

Alpha Lambda Holds Reception In MSC

A reception for Alpha Lambda, a scholastic honor society for men, will be held at the Memorial Student Center, Social Hall, on the evening of Wednesday, the twenty-seventh of September, at 7.

Invitations have been sent to men eligible for membership. The requirements are as follows:

A student must have at least one semester in residence at A&M. A prospective member must be a second semester freshman or first semester sophomore with an overall GPR of 3.5 and currently enrolled as a full-time student (minimum 12 hours). Any student that has not received an invitation and meets the above requirements is requested to call the Dean of Women's Office at 845-1741.

Teachers To Meet In One-Day Workshop

English teachers of a 15-county district of the Texas Joint English Committee for Schools of Colleges (TJEC) will meet in a one-day workshop Oct. 7 at A&M.

FBI's Crime Center Teletype Scoring Hits For Patrolmen

Two highway patrolmen working Interstate 10 near Sierra Blanca, in sparsely-settled far west Texas, radioed for information on a suspicious car with California license.

The Department of Public Safety office in El Paso put the inquiry on the teletype to the FBI's National Crime Information Center (NCIC) and scored a hit. Driver of the car was wanted in connection with a Phoenix, Ariz., bank robbery six days earlier.

Taking the man and a woman companion in custody, the highway patrolmen recovered \$1,600 in hundred-dollar bills. The FBI assumed investigation of the case, and the man returned to Arizona for prosecution.

This is one of an increasing number of "hits" being scored by Texas police agencies seeking case-supporting information through the Texas terminal of the FBI's National Crime Information Center.

Since early this year all law enforcement agencies in the state with a teletype terminal have been able to make inquiries for criminal information to NCIC, through the automatic switching facility at the Texas Department of Public Safety.

The Criminal Justice Council has funded every state planning region in Texas to develop a regional teletype network compatible with the state system. As a result, 290 agencies now have teletype terminals, and equipment has been upgraded. Automatic machines now in operation transmit and receive at 100 words per minute.

Messages reaching the DPS switching facility, also funded by the CJC, are directed automatically to their destination. In July such messages numbered 833,532.

Of this number 32,581 were NCIC inquiries. They produced 2,214 hits for an average of 68.4 per day.

Seven hundred hits a day were being made by NCIC on inquiries

Workshop areas on various phases of teaching English will be conducted for teachers at all school and college levels.

Dr. Gary Tate, Levy Professor of English at Texas Christian University, will make the main address and Mrs. Ruth Denney, director of the Houston School for the Performing and Visual Arts, will speak at the workshop luncheon.

Foreign Exchange Program Available

The U.S. national office of the International Association for the Exchange of Students for Technical Experience (IAESTE) has announced that program materials for its 1973 exchange are now available from its new offices in Columbia, Md.

The IAESTE program provides opportunities for on-the-job, practical training in a foreign country for students (sophomore through graduate levels) in engineering, architecture, agriculture and the sciences. Students are placed with foreign companies, research institutes and educational institutions for 8-12 weeks during the summer vacation with some long-term openings of up to one year also

available. The foreign employer pays the trainee a maintenance allowance with the student covering the cost of international travel, insurance and miscellaneous expenses.

Placements are available in 40 other countries, although most are in Western Europe. Fluency in language is required for some countries and useful in others. There is a \$50 application fee and the application deadline for the 1973 program is Dec. 15, 1972. Further information and application forms may be secured from: IAESTE/US, American City Building, Suite 217, Columbia, Maryland 21044.

Presnal Appointed To Interim Committee

State Representative Bill Presnal has been appointed to an Interim Committee to Study Water Districts in the State of Texas. House Speaker Rayford Price today announced the appointment of the committee.

The House committee is charged with the responsibility to determine if the passage of water district legislation passed during the 61st and 62nd Sessions of the Legislature was in the public interest, whether appropriate controls should be exercised over the passage of any such future legislation, and, if so, what those controls should be.

New Judo Club Organized Here; Students Taught Self-Defense

An opportunity for men and women at A&M to enjoy themselves in a unique recreational sport is being offered free of charge.

The A&M Judo Club instructors are three competent black belt holders in judo, all students at the university.

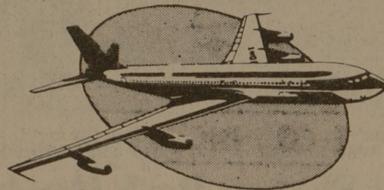
Judo, a sport originated by Dr. Jigoro Kano, in 1883, is based on the art of Japanese jujitsu. He unified the art under a single principle—the maximum efficient use of the mind and body, thus giving an individual a unique sense of accomplishment.

All individuals interested in learning judo are invited to attend the first club meeting at G. Rollie White Coliseum Annex Room 253, at 5 p.m. Friday.

Girls will also be given special training in self defense, including techniques in Aikido, another one of the martial arts.

Questions about the club can be answered by calling Gibbs Dibrell, at 846-6439.

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"REMEMBER ALSO THY CREATOR"

Having considered various ways in which man may live, the writer of Ecclesiastes gives his wise counsel as to how he should live. His last chapter begins with the words of our title: "Remember also thy Creator." Upon reflection it seems incredible that anyone would need this instruction, yet nothing is more obvious than that multitudes live their lives ignoring or forgetting their Creator. Like the Gentiles and Jews of old, they refuse to have Him in their knowledge, or forget Him days without number (Rom. 1:28; Jer. 2:32).

How ungrateful to live life ignoring the One Who gave it! How foolish to misuse life defying the One Who will judge it! Think of one living his life with total disregard for his parents, then multiply that infinitely and you begin to have some conception of the offense of ignoring God. Ecclesiastes especially stresses the need to remember the Creator in the "days of thy youth," the formative years. In the days ahead, in the midst of all the things you must remember, when so many things demand your time, attention, and energy, "remember also thy Creator." Be mindful of God, before "the dust returneth to the earth as it was," before He brings "every work into judgment," before man goes "to his everlasting home" (Eccl. 12). If you forget the Creator, no matter what else you remember, all will be "vanity and a striving after wind."

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