



NEW BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE BUILDING

The new Biological Sciences Building nears completion as the fall semester draws near. The new \$2.75 million structure contains 95,337 square feet in four stories.

# Student Tries To Stay Cool Working Near Waterfall

A Texas A&M graduate student in wildlife science is doing summer research near the state's tallest waterfall, but he finds it hard to keep cool.

Harry M. Ohlendorf of Lockhart is collecting plants and animals in a lush valley 70 miles north of Presidio, which often has the rueful distinction of being the hottest place in the nation.

"I've logged temperatures up to 109 degrees," Ohlendorf reports. "But it doesn't seem as hot there as in College Station because of the difference in humidity."

The waterfall, 185 feet high at

the head of a canyon along Capote Creek, spills considerably less water downstream than Niagara Falls. The creek itself is about a yard wide.

"Trees along the creek provide a suitable habitat for a great variety of animals," Ohlendorf noted. "I've collected about 150 plants and 200 animals since June."

Birds account for most of the 26-year-old student's catches. One of his rarest catches, however, is a Western Mastiff Bat. Oddly enough, he has notched only two rattlesnakes for the summer.

"The collection includes a skunk," Ohlendorf grinned. "He got his tail caught in a metal box designed to trap mice. I was lucky to get him without getting sprayed."

"Biggest challenge of the research is to get to all parts of the canyon often enough to find everything that is in it," he continued. "It's rugged country. Goats can't go through some of it."

Home for the summer to Ohlendorf is a goat herder's shack. Ohlendorf made it slightly more livable by screening windows with hardware cloth and nailing the roof down so it wouldn't blow away.

The canyon itself is about one and one-half miles long and three-quarters of a mile wide.

"Most people who come by to see the waterfall don't expect to see anybody living in the valley," Ohlendorf explained. "The place is about three miles away from a ranch."

Ohlendorf, who aspires to teach biology at the university level, toils up to 18 hours a day covering the canyon, moving traps, setting up nets to nab birds and bats, and collecting plants.

Visitors to the canyon are few and far between. Ohlendorf's wife, Colette, spent a week. Four cats and the family dog, Volga, stayed 10 days.

The heat, long working hours and eating out of cans have left Ohlendorf 28 pounds lighter. Naturally, he anxious to get home to enjoy his wife's cooking.

In the meantime, he's living it up by shaving and showering only when he makes weekly forays into town for groceries and laundry.

A big outing for Ohlendorf is drive over to a neighboring ranch to visit and watch television. He's looking forward to trying a native delicacy next week—strawberry cactus, which reportedly tastes surprisingly like strawberries.



NEW SIGNS GO UP

Pictured above is one of the new signs being placed outside several of the main buildings on campus. Each sign lists the offices housed in the building at which they are placed.

# Comptroller Presents Library Of Works To A&M Department

The complete professional library on school finance and business management of Frank D. Austin has been presented by the Centenary College comptroller to Texas A&M.

Presentation of the private collection of documents, letters, pamphlets, hard and paperback books and a two-volume set of "Business Manager Procedure" was to the Education and Psychology Department, headed by Dr. Paul Hensarling.

Austin, 63, was business manager of Port Arthur schools when Hensarling taught, coached and served as elementary principal

and assistant superintendent there.

"I know Paul and A&M will use and appreciate the material," the Shreveport school official said in making the presentation.

Hensarling said the collection of 23 years will be shelved in the department's professional library. A research project on the history of school business management is planned with the Austin collection as the primary source, he added.

"Frank pioneered upgrading of school business officials certification," the department head went on.

# Clipper Returns With Aggie Crew

GALVESTON — The Texas Clipper, Texas A&M's "floating classroom," and its salty crew of 155 students return here Monday, completing an 11,400-mile South American cruise.

Scores of relatives and friends will be waiting at the dock to welcome home the sea-faring students and hear tales of visits to foreign ports, equator-crossing initiation ceremonies and a rescue at sea.

For more than two months, the students have been operating the 15,000-ton converted oceanliner under the general supervision of Texas Maritime Academy instructors.

Approximately half the students are recent high school graduates and college freshmen enrolled in Texas A&M's unique "Summer School at Sea" program. These students have been taking basic English, history or mathematics courses for which they receive academic credit.

The "Summer School at Sea" program is jointly sponsored by the university's College of Liberal Arts and the Texas Maritime Academy, a division of the Texas A&M system.

Remainder of the students are TMA cadets participating in their annual summer cruise, part of their special four-year college course leading to a B.S. degree in marine engineering or marine transportation.

Destination for this year's cruise was Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, where the students spent six days ashore. They also visited Port of Spain, Trinidad; Recife, Brazil, and Willemstad, Curacao.

This year's cruise included a rescue-at-sea operation. While steaming for Rio after the Trinidad visit, the Clipper received an emergency message to divert course, rendezvous with the Greek freighter, Albino, and give medical aid to its captain who had cut his hand.



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<b>ST. THOMAS EPISCOPAL</b> 966 Jersey Street, So. Side of Campus Rector: William R. Oxley Astr.—Rev. Wesley Sediger 8:00 A.M. & 9:15 A.M. Sunday Services	<b>CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE</b> 9:45 A.M.—Sunday School 10:45 A.M.—Morning Worship 6:30 P.M.—Young People's Service 7:00 P.M.—Preaching Service	<b>ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC</b> Sunday Masses—7:30, 9:00 and 11:00
<b>A&amp;M CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> 8:00 & 10:00 A.M. Worship 9:00 A.M.—Bible Study 5:15 P.M.—Young People's Class 6:00 P.M.—Worship 7:15 P.M.—Aggie Class 9:30 A.M.—Tues.—Ladies Bible Class 7:15 P.M.—Wednesday—Bible Study	<b>CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY</b> 9:30 A.M.—Sunday School 11:00 A.M.—Sunday Service 11:00 A.M.—2 P.M.—Tues. Reading Rm. 7:00-8:00 P.M.—Wed., Reading Room 8:00 P.M.—Wed., Evening Worship	<b>FAITH CHURCH UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> 9:15 A.M.—Sunday School 10:30 A.M.—Morning Worship 7:30 P.M.—Evening Service
<b>UNIVERSITY LUTHERAN</b> (Missouri Synod) 10:00 A.M.—Bible Class 11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship 7:30 P.M.—Wednesday Vesper	<b>FIRST BAPTIST</b> 9:30 A.M.—Sunday School 10:45 AM Morning Worship 6:10 PM—Training Union 7:20 PM—Evening Worship 6:30 PM—Choir Practice & Teachers' meetings (Wednesday) 7:30 P.M.—Midweek Services (Wed.)	<b>COLLEGE HEIGHTS ASSEMBLY OF GOD</b> 9:45 A.M.—Sunday School 11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship 6:30 P.M.—Young People's Service 7:30 P.M.—Evening Worship
<b>UNITARIAN FELLOWSHIP</b> 305 Old Highway 6, South 10:00 A.M.—Church School 8:00 A.M.—Adult Service	<b>SECOND BAPTIST</b> 710 Eisenhower 9:45 A.M.—Sunday School 11:00 A.M.—Church Service 6:30 P.M.—Training Union 7:30 P.M.—Church Service	<b>A&amp;M METHODIST</b> 8:30 A.M.—Morning Worship 9:45 A.M.—Sunday School 10:35 A.M.—Morning Worship 5:30 P.M.—Campus & Career Class 5:30 & 6:00 P.M.—MYF Meetings
<b>A&amp;M PRESBYTERIAN</b> 7-9 A.M.—Sun. Breakfast—Stu. Ctr. 9:45 A.M.—Church School 11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship 6:00 P.M.—Sun. Single Stu. Fellowship 7:15 P.M.—Wed. Student Fellowship 6:45 A.M.—Fri. Communion Service Wesley Foundation	<b>OUR SAVIOUR'S LUTHERAN</b> 8:30 & 10:45 A.M.—The Church at Worship	<b>CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS</b> 26th East and Coulter, Bryan 8:30 A.M.—Priesthood meeting 10:00 A.M.—Sunday School 5:00 P.M.—Sacrament Meeting
	<b>CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH</b> 3205 Lakeview 9:45 A.M.—Bible School 10:45 A.M.—Morning Worship 6:00 P.M.—Youth Hour 7:00 P.M.—Evening Worship	<b>FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH</b> Homestead & Ennis 9:45 A.M.—Sunday School 10:50 A.M.—Morning Worship 5:30 P.M.—Young People



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Sunday 1 Samuel 3:1-18	Monday 1 Kings 18:20-29	Tuesday Psalms 132:1-12	Wednesday Mark 13:28-37	Thursday John 15:12-17	Friday Romans 13:8-14	Saturday 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11
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