A&M's Mechanics and Materials Research Center (MMRC) has ter director and principal investiwon a \$50,000 contract to research advanced high-strength materials.

College Station, Texas

The latest project teams TAMU researchers with those from The Aerojet Solid Propulsion Co. of Sacramento, Calif. Objective of the one-year study is development of glass fiber-reinforced plastic pressure vessels for use as rocket

Dr. Richard A. Schapery, cengator, said the MMRC study is to improve techniques used to predict stresses and deflections in the high-strength but flexible

plastic cases. The center, which includes faculty members from engineering and the sciences, will study material behavior under the stresses of rocket flight and develop a

entirely within their computers, thus eliminating the expensive new design.

fabrication of prototypes of every Assisting Dr. Schapery will be Dr. J. E. Martinez, civil engineering structural mechanics expert;

Scott Beckwith, a doctoral stu-

companies to design cases which

are as light in weight as possible,

consistent with required strength,

He said anticipated accuracy

of the computer codes will allow

rocket companies to design, test

and compare new rocket cases

Dr. Schapery reported.

computer code to enable rocket dent, and Nick Conrad, master's out. "It was the problem-solving

Dr. Schapery noted MMRC has focused much of its efforts since organization last year on advancing studies in composites materi-

Combination of metal, rubber, plastics and ceramics yield composites with greater strength-toweight ratios and environmentally resistant characteristics not attainable before, he said.

"Emerging materials and mechanics technology demand an interdisciplinary approach for solutions," Dr. Schapery pointed destructive testing methods.

Mehren was assistant secretary

of agriculture and a member of

the Commodity Credit Corpora-

tion Board of Directors, 1963-68,

and a member of the President's

Committee on Consumer Inter-

ests, 1964-67, among many other

combination of expert knowledge from several departments at TA-MU that led to the organization of the MMRC."

The professor of civil and aerospace engineering reported over half of the research is funded by the Navy, Air Force and NASA.

Current work at the center includes analysis of submarine hulls, characterization of graphite fiber-reinforced composites, ultrahigh pressure transducer development, studies on corrosion of metals and advancement of non-





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of the association for the coming year during the meeting which starts at 10 a.m. in Sbisa Hall.

The organization is a cooperative composed of abbut 44,000 dairy farmers from the Gulf of Mexico to the Canadian border. One hundred and twenty-three counties in South and Southeast Texas are in the Southern Divi-

Other speakers will be John Butterbrodt of Wisconsin, national AMPI president, and Elbridge (ck) Sullivan of Oklahoma, pres-

Hinojosa named **Urban Planning** Dept. head

Assoc. Prof. J. H. Hinojosa has been named head of A&M's Urban Planning Department, effective Sept. 1, announced Dean Edward J. Romieniec of the College of Architecture and Environmental

A member of the TAMU faculty since 1968, Hinojosa has served as acting head of the department since June 1971. Earlier this year, the 37-year-old professor assumed additional responsibilities as director of the college's Model Cities

Hinojosa also serves as a consultant to the State Department's Agency for International Development for a regional development project in Costa Rica.

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Proverbs 1:2-9

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