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CLASS OF 1920 WIELDS BIG STICK ON TEAMS

Juniors Have Turned the Tide of Many Mighty Battles.

The fact that the men of the present Junior Class were not allowed to compete for positions on the Varsity teams when they were Fish did not prevent them from being of athletic service to the College in their Freshman year. In 1916, the Athletic Council secured D. X. Bible for the purpose of coaching all Fish who felt that they had athletic possibilities ahead of them. The football team, the first to be organized under this able coach, began its practice every afternoon on the baseball outfield and finished on the football field in scrimmage with the Varsity. While these hardfought and merciless contests on Kyle Field, with no one in the grand stand, served to harden the Varsity team and show them their weak points, they also afforded the down-trodden Fish a welcome opportunity of striking a few blows at their oppressors. But besides scrimmaging the Varsity, this team had a schedule of its own, made up of games with the Junior Colleges and academies of the State, only one of which was lost, the rest being won by large scores. Such men as McMurray, McClintock, and Drake were the mainstays of the team.—McMurray with his terrible line plunging, McClintock with swift end runs, and Drake with powerful defensive and offensive work in the line.

The success of the Fish basketball team was never in doubt from the time when the size of the Houston delegation of Freshmen became known. As in football, Bible had a large number from which to pick a team. McQuillen, Longcope, Wise, and Sparks were the brilliant stars from the beginning, showing by their veteran playing that they had had and benefitted by much previous basketball experience.

Fish track and baseball men did not receive the same attention as the other Freshmen athletes. A Fish track team was organized but entered in only one meet, while no baseball team was organized at all.

It was not until the following year that the men of the '20 Class were given the opportunity to try for the coveted letter. In football, Mahan, McClintock, Alexander, and Gilmore were the hardest workers on the team. Of the men who made up the

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MANY CAMPUS CHANGES SCHEDULED FOR SUMMER

Campus Will Present Entirely New Aspect Next Fall.

With the Mechanical Engineering Building well under way and the ground broken for the Physics building at the present time, quite a change will be wrought on the campus before September. The Exchange Store, for the past few years located in the Administration building, will be moved to new quarters back of Gathright Hall where walks will connect it to the street facing Milner Hall as well as with the Military Walk. The store is to be a modern building of Spanish Mission Architecture, stucco finish. On the first floor will be the store proper and the soda fountain, the Post Exchange building being scheduled for annihilation, and in the rear will be a tailor shop and shoe shop. A solid plate glass front with display windows will add to the attractiveness of the new building. The second floor will be devoted to living rooms as well as dressing rooms for the convenience of our fair visitors on various occasions.

The Extension Service building will replace the present location in the "Bat Roost" and has been finally settled upon to occupy the site of

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JUNIORS MAKE GOOD AS COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Marks an Epoch in the Military History of the College.

There are cadets, especially the "fish", who think all that wear leather "putts" are Seniors. It happens not to be the case this year, especially since the reorganization of the Cadet Corps at the beginning of the third term. The forming of two new units—the Artillery and Signal Corps—gave need for many more officers and the decrease of the Senior class, which was gradually diminished by many of the members who have offered their services to the United States, are the two existing conditions that make it very fortunate for some of the members of our class to be on the records as the first Junior class having some of its members commissioned in the Cadet Corps.

Below are their names so you may know them when you meet them:

- Cadet 2nd Lieutenant, E. Taylor Battery A.
- Cadet 2nd Lieutenant, D. S. McManus, Sig. Co. A.
- Cadet 2nd Lieutenant, W. B. Harbinger, Sig. Co. B.
- Cadet 2nd Lieutenant, M. B. Leboeuf, Co. A.
- Cadet 2nd Lieutenant E. E. Moore

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A. & M. VIES WITH BEST IN MILITARY

Not many of the readers know that the Texas and M. College is a running mate for any of the leading colleges and universities of the United States. Read for yourself.

In the Field Artillery Journal of January-March, 1919, was published: "The following is a list of the colleges at which field artillery units have been, or are now in the process of being, established. It is planned to establish a total of about twenty units.

- Yale University, New Haven, Conn.
- Princeton University, Princeton, N. J.
- Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.
- Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.
- Leland Stanford University, Palo Alto, Cal.

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ATHLETIC COUNCIL EN- TERTAINS LETTER MEN

At the annual steak roast tendered the year's letter men by the Athletic Department, Saturday night, C. S. (Judd) Lewis was elected captain of the baseball team for 1920, and Lee Hugon chosen to lead the Aggie track men next year.

Lewis has played third base for the Aggies the last two seasons, and has always been one of the hardest working and most dependable men on the club. Naturally unassuming, he has not played for the grandstand, or to better his own averages, but toward his team's winning. This year he only made two errors on the hot corner, and covered it like a ten year veteran. Although his batting average was not at the head of the list, this was largely due to his having hit in hard luck all year, many

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JUNIOR BANQUET PUT OVER IN GREAT STYLE

Greatest Success in the History of the Institution.

On Friday evening May 16th, in Sbia Hall, the Junior Class held one of the most successful banquets in the history of the school.

The tables had been very artistically arranged in the shape of a V, bearing out the success of the victorious class, at the vertex of which sat the toastmaster and the talented group of entertainers who had been selected to participate in the program for the occasion. The beauty of the interior of the hall was enhanced by a profusion of lovely sweet pea blossoms intermingled with other floral touches and tasteful trimmings of vine and fern. At each place was found a very handsome leather bill folder, bearing the seal of the college and the motto "1920" and containing the following:

- Sherry after the arrival of Toastmaster, McQuillen the following menu was served:
- Celery Olives Pickles
- Consomme
- Lobster Cocktail
- Filet de Fruit a la tartar
- Pommes Breton
- Supreme de Vallaire au Campignons
- Pepi Pois en case
- Tomato Farce
- Waldorf Salad
- Fruit Gelatine with Whipped Cream
- Assorted Cakes and Fruits
- Cheese with Snowflake Crackers
- Biscuits and Viva Rolls
- Cafe Moca.

After the completion of this delightful repast the program was rendered as follows:

1. The Junior Banquet W. T. Burns
2. Prohibition P. B. Price
3. Military Police for 1920 B. H. Frazier
4. International Prospects K. J. Edwards
5. How the Juniors Won the War Hugh N. Glenn
6. Athletics Scott Alexander
7. Agriculture vs. Engineering Roy Manning vs. C. C. Todd
8. Loison Pat Hamikoa
9. The '20 Class E. M. Longcope

Diversion was afforded in piano music, which was furnished by



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