-THOUGHTFUL-(Continued From Page 1) sa fight for the better-or why

Till ringing, singing on its way

day.

Men!"

dressed up.

The world revolved from night to

A voice, a chime, a chant sublime

Peace on Earth, Good Will to

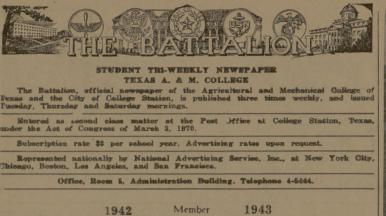
A closet is where a girl keeps

A total of 230 Texas counties

and other 30 states are represented among Texas State College for

Women's student body this semes-

most of her clothes when she is



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Closing The Year of 1943 . . .

Another year for the Corps is nearing an end. Many Hall. The blaze occured in the room happenings have made the campus seem like that of old, of Ralph C. Weiser, class of '46. You guys just of the compusion of but there is always a little something that brings back mem- Starting in his closet, the fire con- gine how much help meant to gagements before they arrive in ories of the Agigeland of several years ago when the Spirit sumed all of his clothes, with the me. I can't explain it, but it "Aggie Heaven." Immediately upthat could not be lost was here in its entirety. This has been exception of those on his back, and gave me a feeling like I've on arrival the cadets will report a war year, and the world has been disrupted, so disrupted bed clothes. that very little in this country is the same as it was in peace

During the first semester of this year, the Spirit of Aggieland held only partial sway because this was before the
activation of the juniors and seniors. Regimental and Corps

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in the program to be presented will be very similar to that which
was presented December 14 to the Balls were still the order of the day until this new change was brought about the two high classes taken from the campus in May and dances becoming scarce. From a high enrollment of from 7,000 to a low of 1,600, the classes were separated and put into one corner of the campus; the other corners being taken by the Engineers, A. S. T. P., Navy Marines,

A war year always necessitates a lot of changes, and A. & M. had its share of them. Many of the changes were ed this morning by the Student Ac- of scouts ashore on Anchitka in rangement of "I'd rather Be a Texnot welcomed, but they were accepted. The hope of the nation is and has been for a long time that this Christmas will trons of the theatre are requested intelligence officer who learned to tion of "All Through The Night." be the last war Christmas that the wodld will have to go to take note of this announcement. The theater will be closed during the last war Christmas that the wodld will have to go to take note of this announcement. The theater will be closed during "You know, I think the war will will probably render a few popular." be war next December.

War or no war, the Spirit of Aggieland has been brought forth, maybe not as strong as it has been up to the previous it was stated. years, but such a Spirit as the Aggies have will never leave this campus, no matter how many changes take place at Aggieland. So, with these thoughts, the Battalion closes a at Menomonie, Wis., featured a give it to them. I've lived with the successful year by wishing each Aggie, Aggie-ex, Servicemen, and everyone else a very merry Christmas, and a year full The skit was planned by members them. After all, they are Asiatic, of happiness.

By Max Mohnke

| ball crown, and First Company taking the football title.

First, on Friday, these two teams squared off to decide the winner in football. The game was a thriller all the way through, and the on-Fourth Company and First Com- ly score of the game was the hesult pany emerged from the final week o fa pass play that traveled some First Company held a lead of 6 to hell out of them like they did of play as champions in Intramural 60 yeards from the scrimmage 0 which they never relinquished. Pearl Harbor.' basketball and footbal respectively. line. The game started off as a First Company threatened again in Strange as it seems, these two kicking duel between George Spicer the waning minutes of the second teams played each other in the of Fourth Company, and Ross half; but a penalty set them back final game in both sports, Fourth James of First Company. After an to the six yard line, and a fourth- 30 concert and drama programs Company latching onto the basket- exchange of punts and a couple of down pass to Steve King fell short during the college year.

The first from Fourth Company took over and



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Keep to the Right at the North Gate and You Won't Go Wrong"



AGGIELAND'S ALL-CIVILIAN TEAM WHICH WILL PLAY IN THE ORANGE BOWL—Pictured above is the youngest team to ever play in the Southwest Conference an dstill placed second with seven wins, one tie, and one loss. They will appear in the Orange Bowl at Miami, Florida, on January 1, 1944, against Louisiana State University whom they defeated 28-13 at the first of the season.

(Editor's Note. Several days ago asked that the following note be show. the Battalion ran an item concern- published.) ng a fire in G-ramp of Walton

**Guion Hall to Close** 

From December 27-30

o fa touchdown by a yard, where

ended at midfield with Fourth

The final basketball game ended

in story-book finish with Fourth Company nosing out First Company

19 to 18 in the final three seconds. It was a see-saw battle all the way through with Fourth Company

leading by 3 points at the half.

However, as the second half start-

ed, First Company took command

and forged ahead. Fourth Company

retaliated when Brunow, who was

high-point man, sunk a couple of

crip shots to put Fourth Company

only a point behind. First Com-

pany attempted to freeze the ball,

but Fourth Company broke it up

and started down the court. Spicer

took a pass just inside mid-court

and arched one through the hoop

to put Fourth Company in the lead. The whistle blew to end the

With basketball and football out of the way, attention is now turned

to Intramural speedball. So far,

little can be said about this sport as the weather has prohibited

playing most of the scheduled games, and the ones that should

have been played have been forfeited. The final games for this

year will be played this afternoon,

with no more games scheduled

until the Aggies return from their

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From the Air Corps News

ONE MAN'S "PEACE-Guion Hall theatre will be closed WITH-JAPAN"

Monday through Thursday of next | (Taken From Reader's Digest) week for repairs to the equip-

the whole thing and will overthrow hit "Oklahoma. the Tojo government and sue for Aa assembly at Stout Institute peace. And I think we ought to skit called "Eat a Good Breakfast." Japanese and have a regard for of the dietetics and nutrition class. and most of the territory they've taken is Asiatic. So when they sue passes failed, Stotzer, of First for peaceI think we should let them Company, faded back and tossed have it. Then we'll be happy over a pass into the flat behind the line here and they'll be happy raising of scrimmage to Miller, who re- flowers and goldfish over there.

"In six months everyone will versed his field and went the remaining distance untouched. James' have forgotten the whole thing. kick for extra point was low and Then's when we can bomb the holy

for Women, Denton, will attend

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## —SINGING—

(Continued from Page 1) lege auditorium just before the regular Saturday night picture

Mrs. Mattie Lloyd Wooten, dean, has announced that dates will be arranged for those Aggie Cadets You guys just can't ima- who have not made previous ennever had before-something to Room 220 of the Administration Weiser's organization, 5th Bat- more than butterflies. I won't Building to receive lodging assign-

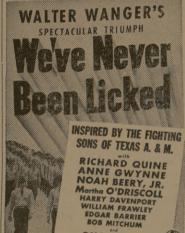
Town Hall Audience. Two new songs have been added to the repertoire; Zamecnik's arrangement of "Sing Me a Chantey With a Yo-Heaven-Ho" and Noble Cain's famed arrangement of the negro Lieutenant Colonel William J. spiritual, "Ole Ark's A-Moverin." ment and building it was announc- Verbeck, who led the first party Also there will be a popular artivities office of the college. Pa- the Aleutians, is a tall, handsome as Aggie" and the octette's rendi-Christmas Day and will be open at go this way," he says. 'In about a solos including "O, What a Beautiseven o'clock Christmas evening, year the Japs will be fed up with ful Morning" from the Broadway



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