

**FIRST BATTALION
CLAIMS COMPANY BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP**

Co. "A" and Co. "B" Tangle for Championship Honors.

The championship will have been decided by the time this issue of the paper is circulated and the winner of the finals known, but at the writing the two teams who are to play for the championship of the Intramural basketball leagues are the first two companies of the First Battalion.

The leaders of all four leagues turned out to be infantry companies and in the semi-finals Company "A" defeated Company "G" and Company "B" defeated Company "F". All four teams finished in their respective leagues without a single defeat. Coach Damon of Company "A", and Coach Larkin of Company "B", have developed two exceptionally good teams out of the material at hand.

Last year there were eight teams in the league and teams were picked from large organizations, but this year with twenty-two teams, composing four leagues, the chances for the development of good teams have been held back and a coach was indeed fortunate to find five good men in his company to place on a field.

More men have participated in basketball this year than ever before and consequently the purpose of this portion of the intramural program has been realized.

**RESOLUTIONS OF THE WILLIAMSON COUNTY CLUB OF TEXAS
A. & M. COLLEGE ON THE
DEATH OF JOHN F. KUBALA**

We, the members of the Williamson County Club, do hereby submit the following resolutions on the death of our beloved friend and club president, John F. Kubala.

Whereas, God in His infinite wisdom, has deemed it wise and just to call unto Him our beloved friend and club president, John F. Kubala,

Therefore, be it resolved that the members of the Williamson County Club of the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College, extend deepest sympathy and condolence to his family.

And be it further resolved that copies of these resolutions be sent to his family, to the Battalion, to the Daily Bulletin, to the Granger News, to the Tyler Press, to the Tyler Democrat, to the Williamson County Sun, and to the Bartlett Tribune.
(Signed.)

M. D. LEWIS,
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J. B. BATY, Jr.,
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W. F. SAAGE,
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**CHEMICAL ENGINEERING CLUB
HOLDS INTERESTING MEETING**

The Chemical Engineering Club held a very interesting meeting Friday night, December 12. The meeting was opened by a short address from the president of the club, M. R. Howard. He then introduced the chairman of the program committee, A. E. Flowers, who outlined the work and aim of the club for the current year.

In line with the plans, the main talk of the evening was made by Joe Miller on an important phase of chemistry, "Casinghead Gasoline." The speaker gave an instructive talk showing that the importance of the new gasoline was increasing. The work in the senior year touches on this phase of oil chemistry, and the speaker covered his subject adequately.

Both Dr. C. C. Hedges and Mr. M. K. Thornton were called upon to make talks of their recent trip to Ft. Worth where they attended the meeting of the American Petroleum Institute. Dr. Hedges told of the occurrences at the various meetings of the newly founded institute, which is composed of several thousand members. Mr. Thornton outlined the scope of the recently organized society. According to him, the object of the institute is to afford the means to do extensive research work in the petroleum industry. Besides this, members have subscribed a large fund for establishing what is known as a Public Relations Department. It seems that every large industry has realized the importance of such a department in order to keep in close contact with the vast public. Mr. Thornton mentioned that such departments offered a large field for ambitious and industrious men who did not wish to do technical or engineering work after graduation.

The program committee announced that at the next meeting a junior Chemical Engineer would present a paper before the club. Much interest was manifested at this meeting, and it is hoped that after the holidays the interest in the meetings will continue to increase.

Ancient Rhymes.

Breezes blowing,
Moon a shining,
Scent o' flowers,
Vines a' twining.

Leaves a' falling,
Autumn's bliss,
A tear, a sigh,
A lover's kiss.

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Modern Version.

Black eyed shiek,
Flapper fair,
Packard roadster,
Stay-combed hair.

Balloon bottoms,
Wicked smile,
Intoxication,
All the while.

—The Gold and Black.

Why Students Fail.

Too little sleep, too much play, not enough study, too much leisure, fast eating and diversified thinking are factors that devitalize students and are responsible for the 'delinquent groups' found in every university, according to a report made public by Professor Howard of Northwestern University.

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Thomas Lynch, a student of Chicago, bit a dog. He admitted to the police that after drinking moonshine he fell in with a large mongrel which he bit. Lynch bit the canine so severely that it had to be shot.

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