

Freshmen, Sharpen Your Pencils For Annual Engineering Drawing Contest

The annual engineering drawing contest, discontinued during the war is being reopened, J. G. McGuire of the Engineering Drawing Department announced Thursday. Open to freshmen enrolled in Engineering Drawing 111, 112, and 124, the contest will be held toward the end of the current semester, probably the latter part of May.

Four divisions are open to the contestants: freehand sketching, freehand lettering, mechanical drawing, and descriptive geometry. Three prizes will be awarded in each part. Furnished by the Eugene Dietzgen Company, the prizes are to be pieces of drawing equipment.

The exact date will be announced at a later date, but will fall on a Saturday afternoon, it was pointed out. Time limit on the contest, as in previous years, is set at 4 hours. The only requirement other than that the stu-

dent be taking engineering drawing is he must have maintained at least a "B" grade in the course.

In past years a National Drawing Contest was held at which more A. & M. men won prizes than students from any other school. This year there is no national contest, but the local contest has been reinstated.

Soils Testing Lab Now in Operation

A soils testing laboratory, long-delayed due to lack of equipment, has been put into operation at Texas A&M College, it was announced today by Professor Spencer Buchanan of the civil engineering department, who is in charge of the lab.

Prima donna among the machines in the lab is a standard compressive loading machine, modified by the Baldwin Locomotive Works for measuring shear strength, consolidation characteristics and un-

Sam Houston's A Capella Choir



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confined compressive strengths of soils directly.

The lab machine, Buchanan says, is one of a very few in the nation with comparable flexibility and

range. One of its features is constant load maintenance, which can be set on the half-pound through a range of 6000 pounds.

Official Notices

February 25, 1947
Each candidate for the degree of Master of Science or Master of Education who expects to complete the requirements for his degree in the current semester should file a complete course of study, thesis project (if a Master of Science degree), and notice of expectation to complete, with the Dean of the Graduate School without delay.

These, approved by the head of the student's major department, should be presented to the Dean of the Graduate School on or before April 30, 1947.

T. D. Brooks
Dean of the Graduate School

CLASSIFIEDS

ATTENTION ENGINEERS: Get your engineers' math chart at the Exchange Store.

THE SCRIBE SHOP—Typing, mimeographing, drawing. Phone 2-6705. 1007 E. 53rd, Bryan.

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FOR SALE: Two love seats, ironing board and electric iron. Veterans Village 13-A.

LIGHT HAULING: See Bill Armstrong. Project House 2 B.

LOST: Silver snake type key chain. Finder notify Peter N. Reed, P. O. Box 1534. Reward.

LOST: 4 month old black Cocker Spaniel with white chest, wearing a leather collar with silver studs. If found please notify M. C. Bozarth, K-2 Trailer or P. O. Box 5215, College Station, Texas.

LOST: Pocket size K & E Ever-There slide rule. Tan leather sheath. Name TIPPIT scratched on back. Reward. J. W. Tippit, 310 Bizzell, or Box 1934.

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FOR SALE: 2 houses on large lot and Model A, \$4,500 for \$1,575 down payment or your late model car and some cash. Cecil Moore, 408 Vincent St., off Graham Drive.

Beta Sigma Phi Sorority To Organize Local Chapter

Miss Margaret Milleret, field staff member of the Beta Sigma Phi social sorority, is in Bryan for the purpose of organizing a local chapter. Miss Milleret has requested that all local sorority members contact her at the La-Salle Hotel in Bryan.

Beta Sigma Phi has 2000 chapters in the 48 states of the U. S., Canada, England, Scotland, Mexico, and Alaska. The membership totals around 55,000 people.

The sorority furnishes members with educational and social activities in addition to serving their local communities in various ways such as sponsoring concerts and lectures.

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