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Aggie Trackster Dies In Houston

Encephalitis Claims Bobby Gilbreath

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HOUSTON—Aggie hurdler Bobby Gilbreath died at 10:45 this morning in Hermann Hospital.

His mother, Mrs. T. E. Gilbreath of Iowa Park, was with him. He was being treated for encephalitis.

Gilbreath, 20, held the fastest freshman time in the nation last year in the 400-meter low hurdles. He won eight gold medals in state high school track and field events as a student at Iowa Park High School.

The six-foot trackster became ill last Friday. He was first taken to the college hospital then transferred to Bryan's St. Joseph Hospital.

HE WAS moved to Houston Monday after a tentative diagnosis of encephalitis was made. The disease, sometimes called sleeping sickness, was described by Dr. Charles R. Lyons, college hospital director, as "an infection on the surface of the brain."

Dr. Lyons said such a condition could be caused by many things since there are many varieties of the disease. He said such an isolated case as Gilbreath's was not contagious. The physician added: "This type of thing can follow the flu, mumps or a number of other illnesses."

"Trying to define encephalitis is like trying to describe the A&M campus in 10 words."

DR. LYONS said there was no treatment for the malady.

Gilbreath's coach, Charlie Thomas, said:

"He was an extremely hard worker, a good student and a fine leader. And, he had a lot of natural ability. We will miss him both as a person and as a teammate."

Thomas said Gilbreath had promise of being one of the nation's outstanding hurdlers.

He made his record run last year at the Meet of Champions in Houston. He took the 400-meter low hurdles with a 54.2 to claim the national record.

AT IOWA Park he was a state meet star with 19.1 low hurdles and 22 feet eight inches broad jump in 1961. Also in 1961 he won the state 180-yard low hurdles and anchored the mile relay. In 1960 he led the Iowa Park team to a Class A state championship.

Majoring in entomology, Gilbreath was a member of Company H-3 and lived in Hart Hall.

In addition to the hurdles, Gilbreath was a member of the Cadet cross country team.



BOBBY GILBREATH

Funeral Rites Slated Friday For Baugh

Funeral services are scheduled Friday for Orville L. Baugh, A&M mathematics professor, who died Wednesday morning after a heart attack. He was 46 years old and had served at A&M since 1956.

Survivors include his wife, Sarah, who teaches in the A&M Consolidated Junior High School; his father, V. I. Baugh of Houston, a brother, Verner S. Baugh, Clarendo, Iowa; and a half brother, Lester Baugh, who is in the U. S. Army.

Services are set for 2 p.m. Friday at the Memorial Funeral Chapel in Bryan, with the Rev. Byron L. Lovelady, pastor of the A&M Methodist Church, officiating. Interment will be in the College Station Cemetery.

Baugh became ill shortly before he was to teach a class Wednesday, and was rushed to a local clinic by ambulance. He died about 10:30 a.m.

Baugh was born at Wizard Wells in Jack County. He resided at 500 Park Place Blvd. in College Station.

Today's Thought

If man does find the solution for world peace, it will be the most revolutionary reversal of his record we have ever known. —George C. Marshall

Wire Review

By The Associated Press
WORLD NEWS

PARIS — President Charles de Gaulle has called the results of Sunday's referendum satisfactory — clearly showing that he has no present intention of quitting.

During the referendum campaign, de Gaulle pleaded for a big "yes" vote for his proposal to elect his successors by universal suffrage. He said he could not carry on if the results were "weak, mediocre, or doubtful."

NEW DELHI, India — Prime Minister Nehru, facing up to charges that V. K. Krishna Menon has bungled India's preparedness, ousted him as defense minister Wednesday night.

Nehru himself, almost 73, took over the key post with its urgent responsibility of staving off Red China's attacks on India's northern borders.

U. S. NEWS
WASHINGTON — The White House announced Wednesday night the naval arms quarantine of Cuba

will be resumed at daybreak Thursday. Air surveillance of the Russian missile sites in Cuba also will begin again.

The decision was reached Wednesday night by President Kennedy after a conference with his top advisers and after the departure of United Nations Acting Secretary-General U Thant from an attempt to arrange U. N. verification of the dismantling of the bases. The attempt apparently was not successful.

TEXAS NEWS
TYLER, Tex. — The appearance of Ruel W. Alexander, a onetime associate of Billie Sol Estes, as a witness in Estes' theft and swindling trial set off a storm of arguments between attorneys Wednesday.

Alexander pleaded guilty to federal fraud indictments in a case in which he was charged along with Estes. He faces a 6-year prison sentence.

Estes pleaded innocent in that case and is yet to be tried.

Donations Mount As Deadline Nears For Campus Chest

Squadron 1 became the first of the corps units or civilian dormitories to meet its goal of a 100 per cent contribution to the 1962 Campus Chest Wednesday.

The First Wing Staff and the Fifth Battle Group Staff, who also made 100 per cent contributions Wednesday, are helping to set the pace for the A&M emergency assistance fund which has a goal of \$8,000 for its week-long campaign.

Yesterday's three contributions brought the number of 100 per cent organizations to seven. Each member of the First Brigade Staff, the Second Brigade Staff, the First Battle Group Staff and the Civilian Student Council has also donated a dollar or more to the fund.

"If each group does as well as they did, we'll meet our goal," said Ken Stanton, chairman of the Student Senate Welfare Committee.

Sheldon Best, commanding officer of the 85-man Squadron 1, said the group's Campus Chest donation was supplemented by using squadron funds. This was done to give the squadron members more time to make their donations. As more money is received, he said, the fund will be reimbursed.

Best, also president of the student body, said, "The squadron felt a desire to start the pace and set an example. By contributing 100 per cent, we feel we have done this."

Commending Stanton, Best said, "The organization is being handled better than it was last year. There has been a lot of interest

shown on campus. I have been approached personally with questions about the drive."

Tomorrow, the last day of the drive, will reveal whether or not last year's results will have been exceeded, Stanton said. By talking to first sergeants, he concluded, "Almost everyone had started or at least would have started their drive by Wednesday night."

SS Sweetheart Selection Study To Be Debated

Aspects of the selection of the Aggie Sweetheart will be discussed at the Thursday night meeting of the Student Senate at 7:30 in Room 3-D of the Memorial Student Center.

Selection of the sweetheart has been under study by the student life committee of the senate. The study came about as the result of a meeting Oct. 20 between A&M and Texas Woman's University representatives.

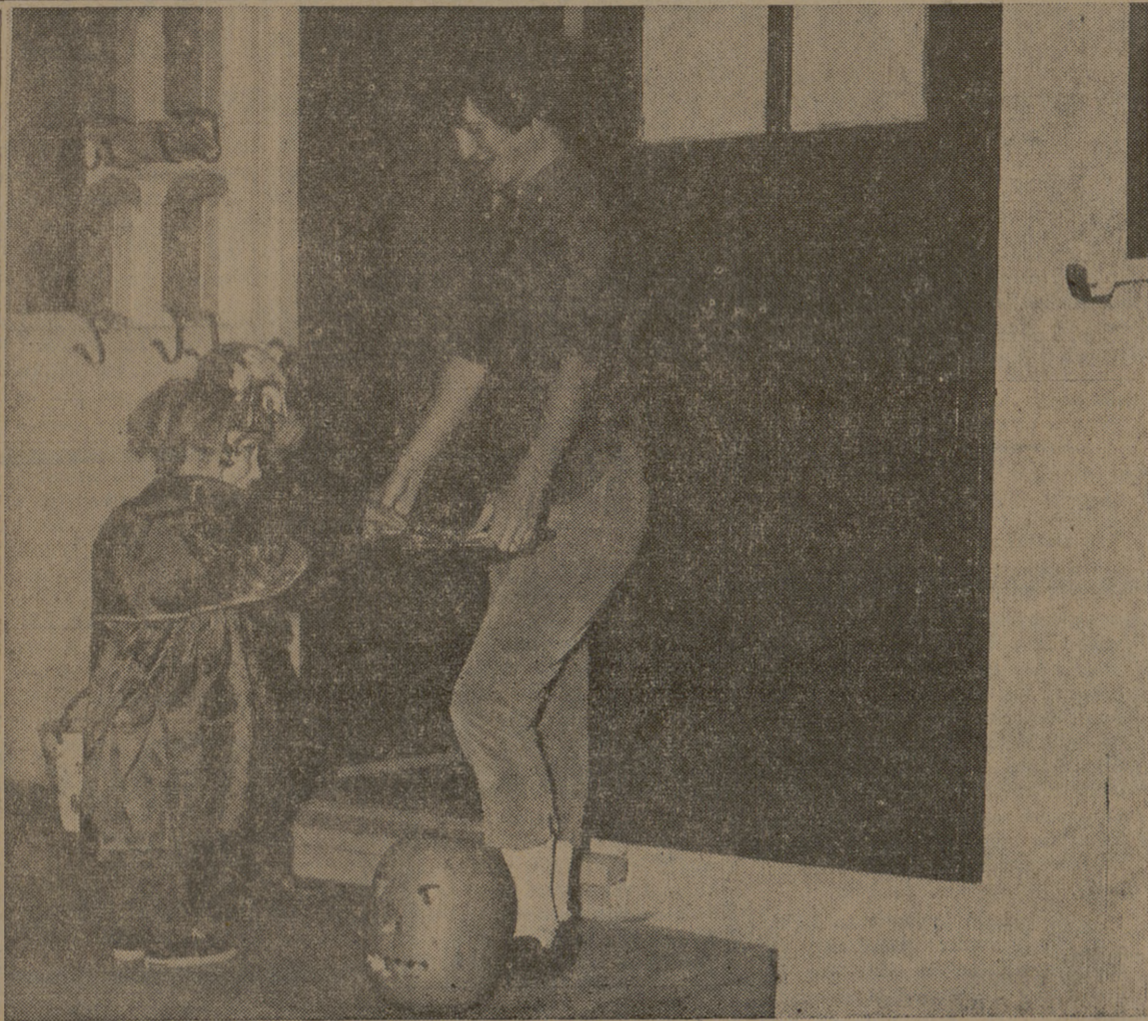
The joint meeting followed student polls at both schools that revealed general dissatisfaction with the present selection method.

A survey of criteria to be used at TWU to select semifinalists and the formation of a selection team of A&M students to select finalists has been conducted by the student welfare committee, headed by Jerry Vion.

TWU students select their own semifinalists, but have never had an established criteria from A&M to use in the selection. The past three years a group of Memorial Student Center staff members has named the finalists.

Also on the agenda for the meeting is a talk by Paul Daly, Peace Corps representative who will be on campus through next Tuesday. Daly, an animal husbandry graduate of the University of Florida, is currently on loan to the Peace Corps from the Agency for International Development.

Amendments to the Senate constitution and conduct at midnight yeil practice are also slated for discussion at the session.



'Trick or Treat'

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OVER ONE MILLION

Record Vote Predicted For Governor's Race

By The Associated Press
A record general election vote was predicted Wednesday as the Democratic and Republican nominees for governor sprinted into the final lap.

Robert L. Johnson, head of the Texas Election Bureau, estimated the Nov. 6 vote will be more than one million. If that figure is reached it will be the largest off-year poll in Texas history. The highest total vote for gubernatorial races in non-presidential election years was in 1958, when 789,865 ballots were cast.

JOHNSON SAID the record vote probably would be reached Tuesday because of the hot contest between Republican Jack Cox and

Democrat John Connally. Cox spoke to a Junior Chamber of Commerce luncheon in Dallas Wednesday then moved on to Lubbock and Amarillo. Connally was in Galveston and Houston.

"I am for development of the Trinity River Canal," Cox told the Dallas group. "If you want me to write it out in big, bold letters, I will . . . I want what is best for Texas. If this is what is best, I will stand behind the project."

THE GOP CANDIDATE said the opportunity for new growth, new industry, new income and new political freedom is closer now than at any time before. Don't miss this chance," Cox said.

In Galveston, Connally said that

Republican claims of election irregularities are part of the tactics being used by the GOP to cover its own actions.

Connally referred to warnings by Republicans of possible ballot stuffing in Fort Worth.

HE SAID THERE are two instances of what he called election law violations in Tarrant County by the Republicans. He said the GOP failed to hold a primary in 29 of Tarrant County's 151 precincts and thus disfranchised more people than voted for Cox in the county primary. He also said the name of a Republican candidate for county commissioner in one precinct was on the ballot in the entire county in violation of the law.

"They talk a good game, but they won't even abide by the laws we have," Connally said.

In response to questions at a news conference Connally said he would think seriously about advocating moving the party primaries back closer to the general election, possibly even to August and September. Presently primaries are in May and June.

Polio Oral Vaccine Offered Students, Local Residents

Students and College Station residents will be offered Type II Sabin oral polio vaccine on campus Sunday from 1 to 5 p.m.

Dr. Charles R. Lyons, director of the college hospital, said the immunization clinic would be set up in the lobby of G. Rollie White Coliseum. He said:

"Everyone is invited to take the vaccine — students, faculty, their wives and children or anyone else."

Dr. Lyons said the vaccine would be placed on sugar cubes in the normal manner. He said college hospital staff doctors and nurses would man the clinic. He added:

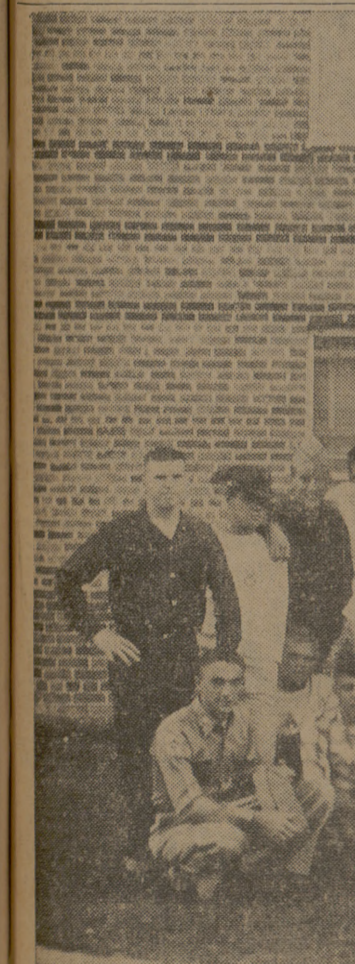
"There will be no waiting. We will be running four separate lines, and at that rate we could give the vaccine to the entire student body in one hour."

Car-Wash Planned By Council Friday

The Arts and Sciences Council is sponsoring a car-wash Friday from 1-6 p.m. at W. T. Franklin's Sinclair service station on Highway 6.

Three cars will be washed simultaneously for \$1 per car. Council members hope to wash one car per 15-20 minutes.

Funds will go for scholarships and awards to arts and sciences students and professors. The council will attempt to raise \$1,300 during the year, with other fundraising projects to follow.



'Animal 8' Gets First Log

Squadron 8 sophomores secured the first log for the bonfire at 1:30 a. m. Wednesday. The log, shown above measures approximately 25 feet in length. It was hauled

from Welborn and placed in front of Dorm 8. It was later removed to the stacking area.