

## TSCW String Trio



## Girl Choir to Feature Variety Of Songs on Town Hall Number

Variety will characterize the concert to be presented by the TSCW Modern Choir on the Town Hall program scheduled for Guion Hall tomorrow night. Because of the changes in clock time, the program which was scheduled for 7:30 will begin at 8:30.

Selections presented by the choir include modern music and arrangements from musical comedies. Jerome Kern's "Make Believe" from "Show Boat," "Night and Day," "Old Folks at Home," and "Ay, Ay, Ay" are some of the popular numbers on the program. One always popular favorite is the negro spiritual "Little David Play on Your Harp."

In addition to thirty members of the choir, the program will fea-

ture vocal and instrumental solos, trios and duets by the specialty section of the choir. Miss Beth Masterson of Ada, Okla., acts as Mistress of Ceremonies. The string trio is composed of Misses Roberta von Gremp, Helen Markley and Hazel Powers. Hazel Webber, soprano from Port Arthur, and Marilyn Van Valkenburgh, soprano from Houston, will be featured vocalists.

Mariam Collard, Wichita Falls, plays piano accompaniments for the group and Dr. William E. Jones, head of the TSCW Music department, is their conductor.

Wednesday night's performance on Town Hall is the first appearance of the choir on the campus. The choir has performed with great success in many parts of Texas and Oklahoma, their director says.

## Coast Guard Film To Come Tuesday

Lieutenant Commander T. Y. Awah will show motion pictures of the Coast Guard Academy located in New London, Conn., from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. Thursday afternoon in the Assembly hall. Awah is looking for students to enter the Guard School which differs West Point and Annapolis in that entrance is based on competition rather than appointment.

Requirements for admission to this school is that the applicant be a citizen of the United States and between the ages of 17 and 22. He must be unmarried and remain unmarried for the four years that he is in school. He must be at least five and one half feet tall.

The Coast Guard Academy is a four year school similar to West Point and Annapolis.

## Applications For TSCW Dates at Soph Ball Should be Made

All Sophomores interested in dates from T.S.C.W. for the Sophomore Ball, February 20, should sign up for them as soon as possible, Bob Phillips, Sophomore Class president stated today.

The dates will be from the sophomore class at T.S.C.W. with Gretchen Kokomoor in charge of the date bureau at Denton.

Sophomores may sign up in the old area with H. Q. Haile, D-6, Walton, Gus Boesch, G-8, Hart, and Vance Carrington, 8-31, Puryear. In the new area Forrest Sharpe, 313 Dorm. 8, and M. J. Pollan, 326 Dorm 7, are prepared to take the names of all interested applicants.

## One Easy Lesson on What Every Fledgling 'Louie' Should Know

By Tom Vannoy

Seniors who will go on active duty after graduation in May were given some sound advice concerning reporting for duty at the post to which they are assigned, and the uniforms they will need while on duty by Major A. J. Bennett, adjutant.

When he receives his orders to report to a post, he reports to the commanding general of the station to which he has been assigned at the adjutant's office. He should be in uniform and have a copy of his orders with him when he reports. At this time of the year, he should be wearing a woolen O. D. shirt, light trousers, overseas cap, low-quarter brown shoes, and brown socks.

The adjutant of the post will send him to the personnel office where he will fill out his mileage voucher. He will receive his reimbursement from the finance department at a later date.

The new officer will be instructed in the regulations of the post, and the uniforms to be worn on all

occasions at the station. Calling hours will be outlined to him at that time.

### Calls To Be Made

Within a short time after arrival at the post, the officer should call on the commanding general of the post at the specified hours for making calls. He should also call on his commanding officers, the regimental commander, battalion commander, and battery, company, or troop commander.

Upon arriving for duty at the post, the officer signs the officer's book. When leaving the post, he signs out on the book and signs in again on his return. He should study the post regulations carefully and follow them.

Major Bennett stated that the uniform varies on different posts according to the wishes of the officers stationed there, and that these minor differences will be explained to the officer on his arrival.

Uniform Worn at All Times Under present regulations, the (See ONE LESSON, Page 4)

# Welty Names 13 for Regular Commissions

## King Cotton To Be Named at Meet Of Agronomy Club

Election for Social Secretary and Business Manager also Scheduled

King Cotton will be selected Thursday night at the regular meeting of the Agronomy Society which is to be held in the Agricultural Engineering lecture room. King Cotton, social secretary, and business manager of the Cotton Ball will be elected at this meeting.

Nominations for these three positions will be made from the floor and all members of the Agronomy Society who have paid club dues will be allowed to vote and all seniors in the society will be eligible for these positions.

May 1 is the date for the Cotton Ball this year and present plans call for the greatest show yet members of the department said. The Cotton Ball committees will also be appointed, J. S. Mogford, director of the show, said.

## Harvard Opens Training Courses For QM Officers

Harvard University expects many new students at the beginning of the June and the September semesters, according to information received this week by Prof. J. William Barger, head of the department of Agricultural Economics. Increase in enrollment will be due to the establishment of the combined M. B. A. and R. O. T. C. Quartermaster Corps.

Applicants must have completed three years of college work with a major in marketing and finance, accounting and statistics, or general economics. They must also have completed two years of basic R. O. T. C. training. They must have a good scholastic record and be able to pass a limited physical examination. They will attend Harvard Business School for 18 continuous months, at the same time taking instructions in Quartermaster practices and procedures as given by the army officers handling the R. O. T. C. instruction. At the end of this time they will receive a degree of business administration and also a commission as second lieutenant in the U. S. Army Quartermaster Corps.

Harvard is the only educational institution in the country with a R. O. T. C. Quartermaster unit.

## Architects Plan Futuristic Dance For Friday Evening

"Things to Come" will be the theme of the 1942 Architect's Ball which will be held Friday night in Sbisla Hall as the dancers step onto the floor in costumes befitting their interpretation of the future. Somewhat of a surrealist affair, this annual costume ball has long been one of the most popular dances held during the year. It was the Architects' Ball which initiated the idea of having annual organization dances.

Striving again for something different, something new to liven the social season at A. & M., the orchestra for this year's dance has been secured from the Prairie View Negro College. The Prairie View Collegians will play from 10 'til 2 for the architectural jitterbugs and hep cats.

## Ex 4-H Club Hears Hohn at Last Meet

C. "Dutch" Hohn '13, assistant state 4-H club leader, was guest speaker at the regular ex-4-H club meeting Thursday night.

Emphasizing the importance of leadership, Hohn stated that the time is here when a student must face and do things that he otherwise disliked to do.

Other members at the meeting were C. H. McDowell, Dr. M. K. Thornton, and J. D. Prewitt.

## Don't Get Hershey Wrong; It's Just As Easy to Register Here

All men who are supposed to register for the selective service on February 16 between the ages of 20 and 45 may register at the closest registration place that day, according to Dean F. C. Bolton.

Cadets will be allowed to register at the registrar's office that day and the papers will be sent to their home boards. It is not necessary for them to go to their homes to register because they will be given the same consideration as if they had registered at home if they register here, Dean Bolton said.

Aggies who have advanced military contracts are exempt from registration. Others exempt are National Guardsmen, West Point cadets, army officers and members of the Public Health Service.

## Officers Guide May Be Obtained Through Ross Hall

Officer's Guide may be ordered now at the Corps Headquarters office in Ross Hall any afternoon from 2 until 6 o'clock, Tom Gillis announced yesterday. Howard Brians and Pete Frost are in charge of the orders.

The total cost of the guide is \$2.15, of which at least \$1 deposit must be made at the time of ordering.

The book contains practical information concerning an officer's conduct in the army, his responsibility to his men, insurance, customs of the service, foreign service, court-martial, and a list of all army posts and their location.

A new edition of the book is now being published and the orders will be filled with the new edition.

## Contest to Name Show Ends Tonight

The contest for naming the Saturday night shows ends tonight at 6 o'clock.

This contest is sponsored by the Student Activities office and a \$10 prize will be given to the Aggie naming the show.

The three rules of the contest are (1) the contest is open only to Aggies; (2) only one name may be submitted by each contestant; and (3) entry forms must be left in the Student Activities office or given to Richard W. Jenkins, director of the shows, not later than 6 p.m. today.

## Dean Kyle Addresses Valley Fruit Exchange

Dean Kyle is to address the Rio Grande Valley Citrus Exchange at a banquet in Weslaco tonight. He will speak on his trip through Central and South America.

This meeting is for the purpose of better understanding between those interested in the citrus fruit industry.

## Final Approval Left to Corps Area Headquarters; No Mental Examination

Thirteen seniors have been recommended by Col. M. D. Welty, professor of military science and tactics for commissions in the regular army on the basis of scholastic and military proficiency as well as qualities of character and leadership. These men have been designated as honor graduates of the college, and therefore will not be required to take a scholastic examination in order to receive their commissions.

Corps Area headquarters will send an examining board to A. & M. to pass upon the candidates and to give them a rigid physical exam. Those who are selected will be appointed at the foot of the West Point class.

Three letters of recommendation as to character and background and other related papers have been submitted to 8th Corps Area Headquarters in San Antonio for approval. The fact that these men have been recommended does not necessarily mean that they are assured of receiving regular commissions.

Each year every ROTC unit in the country submits a list of candidates whom the school authorities think would make good officers. These men are rated according to their records and the impressions they make regarding their military proficiency. They are appointed to the rank of second lieutenant in the regular army in numbers according to the openings available for them.

Those who are eligible will not be commissioned until they finish their college work in May.

Candidates who have been recommended are: Sibley Azar, Jr., "C" Cavalry; John B. Hancock, "G" Field Artillery; Jack M. Holiday, "B" Engineers; Gerald R. King, "B" Coast Artillery; T. W. Leonard, "I" Infantry; C. B. Marsh, Jr., "C" Coast Artillery; M. A. Miller, "B" Signal Corps; Rufus B. Pearce, Field Artillery Band; Jack R. Taylor, 3rd Headquarters Field Artillery; Ben T. Yeager, Machine Gun Cavalry.

## Staff Changes In Extension Service Include Four Men

Staff changes involving the appointment of one new district agent and the transfer of four others, were announced by George E. Adams, vice director and state agent of the A. & M. Extension Service. The changes are effective February 16.

J. Knox Parr, for seven years county agricultural agent of Taylor county, is appointed district agent of Extension district one, in the Panhandle. He succeeds Parker D. Hanna who is transferred to district seven, comprising 21 counties in central West Texas. Hanna has served district one since 1934.

T. B. Wood, district agent for extension district nine since 1935, becomes district agent at large. He is succeeded by George W. Johnson, district agent in extension district five since 1934. District nine comprises a group of East Texas counties from Panola to the coast.

W. I. Glass, district agent of district seven since 1937 is transferred to extension district five, composed of 19 counties in the northeastern corner of the state.

## Lt Widdicke To Sign Applicants For Marine Corps

Juniors and Seniors Without Contracts Are Eligible for Training

Marine corps reserve officer's training is available to all seniors and juniors who do not have contracts and can meet the qualifications for appointment to the Marine School. Lt. C. F. Widdicke, U. S. Marine Corps, will be in Room 37 Ross Hall Thursday and Friday of this week to interview anyone who is interested and thinks he can qualify. Marine Corps medical officers will return to College Station early in March to examine applicants, and to complete enlistment.

Those who meet the entrance requirements will be enlisted in the Marine Corps Reserve as privates, first class, and placed on inactive duty until they finish college, at which time they will be called active and trained as officers of the "Sea Soldiers."

To be eligible for appointment to training with the Candidates' Class, the juniors or seniors must be unmarried and agree to remain so until they are commissioned. It is required that they do not belong to any other military organization, including R. O. T. C.

Students must be enrolled in courses leading to the B. A. or B. S. degree, or some field of engineering. Age limits for applicants are that the seniors be over 20 but not older than 24 years and six months when enlisted. Juniors must be between the ages of 19 years and 23 years and six months.

Should the exigencies of the present war situation necessitate these men being called to service before they finish school, they will be notified at least six months in advance.

## Dorm Equipment Is Being Installed

Equipment for the new dormitories is arriving on schedule the office of College Buildings and Utilities stated. All the mattresses have come and half the beds are here. Others will come in weekly from now on until around the middle of March. All the plumbing is in and two of the four dormitories are complete except for furniture.

Dressers and study desks are to be fabricated from birch and the beds will be of steel like those in the twelve dorms built in 1939. One of the new dormitories still has to be painted inside.

## College Military Officers Affected By Current Changes

Changes in personnel in the military department bring Lieut. Col. L. E. Swearingen to the campus to replace Captain McCulley as senior instructor in the Chemical Warfare Service here. Col. Swearingen reported for duty February 3, coming here from the University of Oklahoma, Norman, Okla.

Major T. A. Adcock left Sunday for the 388th Engineers Camp at Claiborne, Louisiana. Lieut. C. A. Williams took Major Adcock's place as senior instructor.

Major J. F. Stevens is now on a twenty-five day leave and will retire because of ill health at the end of this leave.

Lieut. C. G. Sory was promoted to the rank of Captain last week. He is instructor of field artillery seniors.

## Week End Supper Time to Be Changed

After one day of the new Central War Time at A. & M., college authorities have made two minor changes in the corps' routine by changing the time for the evening meals on Saturday and Sunday. Although an official order from the commandant's office is pending, temporary arrangements have been made to serve those two meals in the mess halls about 6:30 p.m.

Reason for changing the Saturday supper was to give Sbisla Hall employees more time to clear the main dining room for dances which customarily start at 9 p.m. Sunday evening's meal will be eaten earlier so that cadets may attend evening worship in churches that have not altered their time schedules to meet with the new college restrictions.

## Officer's Mess Management Course Now Available for One Credit Hour

Mess Management and Training has been added to the college curriculum for those who desire it, the course committee announced yesterday. This training is available to any student who desires to

take it, and may be still added to class schedules by registering with the dean immediately.

This addition has been made at the suggestion of Professor D. W. Williams in order to better prepare future officers for mess duty. Almost every lieutenant acts as mess officer for his organization sometime during his career. Many of these young officers experience difficulty in orienting themselves to the task of seeing that their men are properly and amply fed, and that the mess is prepared most efficiently under the allotted budget for rations.

"Lectures in this new one hour course will be given, in the main, by the heads of the various departments of the college," said Williams.

The first class will be held Thursday at 6 p.m. in room 132, Animal Industries building. Classes will be held only one night a week, and the course will be worth one semester hour.

## Adriance Is Making Survey of Citrus Land

G. W. Adriance, head of the Horticulture Department, is in the Rio Grande Valley making a survey of a large block of land devoted to citrus growing. He is making this survey for the Farm Security Administration.

## As Fish Started Social Season



A. & M.'s spring social season opened Friday with the Fish ball. Center is Pat Atkins of Waco, who was asked to sing with the orchestra. Upper right, Alden Cathey contributes a ballad. At upper left, Dub Oxford and his partner show a few fancy steps to the crowd. At lower left, the crowd gathers for refreshments. —Photo by Bob Crane