

## QMC Training Is Ordered Into Effect Immediately

### Student Loan Fund System Is Revamped

#### More Assistance Available Under New Four Year Plan

Sweeping changes in the student loan fund program of the Association of Former Students, designed to make greater assistance available to outstanding students, and the establishment of a general loan fund award committee to assist in the new program, have been announced effective at the beginning of the next term of school. The eventual aim of the new program is that no outstanding student should be forced to leave college for financial reasons.

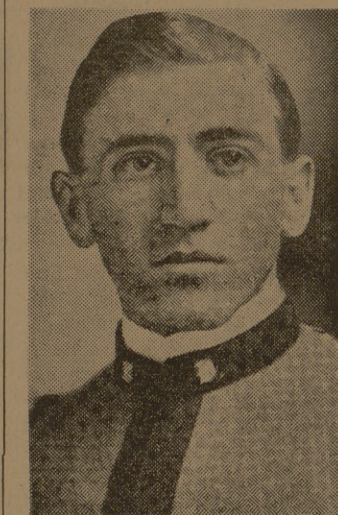
The new plan will endeavor to work out a complete financial program for each student selected for an assistance award; a program designed to enable completion of the college course. Repayment of money advanced will follow graduation or college attendance. In the past student loans have been made on a term to term basis and often have not offered permanent solution of the student's problem.

The new plan is an extension of the Opportunity Award program of the Association of Former Students, inaugurated three years ago on a trial basis. Forty outstanding high school graduates have entered A. & M. under this financial plan that covers their four or five year period of attendance. During the present emergency and speed-up program no more high school graduates will be eligible and all awards will go to men who have already completed one or more semester's work at A. & M. A limited number of the new awards will be available at the beginning of the June term.

To assist in the administration of the new program and in the selection of students to receive awards the following campus committee has been established, M. L. Cashion, Y. M. C. A. secretary; W. L. Penberthy, head, department of physical education; W. R. Horsley, student employment officer; H. L. Heaton, acting registrar, and Thomas Mayo, librarian. Also serving on the committee will be the student Loan Fund Trustees of the Ex-Student Association, Tyree L. Bell, '31, Dallas; A. F. Mitchell, '09, Corsi- (See STUDENT LOAN, Page 4)

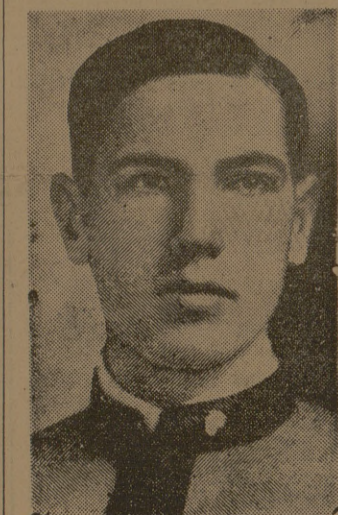
### A & M Has Provided More Officers Than Any Other School

By Bess Stephenson  
in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. Texas A. & M. College, which trains more men than West Point contributed 2,200 officers to the United States Army in the World War in 1917-18. Since 1918, it has added 5,135 of-



J. A. WARDEN  
... now a brigadier general.

Officers to the army's reservoir of organized reserves and most of these long since have been called



GEORGE FLEMING MOORE  
... he's at Corregidor.

to active duty in a new world conflict.

They are with MacArthur in the Philippines. They are in Java, in Ireland and the Dutch West Indies. They are in training camps throughout the country and with the United States Army wherever troops may be.

1908 Class Proudest  
Proudest of all Aggie exes are

those from the class of 1908. Three of their number are generals now. One is Maj. General George Fleming Moore, commanding the Coast Artillery defense of Corregidor Island. One is Brig. Gen. D. B. Netherwood of the United States Army Air Corps, and one is Brig. Gen. John A. Warden.

Still another is A. B. Whittett, a ranking engineer in the United States Ordnance Department, and another was Jesse L. Easterwood. A. & M.'s half-million-dollar airport is named in honor of "Red" Easterwood.

#### First Flying Ace

Easterwood distinguished himself and brought honor to Aggie-land as the navy's first flying ace in World War I. The Navy flier lost his life in an accident in



D. B. NETHERWOOD  
... Air Corps general.

Panama after the Armistice. He crashed in a seaplane while testing it over the Gulf of Panama. He died a hero.

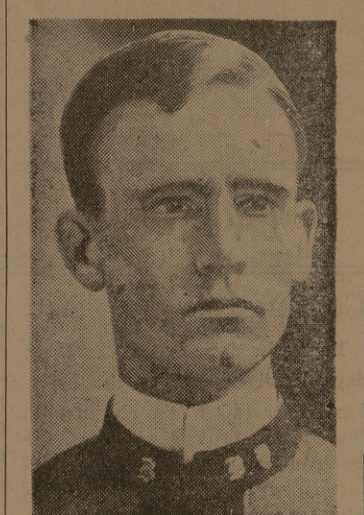
The class of '08, which contributed a naval ace to World War I, and three generals to World War II, had Capt. Andrew Moses for its military idea. He was commandant and professor of military science and tactics and one of the most popular "Bulls" A. & M. has ever had.

The Longhorn (Aggie yearbook) was dedicated in 1908 to Capt. Andy Moses.

Recently one of the new dormitories constructed on the campus was named after Andy Moses, now a retired general, and another in honor of one of the outstanding members of the class of '08, General George F. Moore, now

in command of Corregidor Fortress in the Philippines.

Rose to Major General Captain Moses, commandant from 1907 to 1911, rose to the rank of major general himself before his retirement in 1938. His last command was the Hawaiian



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... he's in Ordnance

Department. He is now in Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, D. C.



JESSE L. EASTERWOOD  
... Red was a Navy ace.

He can claim one, perhaps two, other brigadier generals as his boys. Brig. Gen. Howard Davidson of the Army Air Corps is from the class of '11. Col. E. A. Eversburg, who recently abandoned the rank of brigadier general to take up new duties with the Quartermaster Corps at San Antonio, is from the Aggie class of 1913.

### Navy Officer Here Plans Arrival Of Trainees in April

#### Classes Conducted On College Level Held in AAA Building

Lieut. E. Phillips of the Eighth U. S. Naval District arrived here this week to make arrangements for the 600 new naval trainees who will start arriving here April 1. Two hundred men will arrive on this date followed by 200 on April 28 and 200 May 26.

About 600 men will be maintained here in the divisions of naval materials corps and will train men at the rate of 200 a month. Each group will be replaced by another when training is finished.

Later there will be 800 students to be trained in naval radio operations but details are not as yet complete.

The AAA building will be worked over after the AAA moves about April 1 so that it can be used for offices and classrooms for the navy.

This unit will be housed in the four new dormitories which have been built in the north gate area and they will be messed in the old mess hall. Although these men will be enlisted navy personnel they will be men about the same age of the students here and will be functioning as students while here.

### Mary Had a Little Lamb, She Took It To Her Classes; Illegal

Baylor university's dormitory matrons ruled today that even baby lambs must not follow Mary to her classes.

The lamb in question, bathed carefully and decorated with ribbon and orchid, was given to Anna Kathryn Elder, senior beauty from Greenville, by E. F. Crim, a gradist from Henderson.

But "a baa baa here and a baa baa there" drove the matrons to distraction. Now Herman, the little lamb, must reside with Crim until it gets big enough for lamb chops.

### Woodward Speaks At ASCE Meeting

E. C. Woodward, district engineer for the Texas State Highway department out of Fort Worth, and president of the Texas Section of the American Society of Civil Engineers, will speak tonight in the C. E. lecture room at a meeting of the A.S.C.E.

Woodward has sent no information about the subject of his speech but the paper has been prepared for the students, Jesse A. Teague, president of the student chapter stated.

Eighteen students attended the spring meeting of the Texas section in Austin last Friday and Saturday. While there the students made an inspection trip to the Lamar Street bridge which is a concrete arch bridge being built using as little critical material as possible.

### Speer Acts as Tactical Officer Pending Arrival Of Senior QMC Instructor

#### Juniors Sign Today for 32 Hour Course; Class Schedules Will Not Be Affected

By Clyde C. Franklin

"Instructions from Colonel E. A. Keyes are to start immediate training in the Quartermaster corps," Major A. J. Bennett stated yesterday. Lieut. M. E. Speer has temporarily been assigned to this unit and is now signing men to go into it probably Monday, Major Bennett said.

A 32 hour course has been set up and an officer from the Quartermaster Corps will arrive soon to act as senior instructor in the course. He will probably be a captain.

#### Contract Seniors Get Preference

Lieut. Speer is choosing men from available students. Twelve seniors have already been selected to transfer their contracts from other branches to the Quartermasters and 38 more will be chosen from seniors who desire the course, have applied for the transfer and whose transfers were not granted at that time. Other vacancies in the course for seniors will be filled from men whose academic work fits them for the QMC who are now taking military science.

Any remaining senior contracts will be given seniors taking military science as an elective. Courses which are considered as fitting men for the QMC are economics, accounting and marketing and finance. Animal husbandry

Juniors enrolled in the Infantry, Field Artillery and Cavalry who do or do not have contracts in the Quartermaster Corps may get these by seeing Lieut. M. E. Speer in Room 36 Ross hall between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. today. No one enrolled in engineering need apply as no engineers will be included in the QMC.

majors who have had special meats work are also eligible. No engineers will be taken for the QMC. Engineering students need not apply for transfer into these new QMC courses, said the adjutant.

#### Ordnance Activated Soon

The ordnance corps is expected by the military department to start a similar move here in the near future and will sign only engineering students. In the ordnance no students other than engineers need apply.

No juniors will be considered for either course who are not now taking military science either as an elective or as contract men until June 1. The reason for this is that these men must take a physical examination before they can be signed.

In the junior course first consideration is being given to men now taking military science as an elective. Second consideration will be given contract men whose courses suit them to the QMC or ordnance. Any others will follow on the eligible list.

#### No Schedules Changed

Classes will be arranged in the new course so as not to interfere with academic work. Course numbers for these new courses will be M. S. 317 and M. S. 318 for the junior QMC and M. S. 319 and M. S. 320 for junior ordnance. Senior course numbers will be senior QMC M. S. 417 and M. S. 418. Junior ordnance will be designated as M. S. 319 and M. S. 320. The larger of the two numbers in each (See QUARTERMASTER, Page 4)

### Dallas Architect Gives Rare Books

Otto H. Lang, oft-styled "dean of the architectural profession in Texas," has made an extensive donation of documents to the library of the college Architecture department, according to an announcement of Department Head Ernest Langford, Mr. Lang has recently retired from active business.

Born in Germany, Mr. Lang was educated there and came to the United States in 1888. He entered the architectural field in Dallas at that time, and has been in that city until the present. Shortly after the turn of the century the firm of Lang and Witchell was established, and rose to a dominant position in architecture in the Southwest. The concern designed many of the outstanding buildings in Dallas, as well as other structures of note throughout the state.

Many rare and valuable documents are contained in the collection, which consists of about 100 volumes of reference works and approximately the same number of perspective drawings and photographs of proposed and finished work. These are an important addition to the Architecture library.

Langford has announced that the collection will be on display in the library in the Academic building the rest of this week during the hours from 9 to 1 and 2 to 6, and the public is invited to inspect it.

### Ags Win Swine Judging Event

The A. and M. Junior Livestock Judging team won first honors in swine judging while competing with fifteen other teams in the collegiate livestock judging contest held March 14 at the Southwestern Fat Stock Show, Ft. Worth. The team also ranked fourth in judging beef cattle, fourth in sheep, and fourteenth in horses and mules. Although ranking tenth in judging all classes of livestock, the team was only forty-six points below New Mexico State College, the third ranking team of the contest. First place was won by Colorado State College.

Members of the team included Heston McBride, Joe Lemley, Marvin McMillan, John Powell, Jay Pumphrey, and John Wheat, alternate. Jay Pumphrey was third high individual in judging all classes of livestock among eighty contestants. He ranked sixth in judging beef cattle, fifth in swine and seventh in horses and mules. Heston McBride tied for first place in judging beef cattle and second place in swine judging. John Powell tied for second place in judging beef cattle.

The team was coached by Irvin F. Edwards and William M. Warren of the Animal Husbandry department. Some of the outstanding herds and flocks in the state were visited during practice judging workouts in preparation for the contest.

### 66 Air Raid Wardens Finish Courses; Will Be in Charge College Station Area

Basic civilian training in the air raid warden course has been completed by 68 residents of College Station, and these men are now qualified to act as air raid wardens. This training is required by law for all wardens, and comprises 26 hours of instruction in first aid, fire defense, gas protection, general air raid instruction and drill. Instruction has also been commenced in an advanced 10-hour first aid course, which will give men completing it a higher rating. No training is being required of student air raid wardens at the college proper because of their lack of available time.

Names following are of those civilians who have completed the first course:

West Park Zone: Eddie Chew, D. R. Davis, H. L. Kidd, R. F. Mitchell, L. Molyneux, Raymond Reiser, R. L. Simms.

North Gate Zone: Norman Anderson, A. P. Boyett, G. F. Boyett, E. E. Brown, J. K. Mackey, W. H. Freiberg.

College Park Zone: G. W. Adair, A. A. Blumberg, R. L. Donahue, E. C. Klipple, H. A. Luther, R. R. Lyle, M. L. Patranello, G. E. Potter, C. H. Ransdell, G. J. Samuelson, G. W. Schlesselman, F. M. Smith, R. W. Steen, E. E. Vezey. Oak Wood Zone: H. E. Burgess, J. W. Collier, J. F. Fudge, J. C.

Gaines, C. B. Godbey, R. C. Hausery, H. L. Heaton, A. R. Kemmerer, V. A. Little, A. C. Magee, Leroy Nixon, James Overall, L. S. Paine, N. E. Rigler, G. K. Schoepfle, J. F. Smith, Walter Steen, Ide P. Trotter.

College Hills Zone: K. F. Aldrich, J. E. Breland, W. D. Burkhalter, P. W. Burns, R. W. Hagler, B. B. Hammer, Ross Herring, J. B. Lauterstein, Lovis Mais, R. C. Potts, J. Quisenberry, A. L. Rospin, S. I. Scheldrup, E. H. Schmidt, A. F. Snider, R. E. Snuggs, E. M. White.

West of Railroad Tracks Zone: A. S. Nemece, R. M. Sherwood.

Campus Zone: H. L. Boyer, A. J. Sterges, A. M. Madeley, J. J. Woolket.

### Walton and Kyle Leave on Business

President T. O. Walton is in Washington for a meeting of the Executive Committee of Land Grant colleges and the meeting of the Works Committee on Higher Education. He left yesterday and will be back March 25.

Dean E. J. Kyle, of the school of agriculture, is in Houston for a meeting of the Federal Land bank and will be back Friday. He left yesterday.

### Editor-elect Named Junior Editor for '42

This year there will be no junior editor of the Longhorn named but the editor-elect of the 1943 Longhorn will be named junior editor.

In past years it has been the custom for the editor to name the most outstanding junior as junior editor. This year no one junior has proven more outstanding or superior to the others and in order to avoid giving one junior the edge over the others in the election by naming a junior editor, the editor-elect will be named junior editor, R. L. (Rusty) Heitkamp, Longhorn editor, stated.

### Lieutenant Strother Transferred to Hulen

First Lieut. Tom B. Strother, Coast Artillery, has been transferred to Camp Hulen, at Palacios, and left the campus Wednesday to take up his new assignment.

Lieut. Strother is an ex-Aggie, having graduated in 1938. Upon graduation he entered the U. S. Army and was assigned to Fort Crockett. On Sept. 10, 1940, Lieut. Strother assumed his duties as instructor in the Coast Artillery at A. & M., and has served here until the present time. His duties at Camp Hulen have not been designated. A replacement officer has not been named.

## Problem Solved; Booth, Clark, Brauchle, Pledger, Bulkley, Cokinos, Barton, LeBus File for Yell Leader

By Ed Kingery

Responding bravely to the plea for candidates for junior yell leader, the sophomore class has come forth with a total of eight candidates as of Tuesday afternoon. Those now composing the field are Bernard Booth, Joe Clark, Flave Pledger, Rodney Brauchle, W. B. "Buck" Bulkley, Andrew P. Cokinos, Jack Barton and Frank Le Bus.

Deadline for filing candidacy for the two junior yell leaderships has been extended until noon Monday, March 23, according to Tom Gillis, chairman of the Student Elections committee. This is to allow any other candidates time to file petition signed by 200 seniors, juniors or sophomores, instead of the 50 names previously announced in error.

Past years have seen an over supply of would-be yell leaders.

Because of the small number of candidates this year, the sophomore class will not meet to narrow down the field, and a joint meeting of the junior and sophomore classes will be held Tuesday night, March 24, to elect two men from the total list of applicants.

Other candidates for various positions have entered the race since Monday. Bill Dreiss and Dwain Treadwell filed yesterday for Town Hall manager, R. O.

Thompson for junior representative on the student activities committee, H. O. Kunkel and John B. Longley for Longhorn editor, C. H. Wallace for editor of The Engineer and Jack Miller for social secretary.

None of the candidates have been certified as to qualifications by the Student Elections committee, which will meet Monday afternoon, March 23, for that purpose.