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## First College Comptroller Dies

Walter H. Holzmann, 74, first comptroller and business manager of the Texas A&M College System, died at his College Station home, at 11:30 Sunday morning, of a heart attack. Funeral services were held at the Callaway-Jones Chapel, Bryan, at 10:30, Tuesday morning. Burial was in the College Station Cemetery. Mr. Holzmann, during 35 years in key positions in the fiscal operations of A&M College and the Texas A&M System, was nationally recognized as a leader in fiscal administration of educational institutions. He served as cashier, comptroller and business manager for the college from 1922 to 1947 and became the comptroller and business manager of the statewide Texas A&M College System when that organization was formed. He retired to modified service in 1953 and had been on full retirement since 1957.

Born at New Braunfels, June 25, 1887, Walter Henry Holzmann went to work as a youth for the I&GN Railroad (now Missouri Pacific) as an office boy, completing his high school work by correspondence. He worked as clerk, telegrapher and station agent for the railroad from 1900 to 1912, serving in New Braunfels, Kyle, Dilley, Madisonville, Calvert, Bedias and other central Texas communities.

In 1912 he became cashier of the First State Bank of Bedias, from which position he resigned to become cashier of A&M College in 1922. During the period of his management of the fiscal affairs of the College, its physical plant grew from a value of around \$4,000,000 to more than \$38,000,000.

Survivors, in addition to the widow, include a daughter, Mrs. Wilma Nowotny, Lackland Air Force Base, Texas; a grand-daughter, Mrs. Jo Ann Richardson, Beale AFB, California; three great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Lina Meckel, New Braunfels; and two brothers, H. J. Holzmann of Austin and C. B. Holzmann of Bryan.

### DR. GRAFF

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is a registered professional engineer.

Dr. Graff is the author of numerous publications, "Nuclear Rocket Study," "Power Plant Performance and Control," "Engineering Problems Encountered in Nuclear Reactors," and others.

He is a member of the official board, Highland Park Methodist Church, Dallas; a Scottish Rite Mason 32nd degree and a Shriner and active in business and civic organizations.



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## Reservoir Engineering Course Planned

Plans have been completed by the Texas A&M Petroleum Engineering Department for its Petroleum Reservoir Engineering Courses for industry personnel.

R. L. Whiting, head of the department, said that due to the demand, one session of the Petroleum Reservoir Engineering course is set for Sept. 25-Oct. 6,

### Mice Lecture To Be Given Tomorrow

A lecture, "Random Walks and Homing Instinct in Mice" will be given Friday, Aug. 4 at 2 p.m. in Room 211 of the W. T. Doherty Petroleum Engineering Building, Texas A&M.

The lecturer, Dr. S. Howell, is with the Biology Department, Austin College, Sherman. Staff, student body and the public have been invited.

This is one of a series of lectures on applications of digital computers in conjunction with the National Science Foundation's seminar on computer programming for college instructors.

The date of Dr. K. R. Tefertiller's lecture on Linear Programming has been changed to Aug. 24. The lecture was scheduled for Aug. 4.

1961, and two sessions of the Advanced Petroleum Reservoir Engineering will be held. The first session of the advanced course will be Oct. 30 to Nov. 10, 1961 and the second from March 5 to March 16, 1962.

Whiting said the Petroleum Reservoir Engineering Course session includes 36 hours of lecture on rock properties, fluid properties, analysis of field rock and fluid data, and basic reservoir mechanics.

Twelve hours of lecture and computations will be devoted to the estimation of oil and gas in place and 28 hours of lecture and

computation will be directed to reservoir performance.

The Advance Petroleum Reservoir Engineering Course will include four hours of study of transient flow, eight hours of well performance, 12 hours of evaluation of displacement efficiency from field performance and laboratory data, 12 hours of study of the influence of patterns and stratification on performance of fluid injection programs, 32 hours of reservoir performance and eight hours of application of digital computers to the solution of petroleum reservoir engineering problems.

Professor Whiting said the courses are an outgrowth of summer courses offered in 1956 and 1957. Since their inception, 20 engineers have returned from industry to attend the courses.

The courses are conducted in the specially appointed industry classroom of the W. T. Doherty Petroleum Engineering Building on the A&M campus.

Lectures are Professors James W. Amyx, Daniel M. Bass and Whiting.

Additional information concerning the courses may be obtained from Professor Whiting.

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