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Ags Bow to Longhorns Sat; Chip Routt Visits Campus

Once more it was a story of | The Owls evened the series up too much height as the Texas the next night with a 67-41 win. Longhorns took the Aggie cagers Here's orchids to all the boys in tow last Saturday night to the who lettered for the Ags in this tune of 77-40. Slater Martin of season's football race. The boys the Longhorns, who leaves school deserve all the praise we can give shortly to join the Navy, tossed them. Let's not forget those boys in the basket that enabled Texas who did not letter, but whose work to break the scoring record of 75 formed the backbone of the team points made in 1940 by Arkansas and will prove to be the stuff the against S. M. U. Aggie team is made of when the

The Ags were badly outclassed '44 grid season rolls around. all the way but kept pounding at the Longhorn defense and never an influx of Exes on the campus stopped their lightning maneuv- in the last few days, and one of ering until the final gun, racking them whom we noticed was "Chip" up a total of 40 points... High Routt, famous Aggie tackle. Chip en points each. Also outstanding Aggieland. Chip was on the for the Cadets were Salibo, Ekas, mighty Aggie eleven of 1939 Wright and King.

Arkansas first game was the tional title. the Owls went ahead on a free and that he hopes to play foot-The gun sounded as the ball was the end of this semester. sailing through the ari, but the In other cage games of the basket seemed to be waiting there week T. C. U. took Baylor by a when Nichols shot came flying score of 47-38. S. M. U. remained through, and Arkansas won 42-41. idle.

For some reason there has been point men for the Ags were Max and his brother Joe, who played Mohnke and Don Deere with elev- guard will long be remembered at which, with "Jarrin John" Kim-A thrilling ending to the Rice- brough at its head, took the na-

week-end's most talked about Marion Flanagan reports that topic. In the last seconds of play his knee is feeling much better shot 41-40. With four seconds re- ball again wherever the Navy maining in the game the Porkers sends him, Texas University extook the ball out of bounds at mid- cluded. Marion, as you know, is court. The ball was passed to in the V-12 program and is Nichols who shot from the center. scheduled to leave Aggieland at

SPORTS REVIEW

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by a certain Baylor sports editor toward an Arkansas victory.

A. & M. will entertain Rice here fered at the hands of Baylor; but Saturday night in a game due to the game must be looked at from be a thriller. Incidentally, Rice all points... In the first place, A. boasts a fine player in Bill Henry, & M.'s basketball team, as was elongated center for the Owls, who so with the football team, is playing an all-civilian quint whereas ference. Texas will play T. C. U. Baylor University is playing men in Austin Saturday night in a of the Armed Forces. Then too, game that Texas should walk off Baylor's basketeers are boasted the victor. by Marlin Hicks, a letterman back from last year, while A. & M. is playing games with not a letterman on the team. Consequently, we wish that Carl Hooper would stop bellowing about the great quint that Baylor has. After all, Baylor could not put eleven men on the gridiron whereas the Aggies did alright with their allcivilian team.

Wednesday night the Baylor bears will be host to Texas U. This game should not be hard to pick, for Baylor fell to Texas

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LOUPOT'S

A Little Place . . . A Big Saving

earlier in the season and guess that history will repeat itself. Friday night will find SMU in

Fayetteville to tangle with the Arkansas Razorbacks. Both of these teams have lost a game to the Rice Owls, but Arkansas is known for its outstanding basket-We are being ribbed endlessly ball quints and everything points

TODAY'S ETIKET LESSUN

(From Duffy's First Reader, by Archie)

At a wed-



less you happen to be (a) the groom, or (b) bigger than the groom.

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A RIVER FOR LIVING AND DEAD'

Owen D. Baker River of life, whose yellow tides rush down rock strewn slopes; River of death, whose powers have crushed men's hopes; List' to the voice of the trackers on your yellow shore, "Chor, Cor, Ai-yak, Chor."

Oh river, whose waters gather in highest hills And change to torrents from yellow rills Hear the voice of the helpless as arms widely fling, "Chiu Ming, Chiu Ming!"3

But you, Oh river, rush on toward a murky sea. Heedless and careless of each man's plea, You smother them as on your pour, and through yellow teeth say,

"More, More, give me more!" That cry, though oft' given by the men of that land Is smothered and crushed by a gigantic hand, The hand of the river; and then a great laugh, "I've killed, I've killed you-at last!"

Then down chasms with rocks holding your tides, O'er cataracts and falls or with fields on your sides They tried to crush you, but they've only begun. In the end you'll say, "I won, I won."

Chant of Chinese on shore who pull boats up the river with ropes. 3 Chiu Ming—"Save my life."

final drive to pull the averages up.

Now, a beaver as translated from

Now, a beaver as translated from the Air Corps vocabulary is meant to mean any lad that bones over Weighed and Found the books and trys to hit the "A" To Be Wanting "The Western Conference is range in all courses. This type happy because football fans insist of beaver should not be confused

"Coke"=Coca-Cola

Air Corps beaver is bucking for "A" grades, our beaver is buck
minds for a long time to come, University of Texas, 5,548; University of Wisconsin, 5,264; Brook-

that the game be continued in 1944, with the A. S. T. P. specie. Our batch for the good old A. S. T. P. Saturday night. Iife isn't so dull ian enrollment by geographical but this is something like asking beaver is any E. M. who dares to We should take time out to give when a guy has a date once in a areas, Dr. Walters noted the smalla confirmed toper if he wants a get any mark about a 65% in an 'Doc' Kelty a bouquet for writing while. By the way Deets . . . exam. Our beaver sometimes even our column for Saturdays Batt. what kind of a date did you have gets so bold, he commits the un- Your columnist has just heard a anyway?. . . . Isn't it hacking forgivable sin of opening a text very favorable rumor that involv- when you have a beautiful day for book during a study period. The es all of us in 2nd Co., so the least pictures and a whole roll of film; A. S. T. P. beaver is always sym- we can do is sit tight and do the the pictures are taken with their bolized by his ever present coin- best job of soldiering that we can. various poses then finally after helpful in flipping out answers on Where have I heard something number eight has been taken you true and false tests. While the about poor soldiering? . . . The discover that the camera had not exams are being assigned thick been working properly. For sale:

It Can Happen Here

verbial "worm" turns. Day after women, practically two out of evday and class after class the Pro-fessor always seems to be one "In five broad fields—arts and just sit and stare at the black- agriculture and teachers collegeeven though it is crammed with in representative institutions as we copy word for word and in the gain of 6.5 per cent; whereas there evening we puzzle out the mean- are only 48,609 freshman men in of the South Atlantic division ing of our pages of notes.

Saturday morning the teacher cent," he stated. struted proudly through the en- Dr. Walters' figures showed that and Florida, where the 63,685 stuwere snowing. We braced our- report an all-time high. were snowing. We braced our-selves as the tension mounted. The "Considering sodier and sailor" Hampshire, Vermont, Massa-chusetts, Rhode Island and Conwith contentment, and proceeded 1942," he said.

shot after the week-ends, but so sylvania State College, 3,270; Corfar no forward steps have been nell University, 3,168; Indiana Untersity, 3,168; taken. . . . More about plasma at iversity, 3,141; United States Naval Barkley. . . . Sweet looking group Academy, 3,043. Here we go grinding out another of femmes here for the dance last In his analysis of full-time civil-

and fast for these last few weeks one camera-J. A. 'Honet John'

of school. The least we can do Hennessy. . . . Taps for now. AMERICAN HEROES



As our guns groped blindly for vital enemy targets in Tunisia, Sergeant Donald V. Peterson of South Minneapolis crept beyond our lines. Snipers and machine guns raked the ground, but he pushed on, snaked forward into view of our targets. Sheltered from withering fire by one small bush, he radioed fire commands and our guns battered the enemy. His country recognized Peterson's bravery with the Silver Star. You can recognize it with another War Bond.

Colleges of Nation Report Losses of 30.5 Per Cent Total

Medical and Military Schools Show an All-Time High in Students

As of November, full-time civilian students in 674 approved colleges and universities totaled 460,-849 as against last year's 750,233; and grand totals of students, including part-time and summer session attendance, in 671 institutions were 746,831 in contrast to last year's 1,074,983, Dr. Raymond Walters, president of the University of Cincinnati, announced in his twenty-third annual survey of college attendance in America.

These losses, amounting to 38.6 per cent in full-time attendance and 30.5 in grand totals, would be much greater if women had not flocked to colleges and universities in unusual numbers this fall, he pointed out. In full-time enrollments in representative types of institutions, Once in a great while the pro- 67 per cent of civilian students are

step ahead of the students. You sciences, engineering, commerce, board as if it were perfectly blank there are 92,240 freshman women formulas and problems. Blindly compared with 86,234 in 1942, a these fields as compared with 130,- (Delaware, Maryland, District of In a certain Mechanics class 143 a year ago, a loss of 62.6 per Columbia, Virginia, West Virginia,

trance with the look of "the cat graduate schools, law schools, and dents are 30.4 less than last year. that swallowed the canary". The teachers colleges show decreases The largest loss was among the room was so quiet you could hear whereas medical schools, with 43 institutions reporting in the six a snowflake hit the earth—if it their civilian and military students, New England states, (Maine, New

teacher's voice cut the silence as students aggregating approximate- necticut,) where the 31,893 stua dagger tearing through paper ly 300,000 in the nation as a dents represent a drop of 45.6 per on its way to the target. "Today whole, these men in uniform and cent. we shall take up variable forces the large attendance of women which you were lucky enough to serve to keep the United States have omitted from your last exam." full-time enrollment up to approx-He rose from his throne, beaming imately the diminished level of

to write some fantastic equation In civilian full-time totals, the when suddenly W. J. H. struck University of California, with all with our most potent weapon- branches, continues as the nation's The Assignment Sheet. To the largest, with 11,245 men and wompleasant surprise of all—that one en, and Columbia University, New paragraph was to be omitted York City, has jumped from last from our daily assignment. The year's sixth place to second with shock was too much for our teach- 9,236 students. Others among the er so he again seated himself and 25 largest in full-time attendance told us to do the homework for next time. Yes, the class unaniversity of Minnesota, 7,288; New mously agreed to present him with York University, 6,874; Ohio State a new T. S. card. It may happen University, 6,445; University of IIonly once a term, but it is one linois, 6,159; University of Michioccurance that remains in our gan, 6,031; Hunter College, 5,636; At Ease.. by Martin "A" grades, our beaver is buckin gto stay off "A" deck of the
is 'bone it' until the axe falls and
City of New York, 5,164; Wayne By Martin

With only about eleven more school days left to amend our sinful lives, the A. S. T. P. beavers are really sharpening their teeth and spanking their tales with great gusto in preparation for the final drive to pull the averages up of great concern to me and its respect to the final drive to pull the averages up of great concern to me and its respect to the final drive to pull the averages up of great concern to me and its respect to the final drive to pull the averages up of great concern to me and its respect to the final drive to pull the averages up of great concern to me and its respect to the final drive to pull the averages up of great concern to me and its respect to the final drive to pull the averages up of great concern to me and its respect to the final drive to pull the averages up of great concern to me and its respect to the final drive to average up of the then let it fall where it will. Never then let it fall where it will. Never say die. . . . Somebody has just said something about Sinatra over the radio. That did it! That is the reason this stuff is stale. He contaminates the air waves. It has been suggested that a blood of great concern to me and its respectively.

est loss among the 116 institutions

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Announcements

SENIOR RINGS: The January order of

North and South Carolina, Georgia

FEATURED ON WTAW.



All roads lead to the BLUE Net-work's Sunday night "Radio Hall of Fame." The eagle-eyed scones, who hear all and see all, eventually land the best entertainers on this sprightly full-hour pro-gram. For instance, Ginny Simms, the young lady at the top of this caption.

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