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Adkisson picks Bond to return to A&M as deputy chancellor

University News Service
James B. Bond will return to the Texas A&M University System staff Sept. 1 as deputy chancellor, with responsibilities similar to those that he held when he resigned two and a half years ago.

Bond, 50, is the second deputy chancellor appointee to be announced by Chancellor Perry L. Adkisson within the past week.

Earlier, he named Dr. William H. Mobley to join his staff at the deputy chancellor level to assist in business, financial and related matters. Both appointments are subject to confirmation by the A&M Board of Regents.

Adkisson said Bond will concentrate on legal and external affairs, emphasizing liaison with local community leaders and governmental relations at the federal level.

The chancellor praised Bond's abilities and cited the value of his past experience with the system and his standing in the community.

"He is a person in whom I hold great trust and for whom I have immense respect, and he is also held in the highest regard by the regents, the administration and faculty for



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his ability and warm manner," Adkisson said.

"I know that he is also held in great respect in the community and can be highly effective in working with local leaders to attain goals that are mutually beneficial," he added.

"It is my intention to strengthen the ties between the system and local government and local business leaders, and Jimmy Bond can play a key role in such efforts," Adkisson said.

Bond said he is looking forward to returning to the system's staff and working with Chancellor Adkisson.

"I am certainly flattered to be extended the opportunity to rejoin the system — particularly to serve with Dr. Adkisson," Bond said. "I also look forward to rejoining my many friends within the administration and faculties of all the system parts."

Before he resigned on Feb. 1, 1984, to re-enter private law practice, Bond was vice chancellor for legal and public affairs. He initially joined the TAMUS staff in 1976 after practicing law in Navasota.

He has been active in local government and civic endeavors. He is currently a member of the College Station City Council and he said he plans to continue to serve.

While living in Navasota, he served as a trustee for the Navasota Independent School District and is a past president of the Grimes County Chamber of Commerce.

In 1974 he was honored as the Grimes County Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Citizen. Also while residing in Navasota he served on the Texas Industrial Commission.

Bond is a 1958 A&M graduate and he earned his law degree at the University of Houston's Bates College of Law in 1968.

Texas tries for 3rd consecutive Miss USA

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Michelle Royer, the new Miss Texas-USA, will try to make it three in a row for the state when she competes for the Miss USA title.

Royer, 20, of Keller, was crowned Monday night at San Antonio's Municipal Auditorium. She will represent

Texas in the Miss USA contest next February in Miami.

The two previous Miss Texas-USAs went on to take the national title.

The four other finalists were, first runner-up, Miss Harris County, LeeAnne Locken; second runner-

up, Miss Houston, Kimberly Greer; third runner-up, Miss Dallas County, Adrienne Ross; and fourth runner-up, Miss Bayou City, Crystal Dillard.

Royer is a student at Tarrant County Junior College.

New traffic light system in CS near completion

By Jean Lennox
Reporter

College Station residents will find themselves growing at a few more stoplights next month after the city completes a new \$295,300 traffic light system on Wellborn Road, Texas Avenue and FM 2818.

The lights will be completed in the next 30 days, says Bill Bockman, managing resident engineer for the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation.

College Station Traffic Engineer John Black says the traffic light project started March 10th and consists of five new traffic signals that cost about \$60,000 each.

Black says federal funds were made available for the lights after data revealed an excess number of accidents on the street. The state earmarks funds for highway improvement, he says, and the money is distributed to cities on the basis of need.

The city recorded the traffic frequency on all the city streets and recorded the number of accidents from 1981-84, then sent all the information to Austin, he says.

"There must have been

enough accidents at those intersections for them to give us the money," Black says.

Bockman said the five new signals are at the intersections of FM 2818 and Longmire Drive, FM 2818 and Rio Grande Boulevard, Wellborn Road and Southwest Parkway, University Drive and Wellborn Road, and Texas Avenue and Deacon Road.

He says 90 percent of the project was funded by the federal government and 10 percent was funded by the state.

A new feature of the lights is a loop detector under the pavement that senses metallic objects, he says.

When a vehicle approaches the light, it sends a message to a computer at city hall. The computer then determines the optimum traffic flow for that intersection.

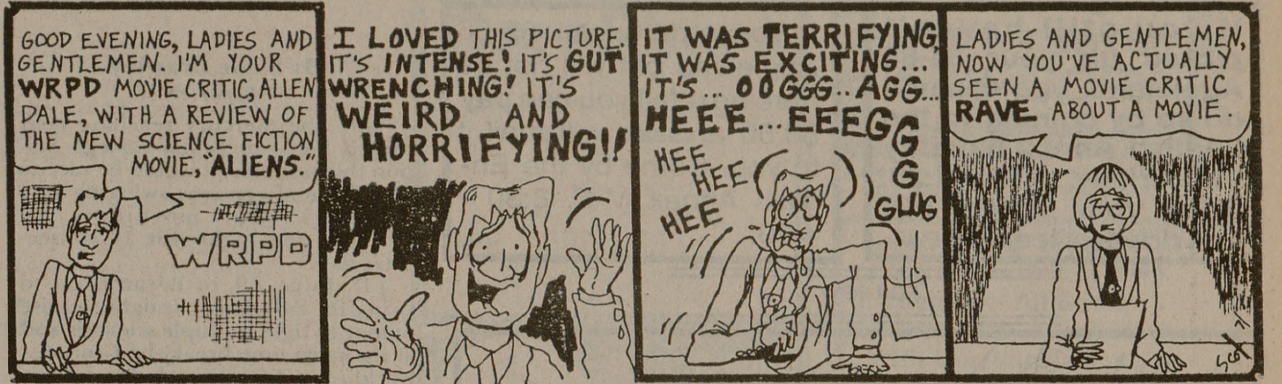
"This will help avoid any congestion at the lights when all the students return for the fall," he says.

Black explains that since he is in charge of the traffic signal system in College Station, he receives all the nasty phone calls from people who are upset about the lights.

"I didn't realize that public relations was 90 percent of the job when I took it," Black says with a laugh.

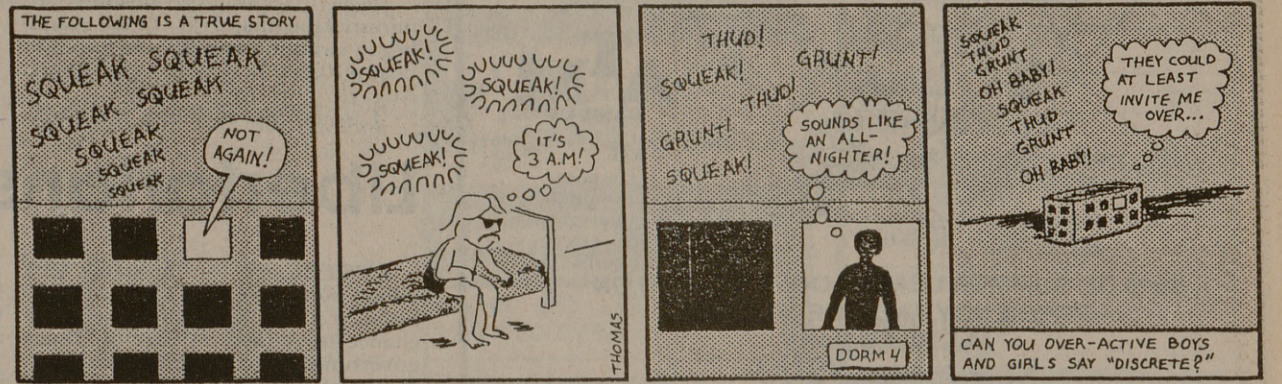
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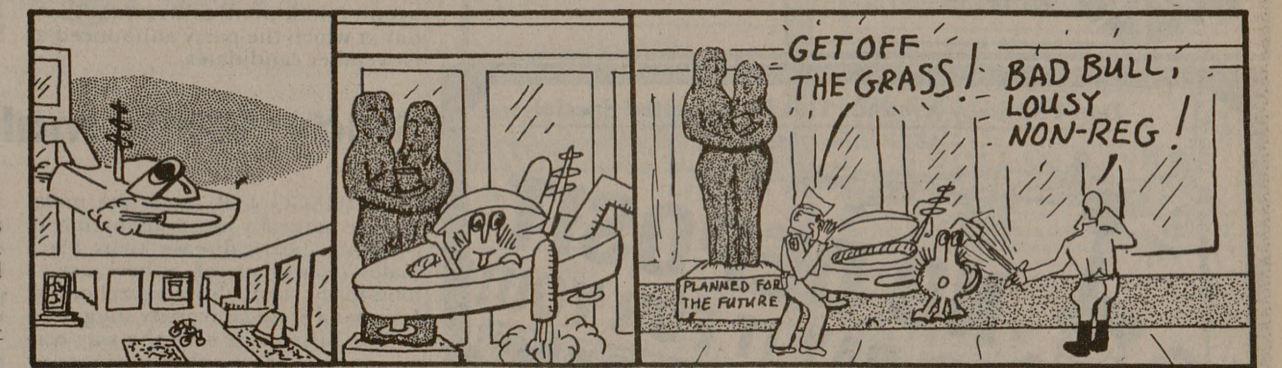
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Sociology head named associate provost

University News Service
Dr. Jerry Gaston, professor and head of the Sociology Department at Texas A&M since 1981, has been named associate provost for the university, effective Sept. 1.

Provost Donald McDonald, who selected Gaston from a list of nominees provided by a faculty search committee, announced the appointment.

Service provides lists of scholarships

By KATHRYN GREENWADE
Reporter

Students in the Bryan-College Station area who need financial aid can find help through a newly organized scholarship search service that puts them in touch with private donors.

The Scholarship Source Registry, operated by Tom Stone, puts students in touch with scholarships that correspond to their career interests. The service provides a list of donors that the student might not know about otherwise, Stone said.

"The target group for the program is high school seniors and college freshmen and sophomores," he said.

The application states that the program does not apply to juniors and seniors, but Stone said there is a service available to graduate students.

The home company for the service, Academic Guidance Service, located in Marlton, New Jersey, reported that over \$4 billion in gifts, grants, and scholarships is available for students each year. Stone said many of these are not awarded

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because people are not aware that they are available.

"I was amazed at the millions of dollars that go unawarded each year," Stone said.

"Part of the reason for the service is that people don't realize how many sources exist. We identify these sources for them."

Stone is an independent licensee who serves as a contact to the parent company.

He charges a fee of \$49 to cover the fee the parent company charges him. Students cannot go directly to the company in New Jersey, Stone said.

To find out about these scholarships students must fill out an application. A computer at the parent company processes the information and sends the student a list of available sources.

Stone said the students are guaranteed a list of at least five sources or they will be refunded their money.

Once the students receive the list of donors, they are on their own and it is up to them to fill out the applications.

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Gaston succeeds longtime A&M administrator Dr. Charles McCandless, who is leaving to become executive vice president at Iowa State University.

McDonald said, "I am happy that Dr. Gaston has accepted this responsibility, and I look forward to beginning our work together."

"Dr. Gaston brings to this office his many talents and a strong com-

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mitment to the faculty and to equal employment opportunities for minorities."

A native Texan, Gaston, 45, holds bachelor's and master's degrees from East Texas State University and a master of philosophy and Ph.D. in sociology from Yale University.

After earning his doctorate in 1969, he joined the faculty at South-

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ern Illinois University, rising to the rank of full professor. During that time he also served as an exchange lecturer at the University of Galway in Ireland.

In addition to serving on numerous university committees including the President's Advisory Council on Minority Conditions, Gaston has been a member of the Texas A&M Faculty Senate since 1983.

The company will follow up on the students to see if they were successful in finding aid and if they liked the service, he said.

There are no general qualifications such as need or grade point average to use the service, he said.

"The only qualification is that you want to go to school," he said.

Money is available to those in trade and cosmetology schools as well as colleges and universities, Stone said.

"There's definitely a need for the service in this area," he said. "There's A&M, Blinn, a business school and two beauty schools in the Bryan-College Station area."

Stone said the service had only been in existence in this area for three weeks, but that the parent company has been in operation since 1975.

Students interested in the service can write Scholarship Source Registry, P. O. Box 9122, College Station, Texas, 77840 or call 696-8559.

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