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## A. & M. STOCK JUDGING TEAM WORKING HARD

Daily Workouts Reveal Intense Interest of Aspirants To Team

A. and M. is preparing for another championship. While all our minds are centered down on Kyle Field, there is yet another team working for more laurels for Aggieland. This is the stock judging team. Fourteen men have been working since the beginning of this school-year so that A. and M. will be well represented in the various meets that are to be held this year. Although we are allowed but five men on the team, six or seven men will get to make the different trips. The first trip will be to Dallas, where the men will work at the State Fair for practice and experience.

The team will represent us in the American Royal, which is to be held (Continued on page 10)

## POTTER ELECTED TO LEAD R.V.'s ELECTION OF SENIORS OCT. 16th

An important meeting of the R. V.'s was held Sunday afternoon in the Senior club room. The officers elected for the present term are Lester Potter, Captain; Ralph Young, 1st Lieutenant; J. D. Wyman and Leo Gerdes, 2nd Lieutenants. The program of the Ross Volunteers for the coming year includes all the events of previous years with tentative plans for other new events. The A. and M. duchess will be escorted to the Cotton Palace by an escort of R. V.'s.

The exhibition drills will be given again during the spring festivities in April and on special occasions during May. The dances to be given in April will be on the same high plane and of the same quality as those of previous years.

The full strength of the company will be attained with the election of thirty Senior candidates on Sunday, Oct. 16th, and forty-three Junior candidates on Sunday, Oct. 30th. There are at present fifty-two old men back. Two men failed to get back to school this year.

## COMMITTEES FOR THANKSGIVING HOP NAMED

Plans Already Being Made for Biggest Dance of Season

Dick Bernhard, chairman of arrangements, assures us that the equal of this year's Thanksgiving hop has never been seen. Dick is working day and night to make the hop the success we know it will be.

Allen Peoples has already placed an order in Dallas for the best sawdust that Texas produces. Peoples is chairman of the floor and says it will be in the best of condition. The hop will be staged in the main mess hall.

Carlos Ordonez is chairman of decorations and W. E. Eckles is chairman of music. The orchestra will be an imported one and one of the best in the state. M. E. Dietert has charge of the financial end of it and H. H. Hardin is chairman of programs. These committees consist of practically the same men who made last year's Final Ball and Junior Prom such successes. They assure you that they will put on the Thanksgiving Hop in the same manner.

Thursday night, November 24, will be the hop in honor of the football team and Friday night will be the Thanksgiving Hop. This will be the greatest and best social event of the season so make arrangements to have that sweet thing here.

## CLASS OF '28 TO LEAVE MEMORIAL

Seniors Will Build Ticket Booth at Entrance to Kyle Field

At a meeting of the Senior class about a week ago, the idea of erecting a Senior Memorial was introduced by Drexel Turner and approved by the class. It will be a permanent structure at the entrance to Kyle Field, next to the gym, and will stand in memory of the class of 1928. Turner originated the plan and will appoint a committee to supervise its construction. The stadium contractor, O. K. Johnson, will arrive soon to make a bid, and construction will start immediately.

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## CORPS TRIP TO T. C. U. IS NOW ASSURED

Low Rates Will Make It Possible For Everyone To Go

The details of the corps trip to Ft. Worth, on Oct. 22, have not been decided, but should be announced early next week. However, the fare will be in the neighborhood of \$3.50 and the tickets to the game will be about \$1.00. Anyone wishing to visit their homes or friends after the game had best get a pass to that effect.

This will be the only corps trip this year, unless the faculty gets lenient and declares a holiday for the Rice and Sewanee games, so the chances are that few will get to see both games. If the faculty does not give the holidays, upperclassmen with the standing stated in the "Blue Book," are entitled to a pass to one of the games.

For the convenience of those that wish to make the trip to Dallas this week end, the fare will be \$3.40 round trip if you return to College Saturday night or \$4.65 if you remain over until Sunday night. Mr. Davis, S. P. (Continued on Page 5)

## REAL BRONC RIDERS SLATED FOR RODEO

Schlemer, Hooks, and Ketterson To Ride

Another big feature of the Rodeo and Pageant will be riding by one of the best and fanciest riders in the state. This young man is Herman Schlemer of Kyle. All the old men have seen him ride and know what to expect, but the Fish have a great treat coming when Herman strips the khaki and dons the uniform of the west. He does all the things the horse, or steer, thinks he won't do; and, boy, your mouth will be easily susceptible to flies when he emerges from the chute.

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## BAT SUBSCRIPTION CONTEST STARTED

Companies to Strive for Honor of Putting Out Extra Edition

The annual Battalion extra subscription campaign started Sunday, September 25, and will end Sunday, October 16, with the winning company gaining the privilege of publishing a special Company Battalion later in the year.

First sergeants are in charge of the company campaigns, and are already at work in an effort to bring their companies the privilege of putting out the special edition. The competition is expected to be keener this year than in the past.

Last year D Company, infantry, took the honors with a score of 139 per cent, the highest score on record for these campaigns. The two preceding years, the campaigns were won by B Battery, artillery, and this outfit is expected to put up a good fight this year to regain lost honor. Then too, there are a number of outfits who have never before headed the list and who intend to add this year's victory to their list of accomplishments.

The standings of the various companies will be figured in the contest on the basis of percentage of subscriptions sold, with the number of men in the company as the percentage basis. This gives the smaller outfits the same opportunity for success as the larger organizations.

The only way any company can win is for every man to work with the first sergeant and make an effort to make his part of the company percentage as high as possible.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

W. J. Fields, ringmaster for the Rodeo and Pageant to be given on Nov. 4th, wishes to see all men, who are interested in entering rodeo events, as soon as possible at room 100 Milner. Anyone who is a good bronc or steer rider please report to Fields because it is the aim of the Juniors to put on the best rodeo that has ever been staged here.