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A AND M STUDENT POLITICS

The recent student election, if it may be given the dignity of being called an election, was, without a doubt, a miserable failure so far as creating any much-needed political interest. We venture to say, although without proof, that A and M is the only school of its size that does not experience annual political campaigning on the part of its student body. We are distinctly a cadet corps, nothing more. We should be a student body as well and act as such on the proper occasions. As well as we can recall, the Press Club is the only group during the past three years that publicly pledged itself to a political ticket in the student election. We are such a practical group of men and this is such a practical school, yet one of the most practical phases of modern Americanism is politics, something which is vividly conspicuous because of its absence in our voluntary curricula.

ENGINEERS' DAY A LOSS

There are moans and regrets of innumerable sorts, but to find engineering students and engineering societies so inert that they fail to utilize the resources of their laboratories and the offered assistance of their professors in the putting on of an engineering exhibit for the exercise of their creative ability and the successful advertisement of their schools, is a regret of the most serious nature.

Last year the annual electrical engineering show was combined with displays from other engineering departments with good success to inaugurate Engineers' Day as an annual affair, but lack of interest this year has eliminated the possibilities of a show and left to next year's classes the task of making the affair bi-annual or of dropping the idea entirely.

It is up to the students to act, and, although all members of the departments have offered their assistance, it is not for them to display the initiative necessary in planning the show and they are unwilling to do so.

It is hoped that next year will find the students involved a little less inert.

Band Concert To Broadcast Sun.

The Texas Aggie band, directed by Major R. J. Dunn, will give its second out-door concert of the year Sunday in the triangular park in front of Gathright Hall. A particularly interesting program has been arranged in observance of Mother's Day.

The program, beginning at four p. m., will be broadcast over radio station WTAW through arrangement with radio station KTRH of Houston. Station KTRH has authority to broadcast at this time but is relinquishing this right in favor of the college unit.

The first of the concert series was held last Sunday. Concerts will be given by the band on May 10, 17, and 24.

Walt (Whitman) did not bear a good reputation in Philadelphia . . . yet dogs followed him and children loved him.—James Huneker.

Fortson To Edit Next Year's Technoscope

E. P. Fortson jr., of Ashville, North Carolina, a junior civil engineering student, has been selected as editor-in-chief of the Technoscope, quarterly magazine published by students of the School of Engineering.

Selection of Fortson was made at a combined meeting of the present Technoscope staff and the Technoscope faculty advisory committee Monday night.

The Technoscope will continue its plan of quarterly magazine issues, and will attempt to arouse a greater student interest in the publication than has been shown toward it in its first two years as a member of the college publications group.

A new type of American music, which is neither Indian, Negro or jazz, will soon be developed in this country, and will be an outstanding contribution to the world of music, according to Wheeler Beckett, guest conductor of the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra.

A reward of \$100 for the person who first raises the German national flag over the city of Strasboroug, Alsace-Lorraine, as a signal that the city has again passed into German hands, is provided in the will of Charles F. oerger, who died recently at Philadelphia.

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