Frosh To Elect New Autry Court Opens Tomorrow

By Werner Grunbaum

John A. Lomax, Jr., the son of the famous ballad collector, John A. Lomax, Sr., will present a program of American folk music tonight at 8:00 p.m. in the Lecture Lounge of the Fondren Library. He will endeavor to show why American folk music is an integral contribution to American literature and music. He will sing about twenty examples of American folk music, both Negro and white, popular among both Negro and white Americans. He will also sing songs of the cowboys, the campfire, the Southwest, Negro folk songs, and prison songs.

"Frosh To Elect" will be a preamble to the campaign of the various candidates who will be vying for the offices in the Student Body. The candidates began a campaign yesterday at 7:00 p.m. which will end tomorrow night.

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The setting of the costume affair will be the lavish court of Sultan Helps and Pickled Cadavers provide the setting for a very interesting bit of Follies' activities these days. For a few nights every week since last month, students at 201 Drew Street have been entertained delightfully by participants in the OWLS' Follies skit who is former director of the Society.

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By Ruey Boone

DANCE STEPS for the OWLS' Follies skit are geometric, Mink and Jean Carstead, chorus members in the foreground, and M. K. Kitchuck, Deep Speed, Janie Stander, and T. P. Aker, two of the couples who are participating in the "Mt. Louis Nocturne.

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New By-Law Passed By Student Council
On Election of Women Representatives

There shall be included in the regular spring election, the
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cur during the year, shall be appointed
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Frosh To Elect

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Rice Receives Gift For Music School

President William V. Houston has announced that Mrs. Sallie Shepherd Perkins, noted Virginia musician, has presented a gift of $850,000 to the Rice Institute for the establishment of a school of music. The fund will be known as the Shepherd Foundation.

Mrs. Perkins stated that her grandfather, Benjamin Armistead Shepherd, was an early resident of Houston where he reared his family and remained for the rest of his life. Because of this and the encouragement he gave Mrs. Perkins in her study of music, she felt that it would be fitting for her to establish a school of music in Houston.

Dr. Houston stated that the fund is not sufficient at present to construct and equip buildings at the present time; therefore the fund will be allowed to accumulate until such time as funds may be accumulated to cover future endowments for music study are needed. The terms of the agreement permit one fifth of the annual income to be used for "furthering musical education and appreciation of music." With the program worked out, the first efforts of the fund may be a series of unscheduled lectures on music; the lectures may begin next year. Other than that, no immediate action is in prospect.

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Favoritees

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PE Activity Cards Will Be Required In New Gymnasium

Saturday night will see the first basketball game in the new Rice Gymnasium, but it will probably not be until sometime after Christmas that the building will be entirely completed with all the furniture and equipment installed.

Something new besides a new building will be added to the P. E. Department and these will be PE Activity Cards. They are about 3 inches by 2 1/4 and students are to carry them all the time in order to obtain equipment in the new gym as well as swimming suits and towels for the new pool. There will be baskets for all students in the new gym, but only freshmen and PE majors will have self-service. Due to the size of operating and the economy involved it would be impractical to provide self-service for all students many of whom do not use the gym more than once a week at the most.

Swimming suits for both men and women will be furnished at the new pool. The men will wear an一次性泳衣, to swim in, and the women will wear two-piece swimsuits. Baskets and towels plus a padlock will be furnished upon presentation of the student PE activity cards which all students will get sometime in the near future. These cards will be white for all regular students, blue for the faculty, and cherry for the one-year permit given to the navy boys. Five different colors of ink will be used on the cards to determine classification in later years as well as now. The cards will be signed by the student, his picture will appear on the back, and then they will be laminated to make them last.

In the past many students have participated in the intramural and general PE program after their frosh year without a health examination. We invite you to take advantage of the many banking services offered at THE BELLAIRE STATE BANK

FOR YOUR CHRISTMAS Cheer - Stop At KAY'S CLUB GRILL THE FINEST IN FOODS Cold Tap - Served in Economy 23 oz. Mugs and 60 oz. Pitchers

The Rice Owls dropped their final game of the 1950 season to the Baylor Bears in Waco 33-7 last Saturday afternoon, and only a few hours later about 300 miles away the Rice Institute Cagers were opening their season against Centenary College of Shreveport, Louisiana. Thus football for the mid-century year is over at Rice, and the major sport of basketball has begun.

BY NICK ATHAS
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Activity Card Pics Will Be Taken

All pictures for the Physical Education Activity Cards must be taken by December the 12th so that they will be ready when the new gymnasium is opened later in the Christmas holidays. Mr. Hermance asks that all freshmen (men and women), and all sophomores, junior, and senior men come by the Physical Education office to have these pictures taken.

All women of sophomore, junior, and classification and all fifth year students who expect to use the swimming pool and check out equipment in the new building should go to the Bursar's office and pay the necessary $4.00 fee, then come to the Physical Education office to have their pictures taken.

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**Mural Basketball Tourney To Finish**

In an attempt to complete the basketball tournament prior to the Christmas holidays all players and team managers are urged to comply with the following schedule:

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Tie Game vs. Careless Ones, Gym 1. HOWLS vs. Slimes.

Saturday, December 9 at 1 p.m.

RE's vs. CH.E's, Gym 2, HOWLS vs. Turtles, Gym 2.

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**Texans Finished First, SMU and Rice Did Tie but it was for Fourth and Second**

A&M finished first in the third place of just so, alone, Arkansas was fifth instead of fourth. So we didn't do as bad as we did on some of the game previous to this one as Rice was concerned we predicted right only four times in nine choices.

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Handball, Badminton, Table Tennis

Intramurals See Action This Week

With the handball and badminton players leading the way in intramural individual sports, momentum continues to move right along.

Double elimination tournaments are being conducted in handball singles and badminton singles with consolation tourneys taking place to complete the round robin.

Sam Davis is leading the pack in the handball struggle as he has moved to the finals in the winners' bracket with triumphs over G. T. McBride, George Donaldson, and Charlie Howe. He clipped McBride 22-20 and 21-18 in one of the best matches played thus far. He then edged Donaldson 21-17 and 21-16 and went into the finals with a convincing 21-4, 12-21, 21-6 win over Howe.

In the loser's bracket, Rapson advanced by Jim Gerhardt and McBride kept alive with a convincing win over Compton. Four players remain in the running in the loser's bracket whose eventual winner will play Davis for the title. In games that must be played by Monday, December 11 Rapson will tangle with Donaldson and McBride will go against Donoho. The winner of these matches must play by Wednesday, December 13 and then the finals between the winners of the loser's bracket must play Davis before the Christmas recess. Courts for these matches may be reserved by calling the Physical Education Department office at extension 286.

Badminton action saw Compton advance by Dick Sutton to gain the finals in the winner's bracket with Willie Moreno who took Harold Stanfield. It stands now T. Anderson plays McCampbell, Duncan plays Sutton, and Standish goes against the winner of the Anderson-McCampbell match. In the meantime Rees and Moreno will do battle to see who will represent the winner's bracket in the finals. All matches in the loser's bracket must be played by Wednesday, December 13. The finals between the winner of the loser's bracket and the winner of the winner's bracket must be played prior to the holidays that begin on Saturday.

The following table tennis singles matches must be played by tomorrow: L. Baker vs. J. Noble, J. Egleston vs. McCampbell, Ayres vs. Howe; table tennis doubles matches involving the following must be played by tomorrow also; McCampbell and Littleton vs. Egleston and Murphy, Noble and Whitfield vs. Sutton and Robinson. Reports of all matches to Physical Education Department office.

Girls' Basketball

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The victory will represent the VC's (freshman basketball) and the SLLS defense. The SL's shouldn't be underrated for their defeat of the OWLS—this along with the fact that the Filthy Five, Gym 2. Tsetse Flies vs. HOWLS, Gym 2. Slimes vs. Carless Ones, Gym 1. Slimes, Gym 1.

Mural Basketball

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Hilma vs. Carliss Ones, Gym 2.
Saturday, December 9 at 8 p.m.
Filthy Five vs. HOWLS, Gym 2. Textor Flies vs. VOLS, Gym 3.
Games that were originally scheduled to be played just prior to the Thanksgiving holidays were postponed at the request of team captains. This along with the fact that the following table tennis singles matches must be played by tomorrow: Filthy Five vs. HOWLS, Gym 2. Textor Flies vs. Filthy Five, Gym 1.