to discuss opportunities for graduate study and lifetime careers in the various biological and physical science fields. Leading the panel discussions will be Dr. John J. Sperry of the Department of Biology; Dr. H. O. Kunkel of the Department of Biochemistry and Nutrition; Dr. Roger D. Wheeler of the Department of Chemistry; and Dr. Peter Dehlinger of the Department of Geology and Geophysics.

At the closing session Tuesday afternoon, Mar. 21, talks will be given by Dr. Frank W. R. Hubert, Dean of the School of Arts and Sciences and Dr. Beckham.

Colleges due to participate include Amarillo, East Texas Baptist, Navarro Junior, Pan American, Sam Houston State, San Angelo, San Antonio, Southwest Texas State, Stephen F. Austin, Sul Ross State, Tarleton State, Temple Junior, Texarkana, Texas Lutheran, Texas Southmost, Wharton County Junior and Wayland; Lamar Tech, Midwestern University, Our Lady of the Lake, St. Mary's University, Texas A&I and the University of Corpus Christi.

### High School Program Offers Campus Insight

The following is a schedule of events for the annual High School Career Day, to be held here Saturday.

The program gives the visitors an insight to the campus.

From 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. students will be registered at the Memorial Student Center.

The Corps of Cadets will hold a review in honor of the visitors on the main drill field from 9 a.m. until 9:45 a.m.

At 10 a.m. a general assembly of the students will be held in Guion Hall. Robert Laird, Corps chaplain, will give the invocation. Dean of Arts and Sciences Frank W. R. Hubert will welcome the guests and Roland Dommert, president of the Student Senate, will then talk to the group.

During the assembly the film, "We Are The Aggies," will be shown and Deputy Corps Commander Brantley Laycock will address the students.

At noon the student visitors will eat lunch in the college dining halls.

From 1:30 p.m. until 4 p.m., tours of college facilities will be conducted. The tours will be arranged according to fields of interest.

All students interested in agriculture will meet in the Animal Industries Lecture Room. Students interested in the arts and sciences will meet in the Chemistry Lecture Room.

Those students whose major interest is in engineering will meet in G. Rollie White Coliseum. The tour of veterinary medicine facilities will meet in the Veterinary Medicine Lecture Room. Students who are undecided as to a program of study will meet in the Biology Lecture Room.

# Name Suggestions Sought

## Senators Looking For Student Voice

By BOB SLOAN

An unofficial visit was paid the Texas State Senate Tuesday by three Corps juniors in an effort to learn the feelings of the five A&M-exes in the Senate regarding the proposed name-change for A&M.

The three, Joe Easley, Jim Coombes, and Jeff Wentworth, all members of the Band, told a meeting of Wing, Brigade and Corps Staff juniors Wednesday they had been able to contact all of the A&M senators with the exception of Sen. George Moffett, '16, of Chillicothe.

They were also able to speak with Gov. Price Daniel, they said.

Easley said all the senators and Gov. Daniel seemed very cordial and interested in the name-change problem.

"What they need now is a voice of the student body in the Senate in favor of one name or the other, or no change at all," he told the group.

At present, only two names are being serious considered by the lawmakers. Texas State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College is the name presently in the name-change bill (S.B. 302) which was introduced by Moore Mar. 6.

The other name possibility, Texas A&M University, was suggested by the Board of Directors at their last meeting.

Those present at Wednesday's (See SUGGESTIONS on Page 3)

## Mahaney To Represent A&M At National Bowling Tourney

Parks Mahaney, a 21-year-old senior electrical engineering student from Fort Worth, will represent A&M Mar. 25-26 in the National Intercollegiate Bowling Tournament at Detroit, Mich.

A regular member of the Aggie match team which last year won the Texas Intercollegiate Bowling Conference and also the team championship in the 10th annual A&M Intercollegiate Bowling tournament, Mahaney rolled a 9-line series of 1,709, making him one of the top six collegiate bowlers in

Region IX, composed of Texas, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Louisiana and Mississippi.

Sanctioned by and held in cooperation with the American Bowling Congress, the NIBT is composed of 12 regions with six members from each region competing.

Mahaney boasts a 190 average in league play. His all-time high game stands at 267 while his high series is 669 pins. A 2-year letterman on the Aggie team, he also in 1957 won the Fort Worth Paschal High School singles championship in an American Junior Bowling Congress League.

In addition to being chairman of the Memorial Student Center Bowling Committee, Mahaney holds the honor of being a Distinguished Military Student, a member of the Ross Volunteers, and an intelligence officer on the Second Battle Group staff.

Another Aggie, Jimmie Guy, a freshman electrical engineering student from Snyder, will not compete in the tournament because of injuries sustained in a recent car accident. Guy rolled a 9-line series of 1,763 to qualify for the Region IX team.

## Generals Laud Cadet Corps After Visit

After inspecting the Ross Volunteers at the main entrance to the campus last Friday afternoon Gen. Clyde Eddleman, Vice Chief of Staff of the U.S. Army, made the comment that the Company certainly presented an outstanding appearance. He added, "their uniforms are immaculate, their weapons clean, and the young men themselves are a fine looking group of young men many of whom I look forward to having as officers in America's Armed Forces."

After the military review on the parade ground in front of the Memorial Student Center, Gen. Lewis Griffing, Deputy Commanding General of the 4th U.S. Army, stated, "the Texas A&M Cadet Corps always presents a fine appearance on the parade ground and I do not recall ever seeing them look better than they did today."

Gen. Norman Callish, Commander of Mather Air Force Base, stated, "I know of no finer group of potential officers in the country. The Air Force looks forward to receiving many new officers from the fine group of Air Force cadets who have just put on such a fine show."

## World Wrap-Up

By The Associated Press

**Federal Loans To Schools Conflict Continues**  
WASHINGTON—President Kennedy and a lay Roman Catholic leader presented sharply conflicting views Wednesday on how and when the constitutionality of federal loans to parochial and other private schools should be tested.

John C. Hayes, president of the Council of Catholic Men, told a Senate Education subcommittee that loans to private schools should be tied into Kennedy's proposal for \$2.3 billion in grants to public elementary and high schools over three years.

### Polaris Missile Test Successful

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla.—The Navy's "second generation" Polaris missile zipped 1,600 miles yesterday registering its third success in two weeks and sixth in seven launchings.

Not far from the land launch pad used in this test, the nuclear submarine Theodore Roosevelt prepared for a series of Polaris underwater launchings, expected next week near Grand Bahama Islands.

### Arms Cut Talks Moved Up

WASHINGTON—President Kennedy disclosed Wednesday that the United States—after complaints by Soviet Premier Khrushchev of stalling—has speeded by a month its timetable for reviving arms cut talks with the Reds.

The original Kennedy administration proposal for renewing disarmament talks which broke up in the aftermath of the U2 plane incident last spring called for a resumption Sept. 11, U. S. sources said.

### Unemployment Steel Workers Demonstrate

HIBBING, Minn.—Unemployed steel workers yesterday waved "we want jobs" signs in the faces of Secretary of Labor Arthur J. Goldberg and Minnesota Gov. Elmer L. Anderson.

About 50 persons, some coming 30 miles from Grand Rapids, Minn., greeted the officials as they arrived in this northeastern Minnesota city. Hibbing is in the heart of the Minnesota iron range, where inactivity at mines and steel plants has been a big reason for economic distress.

### Fire Destroys Famous Japanese Shrine

NIKKO, Japan—One of Japan's famous tourist attractions at Nikko, north of Tokyo, was destroyed by a fire Wednesday night.

It is the Yakushido, a national shrine built in 1636, known for its echoes. The sounds are said to come from a "weeping dragon" painted on the ceiling. An electric heater is believed to have caused the fire.

### Senate Passes Depressed Areas Bill

WASHINGTON—The Senate yesterday passed President Kennedy's \$394 million bill designed to bring new jobs to communities long suffering from depression.

The depressed areas bill cleared the Senate in almost exactly the form asked by the President.

### Cuban Delegation To Netherlands Resigns

THE HAGUE, Netherlands—The Cuban ambassador to the Netherlands and his staff resigned Wednesday in protest against policies of Prime Minister Fidel Castro.

### Harvard Professor Chosen Ambassador

WASHINGTON—President Kennedy yesterday chose J. Kenneth Galbraith, Harvard professor of economics, to be ambassador to India.

Galbraith, 52, born in Ontario, Canada, served during World War II as a deputy administrator of the Office of Price Administration and as a director of the U. S. Strategic Bombing Survey.

### West German Chancellor To Visit U. S.

BONN, Germany—Wilhelm Greve, West German ambassador to the United States, returned home Wednesday to prepare for the visit of Chancellor Konrad Adenauer to Washington April 12-13.

It will be Adenauer's first meeting with President Kennedy.

## Federal Agents Arrest 35 In Pentagon Numbers Raid

WASHINGTON — Government agents Wednesday raided a \$500,000-a-year numbers ring in the Pentagon and arrested 35 employees.

Joseph S. Bambaucus, U. S. attorney for eastern Virginia, said the gambling operation was centered in the defense supply service, an Army agency that handles office supplies for the military departments.

He said some of the messengers who ride through the Pentagon corridors in bicycle carts picked up bets for the lottery.

"The significance of today's raid," Bambaucus said, "is organized crime's ability to make such unbelievable inroads into the nerve center of our nation's defense establishment."

The federal prosecutor added this was not meant as any reflection on the Defense Department.

Taking part in the noontime roundup were 27 U. S. marshals, Internal Revenue Service agents and agents of the General Services Administration.

Bambaucus said the raiders were equipped with photographs of the men they were seeking. All those involved in the operation, he said, were "confined to the laboring class element."

The prisoners, all Negroes, were described by Bambaucus as "writers, managers and players" in the numbers operation. He estimated the annual gross of the operation at from \$250,000 to \$500,000 but said, "I'm satisfied it comes close to half a million."

Eight of those arrested were charged with writing numbers and with nonpossession of the required \$50 federal gambling stamp. Twenty-seven were charged with participating in a numbers game on federal property.

One of those taken in custody

had \$1,045 in cash, which the federal attorney said represented one day's receipts.

Bambaucus indicated that federal

officials first got wind of the operation about a year ago.

"We think we that have broken it up for the present," he said.

Sophomores entering their junior year of college may apply for medical social work scholarships provided they plan to continue the graduate work necessary.

Application blanks may be obtained from local school principals and counselors, or from Rupel in the Department of Dairy Science.



The National Symphony Orchestra . . . under the direction of Howard Mitchell

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### CONCERT AT 8 IN COLISEUM

## Town Hall Series Presents Symphony Orchestra Tonite

The famous National Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Howard Mitchell, will perform tonight in G. Rollie White Coliseum.

The concert, which is part of the Memorial Student Center Town Hall Series, will begin at 8 p.m. The orchestra enjoys a unique "semi-official" position in Washington, D.C., where it performs many times each year. Its list of boxholders is always headed by the President of the United States and Box 13 is known as "The President's Box."

Although the orchestra is not subsidized by the government in

any way, it frequently plays at official functions. The group has played in two presidential inaugural concerts and several White House "command performances."

On other occasions concerts have been given to welcome foreign heads of state, with the appropriate national anthem preceding the evening's regular program. Often, the name of the visiting head of state has appeared on the program and his presence has been pointed out by soloists on the program.

With each year the orchestra has shown great growth both ar-

tistically and in actual size. In 1931, the year of its beginning, the group presented 34 concerts. Last year, it gave 181 concerts to an estimated audience of 385,716.

The present conductor and director, Howard Mitchell, conducted 128 of last year's concerts, and assistant conductor Lloyd Geisler conducted 35. The others were conducted by guests.

Regular youth concerts are another service performed by the orchestra. Last year they played to a total of 77,994 Washington area school children.