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Dean Kyle Resigns As Agriculture Dept. Head

G. R. White To Head Board Of Directors

Elected At Directors Meeting In Austin

At a recent meeting of the board of directors of the college, Mr. G. R. White, banker and ranchman from Brady, Texas, was named to succeed F. M. Law as president of the board, who resigned recently. R. W. Briggs, construction engineer, was elected to the vice president's position.

The meeting of the board was held in the Pan American room of the Driskill Hotel in Austin last Wednesday night.

White, who formerly served as vice president of the board, received his B.S. in Civil Engineering from A. & M. in 1895 and was appointed to the board in 1925. His present term expires in 1949.

Briggs is president of the Briggs Construction Company of San Antonio, receiving his degree in Civil Engineering from the college in 1917. He was appointed to the board in 1937 and his term of office will expire in January, 1945.

Law had served on the board in 1937 and his term of office will expire in January, 1945.

Law had served on the board since 1919, filling the position of president for almost 25 years. He graduated from A. & M. in 1895, receiving his B.S. in Agriculture. He later studied law and entered the banking business in Bryan where he was born, later moving to Beaumont thence to his present home in Houston where he is president of the First National Bank.

City Scouts Collect Three Tons of Paper

On the first Saturday in November the College Station Boy Scouts and Cubs collected more than three tons of paper. The willingness of the scouts and cubs as well as their Troop Committeemen have been an inspiration to those who work with them, said L. S. Jones chairman. To date, they have collected a total of more than thirty tons. Residents can assist by tying the packages securely with string in both directions, added Jones.

The next collection will be made on December 9.

Geology Club Meets Wed. In Pet. Bldg.

Ambrose Lyth, president of the A. & M. Geology Club, announced that the club will hold a meeting Wednesday night at 7:15 p.m. in Room 113 of the Petroleum building. An interesting program has been planned.

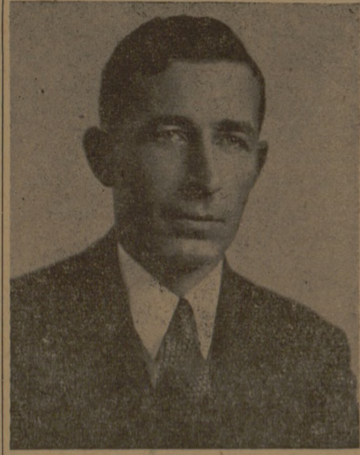
T. u. Comes To Life As Aggies Arrive Teasippers Forget Aggie Hospitality

By Eli Barker

Last Thursday amid outward signs of grief, old Army began to shout, "Skin 'em alive in forty-five." For the fifth consecutive year now, Texas u. had somehow managed to win over the Aggies even when it could be definitely seen that the better team had come off the field on the short end of the score. After going home in a bad humor, it made matters even worse to hear the teasippers in the old home town whip out with, "It sure is tough about the Aggies." But every dog has its day and good dogs have two; so look for anything to happen next Turkey day.

It is hard to find out just why the Aggies have so much trouble when it comes to beating T. u., but many offer this explanation: Any Aggie would gladly go without food for a week if the teasippers could be beaten, but it is not the same over there. A. & M. is just another game in Austin with the result that no one becomes over enthusiastic about the outcome. It is then very natural that the Ag-

E. L. Angel Made Lt. Col. In France



Lt. Col. E. L. Angel

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Edmund L. Angel, former assistant to Dr. T. O. Walton during his administration here at A. & M. has recently been promoted from Maj. to Lieut. Colonel. Col. Angel entered the service in August, 1943, and after receiving his commission, was sent to England where he remained until the middle of last Sept.

He has since been transferred from England to Paris, France, where he is now stationed with the Supreme Allied Headquarters Expedition. He is a staff officer of the G-5 division, which is Civil Affairs, with the French National Authority.

Rev. Quin to Confirm Candidates At Chapel

The Right Reverend C. S. Quin, Episcopal Bishop of Texas, will be at St. Thomas Chapel on Wednesday evening, Dec. 6th, at 7:30 p.m. to confirm a class of candidates and to dedicate the new pews.

Bishop Quin will preach following the confirmation service and all members and friends of the chapel are cordially invited to attend the services.

Latin American Club To See Movie Wed.

At 7 p.m. Wednesday in the Animal Husbandry Lecture Room, the A. & M. Latin American Club will present a movie entitled "South of the Border", by Walt Disney. All students have been cordially invited to attend the meeting.

Westinghouse Executive Speaks Here

M. W. Smith, '15, vice-president in charge of engineering of the Westinghouse Company, spoke in the Civil Engineering Building yesterday on the engineering developments and post-war plans of the Westinghouse Company.

After Dean Barlow's introduction, Smith told of the developments in engineering during war. According to Smith, much research in electronics and radar has been done. He added that jet propulsion planes have been improved, a steam turbine powered locomotive built and a tank-gun stabilizer invented among countless other contributions made by Westinghouse to the war effort.

The immediate problem, which confronts the company is conversion to peace manufacture, said Smith. He noted that the company would play a large part in keeping the economic standards high for the United States after the war by offering jobs and buying materials. However, he said, it is not known how rapid the government cancellations will be made and how the present staff of experienced workers will be exchanged for returning soldiers who will want their jobs back.

Smith then related some of the post-war plans of Westinghouse. He explained how electronics holds undreamed of power if it is utilized competently, and how high frequency radio waves can be put to use. Many of the discoveries made during the war will greatly enhance future products of Westinghouse, he added.

Session ended with a remark by Smith on the effectiveness of cooperation between Westinghouse and A. & M. College in the past and a hope that more will be accomplished in the future.

Quin County Aggies To Meet Tues. Night

There will be a meeting of the Quin County A. & M. Club Tuesday evening in Room 102, E. E. Bldg., at 7:15 p. m., immediately following mess.

All students from Wharton, Ft. Bend, Colorado, Matagorda, and Austin counties are urged to be present, as final plans for the Christmas Dance will be discussed at this time, said Fish Brasher, reporter of the club.

gie team should go onto the field with the full realization that this is the game of the season while the teahounds think of this as just an ordinary game. Playing a calm game is therefore much easier for the Longhorns than it is for the Aggies. Well, there it is. It can be taken for what it's worth, but it'll go until a better one comes along.

This was probably the most exciting corps trip of the year even if it wasn't the most enjoyable. With no one certain of what would happen the next minute, the Corps decided to take each and everything as it came along, and the results were amazing to everyone.

One of the most noticeable things about the Texas u. campus was the apparent lack of interest on the part of the entire student body. There was lots of rough stuff, such as capturing Aggie caps, but many were doing that instead of attending the trash fire and pep meeting. It seemed that the teahounds had a great deal of pep when they outnumbered the Aggies, and a number of caps could

RESIGNS



Dean E. J. Kyle

SUCCESSOR



C. N. Shepardson

Veterinary Students To Have Annual Formal Ball In Sbis Saturday Night

The annual dance of the junior chapter of the American Veterinary Medical Association will be held in the annex of Sbis Mess Hall this Saturday night, December 9, 1944, from 9 'till 12 o'clock. The Aggeland orchestra, with Natalie Lane, will furnish the music for the evening.

The dance will be semi-formal. No arrangements have been made for housing dates because there is ample housing facilities in College Station and Bryan.

The dance committee—composed of Johnny Colvin, Barney Myatt, Andy Jones, Jack Sanders, Frank Yturria, and J. N. Chastain—will

send invitations to honored guests, which include Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Marsteller, members of the faculty and the military staff of the college.

The decorations will be abbreviated due to war conditions, but will by no means be lacking. There will be comic posters impersonating the professors, and the lighting will be subdued and in varying colors. Punch will be served at intermission.

All veterinary students are urged to attend the dance which is held each year in honor of the graduating seniors. This year's dance has all appearance of being the most successful in recent years.

Revival to Be Held At Baptist Church

Dr. Lemuel Hall, Army Chaplain, To Preside

Beginning December third and continuing through December 10, a revival will be held at the First Baptist Church in College Station with Dr. Lemuel Hall, Army Chaplain, to conduct the services. Services are to begin at 7:00 p. m. each night and those students who desire to attend will be excused from call to quarters.

Included in the evening services will be motion picture films showing life in the army camps and the work done by the church.

Dr. Hall issued a cordial welcome to all to attend.

Dairy Husbandry Prof Appointed to Advisory Council

A. L. Darnell, Texas A. & M. College professor of dairy husbandry, has been appointed a member of the dairy husbandry group of the National Advisory Council of Rutgers University Farm Buildings Institute, and he will represent the South and Southwest on this important postwar planning group.

Darnell is leaving today to attend a meeting of the group in Madison, Wisconsin. The outstanding specialists from all over the nation will meet to study farm building design in the light of advances brought about by the war.

The collective potential demand of American farmers for new construction runs into the billions of dollars. What is needed is a pooling of facts on farm building requirements, and filling in the gaps with research with the end in view of improving and standardizing the design of farm structures so the techniques of mass production and prefabrication can be applied, Mr. Darnell declared.

Housing for farmers and workers, storage for crops and machinery and shelter for farm animals will occupy the members of the Rutgers group at the Madison meeting.

Brazos Co. Aggies To Honor Fairer Sex At Christmas Party

Club To Present Robes To McCloskey Aggies

President J. E. Roberts of the Brazos County A. & M. Club has announced completion of plans for the Christmas party honoring Aggies of the fair sex, and the big entertainment will be staged in Sbis Hall on December 12, beginning at 7:30 p. m.

Tickets for the dinner will be \$1 each and they must be purchased before noon on December 11, President Roberts announced. The Brazos County A. & M. Mothers are joining in the party, and all members of the club are requested to bring all the women (See AGGIES, Page 2)

Ag. Eco. Head Speaks At Farm Conference

"The prosperity of American agriculture after the war is largely dependent upon the maintenance of expanded markets for farm products," declared J. Wheeler Barger, head of the Department of Agricultural Economics at A. & M. College in an address in Dallas yesterday.

In the opening address before the regional conference of Farm Security Administration workers, Mr. Barger discussed sound post-war programs for agriculture. "Expanded domestic markets will depend upon the achievement of a high level of industrial employment that affords large consumption of food and fiber and on the discovery of new uses of farm commodities as raw materials for industrial production. Enlarged foreign markets will depend on stabilization of world political and economic arrangements and the elimination of the barriers and restrictions that impede the flow of commerce among nations."

Mr. Barger outlined desirable national objectives as including adequate production of food and fiber, parity of income and public services for rural people, better marketing at lower cost, family size farm units, good tenure conditions and conservation of agricultural resources.

To Be Succeeded By C. N. Shepardson, Poultry Head

Kyle to Serve As Dean Emeritus; Aid In Organization Of Research Foundation

Wednesday, November 29, Dean E. J. Kyle of the School of Agriculture retired to become dean emeritus of agriculture. His duties now will be to aid in the organization of the A. & M. Research Foundation and to promote Latin American relations. The A. & M. Board of Directors met in Austin to acknowledge his new position.

Kyle first came to A. & M. in the fall of 1896 and graduated in June of 1899. While he was here as a student, he worked in order to pay his way through school. During his senior year here he was the highest ranking cadet officer, president of the YMCA, president of his class, and valedictorian. He also served as commandant of the school for over a month and was therefore given a seat and vote in the faculty. No other student in the history of the college ever received this honor.

Third Installment Fees Is Payable Now

Third installment of Maintenance fees of \$53.00, payable December 1-9 inclusive can be paid now.

These fees include board \$41.40, room \$8.05 and laundry \$3.55 to February 2, 1945.

The Cashier of the Fiscal Department will accept these fees from 8:00 a. m. until 1:30 p. m.

Indust. Ed. Head To Attend Conference In Philadelphia

Postwar Problems Of Vets To Be Discussed

E. L. Williams, Head of the Department of Industrial Education and Director of Industrial Extension Service at A. & M. College, left Sunday for Philadelphia to attend a series of conferences conducted by the U. S. Office of Education and the American Vocational Association. The conferences were called for the purpose of planning training programs for the reconversion of industry from war materials to civilian goods, and post-war education needs of ex-service personnel and demobilized war workers.

Training veterans will dominate many sessions. Authorities from the War Department will tell the vocational educators of the interests and attitudes of the returning servicemen which must be considered in planning for their re-education. Representatives of labor, management, and the Armed Forces will join with the educators in one session devoted wholly to reconversion (See CONFERENCE, Page 4)

Famed French Pianist, Casadesus, To Appear On Campus Town Hall Dec. 12

Robert Casadesus, the French pianist, is to be presented here on Tuesday, December 12, by Town Hall which is sponsored by the Committee on Student Activities. This famous musician who has been called "as complete a musician as he is a pianist" is a musician, technician, and composer. Being from a distinguished French musical family, he comes naturally into his fame and has won the highest honors at the Paris Conservatory.

After a triumphant series of European tours, he made his American debut in January, 1935. Toscanini, who was in that first audience, immediately invited him to play with him the following season. Going from one brilliant performance to another, Casadesus has today become one of the most renowned musicians in the country.

Inevitably he is the conductor's choice for soloist and has the rare record of seven seasons as soloist with the New York Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra, as well as of re-engagements with the Boston, Detroit, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Chicago and Kansas City orchestras. He has also appeared with the major orchestras of Los Angeles, San Francisco, Oklahoma City, Minneapolis, Pittsburgh, Rochester, and Mexico City.

One of Casadesus' friendly neighbors is the physicist Albert Einstein. They often play duets for the violin and piano together.



Robert Casadesus

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"Professor Einstein plays the violin well," says Casadesus, "and is a very good musician. He likes Handel and Mozart best and sometimes the compositions of Casadesus. But mostly, he likes the composer dead."

For many years Casadesus headed the piano department of the Fontainebleau School of Music. When the war came, the school was transplanted here. The first summer it had its headquarters at Newport, last year it moved to the Berkshires among the rolling hills of New England.