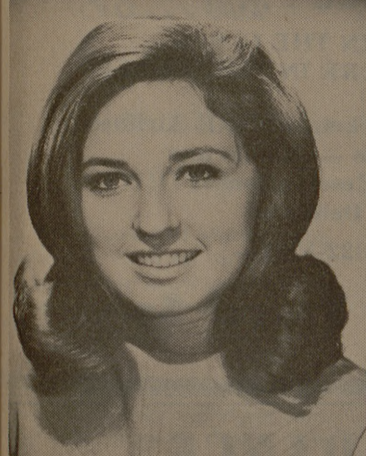


Finalists Named For Aggie Sweetheart



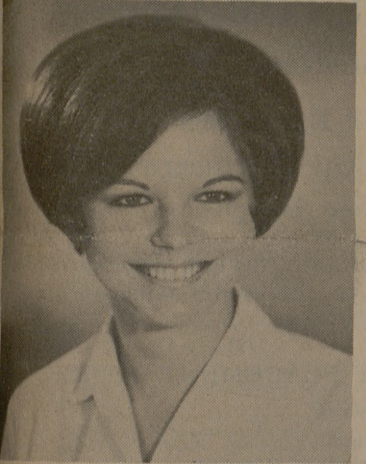
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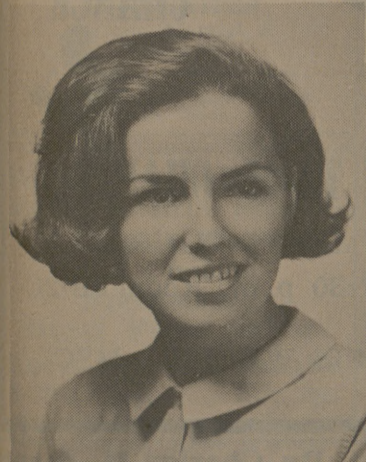
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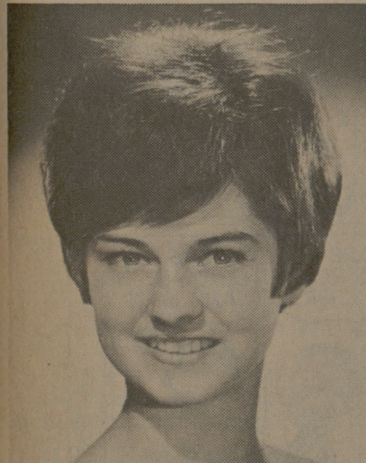
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JANICE DAVIS

By JANIE WALLACE
A new Aggie Sweetheart will be chosen from 14 finalists Sunday following the TCU football game weekend.
The Texas Woman's University students will be escorted to the John Davidson Show at Town Hall, on a tour of the campus, and to the TCU game by the Sweetheart Selection Committee.
Candidates have been screened in a photo elimination and by interview committees before becoming finalists. All candidates must have a minimum overall grade point ratio of 1.2.
THE ESCORTS are able to judge the candidates in circumstances ranging from a morning breakfast to midnight yell practice.
"To make sure all the boys know each girl, they will change

partners every 15 to 20 minutes," explained Robert Boone, adviser to the committee and director of the Singing Cadets.
Boone said judging is based on looks, intelligence, personality, friendliness and poise. The final decision will be made Sunday afternoon.
The schedule is crammed with various activities. On Friday, the group will go to chow at Duncan Dining Hall, to Town Hall at G. Rollie White Coliseum, and to midnight yell practice. Saturday they will tour the campus on a hayride, tour Sbis Dining Hall, attend a steak fry, have a formal dinner, go to the game and attend a formal dance afterward. They will attend special services Sunday morning in the All-Faiths Chapel.
"IN ALL my years as adviser of the selection committee," Boone

said, "I do not know of one girl who came down just for the weekend. They all want to be the Aggie Sweetheart."
A brown-eyed brunette, Leana Allen, is a senior nursing major from Carmichael, California.
Beverly Belew, a sophomore nursing major, is from Roswell, N. M. She has long black hair and brown eyes.
A home economics education major, Karen Burk, is a junior from Rochelle. She has hazel eyes and brown hair.
A junior from Dallas, Cindy Crozier, has green eyes and dark brown hair. She is majoring in art education.
Janice Davis, a brown-eyed blonde from Nocona, is a senior speech-drama education major.
A GREEN-EYED blonde, Georgiann Fort, is a junior occupational therapy major from Okla-

homa City, Okla.
A sophomore from Beatrice, Neb., Jackie Graves, has hazel eyes and brown hair. She is a health, physical education, and recreation major.
A senior elementary education major from Denton, Susan Hennen, is a hazel-eyed blonde.
Cathy Muirhead, a sophomore liberal arts major, is from Denton. She has hazel eyes and brown hair.
A green-eyed blonde, Gladys Petty, is a senior art education major from Mineral Wells.
A sophomore from Altus AFB, Okla., Barbara Shoniers, has blue-green eyes and brown hair. She is a physical therapy major.
A SENIOR sociology-biology major from Orange, Ramona Stark, is a brown-eyed blonde.
Margaret Trussell, a junior speech-drama education major, is

from Garland. She has brown eyes and brown hair.
A blue-eyed brunette, Annella Wright, is a sophomore special education major from Mexia.
Escorts for the weekend are Hector Gutierrez, Corps Commander; David Maddox, Student Senate vice-president; Early Davis, Senior Class president; David Wilks, Civilian Student Council president; Larry Schilhab, civilian chaplain; Fred Blumberg, First Brigade commander; Jim Brunjes, Civilian Student Council treasurer; Pat Rhodes, First Wing commander; Ernest Godsey, Hughes Hall president; John Gingrich, Junior Class president; Jack McGillis, Civilian Student Council representative; Garland Clark, deputy Corps commander; Bruce Baxter, Senior Class social secretary, and Ross Coble, Squadron 3 commander.



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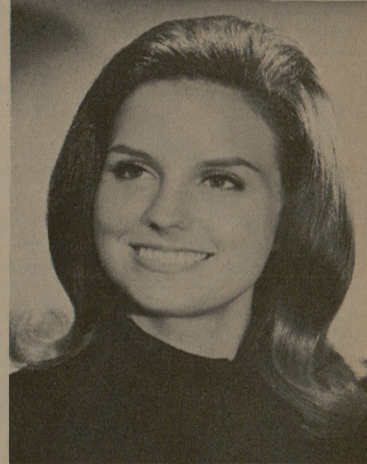
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KAREN BURK



MARGARET TRUSSELL



CATHY MUIRHEAD



SUSAN HENNEN



CINDY CROZIER

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Houston Editor, Officials Head MSC Seminar Series

Houston Post editor William P. Hobby Jr., officials of Houston Mayor Louis Welch's office, lawyers and businessmen will discuss problems of American cities and Black America in a new Great Issues series this year at Texas A&M.
The Great Issues Seminar Series of the Memorial Student Center

will delve into major problems confronting contemporary American society in three inter-related seminars.
First of the Urban Crisis seminars, "The People and the City," will be at 8 p. m. Wednesday in the MSC Assembly Room, announced Tom Fitzhugh of Waco, seminar series chairman.

Panel members for the premiere program will represent government, community action groups and business. They will include Alvin Henry, Negro administrative assistant to the Houston Mayor; Joe H. Foy, Houston Area Poverty Program chairman, and P. H. Robinson, president, Houston Lighting and Power, and

chairman of the city's National Alliance of Business.
They will discuss mutual responsibility of government, community and business sectors in facing problems encountered by minorities in urban centers.
"The seminar series was conceived to provide a forum for open discussion of the most vital and pressing problems of our times," Fitzhugh said.
"Our society's problems are complex and solutions to complex problems are not simple. They deserve more than a brief discussion and perfunctory glance."
"The seminar series will bring our academic community into closer contact with the puzzling dilemmas of our times, dilemmas which may ultimately determine

survival of our society and way of life," the sophomore geophysics major added.
"It's an opportunity to grapple with reality," he said.
The second seminar, on police-community relations Oct. 31, will feature Houston lawyer Gail Whitcomb.
Future programs include Jackson Hinds, head of the Houston mayor's task force on housing, on minority housing; Hobby on media responsibility and unrest factors by Dr. Blair Justice, Mayor Welch's research assistant.
"The Black America Seminar" in December and April "Urban Crisis Seminar" will be co-sponsored with the College of Engineering in a system approach to urban American problems.

Opening Of 'Coffee House' To Be Weekend Highlight

By DALE FOSTER
Battalion Staff Writer
Opening of the new "Coffee House" in the Memorial Student Center basement will highlight this weekend on campus, reported MSC Directorate "Basement" Committee Chairman John Bendele to the MSC Council Monday night.

composite committee was formed to coordinate, facilitate, and promote good public relations for and among the Directorate committees.
ACTIVITIES coordinated by the organization include a weekly MSC news column written by Chris Carlson and an event calendar "This Week in the MSC," a poster series, announcements on the Aggie Hour hosted by Ron Hinds on radio station KORA, and news on "Town Talk" on KBTX-TV.
Action on a Leadership Convocation Dinner, recognizing Who's Who nominees, was referred to the Student Senate for approval of sponsorship this Thursday.
Council Vice President Jim Finane was elected as chairman of the evaluation committee which was formed so that the Council can better serve the student body. Made up of faculty, students, and former students, the committee will take opinion surveys of students to better know campus feeling.
Executive Vice President for

Programs Wayne Prescott announced that interviews will be every Wednesday for individual committee chairmen to confer with the Directorate Executive Committee to eliminate committee stagnation.
CHESS COMMITTEE Chairman David Line reported on his group's progress and said that they would have new equipment.
Trophies have been distributed for the committee's last tournament in which 12 people entered. A rating tournament will be held in December.
COUNCIL Secretary-Treasurer J. Wayne Stark reported that the Town Hall Series is running \$3,000 "in the red" after two presentations.
"We need to get involved with Town Hall and how to get people out to see their programs," Stark commented. "Many people miss out on some very good presentations."
The Bridge Committee was abolished because of lack of leadership, and its funds were added to the Directorate budget.

Head Fish Yell Leader for the 1968-69 school year is William L. Krell Jr., a freshman pre-dental major from Houston.
Along with Krell, selected Monday by the Yell Leader Committee, were six other freshman yell leaders: Gary Jones, Richard Sugarek, Bruce Clay, Scott Kelley and a set of identical twins, Pat and Mike Buckley.
Because Jones and Sugarek are civilians, possibly the first ever selected, the seven new yell leaders will be looking for a common uniform.
"The plan is now to wear khakis at Thursday's game with Baylor, and then switch to a

white uniform," Krell said. "Final plans have not yet been made, however."
The seven Yell Leaders were chosen from ten finalists picked by junior Yell Leaders Gary Mauro and John Holscher.
The ten were chosen from a field of 36 who tried out for Yell Leaders Friday and Monday in The Grove.
The duties of Fish Yell Leaders are to attend all freshman football and basketball games and to encourage the freshmen class to support the fish team, according to Mauro.
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Head Fish Yell Leader Krell, 6 Others Named For 1968-69

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Six A&M Students Apprehended In Weekend Thefts

Six Texas A&M students were apprehended in connection with gasoline and sign thefts last weekend by Campus Security officials.
Three separate arrests were made Friday and Saturday nights, Security Chief Ed Powell said.
Charges of petty theft were filed with Peace Justice Alton Boyett against Michael D. Conger and Charles A. Yaffie in connection with the theft of several gallons of gasoline.
Paul C. Potter was charged with petty theft in College Station City Court in connection with the theft of a bank parking lot exit sign.
Charges have not yet been filed against the three others.
All six were apprehended on campus by Sgt. W. O. Walker and Patrolmen Ray Hawthorne, Mike Lacy and J. B. Miller of the security office.



HERE'S TO YOU, MR. MATSON
Bob Burford, center, Student Senate Public Relations Chairman, and committee members Larry Carreker, left, and Robert Stanzel, look at a list of 1851 names wired Friday to Olympic Gold Medalist Randy Matson in Mexico City. Members of the student body signed the telegram list at a cost of ten cents per person. The text in part read "Howdy Randy. The 12th man everywhere puts the shot with you." See story, page 4. (Photo by W. R. Wright)

WEATHER
Wednesday—Partly cloudy, afternoon rain showers. Winds Southerly 10 to 15 mph. High 87, low 71.
Thursday—Partly cloudy to cloudy. Afternoon thundershower. Winds Southerly 10 to 20 mph. High 86, low 73.
Saturday—Cloudy, thunderstorms in afternoon, ending by kickoff at 7:30. Winds Westerly 10 to 20 mph. 68°. Humidity 75%.

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