

Official Notices

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Found

The following articles may be obtained at the Commandant's Office on identification: Sheaffer's Fountain Pen.

Lost between YMCA and Dorm 9, a ladies Elgin watch. If found bring to room No. 28 Mitchell. Liberal reward.

LOST—A brown laminated Sheaffer fountain pen with "John Holman" engraved on barrel. Reward if returned to room 103 No. 8.

LOST—One tan wool jacket with gloves in pocket on bench across from Milner last Monday, Nov. 23. Please notify 111, No. 14.

LOST—Green wrist watch under east stands after game in Austin. If found notify C. A. Riggs, A-13, Walton. Liberal Reward.

WANTED—One steamer trunk in good condition. Call after 5:00 p.m. Mrs. Joe McNutt, Phone 2-6640.

ROOM FOR RENT—Convenient to campus. To be shared with another cadet. Phone 4-1185, College Station, Texas.

Announcements

"STUDENT EMPLOYMENT"

There are several jobs available at present. Those students who have applied for work and who have not yet been assigned are urged to call at this office immediately.

W. R. Horsley, Director, Placement Office.

ATTENTION of all students is directed to the fact that the rules governing class attendance place the responsibility for such attendance on the student and that when he is absent from a class he has missed a definite part of his course regardless of the cause of his absence. A student contemplating missing a class should decide whether he can afford to miss that part of his course and if he does miss it should expect to take such consequences in lowered grade as may result.

HEREAFTER AUTHORIZED ABSENCES

will be granted only in case of:

1. Sickness of the student when the college physician certifies he is unable to attend class.

2. Duty as Officer of the Day or similar official duty authorized in advance.

3. Necessary absences which have not been postponed to a time when quizzes will not be missed.

Students wishing to go to their homes for examinations of teeth, eyes, etc., should plan such trips at times that will interfere least with their classes and will not cause them to miss quizzes, as authorized absences can be granted for such trips hereafter only in case of emergencies requiring immediate attention which is not available at the College.

F. C. Bolton, Dean.

SEVERAL CAMPAIGN HATS

have been found in and around the Mechanical Engineering Building and are being held in the M. E. office. Several of these hats have been there quite some time. These hats may be obtained by calling by the M. E. office and identifying same.

Meetings

THE FOODS GROUP of the College Women's Social Club will meet Thursday, Dec. 3, at 4:30 p.m. in the Consolidated School home economics department. The program will consist of a demonstration on whole grain products by Mrs. J. K. Riggs.

JUNIOR CHAPTER of the A.V.M.A. dance will be held Friday night, Dec. 4, from 9 till 1, Sblsa Hall annex. All veterinary students come. Pre-veterinary students are invited.

CAMOUFLAGE LECTURE—Camouflage (Landscape 405) will meet in the lecture room Chemistry Building promptly at 8 o'clock Tuesday night. All members are requested to be on time. This is special meeting. Captain Hillman, U. S. A., camouflage chief for South Coast of Texas will give lecture, also will show pictures of camouflage installation.

JOHNSON COUNTY CLUB—There will be a meeting of the Johnson County Club in Room 208 Academic Building, December 1, 1942, at 8:00 p.m. Bring dues.

Edgerton Shoes are ON THE MARCH



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A big favorite with enlisted men, as well as civilians, this Edgerton buckle shoe is marching to great heights in popularity. Come in — try on a pair!

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Explosives Course To Be Offered As Defense Measure

Course to Consist of Lectures and Laboratories 8 Hours a Day for 6 Weeks

Chemical engineering department of A. & M. proposes to offer a course in powder and explosives starting December 7. This course is sponsored under the Engineering, Science, Management and War Training Program and financed by the U. S. Office of Education.

The courses will cover various methods of manufacturing and testing powder and explosives. It will consist of lectures and laboratory work for six to eight hours a day for a period of six weeks. There is no tuition and not more than a few dollars will be required for books. Room and board will have to be provided by the student.

Professor F. F. Bishop of the chemical engineering department acts as instructor. He has had specialized instruction in this field and the War Department provided inspection privileges at several arsenals and manufacturing plants. He has given this course six times during the past year and a half.

Students who have taken this course are now employed in munitions manufacturing plants, loading plants, inspection laboratories, ordnance depots, and proving grounds located in different sections of the country. The completion of this course will give the equivalent of one year's experience with the Civil Service Commission.

In order to take the course, a person should have had the equivalent of three years of college work. This should include some organic and analytical chemistry. In order to operate this course, a certain minimum number must enroll.

Anyone who would like to apply for the course or who wishes more information about it should write to Dr. J. D. Lindsay, head, department of chemical engineering, A. & M. College of Texas, College Station, Texas.

Air Corps Recruiters To Be Here Tomorrow

Army Air Force Cadet Examining Board officers will be on the campus at the Assembly hall all day tomorrow to complete their work, according to officers in charge.

Wednesday of last week, mental examinations were given to 19 cadets. Tomorrow more mental examinations will be given and all physicals will be given.

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return to recruiting office for authorization to take Physical examination.

3. Report to college hospital for examination.

4. Return to recruiting office and make out copies of enlistment and service records.

5. Time and date will be set for taking oath.

6. Identification papers will be filed out and notices sent out to draft board.

It has been emphasized over and over again that sophomores will not be allowed to take advanced military or to accept a contract until their enlistment in the ERC is completed, stated Marshall, and after January 1 the War Department will allow only Freshmen to enlist.

Because of the tremendous amount of business the recruiting office expects to be getting in the next few weeks a few "don'ts" are asked to be followed to facilitate the recruiting added Marshall.

Don't bother the recruiting office with needless questions—the fact remains if you want a contract or would like to stay in school, you must join the ERC.

Don't ask for identification cards at the recruiting office if you have already enlisted in the ERC—go to the student records office.

Don't report to recruiting office during December if you are not a sophomore. December is sophomore month.

Don't ask how long you will be permitted to remain in school. No one knows.

Commercial flying activity began in Texas, May 12, 1926, with first airmail service between Dallas, Fort Worth and Chicago.

merous local nighteries TO DANCE both Friday and Saturday nights.

Everybody who took part in the scenes filmed here at A. & M. during the past weekend really worked, and if anyone ever again mentions a dance at Aggieland, there will probably be 204 girls who will tear their hair and head out rapidly far to the north.



Jimmy Cagney in a scene from "Captains of the Clouds," playing at Guion Hall Tuesday and Wednesday.

Texas Holds Large Share of Nation's Farming Resources

Texas farmers occupy a large section of the production line of this country, according to Tyrus B. Timm of the A. and M. College Extension Service. In verification, Timm gave this breakdown of farmer's contributions to the war effort in a talk before the Texas Academy of Science on the campus recently:

One out of every eight farm in the nation is in Texas; 10 per cent of the beef cattle; one-fifth of the sheep; one out of three of the acres planted to rice and cotton, and one out of each three grapefruit eaten are produced in this state. Timm is the extension economist in farm management.

Discussing the problems in holding their place in the production line, the economist said that already one third of the farm labor supply, involving family laborers and employed help, either has left or been taken from the farms. Two thirds of this decrease has been in family labor, suggesting way the government has stabilized the manpower supply engaged in dairy, livestock and poultry production.

"Nevertheless," he added, "if the war continues through 1944, U. S. Department of Agriculture economists estimate that one third of those engaged in agriculture in 1939 will be off the farm. But I don't think farmers can expect too much government assistance as long as production continues high. Notwithstanding, rural people not only are going all out for victory with their resources and physical strength, but are doing an equally impressive job with their mental strength.

"Texas rural people today are more conscious about how closely our public problem are related to agriculture and even to their individual farms. They are buying all of the War bonds they can, thus helping to reach the goal asked by the President—that of having everybody help finance the war, which is the real democratic process."

—KYLE FIELD—

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you would have come out here, Coach Norton would probably have switched you to tackle as most fullbacks on the team this year found out . . . We'd like to say something nice about Anne Gwynne and Martha O'Driscoll, but dog-gone it, this is supposed to be a sports column . . . Hope you gals play tennis anyhow . . .

—WILLIAMSON—

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5	Ohio State	97.0
6	Ga. Preflight	96.9
7	Alabama	96.0
8	Tennessee	95.2
9	Michigan	95.0
10	Miss. State	94.8
11	Boston College	94.7
12	Texas	94.6
13	Notre Dame	94.3
14	Auburn	94.0
15	Great Lakes	93.8
16	Rice	93.5
17	Iowa Preflight	93.2
18	Louisiana State	92.9
19	Penn State	92.8
20	Marquette	92.7
21	Indiana U.	92.6
22	Washington State	92.5
23	2nd Air Force	92.5
24	Fordham	92.4
25	Illinois	92.3
26	N. C. Pre-flight	92.3
27	Wm. & Mary	92.2
28	Minnesota	92.1
29	Hardin-Simmons	91.9
30	Jax Flyers	91.9
31	Navy	91.8
32	Baylor	91.8
33	Duke	91.8

Suggestions Save Vital Materials

Eight thousand man-hours and more than 125,000 pounds of scarce steel will be saved because of the ingenuity shown recently by four war workers at the General Electric Company's main plant. The four men headed a group of 60 employees of this plant which received awards totaling \$1575 in one week recently for suggestions which speed war production. Approximately \$100,000 has been paid out by General Electric this year for 11,000 suggestions adopted.

Howard Wildman, a "set-up" man responsible for the accurate setting of gear-making machines, received \$500 for a suggestion which will save 5000 man-hours in the machining of delicate parts for naval ordnance. The machines which Mr. Wildman sets up turn out parts ground to tolerances of .002 inch, one-fifteenth the diameter of a human hair. Previously, separate fixtures were made for the machining of each different type of part, some of which had to be held in four different diameters to the .002 measurement.

Mr. Wildman suggested a standard fixture which could be used in machining a variety of parts, thus eliminating 5000-man hours per year in time required in setting up machines. Before, even most skilled operators had difficulty in producing the parts; now rejections on the most troublesome part have been reduced to a new low of two per cent.

34	St. Mary's P-F	91.6
35	Texas Christian U.	91.5
36	Penn U.	91.4
37	U. C. L. A.	91.3
38	Santa Clara	91.2
39	Tulane	91.1
40	Colgate	91.0
41	Army	90.9
42	Oklahoma A&M	90.8
43	Vanderbilt	90.8
44	Manhattan C. G.	90.7
45	Duquesne	90.6
46	Stanford	90.4
47	Detroit	90.1
48	Iowa U.	90.0
49	Georgetown	89.9
50	Villanova	89.8
51	Syracuse	89.6
52	Michigan State	89.4
53	Missouri	89.3
54	Texas A. & M.	89.2
55	Amherst	89.1
56	Southern Calif.	89.0
57	Cornell	89.0
58	Williams Col.	88.9
59	Yale	88.8
60	Dartmouth	88.7
61	California	88.7
62	Harvard	88.7
63	Pittsburgh	88.6
64	Princeton	88.6
65	Texas Tech	88.6
66	Brown	88.5
67	Holy Cross	88.4

Industrial Education Secretary Honored At Dance Last Week

Betty Gregg, former secretary in the Department of Industrial Education who has resigned to take a position at the new government air field in Bryan, was honored by the Industrial Education Club with a dance on Monday evening, Nov. 23, at Maggie Parker's Ballroom in Bryan.

Paul Swearingen, president of the club, presented Mrs. Gregg with a leather-bound traveling case, in behalf of the professors and students, as a token of their appreciation for the many favors and services she has shown to the boys of the department.

Before the presentation of the gift, the club was declared in session by the president, and Mrs. Gregg was unanimously elected an honorary member of the club, the only girl ever bestowed that honor.

Former Student Gets Purple Heart Award

Major Clarence R. Davis, '27, has been posthumously awarded the Order of the Purple Heart for valor over and above the call of duty, according to word received from the War Department. He was killed at Clark Field, P. I., where he was commanding officer of the Seventh Material Squadron, during the first attacks on December 7, 1941.

A native of Lufkin, Texas, Major Davis was in the Field Artillery during his four years at A. & M. He graduated in 1927 with a degree of B.S. in Civil Engineering.

Surviving Major Davis are his wife, Mrs. Ruby Hunt Davis, a son, Clarence Reid Davis, Jr., and a daughter, Sue Ellen Davis, all of Beaumont, and two sisters, Mrs. H. A. Maas of Clarksville, Texas, and Mrs. H. L. O'Brian of Mount Pleasant, Texas.

Beaumont Club Meets To Discuss Dance

Final preparations for the annual Christmas dance will be discussed at the Beaumont A.&M. Club meeting tonight after yell practice in Room 106 of the Academic building, according to Mike Cokinos, president of the club. The dance will be held December 22, at the Hotel Beaumont from 9 to 1 o'clock. Pat Halpin and his international orchestra will play. Cokinos urged that all boys from Beaumont and surrounding area attend the meeting so that plans might be completed.

Dr. N. B. McNutt
DENTIST
Office in Parker Building Over Canady's Pharmacy Phone 2-1457 Bryan, Texas

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Tuesday, Dec. 1

11:25 a.m.—Music
11:30 a.m.—Treasury Star Parade (U. S. Treasury)
11:45 a.m.—Brazos Valley Farm and Home Program—C. A. Price.
11:55 a.m.—Town Crier — R. E. Gottlieb
12:00 noon—Sign-off

Wednesday, Dec. 2

11:25 a.m.—Music
11:30 a.m.—Man Your Battle Stations (U. S. Navy)
11:45 a.m.—Brazos Valley Farm and Home Program—County Agent
11:55 a.m.—Town Crier—C. Bering
12:00 noon—Sign-off.

Laredo Club To Meet To Plan Xmas Dance

Plans for the annual Christmas dance will be discussed at the meeting of the Laredo A. & M. Club tonight in the Academic building, after yell practice, states Ramiro Casso, president of the club. Committees will be expected to make their reports so that final preparations for the dance can be made.

According to present plans, the dance will be held either December 26 or 27 at the Laredo Country Club. Several orchestras have been consulted but none have been contracted for.

The sorority's Northwestern university chapter announced a corps of the more mathematically minded sisters would act as tutors and coaches to candidates for induction as aviation cadets.

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