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CORPS, ALL-COLLEGE DANCES, AND JAMBOREE SET FOR RICE WEEK-END

Floyd Graham Will Play for Friday Night Corps Dance

Big plans are being made for a big weekend when the Rice Owls turn out in full for the first game at College Station since 1942...

Entertainment for the weekend includes a military ball for the corps Friday in Sbis Hall 9 to 12 p.m. with the Aces of Colledge-land headed by Floyd Graham...

Preceding the dance Friday night the orchestra will put on a Variety Show on the Stage of Guion Hall at 7 o'clock...

Saturday an All-College dance will be held from 9 to 12 p.m. in Sbis Hall. The Agglieand Orchestra will play for this affair...

Al 'Lena' Capp To Pick Vanity Fair Beauties

Perhaps this year the selection of Vanity Fair beauties will work in reverse. Heretofore, it has always been the policy to select the most beautiful eight pictures for the Vanity Fair section...

Museum Curator Addresses Fish And Game Majors

At a regular meeting of the Fish and Game Club Tuesday evening, students majoring in that department were startled to hear that they were witnessing the replacement of hardwoods in the great post-oak and blackjacks belt...

Chem. Engineering Dept. Accredited By Nat'l Council

A&M Joins Texas and Rice With Accredited Chem. Engineer Dept. One of the newer branches of engineering at A. & M. reaches maturity and nationwide recognition recently as the Engineering Council for Professional Development...

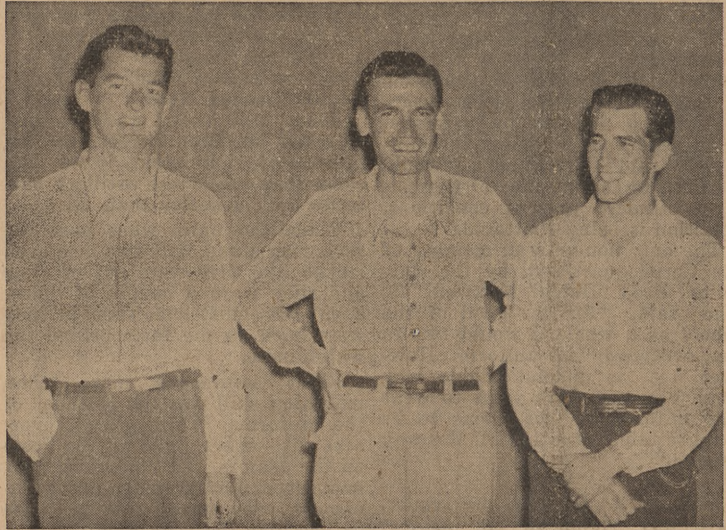
The announcement, which places A. & M. alongside Rice Institute and Texas University as the only schools in Texas having accredited chemical engineering curricula, climaxed a five-year wait by Dr. J. D. Lindsay...

The chemical engineering department was divorced from the A. & M. chemistry department in June, 1940, and inspected by a committee from the American Institute of Chemical Engineers...

Two Civil Service Booklets Explain Exam Procedures

Pamphlets and Forms May Be Obtained from Local Secretary in PO The Civil Service Commission has just issued two examination announcements in booklet form, each covering a number of different types of positions located in Washington, D. C., and throughout the United States...

Heads of Veteran Organization



VET OFFICERS, John Lindsey, vice-president, Sid Smith, president, and Sam S. Williams, treasurer.

Veterans Administration Clarifies Ex-Servicemen's Hospital Benefits

The Veterans Administration has released the following information concerning benefits to which ex-servicemen and women are entitled in cases of hospitalization and out-patient treatment. By following this procedure, undue delay may be prevented in filing claims and obtaining payment.

- Hospitalization 1. Non-service connected cases. Within the limits of Veterans Administration facilities, hospital treatment may be authorized by the Chief, Out-Patient Service, Waco, Texas, for veterans who served during a period of war, who were discharged under other than dishonorable conditions...

K. J. Edwards Heads Mission to Arabia

K. J. Edwards, district agent of the Extension Service, has made request for a leave of one year to become the head of an Agricultural Mission to Saudi Arabia. The purpose of the program is to set up and guide the early activities of a department of agriculture for Saudi Arabia.

College Employees To Dine Thursday

The first regular meeting of the newly formed College Employees Club will be held Thursday night in Sbis Hall. Tickets for the dinner went on sale yesterday at the Agglieand Inn, and are available to members for \$1.25 each. This sum pays for a meal served by the Subsistence Director at cost and includes a dance following.

'Your 1150 Listening Habit'...

Radio Activity on Campus Begun Thirty-Four Years Ago Has Now Produced Present-Day Affiliated Station

Did you know that the first athletic event ever sent over the ether waves was an Aggie contest, and that the broadcasts was done by our own WTAW? A football game was reported in the dot-dash of the Morse system some years before the first radio-telephone broadcast, which was of the Dempsey-Carpentier boxing match in New Jersey.

In 1923 radiophoning was begun at this institution with a power of 250 watts. In 1925 the power was increased to 500 watts. With this doubling of power, WTAW went on the air twice a week, and the Association of Former Students took charge of the programs. Athletic events and chapel services were broadcast. In the spring of 1926 the Extension Service assumed responsibility for the programs and inaugurated the Texas Farm and Home Hour, which is now one of the most widely listened to programs in the state.

WTAW has its own Associated Press teletype machine that brings in the latest news, weather, market reports, and a complete coverage of world events. It is also an affiliated station of the American Broadcasting Co. network. This affiliation brings many national programs to Brazos county listeners, including 'Ladies Be Seated', 'Bride and Groom', 'The Columbia Workshop', 'The Breakfast Club', 'Terry and the Pirates', and 'Jack Armstrong'.

Engineering Mag. Staff Elected at Council Meeting

Davies Named Editor Of Monthly Magazine; Other Workers Needed Robert W. Davies, a veteran mechanical engineering student of Forth Worth, was elected Editor of the 'Texas A. & M. Engineer', monthly publication of the Student Engineering Council.

Bob Latimer, managing editor of the 'Engineer', outlined the staff to the members of the council, and at the same time he issued a call for all engineering students to assist in the publication of this magazine. Plans call for a 50-page magazine, to commence publication in January.

12 Science Clubs In Texas Academy

A&M's United Science Clubs gained a new lease on life Monday night when the Steering Committee, composed of twelve of the fifteen former member clubs on the campus, met in the biology building with Dr. C. C. Dosak, head of the biology department and former councilor of the U.S.C.

'As Many Name Bands as Possible', Says Elms Regarding Social Season

The Social Calendar for the spring semester of the 1946-47 school year has been announced this week by the Student Activities office. Commencing on February 8 and continuing through May 30, a dance will be held on the campus every week-end.

Efforts to get name lists will be sent by the Student Activities office, and this list will be made to the booking agents soon.

Three-Per-Room Refund Ready at Fiscal Office

Refunds of room rent for students who paid for the full semester and who were living three to a room at the end of October are ready and may be called for at the Fiscal Department between the hours of 8 a. m. and 12 noon and from 1 p. m. to 2 p. m. each day.

Hillel Foundation Holds Interfaith Relation Contest

Aggies are invited to participate in an Essay Writing Contest sponsored by the A. & M. Hillel Foundation in cooperation with the Henry Cohen Interfaith Fellowship. The subject is Interfaith Relationship.

The purpose of the contest is to stimulate an intellectual and friendly understanding among various denominational groups and develop an awareness among students of the contributions which various religious creeds and denominations have made to the advancement of American civilization.

Each manuscript must be accompanied by a sealed envelope containing the name and post office address of the sender. All essays must be the writer's original contribution, and average approximately 1000 to 1500 words.

Work Underway on Two New Projects

The office of the College Architect has made two new announcements concerning projects now under way on the campus. First and perhaps most interesting to students relates to the Grove. All excavation has been completed, and the concrete for the floor will be laid as soon as weather conditions permit.

The Social Calendar reads as follows:

- February 8, 1947 Reserve Officers' Dinner Dance. February 14, 1947 Architect's Ball. February 15, 1947 All-College Dance. February 21, 1947 Freshman Ball. February 22, 1947 All-College Dance. February 27, 1947 Sophomore Ball. March 1, 1947 All-College Dance. March 7, 1947 Junior Prom. March 8, 1947 All-College Dance. March 14, 1947 Cattlemen's Ball. March 15, 1947 Veterans Association Dance. March 21, 1947 Infantry Ball. March 22, 1947 All-College Dance. March 28, 1947 Cotton Ball. March 29, 1947 All-College Dance. April 11, 1947 Artillery Ball. April 12, 1947 All-College Dance. April 18, 1947 Composite Regiment Ball. April 19, 1947 All-College Dance. April 25, 1947 Veterans Association Dance. April 26, 1947 Barnyard Frolic. May 16, 1947 Senior Ring Dance. May 17, 1947 All-College Dance. May 30, 1947 Final Ball.

'The Dilberts And Spoilers Club' is Newest A&M Group

Dilberts and Spoilers came into their own last week, as they organized their own club on the A. & M. campus. In case you haven't the faintest idea what Dilberts and Spoilers are don't feel dismayed. Only those serving during the war in naval or marine aviation understand the significance of the terms, which come from cartoon caricatures of an aviator (Dilbert) and his mechanic (Spoiler).

A major objective of the club is to obtain recognition from the naval air reserve unit in Dallas so that billets may be secured for men on the campus, who are interested in continuing flying. Recently, Naval Air Station, Dallas has been sending a plane here every other week-end for several reserve pilots who have been assigned a billet in the reserve unit, and want to get in their flying time.

Oldest Grad is Still Aggie Booster After Seventy Long Years

Do you want a recipe for a long happy life? Just graduate from A&M, and perhaps you can equal the record of Rev. Malcom Black, a member of the first class that ever left College Station. Rev. Black, who will be 92 next month, is the oldest living graduate. Still spry and hearty, he was a guest at the recent State Fair in Dallas and gave a newspaper interview, despite a broken hearing aid.