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## Students Trek To Polls Wednesday

### GOVERNOR CROWNS 'KING'

### TWU Lassie Named 'Queen Cotton'



**Gov. Daniel Chats At Reception**  
Texas Governor Price Daniel enjoys a friendly chat with friends at the reception given in his honor Saturday in the Memorial Student Center. Daniel was on campus to officially crown King Cotton, William A. Stuhrenberg, at the 28th annual Cotton Pageant Saturday night in Guion Hall. Daniel later attended the Kiwanis Club pancake supper in the Bryan National Guard Armory. (Photo by Ben Wolfe)

### Taps Honor Aggie Killed In Accident

Silver Taps were held at 10:30 last night for Jerry Wilson Monroe, 21, a junior from Sanderson. He was the sixth Aggie this school year to die in a traffic accident. Monroe was killed early Sunday morning when his car hit a dirt embankment 2.3 miles southwest

### Voting Light In CHS Elections

J. O. Alexander Jr. joined incumbents J. B. Hervey and G. B. Hensarling Jr. in the A&M Consolidated School Board of Trustees Saturday after a turnout of only 197 voters for the local election. Alexander defeated Herbie T. Johns for the post left vacant by Milton Williams. He polled 165 votes, to 78 for Johns. Hervey, the incumbent president of the board, received 180 votes. Hensarling, like Hervey running unopposed, was given 159 votes.

### RV's Color Guard For Gov. Daniel

Around 80 members of the Ross Volunteer Company were in Austin Tuesday to serve as Governor Price Daniel's color guard at the public dedication ceremony of the Texas Archives and Library. Daniel for the \$2.5 million building, while Mrs. Daniel, great-granddaughter of Sam Houston, presided at the ribbon-cutting ceremony. The building, which houses the Texas State Library and Archives and the general land office, will feature displays for the remainder of this week in observance of National Library Week. Office hours for the new building will be 8 a.m.-5 p.m. on weekdays and 8 a.m.-noon on Saturdays.

of College Station on Koppe Bridge Road.

Services were held yesterday at 4 p.m. in Sanderson.

Texas Highway Patrolman Wynn Williams, investigating officer, said Monroe was traveling about 45-50 miles an hour when the accident occurred. He said that the agriculture major never hit his brakes or attempted to correct the vehicle's direction as he left the road.

Officers said he had been drinking. The accident is believed to have happened about 12:30 a.m., but wasn't found until an hour later. Monroe was alone in the car.

Officers said the automobile was so twisted the body had to be removed through the right rear door. Monroe suffered multiple head and chest injuries.

The mishap was discovered by three Aggies involved in a second accident nearby. None of the three were injured.

Monroe, who would have been 22 in about three weeks, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack C. Turner, Box 177 in Sanderson. He lived at Route 4, Bryan, while attending A&M.

### Highway Patrol

### Voices Warning

Highway Patrol officials in Bryan announced yesterday that they were going to keep a tight watch on rural roads in this area in an effort to curb accidents like the two occurring on Koppe Bridge Road over the past weekend. Authorities said a "stiffer-than-usual" fine was also possible.

Officers of the Department of Public Safety said they would be watching for Aggie "beer busts." They added that such drinking parties were the cause of several accidents on country roads recently.

A Texas Woman's University coed from Arkansas, Melanie Hearnberger, was named Queen Cotton at Saturday's 28th annual Cotton Ball and Pageant.

Miss Hearnberger, a 20-year-old brunette senior, defeated 150 other girls for the title. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hearnberger, of Fordyce, Ark., and was escorted by Robert Sanders of Dallas.

The winner represented TWU's student chapter of Alpha Beta Alpha.

Before Hearnberger's presentation, eight other contestants were presented as the Queen's courts. They were:

Becky Cardiff of Katy, agricultural economics club; Mrs. Caroline Folwer of College Station, industrial education society; Nancy Etoile McCelvey, Bell County A&M Club; Mary Esther Ruenes, Our Lady of the Lake College Student Council of San Antonio; Raye Ann Shachelford, Texas Lutheran College; Ann Dawson, Beaumont Hometown Club; Marcia Ransom, A&M Women's Social Club; and Pam Walters, College Station Lions Club.

Prior to the Queen selection, Governor Price Daniel officially crowned William A. Stuhrenberg, '62 from Palacios, as King Cotton. Stuhrenberg is president of the Agronomy Society, which sponsors the ball and pageant, and was named the 28th King Cotton several weeks ago.

After King Cotton crowned his new Queen, proceedings adjourned from Guion Hall to Sbis Hall for the ball.

Dr. C. Harold Brown, assistant professor in the Department of Agricultural Economics and Sociology, served as master of ceremonies.

### OAS Background Provides Varied Topics Of Interest

Since much of the activity of the Organization of American States has made headlines within the last several years, most people are aware of its existence. But there are few who actually understand its historical background, its aims, basic principles and the manner in which it functions.

The initial spark of the organization, origin by Simon Bolivar, who called the first inter-American conference at Panama City. However his contemporaries were incapable of grasping his ideas of hemispheric unity.

It was not until 1889 that Bolivar's plans began to be realized, when the United States invited the countries of the Americas to participate in the first International Conference of American States. A significant result of this conference was the creation of the "International Union of American Republics" and the "Commercial Bureau of the American Republics."

In 1910, the latter organization became what is today the General Secretariat and central working agency of the OAS. As it exists today, the OAS is a direct development of the Union of American Republics. Its charter was signed by the 21 American Republics in 1948 and became effective Dec. 13, 1951.

The aims and goals of the OAS are many and diversified, but generally they are to strengthen the peace and security of the Americas, prevent disputes among the American republics and settle them by peaceful means when they arise.



**King Cotton And His Queen**  
King Cotton William A. Stuhrenberg congratulates the newly crowned Queen Cotton, Melanie Hearnberger, after her crowning at the annual Cotton Pageant Saturday night in Guion Hall. The new Cotton Queen, a 20-year-old senior at Texas Woman's University, defeated 150 other girls for the title. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Hearnberger of Fordyce, Ark. (College Information Photo)

### Pan Am Week Now Underway In MSC

The seventh annual Pan American Week began Sunday in the Memorial Student Center with exhibits, traditional music of the Pan American countries, special food events, and a series of programs planned through Saturday night. During the week, flags of the 20 countries in the Organization of American States will be flying over the main entrance to the MSC; inside, the building is featuring original decorations in connection with the Pan American theme, and appropriate music is being played and piped throughout the Center.

One of the main decorations is an "OAS mobile" hanging in the main stairwell of the MSC. Designed to represent the member nations of the Organization of American States in their actual geographic positions, it also illustrates

Wednesday: "Operation OAS," Assembly Room of the MSC, 8 p.m.

Thursday: Colombian coffee in MSC Cafeteria, to be served free 9:30-10:30 a.m. and 2:30-4:30 p.m. Also "Villa," Cinemascope color movie, Assembly Room at 2:30 and 4 p.m.

Friday: Latin American Smorgasbord, MSC Dining Room from 5:30-8 p.m. Also Pan American Week main speaker, Dr. C. M. Tiller, Dean of Engineering at the University of Houston.

Saturday: Third Southwestern Interscholastic Soccer Tournament on the soccer field at 1:30 p.m. Also Cafe Tropical, MSC Lower Level at 8 p.m.

es the natural geographical unity of the countries of the hemisphere.

It was designed and constructed by J. H. Hinojosa, Larry Raba, Antonio deRos and Jorge Inchauste, members of the Pan Am Week Publicity Committee.

Wednesday and Thursday mornings at 9 and 10 a.m., the following films will be shown in the MSC Fountain Room: "Central America and Mexico;" "Continent of Continents;" and "Journey Into Springtime," (all about South America).

Wednesday night at 8 p.m. a program entitled "Operation OAS" will be presented in the MSC Ballroom. Speakers will be Carlos Diaz, agricultural engineering ma-

yor from Peru, speaking on, "What is my role in Latin American Affairs?" Edward J. Fay, director of the World Trade Center, talking on, "What is the role of the United States in Latin America?" and R. D. Thompson, assistant pro-

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### Wire Wrap-Up

**By The Associated Press**  
**World News**

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y.—By a vote of 10-0 the U. N. Security Council Monday censured Israel for a night attack last month on a Syrian outpost overlooking the Sea of Galilee.

Only France abstained as the 11-nation council approved a resolution submitted by the United States and Britain reaffirming a six-year-old directive condemning Israel for resorting to military retaliation against her Arab neighbors.

GENEVA—The United States challenged the Soviet Union Monday to agree that governments should restrain their language on international issues and inform their own people accurately about world problems.

U. S. Delegate Arthur H. Dean also called upon Moscow at the 17-nation disarmament conference to outlaw publications which dwell on the theory that war between the two great blocs, communism and capitalism, is inevitable.

WASHINGTON—The White House said Monday President Kennedy and British Prime Minister Macmillan are weighing an urgent new plea to Russian Premier Khrushchev in an effort to stave off resumption of atmospheric nuclear tests.

Assistant White House press secretary Andrew T. Hatcher told newsmen reports to this effect originating in London are true. Hatcher announced he will hold a news briefing at 9:20 a. m. EST, Tuesday, presumably to elaborate on his terse statement Monday.

**Texas News**  
HUNTSVILLE—Guards used tear gas Monday to quell 31 inmates who refused to return to their cells in the segregation unit of the state prison here. Warden Thomas C. Sanders said the men remained in the corridor of the cell block after a recreation period in the unit's exercise yard. When they were ordered to go to their cells they began throwing shoes through plate glass windows and creating a disturbance.

### Three Winners To Be Chosen

Three positions will be decided and a list of 83 candidates will be reduced to 30 in Wednesday's annual spring class elections in the Memorial Student Center.

One of the largest numbers of voters in recent years is expected to cast ballots in the all-day primary voting. Voting machines will be open from 8 a. m. until 5:30 p. m. in the MSC between the bowling alley and coffee shop.

Only one winner is assured in the voting—Jim T. Davis Jr. as class agent of the Class of '62. Davis was the only person filing for the lone senior class vacancy.

Other contests to be decided Wednesday are Class of '63 student entertainment manager and MSC Council member.

Charles Randel Jones and George A. Wiederanders have filed for student entertainment manager, while James Ward Carter and Jerry Don Morgan are in the race for MSC Council member. Other hopefuls, by class, are:

**Class of '63**  
President: Charles Louis Blaschke, James Howard Davis, John F. Prickett, Tony M. Thomas and Jimmie R. Youngblood.

Vice president: Gary L. Blaser, Joe Ronald Bower, Gerald Monroe Brown, James Ward Carter, William Dudley Griggs, James W. Malthy, Eugene P. Miller, Charles Lee Nichols and Allan Richard Sassan.

Senior yell leader (two to be elected): Robert E. Armstrong, William H. Brashears, Tom K. Nelson and Michael Wayne Thurman.

Secretary-treasurer: Charles E. Frith, James Bryant Scott and Dale Lewis Sisor.

Social secretary: Robert R. Rice, Arthur Reginald Richardson and Harry Louis Zimmerman.

**Class of '64**  
President: James Lee Boyd, Paul A. Dresser, Charles H. Elliott, Michael L. Lutich, George W. Reynolds, Victor H. Thompson, Abelardo Lopez Valdez and Byron T. Wehner.

Vice president: John D. Agenend, Silas Edwin (Eddie) Duncan, James A. Noake and Leigh J. Soper.

Secretary-treasurer: Gordon Elliott Davis, Charles Graham, Donnie Rudd and Terry C. Trahan.

Junior yell leader (two to be elected): Mike C. Dodge, Joe Edward Glauer, Richard P. Jeffrey Jr., David Forest Lyons, Michael McLernon Marlow, Jerry Par-

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### Scott Review Reveals Night Of Enjoyment

**By TOMMY HOLBEIN**  
Battalion Managing Editor  
Henry Scott is no ham! Instead, the pianist presents a blend of music and comedy that guarantees an enjoyable evening for all who see him tonight in Guion Hall.

From the first few moments Scott was on stage Monday night, he was getting chuckles from the audience. As the show progressed, these chuckles became guffaws, and occasionally spasms of laughter poured from the almost all-Aggie audience.

His program was a mixture of humorous numbers on the piano, (for example the treble part with an orange — or grapefruit) and fine classical numbers which illustrated the true artistry of the man.

Scott also offered several pantomimes — which seldom go over as humor anymore, unless they are really top-notch. His drew what might be considered more than favorable response.

Three show wasn't an enduring one; time didn't rush by, it calmly floated. Scott's brand of entertainment is a relaxing tonic of high-quality music, and equal humor.

Scott's last performance will be in Guion at 8 p.m.; it's worth the walk over there.