

Official Notices

Deadline for Official Notices is 3:30 p.m. on days before publication, that is, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. Notices should be concise, typewritten, double-spaced, and signed.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS
 Friday, March 14, 8 p. m.—The Artificial Creation of Speech by Dr. J. O. Perrine demonstrating "Pedro the Voder".
 Mar. 14—7th Club Dance—Sbisa Hall—9 p. m. to 12 midnight.
 Mar. 14—Rifle Team Benefit Show—Assembly Hall.
 Mar. 20—Faculty Dance—Sbisa Hall—9 p. m. to 12 midnight.

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING
 For the information of any students contemplating Civil Service examinations, information has reached us from the Civil Service Commission that the State of Texas under the apportionment plan is entitled to 2,878 positions and that only 1,317 are occupied.
 This is simply a measure of the availability of Civil Service places for qualified Texans.

GIBB GILCHRIST,
 Dean of Engineering

APPLICATION PHOTOGRAPHS
 Application size photographs which accompany personnel leaflets are ready for the following seniors. Please call for these at Room 133, Administration Building, at your earliest convenience.

Alvin Cowling, Jr.; Arthur L. Harris; R. L. Harris; R. G. Hill; Thomas M. Horne; Roy G. Roberts; V. B. Stubb; James P. Towns.
 Placement Bureau
 Association of Former Students

Does "Professor John Smith" mean to you a name alphabetically listed in the directory? If so, then discover for yourself that he is a regular guy this Thursday at the Fellowship Luncheon.

PERSONNEL LEAFLETS
 Printed personnel leaflets are ready for the following seniors. Please call for these at Room 133, Administration Building, at your earliest convenience.

A. Cowling, Jr.; W. F. Cummer; W. R. Ellis, Jr.; C. W. Geelan; J. H. Hambrick, Jr.; R. L. Harris, Jr.; R. G. Hill; C. J. Hopper; T. M. Horne; L. H. Johnson; W. O. Keller; M. Masorro, Jr.; C. C. Mathews; B. E. Netherland; J. F. Rogers; W. M. Roundtree; J. R. Scott; V. B. Stubb; R. J. Windrow.
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PHYSICS MEETING
 The physics colloquium will meet in room 39, physics building, March 11, 7:15 p. m. Mr. L. G. Lapham will talk on "The Development and Uses of the Ultracentrifuge".
 Physics Staff

CZECH STUDENTS
 The picture for the Longhorn will be remade Tuesday at 12:45 on the old Y.M.C.A. steps. All be present because this picture is to be released to many Czech newspapers.
 A. & M. Czech Club

PRESBYTERIAN STUDENTS
 The Presbyterian Students League is giving a party in the YMCA parlors this Thursday, March 13, at 7:30. All Presbyterian students are invited.

TRI-STATE A. & M. CLUB
 There will be a meeting of the Tri-State A. & M. Club tonight at 7:00 in the new "Y". Cigars will be served.

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 ROY L. DONAHUE, Chairman

Legal Notice

ORDINANCE NO. 56
 AN ORDINANCE REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 3; SETTING THE DATES OF THE FISCAL YEAR; DESIGNATING WHO SHALL PAY TAXES; NOTICE OF TAX REVISION; BOARD OF EQUALIZATION; ASSESSMENT ROLLS; FIXING THE TIME AND MANNER OF PAYING AD VALOREM TAXES LEVIED FOR THE USE AND BENEFIT OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF COLLEGE STATION, TEXAS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLLEGE STATION, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That Ordinance No. 3, passed and approved by the City Council of College Station, Texas, on March 16, 1939, be and hereby is repealed.

SECTION 2. The Fiscal Year of the City of College Station, Texas, shall run from January 1 to December 31, both days inclusive.

SECTION 3. Every person, partnership, or corporation owning property within the limits of the City shall, between January 1 and April 30, of each year, hand to the City Secretary, as ex-officio assessor and collector, a full and complete sworn inventory of the property possessed or controlled by him, her, or them, within said city limits on January 1, of the current year.

PALACE

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Left Overs From Field Ball



From out of the files come these shots taken at the Field Artillery Ball, February 28. Russ Morgan and his nationally famed dance orchestra played for the ball, which was the opening of Aggieland's 1941 social season.

Miss Natalie Scott of Corsicana, above, receives a trombone lesson from Russ Morgan while her date, Jerry Sparkman, Houston, holds the music.

Hendrix Merrill and Morris Anderson were snapped with their dates while dancing to "music in the Morgan Manner."

Morgan also played for a corps dance the night following the Ball.

SECTION IV. The City Secretary may send notices by mail to all known property owners of the City, calling their attention to their duty to make the renditions referred to in Section III thereof.

SECTION V. The Board of Equalization, as prescribed by law, shall be composed of three commissioners to be appointed by the City Council.

SECTION VI. After the assessment rolls have been examined and approved by the Board of Equalization, the City Secretary, as ex-officio assessor and collector, may give notice by mail to each property owner, if his address is known, as to the amount of his taxes due.

SECTION VII. The ad valorem taxes hereafter levied by the governing body of the City of College Station, Texas, each year shall become due on the first day of October of the year for which the levy is made and may be paid up to and including the following January 31, without penalty, after which date such taxes may be paid in the manner and subject to penalties and interest charges as are provided in Section IX hereof.

SECTION VIII. If any person shall pay, on or before November thirtieth of the year for which the levy is made, one-half of the city ad valorem taxes levied on him or his property, then he shall have until including the thirtieth day of the succeeding June, within which to pay the other one-half of his said taxes without penalty or interest thereon, but if the last one-half is not so paid, then such unpaid taxes shall become delinquent and a penalty of 8% shall accrue, together with interest at the rate of 6% per annum from July 1st of that year.

SECTION IX. If any person fails or refuses to pay one-half of the city taxes levied upon him or his property, on or before the thirtieth day of November of the year for which the levy or assessment is made, then unless he pays all of said taxes on or before the thirty-first day of the succeeding January, the following penalty shall be payable thereon, to-wit: During the month of February one per cent (1%); during the month of March, two per cent (2%); April, three per cent (3%); during the month of May, four per cent (4%); during the month of June, five per cent (5%); and on and after the first day of July, eight per cent (8%).

All city ad valorem taxes, unless one-half (1/2) thereof have been paid on or before November 30th, as hereinabove provided, shall become delinquent if not paid prior to February 1st of the year next succeeding the year for which such taxes were levied or assessed and shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum from February 1st, the day of their delinquency.

SECTION X. Unpaid 1940 taxes shall be considered delinquent as of February 1, 1941, except where one-half was paid on or before November 30, 1940, and shall be paid and collected as is provided in the foregoing sections, is so far as applicable. To all delinquent taxes for the assessment year 1939 and prior years there shall be added, at the time of collection, a penalty of eight per cent (8%) and interest at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum from July 1st of the year next succeeding the year of the assessment or levy, the date of delinquency.

Passed and approved this 6th day of March, 1941.

ATTEST:
 SIDNEY L. LOVELESS
 City Secretary
 FRANK ANDERSON
 Mayor

Classified

MODERN ROOM for week-end guests. Double bed, adjacent bath. \$1.00 per person per day. 334 Foster, College Hills. Office phone 4-8504.

LOST—Will the Aggie who borrowed a bicycle without a brake Wednesday around Dorm 5 please notify E. Schrenzel, No. 20, Milner.

FOR SALE—1932 Plymouth 4-door sedan. Looks rotchik runs good and priced right. 128 No. 11.

FOR RENT—Large room, two double beds—adjacent bath. Phone 4-7064.

FOR SALE—1934 Ford Coupe, good condition. \$85.00. Box 2041, College Station, Texas.

LOST—Campaign Hat with red cord in YMCA lobby Saturday night. Usual reward. W. W. Thomas, P.H. No. 1.

FOR SALE—Four-room house, Midway addition. Call E. K. Spahr, 2-1459.

LOST—A brown overcoat at Hrdlicka's Saturday night after the corps dance. Return to Hill in room 322, dormitory 4 for reward.

Pedro—

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say "extemporaneous," for example. No telling what Pedro might say if an inexperienced person sat down at the controls and pressed the wrong keys—it might sound something like the tonal equivalent of the typographical etoain shrdlu, or maybe worse.

While Pedro looks complicated, his component parts are relatively simple. He is made up, with the exception of the keys used to make him talk, of parts used in furnishing telephone service. The way the Voder talks sounds pretty simple, too, to hear Dr. Perrine explain it. According to Dr. Perrine, Pedro's voice is made up of two kinds of sound, just as is human speech.

Pedro simply produces these two sounds electrically, and they are shaped by operating the proper keys and controls. The trick is in knowing which controls to operate when.

During the lecture, Dr. Perrine will touch on the significance of the Voder as a step in serious telephone research, for Pedro is not just a toy for whiling away dull hours in the laboratory. With the means of artificially creating speech at hand, according to Dr. Perrine, there is speculation on the possibility of doing so at a distant point. It is possible that some day the words spoken into a telephone may be converted into narrow bands of frequency simulating telegraph signals which, in turn, at the distant end of the line, will control electrical currents to recreate the words of the speaker.

Since telegraphic signals may be transmitted over a much narrower band of frequencies than is required for direct voice transmission, sending of telephone messages by telegraphic means would increase the number of speech channels over telephone lines by methods different from the present car-

Track Team—

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style to take down third place honors in the shot-put in the San Antonio meet which Texas University also annexed. Thomason was beaten by Isham of Southwest Texas Teachers College, and Stokes of Howard Payne.

The tables were turned on Roy Bucek, ace Aggie hurdler, when Owens, who was second to the cadet star in the Border Olympics in the 120 yard hurdles, won by five yards with a fast time of 14.4 seconds.

The San Antonio meet showed that A. & M. had a vastly improved team the one than ran in the Border Olympics. Although, not taking any first places, the Aggies came through with enough second and third places to assure them a fairly high place in the standings. Among the cadet cinder stars that showed to a great advantage included "Bama" Smith, Felix Bucek, Jimmie Knight, Ralph Henderson, Pete Watkins, and Howard Ricks.

Baylor Mascot—

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leader: when Little Joe stopped, they stopped.

They steered him into an open shed and hurriedly slammed the door. But with a ferocious growl and a mighty wallop of his right paw, Mr. College knocked the door down. His captors hastily scattered in the proverbial four directions.

Around and around they went. Finally Little Joe tired of his rambling and walked back to his cage.

Watchman Loren Grantham slammed the lock in place and clicked it shut.

"Oh boy," they all rejoiced, "we caught the bear."

Youth Rally—

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dale Methodist church.

Address, Dr. W. Angie Smith, pastor, First Methodist Church of Dallas.

Benediction.

rier systems.

The questions raised by this theorizing cannot be answered now, Dr. Perrine says. Pedro, who creates speech sounds very well, is the first machine of its kind in the world, and much experimenting remains to be done. However, Pedro does have a long and varied ancestry, since a number of attempts to produce speech by mechanical means have been made, dating back to 1780.

Civil Service Exams Announced

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced examinations for the positions described below. Applications will be accepted at the Commission's Washington office not later than the closing dates specified. The salaries are subject to a 3 1/2 percent retirement deduction.

Junior engineer, all branches of engineering, \$2,000 a year. This examination has been announced because of the increasing need for junior engineers in national defense work. Qualified persons who do not have eligible ratings under previous junior engineer examinations held by the Commission within the past year are urged to file application at once. Applications will be rated as received until December 31, 1941. Except for the admittance of a senior student under certain conditions, completion of a college engineering course is required.

Inspector, engineering materials (aeronautical), with salaries ranging from \$1,620 to \$2,600 a year, Navy Department. Because of the urgent need for qualified persons, this examination is announced with modified requirements. Applicants may qualify in the following options: Aircraft, engines, mechanical parts, aircraft propellers, instruments, tools and gages, materials, and parachutes. Applications will be rated as received until further notice.

Supervisor and assistant supervisor of Indian education in mural painting and fine arts, \$3,800 and \$2,300 a year, respectively, Indian Field Service, Department of the Interior. Specialized study in fine arts or as an assistant or student in a painter's workshop including practice in mural techniques is required, as well as certain experience in the field of fine arts. Applications must be on file not later than March 31, 1941.

Instructor, mobile laundry, various grades, with salaries ranging from \$2,000 to \$2,900 a year, Quartermaster Corps, War Department. Applicants must have had experience in actual laundry operations including the use of modern washing and drying machinery and the preparation of laundry solutions. Applications will be rated as received until further notice.

Full information as to the requirements for these examinations, and application forms may be obtained from College Station, Texas and Bryan, Texas. Secretary of the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, at the post office or customhouse in this city, or from

the Secretary of the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners at any first or second class post office.

The National Research Council's committee on food and nutrition says it will cost less than two-thirds of one cent more to produce "enriched bread" than ordinary white bread.

Self-supporting fraternity men at the University of California at Los Angeles are about as numerous as self-supporting non-fraternity men.

T.C.U. Pins SWC Baseball Hopes On Unseasoned Pitchers

If an inexperienced pitching staff should come through, T. C. U. will have one of the best baseball teams in several seasons, Coach Walter Roach reports. The Frog varsity starts diamond workouts March 1.

Preston Thompson, Fort Worth junior, is the only letter pitcher on the squad. Others who will take a fling at the mound duties are A. J. Brumbaugh, Fort Worth, squadman from last year; Ross Vaderkolk, Milwaukee, Wis., who lettered at third base last season; Jack Billingsley, Fort Worth, senior basketballer who will be out for baseball for the first time; and sophomores Trotter Adams, Panhandle, and Paul Landers, Garland.

Other positions will be filled with inexperienced men. Ralph Tankersley, Terrell, will be behind home plate. Richard Allen, Fort McKinney, both lettermen, will cover first. Dennis Tankersley, Terrell, Connie Sparks, Panhandle, and Bill Crawford, Fort Worth, are letterman outfielders.

Paul Sorrels, veteran Fort Worth sandlot star, will be on third. Glenn Cowart, Dallas, is a two-letter senior at short. Second base, for the present, is wide open.

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