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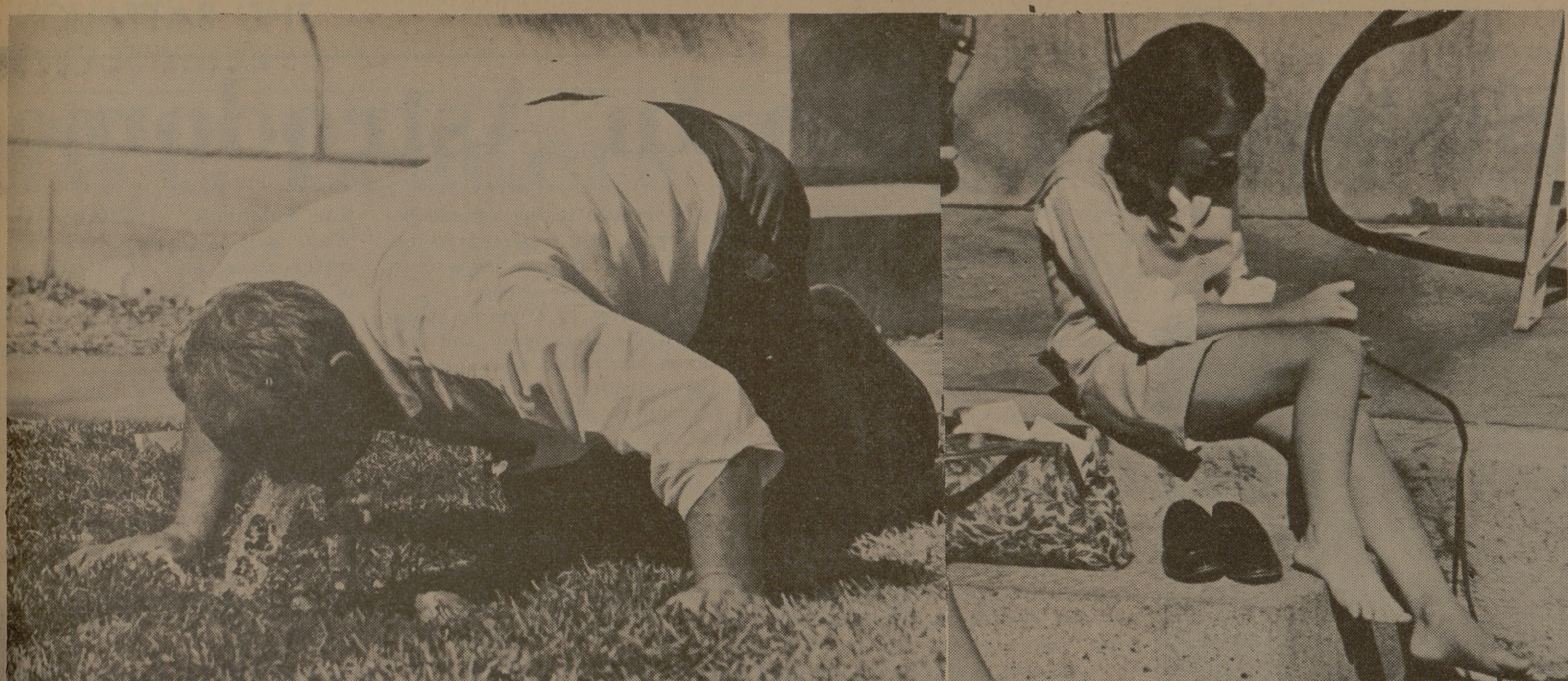
## Library To Close 5 Days For Break

The library will be closed five days during the semester break. classes begin at 8 a.m. Monday, Feb. 3.

Dr. James P. Dyke, library director, said the library will close at midnight Saturday, Jan. 25, the last day of fall semester final exams, and reopen for the spring semester at 8 a.m. Friday, Jan. 31.

An abbreviated schedule will be observed Friday, Jan. 31, (8 a.m. to 5 p.m.) and Saturday, Feb. 1 (8 a.m. to 12 noon). The library will resume its regular schedule Sunday, Feb. 2. Spring semester

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A HOT DAY IN AUSTIN

Tuesday's inauguration of Preston Smith was blessed with perfect weather as the temperature rose to over 75 degrees. A water faucet on the capital lawn made a useful water fountain for a cool drink, while one sweet young thing took advantage of Smith's long speech to sun tan her feet. (Photos by Mike Wright)

## Shell Oil Refinery Manager Urges Government Interest

The businessman can no longer have a passive, or minor interest in government, a Houston oil executive declared Wednesday morning here while taking a slap at labor.

Shell Oil Company refinery manager L. T. Wilson with headquarters in Deer Park, added, "It (government) relates too closely to our business."

"As our economy grows and our relative position in the world grows, in importance, this influence of government on our business will also grow so we must maintain an active and growing interest in our government," he said.

Keynote for the opening of the 24th Symposium on Instrumentation for the Process Industries, Wilson praised "our system of government under which free enterprise exists and has produced the greatest society the world has known."

Turning his interest to organized labor, however, Wilson noted "an important segment of our society which recognized the growing power in Washington, did its homework, and took an early lead in influencing our Washington administration."

He said this in large part accounts for the pro-labor posture which has "persisted all too long in Washington. Labor still has a disproportionate influence in Washington."

American workers can give "the back of their hand" to the administration and "get away with it," Wilson declared.

They have established an imbalance of influence in Washington, he pointed out, and one which

"poses a serious threat to the health of our economy."

He cited a case on record, Fibreboard Paper Products Corp. versus National Labor Relations Board, as an illustration of how "new political appointees" of the NLRB can bring about changes in established law.

Wilson explained that, although the case had been upheld by the NLRB (Eisenhower Board) in favor of Fibreboard in 1961, it was later reopened and reconsidered by the NLRB (Kennedy Board), who then decided in favor of em-

ployes. As a result, the employers "potential back pay liability . . . amounted to approximately one-half million dollars," Wilson added.

He said, "I submit that this kind of administration is not what our founding fathers intended."

Wilson emphasized that the course is clear, adding "We, as business and professional men, must exert our talents to restore a balance in Washington. I have great confidence that it can and will be done."

## Montana Professor Named To A&M Water Institute

Dr. Clarence Jensen, professor of Agricultural Economics, Montana State University, has been appointed to the A&M Water Resources Institute, Dr. Jack Runkles announced.

Runkles, acting director of the Institute, said Jensen, on sabbatical leave, will be here six months working with Dr. Warren Trock of the Department of Agricultural Economics and Sociology. Trock is presently engaged in an Institute project involving a study of institutional factors influencing inter-basin transfers of water in Texas, Runkles added.

Trock's research program with Jensen will be concerned with the "legal, economic and cultural factors which are involved in the transfer of water."

The study is a matching grant project with funds from the Office of Water Resources Research, Department of the Interior.

Jensen, appointed to the Montana faculty in 1955, was named a full professor in 1961, and served as department head in 1966-68.

Jensen's previous research activity has centered around costs and returns in farming and ranching, resource productivity and agricultural adjustments.

## GRE Deadline Set For Spring Grads

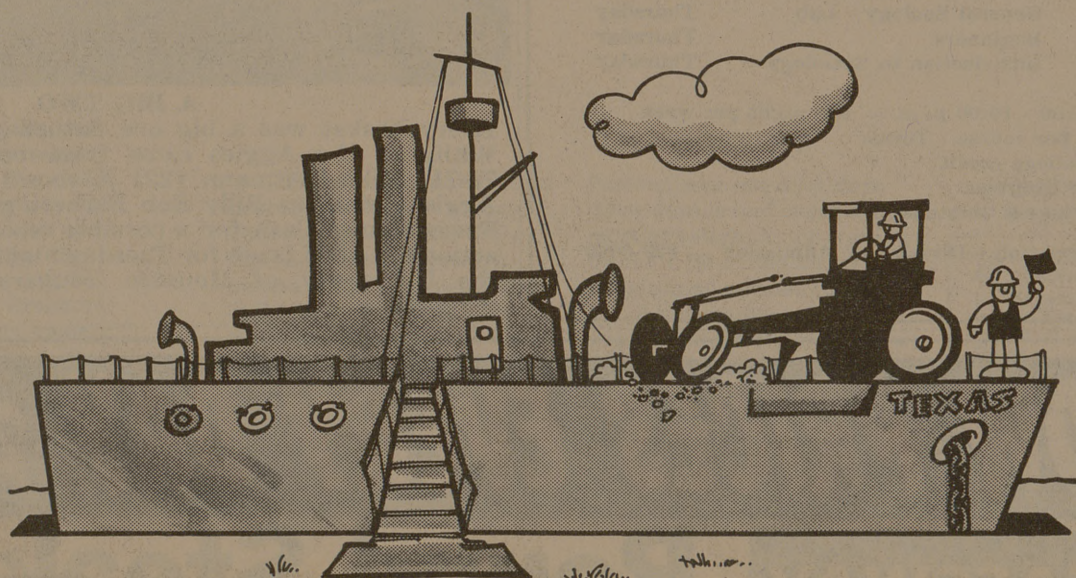
Seniors expecting to graduate next May should register for the Graduate Record Examinations at the Counseling and Testing Center before Feb. 21.

The GRE will be given March 21-22, announced S. Auston Kerley, center director. Students who register before Feb. 21 will receive a reminder card about five days before testing.

"Students who cannot take the March 21-22 tests may register for the national testing program of the Graduate Record Examinations to be given on campus April 26," Kerley added.

National program applications are available at the center.

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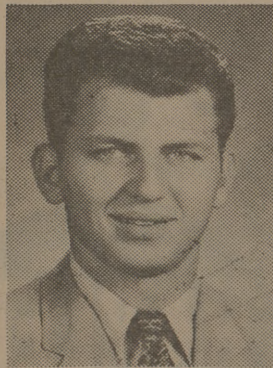
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