

Free U class sign-up to be held Thursday and Friday

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Jitterbugging, bartending, rafting, hiking, exercising and socializing are some of the activities offered through the Memorial Student Center this summer.

Sign-up for MSC Free U classes will run from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Thursday and Friday in Room 226 in the MSC.

This summer 10 classes are offered, lasting from two to 10 weeks and costing between \$9.50 and \$25.

Courses offered are: beginning Country and Western dancing, advanced Country and Western dancing, two Jitterbug classes, wine appreciation, bar-

tending and four fitness classes — ener-jazz, aerobic exercise, aerobic dance and body works work out.

The MSC Outdoor Recreation Committee will hold a general meeting tonight at 7 in Room 502 Rudder. A film about white water rafting will be shown.

A weekend canoe trip down the San Marcos River and kayak workshops in Cain pool are some of the activities the Outdoor Recreation Committee has planned for the summer, Charlie Walter, an MSC advisor, said.

He said between 10 and 15 people take the weekend trips.

The trips, which cost about \$20, mainly are for beginners and

give one-on-one instruction.

A Fourth of July rafting trip is planned through Big Bend National Park. It will cost \$95 and last four or five days, he said.

Two trips are planned for August 13-19. One trip, which will cost \$235, is backpacking through Rocky Mountain National Park and the other, which will cost \$180, is rafting and hiking through Yellowstone and Grand Teton National Parks.

Walter said that the backpacking trip is recommended for those with experience, but beginners are welcome on the rafting and hiking trip.

"We haven't lost anyone yet," he said.

CS School Board accepts move for Holik St. signals

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The College Station School Board met Monday night in a special meeting to discuss authorization of 11 additional personnel for the 1983-84 school year.

The board recommended that College Station Independent School District Superintendent H. R. Burnett be given authorization to employ the same number of personnel for the 1982-83 school year and up to 11 instructional personnel for

the 1983-84 school year.

Other items on the agenda were pedestrian signals for Holik Street and awarding the bid for the A&M Consolidated Junior High paving project.

The City of College Station recommended that automatically time controlled and/or manually operated signals and 20 mph speed limit signs be installed on Holik Street for the safety of students.

The estimated cost of this project is between \$3,500 and \$4,000 with the school district

not to pay more than half of the total cost.

The board accepted the recommendation with an amendment to discuss the future abandonment of Holik Street by the city so the school district could take over.

The paving project was awarded to Diamond Energy for the amount of \$47,540.74. Diamond Energy was the second lowest bidder, but because of an error in tabulation the first lowest bidder, Benbow-Coen, withdrew their bid.

Killed in shootout with protester

Sheriff eulogized in heroic death

United Press International
WALNUT RIDGE, Ark. — The Arkansas sheriff killed in a shootout with anti-government protester Gordon Kahl was eulogized as an officer willing to face danger even though he knew it could someday mean his death.

Lawrence County Sheriff Gene Matthews, 36, was leading a group of officers into an underground bunker to arrest Kahl when he was killed by a rifle bullet. At the same moment, Matthews fired at Kahl and is believed to have killed him, authorities said.

"He was the man who was first to volunteer, first to take command and not afraid to pay the price that he paid," Arkansas State Trooper Mike Coy of Jonesboro, Ark., told an overflow crowd at Matthews' funeral Sunday.

About 250 officers with black tape across their badges were among the crowd of 700 people who packed the First United Methodist Church and stood outside in the humid afternoon to pay their last respects.

State Medical Examiner Dr. Fahmy Malak expected to confirm with dental records Monday that the charred body removed from the bunker after the shootout Friday night was Kahl's. He said earlier he is "quite certain" the man is Kahl.

Kahl, 63, died of a gunshot wound just above his right ear, and Malak said the bullet came from a .44-caliber Magnum handgun — the type carried by Matthews.

Matthews was hit twice, Malak said. A blast from a shotgun was stopped by his bulletproof vest, but the rifle bullet tore through his left arm and into his chest just an inch from the vest, he said.

Officers outside opened fire as soon as they heard shooting inside the bunker. Reports have differed on whether Matthews ran from the house under his own power or had to be dragged to safety.

He died three hours later at a hospital in Walnut Ridge, the town where he had lived all his life.

Kahl, a member of the paramilitary Posse Comitatus, was being sought in the February

slayings of two federal marshals in North Dakota. A citizen who apparently had seen Kahl's picture on an FBI wanted poster reported Kahl was in northeast Arkansas last week.

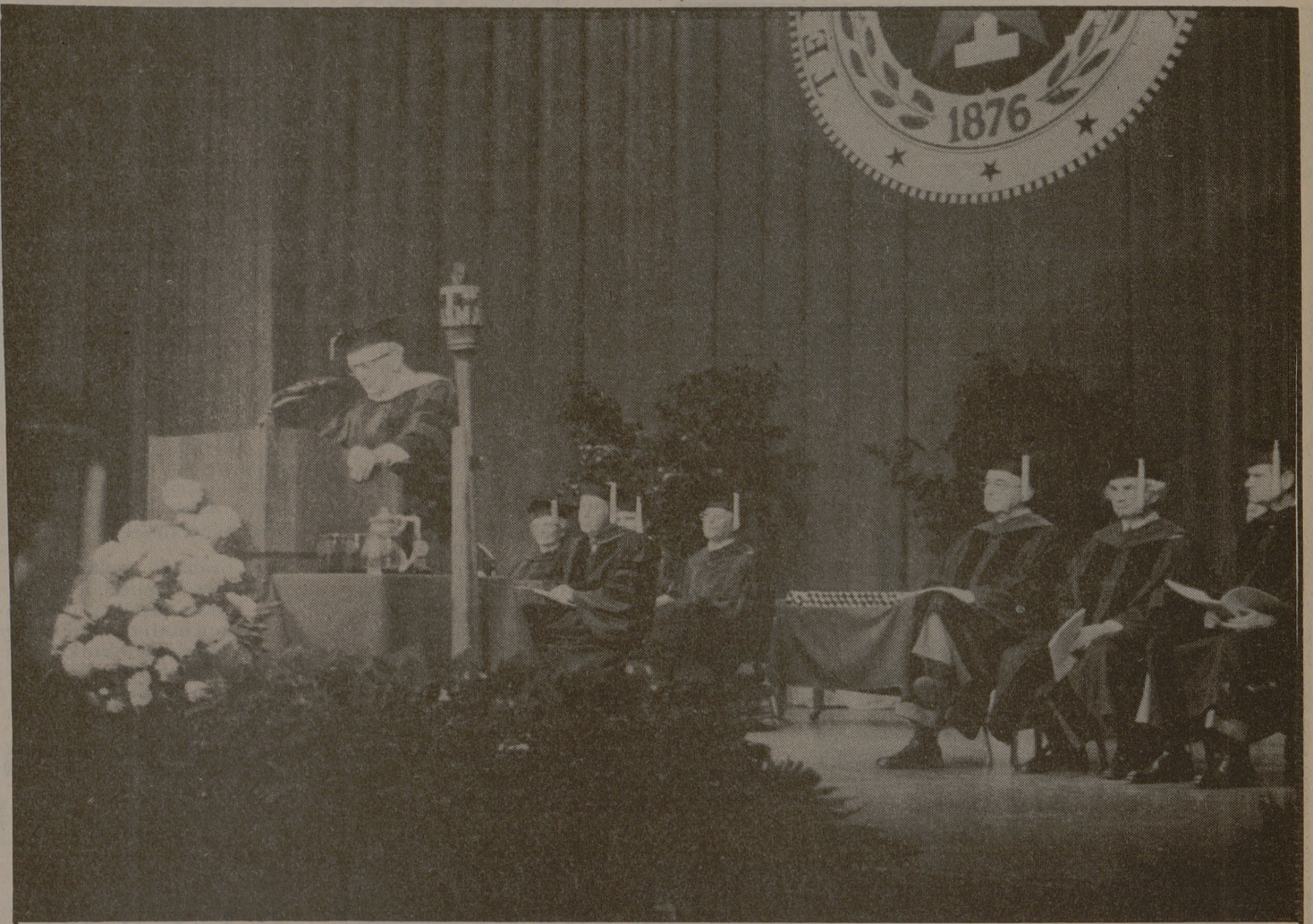
The couple who built the concrete bunker in the side of a hill — Leonard and Norma Ginter — were arrested just before the shootout and later charged with capital murder in Matthews' death. They also face federal charges of harboring a fugitive.

"They're just common, old ordinary folks," said Bill Wade, who owns the property. "Man alive, they're the finest people in the world."

Wade said he and the Ginters shared Kahl's opposition to federal income tax but were not members of Posse Comitatus.

"Leonard was a good student of the Bible," Wade said.

Eight thousand rounds of ammunition stored in the Ginters' home exploded when police tear gas burst into flames.



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College of Medicine Commencement

Dr. Raymond D. Pruitt, Dean Emeritus of the Mayo Medical School in Rochester, Minn., delivered the commencement address for the College of Medicine. The commencement

exercises were Saturday afternoon in Rudder Theatre. Dr. Pruitt holds several honorary degrees, is the author of over 100 publications, and is a member of many honorary societies.

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Lightning hits, kills teenager

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BAYOU BENOIT, La. — A southern Louisiana teenager was killed and another man was injured by a bolt of lightning that struck their boat, authorities said.

Russell Savoie, 16, of St. Martinville, died Sunday at a Lafayette hospital after being struck by lightning at the Sandy Cove landing. Samuel Clausen, 35, also of St. Martinville, was listed in stable condition.

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