

On to Fort Worth . . .

In the first real Corps Trip since 1941, the A. & M. Cadet Corps will join hands with the student body of the Texas State College for Women, to take over Fort Worth completely for a glorious day this Saturday.

Let's Go, Army . . .

Fort Worth, long noted for its fine brand of Texas hospitality, plays host to the Cadet Corps this weekend, as the Aggies invade that city Saturday for the first corps trip of the year and the first one since 1941.

The city "where the West begins" has always been a wonderful host to the Aggies and this year will be no exception. The city has already extended us the time and place to have an official parade.

The important thing about this corps trip is that we must not abuse these privileges, as what the corps does, whether it is good or bad, will have a direct influence on the probability of another corps trip to Houston.

The Team is Ready; the Twelfth Man is Ready—Let's Tear the Toads Apart.

Tales from Tessieland

By Sue Jones
TSCW Correspondent for The Batt
Hi there, Aggies. It's here at the long awaited official trip, so everything else takes a minority rating.

The pre-war spirit of TSCW and Aggeland is coming up to par again. This much has already been evidenced in this year's group of Aggie Sweetheart judges and the tremendous amount of Aggies seen on the campus each weekend.

Once more, our dances will feature Aggies in the majority, and the Aggie War Hymn will not be just a song to keep up the morale but TSCW and A&M have official corps trips and such again.

BACKWASH

Backwash: "An agitation resulting from some action or occurrence."—Webster.

By The Collaborators

Well, Old Army, Backwash hopes that everyone is back from Louisiana by now and if they're not they had better get on their horse and head for Fort Worth because it will take them about three days to get out of that fine state.

The publicity director for TSCW called in to say that the students are going to have a big yell practice on the steps of Brackenridge Hall at 10:30 Friday night.

Speaking of yelling, ours wasn't anything sensational down at LSU this weekend. We will have a large rooting section this weekend at the game and let's really make some racket so that we can be heard clear over at the stock yards in Cowtown.

Between the Book Ends: "General Ike"

Eisenhower Always Played Good Game of Poker, Says Biographer

By Edna B. Woods
of the College Library Staff
One of the first biographies of the "soldiers' general", GENERAL IKE, by Alden Hatch, is a full but not wordy life of Dwight D. Eisenhower.

Born in 1890, Ike Eisenhower was a disappointment to his parents, for they had wanted a girl. From a deeply religious family of a sect similar to the Quakers, Ike and his five brothers did their share in creating mischief in the small town of Abilene, Kans.

Injuries Wrecked Football Career
Ike Eisenhower was slated to play football for West Point (He had preferred Annapolis and had received an appointment there also; however, he was eight months too old to enter), but a knee injury in his Freshman year ended his football career.

my's code of honor, but he was constantly contriving ways of evading regulations which he didn't like. His numerous escapades are said to have brought premature gray to the otherwise brown curly locks of his roommate. While he was in the corps, Ike's highest rank was that of Color Sergeant.

Promotions Came Fast
Greatness is the result of genius, opportunity, and hard work, and Mr. Hatch's biography places Ike Eisenhower in the rank with the military great. He rose from the rank of Lt. Colonel to General in a year.

tion for overseas service of technical troops of the Tank corps", as commander of the Tank Training Center at Camp Colt, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania.

Book Reviews War in Europe
GENERAL IKE traces Dwight Eisenhower's military career from camp to post, through the General Staff school, from the Canal Zone to the Philippines, and finally through the North African and European phases of World War II.

General Dwight Eisenhower is the staff rather than the warrior type of officer. As chief architect of the victory in the West, he "is not a field commander or a leader in the sense that he is on the firing line leading his troops. He is, however, a master of the men who do, and a master of the art they practice."

Less than 50 per cent of the tin can is actually tin. It is mostly steel.

PENNY'S SERENADE

By W. L. Penberthy

The other day I went to the cedar closet in our home to get out a fall suit, I selected one that had been "through the war," but although a little thread bare it looked fairly presentable for its four or five years of wear.



Penberthy good—but a good suit will look good until it is worn out." I have found out by experience that my Dad was exactly right. I am wondering if this same thing is not true with just about everything in life.

Advertisement for Coca-Cola featuring a man in a military uniform sitting at a table and drinking. Text: "Tastes like home", "Drink Coca-Cola", "BOTTLED UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE COCA-COLA COMPANY BY BRYAN COCA-COLA BOTTLING COMPANY, INC. GEORGE STEPHAN, President"

Advertisement for Clayton Furniture Company. Text: "LARGE OR SMALL, your home should reflect your own individual personality. Our special furniture values will help you realize a home that you can be proud of." Includes image of a dining table.

Advertisement for The Quarter Hits the Line-1903. Text: "In that year, for the first time in college annals, the quarter could run with the ball snapped direct from center. Brains and speed succeeded crude mass play, and the modern game began." Includes image of football players.

Advertisement for Man, Your Manners. Text: "Does a man shake hands when being introduced to a lady?" Includes image of a man in a suit.

Advertisement for The Battalion. Text: "STUDENT WEEKLY NEWSPAPER Office, Room 5, Administration Building, Telephone 4-5444 Texas A. & M. College" Includes logo for Associated Collegiate Press.

Advertisement for General Electric Campus News. Text: "RESEARCH AND ENGINEERING KEEP GENERAL ELECTRIC YEARS AHEAD A NEW 'HOUSE OF MAGIC' FOR POSTWAR AMERICA" Includes image of a large building.