

# Reviewer Calls 'Walking Tall' Stirring

**Batt Movie Review**  
By JULIA JONES  
"Walking Tall" is a violent movie, and it stirs violent feelings in people. They either love it or hate it, but no one is neutral. Whether you like it or not, and I did not, it must be commended for stirring audiences. This is a step above some current offerings that are outstanding for nothing. Emotional impact is its only virtue. Although it is clear that the cast and director tried, the film failed in structure and script. It has an amateurish quality that makes it more akin to home movies than a professional flick. They use an actor, Joe Don Baker, who certainly seems Southern enough for this Southern movie, but he could have used more emotion in the part. He used the same expressions for being beat up as he did for the love scenes. The film showed what happened to the people without showing their reactions. The story is certainly valid enough, but it is too realistic. In real life you rarely see people display their emotions, but what will work in real life will not always work in the flicks. We need to see emotion in order to understand why the characters act as they do.

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## Campus Briefs

### Weather Forecasting Course

A&M's Center for Applied Geosciences and the Electric Power Institute will co-sponsor a two-day short course on weather forecasting for utility companies this week.

The course is offered to electric personnel who are concerned with day-to-day scheduling of generation units, Dr. Scoggins said.

The course will prepare scheduling personnel to better evaluate weather reports and plan the next day's power generation appropriately.

### Water Utilities School

The Texas Engineering Extension Service, a division of TAMU, will assist in conducting the 25th annual West Texas Regional Water Utilities Short School in Lubbock, Nov. 6-8.

Texas Water Utilities Association, Texas Water Quality Board, Texas State Department of Health and TAMU.

The short school, scheduled in Lubbock's Public Works Service Center, is co-sponsored by the

The purpose of the course is to help prepare persons desiring a career in the production of safe drinking water, or treating of waste water.

### Faculty, Staff Appointments

New faculty and staff appointments have been announced by A&M Industrial Engineering Department.

designated for the 1973-74 school year are Dr. J. A. Barnes, Prof. J. P. CoVan, Dr. R. D. Huchingson, Dr. R.B. Konzen, and Dr. A. M. Sherwood.

Joining the Computing Science faculty are Dr. J. A. Barnes, Mrs. Laverne Thompson, Charles N. Adams, John W. Sigle, George Kemer, Kurt A. Schember, Dr. J. A. Moore, and Jack Thompson.

New departmental assignments also have been announced by Dr. Paul H. Newell Jr., head of the Industrial Engineering Department. Dr. Roger W. Elliott, associate professor, has been named assistant department head, Selected to head the Computing Science Division is Dr. D. B. Simmons, associate professor, who also directs the Data Processing Center.

New appointees in the Industrial Engineering Division are Dr. Stanley A. Brooking, Dr. Ram B. Misra, Dr. A. E. Harvey, Dr. Roland S. Morris, Roger Sorrells, and Dr. Don L. S pencer.

Bioengineering Division staff member additions are Rowland J. Kinkler Jr., D.V.M. Donne Stevens and Albert Swarts.

Departmental student counselors

### Teachers Meeting

Dr. John Koldus vice president for student services, will speak Nov. 14 to members of the Texas Association of College Teachers (TACT).

Peniston Cafeteria, in Sbsa Dining Hall. TACT member Henry Alsmeyer Jr. said the schedule is arranged to end the meeting at 1 p. m.

He will discuss TAMU student affairs and answer questions. The noon meeting will be at

Interested faculty are invited to attend.

### Free University Session

"Wines: Their Use and Production" will be the topic of A&M's Free University session of "Biological Aspects of Social Problems" Wednesday.

at 8 p. m. Oct. 31 in Room 146 of the TAMU Physics Building.

Dr. Johannes van Overbeek, TAMU professor of biology and a member of the Allied Grape Growers, will present the lecture

Topics for the remaining lectures are "Understanding Human Behavior," Nov. 7, and "The Scientific Way Toward a Happy Marriage," Nov. 14. Dr. van Overbeek, coordinator of the course, will conduct the remaining programs.

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Business and governmental personnel began a weeklong Management Seminar here Sunday.

It is the largest of the 25-seminar series with 64 participants, according to B. J. Adams. The May seminar enrolled a record 46.

Adams, Executive Development Programs director in the College of Business Administration, said the group meeting here Sunday through Friday includes managers from four companies new to the seminar.

Sessions at the J. Earl Rudder Conference Center tower began at 3 p. m. Sunday. The six-day seminar features discussions, case studies and workshops on managerial styles,

motivations and techniques, a systems approach to management, managing a manager's time and communications.

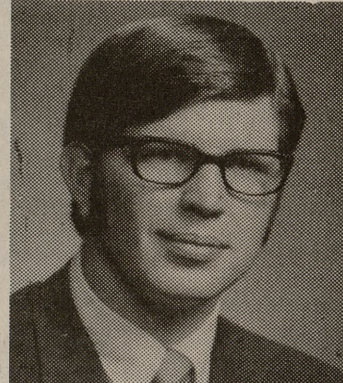
Participants are from 18 firms and city offices throughout Texas, and from Oklahoma and Arkansas. The group includes Charles R. "Chuck" Cargill, TAMU University Center manager, and A. L. Schlant, audits and finance director, Vice President and Comptroller Office.

"Many managers in today's business world entered through another field," Adams said. "Many of our participants have engineering backgrounds. But when they become managers, they must acquire new tools, new concepts and new ways of thinking."

TAMU business faculty and prominent business management professionals conduct the seminar.

Featured speakers are Donald L. Wass, William Oncken Co., of Dallas president; Robert J. Potts, Mobil Oil regional medical director, Dallas, and M. L. Golladay, Planning Dynamics Inc. vice president Pittsburg.

Contributing TAMU faculty are Dr. J. P. Abbott, Distinguished Professor Emeritus of English; Dr. Clinton Phillips, head, and Dr. William Etter, Finance Department; Dr. Douglas Stone, head, and Dr. Arthur Wolfe, Management Department, and Dr. William R. Smith, Psychology Department.



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