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## High School Seniors Due For Annual Career Day

### Tours, Assemblies Mark Career Day

Following is the schedule of events for High School Career Day, Friday and Saturday:

**Friday**  
2:10 p.m. — Registration, Memorial Student Center

**Saturday**  
7:30-9:45 a.m. — Registration, Memorial Student Center  
9:45-10:15 a.m. — President Earl Rudder addresses students in general assembly.  
10:15 a.m.-noon — Groups arranged according to academic field of interest. Programs presented by deans of various schools  
Noon — Lunch in Sbis and Duncan Dining Halls  
1-4 p.m. — Tours of respective schools, directed by students  
4:30-5 p.m. — Demonstration of closed circuit television at Veterinary Hospital, for pre-veterinary students

### Schools Conduct Special Sessions

High School Career Day officially begins at 9:45 Saturday morning when President Earl Rudder addresses the guest students in Guion Hall.

About 1,000 high school seniors are expected to invade the campus Friday and Saturday to survey A&M's facilities and get acquainted with the college.

Today's registration for the annual event began at 2 p. m. and will be concluded Saturday morning from 7:30-9:45. After Saturday's opening assembly, students will move to their respective schools for the rest of the morning's activities.

**STUDENTS INTERESTED** in the School of Agriculture will meet in the Animal Industries Lecture Room, from where they will be given a tour of the A&M farms system.

Arts and Sciences students are scheduled to meet with Dean W. R. Hubert in the Chemistry Lecture Room. Hubert will speak to the seniors on the importance of the College Entrance Examination Board test scores and will explain the results to them.

Prospective engineering students will remain in Guion Hall where they will be divided into groups to visit the school of Engineering's Career Day exhibits.

**THE SCHOOL OF** Veterinary Medicine will hold a short orientation program in the Biology Lecture Room, after which freshman and sophomore pre-veterinary students will conduct a campus tour.

Capt. Bennett M. Dodson will meet with students interested in the Texas Maritime Academy in Room 210, YMCA Building. A student guide will direct the high schoolers from Guion Hall to Capt. Dodson's office.

Members of the various school councils will take the seniors to lunch in the dining halls. Meals will be served to the visitors at cost.

Following the noon meal visitors will tour the various departments of their schools.

**THE SCHOOL OF** Veterinary Medicine will demonstrate its closed circuit television at 4:30 p.m. after departmental tours are held.

Junior college students met Friday with the associate deans of their fields of interest. Informal sessions are scheduled Friday night by the various schools for the junior college visitors.

Guest students will be housed in both corps and civilian dormitories and can get room assignments at the MSC when they register.

High School Career Day is held each year to acquaint college prospects with the campus and facilities and to promote a general interest in the higher education among high school seniors.

### Rathbone Charms Audience During First Performance

BY GERRY BROWN  
Associate Editor

Paul Rathbone, one of the most well-known actors of the stage and screen, captivated the audience as he heard and viewed his dramatic presentation of poetry and prose Thursday night in Guion Hall.

Opening his performance with a brief discussion of his acting career, Rathbone related a few of his humorous experiences both on and off stage.

"I look back with an affectionate nostalgia," he stated in referring to his long-time portrayal of Sherlock Holmes. Rathbone played the role of the famous detective in a total of 23 pictures.

**THE ACTOR BEGAN** his poetry presentation by defining a poem as a "fragment of experience" and a poet as "neglected men of letters." Rathbone borrowed a poem from the pen of Edgar Allen Poe, "Annabel Lee," to use as his first selection of the evening.

Rathbone will give a repeat performance Friday night at 8 in Guion Hall.

Changing to a lighter vein, he next presented one of the poems of A. E. Housman, which illustrates a young man who has come to a realization of the shortness of life. A poem by John McGee and one written by Robert Browning are also included in the Rathbone's repertoire.

**CONCLUDING THE** poetry portion of his program, Rathbone tells a story in poetry which he entitles "An Adventure In Love." The main character of the story, a man who has discovered what women like to hear, woos his wife with a poem by Shelley and has a poem suitable for each highpoint in his life of wedded bliss.

The second half of Rathbone's performance is taken up with his interpretation of several scenes from the plays of Shakespeare.

The actor refers to Shakespeare as "a man who has meant more to me than any other in my life," and expresses his dissatisfaction with many of the modern views of the plays of Shakespeare.

**HAMLET WAS** not a young man who was in love with his mother as many Freudian-oriented critics have tried to point out, Rathbone stated. Instead, he should be pictured as young man devoted to both his father and mother and shocked by his mother's actions, the actor continued.

Included in his dramatic presentation of the works of Shakespeare was the three soliloquies made by Hamlet, the speech made by MacBeth before he murders King Duncan and the speech made by Romeo at the tomb of Juliet.

### MOD Chapter Adopts Plan To Assist Medical Students

A proposal to sponsor March of Dimes Health Career Awards for college students was adopted by the members present at the Thursday night meeting of the Brazos County Chapter of the National Foundation of March of Dimes.

The award, if approved by the chapter, will be given to a college student who is studying medicine. The award plan is set up on different levels, one being given to a high school senior who is planning to go into a health career. The other level is for a college student who is established and who has proved himself.

**ON THE COLLEGE** level the student must be accepted into medical school.

Dr. Horace Bass was appointed to serve as chairman of a committee to study the proposal and to determine how many awards to give, the amount of the award and who will be eligible to receive the

### Brown To Address High School Grads

Reagan E. Brown will speak Saturday at the A&M Consolidated senior class supper at the A&M Methodist Church.

**THE EXTENSION SERVICE** rural sociologist's speech before the graduating seniors from the local high school is entitled "Building Better Communities."

### Soph Ball Finalists Chosen; Fete Set For Saturday Eve

Five Sophomore Sweetheart finalists have been selected from 20 entries and will be presented at the annual Sophomore Ball Saturday at 9 p.m. in Sbis Hall.

The sweetheart will be selected by votes from the expected 350 couples attending the dance. Each couple will have one vote.

**FINALISTS ARE** Paula Ann Moore of Groves, escorted by Russell Richard;

Carolyn Rowe of Austin, escorted by David Fox;

Gayla Lorraine Schwarting of Bellaire, escorted by Leonard Barkner;

Linda Wheeler of Pueblo, Colo., escorted by Francis Callahan; and

Sharron Ann Sibley of Austin, escorted by Marion Pugh.

Theme for the ball will be "A Summer Nite," with Russell Jackson's seven-piece combo from Houston furnishing dance music. Jackson has played for several dances at A&M and is known for his versatility in music selections. He can play all types of dance music and plays according to what dancers enjoy.

**DECORATION PLANS** were created by James Love, Mike Callaway and Cecil Bourne, with members of the Class of '65 decorating the dining hall.

Tickets are on sale at the cashier's desk of the Memorial Student Center for \$3.50 a couple. They go off sale Friday at 4 p.m. but will be available at the door Saturday night.

**HONOR GUESTS** will include Chancellor and Mrs. M. T. Harrington, President and Mrs. Earl Rudder, Dean and Mrs. W. J. Graff, Dean and Mrs. J. P. Hannigan, Dean and Mrs. W. C. Hall, Dean and Mrs. R. E. Patterson,

Dean and Mrs. F. W. R. Hubert, Dean and Mrs. F. J. Benson, Dean and Mrs. A. A. Price, Dean and Mrs. C. H. Ransdell, Col. and Mrs. J. E. Davis, Col. and Mrs. F. L. Elder, Col. and Mrs. J. F. Starkey, Col. and Mrs. F. E. Vaden, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Butler,

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Breazeale, Dr. and Mrs. H. O. Kunkel and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Foldberg.

### Pickets Greet U. S. Secretary In Houston

**HOUSTON (AP)** — A group of men, women and children carrying signs protesting disarmament picketed Defense Secretary Robert S. McNamara Thursday night as he arrived for the second phase of his first hand comparison of Project Gemini with the Air Force's Dyna-Soar glider.

McNamara gave no indication of noticing the placards, however, as he stepped quickly from the Air Force jet plane to an automobile that sped him to a Gemini briefing at the Manned Spacecraft center headquarters.

The placards read "Scrap RS-70???", "We want the truth," "Disarm Your Russian Pals—Not U.S.," "Shoot Down Red Bears—Not American Dyna-Soars," and "Thumbs Down for McNamara."

**McNAMARA AND** his aides received a 3½ hour progress report on Dyna-Soar Thursday morning at the Boeing Co. in Seattle.

Dr. Robert R. Gilruth, director, escorted McNamara from the international airport to the space center and was assisted by top aides at the astronaut training center in the presentation of the report on Gemini, the middle phase of the nation's long-range program to place men on the moon.

The pickets declined to identify themselves but said they did not represent any specific group or organization.



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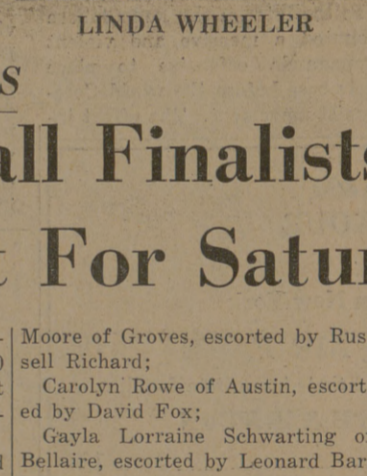
CAROLYN ROWE



SHARRON ANN SIBLEY



LINDA WHEELER



PAULA ANN MOORE

### CSC Told Civilian Intramurals Weak

Intramural manager Charles E. McCandless spoke to the Civilian Student Council Thursday night about civilian participation in intramural athletics and opposed combining corps and civilian leagues in order to establish campus-wide championships.

"Civilians are tremendously important in our program, but they are the weakest part," said McCandless, who was a civilian student at A&M before he graduated in 1956, and then later became an assistant professor in the Department of Health and Physical Education.

He pointed out that the intramural program is now divided into three leagues — corps freshman, corps upperclassmen and civilian.

**"FORFEITS ARE** our biggest problem in intramurals. If a team doesn't show up for its scheduled game, the opponent's initiative is destroyed," McCandless said, urging more participation from civilians.

He did not favor establishing campus-wide championships in intramurals, since "the civilian teams would not be represented on an equal basis with the corps."

McCandless said that in many cases civilian teams in various sports become champions after playing only four or five opponents while corps teams usually compete with many more opponents before becoming champions.

**McCandless SAID** he was in favor of using any idea that would help the intramural program, and that he would support a league combining corps upperclassmen and civilians if civilians "meet their responsibilities."

The intramural director quoted figures for civilian intramurals which showed wide participation by a few dormitories, especially Mitchell and Puryear.

He said that their success in the intramural program can be attributed to dormitory athletic officers who delegate their authority.

### Wire Review

WORLD NEWS

**DAMASCUS, Syria** — The new commander of Syria's army departed Thursday "the movement of the unification of the United Arab Republic, Syria and Iraq is under way."

Informal sources said an agreement in principle had been reached by a three-member Federal Arab Republic. Delegations from the revolutionary regimes of Syria and Iraq were in Cairo for talks with President Gamal Abdel Nasser of the United Arab Republic.

Gen. Luway Atassi told the press in a broadcast the movement will "expand until it becomes the great Arab Socialist state and it becomes one of the great powers of this earth."

U. S. NEWS

**WASHINGTON** — Sen. Winthrop L. Prouty, R-Vt., used traffic taxes and a lawsuit Thursday in an effort to challenge the success of Franklin D. Roosevelt to be undersecretary of commerce.

But the Republican's proposed grilling of Roosevelt was challenged, in turn, as a "fishing expedition" as the Senate Commerce Committee concluded three days of the hearings on the nomination of the late president's son.

Sen. John O. Pastore, D-R.I., opposed that term to Prouty's charges, adding "we have been frustrated and now are going

far afield" in efforts to raise objections.

**TEXAS NEWS**  
**AUSTIN** — A House member asked Thursday for an investigation into why Texas Education Agency officials allowed the federal government to supplement agency salaries.

Rep. Terry Townsend of Brady said the deputy commissioner, Warren Hitt, and several assistant commissioners had their salaries supplemented by \$14,800 in federal funds.

Townsend said, during debate Wednesday on a \$3.1 billion appropriations bill, that the legislature designated Hitt's salary at \$12,600, and he received \$15,000 with the federal supplement.

The assistant commissioners were given \$11,000 by the legislature, but received \$13,500, Townsend said.

**AUSTIN** — The House approved Thursday and sent to the Senate a bill for creation of a state agency to convince tourists they should come to Texas.

The agency would be governed by a six-man advisory board, appointed by the governor. An administrator, also named by the governor, would handle its everyday work.

The bill provides no appropriation for the agency, but if passed by the Senate, money would probably be appropriated in compromise appropriations measures.

An amendment to delay consideration until April 18 lost on a voice vote.