

# THE BATTALION

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## SCHEDULE ARRANGED FOR BATTALION FOOTBALL

Rules of the League Published—Officials Chosen.

The plans for the Battalion Athletic League now have taken concrete form, and a good schedule is assured. The captains and managers of the teams met Monday night and formulated rules for governing the new athletic league.

### The Rules.

#### Eligibility rules:

(a) No man will be allowed to play who has represented the college in any game with another school classed as a college, i. e., T. C. U., Baylor, Southwestern, Trinity, Austin, Daniel Baker.

(b) Any man who left the squad on his own accord is not eligible.

#### Time Regulations of Game.

The quarters will consist of ten minutes each; intermissions of three minutes between quarters, and ten minutes between halves.

#### Deposits.

Twenty-five dollars shall be deposited by each battalion for sweaters for the winning team, and three dollars and twenty-five cents for football's. These amounts must be deposited by November 12.

#### Officials for Games.

Referee, James Sullivan; umpire, E. F. Gochenour; field umpire, R. J. Potts; head linesman, Bruce Frazier.

#### Association Officers.

The adjutant of each battalion shall be manager for his battalion team. The sergeant major shall be assistant manager, and be responsible for all equipment until beginning of next season.

A president shall be elected by the managers and captains.

#### Schedule.

Wednesday, November 9—First and Second battalion teams.

Saturday, November 12—Second and Third battalion teams.

Wednesday, November 16—Third and First battalion teams.

Saturday, November 19—First and Second battalion teams.

Wednesday, November 23—Second and Third battalion teams.

Saturday, November 26—Third and First battalion teams.

At the meeting Monday night H. M. Pool was elected to the presidency of the league for 1910.

The ground for these games has



been cleared near the athletic park.

The fact that the battalion league has been organized and the schedule of football games arranged is a matter for much elation among the students. When the announcement was made at the opening of the session that the company league was no more it was thought that there might be no student athletics. Class athletics were suggested, but there are objections to class athletics—teams not always evenly matched, and schedules hard to arrange. The problem was solved when a battalion league was suggested. The captains of the companies gathered and organized the new league and named the managers. The battalions elected the captains for their teams and practice for the battalion squads began two weeks ago.

Since the battalions can offer more material for the teams than could the companies under the old order of things, some big games are booked for the new league's gridiron.

The only thing necessary now is the prompt payment of the assess-

ments for sweaters for the winning team, and for footballs for the games, by the supporters of the battalion teams.

### SENIOR AND JUNIOR BUG HUNTERS TO SAN ANTONIO.

Make Trip to Participate in Stock Judging at Fair.

Wednesday at noon several agricultural students from the senior and junior classes departed for San Antonio to enter the stock judging contests at the San Antonio fair. They will return Sunday afternoon in order to be in readiness for the trip to Houston Monday.

The party is composed of C. B. Moore, R. R. Montemayor, S. H. Ray, E. F. Moser, T. L. P. Lindley, H. P. Brown, C. C. Morris, G. A. Blachaller, C. M. Henderson and H. F. Grote, of the senior class; J. L. Langston, C. A. McEachern, J. J. Brown, H. Thaxton, F. N. McMillan, R. R. Rosa, W. M. Jensen, J. H. Heller and B. L. Fuchs, of the junior class.

## NEW LITERARY SOCIETY ORGANIZED SATURDAY

Addresses Made by Several Instructors—E. E. McAnelly, President.

The new literary society, the agitation of which was mentioned in a recent issue of The Battalion, was organized in the parlor of the Austin Literary Society Saturday night.

Preliminary to the organization Profs. Bressler, Britton, and Griswell made very convincing talks on the necessity of a technical man having the ability to address public gatherings. These gentlemen expressed a willingness to assist in the work of both the new society and the Austin Literary Society.

The new society is a literary and debating club and starts out with twenty charter members, bidding fair to arouse much interest among the students in literary work. A number of seniors are joining in order to get some practice outside of their course in public speaking.

Programs will be rendered every alternate Saturday night in the Austin Literary Society's room until quarters for the new society are arranged.

The members of the society extend a very cordial invitation to the students to become members. The club is organized for the purpose of giving the students much valuable training in appearing as public speakers, and the more members the more useful will be the club. Those cadets who desire to join the society should give their name and college address to the secretary, Mr. Church, of the band.

The officers are: E. E. McAnelly, president; L. B. McMillan, vice president; W. G. Church, recording secretary; A. C. Chaney, treasurer.

The society has not been named, but the understanding is that the name will be that of one of the prominent officials of the college.

### SOME JOKES.

"Coffee" Blackmon—"Ake, I read how Crippen is to be hung on November 8."

"Ake" Reagin—"Then I guess the poor devil will never know how badly 'Varsity is going to be cleaned up."

Fish Oliver—"I don't like for Capt. Dorsey to give 'Purveyar, march!'"