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SENIORS SELECT FIVE MEMBERS IN INITIAL VALEDICTORIAN RACE

Class Votes To Send Ullrich To Annual Texas University Round-Up April 13-14

From a list of the twenty-three seniors having the greatest number of grade points, five men were chosen by the senior class Tuesday night to form a basis from which the final selection of class valedictorian is to be made Thursday night. The five chosen were: W. W. Holmes, Shamrock; H. N. Lyle, Shamrock; W. B. Logan, Dallas; H. F. Martin, Dallas; and O. S. York, Galveston.

In addition to the above five men, seniors from which the selection was made were: R. T. Alexander, Canadian; J. A. Burns, Fort Worth; A. M. Early, Waco; D. S. Elliott, Keller; F. G. Feagin, Kaufman; T. N. Gearreald, Stephenville; Fred Gremmel, Pettus; W. H. Hickey, Jr., San Antonio; F. J. Malina, Brenham; J. A. Nichols, College Station; L. S. Pawkett, San Antonio; J. E. Poole, Fort Arthur; J. B. Rawls, New Orleans, La.; C. D. Ritter, La Feria; T. H. Terrell, El Paso; J. I. Walton, Yoakum; J. H. Wilkinson, Omaha; and K. E. Zimmerman, Coleman.

Moseley Elected Editor of Texas Aggie Countryman

H. T. Bailey Elected To Succeed V. G. Young As Business Manager.

W. A. Moseley, Quannah, junior agronomy student in "G" Company Infantry, was elected to edit the Texas Aggie Countryman for 1934-35 Monday night by members of the staff of that publication. Moseley, who was managing editor this year, will succeed C. A. Tosch, Mesquite, as editor. The staff also elected H. T. Bailey, Corpus Christi, as business manager to succeed V. G. Young, Henderson. This year Bailey served as business manager.

The new staff will publish the final issue of the year, which will be off the press the latter part of this month combined with the Technoscope, publication of the School of Engineering. Moseley will announce his assistants at a later date.

Associate editors of the Aggie Countryman whose terms expired with the publishing of the February issue are: G. V. Holmes, Gonzales; H. K. Heinrich, Corpus Christi; C. B. Spill, Winters; W. Z. Burke, Temple; J. E. Boothe, Dimmitt; T. R. Timm, Hallettsville; Fred Gremmel, Pettus; and P. G. Homeyer, Fort Worth. R. F. Hartman, Cleo, was circulation manager.

This publication enjoyed one of its best years and succeeded in making the largest profit since its organization in 1930. Arrangements concerning the merging of the Technoscope and the Aggie Countryman for next year have not, as yet, been made.

Emma Goldman says the most urgent necessity in the world today is for thinking people to stem the tide of approaching war. The trouble is they are too busy stepping the tide.—Houston Post.

The Passing Review

CAUGHT ON THE SLY: Someone sending a strawberry ice cream cone to the E E steno by a fish ... could you guess who? Young JOHNNIE OTTS, JIMMIE HAUG and BILL DRYDEN catching a bus just in time to make the BRYAN 400 ... as immaculately dressed as any T U MAN or CONSOLIDATED JELLY BEAN as you ever saw ... JOHNNIE WEAVER still making unexcusable noises ... "HOTWATER" KEELING giving the sophomores trouble with their girl friends ... BOB RUSSI taking FRANCIS THOMAS to lunch with the cadets ... and that isn't all ... "SNAPSHOT SADIE" BURTON, "KODAK KATE'S" only rival, with a red face after having taken a pal all the way to Bryan to meet his girl and then finding the sed sweetie lounging on the divan with another cadet ... if we only had a picture of his embarrassment ... "RED" AKIN with six new pictures of himself ... "CHEMICALLY PURE" ASHBY trying to get a concession for beer on the campus ... PETREE saluting the lieutenant ... J. E. MILLER dog robbing for MEYERS ... "CODGER" BIGGS and E. T. HARRIS teasing ... FRANK BRENDEL and the women ... "GAWK" LOGAN raisin' hell ... R. N. REID Studying.

Win Senior Positions



Above are David Tisinger and Tom Dooley who will guide the student body next year as editor-in-chief of the student newspaper and chief yell leader.

Tisinger was unopposed in the election for editor of the Battalion while Dooley defeated his opponent by a large majority.

FAIRES' NEW BOOK TO BE ADOPTED BY M. E. DEPARTMENT

"Design of Machine Elements" Is Outgrowth of Notes Compiled on Modern Methods for Past Three Years.

V. M. Faires, professor of mechanical engineering, has recently completed a text book, "Design of Machine Elements", which will be used by the department next year. This book contains information of a practical nature for the designer and is the outgrowth of notes compiled for the last three years.

The practical value of the text has been enhanced by a complete reorganization of the subject matter and by the inclusion of thoroughly modern methods and materials. A chapter on cams and one on belts and gears has been included. The book will be off the press about May 1, according to Professor Faires.

Mr. Faires graduated from the University of Colorado in 1922 and accepted the professorship here in 1928. "Design of Machine Elements" is the second book which he has written, as he rewrote and revised Keown's "Mechanisms".

Shaw Addresses Chemical Society Here Thursday

Charles E. Shaw, personnel manager for the Humble Oil Company of Houston, addressed the A and M Chemical Society on the subject of employee administration Thursday evening at eight o'clock in the chemistry lecture room. Dr. C. C. Hedges, chairman for the evening, introduced the speaker.

Dealing chiefly with employee welfare, Mr. Shaw outlined the ideal situation as regards the relation between an executive and his subordinates. "Consideration should at all times be shown where possible," he said.

For illustration of his ideas, the lecturer discussed personnel management in the Humble organization.

ROSS VOLUNTEERS BEGIN WORKING ON COURT DECORATION

French Motif To Be Carried Out With Unusual Lighting Effect.

With sketches and working drawings completed, work on decorations for the annual Ross Volunteer Spring Festivities to be held April 19 to 21 inclusive will start immediately, according to Charles Van De Putte, chairman of the decoration committee.

A street scene in Paris will be used to carry out the motif, with such famous establishments as La Nouvelle and Moulin Rouge in the group to lend an atmosphere of gayety. Cigarette girls dressed in typical French attire will pass among the guests seated at tables grouped about the setting, depicting a sidewalk cafe of Paris.

The throne upon which T. E. Jarman, king of the festivities, will be crowned, is to be placed at one end of the hall in such a way as to offer the effect of being built upon the steps of a great public building of France. The entrance of the court will be made at the opposite end of the hall, thus giving a short street procession up to the throne.

An unusual lighting effect is to be attained in using dimly lighted street lamps as the source.

Work on the decorations is well up to schedule, according to Van De Putte, and will be completed several days before the festivities start.

Bishop Quin To Preach Here

Bishop Clinton S. Quin, D. D., of Houston, of the Episcopal Church will preach at the regular service, Sunday night, April 8, at seven o'clock in the Radio Room of the Y M C A.

Bishop Quin will also preach at the eleven o'clock morning service at St. Andrews Church in Bryan. All students are invited to attend both services.

Dooley and Shepherd Victorious In Student Election Monday

Former Students To Hold Annual Meeting April 14

Entertainments Are Planned For Ex-Students That Return For Homecoming.

With the date for the annual Former Students' meeting just a week and a half off, much interest is being shown by the various A and M Clubs over the State, according to E. E. McQuillen, secretary of the association. A record attendance is expected at the meeting over the week-end of April 14 and 15, as many former students who have not seen the campus since the many improvements have been made indicate that they will return to see the new buildings as well as attend the meeting.

Foster hall will be available as sleeping quarters for those who visit over the week-end, and the Y M C A will serve as the lounging and registration headquarters. Many activities are scheduled with the annual Highway Short Course being held the two days preceding the Former Students' Meeting, and several athletic events on Friday and Saturday.

For those that arrive early, the first A and M-Texas baseball game will be played Friday afternoon, and the play "The Aggies," portraying A and M life, will be presented that night. The scheduled program begins Saturday morning with an inspection and departmental visits, followed by the second A and M-Texas baseball game, and the A and M-Rice track meet that afternoon. The re-union class dinners and the finals in intramural boxing will be held that night. Sunday morning the Campus Tour will be made, inspecting the new buildings and other campus improvements. The annual Faculty-Former Student Luncheon will be held at noon, followed by the regular business meeting of the association. Officers are to be elected and other business transacted at that meeting.

All former students are to register at the Y M C A when they arrive.

U. T. Girl's Glee Club To Present Concert Here

The A and M Glee Club will present the Texas University Girl's Glee Club in a concert Friday evening, April 27, at the Assembly Hall, it was announced Monday.

The choral group will be under the direction of Gilbert Schramm. Promising a varied program, the glee club announces that the bill for the evening will contain a vaudeville act, two dancers (who will interpret the "Carioca" and the tango), and a trio, singing "My Galveston Gal." The chorus will sing several numbers.

Students Cast Large Proportional Vote At Annual General School Election

Tom Dooley and Jack Shepherd emerged victorious from the annual general school election Monday afternoon with exceptionally large majorities over their opponents for their respective offices.

Dooley, junior mechanical engineering student who lives at McKinney, received the greatest number of votes cast for an individual in the race by accumulating five hundred and twenty-six votes to his opponents' two hundred and forty-seven for the position of chief yell leader. Dooley is a junior assistant yell leader this year and a member of Troop "C" Cavalry. Earl Martin, who was defeated in the race for chief yell leader, is a member of Company "D" Infantry and is majoring in Agriculture. Martin lives at Shamrock.

In the race for the position of junior representative on the Publications Board, Shepherd led his nearest opponent by one hundred and forty votes, having a total of three hundred and eighty-eight. Emery, who led Shepherd during the morning, amassed a total of two hundred and forty-eight votes. Williams, sophomore liberal arts student from Richmond, received one hundred and twenty votes for the junior post.

The proportionate number of votes cast in the election was slightly higher than in former years, even though the election showed very little interest on the part of the candidates and their endorsers.

D. L. Tisinger, who failed to receive an opponent in the race for editor-in-chief of the Battalion, was the other candidate to complete the list on the student ballot. Tisinger was declared elected when no other petition was turned in last week for the editor's position. Murray Quiggles was the only other person mentioned for this position in the election returns.

A list of the complete returns are as follows:

For Battalion Editor: David Tisinger (Unopposed).
For Chief Yell Leader: Tom Dooley, 526; Earl Martin 247.
For Junior Representative on the Publications Board: Duncan Emery, 248; Jack Shepherd, 388; Hugh Williams, 120.

Ex-Student Killed In Mine Explosion

William Warren of Lometa, student at A and M last year, was killed instantly in a mine explosion at Leadville, Colorado, Sunday, April 1, according to information received here by friends of the deceased.

Warren, a junior transfer from John Tarleton Agricultural College, majored in industrial arts while attending school here and was a member of Company "G" Infantry.

Interment was made in Brownwood this afternoon.

A growing menace of the machine age is the slot machine.

New Features Are Added To Cotton Ball And Pageant

Arrangements Completed For Colorful Affair To Be Held In Memorial Gym Friday Night.

Arrangements are completed for the Annual Cotton Ball and Style Show to be held in the Memorial Gymnasium Friday night, according to J. E. Loupou, King of the Cotton Ball. Several new features have been added, among which are dancing acts by Miss Phyllis Young, Dallas, and little Shirley and Bess Dent of Trinity. Miss Young is a torch singer and has performed over station WRR, Dallas, and will present dance numbers.

Attention is called to the fact that contrary to popular opinion, there are eighty square feet more space in the gym than in the annex of the mess hall. Amplifiers have also been ordered for the music.

The decorations will carry out the motif of an old Southern garden in moonlight, with a woodland scene in the background. Costumes for the pageant will be entirely of cotton, and little Miss Barbara Baker, who is herald for the affair, will wear a frock imported from Paris, France.

Following the review at 8:45 dancing will begin at 10 o'clock. Admission for the occasion will be \$1.50 per couple and fifty cents for unescorted ladies.

Among the strange and unexpected subjects taught in American college will be found the following: Ping Pong (University of Iowa); Nut Culture (Oklahoma A and M College); Broadcasting (Oglethorpe University); Horse Shoeing (Michigan State College); Charm (Rollins College); Sleeping (University of Texas).

ANNOUNCEMENT IS MADE OF SHONE-PEEBLES WEDDING

Marriage of November 18, 1933, Kept Secret by Couple; Parents of Bride Make Announcement This Week.

The marriage of Miss Sara Jane Peebles to L. A. Shone at Sugarland, Texas on November 18, 1933 was announced this week by the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Peebles of 607 Caplan Avenue, Houston.

Mrs. Shone is a graduate of the Jeff Davis High School, a native Houstonian, and very popular among the young people of Houston.

Shone, cadet captain on the corps staff, is a senior agricultural student from El Paso and a member of Battery F Field Artillery. He will receive a bachelor of arts degree in June.

The marriage ceremony, which was kept secret until three weeks ago, was performed by Justice of Peace G. C. Frand of Sugarland. Clarence Hussey, last year's roommate of Shone was the best man at the wedding and the only other attendant.

The Battalion staff joins with the host of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Shone in wishing them a long and prosperous life.

Spring Football Ends Today With Completion of 30 Days of Fundamental Training

New Coaches Well Pleased With Work Accomplished; Will Return To College Next Fall To Develop Team

"WE'LL be back in September and continue the work," said Coach Homer Norton and Cal Hubbard this afternoon as one of the most successful spring trainings in the history of A and M came to a close after thirty days of consecutive work. Both coaches will leave sometime this week, and with the exception of short visits, will be gone until September 10, the date for the opening of the 1934 Southwest conference football season.

After leaving, Coach Norton will make a short tour of a few Texas towns with T. B. Warden, '08, President of Ex-students, and talk with the Ex-students' clubs in those places. He intends to then be back on the campus for the ex-students reunion on April 14-15. The keynote of the Aggie spring

training has not been to develop a team during this short time but has been merely to drill the fundamentals of football into the boys and to have the players know the fundamentals so well as to be able to do them without having to give thought to fundamentals while playing. This will, according to the coaches, give the boys freedom of thought for the plays that will be going on in a game.

Only enough plays have been taught to the boys to illustrate general principles, the remainder to be taught during pre-season work next year. Coaches Norton and Hubbard have taken great pains to find out the personal inherent abilities of every man out and will work out plays during the time between now and September

that will specially fit the different speeds and abilities of each man. Although no position on the team will be cinched, the Aggie squad for the intensive eleven-game schedule next year will list at least a dozen or more names of new players. These have been recruited from the ranks of freshman, intramural, and men who have not played much football before but who have natural ability.

Outstanding among the newcomers to the backfield have been Fred Wright, Red Rock; Reese Newsome, Fort Worth; Jack Walker, Fort Worth; Louis L'Homme-dier, Port Arthur, and Leslie Cummings, Bryan. Cummings, who is a brother to Captain Charlie Cummings of the 1933 team, has been shifted to the backfield from

the line where he played guard and center. Among the "old guard" of backfield candidates who have made their mark this spring are found Odell "Muggins" Fowler, Fort Worth; John "Grandpa" Gregory, Tyler; Percy Reid, Corpus Christi; Jack Stringfellow, Terrell; Nash Thompson, Fort Worth; Sid Martin Gilmer. Bill Couser, letterman from Breckenridge, has worked out some this spring but has devoted most of his attention to the diamond, and Wilbert Randow, exceptional punter from Hallettsville, has been concerned chiefly with hurdling.

The Cadet line probably should be a solid unit from tackle to tackle, as a host of capable candidates are available for the center, guard, and tackle positions.

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