## Junkyards to Be Beautified

The Texas Highway Commission approved a program
Wednesday that, if accepted in Washington, will screen Wednesday that, if accepted in Washington,
154 junkyards along principal Texas highways. state not cooperating in the junkyard screening program would lose 10 per cent of its federal highway aid, which Classes Normal at TSU

AUSTIN, TEXA
MARCH 30, 1967

Students Meet License Deadline

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## Students Expect Little Effect

## Daylight Time No Problem

 rom the idea of a world Communist conference, which launched last November as a move to isolate China.
The party admitted that it is necessary "to solve pro ems involved in the convocation of this m

Stock Market Closes Lowe
The stock market backed away from an irregular early
ain and took a moderate loss Wednesday. Trading was gain andy active.
fater
Concern that the coming flood of first-quarter earnings
reports would compare unfavorably with those a year ago was among the depressing factors

## Radio, TV Announcers Strike

NEW YORK and televisincers wage strike scrambled national radio and television network programming Wednesday, blacking
out many of the faces and voices familiar to audiences The issue involves 100 newsmen at network-owned sta
tions in New York, Chicago, and Los Angeles who are tons in New York, Chicago, and Los Angeles who are
seeking a $\$ 325$ weekly base wage guarantee plus a per-
centage of commercial fees on sponsored programs on

Birth Rate Decreases in US
The nation's birth rate continued to decline during Jan-
nary but not as rapidly as during the first half of 1966, uary but not as rapidly as during the first
the Public Health Service reported Wednesday There were an estimated 295,000 babies born during Jan Priest, Nun Are Married

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Kurth begin married life with
problems common to newlyweds, and with a special con-
flict he is a Roman Catholic priest who violated church
doctrine to marry a former nun.
Kurth, 35, still considers himself to be a priest, and he
and his 34 -year-old wife have no intention of not being

## Book Sales Reported 'Fair' pitsburg

 Kaufmann's department store, which began selling wil liam Manchester's "Death of a President"" Monday, halted sale of the bookdate of April 7 .
A store spokesman said that sales had been "just fair Senator Ends Filibuster
Sen. A. R. Schwartz of Galveston closed out hisstin buster Wednesday night with a furious outcry against Lt.
Gov. Preston Smith.
After an eight-hour filibuster the Senate finally passed,
on voice vote, a proposed change in the weekend closing
Student Inherits Ranch Estate
Troops of the 173rd Airborne Brigade uncovered the
base along with an underground warehouse stocked wit Gromyko Arrives in Egypt

France Launches Nuclear Sub $\qquad$
$\qquad$ French nuclear-powered submarine that will be able
iver Polaris-type missiles when it becomes fully operational
in 1970 .
The submarine will be armed with missiles that can be
.its Roject Party Talk


House Receives
Usage Fee Bill

## Wednesday passed a bill to the House which would grant to all state-supported senio <br> m <br> summer months. He began a cam paign in 1908 at his own expense. The idea was readily accepted <br> paign in 1908 at his own expense. The idea was readily accepted and introduced into Parliment same year. In 1916, the <br> In 1916, the measure was again thoroughly studied because of a fuel shortage. After a study of the proposal, Daylight Saving Time was adopted THE IDEA <br> Under this bill, the University Board of Regents could levy fees buildings on the Austin campus

 Few students really rejected the
idea of Daylight Saving Time, bu one student brought up the point
of the effect the new schedule
would have on dairy and chicken would have on dairy and chick
farmers.
UNIVERSITY OFFICIALS
$\qquad$ mer classes will begin at 7 a.m
as they always have. This w
mean some will be arriving
school as the sun is coming

## but the view was that night classes will probably benefit. The idea of Daylight

## but the view was that night classes will probably benefit. The idea of Daylight

 Time originated in England. . of Law when they approxed next law students might be exempted
1907, William Willet, a builder year's budget at the February from the Union fee and then pay Raymond Vowell, vice-chancellor
for public affairs, expressed doubt Ior public affairs, expressed doubt
that the University would make
use of this authority. Building use fee now levied a
the University is $\$ 18$ per Be University is $\$ 18$ per person for
the long session. Building fee
the long session. Building fees
over the state range from no
charge at Texas Woman's University to $\$ 32$ at A\&M University. Dr. Vowell stressed the need for
the bill by citing as an example the bill by citing as an example
The University of Texas at Ar line Un. That institution does no
subscribe to the University's Per subscribe to the University's Per
manent Fund, and will, therefore manent Fund, and will, therefore
under anticipated growth rates under anticipated authority to levy
probably nees to finance construction ac cording to its own needs. The presidents of North Texas
State University and East Texas State University and East Texa
State University supported Jam State University supported Jami-
son's bill because of the critical
needs of the growing student popuneeds of the growing student popu tions.

College Chooses Council Members

Elections for new members of the Student-Faculty Council
the College of Education were held Wednesday in Sutton in the
Hall. New members are Elizabeth Shelby and Cheryl Zimmer. New members are Elizabeth Shelby and Cheryl Zimmer-
man, special education; Donna Harlan, Sharon Staats, and Marsha Ann White, secondary education; Judy Davis, Carol Goldman, Linda Ikins, Vicki Kaplan, and Becky Porter, ele-
mentary education; and Susan Hyde and Margaret Lain, physical education.
New faculty members include Dr. Natalie Barraga,
Charles Dent,
John Pulliam.
Purpose of the council, according to Cheryl Shinbaum, council president, is "to promote cordial student-faculty rela-
tions, to develop among education students a sense of belong ing, to foster effective communication within the college angto provide a soundine communication within the college, and

## LA's Yorty to Speak

Maverick Democrat of the West


## Press Often Lacks Adequate Reporting

| Today, the press helps to compose the indivisible environment of the American mind; it helps to establish the Zeitgeist through popularization of events, fads, feelings, and issues. Yet, it is because man tends to view his environment in his own image that this vision may be misperceived. The press may well help some individuals better understand their environment, but in many instances many persons are becoming further isolated from the march of events. <br> "Truth," says Arthur R. Murphy Jr., president of the McCall Corporation, "is harder to get at these days." Murphy sees not so much an information gap as he does an understanding gap. And there is considerable evidence to bear out his charge. <br> After working in the White House, historian Arthur Schlesinger Jr. said he could never again take seriously the testimony of journalism on important government decisions. Its relations to reality, he said, "is often less than the shadows in Plato's cave." <br> Eric Sevareid, commentator of the Columbia Broadcasting System, has criticized the press for not putting news in the proper proportion. The coverage on Saigon riots, he said, would have had the American public, Congress included, believe that all of Viet Nam was explosive. The film coverage, however, did not show that a block away from the riots the populace was shopping, chatting, sitting in restaurants in total normalcy. <br> The civil rights movement represents another great event on which there often has been inadequate understanding. The press can heavily report on a dramatic march in Chicago, but it is doubtful that few of these reporters could explain what lies in the deepest recesses of the heart of a child of a minority group living in the worst ghetto of that city. <br> In sum, the press has a gap of its own. It is most difficult for the viewer, reader, or listener of the media to obtain accurately something more than a stereotyped image. The ultimate burden now falls upon the individual for interpretation. In the main, it is exceedingly difficult to get at the truth. <br> The press does provide a vital function. It often is much easier to provide instances which dispell the established truth. Truth is not easily discernible, but it must be sought. It should be acknowledged, however, that the apparent gaps exist not only between the government and the truth, but between the journalists and the truth. |  |
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Geography 305 Has
Extras With Lecture



Forty Winks

Pajama Game
By Caren McAden

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## OPEN EVERY THURSDAY EVENING TILL 8 P.M.

## Dacebanis



English Professor Dies Wednesday
 Department of English, died at
6 a.m. Wednesday after a long
illness. Dr. Starnes spent five years as
professor of English at Rice University, and in 1926, joined the
English staff at the University of Texas where he served until
his retirement in 1959. Survivors include
Dorothy Bray Starnes; a sister,
Mrs. S. T. Brumley of Atlanta, Ga.; and a brother, Raymond
Starnes of Orlando Fla Starnes of Orlando, Fla. be held
Funeral services will beld Funeral Home and wir be con ducted by The Reverend Floy
Medford. Gifts may be made to Medford. Gifts may be made to
The Memorial Fund at the UniProfessor Appointed To Space Committees Dr. Eugene B. Konecci, profes
sor of manasement and aero
space engineering, has been ap space engineering, has been ap
pointed to two committees in the American Institute
tics and Astronautics In addition to reappointment
the institute's honors and award committee, he will serve on the
AIAA's technical activities and spacecraft technical committees
Dr. Konecci was an early mem ber of the American Rocket So ciety, which merged with the In
stitute of Aeronautical Science to form the AIAA.



Starting th' Round-Up Stampede
 Peggy Powell, Mary Wilson, and Elta Smith be paid with the submission of the entry
(I to r) work on the storefront sign for Alpha blank, but it may be refunded if the sign is Omicron Pi, Applications for any organization removed from the campus by April 17. Six--
to enter the sign competition may be ob- teen organizations had entered the competi-

## Medical Talk Goes On

Vending Profits Connally Eyes Defray Cosis '69 Sales Tax through Campus Services Incorporated, operates the 400 vending machines on campus and uses the profits to generate additional revenue for the University. Revenue from machines in the Division of Housing and Food and the Union Building is used to maintain those buildings. Machines located in other areas are subject to appropriation by the Board of Regents under the control of the Chancellor.
Since the program was initiated
in 1960, money has been used for in 1960, money has been used for
Bevo's care, Law Day, KUT-FM program guides, and defraying expenses of the College Bowl
team.
 and recommend to the Legisla-
ture the desirability of a Dallas site.
Frank Erwin, chairman of the
University Board of Regents, re-



Regents Accept Local, Foreign Summer Jobs Presideny Seen RPE Program Ready for Student Plucking ForGov.Reagan

By The Associated Press
SAN JUAN, Puerto Rieo The Board of Regents recently
approved a program of advanced placement in required physical education for women. The pro-
gram in effect since September, gram in effect since September,
allows women students to take allows women students to take hours of physical education. To qualify a girl must show
proficiency in a "carry-over" profictency in a may be easily
sport, one which may sport, one which may be easily
kept up in later life. A carry
over sport is defind kept up in later life. A carry
over sport is defined as an in
dividual sport, such as tennis or dividual sport, such as tennis or
bowling. rather than a team bowling, rather than a tean
sport. The girl must also receive
a mark sport. The girl must also receive
a mark of 80 or higher on a
written written test as well as taking
the practical exam. the practical exam.
One advantage of the program,
Miss Dorothy Burdeshaw assis tant professor of physical train
ing, said is ing, said, is that, since no credit
is given for is given for classes in the same
sport in which a girl earns ad-
vanced placement, it guides the vanced placement, it guides the
student into other sports where student into other sports where
she might also become profi-
cient.

University students interested
in local or foreign summer em.
ployment In local or foreign summer em-
ployment, may get information
from the from the Student Employment
Office.
Students wanting jobs in sort areas or in a foreign country should apply immediately, but local job opportunities are indefinite until at least May, said
John $H$. Dodson, director of Student Financial Aids.
THERE ARE MANY openings for students in the Austin area, with the main opportunities in retail sales and general secretarial work, Dodson said. Austin has the best record of employ. ment in the State, although
salaries are generally lower than salaries are generally lower than
in cities like Dallas, Houston, in cities like Dall
or Corpus Christi.
Several catalogs are available
in the Student Employment
in every state and many foreign
countries. Local opportunities countries. Local opportunities
are posted on a bulletin board
outside the outside the office. If a student is qualified, he is
referred to the employer with introduction from the Student Employment Office, but there is ployer, Dodson said. Just because a student applies
for a job through the is no assurance he will be hired, Dodson said. Last May, 476 students received part-time jobs
through the Student Employment
 Office, and 722 stur
MANY STUDENTS find it hard to obtain jobs if they have no
experience, but some employers experience, but some employers
will hire an unskilled student who is willing to work and shows potential.
The em
$\qquad$ groseming the regardortance of of good
'Mod clothes don't work in Mod clothes don't work in many situations unless the employer is
far out in modernity" lar out in modernity," he said.
The student the impression of confidence, but, said Dodson, the key is to be natural. "The employer gets he knack of detecting sham," the knack
he said.

THE FRIENDS OF JOSEPH KRUPPA EXTEND THEIR DEEPEST UPON HIS TURNING THIRTY.


## Professor Favors

 Non-Dual Religion duality," Dr. Roja Roa, visiting seeing, while the hechind a mask,
professor from India, said in a he said. "The object is contained
he $\begin{array}{ll}\text { talk to about } 200 \text { Student Re- } \\ \text { ligious Liberals Wednesday night. } & \text { in atmosphere itself," Dr } \\ \text { Roa continued. The personality }\end{array}$
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 to experience the absolute, which
one may call God, one must go beyond the body and the mind he explained. In the non-dualistic approach,
the form one gives his God the form one gives his God does not have an ego-defined image.
"Once you have seen this divine "Once you have seen this divine
experience, the mask (personaliexperience, the mask (personali-
ty) becomes thinner and thinner," Dr. Roa said.
One self, without all the "per-
. sona," is the absolute in which
there is no difference between
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T " and God and " I " and "neigh-
bor." There is only the self vor.- There is only the self
verywhere; there is no duality, 00000

Dear Mr. Wamer.
Whatever shape the new draft law finally takes, the fact of military service will continue to be a very real factor in the career planning of young men-
including all six of you students writing these open including alisis of you students writing these open
letters with me. This is why $I$ am writing each of you this same open letter on the subject.
Although this letter wifl deal primarily with the three direct questions students have raised with me, the underlies my thinking throughout. Here are those specific issues:

1. Why should a student head for a business career when graduate study for teaching, for example, will gain him further deferment-or when completing
medical school will gain him a commission if and medical school will gain him a commission if and
when he serves? Why shouldn't a student pick the Peace Corps or VISTA as "an attractive altemative to combat?"
2. What chance has a man with a 1 -A classification to get a good job in the first place? Will a company hire
3. Inn't the time spent in service a worse handicap for a man planning a career in the competitive world of business than for his classmate who wants to be a doctor or lawyer?

Although the new draft law may change the rules in some of these areas, it will not change the fact that the way a student or a company reacts to the present situation tells a lot about his or its basic thinking. So et's consider these issues in order:

1. Other careers provide more deferments.

Look closely at this one. Isn't the student who raises his point actually saying that he is ready to select his lifetime occupation solely on the basis of a very short-term draft preference? Isn't this somewhat like choosing a college major because its classes are held in a new building?

The ISSUE:

## Will the draft hurt your business career?



The Peace Corps and VISTA don't exempt, by the way, although they can defer. Sufficient deferments, it appears, may leave one too old to be drafted. or by going to graduate schood with only draft deferment in mind, it is still draft-dodging. And in seems that those who would have others fulfill their own military obligations are of ten the ones who carp at "selfish" businessmen or vow that business has questionable ethics.
2. Will a company hire a man who is 1-A?

Yes. Good men are hard to find these days. A company who wants a certain man would be very foolish not to hire him just because he hasn't yet
fulfilled his military obligations. You can probably find companies which won't hire 1-A's, but why look? There are enough which will. Our own feeling, for example, is that a man we want now is a man we will want later as well. We would hope he retums leave while he is gone: his time of company service leave while he is gone; his time of company sevice
continues; he gets his old job or a comparable one when he returms. Matter of fact, that's the law.
3. The military detour hurts a young businessman
most.
Many of our own returned veterans rejoin us in more responsible positions than they had when they left Mostof these men have achieved a greater maturity readily to changing situations; they have lived through hardships and some have faced personal danger. They know better who they are and what they want and why-they know the values of the things they have fought for.
One important thing to be leamed in the service is how better to cope. A man must cope, in business
and out, all his life long. Additionally, many servicemen received training which is directly applicable to their civilian careers. Our own returning servicemen usually get into the swing of things at a faster pace quite quickly.

As this lefter is wheten, consideration proceeds on possible revisions of the draft law. The President's Commission and the House advisory panel agreed on two basic questions: that the dratt law con unues dratted first. If I correctly understand large parts of student opinion, this should be welcomed as removing many uncertainties in your planning.

No matter what the details of the new draft law may be, two facts will remain: The government's main lask will be, as always, determining who will serve fuge is a pretty shaky platform upon which to build a life.

Do my feelings about our specific commitment in Viet Nam color my thinking about the draftel am an absolute responsibility to resist a cominunist take-over of the free nations of the world wheth by the use of force from without or subversion within; this resistance may at times involveus in military conflict. I also believe an individual who enjoys and insists upon the inalienable privileges of a democratic country likewise has an absolus obites invere him military senice.

RobertW. Galvin
Chairman, Motorola, Ine.

## THE EFFECT OF THE DRAFT.

ho of concern to evory student on the 29 campuses Whore these open letters between six students and of especial interest to students concerned about budiness as a possible career or as a social force have beon discuseed in provious open letters. These lettors have appeared regularly since October. Larry Warner is a student at the University of Texas. Mr. Galvin welcomes your own Weet Grand Aveous, Frenklin Park, Illinols 60131.

## Campus News in Brief



Carrier to Get Kennedy Name

## Officers and Pledges

ALPHA KAPPA PSI, profession-
al business fraternity, has an-
nounced its spring pledges:
William Balkon, John Balzen,
Mile Baskerville, Charles
Brow, John Bryant, Mark
Calhoun, Mike Carnahan, Bob
Carter, David Carter, John
Cartwright, Doug Day, Skipper
Dippel, David Dommert, Jim
Eason, Rick Eisenbach, Brian
Evans, Richard George, Rich-
ard Giesecke.
Also Doug Goodwin, Tommy
Harris, Bobby Hays, William
Hunter, Ronnie Janda, Dan
Jons, Fred Krenzke, George


DELTA DELTA DELTA sorori-
ty recently initiated these new
members: Jane Ballew, Malin.
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DELTA UPSILON fraternity
birthday that would have been
the late President John F.
Kennedy's fiftieth, an aircraft

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THE DIPLOMAT


THE ORANGE AND WHITE IS GOING CO-EDUCATIONAL THIS SUMMER

## 'Marriage of Figaro Presents Versatility



| ROUND-UP PARTY <br> FRIDAY NIGHT, APRIL 14th Starts 7:30 P.M. <br> Featuring the Playboys of Edinburg Baby Cake <br> CITY COLISEUM $\qquad$ UNIVERSITY MEN'S SHOP, on the Drag BLOMQUIST.CLARK, 617 Congress Avo. RAYMOND'S DRUG, $405 \mathrm{~W}, 26$ th RK, 617 Congress Ave DRUG, $405 \mathrm{~W} .26+\mathrm{h}$ |
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TWU Creative Dancers


Reruns Replace
TV Shows As Result of Network Strike

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| NEW YORK |
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} Housewives looking forward to
mid-afternoon television so opera got a bit of a shock Wednesday when an old Jack Benny
screens.
Unfamiliar names were as-
signed to replace the Night, Chet," or "That's the way
the. world was. . . ." on evening news shows. And watchers of the
weekend Ed Sullivan show may weekend Ed Sullivan show may
get the feeling they've seen it
before. These are some of the changes
on the three major television and radio networks resulting from a

TONIGHT "THE NEW BREED" Piece Rhythm and
Blues Band TES NBTK ORLSANS 12th and Red River-GR 7-4237

Production Ends Friday For Bijuberti Players

$-=$ cordings of "Walk on the Wild
Side" and "Who's Afraid of Vir Side" and "W
ginia Woolf?"
to the American Federation of lems in the mornings, because Neither ABC nor NBC was all except news shows are filmed prepared to detail the changes or pretaped. News Wednesday they would make. Hugh Downs, morning normaily anchored by ing Today show the early morn- Joseph Bene was handied by Arheadquarters in the rain administration for CBS news. NOW UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT
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David Hemmings
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# Proposed: 18-Year-Old Voter 

## Issues Examined <br> By Several States


#### Abstract

Whenever anyone initiates posal to lower the voting age a new idea or something that is regarded as uncommon he is regarded as uncommon, he is usually regarded as either is usually regarded as either a genius, freak, or self-reliant. Sometimes it's Some of the above descrip tions may have been attrithey approved an amendment to lower the voting age to 18 as part of their state constitution. The state approved the amendment on Aug. 3, 1942, and thus be the voting age Urged by Gov. Ellis Arnall, the amendment had bee submitted to the electorate by the legislature in March of that year. Playing a big were University of Georgia student CURRENTLY, three states besides Georgia allow The "adult" age required for voting is 18 in Kentucky, 19 in Alaska, and 20 in Hawaii. Despite the fact that Georgia was first to let under 21 'ers vote, US Sen. Richard B. Russell, D-Ga., says he will oppose any federal efforts to force a similar law on all the states. Reason: the Constitution is specific in Constitution is specific in permitting the states themselves to set up voting qualifications. This right should be re- garded by all states, the garded by all states, the Georgian senator has said. RUSSELL'S ARGUMENT is about the same one that helped to nix President Dwight D. Eisenhower's pro

\section*{Politicians}

Voice Views in May, 1954 . sion that killed the measure was led by a charge that the amendment would be an inasion of state's rights. But solons aren't the only ones who have opposed the voting franchise. Several publications, including Parents' Magazine have also opposed the issue. Editorializing on a recommendation made by the Commission on Registration and Voter Participation that the voting age be lowered, Parents' Magazine says the cause it would bring more cause it would bring more voters to the polls. "But voters to the polls. "But rather than attract more vot ers, it seems to us that we ers, it seems to us that we should attract more well-informed voters," the publica tion argued. The Commission was ap pointed by the late President John F. Kennedy in March 1963, and revealed its find ings in December of that "THIS (VOTING) requires literacy, a knowledge of many issues, judgment, and a sense of values-molded together, hopefully, by a practical-mindedness which can be forged only from ex perience. In Feb

February, 1964, Sen or Scholastic Magazine ran a pro and con discussion on voting age. Among point voting age. Among points against the new age limit against the new age limit was one which said that "voting had nothing to do with being old enough to fight."


If we follow that argument to its logical extreme, we would wind up with this nonsense: A man who is to old to fight in our armed forces should lose his righ to vote."

Editor's Note
University students have always responded to resolutions on lowering the voting age. In the student body's interest, the Texan is devoting this page to inform students on some of the issues, past and present, that have evolved around the amendment. This report is merely informative and not indicative of Texan endorsement.

## Question Again Before Legislature

## The age-old argument of "If he's introduced a similar

old enough to fight, he's old enough to vote" is being reheard since Sen.
Joe Bernal of San Antonio introduced Joe Bernal of San Antonio introduced a resol
to 18.
When he offered the measure, Bernal expressed concern over the lowvoter participati
from 21 to 30 .
Bernal credits
Bernal credits the low turnout to
the fact that by the the fact that by the time 18 -year-
olds turn 21 , many of them are so olds turn 21 , many of them are so
far removed from the stimulation of far removed from the stimulation of
the educational process that much of their interest in public affairs has diminished. Bernal feels that many individuals may be lost
the rest of their live
ACCORDING
ACCORDING to the 1960 census, ible to vote if the measure is passed. The amendment, however, must ob-
tain a two-thirds approval in both houses before it can be referred to the voters. Should Texans adopt the measure in a state-wide election,
"youngsters" would then have an opportunity to vote.
A similar measure h
duced in the House in House by Rep. Glen introduced his r
year-old legislator rolution, the
day's 18 -year-old was better informed as well as more mature and concerned about his government than limit was set
Widespread
and newspapers
increase in public have addel to the has allowed public knowledge. This has allowed 18-year-olds to become more concerned and informed citi-
zens, entitled to vote, Vickery saidSubject to much cussin,'" the legislation is and dis cussin,'" the legislation is not new
to the Alamo City delegation Before to the Alamo City delegation. Before he was promoted to senator, Rep.

## IV Texas House

in 1963, Berry's resolution to er the voting age to 18 was engrossed by a $72-71$ vote.
Two years late
Two years later, Berry introduced another measure but it was for 19 year-olds. The bill won a $108-34$ vote
House approval. Later verification of House approval. Later verification of
the count showed that only 103 mem bers voting for the measure were present.
Actually, Berry's '65 resolution had failed eight votes short a week before it was passed. Berry credited passage to a statement made by Rep. Billy W. Williamson of Portland. According to the Dallas Morning News, Williamson "claimed youths of today 'know how to steal hubcaps,
but don't have enough sense to IF BERNAL'S MEASURE is aproved, the senator said he would recommend programs to register high school students as well as inion in senior classes to inspire good citizenship.
The system consists of:

- Explanation of the importance f a single vote to the American way - Information on the requirements nd mechanics of registration; and - Demonstration of the actual process of voting in the local comBernal's office reports that mail has been running "four-to-one in fa"or of the resolution. "The youth of today are being forced into greater responsibility. they are today being drafted into hy -because we need them"" Bernal has said. "I think it's time we draft them into the service of this country need them," Bernal said.


Lupe Zamarripa

# Student Assembly Has Had Proposals 

campaigns conducted by Uni- bly versity students in support of lowering the voter franchise was back in May, 1944, when Mac Wallace was pres-

## bly.

The Assembly, at its usua Thursday night meeting on that they "go on record as supporting the 18 -year-old vote movement." During that "era," an ac-
tive movement in support of lowering the voter franchise was formed. The group was tabbed the " 18 -Year-Old Vote Movement."
THE MOVEMENT won favor in the local precinct conventions. The Travis County Dencratic conven imously imously
One of the movement's of lowering the voting age was "since 18 -year-olds were held morally responsible for criminal acts and were considered adults in many other ways, they should be entitled to the rights of citizenship -and the privilege of franchise."
But like all of the later movements, the group had opponents. Among these were several members of the Campus League of Women's Voters who spoke out in a Building Building.
CLWD was cention from the the fact that 18,19 , around year-olds were not fully prepared to vote and that they would be very susceptible to contact by politically-minded groups. One member said, "They're likely to jump on
along." Th. The movement subsided into oblivion after their proSenate and the House, died in committee at the close of the legislative session in early 1945.
So far, the current Stuent Assembly has not taken ny action, but an interview ith Clif Drummond, president of the group, disclosed hat the campus legisiature ss take active steps if the Drily votes for it. Drummond said he felt pretty sure a resolution would be issued in the Assembly." If it passes and it's or lowering the voting age, said.
THE ASSEMBLY president said that a great deal of benefit would result if citiens were involved in the government structure at an earlier age.
Drummond, who is "personally for lowering the voting age," said that young people in Texas knew more lic offices and something about holding an office. "There are a great many esponsibilities placed on Texans at the ofe 18 that it would seem to me we could place this additional respon sibility on their shoulders with the same success we have had with former resaid.

## Controversy

## In Texan

Proposals to lower the voting age in Texas have always evoked some type of response from the student body as well as from The Daily Texan.

Through the years the arguments have remained about the same. Here's a summary capsule of typical student pros and cons on the issue. Included are actual "letters to the editor" as well as excerpted articles published in the Texan

Marifrances te movement Wilson: "Every step like the 18 -year-old erest of people iner or not it succeeds, arouses the in step toward a in their government. And this interest is 1949
Bob Doss: (Letter to the Editor) "During the recent propaganda campaign for changing the voting age, you (The Daily Texan) ran stories crediting a number of prom inent politicians with favoring the lowering of the age limit Many of those exprising election who are apparently rying to become 'liberal' as a result of the Nov, 2 elec tion. I know that the Texan interviewed a number of legis lators regarding the matter, but their reactions were not printed. Were they on the 'wrong' side?
"Before leaving the subject, let me point out that Bill Bruce's story on the student referendum-fiasco was grossly slanted to give the impression that 18 -year-olds were clam oring wildly for the franchise. The election results give the lie to that position.
"Query: If it's so damnably "liberal" to reduce the voting age to 18 , why isn't it even more 'liberal' to reduce it to 8 ? A plague on this brand of liberalism

A 19 -year-old University student is turning down a $\$ 93.31$ income tax refund as a protest against being unable o vote.

He is Gayle Ray Essary, a junior transfer from Tyle Junior College, who is editor of The Austin Reporter.

Edith Sterette, 18 ,
Edith Sterette, 18, freshman speech and English maJor, Houston: "No, I don't think 18 -year-olds should be allowed to vote. I don't believe an the year-old person has responsibly.
Edward Frazier, 17, freshman government major, Beaumont: "If an 18 -year-old is old enough to die for his country, then he is old enough to vote. If an 18 -year-old is old enough to be executed, he is old enough to vote. gone to the voters. What is your argument?

