



The Battalion

Weather
 Tuesday — Clear to partly cloudy, Southerly winds 5-10 m.p.h. High 51, low 42.
 Wednesday — Partly cloudy to cloudy,

Civilians To Vote April 25 On Clothing Regs Question

Dorm Distribution Set For Ballots

By DAVE MAYES
 Battalion Staff Writer

Civilian students will give their opinions on present clothing regulations by submitting Student Senate-approved questionnaires to the Election Commission on April 25, according to Griff Venator, president of the Civilian Student Council.

"The questionnaires will be distributed to the civilian students through their dormitory president prior to the election date," Venator said.

Venator said the reason for the opinion poll is to find out exactly what clothing regulations the civilian students approved and which they disapproved.

"THE CIVILIAN Student Council would then draw up new clothing regulations, if needed, based on the reactions obtained from the students," he said.

The poll has three primary choices to be checked to indicate whether the student favors present clothing regulations, wants no regulations at all or feels current clothing regulations "should be relaxed."

- icipating in an athletic activity.
- Shower shoes will not be worn outside the Dormitory area.
 - Tattered trousers will not be worn on the campus.
 - Socks will be worn with shoes (of all kinds) on the campus at all times.
 - Students will be required to have a neat appearance on the campus at all times.
 - A student will be clean shaven.
 - Students will have proper haircuts.
 - Students will not wear beards.
 - No student will wear, on campus, any article of athletic or similar emblems awarded by schools other than Texas A&M (includes other colleges, high schools.)

"I am well pleased," Venator said after the senate approved the council's revised opinion poll Thursday night.

The senate go-ahead climaxed three weeks' effort by the council to get some sort of referendum on the present clothing regulations before the civilian students. Last week, the senate had turned down an earlier version of the council opinion poll because it was not "concrete."

This opinion poll should provide the best picture of what the civilian students want," Jerry Campbell, senate president, agreed.

"HAVING ONLY the civilian students taking part in the poll should also create less confusion," he added.

In other senate business, plans were discussed for the Student Idea Exchange Conference, which A&M is hosting in the Memorial Student Center April 19 and 20.

Campbell noted that approximately 50 student government representatives from schools in the Southwest Conference will participate in the two-day round-table discussions on more effective student government.

A SENATE POLL to determine whether students would be willing to give up a meal to help orphans in Vietnam is being conducted by Leon E. Travis III, chairman of the Senate Welfare Committee.

The senate plans to use the results of the poll, if favorable, to convince the University Executive Council to close the dining halls for one meal and use the money saved to send to Vietnamese orphans, Travis explained.



STARK HONORED
 Scott Roberts, president of the Memorial Student Center Council and Directorate, directs a quip at smiling MSC Director J. Wayne Stark, left, during ceremonies honoring Stark here Saturday. A highlight of the appreciation dinner was the presentation of a set of luggage (in background) and an all-expense-paid European tour to Stark and his wife. (Photo by Mike Wright)

Appreciation Fete Honors MSC Chief

Friends and former Texas A&M students who worked with J. Wayne Stark paid tribute to the Memorial Student Center director Saturday night at an appreciation dinner.

Stark was presented funds toward a European vacation for himself and his wife Jean, a set of luggage and a citation from present and former students who have benefitted from his service.

More than \$1,500 was contributed by former students who served in Memorial Student Center Directorate positions during Stark's 21 years as director.

A plaque citing his "talent and enthusiasm for counseling, encouraging and challenging hundreds of young men to develop more fully their leadership potential and to aspire to high attainment" was presented by Don McGinty, 1958 directorate president.

THE SEVEN-piece luggage set was given to the Starks by Scott H. Roberts of Austin in behalf of current MSC directorate and council members. Roberts is the 1968 president.

A 1939 A&M graduate, Stark directs activities of 300 campus student organizations.

About 100 persons attended the surprise appreciation dinner. Many of the director's former student associates were present.

Vacation funds and the dinner were arranged by Bud Whitney of Houston, 1956 directorate

president; John Jenkins of Dallas, chairman of the first Student Conference on National Affairs; Don Cloud of Omaha, Neb., 1959 Cadet Colonel of the Corps; MSC assistant director and business manager Bill Lancaster and McGinty.

THE SCONA committee, Space and Hydrospace Fiestas, the intercollegiate talent show and A&M student involvement in the International Association for the Exchange of Students for Technical Experience have been developed under Stark's guidance.

"An outstanding social atmosphere and opportunity for students to participate in governing activities while they are students are provided by the MSC through his direction," McGinty pointed out. "These MSC activities are priceless."

Former students described the Lamesa native's efforts in other areas. Numerous Aggies received his assistance in obtaining graduate study opportunities at Harvard, MIT and Princeton.

"WAYNE STARK has the tremendous ability to recognize leadership potential in a student and make the student feel responsible for developing it," Whitney said.

Stark, 52, studied history and accounting at A&M, attended law school at Texas and did graduate work at Harvard. He is active in the A&M Methodist Church, a 15-year member of the College Station Kiwanis Club and is past president of the Association of College Unions-International.

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 —Adv.



REVIEWING OFFICERS
 Visiting general Thomas S. Moorman and Francis J. Murdoch Jr. join reviewing officers from A&M as the Cadets Corps passes in review during Military Weekend. Lt. Gen. Moorman is superintendent of the U. S. Air Force Academy and Maj. Gen. Murdoch is fourth Army commanding general for reserve forces at Fort Sam Houston. (Photo by Mike Wright)



NEW TOWN HALL CHAIRMAN
 Lewis Adams, left, is congratulated by current Town Hall Chairman Bobby Gonzales on being named chairman of next year's committee. Adams will begin plans immediately for the selection of sophomores for the 1968-69 Town Hall Staff. (Photo by John Fuller)

Louis Adams Named Chairman Of Town Hall For Next Year

By JOHN FULLER
 Battalion Managing Editor

Louis Adams, junior chemical engineering major from Kingsville, Monday was named chairman of the Memorial Student Center's Town Hall Committee for 1968-69.

Bobby Gonzales, this year's chairman of the entertainment series-sponsoring group, made the announcement of the MSC selection committee's choice at a meeting of Town Hall Committee members.

"I am pleased that the committee chose Louis to head next year's activities," Gonzales said. "He was a very capable vice-chairman for Town Hall this year and I think he learned a lot about the program which will stand him in good stead."

ADAMS WILL administer a Town Hall budget which this year topped \$77,000 and is expected to

be increased for next season.

"I hope to receive applications for junior positions from interested sophomores around March 11-22," Adams noted. "Interviews for prospective members are tentatively scheduled for the first few days in April, and we're tentatively planning to announce the selections by the Friday before Easter vacation."

ADAMS SAID he hopes to select approximately 40 to 50 sophomores for the positions. Standard requirements for selection, which Adams said may be subject to changes before the applications are issued, include a 1.25 overall grade point ratio and at least a 1.0 for the previous semester, with no scholastic or conduct probation.

Adams said senior sub-committee chairmanships will probably be determined sometime before the interviews start.

Adams is scholastic sergeant of the Cadet Corps. He is a Distinguished Student and a member of the Ross Volunteer Company.



MARY COSTA

Mary Costa To Sing Here Friday At 8

Mary Costa, operatic queen who went from TV commercials to the symphony hall, will sing at Texas A&M Friday under auspices of the Bryan Rotary Club.

The 8 p.m. performance will be at G. Rollie White Coliseum to take advantage of additional seating.

The soprano star first appeared with the San Francisco Opera in 1959 after successful performances in England and with Leonard Bernstein's U. S.-English tour with "Candide." She entered a \$250,000 contract with impresario S. Hurok and has since appeared with the Los Angeles Philharmonic, Dinah Shore Chevy, Hollywood Palace and Frank Sinatra TV shows, Cincinnati Opera, Vancouver Festival, the Royal Opera at Covent Garden, London, and on annual North American tours.

The Rotary presentation, to be ushered by Town Hall staff, has some reserved seats remaining at \$3.50 each. Student activity card and Town Hall season ticket holders are entitled to general admission.

Other tickets are \$3 for general admission, \$2 for public school students and \$1.50 for date and student wife tickets. Purchases at the MSC Student Programs Office are on a first-come, first-served basis.

First Bank & Trust now pays 5% per annum on savings certificates. —Adv.

Visiting Generals Compliment A&M Student Image

Air Force Academy superintendent Lt. Gen. Thomas S. Moorman and Army Maj. Gen. Francis J. Murdoch Jr. complimented A&M's student body — civilian and military — during Military Weekend festivities.

The distinguished military guests said the general appearance of the whole student body is exceptional.

General Murdoch is the Fourth Army deputy commanding general for reserve forces at Fort Sam Houston.

Praise for the corps and civilian appearance and conduct came during the annual A&M military observance.

Colonel McCoy added his commendation, indicating the corps' performance was "first class, outstanding all the way."

"The review was the best showing by the corps since I've been here," the commandant added.

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COMBAT CUTIE
 Nancy James, a freshman elementary education major at the University of Texas, models the traditional "five-diamond" helmet liner she won as "Combat Cutie" at Friday's Combat Ball. Her escort is Michael G. Shaw. Her kimono is in tune with the "R&R in Hong King" theme of the Ball. (Photo by Mike Wright)