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ARMY CALLS FOR

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IN E. & R. WORK

Provides.

COL. STERRETT

Bryan Tuesday night.

of the species, he said, and could bet

ter be utilized for the purpose than

any other lands that might be pro-

Colonel Sterret urged the Bryan

Chamber of Commerce to take cog-

nizance of the economic value to the

the opportunity before them of hav-

ing such an addition to A. and M.

ON BIRD AND

Animal Life Conservation.

COLLEGE STATION, TEXAS JANUARY 14, 1921.

TIME SHOW . FIVESENIORS SCORES GREAT **TO GRADUATE** AT MID-TERM **HIT WITH CORPS**

****OR-JUNIOR DANCE

TOMORROW NITE

Bill Equals Professional Plane; Fair- Reynolds, Hamilton, Drake, Reed and Representing 7th District, Coach D. War Department Needs Men With leigh, Clayton, Masuda, Thompson, Stellar Performers.

Each year things happen at this institution that arouse the old-timers dress parades, and no celebrations will to a spirit of wondering at what next. mark the day of graduation for those The latest was a "vaudeville" put on that finish their work this term. Thru by the band and young ladies of the hard work, and by carrying extra sub-Campus and Bryan.

The first of these sketches was a were able to beat old Father Time out far famed troupe which had toured might not seem very much, but these the state of Texas during the holi- men will have an advantage over those days and believe us that is some tour that have to wait till June. We hate in that short time. As the name im- to see them go, as they all are among plies, it was a high powered six-cyl- the most popular men in the class, inder affair. The music was of a na- holding high ranks in the Corps, and ture that appealed to the sole. Eh? have the esteem of all those that yes, sole!

In the next sketch, which was also a musical number, Mr. Fairleigh, at leave, you will leave an empty place the piano, seemed to have lost a note, behind you, that no man will be able Thereupon he went through all his to fill. Very few men are fortunate pockets and finally found it wrapped enough to go through school and enup in his handkerchief. He placed it in joy such sincere and unrivaled poputhe hammer and wire department of larity as you have had. Though, in the piano near the front door route.

Clayton with the cornet, showed the audience that not all music had been thrown to the jazz-hounds for he played a few which he had no doubt old boy! saved from these same jazzers.

On the next act we got a whole family; tout ensemble. Out of the band came the odd seven saxophone blowers. Odd? Well, seven of the longest and shortest (physically) in the band. In this act Fairleigh started to warm up and act natural. After best for you, Red, so good bye, and several popular selections were rendered and Fairleigh's selection of acquaintance among the players Fish Hubby eternally vamping him, we come to the next act.

Let us say in the beginning that it was very chic, keen and petite, for class work, and unexcelled as Captain Miss Martha Goodwin sang severalex- of Sur organization, so may you con-cellent songs for the occasion, all of tinue your march to the p macle of which we were strong for. If you don't believe us, ask George

Mrs. Drink Milner accompanied. Here we come to something unique

showed his versatile ability very well you tackle life as hard and as sucstarting from peaceful music on everything from an accordeon to a chalk box to the serious business of manly self-defense. No, we are a liar be-cause it was for the ladies, consequently womanly self-defense. Anyway, old horse, we are off of any fair damsel who plays like that!

Now we have arrived at what we have been wanting to talk of. This We are sorry that you are leaving us, was a head-liner of a series of head- Charlie, but we also feel sorry for liners. A comedy musical by Fair- those little girls in Bryan, that will leigh and Clayton. We learned sev- weep their little eyes out, for weeks could be dispensed on the regular shelf gone". So long Cole, be happy, and in "Doc" Hedges' haunt. Second, that don't forget us.

Cole to Receive Degrees the Coming Week. No impressive ceremonies, no grand jects on their schedules these five men

know them.

Pat Hamilton-Old Pat! When you a way, we don't blame you for leaving as soon as you have received your degree, nevertheless we sure hate to see you go. Good luck to you, Pat

C. E. Reynolds-Captain Red-So you are going too? Aggieland will up cases of proselyting-the practice never be the same, after you are gone; who'd-a-thought it! We always believed that "men would come, and men would go, but old Red would stay on forever." Well, you know what is may happiness be yours.

Bill Reed-even is leaving us-may your life be as successful as your career as a member of the International Livestock Judging Championship Team of 1919! You were high in success and look back with pleasure on the days you spent with us. Ruby Drake-the man of fame-

great step in the advancement of ath letics is the committee which propose what do you want to go and leave us and spectacular. Barook Masuda for? One thing is sure, though-if to work with the A. A. U. in regard to the cessfully as you tackled your oppon ents on the gridiron the world will be yours. Go to it, Ruby, old boy, we are vatching you.

Charlie Cole—gentleman of leisure -son of rest. And they tell us that we are not going to see your smliing school. countenance any more? Ridiculous -you'll be back, alright, don't worry. to cooperate with the National Phys ical Education Service in promoting Federal legislation, an extensive plan things. Principally that music and weeks and weeks "After you're having been contemplated for some time to urge the legal bodies to such legislation. All the various rules com-

X. Bible Attends National Collegiate Training Such as A. and M. Athletic Association.

CHICAGO MEET

COACH BIBLE

RETURNS FROM

At the meeting of the National Col-The United States Civil Service legiate Athletic Association in Chica- Commission announces the need of go during the holidays, Head Coach the War Department for civilian in-D. X. Bible of A. and M. represented structors to serve in cooperation with the 7th District which includes Okla- Army Officers at all camps and posts homa, Arizona, New Mexico, Louis- in furthering the education of eniana, Arkansas and Texas. Coach listed men. All general education few selections by the Aggieland 6, a of four and a half months of life; it Bible reports that the high interest courses will be offered and many ocmanifested in these Southwestern cupational and vocational courses states at this time in athletics was will be offered ranging from special not expected by representatives of work for illiterate men to college other sections. The Association in- work. The type of men needed cludes all large colleges and univer- should have such training as A. and sities in the United States and func- M. gives to its students. Salaries range fror \$1,500 to \$3,000 for intions in adopting rules and regulations structors and from \$1,800 to \$3,600 governing all games played in colleges. Various rule committees are for Senior instructors. Positions are appointed to cover every phase of col- open in all parts of the United States, lege athletics. Canal Zone, Hawaii, and Philippine

Major Ashburn Honored.

Major Ike S. Ashburn, Commandant The lines of work for which A. and Disciplinary Head of the A. and and M. men are particularly adapted ing the work, and that the peniten- President and took the chair. Other M. College of Texas was appointed on include Automotive, Electrical, Tex- tiary farms be designated as sanctu- officers elected were: the Executive Committee of the Asso- tile, Building, Highway Construction aries for the wild life. These farms ciation. He was also placed on the and Topograph, Power and Agricul- already in the possession of the state Arbitration Committee. In this latter ture. There is no examination, the would solve the problem of providcapacity he is to become acquainted applicants being rated as follows: 10, ing places of refuge for the birds with the eligibility of the students at Physical ability; 90 Education or Ex- and animals and for the propagation various institutions in order to clear perience.

Islands.

Students interested should write of inducing athletes to leave one inthe Civil Service Commission, Washstitution and enter another for the ington, D. C., or Secretary, Customs sole purpose of playing collegiate House, Tenth Civil Service District, sports, and if possible, participating in New Orleans, La., for Form 1312, such activities before eligible by time and submit same, properly executed with photo and physical examination applied to the laboratory work. before February 1st. Ex-service, He visited President Bizzell National Track Meet Plan Adopted. Resolutions were adopted to hold a National Track Meet and Field nen will receive recognition for spec-Meet in order that National chamal training work done during Army pions of Inter-Collegiate Classe xperience Certain A. and M. graduates who might be named in the various events

nave entered this line of work have This is the first attempt at such a meet and has met the approval of reported it as attractive and whole coaches and directors of athletics in ome. Those who desire to travel may all the larger institutions. Among be sent to U. S. possessions if they students it has wide favor, particuso request and applications are ac larly among the athletes. A second

> INTERCOLLEGIATE RADIO NEWS.

great international Olympic games. Resolutions were likewise The Rice Institute squad triumphadopted that all colleges should ded over Simmons College by a score clare ineligible any undergraduate who of 30 to 17 at the Y. M. C. A. court represents another athletic organiza Monday night. The playing displayed by Captain Lovett of Simtion other than his own college during vacation or other periods when out of nons in throwing goal from midield was a feature of the game. Rube To Cooperate With the Federal

for the visitors roped three nice baskets in the last period of the game.

NEWS ITEM.

Buie sits enraptured while Miss Goodwin sings, "I Love You Truly"but so did twelve hundred others and he lost the decision.

GION EXTENDS

to Join-Officers to be Elected

January 14.

AMERICAN LE-

College. He told of his personal success aising pheasants, which birds he

said were of the most value to the farmers of Texas in protecting his growwing crops from insects and made the assertion that with a sufficient number of those birds in a cctNUMBER 15

A. AND M. MEN **ORGANIZE IN** ANIMAL LIFE **JOHNSON COUNTY**

Would Have the A. and M. College Students and Former Students Ban-Establish Department For Bird and quet at Cleburne and Perfect Organization.

Colonel William Greene Sterrett, Alumni, Ex-students, and present staff correspondent of the Dallas- students of A. and M. living in John-Galveston News and for six years son county met at Cleburne on the game, fish and oyster cimmissioner their first annual banquet. Before of Texas outlined his plan for abol- that time there was no local organishing the office of state game, fish ization of the A. and M. men in that and oyster commissioner and giving county, but one of the livliest organto the A. and M. College of Texas the izations was formed on that night administration of the work having that has been formed by A. and M. to do with the preservation and pro- men anywhere. There were twentypagation of the wild bird and animal five present at the banquet and these life and to the State University the men formed the local organization. work now being done by that de-E. A. Cook, '92, acted as toastpartment with fish and oyster in an master and kept things on the go in address before the Bryan and Brazos a true Aggie style. A number of County Chamber of Commerce in strong speeches were made which served to stir up the old time pep in

Colonel Sterrett proposed that a every man present and it was dechair of botany be established in A. cided to go into organization at once. and M. for the purpose of administer- Dr. A. C. Burns, '07 was elected

J. O. Rhoms, '90, 1st Vice President. E. A. Cook, '92, 2nd Vive Presi-

dent. J. B. Crum, '11, 3rd Vice Presi-

dent.

K. L. Kirkland, '21, Secretarycured for the reason that the con-Treasurer.

victs who are worked there could be R. L. Chappelle, '17, Reporter. used as wardens and those physically The club is to be known as the unfit for labor in the fields could be Johnson County A. and M. Club.

After the organization was complete, the meeting was turned into He visited President Bizzell on the afternoon of his arrival in Bryan one of the old time Bull pens. The and stated Tuesday night that he Fish present furnished the music and songs. The old timers told tales of vas very much pleased to learn that what happened back in the year one President Bizzell was heartily in favor of the plan. He also said that and many incidents which had neara bill was being prepared and would ly been forgotten were recalled; e presented to the Thirty-seventh causing each and every one present Legislature calling for the abolishto love the old school a little morenent of the office of game, fish and if possible.

yster commissioner and the estab-Those present in addition to the shment simultaneously of the chair officers elected were: Combs, G. W. of botany in A. and M. and the ad-^{'20}, (2yr); Lace, W. R. Ex-^{'22}, Anderson, R. J. '12 (2yr); McCorkle, G. M. '15 (2yr); Landers, J. C. '17; lition of such experts to the State Iniversity staff as was necessary to arry on the work to be placed in its Carper, M. E. '17 (2yr); Lockett, W.

R. '13; Davis, G. E. '14 (2yr); Hous-ton, S. A. Ex-'21; Rice, J. D. '13; Coney, M. C. Ex-'16; Jones, L. C. 14 (2yr); Mims, M. P. '22; Yater, J. A. '22; Husy, P. '21 (2yr); Franstate of Texas of such a move and cis, G. D. '24; Hockaday, H. K. '24; Whitehouse, B. '24;. Others who were not able to be present are: Branson, G. E., Castevens, G., Ball, E. R., Keith, Bob, Prestridge, K. K., Adams, M. L., Simmonds, LeClaire, Yater, N., Coffin, P. C., Tucker, L. L., Nelson, J., Adams, M., Glascow, Bob, Massenberg, W., Massenberg, -., Waldrip, -..., Harrell, Y.

somebody is not observing the 18th to-be's" on the stage—still talking of bottles of course. Third, that good things came in smaller b things come in small packages for although too much of a sand blower to reach the bugle stand, as a commedian Fairleigh has the illustrious Chas. Chaplin against, between and all over the ropes.

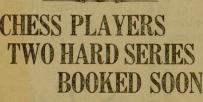
Some of the most original jokes on members of the Commandant's staff and people about the Campus were pulled. These two men played every sort of tune on every kind of instrument from sleigh bells on the feet to lubricating oil cans and when you can play two cornets at one time out of one mouth, old dear, you get the hand made stone casket that will last you a lifetime.

In the next round "Red" Thompson came to the bat. Nuff sed! But to over-reach your intelligence and give you some of the inside dope, Red was right and that old ready wit and musical voice which no other mortal, except Red ever had for it is original with him, kept the house in a firm be-

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MANY FOREIGN COUNTRIES REPRESENTED AT A. & M.

That the A. and M. College of Texas is extending its influence nationally for places on the team will begin. and internationally is indicated from the Annual Report of the College with a total enrollment of 108 stu- never can tell how good you are undents. Twenty-four of these come from Arkansas, twenty-seven from It is essential that everyone who only Louisiana, fifteen from Oklahoma. so much as knows how to play the There are sixteen students in the Col- game come out and help form the during the last session.



Rice Institute and University Players Are Coming to This College.

The Month of February will be an active one for our Chess Team. On versity. the 4th and 5th the Longhorns are

coming up for a return match, and the team is working hard to make a better showing than on that last disasterous Thanksgiving Day. On the 17th and 18th Rice is going to send a delegation of players to do battle with our men. We never have seen Rice play, but from what we hear, they have a strong team, and will be hard to handle.

The team has not been practicing just been issued by the A. and M. Colmuch lately, first of all, because everyone is kept busy by the approach of the second term, and also because lately there has been so much going on nere that it was practically impossible to bring about a reorganization after Christmas. Tomorrow, Satur-There are several good chess players on the Campus that never came up to which is just off the press. Twenty the club, simply because they thought the location of the twelve agricultural states besides Texas are represented, that they were not good enough. You sub-stations, as well as the counties til you have compared with others. tion agents. There are now 134 county the Y. M. C. A. system.

Boxing Meets With Disfavor. The attitude which the Association ook on intercollegiate boxing was one of the influential factors that brough about the abandoning of this intercollegiate sport at A. and M. The members of the Association were un favorable towards the sport as an intercollegiate activity. It was highly endorsed as an intermural sport, how ever, and as such it will be carried on at A. and M. as in all past years with the single exception of last year when

Service.

A special committe was appointed

the Aggies were victorious over Uni-

Gambling Disapproved. Resolutions were drawn up con demning gambling in all its forms it may take in regard to any collegiae sport. This is the attitude taken by

A FEW FACTS ABOUT A. & M.

have a picture made for the Longnorn as soon as the weather pernitted. Announcement of election of officers on January 14, the date of the (Continued on Page 4) ext meeting was announced. Com nander C. C. Braden requests that everyone be present for this election

of new officers in order that the Post A bulletin of unusual interest ha officials will be the unanimous choice of all. Associate members elected to the A. and M. Post No. 73 were: J. E. lege of Texas. It is entitled "Organ-Lewis and Mr. J. R. McKee. Of the ization of the A. and M. College System in Texas," and states fully the seventy members present, only ten plan of organization that now prevails stated that they were receiving their Aggies": for the College and its branches. The Weekly regularly. Fifteen had not

College system comprises the main received their Victory Medals. The and their pleasant company was en-College at College Station and the Post Adjutant is arranging to have a day, the team will meet and tryouts branch colleges at Stephenville, Ar- 100 percent list of Weekly receivers lington, and Prairie View, the latter this year. For the Victory Medals all

being for the education of negroes. Marines and Army men can get theirs by applying to the Adjutant. Navy The bulletin contains a may showing men have to handle their applications differently.

Adjutant L. G. Jones says, "If you that have farm and home demonstrahave not already joined the American agents and assistants in the state and Legion, ask your buddy why you 159 county home demonstration agents have not. He will tell you that it is and assistant agents. The bulletin because you forgot and that you are

lege from foreign countries that in- team. The Chess Club will meet Sat- also shows that during the last twelve going right over and see the secreclude Brazil, Cuba, Peru, and Poland. urday afternoon at one o'clock in the months period 6,759 students were tary about renewing your member-There were 1,678 enrolled from Texas North Parlor on the second floor of enrolled in the four colleges in the ship now before it is too late to get forget little matters like hospitality. advantageous after dinner observa-

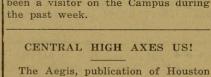
in on the 1921 honor roll."

ton field the yield of the staple could be increased fifty per cent. Stress-ing his point, he said, with the A. SENIOR-JUNIOR and M. College looking after the pro pagation of those birds on the penn tentiary farms in Texas they could INVITATION be produced in quantities sufficient to stock the cotton farms in Texas within five years and raise the yield of cotton fifty per cent, without any All Ex-Service Men Cordially Invited

additional expenditure of labor. The Chamber of Commerce unar

mously adopted his suggestion that The American Legion held the first their help and cooperation be exneeting of 1921 on January 7. After tended in bringing the direction of a short handling of the business of this work under the A. and M. Colthe day, the members present voted to lege.

> Ivan W. (Schiller) Barber '20, has been a visitor on the Campus during



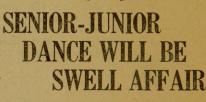
High, scores heavily with the follow-

"A number of girls made the trip, joyed by all, especially the A. and M.

The A. and M. boys gave us a dance as the A. and M. officers were so utterly impossible for a measly foot-

ball player to dance.' hard on us! You saw what College office.

Station looks like-absolutely woman ess. You have the girls 364 nites, why Remember "all is fair, etc."



Will Be Given Saturday Night in Mess Hall Annex and Good Time Promised All.

Saturday nights the time and the Mess Hall Annex the place, and its up to you Vernon to find the girl. Everything is set for the climax and Bill King's Aggie-Land Jazz Band will be there to dispel gloom and put that queer irresistible feeling in the feet. And as you sway to the strains of those wang-wang blues you'll just naturally forget hearth-home and earthly cares. Social secretary, alias Misery,

Sherrill promises us something new ing in its account of the football in the matter of presentation of the game in Bryan with Hudson's "Little dance and its the right dope from one who knows that it will be well worth looking for.

Make that date and get your hoof shimmied into shape for its sure to be a lively step and a busy time.

Saturday is your last day to buy in which every one participated, but extra Longhorns. Cadets desiring more Longhorns should see their thickly populated in the hall it was company commanders at once. Campus people are reminded that they may leave their order with Mr. O. Aawg gone it! partner! Don't be so O. Henderson, at the campus post

Speaking of After Dinner Obserbegrudge us one? We can't help it vations, had you ever noticed that if Central High girls look so good we the front steps of Leggett furnish an tion post?