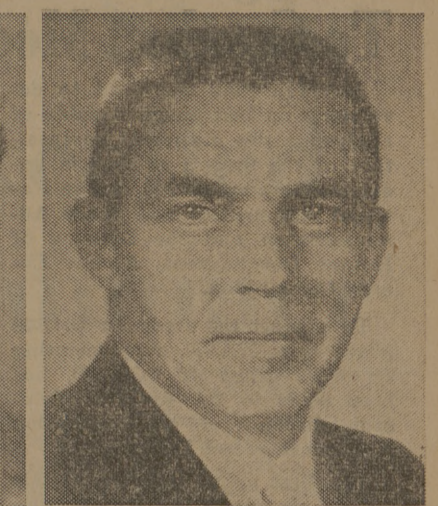
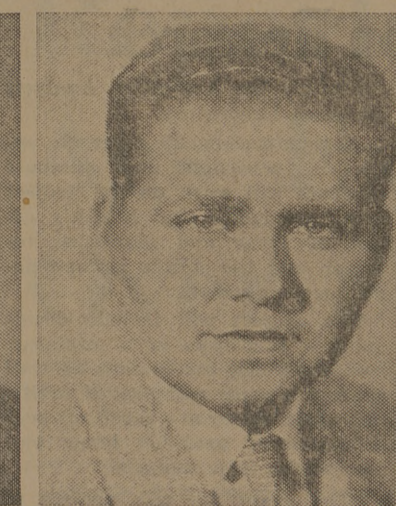
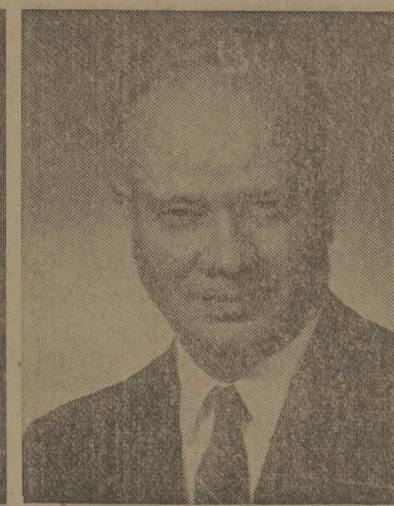
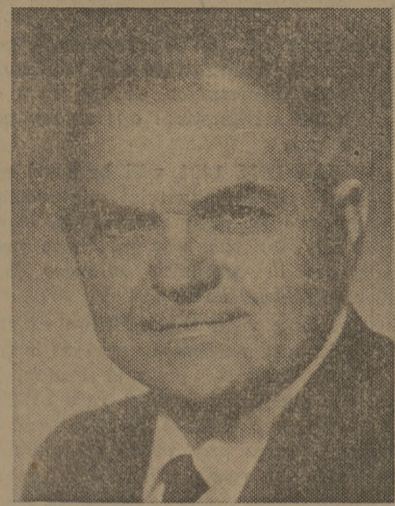
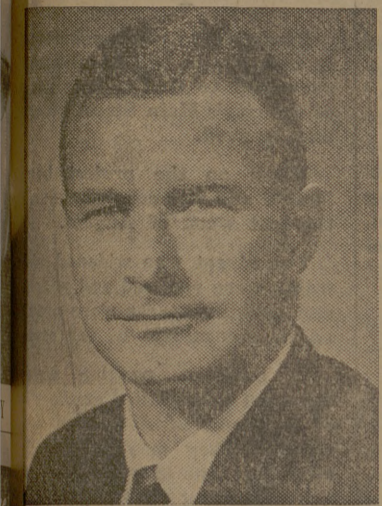


...All Appointed To Their Positions During Summer



CLARK C. MUNROE

WALTER H. PARSONS JR.

COL. JAMES F. STARKEY

DR. CHARLES F. SQUIRE

DR. A. D. SUTTLE JR.

DR. R. E. WAINERDI

DR. FRANK C. WHITMORE

...Starkey

Air Force Col. James F. Starkey has arrived to assume the position of Professor of Air Science. He will be responsible for the Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps program.

Starkey, a veteran of 25 years, comes from Air Force Headquarters in Washington, where he served as chief of the Mission Analysis Division of the Directorate of Status Analysis.

He succeeds Col. Charles E. Gregory, who retired from the Air Force and service at A&M June 30.

Starkey entered the Air Force in 1937 as a flying cadet and received his wings and commission at Kelly Field in October, 1938. His service career includes World War II bomber operations, service in several of the atomic tests during the 1950s, assignment to the Air Force's Cambridge Research Center and the service in Washington.

He attended the British Army Staff College after World War II, and in August of 1948 joined the 55th Strategic Reconnaissance Group to command the 7th Geodetic Squadron.

...Parsons

Walter H. Parsons Jr., just retired as a colonel in the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, has returned to his alma mater to assume the post of superintendent of buildings and college utilities.

He graduated from A & M in 1930 with a Bachelor of Science

degree in architectural (structural) engineering.

The Parsons family has moved to the Bryan-College Station area from El Paso, where he served as the Center Engineer of the vast Army Air Defense Center.

This area is familiar to Parsons in 1948-51 he served as Assistant Professor of Military Science and Tactics and was the senior officer of the Corps of Engineers. Also, three of their five sons have attended the college.

Parsons will carry the immediate responsibility of superintending the buildings and college utilities aspects of the physical plant program.

Parsons' background in the oil industry was put to use in 1943-44 in one of his assignments. He organized and directed construction of an oil refinery and approximately 1,000 miles of pipelines and pump stations in the Yukon Territory, Canada, and then organized and directed the operation of an even larger oil operation in the Northwest Territory of Canada.

He served with the Seventh U.S. Army in Germany in 1951-54, following his assignment here.

...Squire

Dr. Charles F. Squire, noted contributor to research in low-temperature physics, has been appointed associate dean of the School of Arts and Sciences.

The former research director for Hamilton Standard Division of United Aircraft Corp. assumed his new post Sept. 1.

"Squire's particular assignment as associate dean will be in the field of research and development in the physical sciences," Dean Frank W. R. Hubert said. "He will also serve as a professor of physics."

Hubert said Squire will represent the School of Arts and Sciences in working with other administrative officers in encouraging and stimulating the research program in the physical sciences.

Dr. G. W. Schlesselman will continue as associate dean of Arts and Sciences for student academic programs.

Squire earned his Ph.D. degree in chemical physics at Johns Hopkins University in 1937 and was a post-doctoral fellow at the University of Paris in 1937-38.

Before joining the United Aircraft Corp. in 1960, he was a professor of physics at Rice University from 1947 to 1960.

His principal fields of teaching in physics have been graduate studies in low temperature physics, statistical mechanics and thermodynamics, optics, vibration and sound and spectroscopy.

...Suttle

Dr. Andrew D. Suttle Jr., former director of the Mississippi Industrial and Technological Research Commission, has been named vice president for research here.

Suttle's principal areas of research interests include the application of the techniques of radio chemistry to refining problems

and the initiation and development of a broad program in radiation chemistry. He also has worked on the application of nuclear reactors for chemical processing.

He is considered an authority on certain phases of underground nuclear detonations. Most recently his interest has been in the application of prompt nuclear devices as sources of energy for various purposes.

A native of West Point, Miss., the 36-year-old research scientist was graduated with highest honors from Mississippi State University in 1944.

From 1949 to 1952 he studied at the University of Chicago under an Atomic Energy Commission fellowship.

Suttle's doctoral dissertation was directed by Dr. W. F. Libby, Noble Prize winning physicist and a member of the AEC, and Prof. Maria G. Mayer.

His dissertation was titled "Routine Method of Beta Assay and Beta Decay Systematics of the Long-Lived Natural Beta Emitters."

The author of four scientific articles, Suttle is the inventor or co-inventor of approximately 22 patents or patent applications in the United States and Britain.

...Wainerdi

Dr. Richard E. Wainerdi has been named associate dean of engineering, Fred J. Benson, dean of engineering, has announced.

Wainerdi, who has been assistant to the engineering dean since 1959, succeeds Charles Crawford

who retired as associate dean Aug. 31 to devote his efforts teaching mechanical engineering. Crawford has been on the A&M faculty since 1919.

Benson said Wainerdi will also continue as head of the Activation Analysis Research Laboratory, a facility of the Texas Engineering Experiment Station.

Wainerdi came to A&M in 1957 as an associate professor of nuclear and petroleum engineering.

Previously he was co-ordinator of nuclear activities for Dresser Industries, Dallas. Last year he was named professor of engineering science.

A native of New York City, he was graduated in 1952 from the University of Oklahoma, receiving a B.S. degree in petroleum engineering.

He earned his M.S. degree in

engineering from Pennsylvania State University in 1955 and his Ph.D. from Penn State in 1958.

He was one of a few graduate students selected in 1954 to attend the radioisotope handling course at the Oak Ridge Institute of Nuclear Studies. The following year he attended the Oak Ridge School of Reactor Technology.

...Whitmore

Dr. Frank C. Whitmore has been named coordinator for National Aeronautics and Space Administration Affairs and Programs here, President Earl Rudder has announced.

Whitmore, a research physicist, has returned to A&M from Pasadena, Calif., where he was associated with the physics division of the Jet Propulsion Laboratory,

California Institute of Technology. He formerly was on the physics faculty.

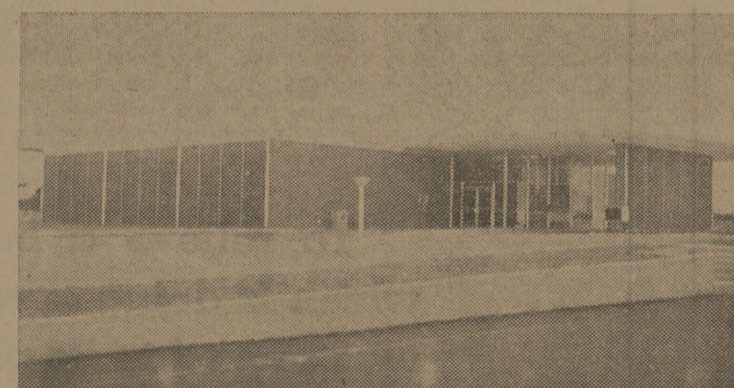
Chief purpose of the new post is to assist in setting up academic and research programs helpful to the needs of NASA, Rudder said. The NASA Coordinator's Office will be administered under the Texas Engineering Experiment Station.

"His duties will include assisting members of the faculty and staff in any way possible to explore areas of interest to NASA leading to research proposals and projects," Rudder added.

A native of Baltimore, Md., Whitmore has an A.B. degree from Gettysburg College and an M.S. degree in physics at the University of Delaware. He came to A&M in 1951 and received his doctorate in physics here in 1960.

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