

Durward Cline to Play for Sophomore Ball On 13th

Preview Of Aggie Picture Friday at 6:30

Show To Be For Aggies Only; Dates And Others Will Not Be Admitted

Confirmation of the invitation preview of the Aggie motion picture, "We've Never Been Licked", was announced this morning by the publicity office of the college for Friday evening at 6:30 o'clock, at which time the corps will be permitted to view the cinema on the screen of Guion Hall Theatre. At a later showing at 8:30, the staff of the college will see the picture at Guion Hall, it was stated.

In view of the fact that this is strictly an invitational preview, prior to the actual release date of the picture, the public will be barred from the theatre. At the 6:30 showing, which will be exclusively for the Corps, the Aggies will make formation in the areas designated by order of the commandant's office and will march into Guion Hall theatre, the upperclassmen occupying the center section of the auditorium and the freshman occupying the sides. No sweethearts, wives, relatives or guests on the campus will be admitted to the theatre, it was pointed out, so Aggies are urged not to invite others to the campus to see the cinema.

The second showing, which will be for the staff and faculty, will include invitations to those who are actually on the payroll of A. & M. College and its branches, including the faculty, the staff, the extension service, the experiment stations, and the forest service.

The confirmation was received Wednesday by Byron Winstead of the publicity office from Edward S. Oldsmith, branch manager of the Universal Film Exchange in Dallas. In his letter to Winstead, Oldsmith stated that the film prints were being shipped to College Station and would be here in time for the previews, and that the showing was to be considered a strictly invitational affair, exclusively for the corps and staff of the college. There will be no admission charges made, whatsoever, it was stated.

It was stated that in the event the auditorium was filled to capacity at the 8:30 showing, a second show would be run in two hours to accommodate the over-flow crowd of the college staff. It was stated that the seating capacity of the theatre would not be taxed, and that the doors would be closed as soon as the building was filled.

According to Major Joe E. Davis, assistant commandant, the first call will be made at 6:25, assembly call will be made at 6:28, and the corps will march in Guion Hall Theatre in the following manner; Leggett, Milner, Walton, Dorms 14, 15, 17 and 16. Aggies residing in Leggett and Milner will not march until the corps from the other halls have reached military walk where the Leggett and Milner battalion forms, then the entire Aggie Corps will march to the theatre. When the show is over the tactical officers will give the order to the corps to return to the dormitories in reverse order. Attendance to this preview is not compulsory it was pointed out, however, members of the corps not attending the show will be required to observe the regular CQ.

Juke Box Prom at Grove Sat. Night

The Grove will again be the scene of a Saturday night Juke-box for all Aggies, service men, and their dates. The dance will begin at 8:30. Those men who attend with dates will be admitted free as usual. A juke-box prom is scheduled for every Saturday night, weather permitting, where music is furnished by records of the music of famous bands. Every Aggie and service man is invited.

An Orchid --

An orchid to Byron Winstead for the invitational preview for the staff and corps for "We've Never Been Licked" Friday night. Through his efforts the film was brought to the Guion Hall Theatre for a special preview before it was released to the public. Although plans had been made originally for the world premier of the show on the campus, changes were made and the show is to open in nearby cities before it came to the campus. Through telephone contacts with Universal officials, Mr. Winstead succeeded in bringing it to the campus first.

Kampus Kapers to Present Varied Program Saturday

Aggies and Service Men Invited to Free Show; Begins at 6:15

Kampus Kapers will be taken over by two Aggie co-chairmen this Saturday when Burl Ervin and Marvin Brown take over the program, Dick Jenkins announced late yesterday afternoon. The program will start at 6:15 and will last approximately an hour as usual.

Bob Moreno who is stationed at A. & M. will be the feature of the program when he plays several numbers on his accordion. The sailor's scrawniest contest will add zest to the program and be an enrichment to the participants. Two "blackouts" will also be presented as addede features to the show.

All Aggies and service men are invited to be present for the show which promises to be entertainment for the whole audience. Previous programs presented by Kampus Kapers have been well worth the time to walk over to the Assembly Hall, and every indication points to this as being just as successful as these. The program is free to all.

Free Concert To Be Presented In Kyle Field August 12

Summer Town Hall To Present Braggiotti And Shaw in Concert Here

Summer Town Hall will present Mario Braggiotti and Walter Shaw in a duo-piano concert in Kyle Field August 12, at which time the public is cordially invited and urged to hear the remarkable performance of these two youthful musicians. The concert will be presented free to the public.

This concert, first of two free ones to be presented on Summer Town Hall, was arranged for through the Student Activities office, which has charge of all the Town Hall programs. The presentation will be made from the huge open-air stage in Kyle Field and will be heard over the college's public address system. Plans are being made to accommodate a large crowd that will pack the athletic field's horse-shoe stadium for the event.

Announcement will be made shortly of the fall and winter Town



AT PREVIEW—A scene from "We've Never Been Licked" which will be shown publicly for the first time in Texas Friday night. The Aggie Corps will, as was greed upon at the beginning, see the picture before its release to the public, in Guion Hall Friday, immediately after mess.

Intramural Meet Sunday Afternoon 3 P.M.

A&M Enrollments Lead State In War Training

U. S. Office of Education Announced Top Ranking Schools and Universities

Texas A. & M. College leads the State in the number of students enrolled in engineering, science, and management war training courses, according to rankings released by the U. S. Office of Education to Texas A. & I. College at Kingsville.

Rankings were: Texas A. & M., 15,915; University of Texas, 9,353; Southern Methodist University, 7,854; Texas Tech, 1,570; Texas A. & I., 820; Rice, 593; Texas Christian, 488; University of Houston, 398; Baylor, 313; North Texas State Teachers, 284; Texas College of Mines, 271; Hardin-Simmons, 91; West Texas State Teachers, 54; and East Texas State Teachers 24.

Cooperating with the city of Elmira, N. Y., and gathering much-needed information for the government, Elmira college sociology students have been conducting a womanpower survey.

Bryan Field Presents "It's a Heck of a Mess" at Assembly Hall August 21st

Bryan Field will present their G. I. musical, "It's a Heck of a Mess" at the Assembly Hall, Saturday, August 21 at 7:30 p. m., it was announced yesterday. All Aggies and service men are invited to the program.

This show which went over well when played to audiences at Bryan Field and Bryan High School will come here for the benefit of the cadets and those who are stationed here. It has been acclaimed to be a very good show by those

Hall program which will be presented during the Fall and Winter semesters of the school year.



SAFE—Information has been received of the college, that Brig-Gen. G. F. Moore, former commandant of the school, is safe and well and is being held as a prisoner of war by the Japanese on Omosa Island. The information was received in a letter from the general addressed to his wife. He expressed a wish to be able to remain at his present location until the war was over. It was known he was a prisoner on Omosa, but this was the first information to be received directly from him.

"We've Never Been Licked" Goes On Air

A special broadcast publicizing "We Have Never Been Licked" will be heard over four of Texas' leading stations on the night of August 10. It will be broadcast from the stage of Guion Hall at 8:00 P. M. The program will feature the Singing Cadets, the Aggie Band, and a yell practice. The Singing Cadets will be under the direction of Richard Jenkins, while the Band will be directed by Col. R. J. Dunn. The yell practice will be led by the new yell leaders J. M. Knox and H. F. Stripling.

Captain Tom Gillis Visited Campus Tues.

Captain Tom Gillis, Cadet Colonel of the Class of 1942, visited the campus Tuesday while on a short furlough. Gillis was in the Coast Artillery and is the first student ever to make a straight "A" average at A. M. & C. A former Editor of the Battalion, Gillis hails from Fort Worth.

Aggies and Dates to Dance In Sbis Hall From 9 to 1

Tickets Go on Sale in Near Future; Aggies Above Class of '46 May Buy

Durward Cline and his orchestra of Dallas has accepted an offer to play for the Sophomore ball on Friday, August 13, at 9 p.m. Bill Terrell, president of the second semester class, stated to the Battalion late yesterday. The ball will highlight the social activities of the college for this semester, and all indications point to an enjoyable dance for all who attend.

To the Freshmen

We have discovered that practically none of the freshmen know the Aggie yells and songs. The reason for this, some of the freshmen inform us, is that you have no copies of them. Through the courtesy of the Y. M. C. A., a copy has been printed for each and everyone of you. If you don't have this sheet by now, you will have it in the near future.

Freshmen, to make a good showing on this state-wide broadcast Tuesday night, it is important that you know these songs and yells perfectly. The Aggie Corps never has let the school down in anyway; let's not be the first Corps in the history of Aggieland to do it. It's up to you, Freshmen, are you going to learn these yells so you can truly be called Aggies? Jack Knox Hayes F. Stripling

Captain of '40 Rifle Team is War Prisoner

Information was received on the campus Saturday night that Capt. W. E. Lewis, Jr., Aggie, class of '40, is a prisoner of war of the Japanese on Osaka Island. Capt. Lewis was captain of the A. & M. Rifle Team, during the school year of 1939-40 and was among the 35 members of his class that joined Col. George F. Moore, then commandant of the college, when he went into active duty.

The group was with the Coast Artillery command in charge of the defense of the Corregidor when it fell. Col. Moore, who had been elevated to a Major-General, was also captured and is now a prisoner of war on Omosa Island.

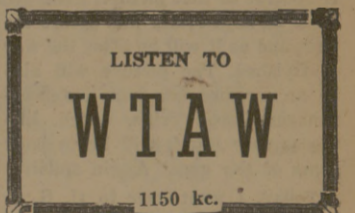
"Industrial Inspection" a nd "Fundamentals of Automotive Mechanics" are new war courses for women at Kent State university.

Life of Cohan To Be Seen At Guion

An all-star cast will brighten the screen of the Guion Hall Theatre this week-end with the showing of "Yankee Doodle Dandy" Thursday and Saturday and the matinee show Friday. The Friday evening show will be given over to the special invitational preview of "We've Never Been Licked". Included in the cast which features Jimmy Cagney playing the characterization of George M. Cohan, are Joan Leslie, Walter Huston, Richard Whorf, and Frances Langford.

The story, which deals with the life of Cohan, gives a comprehensive picture of the era of American life that has been studded with lovely songs from the versatile pen of one of America's outstanding composer of popular music. "I'm a Yankee Doodle Dandy," "Mary's a Grand Old Name," "Over-There" and others bring nostalgic memories of the pre World War I days, and carries the story on through to the presentation of the Congressional medal of honor to Cohan by President Roosevelt.

This Warner Bros. offering has been called tops in entertainment by motion picture critics and is highly recommended for fan consumption.



Friday, August 6, 1943

6:02 a. m. Texas Farm and Home Program—TQN—Dairy—O. W. Thompson; Forestry—J. O. Burnside.

11:25 a. m. Today's Summary on the Home Front.

11:30 a. m. Student Personnel Work.

11:40 a. m. Industry Looks to the Future.

11:45 a. m. Brazos Valley Farm and Home Program.

11:55 a. m. Air Corps News

12:00 a. m. Sign-Off

4:30 p. m. Panel Discussion—T. F. Mayo, J. P. Abbot, Virgil Fairres, R. L. Hunt.

5:00 p. m. Swing Serenade

5:15 p. m. Air Corps from Bryan Field.

5:30 p. m. Sign-Off.

Saturday, August 7, 1943

6:02 a. m. Texas Farm and Home Program—TQN—Extension

—Dr. W. A. Boney; Treasury—Jack Criswell.

11:25 a. m. Today's Summary on the Home Front.

11:30 a. m. Your Neighbor, Mexico—Dr. Al B. Nelson.

11:40 a. m. Dramatized News Event.

11:45 a. m. News Summary—Dr. Ralph Steen.

12:00 a. m. News—Interviews

12:00 a. m. Sign-Off.

University of Wisconsin is the temporary home of 480 WAVES receiving radio code and communications training.