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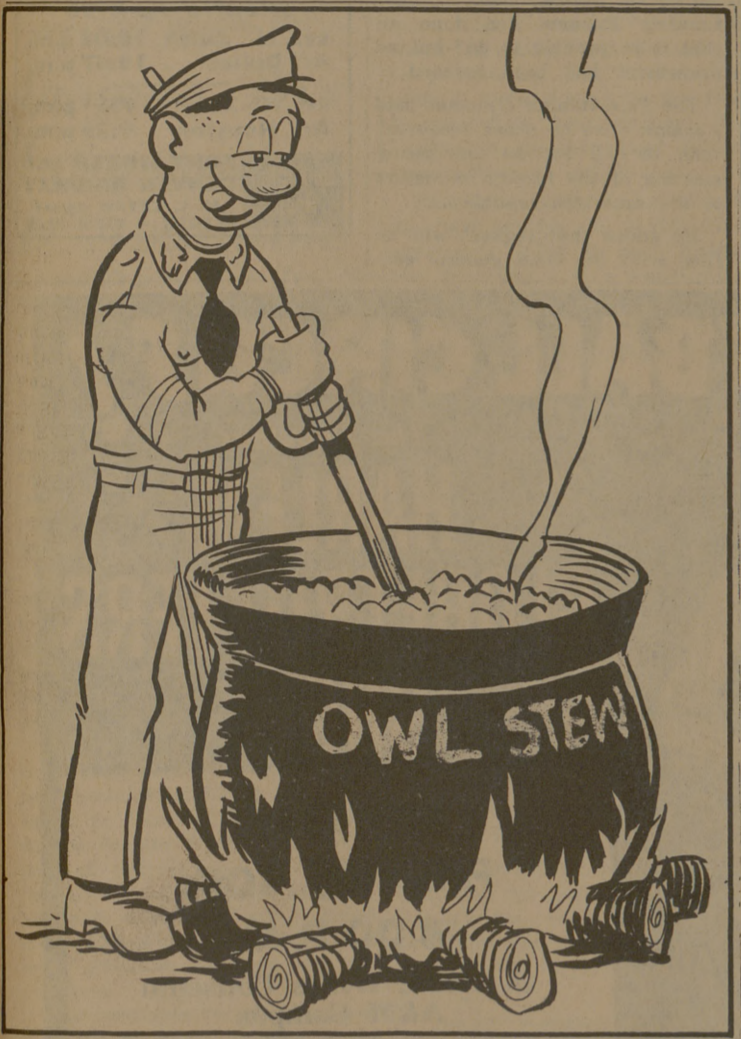
COLLEGE STATION, TEXAS THURSDAY, JANUARY 30, 1964

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Registration Schedule

Registration for the Spring Semester 1964 will be conducted in Sbis Hall. Registration cards will be issued in accordance with the following schedule:

FRIDAY, JANUARY 31
 1:00 to 3:00—All whose surnames begin with G, H, I, J, K.
 3:00 to 4:30—All whose surnames begin with A, B.
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1
 8:00 to 10:00—All whose surnames begin with T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z.
 10:00 to 11:00—All whose surnames begin with L, M, N, O.
 1:00 to 3:00—All whose surnames begin with P, Q, R, S.
 3:00 to 4:00—All whose surnames begin with C, D, E, F.



... and next week—Stew!

Space Fiesta To Draw Solons, NASA Officials

Exhibits, Speakers To Highlight Show

The 11-member House subcommittee on manned space flight, headed by Congressman Olin E. Teague will visit the A&M University Space Fiesta Feb. 14.

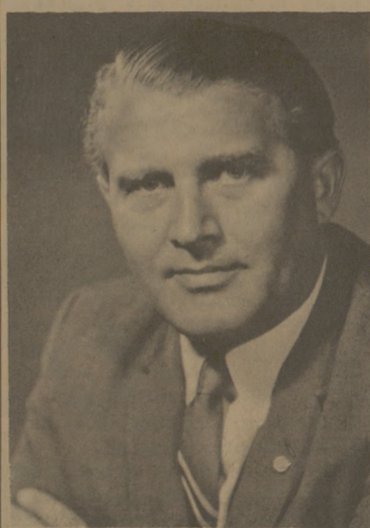
Teague said the subcommittee will be accompanied by George M. Low, newly-named National Aeronautics and Space Administration's deputy director for the Manned Spacecraft Center and other NASA officials.

Visitors at the Space Fiesta will be able to make a rocket trip around moon minus the rigors of space flight training and without leaving mother earth.

It's one of several exhibits planned during the two-week observance of the nation's efforts to cope with space, Fiesta officials reported. The event is sponsored by the Memorial Student Center Great Issues Committee.



Willy Ley



Wernher von Braun



Robert A. Rushworth

Globetrotters Due Feb. 10

The Harlem Globetrotters, often called the "Magicians of Basketball," will appear in G. Rollie White at 8 p.m. Feb. 10.

Abe Saperstein's 37th edition of the Trotters will take on the San Francisco Golden Gaters in a performance sponsored by the A&M Sigma Delta Chi chapter, national journalism society.

In addition to the game, numerous other acts will be provided for halftime entertainment, including Cab Calloway, unicyclists, equilibrist, juggler, comic acrobatic and trampolinists.

John Wright of the SDX chapter said tickets will be sold at Jarratt's drugstore in downtown Bryan and Townshirer shopping center and the Exchange Store. Tickets prices range from \$1.25 for students and dates to \$2 for adults general admission and \$2.50 for reserved seats.

Proceeds will be used to finance projects undertaken by the journalism organization, he added. Members of The Battalion staff will play members of the Brazos Valley Press Club in a preliminary game.

The Globetrotters have performed in 82 countries, including some behind the iron curtain, during the last 14 years. Saperstein organized the Trotters 37 years ago.

Wire Review

WIRE REVIEW
By The Associated Press

WORLD NEWS

WASHINGTON — Reports from Saigon indicate that a South Vietnamese army corps commander has ousted the military junta in a bloodless coup. U. S. authorities reported Wednesday night.

The leader of the Saigon insurgents was identified as Maj. Gen. Nguyen Khanh, 1st Army Corps commander.

U. S. NEWS

WASHINGTON — A 5-cent stamp in memory of the late President John F. Kennedy will be issued on his 47th birthday anniversary, May 29, Postmaster General John A. Gronouski said Wednesday.

TEXAS NEWS

DALLAS — Mrs. Marguerite Oswald said Wednesday that only if the Warren Commission permits her attorney to attend its sessions and cross examine witnesses will she be able to accept its findings as to the guilt or innocence of her son in the assassination of President Kennedy.

Mrs. Oswald also appealed publicly to President Lyndon B. Johnson to answer her telegram of Jan. 22 asking that her attorney, Mark Lane of New York City, be permitted to represent her and cross examine witnesses before the Warren Commission.

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AUSTIN — City police armed with shotguns pressed a citywide manhunt Wednesday following the shooting of two patrolmen who were attempting to halt a tavern burglary.

U.S. Blasts Ahead With Saturn Shot

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP) — The great Saturn 1 rocket hurled the world's heaviest man-made satellite into orbit Wednesday giving the United States added fire power to challenge the Soviet Union in the man-to-the-moon race.

President Johnson watched the launching on a television set in his White House office in Washington and then issued a statement hailing it as a "giant step forward for the United States space effort."

JOHNSON DESCRIBED it as the largest payload ever launched by any nation and said this country has now "proved we have the capability of putting great payloads into space." He congratulated the space team on behalf of "a grateful and proud na-

tion."

In the opinion of many U. S. experts, the striking success of the colossal booster on its first two-stage test flight gave the United States a lead over the Soviets in rocket power.

WHILE THE Saturn 1 recorded its significant success, another Cape Kennedy crew prepared for Thursday's scheduled launching of the Ranger 6 space craft to the moon.

Mothers Clubs Set Executive Meeting

The Mid-Season Executive Board meeting of the Federation of A&M University Mothers Clubs will be held Saturday.

The 14 officers who comprise the Executive Board will transact much of the business and planning for the Federation which is composed of more than 50 clubs and over 2,000 members from all areas of Texas.

Mrs. M. T. Harrington is the First Honorary President of the organization and Mrs. Earl Rudder is the Second Honorary President.

Deadline Set For Cost Bids On 2 Projects

Bids are to be received here Feb. 6 for air conditioning projects and other work involving two buildings on campus. Total estimated cost of the projects is \$370,000, W. Howard Badgett, director of the University's physical plant said.

Opening of the bids is timed so as to allow their submission to the February meeting of the Board of Directors.

"If the Board awards the contracts on these two buildings, it will give us 40 buildings totally air conditioned or the major portions air conditioned," Badgett said. Among the 40 are seven under construction or major renovation. These will provide air conditioned living quarters for one-third of all dormitory residents.

Bids to be received Feb. 6 are for air conditioning Bolton Hall, which houses the Department of Electrical Engineering, and portions of the Mechanical Engineering Shop Building. In Bolton Hall the contractor also will make certain renovations. The portion of the Mechanical Shops Building to be air conditioned includes most of the basement and that portion of the main floor which houses classrooms, offices and some of the laboratories and shops.

The Academy combines a university education and training for leadership posts afloat and ashore with the maritime industries. Local, state and federal officials

Heaton Forsees Few Changes In Spring Enrollment Picture

Spring registration will follow the usual procedure this year and the number of students enrolling probably will be the same as last year, according to H. L. Heaton, Director of Admissions and Registration.

Heaton said Wednesday that each spring there is a decrease of 500 to 750 students from the number enrolled during the fall semester. The decrease is accredited to graduation, first year drop-outs, students transferring and students not able to register for various reasons.

Heaton said he expects the spring enrollment to run around 7,000 which was the number of returning students for the spring semester last year.

There were approximately 200 new students last year consisting of transfer students, mid-semester graduates and graduate students. He said there were 30 graduate students enrolling in the graduate school last year and he expects about the same number this year.

He added that the process of registering will be the same as in the past with the directions inside the Official Schedule of Classes.

Governor Candidate Elected Former Student President

A recently announced Republican candidate for Texas Governor, Jack A. Crichton, has been president of the 40,000-member Association of Former Students.

Crichton, a 1937 graduate and also Dallas A&M Club president, replaces L. F. Peterson of Fort Worth. Election of officers for

1964 highlighted the annual conference of association members here this weekend.

John H. Lindsey of Houston, a partner with the Lindsey Insurance Agency, became association vice president. Active in other former student groups, Lindsey is a former district vice president of the association.

Crichton is president of Crichton and Associates, 1963 vice president of the association and chairman of the A&M Development Foundation.

Three new members were added to the association's executive board. They are Royce Wisenbaker, Tyler; Mike Dillingham, Alice; and John Cunningham, Gainesville.

In addition, the new slate of officers included 11 district vice presidents and representatives to major committees.

District officers are Dale Nix of Canadian, District 1; Frank Thompson of Midland, District 2; Frank Pool of San Angelo, District 3; B. L. Byrd of Wichita Falls, District 4; Bybee Weisinger of Gilmer, District 5; Bill Chamlee of Temple, District 6.

Others are Jeff Montgomery of Houston, District 7; Will Ed Jauer of San Antonio, District 8; Jim Heldenfels of Corpus Christi, District 9; Fred Clarke of Lafayette,

Louisiana District, and Harvey Lynn of Los Angeles, Calif., At-Large District.

Retiring board members include A. W. Davis, College Station; Dick Haas, Corpus Christi; and Melvin Maltz, Houston. Holdover members are Guy King Jr., Waco; John M. Younger, Midland; and Jake T. Long, Gilmer.



John H. Lindsey



Jack A. Crichton

Reds Announce Downing U. S. Training Jet

WIESBADEN, Germany (AP) — The Soviet Union announced today a Russian jet trainer over downed a U. S. jet trainer over Communist East Germany, killing the three officers aboard. The U. S. Army commander in Europe called on the Russians to make an immediate investigation.

The Soviet Union disclosed the fate of the T39 trainer, missing for 24 hours, in a note released in Moscow accusing the United States of a provocative flight designed to increase tensions.

Shortly thereafter, Gen. Paul L. Freeman, U. S. Army commander in Europe, sent a note calling for an investigation to Col. Gen. Ivan Yakubovskiy, the Soviet commander in Germany.

In Washington, the U. S. State Department summoned a Soviet Embassy official to its office to "protest in the strongest terms the shooting down" of the jet trainer.

Officials said Asst. Secretary of State William R. Tyler had called Georgi M. Kornienko, No. 2 man in the Soviet Embassy, to come to his office at 3:30 p.m. EST to receive the protest.

Soviet Ambassador Anatoly F. Dobrynin could not be summoned, officials said, because he is ill.

San Antonio Group Sets Performance

The San Antonio Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Victor Alessandri, will be on campus Feb. 6 for two concert performances.

All public and private schools in the Bryan-College Station area have been invited to hear the orchestra at a special 1:30 p.m. concert in G. Rollie White Coliseum. No admission will be charged.

The main concert, at 8 p.m. Thursday, is open to Town Hall ticket holders. The orchestra is one of several events scheduled as a part of the Memorial Student Center Town Hall series. Tickets are available for the Thursday night concert, Bob Boone, A&M music coordinator, reported.

Boone said the special student concert is designed to acquaint the younger people with symphonic music.

The Texas-bred symphony and Texas-born conductor have appeared throughout the United States and Mexico. Their concerts have been heard over nation-wide broadcasting facilities, as well as the armed services network and the Voice of America.

United States Asks Details On Jet Junking

GENEVA (AP) — The United States has asked clarification of the new Soviet proposal to destroy strategic bombers.

The U. S. disarmament negotiator, William C. Foster, and the Soviet delegate, Semyon K. Tsarapkin met over an hour in the American delegation headquarters and subsequently lunched together in a downtown hotel.

An American spokesman said Foster and Tsarapkin, co-chairmen of the 17-nation disarmament conference, discussed the future work of the conference.

Other conference sources said the new Soviet proposal to "make a bonfire" of strategic bomber fleets was among the subjects discussed.

Tsarapkin made the proposal to the conference Tuesday, leaving Western officials somewhat puzzled over what he really meant.

There was a notable difference between his formal statement in the conference room and his subsequent explanation to a news conference.

In his formal proposal he said strategic bombers although obsolete can still constitute a threat and should be destroyed. At his news conference he said he meant all bombing planes of all nations.