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rise to the highest standard.

There is another way the squad can be helped, that is, by the Company teams showing a willingness to give up men for training. Any spirit otherwise is a plain, unpardonable stroke at our College team. It is hoped that no trouble will come from this source.

Every enterprise which gains success must receive financial support, and so with our football team. It must have funds, and heretofore the Cadets have contributed liberally to its support, and with the present body of students no fear is had of such funds failing to continue.

Arrangements have been made so that the players can have such food as is best for their physical development. The men are partly indebted to the Cadets for this chance to perfect themselves, and they should feel it a duty to the Corps to go in training—not once violating the rules which the Captain and Coach may give. The student body should firmly demand dissipation of any kind to stop. Any failure of the men—in training—to do their duty is showing no appreciation for the costly advantages given them.

With the proper support and training the material at practice will develop, and a champion team can be had which will gain victory and honors for the College. If every Cadet will do all in his power to advance the interest of the football team, a successful season will result.

Class Officers.

At a meeting of the Senior class the following officers were elected:

Marion S. Church, president; Henry B. Farmer, vice-president; Howard E. Hanna, secretary; D. E. Pendleton, treasurer; Thos. C. Born, historian; Will A. Price, sergeant. At the same meeting, the Senior class elected D. E. Pendleton as manager of the Longhorn.

Last Tuesday night the Junior class elected the following officers: Jas. S. Dean, president; Nolan R. Crooks, vice-president; Robt. W. Hofmann, secretary; Jno. H. Pirie, treasurer; Andrew P. Rollins, sergeant at arms; Lawrence Reese, athletic manager.

The officers of the Sophomore class are as follows: Coney Uncas Woodman, president; H. A. Gripon, vice-president; Fritz Hensil Jr., secretary; W. B. Wortham, treasurer; A. T. Potts, historian; Walter Kreuger, sergeant at arms; Warren A. Gilbert, athletic manager.

HEADQUARTERS CORPS OF CADETS, COLLEGE STATION, TEXAS, May 29, 1904.

(Special Order No. 39.)

For the information of the Corps of Cadets, the following additions, corrections and changes in the Rules and Regulations having been approved by the Faculty, are published.

On page 15, paragraph 89, strike out all after the word "companies."

On page 52 add the following: "Article 5a—The regular drill shall be suspended from December 1st to March 1st; but in the interim the Commandant is authorized to have dress parade or inspection on drill days if the weather is suitable."

Change Section 1, Article 8, page 40, to read as follows:

"Graduate studies in the Agricultural Course shall lead to the degree of Master of Science (M. S.); in the Engineering Courses there shall be a fifth year, the work of which shall lead to the degree of Civil Engineer (C. E.); Mechanical Engineer (M. E.); Electrical Engineer (E. E.); Textile Engineer (T. E.). These courses to be open to graduates of this College or of other institutions approved by the Faculty. Section 4 of Article 8 shall apply to students in these courses."

Page 40, Article 4, Section 1, add: "The Spring term examinations for the Senior Class shall end one week before Commencement."

Change Section 3, Article 8, page 40, to read: "Graduate students shall give continued satisfaction in their studies and shall be under the general regulations of the College, but shall not be required to drill."

Attention is invited to the following action of the Faculty:

"During each year discipline shall count as a study, and shall be given the weight of a separate department. The same percentages will be required in discipline in the different classes as is required in other studies. The markings in discipline will be made on a basis of 100. For the Seniors 2 demerits shall count as one point, for the Juniors 3 demerits, for the Sophomores 4 demerits,

and for the Freshmen 5 demerits. Thus a Senior having 40 demerits for the year would be marked 80 per cent in discipline; a freshman having 40 demerits would be marked 92 per cent in discipline. The limit of demerits, therefore, of a student making a proficient mark in discipline would be for the Seniors, 60; for the Juniors, 90; for the Sophomores, 136; and for the Freshmen, 170.

A student deficient in discipline may in the next year have placed to his credit the difference between the number of demerits received that year and the maximum number allowed him for making a proficient mark, and such credits may be used in removing past deficiencies in discipline. Also the surplus credits obtained in any month as a result of applying Section 3, Article 6, not used to remove demerits in that month, may pass to his credit and be used towards removing past deficiencies of preceding year.

Class standing in discipline and other studies will be published yearly for each class.

The above action of the Faculty takes effect beginning with the Fall term of 1904.

By order of
CAPTAIN SARGENT,
(Signed) THOS. W. BLAKE,
1st Lieut. and Adjutant.

The following table shows the number of permissible demerits allowed each Cadet of the various classes to make passable grades, the Seniors and Juniors being required to make a grade of 70 per cent; the Sophomores and Freshmen a grade of 65 per cent:

	Fall	Winter	Spring	Year
Senior	24	18	18	60
Junior	36	30	24	90
Sophomores	54.4	40.8	40.8	136
Freshmen	68	51	51	170

To illustrate: A Senior who gets 24 demerits during the Fall term will be credited with a grade of 70, and marked passed; a Junior who gets 36 demerits will likewise get 70 per cent and pass; a Sophomore who gets 54.4 demerits during the Fall term will be credited with a grade of 66, and marked passed; a Freshman who gets 68 demerits will likewise get a grade of 66 and pass.

MATRICULATION OF THE COLLEGE.

This year's matriculation is in every respect the most satisfactory the College has ever had. More than 405 men presented themselves for enrollment before Tuesday, October 4th. This number was greater than the College could accommodate with due respect for comfort, order and discipline. It became necessary to reject some of the applicants. In addition the President was compelled to write to a number of applicants for the freshman class who had not presented themselves that there was no room for them. Some of the old students have not reported yet, but have indicated their intention of doing so, and a few applicants had their names entered on the rolls some weeks ago. These will be received as they come.

The Agriculture department has 100 men on the ground who are taking the agriculture course; these are bona fide applicants for agriculture. In former years the freshman agriculture class included a large number of students who were not bona fide applicants for agriculture, but who could not enter the engineering courses. Now the freshman agriculture students are on the same footing as the engineering as regards preparation, and have entered with the sole desire of pursuing agriculture work. The agriculture senior class will number about 20 men. This will make one of the largest graduating classes in agriculture in the country. It is noteworthy that most of the higher officers of the corps belong to this class.

The freshman engineering class embraces applicants for all lines of engineering and numbers 124 men. The various engineering depart-

ments are all well represented among this number. The three higher classes in civil engineering number 77 men; the three higher in electrical engineering, 27; in mechanical and textile engineering, 37; the electives and special industrial students number 14. Six or eight other students are on the grounds, but have not completed their registration.

The number of graduate students who have presented themselves for advanced work is larger than usual. The return of these men is gratifying to the college community, and evidences an appreciation on the part of these men of the necessity for advanced training and also of the facilities of the College.

Perhaps the most noticeable single fact connected with the matriculation is the much greater average maturity of the freshman class. A very large per cent of the class ranges in age from 18 to 24, and there are members of the class whose age exceeds the latter figures considerably. Another interesting fact is the number of mature students who have come here from Mexico and States of the United States adjoining Texas for special work in agriculture and engineering. The large number of students registering for electrical engineering evidences the wisdom of the authorities in making further provisions for this important field. A number of students have already indicated their intention of taking textile engineering, and when the department is fully equipped for work others will undoubtedly follow suit.

On account of the increased maturity, experience and training of the members of the corps, we may confidently count upon even a more serious and student-like spirit in the college than we have had heretofore. The men who have come here have all put away childish things and intend to do the work of men.

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