

DON'T FORGET TO ATTEND THE FIRST CORPS DANCE OF THE SEASON TONIGHT. THE AGGIELAND ORCHESTRA WILL SWING OUT

# "Gentlemen" Tackle Aggies Here This Afternoon

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Registration Has Reached 6,026

## The Battalion

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# MAX MC CULLAR ELECTED PRESIDENT OF SENIOR CLASS

## Parking Lots For Dorm Student Cars Provided

### All Cars Must Be Registered With The Commandant

#### Lot Behind Petroleum Building Designated For Old Dormitory Students

Establishment of two permanent parking lots on the campus for dormitory students was announced Wednesday by Colonel George F. Moore, P. M. S. & T. and Commandant of A. & M., to provide a suitable place for resident students to keep their cars.

According to the announcement the parking lot for students living in the old dormitories will be the lot between the Petroleum Engineering Building and the Petroleum Engineering Field. In addition this lot will serve as the temporary parking space for cars registered by students living in the new dormitories. This is necessary because the parking lot for students in the new dormitories is not available for use at this time.

When completed the parking lot for the new dorms will be to the north of Hall 11, which is the band hall.

All cars parked in these lots must be registered with the Commandant's office and will not be used on the campus except as prescribed in the college regulations.

## Noted Lecturer Comes to A. & M. Campus Monday

Roy E. Dickerson, noted author and lecturer on human relations, will arrive at A. & M. Monday for a stay of two weeks. During his stay here he will give several lectures and hopes to hold several informal discussions with small groups.

Mr. Dickerson has been in boys' work since 1916 when he became supervisor of George W. Clayton College for Boys in Denver. Since that time he has carried on his work through the Y. M. C. A. and the DeMolay. He was a member of the American delegation to the first World's Conference of Y. M. C. A. Workers With Boys in Austria in 1923.

Mr. Dickerson was first active in the Y. M. C. A. in Tucson, Arizona where he was Boys' Work Secretary and later General Secretary.

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## Naramore To Address Local AIME Chapter

Chester Naramore, Executive Secretary of the petroleum division of the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers, will be the principal speaker at the Petroleum Engineering Club meeting Monday night. He will speak on the subject, "Oil in the Soviet Union."

Mr. Naramore has been employed by the Sinclair Refining Company for a number of years in charge of all foreign exploration work outside of the United States, working most of the time in Africa and Germany. In addition he has had wide experience as an engineer, executive, and oil operator in the United States.

## Four Annapolis Boys Killed, Two Injured, in Crash On Way to Academy

### Britton Cole of Bryan Killed, Frank Thomas Of College Badly Hurt

Death came to four midshipmen of the U. S. Naval Academy, and injuries to two Thursday as they were en route to Annapolis to start the new school year.



The dead are Phillip Sewald of Amarillo; Britton Cole of Bryan; Mac McConnell of Clovis, New Mexico; and T. B. Orr of Ardmore, Oklahoma.

The injured were Frank Thomas of College Station, and Charles Leveritt of Amarillo. The extent of Leveritt's condition has not yet been ascertained, but Thomas injuries were not thought to be serious. Thomas received bruises about the neck and head, possibly a broken nose, and a fractured rib. He was a member of the Aggie Band at A. & M. through his sophomore year.

The party left Gainesville, Texas, Wednesday in a car to return to classes which start Saturday. About 12:30 a. m., while traveling through a dense fog, the machine in which they were riding struck an apple truck at Braden, Tennessee, 35 miles northeast of Memphis.

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## \$1,200 Voted By Athletic Council For Band Expenses

An appropriation for \$1200 for the use of the band in making trips in the state was voted by the athletic council in a meeting yesterday.

This is a great improvement over previous years, when the band did not know very far in advance how they were going to make trips. This appropriation will fully cover expenses of the band to Tyler, Fort Worth, and Houston. The business men of Tyler have agreed to pay half of the band's expenses to the Rose Festival there.

## Annual Rodeo Will Be Held November 10

The annual event staged by the junior members of the Saddle and Siroin Club for aiding the senior livestock judging team in part of its expenses will be held the afternoon and night of Friday, November 10.

Graham Purcell, secretary, held a meeting last Wednesday night with the junior members of the club. Aids for the different committees were selected and a schedule of events was drawn up. Purcell is to be manager; Frank Sayner, arena director; and R. T. Caperton is in charge of advertising.

## As the Aggies Will Look At the Whistle



This is the aggregation of Texas Aggies that will draw the starting assignment today, except that Price may replace Jeffrey.

Front row, left to right—Joe White, re; Joe Boyd, rt; Charles Henke, rg; Tommie Vaughn, c; Marshall Robnett, lg; Ernie Pannell, lt; Bill Duncan, le.

Backfield, left to right—Derace Moser, lhb; John Kimbrough, fb; Marland Jeffrey, qb; and Jim Thomason, rhb.

## Registration Is Still on Increase

Every time another man registers, the enrollment record is freshly broken.

According to the latest figure announced Friday afternoon by Registrar E. J. Howell, 6,026 students had enrolled in the college by that time. Two thousand and forty-five of the number are new students.

This figure is twice as great as that of October 10, 1934, and 450 above the enrollment for the first semester last year. Mr. Howell has estimated that the total enrollment should reach 6,100 by the registration deadline, October 5.

The 6,000th student to register was Clark Harvey, a senior from West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon, entering A. & M. for the first time, to study agronomy. He registered Wednesday afternoon.

Since all dormitory space has been taken, many day students have been enrolled. The last count announced was 718 in the campus cooperative project houses, 200 in project houses off the campus, and 241 in private homes off the campus; and in addition 170 graduate students and 128 married students living off the campus.

The last date on which classes may be assigned without the student assuming a grade of "F" is stated by the Registrar's Office as October 5. Students contemplating making changes in their courses are being cautioned to observe this deadline.

## Sale of Athletic Coupon Books Has Been Increased

The Athletic Council announced that there has been an increase in the sales of both student and faculty coupon books over previous years.

The student coupon book sales have increased over 300 above the total sales of last year, while the sale of faculty books has increased 200.

This increase is probably due to the increase in the number of home games as well as the elimination of warm up games and the addition of the Centenary game. Also there seems to be a great increase in student interest in the team.

## Course In Aeronautical Engineering At A. & M. Possible, Says Dean

### Students Interested In Course To Fill Out Forms Available Monday

Dean Gibb Gilchrist of the School of Engineering stated today that, in all probability, the students of A. & M. would be offered a course in aeronautical training this year. It is not as yet definite but the chances are that the airport will be completed in time for training this year, the dean stated.

Proposals to operators will be out Wednesday. Mimeographed forms will be issued Monday for students interested in taking the course. These forms will be available at the offices of the heads of the engineering departments, Dean Gilchrist's office, Col. Ike Ashburn's office and the Y.M.C.A. These forms do not in any way bind the student, but are issued only to determine the number of students interested in the course.

Plans for the airport are being worked out and when it is definite that the airport will be established, it will require only two or three days' work to prepare the site for use.

The course will consist of 72 hours' class work, with a minimum of 35 hours and a maximum of 50 hours of flight instruction. The class work will cover history of aviation, civil air regulations, navigation, meteorology, and parachutes.

If enough interest is shown it is hoped that a contract from the government can be acquired and

## Nationally Known Radio Specialist Visiting on Campus

John C. Baker, radio specialist of the United States Department of Agriculture with headquarters at Washington, D. C., is a campus visitor as a guest of Extension Service workers.

He is in Texas for a month's tour of radio stations and a series of meetings with county agricultural and home demonstration agents. In a conference meeting yesterday he reported on his findings at meetings held in Beaumont, Houston, San Benito, Corpus Christi, San Antonio, San Angelo, El Paso, Midland, Big Springs, Amarillo, Lubbock, and Abilene.

an air corps can be established along with the other organizations. It is to be noted that the training will be conducted on a civilian basis until an air corps is established as a unit here.

The training, if established, will be open to any sophomore, junior, or senior who is over 18 years of age and less than 25 years of age. No scholastic requirement will be made.

## No Hot Water For Dorms Available Until November 5

Dormitories are to be without hot water for another month.

Friday, B. D. Marburger, Superintendent of Buildings and College Utilities, said that delay in fabrication of new heaters would necessarily cause the hot water supply not to be available until November 5.

The new heaters have been completed and were shipped from the factory September 27. They are expected to arrive within a week. Upon receipt here installation will proceed and is to be completed within thirty days. Upon completion of installing the new water heaters the supply will be turned on for use to the dormitories.

## Graduate Students To Organize Club on Campus

Plans for the formation of an active graduate club to be formed from the members of the graduate school have been announced this week. The first meeting of the club is to be held Monday night at seven o'clock in the Biology lecture room in the Science Hall. Plans for the first meeting call for the election of a president and other officers of the club and the outlining of temporary plans for the year.

The purpose behind the club is to bring a majority of the graduate students together in an active club as a means of furthering improvements in the Graduate School.

## Guy, Bornefeld, Dodson Chosen for Other Senior Positions of Importance

### Seniors Enact Class Uniform Rules; Decide on Corps Trips

Francis M. (Max) McCullar of Kingsville, petroleum engineering senior of Company C Infantry, was elected president of the senior class of 1939-40, by the senior class meeting in Guion Hall Wednesday night after yell practice.

William T. (Bill) Guy of Brady, of "E" Engineers and major of the second battalion of the Engineer Regiment, was elected vice-president of the class; Herman A. (Buddy) Bornefeld of Galveston, captain of "B" Coast Artillery, was elected secretary-treasurer; and John L. Dodson, Jr. of Del Rio, of "C" Coast Artillery and lieutenant-colonel of the Coast Artillery Regiment, historian.

The meeting, attended by nearly every member of the class of '40, and presided over by Cadet Colonel Durwood B. (Woody) Varner until the senior president had been elected and took office, was a successful one in that a considerable amount of business was accomplished. It was, notwithstanding, a meeting characterized by a great deal of argumentation and discussion. Numerous questions of importance were taken up and thrashed out pro and con, with the election of senior class officers coming as the climax.

First of all, Varner brought to the attention of those present the notice just released by Colonel George F. Moore, Commandant, by which students may keep cars at College Station, using the area between the Petroleum Engineering Building and the petroleum engineering field as the permanent parking place for cars registered by students living in the old dormitories and as a temporary parking place for cars registered by students living in the new dormitories; and announcing the establishment soon of a permanent parking place in the vicinity of the new Band hall, for cars registered by students living in the new dorms.

Following this announcement, the senior class acted on the invitation from Fort Worth to make the corps trip there October 21 for the game with T.C.U., the official corps trip of the 1939 season, only one official corps trip being allowed each year. The senior class accepted this as the official trip by a unanimous vote. The trip to game with Rice Institute was un-animously accepted as an unofficial corps trip.

Next a number of questions concerning the uniform regulations were taken up. After prolonged discussion and numerous motions, the following motions were passed and adopted:

1. Seniors may attend all corps dances either in regulation or non-regulation uniform, as they prefer. The class was unanimously in favor of allowing seniors to go to them "non-reg" if they desire. This, of course, does not extend to organization balls, the question of what may be worn to them being decided by the seniors of each organization.

2. Underclassmen must go "reg" to all dances (regulation uniform including tuxedo and white uniform) and seniors will enforce this rule by assessing demerits to (Continued on Page 4)

## First Dance, Fish Attending, Set for Tonight

Attention!! Aggie jitterbugs, rug cutters, and gates. Tonight will be your first chance to shine on the floor of "dear old Sbis Hall". Tommy Littlejohn and his Swing Cats will furnish the orchestrations in the current popular style of Glenn Miller and other favorites.

Freshmen, this is your first chance to see the corps in action on the dance floor. As this is the first corps and football dance of the season, a capacity crowd is expected as is always at the first of the year.

The uniform for tonight, except for seniors, will be No. 1 white shirt and blouse, a tuxedo, or the white uniform. The curtain will go up at 9:00 o'clock sharp and the admission will be just \$1.00, so let's all be there for this is the last football dance till the Baylor game, October 28.

## City Election To Be Held Monday Filling Vacancy

A special city election for the purpose of selecting an alderman to fill a vacancy on the city council has been called by the College Station council and will be held Monday at the Missouri-Pacific railway station directly opposite the old entrance to the college.

The vacancy resulted from the resignation of W. E. Long, professor in the department of mechanical engineering from the council. J. A. Orr, associate professor in the Civil Engineering department, is the only candidate to date that has announced for the place. Ernest Langford, head of the architecture department, whose name had been placed on the ticket, withdrew from the election.

The election, which will be held from 8:00 a. m. until 6:00 p. m., will be presided over by V. K. Suggareff, election judge for the city.

## New Mail Service For New Dormitories Inaugurated Monday

The Student Labor office announces the incorporation of a new mail service for the new dormitories to begin Monday.

Garnet Stone will have charge of transferring all mail from the Post Office to the Captain's of each organization. Mail will be delivered twice each day, once at 7 a. m. and again at 2 p. m.

Because of problems which have arisen, work on the new sub-station is being curtailed but officials are doing everything within their power to see that the sub-station is completed at an early date.