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Latin-American Club to Sponsor "Good Neighbor Week" Featuring Art Exhibit Stage Program, Speakers, Aggie Dance

The Texas A. & M. Latin-American Club will sponsor a "Good Neighbor Week" on the campus beginning with the week of August 20 and running through August 26. The week has been designated by the officers and members of the Latin-American Club as the week to be known as "Good Neighbor Week", and the week is to serve as a special occasion to be dedicated to the cause of everlasting friendship, good will, and better understanding between the people of College Station, Bryan, the Cadet Corps, the A. S. T. P. trainees, and Latin America as represented here through the Latin-American students.

The week was named "Good Neighbor Week" for a special reason. "Good neighborhood among the twenty-one American Republics was put into practice by one of the greatest men in the world, the late Franklin Delano Roosevelt, and this week is being dedicated to him," Caro-Costas said.

Festivities for the week will begin with an exhibit depicting the art of the twenty-one American Republics. The exhibit should be enjoyed by everyone interested in Latin America and in art. It will be open to the public on Monday, August 20, and will run for a week in the main floor of the college library.

At noon Tuesday, several members of the club will speak at various civic clubs of College Sta-

tion and Bryan. At the meeting of the Lions Club in Bryan on Tuesday at noon, R. Sanchez, a student from Cuba, and Ruben R. Caro-Costas, a student from Puerto Rico, will present short discussions about the general outlook of their respective countries. That afternoon, at the regular meeting of the Kiwanis Club, another two members of the club will be the main speakers. Jose de la Garza, from Mexico, and J. Vega from Venezuela, will speak of their respective countries.

Wednesday noon, the club will broadcast two programs through the local radio station, W.T.A.W. The first program is scheduled for 3:45 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. It will be a program centered around the (See LATIN, Page 4)

Bill Turner Stars Bryan Soprano In Another Fast Moving Jamboree

A sweet singing soprano, Miss Virginia Estell, of Bryan, headlined a fast moving and well received jamboree program by Bill Turner and his Aggeland Orchestra and Singing Cadets Wednesday night in Guion Hall before an enthusiastic audience of Aggies and localities.

Miss Estell, in her debut before an Aggie audience, scored a hit with "Begin the Beguine", followed by the song that never grows old, "Stardust". For an encore she sang the dreamy "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes."

Little George Hill, College Station youngster, scored a hit with his two numbers "Casey Jones" and "Dream". Turner's band of musical jugglers fooled the old maestro by coming up with some real harmony on the quiz show wherein the band had to recognize song titles and play a few bars from each. Such old ones as "South of the Border", "Deep in the Heart

of Texas", "Sleighride in July" found a receptive audience.

The memory tune played by the band was an ever-popular semi-classical, "Make Believe", followed by a swell arrangement of "Tip-pin' In."

As evidence of the fine polish and perfection attained as a result of rehearsals for the Denton trip this week-end, the Singing Cadets, in what were probably two of the finest numbers ever presented by them, sang the theme song from the great stage hit "Oklahoma". The second number was "This is My Country."

Ole Guion Hall closed for another week with another hit chalked up and with the Singing Cadets leading the audience in "The Spirit of Aggeland."

Maestro Turner announced the trip to Denton and extended an invitation to the Corps to make the trip and help TSCW in putting over the big dance and program planned for this Saturday night.

Orchestra-Cadets Leave Sat. for TSCW

Frogs Swing Out at the Grove



The popular Aggeland Orchestra is shown above at upper left as they swing out in one of the toe-tickling dance tunes which delighted Freshmen and Seniors alike at last Friday's formal ball at The Grove. A section of dancers is shown at bottom as they pose for the BATTALION cameraman. In the circular inset, Lil Munnerlyn captures the new Aggies' hearts as she plays and sings during the intermission period.

Photos are by Grady Griffin, Jr.; engraving is by Tom Puddy.

Gilchrist Visits McCloskey Aggies

Eighteen ex-Texas Aggies met with President Gibb Gilchrist of Texas A. & M. College and Brig. Gen. James A. Bethea, commanding general of McCloskey General Hospital, Wednesday at the hospital to discuss plans for the football season and the close cooperation between the hospital and the college.

Gen Bethea praised the work of Prof. F. W. Hensel in landscaping the hospital grounds over a period of many months. He also told of the close work between the two huge Texas institutions.

President Gilchrist outlined the plans for providing apartment facilities for married ex-service-men attending the college. He expressed (See GILCHRIST, Page 4)

Starlight and Dreamy Music . . .

Frogs Forget Their Troubles For One Beautiful Weekend

By Bob Wren

What happens to a freshman usually doesn't even happen to a dog around here, any—but last week-end the frogs and fish rose above even the canines for one and even two days and nights of bliss. The event was the always-remembered Freshman Ball, with a Corps Dance following it.

You can still hear soft sighs followed by the murmur, "What a time—" but by now the professors have quit yelling to keep classes awake, and beds are looking neat in the dorms again. Yes, it's all over, but each of the traditionally sad freshmen has those memories to look back upon.

He'll remember waiting at the station for the arrival of that "One and Only" he had been away from so long; and he'll remember that after being assured that she had been true and faithful, he took her to the dormitory which the college had saved for this purpose by keeping the registration low. He won't forget, either, how good the mess hall food was when flavored by feminine, not sophomore, charm.

That night he only waited about twenty-five minutes for the dream of loveliness to greet him, ready for the dance. From then on, he knew, the sailing would be on glass, but he didn't reckon the way

the glass would be frosted. First he discovered that seniors can't resist the combination of pretty girls and Bill Turner's Aggeland Orchestra, which gave the smooth and sizzling music for the evening. He dodged the bird-dogging of even his freshman buddies long enough; then, protesting that his feet were tired, he and his girl set out to find a comfortable bench, away from the lights (because he didn't want to be seen with his shoes off, of course). At last, after, maybe, a good-night kiss, the couple put on track shoes to make it to the dorm before two.

The next night was something like the same thing, except the cold drinks didn't run out before he got there, and the wolves were far more numerous, and the dance was a little wilder, and it just wasn't the Freshman Dance. The stars in his eyes were outshining the poor electric power furnished to light the floor, so he left early again, but, better prepared this time, made sure his date would be in by two—only to take to the footwork again to make it by one.

Then came the fond farewells and the sighs of parting. The train whistle blew, and again the freshman became a freshman.

He'll remember all this, for one reason, because he's now broke, but you count on it, wealth won't make him forget it either.

Aggeland Musicians to Present Concert And Dance; Tessie Date Bureau Is Set Up

Hampton Warns of Farm Inflation at Extension Meeting

Serious financial losses likely will be suffered by people buying farms and ranches at present high price levels, Dr. H. E. Hampton of the Agronomy Department, recently warned a group of county agents of Extension District 11, meeting here in an appraisal short course.

These losses may be avoided, however, by limiting the mortgage debt to an amount which can be paid off even in a period of farm income decline to those of pre-war years, Dr. Hampton said.

In other words, Dr. Hampton explained, the buyer must base the amount of his indebtedness on the average prices that farm products will bring over a number of years.

Present market prices of land are higher than this average prices of farm commodities will sustain, while the long time value of land is based primarily on these average prices, the speaker claimed. Dr. Hampton added that the difference between the purchase price and the long time value should be the amount of the down payment.

Assisting in staging the short course were R. S. Miller, district agent for District 11, Joe L. Matthews, and Dr. L. G. Jones.

Now that negotiations are complete and the TSCW student body has an idea of what to expect, the details of benefit to Aggies on that unofficial corps trip to Tessiland this week-end have been released. Since Bill Turner's Singing Cadets and Aggeland Orchestra will lead the festivities, it is believed that the Aggies can expect a real time.

The plans include a concert by the Singing Cadets and Aggeland Orchestra from 8:00 to 9:00 and a dance from 9:00 to 12:00 with the Aggie band supplying the music. A good program has been laid out for the concert, including such specialty numbers as "Kansas City Moods", "Bottle Symphony", and "De Animals a' Comin'", plus several of the old favorites, and the spirited Aggie songs. The dance, to be held on the Virginia-Carroll Terrace, promises to be fully satisfying, with arrangements for dates easy to make.

Dateless men may call at the Date Bureau in room 220 of the Administration Building at TSCW at any time between 1 and 9 p.m. Saturday for partners for the evening. Dormitory rooms will be available for Turner's groups and other Aggies in Lowry Hall. Reservations may be made in the office of that building. As for food, meal tickets may be purchased at 25¢ for breakfast, 35¢ for lunch, and 50¢ for dinner. Since dinner (See CADETS, Page 4)

Paine Addresses Resources Meeting

Professor L. S. Paine of the Department of Agricultural Economics made an address in Austin Wednesday before the Texas Resource-Use Educational Conference on agricultural conservation.

This conference was sponsored jointly by the State Department of Education and the Texas Resource-Use Committee. The latter is composed largely of representative industrial and business leaders of the state. The purpose of the meeting is to formulate an educational program on conservation to be carried out in the public schools and colleges of Texas.

Professor Paine has been engaged in teaching courses in Agricultural resources at the A. & M. College for several years and a few years ago helped to develop a cooperation program in teaching conservation in twelve Texas colleges. He spent two weeks in June as a consultant in resources at the Southern Regional Resource Conference held at the University of Arkansas.

TSCW Group Sees Aggie Mess Halls

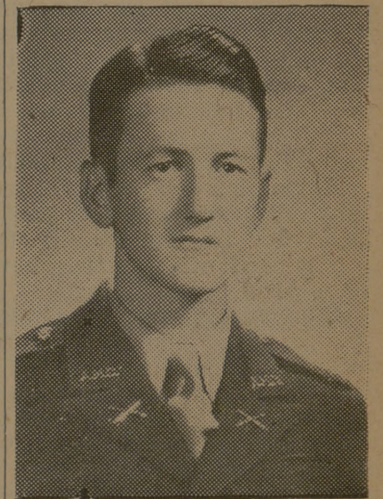
Interested in studying the management and equipment used in the A. & M. Mess Halls, a committee from Texas State College for Women visited Aggeland Monday and spent several hours inspecting Duncan and Shisa Halls. Included in the party were Dr. L. H. Hubbard, president of the Denton college, Marvin Loveless, an ex-Aggie and business manager of TSCW, Miss Nell Morris, supervisor of TSCW dining halls and Preston Geren, college architect.

From Aggeland the party left on a two weeks tour of other educational institutions in the south and east, seeking new ideas for a central messing system to be instituted at Tessiland. Members of the party and Joe Skiles, manager of Student Activities, were the guests of Jay Peniston, A. & M. Subsistence Supervisor, at the noon meal Monday in Duncan.

Aggie of the Week . . .

"Red" Caraway, 1st Co. Captain

By Clyde Crittenden
Red-headed Charles Theron Caraway, better known around Aggeland as "Red-Hoss" Caraway, steps into the limelight this time to be the star of "Aggie of the Week".



Charles Theron Caraway
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from "Santone." Whenever his thoughts are directed toward T. S. C. W., Charlie prefers the sweet musical renditions so ably served by Mr. Tommy Dorsey.

"Red-Hoss" hails from the town of Tolar, Texas, and like many another Aggie, he never journeyed away from home until he made his appearance on the A. & M. campus. It was on the sixteenth day of July in the year 1926 that Charles drew his first breath of air; and today, at the ripe old age of nineteen, Charles is one of Aggeland's better-known Seniors.

"Red-Hoss" participated in football while in high school, and he didn't do at all badly with it. Aside from football, Charlie was very popular with his Senior Class in high school, since he was elected president of the Senior Class.

His record at A. & M. is not at all unknown by most Aggies. He served as First Sergeant during his Junior year of "C" Battery Field Artillery. This year Charlie is serving as Captain of "First" Company.

Most of "Red-Hoss'" extra-curricular activities concern a beautiful brunette Tessyite who hails

Scouts Exceed All Previous Totals In Paper Collection

In the largest single collection total to date, College Station Boy Scouts of Troops 102 and 411 and Cubs of 102 collected over 15,000 pounds of waste paper Saturday.

Before noon Scouts and Cubs had gathered and turned in 13,950 pounds of paper, and 1,100 pounds were collected after 6:00 p. m. The latter amount will be turned in during the next collection drive, Dr. Jones said.

Supervising the paper pick-up were: P. J. Alwin Zeller with the Cubs in College Hills and Beverly Estates; A. C. Magee and Virgil Miller with Troop 102 on the campus; and Troop 411 under Coleman O'Brien in West Park and College Park, under W. M. Caraway in South Oakwood, and under Dr. Jones in North Oakwood and College Heights.

New Extension Worker Replaces Mrs. W. Leverenz

Miss Maurine Hearn, vice director for women and state home demonstration agent for the A. and M. College Extension Service, today announced the appointment of Miss Gwendolyn Jones of Eastland as specialist in food preservation beginning August 1. She succeeds Mrs. Winifred Leverenz whose resignation after three years in the position becomes effective on Aug. 31.

Miss Jones is a graduate of North Texas State Teachers College and did graduate work at Iowa State College. She was county home demonstration agent in Hamilton County from December 1939 until September, 1943. After more than a year of service as county home demonstration agent in Oskaloosa County, Iowa, she returned to Texas and served on the Extension Service headquarters staff as (See EXTENSION, Page 4)

What's Cooking

FRIDAY, AUGUST 10

- 1:45 p.m.: Beginners' swimming instruction at Downs Natatorium.
- 4:15 p.m.: Intramural basketball, A Co. vs. 6th Co. (League B).
- 5:00 p.m.: Intramural basketball, B Co. vs. 7th Co. (League A).
- 5:00 p.m.: Intramural football, L Co. vs. 4th Co. (League B), and 3rd Co. vs. 5th Co. (League A).
- 7:00 p.m.: City softball league, Orioles vs. Pirates at College Hills diamond.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 11

- 11:00 a.m.: Advanced swimming instruction at Downs Natatorium.
- 8:00 p.m.: Aggeland Orchestra and Singing Cadets in concert show at Open Air Theatre, T.S.C.W. at Denton.
- 9:00 p.m.: Dance at Virginia-Carroll Terrace, T.S.C.W. at Denton, music by Aggeland Orchestra.

MONDAY, AUGUST 13

- 1:45 p.m.: Beginners' swimming instruction at Downs Natatorium.
- 4:15 p.m.: Intramural basketball, 1st Co. vs. 5th Co. (League A).
- 5:00 p.m.: Intramural basketball, L Co. vs. 3rd Co. (League B).
- 5:00 p.m.: Intramural football, A Co. vs. 6th Co. (League A), and B Co. vs. 4th Co. (League B).
- 7:00 p.m.: City softball league, Tigers vs. Military Staff at College Park diamond.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 14

- 11:00 a.m.: Advanced swimming instruction at Downs Natatorium.
- 12:00 noon: Kiwanis Club luncheon at Duncan Hall.
- 4:15 p.m.: Intramural basketball, B Co. vs. 2nd Co. (League A).
- 5:00 p.m.: Intramural basketball, A Co. vs. 4th Co. (League B).
- 5:00 p.m.: Intramural football, 2nd Co. vs. 7th Co. (League B), and 1st Co. vs. 3rd Co. (League A).

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15

- 1:45 p.m.: Beginners' swimming instruction at Downs Natatorium.
- 2:30 p.m.: Newcomers Club at Mrs. E. H. Templin residence in South Oakwood.
- 5:00 p.m.: Intramural basketball, 3rd Co. vs. 4th Co. (League B).
- 7:15 p.m.: Latin-American Club at New "Y".
- 7:30 p.m.: Aggeland Orchestra and Singing Cadets in Jamboree at Guion Hall.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 16

- 11:00 a.m.: Advanced swimming instruction at Downs Natatorium.
- 4:15 p.m.: Intramural basketball, 2nd Co. vs. 7th Co. (League A).
- 5:00 p.m.: Intramural basketball, 4th Co. vs. 6th Co. (League B).
- 5:00 p.m.: Intramural football, 1st Co. vs. 6th Co. (League A), and B Co. vs. 2nd Co. (League B).
- 7:00 p.m.: City softball league, Indians vs. Pirates at College Hills diamond.