

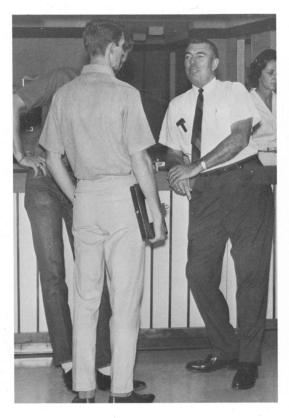
THE ADMINISTRATION



MR. CARTER LOMAX Principal

School leadership includes many varied duties, for in a sense every person is connected with the principal and his assistant. The hiring and placement of teachers, office personnel, maintenance people, and the supervision of all their efforts is only one of these tasks. Textbooks, student body activities, subjects offered, rules and regulations of the school, public relations, and programs and special school occasions, make up still another part of that responsibility. The delegation of authority to the proper school leaders, and securing school equipment of infinite variety for all departments add even more to the total job of administration. Mr. Lomax comments, "It is, of course, a big responsibility, but I consider it an even greater privilege."

School Leadership



Mr. Lomax gives friendly advice to some of Rayburn's students.



Mr. Lomax and Mr. Ray listen diligently during a Sophomore assembly.

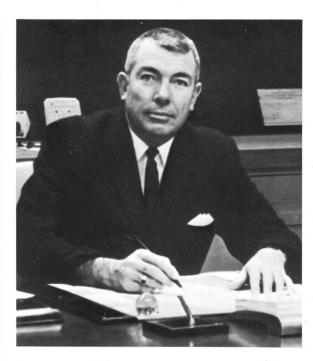


MR. ALLEN SORY Assistant Principal

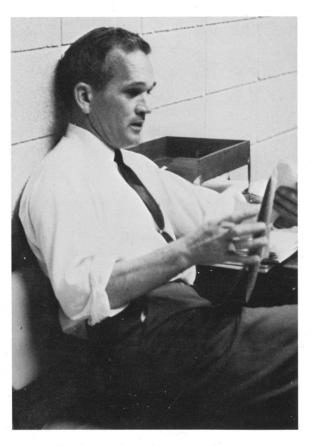


A typical start to a typical day in the life of the Assistant Principal.

Includes Varied Duties



As principal of Sam Rayburn, it is Mr. Lomax's duty to delegate authority in all school functions.



Mr. Sory tends to administrative business.



MRS. E. M. McKOWN Dean of Girls



Mrs. McKown has a flair for problem-solving.

Deans and Counselors Offer Guidance



As dean of boys, Mr. Lynch is in charge of disciplinary regulations.



MR. WILBURN LYNCH Dean of Boys





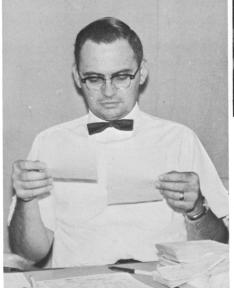
MRS. GENEVIEVE McCAFFETY Freshman Counselor MR. HERBERT D. LEWIS Sophomore Counselor



MRS. JOANN CLONINGER Junior Counselor



MR. WELTON C. SIMPSON Senior Counselor



Leveling class loads is one of the hardest jobs a counselor has.



Mrs. Cloninger speaks during a junior assembly.



MRS. KATHRYN BLAIKIE Secretary to Mr. Lomax

The keynote of the office is organization, for the office is the center of all school activity. It is where student and school records are kept, where matters of attendance, discipline, and counseling are taken care of, and where contacts and business between teachers, administration, parents, and students are handled. Each members of the staff has an assigned part of this task, working independently and yet as one.

Organization — Keynote



Mrs. Finney and Mrs. Castille attend many varied duties in their line of work.



MRS. REBA FINNEY School Clerk



MRS. DOROTHY CASTILLE Registrar



Mrs. Blaikie is looking over expense accounts, which is part of her daily job.





MRS. MAURINE MANNING Attendance clerk MRS. MARY ANN NOWAK Assistant Attendance Clerk

of Office Activities



Part of the clinic's job is keeping up to date health records on each student.



Mrs. Nowak and Mrs. Manning discuss a matter of attendance with Mr. Bailey.





MR. GEORGE A. THOMPSON Superintendent of Schools





MR. CARROLL P.
TEAGUE
Assistant Superintendent
—Secondary Schools



MR. JAMES T.
STUCKEY
President of the
Board of Education



MR. W. L. SMALLWOOD Vice-President of the Board of Education



MR. M. C.
McCULLUM,
D.D.S.
Assistant Secretary
of the School Board



MR. ALDEN
BAILEY
School Board Member



MR. J. C. BRUCE School Board Member

School Board — Foundation of School System



Mr. Thompson speaks at a teachers' meeting at Sam Rayburn.

The School Board is the foundation on which a school system is built, and through its efforts and decisions the policies are established which determine the value of the entire school system. They must keep an eye on the distant future, keep in touch with all facets of the immediate and demanding present, and still manage to hold firmly the established traditions that are the heritage from the past.

Cafeteria and Maintenance Serve Sam Rayburn

Mrs. Roller, head of the cafeteria, and Mr. Ghormley, head of maintenance, both work diligently to serve Sam Rayburn's faculty, students, and visitors.

Mrs. Roller, her assistant, and 32 cafeteria workers strive to give good food service and to be courteous at all times.

Mr. Ghormley and his helpers assist the cafeteria during all lunch periods by disposing of garbage and keeping the tables and floors clean. Other jobs performed by the janitors include checking the entire building and grounds daily, making needed repairs, and helping make our school a better educational institution.

MRS. LEORA ROLLER Cafeteria Manager



MR. CECIL GHORMLEY Head Custodian



Mr. Sandifer, second from left, who filled Mr. Ghormley's position, stands with his helpers.



Mrs. Roller stands with all her cafeteria workers as they pause from their daily duties of preparing the food for Rayburn's cafeteria.







MRS. FREDDA CRIDER Library Clerk



Mrs. Sypert speaks at the freshman assembly on regulations on library behavior.

MRS. HAYDON SYPERT Head Librarian MRS. TENNIE CARSON Assistant Librarian

Library — Essential to Education



Mrs. Carson and Mrs. Crider mark new books as they are brought into the library.

Sam Rayburn's library is an essential part of our educational plant. Open from 7:45 until 4:30 every day, students utilize the new equipment and hundreds of books. Through the endless work of Mrs. Sypert, her assistants, and the 30 students enrolled in library science, new equipment, reference materials, novels, current events, and college and career information are made available to the students and faculty of Sam Rayburn.



MR. GERARD FOSSATI English I and IV



MRS. JO LYDAY English IV and V

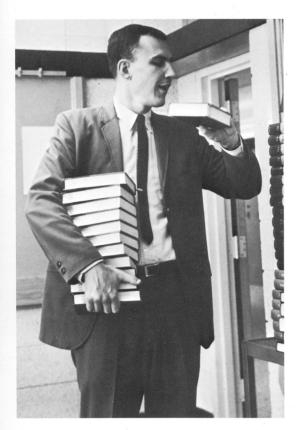


MR. DWIGHT TERRY English II, III, and IV



MISS MARGARET REYNOLDS English III

Modern Techniques Mark New Teaching Trends



Mr. Fossati examines new books to be used in the English department next year.

The past year has marked a new convention in the methods of teaching. The English department kept up with the pace of modern teaching techniques by meeting before school to discuss matters pertaining to the material they were presently covering. A linguistics workshop held every alternate Thursday taught a new approach to the subject of English. To keep up with the new trends, some teachers attended conventions in Houston, Galveston, and New Orleans. Many of the teachers attended either a six or eight week workshop where they studied new materials and new methods which were put in effect during the past year.



MISS MYRNA DUPREE English III



MRS. SYLVIA BELL English III



MRS. ANN SURRENCY English III



MRS. PEGGY WALTERS English III



MRS. ANITA OLMSTEAD English II



MRS, REBA KELLER English I



Mrs. Briggs lends assistance to one of her students.

MRS. FARRIS
McDONOUGH
English I and II, and
Reading Improvement

MRS. FRANCES BRIGGS English I MISS PEGGY WILKISON English I





MISS CAROL ROSS English I





Mrs. Urquahart gives an informing lecture on Silas Marner.

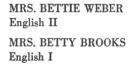


Mr. Terry talks to his students on the principles of composition.





MRS. CHARLSIE URGUHART English II





 $Mrs.\ McDonough$ talks to the freshman class on English possibilities.



Mrs. Brooks teaches the rhyme scheme patterns to her class.



MR. ROBERT BAKER American History



MR. THOMAS FARMER American History

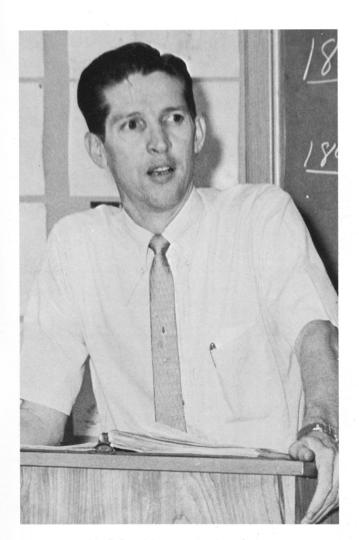


MR. JOHN BROOKS Government A and World Geography



MR. EDDIE WILLIAMS Government A and B

Preparing for Good Citizenship



Mr. Baker delivers an inspiring lecture.

The Social Studies department has always a double role—cultural enrichment and preparation for good citizenship. At Sam Rayburn, there is a realization of this role and the part it plays as the foundation of the goals of the entire department. History, government, geography, sociology, or economics, add something to the total pattern of preparation for future and citizenship. The program touches not just a segment of the school, but the entire student body, and therefore its importance as a vital force in the lives of the students is keenly felt by the faculty of the department.



Mrs. Cottrill displays one of the projects done in her World History Class.



MR. EDDIE FRANCIS World History





MRS. PATRICIA GANDY World Geography MRS. ANN LAIRD World Geography

Teachers Encourage Projects



MR. JOHN McNEILL World Geography



MRS. MARILYN BARNS World Geography



MR. THOMAS MAUNEY World Geography



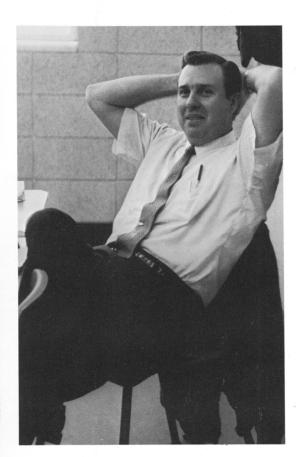
MR. CARL SCHWARTZ Government A and Economics

MRS. MARGARET
SANDERS
American History
MR. RICHARD
BRIGGS
American History and
World History
MISS TOMMIE
HOLUB
World History





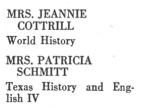




"Do your job well, but do it with ease," is Mr. Schwartz's motto.











MR. JOHN CHISHOLM World History MR. JAMES LUCAS Sociology



MRS. BARBARA ADAMS
Typing II and Steno II
MRS. KAY ANTHONY
Typing I and Clerical Practice
MRS. DOROTHY MORGAN
Typing I and Steno I

MRS. HOLLIS KOEHLER Business Machines MRS. FRANCES KOCIAN Bookkeeping and Typing I MISS DIXIE SAVAGE Typing I and Business Law

Training for the Business World

The Business Education Department fulfills a dual role in the school. They provide a marketable skill for the benefit of those whose primary intention is to enter the business world, with or without further education. They also provide other students with skills that will benefit them in their academic work and enable them to broaden their opportunities for employment while continuing their education in any field. Many students make use of these skills while still in high school, both in class and extracurricular activities.



Mrs. Anthony demonstrates the use of the typewriter to her students.

Languages — an Expanding Field

As the lines of communication between nations get closer, mastery of languages is becoming more and more important in this century. Sam Rayburn has increased its language program by the addition of German and a third year study in Spanish and French. In time, other languages may be taught as the need for better communication between nations and people becomes even more urgent. Perhaps the most significant thing to note about this department is its growth, which must continue to keep pace with our society as a whole.

MR. THOMAS HANCOCK Latin I and II





MRS. ELIZABETH BRYANT Spanish I



Miss Miranda demonstrates one of the new methods of teaching in the Foreign Language field.

MRS. PATRICIA CAMPBELL French I, II and III





MRS. WANDA CARBONELL Spanish I and II



MRS. ANN MARSHALL German I and II

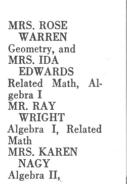


MISS ISSA MIRANDA Spanish II and III



MISS JEAN STEED French I

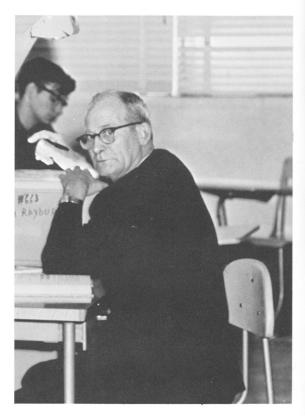
MRS. PAM
THOMPSON
Related Math I
MRS. SHERRY
BABIN
Consumer Math,
and Related Math
I
MRS. EVA
VERDUCCI
Consumer Math





Mr. Smith, head of Rayburn's Math Department, demonstrates the use of the slide rule.





Mr. Wylie takes time to answer a question while explaining a problem on the opaque projector.



Mrs. Collins illustrates the proof of a problem with the use of the overhead projector.

The Mathematics Department at Sam Rayburn sends two of its teachers each year to the Texas Council of the Teachers of Mathematics. This past year, Mr. Smith and Mr. Orr attended. At this conference, many of the techniques of modern Mathematics were discussed. These teachers returned to discuss these ideas with other teachers in order to improve the Mathematics Department.

Several of our Math teachers attended summer institutes in order to improve their knowledge in Mathematics. Some attending last summer were Mr. Smith, LSU, and Mr. Orr, the University of Houston. Mrs. Collins attended Sam Houston State Teachers College.

Techniques of Modern Math Learned

MR. JAMES SMITH Trigonometry and Elementary Analysis



MR. ARNOLD KNUPPEL Algebra II MR. JIMMY GIBBS Geometry MRS. MARIE COLLINS Geometry









MR. OTIS WYLIE Geometry and Related Math

CROUCH Algebra I











Some of the science teachers pose for a picture as they demonstrate some lab equipment.

Science Department Works as a Group



MR. LUTHER FLINN Chemistry I and Biology II



MR. ROBERT
WHITAKER
Physics and General Physical Science



MR. GEORGE LUTTRELL Chemistry I and II



MR. BILL MILLER Chemistry

MR. TOMMY BAILEY
General Physical Science
MR. CECIL GHORMLEY
Biology I
MRS. CLOTILE GOOD
Biology I

MR. JOHN LOGAN
Biology I
MR. CARLOS MILLER
Biology I
MR. CURTIS COOPER
General Physical Science



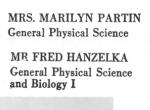










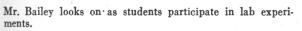




MR. JAMES BARKER General Physical Science











Mr. Guinn directs the Texan marching band at one of our pep rallies.



Mr. Witt and Elaine Riske, choir accompanist, go over a song during a choir rehearsal.





MR. ROBERT GUINN
Band I, II, III, IV Orchestra
MR. RAY WITT
Choir, Madrigals, Music
Theory



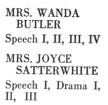




MRS. VIRGINIA
WALLACE
Art I, II, III, IV
MRS. GERALDINE
STUTTE
Art I
MR. BEN LENAMON
Art I



Mr. Hughes sighs as he discovers that some of the annual staff members cannot meet their deadline.







MR. CHARLES HUGHES English II, Journalism I, II



Teachers Encourage Individualism

Sam Rayburn students develop their creative abilities through the guidance of the choral music, band, art, speech, drama, and journalism departments.

Throughout the year, students and faculty of these departments work together to provide entertainment and displays for the public. Rayburn is proud of its fine marching band directed by Mr. Robert Guinn. Mr. Ray Witt has provided numerous choral programs for the public. The Art department has worked diligently to provide art shows and sets for the plays directed by Mrs. Butler and Mrs. Satterwhite. Through the work of Mr. Hughes, the paper staff, and annual staff provide Rayburn with its SPEAKER and STATESMAN.

Through hard work and enthusiasm students are given the needed guidance to develop their individual talents.



Mrs. Butler speaks at a freshman assembly to arouse interest in the benefits of speech and drama courses.

Vocational Education Prepares Students for Careers

Vocational courses are made available to the students of Sam Rayburn. Our new school, with its fine equipment and excellent guidance, helps prepare students for various careers.

Students may study architectural and mechanical engineering. Woodworking and metal trades offer experience for those who are interested.

Girls are able to prepare for better homelife

through the numerous areas covered in the homemaking classes. Boys are offered the opportunity to learn about raising livestock and modern methods and equipment used in farming and ranching.

Through the experience gained from these extensive vocational courses, students of Sam Rayburn are laying the foundation for their future.





MRS. MARIE WILSON Homemaking II, III, and Home Management

MRS. LELA DYKES Homemaking I



MRS. MAYNEL FOSTER Homemaking I and II



MR. KENNETH STUESSEL Agriculture I, II, and III



Mrs. Wilson demonstrates a new sewing technique, as three of her home management students pay special attention.

MR. NEDOM MUNS Machine Drafting I, II, Arch. Drafting I, II

MR. LEON SEFTON General Math, General Drafting, Coaching

MR. HARLAND DOYLE General Shop I, II, General Drafting I





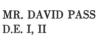




Mr. Rylander guides one of his students as he learns to weld.

MR. MAC RYLANDER General Shop I, II









Mr. Muns and Ronnie Wilson work on an architecture plan.





MRS. BILLIE

SNELSON







Physical Education III

The Physical Education III

while provide

MRS. JOANN SIMMS Physical Education I

MRS. VERTIE WARD Physical Education I and II

MRS. OLIVE APPLE Physical Education II MRS. MARTHA RITCH Physical Education I

The Physical Education Department bases its program on the vital idea of keeping a physically fit student body, while providing opportunities for development of skills in athletic achievement and competition in these sports activities. In addition, various approaches to health, nursing, and first aid are a part of the full program. Their total contribution adds much to school spirit as well, which plays an important part in the life of any school.

Physically Fit Student Body



MR. JAMES McNEIL
Physical Education I
MR. MAURICE GILLIOZ
Physical Education IV
MR. DAN THOMAS
Physical Education III









Some of the P.E. teachers joke as they pose for a picture.



MR. E. W. RABY Physical Education II



MR. TOM ACUFF
Physical Education I



MR. ODELL HARRISON Physical Education I



MR. JOHN ULREY Physical Education I



Mr. Baker, Coach Harrison, Mr. Hughes, and Mrs. Mc-Cafferty aid with student registration on the first day of school.



"Now Coach Gillioz, you know our rules about eating in the halls," Mr. Lynch warns Coach Gillioz.



Mrs. Lyday sings at the faculty picnic.

All in a Year's Work



Miss Miranda and Mr. Schwartz laugh over an incident during their lunch period.







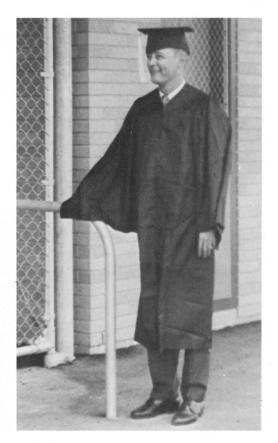
In the first picture, Mr. Baker explains the faculty's plan of strategy. Next we see Coach Cooper driving for two points. Then we see Coach Barker trying for two.



Several faculty members take time to pose for the photographer in order to "show off" their beautiful football mums given to them by their homerooms during homecoming week.



Miss Reynolds threatens her students as she shows the consequences of misbehavior.



Mr. Whitaker stands near the gate before he takes the final step with his homeroom which concludes the seniors' high school career.