

The Battalion

Wednesday — Cloudy, occasional light drizzle, winds northerly 5 - 10 m.p.h. High 43, low 33.
Thursday — Cloudy, rain, winds easterly 5 - 10 m.p.h. High 49, low 41.

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WINTER WONDERLAND

Professors and a student cross the campus between an ice-covered hedge and frosted trees near Nagle Hall. Freezing rain and drizzle made walking hazardous on some sidewalks, and the low temperatures were expected to continue across the state through today.

'Africa In Revolt' Is Topic Of Thursday Great Issues

A free-lance writer, John Peer Nugent, will be the featured speaker for a Memorial Student Center Great Issues presentation Thursday night. "Africa in Revolt—What's Happening Now" is the topic of Nugent, formerly Newsweek's first chief African correspondent. The talk is set for 8 p.m. in the MSC Ballroom.

Earlier Thursday evening on NBC-TV, (6:30 p.m. Central Standard Time) Nugent will appear with astronaut John Glenn in a documentary, "The Trail of Stanley and Livingston." The film retraces on foot the route Henry M. Stanley used to search for David Livingstone nearly 100 years ago. Janet Whitehead, Great Issues' publicity chairman, said Nugent has traveled black Africa from one end to the other since 1961, daring fate continually. "He has faced firing squads in

Zanzibar, only to be saved by an urgent cable to the British Government from Dean Rusk," Miss Whitehead remarked. "Nugent was once deported from South Africa for interviewing the Nobel Prize winner, Chief Albert Lutuli; had his car mistakenly blown up by UN forces, and survived beatings and cannibal attacks. He covered the Katanga wars, and was on hand when Guinea became the first black land to accept, then reject Communism."

Nugent is the author of "Call Africa 999," a book described as a unique and heretical report of the horror and mad comedy of emerging Africa ablaze with intrigue and violence.

Camera Group Hosts MSC Photo Display

Photographs by the nation's leading photographers are on display in the Memorial Student Center concourse by the Camera Committee.

Frank Tilley of Jacksonville, chairman, said the Photographic Society of America's "Tops in Photography" 60-print exhibit will be shown through the last weekend of January.

The PSA exhibit consists of award-winning salon prints and represents the top work of American photographers. Many of the pictures have been in foreign salon exhibition.

The camera committee is affiliated with PSA and submits member photos for society competition. The A&M club has contests throughout the school year and annually sponsors an Intercollegiate Photo Salon, which draws entries from all over the U. S.

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JOHN PEER NUGENT

Profs, Students To Take Part In CBS National Smoking Test

"The National Smoking Test" to be broadcast by CBS television Jan. 16 will be used to measure a Bryan-College Station group's attitudes about smoking by two Texas A&M professors.

Employing the one-hour TV special question format, the test will be administered by Drs. Donald J. Merki and John M. Chevrette of A&M's Health and Physical Education Department at 8:30 p.m. in the Memorial Student Center Ballroom.

Interested persons—smokers or non-smokers—are invited to participate, Merki said. "We expect about 400, including 300 students enrolled in health and physical education courses," the assistant professor added.

Community participants should be in the ballroom by 8:30 p.m. All materials will be furnished. "No individual responses will be made public," Merki said.

The CBS special will be televised at 9 p.m. CST by KBTX-TV of Bryan. A no-point-score test, the broadcast will deal with questions related to dangers of tobacco use, why smokers continue

to smoke, how the habit is formed, how many actually smoke and diseases attributable to smoking.

The investigation under Council for Organized Research support will relate test profiles and smoking behavior, anti-smoking education experiences and future attitudes and behavior.

MERKI, specialist in smoking research with the National Clearinghouse for Smoking and Health, said a followup test is planned "to check for changes in smoking attitudes and practices."

He said the half hour before the test will be devoted to obtaining participant biographic information and familiarization with the test answer sheet, which will be handled by A&M's IBM 360/65 computer for tabulation.

Merki has conducted previous research on smoking habits and recently presented a paper on rural youth anti-smoking education. He surveyed 1,200 eighth and 11th grade students at Urbana, Ill. His doctoral dissertation at the University of Illinois was written under U. S. Public Health Service contract.

The department of health education specialist was an All-American basketball player at St. Joseph's College in the mid-1950's.

Housing Plans Begin For Next Semester

Board To Consider Plans For Big MSC Expansion

Preliminary studies for a multi-million-dollar expansion in the Memorial Student Center area will be reviewed by A&M's Board of Directors at its February meeting.

J. O. Adams, construction director for A&M, said a portion

of the long-range building additions might be approved by the board Feb. 26-27.

"This is actually a preliminary study of space utilization," Adams explained. "The board also will consider preliminary plans for renovation of the YMCA building."

The proposed expansion is a continuation of A&M's comprehensive construction program designed to keep pace with progress and a mushrooming enrollment. Within the past year the university completed the Cyclotron Institute, Olin E. Teague Research Center and a major addition to the Biological Sciences Building.

CURRENT PROJECTS include a new Services Building, Engineering Research Center and expansion of the library and veterinary medicine facilities.

The additions planned for the MSC area and the block now including Guion Hall are under study by two architectural firms, Dede Matthews and Associates of Bryan and Jarvis, Putty and Jarvis of Dallas.

Proposed expansion to the MSC includes:

- Doubling of dining and cafeteria facilities.
- More lounge area for patrons.
- A faculty lounge.
- An exchange store and new location for a post office.
- Additional meeting rooms and housing facilities.
- A larger area in the basement for bowling and games rooms.
- Complex plans which replace Guion Hall and require additional space, tentatively include:
- A multi-story building to house the Office of Continuing Education, Student Placement and Student Aid, the University Development Office and possibly new offices for the Association of Former Students.
- A 2,500-seat auditorium.
- A 750-seat auditorium.
- A 250-seat auditorium.
- Exhibit spaces between the auditoriums.

Current plans call for a mall-type walkway over Houston Street to connect with the auditoriums and various offices.

ADAMS SAID tentative plans

Davis To Speak To Hillel Club

Claude Davis, political science professor, will be the featured speaker at the regular business meeting of the A&M Hillel Club at the B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundation at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Davis will speak on "New Directions of the Supreme Court."

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Singing Cadets' Douglas Show To Be Aired

The Mike Douglas Show which features a 35-minute performance by Texas A&M's Singing Cadets will be aired by KBTX-TV in a special telecast at noon Sunday, Harry Gillam, station manager, announced today.

Gillam said the 90-minute color show, taped for initial release last month, will be presented as a public service for Bryan-College Station residents.

KBTX-TV does not normally carry the Mike Douglas Show, Gillam explained, but secured special permission from the producers.

"Since the show includes the Singing Cadets, we wanted all local viewers to have the opportunity to see it," Gillam said.

The 62-voice glee club is directed by Robert L. Boone and accompanied by pianist June Biering.

Mrs. John Connally and the wives of four other governors also appear on the show as co-hosts with Douglas.

Greenhut Paper Gets Translation

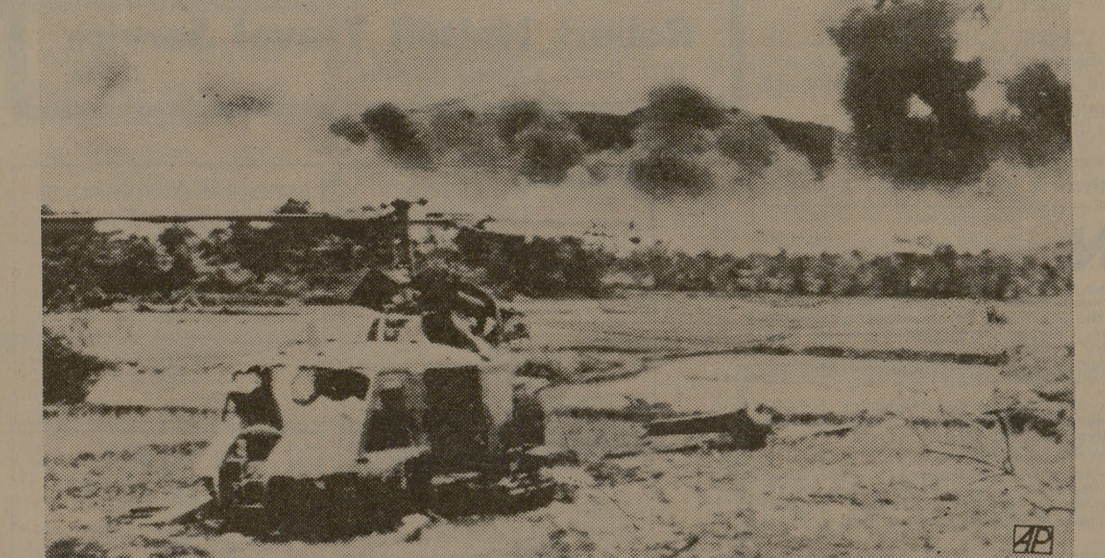
A paper by Dr. M. L. Greenhut, Economics Department head at Texas A&M, has been translated into Japanese and included in a book of essays.

Written by Dr. Greenhut in 1957, "Games, Capitalism, and General Location Theory," was published in the "Manchester School" publication.

The recent translation by Japanese Economist Koji Takaka for a book, "Location Theory and Planning," honoring distinguished professors Ito and Esawa. Another Japanese economist, Hisao Nishioka, edited the book.

Silver Taps Slated Tonight For Buth

Silver Taps will be conducted at 10:30 tonight for Billy Fred Buth, junior animal science major from Valley Mills who died Dec. 26 of injuries received in an auto accident Christmas Day at Gatesville.



ASSAULTED BY NORTH VIETNAMESE

The hulk of a destroyer U. S. Army helicopter rests in a rice paddy from U. S. B-52 bomb strikes forms backdrop in Que Son Valley, where a North Vietnamese force killed 20 Americans and wounded 54. The Valley is 30 miles southwest of Dan Nang. AP Wirephoto by radio from Saigon)

Civilians Make Current Room Reservations

Civilian students will reserve their current dormitory room for next semester this week at the housing office, Housing Manager Allan M. Madeley announced.

Housing office officials reported that 234 students reserved their rooms on the first day of registration, Monday.

"The weather was a factor in delaying some of the students from signing up," one worker said. "I expect a larger turnout Tuesday if conditions improve."

Those who wish to change rooms will be allowed to register from 8 a.m. Monday until 5 p.m., Jan. 26, Madeley said. The rooms will be assigned on a first-come, first-serve basis.

"CORPS students transferring to a civilian dorm are to use the period starting Monday and bring a room change slip signed by their unit commander," Madeley noted.

Madeley also said that all civilians transferring to the Corps are to report to Room 104 of the Military Science Building.

Cadet registration for the coming semester will be handled by the first sergeants and sergeants major.

"STUDENTS WHO reserve rooms for the spring semester and cancel after Jan. 15 or do not register will forfeit their \$20 room deposit," Madeley said, "unless they are not allowed to register by the university."

According to Madeley students who have a \$20 room deposit on file will not have to pay additional fees to reserve rooms.

Those planning to be day students next semester were urged by Madeley to secure a day student permit from the housing office to save time during registration.

LBJ Leads Nixon, New Polls Show

WASHINGTON (AP)—Two public opinion polls reported Monday that President Johnson is running ahead of former Vice President Richard M. Nixon.

A special survey by Louis Harris, copyrighted by the Washington Post, said Johnson is riding a new crest of popularity that would make him the favorite over all four leading Republican presidential contenders if the election were held now.

This is a reversal of the situation two months ago when a Harris survey indicated that any one of the four GOP possibilities could defeat the President.

Final Exam Schedule

January 19, Friday	7-10 p.m.	Mathematics 103, 122, 210 & 308 Classes meeting
January 22, Monday	8-11 a.m.	MWF8 Classes meeting
January 22, Monday	1-4 p.m.	TTh8F1 Classes meeting
January 22, Monday	7-10 p.m.	MWF12 Classes meeting
January 23, Tuesday	8-11 a.m.	MWF9 Classes meeting
January 23, Tuesday	1-4 p.m.	MWTh1 Classes meeting
January 23, Tuesday	7-10 p.m.	TTh12 Classes meeting
January 24, Wednesday	8-11 a.m.	MWF10 Classes meeting
January 24, Wednesday	1-4 p.m.	Classes meeting Mathematics 102, TF1; Mathematics 102, 121, 209 & 307
January 24, Wednesday	7-10 p.m.	Classes meeting
January 25, Thursday	8-11 a.m.	M3TTh10 Classes meeting
January 25, Thursday	1-4 p.m.	MWTh2 Chemistry 101, 202 & 227
January 25, Thursday	7-10 p.m.	Classes meeting
January 26, Friday	8-11 a.m.	MWF11 Classes meeting
January 26, Friday	1-4 p.m.	M4TTh11
January 26, Friday	7-10 p.m.	Biology 107
January 27, Saturday	8-11 a.m.	TTh9F2 Classes meeting
January 27, Saturday	1-4 p.m.	Classes meeting TF2 or TWF3 or TTHF3

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