

Sidney V. Smith Is Elected Veterans' Club President

Disciplinary System Now Undergoing Modification

Dean Rollins and Col. Meloy Classify Punishment Under Two Major Groups

Action to Be Taken By Dean or Military, According to Offense

By STUART L. SPOEDE

The entire disciplinary system for the Cadet Corps of Texas A. & M. is being revised.

According to John W. Rollins, dean of men, there will be two types of punishment under the new system; punishment imposed by a company commander and punishment given after trial by a student court.

For minor offenses such as being out of uniform or creating a disturbance in the dormitory, the amount and type of punishment will be set by the company commander. He can give demerits, place one upon restriction, or he can assign offenders a tour of duty in the bull ring. In any case he fills out a charge sheet stating the offense and what punishment is to be imposed upon the offender.

This charge sheet goes to the P.M.S. & T. and from there it is sent to the office of the dean of men where it is reviewed and either approved, disapproved or reduced in severity.

The trial by student court will handle all major offenses such as drinking intoxicants on the campus, disturbing the peace and possession of liquor or firearms in the dormitories. This court will have the power to suggest that offenders be dismissed from school if thought necessary.

A table of maximum punishments for all offenses is now being worked out by the Corps Council. This table will prescribe how severe the disciplinary action shall be for a military or "Aggie Way of Life" violation.

Such a revision was considered necessary to make sure that personalities and prejudice do not interfere with the administration of justice by unit commanders, and in order that offenses will be punished with the same relative severity by all organization commanders.

In the past, most offenders were given demerits and were required to walk off all demerits over a certain number in the bull ring. As this was done on Saturday, it was hardly possible to leave the campus on a week end when bull ring duty had to be done. Under the new system there will be a bull ring conducted by the Military Science Department but under the office of the Dean of Men.

Dean Rollins states that the change will take place as soon as a few minor details are straightened out.

Academic Building Again Littered With That Pale TU Orange

On Tuesday afternoon the monotonous silence of the Academic Building was shattered as if a china closet loaded with cut glass had dropped from the heavens above. It was merely an Aggie architect heading from class laden with fifteen bottles of paint. The only jar of paint which "busted" was Tu orange, and it ran in all directions—in typical Tu style!

The guilty party held his head in shame as he tried to mop up his mess. At this time the architect student can hold his head high and say, "We can now literally walk all over that Tu orange!"

Seniors Warned to Order Miniature Rings By Oct. 15

Mrs. Dell Bauer, senior ring clerk in the Registrar's office, warns all graduating seniors who want miniature rings for their sweethearts to do so prior to October 15, in order to insure delivery in time for the winter season social activities.

Miniature rings cost \$2.14 this year, all of which are the same weight and finish. There is no choice of selection as is the case in ordering senior rings.

Although the deadline date for ordering the smaller rings is October 15, orders for senior rings are sent to the factory on the first of each month. The process of receiving rings requires about one month, while delivery on the miniatures takes eight weeks.

TOWN HALL CALENDAR

October 20: 3 p.m., Strauss Festival, Concert Orchestra, directed by Oscar Strauss.

Nov. 6: Whitmore and Lowe, Duo-Pianists.

Nov. 18: Lawrence Tibbett, Famous American Baritone.

Jan. 15: Dr. Franz J. Polgar, Hypnotist, last season's hit, returned by popular request.

Jan. 28: Patricia Travers, Violinist.

Feb. 20: Donald Dickson, Popular Radio Baritone.

Other attractions, including the Sam Houston A Capella Choir and Aggieband's Singing Cadets, will be announced later.

Week-End Western Atmosphere Agrees With Aggie Rodeo

Filing Deadline for Events October 15; Cowboy Garbs Okeyed

Tuesday, October 15, will be the last day for persons wishing to enter the Aggie Rodeo as contestants. It was announced by Prince Wood, arena and rodeo director.

All contestants must pay the entrance fee of \$5.00 for each night they plan to participate before 6 p. m. on October 15. A representative of the Saddle and Sirolo Club will be in the Animal Husbandry library in the Animal Industries building between 1 p. m. and 6 p. m. on this date for the purpose of collecting fees.

Contestants under 21 years of age must secure a written statement for their parents releasing the college of all responsibility in case of injury to the contestant concerned. This must be done before final entry can be made, Wood said.

ENTRANTS MUST SIGN WAIVER; HAVE CONSENT

Aggies entered in the Saddle and Sirolo Rodeo must sign a waiver of responsibility before they are permitted to participate. The paper should be signed in Room 207, Animal Industries Building, Mr. Gray's office. Boys under 21 must have the consent of their parents.

It was also announced by Morty L. Mertz, president of the Saddle and Sirolo Club that the Commandant has authorized the wearing of western clothing by the Cadet Corps on Friday, October 18 from retreat to reveille on Saturday, October 19, and from immediately after the football game on Saturday afternoon until reveille, Sunday morning.

As of Monday afternoon, October 7, there had been a total of 43 entries in the five events, with 32 contestants participating. In the calf-roping contest there were 13 entries; 6 entries were (See RODEO, Page 2)

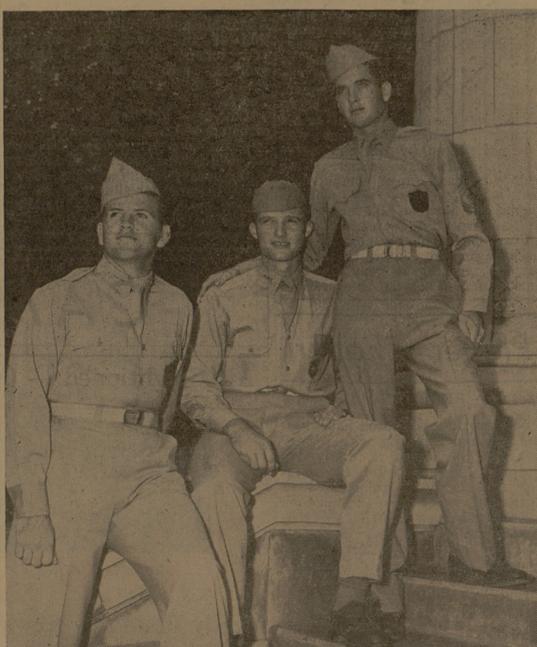
If You Think You Need A Tent Then Visit Tu and Be Content

So you're getting married during the Christmas holidays and need a home for two...

For the benefit of those mathematically inclined and for those who are considering an investment in a trailer house, the Registrar, Chief of Housing, The Veterans Administration, and the Dean of Men put their heads together and emitted the following figures and statistics.

It has been found that, as of this date, A. & M. College of Texas has the record enrollment of 8632. Of this figure, 6281 are veterans, and the remaining 2351 constitute the Cadet Corps. Unmarried veterans living in college dormitories total 3938, whereas there are 485 married vets living in apartments, dormitories, and trailer camps. Day students number 1379.

Married couples are now living in Hart and Walton dormitories, Project Houses, Bryan Field, Trailerville, Veterans Village, and



Pictured above from left to right are the leaders of the Junior Class. They are: Nathaniel "Jug" Leatherwood of "A" Battery Coast Artillery, President; Jack Adams of "A" Troop Cavalry, Vice-President; and Marvin Jones of "B" Battery Field Artillery, Secretary-Treasurer.

October 15 is Set As Starting Date For Annual Photos

Demopolis - Saunders, Co-Editors, State Longhorn Deadlines

Beginning October 15, pictures will be taken for the 1947 Longhorn, it was announced by Jimmy Demopolis and Harry Saunders, co-editors of the yearbook.

The deadline for students having pictures made will be December 15. Veterans can have pictures made at the A. & M. Photo Shop between October 15 and December 15. Coats and ties must be worn for all pictures. Seniors should report to the Photo Shop at any time until October 22. In the case of all Corps members, blouses with ties are required.

From October 23 to November 7 juniors will have their pictures taken at the A&M Photo Shop. Sophomores should report between November 8-22. Freshmen will be given from November 23 to Dec. 15 to have their pictures made for the Longhorn.

A contest has been started by the Student Activities Office in order to obtain pictures for the annual. Each month a five-dollar prize will be awarded to the best picture depicting life on the A&M campus. All pictures submitted will become the property of the Student Activities Office. Pictures will be accepted in Room 3 of the Administration Building between the hours of 8 and 5 each day.

WILDLIFE CONFERENCE PLANS

The 1947 North American Wildlife Conference has been invited to Texas by workers in the wildlife field in Texas. Dr. W. B. Davis, head of the Fish and Game department of A. & M. announced.

Humble Broadcasts A&M.-LSU Battle

Saturday evening at 8:05, the broadcast of the Texas A&M-LSU game will start with Hal Thompson and Dick Lyons at the mikes.

Game will be broadcast from the LSU Stadium in Baton Rouge and will be carried over stations KGKO, Dallas-Fort Worth; KXYZ, Houston; KMAC, San Antonio; KRIS, Corpus Christi and WTAW, College Station.

At 7:50 p.m. Friday broadcast of the game between SMU and Oklahoma A&M will begin. Charlie Jordan will do the play-by-play and Jerry Doggett the color.

Stations carrying the game, which will be played at Dallas, are WRR, Dallas; KFJC, Ft. Worth; WACO, Waco; and KTHT, Houston.

Saturday afternoon, broadcast of the Arkansas-Baylor tilt will start at 2:20 with Kern Tipton and Alec Chesser handling the play-by-play and color assignments, respectively. Stations airing this contest will be WOAI, San Antonio; WFAA-WBAP, Dallas-Ft. Worth; and WACO, Waco.

Another broadcast will start at the same time, 2:20 p.m. when Texas U. tangles with Oklahoma U. in the Dallas Cotton Bowl. Charlie Jordan will be the play-by-play announcer with Jerry Doggett relieving for color. Game will be carried by KFJC, Ft. Worth; WRR, Dallas.

Battalion Printing Plant Falls Thru; College Press Buys

\$10,000 Loaned by Student Activities to Insure Tri-Weekly Publication

Plans approved by the Student Life Committee last week for the purchase of a magazine and newspaper printing plant by Student Publications to be set up in the basement of Goodwin Hall, have been canceled. The A. & M. Press, college printing plant which has been publishing the Batt weekly, has bought the equipment instead, and will continue printing the Battalion.

This change means that editorial offices will not be moved to Goodwin Hall, but will remain in the Administration building. Request for production of a tri-weekly newspaper by November 1 has been granted, with provision for The Agriculturist and The Engineer, technical journals, bi-monthly.

Purchase of the printing equipment, costing \$21,000, was made possible by the use of \$10,000 from the Student Activities Fund, which accrues from revenue on publications and student entertainment.

Under the separate plant plan, The Battalion had counted on tri-weekly publication by October 15, but this has now been extended until November 1 by the A. & M. Press.

Class of '46 Elects Terrell President At Reunion Meeting

Trigg and Cooper Serve as Vice-Pres. And Sec.-Treasurer

At the first reunion meeting of the Class of '46 held recently in the Chapel of the YMCA, Bill Terrell of Navasota was elected president. Terrell is a Chemical Engineering major. Jim Trigg, an Animal Husbandry major from Bastrop, was elected to the vice-presidency. Secretary - treasurer for the year will be J. N. "Red" Miller of Orange, who is taking Mechanical Engineering.

The question was raised regarding the appointment of a social secretary to represent the Class of '46 in The Texas Aggie; however, it was decided that more thought should be given to this important position. At a future meeting of the class this vacancy will be elected.

The next meeting will take place at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 22, Terrell announced. At this time plans will be made for a social event to be held this semester. Also, a class representative for the Student Council will be chosen at this meeting. All members of the Class of '46 are urged to attend.

ACCREDITED FLIGHT COURSE

Texas A&M College cadets are now taking flight training as an accredited course. A. & M. College's Easterwood Field is one of the largest college-owned and operated airports in the United States, and throughout thousands of training flights, there has never been a serious accident involving a student.

If Your Story Is Missing From the Batt, Here's Why

This week the Battalion received three times as many news stories about life on the A. & M. campus as could be printed in its four news pages. (The two-page insert went to press last week-end, and was not available for timely news.)

As a result, out of every three stories submitted to the Batt, only one is printed here. Of the other two, one may eventually get into print, the other may be lost forever. So if you club meeting isn't reported, don't blame the club secretary or the reporter who was there. Under present circumstances, we just can't print all the news.

It was believed last week that a solution had been found, in a proposal that a new print shop be set up and operated by the Student Activities office. This proposal was not approved in its entirety.

However, the A. & M. Press has given assurances that if an alternate plan which they proposed is adopted, they will be able to start

Lindsey, Law and Williams, Yates, Dickey Also Winners

Lindley Remains Batt Co-Editor; Saunders Named to '47 Longhorn

By Claude Buntyn

Sidney V. Smith of Bryan, '44, was elected to lead the Veterans Students Association for the fall semester, in the Veteran election held Monday, October 7.

Attention Veterans Certified Thru SA

All veterans under Part VII, who hold a letter of authorization from the San Antonio, V. A., region, and who have not previously reported to W. H. Bailey, Ramp B, Hart Hall, should do so their first vacant period.

Mr. Bailey, also announced that Roy G. Varnell, Veterans contact representative, will be in Ramp B, Hart Hall each Monday morning and Thursday afternoon. He will see all veterans who are concerned with the following subjects: insurance, G. I. loans, dependency claims, surplus property information and pension claims. All other week days, excepting Wednesday morning, he will see veterans at his office in the City Hall of Bryan.

Veterans Advised To Complete Leave Pay Applications

Dietzgen Drawing Set Orders Taken On October 14-15

It has been found that there are many ex-enlisted men who have not applied for their terminal leave pay due to the fact that they do not know the procedure, it was announced by the College Veterans Advisor.

Students who are entitled to enlisted terminal leave pay should submit their applications for same as soon as possible. Forms may be obtained from the post office.

A photostatic copy of the discharge certificate must accompany the application, and this process can be taken care of at the Registrar's office. There is a small fee for this photostatic copy. Upon completion of the form, it must be notarized by Mrs. Marie Franklow, room 102, Goodwin Hall or Mrs. Ruth Daniel in room 106, Goodwin Hall.

According to information received from the Postmasters in Bryan and College Station, there are many veterans' subsistence checks that are not properly addressed. In this matter veterans are urged to call at the windows of both post offices and see if their checks are there.

On Monday and Tuesday, October 14-15, a representative of the War Assets Cooperation will be in the College Exchange Store for the purpose of taking veteran's orders for Dietzgen command drawing sets. To be eligible for a priority, a veteran must present his final discharge papers and a requisition card from the Veterans Advisors Office.

For a Quick Loan Without Interest, Get a Davis Buck

The Davis "Buck" Fund is now being operated by the Student Labor Office in Room 106, Goodwin Hall. The fund was started, and has been built up by gifts from Aggies who have found a "small loan to be a big help" in a pinch. There is no interest charge on loans. A small gift to the fund in addition to the repayment is always appreciated. Those nickels and dimes will quickly grow into dollars, making a greater number of loans possible.

If you need a few dollars to help you through an emergency, stop by the Student Labor Office.

Architects Meet To Elect Officers

The Architectural Society in its second meeting of this semester, held in the Physics lecture room last Tuesday evening, October 1, elected its new officers for the '46-'47 season.

Bob Simpson, fourth year design student, was elected president. Allison B. Peery was elected vice-president and Donald Jarvis is to become secretary treasurer.

The Architectural Society has already heard in its first meeting Charlie Granger of Austin, one of Texas' progressive architects. Plans for this year include the annual Architect's Ball, the traditional costume dance that will start the spring social season next year.

The winning sign can be seen on the east side of Dorm 12.

THE BATTALION STAFF