

# IDLE RUMORS

Fish H. S. Wilder, Jr., is disgusted with the United States Postal Service and is harboring a grudge against that department. The past week-end while away in Houston, a letter came to him which had been mislaid to "Prairie View." A and M's colored prototype. Freshmen of "A" company decorated his room with tissue (?) paper pennants bearing the letters "Prairie View, '36." Wilder they have to pick on Prairie View?

Emulating Fredric March's makeup in "Doctor Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" was not so successful for Jess Willard, Cavalry staff sergeant. One night recently, Jesse donned some false teeth, and other makeup and proceeded to the room of other underclassmen whom he intended to scare. One particular victim was preparing to go to bed when he looked around and saw what he thought was a monster. In the mad scramble for the door, it was Willard who received the bruises, getting trampled underfoot. Jess a wild March hare or a March wild hair.

Time is precious—that is time which is scheduled for studying military science—so J. C. Barron, grade point grabber of the Engineers, is not wasting any part of

it. While attending the wrestling matches at the gym, Jack had his Bull Text book on hand to read between matches. This is barron the matter too far.

In the multitude of mixed identities prevalent on this campus, comes one which shoves into the background all others. Leo Norman Steiner, sophomore E.E. student in the Engineers, while attending the E.E. dance last Friday night tagged in on somebody's date who must have been slightly inebriated. We quote the young lady: "Ha, ha! I know you. You're 'Brownie' Joyce."

While proudly and haughtily fulfilling his duties as Officer of the Day, one day last week, Lieutenant John States Seybold, Engineer tactical officer, perpetrated the Military Science department's outstanding "fox pass" of the year. After ramming, haranguing, and denouncing what he thought was the day's crop of non-regulation uniforms, he was amazed to see what he thought was an oversight. Two boys in front of the news stand were in civilian clothes! And was his ego blasted when he, on walking over to ram them, discovered that they were Consolidated high school students.

## TRACK MEET—

(Continued from page 1)

have the edge in the track events and the Aggies seem to have a margin in the field chores. "Honk" Irwin, all-American shot putter the past year who only recently established a new meet record in the shot of 47 feet, 11 1/2 inches at the Southwestern Exposition track and field event, is the main reason the Aggies are rated to hold sway in the field. When "right," Irwin has pushed the steel apple fifty feet and more and has chunked the discus more than 150 feet.

Entries for each team in the meet will probably be as follows:

100 yard dash—(Aggies) Jack Kohler and Jack Stringfellow; (Texas) Meyer and Blitch.

1/4 mile run—(Aggies) Foy Cook and Harry (Champ) Smith; (Texas) Archer and Cohen.

440 yard dash—(Aggies) Addicks and "Red" Akins; (Texas) Voyles, Word and Allen.

220 yard dash—(Aggies) Kohler and Stringfellow; (Texas) Meyer and Cox.

440 yard relay (Aggies) Morris, Wilbert Randow, Stringfellow and Kohler; (Texas) not decided, probably Meyer, Blitch, Cox and Maxon.

Half-mile—(Aggies) Roy Cook and Wilburn Debois; (Texas) Adams and Levy.

Two mile run—(Aggies) Hector Fuentes and Salvador Marquez; (Texas) Adams and Levy.

Five mile run—(Aggies) Addicks, Akins, George Lord and George McVey.

Pole vault—(Aggies) Jack Hester; (Texas) Vance and Dunks.

Shot put—(Aggies) Irwin; (Texas) Cook, Stafford and Oakes.

120 yard high hurdles—(Aggies) Billimek, Randow and John Her-

# Good Progress Is Being Made On Junior Prom

## Committees Are Making Considerable Headway On The Dance Arrangements.

Favorable progress is being made by the various committees assigned to make arrangements for the junior prom and banquet to be held Thursday, June 1, according to class-president H. C. Wendler, Boerne. Several well known orchestras, including those of Herman Waldman, Ligon Smith, and Mack Rogers, are being considered by the dance committee to play for this affair and for the final ball which will be held the following night. Favors and programs have been ordered and as soon as samples arrive they will be shown to the junior class, Wendler added.

Efforts are also being made by class officials and the student welfare committee to have final examinations in the 300 courses that are scheduled for Friday, June 2, transferred to the preceding week, this action to be taken to eliminate the possibility of juniors having examinations the day following the banquet and ball.

# Campus Personalities



MRS. IRENE "MOM" CLEGHORN  
Assistant Superintendent At The A and M College Hospital

Mrs. Irene Cleghorn, assistant superintendent of the hospital, better known to the cadets as "Mom", was born May 5, 1894 in Columbiana, Alabama. She remained in Alabama for the first three years of her life, after which her family moved to Groesbeck, Texas. At the age of nine her home was changed once again, this time to Mexia, Texas. It was at Mexia that she received her grammar and high school education.

The scene now shifts to Fort Worth, where Mrs. Cleghorn was married at the age of seventeen. After her marriage she established her home in Dallas where she lived until her husband's death six years later, and two years after her husband's death she went in training in the army hospital at Dallas.

On the morning of September 13, 1918 she was notified that she had exactly thirty minutes in which to pack her bag and catch the train for College Station. She made the train and arrived here at three p. m. that afternoon. About thirty minutes after her arrival she had donned her uniform and was on duty at the army hospital, which was then located in Bizzell Hall. For twelve hours she was on duty, and when her relief came she sent a telegram to her mother which described this place as being the end of the earth where everyone was dying. Until the flu epidemic which was raging at that time, was well in hand, she was on duty nursing from twelve to eighteen hours every day. After a month's service at her new post she was put in charge of the college hospital.

Mrs. Cleghorn received her discharge from the army on January 3, 1919, and immediately thereafter assumed the duties of assistant superintendent at the college hospital, in which capacity she has remained since that time. She has served under Dr. Otto Ellinger, Dr. R. B. Ellinger, and the present college doctor, J. E. Marsh.

"Mom" has long been the Mother Confessor for the cadets in all their trials and tribulations from illness to love affairs. She contends that when she becomes old to dispense pills, she will write a book dealing with her varied experiences during her connection with the college hospital.

## Playground Ball Is Introduced; Every Organization Enters

Annual entry of playground baseball into the realm of intramural sports was accorded an enthusiastic reception as every organization on the campus entered a team in this competition. Four leagues have been organized for expedient handling of matches in playground baseball.

Although competition was started Monday afternoon, few games have been played to date.

# Show Talk

By Lewis Gross

**AT THE PALACE:**  
Thursday, Friday, and Saturday  
"The Big Drive."  
Sunday and Monday  
"The Big Cage."  
Preview, Tuesday, and Wednesday  
"Sailor Be Good."

**AT THE ASSEMBLY HALL:**  
Saturday Night  
"Mr. Robinson Crusoe."  
Wednesday Night  
"Hallelujah, I'm a Bum."

A gruesomely realistic presentation of actually filmed scenes of action taken during the World War will be shown at the Palace under the title of "The Big Drive." Scenes are shown in this film which embody the history of the war from its supposed beginning with the assassination of the Serbian crown prince to the signing of the armistice.

"The Big Cage" is a story of the life of an animal trainer under the "big tent." Clyde Beatty, a famous animal trainer, takes the leading part in the picture, that of a trainer who promises to put on an act with twenty lions and twenty tigers in one cage. Has its share of realistic scenes, thrills, and humor. Anita Page in tights.  
Cast: Clyde Beatty, Anita Page, Wallace Ford, Andy Devine, Raymond Hatton, and Vince Barnett.

A nautical comedy with Jack Oakie again cast as a sailor prize fighter is "Sailor Be Good." Jack gets drunk to spite his manager and wakes up married to a society girl. As you might have expected he doesn't fail the old alma mater battleship when it comes to the big fight. Suggests the beginning of a new comedy team in the work of Oakie and George Stone.

Douglas Fairbank's old pictures are brought back to mind from the way he leaps, hops, skips, and jumps through the various thousands of feet of film in "Mr. Robinson Crusoe." Doug goes native to win a wager that he can duplicate the original Crusoe's stunt. However, Defoe's Robinson didn't build radios and didn't have any young island girls to keep him company as does Douglas. An interesting and humorous picture.  
Cast: Douglas Fairbanks, Maria Alba, and William Farnum.

When Ben Hecht wrote his original story, it is a certainty that he didn't have Al Jolson in mind for the bum in "Hallelujah, I'm a Bum." General opinion is that Jolson should have called it quits when he finished the "Jazz Singer." Al Jolson is a sort of modern Francois Villon, a leader of a gang of tramps in a big city. Just as Horatio Alger would have had it, Jolson is a pal of the city's mayor. The mayor's girl friend has amnesia (loss of memory to you that had to take Freshman English twice) and Al picks her up without knowing who she is. Thence onward comes the plot.

# Longhorns Trim A & M and SMU In Aquatic Meet

## Sinclair, Aggie Swimmer, Sets New Record In 100 Yard Breast Stroke Event.

Every swimming record of the Southwestern Conference was broken Saturday night at the conference meet held in the Athletic Club at Dallas when the Texas Longhorns won over S M U and A and M, and splashed their way to their second consecutive conference championship.

Seven records were lowered by the Longhorns while A and M and SMU clipped time from one event each. W. S. Sinclair of Galveston took the only first place for A and M when he swam the 100-yard breast stroke event in one minute, eighteen and four-tenths seconds.

Chappell of SMU gave the greatest thrill of the evening when he sliced twenty seconds off the 400-yard free-style record. Watkins of Texas was high point man, taking first in the 50 and 100-yard free-style events and assisting the Texas team in taking the 440 relay.

The summary of events follows: 440-yard relay: Texas (Simmons, Bruner, Prowse, Watkins) first; SMU (Jones, Lewellin, Harrison, Gammenthaler) second; Time: 4:33.2.

100-yard breast stroke: Sinclair, A and M, first; Ledbetter, Texas, second; Osborne, A and M, third; Bohn, Texas, fourth; Time: 1:18.4.

100-yard back stroke: Dupre, Texas, first; Nagel, Texas, second; Delgado, Texas, third; Austin, SMU, fourth; Time: 1:09.2.

50-yard free-style: Watkins, Texas, first; Shuler, SMU, second; Tyree, SMU, third; Prowse, Texas, fourth; Time: 26.5.

400-yard free-style: Chappell, SMU, first; Noel, Texas, second; McDaniel, Texas, third; Hocott, Texas, fourth; Time 5:24.

100-yard free-style: Watkins, Texas, first; Noel, Texas, second; Bruner, Texas, third; Tyree, SMU, fourth; Time: 61.3.

75-yard individual medley: Lawton, Texas, first; Yantis, Texas, second; Osborne, A and M, third; Nagel, Texas, fourth; Time: 53.1.

200-yard free-style: Simmons, Texas, first; Chappell, SMU, second; Noel, Texas, third; Hocott,

# Horseshoe Pitching Championship Won By E. Bat. Artillery

Intramural Horseshoe Pitching honors were conceded to Battery "E", Field Artillery, when the Artillerymen defeated two of the three teams from Company "D", Infantry, one of the three "E" Battery teams meeting defeat at the hands of the Infantrymen.

Members of the championship team include the following: J. J. Cullinan, Houston; S. J. Flood, Waco; E. H. Schultis, Harlingen; J. B. Heinen, Dallas; M. L. Carroll, Houston; G. H. Lambert, Shreveport; G. F. Melton, Houston; and E. B. Harbin, Richardson.

Should liberty fall there is nothing but compulsion to take its place.—Nicholas Murray Butler.

We do in New York more up-lifting of steel and stone than of souls.—John Sloan.

Texas fourth. Time: 2:22.8.

330-yard medley: Texas (Dupre, Ledbetter, Prowse) first; A and M, (Osborne, Sinclair, Uhr) second. Time: 3:33.6.

Fancy diving: Todd, Texas (85 points) first; Pickett, Texas (83 points) second; Cantrell, Texas (82 points) third; Cox, A and M (78 points) fourth.

A radio broadcast was recently had in which the noise made by the cosmic ray was trapped and amplified so that millions of listeners could hear it in their sitting rooms.

X-Ray  
Second Floor City Nat'l. Bank Bldg.  
Bryan, Texas  
DR. LAMAR JONES  
Dentist

A brand new, grand new way to make EXTRA MONEY and do your classmates a favor at the same time

Most of your friends smoke, don't they? Ten to one, it's one of the nationally-known brands shown here.

Here's a plan for selling them the cigarettes that they'll be buying anyway—making money by the transaction—and putting them in a position to make money, too!

The Allied Sales Plan shows you how. It's simple, easy, profitable—and even non-smokers will be interested in it.

Write and find out how you can earn those little extras that are such a boon to college men and women.

FLOWERS FOR ALL OCCASIONS  
Corsages \$1.00 - \$1.50  
Bryan Nursery & Floral Co.  
Phone 266  
Bryan, Texas  
Agent At 53 Mitchell

The Uniform Tailor Shop  
JUNIORS  
Now is the time to order your uniform for next year and take advantage of the LOW PRICES on all Tailor-made Blouses, Slacks, Breeches, and Shirts.  
Mendl & Hornak, Props.  
(North Gate of Campus)

A BLAST FROM HELL!  
THE PICTURE THEY DIDN'T DARE LET YOU SEE UNTIL NOW!  
Authentic Secret World War Films from the Archives of Eight Nations!  
A. I. RULE'S  
The BIG DRIVE  
It's REAL... It's TRUE!  
Every scene actually taken by official war cameramen!  
Now you can KNOW about war!  
ZERO HOUR  
Tense soldiers going over the top... Hell breaks loose... see them moved down... falling into shell holes... the enemy trenches... more Hell... hand to hand fighting... killing... hot blood gushing... and slime... It's unforget!

3 DAYS ONLY STARTS THURS MARCH 30  
The Greater Palace  
Preview 11 P. M. Saturday  
JACK OAKIE in  
"Sailor Be Good"  
Sunday and Monday  
ANITA PAGE in  
"Big Cage"

JUST ARRIVED  
ANOTHER SHIPMENT OF  
R. V.  
White Oxfords  
In plain or fancy wing-tips. They are smart for R.V. wear as well as for this summer. In combination last—All sizes and widths.  
\$3.50  
Bullock & Akin  
Bryan's new Popular Price Cash Store for Men and Boys.  
Next Door to Roman & Vick

SLACKS Imported British Twill 9.50  
BREECHES Imported British Twill 9.50  
FISH SERGE Very Best 6.50  
ALL ALTERATIONS REDUCED 50%  
CHAS. NITCH  
MERCHANT TAILOR  
Bryan, Texas