



Captain William F. Santelmann, leader of the United States Marine Band, will conduct the famed musical organization in its two concerts at A. & M. this afternoon and tonight. Captain Santelmann is known as one of the most gifted of program builders and for today's concert, he has prepared concerts made-up entirely of American-composed music.

# The Battalion

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## Cathey Elected Junior Class President

Gillis Named Vice President As Wolfe and Hervey Also Elected

Kennedy, Sorrell, And Clark Named As Representatives

Alden Cathey of Fort Worth was elected president of the junior class after a run-off with Tom Gillis, also of Fort Worth, in a meeting of the class in Guion Hall, Tuesday night. Gillis was chosen vice-president and Jack Wolfe of Brady was the class selection for the office of secretary-treasurer. Dick Hervey was elected class historian; Ransom Kenney, A. C. Sorrell, and Willard Clark were elected members of the Student Welfare Committee.

Following the election Tom Richy, president of the Senior class asked the juniors to consider a petition which has been sent to the board of directors concerning the visitors charge for meals in the mess hall. The class rose to a man in support of the petition.

After Cathey took over the meeting in his new position as president he appointed a committee composed of Skeen Staley, Bill Beck, and Luke Moore to meet with representatives of the Senior class to discuss a junior section in the stadium. Results of committee action will be reported at an early meeting of the class.

All the races were heatedly contested by a large number of nominees for each office until motions were made for nominations to cease. In the presidential run-off Cathey defeated Gillis 181 to 147; vice-presidential run-off, Tom Gillis 169, Weldon McReynolds 153. Two run-offs were necessary in the secretary-treasurer's race. First Jack Wolfe 119, Fred Smitham 123, Jones Webb 49. Second run-off, Jack Wolfe 146, Smitham 140. For historian, Dick Hervey 192, Weldon McReynolds 64.

## Oct. Battalion Magazine Will Be Issued Next Week

That the issue of the October Battalion Magazine would be subject to a short delay caused indirectly by this year's unexpected and unprecedented large number of magazine subscriptions was announced today by Battalion Magazine Editor, A. J. Robinson, San Antonio.

The covers containing national advertising used by the Battalion Magazine are ordered weeks before each issue is printed and this year, due to the large number of subscriptions, a reorder of covers had to be made. According to Robinson, the contents of the magazine are ready and the covers should arrive in time for the issuance of the magazine sometime next week.

The October cover will carry out a Halloween theme and was drawn by Art Editor Pete Tomlinson. The cover features again, as in months to come, the beautiful "Bettye Battalion."

The Halloween issue of the magazine will include articles and stories by Emulb Retlaw, E. M. Rosenthal, L. B. Tension, Bob Meyers, Earl Harris, Morton Robinson, and others, and will contain illustrations by members of the Battalion's new art staff, including Frank Knowlan, Mac Sterling, Bob Miller, George Bentick, and Phil Crown.

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## Cadets Will "Move" Saturday; See "Second Battle of the Alamo"

BY HUB JOHNSON  
Battalion Sports Editor

After a brief stay in and mostly around the Alamo City this summer the larger part of the Senior class will return there this weekend taking with them the Junior class for the witnessing of the "Second Battle of the Alamo" and for the acquainting of the third year class with the well known "spots" of the ancient city.

Promising a good time for all who come, the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce is preparing to receive the large crowd arriving for the first college game in the newly constructed Alamo Memorial Stadium.

Old timers can recall the significance of the Alamo City games. Here the Aggies for the first time stopped the Texas University gang. This was back in 1902. At that time the schools were playing two games each year. In the first, the cadets tied up with the Austin team 0 to 0. In the second game of the year the farmers-turned-down the capitol team in the capitol city, 12 to 0. This was the first time the Aggies had ever claimed a victory over the Longhorns, and it was in Austin.

The next year, the first game was played in Houston and fell to the cadets, 23 to 0. Then the jinx started to grow and the score dropped a bit. With the second fray in Austin, the Aggies just won out with the baseball score of 5 to 0.

Michigan State was the last eleven an A. & M. team has faced in the Army town. In 1934 the Aggies fell to the North-East team 26 to 13.

And so it goes, the historic city

has played an "uncertain" roll in A. & M.'s grid history. What kind of a story will it tell this year?

Twice before the two teams have met on the gridiron. Each has carried home the crown of victory. In 1922 the Hurricane swept the field and won a 13 to 10 decision.

Two years ago in the annual rose festival tilt in Tyler, the Aggies sent the Tulsa crew back to the Sooner State and the Indian Reservation with a 20 to 0 defeat.

If two out of three games tell the tale, this is the one. If the Tulsa eleven is the dark horse of the Missouri Valley Conference, this might be the turn to the left for the Aggies. But if they are better than some of the so-called

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## Allen Elected Dallas A. & M. Club President

Orville A. Allen was chosen president of the Dallas A. & M. club at an election of officers at their first meeting of the year Wednesday night. Jack B. Bailey was chosen vice-president, E. B. Junge secretary-treasurer, Charles Haggard social sec'y, and Phil Golman, publicity.

Plans were made to have a nationally known band play for the annual Christmas dance of the club. The date for the Christmas dance and the name of the band and place where the dance will be held will be announced at a later meeting of the club.

## "Big Doins" Planned After Milking-Time 18th

By Lee Rogers

Boys get out your best pair of blue jeans and put a little gun grease on those cowboy boots 'cause there's a rodeo coming to Aggie-land on October 18. This ain't going to be just an ordinary rodeo like you can see in Houston or "Cow Town", but it's a rodeo put on by the Saddle and Siroin Club for the Aggies and by the Aggies.

And in order to keep you cow punchers from noticing how hard those corral rails are there is going to be a herd of Texas' most beautiful cowgirls to ride, rope and add that necessary something that it takes to make a good show. Ridin' at the head of those prairie lasses will be Queen Molly McKellar from down at SanTone. Queen McKellar, who was roped out by King Graham Purcell, has a riding record that would make a pinto rear back and snort in surprise. She has ridden in horse shows all over Texas, taken part in rodeos,

and has performed in Madison Square Garden.

All you Aggies who have learned to ride before you could walk and cut your teeth on a lariat will probably find out that it just isn't every one who can rope a jack rabbit at full run when you see Professors Hog-Roping Contest. And there is no need in telling you not to leave before those steers, crazed, bronc fearing clowns, "Duke" Harrison and "Jupe" Allen give their demonstration of how to break calves and rope horses.

Some of you guys that haven't seen any animals around here that look fit to kick a board off a chute might be wondering where the stock is coming from. Well, its going to be furnished by N. G. Shaddock from Roundrock. It's been going on around here that he has got some mean critters over there.

If you want to get in for two-bits come around to the livestock

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## U. S. Marine Band Opens Town Hall Series With Two Programs Today

Matinee Program At 2:30 This Afternoon

The United States Marine Band will put on a special matinee performance for young people at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon in Guion Hall as well as the regularly scheduled night performance, according to Paul Haines, student manager of Town Hall. The matinee will be primarily for the high school students of the surrounding towns and the numbers on the program will feature music of interest to them but it will also be open to Aggies who do not have a chance to attend the evening performance. The price to all for the matinee will be 35¢. Reserved seat tickets or season tickets will not be good for this matinee. The evening program, which will have entirely different numbers, will be at 7:30 tonight. Tickets for this performance will be 50 cents for students

and \$1 for adults who do not have season tickets. Tickets for either of these performances or season tickets to the Town Hall series may be obtained at the door.

The Marine Band, first, foremost, and oldest military band in the country, is coming to Texas A. & M. College today for these two performances under the special permission of the President of the United States. This famed organization is making a limited tour through the United States, and the A. & M. appearance will be one of three made in Texas.

The general theme of both programs will be to give recognition to the American composers whose influence is steadily gaining and becoming more strongly felt in our country's musical life. It is especially fitting that the works of these native composers be presented by this band which has been so intimately connected with American music and has been a national institution since 1789.

Selections for the matinee performance will be:

1. Overture — "YOUTH TRIUMPHANT"—Henry Hadley.
2. "MARCH OF THE TOYS" from "BABES IN TOYLAND"—Victor Herbert.
3. "COMIC STRIPS" from "THE TABLOID SUITE", "HUCKLEBERRY FINN" from "MISSISSIPPI SUITE"—Ferde Grofe.
4. Cornet solo — "SPANISH CAPRICE"—Leonard Smith.
5. Deceptive—"TO THE CIRCUS"—Heywood Jones.
6. (a) "THE SQUIRREL" — Powell Weaver, (a) "THE MOSQUITO"—Paul White.
7. Xylophone Solo—"BADINAGE"—Victor Herbert.
8. "STEPHEN POSTER FAVORITES"—Stephen Poster.
9. "REVOLUTIONARY FANTASY" from the opera "RIP VAN WINKLE"—Ernest Williams.

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## Dairy Judgers Leave Tomorrow For Pennsylvania

The student dairy cattle judging team, consisting of J. K. Adams, C. F. Baird, B. B. Fowler, and N. B. Yaring, will leave October 4 for LaGrange, Texas, where they will judge at a stock show to be held there at that time. From LaGrange, the team will depart for Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, where they will enter the National Inter-collegiate Student Dairy Cattle Judging Contest at the National Dairy Show to be held there on October 12. The results of the contest will be announced by October 14.

The team will visit many schools en route to and from the show where they will practice judging.

## Military Department Is Now "Comfortably Situated" In Ross Hall

The Commandant's office moved from its former location in the Academic Building Sunday and now occupies offices on the first floor of Ross Hall. Lieut. Col. James A. Watson, Commandant and P.M.S. and T., has his office in the southeast corner room and Lieut. Joe Davis, assistant commandant, occupies the southwest corner room.

Portophones have been temporarily installed in the new suite of offices but as yet it has not been decided whether the use of these machines will be continued.

The commandant's office has been moved many times in the past years. It originally occupied its previous location in the Academic building until it was moved in 1933, at which time it was moved to the location now occupied in the Administration Building by the Student Publications office. In 1936 it moved back to the Academic building where it has remained until the present move was effected.

The Commandant's office force has grown from its original force of three to its present corps of 20

members. The office force now includes Lieutenant Col. Watson, Lieutenant Davis, Lieutenant E. M. White, Office Manager; Harry Boyer, in charge of rooms; two secretaries; and fourteen student employees.

## A. W. Berry Added To Accounting Staff

A. W. Berry, who received his master's degree at A. & M. in June of this year, has resigned his position as accountant for the Texas Forestry Service and has accepted employment on the teaching staff of the accounting and statistics department.

Two additional members of the teaching staff of this department have received certificates as Certified Public Accountants. These were S. M. Stubbs, class of '34, and N. D. Durst, who received an M.S. degree at A. & M. The department now has four members with a Certified Public Accountant's certificate.

## Speaks Here



DR. C. O. JOHNSON

## Johnson to Address Cadets Today and Friday

Dr. C. Oscar Johnson, who will speak to the cadet corps in class groups today and Friday, will arrive at noon from Dallas, having flown there from his home in St. Louis by night plane.

As previously announced, Dr. Johnson comes to the campus as one of the nation's foremost religious personalities. His first address will be to the sophomores at Guion Hall at 4:50 p. m. today.

His address will be along the theme of religion as the first line of national defense. A large audience is expected to hear the famous speaker talk on so timely a subject.

Arrangements for Dr. Johnson's appearance on our campus have been made by the First Baptist Church of Bryan in cooperation with the executive committee of the faculty and the YMCA.

His schedule of addresses begins with the class of '43 today and continues with the seniors and juniors Friday morning at 11. Special hours have been arranged for the freshmen. All of the addresses will be in Guion Hall. By arrangements with the faculty classes will be dismissed, although attendance is voluntary.

Dr. Johnson has held pastorates in several cities throughout the United States and has been in St. Louis since 1931.

## Student Directory Published October 12

Work will begin today on the new student directories for the coming school year.

The delay in getting underway on the directories can be attributed to the moving of the commandant's office from which all names of students and their organization, home towns, classification and place of residence here must be obtained.

Plans now are to have the new directories ready for distribution by October 12.

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