

DRILL SHIRTS ?

CAMPAIGN HATS ?
REGULATION BELTS ?
WHITE GLOVES ?

SPECIAL NOTICE !—Our stock of drill shirts was to have arrived for the opening of the College, but was delayed in shipment, and have just arrived. So we now have a full stock of all sizes of the best drill shirts offered the students this season, and would warn all students who have not yet secured their shirts not to delay their purchases as each student is required to have two shirts, and the supply may not last long.

HUNTER & CHATHAM

MEN'S FURNISHERS

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

H. & T. C. SCHEDULE.

NORTH BOUND TRAINS.

No. 3 1:26 p. m.
No. 5 12:36 a. m. (flag)

SOUTH BOUND TRAINS.

No. 2 3:49 p. m.
No. 6 2:57 a. m. (flag)

I. & G. N. SCHEDULE.

NORTH BOUND TRAINS

No. 102 9:58 a. m.

SOUTH BOUND TRAINS.

No. 101 4:56 p. m.

Patronize Benson's Barber Shop

W. T. Moore has been elected valedictorian of the Senior class.

Benson's Campus Barber shop is the place for good work.

Professor Smith paid a Christmas visit to his mother at Huntsville.

Max Weinert has been appointed Y. M. C. A. Editor of The Battalion.

Two new bulletin boards have been put up in the hall of the main building.

S. T. Epstein has resigned his position as Local Editor of The Battalion.

Benson's College Barber Shop will be provided with two chairs this year. Prompt and first class work.

David E. Pendleton, '05, has received a well merited promotion. He is now a surveyman in the government service.

President Harrington has ordered six copies of The Battalion to be sent weekly to each of the A. and M. Clubs now formed.

The Battalion has received an article from Benn Gleason on his work at the Westinghouse factory at Pittsburg, Pa. It will be published next week.

Treasurer Carson visited Houston and Austin during the holidays, and spent Christmas day at Callina with his father and mother, his twin brother and his brother's daughter.

The long period of fair weather has done much to give athletics an early start. The first cross country run was held Saturday evening, as per schedule. Cadets may be seen throwing the shot, hammer and discus any evening; while basket ball, tennis, and baseball are growing more popular.

Professor Embry visited Waxahachie and Fort Worth during the Christmas vacation.

Professor Hutson spent the Christmas holidays on the campus. His son W. F. Hutson, '95 of El Paso spent several days here.

Mr. W. W. Evans, the new farm superintendent, has lately arrived on campus and taken charge of the college farm. Mr. Evans comes to us well recommended as an authority on live stock. He is a brother to J. W. Evans, engineer at steam plant, and also to Cadet Evans.

The Experiment Station has lately gotten in 20 head of high grade short horn steers from Southwest Texas, for the purpose of determining the feeding value of Kaffir corn compared to the other available feed stuffs in Western Texas at prevailing prices.

SENIOR PRIVATES ENTERTAIN.

Wingless Angels Treat Officers to a Good Time.

Last Saturday night the senior officers were magnificently entertained at the Senior hall by the Senior Privates. By nine o'clock the boys were all gathered in the hall about tables, playing various parlor games.

At about half past nine, cake and punch were served freely, then came the smoking. Box full after box of cigars were passed around. Due respect was paid to Lady Nicotine.

Ten o'clock and nobody had thought of leaving. A kangaroo court was organized and one of the members of the class was tried for alienating the affections of a classmate from some other classmates. He happily was cleared of the charge, and all was well.

In the meantime the Senior quartette, Bivins, Thompson, Underwood and Boyce gave the boys some of their best music, and finally at the close of the night's festivities, Wessendorf and Thompson gave them two or three guitar and mandolin selections which were very sweet.

At twelve they all dispersed, feeling more like brothers than ever before. It is a true saying that the class of '07 is a unit.

Jones-Smith says that it is the hills that make the echo.

Brown—And here I've lived all these years thinking it was the holler. —New York Times.

A. AND M. CLUB BANQUET.

An Elegant Spread and Some Notable Addresses by President Harrington and Others.

The Brazos County A. and M. College Club banquet, held last night at the California Restaurant in this city, was a notable gathering of members of the Alumni Association and former students, and the outgrowth of the activity of the Alumni association, under the leadership of its president, says the Bryan Eagle. Mr. F. M. Law, in carrying out the plans determined upon some time ago for organizing A. and M. College Clubs throughout the state to the end that united efforts may be put forth in behalf of the college. As heretofore noted, this work has progressed satisfactorily and clubs have been formed in nearly all the leading cities of the state, while others are in contemplation.

The arrangements for the banquet were made by a committee composed of Robt. W. Howell, O. E. Saunders, Dr. Joe Gilbert and R. J. Potts. Dr. Gilbert officiated as toastmaster with characteristic grace and ready address. The tables were handsomely laid with covers for thirty-five.

It was a matter of much regret that the members of the legislature who were expected, as announced in the Eagle yesterday morning, could not attend. Representative Davis telephoned yesterday afternoon that on account of their duties there, it was impossible for them to be here. He added the gratifying information, however, that he was authorized by the other three gentlemen to say, and joined them in the statement, that they would do all in their power to carry out any reasonable demand of the Alumni in behalf of the A. and M.

Dr. H. H. Harrington, president of the College, was the guest of the Club, and spoke in detail of the needs of the College. His long familiarity with the institution and comprehensive grasp of all its functions and purposes enables him to present these needs in a clear and forceful way that cannot fail to carry conviction.

Other good speeches were made, notably those of Mr. Law, Prof. Kyle, Mr. Watkins and Mr. Wiprecht, to whom were assigned important subjects. There were numerous timely and valuable suggestions made to the end of advancing the interests of the College. Several of the speakers indulged in bits of humor, and the heartiest good fellowship prevailed. The importance of extending the club work was emphasized, and Mr. Law reported about ten clubs organized to date. Toasts to the College and to President Harrington, proposed by Dr. Gilbert, were responded to by all present standing.

A short business session was held and Prof. A. Mitchell read the constitution and by-laws of the club which were adopted.

A vote of thanks was extended to Mr. R. W. Howell and his associates of the arrangement committee for their eminently successful services.

TOAST LIST.

Dr. Joe Gilbert, toastmaster.
The needs of the A. and M. College—Dr. H. H. Harrington.
A. and M. Clubs—F. M. Law.
College Experiences—Prof. A. Mitchell, J. T. Cruse, W. S. Howell.

Athletics—E. J. Kyle.
The Press and the A. and M.

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THREE SESSIONS DAILY

9:30 a. m. to 12:00; 2:30 p. m. to 5:00 p. m.
7:30 p. m. to 10:00 p. m.

SOMETHING DOING ALL THE TIME

MUSIC BY THE BAND EVERY WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY NIGHTS

College—A. J. Buchanan, Malcolm Carnes.

The Brazos County A. and M. Club—W. A. Watkins.

What we Owe our Alma Mater—W. Wiprecht.

DINNER.

Oyster Soup
Broiled Oysters on Toast
Baked Turkey, Oyster Dressing
French Peas, Cream Potatoes
Claret
Chicken Salad, Butter Crackers
Plum Pudding, Brandy Sauce
Black Coffee, After Dinner Biscuits.

THE INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS' STOCK JUDGING CONTEST NEXT DECEMBER.

It may be of interest to state at this time something in regard to the annual stock judging contest at the International Students' Judging Contest at Chicago next December. This is a test of the efficiency of the college instruction, as well as the quality of the men. Each Agricultural College of the United States and Canada is allowed to be represented by a team of five men. Each team is allowed to pass judgment, and give reasons for same, on different classes of livestock. The team scoring the highest number of points, compared with the official judge report, is awarded a magnificent bronze trophy in the form of a statue of a bull and a horse valued at more than a thousand dollars.

Our College has put out a team

for the past three years, and it is a significant fact that although the equipment for instructions here in this department is quite meager, we have won a high place in the contest every year. Last year we stood highest as judges of swine and had the highest scoring man, while this year we came within a few points of winning the grand horse trophy.

We must remember that in this work we not only represent our college in our State, but that we also represent our college and state among all the colleges and states in the whole United States and Canada. To a great extent we represent the live stock industry of the South as Texas is the only State which has yet sent a team for the competition.

It is of the utmost importance that every fellow begin now to try for the team as a man can only serve on the team once. Let every one do his best to fit a team and next year, right after our physical victories in foot ball, we will go north and show our sister States what we are doing for mental development. That \$700 trophy would be nice to show to visitors.

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