

500 Expected For Symposium

Approximately 500 persons from throughout the nation are expected to participate in the 21st Annual Symposium on Instrumentation of the Process Industries here Wednesday through Friday.

Symposium Director Dr. P. T. Eubank, associate professor of chemical engineering, said the conference is for persons concerned with continuous flow type processes in chemical, oil and gas industries.

Dr. Wayne C. Hall, A&M academic vice president and graduate dean, will welcome delegates at 9 a.m. Wednesday in the Memorial Student Center Ballroom.

His remarks will be followed by the keynote address from Dr. E. B. Barnes, general manager

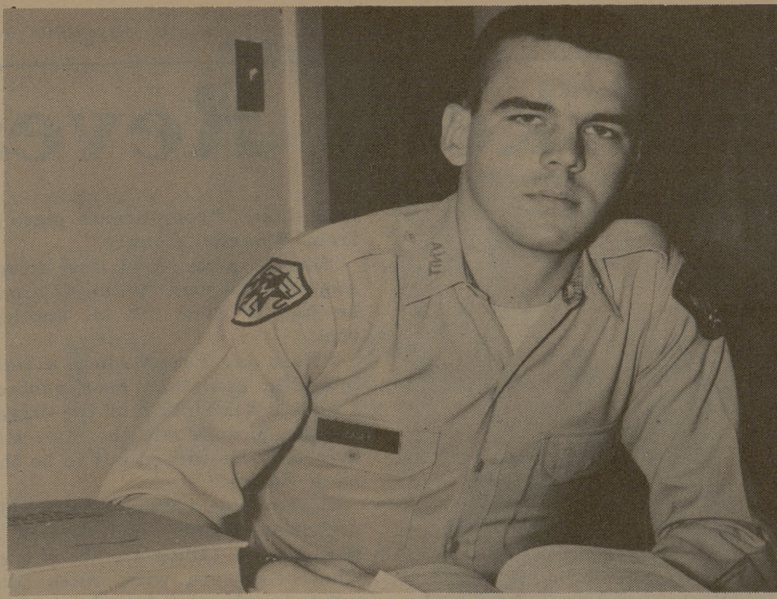
of the Texas Division of Dal Chemical Company, Freeport. His topic will be "Human Relations in the Computer Age."

A 6:30 p.m. Wednesday barbecue is scheduled at the Ramada Inn. Cajun humorist Bud Fletcher will speak at a 7:30 p.m. Thursday banquet in the MSC.

Charles Woods of Rockwell Inc., Dallas, will be master of ceremonies for the banquet. A "Screwball of the Year" award will be made during the festivities.

Dr. L. B. Durbin, assistant professor of chemical engineering, is program chairman for the symposium.

Forty-one exhibits will be displayed on the second floor of the MSC throughout the symposium.



SOLON'S SON AT A&M

Mike Casey, son of Cong. Bob Casey of Houston, prepares for semester exams. An Air Force ROTC Cadet and liberal arts major, Casey is a freshman. He admits to having political career leanings.

Son Of Congressman Keeps Ags Guessing

When "Fish" Casey "whips out" to upper classmen at Texas A&M, he says he's from Houston. Further questioning reveals he went to high school in Washington, D. C.

As the normal line of inquiry continues, Casey says his father is a government employe. Eventually, the inquirer learns Casey is the son of U. S. Representative Bob Casey of Houston.

"Fish" Casey, who is Michael Casey to non-students, has been reluctant in his first four months at Texas A&M to have it generally known he is the son of a national government official. But he is beginning to change his thinking along that line.

"It helps to have friendly upper classmen," he grinned.

The 18-year-old liberal arts major likes politics and is considering running for a campus office next year if he has sufficient backing.

"Although I like politics, I

want to have something to fall back on if I am unsuccessful in that field," Casey explained. "I am an avid fan of the stock market and have been considering changing my major to finance."

Unlike some freshmen, young Casey has no complaints about chow hall food.

"As a matter of fact, I lost weight at home during the Christmas holidays," he remarked.

Casey's loss of weight may have something to do with the competition at the dinner table. He has nine brothers and sisters.

"Much can be said for large families," he quipped. "There are lots of arguments, lots of togetherness."

Mike rates himself as an "average" student. History is his favorite subject. He studies about as much as his classmates, but doesn't believe in cramming for finals.

V-President Suttle Named To Defense Board Group

Dr. A. D. Suttle, Jr., vice president for research at Texas A&M has been named to the Executive Committee of the U. S. Department of Defense Science Board. He was notified of the appointment by Dr. John S. Foster, director of Defense Research and Engineering.

The committee sets policy for the board in advising the Secretary of Defense. Dr. Frederick Seitz, president of the National Academy of Sciences, heads the board.

Suttle is serving his first term of two years on the board which normally meets six times annually. However, in view of the Viet

Campus Briefs

Thomas To Attend AIAA Meeting

Dr. Richard Thomas will attend the annual American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics meeting Jan. 24-26 in New York. Professor of aerospace engineering, Thomas is interested in the educational aspects of the third aerospace sciences meeting. A number of technical papers will be presented at the three-day meeting.

Thomas has charge of the gas dynamics laboratory at the Research Annex.

Farm Management To Be Offered

A graduate level farm management course will be offered as a night class during the spring semester. The class, Applied Farm Management, will be for three hours resident credit toward an advanced degree, said James S. Wehrly, who will teach the course.

It will meet on Monday evenings from 7-10, in Room 104 Agriculture Building. One Saturday field trip is scheduled. Prerequisites for the course are a baccalaureate degree and experience in professional agricultural work. Topics to be covered include management and decision making processes, economic principles, budgeting and linear programming and financial planning.

Interested persons may register during regular registration or at the first class session provided they indicate intent to register ahead of time.

2 Town Hall Programs Left

A reminder of two remaining Town Hall programs has been issued by Mike Nabors, Town Hall Committee chairman. Next scheduled program is Feb. 15, when "Les Foux Follet," a Canadian dancing group, performs at 8 p.m. in G. Rollie White Coliseum.

The other event is set March 26. Petite Brenda Lee, a popular singer, will perform. Booked for 8 p.m., the performance may be changed to 7:30 p.m. to allow more time for the Civilian Student Weekend dance.

Season reserved seat ticket holders should mark out the April 22 performance of Pete Fountain, Nabors said. The printed cards are in error, he noted.

Rudder To Install Brazos Officers

President Earl Rudder will install new officers of the Brazos County A&M Club Wednesday night at the organization's clubhouse on Ehlinger St.

Officers for 1966 are J. B. Hervey, president; C. J. Allen, first vice-president; Ed H. Cooper, second vice-president; Bill Gard, secretary-treasurer; Sidney Abergoon, assistant secretary-treasurer; P. L. Downs, Good Samaritan, and E. Wayne Schmidt, Former Students representative.

The agenda for the meeting includes a social hour at 6 p.m., a barbecue dinner at 7 p.m. and a business meeting and officers installation at 7:45 p.m.

Kozik, Tidwell Named To Engineer Council

Dr. Thomas J. Kozik and professor Dan R. Tidwell have been elected to the Engineering Faculty Advisory Council.

The College of Engineering elects members to the Council for three year terms.

John S. Denison, associate professor of electrical engineering and Council chairman, announced Kozik's and Tidwell's election.

Kozik is associate professor in mechanical engineering, coming to A&M in 1963. His undergraduate work was performed at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, with advanced degrees coming from Ohio State.

Associate professor in the aero-

space engineering department, Tidwell acquired bachelor and master degrees at A&M. Term of office for both run through February, 1969.

Other Council members include Professor S. M. Cleland, Dr. H. Earle, Dr. P. T. Eubank and Denison.

Weslaco Youth Wins SDX Writing Contest

Stephen Henry of Weslaco High School is the winner of the A&M chapter of Sigma Delta Chi's first high school news-writing contest.

Henry's prize-winning article about traffic violations appeared in the Hi-Life, Weslaco's student newspaper.

Irene Paez of Thomas Jefferson High School in El Paso won second place for a story in the El Paso Herald-Post. Third was taken by Nancy Peterson of Houston's Memorial High School.

Twenty-five schools and 50 high school journalists entered the initial December contest. January's contest is feature writing. February writing competition will be sports writing. March will be limited to editorials and interpretive articles. General news will be the May category.

Monthly winners receive certificates as do their newspapers. The publication with the most prize winners during the year will receive an engraved plaque.

The Sigma Delta Chi Chapter offers four \$250 scholarships annually to outstanding high school students who intend to pursue careers in journalism.

Cawley Planning Poultry Contest

W. O. Cawley, poultry specialist for the Extension Service, and L. V. Halbrooks of Hy-Land Hatcheries of Bryan, met last week with N. C. Garrison of Garrison, editor of the "Texas Poultry and Egg News" to plan a contest for the Texas Poultry Federation.

Garrison is chairman of the publicity committee while Cawley and Halbrooks are members.

Cawley said, "the purpose of the meeting was to work out the rules and regulations that will be used in a contest to select an emblem for the newly formed Texas Poultry Federation."

A \$100 savings bond will be offered for the emblem design that is finally adopted to go on documents and letterheads, Cawley said.

Activation Analysis Offered In Spring

The department of chemical engineering will offer a new course, "Activation Analysis," in the spring semester.

The two credit hour course is designed for graduate students in engineering, sciences, agriculture or veterinary medicine. A course in nuclear chemistry, nuclear physics or nuclear engineering or special permission of the instructor is prerequisite.

Dr. Richard E. Wainerdi will teach the course utilizing equipment and facilities of the Activation Analysis Research Laboratory. One hour of lecture and a three hour lab will be held each week.

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