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### Oceanography

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platforms, and survey of the methods by which fresh water may be obtained from the sea.

Leipper is chairman of the marine sciences committee of the Southern Regional Education board, which cooperates with oceanography programs in schools of 14 states. He also is the 1955 president of the Texas Academy of Science.

The department head and other members of his staff have published 41 articles in technical journals of national and international scope.



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# THE WINNER—This is the picture that won second place in the feature division of the Associated Press 1954 protography contest. Taken from the roof of Guion hall by Battalion Photographer Seymour Smith, the picture shows Military Walk, looking toward Sbisa hall. The gimmick is that the picture was taken through Guion's anamorphic lens, used to widen out CinemaScope pictures. The lens was turned backwards, causing it to "squeeze up" the pic-**Batt Photographs** Win AP Contest

Two Battalion photographs have | tography contest. von top places in the Associated One picture won second place in Press's 1954 Texas newspaper pho- the feature picture division for

newspapers under 50,000 circulation, and another won honorable mention in the news-features division for the same circulation class. Both pictures were taken by Battalion Photographer Seymour Smith.

The second place feature picture was a shot of Military Walk taken from the top of Guion hall. The picture was taken with a Speed Graphic press camera, through Guion's anamorphic propector lens. The lens is used to widen out pictures for. CinemaScope movies; Smith took the picture with the lens reversed, causing everything in the picture to be narrowed. (See picture above.)

The honorable mention news feature picture was of a group of freshmen giving the statue of Lawarence Sullivan Ross his annual spring cleaning.

The anamorphic lens picture, titled "What's Wrong With This Picture," ran in The Battalion in October, and the other, titled Spring Cleaning," ran last spring. The Battalion was the only college newspaper to place among the winners in the contest, which attracted more than, 200 Texas newspaper photographers and more han 1.500 pict

By Al Capp LI'L ABNER M 55 TODAY, FATHER SSEN TO THA MOTHER'S MONEY! AND THOSI FOR US TO LIVE ON! LI'L ABNER BAH AH IS HIS MAMMY YOU I TOLD YOU TO MAH HE GO AY BILLIONS - IF. B' LOVE NOT HER !! AH GO!! NY CHANC THASS LI'L ABNER WE CAN GET 4 OR 5 HOURS SLEEP - AND ANY FORM OF BEEF BOY-INTO THE DEEP-FREEZER WAKE UP NOT 1 SECOND OLDER! WHAT'S GOOD TRED ... - OUCH !! FOR GENERAL VHY DOESN'T EVERYBODY NEVER MELTS. ALL GOOD FOR THE COUNTRY !! < By Walt Kelly POGO THAT BOY AIN'T HAR'LY OH, HULLO, FRIENDS! WEEK.

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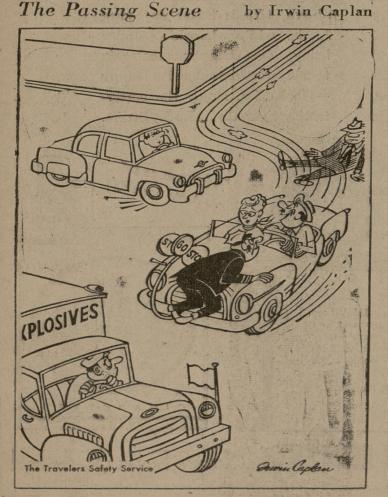
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"There's still nothing wrong with the old reflexes. Notice the neat way I avoided that joker in the car back there?"

The Battalion entered 10 of Smith's pictures. Smith, a senior veterinary medicine major from Sunset, La., has taken pictures for The Battalion for two years, and is now chief photographer for the staff.

"We're glad Seymour got this state-wide recognition," said Battalion Co-Editors Bob Boriskie and Harri Baker. "He deserves it."

#### **Dayhoff Awarded Scholastic Plaque**

Eugene Dayhoff, senior range management student from Houston, has been awarded a plaque by the Texas section of the American Society of Range Management. The award was made on scholastic and essay achievements.

He represented A&M in the range plant identification contest Tuesday and Wednesday in San Jose, Calif.





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