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## Century Council Schedules Thursday Planning Session

### Day Student Group Formed, Election Set

The Civilian Student Council recently completed its plans for the organization of A&M day students. The main items in the plan were compiled into a list of recommendations which were drawn up by the CSC day students committee and presented at Thursday night's meeting of the CSC by Bob Hughes, chairman of the committee.

Heading the list of recommendations was the establishment of a Day Student Council. This council will consist of two representatives to the CSC, a president, vice president, secretary and treasurer. After the election of these officials the council will draw up a constitution and add other officers as the need for them became evident.

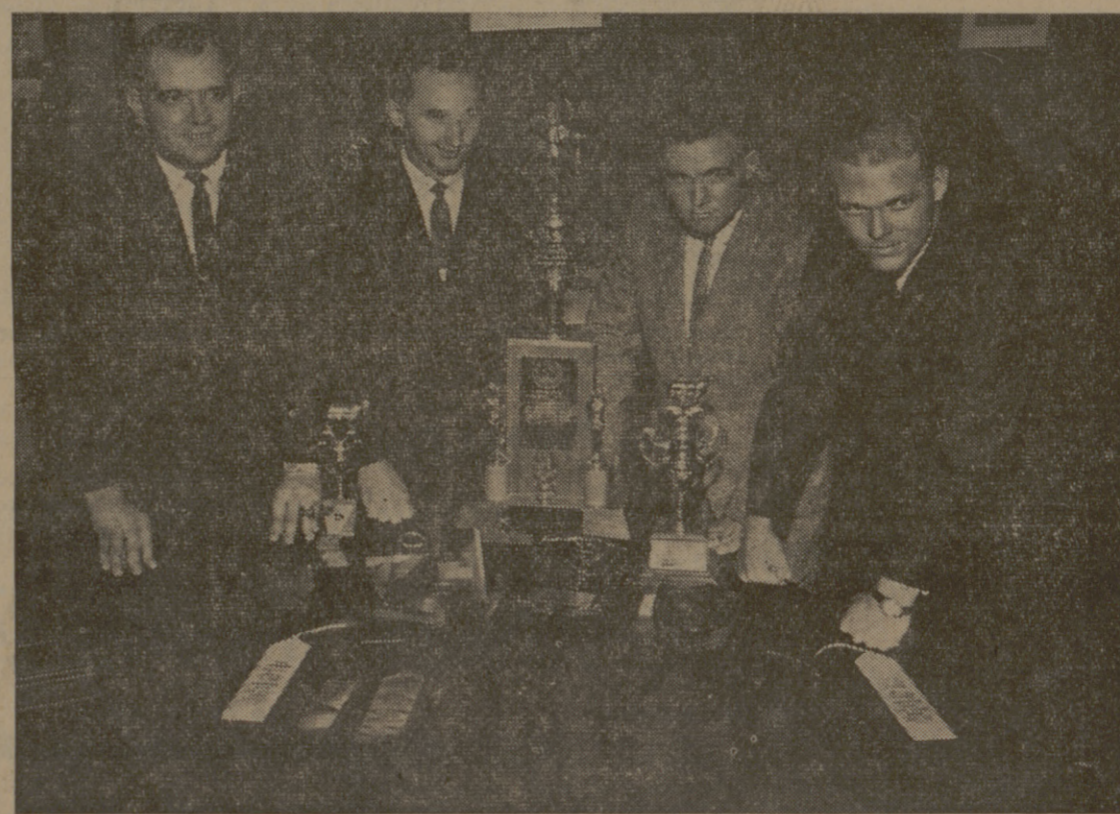
The Civilian Student Council also announced that all persons wishing to become candidates for council officers or representatives may file application at William G. Breazeale's office, 1-H Puryear. The election is scheduled to be held Nov. 15.

Other recommendations made by the day student committee concerned the establishment of day students bulletin boards at strategic spots around the campus in order that the day students could keep themselves informed of day student activities.

Suggested locations for these bulletin boards are in the Academic Building, Business Administration Building, Veterinary Medicine Building and Memorial Student Center.

Other topics taken up by the CSC in its meeting included a report by the CSC bonfire committee. Gene Anderson, chairman of the committee, said civilian dorm presidents will be contacted and asked to put up sign-up sheets in their individual dorms in order that those civilian students interested in working on the bonfire may sign up. It will then be the responsibility of the dorm presidents to contact the individual students personally.

Closing the meeting was an appeal by Hank Farrow asking councilmen to encourage students to file their nomination for "Who's Who."



### Wool Judgers Win 3rd Straight

A&M's senior wool judging team has returned from Kansas City's American Royal Livestock Show with its third consecutive championship. Team members are (from left) Pete Jameson of Ranger, Barrie Ward of Llano, Donald Beerwinkle of Belton and Scotty Menzies of Menard. (College Information Photo)

### Session Planned Nov. 2nd

An executive committee of the College Century Council will meet in Dallas Thursday to map plans for the second general session of the council in late November.

James W. Aston, council member and president of the Republic National Bank in Dallas, has made facilities available in the bank for the executive meeting.

J. Harold Dunn of Amarillo, chairman of the study group, will preside at the meeting, scheduled to begin at 10 a. m.

The second general meeting of the council will be held on campus Nov. 27-28. The council's organizational meeting was held Sept. 21-22.

The council is a group of 100 outstanding Texans named to study and make recommendations on the future role of the 85-year-old college. The report, which will cover a 15-year period, is expected to be completed by September, 1962.

Members of the executive committee include Dunn, W. R. Beaumier of Lufkin, vice chairman; Tryee Bell, Dallas; Don Morris, Abilene; Harry Moore, Navasota; R. N. Conolly, Corpus Christi; George Smith, Houston; Wayland P. Moody, San Antonio; Watson Wise, Tyler, and Jack Crichton, Dallas.



### 'Bookends' Bring House Down

Ray Anthony's pert 'Bookends,' on campus last Thursday for a Town Hall program in G. Rollie White Coliseum, really brought the house down with their rendition of the Aggie War Hymn. Their student assistant here is Mike Rieves, '63 from Houston. (Photo by Johnny Herrin)

### CHEST TOTAL CLIMBS

## D-1, Three Staffs Hit 100 Per Cent

Campus Chest coffers began to fill yesterday as the first 100 per cent unit and three 100 per cent staffs added \$138 to \$148 collected in tabs at the A&M-Baylor game Saturday.

John Anthis, chairman of the student welfare committee of the Student Senate, announced that Company D-1, 1st Battlegroup Staff, 4th Battlegroup Staff and Corps Staff were the first organizations to have each member contribute to the fund.

Deck Burke commands Company D-1, Jan Ahart commands the 1st Battlegroup and Anthis leads the 4th Battlegroup.

The drive's goal is \$7,000 by Friday.

"This year's slogan is 'a dollar from an Aggie for an Aggie,'" Anthis said.

He added that more 100 per cent units and 100 per cent Civilian student housing units were expected to be reported tomorrow.

A large thermometer has been placed in the Memorial Student

Center showing each Corps organization as well as Civilian dormitory units and each's progress toward the 100 per cent mark.

The student welfare committee will present certificates to all outfits and dorms on the 100 per cent list, and a special bronze plaque will be given to the group with the highest contributions per man.

In its ninth year, the Campus Chest drive is designed to provide emergency funds for Aggies in need of help and also to keep other drives and fund campaigns off campus.

Anthis said 60 per cent of Chest funds collected will be for student use. He said 10 per cent will go to the Brazos County Tuberculosis Association, a second 10 per cent to the College Station Community Chest the third 10 percent to the March of Dimes and a fourth 10 per cent to the World University Service.

### Halloween Party Scheduled Tonight

Children of College View, Hensel, and Project Housing residents will have a Halloween Party tonight from 7-9 p. m. in the vicinity of Y2 and Y3 Hensel.

Sponsored by the Apartment Council, the affair offers ghosts, goblins, candy and apple dunking for the small fry.

## Baylor Professor Sets Speech Here

Dr. James E. Wood Jr., professor of religion at Baylor University, will speak at 7:30 p. m. tomorrow at the All-Faiths Chapel.

Wood's topic is "The Challenge of Statism."

A native of Virginia, Wood received his B. A. degree from Carson-Newman College; his M.A. from Columbia University; and his B. D., Th.M., and Th.D. from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Ky. He did further study at the University of Tennessee and Yale University.

At Baylor, he has served as president of the Baylor Chapter of the American Association of University Professors, chairman of the Honors Program for academically superior students, is a member of the Faculty-Administrative Advisory Committee of the University and director of the J. M. Dawson Studies in Church and State, a specially endowed research program.

He is also editor of "A Journal of Church and State," published by the Dawson-endowed church-state studies.

Wood has spoken in the Chapel

on other occasions and has appeared two different times as faculty forum leader for Religious Emphasis Week.



Dr. James E. Wood Jr. ... speaks here tomorrow

## Processing Center Joins UT Hospital To Combat Cancer

The Data Processing Center is assisting the University of Texas M. D. Anderson Hospital in Houston with computing problems involved in radium treatment of cancer patients.

Robert L. Smith Jr., director of the processing center, labeled the work a cooperative effort in treatment of one of the world's most dreaded diseases.

Information from the famous cancer research hospital in Houston is sent to campus in card form to be computed. The center returns a set of printed calculations showing the radiation pattern in the treated area.

"The basic problem," Smith said, "is the calculation of the level of radium dosage in the affected area to give the radiologist a complete picture of the current treatment. On the basis of this information, he will prescribe further treatment."

Robert J. Shalek, a physicist with M. D. Anderson, said several years may be needed to evaluate the usefulness of the added information made available by the center's computer.

"One of the difficulties of the profession," Shalek said, "is that a long evaluation time, sometimes as long as five years, is required to evaluate an innovation." The hospital staff rushes information on radium needle implants to the computing center. The center then returns listings of radiation dosage for the affected area as well as isodose plots of the dosage levels.

The center's role involves, among other things, assisting the radiologist, by full information about treatment intensity, to provide maximum radiation dosage for the cancerous area and minimum dosage for the healthy area surrounding the cancer.

"The math associated with the treatment," Smith said, "gets highly technical." The technique for doing these calculations at computer speeds was developed at the center.

The electronic computers solve the problem, providing accurate data to determine how far the treatment is extending and to detect any possible overlap of treatment.

The A&M Data Processing Cen-

ter has some \$3 million worth of machinery, including an IBM 709, which is a large as any computer currently used in any university in the United States. Its system has the ability to read, write and compute simultaneously, speeding

up the computation process.

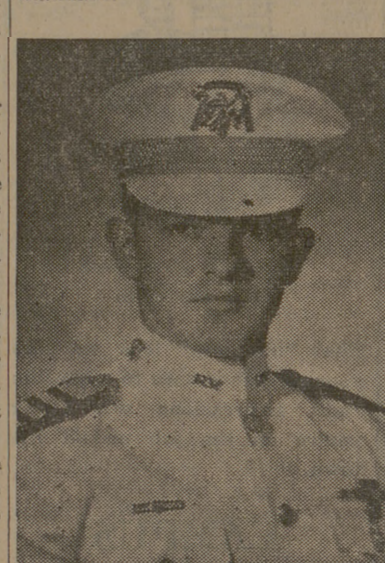
Each case sent to the center requires from five minutes to two hours of computer time worth \$300 per hour. These calculations are done at no cost to M. D. Anderson, Smith pointed out.

## 108 Juniors To Join Ross Volunteers Tonight

The Ross Volunteers will hold their annual initiation banquet tonight at 7 p. m. in the Main Ballroom of the Memorial Student Center. R. V. Commander Tilmon J. Reeves will preside and Executive Officer R. H. Stevens will administer the oath to 108 new junior members.

Main speaker for the banquet will be Eli L. Whitely, professor in the Department of Agronomy and holder of the Congressional Medal of Honor.

Membership in the Ross Volunteer Company is bestowed on a very selective basis and prospective candidates are judged on character traits, academic and military standing, disciplinary records and social grace. Applicants are carefully screened by senior members of the organization and the Commandant.



Tilmon J. Reeves ... commander plays host

The juniors initiated tonight will become members of one of the oldest students organizations in the state and the oldest student organization on campus. First established in 1887, the company marched under four different names before it was finally named the Ross Volunteers.

At the time of organization the membership was restricted to 40 cadets chosen from the junior and senior classes. Under the present rules the company may number up to 133 strong.

Through the years emphasis on membership and functions of the company has varied. Originally membership was based solely on outstanding military performance. At one time emphasis was on social qualifications and dues and uniform costs seriously limited participation in the group.

The Ross Volunteer Company of today is intended to exemplify the spirit and inherent principles and nature of the largest military college in the nation. It is the function of the present company to represent the college a distinctive ceremonies and events.

One of these functions is acting as the honor guard for the Governor of Texas and a second is marching as the official escort of "King Rex" at the Mardi Gras in New Orleans.

Other activities of the volunteers include meeting and escorting distinguished guests of the college and participating in parades and ceremonies both in and out of the state.

Whitely, banquet speaker for tonight, is one of six Aggies who won the Congressional Medal of Honor during World War II. To all

but two of these men Whitely and William G. Harrel, the medal was awarded posthumously.

The medal awarded Whitely was based on an action which took place during the Battle of the Bulge in December of 1944. At that time Whitely was a lieutenant in command of a company of 96 men. His mission was to take the city of Srgalsheim, France, a small but important town defended by some 300 Germans.

By the time his company gained a sound foot-hold in the city, there were only 26 men in fighting condition. Continuing to lead his men in the savage house-to-house fighting until he had killed at least nine of the enemy and captured over 20 others.

He returned to A&M in 1946 and since has been on the staff of the Department of Agronomy.



Eli L. Whitely ... RV banquet speaker