

Barlow Appointed Dean of Engineers By Gibb Gilchrist

Announcement of the appointment of a new acting Dean of Engineering was made last Tuesday. President Gilchrist appointed Dr. H. W. Barlow, head of Department of Aeronautical Engineering, to the position.

Dr. Barlow came to A. & M. from the University of Minnesota in 1940 to establish the Department of Aeronautical Engineering. Since that time its growth in enrollment and in stature among other schools of like caliber has been outstanding. With the outbreak of war, Barlow established in Dallas and Fort Worth special training courses to aid North Texas aircraft plants with their personnel problems. For the past few months, Barlow has been A. & M.'s institutional representative for the Engineering, Science, and Management War Training activities through which thousands have been and are being trained to better perform their jobs in war industry. In close connection with the above, there was established a Wartime Aviation Planning Conference which has grown to be one of the largest aviation conferences in the nation. The third conference closed only a few weeks ago on the campus and was attended by more than 500 of the nation's not-

Aggie Colors Show Up On T. U. Sweater Dropping White Out

Imagine the surprise of athletic officials on the "forty acres" recently when they unpacked a T. U. football sweater from an ex of '99 and found it to be a brilliant (but irritating) maroon with orange letter. The Ex, Raymond Keller, was quickly forwarded an orange sweater; the colors clashed terribly.

ables in the aviation industry. Dr. Barlow received his bachelor of science degree in aeronautical engineering at Purdue University in 1927. He obtained his master's degree from the University of Minnesota in 1934. The Engineering Science Doctorate degree was conferred on him by the University of New York.

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work of the YMCA here.

New Freshmen will attend the meeting as a body and all other students, the staff and faculty and the residents of the area are cordially invited to attend.

Following the meeting a free showing of the Guion Hall attraction, "The Desert Song" will be presented to the audience.

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signments and physical examinations were made Saturday and

Softball Team To Be Sponsored by Ex-aggie, J. E. Loupot, '32

Aggies who are interested in playing on a summer softball team sponsored by J. E. Loupot are requested to go by Loupot's Trading Post to sign up. Games will be arranged with teams from Bryan and other nearby towns. As soon as possible a schedule will be made, and practice should start within a few weeks of the beginning of the semester. Freshmen with softball experience are urged to join

Sunday.

Old students will not begin registering until 1 o'clock this afternoon, and will do so in the order given on the front of the schedule of classes. First step in the process is, as usual, securing assignment cards at the Assembly Hall. The Registrar's Office closes at 5 o'clock; late registering carries the usual two dollar fine.

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ing with a thorough knowledge of its workings acquired during seven years of service as dean of the School of Engineering. He is taking office with the announced intention of:

1. Securing better coordination between agricultural and engineering facilities in promoting the development of Texas' natural resources and the State's economy.
2. Increased salaries for members of the staff and the faculty at Texas A. & M.
3. Intensification of research and graduate work.
4. Cooperation between the Extension Service and the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and the School of Agriculture at the College.
5. Better relations among State supported institutions in Texas for the sharing of facilities and the

elimination of duplications.

President Gilchrist's first formal appearance was his introduction before the annual meeting of the Association of Former Students of the Texas A. & M. College at College Station, May 26, where he was given a rising ovation, and a formal resolution pledging support and sincere congratulations.

In response, President Gilchrist said, "the opportunity of becoming president of the Texas A. & M. College is the greatest thing that ever came to me and I approach it with the deepest humility. I invite your suggestions—and your criticisms. They do not have to be constructive criticisms. Any success that I may have attained in my life has been due largely to the criticisms I have received from my true friends. I pledge you that every drop of my blood will be dedicated to making a great institution greater."

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