

BRIDAL DRESS FROM COTTON IN EXHIBITION

Livingston Girl Chosen For Bride's Part Of Ceremony In Cotton Show.

A display of bride's costume and her complete trousseau, all made of cotton, will be the feature of the exhibition preceding the Cotton Ball to be held Friday night, April 1st, in the mess hall.

Miss Justa Peters of Livingston, and Tom Drew, also of Livingston, have recently been chosen representative bride and bride-groom in the exhibit by the students of the Agronomy Society.

Bride Wears Cotton

The bride will wear an expensive wedding dress, made entirely of cotton material, which has been furnished by the Textile Institute of New York, while her ladies-in-waiting will be presented wearing dresses which are symbolic of her trousseau, also made of cotton, and furnished by the Textile Institute of New York and by local stores of the state.

Varied Program

The events for the evening, which will be open to everyone are: a banquet in the mess hall at 6:30

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Fifty-Four Attend Student Volunteer Meeting Last Week

P. A. Sharp Elected Treasurer Or Organization For Next Year.

The Student Missionary Conference of the South Texas Union of the Student Volunteer Movement held this past week-end on the A & M campus was judged a success by the fifty-four delegates who represented six schools in the state. The conference started with registration on Friday afternoon and ended with a meeting in the Y M C A Chapel at eleven o'clock Sunday morning.

Dean Charles E. Friley, of the school of arts and sciences, delivered the welcoming address at a banquet Friday night in the banquet room of the college mess hall. After the dinner, Paul Porter, student secretary of the League of Industrial Democracy, spoke on "The World Situation Today That Challenges Christian Students."

Saturday morning was filled with worship, addresses, and round table discussions by all members present. Saturday afternoon the missionary play "Ba Thane" was presented by delegates from the University of Texas in the Asbury Room of the Library. In the evening all those attending the conference were entertained with a barbecue supper by the College YMCA Cabinet at the "Y" Cabin.

At the business meeting of the conference on Saturday afternoon, the following were elected officers of the South Texas Union of the Student Volunteer Movement for the coming school year; Lillian Gorzycki, Southwestern University, president; Clarence Pearson, University of Texas, vice-president; P. A. Sharp, Jr., Texas A and M, Mooringport, Louisiana, treasurer; and Hlee Lio, Sam Houston State Teachers College, secretary.

Retiring officers were David Minter, University of Texas, president; I. C. Corns, Harlingent, Texas A and M, vice-president; Lynn Brown, University of Texas, treasurer; and Owen Hutchinson, University of Texas, secretary.

Ex-Commandant Guest Speaker At Class Banquet

Col. Ashburn Tells Juniors How To Combat Mental And Physical Fears.

Members of the Junior Class were honored with a banquet Monday evening in the banquet room of the mess hall by Doctor T. O. Walton, president of the College, and by the Y. M. C. A. Guest speakers of the evening were Colonel-ike Ashburn, former commandant of the College and Professor R. M. Hughes, president of Iowa University.

Colonel Ashburn gave a helpful message on how to cope with physical and mental fear, the enemy of the man who comes in contact with the business world for the first time, and was enthusiastically received by his audience. President Hughes commented on the spirit at A and M and upon the courteous attention he had received while on the campus.

At a meeting of the Junior Class immediately after the banquet, it was decided that the class banquet would be held the same night as the Junior Prom, June 3rd. Detailed arrangements for the orchestra and program will be handled by committees, which will be appointed this week.

"It has been rumored that several Eastern orchestras are to make a tour of the South this spring," said R. E. O'Connell, secretary and treasurer of the class, "and an attempt will be made to engage an orchestra of renown and national recognition."

Injuries Darken Hopes For Aggie Track This Year

Addicks Pulls Leg Muscle In Competition Saturday Afternoon; Will Be Out For Over A Month.

That Aggie jinx, injuries and sickness, again prevails in the midst of the spring track season, tearing down new-born hopes that perhaps Aggie land would again be represented by a strong aggregation of track and field men. Hopes ran high when untried material came through in a most convincing manner during practice periods.

Perhaps the most trying and discouraging of these injuries was when G. R. Addicks, La Grange, fast dash and relay man, pulled a muscle that will probably keep him out of competition for at least a month, which will materially weaken the apparently strong relay team.

Doped at the beginning of the season to finish far down the line, Coach Anderson took the best he had and has developed it into well balanced team with few if any outstanding men. One of the most encouraging moments of the past week was when T. W. Akins, Fort Worth, surprised the coach and probably himself also, by running the quarter mile in 50.6 seconds.

Although not closely approaching the pole vault record of 13 feet and three-quarters inches set by Harry Stidler, Smithville, in 1931, J. G. Hester, Gulf, numeralman, bettered all his previous trials by clearing the bar at twelve feet. In another part of the field B. M. Irwin, Kosse, also a numeralman, threw the discus 150 feet, a feat that will list him as among the contenders for first place in conference competition.

The 880 yard run was further strengthened by the return of W. E. Nance, Lometa, last year letterman, who was recently declared

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Speech and Writing Contests Announced Open To Fish-Sophs

Annual P. L. Downs Speech Contest For All Upperclassmen Due In May.

Student speakers and writers will be given an opportunity to prove their ability in May when the department of English holds several contests for Sophomore and Freshman students. Also during this time, the P. L. Downs Oratorical Contest open to all students will be held.

Prizes offered in the speech contests include an award of \$25 cash offered to the winning sophomore by O. W. Sherrill of Georgetown, and a \$15 cash prize to the Freshman winner, presented by Dr. Geo. Summey, Jr., of the Department of English.

Preliminary contests for the entrants of the Sophomore and Freshman speech events will be held in April, followed with the Contest for Sophomores at a date which will be definitely announced later. The Freshman contest will probably be held within a few days of the other class event.

Contestants planning to enter the Downs Contest will have their event early in May, C. O. Spriggs, incharge of the contest announced Wednesday. This contest is open to all students excepting freshmen. The winner will receive a gold medal, offered annually by Colonel P. L. Downs of the class of '79, of Temple.

Writing contests will be open to all Sophomores and Freshmen this term. The contest for second year students will be offered to the writer of the best book report or term paper, written in either of the Sophomore English courses. First prize will be \$25 cash offered by William Morriss of Dallas.

A similar contest for Freshmen, for a cash prize of \$20 offered by Dr. J. Allen Kyle of Houston, class of '90, will be conducted at the same time. It will be awarded the writer of the best long paper enrolled in English 104 this term.

Aggies Tie Score In Ten Inning Run with Houston Team

Darkness Calls Game With Score Tied As Mitchell Is Thrown Out Attempting A Steal.

Ten innings were not sufficient to decide a listless opening ball game between Coach Higginbotham's champion Aggies and the Southern Pacific semi-pro nine of Houston, and darkness intervened to end the affair at an 8-all deadlock, Saturday afternoon on Kyle field.

Many Hits

Frequented by miscues and extra-base clouts by both teams, scoring was rather free throughout the struggle, and only by a freak play with the bases loaded in the ninth did the Aggies manage to eke out a tie with the railroaders. Three home runs and five triples were among the long hits of the afternoon. Errors totalled ten for the visitors, and six for the Aggies.

S. P. Scores In First

Southern Pacific started hostilities early in the games when they scored twice on a walk, a triple and a single in the first inning. The Aggies, not to be outdone, retaliated with three tallies on one hit, two walks and an error by the opposing shortstop, and to make matters worse for the railroad nine the Aggies counted again in the second and third inning to mount

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TWENTY-SIX ELIGIBLE FOR CLASS HONOR

Election Of Valedictorian Will Be Held By Senior Class Monday Night.

Of the list of twenty-six eligible for the valedictory honors of this year's graduating class, T. E. Denman, Jr., student of Agricultural Education from Brownwood leads with 324 grade points to his credit, statistics compiled this week from the registrars office show. This figure is taken from a list of approximately 350 grades of seniors, and includes only those that have as many as 200 grade points to their credit.

Elect Monday Night

Luther Bell, president of the Senior Class stated Wednesday afternoon that the election of the class valedictorian would probably take place next Monday evening at a called meeting in the Assembly Hall.

The complete list of those eligible for Valedictorian is: C. E. Bee-son, St. Louis, Mo., (210½); Luther Bell, Hereford, (237½); M. L. Benke, San Antonio, (248½); L. M. Cook, Dallas, (229½); W. M. Curtis, Covington, Okla. (227½); G. W. Davis, San Antonio, (228½); M. L. Denman, Brownwood (200); T. E. Denman, Brownwood, (324); and Geo. Fix, Dallas, (236).

E. P. Fortson, Ashville, S. C. (203); O. T. Halliday, San Antonio, (223); W. B. Hemphill, Gainesville, (277); C. W. Herring, San Antonio, (203); J. E. Hurley, New Orleans, La., (276); M. D. Jackman, Fostoria, (202); M. P. Kelsey, Deport, (204); B. D. Lee, Nixon, (211); F. B. Lester, New Orleans, La., (224); and T. S. Lighthouse, San Antonio, (204½).

E. K. Moody, Tlahualilo, Mex. (237); C. C. Nash, Dallas, (247½); C. A. Rechenthin, Waring, (259); E. A. Stobart, Orange, (210); J. B. Turner, Longview, (214); R. J. Van Roeder, Jr., Yorktown, (233½) and B. N. Young, Stephenville, (202½).

Reveille Starts Next Friday A. M.

Orders issued this week by the Commandant's Office will start reveille for the rest of this term next Friday morning it was learned this morning. A change in the order of calls will also be effected.

Beginning Friday March 25th, the following schedule of calls will be effective:

1st Call, Reveille, daily except Sunday and holidays 6:15 a.m.
Reveille 6:25 a.m.
Assembly 6:30 a.m.
Recall from Reveille 6:35 a.m.
Mess call, breakfast 6:55 a.m.
Assembly 7:00 a.m.

The change in the schedule which usually is made earlier in the spring, was late this year because of unusual weather for this season of the year. Last year the change was made on the fifteenth.

Fish Nine Play First Game With Cameron Friday

Thirty-one Men Working For Position On Team; Much Progress Shown.

The Aggie freshman baseball squad, coached by Captain E. L. Lyons, will open their season Friday against the Yoe high school

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Two Games Billed For Beaumont This Week-end On Coast

Last Non-Conference Games Scheduled Before The Beginning Of The Conference Season.

The first series of practice games for the champion Aggie baseball nine is scheduled with the Beaumont Exporters of the Texas League playing hosts in their own "back yard" on Friday and Saturday afternoons of this week.

While this will be the first series of non-conference practice tilts, it will also be the last before the conference race begins April 2, with A & M entertaining T. C. U.'s Horned Frogs on Kyle field.

Shows Fielding Power

Some idea of both the hitting and fielding ability of the team may be had after the two games with the Exporters, for the Texas Leagueurs boast a fast hard-hitting team possessing a vast amount of potential power which is likely to give the Aggie fielders plenty of work.

Two pitchers who lettered last year, "Bob" Scheer of Marshall and Freddie Marshall Shaw of Ennis, will be available but as yet only Scheer is slated to see service due to Shaw's wrist injury.

Moon and Fischer, both sophomores and freshman numeralmen, will probably bear the brunt of the burden in the pitching assignments for this week end.

Line-up For Game

The starting line-up will probably resemble very closely the one which opened against the Southern Pacific nine last week. It consists of Garvey, catcher; Weber, first base; Davis, second base; Carpenter, third base; Mitchell, shortstop; Crozier, left field; Veltman, center field; and Andrews, right field. Several utility men will be carried making the total up to around eighteen on the trip.

S M U Music Dean Speaks Here Monday

Social Science Seminar Bringing Dean Van Katwijk Here For Lecture-Recital.

Dean Paul von Katwijk of the Southern Methodist University's School of Music will give a lecture-recital at Guion Hall on Monday evening, March 28, at 8 o'clock under the auspices of the Social Science Seminar. Since 1919 Mr. von Katwijk has been Dean of the School of Music at S. M. U., coming there from Drake University at Des Moines, Iowa.

For five years Dean von Katwijk was the conductor of the Dallas Municipal Chorus, and for three years he conducted the Dallas Male Chorus. Under his direction the first Municipal Opera was successfully produced in Dallas, "The Tales of Hoffman" by Jacques Offenback. A year later, on May 5, 1924 he produced the opera "Carmen" by George Bizet at the Dallas Coliseum.

Mr. van Katwijk was born in Rotterdam, Holland, and began his musical studies at the age of six. In 1904 he graduated from the Royal College of Music, The Hague, Holland, as a pupil of Carl Oberstadt in piano, Laurent Angenot in violin, Henri Vollmar in theory, and Dr. Henri Viotta in ensemble and orchestra. He spent three years in Berlin and Vienna under Leopold Godwsky and was awarded a free scholarship in the master school of piano playing of the Royal Academy of Music in Vienna.

On tour with the famous Bel-

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Cage Awards Made At Team Banquet Captain Is Elected

Seven Letters And Numerals Awarded To Players; Moody Elected Captain For Next Year.

"T" awards were made to seven members of the Aggie varsity basketball team and an equal number of freshman numerals were presented, along with the election of Joe Moody, forward from Corpus Christi, as team captain for 1933 at a banquet in honor of the Aggie basketball teams last week.

Captain Charlie Beard, retiring leader, was the receiver of a pen and pencil set as the captain's award gift and Joe Merka was voted the most valuable player for which he was given a bronze statue and desk set. Both of the latter gifts were made by the Aggie Land Pharmacy, with Mr. Lipscomb as the donor.

Of the seven lettermen Captain Beard of Fort Worth, was the only member of the team to gain a third "T" in basketball. Lester "Squawk" Veltman, San Antonio; Joe Moody (Captain elect), Corpus Christi; and Clarence "Bull" Marcum, Estelline; won their second letter, while Joe Merka, Bryan; and J. E. "Jocko" Roberts, Terrell; lettered for the first time. Freshman numeral men are Tommie Hutto, Coahoma; W. B. Brezeale, Crockett; T. H. Terrell, El Paso; Joe Bisbey, Houston; J. C. Gregory, Tyler; M. L. McNealey, Bryan; and R. E. Connelly, Fort Worth.

History Journal Accepts Work of Local Professor

Translation Of Bulgarian Archive By Prof. Sugareff To Be Printed In Professional Magazine.

Notice was received yesterday from the editor of The Journal of Modern History that a translation of "The Constitution of the Bulgarian Revolutionary Central Committee" by Professor V. K. Sugareff of the History department, had been accepted for publication. Professor Sugareff found the constitution while he was working in the Archives of National Renaissance in the National Library at Sofia, Bulgaria.

The translation by Professor Sugareff disproves a common belief among the writers of Modern European History texts that the Bulgarian Revolutionists had no definite plan in liberating their fatherland from the Turkish rule. The translation is literal in form and follows the original closely. Through translation, Professor Sugareff makes available to Scholars of European History an important document concerning the Bulgarian revolution of 1876 which brought on the Russo-Turkish War of 1877-1878.

Steers Win Pool Meet With Heavy Scoring Saturday

The University of Texas' swimming team upheld their reputation of being the strongest team to be offered in the Southwest conference for several years by defeating the Aggie team 64 to 20, in the Longhorn's pool at Austin, Saturday.

The Texas aquatic stars literally walked off with the field, winning first place in nine out of the ten races, the only one they lost being the 100-yard breast stroke in which R. R. Osburn of the Aggies was first.

PECAN SHORT COURSE OPENS TWENTY-NINTH

Agriculture Department Holding Three Day Session For Agriculture Specialists.

A short course in pecan growing for farmers, county agents, and teachers of vocational agriculture will be held here March 29, 30 and 31. The purpose of the course is to assist those interested in the pecan industry in coping with the problems incident to budding, grafting, top-working, insect control, and other phases of this work. The course is open to all persons interested in pecan work.

The instruction work of the second annual short course will be under the supervision of Dean Kyle and he will be assisted by Dr. S. W. Bilsing, Professor F. R. Brison, Professor O. S. Gray, and J. F. Rosborough. A small registration fee will be charged those who enroll and certificates will be issued to those who satisfactorily complete the course.

Debaters Argue With Centenary SMU And Florida

No Decision Event Held Tuesday Night On Centralized Industrial Control.

The A & M affirmative debate team composed of D. L. Tysinger, Garland, and I. A. Handler, Galveston, met the University of Florida debaters on Tuesday night in the Asbury Room of the Library. The question chosen for debate was that of the Pi Kappa Delta for the current year, Resolved that, "Congress Should Enact Legislation to Provide for the Centralized Control of Industry." The debate was a no-decision affair.

The same team returned from a trip to Shreveport and Dallas early this week after meeting teams from Centenary and S M U. The debate with Centenary was a no-decision one but A and M was awarded the decision in the argument with the S M U debaters.

Friday night, March 18, A. C. Moser, Jr., Dallas, and B. M. Gottlieb, Corsicana, who make up the negative debate team for A and M were defeated by Milton Mehl and Regan Sayers who represented T C U on the Pi Kappa Delta question.

E. E.'s Hop Friday Tops Long List Of Dances For Spring

Dancing season will soon be in full swing with the coming of spring. Almost every week-end is devoted to Tersichore, with a few exceptions, till the close of the school year.

The Electrical Engineers have their annual dance Friday, March 25, which will be followed by a corps dance on Saturday, Friday April 1, is the date for the Cotton Ball, which will be also followed by a corps dance on Saturday night, April 3. The Engineer Corps will have their annual Ball Friday, April 15, with a corps dance on the next night.

R. V. week will be the date for three consecutive dances, on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday nights, April 21, 22, and 23. The Saddle and Siroloin Club has selected Friday, May 6, for its dance day, to be followed by a corps dance Saturday.

CORPS DANCE SATURDAY NIGHT