

Twelve Beauties, Twelve Queens, 1 Winner



Anna Ruth Ashe was the girl introduced at the intermission of the Corps Dance last night as the Aggie Day Sweetheart, winner of this signal honor over eleven other beauties nominated by TSCW classes because of their charm and personality. The twelve Aggies who acted as judges were faced with a particularly difficult problem when they were asked to choose from the above 12 TSCW-ites.

Reading diagonally across the page, starting at the left and reading up the girls are: Row 1—Helen Bratton, Claire Nusom, Betty Buchanan. Row 2—Mary Lynn Gibbs, Fern Hendricks, Sara Gillet, Row 3—Jo Ann Scott, Sophia Nelson. Row 4—Bobby Jo Sanford, Anna Ruth Ashe. Row 5—Barbara Cook, Marian Good.

Anna Ruth Ashe Is Sweetheart For Cadet Corps at TCU Game

First Long-Term Juke Box Prom In Sbsa Hall Tonight

The first Juke Box Prom ever to be held at A. & M. during the winter session will be held tonight from 9 to 12 in Sbsa Hall Annex. Music will be furnished by recordings played over the mess hall speaker system.

Admission to the dance will be 25 cents per couple and one bird dog will be admitted with each couple upon payment of 10 cents. Number 2 uniform will be "reg" for sophomores, freshmen and juniors. Seniors may wear civilian clothes at all dances.

Alden Cathey, Social Secretary of the Senior Class, stated "The reason a Juke Box Prom is being held this time of the year is to provide good inexpensive entertainment for Aggie week-ends. The dance tonight is an experiment and whether or not they are continued in the future will be determined by its outcome."

Juke Box Proms have been held the past two summers as the highlight of entertainment for the summer school students. Started in 1940, they have constantly gained in popularity and attendance. This is the first time an informal dance such as this has been held during the fall.

Magazine For Men Rates Texas Aggies In October Publication

A man's magazine for men and this month's issue about REAL men. So goes the letter from Esquire magazine received by Sports Editor Mike Haikin.

The real men referred to are the members of the '41 Aggie football team who the magazine will discuss in an article entitled "New Huddle Muddle" in the coming issue.

Senior Judging Team to Have Last Workout in Dallas

The Senior Livestock Judging Team will go to Dallas this weekend for a final workout before the collegiate judging contest in Kansas City on October 18. The results of the practice in Dallas will determine the squad of eight men to be selected from the thirteen men out for the team. Coach Irvan F. Edwards and assistant coach William Warren will accompany the boys to Dallas.

The eight man squad will leave College Station Tuesday, October 14 and will stop enroute at Oklahoma A. & M. for a short practice. They will also stop at the Eschelmann Percheron Horse Farm at Sedwick, Kansas. At the American Royal Livestock Judging contest A. & M. ranked fourth last year. This year the team will judge 12 rings of animals and give reasons on eight. The rings will consist of fat cattle, draft horses, swine and sheep.

The Aggies going to the State Fair are Tommy Stuart, Melvin Burks, Jack Cleveland, Gordon Grote, Carl Jahnem, Milt Ruble, Jake Hess, William Pendleton, Victor Loeffler, Alvin Murray, and J. F. Wheat. Last year six of these men were on the Junior Livestock team that won first at Fort Worth out of a field of twenty teams.

After their return from Kansas City the team will begin preparation for the International Livestock Show in Chicago. The teams expenses to Chicago will be paid by the Saddle and Sirolo Club.

Photographic Contest Again Open to Aggies

Aggie seniors are eligible to enter Vogue magazine's second photographic contest it has just been announced by Vogue editors. Prizes consisting of six month's apprenticeships with salary in the Condé Nast Studios in New York will be given the winning man and woman. Additional cash prizes will be awarded for the best photograph submitted for each of the problems.

This nation-wide contest consists of eight photographic problems to be presented in the magazine. These cover a wide range of topics, including fashion shots, out and indoor subjects, action and still life. For further information write to Vogue's Photographic Contest, 420 Lexington Ave, New York City.

King and Taylor Head Petroleum Engineers

At their first meeting the Petroleum Engineering Club elected two senior students, Gerald King, president, and Neal Taylor as representatives to the A. I. M. E. meeting (Petroleum Division) to be held in Dallas, October 16-18. King appointed Ransom Kenny as the club's representative on the Student Engineering Council.

The club also heard a lecture on "Geology, Drilling, and Production Problems in Connection with Salt Dome Flank Production" by M. T. Halbouty, Vice-President, Merit Oil Corp., Houston, Texas.

Winner Presented to Aggies At Intermission of Corps Dance Friday

Miss Anna Ruth Ashe, T.S.C.W. sophomore from Fort Worth, was presented to the cadet corps last night at intermission of the corps dance as the Aggie Day Sweetheart for the joint A. & M.-T.S.C.W. corps trip to the T.C.U. game to be held next Saturday.

Miss Ashe, who was one of the 12 nominees from T.S.C.W., was chosen by a committee of 12 Aggie Seniors who journeyed to Denton Wednesday. Miss Ashe was also a nominee for the Sweetheart last year from her freshman class. Although selected Wednesday, the identity of the sweetheart remained a closely guarded secret until the intermission of the dance, for which Red Nichols and his orchestra played.

Cadet Colonel Tom Gillis presented all the nominees to the corps at the intermission and then named Miss Ashe the sweetheart. All the nominees were brought to the college for the week end by the Senior Class. After their arrival at noon yesterday, the girls ate dinner in Sbsa Hall at the staff table with the 12 Aggies who made the Denton trip. Supper last night was in Duncan Hall.

After the girls witnessed an Aggie yell practice, they were special guests at the Town Hall performance of Red Nichols orchestra. All attended the corps dance as guests of the senior class. All the girls were given corsages of two white gardenias.

The girls will be at the Juke-Box Prom tonight but will return to Denton Sunday.

Miss Ashe will be presented with a bouquet of flowers at the half of the T.C.U.—A. & M. game by Bob Russell, major of the Aggie band. For the corps week-end, she will be escorted by Cadet Colonel Gillis.

The nominees from whom Miss Ashe was chosen were: Senior and Helen Bratton; Junior Class—Sara Gillet, Lynn Gibbs, Betty Buchanan, Claire Newsum, and Fern Hendricks; Sophomore Class—Sophie Nelson, Marion Good, and Anna Ruth Ashe; and Freshman Class—Barbara Cook, Bobbie Jo Sanford, and Jo Ann Scott.

Hedges Returns From CWS Training Course

Dr. C. C. Hedges, head of the Chemistry Department and Director of the Fireman's Training School, returned Monday from Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland, where he took the two week Civilian National Defense Chemical Warfare Service course. He received instruction on war gasses, gas masks, all types of bombs, and methods of defense against such war weapons.

Dr. Hedges also received training along that of state, county, and city defense training. The classes attended by Dr. Hedges were made up of firemen, policemen, army officers, and F.B.I. agents.

Aggieland to Dreamland-With Hot Jive and Aggie Sweetheart

By E. M. Rosenthal
Guion Hall felt it. The Aggies felt it. That solid rhythm was in the air and a packed house wanted the world to know it. The moment maestro Red Nichols opened the Town Hall show last night in Guion Hall feet were beating out the red hot boogie and hands clapped in time to the jive as the music went, "wailing to the four winds." Aggie land was in a world far from College Station, all earthly worries were forgotten and Aggies knew that the Nichols orchestra ruled all.

Penny Banks, the orchestra's diminutive vocalist, captured the hearts of the entire audience each time she took the spotlight. In fact a mental feud was being carried on among the Aggies—Which did they want more? Solid jive or the sweet songs of Penny? Thunderous applause greeted both and the encores of each only complicated trying to make a decision. After an hour's entertainment, the orchestra was finally able to break away from the enthusiastic crowd long enough to move their instruments to Sbsa Hall for the corps dance. But Sbsa saw the same thing—Aggies intoxicated with the strains from Nichols and Company. True enough fifteen hundred Aggies and their dates were in the groove. During the intermission things quieted in old Sbsa long enough for the crowd to hear an announcement for which they had been waiting all week. Cadet Colonel Tom Gillis walked up to the bandstand to present the T.C.U. corps trip queen, T.S.C.W. sophomore beauty, Anna Ruth Ashe. After the intermission the Aggies came back for another two and a half hours of dancing and when 1 o'clock rolled around, Aggie land realized that its first big name corps dance of the year was a success that would be hard to parallel.

P A System To Carry Broadcast Of Game At 12:50

Beginning at 12:50 today, the Texas A. & M.-New York University football game will be on the air. Originating over KTBC at 1150 kilocycles, a play by play description of the game will be announced over the campus loud-speaker system atop the Academic building as soon as it can be transmitted from KTBC to WTAU, the local station, by long distance phone.

The game, being broadcast through the courtesy of the Humble Oil and Refining Company, will be carried over stations KTBC, Austin; KFJZ, Fort Worth; WRR, Dallas; KAB, San Antonio; KDST, Big Spring; KGKL, San Angelo; KRBC, Abilene; KPLT, Paris; KTEM, Temple; KRRV, Sherman; and WACO, Waco.

Announced Dan Riss of WLW, Cincinnati and formerly of WFAA, Dallas will give the play by play description of the contest.

Horticulturists To Hold National Meeting In Dallas

The American Association for the Advancement of Science is meeting in Dallas, during the week of December 29 to January 3. This association meeting has from 3,000 to 5,000 people in attendance from sciences of all branches.

The American Society for Horticultural Science, which is affiliated with the A. A. S., will have its usual meeting in connection with the science meeting. The event is usually held in three separate sections—namely, one on fruits, vegetables, one on floriculture, and one on ornamental horticulture. Horticulture meetings usually have an attendance of about 400 persons.

Most of the programs and exhibits will be at Southern Methodist University, principally in Heyer Hall. Visiting horticulturists plan to stay on the S. M. U. campus in dormitories. Dr. G. W. Adrians, head of the A. & M. Horticulture Department, is also chairman of the committee on local arrangements for the meeting, and has already received many advance registrations for the meeting.

Bob Phillips, B Infantry, Selected To Head Sophomore Class for 1941-42; Vance Carrington is Vice-President

Gillis Presides Over Most Turbulent Meeting of Year

Bob Phillips, B Infantry, was elected president of the Sophomore Class Thursday night in one of the most turbulent class meetings of the year. Other officers of the class of '44 elected were Vance Carrington, C Cavalry, vice president; Raymond Johnson, B Signal Corps, Secretary; D. M. Griffiths, F Engineers, treasurer; Harold Ivey, I Infantry, Class historian; and Joe Coolidge, D Cavalry, and Bob McGee, Headquarters Signal Corps, student welfare representatives. The meeting was presided over by Tom Gillis, Cadet Colonel of the Corps. So noisy and turbulent was the meeting which was at fever pitch that it lasted long after its scheduled adjournment.

The vote for president was a clear cut majority for Bob Phillips who carried off 272 votes for the top office. Behind him in order were Bob Glaze with 169 votes and Gus Boesch with 101.

After many calls for order by

Johnson, Griffiths, and Ivey Chosen for Positions

needed majority. He later won a hotly contested second vote with a 299 count to Smith's 195 and Woffter's 12. A vote of 262 garnered the treasury post for D. M. Griffiths of F Engineers. Other candidates for the position were Bill McKenzie with 55 votes, Frank Lebus, 54, and Pat Stanford, 23 votes.

For the important post of class historian, the class chose Harold Ivey of I Infantry by a 251 vote. Dick Muckelroy, Bob Francis, and Andy Cokinos followed with 75, 9 and 2 votes respectively.

The post for the first of two Student Welfare Representatives from the Sophomore Class was a hotly contested one with Joe Coolidge, D Cavalry, nosing out Ralph Lehman by a 218 to 73 count.

Bob McGee of the Headquarters Signal Corps was the only nominee for the second Student Welfare Representative position and was elected unanimously as the meeting came to a close.

Exams For Civil Service Positions Are Available Here

The Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to secure information specialists to meet the demands of various Government agencies. The salaries range from \$2,600 to \$4,600 a year. Optional branches are press and publications, and radio. Professional experience in editing or writing for a newspaper, national magazine, or informational service, or in radio informational work is required. Appropriate education may be substituted for a part of the experience. Applications must be filed not later than October 23, 1941.

Other examinations announced include: Junior Physicist, Assistant observer in Meteorology, Assistant and Junior Agricultural Statistician, Letterer and Grainer to fill vacancies at the U.S. Naval Air Station, Corpus Christi, Texas.

The examinations are open to persons who have reached their 20th birthday but who have not yet passed their 48th birthday. The deadline for applications for Letterer and Grainer is October 10, 1941.

Painter Enlists For U S Air Corps Service

Brand Painter, who was on the boxing team at A. & M. in 1934, has enlisted in the Army Air Corps. After the completion of his enlistment for Aviation Cadets he was stationed at Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Alabama. Here he will receive training which will lead to a commission as Navigation Officer in the Army Air Corps. Brand Painter is the latest person to join the long line of former Aggies in the armed services.

Batt Magazine To Be Issued Monday

The October issue of the Battalion magazine will be printed and ready for distribution after supper Monday.

Returning in this issue is Pete Tumlenson's creation of Fish Blotto and in addition there are several cartoons by Sid Lord.

The feature story of the issue is "The Forward Passout" by Jack Ashworth. The story concerns the results of a clash between two female football teams on the gridiron.

The magazines will be distributed to each room by the first sergeant of the various organizations. The first sergeants will receive the magazines in the basement of the Administration building.

MIT Offering New Government Courses

Massachusetts Institute of Technology now resembles a branch of the government's defense forces more than it does a private institution of learning.

In his annual report to the alumni, Karl T. Compton, president of the current activities that are making M.I.T. of "vital importance . . . a great national resource."

Nearly 100 members of the teaching staff are working for the government on advisory or operating committees, their activities ranging from technical service with the navy to improvement of cultural relations with South American republics.

Kelley to Speak At American Chem Meet Next Tuesday

Dr. C. M. Kelly of the chemistry department will speak on "Some Modern Approaches to Molecular Structure" at the fifteenth meeting of the American Chemical Society October 14 at 8 p. m.

Dr. Kelly who took his bachelor's degree from Oregon State and his Ph. D. from the University of Washington is the first of a series of well known chemists from colleges and industrial firms over the country who will speak before the group at its meetings for the coming year.

Next speaker scheduled to appear on future programs of the society is Dr. R. W. Brode, Department of Chemistry, Ohio State University, who will speak on Spectrographic Analysis November 17.

In December Alexis Voorhies, Jr., Associate Director, Esso Laboratories, Standard Oil Company will explain the Sulphuric acid alkylation process.

S. D. Kirkpatrick, Editor Chemical & Metallurgical Engineering, will address the organization at its February meeting on some subject, probably National Defense.

Vitamins and public health will be the topic discussed by Professor H. H. Holmes, Head of the Department of Chemistry, Oberlin College, and President of the American Chemical Society at the March meeting.

Last speaker of the year is Professor Farrington Daniels, Physical Chemist, University of Wisconsin, who will talk on Electro Kinetics in April.

At the meeting Tuesday F. W. Jensen, Chairman of the society will appoint a committee for the nomination of officers.

Kent State Offers Facilities to Defense

Kent, Ohio—Fall registration at Kent State University threw into action a new phase of the university's effort to co-ordinate its facilities with the national defense emergency, Dean Raymond E. Manchester announces.

All university organizations which are working on phases of the defense and emergency programs are grouped under a central University Defense Council with Dean Manchester as chairman.

Humbert Is Made Seed Assn Member

Dr. E. P. Humbert, head of the Department of Genetics has been signally honored by being made a life member of the Texas Seedsmen's Association, for services performed for the organization for the past 22 years.

Dr. Humbert attended a meeting of the association in San Antonio last week and also attended a meeting of the Texas Seed Council, of which he is chairman. At the election of officers he again was named chairman for the ensuing year, and all other officers were reappointed.

The honorary life membership in the Texas Seedsmen's Association came as a surprise event on the annual meeting program of the organization Saturday.

Exes Cowan, North Enter Services Of U S Fighting Forces

Two more former Aggies have answered the call of the colors recently. Granville William Cowan, Class of '44, enlisted for aviation training in the United States Navy and Harvey L. North, class of '42 enlisted in the Cavalry.

Cowan will receive his first month's training at the Naval Air Base at Dallas and from there will go either to Corpus Christi or Pensacola for the completion of his training. After completing the full aviation course he will be commissioned in the Naval Reserve and immediately will be called to duty with the aviation squadrons of the U. S. Navy.